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FLOODS WREAK HAVOC

Further Shocks Add To Misery In Turkey

NO HOPE FOR ENTOMBED

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A new terror is sweeping western Turkey as flood waters from the rivers in the Symrna, Brusa, and Adrianople districts devastate the countryside. Inhabitants, cattle, and crops are engulfed in the growing torrent, which has produced another great army of homeless totalling millions.

The earthquake-riven areas in the north and east to-day suffered further shocks, especially at Tokat and Erzindjan, which are now completely effaced and have become a vast graveyard of snowcapped ruins.

The half-frozen survivors are storming the relief trains and wolfing food. Many are reported to have become insane and to have been removed

It is estimated that 550 villages in the Erzindjan Province are in ruins.

Including the injured and homeless with the dead, the casualty list in the earthquake visitation exceeds hundreds of thousands. The region affected extends from Ankara to Erzindjan and from Samsoun to Kayseri. Most of the modern buildings of reinforced concrete

New shocks in the eastern Anatolia district of Amasia caused heavy damage.

The British Government has sent £25,000 and France

5,000,000 francs to the relief fund.

The whole of the Turkish nation is mobilised for the mighty task of rescuing the survivors. As the forces were being marshalled the country was again trembling under new shocks, which scientists believe may continue for six months. The death roll is mounting every hour as the news from doomed towns filters out. Great chasms have split the snowswept countryside and entire villages have disappeared.

Blizzards and the rising flood waters have joined forces with the subterranean upheavals in making the plight of the refugees terrible beyond endurance.

To-day's shocks in Amasia common the Geneva Red Cross, promising a record relief fund.

Seismologists fear fresh shocks, in addition to those which to-day demolished already damaged buildings and further impeded rescuers. Snow is blocking roads and railways and breaking down bridges, and all this frustrates the removal of the homeless, who are housed in tents, which give insufficient shelter against the blizzard, to the houses in Central and Southern Anatolia which have been placed at

village of Turkmen survived.

Other shocks were felt at Smyrna.

The town of Dikili is seriously damaged and all the rivers around are

'Planes Drop Food.

Trains have reached Erzindjan, where it is now estimated that 30,000 are killed, representing 50 per cent. of the population. Aeroplanes circling over are continually dropping food, charcoal and clothing for the thousands rendered home. the thousands rendered home who are seeking refuge in the

less who are seeking refuge in the fields.

Thousands who escaped from this city were frozen to death. The temperatures are 30 degrees below zero and many of the victims are clad in night attire only.

Trains, ships and lorries are crawling to the scene. One of three trains which reached Erzindjan reparted laden with injured. A steamer laden with food and medicines has left for the Black Sea coast.

All hope of rescuing those entombed in the villages and towns has been abandoned. The rescue efforts are being concentrated on survivors scattered throughout an area of 60,000 square miles. The complete evacuation of certain districts is kely in order to avoid epidemics. The floods in the Smyrna region inundated Karacabey Valley, containing 14 towns and villages.

The river Simavcayi overwhelmed Kemel Pasa, near Bursa, marooning the inhabitants on the rooftops and drowning many trying to escape.

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Forty-four Shocks. The military authorities and the Red Crescent are sending tents and clothing by boat from Munanya. Three other rivers, including the Karadere, have burst their banks. Forty-four earthquake shocks were registered in 48 hours in the Sivas district, throwing people into further panic.

The Governor of the town of Kuyuluhissar reports that 20 per cent

of the town of Ruy-uluhissar reports that 20 per cent. of the population have been killed and the remainder injured. The prison collapsed killing 20 prisoners and all the officials. Hun-dreds of school children perished when a school collapsed. Three of-ficials survive

ficials survive. Similar scenes occurred at Zaza, Susehri, and Ispala, where every

Susehri, and Ispala, where every gendarme perished.

An engineer who entered Erzindjan reported that there were frantic appeals for help in the doctorless city, where flames and snow contended for mastery amid the screams of the victims. The Governor and the Mayor were the only official survivors, but the ordeal drove the Mayor mad.

Day of Mourning.

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Even fatalistic Turkey stands appalled at the magnitude of the earthquake disaster in Anatolia, which every message amplifies. Officials estimate the death-roll as between 20,000 and 50,000, said earlier cable messages. New Year's mourning, instead of the customary holiday

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.

The "New York Times" Rome correspondent says it is learned that General von Mackensen is reporting to vouchsafe again His blessings, to strengthen us in the fulfilment of our duty, for ahead of us lies the most serious struggle for the existence of the German people."

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beyond endurance.

To-day's shocks in Amasia completely destroyed 25 villages. Only three of the 350 inhabitants of the Relief Halted Relief Halted

Crevasses have halted relief trains. Those destined for Erzind-jan one of the stricken cities, were snowed under at Sivas, where the Ministers who are controlling the relief work were installed until the thousands of workers and soldiers engaged cleared the line within 26 hours, thus enabling the trains to arrive with the aid of snow ploughs. Seventy per cent. of the population of the province of Erzindjan are believed to have perished, while the casualties, in Erzindjan city, with a population of 100,000, are computed at 8000 dead and 34,000 injured.

Blazing Ruins.

Erzindjan is a mass of blazing ruins, which the survivors are dis-tractedly searching, but where the

been mobilised to help.

It is officially stated that hope is abandoned of relieving some districts, since only major points are receptable.

He repeated the charge that Brighten and the cha

The estimates of killed are:

 Giresun
 10,000

 Kastamonu
 1,000

 Kigi
 1,200

 Zara
 1,500

 Kemah
 1,000

Others range from 200 to 3000, according to the size of the towns.

The area affected is 60,000 square

The director of the Istanbul Observatory considers that the violence of the earthquake shows that the geological disturbance was 16 miles deep, which will take a long time to settle

Wary Eye Kept On Italy

HITLER'S CAUTION

Afraid Of Vatican's Influence

REPORT BEING MADE

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THE SYMBOL OF BRITISH DETERMINATION.—The Imperial lion confronts the world. You need not look far to find it. This is the enlargement of a detail on the South African War Memorial at Napier.

HITLER'S MESSAGE TO NAZI PARTY

PRECISE WAR AIM

Germany's Fight To Build

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(Received January 1, 7.10 p.m.) LONDON, Dec. 30. "We enter the most decisive year in German history," said Hitler in a message to the Nazi Party, reported

from Berlin. The Fuhrer said that eighty millions could not be kept from particiflames are not raging snowdrifts pation in the world's wealth. "All deepen every hour, leaving little the measures we have taken hither-hope of saving the entrapped to have neither robbed nor harmed people.
Ali Government employees have the rest of the world; they merely

> He repeated the charge that Britain and France do not want peace, while Germany did. He affirmed that Central Europe was pacified in 1939 by a succession of epoch-making events, including the "destruction of the Poland of Versailles."
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> "To the Nazi Party may 1940 bring a decision. That decision will be our victory, come what may."
>
> "German propagated ites, will not affect our solidarity.
>
> "Our effort is unprecedented. We demanded of everyone. Soldiers are offering their lives and for this reason the nation cannot refuse to sacrifice its gold."
>
> The Senate unanimously approvied the military budget for the first also being made for a continuance of the construction of three 35,000-ton vessels, since the mastery of the sea is crucial, as the course of the war is proving. "To the Nazi Party may 1940 bring a decision. That decision will be our victory, come what may."

Liberation of Europe. Admonishing the nation to bear its war burdens, Hitler said: "We have a precise war aim. Germany and Europe must be liberated from the oppression and constant threats which to-day, as in the past, originate in England. This time arms must definitely be wrenched from the hands of the war-inciters and

war-declarers.

"We fight not only against the injustice of Versailles, but for the prevention of the greater injustice with which it would be replaced. We fight for the construction of a New Europe because, unlike Chamber-

Almighty, who in the past year so clearly took us under His protection,

EUROPEAN FEDERATED STATES ENVISAGED BY M. DALADIER IN STIRRING SPEECH TO SENATE

BRITISH EMPIRE THANKED FOR WAR EFFORT AND FRANCE URGED TO GREATER EFFORTS AND SACRIFICES

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PARIS, Dec. 30. "This Franco-British Union is open to all, but I state categorically that, without material and positive guarantees,

France will not lay down arms," declared the French Prime Minister (M. Daladier) in the course of the speech to the Senate that was punctuated by wild cheering. "Just as I distrust grand theoretical conceptions, so I prefer material guarantees against a return of events such

as those from which we are suffering," he added. "So, too, I conceive that the New Europe should be a far wider organisation. It will be necessary to extend intercourse and perhaps envisage federal ties between Europe's States.

"We are ready to co-operate with all pursuing our aims. All attempts to divide England and France, such as the German propaganda lies, will not affect our solidarity.

PROMOTION FOR

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Wing-Commander To

Group-Captain

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The Air Ministry announces New Year temporary promotions as fol-

Group captains to air com-odores: H. M. Maynard, of Wai-

Wing-commanders to group captains: H. B. Russell, of Hastings, New Zealand; J. P. Cassidy, Darling Downs North, New South Wales; A. C. Collier Randwick.

New Zealand.

LONDON, Jan. 1.

the war is proving.

"There may have been gaps and delays in our programme, but it has enabled the erection of a ram part of steel along our inviolate ter

"Britain has agreed to conscription, also to unity of command. Now come troops from Canada, and airmen from Australia. Nothing can stop this movement, which responds to a profound stirring of the British conscience.

Airmen's Exploits

"The British Air Force has proved its superiority in material and tech-nique. Our airmen are responsible Europe because, unlike Chamberlain, we are convinced that it cannot be shaped by the outmoded forces of a decaying world, by so-called statesmen who are unable to solve the most primitive problems of their own countries."

Message to Troops.

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M. Daladier paid a tribute to the forces, whose one determined the proposition of the past year of the past year of the proposition of the post year.

egotism."

M. Daladier paid a tribute to the forces, whose one determination is "to finish with the rule of force

COLONIES Hits Them Hard

BERLIN, Jan. 30.

It is pointed out here that the tack on Kitela was repulsed a Powers are obliged by terms of the fighting continues further north. mandate to maintain neutrality in

GERMAN WARNING TO THE EMPIRE

BLAME FOR DAMAGE TO THEIR OLD

Admission That Blockade

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It is officially stated that Germany will hold Britain, France, New Zeaand, Australia and South Africa responsible for any damage to former German colonies arising from the

he territories they control.

men on the Afghan frontier.

to fortify the Russian-Iraq frontier.

little damaged.

that a squadron of Soviet airmen alighted on the ice near a lake and surrendered, complaining of engine trouble and lack of petrol, though the enwell filled. Elsewhere two infood.

were thrown into the attack against the Mannerheim Line in a snowstorm. The Russians were forced back across the frontier at a third point, the Kutno sector. The new Russian onsalught on the Mannerheim line has failed. The enemy at

Civilians Killed the territories they control.

The German wireless admits that the blockade has deprived Germany of coffee, cocoa, jute and rubber, but adds that substitutes are available. Germany's peace-time economy was drilled for war requirements, said a radio broadcast. Her people had been educated to become true Socialists, hence the marvellous start in 1939 over Britons, who had served the interest of a few individuals and therefore were no match for the Germans.

The Russians bombed Kexholm, Wasa and Jyvaskyla, killing some civilians and causing some material damage. Air raiders dropped 60 bombs on the Hanko Hospital, destroying four buildings and injuring ten patients. They killed a child in a Helsingtors suburb and machine gunned Jyvaskyla civilians.

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Arouse The Concern Of

The Allies

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The Rome Press declares that Russia has massed 800,000

Britain and France are organising an expeditionary force

The Cairo correspondent of "Il Messagero" says that the Russians are also concentrating in the Caucasus and, because of this, Britain, France, and Turkey are discussing the im-

Iran has 50,000 under arms and is hastening her forti-

The Foreign Ministers of Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan have decided on joint defensive preparations. Iraq continues

of 300,000 men under General Weygand as a precautionary

mediate formation of an advance force in this region.

FINLAND HEARTENED BY REPORTS OF REVOLT IN RANKS OF SOVIET ARMY

RUSSIANS AGAIN BOMB MANY CITIES

CUTTING OF MURMANSK RAILWAY

ADDS TO THE CONFUSION

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LONDON, Dec. 31. Finland defiantly holds her own, heartened by the semi-official Finnish news that a revolt has broken out in the Russian lines due to the defective discipline of troops in the Kuolajarvi district, where Russian warplanes were forced to bomb and Russian machine-guns had to fire on their own

Two infantry regiments fiercely fought each other, but this may be due to mistaking each other for Finns. Reports from Copenhagen declare that discontent and

sabotage are rife in the front ranks of the Red Army, and that they are extending to civilians behind the lines. Finnish reports before the announcement of the revolt stated that the Russians were bringing up more guns on the Kuolajarvi front, but disastrous confusion prevailed. Nevertheless, the Russian Command was ruthlessly expediting action. Picked troops, ski-running sharpshooters drawn from Siberia, and men skilled in guerilla warfare were arriving from the Caucasus and regiments of Cossacks replacing the cumbersome tank battalions. Everything indicates the early

resumption of the Russian onslaughts. The Finnish Intelligence Service anticipates an offensive from the south end of the Mannerheim Line, the attack at the northern end having failed. This is expected to employ 100,000 Russians, but the Finns are prepared for anything, even parachute landings, while coastal batteries should be

able to enfilade the Reds. A Helsingfors message says that the confusion at Kuolajarvi was increased by Finnish patrols penetrating the Russian lines. The shortage of supplies due to the cutting of the Murmansk railway has added to the Red Army's discomfort, while the population of Murmansk, resenting the consequent lack of food, is creating disturbances. Victory Won By

ing disturbances.

It is reported that patrols operating behind the Russian lines have cut off 10,000 Reds by destroying their lines of communication.

As the ice in the Sulvanto River thickens, Russian tanks are trying to cross, while the Finns are experimenting with methods of smash-

ing the surface.

Towns subjected to Russian air

raids are the important railway cen-tres near Helsingfors, but they are

A Stockholm message says gines were perfect and the tanks fantry regiments surrendered on the ground of being without

A late communique states that fresh Soviet troops, believed to be from the crack Moscow garrison,

The Russians bombed Kexholm

LONDON, Jan. 1.

tacked towns in southern Fin-land and dropped hundreds of bombs, although the damage TROOPS MAY BE SENT FINNS RETURN FROM TO AFGHANISTAN

SWEDISH VOLUNTEERS

The Stockholm correspondent of the Exchange and Telegraph Agency Company says that the first contingent of Finnish volunteers from Canada has arrived at Helsingfors. New batches of Swedish volunteers have gone to Finland.

HIGH COMMISSIONER APPOINTED

Canadian Coming To Dominion

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Washington, has been appointed High Commissioner to New Zealand

CANADA The First Contingent

Finland

Successful End To

Week-Long

Batter

Soviet Losses

Attempt To Split

Finland In Two Ends

In Disaster

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(Received Jan. 1, 11.45 p.m.) HELSINGORS, Dec. 31.

The Finns have won a smash-

ing victory on a 150-mile front

at Suomussalmi and Kemittresk.

in Finland's bottleneck, where a

fierce battle has raged for a

Russian forces 18,000 to 20,000 strong were hurled back across the frontier and beyond. They are almost surrounded. The victory culminated in the Finns' counter-attack against the Russian attempt to split Finland in twain

A Finnish communique claims that their troops have virtually destroyed a Russian division of 18,000 men at Kiantajarvi, near Suomassalmi. The Finns cap-

tured enormous quantities of war materials.

Russian bombers to-day at-

week.

Threatening Moves By Soviet ARRIVE

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NAVAL WARFARE AND VICTORY ON THE PROGRAMMES THE AIR ARM

Important Reconnaissance Activities

TRAINING OF OBSERVERS

The introduction of the Air Arm has produced a considerable change in the conduct of naval warfare (writes a correspondent of "The Times"). Before the advent of aircraft, reconnaissance was carried out by the cruisers, colloquially known as "the eyes of the fleet." Now this duty falls largely to the aircraft.

There is some misconception about visibility from the air. Normally this is not very much greater than from the surface. At exceptional times when flying one can see long distances because of the height, but often visibility at sea does not exceed five to ten miles. Air to air visibility is less than it is commonly thought to be. One is unlikely to sight another aircraft at a greater range than three miles.

The advantage in early information gained by a fleet using aircraft as its "eyes" is due more to the great range to which these "eyes" are taken, and the speed at which they Auckland, Main France Auckland, Main France Auckland, Main France Districts, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only).

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Poukawa, Paki Paki and Pukehou, 8.30 p.m.

Opapa and Otane, 6.30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Poukawa, Paki Paki and Pukehou, 8.30 p.m.

AIR MAIL INLAND.

Blenheim, Nelson, Westport, Greyland Hokitika, Monday to Friday of the success or failure of an action may depend. Recently the Admiralty have reorganised responsibility in Fleet Air Arm Squadrons, which may now be commanded by either a pilot or an observer.

The rapid expansion of the Fleet All Their Time are carried, than to increased visibility in the air as opposed

LEISURE SACRIFICED

One thing that is done efficiently at the Ministry of Information is

typing those communiques. They

may be obscure, but at least they

night, and owing to the black-out cannot get home to the suburbs.

Well.

When a reporter went there in the middle of the afternoon two girls were still sleeping. They had been up all night typing out the

NEW SOUND-PROOFING

FOR SUBWAYS

Telephone Booths In

United States

been reported by the Bell Telephone Laboratories at New York. They state that a new soundproof

telephone booth has been developed for use in subway stations in which

ing underground trains.

The noise-queller is rock wool sewn between sheets of muslin. The sound-proofing pads on the walls are three inches thick and four inches thick on the ceiling of the beatles which are developed.

RAILWAYS MAGAZINE

FEATURES

the booths, which are doorless.

A victory over the subway has

are typed without a mistake.

ficers, Air Branch officers, R.N.V.R. Air Branch officers, and from the lower deck. To-day there is quite a number of rating pilots and rating observers (men from the lower deck) in the Fleet Air Arm, and they are a great success.

Two-Part Training.

The training of observers is divided into two parts. First they go to the R.N. Signal School to learn visual signalling, wireless telegraphy, coding and all signal matters connected with the manoeuvring of a fleet. Next they attend the Naval Gunnery School, where they are taught how to observe and report the fall of shot relative to enemy ships, the distribution of gunfire, and the spotting rules. This enables them to appreciate in the air how the gun fire of the fleet is used to destroy enemy ships, and what information the commanding officers of ships require to enable them to do this.

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Total

AMATEUR ATHLETICS The training of observers is divid-

do this.

For the second part of their instruction they go to the Naval Observers' Schools, where they start their flying training. This includes air reconnaissance, air navigation, air gunnery, bombing, practical wireless telegraphy in the air, air photography, air spotting, meteorology, and ship recognition, which means the ability to identify any ship at sight. Navigation must, however, always be the most important cannot get home to the suburbs.

Night after night they sleep in a small corrugated iron hut in the grounds of the Ministry buildings. They take their meals in the Ministry canteen.

The hut is heavily screened, and has camp beds with spring mattersesses, and blue and pink blankers. Mrs G. A. Aynsley, as matron in charge, sees that the girls sleep well.

When a reporter went there in ever, always be the most important part of an observer's training.

High-Speed Work.

The speed at which an observer has to work in the air has to be experienced to be believed. Owing to the pace at which modern aircraft move all air navigation problems have to be quickly and accurately solved. In air navigation over the solved. In air navigation over the solved. In air navigation over the problems intro
been up all night.

On All Night

Other girls were having their tea, which costs them 3d to 4d, and waiting for the next job. They would stay on duty all night, until they were sent into the hut for a few hours' sleep.

Considerable interest is being taken in the Napier Amateur Atholic and Cycling Club's special carnival sports meeting to be held at McLean Park, Napier, at 7.15 to night. Excellent entries have been few hours' sleep.

movements involve some complications.

few hours' sleep.

One of the girls said: "Some of us have not seen our families since the beginning of the war. We are ready to be called out if there is At the same time the observer has

At the same time the observer has to direct the pilot, take ranges and bearings of ships sighted, plot them, code his report, direct the air gunner concerning the wireless, and plot all enemy reports made by other aircraft to co-ordinate his work with theirs.

An important subject of instruction at the Naval Observer's Schools is tactics. It is essential that an observer should possess an intelligent knowledge of how fleets are handled and what tactical positions they should adopt, or are likely to adopt, in order that he may report to his Commander-in-Chief exactly what he sees and what he thinks is about to happen.

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The Fleet Air Arm is the youngest section of the Navy, and perhaps the least known. When operating with the fleet it has a considerable share of the responsibility for the fleet's security. The initial air reconnaissance searches the area in the vicinity of the fleet, and then continues the sweep to look for more distant enemy ships.

Subsequently air patrols are maintained to ensure that no enemy enters the area swept by the initial search without being reported. In addition, ainti-submarine air patrols are maintained round the fleet, while aboard the carriers aircraft, armed with bombs or torpedoes, are held

with bombs or torpedoes, are held ready at a moment's notice to attack any hostile ships reported by reconwithout having it drowned by pass-

Efficiency Already Felt The Fleet Air Arm also does an immense amount of flying in connection with commerce protection and U-boat hunting on the trade routes. It is very difficult to detect

from the air a submarine which is "air conscious," and it is also very difficult, having found the submar difficult, having found the submar-ine, to destroy it with bombs. But the training in anti-submarine bomb-ing given to Fleet Air Arm person-nel should enable them to play their part successfully in combating at-tacks on British warships and mer-chant ships by enemy submarines. In fact, some U-boats have had good Fleet Air Arm in this direction.

ORTHODOX FINANCE OPPOSED

Criticism of the system of "orthodox" finance was expressed at a meeting at Hastings of the Socialist Political Party. This system was described as the hyperding ground of meeting at Hastings of the Socialist Political Party. This system was described as the breeding ground of usury, wars, insecurity, class distinction, industrial unrest and the cause of social ills. A resolution was passed pledging the party's opposition to any candidate at the next election supporting such a policy. Appreciation of the firm stand taken by Mr J. A. Lee was expressed by various members, and the sacrifices he had made in supporting his convictions were applauded.

The Socialist Illo, D. Austin 130, G. Symes 130, D. Collelo 130, P. Gleeson 160, R. Nichols 200, A. Rodda 240, E. Montaperto 250, R. Sutton 280.

Three Lap Cycle.—First heat: W. Williams 10 yards, S. Hunt 20, R. Miller 40, W. Young 60, D. Austin 19, D. Collelo 130, P. Gleeson 160, R. Nichols 200, A. Rodda 240, E. Montaperto 250, R. Sutton 280.

Three Lap Cycle.—First heat: W. Williams 10 yards, S. Hunt 20, R. Nicholls 100, D. Collelo 170, R. Nicholls 100, D. Collelo 170, R. Nicholls 100, D. Collelo 170, R. Nicholls 170, D. Austin 130, G. Symes 130, D. Collelo 130, P. Gleeson 160, R. Nichols 200, A. Rodda 240, E. Montaperto 250, R. Sutton 280.

Three Lap Cycle.—First heat: W. Williams 10 yards, S. Hunt 20, R. Miller 40, W. Young 60, D. Austin 180, D. A. Nicholls 100, D. Collelo 170, R. Nicholls 100, D. Collelo 170, R. Nicholls 170, D. Austin 130, G. Symes 130, D. Collelo 170, R. Nicholls 270, R.

FIRST INNINGS

WIN FOR HASTINGS **JUNIORS**

YESTERDAY'S PLAY

Match With Central Hawke's Bay

A comfortable victory over Cen-ral Hawke's Bay was secured by Haskings junior representatives in a match played at Cornwall Park, Hastings, yesterday. Batting first, Hastings compiled 186, Central Hawke's Bay replying with 79. Central Hawke's Bay followed on, making 67, resulting in a win for Hastings on the first innings. Detailed scores are as follows:—

Hastings

Fair c Chapman b Aldridge .. 42 Davis b Wilson Rowbotham b Wilson Wise b Wilson
Dyer b Monteith
Christison b Wilson
Love c L. Chapman b Chap-Taylor c Aldridge b Chapman Craig not out Extras

Central Hawke's Bay Chapman c Meissner b Christison
Curley c Christison b Dyer
Lewis c Christison b Toothill ... Len Chapman c Rowbotham b Dyer
G. Wilson played on Dyer
J. Monteith c Toothill b Wise
Aldridge st Christison
E. H. Chapman not out
F. Chapman b Taylor
Robertson b Toothill
Cossar not out
Extras

Bowling: Dyer three for 5. Central Hawke's Bay Second Innings

AMATEUR ATHLETICS AT NAPIER

To-night's Meeting

HANDICAPS. AND EVENTS

In addition to the usual field hibition of pole vaulting.

The handicaps have been announced as follows:—

Men's 100 Yards Handicap.-First Men's 100 Yards Handicap.—First heat: P. F. Sharpley 1½ yards, F. Collinge 5½, P. Burgess 7, M. Bee 10, D. Lister 10, J. Behm 12, E. Cawston 12. Second heat: R. Phillips 2, G. Morgan 3½, C. Kronk 8, J. Rogers 10, T. Cullen 10, John McIntosh 12, —. Harris *. Third heat: G. I. Bickerstaff 3½, P. Begley 6½, V. McCutcheon 8, O. Banks 9½, E. Prebble 12, J. McIntosh 12

Cutcheon 8, O. Banks 9½, E. Prebble 12, J. McIntosh 12.

Men's 440 Yards Handicap.—R. Phillips 7 yards, G. I. Bickerstaff 7, G. Morgan 11, P. Begley 15, F. Collinge 20, C. Kronk 23, V. McCutcheon 23, P. Burgess 23, E. Donovan 23, P. Collett 23, D. Lister 27, O. Banks 27, E. Greaney 30, John McIntosh 30, T. Cullen 30, J. Rogers 30, D. Butler *. Men's 880 Yards Handicap.—D. Butler *, R. Gollop 45 yards, D. Edmundson 50, P. Collett 60, P. Groves 70, E. Donovan 70, C. Foulds 80, J. Olsen 110, John McIntosh *, J. Behm 90, A. Foster 100, G. Bellamy 110, J. A. Foster 100, G. Bellamy 110, J

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neat: Misses G. Symes 1 yard, I.

Stevens 7½, L. Climo 9½, D. Cottrell

10½, J. Uren 13½, E. Franklin 16, B.

the thousands of visitors who are

Two Mile Cycle.—W. Williams 20 yards, R. Attwood 20, S. Hunt 40, E. Manning 70, R. Miller 80, H. Williams 90, W. Young 100, I. Newrick 110, D. Austin 130, G. Symes 130, D. Collelo 130, P. Gleeson 160, R. Nichols 200, A. Rodda 240, E. Montaperto 250, A. Rodda 240, E. Montaperto 250, L. McInerney 250, R. Sutton 280.

ON THE AIR

IYA Auckland

7.0 a.m.: Breakfast session. 9.0: Close

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2.0 p.m.: Selected recordings. 3.15: Sports results. 4.0: Special weather report for farmers. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session, conducted by "Cinderella" and "Uncle Dave."

5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather. 7.0: News and reports. 7.30: Garden expert. 8.0: "The Wedding of the Rose" (Jessel). 8.5: "The Rich Uncle from Fiji." 8.17: "Piccadilly on Parade." 8.30: "Eb and Zeb." 8.39: "Nigger Minstrels." 8.52: Charles Kullman (tenor). 8.55: "I Give My Heart" (Millocker). 9.0: Reserved. 9.20: Weather, station notices. 9.25: Dance music. 10.0: Sammy Lee and his Americanadians.

2YA Wellington

6.50 a.m.: Weather report for aviators.
7.0: Breakfast session. 9.0: Close down. 10.0: Weather report for aviators. 10.10: Devotional service.
10.25: Recordings. 11.15: Progress reports on play in the Plunket Shield cricket. 11.30: Talk by a representative of St. John Ambulance. 12.0: Lunch music.

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Lunch music.

1.0 p.m.: Weather report for aviators.
2.0: Classical hour. 3.0: Sports results. Selected recordings. 3.28 to
3.30: Time signals. Weather report for farmers. 4.0: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session.

5.45: Dinner session. 6.55: Weather. 7.0:
News and reports. 7.40: Motoring expert. 8.0: "A Frangesa!" march (Costa-Gamvin). 8.5: Thomas West (tenor). 8.17: "Spanish Gipsy Medley." 8.20: Henry Rudolph (saxophone). 8.26: Milt Herth Trio. 8.29: Vera Martin (contralto). 8.41: "The Count of Luxembourg" pot pourri (Lehar). 8.41: Henry Rudolph (accordion). 8.51: The Two Lesles. 8.54: "Parade of the Imps." 9.0: Reserved. 9.20: Weather. 9.25: BBC programme, "Band Waggon." 9.43: "Nursery Rhymes Up-to-Date." 9.49: Henry Croudson (organ). 9.52: "Under Your Hat" selection. 10.0: Music, mirth and melody.

3YA Christchurch

7.0 a.m.: Breakfast session. 9.0: Close down. 10.0: Selected recordings. 10.30: Devotional service. 10.45: Selected recordings. 11.0: Talk to women by "Margaret." 11.10: Selected recordings. 12.0: Relay from Addington of Canterbury Park Trotting Club's meeting. Lunch music. 2.0 p.m.: Selected recordings. 3.30: Sports results. 4.0: Frost and weather forecast. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session. "Tiny Tots' Corner." 5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather. 7.0: News and reports. 8.0: "Henry VIII Dances" (German). 8.8: "The Cloister and the Hearth." 8.34: "The Kingsmen." 8.46: "Silas Marner." 9.0: Reserved. 9.20: Weather report and station notices, 9.25: "Alec Templeton," musician and improviser, 9.40: "The Musical Workshop." 9.53: "An Imaginary Broadcast." 10.0: Dance music.

4YA Dunedin

6.50 a.m.: Weather report for aviators, 7.0: Breakfast session. 9.0: Close down, 10.0: Weather report for aviators. Selected recordings. 10.15: Devotional service, 10.50: Talk to women by "Margaret." 12.0: Lunch music

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1.0 p.m.: Weather report for aviators. Weather forecast. 2.0: Selected recordings, 3.30: Sports results. Classical music. 4.0: Weather report and special frost forecast. 4.30: Light musical programme. 4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session, conducted by Aunt Anita. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather, 7.0: News and reports. 8.0: "Hall Variety," 8.30: "Eb and Zeb." 8.39: Wills Accordion Meister Orchestra 8.42: The Regal Singers. 9.0: Reserved. 9.20: Weather, station notices. 9.25: "Those We Love." 9.51: "Singapore Spy." 10.17: Dance music by Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians.

2YH Napier

7.0 to 9 a.m.: Breakfast session. 11.0:
Light music. 12.0 to 2 p.m.: Lunch
session. 5.0: Light musical programme, "Bands and Ballads." 5.45:
For the Children, featuring "David
and Dawn." 6.0: "The Buccaneers."
6.15: Light music. 6.45: Weather report and forecast for Hawke's Bay
"David Copperfield." 7.0: After dinner music. 8.0: "Coronets of England": The Story of Charles II, the
Merry Monarch. 8.30: "Flying High":
Part I of a variety show provided by
ex-members of the Royal Air Force.
9.0: Reserved. 9.20: Light music.
9.30: "The Crimson Trail." 9.43:
Dance music. 10.0: Close down.

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Ladies' 120 Yards Handicap—First heat: Misses G. Symes 1 yard, I.

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Stevens 7½, L. Climo 9½, D. Cottrell 10½, J. Uren 13½, E. Franklin 16, B. Matthews *. Second heat: Misses D. Swayne 2½, I. Corbv 8, C. Greaney 10½, E. Maye 11, S. Ness 14, M. Reading 17, L. Thomsen *. Third heat: Misses L. Doole 5½, M. Thomsen *. Third heat: Misses L. Doole 5½, M. Thomsen *. Third heat: Misses L. Doole 5½, M. Thomsen *. Third heat: Misses L. Doole 5½, M. Thomsen *. Third heat: Misses L. Doole 5½, M. Thomsen *. The following handicaps have been declared for the two mile and three lap cycle events:—

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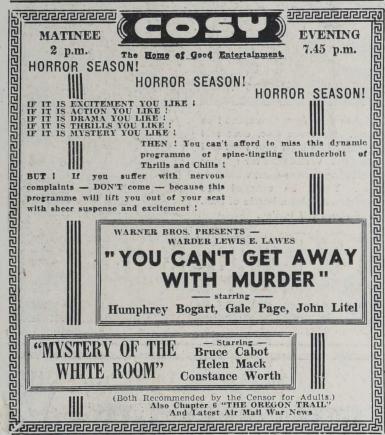
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Hall and others are in the cast.

The trouble one man's bonus got

gion buddies finding themselves away ahead of the game. J. M. Ker-rigan, noted character actor, Pur-nell Pratt, Irving Bacon, an Ameri-

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"WUTHERING HEIGHTS" RETURNS

Stirring Romantic Drama

Lovely titian-haired Merle Oberon has her most important and drama-tic role to date in the Samuel Gold-wyn production of "Wuthering Heights," the great love story which stars her opposite two leading men— —Laurence Olivier and David Niven, at the State Theatre, Hast-ings, to-morrow, for a return sea-

"Wuthering Heights" cast Merle as Cathy, hot tempered, devil may-care nineteenth century lass who runs wild over the moors and crags runs wild over the moors and crags of Yorkshire. Cathy's beauty and vivacity attract the loves of two men, brooding and darksome Heath-cliff and wealthy and socially prominent Edgar Linton. In her youth Cathy turns to Heath-cliff in spite of her boorish manners and strange ways—because they love is mingled with the mystery of the moors. with the mystery of the moors.

But Cathy's love is not strong enough to stand the blows of disappointment. Heathcliff does not fulfil her childish dreams and conquer the world to lay at her feet. nstead, he deteriorates into a lowly

A strange and unhappy climax separates the lovers. Heathcliff disappears and Cathy marries Edgar Linton. But after two years Heath-cliff returns, determined on revenge to teach the woman he loves the

to teach the woman he loves the ways of pain.

William Wyler, who has given the entertainment world such outstanding film productions as "These Three," "Dead End," "Dodsworth" and "Jezebel," was selected by Mr Goldwyn to direct "Wuthering Heights." And the cast supporting the three principal players boasts such well-known names as Flora Robson, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Donald Crisp, Hugh Williams and Miles Mander.

Current Attraction. Ginger Rogers' latest comedy tri-umph, "Fifth Avenue Girl," will conclude its season to-day. This film is sparkling throughout, and a worthy successor to "Bachelor"

TWO GRIPPING CRIME **ADVENTURES**

First Is "You Can't Get Away With Murder"

"You Can't Get Away With Mur-der," a Warner Bros. melodrama of prison life, based on a play of which Warden Lewis E. Lawes of Sing Warden Lewis E. Lawes of Sing Sing is co-author, and now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, is a tense, gripping, grim and powerful piece of dramatic fare. Its star is Humphrey Bogart, playing a more ruthless and cruelly villainous character than any he has ever before portrayed in a long career of stage and cinematic knavery. Just as the character exceeds in venality all the other rogues Bogart has ever played so does his performance show his so does his performance show his talents to better advantage than anything he ever did before.

Young Billy Halop, always here-tofore the leader of the "Dead End" kids is featured with Bogart. With Bogart and Halop setting the pace for them, the other members of a truly distinguished cast make the most of the excellent material pro-vided for them in the bristling sequences and salty speeches written by the scenarists.

Seventh in the series of Crime Club mysteries that have become a ure, "Mystery of the White Room. Bruce Cabot and Helen Mack por tray the principal characters, with Constance Worth, Joan Woodbury and Tommy Jackson in support.

and Tommy Jackson in support.

The story is laid in a hospital, where the eerie events begin with the scalpel murder of a doctor in a darkened surgery. Heroic detective work by a young doctor high lights the ensuing action as he unravels a double-murder case involving nearly a dozen suspects.

Regent

ERROL FLYNN IN A GREAT ADVENTURE

New Technicolour Drama, "Dodge City"

"Dodge City," a film about the period when the little Kansas U.S.A.) town of that name was the roughest and wickedest com-munity of the old west, and star-ring Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havland is now at the Regent Theatre,

Produced by Warner Bros. in Technicolour, "Dodge City" is a spirited and authentic re-creation of those hectic days in the 1870's when the coming of the railroad to the little town at the northern end of the Chisholm Trail made it the leading cettle shiring course of the ng cattle shipping centre of that

And its authenticity is lessened no whit by the fact that the obviously British Errol Flynn is depicted as the trail boss who has driven a huge herd of Texas longhorns up the Chisholm Trail and then, after his arrival in Dodge City, becomes the sheriff who cleans up the wild and wicked town. He is explained as an Irish rown. He is explained as an Irish soldier of fortune who had become a Texas cowboy after fighting for the South in the American Civil War. Notable scenes in the picture in clude the stampede of a big herd of longhorns, a brawl involving more than a hundred men in the biggest saloon and gambling hall of Degree

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Regent

BRILLIANT COMEDY-ADVENTURE

Fine Cast In "Clouds Over Europe"

Something entirely new in spy films, Columbia's "Clouds Over "Europe," now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier, combines thrilling action with clever and pleasing humour. This film really merits a special classification, as although the routing of spies pleasing humour. This film really merits a special classification, as although the routing of spies plays an important part in the finely written narrative, the constant introduction of bright and witty dia-logue and situations makes it most amusing and yet it retains the impressiveness and seriousness that the plot is meant to convey.

Brilliantly enacted by Ralph Richardson, Laurence Olivier and Valerie Hobson, with a strong supporting cast which includes George Curzon, George Merritt and Sandra Storme, "Clouds Over Europe" is a tense yet ery humorous film that concerns mysterious disappearance of

Mayfair

"MUTINY ON THE BLACKHAWK"

Screening With Comedy "Quick Money"

Graphically presenting a fittle-known chapter of history dealing with slave running between Hawaii and California in 1840, Universal's adventure drama, "Mutiny on the Blackhawk" is finally showing the Mayfair Theatre, Napier, to-day.

Co-starring Richard Arlen and Andy Devine, the picture's supporting cast includes Constance Moore, Noah Beery, Guinn "Big Boy" Williams, Mabel Albertson, Sandra Kane, Thurston Hall, Mala, Mamo Clark and Princess Luana.

Stressing action, thrills and dramatic suspense, highlights of the swiftly paced film feature a wild mutiny aboard a slave-ship on the high seas, the bartering of natives in a tropical paradise and powerful battle scenes between enraged California settlers and the Mexican army. Based on an original screen play by Michael L. Simmons, the story reveals many colourful

even more than he did as the General

The General Died at Dawn."

A clever and pleasing display of acrobatics and tumbling was given by Miss Mavis Simmonds and her into is hilariously portrayed in into is he second feature.

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Horton, we are informed, wanted to use the money to marry his secretary, played by charming Charlotte Wynters. But his two maiden aunts, played by the new screen formance a request was made for a paunts, played by the new screen formance a request was made for a formation and at the conclusion of the period of the portray of the formance are interest of the secretary played by michael L. Simmons and her in the biggest than a hundred men in the biggest than a hundred me

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GRACIE FIELDS' NEW TRIUMPH

"Shipyard Sally" At State, Napier

The great British shipyards at Clydebank, Scotland, are the setting for Gracie Fields's latest comedy film, "Shipyard Sally," which opens at the State Theatre, Napier, to-morrow. In this her latest and greatest triumph, Gracie is starred with Sydney Howard. These are gigantic yards where the greatest transatlantic liners of all time were built—the Queen Mary, the Queen Elizabeth, the new Aquitania and other famous ships. In fact, the film opens with the scene of Queen Elizabeth christening and launching the newest of the liners, named after her

self.
Clydeside, where the story opens, is seen as a period of prosperity, closes and poverty and despair settle over the workers. Gracie Fields appears as Sally, a music hall artist who finds that to keep her errant father, the "Major," in order is becoming a full-time job.

The "Major" is played by Gracie's co-star, Sydney Howard. He buys a Clydeside 'pub" with Gracie's savings and looks thirstily forward to drinking the profits. There are no drinking the profits. There are no profits, however, for the men can no Gracie proves a friend to the work-ers, dispensing beer and encourage-ment without hope of reward beyond their profound gratifude and friend A commission is appointed in London to report on the situation at Clydebank, and Sally is sent to London to plead a resumption of work. The 'Major" decides to accompany

Lord Randall (Moreton Selten), head of the commission, is both busy and elusive. When orthodox methods fail to bring Sally an interview, she uses her voice and her ingenuity She poses as an American blues singer and becomes the hit of a party at Randall's house; she impersonates a young man of Mayfair and passes through the portals of Lord Randall's very conservative—and all male—club; she continues her impersonation of the singer at a country house-party and at last her efforts are rewarded with

Gracie sings other songs, too, a list of old favourites and specially written hits including: "Wish Me Luck," "In Pernambuco," "I Got the Jitterbugs," "Grandfather's - Bagpipes," "Annie Laurie" and "Danny

Boy."
To make the programme eve To make the programme even more entertaining and inviting, the theatre is also screening "War, Peace and Propaganda," the latest issue of "The March of Time" series It carries a vital message in these times of stress and should be seen by everyone. The latest Fox Movietone News, rushed to New Zealand, give a striking paparama of the war. give a striking panorama of the war. It includes scenes of the R.A.F. "digging-in" in France.

Current Attraction. One of the season's most delightful pictures is 'Fifth Avenue Girl,' Ginger Rogers' new starring vehicle showing finally at the State Theatre,

events leading up to California joining the union.

Dealing in uproarious fashion with a small-town mayor's single-handed fight to prevent a pair of swindlers from robbing his constituents. R. K. O Radio's "Quick Money," the associate feature brings Fred Stone and an excellent east to the screen.

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Gossip

Mrs G. V. Thomas, Otane, and her son Ronald, are visiting Wellington, accompanied by the Misses Harding, Woodville.

Miss E. A. McKenzie of the nursing staff of the Wairoa Hospital, leaves to-morrow on a visit to Wellington.

Miss Rodgers, of the staff of the Wairoa Hospital, is at present vis-iting Wellington on annual leave.

Miss A. Beale Hobsøn, "Ngatawa," Marton, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr and Mrs W. Hob-son, "Te Matau," Takapau.

Mr and Mrs J. Pickett, Eskdale, are visiting Mr and Mrs W. Mouat, Takapau.

Mr and Mrs N. Bartle, Napier, are visiting Mr and Mrs Mouat, Taka-

Miss N. Caughley (M.A.), Christ church, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. Caugh her parents, ley, Takapau.

Mr and Mrs J. Sivyer, Hastings, are guests at the Takapau Hotel,

Visitors to Hastings for the races held on Saturday and Monday included: Mrs H. G. Johnston (Gisborne), Mrs E. Fitzgerald (Gisborne), Miss S. Maroney (Waipawa), Mrs L. Palmer (Levin), Miss P. Fleyer (Chistabusch), Mrs F. pawa), Mrs L. Palmer (Levin), Miss B. Flower (Christchurch), Mrs F. Davey, Miss M. Davey, Mrs V. Hanson (Waipukurau), Miss J. Thomas (Auckland), Mrs J. B. Hamilton (Otane), Mrs J. A. McCarten (Otane), Mrs F. Dalton (Wellington), Mrs G. Phillips (Lower Hutt), Mrs D. Douglas (Poukawa), Mrs R. T. Eden (Palmerston North), Mrs R. Martin (Wellington).

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ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement is announced of Winnifred Anne, third daughter of Mr and the late Mrs F. J. Addis, Argyll, Waipawa, and Ian Gordon elder son of Mr and Mrs J. McCul-loch, Te Whiti, Norsewood.

The engagement is announced of Phylliss Mary, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs F. Wharton, Frimley Avenue, Hastings, to Kenneth Watts, only son of Mr and Mrs M. Bane, Waipuna Street, Hastings.

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The women of France are facing the present crisis with the same courage and cheerfulness which they displayed in the World War. The Frenchwomen considers it her bounden duty to keep up the morale of her menfolk who are engaged in the nation's defence. There must be no gloom within her walls, no let down in the perfect arrangement of her home, no slacking in keeping up her own personal appearance Though she may spend long hours in war work-air raid, fire or Red Cross—no matter how weary sne may be at the close of the day, she changes her uniform for a smart frock, lights her candles and pre

THE EDUCATED HEART

This title is not mine, but it struck me as so fine, I borrowed it last night, when a verse I wished to write. Three words yet they suggest such a probing, trenchant test; a measure, don't you see, to take stock of you and

me!
"The educated heart." If
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-Wilhelmina Stitch.

sides over her dinner table with all her usual grace and charm. Men home from the front on a short fur-lough are welcome guests who carry back happy memories of an evening spent in the cheerful atmosphere of a pre-war home.

This attitude reacts on trade in general and on the dressmaking trade in particular, and it is this which has enabled the Paris couturiers to re-open their doors and carry on. While the demand for elaborate evening gowns has, naturally, diminished, there is a real boom in house gowns and simple dinner frocks. Air-raid costumes of the overall type, zippered up the front so that they can easily be slipped on over the nightgown or underwear, made of soft wool in becoming shades, strictly tailored and with a gasmask container of the same material, are conspicuous addi-tions in all the leading houses.

When a hat-bag is urgently required, just fold a large piece of brown paper in two and machine down the side. Use a large stitch.

Five o'Clock WOMEN OF FRANCE GAY SILKS AND SHEERS ON PARADE AT THE **NEW YEAR RACES**

Shady Leghorns, Slouch Felts And Snappy Straws Popular

Glorious sunshine and blue skies gave a brilliant setting for the gay frocks worn at the New Year races at the Hastings racecourse during the week-end.

For the first day navy and white, and black and white appeared to be the popular choice, with greens and lighter blues running a close second. Yesterday, white, navy, and black were still popular, but gayer and brighter colours were more in evidence.

Bold American florals vied with dashing stripes in every hue of the rainbow to be set off by large shady Leghorns, Breton sailor straws, or picturesque white slouch felts in cowboy style.

Coats were almost conspicuous by their absence, those few seen being either of open lace, very fine wool, or the short coatee-bolero in silks and linens.

Noticeable from the feminine point of view was the wonderful variety of fashions and styles offered by designers for this season, the silks and sheers with gaily-printed linens striking a more gay and vivid note than has been seen for some considerable time.

Among those seen on the lawn | Miss J. Hennah, in a London tan Mrs A. E. Wishart, wearing glow-

red sheer striped in white with navy felt hat. Mrs T. V. Morrin, in black and white silk frock with matching hat trimmed with net.

Mrs D. J. Holden, navy frock and hort coat with scalloped lapels and

Mrs T. S. Roulston, printed linen in mauve tonings and a fine cream

Mrs W. Ormond, white and navy figured frock with navy coat and navy and white straw hat.

Mrs W. Sherratt, Marina blue ruched frock with navy hat and

ruched frock with navy hat and veiling.

Mrs John Ormond, fresh linen ensemble figured in Marina green and an oyster leghorn straw.

Mrs D. Ormond, pretty green floral silk with a white straw hat.

Mrs Ted Ormond, lime green tailored crepe frock with a slouch hat of fawn straw.

Mrs Giesen, black and white sheer with a smart hat to match.

Mrs H. MacKenzie, lime-green Paisley frock and white straw hat.

Mrs H. Dods wore a ciel blue linen costume with a wide navy hat.

Mrs L. Collins (Otane), attractive midnight blue ensemble with a speckled straw hat trimmed in scarlet.

Scarlet.

Mrs T. Hardy wore a tailored seagreen costume with pin-stripe and Vandyke brown hat.

Mrs R. Buddo, in rust and white

silk frock with matching rust hat.
Mrs W. Sherratt, smart blue
marocain frock with cowled sleeves
and navy bankok hat.
Mrs J. Hunter, in a navy model
frock with inserted panels and wide
navy hat.

Mrs W. Whitlock wore a charmmrs w. whitesk wore a charming navy and white striped silk and French model hat.

Mrs M. J. Magill, smart navy costume striped in blue and gold, with matching hat.

French Straw Mrs Norman White, green and white floral sheer with French straw

Mrs Dinihan (Wellington), navy and white marocain frock will powder blue velour coat and hat.

Mrs Ian Hamilton, tailored shan-tung frock of natural green and a white felt hat.

Mrs J. A. Hennah, navy and white suit with matching hat and

white suit with matching hat and silver fox furs.

Mrs G. F. Hardy, navy pinspotted costume and navy nat trimmed with veiling.

Mrs G. Dyer, black cotelle ensemble with an attractive hat trimmed with a white feather.

Mrs P. Douglas, blue and white spotted silk frock and white sisal straw hat.

Mrs Bert Miller, rose pink silk with a small black spot, black coatee

straw hat.
Mrs B. Tresseder, black and white marocain suit with net-trimmed Mrs White-Parsons, smart navy and white frock with coat and hat

to tone.

Miss Connie Symes, rust silk frock with tucked bodice and cream

sisal straw hat.

Miss M. Welshe (Waipukurau),
graceful floral frock with navy coat miss J. Pattison, rust floral silk coat w frock with swing skirt finely straw.

pleated.

Miss M. Ebbett wore a spotted black sheer with pleated skirt and wide hat. Miss M. Jefferd, brown and white

frock and hip-length coat and Van-dyke brown hat.

dyke brown hat.

Miss Bernau (Napier), white spotted rust sheer with natural straw hat trimmed with rust.

Miss S. Dods (Waipukurau) wore a petunia marocain frock with quilted sleeves and navy velour hat.

Miss P. Hale, attractive Paisley and London tan frock with ribbon skirt and matching hat.

Miss June Mason, navy Paisley frock with laced straw hat and frock with laced straw hat and

green accessories.

Miss M. Masterson, soft green linen frock with wide green hat.

Miss J. Masterson, crush-green linen frock smartly tailored, and a beige hat.

Miss B. Magill wore a cream linen suit checked in brown, with match-

ng hat. Miss G. Hardy, floral georgette Miss G. Hardy, floral georgette ensemble with bankok straw hat.

Miss M. Taylor, corn blue linen costume and panama-straw hat with navy band.

Miss H. Bell, maize linen tailored frock and beige straw hat with

Miss U. Hutton (Napier) in London tan linen with green accessories

Paisley frock with shady Leghorn Mrs G. H. Davies, in a navy floral

ilk frock and fine straw hat of navy. Mrs A. Stead, in a smart navy Paisley frock and matching hat. Mrs W. G. Stead, plum coloured chiffon frock with brown plumed

Mrs J. N. Lowry, ciel blue and taffeta frock with fine cyclamen straw hat.

Mrs A. Robson wore a navy maro-cain frock trimmed with white and a matching straw hat.

Mrs A. G. Gerrard, an attractive floral frock with wide straw hat. Mrs L. Nelson, ceil-blue floral silk Mrs L. Nelson, ceil-blue floral silk with natural coloured straw hat. Mrs P. McHardy, Paisley and black ensemble with black, coarse straw hat.

Mrs R. Bridge, navy figured frock and earth-red straw hat.

Miss Bull (Christchurch), multicoloured Paisley frock with navy georgette coat and hat.

Miss M. Puflett, floral shantung frock and coat and white straw hat. Miss B. Flower (Christchurch), striped marocain in cyclamen ton-ings and light navy hat.

Miss A. Bridge, pink linen frock stitched in brown and beige bankok straw hat. Mrs H. G. Johnston (Wellington), navy and white figured model with navy hat banded in white.

Miss N. Burrell, tan and white figured linen with grey felt hat banded in tan.

Miss J. Burrell, fine stripe frock under a light green coat, with cerise cravat and straw hat.

Mrs F. Tollerton (Gisborne), smart navy silk crepe model with white embroidery on bodice and pockets, navy sailor halo trimmed with white and fur stole.

Mrs E. Fitzgerald (Gisborne), navy and white striped ensemble,

coarse straw hat tied with

frock with inserted panels and wide navy hat.

Mrs P. White wore a cream floral linen and cream sisal hat.

Mrs C. D. Kennedy (Napier), in a navy and white floral sheer with navy hat of fine straw.

Mrs F. Pedersen, figured black silk crepe with coffee cravat and black straw.

Pin Tucked Model

Mrs L. Hume, cerise pin-tucked model with attractive shoulder prooch and picture straw hat.
Mrs J. E. Gleadow, navy and white frock with smart natural straw hat with white streamer ties edged with navy, and mustard coat.

Miss B. Struthers, cigarette brown model of fine square mesh vool crepe with a matching straw

Mrs A. W. Quinlivan, black sheer with a fine white stripe, black mrs T. Falconer, smart black crepe frock and black swathed toque.

Mrs T. Falconer, smart black sheer with a line will straw and stole.

Mrs T. F. Quinlivan, black and white floral stripe silk, with a black

straw hat.
Miss U. Quinlivan, smart frock of navy wool crepe with a matching edge-to-edge scalloped coat, and cream straw hat.

hat.
Mrs Bert Miller, rose pink silk with a small black spot, black coatee and black Breton straw.
Miss H. Miller, a fresh Deanna Durbin frock in navy and white with a white slouch felt hat.
Mrs Nat Beamish, ensemble of fearned black silk with black straw.

figured black silk with black straw Mrs E. Stringer, navy and white figured spot frock with gold necklet, and tallboy hat of navy straw.

Mrs L. Driver, attractive draped frock of dust pink under fine wool

coat with flared skirt, and turban Mrs F. Sefton Palmer, navy stripe costume with a navy hat and ac

cessories.

Mrs J. Lothian, Napier, navy frock with a white figured spot and Mrs P. Dooney, Napier, blue figured linen with light blue coat and straw hat.

Miss A. Dooney, Napier, tomato crepc cloque frock with a matching hat

hat.
Mrs R. Martin, Wellington, lacy

white with a white edged navy hat.

Mrs C. J. O'Reilly (Porangahau),
light blue and navy ensemble with pleated skirt and rainbow cravat searf, navy straw hat.
Miss S. Maroney (Waipawa), cyclamen frock embroidered with a honey gold spot, matching coatee and cigarette brown sisal straw.
Mrs A. G. Kennedy (Karioi), Persian blue frock with Tahiti rose coatee, and matching hat.
Miss M. Lomas, gaily coloured floral silk with clover sash and white slouch felt.
Mrs L. Palmer (Levin), navy and pleated skirt and rainbow cravat

white slouch felt.

Mrs L. Palmer (Levin), navy and white spotted sheer with double edges of white lace on sleeves, neck and hem-line.

Miss M. Bank, floral sheer on sea blue ground with a tie sash and black picture straw.

Miss M. Thompson, smart black and white embroidered ensemble with a white straw hat.

and hat to tone.

Miss J. Roulston, in royal blue pleated linen with cerise trimmings with a white straw hat.

Mrs W. Hamilton, navy and white shaded spot silk with a white

and navy hat.

Miss F. Beck, navy sheer frock
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Mrs A. Meikle, striped sheer in

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A MASCULINE

navy, red, green and gold, with hat of navy.
Mrs J. E. Hall, frock of navy Mrs J. E. Hall, frock of navy and white twisted stripe with lace edging, cyclamen hat.

Miss E. Lloyd, frock of light blue crepe de chine with floral bodice, matching blue coatee and light straw hat.

Miss J. Lloyd, bright blue self.

Miss L. Lloyd, bright blue selffigured silk crepe with brooch at neck-line and matching bolero, navy bankok straw.
Mrs F. Davey (Waipukurau),
black silk crepe with halo of natural

Miss M. Davey (Waipukurau), navy sheer with centre panel fig-ured in navy and white and navy Miss B. Flower (Christchurch), American patterned stripe silk with

light wool navy coat and navy hat. Mrs V. Hanson (Waipukurau), navy and white candy stripe sheer, white tie cravat and matching straw J. Thomas (Auckland), white linen costume embroidered with cross-stitch and white shovel

Mrs R. Mulcassen, navy and light blue spotted sheer and navy hat.

Mrs J. B. Hamilton (Otane), cinnamon and beige ensemble with short cinnamon cape and matching

hat. Mrs J. A. McCartin (Otane), Mrs J. A. McCartin (Otane),
multi-coloured stripe frock with
royal blue coat and matching hat.
Miss J. Hunter, white tailored
frock with smart coat of black silk
and large black picture straw.
Mrs F. Dalton (Wellington), white
crepe patterned with large navy
desises and a navy picture hat. daisies and a navy picture hat.

Mrs G. Phillips (Lower Hutt),
black sheer frock with black straw

hat and stole.

Mrs D. Douglas (Poukawa), black and white wide-stripe frock with white sailor hat. Miss P. Hennah, gaily striped sheer with pearl glaze straw hat banded in navy.
Miss J. Menzies, figured silk with

petrel blue turban.

Miss A. Bee, floral silk frock with straw hat banded in green Miss G. Howard, navy and white ensemble, the tunic top being embroidered in white silk, and a navy

Mrs Skinner, smartly tailored black frock with a black straw hat. Miss G. Jones (Napier), American striped silk with natural coarse

traw hat.
Miss R. Ferlong (Napier), gaily patterned silk with navy picture Miss J. Pratt, navy and white spotted sheer with navy coat and straw hat banded with white.

Miss M. Baumfield (Napier),

Miss M. Baumfield (Napier), figured floral silk with a navy hat. Mrs H. A. Steiner, smart black frock with embroidered pockets, navy hat and accessories.

Mrs T. Patterson-Short, white and navy French model of pleated sheer with a lace coat and navy and white hat.

Mrs F. Beattie, deep blue silk with white triple stripe pipings from shoulder to hem-line, and navy straw hat banded with white.

Mrs E. Wilson, floral striped silk

Mrs E. Wilson, floral striped silk crepe with tie sash in shades of powder blue and cerise and halo of ack straw. Mrs W. Geddes, navy blue sheer

ensemble with navy leghorn hat.

Miss D. Geddes, dull matt suede cloth trimmed with satin and small black hat.

Miss M. Geddes, navy and white fringed georgette with bow creating a bustle effect and navy hat.

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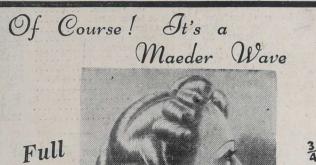
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TREES Mr A. E. Jull's Remarks

> "Daily Mail" Special Service ONGAONGA.

The Ongaonga Centennial Avenue was named yesterday afternoon by the member for the district, Mr A. E. Jull. The avenue is a line of 20 exotic trees bordering the oval at the Ongaonga Domain, and was provided by the Domain Board and Sports Club, assisted by the Centennial Committee.

During a break in the programme at yesterday's sports meeting, Mr Jull in a brief speech stressed the value to the country of tree-planting. Sixty years ago the bush came right down to Ongaonga, he said, and for that reason the area was known as that reason the area was known as Forest Gate. Unfortunately, the land was sold at a low rate and was "improved" by having the fine native bush hacked off.

"At that time the people of the district would have laughed if they had been told that timber would be brought in from the West Coast and Main Trunk, but that is happening at the present day," he continued. "We are making an attempt to re establish that hush and those to re-establish that bush, and those who have the welfare of the country at heart should continue to plant as much as possible."

Mr Jull extended seasonal greetings to those present, and expressed the hope that the shadow of war would pass away during 1940.

ADDRESS ON CHRIST'S GOSPEL

Mr C. R. Milne In United Hall, Hastings

"The Gospel of Christ: The Power of God unto Salvation," was the subject of the address given by Mr C. R. Milne in the United Hall, Hasting. ings, on Sunday evening. Dealing with this subject, Mr Milne drew attention to man's natural state as a being inherently mortal—subject to sin, disease, and death, a state in which he knows nothing and from which he is incapable of delivering

It was contended that while man-kind generally is free to believe and act as he feels inclined, so far as the present life is concerned, yet, if he would attain to everlasting life in the age to come he must believe the truth—the Gospel preached by Christ and His apostles, which concerned the promise of everlasting life on the earth to those who obey the conditions set forth in the Scriptures.

Lesus Christ

Jesus Christ was shown to be the one provided by God, Who, as "the way, the truth, and the life," would at His second appearing bring salva. at His second appearing bring salva-tion to the acceptable and obedient different events. of mankind, and with them reign

different events.

Proving the fastest boat Pug displayed outstanding form.

In the inboard class Baby Pam and Maha both ran well, and the new boat, Miss Behave, while not so speedy as the other two put up a predictable performance. Wairoa Boy Hurt .- Severely cut ting his right knee on some glass while swimming in the Wairoa River a creditable performance.

Thanks to the excellence of the during the week-end, Dick Perihi Te Uhi, was admitted to the Wai roa Hospital, where his condition was yesterday reported to be progressing satisfactorily.

ANIMATION ON WAIROA WIN FOR COUNTY CANDIDATE

SEEING THE NEW YEAR IN .- A happy snapshot on the beach at Waimarama.

MISS DELANEY THE Speed Boats Thrill Hundreds QUEEN

WAIROA CARNIVAL

Over £850 Raised For Memorial Baths

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA.

After running for several months, the Wairoa Queen Carnival concluded successfully on Saturday night, when Miss D. Delaney (County candidate) was elected queen in a close finish with 67,155 votes, followed by Miss Macgregor (Maori) with 58,448, Miss V. Harker (Citizens) 55,805, and Miss K. Foley (Public Works Department) 23,296.



MISS DULCIE DELANEY.

The actual sum raised by the carnival was in excess of £850, which will be devoted to the Centennial Memorial Baths Fund.

Mayor Grateful.

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The Mayor (Mr H. L. Harker) who is also chairman of the Centennial Committee, expressed his gratification at the results. "Our original estimate was for £1000," said Mr Harker, "but we hadn't bargained on the war, and when we can raise over £800 in spite of that and everything else, I think the results are excellent." He also paid a tribute to the County candidate and her committee, particularly "that man over in the corner" (Mr W. G. Brownlie, County Committee chairman), who had played such a large part in Miss Delaney's success. Mr Harker also congratulated the Maori candidate, who had had a very late start, on the excellent showing she had made.

The chairman of the Wairoa County Council (Mr A. T. Carroll) in his

ty Council (Mr A. T. Carroll) in his remarks congratulated Miss Delaney on her victory. "One of the big gest factors in Miss Delaney's suc gest factors in Miss Delaney's success is her own charming personality," said Mr Carrill, amid loud applause. He also complimented the other candidates on the showing they had made. Miss Delaney briefly thanked her supporters for returning her at the top of the poll. To the tune of "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow," Queen Dulcie was enthusiastically "chaired" around the hall.

During the performance the "My Xmas Box Art Union" was drawn and the £10 prize was won by ticket No. 5657, Snowy Copeland, C/o Messrs Swifts, Wairoa.

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ONGAONGA.

Always a popular New Year's Day fixture, the Ongaonga sports again drew a large crowd yesterday and, favoured with pleasant weather, the day proved a most enjoyable one to competitors and spectators alike.

Several hundred cars were parked round the oval sports ground, and the gate takings for the day were in the vicinity

the displays in this class being very attractive. The events were run off smoothly and without bitch. off smoothly and without hitch, the officials of the club co-operating well 46secs. to this end. A number of stalls under the charge of the club did 1, A. E. Oliver 2, P. Berkahn 3 this business throughout the day. orisk business throughout the day.

In the evening an enjoyable dance took place in the Ongaonga hall, the merriment continuing to a late nour. Music was supplied by Te Tau's orchestra.

Detailed results:—

> CHILDREN'S EVENTS Boys

Under eight years: C. Greig 1, R. Dailey 2; ten years and under, J. Smith 1, R. Dailey 2; 12 years and under, J. Smith 1, R. Dailey and N. Cooper 2 equal; 14 years and under, R. Walker 1, S. Parker 2. Girls

Eight years and under, W. Parker 1, R. Douglas 2; 10 years, M. Parker 1, H. Clough 2; 12 years, B. Grant 1, B. Parker 2; 14 years, L. Timmins 1, B. Petersen 2.

Cinderella race: L. Timmins 1, B. Beachen 2.

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING Women's 75 yards (first heat):
J. Elliott 1, M. Thomson 2, E. Maye
3, Time 8½secs. Second heat, I.
Corby 1, B. McGrath 2, S. Ness 3.
Time 8½secs. Final, I. Corby 1, J.
Elliott 2, M. Thomson 3. Time 8
2,5ecs.

Women's 100 yards (first heat):
J. Elliott 1, M. Thomson 2, D. Cottrell 3. Time 11 3-5secs. Second heat, I. Corby 1, B. McGrath 2. Time 11 3-5secs. Final, J. Elliott 1, M. Thomson 2, I. Corby 3. Time 11

2-5secs.
Men's 100 yards (first heat): R.
Wardle 1, C. Kronk 2, G. Morgan
3. Time 9 3-5secs. Second heat, O.
Banks 1, A. Schaare 2, R. Longley
3. Time 9 4-5secs. Final, O. Banks
1, D. Wardle 2, C. Kronk 3. Time

Women's 120 yards: D. Cottrell 1, Elliott 2, I. Corby 3. Time 12

3-5secs, Men's 220 yards (first heat): R. Wardle 1, C. Kronk 2, G. Morgan and J. Ness 3 equal. Time 21 2-5secs. Second heat, A. Schaare 1, O. Banks 2, R. Longley 3. Time 21 4-5. Final, Kronk 1, Banks 2, Wardle 3. Time

To keep the public informed of the results, Mr C. Kent's speaker system was in operation throughout the programme.

Interest was stimulated by the novelty events, the women's special aquaplane races of which provided the highlight.

In addition to the scheduled programme the Waikaremoana outboard championship, which was a minipured.

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Entries in all events were well up to the standard of past years, Tarr 2, I. Newrick 3. Time 5.31 3-5.

HORSE EVENTS

Maiden jumping: W. Butler 1, G. Roland 2, G. F. Gunson 3. Pony jump: L. Lewis 1, Miss M. Lee 2, Miss J. Pattison 3. Ladies' jumping: Mrs A. P. White 1, Miss M. Nation 2, Mr J. Vernon's

entry 3. Open jumping: J. Nation's Ranger 1, A. J. White's Toi Toi 2, Miss J. Bennett's Tip Toes 3.

Consolation jump: Miss M. Nation 1, Miss P. White 2, J. Vernon 3. NATIONAL DANCING

Highland Fling, under 10 years: I. Vannin 1, E. Gilbertson 2, C. Woods 3. Sword dance, under 10 years: M. Vannin 1, E. Gilbertson 2, S. Ren-

Irish Jig, under 10 years: P. Miller 1, E. Gilbertson 2, C. Woods 3.
Reel o' Tulloch, under 14 years:
J. Dillon 1, M. Smith 2, I. Munroe 3.

Seann Truibhais, under 14 years: J. Stewart 1, B. Hearn 2, Beryl Mac-Highland Fling, under 14 years: J. Stewart 1, B. MacLean 2, I. Mun-

Sailors' Hornpipe, under 14 years: Munro 1, B. Hearn 2, J. Stewart

Highland Fling, under 18 years: J. Wilkins 1, S. Coughlan 2, J. Young 3. Seann Truibhais, under 18 years: N. Wilkins 1, J. Young 2, S. Cough-

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Sailors' Hornpipe, under 18 years: J. Young 1, N. Wilkins 2.

Highland Fling, between 8 and 11 years: P. Miller 1, M. Vannin 2, E.

Gilbertson 3.

Irish jig, between 8 and 11 years:
P. Miller 1, J. Dillon 2, C. Woods 3. WRESTLING

Under 11 stone: N. Webby 1, M. McDonald 2; open weight, J. Stewart 1, F. Haftka 2.

Kronk 1, Banks 2, Wardle 3. Time 21 1-5.

Men's 440 yards: A. Schaare 1.
C. Kronk 2, G. Morgan 3. Time 50
3-5secs.
Relay race: Morgan's team 1, Wardle's team 2. Time 1.6½.
Men's 880 yards: J. Behm 1, J.
McIntosh 2, Jim McIntosh 3. Time 1.53 2.5secs.
Four lap cycle: G. Mangos 1, R.
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Attwood 2, M. Tarr 3. Time 3.34.

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Detailed results of the events

Wairoa outboard championship, Williamson Cup (three miles).—Pug 1, C. U. Later 2, Silver Slipper 3. Time 6min. 33secs. Pug led all the way and won by a good margin. Hells Bells also started but retired in the second

Wairoa inboard championship, Barry Challenge Cup (four miles).

Baby Pam 1, Maha 2. Time 11min. 25secs. Three starters, the other contestant being Miss Behave, who vithdrew before the completion of

he second lap. Waikaremoana outboard championship (three miles).—Pug 1, Hells Bells 2, Silver Slipper 3. Time min. 41 secs.

There were six starters, C. U. Later being disqualified through missing a buoy.
Outboard handicap, Glengarry
Cup (two miles).—Hopalong (27
secs.) 1, Silver Slipper (15secs.) 2,
Pug (scr.) 3. Time 4min. 10secs.

There were five starters.
Inboard handicap (two miles).—
Iaha (30secs.) 1, Baby Pam (scr.)
Time 4min. 55secs. The only other starter was Miss ehave, which was first to finish but it was disqualified for exceeding the time limit.

Outboard handicap (14 miles).— . U. Later (30secs.) 1, Imp (50 ecs.) 2, Silver Slipper (20secs.) 3.

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The Officials

Car, Mr w. G. Which was uninjured.

The accident occurred about 7.30 tribute to her personal popularity.

Hearty Cheers.

The organiser (Mr J. Woolf) then unsealed section of road north of the Waipawa bridge, the car skidded didates.

potholed as a result of the heavy holiday traffic combined with recent rains. The car was badly damaged by the impact. The injured passengers were reported last night to be making

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C. U. Later (30secs.) 1, Imp (50 secs.) 2, Silver Slipper (20secs.) 3.

This was one of the most thrilling races of the day.

Free-for-all outboards (two miles).—Silver Slipper (20secs) 1, Imp also started but retired on account of lack of petrol.

Inboard consolation handicap (two miles).—Miss Behave 1.

Baby Pam and Maha also took part, but were not eligible to win, having already secured placings.

At the conclusion of the programme Major J. O. Scott, in the presented the trophies to the winners and congratulated them on their fine performances.

The New Zealand Amateur Athletic Union to stand a team of four athletes to tour the Dominion early in the New Year. The team suggested is: Ryan or Dunn, of New South Wales, sprinters; Backhouse (Victoria), middle distances; Miller (New South Wales), broad jump and hop, step and jump; and Winter (New South Wales), pole vault. The proposal is that the team should arrive in New Zealand about January 23 and compete in Wellington on January 27, whose feelings were stirred, cheery words from old returned men, all conveyed the same messages of hope to those lads who have voluntered to the various camps at the various camps at the week-end. Privates R. Herrington, H. Phillips and D. Stevens leaving by the mail train; Private A. Watts left the previous day, and Trooper I. White left for the northern camp by the evening train.

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Breakwater Pakura, ex Auckland and Portland, January 8. Pukeko, ex Wellington and Lyttelton, January 8. Kopara, ex Portland and Auckland, January 12. Walnui, ex Dunedin, January 16.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES Pakura, for Auckland, January 8. Pukeko, for Gisborne, January 8. Kopara, for Auckland, January 12. Wainui, for Wellington, January 17.

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Kiritena, o.e.v., 136 tons (Richardson nd Co.), at moorings.

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and Co.), at moorings. Kopara, m.v., 850 tons, F. S. Bates, naster (Richardson and Co.), at Auckland. Will load general cargo there on Monday, January 8, and cement at Port-land on January 9 for East Coast bays, Gisborne and Napier; due here on Janu-

ary 12, returning the same night to Auckland. Auckland.

Pakura, 719 tons, C. W. Caldicutt,
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Napier. Due here on Monday, January
8, returning to Auckland the same night,
where she will undergo alterations prior
to taking up sheep freighting on the
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Pukeke my 730 tons 5 M Schiller

East Coast.

Pukeko, m.v., 730 tons, S. M. Petley,
master (Richardson and Co.), left the
Glasgow wharf at 11 p.m. on Friday for
Gisborne, thence Lyttelton to load there
on Thursday, January 4, for Napier,
Walkokopu, Gisborne and East Coast
oays. Due here on Monday, January
8, thence Wellington and Lyttelton.

Tu Atu, o.e.v., 42 tons (Richardson and o.), at Juli wharf. Wainul, s.s., 1633 tons, T. W. White, master (Union S.S. Co.), at Dunedin to undergo annual overhaul and survey. Loads at Dunedin on Monday, January S, for Gisborne and Napier, via Oamaru, Fimaru, Lyttelton and Wellington. Due nere on Tuesday, January 16, from Gis-

GENERAL Mariposa, o.e.v., 19,000 tons (Matson ine) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), t present in Australia. Due at Auck-and on January's from Sydney. Monterey, o.e.v., 19,000 tons (Matson Line) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), left Auckland at 10 p.m. on December 12 for Suva, Pago Pago, Honolulu and San Francisco. Was due at San Francisco last Saturday. Expected at Auckland on January 19.

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Daily Mail

TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1940.

LEAP YEAR MUSINGS

The year upon which we have just entered is Leap Year, so-called because of some quaint old customs whereby the woman was allowed to take the initiative in "getting her man." It is only the women who can afford to smile quietly at that ancient jest, knowing full well that they have always got their men just as and when they wanted them and whatever the men had to say about it.

But Leap Year brings the word "woman" forward. It is rather a splendid word, whose connotations have altered almost beyond recognition down the years. Time was when the woman was a mere chattel of the man, counted in with the details of his other possessions, when woman recognised man as her lord and master and subjugated herself to the. masculine will, and when she must confine herself entirely to looking after the creature comforts of the "stronger sex." But those days are no more.

The emancipation of womanhood is a reality in every civilised community. In fact, the extent of the progress of any civilisation can be gauged by the nature of the advance that has been made in recognising the equality of the sexes in the major affairs of life. In art, in science, in literature, in industry, and in countless other departments of life there have been no "Leap Years" for women. They have advanced by their own right and have in many ways beaten the men at their own favourite pursuits. Even in the field of sport they have gone far beyond the languishing damsels who were their great-grandmothers, and in man's own peculiar game of politics they have played and are likely to continue to play a clever and capable hand.

It is not a case of the exception proving the rule when women are found in places of trust and responsibility in important business houses. The "jewel in the toad's head" of woman's past degradation and subjection is that down the centuries she has learned those little tricks of meticulous attention to detail that enable her to do automatically what the philosophical male could not do half so well after long and careful thought. A certain semi-mythical Roman emperor was supposed to be able to dictate orders, to write a military report, and to listen to the news from a courier at one and the same time. But the woman who can exchange little bits of gossip while she scans the pictures in a newspaper and knits a jumper at the same time does not regard the feat as anything out of the ordinary.

In plain truth the average home is much more difficult to run than are some kinds of businesses, and as a rule it requires much more actual individual and close attention to detail. Is there, in other words, any creature more helpless than a domestically inexperienced man when he must turn his hand to household duties and the care of his own children? It is admitted that women have been trained by long experience to such work; but this simply means that it is contended that women can do many things much better than their so-called superiors, and that such qualities as women possess in this regard are coming into ever greater demand in the complex world of modern business and affairs.

In point of fact, it is becoming less and less necessary each year to make any special pleading on behalf of women and their rightful place in the ranks of our common human effort. More and more they are able to speak for themselves and by the sheer weight of their own merit assume the positions which they have won by superior ability.

The final truth is that such an article as this does not do sufficient justice to a subject of such importance. It would take a woman to deal adequately with its most important

Letters to the Editor

Letters 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 published anonymously.

Waterside Trouble

Sir,-My attention has been drawn to a recent report in regard to some trouble on the waterfront at Napier. The report would seem to suggest that the Hon. Mr Barnard and the Hon. Mr Nash were able to bring the trouble to an end.
But as an old watersider I wish
to point out that although the ship
was finally manned, it was at considerable cost to all concerned in its

I am told that the cost per man works out at £5 10/8, plus a bonus of £4 10/- for each worker, or a total of £10 0/8 a head. When it is reckoned that there may have been anything up to 100 men (and probably more) engaged, it will be seen that although the trouble was tided over for the monent it was due not so much the nent, it was due not so much to ne persuasive eloquence of the two gentlemen mentioned as to the tangible rewards demanded and re-ceived for the urgent work inolved.—I am, etc., EX-WATERSIDER.

Port Ahuriri

Jungles

Sir,-I notice that there are quite number of vacant sections which have recently developed into veritable jungles within the borough boundary. In fact, the worst are within the shopping area. These sections have become infested with noxious weeds, viz., blackberry, thistles, convolvulus, etc., and the high grass growing on them is a potential danger to the residents adjacent who must sleep in fear of being burnt alive in their beds. Have these dog-in-the-manger owners no consideration for people possessed of civic pride and whose

possessed of civic pride and whose homes are a credit to the town? I have stigmatised these careless owners as dogs-in-the-manger, for in

Youth's Difficulties

Sir,—Reading the letter by "Youth" and your leader in reply, I, too, feel far from satisfied. Your leader is quite unsatisfying to my mind to anyone groping for light Now, sir, we know that a British knight, chairman of directors of an at least 51 per cent. British-owned

pital oil company, Sir Henri eterding, of the Royal Dutch Shell oil Co., was responsible for the clacing of Hitler in his present position, no less than £100,000,000 peing found through this agency.

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Then, sir, we have the statement of Lord Rothermere, in his book, in which he says that "there is no man whose word he would rather take than that of Herr Hitler."

"Oh, yeah," say the boys.

But, sir, this was the word of a responsible British newspaperman, the owner of the great "Daily Mail," and verily no paper speaks other than the truth. Hating Fascism and Nazism as we all do, almost 100 per cent., we still have the right to ask the why and wherefore of these other sayings and ore of these other sayings and

happenings.

And amidst all the war propaganda, where stands the Christian teaching of our youth? For not many of us carry on beyond youth because of the hypocrisy of the world around. But, sir, we are told "Thou shalt not kill," "Thou shalt do no murder," and there are no qualifications; also, we are told to "offer the other cheek" and to "love thy neighbour as thyself," and then we have the astounding sight of so-called men of God defending war and assisting in its prosecution. appenings.

fending war and assisting in its prosecution.

No, sir, I don't profess to be a Christian, but I would hate to be a hypocrite. Let there be more charity towards the man who doubts, for he must be a thinker and a striver after better things, for we see all around us many contradictions that must make any tradictions that must make any thinking person rub his eyes and wonder.—I am, etc.,

AFTER HITLER, WHAT? Hastings, Dec. 31, 1940.

Answer To Correspondents

"ENGLISH": Letters to the editor must be accompanied by the name and address of the sender. as a token of good faith, whether a nom-de-plume is used or not. [A CORRECTION: In the letter on "City Fathers" published on Sat urday, it is pointed out that "now interest bearing money" should read "non-interest-bearing money." If correspondents will write more clearly, such mistakes need not occur.—Ed.]

Coracles to Liners

From prehistoric dugouts and coracles to the R.M.S. Queen Mary, the shipping section of the guide issued in the United Kingdom pavilion at the Centennial Exhibition on at the Centennal Exhibition covers an immense range of material of interest to lovers of the sea. An illustration of Vasco da Gama's ship, which sailed round the coast of the lake, providing a phenomenon of the coast of the lake, providing a phenomenon of the coast of the lake, providing a phenomenon of the coast of the lake, providing a phenomenon of the coast of the lake, providing a phenomenon of the coast of the lake, providing a phenomenon of the coast of the c of Africa to Mozambique, much of its success being attributed to the innovation of three masts, is included. its success being attributed to the innovation of three masts, is included. The Britannia, first vessel of the Cunard Steamship Co. Ltd., which crossed from Liverpool to Halifax in eleven days and four hours, is also shown.

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Personal

wirs H. Small returns to-day to her home in Frederick Street, Hast-ings, after visiting Mrs W. A. McFarlane, Waiterenui.

Messrs S. C. Tonks and A. K. Fyson, president and secretary of the Egmont Racing Club were visitors over the New Year for the Hawke's Bay races.

Mr M. J. Clare, the well-known trotting trainer from Dunedin, is a visitor to Hastings.

Mr Harry Moore, Palmerston North, was a visitor to Hastings for the New Year races.

Messrs. H. Galbraith and J. Low-rie, Taihape, were visitors to Has-tings for the New Year races. Mr and Mrs C. Ingram, Hastings, are the guests of Mr and Mrs E. Walpole, Karori, Wellington.

Mr E. P. Haslam has joined the economic staff of the Common-wealth Bank of Australia, in Aus-tralia. Mr Haslam, who was a 1934 Rhodes Scholar from New Zealand, was till recently secretary of the Leverhulme Trust Research Commission, which studied British and French systems of administra-tion in West Africa.

Mr K. B. Muirson, Inspector of Factories, Scaffolding, and Weights and Measures at Invercargill, has received advice of his transfer to the district office of the Department of Labour in Wellington. He will leave Invercargill on January 16.

Mr and Mrs W. H. Percy and family have been visiting Mr and Mrs G. O. Craike, Hastings.

Mr T. Nelson, who has been second engineer at the Patea Freezing Company's works for the past 17 years, has been promoted to be chief engineer at the Makarewa freezing works, Invercargill.

The Rev. J. A. F. Watson, minister of John Knox Church, Rangiora, for the last six years, has received a call to Riverton, Southland.

AT THE HOTELS

possessed of civic pride and whose homes are a credit to the town? I have stigmatised these careless owners as dogs-in-the-manger, for in very truth they are, as they will not use the sections themselves nor let anyone else use them.

These speculators are obviously out to reap the "unearned increment." It would appear that the only way to get at these inartistic section owners is to raise the unimprovement tax considerably. What is the council doing in this connection? It seems to be deaf and dumb about things that matter and whoth these primitive owners and teach them common sense and awaken in them some responsibility? I use the word "primitive" advisedly as the land referred to is much the same as when the noble Maori owned it.

Trusting that others imbued with "civic pride" will have something to say about these jungles.—I am, etc., JAS. HEFFERNAN.

Mr C. Watts (Wairaku), Mr and Mrs V. I Thorburn (Feiding), Mr and Mrs V. I Thorburn (Feiding), Mr and Mrs D. Lyttelton (Melbourne), Mr Mr C. Watts (Wairaku), Mr and

Miss V. James, Miss L. O. Barnett, Mr E. Plummer, Mr and Mrs Dinsem, Miss G. Lindop, Mrs Stevens, Mr and Mrs J. T. Martin, Miss Noeline Martin, Miss D. Martin, Captain and Mrs E. Willoughby, Miss G. F. Willoughby, Mr J. Plummer, Mr J. S. Widdop, Mr J. Plummer, Mr J. S. Widdop, Mr and Mrs C. Johnstone, Mrs Anyon and family (Wellington), Miss Austin, Mr and Mrs McKersher, Miss Gloria McKersher, Miss P. Moore (Petone), Mr and Mrs W Mills (Wellington). Kersher, Miss P. Moore (Petone), Mr and Mrs W. Mills (Wellington), Mr and Mrs S. McDowell, Miss J. McDowell, Mr Ian McDowell (Feilding), Mr and Mrs Evans (Masterton), Mr and Mrs Common, Miss Ina Merson, Miss M. Goodwin (Wellington) are at the Criterion Hotel ington), are at the Criterion Hotel,

Miss N. McKeowen, Master L. A. Taylor, Mr D. Leuchars, Mr F. Hamil, Mr R. T. Patrick, Miss M. Castle, Mr J. K. Bedford, Mr F. A. Provost, Mr H. Fujitsirka, Mr and Mrs C. J. Pirie, Miss B. Harvey, Mr and Mrs J. Zuker, Mr and Mrs C. W. Rickard, Mr and Mrs J. Leuchars, Mr and Mrs S. P. Forstensson, Mrs J. Parker, Miss B. Parsons, Mr J. Winters, Mr F. McKellar, Mr Johnson (Taupo), Mr J. Johnson (Wairoa), Mr and Mrs J. Ridgard (Lower Hutt), Mr H. R. Hammond (Hastings), are at the Albert Hotel, Hastings.

Windsor Park Popular

With the holiday season at its

height, the motorists' camping ground at Windsor Park, Hastings, represents a miniature canvas

As a result of a fall from a pony she was riding, Janet McAuliffe, aged six, of France Street, Hastings, was admitted to the Memorial Hos-

pital, Hastings, yesterday with fractured left arm. Her condition

Tribute to Official

ast night was reported as satisfac-

The flags were flown at half-mast for the two days at the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's summer meeting at Hastings as a tribute to the memory of the late Mr J. S. McLeod, who

died under tragic circumstances last week. Mr McLeod was formerly president of the Club and in latter

years had acted as its honorary

The floating island on Lake Tu-

Tutira's Floating Island

RETURN OF POPULAR HAWKE'S BAY PRESIDENT

Heretaunga Bowling Club

MR L. HARVEY IS HONOURED

Recovery From Illness

Making his first appearance on the green of the Heretaunga Bowling Club after a serious illness, the club president (Mr L. Harvey) was acorded a hearty welcome during the week-end. He was presented with week-end. He was presented with a large framed photograph of those resent on the club's opening day of he current season.

the current season.

Making the presentation, the club's oldest life member, Mr R.

Wells, spoke of the keen interest the president had always taken in the club's affairs, and the way in which the grounds had been improved by his gifts. Mr Harvey has been club president gines 1925

president since 1935. Mr Harvey briefly replied, thanking club members for their gift.

and Master Radford (Wellington),
Mr and Mrs J. C. Sharpe (Matamata), Miss I. Thompson, Mr B. C.
Tasker, Dr and Mrs U. Williams
(Wanganui), Mr N. C. LeRoy, Mr
J. P. Aydon, Mrs E. C. Beale, Mrs
J. D. Williamson, Mr and Mrs J.
Steele, Mr V. T. Parvin, Mrs D. J.
Wrennall, Mr and Mrs J. M. Whittaker, Mr and Mrs J. Goodger, Mrs
M. Batty, Mr and Mrs N. Dunster
(Auckland), Mr H. P. Manson (Raetihi), Mrs I. Hogg, Mr and Mrs H.
P. Anderson (Tauranga), Mrs J.
Gardner, Mr and Mrs C. G. Norman, Pierce and Sheila Norman
(Masterton), Dr Mary Douglas,
Miss E. C. McKay (Hamilton), Mr
and Mrs T. Andrews (Ngaruawahia), Mrs A. H. Stewart, Mr and
Mrs H. Prior (Melbourne), Mr W.
R. Blair, Mr G. S. Kirk (Mosgiel),
Mr J. G. Pellowe (East Taieri),
Miss D. E. Cooper, Miss O. M.
Cooper (Palmerston North), Mr J.
K. Bailie (Nelson), are at the
Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Mrs N. England, Mr L. W. Essex, Mr R. Ritchie (Invercargill), Mrs E. and Master Fitzgerald, Mr and Mrs T. Tollerton and child (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs J. Finlinson, Mr J. Finlinson, jun., Miss M. Walker, Mr S. McEwan, Mr J. Robertson, Mr W. Digby-Best (Wellington), Mr and Mrs T. Linley, Miss Jane Kirkey (Auckland), Mr L. O'Neill (Pahlatua), Mrs A. Scholes, Mr and Mrs Scholes (Upper Hutt), Miss F. McAra (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs A. E. Ballinger, Miss M. L. Ballinger (Wanganui), Mr K. A. Ballinger, Miss S. Wilson (Dunedin), Mr and Mrs R. E. Ritchie (Taupo), Mr J. Poyzer, Mr R. Thompson, Mr W. Brady (Wairarapa), are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings. Hastings.

Mr and Mrs H. Shiever, Mr E. Sims, Mr B. Walker (Whakatane), Mr R. Paine, Mr H. Goldsmith, Mr A. Geogham (New Plymouth), Mrs E. Gibbons (Nelson), Mr and Mrs Mears (Gisborne), Miss Beamont (Wairoa), Mr H. Parkinson (Sherenden), Mr A. Garton (Australia), Mr R. Ryan (Invercargill), Mr A. Patchett (Pahiatua), Mr and Mrs Price and child (Wanganu), are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs R. S. Little, Master Little, Mr and Mrs J. Forbes, Miss Barber, Mrs Powell (Auckland), Mr and Mrs Barlow, Mr G. Wood, Mr Miss Magill, Mr F. Magill (Crownthorpe), Mr and Mrs W. D. Kelly (Tauranga), Mr J. G. Findlay (Dannevirke), Mrs H. Steer (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs H. Lunken, jun., Mr and Mrs P. M. Scammell (Gisborne), Mr R. Haldane (Waipukurau), Miss Hall (Westport), Mr and Mrs McPherson, Masters McPherson (2) (Dunedin), are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

General Freyberg as Swimmer

When mentioning the appointment of Major-General B. C. Freyberg as commander of the New Zealand Spe-

commander of the New Zealand Spe-cial Force at a social gathering for a member of the force in Taihape, Mr H. Dashwood recalled that "Tiny" Freyberg visited Taihape in 1912 for the opening of the municipal swim-ming baths. On that occasion he was a member of an Auckland team of five

The opening of the Dominion's

Centennial year was marked by the flying of flags of the British Empire and Allies at the chief post

Empire and Allies at the chief post offices at Napier and Hastings. On masts erected along the frontage parapets of the buildings, the flags made an impressive display. Last night they were flood-lighted by lamps erected on standards in front of the buildings.

eral hundred.

Display of Flags

of the buildings.

Cars Block Roadway

Grass 50.0deg. Visibility 7 Cloud 5 Wind E. 4 av. Rain Nil Sun

Wet bulb temp.
Maximum temp.
Minimum temp.
Ift, underground
3ft, underground

WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S"

IS FOR FAIR

redominating.

Sea: Slight.

SPECIAL FORECAST

WARM WEATHER.

Weather: Fair and warm.

The "Daily Mail's" special fore-east for Hawke's Bay is as follows:

Winds: Light to fresh and variable winds, with westerly directions

Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall

Dry bulb temp. 74.0deg.
Wet bulb temp. 68.0deg.
Maximum temp. 86.0deg.
Minimum temp. 56.0deg.

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. by the Government recorder at Napier (Mr R. T. Hutton) are as follows:—

Dry bulb temp. 70.0deg

76.0deg

The situation is of the westerly ype, with high pressure to the north, and a series of depressions is

Dominion Forecast

Forecast: Winds, between southwest and north-west, strong at times except in the far north, mainly moderate to fresh in force.

Seas (New Zealand waters): Rather rough to rough at times about Cook and Foveaux Straits and south of Cape Egmont, else-where slight or moderate. Eastern Tasman: Westerly to south-westerly winds prevailing, moderate in the northern portion

moderate in the northern portion with slight seas; strong at times in the southern portion, with rough Weather: Changeable in western and southern areas of the South Island, with occasional showers and moderate temperatures, but else-where mainly fair to fine and

To-Day's Diary

HASTINGS

H.B. Bowling Centre's tourna-

The Theatres: lge City," Regent, 2.15 and 8

"Fifth Avenue Girl," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

"You Can't Get Away With Murder" and "Mystery of the White Room," Cosy, 2 and 8 p.m.

"Let's Make a Million" and "King of Gamblers," Municipal, 8 p.m.

NAPIER Citizens' Band, at Sound Shell, 8

"Mutiny on the Blackhawk" and "Quick Money," Mayfair, 2 and 8 p.m. "Clouds Over Europe," Regent, 2

and 8 p.m.
"Fifth Avenue Girl," State, 2.15 and 7.45 p.m.

Mother (relating pathetic story):
"Now, Dennis, wouldn't you like to
give your bunny to that poor little

Dennis (clutching rabbit): "Could-n't we give him father instead?"

A small Cockney recruit went to join up, and the recruiting officer said: "What's the good of a little chap like you joining up?"

The recruit looked at him and said: "What do you expect for two bob a day? Napoleon?"

ford it."

Mose: "Thankee, Cap'n. I'se gwine to gib you all my cases fum here on out!"

Cars Block Roadway

Nearly 40 vehicles were delayed for varying lengths of time by two motor-cars which had become in baggage car): "Now, before you give him his meals, I want you to say, 'Diddum Dinkie want oo' dindums?" And if he yawns, he's not quite ready for his meal yet." the Napier-Wairoa Road, no longer roams at will over the expanse of the large lake. It has become attached to the lake's southern bank, with all the appearances of becoming a permanent fixture there. The island is about 50 yards across, and supports a good number of the main road several miles south of Wairoa on Sunday afternoon. The cars were not badly damaged and no one was injured; but for a time the drivers declined to move them while debating who was re-

time the drivers declined to move there while debating who was responsible for the accident. Although several other motorists pointed out that the drivers involved were complete the drivers and the drivers are drivers involved were complete the drivers and the drivers are drivers are drivers are drivers.

Sports and Tennis Wear, for the holidays. See "Parker's" great selection.*

LOCAL AND GENERAL Surfing at Waimarama As a camping spot, Waimarama beach has rapidly gained in popu-larity, and during the New Year holiday period varying numbers of motorists have been located there. Breakfast Table Campers and picnickers at the beach yesterday combined to number sev-

The Theatres:

boy you saw to-day who hadn't any father?"

Lawyer: "I won't charge you any fee for defending you in this case, Mose, because I know you can't af-

After a heated argument Mrs Brown had succeeded in persuading her husband to allow their daughter

a Brown. "I knew it would come to no good; now she's fallen in love with a Chinese.

MEDIUM

CIVILISATION IS AT STAKE

Vice-Regal Message For 1940

A SHADOWED CENTENNIAL

Clouded By Menace Of Enmity And War

N.Z. SPIRIT UNDAUNTED

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, Jan. 1.

His Excellency the Governor-General's New Year message

was delivered from 1YA, Auckland, as follows:-"On the occasion of my broadcast last New Year's Eve, I referred to the spirit of nationalism prevailing throughout

the world and to the shadows of enmity and fear which were clouding the horizon of the Old World, and I suggested that despite the crises from which we had just then emerged, it would be prudent for us to prepare for emergencies.

"The sequence of the events of the following few months went to show that there was good reason for anyiety. In went to show that there was good reason for anxiety. In three hours' time the bells will ring in the new year, 1940, New Zealand's Centennial year. At dawn our new century will open. We cannot help thinking of our cherished hopes, now disappointed, that New Zealand's Centennial year was to be for us one of joy, happiness, and prosperity. Instead, we are called upon to face the most serious situation ever forced upon the Empire

forced upon the Empire. "All our thoughts are concentrated on this war in which we are engaged to fight for our liberty against the worst form

of tyranny ever known. "Civilisation hangs in the balance. Everything we hold most precious is jeopardised by the aggression of powerful nations ruled by unscrupulous dictators.

"We have not taken up the sword without just cause, and we will not sheath that sword until the powers of evil are subdued and justice is once again established.

"It is indeed unfortunate that our new century is to be ushered in at a time when the nation is at war. Nevertheless, arrangements to com-

functions.

"There can be no question that our enemy may be allowed to call off the war which they commenced, in order to recommence it later when conditions are more favourable to them. The war machine of Germany must be broken and the German people made to realise that war does not pay.

"But there are already bright is a specific or which they would be allowed to call the congratulating themselves on their happy position they should not fail to remember those who have gone before them—those men and women of splendid physique, character, and foresight who laid the solid foundation of our present structure. Too much cannot be said of the sacrifices which they

war does not pay.

"But there are already bright moments. Germany could only win the war if she could achieve a smashing victory within a few months. She has failed, and now she cannot win. With every passing month, more and more strength pours into the Mother Country from the Empire overseas.

"None of us and iorealise that the solid foundation of our present structure. Too much cannot be said of the sacrifices which they made, of the privations which they endured and of the spirit and courage which they displayed in the earlier days of settlement.

Commemoration

As Usual

"None of us can tell how this war will develop, but we do know that if we are to retain our freedom we must concentrate immediately on how best to make all our energies and resources available for the prosecution of the war.

"The Navy has borne and is bearing the chief brunt of the struggle and has achieved wonders, but, alas, not without loss. German ships have been swept from the seas, U-boats are proving no longer a menace, and the glorious exploit of the three British cruisers off the South American coast which recently brought about the end of one of Germany's most powerful commerce raiders will go down to history as one of the finest actions ever fought.

New Zealand's quota of man-power for service overseas is a most important factor, and I hope that early in the New Year many more thousands of her young men will be offering their services in answer to the nation's call. The Dominion troops are most fortunate in the appointment as their commanding officer overseas of Major-General Freyberg, one already known in New Zealand, whose proved qualities as a leader, whose interest in the welforce of his most interest in the welforce of his most formation.

a leader, whose interest in the welfare of his men, and whose splendid military record will imbue all with the spirit of confidence.

"The First Echelon has now completed its training and is ready for service, but before the troops leave these shores it is essential that arrangements should be made to provide for their comfort and wellbeing while away from their Homeland as well as for the welfare of those who leave in later drafts.

The Patriotic Fund

"A National Patriotic Fund Board has been established to this end, and some magnificent individual contributions have already been made. The scheme for the collection of money by the sale of seals has produced splendid results to date, but we shall require more if we are to do our share towards those who leave on active service. The whole of the funds subscribed for patriotic purposes will be administered, not by the Government, as many people seem to believe, but by the National Patriotic Fund Board and by various provincial councils.

"Those gentlemen who have most generously given their services in this connection are known throughout New Zealand for their integrity, patriotism and honesty of purpose. Members of the central board and provincial councils have gone to great pains to obviate that over-lapping which took place on the occasion of the last war and to ensure that the value of every shilling sub-scribed will reach those for whom it is intended in the best and most acceptable form.

An Appeal for

"I would ask all to be as generous as they can when subscribing to this fund and to remember that, after all, it would be a very small contribution to make for the comcontribution to make for the com-fort of those who are risking their lives for the safety and liberty of many who are unable to take an ac-tive part in the conflict. "This New Year's Eve represents an important milestone in the his-tory of the Dominion, marking as it

Torpedoed Ship Safely In Harbour

UNDER HER OWN

Not Seriously Damaged, But Four Ratings

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The Admiralty has announced that the British battlesnip which was reported to have been torpedoed by a U-boat has reached harbour

by a U-boat has reached harbour under its own steam. It is not seriously damaged, but four ratings are reported missing, believed killed, and one seriously injured.

The Admiralty announced earlier: "A torpedo attack has been made on a British battleship by a U-boat. Some damage was caused, and three men were killed."

The ship is one of the Queen Eliz-

men were killed."

The ship is one of the Queen Elizabeth class, vessels of 31,000 tons, of which there are five.

The German Supreme Command announced: "A German submarine torpedoed a battleship of the Queen Elizabeth class west of Scotland."

Inquiries at the British Admiralty elicited the information that the battleship referred to in the Admiralty announcement is the same as that referred to in the communique issued by the German High Command.

Uruguay Orders Nazi Vessel To Depart

FEARS THAT TACOMA MAY BE SUNK IN HARBOUR

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MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 31. MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 31.

Following an order to depart by 6.30 a.m. on Monday (Uruguay time), the Tacoma, the German ship that saved the crew of the Graf Spee after the warship was scuttled, has left port and is at present lying near the Graf Spee wreckage, where she is tied to tugs by hausers. by hausers.

memorate such an important occasion had been so far advanced before the outbreak of war that the responsibile authorities deemed it advisable to proceed with the major The Tacoma lifted anchor at 4.30

"One of the most important of these, as you know, is the Centennial Exhibition in Wellington, an exhibition of which any country may well feel proud, representing as it does a clear, unified and comprehensive picture of a century of The Tacoma dropped anchor at 5.40 p.m.
It is estimated that 60 are aboard. A battle flag was run up as the vessel began to move, says a report from the correspondent of the Associated Press.

"The participation of the New Zealand cruiser Achilles in that action must have caused a thrill of pride to every true New Zealander. "Particularly gratifying to the people of the Dominion has been the part already played in the war by her sons in the Royal Air Force. New Zealand's quota of man-power for service overseas in the second to their own their own their own of medical supplies, were removed that several bundles, including a box of medical supplies, were removed that several bundles, including a box of medical supplies, were removed that a maritime official said that several bundles, including a box of medical supplies, were removed that a maritime official said that several bundles, including a box of medical supplies, were removed that a maritime official said that several bundles, including a box of medical supplies, were removed prior to her departure. Two tugs accompanied her.

The Tacoma is apparently fully fuelled. The authorities believe that she is awaiting orders. They fear scuttling in the channel. The gunboat La Valarja and the cruiser Uruguay are steady.

POLICE RAID PIRATE.

"Most of you are aware that I am now nearing the end of my term as Governor-General. Were it not for

At 10 p.m. the Tacoma was still anchored. Well-informed quarters expect that she will sail after midnight and try to reach Buenos Aires, where it is reported she will Governor-General. Were it not for the war Lady Galway and I would be leaving the Dominion in a few weeks' time, but in the present circumstances my time in New Zealand may be extended for a short period. However, this will probably be the last New Year's Eve on which we shall be in the Dominion, and I would like to take this opportunity of expressing once again our heart-Aires, where it is reported she will not be regarded as a naval auxiliary. At 10.30 p.m. the master again protested, alleging that he had not received specific instructions which channel to use when leaving port It is believed that this manoeuvre of expressing once again our heart-felt gratitude for the many acts of kindness and hospitality which have been accorded to us and to our chil-dren in all parts of the country. may permit him to remain in Uru-guayan waters after the 6.30 a.m.

Forty minutes after the time-limit had expired the Tacoma had not moved from her anchorage. Uruguayan marines boarded the "We have greatly enjoyed our stay here in New Zealand. It will always remain with us as a happy period of our lives. gunboat Vallega, apparently with orders to enforce the Government rder of internment.

we send our best wishes for a very happy New Year. We pray that it may bring peace to our Empire and that the new era will be one of still greater progress to New Zealand. Good night." At Home

GERMANS SURPRISED

Rumour Of Split With Hitler

NEW ZEALANDERS ON PARADE

"To one and all throughout the Dominion and in New Zealand de-pendencies, pakeha and Maori alike,

ANTI-TANK BATTERY

REVIEWED

Officials Impressed

Only Short Training

United Press Association-Copyright. (Received Jan. 1, 10.10 p.m.) LONDON, Dec. 31.

Officials are greatly impressed with the smartness and briskness of the New Zealand Anti-Tank Battery, composed of New Zealanders resicomposed of New Zealanders resi-dent in Britain before the war, after its short period of training. One-third of the personnel are absent on leave, but the remainder were drawn up yesterday on the parade ground to meet Viscount Willing-don, who will represent Great Bri-tain at the Centennial celebrations. tain at the Centennial celebrations, and the High Commissioner (Mr W. J. Jordan), who were received by the camp commandant.

CONTINUED COURSE POWER

Missing

LONDON, Dec. 30.

An official announcement said that the Tacoma must leave within 24 hours or be interned. The announcement added that Uruguay considered the vessel to be an auxiliary warship.

May be Scuttled outer port at 4.40 p.m., causing the belief that she will be scuttled. She reached the outer port at 5.25 p.m., when a huge crowd lined the water-

sive picture of a century of modern progress and civilisation. It depicts all branches of our national life and affords a splendid opportunity to New Zealanders to acquire valuable knowledge in relation to their own security.

Still Anchored

Goering Stayed

DIFFERENCE ON POLICY

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LONDON, Dec. 29.
Field-Marshal Goering's absence from Christmas festivals in the Reich has caused comment. The "Daily Mail" points out that Hitler and General von Brauchitsch, Commander-in-Chief of the German Army, went to the front and that Ru
manded one of whom was sentenced to three months for contempt of court. Three others were brought from injurie was struck in the Belfast police warned Scotland Yard of the discovery of copies of the I.R.A. organ "War News," declaring that if England carries out her savage vengeance a hundred exercise from Christchurch, another car behind and Christchurch.

As a protest against its report of the LB A

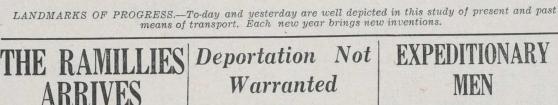
He suffered mander-in-Chief of the German Army, went to the front and that Rudolf Hess, Hitler's deputy, and Dr. Goebbels, Nazi Propaganda Minister, made speeches. Others, too, were active, but Goering stayed at his country home.

The French radio mentions reports that Coeving is not satisfied. too, De Valeras'

ports that Goering is not satisfied with Hitler's friendly policy to-

with Hitler's friendly policy to-wards the Soviet.

The French political commenta-tor, Madame Tabouis, writing in the newspaper "L'Oeuvre," says that Hitler's coldness towards Goering dates from the kidnapping of two Britons in Holland who, he says, were in communication with Goer-ing. The Gestapo tracked their cor-respondence and Hitler ordered the respondence, and Hitler ordered the Britons to be questioned about how ar Goering's policy differed from



HARRY BRIDGES CASE BRITISH BATTLESHIP IN WELLINGTON Charge Of Communist Sympathies GREAT WELCOME

ARRIVES

Courtesy Calls Are

Exchanged

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Jan. 1.

H.M.S. Ramillies, a battleship of he Royal Sovereign type, having a displacement of 29,150 tons, and in-cluding in her armament eight 15-

nch guns, has arrived at Welling

The great ship presented a splendid picture as she steamed up the Port Nicholson waterway on a brilliant summer day. Word quickly

spread that she was entering port

Wellington's many vantage points.

The Ramillies is berthed at Pipitea Wharf, and will be open for inspection by the public on Thursday

There will be special arrangements for children to see the ship on Thursday, but not on Friday.

Immediately on her arrival, off

cial calls were made on her commanding officer, Captain H. T. Baillie-Grohman, D.S.O., O.B.E., R.N., and these calls were returned.

Tribute to Achilles

A streamer displayed prominently from the masts of the Ramillies, bearing the words "Well done, the Achilles," is a fine tribute from a battleship of the Royal Navy to the part played by a ship from the New Zealand naval station.

Four Men Arrested

I.R.A. ACTIVITIES

IN IRELAND

Bomb in Newspaper Office

United Press Association-Copyright. (Received Jan. 1, 8.20 p.m.)

Recovery of Ammunition Six tons—one-third of the ammunition stolen from the Phoenix Park Fort has been recovered. The

search continues, especially in cel ars, old quayside stores and houses

Sixteen suspects have been remanded one of whom was sentenced

the Londonderry gaol mutiny on December 25, members of the I.R.A.

exploded a bomb in the Belfast of fice of the "Dublin Irish Press,"

De Valeras' newspaper, causing considerable damage. Nobody was injured.

TEMPLES AND SHRINES

IN DANGER

Great Forest Fire Breaks

Out In Korea

imes a week.

DUBLIN, Dec. 30.

and Friday.

JUDGE'S FINDING

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received January 1, 7.45 p.m.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. Harry Bridges was found innocent of the charges of Communist Party

The release of the following message has been approved by the lion, on which the Federal Immigration, on which the Federal Immigration, Service sought to deport him tion Service sought to deport him

At a special trial, the examiner, Judge Landis, reported to the Secretary of Labour (Miss Frances Perkins) that Bridges's aims are "energetically radical, but proof fails to establish that the methods he seeks to employ to realise them are other than those that the framework of a democratic and constitutional Government permits."

The report had the effect of recommending cancellation of the deportation order issued earlier in 1939.

Table 1 and splendid bearing when they were inspected to-day by their new leader, Major-General Freyberg.

The inspection was made by units and occupied more than an hour and ahalf. It was no cursory look on the part of Major-General Freyberg.

He was most thorough in his inspection and chatted to the officers and to some of the men, particularly those whose medal ribbons indicated service in the last war.

After inspecting each unit, Major-General Freyberg briefly addressed the men and congratulated them on

Miss Perkins later announced that the evidence in the Bridges cases does not warrant deportation.

"Fight Without Hatred"

ARCHBISHOP'S ADVICE

A Just Peace Must Be Achieved

NEW YEAR MESSAGE

British Official Wireless. (Received January 1, 10.10 p.m.) RUGBY, Jan. 1.

In a New Year message specially contributed to the "Yorkshire Post," the Archbishop of York urges the British people to look forward with

"War has come, as we trusted it might not, but it cannot last for ever, and the next great change must be peace. Let us so fight with-out hatred and so endure without oitterness that we may, when the time comes—be it soon or late—es tablish a peace which will be permanent because it is just."

SOLDIER KILLED Police made a lightning raid on a house in Dartry Road, Rathmines, where they seized a pirate radio station recently operating three times a week ON THE ROAD The announcer was concluding with the statement: "This station is closing down for a short period," when listeners heard a scuffle and the station went dead. The police took four men, including the announcer, and apparatus away in a lorry.

ACCIDENT NEAR CHRISTCHURCH

STRUCK BY CAR

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Jan. 1. A private in the New Zealand Special Force at Burnham, Walter Corrigal Toy, son of W. W. Toy, of Lyttelton, died on Sunday evening from injuries he received when he was struck by a motor-car about a mile from Rolleston on the Christ-church eide.

Toy was standing on the road holding up his hand to stop a car travelling from the direction of Christchurch, about 12.30 on Sunday morning, when he was struck by another car approaching him from behind and travelling towards Christchurch.

He suffered serious head injuries and was taken to Christchurch Public Hospital, where he died about eight o'clock on Sunday evening.

NURSES' PAY ON SERVICE

Announcement By The Minister

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Jan. 1.

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Jan. 1, 10.15 p.m.) The following total daily rates of pay on embarkation for members of the nursing service with the Second New Zealand Expeditionary Force "This New Year's Eve represents an important milestone in the history of the Dominion, marking as it does the dawning of a new century. New Zealanders have indeed good reason to be proud of the progress made by their country during the integration of the made by their country during the integration of the made by their country during the integration of the integration of the back-ground until a definite issue emerges from the violent discussions which are believed to be raging about the future conduct of the war and German-Soviet relations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.

Other sources say that Goering is deliberately keeping in the back-ground until a definite issue emerges from the violent discussions which are believed to be raging about the future conduct of the war and German-Soviet relations. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.

EXPEDITIONARY MEN

GENERAL FREYBERG'S INSPECTION

VERY THOROUGH

Satisfaction With The Parade

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Dec. 30.

Nothing could have given a more striking indication of the progress of the Expeditionary Force troops encamped at Burnham than their splendid bearing when they were in

After inspecting each unit, Major-General Freyberg briefly addressed the men and congratulated them on their steadiness. It was evident, he said, that every man was doing his best and that great progress was being made. being made.

The troops inspected were the 27th (Machine Gun) Battalion, the 20th Rifle Battalion, the Second Divisional Supply Column and the 4th Field Ambulance.

Touring Bus Capsized Near Dunedin

Fortunate Escape Of Passengers And Driver

Few Injuries

Cause Of The Mishap Is Still A Mystery

By Telegraph—Press Association.

DUNEDIN, Jan. 1.

A corporation bus carrying about to passengers on an observation our round the Otago Peninsula on Saturday ran off the road as it was leaving Portobello by the high road back to Dunedin and capsized down the bank, coming to rest on its side. Five passengers suffered slight injuries, mainly in the nature of cuts and bruises, and in the case of one passenger there is a possibility of a broken rib. The accident occurred about 3 o'clock when the bus had just left Portobello.

The road leads up a moderate grade, and the bus was little more than 50 yards up the hill when, for no reason which can so far be explained, it left the road and slid down the bank to come to rest on its side a few feet below.

Windows Broken.

Several windows in each side were broken, and flying pieces of glass were the cause of most of the injuries. The passengers were able to make their way out by means of the emergency door, which was on the upermost side of the vehicle and the driver got out by removing the windscreen. The bus was subsequently right-

ed and brought back to town under its own power. The brakes were found to be in good order.

The tramways manager (Mr W. H. Mackenzie) stated to-day that the cause of the mishap has not yet been ascertained.

FIRST INNING SCORE OF 610

South Australia's Reply To Victoria's 475

were arranged by the Meat Board in consultation with the freezing companies, but the Government had reserved the right to audit the books of freezing companies and to satisfy itself as to the basis of the charges made.

WELLINGTON, Jan. 1.

"If Mr Polson would ascertain the facts before making his statements to the Press," said Mr Nash, "he would not so often be astray. The arrangements in connection with the purchase of stock from the farmers were made by the Meat Board and the freezing companies.

"My work on behalf of the Government was confined to buying meat from the freezing companies, from operators or from farmers who

MEAT PRICES PAID BY THE

IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT AND

THE MINISTER OF MARKETING REPLIES

TO COMPLAINTS MADE BY

MR W. J. POLSON

By Telegraph—Press Association

Government and the return to the farmer here were replied to at the week-end by the Minister of Marketing (the Hon.

Speaking at Stratford, Mr Polson quoted his own experience and said that he had complained to the chairman of the

Meat Board that the price received for lambs by the farmers

was unreasonable and the charges deducted by the freezing

companies exorbitant and far beyond the necessities of the

to do with the fixing of freezing and allied charges. They

Mr Nash said that his answer was that he had nothing

For this he blamed the Minister of Marketing.

Complaints by Mr W. J. Polson, M.P., about the difference between the price paid for New Zealand meat by the Imperial

RETURNS TO N.Z. FARMERS

meat from the freezing companies, from operators or from farmers who exercise the right to send in stock on their own account.

The first companies is people of the Dominion shall obtain all commodities produced in the Dominion at reasonable prices.

organisations to prevent such advantage being companies on procedure, at which I was not present, they came specially to thank me for allowing them in the main to determine the relations of although the particular issue he farmers and freezing companies, and the opinion of the members of the bility of the Government."

EXTRAORDINARY DISASTER

DETAILS OF RECENT **FLOODING**

HOME WRECKED

Reminiscent Of An Earthquake

The result on the countryside was and a possible tragedy was averted omparable only to the result of a by quick work. A very strong rip

Terrific Downpour

Terrific Downpour

The gauge at Baring Head lighthouse, west of the homestead, registered 15.3 inches in five hours. The wreck was not revealed fully to the outside till Wednesday.

The boulders are so high at the back of the house that one can step from the piled mass to the roof. Boulders filling the bedrooms almost to the ceiling burst through doors and walls into the hall.

Had the doors and walls failed here the disaster would have been here, the disaster would have been fatal, for escape would hardly have been possible. The run of rock flowed from room to room as silt flows, so flerce was the rush of the

> HAWKE CUP CRICKET

Waikato Puts Up A Good Score

By Telegraph-Press Association. HAMILTON, Jan. 1. Despite losing three wickets for 86 runs, Waikato, under ideal conditions, compiled 391 runs in the first day of the Hawke Cup match

against Poverty Bay.

In the fourth wicket partnership of 151, M. Lyon and J. Everest changed the fortunes of the game, Lyon scoring 125 and Everest 92.

P. Jordan also batted well for 49.

A Ligarity (25) contributed to and A. Lissette (35) contributed to

The last wicket fell just before stumps, and the challengers had lost one wicket for 12 runs at the end of the day.

MIDLAND A SECURE A WIN

Cricket Match Played At Hastings

tion.

In. 1.

(Received January 2, 0.15 a.m.)

MELBOURNE, Jan. 1.

In the Sheffield Shield cricket match Victoria in the first innings made 475—Beames 104; Burton 5 for 99; South Australia in the first innings made 610—Ridings 56, Klose innings made 6610—Ridings 56, Klose 54, Bradman 267, Badcock 58, Waite 54; Scott 3 for 135, Ring 5 for 123.

Victoria in the second innings have lost 0 for 12.

In a non-competition game at Cornwall Park, Hastings, on Saturday, Midland A secured a win over what which Midland and 127, to which Midland replied with 136.

The chief scorer for Midland was Christison, who compiled 36. Mosley scored 33 before he was bowled by Wise. For Midland, Rowbotham scored 36 and Davidson 19.

Two Young Men Rescued

WAIMARAMA BEACH

Value Of Life Saving Club Shown

THE PUBLIC WARNED The value of the recently formed Heretaunga Life Saving Club for the purpose of safeguarding swim-mers at Waimarama beach was de-

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Dec. 30.
No more extraordinary disaster has occurred in the Wellington province than the wecking of the homestead of Mr E. L. Riddiford, near the mouth of the Orongorongo on Tuesday night by a rushing torrent of rock and water, the consequence of a terrific fall of rain which hammered a small area of coastal lands for five hours.

The purpose of Sareguesta was demonstrated in practical fashion on Sunday afternoon, when a team went to the rescue of two young men who found themselves unable to get inshore.

Club members had just finished a demonstration of life-saving when it was seen that the two young men, who were some distance out beyond the breakers, were in trouble. Immediately two members plunged into the surf and took a line out, and a possible tragedy was averted

stead and grounds of tens of thousands of tons of wash of rock, but the main mass cannot be moved, of the club's efforts for safeguard a million tons.

It was not rainfall. ands of tons of wash of rock, but public were failing to make full use the main mass cannot be moved, for that would entail the shifting of a million tons.

It was not rainfall in the ordinary sense that ate into the hillside and brought down a few square miles of country and hundreds of such rock washes.

It was not rainfall in the ordinary sense that are into the hillside and brought down a few square miles of country and hundreds of such rock washes.

necessary. Good Work. Some indication of the service rendered by the club members is given by the fact that these young men organised three teams of life-savers on Sunday, and two teams yesterday. Two teams will again be present at the beach to-day. Next Sunday a full muster of club members is requested at Wai-marama.

BIRTHS INCREASE IN 1939

HASTINGS AHEAD OF NAPIER

FIGURES COMPARED Vital Statistics For Past Year

A total of 990 births were registered in Napier and Hastings during 1939, a considerable advance on the figure for the previous year. For the second successive year, Hastine second successive year, Hast-ings's total exceeded that of Napier. Slightly more marriages were registered in Hastings than in Na-pier. Deaths in Napier showed a decline, and the year's total was two below Hastings's quota.

The vital statistics for both towns are as follows:—

Hastings. Year.

50 Registrar December. 1939. 1938. Births
Deaths
Marriages Napier. Year.

December. 1939. 1938.

FORTY-TWO TEAMS IN LAWN TENNIS

Bowling Centre's New Year

PLAY AT HASTINGS

Bay Bowling Centre opened on the Hastings, Kia Toa, and Heretaunga greens yesterday. Forty-two teams competed,

At the conclusion of the day's play the leading teams were:—Section A, Godber (Kia Toa), 3 wins; Section B, Cooke (Napier), 3 wins; Section C, Bissell (Havelock North), 3 wins; Section D, Eagle (Waipawa) and Oliver (Omarunui),

Details of yesterday's play are given as follows:—

SECTION A

Hastings Green

First round: Forster, Burnley,
Dunsford, Holt (Bluff Hill), 25;
Ellis, Walker, Rowlands, Collinge
(Heretaunga), 13. Cuff, Clegg,
Pirie, E. C. Mayo (Port Ahuriri),
22; Spriggs, McNiven, Drummond,
Nuttall (Napier), 17: Rickard,
Claughton, Kruse, Bennett (Hastings), 22; Coombe, Brooks, Cummins, Flanders (Havelock North),
10. Taylor, Chambers, Bradley,
Gardner (Waipukurau), 24; Hounsell, Ward, Powdrell, Warren (Heretaunga), 16. Wall, Ross, Graham,
Godber (Kia Toa), 22; Simpkin,
Golding, Brown, McDonald (Omarunui), 21.

Second round: Mayo 20; Flanders Hastings Green

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16. Bennett 22; Gardner 21. Warren 25; Holt 18. Nuttall 27; McDonald 16. Godber 23; Collinge 16.
Third round: Holt 23; McDonald
16. Warren 20; Flanders 11. Godber
19; Bennett 18. Collinge 28; Mayo
11. Gardner 25; Nuttall 15.

SECTION B

Heretaunga No. 2 Green

First round: Nutter, Kitchen, Christie, Atkins (Hastings), 24; Watkins, Paul, Finlay, Sykes (Kia Toa), 18. Simmonds, Buckley, Mellor, H. Elmcs (Wairere), 26; Watson, Maude, G. Joll, J. H. Joll (Havelock North), 19. Moore, Hislop, Engebretson, Cooke (Napier), 25; Usherwood, Lynch, Berry, Berry (Heretaunga), 12. Carr, Kennedy, Kalin, Briasco (Port Ahuriri), 16; Cook, Lourie, Webley (Waipukurau), 14. Heenan, Johnston, F. B. Hall, Morgan (Havelock North), 22; Ireland, Kenny, Russell, Petherick (Waipawa), 11.

Second round: Webley 28; Joll 7. Cooke 25; Atkins 17. Briasco 19; Berry 16. Morgan 28; Sykes 19. Petherick 17; Elmes 16.

Third round: Atkins 27; Joll 12. Cooke 20; Petherick 13. Buckley 21; Briasco 18. Sykes 22; Berry 14. Webley 25; Morgan 16. Heretaunga No. 2 Green

SECTION C

First round: Joll, Paynter, Leicester, Bissell (Havelock North), 28; Marcroft, Kavanagh, Phillips, Poppelwell (Port Ahuriri), 10. Corne, McLaren, Bryan, Thomas (Napier), 22; Pacey, Riley, Barr, Newton (Bluff Hill), 8. Sharples, Lee, Williams, Rowe (Wairere), 20; Franklin, A. W. Pirie, F. K. Pirie, Burgess (Napier), 17. Allen, Murley, Tonkin, McIntosh (Hastings), 20; Howell, O'Leary, Crawford, Earney (Port Ahuriri), 16. Giles, Maulder, Jenkinson, Maher (Heretaunga), 22; Mills, Bennett, Butler, White (Waipukurau), 13.

Second rund: Thomas 18; White

Kia Toa Green

First round: Evans, Blair, Williams, Oliver (Omarunui), 22; Burton, Tuohy, Logan, McCarthy (Port Ahuriri), 17. Limbrick, Dunkin, Critchley, Eagle (Waipawa), 19 (22nd head); Gifford, Kilpatrick, Smith, Plested (Napier), 18. Dunn, Henry, Barlow, Wardell-Johnson (Bluff Hill), 22; Arkins, Head, Rixon, Lassen (Kia Toa), 18. Emmett, Frater, Dykes, McLeay (Port Ahuriri), 16; Ewen, Barnes, Richards, Haldane (Waipukurau), 21. Tucker, Hay, Panckhurst, Anderson (Havelock North), 28; Hall, Garland, White, Esson (Hastings), 18. Daines, Martin, Burge, Burfield (Heretaunga), 20; Smith, Aberhart, Liley, Wilson (Havelock North), 11. Second round: Oliver 22; Haldane 17. Plested 29; Anderson 11 Evale Second round: Oliver 22; Haldane 17. Plested 22; Anderson 11. Eagle 26; Esson 11. Lassen 23; McCarthy 13. Wardell-Johnson 25; Wilson 6. McLeay 20; Burfield 17. Oliver 17; Esson 15; Haldane 30; McCarthy 13. Eagle 19 Wardell-Johnson 18. Plested 22; Lassen 17 Anderson 23:

ted 22; Lassen 17. Anderson Burfield 21. Wilson 20; McLeay 8. Napier Week-End Bowling

PORT AHURIRI CLUB

Full Programme Of Games

In common with sportsmen of differing tastes, members of the Port ners the president (Mr Harvey) ex Ahuriri Bowling Club availed them pressed his regret that rinks would selves to the full of the excellent now be unable to come from Wai weather which prevailed over the New Year week-end. A full pro-

gramme of games was played and some keen matches were witnessed.
Results were as follows:

Camm, Bowden, Perrott, Kennedy (s) 17, Tuohy, —, Watts, Crawford (s) 26.

Burton, Wolfe, Perrott, Lockwood (s) 12, O'Leary, Dykes, Kavanagh, J. T. Johnson (s) 24.

Dykes (jun.), Gibson, Frater, Carr (s) 17, Bannister, Ward, Batchelor,

Crawford (s) 15. Christiansen, Overington, Phillips, Mayo (s) 15, Morley, Morley, Sarah,

Lockwood (s) 21.
Elliott, Wolfe, Earney, Johnson (s) 26, Smith, Smith, Kalin, Poppelwell (s) 18. Overington, Emmett (jun.), Morton, Poppelwell (s) 15, Emmett, Sin-slair, Howell, Logan (s) 26. White, McCarthy, Marcroft, Phil-lips (s) 18, Morley, McColl, Mandy, Kennedy (s) 22,

HAWKE'S BAY CLUB'S

PLAY AT NAPIER

Championship Finals To-day

MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

Forbes and Watson beat Colthart and Manson 6-4, 6-0; R. Best and L. Best beat Mackay and Mawson 6-4, 6-2; Fullerton and Lowry beat Forbes and Watson by default; Clow and Lynn beat Best and Best

mt weather prome eleven, winning the irst use of the wickets which oured the batsmen.

G. Stanford and McGavin opened for Napier and at the close of the innings McGavin was still undefeated at 111. A. Smale was the most dangerous bowler, taking five wickets for 43 runs.

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R. Fullerton and Miss Evans beat R. A. Lawer and Mrs H. Mawson 6-2, 6-3; R. G. Lynn and Miss M. Glenny beat E. A. Kennedy and Mrs Kennedy 6-1, 6-3; Watson and Miss Symes beat J. N. Lowry and Mrs H. Hassall 6-2, 7-5; V. Hill and Mrs Milburn beat C. Lawton and Miss P. Fullerton 8-6, 6-3; Mackay and Miss Fenwick beat D. F. Edmundson and Miss McLeay 8-6, 7-5; Clow and Mrs Cotterill beat Mackay and Miss Fenwick 6-1, 6-1; Fullerton and Miss Evans beat MacDonald and Mrs MacDonald 6-2, 6-3; Watson and Miss Symes beat V. Hill and Mrs Milburn 6-4, 7-5.

MEN'S HANDICAPS

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Singles Second round: Thomas 18; White 17. Poppelwell 23; Burgess 22. Newton 21; Rowe 18. Bissell 24; Moltround: Melntosh 23; White 14. Poppelwell 23; Thomas 12. Earney 24; Newton 19. Burgess 16; Maler 24; Earney 18. First round: Evans. Blair, Williams, Oliver (Omarunui), 22; Burnon, Tuonhy, Logan, McCarthy (Port Anuriri), 17. Limbrick, Dunkin, Ciritchley, Eagle (Walpawa), 19. Ciritchley, Eagle (Walpa (Best of 21 games, 11 up).

Hawke and Tait (recd. 15) bear Hawke and Tait (recd. 15) beat Abbott and Hayward (owe 15) 11-4; Bast and Best (owe 40, 5/6) beat Alexander and Tonkin (recd. 15, 2/6) 11-8; Lawer and Lawton (owe 40) beat Logan and Edmundson (scr.) 11-8; Mackay and Rathbone (owe 15, 3/6) beat Colthart and Manson (owe 15) 11-10; Hawke and Tait beat Best and Best 11-3; Frude and Paisley (recd. 5/6) beat Alexand Paisley (reed. 5/6) beat Alexand Paisley (reed. 5/6) beat Alexand Paisley (recd. 5/6) beat Alexand

Mawson and Miss B. Bradley (owe 15) beat Fullerton and Miss Humphries 11-9; Mawson and Miss Bradley beat R. Hill and Mrs Hassall (owe 15, 2/6) 11-1.

Rifle Club

SATURDAY'S SHOOT

Third Championship

HANDICAPS DECLARED

Members of the Napier Defence Rifle Club will fire the first prac

Major J. W. Olphert, president J. Munro, riflemen F. H. James, L. Proffitt, C. Holt, R. Nicholson, H. W. Youren, S. Haraldsen, H. C. Russell, H. Pedersen, scr., scr., scr.

W. Smith 2, 2, 2.
Deputy-president G. Gordon G. A.
Eyles, R. Mundy, F. C. Wright, C.
Deverell, C. E. Maney, J. Manssen,
W. Paton, A. Alexander 3, 3, 3.
G. D. Byford, J. McGhee, R. Baker 3, 4, 3.

A. Proffitt, R. Gollop 4, 4, 4. W. G. Morton, W. Black 5, 5, 5.



THE ETERNAL EVE.—Woman's place is in the home, and these two busy housewives see that the pies are done to a turn before the hungry men come home.

GOLF TOURNAMENT AT Notium Annexes NAPIER

Successful Meeting Concluded Yesterday

MARAENUI THE VENUE

Brilliant weather, excellent entries, ideal green and course conditions, and the keenest of friendly competition—these were the ingredients which combined to make the Maraenui Golf Club's annual open summer tournament, which concluded yesterday, one of the most successful on record. Played on the club's seaside links at Napier, the meeting attracted entries from all parts of the North Island. Of the 40 entrants only 10 were from the home club, among the outside clubs represented being Auckland, Wellington, Manawatu, and

The major event was the East Coast championship. After many close matches in the qualifying rounds and the semi-finals, W. F. Turner and T. Garrod fought out an exciting final. At the 16th tee Garrod was two up on his opponent and held a strong hand. However, Turner was in fine fighting fettle and staged a wonderful recovery. He registered a bogey three at the 16th and after a drive through the green to the 17th he sunk an excellent putt for an eagle two. At the 18th he took the hole and the match on a bogey five when he sank a chip on a bogey five when he sank a chip shot for an eagle three.

Included in the other outstanding cards returned was that of R. W. Syme and E. M. Syme, who registered a score of 10 up in the four-The trophy for the best gross

score in the qualifying round was won by T. Garrod with a 72. The best net score was 68 returned by J. K. Atley, who won from C. J. Grant on the count back.

In the final, N. W. Smith beat I. Elsmore at the 19th.

Groups Handicap. The semi-finalists in this event were J. D. Bull, D. R. Murray, J. D.

McVay, and B. A. Murphy, victory in the final going to J. D. Bull, who defeated B. A. Murphy, two up. Championship Flight.

The semi-finalists were: F. Raven, who beat J. K. Atley by default, F. Elsmore beat T. J. Simmonds at the 19th. F. Elsmore beat F. Raven, one up, in the final. Second Flight.

W. T. Dobson beat G. W. Heale 2/1, A. E. Gilbert beat R. Gray 2/1. In the final, Gilbert beat Dobson 3/1 Third Flight.

J. C. Wilson beat J. H. Flowers, R. W. Syme beat F. R. Ashton 2/1. In the final, Wilson went down to Syme. The score was not recorded. Bogey Match. S. Mangin three up, W. McErlick

two up. Stableford Competition. L. Quinn 39, B. A. Murphy 38. No. 2 Medal Round.

The winner of this event was J. D. Bull 89, 24—65, W. McErlick being runner-up with 85, 18—67. Four-Ball Bogey. The winners of the four-ball bogey were R. W. Syme and E. M. Syme with a score of 10 up.

Putting Competitions. First day, K. Glendinning; second day, J. H. Purcell; third day, D. M.

MOTOR-CYCLE BURSTS INTO FLAMES

Rider Seriously Injured In Collision

Bursting into flames immediately after the impact, a motor-cycle rid-den by a young man, Francis Charles Lawrence Johnson, 23, Havelock North, came into collision

Stratford Cup

The Sprint

By Telegraph—Press Association.

NEW PLYMOUTH, Jan. 1.

The first day of the Stratford Racing Club's meeting was held in fine weather on a fast track. The attendance was good. The totalisator handled £26,988 10s, compared with £32,243 10s for the first day last year, a decrease of £5255. The results are:

OHURA HURDLES.

Also started: 4-4 Student Prince 10.8 6-6 Bay Dawn 9.0, 2-1 Mal de Mer 9.0 Two lengths; three. Bay Dawn was fourth. Time, 2.49 3-5.

Also started: 6-6 Diamond Cutter 8.1, 4-5 Eastern Heir 8.0 car, 8.1, 3-4 Sunny Downs 8.0, 5-3 Tane Mahotu 8.0, Neck; length. Eastern Heir was fourth. Time,

SECOND DAY'S FIELDS.

E140; 7 furlongs.—Silver Gift 9.0, Young Charles 8.9, Mahaina 8.8, Ripple 8.7, Last Match 8.4, Carmody 8.2, Bidens 8.2, Empire Action 8.2.

1.30-NGAERE HANDICAP, of £210; 2.15-TE KAPUA HACK CUP, of £250;

4.30—TOKO HIGHWEIGHT HANDI-CAP, of £195; seven furlongs.—Tosh 9.1, Prince Rangi 8.12, Te Hai 8.12, Gay Seton 8.11, Lickem 8.11, Bronze Step 8.10, Cles-samor 8.6, Eastern Heir 8.0, Diamond Cutter 8.0, Estro 8.0, Sunny Downs 8.0. 5.15—KAPONGA HACK HANDICAP, of £170; six furlongs.—Liberal's Mint 9.1, Chief Lord 8.12, Viracious 8.9, Gold Dale 8.8, Miss Valerie 8.1, Val Pere 8.1, Dawn Star 7.8, Boden Park 7.7, Valsome 7.7, White Foam 7.7.

PROSPECTS FOR TODAY

"Moturoa" selects the following as eing likely to shape well to-day:—

TOTALISATOR UP AT ELLERSLIE

ROYAL APPELLANT'S A.R.C. HANDICAP

BEAULIVRE FAILS

Beau Vite Runs A Race Record

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, Jan. 1. There was a large attendance at the third day of the Auckland Racing Club's summer meeting to-day. The weather was fine, but overcast. The track was fast. The totalisator handled £97,991 10/- against £88,463 10/-a year ago, an increase of £9528. The results are:—

ELLERSLIE HANDICAP,

NEW YEAR'S HURDLES, Of £450; 2 miles. 1-2—CLARION CALL, 12.9 (J. H.

8-8-LAPIDARIAN, 9.0 (D. Craddock) 2-1—MIO LUME, 11.3 (J. Winder) Also started: 3-3 Survalyon 10.5, 5-5 Inness Lad 10.1, 9-10 Mia Acrea 10.0, 10-9 Pyrenees 9.12, 4-4 Hopalong 9.9, 6-6 Celtic Lad 9.9, 7-7 Chikara 9.0 car. 9.1. Two lengths; three. Chikara was fourth. Time 3.41 3-5.

MIDSUMMER HANDICAP, Of £350; 5 furlongs. 1-1—ROYAL DESCENT, 8.1 (H. N. Wiggins)

3-2—WORTON, 7.13 (P. Atkins) . 2

7-8—GAY MISS, 7.2 (J. Logan) . 3

Also started: 5-5 Cillas 9.7, 4-4

Grandora 9.2, 8-7 Ringcraft 8.8, 9-9

Horeke 7.8, 10-11 Gold Money Song

7.5, 6-6 Harmony 7.5, 2-3 Belle Femme

7.4 15-14 Night Pilot 7.3 12-12 Rich

Blood 7.2, 13-13 Rue de Paix 7.2, 11-10

Mysitos 7.2, 18-18 Golden Bonnet 7.0, 16-17 Auburn Lad 7.0, 14-15 Money

Spinner 7.0, 17-16 Maori Star 7.0. Neck; half a head. Cillas was fourth. Time, 1.0 3-5. 1-1-ROYAL DESCENT, 8.1 (H. N.

AUCKLAND RACING CLUB HANDICAP, Of £1500; 1½ miles. 8-8-ROYAL APPELLANT, 7.9 (L.

1-1—CATALOGUE, 9.6 (W. J. Broughton)
7-7—DE FRIEND, 7.7 (A. Mes-(* Signifies dead-heat for second) Also started: 4-3 Sly Fox 8.12, 2-2 Royevrus 8.9, Bonstar 7.0 (bracket-ed), 3-4 The Cardinal 7.5, 6-6 Dictate 7.5, 10-10 Poland 7.0, 5-5 Saccone 7.0, 9-9 Scotland 7.0.

9-9 Scotland 7.0.

Bon Star made most of the running from Dictate, The Cardinal, Royal Appellant, Saccone and De Friend. At the half mile Bon Star was closely followed by Sly Fox, Dictate, The Cardinal, Saccone and Royal Appellant. The field bunched entering the straight, but a furlong from the post Royal Appellant forged ahead and held on long enough to get the decision by a head from Catalogue and De Friend, the latter finishing fast on the inside to dead-heat for second. Dictate was fourth. Time, 2.33 3-5.

66th GREAT NORTHERN DERBY,

66th GREAT NORTHERN DERBY, Of £2000; 1½ miles.

Broughton)
4-4—BUCCANEER, 7.7 (H. N.

NEWMARKET HANDICAP,

Of £600; 6 furlongs. 3-3—ARVAKUR, 7.7 (G. Gilchrist) 1-2—BRONWEN, 8.8 (H. N. Wiggins) 4-4—SULEIMAN, 9.11 (E. A. Kee-

GLASGOW HANDICAP. Of £450; 7 furlongs.

gins) 7-7—LORNACRE, 7.7 car. 7.8 (W. J. Broughton)

Also started: 2-2 Amigo 9.6, 5-4
Brunhild 8.9, 4-5 Erndale 8.6, 10-9
Kelly 8.1, 6-6 Besiege 7.13, 8-8 Very
Glad 7.6, 11-11 Land Girl 7.4, 9-10 Mon
Acre 7.0 car. 7.3\(\frac{1}{2}\), 12-12 Brazilian 7.0.
Length; half a length. Very Glad
was fourth. Time, 1.25.

FINAL DAY'S ACCEPTORS

AUCKLAND, Jan. 1.
The Auckland Racing Club's accept-

ances are:

GOODWOOD HANDICAP, of £450; one
mile.—Disdain 8.11, Pirate King 8.8, Full
Hand 8.8, Kathbella 8.7, Paddy the Rip
7.13, Silver Quex 7.13, Ivy Willonyx 7.13,
Lornacre 7.9, Fidelis 7.6, Very Glad 7.6,
High Sea 7.3, Land Girl 7.3, Armacourt
7.3, Mintlaw 7.3, Maioro 7.0, Vaalso 7.0,
Tip Toes 7.0, Mon Acre 7.0.

AUCKI AND HURDLES, of £400: 18

AUCKLAND HURDLES, of £400; 13 miles.—Erination 13.3, Inness Lad 9.13, Pyrenees 9.10, Hopalong 9.8, Celtic Lad 9.7, Lapidarian 9.5, Little Briton 9.0, Knight of Australia 9.0, Teddy Boy 9.0, Royal Nation 9.0, Chikara 9.0.

SYLVIA HANDICAR of \$100.

WAIKOUAITI CUP TO **THERMIDOR**

KILROBE WINS

Highweight Goes To Sir Hugh

By Telegraph—Press Association.
DUNEDIN, Jan. 1. DUNEDIN, Jan. 1.

The Waikouaiti annual meeting was held in dull, showery weather. The track was in good order and there was a large attendance. The totalisator handled £21,375, compared with £23,766 10s last year, a decrease of £2391 10s. Results are:

TRIAL PLATE. Of £125; six furlongs. 1—MOSGIEL, 8.8 (A. E. Didham) .. 2—CRAIGLEA, 8.8 (E. Pinn) 3—GREAT NIGHT, 8.8 (H. Hibberd) Also started: 5 Janefield 8.8, 7 Very Happy 8.8, 4 Ageratum 8.8, 6 Valencia 8.8, 9 Midgard 8.8, 10 Rosaleen Dhu 8.0, 11 Maxina 8.8, 8 Neptune 8.8, 12 Miss Fox 8.8. One length each way. Time, 1.15 1-5.

WAIKOUAITI CUP.

Also started: 2 Norseman 9.1, 4 Silver Streak 8.6, 7 Queen Dorothy 7.8, 10 Gai-leon 7.7, 9 Gay Parade 7.1, 6 The Wrec-ker 7.1, 11 Twenty Grand 7.0, 8 Master Dingle 7.0. Short head; two lengths. Time, 2.5 1-5. BRAY MEMORIAL HANDICAP. Of £150; five furlongs.

1—ST. CLOUD, 8.0 (A. Stokes) . . . 1 2—MILTIADES, 8.7 (P. Spratt) 6—LORD MIDAS, 8.7 (N. Billington) 3 Bolton Midas, 8.7 (N. Billington) 3
Also started: 7 Adina 9.1, 5 Lockit 8.12,
8 Astaire 8.10, 3 Withdrawal 8.4, 4 Hostis 8.3, 10 Tantivy 7.9, 9 Janefield 7.9, 11
Silver Don 7.7. Half a length; a length and a-half. Time, 1.13 1-5. HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP. Of £150; one mile and a furlong.

ORBELL HANDICAP. Of £225; seven furlongs.

Of £150; 6 furlongs.

3—PRINCE RUENALF, 7.12 (P. Spratt) 12—LOCKIT, 8.11 (E. Mackie) 12—PASSENGER, 7.7 (W. Connor) 3

Also started: 1 Ferriby 8.5, 4 Gold Don 7.9, 5 Queen Beth 7.8, 6 Crack o' Dawn 7.7. A head; two lengths. Time, 1.15,

MEETING

THE ACCEPTORS

Acceptances for the Oamaru Jockey Club's meeting to-day, are: 12.30—HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP, of 12.30—HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP, of f:130; one mile.—Sir Hugh 10.13, Shy 10.9, Merry March 10.7, Half and Half 9.8, Twenty Grand 9.7, Silver Slipper 9.5, Lockit 9.5, Rebel Queen 9.5, Jewish Lad 9.5, Dranoel 9.2, Pink Lad 9.2, Gus-terina 9.2, Improvident 9.0, Lights Out 9.0, Cymric 9.0, Raroa 9.0, Good Health

get 1.10—TRIAL STAKES, of £120; five, furlongs.—Craiglea 8.8, Very Happy 8.8, Racewell 8.8, Turncoat 8.8, Mosgiel 8.8, Annandale 8.8, Ageratum 8.8, Great Night 8.8, The Dictator 8.8, Valencia 8.8, The Raker 8.8, Homing 8.8, Pink Gauntlet 8.8, Midgard 8.8, Johnemby 8.8, Rosaleen Dhu 8.8, Maxina 8.8, Silver Don 8.8, Lady Don 8.8, Neptune 8.8, Pink Coat—Pakiteri f. 8.8, Gay Hussar 8.8, Lady Constant 8.8, Irish Colleen 7.11, Highland Dance 7.11, Mylora 7.11, Confidant 7.11, Scarteen 7.11.

Ferriby 7.0.

3.0—WAITAKI HACK HANDICAP, of f130; seven furlongs.—Flame Queen 9.0, 0 On Call 8.11, Rebellion 8.10, Twetny Grand 8.8, Rebel Queen 8.3, Prince Ruenalf 7.13, Gusterina 7.10, Pink Lad 7.9, Doctor Duthie 7.8, Blazealong 7.8, Queen Beth 7.8, Mosgiel 7.7, Passenger 7.7, Improvident 7.7, Cymric 7.7, Scarteen 7.7, Racewell 7.7, Cymric 7.7, Scarteen 7.7, 4.10—FLYING HANDICAP of 6.775.

Epic 7.0, Silver Slipper 7.0.

4.50—FAREWELL HACK HANDICAP, of £125; six furlongs.—Astaire 8.9, Lord Midas 8.6, Miltiades 8.6, Withdrawal 8.3, Lockit 8.3, Hostis 8.2, St. Cloud 7.13, Gold Don 7.9, Tantivy 7.9, Blue Coat 7.9, Queen Beth 7.8, Neptune 7.7, Crack o'Dawn 7.7, Craiglea 7.7, Gay Hussar 7.7, Midgard 7.7, Great Night 7.7, Rosaleen Dhu 7.7, Ageratum 7.7.

de Volec 8.10. Balinavar 8.2, Gladynev 7.11, De Friend 7.16, Dictate 7.10, Homily 7.8, Baran 7.4, Our Jean 7.4, Inver 7.0, Gay Broney 7.0, Erlick 7.0, Hutana 7.0, Blonde Princess 7.0.

ROYAL STAKES, of £500; 6 furlongs.—

ROYAL STAKES, of 2500, 9 thirlings.—
Llandoff 8.4, Omapo 8.4, Stylist 8.1, Lou
Rosa 7.13, Doria 7.10, Nightbeam 7.9,
Happicoat 7.8, Phaleron 7.6, Queen City
7.6, Beau Leon 7.6, Grandora 6.13, Kentucky 6.13, Rich Blood 6.13, Sir Cameron 6.13, Harmony 6.10.

BOWEN HANDICAP, of £550; six furlongs.—Orate 9.3, Paper Slipper 9.0, Amigo 8.12, Farland 8.11, Brunhild 8.1, Arvakur 7.13, Jack Tar 7.11, Bachelor King 7.9, Orwere 7.9, Te Monowai 7.7, Bronze Moth 7.2, Olympus 7.2, Aero King 7.0, Anlon 7.0, Miss Te Koura 7.0, Blonde Princess 7.0.

Frincess 7.0.

GREY HANDICAP, of £350; one mile.

Royal Message 8.13, Tea Gong 8.12,
Vaalsstar 8.8, Princess Val 8.8, May Song 8.7, Melvanui 8.7, Serenata 8.6, Loombination 7.0.

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GREY HANDICAP, of £350; one mile.

Postage 1.3, Tea Gong 8.12,
Vaalsstar 8.8, Princess Val 8.8, May Song 8.7, Melvanui 8.7, Serenata 8.6, Loombination 8.5, Spinning Wheel 8.3, Starbingth 8.3, Beverley 7.9, Hunting Bee 7.8,
Royal Son 7.7, Bide-a-Wee 7.7, Hackenschmidt 7.7, Royal Huntress 7.7, Philemup 7.7, Karatoki 7.7, Milanion 7.7, Te Kawiti 7.7.

"Daily Mail" Special Service. AUCKLAND, Jan. 1.
Good fields are carded for the concluding day of the Auckland Racing Club's summer meeting at Ellerslie to-morrow. Horses likely to be well supported include:

Sylvia Handicap: Marshall Hall, Royal Descent, Beau Leon.

Nathans' Memorial Handicap: Baran, Gladynev, Our Jean. Royal Stakes: Queen City, Lou Rosa, Doria.

Bowen Handicap: Arvakur, Orwere,

COMPETITION

Tournament

In fine weather the New Year tournament of the Hawke's

and the draw was made in four sections.

each with 3 wins. Play will be continued on the same greens to-day, when

some changes in the position of teams are expected.

CENTRAL HAWKE'S BAY

DEFEATED HOME SIDE WINS

Victory On The First

Innings A first innings victory was registered by the Napier junior cricket representatives in a match played against Central Hawke's Bay at Nelagainst Central Hawke's Bay at Neisson Park, Napier, yesterday. Brilliant weather prevailed and the home eleven, winning the toss, had first use of the wickets which favoured the batsmen.

Napier, first innings, 238 (G. Stanford 28, Clement 34, McGavin 111 not out. A. Smale took five for 43). Central Hawke's Bay, first innings 110 (A. Smale 34 not out. Robertson 34. F. Wilson four for 20. Dunn three for 39). In their second strike Central Hawke's Bay had lost six for 84 at stumps (S. Smale 20. T. Spencer 18. Dunn two for 16).

WATERSIDE WORKERS' RATES OF PAY

Minister's Visit

VISITING RINKS AT

HASTINGS

Bowling On Heretaunga

Greens Interesting games were witnessed Interesting games were witnessed on Saturday when two rinks from Waipawa visited the Heretaunga Bowling Club. Results were: Heretaunga (Giles, Maulder, Jenkinson, Maher), 31; Waipawa (Petherick, Lassen, Ireland, Petherick), 11.

The final game of the Boxing Day tournament was also played, between teams skipped by Maher (Heretaunga) and Petherick (Waipawa), resulting in a win for the former.

former. Presenting the prizes to the winners the president (Mr Harvey) expressed his regret that rinks would ners on their success.

The following games were played during the week and on Saturday on the Heretaunga Club's Emmett, Dykes, Kavanagh, McLeay (s) 19, Wiig, Sinclair, Marroft, Logan (s) 21.
Gibson, Ayres, Riddell, Briasco (s) 23, Mercer, White, Clegg, Pirie (s) 4day on the Heretaunga Club's greens:—
Heretaunga: Timms, Powdrell, Hickmott, Collinge, 23; Waipawa: Kingston, Harker, Fleet, Russell, 16. H. Berry, H. Hounsell, W. Berry, Martin, 21; P. Thomas, Jones, Kes-

> E. Hounsell, Walker, Jolly, Ellis, 27; Daines, McQuire, Warren, Rowands, 21. Little, Brooker, Lynch, 24; Wells jun., Kenyon, Proffitt, 16. Paynter, Webber, Usherwood, Drury, 28; Nielsen, Ward, Newton, Burfield, 14.

Burfield, 14.

A. Hounsell, Gray, P. Thomas, Drury, 20; Ward, Lynch, Burfield, Burfield, jun., 15.

E. Hounsell, Baillie, Powdrell, Maher, 21; Nielsen, Usherwood, Evison, Burge, 14.

Walker, Paul, Warren, Englebretson, 22; Daines, Webber, Ellis, Rowlands, 18.

MEETING

Favoured with brilliant weather, the Hawke's Bay Lawn Tennis Club is well ahead in its annual New Year tournament at present being played on the club's courts at Marewa, Napier. The entries are considerably lower than in past years, but the standard of play is well up to that of previous tournaments and some exciting matches should be witnessed in the championship finals which will be contested to-day. Despite the dry weather, the lawn courts are in good condition and conducive to fast play.

Detailed results of matches

Detailed results of matches played on the opening day on Saturday and yesterday are as follows:—

Singles

D. Clow beat R. B. Abbott 6-1, 6-1; V. Hill beat MacDonald 7-5, 6-1; R. Fullerton beat M. R. Best 6-4, 6-4; R. G. Lynn beat F. W. Forbes by default; R. A. Lawer beat P. Watson 6-3, 10-8; Fullerton beat J. N. Lowry 7-5, 7-5; Clow beat V. Hill 6-0, 6-1; L. Best beat I. D. Mackay 8-6, 6-4; R. T. Colthart beat R. Hill by default; L. Best beat C. H. Rathbone 6-1, 6-1; R. Pender beat J. Logan 6-0, 6-1; Lawer beat Pender 7-5, 6-4; R. Fullerton beat Colhart 6-4, 6-2. Singles

Doubles

and Paisley (recd. 5/6) beat Alex ander and Carter (recd. 4/6) 11-9 MIXED HANDICAP DOUBLES C. H. Tait and Mrs Tait (recd. 15, 2/6) beat J. Logan and Mrs Symes (recd. 2/6) 11-6; MacDonald and Mrs MacDonald (owe 15) beat V. Hill and Mrs R. H. Milburn (owe 30, 2/6) 11-7; MacDonald and Mrs MacDonald beat D. F. Edmundson and Mrs MacDonald cover (recd. 4/6) 11-7; and Miss McLeay (recd. 4/6) 11.7; R. Fullerton and Miss Humphries (owe 15) beat D. Lynn and Miss J. Cornford (recd 15, 5/6) 11-9; W.

Napier Defence

Series

tice of the third series for the club championship. The conditions will be seven shots at 300, 500 and 600 yards. Shooting will begin at 2 p.m. sharp. The handicaps are as follows:—

WYNDHAM CUP WON

BAY DUKE'S SPRINT

Totalisator Decline Of

BY DOUBLEACK

£6201/10/-By Telegraph-Press Association. INVERCARGILL, Jan. 1. The Wyndham Racing Club's annual meeting was held to-day in showery weather. The track was in good order and there was a large attendance. Loyal Emblem, the winner of the Diggers' Trot paid a win dividend of over a century and a third. The totalisator handled £15,999 against £22,200 10/- last year, a decrease of £6201 10/-.

The results are:-TRIAL PLATE, Of £120; 5 furlongs.

Also started: 1-1 Wild Career 7.10, 2-2 Mona's Song 7.9, 6-6 Chirp 7.3, 5-4 Merry March 7.11. One and a half lengths; half. Wild Career was fourth. Time, 2.6.

MIMIHAU HACK HANDICAP, Of £150; 6 furlongs. 1-2—**ĶING GUSTAVO**, 8.8 (J. W. Jennings) 3-3—MONDELLO, 8.3 (J. Dooley) 6-6—VERDURE, 8.1 (H. Phillips) Also started: 4-4 Sea Lady 8.6, 5-5 Prince Flaneur 8.2, 2-1 Gold Robe 8.2. Length; two and a half. Sea Lady was fourth. Time, 1.14.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP, Of £200; 6 furlongs. 2-4-BAY DUKE, 7.13 car. 7.8 (L. Hare) 4-3—PHALANX, 8.3 (H. Phillips) 3-2—FLAGMAN, 7.12 car. 7.5 (J. L.

Clutterbuck) 3
Also started: 1-1 Top Row 9.7, 5-5
Rodeur 8.10 car. 8.7, 6-6 Viking 7.12.
Three-quarters of a length; one. Time
1.13 2-5. NEW YEAR HANDICAP, Of £130; 6 furlongs. 2-2—PINK BOND, 8.3 (J. W. Jennings)
2-2—ISLAY DOWNS, 8.10 (J. Dooley)
1-1—SOUTHERN SAIL, 7.7 car. 7.4 (W. F. Ellis) (W. F. Ellis) 3
The first and second horses were coupled on the tote. Also started: 4-4
Asia 9.0, 5-5 Moonraider 8.6, car 7.13, 3-5 Remembo 8.4, 6-6 Red Feather 7.7.

Length; length and a half. Asia was fourth. Time, 1.13.

VISITORS' HIGHWEIGHT,

Of £150; 8½ furlongs.

HEIDELBERG, 9.11 (C. Lowe)1
HATUA RERE, 9.3 (H. Anderton)
HORD PUCK, 9.8 (W. Shand)

Also started: 4 Ardmayle 9.0. Two lengths; length. Time, 1.50 4-5. Our New Zealand industries now cover most of the necessaries and some of the luxuries of life. Especisome of the luxuries of life. Especially is Maoriland becoming noted for the splendid tobacco grown and manufactured in the Dominion by the National Tobacco Company Ltd. (the pioneers of the tobacco industry in New Zealand). Connoisseurs think so highly of the Company's goods that the latter are now regarded as the purest in the world. How has this come about? It is largely owing to the toasting of the tobacco, which not only eliminates tobacco, which not only eliminates the nicotine but vastly improves the flavour and aroma. It is worthy of with a stationary taxi-cab in the square, Havelock North, last even-The rider was admitted to the Memorial Hospital, Hastings, with concussion and burns received, although the flames were quickly smothered. His condition, according to a report late last night, is serious.

The impact was severe, and both vehicles were extensively damaged.

There is no other tobacco of which that can be said. Ask any tobacconist for one or other of the following (according to taste): "Riverhead Gold" and "Desert Gold" (Call. Toko Highweight: Clessamor, Prince Rangi, Lickem. (Mild), "Navy Cut" or "Cavendish" (Mild) to the following (according to taste): "Riverhead Gold" and "Desert Gold" (Call. Toko Highweight: Clessamor, Prince Rangi, Lickem. (Maponga Hack: Chief Lord, Gold Dale, Val Pere.

Footloose Easily Wins

STRATFORD CUP.
Of £600; 1½ miles.
6-6—NOTIUM, 7.9 car. 7.13 (L. Du-

By Telegraph—Press Association.

NEW PLYMOUTH, Jan. 1.

The acceptances for the Stratford Racing Club's second day are:

Noon—MAKURA HURDLES HANDI-CAP, of £180; 1½ miles.—Disturbed 11.1, Primak 10.4, Lady Jim 9.12, Taitoru 9.10, Centaurus 9.6, Bay Dawn 9.0, Mal de Mer 12.45—CARDIFF HACK HANDICAP, of

2.15—1E KAPUA HACK CUP, OI 1250; nine furlongs.—Prime Quality 8.13, Race-camp 8.13, Nereus 8.11, Kilometre 8.8, Chief Lord 8.6, Ramleh 8.3, Tane Ma-hotu 7.8, Sieglinde 7.2, Dawn Star 7.0, Leighon Rei 7.0. 3.0-MALONE MEMORIAL HANDI-

3.45—ELECTRIC JUVENILE HANDI-CAP, of £160; five furlongs.—Ringling 9.11, Brahman 8.1, Radio Call 7.8, Sten-cil 7.7, Lucky Lulu 7.6, Alexcelia 7.0.

Makura Hurdles: Lady Jim, Disturbed.
Cardiff Hack: Young Charles, Mahaina, Silver Gift.
Ngaere Handicap: Lexden, Brazen Bold, Tosh. Hack Cup: Nereus, Prime Quality,

By Telegraph-Press Association.

Malone Memorial: Bronze Step, Notium.

Electric Juvenile: Ringling, Radio Call.

Toko Highweight: Clessamor, Prince Rangi, Lickem.

SYLVIA HANDICAP, of £400; five furlongs.—Dorla 9.0, Nightbeam 8.12, Royal Descent 8.11, Dinky Di 8.7, Calula Boy 8.1, Beau Leon 7.13, Marshall Hall 7.11 Onetea 7.9, Mysito 7.1, Sure Pay 7.0 Maori Star 7.0. NATHANS' MEMORIAL HANDICAP, of £1000; 1½ miles.—Sly Fox 8.11, Cheval

HAWKESBURY HANDICAP.

OAMARU SUMMER

CLIFFORD PLATE, of £750; 11 miles.
—Beaupartir 9.0, Royevrus 9.0, Homily
8.11, Beaulivre 8.2, Beau Vite 8.2.

PROSPECTS FOR TO-DAY

Goodwood Handicap: Disdain, Paddy the Rip, Full Hand. Auckland Hurdles: Lapidarian, Hopa-

Clifford Plate: Beaulivre.

Grey Handicap: Serenata, Starbright,

NEW YEAR RACE CARNIVALS IN FULL SWING

BEAU VITE DEFEATS **BEAULIVRE**

Keen Racing At Hastings

FAVOURITES GENERALLY FARE BADLY

General Totalisator Declines

Throughout New Zealand on Saturday and yesterday New Year race meetings were in full swing. There were many surprise successes recorded, but one of the most striking features of the holiday racing was the general decline in totalisator turnovers.

At Hastings on Saturday the main events for the opening day of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club went to the Green-meadows gelding Granvale and to Sternchase, who carries the colours of Mr G. D. Beatson, president of the club. The meeting concluded yesterday, when the victors in the chief races were the Gisborne gelding Gay Mimic and the local sprinter Solaria.

The sensation of the third day of the Auckland Racing Club's summer meeting was the defeat of Beaulivre in the G.N. Derby by Beau Vite. It was Beaulivre's first defeat in his last 12 starts. Royal Appellant prevailed in the A.R.C. Handicap from the dead-heaters Catalogue and De Friend.

Proclamation won a double at Tauherenikau, where Globe Trotter won the Wairarapa Cup. Windsor Chief surprised by lifting the Marton Cup, while Notium, generally regarded as a sprinter, won the Stratford Cup.

JUVENILE HANDICAP, Of £100; 5 furlongs (two-year-olds). 1-KADINA, K. Watson's b f by Croupier—Calorina, 8.2 (B. H. Morris)

WAIPATU HANDICAP,
Of £100; 9 furlongs.

KOBI, F. Ormond's b c by Bulandshar—Lucinette, 3yrs, 8.8
cap. 8.3 (J. Campbell)

MORNING FLIGHT, 9.0 (O.

3-LINDRUM, 8.11 (C. P. Sheild)

Also started: 4 The Ring 8.4 and Red Shoes 7.7 car. 7.0, 6 Kalika 8.0, 2 Classical 7.12, 9 Greyhound 7.7, 7 Regale 7.7 car. 7.0, 8 Tidal Lass 7.7 car 7.2. Two length; one and a half. Classical was fourth. Time, 1.53 3-5.

Tidal Lass set a strong pace for six furlongs, being attended to the turn by Lindrum, The Ring and Kobi. The leaders were stopping badly when Kobi dashed through at the distance and he put the issue beyond doubt in a few strides. Morning Flight finished strongly on the outside for second from Lindrum, Classical and The Ring.

SECOND DAY

JANUARY HANDICAP, Of £100; 6 furlongs.

-INHERITANCE, D. M. Doug-las's b g by Posterity—Genesta, 6yrs, 8.0 (R. Marsh) -FLYING FLAG, 8.7 car. 8.4 (L.

Cullen) TAHARAKAU, 9.0 car. 8.9 (J.

1—SMALL BOY, 11.6 (E. A.

5—ARABIC, 9.2 (J. Dooley)

2—DIANA TETRIX, 8.9 (S. Ander-

Also started: 4 Anini 9.7, 3 Royal pades 9.2. Two lengths; two and a alf. Royal Spades was fourth. Time,

HOFFIS)
2-KINARIKI, 7.7 (R. Marsh)
3-PEATA, 8.4 (R. G. Howell)

regarded as a sprinter, won the Stratford Cup.

KEEN RACING AT **HASTINGS**

GRANVALE AND GAY MIMIC WIN

SOLARIA IN FORM

Totalisator Decline Of £5026/10/-

BY MOTUROA.

Favoured by two glorious days the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's summer meeting was held at Hastings on Saturday and yesterday. However in keeping with most other clubs in the Dominion there was an appreciable falling off in the attendance and, as the result, the totalisator showed a decrease on last year's figures. However, the theeting was undoubtedly a highly successful one from a sporting aspect and on both days patrons were treated to keen racing and fine finishes.

The track was fast on both days and was, if anything, a trifle hard yesterday for the second day of the meeting. However, the course was in wonderful order and the tracks and surroundings have never looked

On the first day the totalisator turnover was £11,277 10/- compared with £12,765 10/- last year, a decrease of £1488. Yesterday the turnover was £12,568 as against £16,125 10/- last year, a decrease of £3538 10/-. The total for the meeting was £23,864 10/- compared with £28,891 last year, a decrease of £5026 10/-.

The secretary (Mr A. E. Wishart) and his staff had everything up to the moment and the meeting went off with a swing, favourable comment being made regarding the promptness with which the totalisator was closed. On both days the meeting was concluded strictly to scheduled time. scheduled time.

An inquiry was held into the alleged interference with Harina by Nelumbo in the Matapiro Hack Flying, but, after hearing the evidence no further action was taken. The following are the details of the vacing. the racing:-

FIRST DAY

HASTINGS MAIDEN HANDICAP Of £100; 5% furlongs (all 8.7) E-TAHARAKAU, H. Maude's blk g by Hunting Song—Accumu-lation. 4yrs (J. Campbell) 4—FLYING FLAG (L. Cullen) 3—HINERANGI (O. Evans)

Also started: 12 Tractive, 11 Fasolt, 13 Arachne, 6 Inheritance, 10 Bold Bruce, 8 Jungle King and Hunting Dawn, 7 Golden Melody, 9 Hyderabad, 5 Rivertide, 1 Charles Edward. Two lengths; neck. Rivertide was fourth.

Charles Edward was the first to move, but Taharakau soon went to the front. He was never headed and he won easily from Flying Flag, who just held Hinerangi off. Rivertide was placed fourth ahead of Charles Edward, who appeared to be third.

OTATARA HIGHWEIGHT
HANDICAP
Of £100; 1½ miles.

SMALL BOY, E. N. Fitzgerald's
blk g by Psychology—Susan
Lennox, aged, 10.9 (W. E.
Pine)

-HUNTING MOMENTS, 9.11 (S.

3-CHANDLERY, 9.6 (N. Caveney)

Also started: 4 Boatsong 10.8, 5 Oxyopia 9.0, car. 9.2, 7 Smooger 9.0, 6 Dozie Boy 9.0. A neck; three lengths. Dozie Boy was fourth. Time, 2.8 3-5. Hunting Moments took over control six furlongs from home, but ran off the course and the favourite Small Boy, who had moved up on the inner, gained the day narrowly. Chandlery struggled on for third from Dozie Boy struggled on for third from Dozie Boy and Boatsong. HAVELOCK FLYING HANDICAP,

Of £100; 6 furlongs.

2—HUI, H. H. Smith's ch f by Gascony — Marion's Birthday, 3yrs, 8.1 (B. H. Morris)

1—DIANA TETRIX, 8.5 (S. Anderson) 8-SILVER BAT, 7.7, car. 7.2 (B.

Also started: 10 Dainty Dell 7.9, 5 Mimicry 7.7, 7 Dainty Sheila 7.7 car. 7.2, 3 Royal Spades 7.7, 9 Imogen 7.7, 4 Plenteous 7.7 car. 7.1½, 6 Charles Edward 7.7 car. 7.0. Two lengths; four. Dainty Sheila was fourth. Time, 1.14 1-5.

Diana Tetrix endeavoured to make play all the way, but Hui, ridden in behind for a change, was never far away. She ran past Diana Tetrix half way down the straight and won easily. Silver Bat, who had a very poor run throughout the race, was quite a good third from Dainty Sheila, Royal Spades, and Mimicry.



CLASSICAL returned to the winning list to score narrowly in the Omahu Hack Handicap at Hastings yesterday.

Silver Bat 7.7, 5 Mimicry 7.7, 6 Plenteous 7.7, 8 Tidal Lass 7.7 car. 7.6, 9 Queen Ila 7.7 car. 8.34. A nose; two lengths. Hui was fourth. Time, 1.13. Nelumbo scored a well overdue win, leading from end to end. The hot favourite, Harina, attended her throughout and they were followed into the straight by Mimicry, Silver Bat (who had been left more than half a dozen lengths) and Diana Tetrix, the last-named having had a very rough passage. Nelumbo hung on very badly on to Harina in the run home, but she responded gamely under pressure to win by the shortest of margins. Diana Tetrix came home well for third from Hui (who was never dangerous) and Mimicry.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP, Of £175; 9 furlongs.

GAY MIMIC, F. Tolerton's ch g by Mimetic—Princess Nata, 5yrs, 7.13, car. 7.8 (J. Campbell)

bell)

—YOGI, F. Ormond's br g by
Beau Pere—Prestige, 3yrs, 7.11
car. 7.4 (S. Parramore)

—LINDRUM, T. White's b g by
Siegfried—Tale Teller, 5yrs, 7.6
(J. Forsyth)

3—LINDRUM, T. White's b g by Siegfried—Tale Teller, 5yrs, 7.6 (J. Forsyth) ... 3

Also started: 5 Hunting Cat 9.0, 4 Granvale 8.6, 6 Solaria 7.8. Three lengths, a neck. Solaria was fourth. Time, 1.53 4.5.

Gay Mimic ran true to form in scoring very decisively but the luck was certainly his way as several of the runners were shockingly ridden. Solaria made the early running from Gay Mimic, Yogi and Lindrum. Yogi was pulling double down the back and Hunting Cat ran up fast on the outer, Yogi going back to last. Gay Mimic was taken through to the lead at the half mile and he showed the way into the straight from Hunting Cat and Solaria, with Yogi making a fast run on the outside. Gay Mimic shook off Hunting Cat and was never seriously threatened from that stage. Yogi ridden right out just took second money from Lindrum, who made a dab on the rails. Solaria was next and well clear of Hunting Cat.

NURSERY HANDICAP, Of filo; 5 furlongs (for two-year-olds) 3—FLYING SPY, R. Gregory's rn f by Hunting Song—Lady Spy, 8.5 (A. Gregory) ... 1
4—CHABLIS, 7.9 (R. G. Howell) 2—KADINA, 8.13 (J. Hayes) ... 3

Also started: 2 Kinariki 7.12, 6
Grand Chase 7.9, 5 Barbara Millar 7.7,

NEW YEAR HANDICAP, Of £175; 1½ mHes.

5—GRANVALE, I. R. Jeffares's ch g by Grandcourt—Valley Rose, aged, 7.3, car. 7.7 (N. Caveney) 1

4—YOGI, F. Ormond's br g by Beau Pere—Prestige, 3yrs, 7.0 S. Parramore) 2

3—GAY MIMIC, F. Tolerton's ch g by Mimetic—Princess Nata, 5 yrs, 7.8 (O. Evans) 3.

Also started: 1 Hunting Cat 8.11, 6 Le Toquet 7.0 car. 7.2½ Lady Chat 7.0 car. 7.2½ Half a head; a head. Le Toquet was fourth. Time, 2.6 3-5.

Granvale staged a splendid finishing run to win narrowly for he was last into the straight. Lady Chat made all the running but the field was never far away and Gay Mimic and Yogi were in close attendance. Lady Chat stopped to a walk and Gay Mimic had taken charge at the distance, where Yogi was challenging strongly. Yogi had just gone into the lead 50 yards off the post when Granvale flashed up on the outside to win narrowly from Yogi and Gay Mimic. Le Toquet was right up with them in fourth place.

JUVENILE HANDICAP, Of £100: 5 furlongs (two-year-olds) 4—CHABLIS, 7.9 (R. G. Howell) 2
1—KADINA, 8.13 (J. Hayes) ... 3
Also started: 2 Kinariki 7.12, 6
Grand Chase 7.9, 5 Barbara Millar 7.7, 6 Isis 7.7, 8 Smoke Trail 7.7 car. 7.10½.
Two lengths; short neck. Barbara Millar was fourth. Time, 1.2 3-5.
Kadina and Kinariki began well and they made the running to the straight from Flying Spy and Isis.
Kinariki ran wide, taking out Isis and Flying Spy came through to head off Kadina off about the distance and she drew right away from the field in the concluding stages. Chablis, who was sixth into the straight, came home fast on the rails for second money, Kadina, Barbara Miller and Isis being practically in line. Kinariki was next.

FLYING HANDICAP, 3—PEATA, 8.4 (R. G. Howell) ... 3
Also started: 4 Black Out 7.12, 5
Lady Garvagh 7.7, 6 Smoke Trail 7.7.
One and a half length each way.
Black Out was fourth. Time, 1.2 3.5.
Beginning smartly Kadina justified
his hot favouritism by winning very
easily. Peata followed Kadina round
the turn, but she gave way to Kinariki in the straight, the latter appearing a little unlucky. Black Out and
Lady Garvagh were next.

STEWARDS' HANDICAP,
Of £150; 6 furlongs.

2—STERNCHASE, G. D. Beatson's
br h by Lord Quex—Enchantment, 4yrs, 8.10 (B. H. Morris) 1
3—OKAWA, 9.0 car. 8.7 (R. G.
Howell)

FLYING HANDICAP,
Of £150; 6 furlongs.

5—SOLARIA, M. Lane's ch g by
Gainscourt—Sundew, aged, 8.1
car 7.8 (L. S. Deeley)
1—ENDORSEMENT, 8.6 car. 8.3 Also started: 2 Okawa 8.13 car. 8.6, Nora Gregor 8.6 car 8.3, 1 Tableau 7.3 (bracketed with Endorsement), 6 Charing Cross 7.0. Two lengths; a leck. Tableau was fourth. Time, 1.14 Endorsement began specifications of the control of t

Howell)

1—NORA GREGOR, 8.10 car. 8.5
(J. Campbell)

Also started: 4 Solaria 8.8 car. 8.1, 5 Tableau 7.12. Solaria was fourth. One and a half lengths; two and a half. Time, 1.14 4-5.

Nora Gregor set a strong pace from Solaria and Sternchase and there was no alteration in the order until well into the straight. Nora Gregor began to stop before the distance was reached and Sternchase came through it to win decisively from Okawa who finished better than Nora Gregor. Tableau was a bad last.

WAIPATU HANDICAP, Endorsement began smartly but was checked at the end of a furlong where Nora Gregor raced through to the front from Solaria. Okawa and Tableau. Except that Hui moved up fast on the turn there was no alteration to the straight. Nora Gregor was the first beaten and Solaria went into the lead, with Endorsement coming through on the fence. Solaria appeared to come across the favourite about 100 yards off the post but he finished strongly to win well. Hui was right up with Endorsement and they were clear of Tableau and Charing Cross. Okawa appeared to break down in the straight.

OMAHU HACK HANDICAP,

OMAHU HACK HANDICAP, Of £100; 9 furlongs.

Of 1100; 9 furiongs.

2—CLASSICAL, R. H. W. Holden's b m by Siegfried-Polonaise, 4yrs 7.11 (S. Anderson)

6—DAINTY SHEILA, 7.7 car. 7.0 (P. Fenton)

2
3—LINDRUM, 8.12 (C. P. Sheild) 3 Also started: 1 Morning Flight 9.5, Boatsong 8.11 car. 8.6, 9 Red Shoes .7 car. 7.0, 7 Kalika 7.11, 8 Flying Flag 7.7 car. 7.6, 10 Regale 7.7 car. .0, 5 Hinerangi 7.7, 11 Tidal Lass .7, car 7.0. Nose; three-quarters. dorning Flight was fourth, Time 1.55

Morning Flight was fourth. Time 1.55
4-5.
Dainty Sheila led out of the
straight, but Tidal Lass then took
over control to show the way down
the back from Dainty Sheila, Flying
Flag, Lindrum, Hinerangi, Morning
Flight and Kalika. Classical made a
smart move half a mile from home
and she was with Dainty Sheila, just
in behind Tidal Lass and Flying Flag,
as the field straightened up. Classical was in front half way down the
running, but Dainty Sheila finished
fast and just failed to get the verdict.
Lindrum, who has had to pull out
from the fence to the outer, was
right up with them in third place,
with Morning Flight, Tidal Lass, Flying Flag and Boatsong next.

NEW YEAR RACING IN AUSTRALIA

United Press Association-Copyright. (Received 9.30 p.m., Jan. 1) SYDNEY, Jan. 1. The following are the results of the nain events at Randwick races to-day:

CARRINGTON STAKES.

I.15.
Inheritance began well from Flying Flag, and they made all the running being followed into the straight by Taharakau and Jungle King. The pacemakers had the finish all to themselves and Inheritance, ridden right out, just kept Flying Flag at bay. Taharakau was just a fair third from Rivertide, with Golden Melody and Tide following. Fasolt was slowly away. DELMESTER (Davidson)
TALKALOT (Riddle)
PETRUCHIO (Fellows) AOTEA HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP,
Of £100; 1½ miles.
2—HUNTING MOMENTS, J. M.
Paul's b m by Hunting Song—
Mon Mint, 4yrs, 10.2 (S. Anderson) Also started. Two lengths. Half a eck. Time, 1.10½.

DENMAN HANDICAP. One and a-quarter miles.

 SEDENUM, 9.4 (Munro)
 1

 BINNIA HERO, 8.1 (Darke)
 2

 OLD ROWLEY, 8.10 (Cook)
 3

 Eleven started. Half a length each way. Time, 2.54.
A Melbourne cable states that the results of the Mentone races were as follows:

SUMMER HANDICAP. One and a-quarter miles.

 MACROB, 7.6 (Ralph)
 1

 FRENCH LEGION, 7.11 (Preston)
 4

 BEAUSTONE, 8.5 (Clarton)
 3

Also started: 4 Hui 8.11 car. 8.4, 3 cord.

Globe Trotter's Cup Win

WAIRARAPA RESULTS

Proclamation And Bold Step Succeed

By Telegraph—Press Association. CARTERTON, Dec. 30.

Weather conditions were excellent for Weather conditions were excellent for the first day of the Wairarapa meeting on the Tauherenikau course. The attendance was good, though not up to last year. The totalisator handled £18,614 los, compared with £23759 10s on the same day last year. The flags were flown half mast, the jockeys wearing black arm bands in the Cup in respect for the late Mr J. S. McLeod. The results are:

WAIOHINE STAKES, Of £150; 6 furlongs. 2—NEWBURY QUEEN, 8.7 (W. Jen-Also started: 11 Balgowlah 8.7, 14
Beagle 8.7, 12 Beauly 8.7, 9 Greatford 8.7, 13 Colson Maid 8.7, 4 Cornaro 8.7, 7
Equity 8.7, 10 Kincarole 8.7, 3 Kintyre 8.7, 8 Pillowy 8.7, 16 Pharisee 8.7, 6
Royal Portrait 8.7, 15 St. Grace 8.7.
Equity lost her rider, H. Callender, while 8t. Grace was left at the post. Three lengths; one and a-half. Time, 1.15

PIONEER HANDICAP.

Also started: 6 Tooley Street 9.2 car. 8.11, 3 Jeanne 7.10 car. 7.5, 2 Autolite 7.9 car. 7.10. Head; neck. Time, 1.13. RUSSELL HIGHWEIGHT.
Of £150; 1 mile, 1 furlong and 80 yds.

WAIRARAPA CUP. Of £600; 11 miles. 1-GLOBE TROTTER, 8.2 (W. J. Broughton)
2—SIEGMUND, 9.6
5—RAROTONGA, 7.3 Also started: 3 Haughty Winner 8.4, 4 Trebor 7.12, 8 Kena 7.10, 7 Lord Mou-oa 7.5, 6 Te Ore 7.9, 9 Larwood 7.0. Half a head; a neck. Time, 2.6 4-5.

BIDWELL NURSERY.
Of £200; 5 furlongs.
1—BEAU COUREUR, 8.2 (W. J. Also started: 4 Maharajah 8.5, 5 Taana Pango 8.5, 6 Cicada 8.0, 8 Locrian 7.8, 7 Kehurangi 7.10. WHAREKAKA HACK HANDICAP.

Of £150; 6 furlongs.
2—PROCLAMATION, 8.1 (W. J.

I-5.

WARDELL HANDICAP.

Of £250; 1 mile.

L—BOLD STEP, 7.5 car. 7.3 (R. G.

TAWAHA HACK HANDICAP.

Wairarapa Meeting Concludes

By Telegraph—Press Association. CARTERTON, Jan. 1. CARTERTON, Jan. 1.

The second day of the Wairarapa meeting was held in bright weather. The track was in excellent order. The attendance was good. The totalisator investments for the day were £23,108, compared with £26,228 10s. The total for the meeting was £41,722 10s, against £49,988 for the same meeting last year, a drop of £8265 10s. The results are:

EPATHERISTON HACK

FEATHERSTON HACK, Of £150; seven furlongs -PROCLAMATION, 8.11 car. 8.6 (B. Also started: 1 Counter 8.1, 5 Kehua 7.13, 4 Titter 7.11 car. 7.4, 3 Mother-in-Law 7.11, 10 Gay Artist 7.7, 9 Dark Water 7.7 car. 7.3, 6 Floral Robe 7.7. Two lengths each way. Time, 1.27 3-5.

PIRINOA STAKES. Of £150; six furlongs. S-SKY LIMIT, 9.0 (P. Burgess) ...

MORORA HIGHWEIGHT. Of £150; one mile. Also started: 3 Ruling Star 9.8, 6 Sig-urd 9.2, 7 Etzel 9.0, 5 Pharisee 9.0, 8 Beagle 9.0. Three-quarters of a length; four. Time, 1.39 2-5.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP.
Of £400; nine furlongs and 80 yds. Also started: 3 Colfort 7.11, 5 Galteemoore 7.10, 6 Trebor 7.8, 7 Good Sun 7.2,
8 Lord Moutoa 7.6, 9 Miss Appellant 7.0,
Neck; two lengths. Time, 1.59,
KAIWAIWAI HANDICAP,
Of £150; five furlongs.

-PHALERON SONG, 7.13 (N.

CENTENNIAL HANDICAP.
Of £250; 9 furlongs and 80 yds.
TRENCH LAW, 8.2 car. 7.11 (E. 2 5—WHITE RAJAH, 8.4 car. 7.11 Also started; 2 Pearl of Asia 9.0, 4 Acrobat 8.2 car. 7.11, 6 Larwood 7.8 car. 7.3, Two lengths; a neck. Time, 2.3 WAIHENGA HANDICAP.

-TOOLEY STREET, 8.4 (W. J. GREYTOWN HANDICAP.

WINDSOR CHIEF AT MARTON

SURPRISE IN CUP

Royal Consort And Laughing Lass

By Telegraph—Press Association.

MARTON, Jan. 1.

The track was fast and the weather fine but windy for the first day of the Marton Jockey Club's summer

bringing down Dainty Sue. Alchemic broke a near foreleg and was destroyed. His rider, H. Stewart, was removed to hospital but was not seriously injured. The results are:—

MAIDEN KACE, Of £120; 6 furlongs (all 8.7).
7—BONZE LASS, 8.7 (Parsons).
5—PITMARK, 8.7 (Jenkins)....
8—WAIMUTU, 8.7 (Tattersall)... Also started: 16 Boniden, 11 Israel, 15 Vin Rouge, 1 Moradabad, 2 Kotua, 3 Gay Gipsy, 12 Rollaway, 14 Miss Leighon, 9 The Tryst, 10 Blazing Trail and Kaalooa (bracketed), 6 Parian, 13 Gold Tray, 18 Royal Talkie, 17 Rhodes, 4 Augment. Five lengths; nose. Time, 1.16 1-5.

Of £120; 9 furlongs.
7—HAUPONGI, 10.7 car. 10.92
(Mr F. Calder)
3—JOE LOUIS, 10.4½ (Mr Watson)
5—KOHIKA, 11.3 (Mr Blunden) . . Also started: 6 Lacan 11.1, 2 Ruenzori 10.9, 1 Seyfried 10.9, 10 Great Fair 10.7, 4 Battle Pomp 10.7, 9 Mazy 10.7, 8 Prinihia 10.7. Four lengths; a head. Time, 1.51 4-5.

LADIES' BRACELET,

RATA HURDLES, Of £140; 1½ miles.
—LIMBOHM, 9.6 (C. Kerr) 2-HIGH PEER, 9.6 (P. Jarvis) .. 7—BARON BOLD, 9.0 (B. Cosford) Also started: 1 Esperance Bay 9.11, 5 Forest Glow 9.8, 3 Golden Ridge 9.8, 6 Nigger Mark 9.0. Two lengths each way. Time, 2.44 4-5.

JUVENILE HANDICAP, Of £160; 5 furlongs. -ROYAL CONSORT, 8.6 (B. 1-KING'S MARK, 7.7 (A. Mid-3—LAMBOURN, 7.10 (Parsons) ... Also started: 4 Nationalist 7.10, 5 Sana Lucia 7.7, 6 Triple Crown 7.7. Three-quarters of a length; one and a half. Time, 1.3 1-5.

MARTON CUP, Of £500; 11 miles.

5-COLONEL BOGEY, 7.5 (A. Mid-Also started: 3 The Buzzer 8.12, (Tidewaiter 8.7, 4 Dainty Sue 8.4 (fell) 2 Play On 8.2, 7 Old Surrey 7.10, 1(Alchemic 7.3 (fell), 9 Colibri 7.0. Hal

length; three lengths. Time, 2.9 1-5 RAILWAY HANDICAP, Of £200; 6 furlongs.
-LAUGHING LASS, 8.7 (B. Mor-RUSSIAN BALLET, 8.11 (K.

5—FIRST CHAPTER, 7.0 (W. Also started: 3 The Bigot 7.11, 4
The Smiler 7.0. Three lengths; four.
Time, 1.13 4-5.

NEW YEAR HACK HANDICAP, Of £200; 9 furlongs.

-RENASCOR, 7.9 (Parsons) ...

-BRAZIL, 8.8 (B. Morris) ...

-CHERE AMIE, 7.7 car. 7.3 A. Midwood)

Also started: 2 Red Chief 8.1, 4
Girl Pat 7.11, 3 Thrasos 7.9, 9 Te
Oriko 7.7, 8 Richelieu Pearl 7.7, 5 La
Coquette 7.7, 10 Segra 7.7. Half a
length; a head. Time, 1.55 1-5.

DASH HACK HANDICAP, Of £140; 6 furlongs.

-ROYAL SIGN, 7.9 car. 7.2 (D. Redstone)
1—MILITARY MAID, 7.8 car. 7.3
(W. Stevens)
7—DEBRETTS, 7.7½ (Parsons)

Also started: 2 Scandal 8.11, Vascones 8.1, 8 Hasten 7.8, 6 Vadanoe 7.8, 10 Dynasty 7.7, 11 Kincora 7.7, 12

Other Racing appears on Page 8. Miss Waltarere 7.7, 9 Daregain 7.7, 5 Dark Eagle 7.7. Length; three-quarters of a length. Time, 1.14 2-5.

FIELDS FOR TO-DAY.

The acceptances for the second day of the Marton Jockey Club's meeting are: LADIES' NECKLACE, of £105; nine furlongs.—Haupongi 11.4, Kohika 11.4, Joe Louis 10.12, Lacan 10.12, Battle Pomp 10.8, Baron Bold 10.2, Great Fair 10.7, Prinihla 10.7, Seyfried 10.7.

JUNCTION PLATE, of £140; five fur-ongs.—Wings of Song 9.8, Talenta 7.13, Blazing Trail 7.11, La Coquette 7.11, Goldburn 7.11, Nationalist 7.7. TUTAENUI HACK HURDLES, of £140; bout 1½ miles.—Limbohm 10.4, High Peer 9.12, Esperance Bay 9.10, Golden Ridge 9.8, Baron Bold 9.3, Gold Tray 9.0. WAIROMA HACK HANDICAP, of £140

WAIROMA HACK HANDICAP, of £140; seven furlongs.—Brazil 8.12, Royal Sign 8.1, Bronze Lass 7.10, Hasten 7.8, Vada-nor 7.8, Israel 7.7, Kincora 7.7, Kotua 7.7, La Coquette 7.7, Miss Leighon 7.7, Peach King 7.7, The Tryst 7.7. ALDWORTH STAKES, of £300; nine furlongs.—Lady Montana 8.13, Flammar-on 8.8, Laughing Lass 8.5, Play On 8.1, Old Surrey 7.7, Aurora's Star 7.0, Coli-TELEGRAPH HANDICAP, of £200; six

furlongs.—Russian Ballet 9.2, Duncannon 8.12, Solaria 7.9, Ecstatic 7.8, First Chapter 7.8, The Smiler 7.7. RANGITIKEI HACK CUP, of £275; 14 miles.—Classform 9.4, Hunting Lore 8.1, Renascor 8.0, The Ring 7.10, High Peer 7.7, Colibri 7.4, Caution 7.3, Chere Amie 2.2, Thrasos 7.2, Dynasty 7.0, Segra 7.0, Te Oriko 7.0, Israel 7.0.

FAREWELL HACK HANDICAP, of £140; five furlongs.—Wings of Song 9.2, Scandal 8.9, Gold Chase 8.7, Race Boy 8.4, Pretty Lass 7.13, The Smiler 7.13, Debretts 7.9, Filetto 7.9, Daregain 7.7, Earl's Court 7.7, Kaalooa 7.7, Pas de Cheval 7.7

HORSES IN FORM.

Horses likely to race well are: LADIES' NECKLACE: Kohika, Lacan.



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GREYMOUTH SUMMER MEETING

GAY REBEL WINS

Skyrena And Rebel Chief

By Telegraph-Press Association. GREYMOUTH, Dec. 30.

The Greymouth Jockey Club's meetng opened to-day in fine but overcast weather. There was a large attendance and the track was fast. The totalisator handled £6742 10s, compared with £7175 last year, a decrease of £432 10s. The

> NOVICE STAKES. Of £70; 5% furlongs.

2-SIR FREDERICK, 8.10, car. 8.12 -COMPLEXION, 8.5 (G. Hepburn) 3 Scr.: Ryetown 8.10. Length; one. Time,

> COUNTY HANDICAP. Of £100; one mile.

3-QUEEN LINDA, 8.2 car. 7.11 (C. 1—GARONNE, 8.6 car. 8.9½ (R. Mac-2—PHIL, 8.4 (J. Wadley) 3

Scr.: Bright Prospect, Papernilla. Neck; length. Time, 1.43 1-5. GREYMOUTH CUP. Of £170; 11 miles.

4-GAY REBEL, 8.7 car. 8.9 (R. 3-WAITAKA, 8.3 car. 7.12 (C. Also started: 2 Lady Middleham 8.6, 1

Also started: 2 Lady Middleham 8.6, 1 Shanghai Lily 8.1, 7 Cape Gabo 7.10, 6 Studley Royal 7.9. Half a length; a neck. Metric led to the straight, where he ran wide and Gay Rebel came through on the rails to score a narrow victory from Waitaka, with Metric a neck away third and Cape Gabo a similar distance back. Time, 2.11 2-5. PAROA HANDICAP. Of £90; 6½ furlongs. 6—REBEL CHIEF, 8.8 (J. Wadley) 1 3—PEACOCK, 8.2 car. 7.11 (C. Stokes) 2

SKYRENA, 7.13 car. 8.2 (M. Hol-

MINERS' HACK HANDICAP. Of £90; 65 furlongs. -PHILIBUN, 9.2 car. 8.9 (M. Hol-

BRIGHT PROSPECT, 8.2 car. 7.11

BRUNNER HANDICAP. Of £90; 7 furlongs. SKYRENA, 8.12 car. 8.5 (M. Hol-4-WAITAKA, 8.10 car. 8.5 (C. Stokes)

GREYMOUTH MEETING POSTPONED

Scr.: Cape Gabo, Potent, Peacock, Gar-onne. Head; half a length. Time, 1.27

Second Day To Be Held To-day

By Telegraph—Press Association. GREYMOUTH, Jan. 1. The Greymouth Jockey Club's meeting, which was postponed from to-day on count of bad weather conditions, will be concluded to-morrow. The acceptances are:

12.35-TRIAL STAKES, of £70; 51 fur-12.55—FIRIAL STAKES, 0f £70; 5½ fur-longs.—Sir Frederick 9.6, Rye Town 8.10, Madame Eglantine 8.10, Muriet 8.10, Royal Lassie 8.10, Royal Rank 8.10, Shin-ing Wings 8.5, Complexion 8.5, Jocanta 8.5.

1.55-KETTLE MEMORIAL CUP, of 1150; one mile.—Gay Rebei 9.4, Skyrena 3.7, Waltaka 8.6, Lady Middleham 8.4, Roy Bun 8.3, Shanghai Lily 7.13, Flame Queen 7.12, Aggravate 7.10, Cape Gabo 1.10, Studley Royal 7.6, Potent 7.3, Metric 1.1, Windward 7.0, Jan Ridd 7.0.

2.35—BLAKETOWN HACK HANDI-CAP, of £95; 6½ furlongs.—Garonne 9.0, Queen Linda 8.13, Phil 8.8, Bright Prospect 8.3, Lady Magellan 7.12, St. Cedric 7.11, Sir Frederick 7.11, Jed Forest 7.10, Rye Town 7.8, Ngaitama 7.7. 3.15—ELECTRIC HANDICAP, of £90; 5½ furlongs.—Skyrena 9.3, Paper Note 8.11, Philibun 8.10, Peacock 8.5, Flame Queen 8.4, Papernilla 7.9, Miss Tasta 7.7, Jed Forest 7.7, Jan Ridd 7.7.

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7. Noyal Spades was fourth. Time, v. 2.7.3-5.

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MATAPIRO FLYING HANDICAP, Of £100; 6 furlongs.

7.—NELUMBO, J. M. Cameron's b m by Hunting Song—Egyptian Flower, 6yrs, 8.3 (R. Marsh) . 1 1.—HARINA, 8.5 car. 7.12 (R. G. Howell) Seven started. half a neck; two and a-half lengths. Time, 2.5.

SORRENTO HANDICAP.
Six furlongs. JUNCTION PLATE: Wings of Song, Talenta.

TUTAENUI HURDLES: Limbohm, High Peer.
WAIROMA HACK: Brazil, Royal Sign. ALDWORTH STAKES: Laughing Lass, Flammarion.

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Flammarion.

TELEGRAPH HANDICAP: Duncannon, Russian Ballet.

HACK CUP: Hunting Lore, Classform.

FAREWELL HACK: Wings of Song or Gold Chase, The Smiler.

5.15—WALTON MEMORIAL HANDICAP; OAP, of £100; 6½ furlongs.—Rebel Chief 9.2, Skyrena 9.2, Wine Card 8.11, Philibun 8.10, Waitaka 8.9, Paper Note 8.8, Aggravate 8.5, Peacock 8.5, Flame Queen 8.4, Potent 7.13, Studley Roval 7.7.

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RAPAEA.—On December 31, 1939, at Hastings, Taki H. Rapaea, dear-ly beloved husband of Whaitini Puhara Rapaea; aged 40 years.

ALLOM.—On December 30, 1939, at Hastings, Annie Macfarlane, widow of the late Gerald Sanderson Allom. Private interment took place at Park Island cemetery on January 1st, 1940.

MORRIS.—On December 31, 1939, at Waipukurau, Andrew, beloved son of Mrs and the late John Morris; aged 52 years.

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