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ROME'S VIEWS ON BRENNER **CONFERENCE**

Peace The Great Objective

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On arrival at Brennero, a small village at the Brenner Pass, yesterday, Signor Mussolini and Hitler immediately conferred alone in one of the coaches of Signor Mussolini's train. The blinds of the coach were drawn to ensure complete privacy. Von Ribbentrop, the Nazi Foreign Minister, and Count Ciano, the Italian Foreign Minister, talked in an adjoin-

At 1 p.m. Hitler's train left for Berlin, and Signor Musso-lini departed for Rome a quarter of an hour later. The Rome radio, in an English broadcast last night, gave

the first Italian comment on the Brennero meeting.

"It is absurd for Nazi Germany to deceive herself into thinking that she can influence Italy's freedom of policy or action," said the broadcaster. Later the Rome radio, referring to foreign reports in connection with the Brennero meeting and with Mr Welles's European mission, said: "It is only natural that there should be rumours about a concrete peace initiative owing to the general desire for a return to normal conditions, but the mere cessation of hostilities is not enough to create peace. There are numerous problems which must

> NOT ONE WORD DIVULGED

BRENNER TALKS

Conversations Were

Cordial

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"What Il Duce and Hitler discuss-

ed for two and a-half hours of cor-dial conversation is still a matter for conjecture," said a radio an-

To conjecture," said a radio announcer this morning.

This goes for the world, but it does not prevent a mass of speculation which ignores the fact that it is very unlikely that either Mussolini or Hitler divulged every part of the conversation.

peace could possibly be concluded at least occupied part of the discus-

Turret

GENERAL'S DEATH

Served In Great War

At Dardanelles

DISTINGUISHED CAREER

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LONDON, March 19.

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The death has occurred of Lieutenant-General Sir Arthur Hunter-Weston. He fell from a 50-foot turret up which he climbed daily for exercise.

Lieut.-General Hunter-Weston had

had a notable career as a soldier, serving in various military expedi-tions before the Boer War, and in

tions before the Boer War, and in that war taking part in many operations, earning the D.S.O. at Pretoria. In the Great War he served first in Flanders and later commanded the 29th Division at the landing at Cape Helles, Dardanelles, which achievement earned him promotion He later served in France and was mentioned in dispatches 10 times

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QUIET WEDDING FOR

GRACIE FIELDS

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the home of the bride's parents,

HOLLYWOOD, March 18.

ROME, March 19.

"One thing is certain: Il Duce more than any other European statesman represents the determination of a Europe that does not want to die. He also represents a Government which, while ready for war, yet sees in the defence of peace an objective as great as warlike preparations."

The official German news agency, in a statement last night, gave no details of the Brenner Pass meeting, but referred to "the Western Powers' lack of understanding of Nazism and Fascism, as shown by foreign speculation about the meeting." STILL A CLOSE

It added that England and France still did not understand Hitler's speech which defined the principles of Germany's attitude in the present conflict

"British Rejection"

"The enemy's plutocratic statesmen brutally rejected this last word of the Fuhrer's while simultaneously proclaiming their own criminal war aims," said the announcer. "Since then the situation between

"Since then the situation between the Western Powers and the German Reich they attacked have become completely clear."

A later Berlin radio broadcast said: "The world's Press assumes that the Fuhrer and Signor Mussoliai met to consider peace proposals, but this is not so. The world's Press still does not understand that the Fuhrer has decided to wage the the Fuhrer has decided to wage the war to a victorious end."

Extension of Axis

Although there is no confirmation a flood of speculation reaching London from many sources and the conversation.

Intelligent deduction, however, permits the conclusion that, under the influence of Mr Sumner Welles's tour, the terms upon which peace could possibly be concluded. don from many sources endorses this German reaction to the admit-

The Wilhelmstrasse says: "Russia belongs to the group of Great Powers and is entitled to participate in the impending European reconstruction."

Mr Welles is scheduled to leave Rome at 4 p.m. for Genoa. It is believed that he may see Signor Mussolini about midday.

The same circles envisage extension of the Rome-Berlin Axis to Fatal Fall From

Moscow.

It was asserted to-day in Berlin that, until the time came for filling in the date of her participation in the conflict, Italy would not lose the opportunity of demonstrating to the Western Powers that she was Germany's ally economically, politically and ideologically, but a Russian-Italian rapprochement, the primary form of which would be a non-aggression pact, would be the first step towards a general totalitarian agreement.

Failing direct illumination from the Brennero conference, observers looked for signs from the physiognomy of the chief participants. Signor Mussolini was smiling when he escorted Hitler to his train, but the Fuhrer was pale.

FARMERS' JOY **CUT SHORT**

RAIN SOON STOPS IN

NEW SOUTH WALES

Good Fall Reported In Victoria

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returning, causing the greatest dis-

A report from Melbourne states that good rain is falling in parts actress, and Monty Banks, her where it is most needed, particularly manager, were married quietly at the home of the bride's parents.

Opened

Few New Wells

SOVIET OIL PROBLEM

Minimum Schedule Not Reached

DRILLING URGED

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The journal of the Commissariat of Heavy Industry reveals a considerable lag in the Russian oil programme. The 1940 plan provided for the operation of 2135 new wells. Only 61 were opened in the Baku area in the first two months instead of the 97 planned. There is a similar lag in other

The output of the "Little Baku"

area has fallen sharply in recent nonths, because only 30 per cent. of the plan for new wells has been im-

The journal declares that the 1940 schedule represents the minimum programme.

BRITAIN'S IDEALS ARE CHINA'S

POLITICAL LIBERTY AT STAKE

SPEECH IN LONDON

Law And Order Needed In The World

British Official Wireless. (Received March 19, 8.30 p.m.)

RUGBY, March 19. "China is fighting for the same ideals of political liberty as inspired Britain to take up arms in the European conflict," sad the Chinese Ambassador in a speech in London. "It is therefore of supreme importance to Britain not to lose sight of the bearing of China's struggle in the present attempt on the part of the democracies to re-establish law and order."

could be of greater promise to British and world welfare than a strong Chinese democracy.

TWO AIRMEN

CRASH DURING AN INSTRUCTIONAL **FLIGHT**

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during an instructional flight an Air Force machine crashed in a steep live 10 miles north of Adelaide.

POSSIBLE

Bering Island.

o Kamandorsky

and were flown to the islands.

"A Hopeless Basis For DOMINION STATUS

THE VATICAN VISIT

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The "New York Times" Rome correspondent believes that the original proposals made by Germany to the Vatican were considered by Signor Mussolini to be a hopeless method of securing peace, and that one of the reasons for his meeting

The correspondent adds that the proposals fell into the following 11 subjects:-

(1) General, simultaneous, and mmediate disarmament.

(2) A return to the Four-Power Industrial and military interests pact in the form of a new Euro-demand that the lag in drilling op-perations should be overcome.

League of Nations four States League of Nations four States dividing Europe into zones of induence and inaugurating an anti-Bolshevik policy aimed at the liberation of Russia, by arms, if necessary, from Communism.

(3) The recognition of absolute religious freedom after Germany had forced all Jews to emigrate, under the direction of Britain, Italy and France, to Palestine, Ethiopia, and Madagascar respectively.

close economic co-operation with the United States and the facilita-tion of Italian-German emigration. Colonial Claims

equal colonial compensation, or at least the protection of German emi-gration to determined areas in

migration.

Danube Basin

(9) A Danubian federation to be constituted as a Customs union equalising the interest of the large and small Danube Basin States, Italy, Germany, Rumania, Yugoslavia, Bohemia, Slovakia, and Hungary participating therein.

TRADE TREATY SIGNED

United Press Association-Copyright. A new trade treaty between Britain and Spain has been signed.

BASE FOR

NEW YORK, March 19.

PACIFIC RAIDERS

Russian Fortification Of

Islands Near

Kamchatka

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that British and French, Japanese and United States naval officers are focussing attention on the Commodore Islands,

east of Kamchatka, as it is known that the Soviet is fortify-

ing Bering and Medny, the main islands of the Kamandorsky

Group, and are also building a strong submarine base at

use of the base for raids in the Pacific in the event of the Allies being embroiled with the Soviet.

Kamandorsky in January and November. Moreover, German

diesel-engine experts from the Reich, the United States,

Mexico, China, and the Philippines gathered at Vladivostok

here believe that it was a blind, as most of them were going

dorsky in December and remained till late in January.

It is feared that the Russians may grant Germany the

A large group of German naval officers flew to Kaman-

Twenty German submarine commanders also visited

Parties totalling 33 men seized from the Asama Maru in January had tickets to Germany, but the British authorities

The "New York Times" Shanghai correspondent reports

Peace"

HASTINGS, N.Z., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1940.

HITLER'S PROPOSALS

Mussolini Believed To Have **Urged Change**

Hitler was to try to induce their modification by the Fuhrer.

(4) Absolute freedom of trade and access to raw materials, with

(5) The restoration within 20 years of the German colonies or equal colonial compensation, or at

Africa.

(6) The reconstruction of an independent Poland composed primarily of a central zone and Polish territory with 10,000,000 inhabitants, Gdynia to be a Polish free portialso, Polish free trade through Danzig and general facilitation of Polish communication to the sea, the settlement of Polish frontiers by an internationally-controlled plebiscite, the Polish Danubian minority problems to be settled by transmigration.

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yars to be constituted a tripartite State, allied to the Reich, which enjoy industrial communication and privileges therein for 25 years. (8) Austria to remain in the

(10) The Balkan status quo to be maintained.

(11) Free Customs transit for Italian goods through Jibuti, anti-cipating the expiration of the Suez convention; also a new status for Tunisian Italians.

WITH BRITAIN

(Received March 19, 9.45 p.m.) MADRID, March 19.

to the set of the flood tide.
The inquiry was adjourned

LUNA PARK

LIGHTS A HINDRANCE

TO NAVIGATION

Contributory Cause To

Collision

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The Marine' Court of Inquiry into

SIDE-SHOWS

Naval Experts Amused

SCAPA FLOW RAID

German Habit Of Exaggeration

RIDICULOUS CLAIMS

British Official Wireless. (Received March 19, 7.45 p.m.)

RUGBY, March 19. The interest caused by the German High Command's claims to successes in Saturday evening's Scapa Flow raid is deepening into amuse-ment after a reported broadcast by the commander of the Nazi raiders, Major Albert Doensch, who is said to have claimed that his force made "direct hits with larger bombs on the Hood, Repulse and Renown." Although this is the first time the

Germans claim to have damaged the Renown and the Hood, the Repulse has been almost perpetually includ-ed as "severely damaged" whenever Nazi propagandists considered the ripe for a little heartening The wide divergence of the German claims from the actual facts is thought to lend colour to a sugges-

tion from neutral countries that the raid was specially ordered by Hitler in an endeavour to impress Signor Mussolini with the superiority of the German Air Force.

WHALERS RETURN FROM ANTARCTIC

JAPANESE SHIPS WITH BIG CATCH

Call Made At Sydney For Fuel

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chased and harpooned too whated during the summer.

The mother factory ship remained outside the heads. The chasers came for oil fuel sufficient to take them non-stop to Japan,

REJECTED

INDIA WANTS TOTAL **INDEPENDENCE**

ACTION URGED

Congress Approval Of Resolution

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mediate action. The Communists demanded civil disobedience, resistance to war, and total serverance from Britain.

Mr Gandhi, who is technically non-member of Congress, was subjected to some criticism because he did not promote civil disobedience Others, on the contrary, affirmed

im to be India's man of destiny Mr Gandhi criticised the forma tion of different groups within Con-gress which should not exist in a lighting organisation. He added that the resolution strengthened his position as a leader. He would not be stampeded into a struggle until his conditions were accepted.

TWO EMPIRES ACTING AS ONE

ALLIES CO-OPERATE FOR

WORSHIP OF FORCE MUST END

Lord Cecil Abhors War But Feels We Must Fight

British Official Wireless. (Received March 19, 8.30 p.m.)

IDEALS FOR THE FUTURE

RUGBY, March 19. Broadcasting on Monday, Lord Cecil recalled that for the last 25 years his sole interest in public affairs had been the work for peace. After reviewing the Nazi history of aggression in Europe which had brought about the present conflict, Lord Cecil said that for many years past the Prussian rulers had been guided by the doctrine that whatever Germany did was right and they maintained that obedience to the German

State takes the place of all morality.
"In the end," he continued, "worship of the State means worship of force. The question thus raised is vital for the future of us all. Is force and nothing else to govern the relations between States? If it is so, that means complete inter-

national anarchy. "Surely," he added, "we must carry on and complete the attempt begun at the end of the last war to create a more reasonable system of international life. There is no over

whelming difficulty in providing machinery which will secure the supremacy of law among nations as among men, if we really mean to do it. It is not a simple matter, but certainly, with faith and single-minded effort, it can be done. "Indeed, it has already been done in several parts of the world," he added, and instanced how a few centuries ago Britain, France, Germany, Italy and Spain were split up into a number of warring States, but now were united into larger unities.

League's Failure

CO-OPERATE FOR WELFARE

Union Company freighter and the Blue Star liner on March 16 is continuing and is unlikely to finish until the end of the week.

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3—BOYS' RACE, under 11 years.
4—GIRLS' RACE, under 14 years.
5—BOYS' RACE, under 14 years.
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IYA Auckland

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Break-fast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 11.0: Talk to women. 11.10: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry

Lunch music, 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news.
Recordings. 2.30: Classical hour.
3.15: Sports results. 3.30: Light music, 4.0: Daventry news, followed by special weather report for farmers. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.
5: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 7.40: Youth Centre Talk by N. G. Gribble, secretary to the Government Youth Centre. 8.0: The Busch Quartet, String Quartet in F Major (Beetho-

secretary to the Government Youth Centre. 8.0: The Busch Quartet, String Quartet in F Major (Beethoven). 8.26: Sybil Phillipps (soprano), 'The Promise of Spring' (Schubert); 'The Princess' (Helhricks); "All Souls' Day" and "Dedication" (Richard Strauss). 8.38: Clifford Huntsman (plano) ("From the Davidsbundler Dances" (Schumann). 854: Alexander Kipnis (bass), "The Phantom Double" (Schubert). 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: 'Those we Love.' 9.49: John McCormack (tenor). 9.53: The BBC Symphony Orchestra "Invitation to the Waltz" (Weber) 10.0: Music, mirth and melody.

2YA Wellington

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report. 10.10: Devotional service. 10.25: Recordings. 10.45: Talk to women. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: Weather report.

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Classical hour. 3.0: Sports results and recordings. 3.30: Weather report for farmers. 4.0: Daventry news. 5.0: Children's session.
Dinner music. 6.55 Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 7.30: Talk by the Gardening Expert. 8.0: The NBS String Orchestra, Conductor: Maurice Clare. 'Under the Shadows''. (Gillet); "En Badinant' (d'Ambrosio); "Finnish Lullaby" (Palmgren). 8.9: Reginald Foort (organ). 8.12: "Round the Piano": Songs and choruses of the Early Days by the Old Time Concert Party. 8.32: Reginald Foort (organ). 8.35: The NBS String Orchestra: Uncle Kreutzer" (arr. Lotter); "Lover's Minuet" (Cowan); "Traumerel" (Schumann). 8.42: Paul Robeson (bass), "Passing By" (Purcell). 8.45: Special presentation of "Then and Now": Exhibitions of 1885 and 1940, featuring the NBS String Orchestra. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: "The Radio that Hitler Fears". 9.35: "Exploits of the Black Moth." 10.1: "The Moonstone." 10.14: Dance music by Manuel Raymond's Dance Orchestra, relayed from the Exhibition Cabaret.

3YA Christchurch

7.0 a.m.; Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Recordings. 10.30: Devotional service. 10.45: Recordings. 11.0: "Bits and Pieces," by "Isobel." 11.10: Women's session. 11.30: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: Lunch music. 1.30: Educational session. 2.40: Recordings. 3.0: Classical music. 4.0: Daventry news, followed by special weather forecast for farmers. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

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i Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 7.20: Addington Stock market report. 7.35: Winter course talk. 8.0: Readings by O. L. Simmance: "Prelude to Murder," by J. Jefferson Farjeon. 8.22: 3YA Orchestra: Conductor, Will Hutchens (Mus. Bac.) "Phaeton" Poeme Symphonique (Saint-Saens). "Two Lyric Pieces" (Grieg). 8.37: Heinr. Rehkemper (baritone). "St. John's Day" and "Drifting" (Grleg). 8.44: 3YA Orchestra "Ballet Russe" (Luigini). 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Alfred Cortot (planoforte) and Orchestra, conducted by John Barbirolli "Concerto No. 2 in F Minor (Chopin). 10.0: Music, mirth, and melody. Dinner music. 6.55: Weather re- ewes 9/3.

4YA Dunedin

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Break-fast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Weather re-

port and recordings. 10.15: Devo-tional service. 10.50: Talk to wo-men, 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news, 1.0: Weather fore-

cast.
Recordings. 3.15; Home Science talk.
10: Recordings. 3.15; Home Science talk.
10: Daventry news, followed by special forecast for farmers and special frost forecast. 4.30: Light music. 4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Childern's session.
15: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 7.30: Talk by the Motor Expert. 8.0: "Ravenshoe." 8.15: "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 8.27: "Westward Ho!" 8.40: Grace Adams East, American trumpet virtuoso. 9.0: ward Ho!" 8.40: Grace Adams East, American trumpet virtuoso. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather re-port and station notices. 9.25: "Thrills." 9.38: "Khyber and Be-yond." 10.0: An hour of modern dance music, featuring music in the Russ Morgan Manner, and Les. Brown and his Orchestra, with in-strumental interludes by Milt Herth on the Hammond Organ.

2YH Napier

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 11.0: Light music. 12.0: Lunch session. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 5.0: Light music. 5.30: Children's session. 6.0: "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.15: Daventry news. 6.45: Weather report and forecast for Hawke's Bay. Stortford Lodge market report. 7.0: Government news. 7.15: "Khyber and Beyond." 8.0: Light music. 8.30: Dance session. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Symphonic and operatic excerpts: London Symphony Orchestra "Symphony No. 9 in C Major" (Schubert). 9.31: Ivar Andressen (bass), "The King's Address" from "Lohengrin" (Wagner). 9.35: Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra, "Symphony No. 6 in B Minor" (Tchalkovsky), (The "Pathetic "Symphony No. 6 in B (Tchaikovsky), (The "T Symphony," 1st movement).

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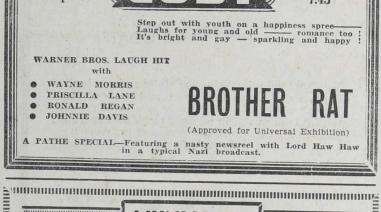
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"She's Dangerous" is the second feature. The title refers to Tala Birell, who sets a trap for a gang might and Tuesday morning the content of the picture is John Wayne's thrilling recently sent out was not clear, and it is now to be noted that this variety will be packed 80-125 for export, 138-180 for cool store, and 198-216 for local market. Stickers will be applied as already advised.

As fruit cannot be railed on Wednesday and Thursday, it is desirable that growers and packing sheds, where possible, now hold fruit in their own sheds until Tuesday to avoid congestion at the assembly funds. Old and young will appreciate the beauty of this delightful production, and parents should give their little ones the opportunity of seeing it,

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The more mature members of the cast have the delightful task of furnishing most of the laughs, and a mere recital of their names is sufficient guarantee that this task is well performed, for they include such past masters of the art of comedy as Roland Young, May Robson, Fay Bainter, Genevieve Tobin and Ian Hunter. The story itself is actually a satire on people who have "dayanced" views on marriage.

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Two such are Priscilla and Jeffrey, who plan to run away to be alone together. Everyone in Priscilla's household except her father, who isn't at home, finds out about the youngsters' intentions.

Meanwhile, the youngsters, alone at last and very embarrassed, decided it would really be much more sophisticated if they returned as though nothing extraordinary had happened. They return to Priscilla's home where Jeffrey learns that the whole family knew of his and Priscilla's plan. He is so shocked and indignant that he tells them he and indignant that he tells them h wants to have nothing more to do with such a family. He walks out; he's on his way to Belgium.

Priscilla, however, decides that a hasty-marriage is better than no Jeffrey and she's waiting in his cabin with a marriage lights. eabin with a marriage licence when

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have unflinchingly contributed their ervices to humanity. services to humanity.

The story centres around the efforts of the doctor to wake the small town of River's End to its need for a hospital. Balked at every hand in his treatment of sickness in the community by a lack of suitable, modern equipment, it is only with the greatest difficulty and through a near-tragedy that Hersholt succeeds in his mission.

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story, too, with Dorothy Lovett, as Nurse Judy Price, and Robert Bald win, as her village swain, taking the spotlight for this side of the pro-ceedings. Homely comedy occupies much of the action and is capably handled by the juvenile section of the cast, which features Marcia Mag Jones, Jackie Moran and Patsy Lee Parsons. Other supporting players include Enid Bennett and Paul Harvay.

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A "behind-the-scenes" revelation of life in one of the country's oldest military schools, "Brother Rat", and the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, combines the spirit of youth and romance with the colour and dash of the Virginia Military Institute's cadet corps.

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THE FIRST VISITORS

Taradale Team Too Good

and 600 yards, conditions at 300 and 500 yards were good; a bad light at 600 yards gave riflemen a certain Team scores were as follows:-

Tunanui: F. Chapman 136, F. Jen-kins 135, V. Monson 121, A. Morcraft 111, L. Bitters 100, A. Whyte 97;

Mayfair

"ALI BABA GOES TO TOWN"

Showing With "Tarzan's Revenge"

Eddie Cantor brings Bagdad up o date in his starring musical hit, Ali Baba Goes to Town," featuring Fony Martin, Roland Young, Jun Lang, Louise Hovick and a tremend ous cast, which is now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier

Ali Baba Eddie slaps a head tax on harems and a tail tax on camels, slips carpet tacks under the sit down strikers and snaps the sultan into step with the march of time as Bagdad goes Broadway to the as Bagdad goes Broadway to the new hit tunes by Mack Gordon and Harry Revel, "I've Got My Heart Set on You," "Laugh Your Way Through Life" and "Swing is Here to Sway," and the modernistic swing composition, "Twilight in Turkey," by Raymond Scott, leader of the famed cuintet of the famed quintet.

Tarzan calls and the jungle roars with new thrills, flerce tribes charge in battle, hundreds of wild animals fight for their king and a glamorous girl answers the call of love in the exciting new "Tarzan's Revenge," the second feature.

The story of how the mighty ord of the jungle is aroused from a simple primitive desire to protect an American hunting party from the perils of the African forests—and how the very beasts they set out to trap are rallied to the rescue of the woman Tarzan loves, makes for one of the most thrilling tales ever to come from the footile tales ever to come from the fertile mind of Edgar Rice Burroughs.

YOUTHFUL SKATING CHAMPION

"Everything's On Ice" Stars Irene Dare

glamorous atmosphere Palm Beach, Florida, is the back-ground for "Everything's On Ice," rollicking comedy romance now showing at the State Theatre, Na-pier, with little Irene Dare in the

The picture marks the virtual de-but of this tiny six-year-old, recog-nised as the world's finest juvenile ice skater, who appears during the action of the story as the principal performer in several spectacular ice pallets employing the services of a arge company of Hollywood's most expert professional skaters.

According to the story, these take place as part of the floor-show at a swank Palm Beach night club, where Roscoe Karns, a scheming and highly impractical uncle, has se cured an engagement for the young ster. Arriving at the resort with Irene, her mother and older sister the family in a serious financial hole by spending money like water. His attempts to marry off the sister to a supposedly rich man merely add to the hilarious complications of the story, as affairs go from bad to

ful fashion with the daring exploits of a young peace officer's efforts to bring law and order to a frontier town under the dominant rule of an outlaw sheriff, "The Marshal of Mesa City," the second feature, presents George O'Brien i

The story is laid in Arizona of the '80's, and is a saga of the courageous federal marshals who ended the riot ous and bloody rule of frontier des peradoes whose sneering disregard for law was told with roaring six-

A Walt Disney "Donald Duck" colour cartoon, "The Autograph Hound," completes a fine programme.

Regent

GLORIA JEAN A CHILD SENSATION

Star Of New Film "The Under-Pup"

First visitor and also the last visitor to the set of 11-year-old Gloria Jean's first picture, "The Under-Pup," opening on Good Friday at the Regent Theatre, Napier, was not only one of Hollywood's most illustrious personages, but an example and a good-luck omen for Gloria as well.

The visitor's name is Deanna The visitor's name is Deanna

Three years before, Deanna, then ar unknown, began her first picture, "Three Smart Girls." The history of that hit and four that followed is well known. Now Gloria's embryonic career closely

parallels that of Deanna.

The same producer who first presented Deanna, Joe Pasternak, is also introducing Gloria for the same studio, Universal. He formed a new youthful trio to follow the 'Three Smart Girls.' Gloria and irginia Weidler and Ann Gillis ake up the new threesome.

Gloria, who sings five numbers "The Under-Pup," has a voice de-elopment comparable in many vays to Deanna's. And the new-omer's career will be handled with he same care and finesse that has listinguished the Pasternak-Durbin oductions.

When the producer brought Gloria to Hollywood from her home town, Scranton, Pennsylvania, in De-cember, 1938, one of the first friendships the youngster formed was with her favourite star, Deanna. The latter took a leading part in introducing Gloria to Hollywood.

It was considered a good omen when Deanna proved Gloria's first visitor on the first day of production, and the last visitor on the

Taradale: G. Briggs 137, B. Bitters final day's shooting. 34, F. White 134, B. Franklyn 133, Robinson 133, J. Jarvis 129; total Store, 'phone 3029.

kins 135, V. Monson 121, A. Morcratt 111, L. Bitters 100, A. Whyte 97; total 700.

Individual scores were:—
G. Briggs 45, 47, 45, 137; F. Chapman 47, 45, 44, 136; F. Jenkins 42, 47, 46, 135; B. Bitters 45, 49, 40, 134; F. White 47, 47, 40, 134; B. Franklyn 44, 45, 44, 133; F. Robinson 42, 49, 42, 133; J. Jarvis 36, 46, 47, 129; V. Monson 37, 42, 42, 121; A. Morcratt 111, L. Bitters 29, and some of the members of the Waipawa Bowling Club visited the Otane green. The result of the game between Limbrick, Taylor, Russell, Critchley (Waipawa) and Wedd, Voyce, Britten, Page (Otane) was 5-13. A further game in the Collymon Buttons resulted in the holders, Arnott and Black being defeated by Mills and Stafford 20-9. A pairs craft 38, 46, 27, 111; L. Bitters 29, and resulted in Britten and Mills 32, 39, 100; A. Whyte 22, 43, 32, 97, 27 defeating Voyce and August 13. Otane Bowling .- During the week

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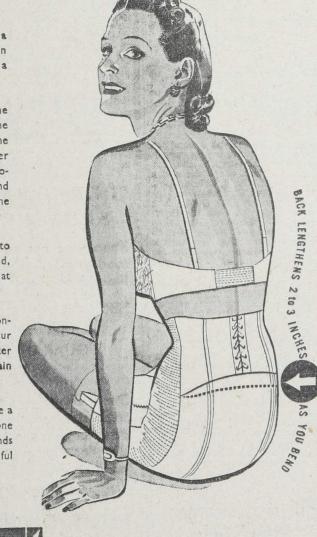
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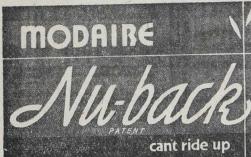
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Five o'Clock Gossip

Mrs H. P. Stratton, Southampton Street, Hastings, leaves this morn-ing for the South Island.

Mrs Shanly, Auckland, is the guest of Mrs H. P. Stratton, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs H. Mueller have returned to Auckland after visiting Mrs W. Douglas, Te Kura, Otane.

Mrs W. G. Stead, Hastings, is visiting Dunedin and is the guest of Mrs Hunter-Weston.

Mrs Kenneth Amner, Napier, who has been visiting Wellington and Christchurch, has returned home.

Mrs N. Simpson, Kennedy Road, Wellington, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr and Mrs A. B. Dairs, Napier.

Miss E. Fogden, is a Wellington visitor to Napier.

Mr and Mrs R. W. Coop are Gisborne visitors to Napier.

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A Military Wedding Held At Takapau

Lovely Bridal Gown Of Fine White French Lace

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Two Bridesmaids In Frocks Of Cornflower Blue Sheer

The Presbyterian Church at Takapau was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, when Noreen Amelia (Molly), seventh daughter of Mr M. C. Keegan and the late Mrs Keegan, of Takapau, was married to David Alexander Eaglesham, younger son of Mr and Mrs D. E. Brown, of Tipapakuku, Dannevirke. The church had been beautifully decorated for the occasion in tonings to match the dresses of the bridal party.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Murray A. Gow, of Waipukurau, and Mrs H. Kilford played the wedding music.

the Rev. Militay A. Gow, or pulsurau, and Mrs H. Kilford played the wedding music.

Entering the church with her father, the bride made a lovely picture in her gown of fine French lace worn over white satin. The bodice was slim-fitting and the hemline of the trained skirt was appliqued in large satin flowers.

A beautiful tulle veil, lent by her sister, Mrs R. Anderson, was held in place by a single rose, and a sheaf of blue delphiniums and gladioli was carried.

The bridesmaids, Miss Joan Keegan (chief), and Miss Joan Wilkins, Ashhurst (great friend of the bride), were attired in frocks of cernflower blue sheer over satin. The bodices were fully swathed back and front, and the skirts featured sun-ray pleating. They wore shoulder-length veils of blue net caught with a spray of flowers and carried bouquets of dahlias and gladioli.

Dainty Flower-girl

Nancy Paulsen made a sweet
little flower-girl in her frock of
pale pink georgette, the long
pointed bodice being made with a
heart-shape neckline, and the full
skirt frilled from waist to hemline with tiny frills. She carried
a basket of mauve michaelmas
daisies.

Mr George Blake, of Waipukurau, was best man, and Mr Alan Keegan, brother of the bride, was grooms-

CHARMING RECEPTION AT "MT. VERNON," WAIPUKURAU

FAREWELL PARTY

Mr and Mrs H. Stratton Honoured Yesterday Afternoon

A large number of guests were entertained yesterday afternoon at a combined wedding, reception and farewell party to the bridegroom, at the beautiful home of Mr and Mrs J. W. Harding, "Mt. Vernon," Waipukurau, following the wedding of their daughter, Miss Valerie Harding, to Mr Happi Stratton, late

last week. The guests, chiefly relatives and very close friends of the newly married couple, were received by Mr and Mrs Harding in the reception room, which was gay with bowls bowls of multi-coloured asters

Mrs Harding wore a very attractive frock of dusky pink, and Mrs H. P. Stratton, Hastings, mother of the bridegroom, looked smart in a navy sequin frock with navy accessories.

The bride looked charming in a frock of French silk in pastel shades. Mrs J. Shanty, Auckland, aunt of the bridegroom, wore a model frock of navy marquisette trimmed with white, and navy accessories

cessories.

The chief feature of a delightful afternoon tea was the three-tiered wedding cake, iced in the Air Force Blue colours and decorated with horses to represent a hunting scene, as the bride is a very popular member of the Hunt Club.

The room was gay with flowers, a

ber of the Hunt Club.

The room was gay with flowers, a novel decoration being a number of small 'planes suspended from the ceiling, this feature being in honour of the bridegroom, who is in the Air Force.

for the bridegroom, who tare force.

Mr Bruce Young, Hastings, in a small speech of goodwill, wished the young bridal couple all the best of good fortune for the future, to which the bridegroom replied.

Mr and Mrs Happi Stratton will leave to-day for Lyttelton.

202 PAIRS OF SOCKS KNITTED BY AN IRISH WOMAN

An example of work done by the older generation is given in this newspaper extract, dated October

man.

The bridegroom was in military uniform, he being a member of the Second Echelon.

The bridal couple were piped from the church by Piper Mervyn Paulsen.

The guests were entertained at "Brookwood," the home of Mr and Mrs N. M. Paulsen, where the decorations were again in harmony with the dresses of the bridal party.

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The guests were entertained at "Brookwood," the home of Mr and Mrs N. M. Paulsen, where the decorations were again in harmony with the dresses of the bridal party. Mrs Paulsen wore a frock of Eire green with a large picture hat. Mrs Brown, mother of the bridagroom, was in a ceil blue frock with navy accessories.

Pride of place was given the beautiful two-tièred wedding cake made by the bridagroom's sister, Mrs J. D. Gibbons, Dannevirke.

After the reception the happy

WAIKAREMOANA SHOW PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

Maori And Pakeha Visitors Enjoy Kai Cooked In A Hangi

"Daily Mail" Special Service WAIKAREMOANA.

The combined League of Mothers and Pikinga Club show was held in the Waimako Hall, Waikaremoana, on Saturday. The weather was perfect.

Members of the Women's Institute and other friends from Tuai assisted as judges, stewards, and secretaries. The visitors, both Maori and pakeha, enjoyed kai cooked

in a hangi, or Maori oven. The show was opened by the Rev. N. H. Finch, Wairoa. Mrs Finch delighted the company by singing two solos, accompanying herself on a stringed instrument.

The prizes for successful entrants were presented by Sister Kearney, the president of the Maori League of Mothers at Waikaremoana. Results of the judging are as fol-

Garden Produce Kumara: Mrs Nathan Tuahine 1, Mrs Mutu Tahu 2.

Potatoes: Mrs Mutu Tahu 1, Mrs Winitana 2. Melon: Mrs Nathan Tuahine 1 Mrs Sam Waiwai 2. Pumpkin: Mrs Winitana 1, Mrs P

Jackson 2.
Onions: Mrs Nathan Tuahine 1 Mrs Major Ruawai 2.
Parnsips: Mrs N. Tuahine 1, Mrs S. Waiwai 2. Beetroot: Mrs Winitana 1, Mrs N. Tuahine 2

Carrots: Mrs Winitana 1, Mrs N. Tuahine 2. Beans: Mrs T. Lambert 1, Mrs S. Waiwai 2. Corn: Mrs Winitana 1, Mrs N. Tuahine 2. Peaches: Mrs N. Tuahine 1, Mrs

Feaches: Als IV. Tuchine 1, Mrs F. Lambert 2.
Marrow: Mrs N. Tuchine 1, Mrs S. Waiwai 2.
Cabbage: Mrs P. Jackson 1, Mrs N. Tuchine 2.
Best collection of vegetables: Mrs Wisitana 1, Mrs P. Jackson 2. Winitana 1, Mrs P. Jackson 2. Dahlias: Mrs P. Jackson 1, Mrs M. Ruawai 2.

Assorted bunch of flowers: Mrs
Mutu Tahu 1, Mrs N. Tuahine 2.
Decorated Table: Miss Robina
Jackson 1, Mrs P. Jackson 2.

Cooking Pastry turnover: Miss Robina
Jackson 1, Mrs M. Ruawai 2.
Sponge sandwich: Miss Robina
Jackson 1, Mrs Wa Aranga 2.
Damper (Paraoa): Mrs S. Waiwai
1, Mrs Winitana 2.
Jackson idlw: Mrs Ruawai 1 Mrs

Soap: Mrs Winitana 1, Mrs Winitana 2.

Needlework and Knitting Child's frock, petticoat and bloomers to match: Mrs T. Lambert 1 Mrs Winitana 2.

Mrs Winitana 2.
Baby's knitted coat and bonnet:
Mrs G. Cairns 1.
Shirt and trousers for boy aged 4:
Mrs T. Lambert 1, Miss Robina
Jackson 2.
Rompers: Mrs Winitana 1.
Table mat or tray cloth: Mrs G.
Cairns 1, Miss Robina Jackson 2.
Pillow cases: Miss Pamela Jackson 1.
Mrs Waapu 2.

Fillow cases: Miss Falliela Jackson 1, Mrs Waapu 2.
Dressing table set: Mrs Mutu
Tahu 1, Mrs Mutu Tahu 2.
Cushion: Miss R. Jackson 1, Mrs

Vinitana 2.

Balaclava: Mrs G. Cairns 1. Socks: Mrs G. Cairns 2. Man's sleeveless pullover: Mrs T. ambert 1, Mrs G. Cairns 2. Woman's jumper: Mrs G. Cairns Maori Arts and Crafts

Kete kai (mo nga kuia): Mrs S. Waiwai 1, Mrs S. Waiwai 2. Kete kai (for young people): Mrs Mutu Tahu 1, Mrs S. Rurehe 2. Kiekie hat: Mrs Mutu Tahu 1. Wharaki: Mrs S. Waiwai 2 (no Taniko head-band: Mrs T. Lam-

pert 2 (no first). Taniko purse: Miss Pamela Jack-Thrift and Utility

Article costing not more than 1/: Mrs Thompson Ranginui 1, Miss R. Floor mat made from sugar bag: Mrs G. Cairns 1, Mrs Jackson 2.

School Work

Standards 1 and 2, drawing: Verni
Waipatu 1.
Standards 3 and 4, drawing: Kingi
Waipatu 1, Hazel White 2.
Standards 5 and 6, drawing:
Tommy Waiwai 1, Teoi Waiwai 2. Jam or jelly: Mrs Ruawai 1, Mrs
T. Lambert 2.
Jackson 2.
Wheatmeal scones: Mrs Wa Aranga 1, Mrs Winitana 2.
Bottled fruit: Mrs T. Lambert 1,
Mrs Hutu Tahu 2.
Maori leaven bread baked in camp oven): Mrs Winitana 1, Mrs
M. Ruawai 2.

Standards 3 and 4, drawing: Kingi
Waipatu I, Hazel White 2.
Standards 5 and 6, drawing:
Standards 1 and 2, handwork:
Mavis Aranga 1, Caroline Waiwai 2.
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Among the pianoforte pieces played by the Convent pupils were the "Polonaise" and "Qui Vive."
Mrs C. W. Packer, Mrs C. C. Poyzer and Mrs S. Pickering were the hostesses and supplied a delicious sit-down savoury supper.
Mr R. S. Herbert acted as M.C., assisted by Mr Len Coker.

FAREWELL PARCELS FOR THE SECOND ECHELON

Farewell Committee Of The Hastings Women's Auxiliary Corps Busy

The first meeting of the Farewell Parcels Committee of the Hastings Women's Auxiliary Corps was held in the Borough Council Chambers on Monday, the following being present: Mesdames G. A. Maddison, A. I. Rainbow, F. Deans, F. J. Hop-kins, S. J. McKee, A. C. A. Hyde, H. E. Phillips, Bach, L. A. Miller, J. Underwood, E. Walker and L. J. Mackersey.

Mrs F. Deans was elected chairman of the committee, Mrs H. E. Phillips, deputy-chairman, and Mrs F. J. Hopkins honorary secretary. Sub-committees were appointed to collect goods for the farewell parcels to be presented to the men on leave who are included in the Second Echelon.

The following were deputed to col-

Second Echelon.

The following were deputed to collect gift articles: Cigarettes (tins of 30): Mrs A. I. Rainbow, Mrs L. A. Miller, Mrs J. Underwood. Handkerchiefs (coloured): Mrs A. I. Rainbow, Mrs A. C. A. Hyde, Mrs Bach. Toothbrushes, tooth-paste, soap and large shaving sticks: Mrs H. E. Phillips, Mrs E. Walker, Mrs G. Steevens, Mrs S. J. McKee. Barley Sugar (tins): Mrs F. Deans, Mrs F. J. Hopkins.



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A large entry of 46 rinks has been received for the Hawke's Bay Bowling Centre's Easter tournament, which promises to be one of the most successful yet held. Play will take place on Friday, Saturday, and Monday, on the Bluff Hill, Port Ahuriri, Wairere, and Napier Clubs' greens.

The entry has been divided into four sections. Play will

be of 18 ends, three games each day, or time limit of $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours, commencing each day at 9 a.m. sharp.

Clubs will be represented as follows:—Napier, eight rinks; Port Ahuriri, seven; Wairere and Bluff Hill, five each; Hastings and Heretaunga, three each; Kia Toa, Havelock North, Waipawa, Omarunui, and Waipukurau two each. Outside centres are represented by Masterton, two rinks, and one each from Khandallah, Seatoun, and Dannevirke. Morning and afternoon teas will be provided on all greens, but players have to make their own luncheon arrangements.

SECTION A FRIDAY, MARCH 22 BLUFF HILL GREEN

First Round Rink Wright (Seatoun) v. McLeay (Port)

Third Round

Fourth Round Fifth Round

MONDAY PORT AHURIRI GREEN

Eighth Round

SECTION B FRIDAY NAPIER GREEN First Round

Bewley (Hastings) v. Ed.
Hill)
Frater (Port Ahuriri) v. Warren
(Heretaunga)
Eagle (Walpawa) v. Belcher (Napler)
Second Round

Second Round
Vieilor v. Barr ...
Briasco v. Brown
Morton v. Warren
Deakin v. Belcher
McLaren v. Eagle
Frater v. Bewley
Third Round Third Round

Third Round

McLaren v. Warren

Bewley v. Belcher

Barr v. Eagle

Motton v. Frater

Mellor v. Briasco

Deakin v. Brown

SATURDAY

BLUFF HILL GREEN Fourth Round

Bewley v. Eagle
Warren v. Mellor
McLaren v. Frater
Deakin v. Briasco
Morton v. Brown
Belcher v. Barr Fifth Round

Seventh Round

Briasco v. Barr
Belcher v. Frater
Bewley v. Mellor
McLaren v. Morton Eighth Round

McLaren v. Bewley 1
Briasco v. Eagle 2
Belcher v. Brown 3
Barr v. Warren 4
Deakin v. Morton 5
Frater v. Mellor 6

SECTION C

FRIDAY PORT AHURIRI GREEN Pirie (Napier) v. Gardner (Waipuku-(Bluff Hill)
Patterson (Waipawa) v. McCarthy
(Port Ahuriri)
Daily (Napier) v. Panckhurst (Havelock North)

Details of the draw are as follows:- | Jones (Masterton) v. Hampton (Hast-

1 Daily v. Patterson

Third Round
Rowlands v. Panckhurst
Patterson v. Hampton
Jones v. McCarthy
Daily v. Gardner
Pirie v. Elmes
Poppelwell v. Wardell-Johnson
SATURDAY
WAIRERE GREEN
Egypth Pound

Fourth Round Fifth Round Wardell-Johnson v. Daily

Jones v. Poppelwell
Panckhurst v. Hampton
McCarthy v. Rowlands
Patterson v. Pirie
Gardner v. Elmes
Sixth Round

MONDAY, MARCH 25

Seventh Round Pirie v. McCarthy
Hampton v. Daily
Patterson v. Elmes
Rowlands v. Gardner
Jones v. Wardell-Johnson
Poppelwell v. Panckhurst Eighth Round

Rowlands v. Patterson .
Pirie v. Jones .
Hampton v. Wardell-Johnson .
McCarthy v. Panckhurst .
Poppelwell v. Gardner .
Daily v. Elmes .

Poppelwell v. Daily
Rowlands v. Elmes
Gardner v. Jones
Hampton v. Pirie
Patterson v. Panckhurst
McCarthy v. Wardell-Johnson

SECTION D FRIDAY WAIRERE GREEN First Round

Thomas v. Anderson 6 Hill)

Ninth Round White (Waipukurau) v. Cooke (Napier)

Newton v. Thomas 2

McLeay v. Wilson 3

Wright v. Russell 4

Durfield v. Johnson 4

Head (Kia Toa)

Second Round White v. Smith
Mayo v. Duff
La Roche v. Head
Cooke v. Williams
Rowe v. Nicholson

Williams v. Head .
Nicholson v. Smith .
Rowe v. Cooke .
White v. Mayo .
La Roche v. Duff . SATURDAY, MARCH 23 PORT AHURIRI GREEN Fourth Round

Cooke v. Nicholson ...
La Roche v. Williams ...
Smith v. Mayo ...
Rowe v. Duff ...
White v. Head ... Fifth Round

Cooke v. Mayo

Rowe v. Williams
White v. Nicholson
Cooke v. Duff
Mayo v. Head
Smith v. La Roche MONDAY, MARCH 25 BLUFF HILL GREEN Seventh Round

Rowe v. White
Duff v. Head
Smith v. Williams
La Roche v. Cooke
Mayo v. Nicholson

Eighth Round Eighth Round
La Roche v. Mayo
Williams v. Nicholson
Duff v. White
Smith v. Rowe
Cooke v. Head Ninth Round Rome v. Smith Round
Rowe v. Mayo .
Head v. Nicholson
Duff v. Williams .
La Roche v. White

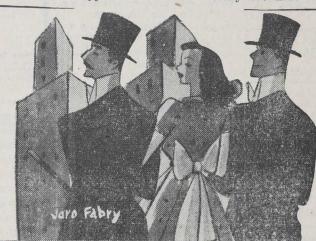
The following are the results of the weight-guessing competition held at the Hawke's Bay A. and P. Society's Autumn Show on Saturday: — J. T. Couper (Pukahu), 373 lbs, 1; Mrs R. Breach (Otane), 3751 lbs, 2 The correct of the results of the weight-guessing competition. lbs, 2. The correct weight of the sheep was 371 lbs.

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H.W. H.W. L.W. L.W. a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m. Wed. 1.38 2.02 7.52 8.15 Thu. 2.07 2.52 8.42 9.07 Fri. 3.17 3.41 9.39 10.06 Sat. 4.12 4.40 10.37 11.07 Sun. 5.14 5.42 11.37 0.12 Mon. 6.17 5.50 0.30 0.40 VESSELS AT BREAKWATER

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EXPECTED ARRIVALS

Kalmiro, ex Westport, noon to-day. Kopara, ex Portland and Auckland, March 22. March 22.

Pakura, ex Wellington, March 23.

Wainui, ex southern ports and Gisborne, March 27.

Pukeko, ex Portland and Auckland, March 29.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES

Kaimiro, for Auckland, to-morrow. Pakura, for Gisborne, March 23. Kopara, for Auckland, March 26. Wainul, for Wellington, March 28. Pukeko, March 29.

COASTAL SHIPPING AT NAPIER

March 29.

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

Winui, s.s., 1633 tons, T. W. White, master (Union S.S. Co.), commenced loading Bluff on Monday for Gisborne and Napier, via Dunedin, Oamaru, Timaru, Lyttelton and Wellington. Due here on Wednesday, March 27, from Gisborne, and leaves the following day for Wellington.

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Daily Mail

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1940.

THE DIRECT METHOD

Apart altogether from shades of political opinion, there can be nothing but admiration for the delightfully unusual method adopted by the Minister of Transport (the Hon. R. Semple) in the case of the slackers on the Burwood golf course work under the No. 13 Scheme. On information received from his colleague, the Hon. P. C. Webb, he was not satisfied that the equality of sacrifice demanded on such a job was up to standard. He had reason to know that the doctrine of "each for all and all for each" was being misinterpreted in terms of the "old soldier" complex so that it would read "as little as possible for as much as possible."

So he placed himself on the end of a long-handled shovel and recognised the temporary usefulness of the wheelbarrow which he had previously condemned, and in ten minutes he had moved the same amount of spoil which required the work of two men for a whole day. And then he sacked the lotfifty-seven of them on the Burwood links-after telling the men in his own characteristic fashion what he thought of

This is great work. It vindicates many of the criticisms that have been made from time to time regarding the temptation to "go slow" which is involved in a Public Works job. It suggests that not even the Government can afford to employ men when the costs are out of all proportion to the benefits received. Mr Semple acted as a private individual when he did what he did. He acted just as would any private employer have acted. It is just unfortunate that Mr Semple could not repeat such visits to other places to prove in the same way that his own contention is true—that there are other places in which the work is not being done with full efficiency.

Mr Semple's activities always make good news, and this latest exploit is very nearly the crowning point of his career. There must be many valuable lessons brought home to a Minister of the Crown who can do in ten minutes at the age of sixty-seven what it took two men (presumably much younger) a whole day to do. It is on the basis of such practical experience that a good system of Public Works policy could be

Another thing. Even Mr Semple's most doughty political opponents will applaud his gesture in offering himself, without a commission and on a soldier's rate of pay, for military service as a constructional expert. This is the kind of he-man talk that is easily understood in war time. What Mr Semple's opinions may have been in the past matter very little in the light of this offer which, if it is accepted, will give an example to the Empire of how the patent needs of the present situation make the greatest possible claim upon every individual. As a recruiting campaigner, the Minister has made his most effective move in attempting to lead the way to service rather than in being content to talk about it. There are many other men younger than Mr Semple who

have similarly offered their services to the Government and whose qualifications are based on their experience of the last war, and those men will be keenly interested to observe what happens to the Minister's application. Perhaps, if he succeeds, he will help others to do what he is prepared to do.

The voluntary system has produced a new champion of the practical sort. We have now every reason to hope that those who are willing to follow the good lead given by the Minister will be allowed to do so. We have as yet touched only the fringe of our man-power.

Personal

Pilot-Officer N. G. Edwards, Hastings, who has been spending the past few days with his parents, returns to Wellington this morning. He will leave at some time in the future for overseas service with the Royal Air Force.

Mr Keith Priscott, Hamilton, is visiting Napier to compete in the Easter festival of the Napier Competitions Society.

Corporal R. A. Hooper, of the Second Echelon, is at present on leave, and is staying with his parents, Mr and Mrs B. W. Hooper, Greenmeadows.

Mr Albert Bryant arrives this afternoon from Auckland to adjudicate in the vocal and the instrumental music at the Napier Competitions Society's Easter festival.

Private Mervyn Johnstone, second eldest son of Mr and Mrs W. J. Johnstone, of Mangateretere, is now home on leave. He is a signaller at the Burnham military camp, and is a member of the Second Echelon. He leaves for Rotorua and Auckland to-morrow.

Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P., left Hastings last evening for Wairoa, Today he will attend a meeting of the Wairoa Patriotic Committee and later the official farewell function to soldiers now on leave.

A Haka to constitute a Haka-Taparali, and in the patement of the performers and the pakeha public, I would like to point out various matters concerning our hakas, pois, Waiatas, Pateres and Peruperus.

My summing up of last Saturday's competitions would be as follows:

First of all, I take the Patere, which was the first item given by Maora Hakiwai's team from Omahu, later the official farewell function to soldiers now on leave.

o soldiers now on leave.

Mr A. D. Mahoney, Hastings, was accorded a vote of condolence in the loss of his father at Christ-church at a meeting of the management committee of the Hawkee's Bay Cricket Association. A similar expression of sympathy was voiced at a subsequent conference of administrators and unprires of Easter Publications The "Daily Mail" will NOT be published on Friday, March 22, but will appear as usual on Saturday and Monday, March 23 and 25. administrators and umpires of Hastings and Napier.

Mr R. J. Kerridge, managing director of New Zealand Theatres Ltd., Auckland, is visiting Napier.

AT THE HOTELS

Mr and Mrs A. J. Cross (Gore) Mr W. Schultz, Mr L. H. Rowsen Mr T. G. Dobson (Auckland), Mr A H. Harrison (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs H. Harrison (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs Beynon, Mr G. Beynon (Sydney) Miss E. Fogden, Mr C. Fogden (Wel lington), Mr S. Hill (Carterton), are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

Mr E. Curadus, Mr A. P. King, Mr W. G. Dent, Mrs Montgomery, Mr Montgomery, Mr and Mrs Johnson, Mr R. Campbell (Wellington), Mr W. T. Allen, Mr R. Maule, Mr A. Kennedy (Palmerston North), Miss G. H. Thompson (Kaitoki), Mr B. H. McMillan (Dawson Falls), Mr and Mrs W. S. Lee, Mr W. H. Johnston, Mr J. R. Marks (Auckland), Mr J. D. White (Wendon), Mr T. H. Richards (N.S.W.), Mr C. V. Holland (Sydney), Mrs Giblin (Waipukurau), are at the Hotel Central,

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"B. H. McMillan (Dawson Falls), Mr
and Mrs W. S. Lee, Mr W. H. John
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land (Sydney), Mrs Giblin (Wai
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Napier.

"Mr R. Innis, Mr D. G. Falconer
(Auckland), Mr and Mrs L. D.
Hurst, Mr and Mrs Crawford, Mr
Clark Johnson, Mr T. R. Lawson,
Mrs W. F. Airey, Mr and Mrs Ernest
Nees, Mr A. J. Leach, Mr N. Arch
er (Wellington), Mr H. Ware (Palis)
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Mrs E. M. Arnold, Mr F. Lonsdale (Wellington), Mr J. Kirk (Trentham), Mr H. Whittaker (Palmerston North), are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings

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Mr W. J. Kerr, Mr J. Johnson, Mr A. Stevenson (Wellington), Mr A. Kennedy, Mr W. Maule, Mr. Stewart, Mr R. Lightfoot (Palmerston North), Mr A. Richardson (Masterton), Mr A. H. Gibb (Gisborne), Mr W. Stains, Mr W. Estcourt, Mr H. Reid, Mr H. A. Barrett (Auckland), Mr T. A. Neil (Dannevirke), Mr H. Hilton (Wanganui), Mr A. Morley (Woodville), are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

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Centennial Visitor

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The Rev. Professor A. E. Albiston, President-General of the Methodist Church of Australasia, was the speaker at the Hastings Methodist Church last night. Professor Albiston is visiting New Zealand in connection with the Methodist Church's shave in the Centennial celebrations. Judge Shepherd, Mrs G. P. Shepherd, Mr W. K. Dallas, Mr J. H. Thorp (Wellington), Mr P. Mc-Verry (Dannevirke), Mr B. G. Goodwin, Mr C. J. Hewitt (Palmerston North), Mr P. C. Aekins, Mr L. E. Smith (Auckland), Mr Wallace Nelson (Otorohanga), Mr W. lace Nelson (Otorohanga), Mr W. G. Nolan (Wairoa), Mrs A. D. Gil-lies (Maraetotara), Mr Trevor Hor-(Gisborne), are at the Grand

The Breakfast

The weary, road-stained hitch hiker entered the office of a gipsy fortune-teller in Cincinnati. The gipsy motioned to a chair and then sat opposite the hitch hiker.
"Now, my friend," the gipsy began, "let me examine the palm of your hand and I will see what the future holds for you."

future holds for you."

The hitch hiker shook his head.

"Never mind my palm," he signed.

"Just look at my thumb and tell me when the heck I'm gonna reach

St. Louis!'

Talking about income-tax, a correspondent tells us he is seriously considering suggesting to his inspector that he should be allowed to keep the tax and let the Govern ment have the income.

The visitor to the village was talking to the oldest inhabitant. "May I ask how old you are?" he said to the aged one.
"I be just a hundred."

said to the aged one.

"I be just a hundred."

"Really? Well, do you suppose you'll see another hundred?"

"Well, I be stronger now than when I started on the first hundred."

Parker's have just entered into an agreement with a highly experienced English clothing manufacturer, now operating in New Zealand, to make up, on the very latest English lines, a wonderful range of cloths, especially imported from Home.*

LETTERS to the EDITOR HAWKE'S BAY,

Maori Centennial Competitions

Sir,-As one who happened to be present at the Maori haka competition at Nelson Park when a challenge was made by one of the Maori Chief judges concerning the judg-ing, and as one who takes a great in-

(1) What is the difference between a Patere and a Waiata? Give eir value. (2) What is the value of a Haka.

(3) How many parts are there in Haka to constitute a Haka-Tapa-

Weight Guessing

The following are the results of

the weight guessing competition held at the Hawke's Bay Agricultural and Pastoral Society's Autumn Show, which was held at Tomoana last week:—J. T. Couper, Pukahu, 373lbs, 1; Mrs R. Breach, Otane, 375½ lbs, 2. The weight of the sheep was 3713.

nection with the Methodist Church's share in the Centennial celebrations. The choir last night sang the "Gloria," and "Watchman, What of the Night?" Miss Joyce Symonds gave a solo, "Hear Ye, O Israel," from "Elijah."

Information has been received by

Hawke's Bay Automobile Associa-tion that preparations for road-seal-ing are being continued in the Esk Valley, approximately 15 miles from

Napier, and also from the Tangoio Valley to the foot of White Pine

warn all motorists traversing these localities that the greatest care is required, not only because of the

dangerously greasy surface, but also because of the flying oil which is very difficult to remove from the bodywork of the car.

Just as blindness is considered one

of the greatest human calamities, so is good eyesight a boon, the preservation of which is of paramount importance. Consult Azzopardi and Holland, Op-ticians.*

To-day's Diary

NAPIER

Farewell to troops, Municipal The-

"Everything's On Ice," and "The Marshal of Mesa City," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"I See Ice," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Ali Baba Goes to Town," and "Tarzan's Revenge," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

HASTINGS

Beekeepers' Convention begins. Stortford Lodge Sale, 10 a.m. H.H.S.O.B. Football Club annual

meeting, Band Room, 7.30.

"Meet Doctor Christian," State

2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Yes, My Darling Daughter," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Brother Rat," Cosy, 2 and 7.45

p.m. onflict" and "She's Dangerous," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

he Theatres:

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The association desires to

Road Repair Work

Women's Patriotic Work

Moteo and Waiohiki, and Te Uira

Moteo and Waiohiki, and Te Uira Tomoana's party took a Waiata for the same item, and was placed second to the Patere. Why?

In my opinion I would place Te Uira Tomoana first, and Maora Hakiwai second because Te Uira's team gave more volume and unison in their rendering of "Pinepine te Kura." In Maora Hakiwai's rendering of "Poi atu taku poi" there were only five voices singing instead of 80 voices, not a man's voice was heard to make a more blending ing, and as one who takes a great interest in the welfare of the Maori people and their arts and crafts, I would like to ask one or two questions in respect to the challenge made.

Only live voices a man's voice was learn to make a more blending effect to that famous and well-known Patere "Poi atu taku poi" chanted by the Tuwharetoas in the last continued.

In allotting the points to each team I would say:—

What is the value of a Haka, Te Uira Tomoana's team, 1st compared with a pakeha action?
How many parts are there in the toconstitute a Haka-Tapa-7.
The Uira Tomoana's team, 1st prize. Points: Waiata, "Pinepine te Kura" 9; action song, European tune 35; action song, own selection 35; Maori item, Poi 35; haka 50.

35; Maori item, Poi 35; haka 50. Total 164.

Maora Hakiwai's team, 2nd prize. Points: Patere "Poi atu talin poi" 7; action song, European tune 35; action song, own selection (the Migration) 50; Maori item 30; haka 40. Total 162.

Mihiroa Mohi's team, 3rd prize. Points: Patere or Waiata 0; action song, European tune 35; action song, European tune 35; action song, European tune 35; action song, Total 160.—I am, etc.,

KARO TAIAHA.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

| Easter Closing Napier shops will be closed from 9 ρ.m. to-morrow until 9 a.m. of Tuesday for the Easter vacation ac cording to a statement issued by the secretary of the Napier Retailers Association (Mr J. St. J. Hind

Attempted Suicide

An elderly man, whose name was suppressed, in the Hastings Magistrate's Court yesterday morning was charged with attempted suicide. The defendant pleaded guilty, and was ordered to come up for sentence within six months if called upon.

Thanks to the Press

Mrs Perry, of the Napier Women's Patriotic Service Corps, requests that all who are knitting balaclavas In his concluding address at the inter-house sports on Monday night the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G, A. Maddison) expressed thanks to the Press for the assistance they had given in the Centennial Week. The success of the venture was largely due to their co-operation, he said. will complete and return them to the depot, Tennyson Street, not later than March 26, together with any wool that may be left over. More vool is available for mittens and

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS MILD WESTERLY WEATHER.

WEATHER

Winds: Light to moderate northerly to westerly predominating. Weather: Fair to fine and mild. Seas: Slight.

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esterday at 5.30 p.m. at	Napier
y the Government recorde	er (Mist)
. Hutton) are as follows:-	
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Hastings Weather

	Meteorological readings	s take
	yesterday at 5 p.m. at the	Hasting
3	Magnetic Observatory,	
	Park, were as follows:-	
1	Dry bulb temp	68.0deg
1	Wet bulb temp	63.0deg
-	Maximum temp	79.0deg
9	Minimum temp	47.0des
,,	Grass	39.0deg
-	1ft. underground	67.2deg
	Cloud	6
	Wind	S.E.2
	Rain	Nil
	Rain for month	0.71in.
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Dominion Forecast

General situation: There has been little change in the situation. An almost stationary anti-cyclone is centred over the North Island, while

Forecast: Wind: Rather variable, with easterly predominating in the Auckland Peninsula, northerly to westerly elsewhere. Force mainly light or moderate, freshening later in South Taranaki and Hawke's Bay.



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Very smart, with medici collar
and high shoulder effect, and
lining to tone.

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Link or three-button, semi-fitting styles, in plain shades and pin stripes.

Navy, Black, Nigger, and Air Force. S.S.W. to X.O.S.

Prices 84/- to £6/6/-.

BLOUSES In Crepe-de-Chene, Georgette, and Satin. Large assortment of shades and styles.

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken

pressure remains low over south-eastern Australia.

Mr. F. S. Budd, who for many his work as State Welfare Officer years has represented the A.M.P. was described by Captain II. Sut-Society in this district, will in future liffe yesterday in an address to the have associated with him as partner Hastings Rotary Club. A boy who Mr. Claud J. Ball, who for twelve had several times previously been years has been on the agency staff in trouble was again before the Children and the court of the several times previously been in trouble was again before the Children and the court of the several times previously been in trouble was again before the Children and the several times previously been the several times previously been in the several times previously been the several times again before the Children and the several times previously been the several times previously the several times previously the several times previously the sever

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SQUIRREL, SKUNK, and FOX FURS In swivel stole and tie shapes. Prices from 59/6 to £11/11/-.

Price £7/7/-. TWO-PIECE SUITS
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Wool, some with smart cravat,
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In Moss Green, 2-length coat with swing back, frock cut on slimming lines with pleated skirt. Stitched collar and shoulder yoke finished with buttons and buckle of yellow ochre.

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EASTER

PRICE INDEX FIGURES BOXING BOUT ARE LOW

Favourable Comparison With The Last War

MINISTER'S STATEMENT

By Telegraph—Press Association

An announcement that in spite of increased costs overseas and increased costs of shipping in all groups, the price index for January—the latest month for which figures are available—was only 1.3 per cent. higher than that for the last pre-war month, August, 1939, was made by the Minister of Defence (the Hon. F. Jones) in an address to the annual meeting of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce to-night.

"This figure compares very favourably with the United Kingdom figure, which has lately shown a tendency to rise to alarming levels," Mr Jones said.

"The value of the Price Tribunal is further seen in the

fact that whereas prices have risen by only 1.3 per cent. in five months, in the corresponding five months following the outbreak of war in 1914 prices rose by almost 9 per cent.

"A further reassuring factor is that while the early months of the Great War showed an unbroken rising tendency, the early months of this war show that prices are

"Prices remained steady up to October, with a slight rising tendency. A sharp rise in November was followed by a drop in December and a further sharp drop in January."

gave rise to that odious term 'profit-eer' has changed to some degree and been replaced by a higher standard of business morality. Some increase of prices we must have. That ap-pears inevitable; but what we must avoid is that dreadful spiral of ris-ing prices followed by rising wages and resultant rising costs to indus-try.

Unfair Profit

Mr Jones said that it was a sad reflection on human nature that after good men had risked their lives in ships bringing merchandise to our shores, some men — and he thought that they were in the minority—would use that same merchandise as a basis for making unfair profit. A fair rate of profit was difficult of definition, but every man knew in his own heart when his profit was excessive.

WELLINGTON, March 19.

Up to Friday night the Central Military District was 675 short of its quota of fit men for the Third Echelon of the Second N.Z.E.F. Enlistments at that date totalled and 4830 had been sent to camp. There was a balance of 1524 fit men available for posting to camp. The district's Third Echelon quota is 2190.

Details for the four areas in the

The commercial community could make a definite contribution to the war effort by avoiding the war psychology that prompted people to take advantage of the strong demand existing side by side with war scarcity.

2190.

Details for the four areas in the district are as follows (No. 5 Area, Wellington and Hutt Valley; No. 6 Area, Wanganui-Palmerston North; No. 7 Area, Hawke's Bay-Gisborne-Wairarapa; No. 8 Area, Taranaki):

Good Work The price tribunal had done much to prevent prices from rocketing. It had acted as a steadying feature, and it could do even better work if it received the co-operation of the businessmen of the country.

Enlisted Fit Temp.

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A FAREWELL BALL

TRIBUTE TO THE **TROOPS**

MAORIS' EFFORT

Proceeds For Patriotic Fund

To-morrow night in the Hastings Assembly Hall the Maoris will stage a grand farewell ball to the Maori and pakeha troops who are now on leave

leave.

The ball has been organised by the Maoris of all pas in the district who wish to pay tribute to those who will leave the Dominion at some future time for service overseas. During the evening the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) will present gifts to the troops.

The proceeds of the ball will be donated to the Mayor's Patriotic Fund. To raise money for the same object, the Maoris are also holding a shop, next door to Lahoods, which will be open all to-morrow for the sale of produce. The profits from this enterprise will be earmarked by the Mayor to provide comforts for the Maori troops.

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The dance in the evening will offer a particularly attractive means for the public of Hastings to express some of its appreciation to those men who have sacrificed much to the call of their country. It is hoped by the Patriotic Committee that as many as possible will endeavour to be present.

Popular Members

Of Forces

Attack Against Patrol

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In the second, the Germans back.

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Are you fully insured against fire? Consult the General Assurance Corp. C. C. Willis, Tennyson Street, Napier, Chief Hawke's Bay Agent. The General Assurance were dealt with, it adds.

The official agency in Berlin says that the French batteries participating in intensified "strafing" were dealt with, it adds.

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The French day communique states: "Our infantry and artillery fire frustrated an enemy attempt to creep through to the east of the Moselle."

COMPETITIONS OPEN TO-NIGHT

Messrs J. D. Ormond And

PRESENTATIONS MADE

Messrs J. D. Ormond, of Waipukurau, and T. Nesbitt, of Napier, who are members of the Second Echelon of the second New Zealand Expeditionary Force, were met by friends and well-wishers in the lounge of the Caledonian Hotel, Napier, on Monday evening.

Mr I. L. Prime, on behalf of those present, presented Messrs Ormond

UNLIKELY

STRICKLAND AND **RICHARDS**

WAR CONDITIONS

Amateur Tour Also Postponed

Mr. Addridge said that he agreed with Mr. McCluskey that nothing further should be done about the tour in the meantime.

SERIOUS FIRE AT WAIROA

BLAZE SPREADS FROM IRON SHED

WOMAN COLLAPSES

Outbreak In Early Morning

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

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Enlisted ... 4469 1782 2740 1501
Fit 2968 1244 1899 1127 A fire broke out about 2.30 o'clock yesterday morning in premises owned by Mr J. Corkill, behind MacDuffs Ltd., Marine Parade, Wai-297 82 83 127 563 127 429 177 roa.

The fire had a good hold before the alarm was sounded.

The building was a large iron shed that was used some years ago by a blacksmith and wheelwright, but since only a few articles of little value have been stored there, excepting machinery, two large counters and a piano.

It is understood that no insurance was held on the building nor on its

The brigade was soon on the scene but not before the fire had destroyed everything, and spread to the ick portions of the two sh front, one occupied by MacDuffs Ltd. and the other by Mrs McGregor. The back portion of the latter, a book club and milk bar, was used as living quarters.

MacDuffs Ltd.'s store room suffer-MacDuils Ltd.'s store room suffer-ed extensive damage, all reserve stocks being destroyed but little damage was done to the business portion except the ceiling, which was scorched; some stock was dam-aged by water.

The rear portion of the book club was also considerably damaged.
The occupants had to leave their beds hurriedly. Mrs McGregor collapsed after being carried out of the building by a St. John Ambulance man, and her removal to hospital was necessary, where she was treated for shock.

The Germans suffered severe losses in the largest attack on the Western Front since the outbreak of the war. Three engagements occurred. ed for shock.

The Fire Brigade succeeded in preventing the fire from spreading to a dwelling situated close by.

If this house had caught alight damage might have been great, as most of the buildings thereabouts are old and of wood. As it is, no evidence of a fire can be seen from the main street.

The premises accurated by Market and Street. In the first, the French at dawn found Germans installed in their advance posts, which are not normally manned at night. French patrols attacked and forced the Germans back.

Britain's Ship Losses

QUESTIONS IN HOUSE Statements Are Unduly Favourable"

REPLACEMENT LAG

British Official Wireless. (Received March 19, 12.45 p.m.) RUGBY, March 18.

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By relegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, March 19.
According to Mr. G. P. Aldridge, secretary of the New Zealand Boxing Council, who has just returned from a trip to Australia, it does not appear likely, unless conditions are modified, that it will be possible to bring the heavyweights Strickland and Richards together for a fight in this country.

Mr. Aldridge said that Richards is very keen to come and that he felt that if the decision were left to him, Richards would make the trip. His manager, however, was holding out for a purse of f1000.

Amateurs

In regard to the proposed visit to New Zealand by a team of Australian amateur boxers, Mr. Aldridge said that although in Melbourne the officials were quite ready and willing for the tour to proceed, Mr. McCluskey, of Brisbane, secretary of the Australian Amateur Wrestling and Boxing Association, in a telephone conversation, told him quite definitely that the officials of the association in Queensland were opposed to the tour taking place while there is so much agitation in respect to military service.

Mr. Aldridge said that he agreed

(Received March 19, 12.45 p.m.)

RUGBY, March 18.

The Minister of Shippining (Sir John Gilmour) paid a tribute in the House of Commons to-day to the wonderful spirit in which he men of the Mercantile Marine are responding to the calls upon them despite the violent and inhumane enemy at tacks to which they are exposed.

Sir John was speaking in a debate on an Opposition motion expressing regret at the absence of efficiency and foresight in the administration of his Ministry, and calling for speedy expansion of the shipbuilding resources to make the violent and inhumane enemy at tacks to which they are exposed.

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Mr Shinwell expressed the opinion that the Government statements of shipping losses gave an unduly favourable impression. On the one hand, he said, the total was swollen by including a number of large liner seither laid up or of small cargo capacity, while on the other hand the figure of losses was confined to the tonnage of ships actually sunk by the enemy and overlooked many that had been damaged.

Mr Shinwell, on this basis, argued that the total losses in the first six months of the war might amount to as much as three-quarters of a million tons.

Heavy Burden

"Mr. Webb requested me to have a look at this job, and I have in spected it and looked up the records," said Mr. Semple. "I now surface, and shall be pleased to serve in any constructional combant to tell you that this job will stop to-night. This country cannot carry the load it is carrying with the returns it is getting for the money spent. If men do not give an adequate return they are imposted. "I want no commission and no special consideration. I am preparated, if my services are accepted, to live on soldier's pay.

"I offer my services because I realise that it is going to be a titanic struggle and that any man who can that is not more than we ought to live on soldier's pay.

"I for the war might amount to as sustenance in the world, and that is not more than we ought to live on soldier's pay.

"I feel that the knowledge I have gathered through life will be of some assistance in this direction.

"I want no commission and no special consideration. I am prepared, if my services because I realise that it is going to be a titanic struggle and that any man who can that is not more than we ought to live and shall be pleased to surface, and shall be pleased to serve in any constructional combant to tell you that this job will kinds, both underground and on the surface, and shall be pleased to serve in any constructional combant to tell you that they in the records, and shall be pleased to serve in any constructional combant to tell you that the previo

Safety Devices.

In reply, Sir John Gilmour described the measures taken to supply merchant vessels with more safety devices with means of self-defence against illegal Nazi warfare, and with more wireless operators. The Admiralty and War Office, he said, were giving every assistance in arming merchantmen, and the best progress possible had been made consistent with the obvious difficulties of supply.

Under the scheme for assistance to shipbuilding which came into effect before the war, he added, loans for over £4,750,000 had been granted in respect of 55 new vessels.

Mr Graham White, for the Liberal Opposition, urged the necessity to give means of self-defence without delay to all ships, large or small.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty (Mr G. H. Shakespeare) said that at the outset of the present war, there was upwards of 900,000 tons of naval and about 750,000 tons of naval and about 750,000 tons of merchant tonnage under construction, and since then the Admiralty and the Shipping Minletty had greatly stimulated orders of both classes of ships. The Admiralty, having taken responsibility for shipbuilding, as in the last war, was alty, having taken responsibility for shipbuilding, as in the last war, was to strike a balance between the country's needs of warships and merch

The opposition motion was defeated by 266 votes to 99.

R.A.F. ACCIDENTS ARE FEW

No Rise In Ratio

FINE RECORD IN WARTIME

High-Pressure Training

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It is revealed that there has been no increase in the ratio of Royal Air Force accidents to flying hours since the outbreak of war, despite since the outbreak of war, despite the high-pressure training and the increased number of aerodromes at which there is now greater conges

WOULD THE ALLIES AID TURKEY?

Question In Commons

REPLY

MR R. A. BUTLER'S

British Official Wireless. (Received March 19, 12.45 p.m.) RUGBY, March 18.

RELIEF JOB

QUICK ACTION BY MR SEMPLE

"SHOCKING COST"

Country Cannot Carry Burden

By Telegraph—Press Association.
CHRISTCHURCH, March 19.
Descending on a No. 13 scheme relief job at the new Burwood golf course this morning, the Minister of Public Works (the Hon. R. Semple) closed it down on the spot and sent 57 men employed there to their homes. Addressing the men, the Minister referred in scathing terms to the amount of work that was being done by the men concerned.

Mr. Semple was acting for the

Mr. Semple was acting for the Minister of Labour (the Hon. P. C. Webb). Mr. Semple said that he had been in touch with Mr. Webb by telephone, and Mr. Webb had approved of his action in dismissing the men, assuring him of his view that the time had come for a "show down."

Heavy Burden

not going to continue.

"We give the highest relief pay and sustenance in the world, and that is not more than we ought to if we get a fair go. We expect a fair spin when we take the lead, and have we got it? We have not. We have not got it on this job, and I suppose that the same will be proved when an investigation is made of other jobs."

Shocking Cost

Mr. Semple said that the cost per yard on the job was shocking, and it was not hard work. He understood that stop-work meetings had been held and people had been threatened. Those responsible for that sort of thing would have any amount of time to hold job-control meetings. Leaflets and poisonous matter had been distributed round this work.

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The spokesmen for the dismissed men said later that the Minister had been misled by the employing authority, and added that they would welcome a public inquiry. Fifty per cent. of the men had been employed, they said, on maintenance work, and on occasions all of them. The charges regarding seditious propaganda were completely contrary to fact. Fourteen of the men had enlisted for military service.

The committee alleged that the equipment was disgraceful, some of the gangs being engaged in shifting soil on stretchers made from sacks.

A RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY

The Prime Minister's

By Telegraph-Press association WELLINGTON, March 19.

The following resolution with reference to Mr. Savage's illness was passed at the annual conference of the New Zealand Federation of Labour: "That conference extends its heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Savage in his illness, records its appreciation of his long years of service to the ideals of Labour, and expresses the earnest hope that he will soon be restored to health, that the Labour movement will have the benefit of his wise leadership for many years to come, and that this resolution be conveyed to Mr. Savage forthwith." WELLINGTON, March 19.

THE £100,000 GIFT TRUST BOARD

Additional Members Appointed

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, March 19. When Mr. J. R. McKenzie anounced recently at Palmerston forth his gift of £100,000 for charitable and educational purposes within New Zealand, it was stated that an additional three members of the Trust Board would be appointed later.

RUGBY, March 18.

The Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs (Mr. R. A. Butler) was asked in the House of Commons if, in view of the fact that Finland was the second country to fall in a war of aggression, a comprehensive plan existed between France and Britain to render immediate military aid to Turkey should her integrity be threatened, or if it was expedient for her to go to the aid of neighbouring States.

Mr. McKenzie announced at today's luncheon of the Wellington Rotary Club the following additional names: Mr. J. S. Barton, nominated by the Governor-General; Colonel C. H. Weston, K.C., nominated by the Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers); and Colonel F. T. Bowerbank, Director-General of Medical Services (Army ann Air Force), selected as representative of the British Medical Association.

Hon. R. Semple INCREASING THREAT OF Offers Services As Soldier

Would Prefer Work In Construction Company

Over Age Limit

No Commission Or Special Privileges Wanted

CHRISTCHURCH, March 19. An offer to serve in the Army

letter to Major-General Duigan reading as follows:—

"I have decided to offer my services to the Army through you. I am over military age, but my health is good, and I feel that I can stand up to any hardship that I may be called upon to encounter.

"I have had a lifetime of experience in constructional work of all

Little Stability On Market

WAIPUKURAU SALE

Store Cattle Clear Fairly Well

THE REALISATIONS

There was very little stability as far as the market at Waipukurau to-day was concerned; this was accentuated by the absence of outside buyers. However, the sale was brighter than anticipated in the store cattle section, due to the weather conditions, and the values compared favourably with those of Stortford Lodge last week.

The best selling of the day was for 18-month steers, which brought from £5/8/- to £5/14/- for the better grown lines and as cheap as £4/2/-

grown lines and as cheap as £4/2/-, for the small grown sorts. Two-off steers brought £6/7/- to £7/5/-, with very forward making £7/15/-. Three-off steers made £8/5/- and very forward £9/6/-. Fattening cows made from £3/10/- to £4.

Store Cattle On account of Mr J. Spiers, Wan-stead, 18 very forward three-off A.A. bullocks in first class order sold at £9/6/-. Off high country and raisof medium grown two-off A.A. steers in medium order realised £6

An entry of 19 medium grown three-off A.A. steers in forward order failed to attract a bid. der failed to attract a bid.

An entry of small grown A.A. 18 month heifers in fair order sold at £2/8/. On account of Mr S. A. Limpus, 17 dehorned two-off Hereford steers, well bred and in good forward condition, being an attractive line, brought £8. On account of Mr R. Meredith, 33 clean bred 18 month A.A. steers in good order brought

A.A. steers in good order brought An offering of 21 fairly grown two-off A.A. steers in good store order to forward were passed at £6/19/-, which was much below their

Fat Cattle

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY Welfare Officer Describes

A striking account of the causes and consequences of the ever-increasing juvenile delinquency in the Dominion, together with an interesting summary of the methods employed in checking its spread, was given to Hastings Rotarians yesterday by the State Welfare Officer for the district (Captain H. Sutcliffe, of the Church Army).

The Position In The

Hastings Area

"We are proud of our town," said Captain Sutcliffe. "It is go-ahead, modern, and progressive. Its hospital treatment ranks equal with anything I have ever experienced anywhere. One cannot help but be struck with the care and attention given the patients; but the town has the reputation of being one of the worst in New Zealand for juvenile crime.

"That doesn't make pleasant hearing, but it is true. Juvenile delinquency is on the increase.

For this the police were not to blame, as they were not supermen. Referring to the causes underlying the crimes, Captain Sutcliffe said that some people attributed them to motion pictures which practically glorified criminals. On the other hand, however, thousands of other children saw these pictures and were not affected. Detective literature was frequently blamed, but here again many were not influence.

here again many were not influence ed. Taken together, however, these and similar reasons all helped make a boy go "off the rails."

Explaining the methods he employed on being informed of a youth who had been detected, Captain Sutcliffe said that he was given full particulars of the case. He then visited the boy's home, and outlined the situation to the parents, who in most cases gave him every possible assistance. He did not believe in crushing a boy's liberty, as he considered that every boy had an innate sense of honour.

Rules of Conduct

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"I have frequently seen some of the boys loitering in the streets at night," said Captain Sutcliffe, "and they provide some interesting, varied and amusing excuses to account for their presence."

Illustrating points in his address with amusing anecdotes of his ex-

BROKERS' REPORTS | HIMPING RECORD ON SALE

Waipukurau Yards

OFFERING SOLD

YESTERDAY Brokers report the following sales

yesterday:— Dalgety and Company, Ltd.
Two fat bullocks £13 5/-, 2 bullocks
£6, 20 18-mths P.A. heifers £3 3/-,
17 2-th ewes 17/-, 30 6-th ewes 18/-,
73 4-th ewes 19/-, 63 4 and 5-yr ewes

Williams and Kettle, Ltd. Williams and Kettle, Ltd.

Two fat bullocks, 2 fat brindle heifers f5 17/6, 1 red heifer £3, 1 fat heifer £7 5/-, 3 fat cows £6 10/-, 1 roan fat cow £3 14/-, 1 fat red cow £7 7/6, 1 fat Hereford cow £5 2/6, 2 fat Her. heifers £5, 1 fat P.A. heifer £6 9/-, 12 fat cows £6 5/-, 2 fat cows £5 16/-, 1 fat red heifer £6 15/-, 6 fat P.A. cows and heifers £7 3/-, 1 fat Her. heifer £4 19/-.

One yealer £4 1 at 35/-, 9 fat cows

An offering of 21 fairly grown two-off A.A. steers in good store order to forward were passed at £6/19/-, which was much below their value.

A pen of 15 small grown 18 month Hereford steers in fair order brought £4. An entry on account of Mr S. Train, of two-off A.A. cross steers in good store order made £7. An entry of 12 A.A. steers, medium framed, for fattening, being in fair store order, made £3/10/-.

On account of Mr A. W. Elliot, an entry of medium grown well bred 18 month steers, A.A. in good order, being sound young cattle, realised £5/14/-. An offering of 37 A.A. Hereford cross three-off steers, fair framed, in good order for fattening, made £8/5/-. An entry of 31 small grown 18 month steers in medium order sold at £4/2/-.

On account of Mr D. Rickey, 45 well framed A.A. cows, believed to be empty, in good store condition being a good fattening proposition having just had their calves taken away met the market at £4. An entry of 50 medium grown well bred A.A. 18 month steers in good order having been well done and should go into the winter well, being a sound line, met the market at £5/8/-.

Fat Cattle

A pen of 15 small grown 18 month teers for £1 18/-, 3 fat cows £4 18/6, 3 fat heifers £4 15/-, on evaler £4 18/6, 3 fat heifers £4 15/-, a fat cows £4 18/6, 1 fat P.A. heifers £2 13/-, 46 P.A. cows, empty £4, 4 P.A. steers £6 7/-, 20 heifers £2 13/-, 14 P.A. steers £4 11/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 6 at £3, 14 P.A. steers £4 11/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heifers £2 5/-, 5 P.A. steers £5 10/-, 8 weaner Jer. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heifers £3 6/-, 5 P.A. steers £4 11/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 10/-, 3 prindle steers £2 11/-, 1 brindle heifer £2 6/-, 5 P.A. steers £4 11/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 6/-, 5 P.A. steers £4 11/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heifers £3 6/-, 5 P.A. steers £4 11/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heifers £4 8/-, 2 at £4 5/-, 8 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heifers £4 8/-, 2 at £4 5/-, 8 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heifers £4 8/-, 2 at £4 5/-, 2 P.A. heifers £2 5/-, 9 18-mth heife

COMPETITIONS OPEN TO-NIGHT

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Musical Festival At Napier

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Paying a tribute to the police force for their work in this connection, Captain Sutcliffe said that they were second to none, and were working in a quiet, efficient way to stamp out this type of crime.

However, for every juvenile crime detected, four of five went unsolved. For this the police were not to blame, as they were not superment.

the same place.

Prevention was always better than cure, Captain Sutcliffe remarked, adding that he could not help censuring the policy of stores which left in exposed conditions goods that "shrieked to be taken." A certain type of youth needed protection

exercise reasonable safeguards Headmasters' Work

BROKEN

AMERICAN'S FEAT AT NEW PLYMOUTH

By Telegraph-Press Association NEW PLYMOUTH, March 19. David Weichart, the American geophysicist employed by the oil prospecting company in Taranaki, jumped 12 feet 41-8 inches to-night at a sports meeting held by the New Plymouth Athletic Club, of which he

is a member.

The previous best performance in New Zealand was 12 feet 3 inches by the Australian, E. J. Winter, at Napier in 1936.

A GOOD RECORD OF PUBLIC SERVICE

Dr. Elizabeth Gunn

To Retire By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, March 19. After 27 years and 8 months in

After 27 years and 8 months in public service, Dr. Elizabeth Gunn, Director of the Division of School Hygiene in the Health Department since 1937, will retire on March 31. She will be given a departmental farewell on April 2.

In 1912, when authority for compulsory medical inspection of State schools was placed on the Statute Book, the original staff consisted of two men and two women. One of two men and two women. One of the women was Dr. Ada Paterson, who became director of the service in 1933, and the other was Dr. Gunn, who was appointed director after Dr. Paterson's death in 1937. Dr. Gunn has been prominent in the health camp movement and in

Good Prices At Norsewood

the crusade for open-air schools

Messrs J. D. Ormond, of Wai-pukurau, and T. Nesbitt, of Napier, who are members of the Second Echelon of the second New Zealand

T. Nesbitt Met

move steadily northward, its altitude declining in southern skies, and the days consequently becoming shorter and colder.

The equinox is used to mark the change of seasons, although in a meteorological sense no two places.

Messrs Ormond and Nesbitt suitably replied.

Among those present were:

Messrs I. L. Prime, J. V. Wallis, J. Husheer, G. and T. Lawlor, W. Fugler, L. Bull, P. W. Giblin, P. and D. Kingston, E. Carew, R. Fox and T. Cox.

Third Echelon

Shortage

675 BELOW QUOTA

Enlistments In Central Military District

DETAILS OF FIGURES

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, March 19

WESTERN FRONT

BIGGEST SINCE THE

WAR BEGAN

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Three Engagements End

In French Success

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AUTUMNAL EQUINOX

TO-MORROW

Days Will Be Shorter

And Colder

PARIS, March 18.

WELLINGTON, March 19. An announcement that in spite of increased costs overseas

"The value of the Price Tribunal is further seen in the

responding to control.

"This gives one to hope that the war psychology of 1914-18, which gave rise to that odious term 'profit-and hope and to some decree and

"A few may gain by this process but the majority must suffer." Unfair Profit

DISTINCT IMPROVEMENT IN QUALITY

Chilled Beef Judging CATTLE ON THE HOOKS AT TOMOANA

Good Finish A Feature

"The cattle this year showed a distinct improvement on the previous year, being of very even quality and for the most part well finished," commented the judge (Mr J. Barr, Meat Board supervising grader, Hawke's Bay), referring to the judging on the hooks at Tomoana Freezing Works of cattle in the Hawke's Bay chilled beef championship.

It was pleasing to see that about 63 per cent. of the cattle

were in the light-weight grade and were mostly well-bred types. A feature of the winning bullock was its wonderful eye of meat, which was equal to the eye of meat of the winner in the heavy class, although it was over 100lb. heavier.

The comments of the judge on the dressing and handling of the show beef were very complimentary.

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Placings in both sections were as follows:

Section 1.

Class 680lbs and under dressed weight: Pen. 13, , Tautane Stud Ltd. 1, Pen 49, W. R. Maxwell 2, Pen 52, B. E. O. Nilsson 3, Pen 63, D. J. Holden 4, Pen 9, Tautane Stud Ltd. 5, Pen 45, S. T. Belcher 6.

Section 2.

Class 681lbs to 800lbs dressed weight: Pen 55, D. G. Grant 1, Pen 21, Jameson Estate 2, Pen 2 H. Simmons 3, Pen 51, B. E. O. Nilsson 4, Pen 54, D. G. Grant 5, Pen 75, W. H. Sisson 6.

Pen 9, 590lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Fifth place on hooks in Class 1. Nice bright colour, good inside fat, little bare on brisket, good eye of meat. Pen 10, 686 lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Third place on hook in Class 1. A good type of chiller, good inside fat, a little bare on forequarter. Pen 11, 643lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Ninth place on hoof in Class 1. Fairly good type but lacking covering on shoulders and ribs. Pen 12, 675lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. A good type but a little flat on buttock, well finished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Pirst linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Pirst linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Pirst linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Pirst linished. Pen 13, 624lbs: Pen 14, 64blbs: W. R. Maxwell, Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Pirst linished. Pen 15, 736lbs: B E O Nilsson

Pen 13, 624lbs: Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. First place on hooks in Section 1. Winner of "Weddel" Cup for best bullock on hooks in show. An exceptionally fine carcase of good shape, well finished throughout. For weight the bullock had a wonderful eye of meat which was better than bullocks weighing over 100lbs more. Percentage of meat to fat good. Pen 15, 602lbs: L. E. Harris, Aberdeen Angus . Fair type lacking out side finish but well covered inside. Pen 16, 613lbs: Mount Erin Station, Aberdeen Angus 3½ years. Fair weight the bullock had a wonderful eye of meat which was better than bullocks weighing over 100lbs more. Percentage of meat to fat good. Pen 15, 602lbs: L. E. Harris, Aberdeen Angus. Fair type lacking outside finish, but well covered inside. Pen 16, 613lbs: Mount Erin Station, Aberdeen Angus 3½ years, Fair type of chiller, lacking finish.

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Pen 17, 785lbs: Mount Erin Station, Hereford 3½ years. Coarse appearance, fore end rather bare; un-

Pen 18, 658lbs: Mason Waterworth, Aberdeen Angus. Lacking covering on fore and loin, inside fat

fair.
Pen 19, 611lbs: Mason Waterworth, Aberdeen Angus cross. Buttock not rounded off, good loin but lacking inside covering.
Pen 20, 664lbs: Jameson Estate, Aberdeen Angus 3 years, Seventh place on hoof in Class 1. Good well-

deen Angus 2½ years. First place on hoof in Class 1. First place on hooks in section 2. An exceptionally well shaped and finished bullshaped bullock, fairly well finished but lacking fullness in loin.

Pen 21, 746lbs: Jameson Estate, Aberdeen Angus 3 years. Second place on hooks in Section 2. A very lock with nice round rump and loin, well covered inside. When quartered had a very deep eye of meat with correct proportion of fat to

good type of heavy weight chiller, full loin, well covered inside, short

full loin, well covered inside, short legs; good eye of meat and proportion of fat to meat good.

Pen 22, 748lbs: Jameson Estate, Aberdeen Angus 3 years. Lumpy on loin and shoulders, good type but lacking fat inside.

Pen 23, 760lbs: Jameson Estate, Aberdeen Angus 3 years. Fair type, hind rather long shaped, fat excessive on shoulders.

Pen 24, 628lbs: O. C. B. Clarkson,

buted; inside fat good.

Pen 25, 708lbs: O. C. B. Clarkson,
Aberdeen Angus 3½ years. Eighth
place on hoof Class 2. Fine type,
fat little excessive on shoulder, well

finished throughout, eye of meat not sufficient when quartered.

Pen 26, 598lbs: W. Kinross White,
Aberdeen Angus. Lacking finish

throughout.
Pen 27, 70lbs: W. Kinross White,
Aberdeen Angus. Fairly good type
but lacking general finish.
Pen 28, 705lbs: Kelly Bros. Fair
type lacking finish on buttock, brisket and inside.

Pen 29, 583lbs: Kelly Bros. Good chilling type but bare on buttock.
Pen 30, 456lbs: T. J. Thompson & Sons Ltd., Aberdeen Angus. Lack-

Sons Ltd., Aberdeen Angus. Lacking finish throughout.

Pen 31, 564lbs: H. S. Rathbone, Aberdeen Angus.

Fifth place on hoof in Class 1. Good full buttock but lacking finish on fore.

Pen 32, 627lbs: H. S. Rathbone, Aberdeen Angus.

Pen 65, 698lbs: D. J. Holden, Shorthorn-Aberdeen Angus cross.

Fair type but bare on hind and lacking fullness in loin, well covered inside.

Pen 66, 756lbs: T. White. Second place on hoof in class 2. A very good place

FUND REACHES £1473

WELFARE APPEAL AT HASTINGS

FURTHER £148

New Donations Are Acknowledged

The Hastings and district fighting services welfare appeal fund now totals £1473/2/11. The following donations are acknowledged by the treasurer at Hastings (Mr. W. B. Williams):—

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hooks in section 2. A good well shaped body with very full buttocks, fairly well covered but a little bare

deen Angus 2½ years. First place on hoof in class 2. Fifth place on hooks in section 2. A good well

on hind; when quartered had good leep eye of meat. Pen 55, 725lbs: D. G. Grant, Aber-

Shorthorn-Hereford cross. Lumpy uneven fat but well covered, no full-

Aberdeen Angus. Only fair covering and heavy bone. Pen 68, 634lbs: Rotoatara Station, Aberdeen Angus. Fair type of chiller but rather coarse type fairly well

finished.
Pen 75, 698lbs: W. H. Sisson,
Aberdeen Angus. Third place on
hoof in class 2. Sixth place on
hooks in section 2. A good type of
chiller with good hind quarters but
a little bare on fore. Showed a fair eye of meat when quartered. Good proportion of fat to meat.
Pen 76, 695lbs: W. H. Sisson, Aberdeen Angus. Fat rather unevenly distributed but a well finished body, buttock lacking a little full-

Pen 57, 642bs: Jas. Trotter, Aberdeen Angus 2½ years. Rather bare and lacking finish but good round Pen 58, 736lbs: Est. Mrs L. S. Hol-

For steers up to and including 1200

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Pen 23, 760lbs: Jameson Estate,
Aberdeen Angus 3 years. Fair type,
hind rather long shaped, fat excessive on shoulders.
Pen 24, 628lbs: O. C. B. Clarkson,
Aberdeen Angus 3½ years. Sixth
place on hoof in Class 1. Full buttock but fat rather unevenly distributed; inside fat good.
Pen 25, 708lbs: O. C. B. Clarkson,
Aberdeen Angus 3½ years. Eighth

Pen 60, 734lbs: Est. Mrs L. S. Holden, Hereford. Fifth place on hoof
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Placings on the hoof following Fri
day afternoon's judging were:

LIGHT-WEIGHT CLASS

For steers up to and including 1200
lb. live weight
D. G. Grant, Aberdeen Angus
C. E. O. Nilsson, Aberdeen Angus
Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen
Angus

Coarse appearance, buttock not full, Angus
Marae Downs Ltd., Aberdeen
Angus
H. S. Rathbone, Aberdeen Angus Coarse appearance, buttock not full, fat lumpy, inside fat fair.
Pen 62: 730lbs: D. J. Holden, Shorthorn-Hereford cross. Lumpy upever fat but your large appearance, buttock not full, O. C. B. Clarkson, Aberdeen Angus W. R. Maxwell, Aberdeen Angus Kelly Bros.

ness in buttock.

Pen 63, 660lbs: D. J. Holden,
Shorthorn-Aberdeen Angus cross.
Fourth place on hooks in section 1.
A good type of chiller but lacking a little fullness in buttock, good inside covering. When quartered had a fairly deep eye of meat.

Tautane Stud Ltd., Aberdeen
Angus

Matapiro Station, Aberdeen
Angus

For steers 1201lb. live weight and over For steers 1201lb. live weight and

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Pen 64 652lbs: D. J. Holden,
T. White
T. White
W. Sisson, Polled Hereford
W. Sisson, Polled Angus

PROTEST AGAINST BAN ON SHOOTING

Ahuriri Lagoon Problem Raised At Napier

APPEAL TO BE MADE

"If this area is claimed as a reserve it will be the death-knell of sport in the district. We will have a breeding-ground for game for every other part of the province," said Mr J. E. T. Fenn in the course of a meeting held at Napier last night for the purpose of protesting against the ban on shooting on the Ahuriri Lagoon.

There was a large attendance of sportsmen, presided over by the Mayor (Mr T. W. Hercock). The chairman (Mr H. M. Bishop) and the secretary (Mr I. L. Prime) of the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society were present at the invitation of the conveners of the meeting.

There seemed no reason for depriving sportsmen of the right to shoot on this area, said Mr. Hercock in introducing the subject. It was a natural shootting ground, abounding in good sport. No sportsman would be careless enough to harm stock in the course of his shooting. Mr. G. Harvey added that the area was the only accessible shooting ground for most of the working men of the district. The original reason for the ban was believed to be the risk to men working on the ground, but this factor no longer existed. He believed the property-holders had no objection so long as their property was respected.

their property was respected.

No Objection Made No Objection Made

Mr. A. Edwards, whose property fringes 2½ miles of the lagoon boundary, remarked that he personally had no objection to shooting on the area, and strongly supported the move to obtain permission for it.

No clear reason seemed to have been given for the prohibition, said Mr. H. M. Bishop, chairman of the Acclimatisation Society. The safety factor was mentioned at one time, but was not afterwards referred to.

"In the past few years we have lost several areas, totalling about 30,000 acres," said Mr. J. McDougall.

"The Ahuriri Lagoon is now the only area the working man can reach, and it is suggested that it should be taken away."

Tidal Waters? The Minister of Lands (Hon. F. Langstone) had said that the waters here were not tilad, but it was plain to anyone who inspected them that

Advice was received from the New Zealand Cricket Council that the Bay of Plenty had been success-ful in the ballot for the Hawke Cup match to be played with Palmerston North.

The Wairarapa Cricket Associa-tion write regretting that it was un-able to send a team to Napier. Fur-

. J. Tawse Anonymous Confirmed Bachelor Now S. H. Robb Paddy Doran

D. Cochrane
T. J. Price
House to House collec-

"TRICK RIDING" BY CYCLISTS

NO HANDS ON THE HANDLEBARS

FATALITY SEQUEL

Coroner's Comment At A **Hastings Inquest**

"I am not recording a finding that this youth was riding without hands on the handlebars of the cycle or otherwise, but I know that it is very common in Hastings. It is so obviously dangerous that I can't imagine anyone doing it who values his own safety." These were the words of the district coroner. (Mr George Ebbett) in returning a verdict at an inquest at Hastings yesterday into the death of a 15-year-old Maori youth, James Ihaia Randell, who was killed when the cycle he was riding in Omahu Road on March 6 was struck by a motor truck.

The practice of cyclists riding without hands on the handlebars of their machines was frequently seen in Hastings, said Mr Ebbett, and he did not know if there was any one in that Court who had not seen it. It was practised not only by boys and girls, but by young men and young women.

Caustic Comment.

"I suppose these people think they are showing how clever they are, when really they are revealing themselves as brainless fools," continued Mr Ebbett. He said that it could not be too widely known that the law provided substantial people. the law provided substantial penal-ties for this offence. He did not know if the same facts applied in this case, but he considered that offenders brought before magistrates should be made examples of.

Mr Ebbett spoke also of the dan gers of cyclists riding more than two abreast. He had frequently ob-served this practice in Here-taunga Street. "The next thing that will happen will be an inquest on one of these people who have been killed this way, and perhaps this will act as a warning to these offenders," said the Coroner.

He returned a formal verdict that Randell's death was due to be ing accidentally struck by a motor

Mr J. Greene appeared for the relatives of the youth, while the truck driver was represented by Mr E. J. W. Hallett. Evidence Given.

Mr George Randell, father of the youth who was killed, said that his son was 15 years of age, and was employed by Bixley Brothers, orchardists, at Twyford. Apparently he was returning home when the accident occurred.

rangements in Hawke's

Bay

aster holiday cricket arrangets were discussed by the mannent committee of the Hawke's
Cricket Association at its
thy meeting.

Napier-Hastings seniors vors representative match and a field v. Single fixture is to be add if sufficient players are avail
Hawke Cup Ballot

Hawke Cup Ballot

Vice was received from the Zealand Cricket Council that ay of Plenty had been successial to the ballot for the Hawke Cup

Tonoana freezing works on March 5 was preferred against a 17-year old youth, Ernest Walter Maddox, before Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the property of Eric Taylor, at the property of Eric Taylor, at the propenty of Eric Taylor, at th handle-bars, stated Constable J. H.
Bonnington. When he made to pass

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in the same direction. The cycle was careering all over the road, and appeared to be out of control. The youth had his hands off the handlebars, and was gripping the rear of the seat of the machine.

When approaching the cycle witness slowed to about 15 miles per hour and sounded the horn. When he heard the sound the youth turned around, and this action caused the

ed around, and this action caused the cycle to veer to the right and collide with the truck. After the impact o with the truck. After the impact witness stopped his vehicle as soon as possible. There were no other persons about at the time. The road surface was dry, and visibility was Heard Crash.

He was riding his cycle along
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T time the youth was steering with the left hand and holding a suitcase on the bar with his right hand. He was travelling very slowly and seemed to be handling the cycle quite well.

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Bonnington. When he made to pass the youth the latter swerved to the right, striking the left front mudguard of the truck.

Damaged Cycle.

When Maddox had been questioned by the police, he denied taking the money, but it was found that he was spending freely, continued Detective-Sergeant Revell. He subsequently admitted the theft, but by

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One of the gayest and most exciting comedies to reach the screen for some time will be shown at the State Theatre, Hastings, when "The Housekeeper's Daughter" opens for a special late session at 10.30 p.m. to-morrow.

This picture was produced and directed by Hal Roach, Hollywood's famous producer of riotous and original comedy successes such as the "Topper" series, "Merrily We Live," and others. It is released by United Artists with a well chosen cast headed by Joan Bennett, Adolphe Menjou, Peggy Wood, John Hubbard, Donald Meek and William Gargan. The film is a fast moving, lively romance smartly fashioned to kentric oil the Municipal Theatre, beginning at eight o'clock, a concert programme is to be presented, arranged by members of the Hastings

turn to her mother, who works for the socially prominent Randall famthe socially prominent Randall family. Learning that the family has left town for the summer, the heroine is pleasantly surprised to discover that the young and handsome scion of the family, played by John Hubbard, one of the screen's new leading men, has decided to stay in town and brave the summer heat. Young Randall is determined to break into newspaper work and he accomplishes this feat very easily by accomplishes this feat very easily by using his father's influence.

Aided and abetted by the house-

keeper's daughter, he attaches himself to a murder mystery and from then on the new film proceeds at a terrific pace, introducing merry mixture. terrific pace, introducing merry mixups and unexpected complications. With romance and crime marching side by side, a hilarious climax is provided in a big fireworks scenewhen a gang of underworld hoodlums, who invade the house where Miss Bennett is staying, is put to flight by Adolphe Menjou with the aid of a barrage of fireworks. Hal Roach personally directed as well as produced "The Housekeeper's Daughter" from the famous novel of the same name by Donald Henderson Clarke. The production was filmed from the screen play written by Rian James and Gordon Douglas and boasts sprightly dialogue, tense situations and swiftly

logue, tense situations and swiftly moving drama and romance.

Miss Bennett is excellent as the ective commotion in the lives of five men. Mr Menjou is amusir a screwy newspaperman, and liam Gargan turns in a fine perior mance as Menjou's stooge. Othe

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Gargan. The film is a fast moving, lively romance smartly fashioned to contain all the elements of entertainment and an original idea of its own.

Miss Bennett, portraying the alluring housekeeper's daughter, leaves her underworld boy friend flat to return to her mother, who works for the socially prominent Randall family gramme is to be presented, arranged by members of the Hastings Community Silve Hastings are to be given, followed by community singing. The speakers at the theatre will be the member for Hawke's Bay (Mr E. L. Cullen), the president of the Hastings Returned Soldiers' Association (Mr P. 1 Priest) the Bishop of Aotearoa J. Priest), the Bishop of Aotearoa (the Rt. Rev. F. A. Bennett), and

the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison).

Seating in the front stalls will be reserved for the soldiers and their next-of-kin. There will be no admisnext-of-kin. There will be no admission charge to the theatre, and no collection will be taken. The farewell is primarily for Second Echelon men in the Hastings Zone, but members of the Maori Battalion fid soldiers from other districts are also invited to attend. Gift parcels will be distributed to the Hastings and district soldiers. district soldiers.

Evening Event.

The farewell gathering in the Municipal Theatre is timed to end at 9 p.m., and it will be followed by a dance in the Assembly Hall. Second Echelon soldiers will be admitted free, and a small charge is to be made to the general public. Any profits are to be contributed to the Mayor's Fund, to provide fare-well gifts for departing troops, and for similar patriotic purposes.

The Maori Battalion is to be hon-

oured at a farewell ball in the Assembly Hall to-morrow night.

The Second Echelon troops are to leave Hawke's Bay on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of next week.

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mund, Amigo.

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This year's Doncaster Handicap and Sydney Cup contain more high-class candidates than usual. For the Doncaster Handicap likely acceptors include Mildura and Geebung, who dominate the market, Beaulivre, Gold Salute, Denis, Bonny Loch and The Albatross.

The only doubtful starter is High Caste, at 9.0, who is being asked to

SYDNEY, March 18.

RACKED down to a short price BACKED down to a short price in the Nursery Handicap on Saturday the Awapuni two-year-old Cetewayo was hopelessly chopped back and no notice should be taken of his defeat as he finished like a good class colt into about sixth place, Cetewayo has raced on only three occasions and he looks a good proposition for a race at the Manawatu autumn meeting as he is not engaged anywhere at Easter. Cetewayo is by Phaleron Bay from Chelae (dam of Limulus and Beau Frere), by the Spearmint horse Cyklon from Deneb, by the Welkin from the imported Ladas mare Teppo. Chelae is a sister in blood to Trivalve and a sister to Herowinkie, the dam of Hall Mark and Pure Gold. Cetewayo is bred on classic lines and may be a class three-year-old. in the Nursery Handicap on

carry 8lb over weight-for-age, and also to meet Mildura, the Newmar-ket Handicap winner, at 14lb worse than weight-for-age.

The New Zealander, Yours Truly

SATURDAY

FEILDING RACES

Homily Topweight In Cup

By Telegraph-Press Association. FEILDING, March 19.
Following are the acceptances for the first day of the Feilding races on Saturday:—

KAWA KAWA HIGHWEIGHT, Of £150; 11 miles. Prime Quality 10 6 Ruling Star Thrasos
Lore 10 4 Haupongi
War Lap 9 10 Great Quex

MAIDEN STAKES. Of £150; six furlongs. Pitmark Resinguard Sunfire Sweet Anne Te Oriko Flying High Goldburn Great Fair Hoa Pai

FEILDING CUP. Of £615; 1½ miles.

MANGAONE HANDICAP, Of £300; six furlongs. 9 6 Wings of 8 13 Song 7 8 11 Endorsement 7 8 7 Sea Link 7

ONEPUHI HACK, Of £200; seven furlongs. Gaelic Song Ruatiti Chere Amie 9 2 Nelumbo 8 0 8 12 Little Dorritt 7.13 8 9 Vadanoe 7 8 8 Colibri 7 8 8 Master Hector 7 8 4 Myarion 7 8 2 Selkirk 7 8 1 City Song 7

TAONUI NURSERY. Of £200; five furlongs. 8 13 Poutatau 8 10 Salvation 8 4 Arabella 7 10 Bonnie Bunsby 7 0 uiet 7 0 7 5 All Quiet 7 4 O'Gonelloe

HALCOMBE HANDICAP, Of £250; seven furlongs. Russia Ballet 9 2 Sporting Gift 8 13 Brazil 8 7 Rehearsal 8 6 Lindrum Brunhild ONGA HACK.

Of £180; six furlongs. 9 3 Moradabad 7 11 8 7 Modern Way 7 10 8 5 Bronze Lass 7 8 8 4 Sceptre 7 7 8 2 Debretts 7 7 8 1 Happy 7 13 Ending 7 7 Colincamps 8 1 Val Pere 7 13 Pretty Maid 7 11

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Riding Engagements At Easter

(By MOTUROA)

With the Waipukurau Jockey Club's Easter Monday fixture only a few days off, the Hastings tracks are becoming livelier and, while there were no sensational gallops yesterday morning, the work left the impression that the local team for the Central Hawke's Bay fixture will be a strong one. The winding-up gallops to-morrow and Saturday morning should shed further light on the prospects for the meeting.

the meeting.

All work at Hastings yesterday morning was done on the plough, but owing to the heavy dew, this track was not particularly fast.

Tractive (H. Gilmer) set the ball rolling by finishing just a bit better than Etla (B. Stowe) at the end of five furlongs 1.6 1-5, the first two furlongs being run in 26.

Kinkajou (H. Callahan) beat Waicony (Hannrahan) over five furlongs in 1.5 1-5, the first two in 25 2-5. Waicony was going well to the last furlong, where her saddle slipped and she had to be pulled up from that stage.

Isis (J. Forsyth) was doing just a little better than Lady Garvagh (R. Marsh) over half a mile in 51 1-5, the last three furlongs in 39. Isis looks well, but she is a filly who will probably be better for racing.

Hugme (S. Parramore) and Kalika (G. Stowe) finished together at the end of their four furlongs in 52. Kalika, unfortunately, speedy-cut her leg, but she should be right again before Monday. Hugme ran home well.

The following are the entries for the first day of the Manawatu Racing Club's autumn meeting on April 4 and the main events on the second day:—

First Day

KARERE HURDLE HANDICAP, of £200, 14 miles.—Great Quex, Queen's Dream, Tolaga, Race Boy, Red Sun, War Lap, Ruling Star, Old Surrey, Brigadore, Primak, Game Pit, Bisquit.

AUTUMN PLATE, of £150, 7 furlongs.—Pitmark, Goldburn, Indian Sun, Eupatrid, Mick the Killer, Rollaway, Coronado, Curtail, Boniden, Flamberge, Siegall, Namesake, Davilla, Te Oriko, Amyas Leigh, Don Quex, Taiho, Great Fair, Flying High, Colerica, Goldbridge, Tidal Lass, Daregain, Split Second, Last Acre, Kincora, Augment, Segra, Fly On.

KARERE HURDLE HANDICAP, of £50, 7 furlongs.—Pitmark, Goldburn, Indian Sun, Eupatrid, Mick the Killer, Rollaway, Coronado, Curtail, Boniden, Flamberge, Siegall, Namesake, Davilla, Te Oriko, Amyas Leigh, Don Quex, Taiho, Great Fair, Flying High, Colerica, Goldbridge, Tidal Lass, Daregain, Split Second, Last Acre, Kincora, Augment, Segra, Fly On.

ACCEPTANCES FOR SATURDAY

The New Zealander, Yours Truly literally galloped his way last Saturday into favouritism for the Sydney care leg, but she should be right again before Monday. Hugme ran ney Cup, but Mosaic has also attracted a good following by reason of his second to Reading. The latter has been withdrawn from the Sydney Cup.

Gold Spark, Makai and Dashing Cavalier are expected to give Yours Truly a hard race. Royal Chief is not exciting much interest, due to fis or expected to give Yours Truly a hard race. Royal Chief is not exciting much interest, due to fis or expected to give Yours Truly a hard race. Royal Chief is not exciting much interest, due to fis or expected to give Yours Truly a hard race. Royal Chief is not exciting much interest, due to fis or expected to give Yours Truly a hard race. Royal Chief is not exciting much interest, due to five furly furly into favouritism for the Sydney in the latter has been withdrawn from the Sydney Cup.

AUTUMN PLATE, of £150, 7 furlongs.—Pitmark, Goldburn, Indian

weeks.
Lindrum (Marsh) was travelling very easily alongside Royal Minstrel (Callahan) over once round in 1.45 2-5, the last five in 1.7 and the last three in 40. Lindrum looks an improved horse

three in 40. Lindrum looks an improved horse.
Endorsement (L. Cullen) ran the best gallop of the morning when she beat Modern Way (B. Stowe) by four lengths over five furlongs in 1.4, the last three in 39. Endorsement was under a good hold from the turn and there is no doubt that "Yorkie" Berry has this filly in great nick for Feilding, from which meeting she will probably return for Waipukurau on Easter Monday.

Great Fire ran home easily from the three furlongs with Morning Flight in 42.

Showed Early Speed

Showed Early Speed

Proclamation (Marsh) and Mother-in-Law (Callahan) showed a lot of early speed to run the first two fur-longs on their five in 24 1.5, but they were under a good hold from the turn and required 1.5 1-5 for

ae full distance.

Tableau (Marsh) and the Sieg fried-Morganatic novice (B. Stowe) took 1.20 3.5 for their six furlongs the last five in 1.7 3.5. Tableau looks well enough, but is showing very little dash. Po Atarau (Forsyth) and Arachne

for a good work-out over once round in 1.44, the last five in 1.7 1.5

Royal Spades (Cullen) drew out from Trailer (Callahan) in the last half furlong of their five to win by r engths in 1.5 2-5, the last half mile in 52 1-5. Trailer's effort was an improvement on his previous gallops, but he is still rather back ward.

Among the Riders

local riders will be well spread.
P. Atkins will be at Ellerslie where Kathbella and Yogi are listed among his mounts. W. J. Mudford will also go to the Auckland fixture and also go to the Supela in the Faster line. he will be on Sunola in the Easter Handicap. He has also been engaged ronage he deserves from Hawke's Bay trainers and he should find a greater scope in his new sphere.

H. J. Callahan will ride at Tauherenikau on Saturday when he will be on Kinkajou, Dainty Dell and Black Majesty. On Monday he

and Black Majesty. On Monday he will be at Waipukurau to ride Huntlng Cat, Arachne, Black Out, Show Day and Mother-in-Law.
Rangi Marsh will also do this trip, riding' Royal Minstrel at Tauherenikau, and Goldcraft, Lady Garvagh and Proclamation at Waipuku-

L. Culler will be on Versatile, Royal Spades, City Song and Endorsement at Waipukurau.

J. Forsyth's rides at Waipukurau on Monday are Kalika, Golden Melody, Isis and Calliope.

YOGI SCRATCHED AT AUCKLAND

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, March 19. Yogi was scratched at 11.30 a.m. day for the President's Handicap at the Auckland race meeting.

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(By Moturoa) Improved by her race at Pahiatua the Greenmeadows mare Lady Po Atarau (Forsyth) and Arachne (Callahan) ran right away from Versatile (Cullen) over half a mile in 51 2-5, the last three in 39. They finished together and beat the two year-old by five lengths.

The Ring (T. Winiata) and Red Shoes (L. Deeley) were responsible for a good work-out over once the state of the Hawke's Bay Cup. In the last named event last year for a good work-out over once the state of the Hawke's Bay Cup. In the last named event last year for a good work-out over once the state of the Hawke's Bay Cup. In the last named event last year Lady Furst was hopelessly left but she has shown excellent winning The Ring's Easter mission is in doubt.

Royal Spades (Cullen) drew out from Trailer (Callahan) in the last half furlors of their five to will be a surprise if she does not prove to be a good winner during the autumn fixtures.

Lady Furst has not been overaced and has developed into andsome mare. She is by Sieg-ried from Vigilance by Lord Quex rom Watchful (dam of the Welles-Among the Riders

Hastings horsemen will be kept
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Local wider the Easter week-end and local wider the Easter week-end wider the Easter week-end and local wider the Easter week-end and local wider the Easter week-end wider the Easter week-end wider the Easter wider the Easter wider the Easter week-end wider the Easter wider the Easter week-end wider the Easter wider the Easter week-end wider the Easter wider wider the Easter wider wider the Easter wider wider the Easter wider wider wider the Easter wider G.N. Derby winner Toi, who trace back through Waimea to Manto. This is a great winning family and Lady Furst has already shown

frankicap. He has also been engaged for Nightbeam and Night Pilot.
Brian Stowe will ride Hunter's to the Bulandshar-Royal Song filly to the Bulandshar-Royal Song filly City Song being a good winner later is to complete his apprenticeship with Ernie George at Ellerslie.

Stowe has not been given the patternage he deserves from Hawkey's over the patternage he deserves from the patternage he deserv in the season. City Song comes from a family that have been essentially wet track gallopers and it would not surprise to see her win a good race or two when the tracks become easier.

> The Railway Department announ ces in this issue the running of the excursion train to Wellington on Fri day, March 22. Attention is drawn to the altered departure of the re turn excursion train, which wil leave Wellington Sunday, March 24.

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Dept. Taradale, 5.40 p.m., 6.30 p.m., 7.0 p.m., 7.30 p.m., 10 p.m.

FRIDAY (Good Friday)—Dept. Tara-dale 7.30 a.m. then usual Sunday service. The usual 9.20 p.m. bus from Napier will wait for pictures.

SATURDAY (23rd March)—Dept. Napier, 8.30 a.m., 9.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 12.10 p.m., 1.30 p.m., 2.30 p.m., then usual Saturday afternoon service. Dept. Taradale, 7.30 a.m., 9.0 a.m., 10.0 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 1.0 p.m., 2.0 p.m., then usual Saturday after-

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