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Fantastic Claims Examined In Detail

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Official circles say Nazi airmen have not sunk a single ship in convoy during the war, despite the repeated fantastic

The total damage done to British warships as the result of air attacks is as follows:-

The Mohawk, damaged by splinters on October 16. The Iron Duke, damaged by a bomb on October 19.

One cruiser suffered very slight superficial damage by a bomb which did not explode on October 16.

One warship, which was not a capital ship, slightly damaged by a bomb at Scapa Flow on March 16.

A Berlin communique claims that the Germans sank nine British merchantmen and warships of a tonnage totalling 42,000 tons, to have damaged two merchantmen of 11,000 tons, and to have shot down one British 'plane in yesterday's raid on Scapa Flow. It also claims that an armed merchantman was attacked in the English Channel.

A British communique, commenting on the German claim, says the facts are that the convoy, which consisted almost entirely of neutrals, was not dispersed and is proceeding safely upon its voyage. None of the escorting warships was hit or damaged and no ship was sunk.

MURDERER SAYS

HE DID HIS

DUTY

SIR M. O'DWYER'S

DEATH

INDIAN IN COURT

Prevented Escape

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Not even bothering to remove his

off his hat, but the defendant con-

tinued to grin and had his hands in

his pockets as the story of the mur-

The hearing was adjourned.

Two Cabinets

Formed

Economics And War

THE PERSONNEL

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The newly-constituted War and Economic Cabinets, formed because of the United Australia and United Country Party coalition, are announced by the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menvier on follows:

Army: Brigadier G. A. Street.
Supply: Sir Frederick Stewart.
Air: Mr. J. V. Fairbairn.
Treasurer: Mr. F. C. Spender.
Interior: Senator H. S. Foll.
External Affairs: Mr. J. McEwan.

der was related.

The raiders were driven off by British naval aircraft, one of the German 'planes being destroyed and others hit, adds the communique. Three neutral merchant men were damaged and the British steamship Northern Coast (1211 tons) and the Norwegian Earling Lindoe (1281 tons) reported on arrival at a harbour that they had suffered damage.

The British ship Barnhill (5439 tons) which was unarmed and not in convoy, was set on fire by an incendiary bomb, but the fire was extinguished and the ship is now in

Thus, the German claim that Woman Tells How She 42,000 tons of shipping was sunk yesterday is 42,000 tons in excess of the actual facts. This consider able error is perhaps due to the agitated mentality caused by the Sylt raid, for which agitation every allowance should be made.

The German statement that 11,000 tons of shipping was damaged is not so far out—the actual figure being 11,518. The Danish Viking and the Danish Bothal were torpedoed and sunk yesterday in Scottish waters. The Nazi wrath was thus yented almost entirely upon not vented almost entirely upon neu-

The experience so far gained in the present war in no way justifies the predictions that air power would prove the decisive factor at sea. The only form of attack which has yielded the slightest success to the German Air Force has been attacks on defenceless merchantmen sailing independently, fishing vessels, lightships and lightship tenders. Even so, the losses due to air attack have been exceedingly small in proportion to the effort expended by the enemy.

WAR PROBLEM FOR **NEWSPAPERS**

High Cost Of Paper

PRICES RAISED IN BRITAIN

Rates May Go Up

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The price of newsprint is being increased 90/- a ton from April 1, and there will be a further increase of 70/- in July, making the price then £25 a ton compared with £11 5/- at the outbreak of the war.

This means that British newspapers group-ally will reject him.

papers generally will raise their advertisement rates. Some advocate an all-round increase of ten per cent. and another suggestion is to raise the price of penny papers to three halfpence.

EFFICIENT PRODUCTION OF ARMS

New German Minister Appointed

TWO MORE **NEUTRALS**

ONE VICTIM IN THE **PACIFIC**

LATEST LOSSES

Attack On Convoy Beaten Off

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LONDON, March 22. The Germans sank four more neutral ships, all Danish. U-boats were responsible for two of them, the others being lost by explosions, presumably mines. The victims were the Algier, the Minsk, the Bothal (2109 tons), and the Viking (1153

tons).

The Algier was sunk in the Pacific without warning. Four members of the crew and one woman passenger perished. Nineteen members of the

perished. Nineteen members of the crew and one woman clambered into a lifeboat and were picked up after 10 hours in bitter weather.

The Minsk was sunk by a submarine off the north-east coast of Scotland. Eleven members of the crew are missing. A British warship rescued nine after 36 hours in a small boat.

A German aeroplane bombed a

a small boat.

A German aeroplane bombed a British vessel off the south coast last night. Four members of the crew were killed and one died, including the chief and third officers and the chief engineer.

details available.

Two naval 'planes on one occasion dispersed 10 Heinkels, one Heinkel being damaged by anti-aircraft fire from the escorting warships. Several others were hit by two naval 'planes.

The steamer Phobos (7412 tons), bound for Holland with a cargo of oil, was mined on the south-east coast. A lifeboat rescued 30 members of the crew. They were covered with crude oil. A steamer picked up 19 others. The first officer and six Chinese members of the crew were killed. The vessel is still affoat.

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"The Royal Air Force met with intense anti-aircraft fire, which did not prevent them from reaching their targets and dropping a large number of bombs. The German fighters sheered off when they encountered our fire."

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NEW YORK, March 21.

The Mauretania left the pier at 8 p.m. yesterday. Her long, grey hull was revealed by flashes of 1 in the countered our fire."

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Prayers For Recovery Of

Mr Savage

Arrangement At Church Services To-morrow

The Director of Public Prosecutions said he believed that Azad's real name is Udham Singh and the charge was accordingly amended. Health Bulletin

charge was accordingly amended.

The defendant allegedly made a statement: "I don't mind what sentence I get. I did my duty. I did not intend to take this person's life, I just meant to protest. I don't belong to any society."

A witness, Bertha Herring, a white-haired middle-aged woman told how she tackled the defendant after the shootings. Message Of Sympathy From King And Cabinet Ministers

By Telegraph - Press Association. WELLINGTON, March 22.

told how she tackled the defendant after the shootings.

"I heard a terrific explosion and saw a revolver in the hands of a man," she said. "He turned and came towards me. I felt deep resentment and ran to meet him, grabbed, him and struggled with him. Two gentlemen then leaped on his back."

SCHEME AT CANBERRA

ies as follows:—

WAR CABINET

Prime Minister: Mr. R. G. Mencies.

Navy and Commerce: Mr. A. G.
Cameron.

Attorney-General: Mr. W. M.
Hughes.

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BERLIN, March 22.

Herr Fitztodt has been appointed Minister for Armaments and Munitions for the purpose of centralising and bringing to the most efficient reak the manufacture of armaers.

ECONOMIC CABINET

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"Pravda" says that Wilpuri will be equipped as an important war base and will be able to accommodate the largest warships in the Soviet's Baltic fleet within a month,

NEW ZEALAND'S PART SYLT RAID

Big Share Taken In Bombing Of Hornum

IN THE AIR SIX HOURS

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"Just like Bedlam let loose," was the description given by a 22-year-old New Zealander speaking of the scene over "A dozen searchlights caught our sergeant-pilot's machine and the searchlights got us as I released the bombs. It was a big disappointment not to see the explosion, because we had to get into the clouds quickly.'

The crew of one bomber comprised a Canadian pilot, a New Zealand second pilot, an Irish wireless operator, and an English gunner.

Thirty-five per cent. of the pilots and crew engaged in the raid were New Zealanders and Australians. A further 15 per cent. were from other Dominions. Thus far it has been the Dominions' biggest representation in R.A.F. opera-

A New Zealander engaged in the raid was Pilot Officer

Tony Luxmore, of Feilding. The New Zealanders and Australians concentrated on Hornum. They averaged six hours' flying during the raid. First they flew over north-west Germany to make doubly certain of the location of their military objective, whereupon they gave the German base "all they had" before returning

QUEEN MARY

Smoke was also billowing from

A later message says that the Queen Mary sailed at 8.30 a.m.

Communists On

Trial

CHARGES IN PARIS

Six Soldiers Guard

The Court

SEVEN JUDGES

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LONDON, March 20.

the Samaria's funnels.

and the chief and third officers and the chief engineer.

Raid on Convoy.

An Admiralty communique states that two small neutral ships were slightly damaged in a German raid on a convoy. His Majesty's ships were undamaged. Escorting warships and naval Coastal Command 'planes engaged the enemy.

The damaged neutrals were the Svinta, which was according to schedule.

The Air Minister (Sir Kingsley Wood), speaking in the House of Commons, said: "The Royal Air Force raid on Sylt last night registered direct hits on hangars, which were set on fire. Oil storage tanks also were set on fire. Many hits were made on a jetty, a light rail-way, and other parts of the base. "Reconnaissance flights to-day confirmed the success of TWO BIG LINERS SLIP OUT TO SEA **ALTERATIONS**

ships and naval Coastal Command 'planes engaged the enemy.

The damaged neutrals were the Svinta, which was abandoned and the crew rescued, the Utklippan, which was hit by an incendiary bomb; the Toraelise, also hit but no details available.

way, and other parts of the base. "Reconnaissance flights to-day confirmed the success of the operations. All the reconnaissance 'planes returned safely.

"The Sylt raiders," Sir Kingsley added, "were over double the number of German 'planes which took part in the Scapa Flow raid. MADE ABOARD THE

the British 'planes dropped large parachute flares from a great height, Queen Mary are being removed.

the British 'planes drouped large parachute flares from a great height, lighting up the whole scene and revealing burning hangars and the location of other objects which could be bombed.

It is revealed that one of four heavily-armed towers on the Hindenburg Dam was destroyed. The railway across the dam also is out of action. No traffic has passed along it from the mainland since.

Neutral observers on the Danish-German and German Dutch frontiers say that news of the extent of the British raid is rapidly spreading through Germany despite the very brief and belittling references made in the Nazi Press, which is confining the entire story to allegations that the British 'planes violated Danish and Dutch territory.

Holland made a prompt reply with a semi-official statement denying that foreigr. 'planes violated her territory.

The German official agency claims

ritory.

The German official agency claims that three raiders were shot down. It says that between 15 and 20 'planes participated. Bomb fragments slightly injured three people. The agency denied that a munitions dump at the air base was destroyed.

WELLINGTON, March 22.

The following bulletin concerning the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage's health was issued at 9 o'clock to-night: "The Prime Minister has had a more comfortable day and there is no material change in his condition."

The messages of sympathy received by Mr Savage to-day include one from the King. This reads: "The Queen and I are so sorry to hear that your indisposition is persisting, but we hope you will soon be marking progress towards recovery and we send you our best wishes. (Signed) George R.I."

Messages have also been received by Mr Savage from Mr Neville Chamberlain, Mr Anthony Eden, and Mr De Valera.

The suggestion has been made to the concerning the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage's health was issued at 9 o'clock to-night: dump at the air base was destroyed.

Precise Bombing

Details now received show that the Chamber of Deputies, who are charged with illegally attempting to reorganise the Communist programise programs programs and precision.

The bombing markable smoothness and precision. The bombing markable smoothne

Chamberlain, Mr Anthony Eden, and Mr De Valera.

The suggestion has been made to Mr Fraser that in view of the unit versal sympathy that has been shown by all classes of the community throughout the Dominion in regard to the State of the Prime Minister's health it would meet the general wish if churches of all denominations in New Zealand arranged at their services on Sunday, March 24, for prayers to be offered for Mr Savage's recovery.

Hurried Arrangements.

When the suggestion was conveyed by Mr Fraser to the heads of the churches with whom it was possible to give effect to it. As a matter of fact, in some cases arrangements and already been made for this course to be followed. In others it

PROTESTS AT

NEW ZEALANDER M. Reynaud Forms Cabinet AWARDED THE D.F.M.

HIGH COMMISSIONER INSPECTS AIR **STATION**

R.A.F. Ability Highly **Praised**

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received March 22, 9.15 p.m.) LONDON, March 22. Air Chief Marshal Ludlow Hewitt and the New Zealand High Commis sioner (Mr W. J. Jordan) inspected a large number of airmen at a hangar at an East Anglian bomber station, including New Zealand officers and men who recently carried out their first operation—a sweep over

At Air Marshal Ludlow Hewitt's request, Mr Jordan presented the D.F.M. to Corporal Knight for his skill and courage when wireless operator on December 14 in a raid on Schilling Roads and the Frisian

the North Sea.

"On behalf of the New Zealand Government and people, I want to nomy. say how proud we are of the part you played," he said.

After inspecting the hangars and aircraft and climbing into a bom- that the Ministry was similar was striking proof of the R.A.F.'s ability to hit back and keep on hitting.

He added that the former would meet three times a week and the latter once a week.

Radical).

Pensions: M. Riviere (Socialist group).

Agriculture: M. Thellier (Independent)

The Government is amending the Army and Air Force Acts, placing New Zealand and Australia on the dent as follows:— New Zealand and Australia on the same footing as the other Dominions regarding the application of military and air force law. The dier (Radical Socialist). present Army and Air Force Acts Vice-Premier and Minister of State:

nut New Zealand and Australia in M. Camille Chautemps (Radical the same position as the Colonies because of their patriotic desire not to adopt certain sections of the Statute of Westminster, which the other Dominions desired.

M. Camille Chautemps (Radical Socialist).

Navy: M. Cesar Campinchi (Radical Socialist).

Air: M. Laurent Eynac (Radical Socialist).

8 p.m. yesterday. Her long, grey hull was revealed by flashes of lightning as she slipped to the sea in a thunderstorm. She is believed to have sailed under sealed orders. The demountable cabin walls on the Queen Mary are being removed.

Other Dominions desired.

The amendment will enable the Dominion laws to apply to the Dominion forces overseas and will also enable the United Kingdom's laws to apply to any United Kingdom. Colonial forces visiting New Zealand or Australia.

Socialist).

Armaments: M. Raoul Dautry (no party).

Justice: M. Serol (Socialist).

Finance: M. Lamoureux (Radical Socialist).

Food prices have increased 40 per cent. and industrial materials and can).

Ex-Premier Daladier

New Ministries

British Idea Of Followed

(Received March 22, 9.45 p.m.) PARIS, March 22.

At the request of the President The new Ministry includes MM.

New portfolios are Supplies and Information.

ber and seeing a demonstration of numerically to M. Clemenceau's Information: M. Frossard (Inde-

The Personnel

In France Like That Of Clemenceau In Great War

Has Portfolio Of War And Defence

Economic Council Is

(M. Lebrun), following the resigna tion of M. Daladier, M. Reynaud has formed a Cabinet.

Daladier, Lamoureux, and Mandel, and an inter-Ministerial Economic Colonies: M. Georges Mandel (Inde-Council similar to that in Britain Education: M. Albert Sarraut (Radi-It comprises M. Lamoureux, Finance cal Socialist).

Minister, M. Dautry, and all the supplies: M. Henri Queuille (Radi-Minister, M. Dautry, and all the cal Socialist).

Ministers dealing with national eco
Blockade: M. Monnet (Socialist)

M. REYNAUD.

group).

Public Works: M. Anatole de Monzie (Socialist Republican Union).

Labour: M. Charles Pomaret (Socialist Republican Union). In a statement M. Reynaud said cialist Republican Union).

Postmaster-General: M. Jules Julien

> Agriculture: M. Thellier (Independent Radical). RISE IN PRICES IN

> > BRITAIN

Increase Of 31 Per Cent. Since The War

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Minister: Rev. F. W. Marshall.

EASTER SERVICES.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Quartette at Evening Service.

HASTINGS.

EASTER SERVICES.
Preacher: Rev. C. H. OLDS, B.A. 11 a.m.: "The Resurrection—A Symbol."

7 p.m.: "The Resurrection-A Fact."

Solo: Miss Gwenyth Greenwood,

BAPTIST CHURCH,

Karamu Road S., Hastings.

EASTER SERVICES.

Minister: The Rev. Hayes-Lloyd.

THE SALVATION ARMY,

WARREN STREET.

HASTINGS.

7 p.m.: Easter "Service of Song."

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AND HE GATHERED THEM TO-

GETHER INTO A PLACE CALLED

IN THE HEBREW TONGUE AR-

MAGEDDON." (Rev. 16: 16.)

"THE DESTINY OF THE

(5) The Kingdom of God then established in Jerusalem being extended ultimately to include the whole earth. (Luke 1: 32-3. Jer. 3: 17. Zech. 14: 9. Ps. 2: 8-11; 72: 8-11. Rev. 11: 15, etc.)

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MAJOR L. B. TONG,

(Commanding Officer.)

7 a.m.: Sunrise Prayer Meeting.

11 a.m.; Brigadier H. Smith.

11 a.m.: There is no Death.

7 p.m.: He Lives. He Reigns.

9.30: Sunday School.

Mangateretere at 2.30 p.m.

6 a.m.: Holy Communion.

7 a.m.: Holy Communion. 8 a.m. Holy Communion.

10 a.m.: Children's Service.

7 p.m.: Festal Evensong.

11 a.m.: Sung Eucharist.

EASTER MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1940. TWO COTTAGES AND SINGLE MEN'S QUARTERS AT LOWER DEVELOPMENT PIRIPAUA. J. GUTHRIE, ESQ., Mecanee-Taradale Road.

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- PROGRAMME -Commencing 9.30 a.m. sharp. HORSES

HORSES

(Judge: W. McCaw, Esq.)

-PONY JUMP.

-DRAUGHT HORSE RACE.

-MAIDEN JUMP.

-TURNING COMPETITION.

-PONY RACE.

-OPENING JUMPING.

-YOUNG FARMERS' HACK RACE.

-HANDY HUNTERS' COMPETITION. 1st £5 5/- and Challenge
Cup valued £7 7/-; 2nd £2 2/-; 3rd £1 1/-.

9-HACK RACE. 10-CONSOLATION JUMP. 11-LADIES' RACE. ATHLETIC AND CYCLING EVENTS (N.Z.A.A.A. Rules.)

CYCLING. 1-BOYS' 1-MILE HANDICAP, under

16 years.
2—YOUNG FARMERS' 1-MILE (Roadster).
3—1- MILE HANDICAP.
4—1-MILE HANDICAP.
5—2-MILES HANDICAP.

RUNNING
1—100 YARDS HANDICAP.
2—220 YARDS HANDICAP.
3—440 YARDS HANDICAP.
4—1-MILE HANDICAP.
5—100 YARDS LADIES' HANDICAP.
6—75 YARDS LADIES' HANDICAP.
7—THREE-LEGGED RACE.
8—MARRIED MEN'S 100 YARDS (non-athletes).
9—MARRIED LADIES' RACE.

9—MARRIED MENS 100 TARDS
(non-athletes).
9—MARRIED LADIES' RACE.
10—TARADALE RETURNED SOLDIERS 100 YARDS.
11—100 YARDS YOUNG FARMERS'
HANDICAP.
12—HIGH JUMP.
13—PUTTING THE SHOT.

ENTRIES in Athletic and Cycling Events may be made at Messrs Hal-lenstein Bros., Ltd., Emerson Street, Napler.

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All Athletic and Axemen's Entries close with the Secretary TO-NIGHT (Monday), March 18th, at 8 p.m.
LATE ENTRIES will be accepted seven days after such closing date, subject to LATE FEE of 50 per cent. of nomination, with a maximum Late Fee of 7/6 on any one entry.

CHILDREN 1—BOYS' RACE, under 9 years. 2—GIRLS' RACE, under 9 years. 3—BOYS' RACE, under 11 years. 4—GIRLS' RACE, under 14 years. 5—BOYS' RACE, under 14 years. Entry free. Further events possible. CLAY BIRD SHOOT (9.30 a.m.)

1—9-BIRD YOUNG FARMERS' EYE-OPENER. OPENER.
2-6-BIRD OPEN HANDICAP.
3-9-BIRD HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE.
4-6-BIRD QUAIL DRIVE SWEEPSTAKE.

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7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 11.0: Talk, "Music and Flowers." 11.10: Recordings. 12.0: Running commentary on the Auckland Racing Club's meeting, relayed from Ellersile racecourse. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: District week-end weather forecast. ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

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news. 1.0: Week-end weather forecast.
2.0: Light music. 3.0: Sports results and
recordings. 3.30; Weather report for
farmers. 4.0: Daventry news. 5.0:
Children's session.
5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report.
7.0: News and reports. S.0: A musical absurdity, featuring the Rhythm
Makers. S.32: Henry Croudson (organ), "The Vagabond King" Selection (Friml). S.35: Maorl programme by members of Ngati Poneke Young Maori Club, S.50: Debroy
Somers Band. 9.0: Daventry news.
9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Dance programme. 10.0:
Sports summary. 10.10: Stan Grant
and His Canadlan Capers. (Relayed
from the Majestic Cabaret.)

"There is a Green Hill" (Gounod). 3YA Christchurch

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: "Leaves from a Backblocks Dlary," by Mrs. Mary Scott. 11.15: Recordings. 12.0: Relay from Addington of New Zealand Metropolitan Trotting Club's meeting and lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: Week-end weather forecast. 1.0: Week-end weather forecast. 4.30: Sports results. 4.0: Daventry news and weather forecast. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News service. 8.0: The London Palladium Orchestra. 8.10: The Gay 'Nineties Singers. 8.15: "One Goo'd Deed a Day." 8.30: Philip Green and His Orchestra. 8.34: Jeannette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy (vocal ducts), "Farewell to Dreams" (Rombergs, "Will You Remember?" (Rombergs, "Will You Remember?" (Rombergs, 8.42: Harry Karr (saxophone). 8.48: John Tilley (humour). 8.57: Philip Green and His Orchestra. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: "Band Waggon." 9.43: H. Robinson Cleaver (organ). 9.48: Richard Tauber (tenor). 9.54: Primo Scala's Accordion Band. 10.0: Sports summary. 10.15: Dance music.

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The destiny of Russia revealed in the Scriptures through the prophet Ezekiel. (Ez. chs. 38 and 39.)
 Her part as head of a confederacy of nations to come against Palestine and the Jews in the "latter days" (Ez. 38: 6, 7, 8, 11-12, 14-17.)
 The confederacy temporarily victorious in Palestine and Egypt. (Dan. 11: 40-42.)
 Divine intervention through Christ and the saints who destroy the northern host in the great conflict of Armageddon. (Ez. 38: 18-23; 39: 4-5. Dan. 11: 45. Joel 3: 2, 11; 2: 20. Zech. 14: 1-5. Ps. 149: 5-9. Hab. 2: 5-7.)
 The Kingdom of God then established in Jerusalem being extended ultimately to include the whole corf. (Luke 1: 32-3. Jer. 3: 17.

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. 5.45: For the Children. 6.0: "Carson Robison and His Pioneers." 6.15: Daventry news. 6.30: "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.45: Weather report and forecast for Hawke's Bay. Summary of cricket results. 7.0: Government news. 7.15: "The Circle of Shiva." 8.0: Concert session: Eric Coates and Symphony Orchestra, "Valse" from "London Again Suite," "By the Tamarisk" (Coates). 8.18: Dennis Nobie (baritone). "Famous Ballads by Frederick Weatherley." 8.25: Boston Promenade Orchestra, "Coppelia," "Dance of the Automatons, and "Waltz Czardas." 8.37: Enid Cruickshank (contralto). 8.53: Grand Symphony Orchestra, "South of the Alps" Suite. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: "The Crimson Trall." 9.31: Light music.

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Daventry news. 4.20; Recordings.
5.30; Children's song service.
6.15; Daventry news. 7.0; Anglican service, relayed from St. Mary's Cathedral. Preacher; Dean Wm. Fancourt. S.15; Recordings. S.30; Milan Symphony Orchestra, "Cinderella"
Overture (Rossini). 8.40; Maria Gentile (Soprano). 8.43; London Ballet Orchestra, "Coppella" Ballet Music (Delibes). 8.51; State Opera Chorus, "Extract from the Opera "Czar and Carpenter" (Lortzing).
9.0; Daventry news. 9.20; Weather report and station notices. 9.25; "Music from the Theatre." The Comic Opera, "Die Fledermaus" ("The Bat"), by Johann Strauss.

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a.m.: Station on the air for Daventry news. (News at 6 a.m., 7 a.m., and 9 a.m.) 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report. 11.0: Congregational Church. Preacher: Rev. H. W. Newall. 12.15 p.m.: Recordings. 12.30: Daventry news. 1.0: Weather report and dinper music. news. 1.0: Weather report and dinner music.
Music since 1900: "The Fire Bird
Suite," by Stravinsky. 2.20: Recordings. 3.0: "Leaders of the
Churches in Early New Zealand":
"Bishop Hadfield," by S. T. C. Sprott.
3.15: "These Served Mankind"
(Series 2). A commentary upon
some celebrities and others who
dled during the second half of the
year 1939. 3.55: Recordings. 4.0:
Daventry news. 4.20: Recordings
5.20: Children's song service. Probably ridiculous. But Len Ace claims your attention to the fact that he can handle your building

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Ballet Russe") (Luigini). 8.30:
Oscar Natzke, the great Covent
Garden basso, with 2YA Concert
Orchestra, conducted by Anderson
Tyrer. 8.50: The 2YA Concert Orchestra, "Hansel and Gretel" Selection (Humperdinck). 9.0: Daventry
news. 9.20: Weather report and
station notices. 9.25: "The Merchant of Venice," by William Shakespeare.

3YA Christchurch

2.0: Recordings. 3.15: Sports results.
4.0: Daventry news. 4.30: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session.
5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report.
7.0: News. 8.0: Selections from Gilbert and Sullivan. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: "Hollywood Cavalcade," a review of the outstanding film presentations of the year 1939. 10.15: Sports summary. 10.25: Dance music.

2YA Wellington

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4YA Dunedin

6.0 a.m.: Station on the air for Daventry news. (News at 6 a.m., 7 a.m., and 9 a.m.) 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report and recordings. 11.0: Salvation Army service, relayed from Salvation Army Citadel. Preacher: Mrs. Major Duggan. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: Weather report and dinner music.

2.0: Recordings. 2.30: "Aubade": Concerto for Plano and Eighteen Instruments, by Francis Poulenc, played by the composer and the Straram Concert Orchestra. 2.50: Recordings. 4.0: Daventry news and recordings. 5.30: Big Brother Bill's Song Service.

6.15: Daventry news and recordings. 6.30: Presbyterian service, relayed from First Presbyterian Church. Preacher: Rev. W. Allen Stevely, M.A. 7.45: Recordings. 8.30: The Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York, "La Traviata, Prelude to Act 1" (Verdl), 8.34: Gitta Alpar and Herbert Ernest Groh, "Let Us Fly From These Walls" (Verdl); La Scala Chorus of Milan, "Chorus of Gipsies" (Verdi). 8.40: Grace Adams East, American Trumpet Virtuoso. 8.55: The Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York, "La Traviata" Prelude to Act 3 (Verdl), 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Operatic programme. Excerpts from "Der Freischutz" by Weber: The Basle Symphony Orchestra, "Per Freischutz" by Weber: The Basle Symphony Orchestra, "Per Freischutz" by Verder: "Has Heaven Then." 9.45: Alexander Kipnis (bass), "Caspar's Drinking Song." 9.48: The Philharmonic Orchestra, Berlin, "Entr'acte to Act 3." 9.52: Tiana Lemnitz (soprano), "How Tranquilly I Slumbered," "And Even If the Clouds." 10.0: Chorus and Orchestra of the State Opera, "Huntsmen's Chorus."

2YH Napier

11.0 a.m.: Recordings. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news.
2.0: Afternoon concert session. 4.0: Daventry news.
6.15: Daventry news. 6.30: Miscellaneous recordings. 7.0: Relay of evening service from St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Napier. Preacher: Rev. Stuart Francis. 8.15: Recordings and station announcements. 8.30: Evening concert session: Alexander Glazounov and Symphony Orchestra, "Summer," from "The Seasons Ballet" (Glazounov). 8.39: The Don Cossacks Choir. 8.46: Budapest String Quartet, "Andante Cantabile" (Tchalkovski). 8.54: The State Opera Orchestra, "Faust" Waltz (Gounod). 9.0: Daventry news. 9.26: Erna Berger (soprano), "Cradle Song" (Mozart), "Cradle Song" (Mozart), "Cradle Song" (Mozart), "Cradle Song" (Brahms). 9.31: Boston Symphony Orchestra, "Presto and Waltz" "Hungarian March" ton Symphony Orchestra, to and Waltz", "Hungarian March" from "The Damnation of Faust" (Berlloz). 9.38: Simon Barer (plano), "Etude in F Minor" (Liszt), "Waltz in A Flat" (Chopin). 9.46: Tito Schipa (tenor). 9.53: London Philharmonic Orchestra, "Gipsy and Slavonic Dances" (Dargomyshsky).

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But it is also a Cagney film with a difference and presents him in a role such as his admirers have never seen him in before. "Great Guy" differs entirely from any of Cagney's previous pictures in that it is ney's previous pictures in that it is not merely a pot pourri of sequences loosely strung together, but is a motion picture play in every coast

The story deals with a London newspaper publisher, who had been dramatic climax to an excellent film. Touring Representative: John Farrell, and adventure, and with a story that newspaper,

and district of the Second Echelon of the New Zealand military forces is to be tendered by the Waipawa Patriotic Committee and citizens of Waipawa in the Municipal Concert Hall on Tuesday evening next. It will take the same form as that held in December, when members of the First Echelon were enter-

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numour and drama is heightened most effectively.

The film shows Cagney at his best.

Selected by the Crime Club as one of the four most outstanding mystery stories, Universal's "The Witness Vanishes," which is the second feature, bears out its distinction remarkably well.

Based upon the James Ronald novel, this stirring drama with a Scotland Yard background has a cast including many famous English stage and screen artists. Edmund log players.

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A NEW ZEALAND PREMIERE

Great Comedy As its special Easter holiday attraction the Regent Theatre, Hastings, will present George Formby in his latest epic, "Come On, George."

"Come On George" Is

The opening performance to-day will mark the New Zealand premiere of this film. will mark the New Zealand premiere of this film.

Unanimously acclaimed by film reviewers as George Formby's best and funniest picture to date, it is also a film into the making of which George Formby put all his heart. It is, he has said, the film he had always wanted to make since he left the racing stables to become a screen, stage and radio star.

In addition to Formby, the film boasts a strong cast, which includes such notable performers as Patricia Kirkwood, Joss Ambler, Meriel Forbes and Jimmy Taylor.

In the new film George Formby is seen as a goofy lad with an ambition to become a great jockey. The story, packed with hilarious incidental comedy, shows how he

dental comedy, shows how he achieved this by being blissfully un-aware that the horse he is friendly vith has killed more jockeys than

old age.

When he finds out the truth and becomes terror-stricken, the trainer has him "psycho-analysed" so that he will not know the meaning of fear. Unfortunately, the effect of the psycho-analysis wears off just before the race and George has to go through with it. go through with it.

Throughout, George is his lov-able and inimitable self, deriving a fund of rich and ever varied hum-our from the countless impossible situations into which he is inevit-

bly thrown.
Apart from the irresistible cor Apart from the irresistible comedy scenes, there is a wealth of rollicking music which cannot fail to appeal to every taste. Among the hit numbers featured in "Come On, George," are "Good-night, Little Fellow, Good-night," "Pardon Me," "I Could Not Let the Stable Down," and "I'm Making Headway Now." All are presented with the infectious "Formby" lilt and rhythm.

Not the least virtue of the film is its pace. From first to last it pro-

ts pace. From first to last it pro-needs without let or hindrance, hil-crious situation following hilarious situation, wit pointed against wit and with surprises all the time. This is excellent comedy and perfect holi-day fare. There can be little doubt that early booking will be essential.

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One of the gayest and most exciting comedies to reach the screen for some time is now showing at the State Theatre, Hastings. It is "The Housekeeper's Daughter."

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 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 contain all the elements of entertaincontain all the elements of entertainment and an original idea of its

Miss Bennett, portraying the alluring housekeeper's daughter, leaves her underworld boy friend flat to re-turn to her mother, who works for the socially prominent Randall fam-Learning that the family has eft town for the summer, the her ine 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.

With romance and crime marching side by side, a hilarious climax is provided in a big fireworks scene—when a gang of underworld hodlums, 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 ogue, tense situations and swiftly noving drama and romance. noving drama and romance.

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"The Fighting Gringo"

Also Showing

Hailed as a dramatic revelation on the inside workings of a huge peni-entiary is Columbia's "Behind Prison Gates." It is now at the Junicipal Theatre, Hastings. Municipal Theatre, Hastings.

More than three-quarters of the film takes place within the walls of a large cell-block and startling exposures are said to be made of the manners and habits of present-day prison life. A new and novel element is introduced when a daredevil detective masquerades as a convict in order to get a gang of desperate criminals.

Brian Donleyy, action star por-

Brian Donlevy, action star, portrays a member of the State Attorney-General's office who is trailing a gang of bank robbers. The clever crooks get themselves in gaol for a minor offence so as to divert suspicion from themselves. The detective is contenued to the same prices. a gang of bank robbers. The clever crooks get themselves in gaol for a minor offence so as to divert suspicion from themselves. The detective is sentenced to the same prison. And then the fun begins. The mounting tension bursts its bonds with a gaol break, and from there the film proceeds to its dramatic climax.

Abounding in thrills, excitement and adventure, and with a story that a gaol break and adventure, and with a story that a gang of bank robbers. The clear and be easier to dust than their guarterly meeting will not be held on Monday night, but is to be held on Friday evening, March 29.

American cloth, cut to the size of the top of the wardrobe, will keep it clean and be easier to dust than and adventure, and with a story that the first friendships ships 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 final day's shooting.

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arrests attention until the final fadeout, "The Fighting Gringo," George O'Brien starred, is the second feature.

This is a tale of a young Westerner at the head of a band of vaga-bonds who make their living by hir-ing out their guns, but who always manage to be on the right side of O'Brien's portrayal of the Robin

Obrien's portrayal of the Robin Hood vagabond is excellent, and Lupita Tovar, as the senorita, is clever and pleasing to the eye. Lucio Villegas, LeRoy Mason, Mary Field, Slim Whittaker, William Royle, Glen Strange and other members of the cast give notable performances. cast give notable performances. David Howard directed this film for RKO Radio from the screen play by Oliver Drake. Bert Gilroy

"The Destiny of the Russian Empire" is the title of an address to be given in the United Hall, Lyn-don Road, Hastings, to-morrow night at seven o'clock.

In an advertisement in this issue members of Court Heretaunga of the Ancient Order of Foresters are

"MY OLD KENTUCKY HOME"

Showing With "Star Of The Circus"

Thirteen years ago in Harlem, New York, the world's largest coloured centre, a music lover started a negro choir to keep the songs of his race alive. This was the inception of the most famous negro singing group in the world, for that man was Hall Johnson choir is currently featured in "My Old Kentucky Home," now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier in which picture they sing five songs. Featured in this cast are Evelyn Venable, Grant Richards, Clara Blandick and Bernadene Hayes. It is the story of a wealthy blue-Blandick and Bernadene Hayes.

It is the story of a wealthy bluegrass family, tradition bound, that lands unexpectedly in the head lines. A unique angle to this picture is that it doesn't feature the Kentucky Derby, and there isn't a racehorse in it.

Some good names head the cast of "Star of the Circus," the second feature in Otto Kruger and Gertrude Michael, and John Clements. This story concerns the bespangled life of the circus and music hall that appears so glamorous to the audi-

appears so glamorous to the audience and which to the performers is ence and which to the performers is just the hardest work in the world. Otto Kruger is a villain for once, and is very convincing, too. His villainy includes causing his rival to fall from a tight-rope in order to win the girl, played by Gertrude Michael, who enlists sympathy throughout a difficult role.

State

A ROMANTIC COMEDY "ETERNALLY YOURS"

With David Niven And Loretta Young

Loretta Young and David Niven, o-starring in "Eternally Yours," have the most unique screen roles of the realm of legerdemain, accompolishes the bizarre task of appearpolishes the bizarre task of appearing and disappearing at the merest
behest of "The Great Arturo,"
played by David Niven. Under his
hypnotic spell she kisses him, despite the fact that in reality she
is boiling mad at him.

After a protracted period of intensive instruction under one of the
country's leading magicians. Paul

tensive instruction under one of the country's leading magicians, Paul de Paul, Niven became surprisingly adroit in performing the many tricks and illusions called for in this Walter Wanger romantic comedy, which is now showing at the State Theatre, Napier.

Niven's feats vary from "creating" Miss Young out of bottled chemicals to freeing himself from handcuffs during a 15,000 foot parachute jump and landing successfully. Not the least among his tricks is that of hypnotising "Herman" the pet rabbit in the picture.

However, despite "The Great Arturo's" hypnotic power, his sleight of hand and his ability to foretell the future, he is unable to make mysterious women's lipstick disapmysterious women's lipstick disappear from his collars, and when Miss Young, as his wife, finally reaches the limit of her tolerance

and leaves him, he is unable to find production by Hugh Herbert, valet smith, a tolerant he-man rirginia Field, a magician's assist around; Broderick Crawford, a too-perfect suitor of Miss Young's; Ray mond Walburn, a financier whose bridal party almost starts a riot Zasu Pitts, who flutters in and ou reating impossible situations tha nly Arturo can remedy, and Billia urke, as delightfully scatter-brain

as ever. Many of the most ingenious de-vices known to theatrical magic were used during the filming of "Eternally Yours." The most eerie of the magic aids were built for the production by Lloyd Thayer, a Los Angeles scientist, and known hroughout the realm of legerde-nain as the premier designer of

uch devices. The Fox-Australian newsreel features the arrival of the New Zealand troops in Egypt. Several Napier residents, who are in the First Echelon, are to be seen in close-up of the troops.

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," now showing twice daily 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

Three years before, Deanna, then an 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 Virginia Weidler and Ann Gillis

nake up the new threesome. Gloria, who sings five numbers n "The Under Pup," has a voice derelopment comparable in many ways to Deanna's. And the new-comer's career will be handled with the same care and finesse that has distinguished the Pasternak-Durbin ictions.
ien the producer brought

When the producer brought Gloria to Hollywood from her home town, Scranton, Pennsylvania, in De-cember, 1938, one of the first friend-

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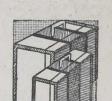
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Yes; and when you come to die, my unconverted reader, YOU will leave all—your friends, your home, your pleasures, your money, "our all.

But stay, there is one thing, my unsaved friend, you would give worlds to be able to leave behind, but you cannot—YOUR SINS, unless you come to the Lord, and experience the cleansing value of the precious blood of Christ.

"The blood of Jesus Christ His Son, cleanseth . . . from

(1 John 1:7)

"He's left ALL," was the abrupt and unexpected reply.

Two friends met on the street.

"What has he left?" enquired one.



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An enjoyable kitchen afternoon was given on Wednesday by Mrs M. B. Svensen and Mrs D. Glengarry, Wairoa, in honour of Miss M. Prior who is shortly to be married.
The afternoon was spent in games and competitions. After a delicious afternoon tea the guest of ZALAS

honour opened her many parcels assisted by Miss E. Croker and Miss Galbraith, two of the bridesmaids-to-be. Miss Prior in a charming speech thanked everyone for the lovely

spotless!

Grout, Gunnell, Phillips, Beckett, Welsh, Trafford, Thompson, Prior, Galbraith, Smith, Elwin, Duncan, Goldstone, Brady, Withers, Johnston, Standring, Dower, Innis, Boreham.

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Maori friends of Miss Grace Clemence gathered to bid her farewell. For seven years Miss Clemence has taught with her sister, Miss P. Clemence, in the Kokako Native school, and is now retiring from the teaching service. A Maori parent once said: "Miss Clemence is like a mother to our children." And no words could better describe her, for, over and above the ordinary routine work of the school, she has spared no pains in caring for the physical and spiritual well-being of her charges.

her charges.

After the guest of the evening

After the guest of the evening had been presented with a bouquet by one of her ex-pupils, little Rangi Te Maipu, she and her friends were delightfully entertained by the Maori children, who gave poidances, hakas, and Maori action

dances, hakas, and Maori action songs.

Later, Sister Kearney addressed the gathering on behalf of the Maori people, and of the Mission, which Miss Clemence has whole-heartedly supported throughout her sojourn in Waikaremoana.

Mr John Rangihau also spoke on behalf of the Maori people, and Mr Stoup on behalf of European friends in Tuai.

Miss Clemence was presented with a gold wristlet watch, and a kle kie kit, worked in Maori design by Mrs Wi Mei.

The singing of Auld Lang Syne, followed by many hearty cheers, brought the evening to a close.

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Party Given For

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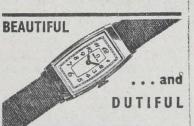
Food Flavouring.
Sift flour and baking powder; rub in butter; add dry ingredients. Mix to a stiff dough with beaten egg to which essence has been added. Roll out thinly. Cut into small rounds and bake 15 minutes at No. 4. Put together with filling and ice pps; decorate each biscuit with

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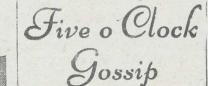


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Mr and Mrs F. Hall, Duart Road, Havelock North, are spending the week-end in Wellington.

Mr and Mrs R. Watson, Hunterville, are spending the week-end in Havelock North.

Mrs Cook and Miss Audrey Cook, McLean Street, Havelock North, are spending the week-end in Welling-

Miss Margaret Waterhouse left yesterday to spend a week in Wellington.

Miss Josephine Nimon and Miss Vyvienne Phillips, Havelock North, left yesterday for Wellington. Miss Peggy Marven is spending the week-end in Motu, Gisborne, where she is the guest of Mrs J.

Miss D. Marven has returned to Havelock North after holiday in Hunterville.

Miss Aira Hewitt, Mangatahi, has left on a holiday visit to Wanganui.

Mr and Mrs W. J. Veresmith, Hastings, have left on a visit to Wellington.

Miss J. McAlley, Havelock North, is visiting her sister in Palmerston North for the Easter holidays.

Mr and Mrs Neil Campbell Awanui, Hastings, have returned home after a visit to Rotorua.

Mr and Mrs Henry Petre and Mrs Bush, are Palmerston North visitors to Waimarama.

Mr and Mrs J. L. Masterson, Havelock North, are visiting Wan-

Mrs A. M. Chambers, Hastings, and Mrs Douglas Lane, Havelock North, are visiting Wanganui.

Hastings visitors to Wellington to visit the Exhibition during the Easter holidays include the Misses Marjorie and Meg Simon, Thelma Bateman, M. Paget, and Florence Dudfield.

Miss L. Cooper and Miss Madeline Jones are Napier visitors to the Centennial Exhibition.

Mrs Nelson Bramley, "Ridge-mount" Station, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs A. G. Clark, Clive Square,

Miss Sylvia Monckton, Waipu-kurau, has returned home after a visit to Masterton.

The annual meeting of the Garden Circle of the Hastings Townswomen's Guild was held in the Guild Room on Wednesday.

Mrs A. C. A. Hyde presided over a small attendance of members.

The annual meeting of the Garden Wiss Justine Nesbitt, Seapoint Road, Napier, has left on a visit to Wellington.

Miss Peg. Barnard, Napier, is work with the Christophysis where she

gifts.

Among those present were Mesdames Herbert, J. Svensen, Joe, and financial statement were read will spend Easter with Miss Nancy Briston of the year's work visiting Christchurch, where she and financial statement were read will spend Easter with Miss Nancy by the secretary and showed a suc-

Specially selected from our Specially selected from our widerant of autumn and winter styles, Matron's Coat in English boucle, styled in tuscan grape, 5gns. A mole coney fur cape 11gns. Smart black coat in fine diagonal velour, with grey squirrel trimming, semi-fitting, 10gns. Matron's frock, size WX, in corded delaine, in a shade of dragon-fly blue, 7gns. An exquisitely cut evening gown and coat in black pancrama wool net with sequin trimming, 11gns. And for the bride a lovely princess gown with high neckline and softly draped bodice, fashioned in jvory satin ultra. Leader, Mrs H. M. Buck. Secretary, Mrs F. G. McAslister. Treasurer, Mrs A. G. Graham. Committee, Mesdames Dyer, Kirknan, Herbison, Dickson, and Kitter-The second annual sports meet-

ing of the Meeanee Young Farmers' Club will be held on Easter Monday, on the spacious property of Mr J. Guthrie, on the Meeanee-Taradale Road. The programme, which consists of horse events, athletics and cycling, axemen's events, clay bird shooting, a tug-o'-war, and children's events, should cater for all tastes. The usual privileges will be extended to soldiers on leave. Admission will be 1/6 for adults, 6d for children, 2/6 for vehicles (including driver), each passenger 1/6, and motor cycles 6d. A young farmers' dance will be held in the Greenmeadows Hall at 8 p.m.

BUFFET WEDDING BREAKFASTS

Ceremony

Hall at 8 p.m.

COSTUMES ARE SMART.— Here is a smartly tailored black

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tops it with a pyramid chapeau.

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which makes the party more informal.

If the service takes place about 7 p.m. or 8 p.m., the following menus are suitable as a guide. Of course, you can always add some of your you can always add some of your favourite dishes, but be sure and make them colourful.

Chicken and asparagus mould, Carrot basket. Brown and white bread and butter

Spiced pears, ice cream. Angel cake biscuits. Sandwiches, fruit punch. Menu No. 2.

Oyster cocktail. Bream newburg Small hot savouries. Chicken mayonnaise in lettuce cups. Fruit salad, ice cream.

Two English Menus

For The Easter

Ceremony

with a vegetable scoop, the sections from 1 orange, a little sugar to taste and 1 tablespoon lemon juice. Chill thoroughly and serve in tall glasses. If liked, sprinkle the top with crushed after-dinner mints.

Here are some English buffet wedding breakfasts, and fortunately for the parents of Easter brides oysters and grapes, which figure largely in the following menus, are both in season.

Catering for a large number of guests presents a difficult problem to the average woman, who hesitates to have a wedding reception at home, but, since the advent of buffet meals instead of the sit-down meal, this problem has been solved.

Buffet meals are less expensive, as so many little dishes costing a small amount can be made to look appetising and attractive. Another important feature about this type of entertaining is the service. You will only require half the amount, as guests like to move about and help themselves or help one another, which makes the party more informal.

Prawn and Spaghetti Ring.

Chop finely 1 small onion and fry fer a few minutes in 2 tablespoons margarine, add 2 level tablespoons flour and cook a little, add 1 cup stock (made from the well-washed prawn shells), and cook until thickens, gradually adding 1 cup milk. Season with a very little salt, pepper, cayenne, a sprig of thyme and 1 bay-leaf, 1 small red pepper and 1 small green pepper, finely 1 small onion and fry fer a few minutes in 2 tablespoons flour and cook a little, add 1 cup stock (made from the well-washed prawn shells), and cook until thickens, gradually adding 1 cup milk. Season with a very little salt, pepper, cayenne, a sprig of thyme and 1 bay-leaf, 1 small red pepper and 1 bay-leaf, 1 Prawn and Spaghetti Ring.

some of the centre with a vegetable scoop. Boil in salted water until tender. Cook 1lb peas and rub through a sieve, season with salt and pepper. Place mixture in a forcing bag made from greaseproof paper and fill carrots. Glaze with a little half-set aspic and set aside to abill. When ready to serve fix on a Menu No. 1.

Grape and melon cocktail.
Prawn and spaghetti ring.
Individual mushroom vol-au-vents.
Chaud-froid of lobster, mayonnaise sauce.

Chalan and asparagus mould,

paper and set aspic appropriate and Spiced Pears.

Boil 1 cup sugar, 2 cups water, 1 sliced lemon, piece of stick of cinnamon, 6 cloves, a very small amount whole mace, and a small piece of whole ginger. Simmer for five minutes. Colour syrup with cochineal, and small peeled pears (whole), and add small peeled pears (whole), and simmer until tender. Remove pears and cook syrup until very thick. Strain over pears and serve very

Small meringues.
Fruit cup.
Coffee.
Grape and Melon Cocktail.
To each cup seeded grapes, add 1 up honeydew melon cut into balls
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An amusing moment in the hilarious comedy, "Flying Deuces," with Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy to the fore. The film will commence its Napier season at the State Theatre next Friday

CURRENT PRODUCTIONS

NAPIER

STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Eternally Yours" (David Niven, Loretta Young). Tuesday to Thursday: "Twenty Thousand Men a Year" (Randolph Scott, Preston Foster) and "Second Fiddle" (Sonja Henie, Tyrone Power). Commencing Friday: "The Flying Deuces" (Laurel and Handy)

REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Friday: "The Under-Pup" Gloria Jean, Nan Grey, Robert Cummings). Commencing Saturday: "Come On, George" (George Formby). Saturday, April 6: "Mr Smith Goes To Washington."

MAYFAIR THEATRE: Monday and Tuesday: "The Yodelin' Kid From Pine Ridge" (Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette) and "Tropic Fury" (Richard Arlen, Andy Devine). Wednesday and Thursday: "She's Dangerous" (Tala Birell, Cesar Romero) and "Conflict" (John Wayne, Jean Parker). Commencing Friday: "Legion of Lost Flyers" (Richard Arlen, Andy Devine, Anne Nagel) and "Ride 'Em, Cowboy" (Buck Jones).

Charlie McCarthy's dulcet vocal tones will be heard in his latest film, "CHARLIE McCARTHY, DETECTIVE." Mortimer Snerd and, of course, Edgar Bergen, are also in the cast.

ERRORS

Warner Bros. studios had no headaches in affixing a title like "NAUGHTY BUT NICE" to the latest Dick Powell—Ann Sheridan

Miss Sheridan has a surprisingly

Miss Sheridan has a surprisingly good singing voice and Gale Page (of "Four Daughters") who formerly sang to a large radio public in America also contributes a song number entitled "In a Moment of Weakness." Zasu Pitts, Allen Jenkins, and Helen Broderick aid and abet a competent cast in this fast paced comedy.

ciety" are the first ones.

A COMEDY OF Charles Laughton

comedy due for early release. In this hilarious comedy of errors (mostly Powell's) Ann Sheridan gives generous evidence in support of her title of "oomph girl" of the screen.

Laughton one of his most difficult

Work on the recently announced the Victor Hugo classic started. The Warner's has begun. "How Not to Give a Party" and "Riding Into Society" are the first ones. Nork on the recently announced search passed before the filmin

Marlene Dietrich has started the previous record-holders, "Ben Hur'

HASTINGS

STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "The Housekeeper's Daughter" (Joan Bennett, Adolphe Menjou). Tuesday to Thursday: "Frontier Marshal" (Randolph Scott, Nancy Kelly) and "The Mind of Mr. Reeder" (Will Fyffe, Kay Walsh). Next Friday: "Flying Deuces" (Stan Laurel, Oliver Hardy).

Hardy).

COSY THEATRE: To-day and Monday: "The Witness Vanishes" (Edmund Lowe, Wendy Barrie) and "Great Guy" (James Cagney, Mae Clarke), with ep. 13 of "The Lone Ranger Rides Again." Tuesday to Thursday: "Man About Town" (Dorothy Lamour, Jack Benny). Next Friday: "Hell's Kitchen" (the "Dead End Kids") and "A Woman is the Judge" (Frieda Inescort, Otto Kruger).

MUNICIPAL THEATRE: To-night

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MUNICIPAL THEATRE: To-night and Monday: "The Fighting Gringo" (George O'Brien) and "Behind Prison Gates" (Brian Donlevy). Tuesday to Thursday: "Adventure In Manhattan" (Jean Arthur, Joel McCrea) and "Roaring Timbers" (Jack Holt, Grace Bradley). Next Friday: "Forged Passport" (Paul Kelly, JuneLang) and "Torchy Runs For Mayor" (Glenda Farrell, Barton MacLane).

REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Friday: "Come On, George" (George Formby, Patricia Kirkwood). Next Saturday: "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Faver"

Mack Sennett bathing beauties Keystone Comedy Cops, and all the other happy memories of the movies have been staged anew and photographed in glorious Technicolour for Darryl F. Zanuck's magnificent production of "HOLLYWOOD CAV-ALCADE," starring Alice Faye and Arthur, Joel McCrea) and "Roaring Timbers" (Jack Holt, Grace Bradley). Next Friday: "For the benefit of those who were not introduced to the delights of "Pinocchio," suffice it to say that the story concerns an old wood-carver named Geppetto, who creates a little puppet boy of pine. Because the kindly old man loves children, and has never had any of his own, the Blue Fairy brings the marion-tet to life to be a son to him.

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REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Friday: "Come On, George" (George Formby, Patricia Kirkwood). Next Saturday: "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Fever" Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone).

An interesting piece of casting was the assignment of Charles

Laughton one of his most difficult

characterisations, and one in which

he excels even his previous suc Due to war conditions abroad

'The Hunchback of Notre Dame'

may prove to be the last of the "super colossals" to come from

Hollywood's film factories. More

than a year of preparation and re-

picture—3500 extras, compared with

In "Colossal"

Production

Fox production

Scene-Stealer Of New Cartoon

In order to obtain the desired huskiness, and put the impression of over assurance in the voice of "Gabby," the town crier of Lilliput, the makers of Paramount's Technicolour full length animated feature, "GCHL WEBIST TRANSIES".

Scarcely an actor in the cinema world was not hoping to be included in the group Frank Copra would select for "MR SMITH GOES TO WASHINGTON." the comedy drama produced on a lavish scale at Columbia Studios. "Capra also aware of the magnicolour full length animated feature, "GULLIVER'S TRAVELS," called in Pinto Colvig, Hollywood's "man of a thousand voices." After summoning Pinto, the picture makers did still further tricks to Pinto's already remarkable thorax.

Capra, also aware of the magnitude of the new picture, weighed his decisions with care. The romanof a thousand voices." After summoning Pinto, the picture makers did still further tricks to Pinto's already remarkable thorax.

Pinto's voice was first recorded doing the picture dialogue in Pinto's ordinary conversational tones by the sound mixers under Director Dave Fleischer. After that Pinto's voice was re-run and speeded up fifty per cent. faster than he had talked, giving his dialogue an added and somewhat unearthly intensity and pitch. After that the tones were recorded again, this time in rhythm with the lip movements of

"CAPRA CAST"

fifty per cent. faster than he had talked, giving his dialogue an added and somewhat unearthly intensity and pitch. After that the tones were recorded again, this time in rhythm with the lip movements of fresh little "Gabby," the scene stealer of "Gulliver's Travels," and the effect obtained in that manner was that of a nosy, over officious, busybody. Since that was exactly the effect desired, Mr Colvig and everybody else felt happy.

Partly through the successful into past performances and chose Guy Kibbee, who had been a member of the "Lady For a Day" company, for an important role in his new film.

"Pinocchio" From Disney

everybody else felt happy.

Partly through the successful manipulations which the director and his sound crew did with Pinto's voice, it happens that Gabby, the town crier, emerges from the seven reels of "Gulliver's Travels" with as much acclaim as "Dopey" unexpectedly gathered during the release of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." Gabby "steals" the "Gulliver" picture.

A little less than two years ago Walt Disney and his staff were in the throne of completing their first feature length production, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." Gabby "steals" the "Gulliver" picture.

Hollywood's Own

Romance

Malt Disney and his staff were in the throes of completing their first feature length production, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." A glimpse of early rushes had convinced the Disney organisation that feature length pictures for them was beyond the experimental stage, an actuality, and immediately ideas for the second Disney feature poured in. An overwhelming number of people throughout the country suggested Gollodi's famous story of "PINOCCHIO."

For the benefit of those who were not introduced to the delights of



Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, co-stars of many a comedy success, are together again in "Flying Deuces," which will open in Hastings at the State Theatre next Friday.

Comment On The Films

Marlene Dietrich has started the Decca recordings of three numbers she introduced in Universal's "Destry Rides Again." The tunes which are written by Frank Loesser and Frederick Hollander, are: "You've Got That Look," "The Boys in the Back Room," and "Little Joe, the Wrangler."

previous record-holders, "Ben Hur" (3000) and "Intolerance" (2800). The sets were among the largest ever created, covering most of RKO Radio. "Ben Hur" (3000) and "Intolerance" (2800). The sets were among the largest ever try Rides Again." The tunes which are written by Frank Loesser and English (2800). The sets were among the largest ever try Rides Again." The tunes which are written by Frank Loesser and Covering most of RKO Radio.

George Formby, who has sampled a variety of occupations in the course of his screen career, has the role of a jockey in his latest success, "COME ON, GEORGE," an hilarious comedy of the race-track.

Laurel and Hardy join the Foreign Legion in their comedy hit, "THE FLYING DEUCES." One of the best scenes in the picture occurs when, as novice pilots, they take an aerointo the air to escape from their pursuers.

Sonja Henie is teamed with Tyrone Power in "SECOND FIDDLE," said to be one of the best skating pictures the young actress has yet

Gene Autry, the singing cowboy, gives another fine portrayal in his latest picture, "THE YODELIN' KID FROM PINE RIDGE," in which he settles a long-standing cattle war. Comedy is supplied by Smiley Burn-

Drama and suspense are contained in "TROPIC FURY," a story of romance and intrigue in the Amazon rubber camps. Richard Arlen has the part of a young expert who goes into this seething cauldron.

An exciting, thrill-packed story of the Old West, "RIDE 'EM, COW-BOY," stars the idol of the younger generation, Buck Jones, in what is perhaps his most gripping picture.

Sparkling and modern in its theme and treatment, "THE HOUSEKEEPER'S DAUGHTER" casts Joan Bennett in the title role of a gay mystery adventure. The latest issue of "THE MARCH OF TIME" is to be screened on the same programme.

One of Edgar Wallace's most popular characters, "Mr. Reeder," the quiet old gentleman who is one of the most feared of Scotland Yard detectives, is brought to life by Will Fyffe in "THE MIND OF MR. PEPEPE"

George Formby is a lad with an ambition to become a jockey in his latest comedy, "COME ON, GEORGE." When he meets a horse with a reputation as a killer the results are hilarious.

The fabulous exploits of a fear-less marshal who tamed the wildest city of the old West are the thrilling material for the story of "FRON-TIER MARSHAL," featuring Ran-dolph Scott and Nancy Kelly.

THE SELECTION OF A Plunket Society Meets

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Acknowledgment Of Donations

RESIGNATION MADE

At the monthly meeting of the Waipawa branch of the Plunket Society there were present Mesdames Furminger, H. Bryant, V. Douglas, E. J. Watts, F. Eagle, D. Y. Allen, and the secretary, Mrs. Gamby.

Gamby.

Nurse V. Signall's resignation was received with regret.

Subscriptions and donations had been received from the following since the last meeting: Subscriptions: Mesdames Gray, Grant, Knobloch, F. W. Robertson, J. Logan, Hall, F. Mitchell, G. V. Maulder, Mudgway, D. H. Edwards and Miss Jull. Donations were as follows: Mrs D. McHardy £2/2/-, Mr and Mrs F. Eagle £1/1/-, Mr Edward Bibby £1, Mrs Nairn £5.

Farewell Dance At Tutira

PRESENTATIONS MADE

Local Soldiers The Guests-Of-Honour

On Wednesday night the settlers of Tutira and the surrounding disof Tutira and the surrounding districts gathered at a dance in the Tutira Hall, to bid farewell to Privates D. Heays, S. Waaka, G. Bartholomew, and R. Withers, the Bartholomew, and R. Withers, the former two on leave and the latter leaving to join the Third Echelon.

Mr J. Winter, in making the presentation of a watch to each member, paid tribute to the active interest they had taken in the sporting life of the community and said the district was proud to have such fine men.

men.

The fact that the gathering was one of the largest ever assembled in Tutira Hall showed, he said, the respect and esteem in which the people of the district held these young men, and he extended the best wishes of all wishes of all.

wishes of all.

During the evening the following gave items:—Miss Monteath, two songs; Miss Spence, Highland Fling, Irish Jig, Sailor's Hornpipe; Miss Stewart, Highland Fling.

An excellent supper was served under the management of Mrs Young and a willing band of helpers, while the duties of MC were cap.

while the duties of M.C. were capably handled by Mr D. Riddell. The evening closed in dancing to m by the Buffs orchestra.

Hastings Branch Of W.D.F.U.

BANDAGES ROLLED

Interesting Talk At Monthly Meeting

A very satisfactory number of bandages for the Red Cross were rolled by members during the March rolled by members during the March meeting of the Hastings branch of the W.D.F.U. on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. E. Honeybun presided over a good attendance and, after the opening creed, thanked all those members who had helped with the recent horticultural show in Hastings and also with the shop for the soldiers' correspondence, and a report of the past month's activities was read by Mrs. Doak, secretary. It was announced that next month's in the title role, meets a new and fascinating young schoolmistress.

The inimitable James Cagney has a fine role in "GREAT GUY," a thrilling story of his adventures as an agent assigned to uncover the "underweight racket" of a big city.

An outstanding mystery adventure is "THE WITNESS VANISHES," latest in the popular Crime Club series. Edmund Lowe is featured as the central figure in a baffling series of murders.

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Jack Benny, Dorothy Lamour and Edward Arnold head a cast of funmakers in "MAN ABOUT TOWN," a sparkling musical comedy. "Rochester," negro actor destined for fame in fascinating young schoolimistress.

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It was decided to keep a record of the work done by the branch for the Red Cross, and seven balaclavas knitted by Mrs. Doak, secretary.

standard pattern of a vest would be left in the room for members' use.

Mrs. Hicks was the speaker for the afternoon and gave her impressions of the Exhibition and a description of her work as a floral demonstrator in the Women's Court. Here she had a stall where she demonstrated the making of presentation floral hoves awagets because tion floral boxes, wreaths, bouquets and a great variety of floral decora-tive work. Mrs. Hicks was warmly

tive work. Mrs. Hicks was warmly thanked for her talk.

The best bloom competition resulted: Mrs. Elliott 1, Mrs. Fulford

WOMEN'S COMMITTEES ELECTED

Patriotic Workers At Waipawa

"Daily Mail" Special Service. The Mayor of Waipawa, Mr F. agle, presided over an excellent at tendance of women on Thursday for the purpose of selecting two com-mittees to act in conjunction with the Waipawa Patriotic Committee.

The committees were elected as

follows:-

Committee to assist R.S.A.: Decorations, Mrs F. Eagle and Miss C Jull; supper, Mesdames V. Towers, J. Riddles, A. Collins, Nunn, C. W. Donghi, F. C. Dickinson and H. Hawke; knitting, sewing and gift parcels committee, Mesdames T. S. Norris (chair), F. Eagle, S. W. Strang, V. E. Douglas and E. C. Little.

Miss E. Pellow and Miss D. Jull, as the representatives of women's organisations on the Patriotic Committee, will automatically become members of the above committees.

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The popular English comedian George Formby with Patricia Kirk-wood in his latest success, "Come On, George," which commences its Hastings season to-day at the Regent Theatre.

On Tip-Toes Up The Stairways

Tip-toeing up and down stairways and in and out of doorways proved a difficult stunt for both David Niven and Dudley Digges, judging from the number of "takes" required for a scene in Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles", the new mystery melo-"Starred in the film will again be Starred i Niven and Dudley Digges, judging from the number of "takes" required for a scene in Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles", the new mystery melodrama to be released soon.

The scene was laid in a rambling old country house in which both Niven and Digges were guests. As Inspector MacKenzie of Scotland Yard, Digges was keeping a look out on the actions of Niven, playing the title role in the picture. Niven was obviously trying to arouse the suspicions of the director, which explains the need for tip-toeing.

But every time the scene got started, Niven would forget he was acting and go into a humorous sally, which would naturally cause widespread laughter and start the

Reappear

Bert Bailey, who already has three successful films for Cinesound to his credit. Most recent was "Dad and Dave Come to Town," which has met with outstanding success

Also prominent in the cast will be Miss Barbara Weeks, well-known American film actress, who is visiting Australia with her bushered at the cast will REEDER."

* * * George Formby is a laditional strength of the cast will be shown as the cast will be s ing Australia with her husband, Mr Lewis Parker.

Linda Darnell has been promoted to the feminine lead opposite Tyrone Power in "PASSPORT TO LIFE."

"THE VALIANT," in which Paul Muni first made his name, is to be remade by Twentieth Century-Fox. Maurice Costello, early silent days star, goes into a role in M.G.M.'s "New Moon," which Robert Z. Leonard is directing directing."

Maurice Costello, early silent days mount, will play the Muni role, with Jean Rogers as his leading lady. "Dead End Kids" in a gripping, vital drama of life in the back streets of mother mother.

"Dad Rudd" Will

same programme.

The method by which the United States trains its Air Force pilots is graphically portrayed in "TWENTY THOUSAND MEN A YEAR," an FEVER," in which Mickey Rooney, States trains its Air Force pilots is graphically portrayed in "TWENTY THOUSAND MEN A YEAR," an action drama starring Randolph Scott and Preston Foster.

The method by which the children in the raday rainly has about gay adventure to its credit in gay adventure to its credit in the UNITY HARDY GETS SPRING FEVER," in which Mickey Rooney, in the title role, meets a new and fascinating young schoolmistress.

ester," negro actor destined for fame, is featured.

Offering George O'Brien in a typical Western role, "THE FIGHTING GRINGO" casts the action star as a Robin Hood of the Texas outdoors. It is one of his best adventures yet.

A dramatic revelation of the inside activities of a huge penitentiary is provided in "BEHIND PRISON GATES," with forceful Brian Donlevy cast as an agent on the trail of bank-robbers.

Frieda Inescort has a powerful role in "A WOMAN IS THE JUDGE," in which she appears as a woman barrister who leaves the bar to defend her own daughter.



Family" returns to the screen "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Fever." Mickey Rooney and Ann Rutherford are in this scene from their latest comedy, which will open next Saturday at the Hastings Regent Theatre.

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H.W. H.W. L.W. L.W. Mar. 23, Sat. 4.12 4.40 10.37 11.07 Mar. 24, Sun. 5.14 5.42 11.37 0.12 VESSELS AT BREAKWATER

Kopara, ex Portland and Auckland. VESSELS AT INNER HARBOUR Kiritona, lightering. Tu Atu, at Juli Wharf. EXPECTED ARRIVALS

Breakwater
Kopara, ex Portland and Auckland,
yesterday morning.
Pakura, ex Wellington and Gisborne,
to-fraction.
Wainui, 'xx southern ports and Gisborne, March 27.
Pukeko, ex Portland and Auckland,
March 30.
Pakura, ex Lyttelton and Wellington,
April 1.

Inner Harbour Koau, ex Tokomaru Bay, late on Tuesday night. Koutunui, ex Tokomaru Bay, late on Tuesday night. PROJECTED DEPARTURES

Breakwater Pakura, for Lyttelton and Wellington,

Pakura, for Lyttelton and Wellington March 26. Kopara, for Auckland, March 26. Wainui, for Wellington, March 28. Pukeko, for Auckland, March 30. Pakura, for Waikokopu, April 1. COASTAL SHIPPING AT NAPIER

Pakura, for Waikokopu, April 1.

COASTAL SHIPPING AT NAPIER

Kaimiro, 2562 tons (Union S.S. Co.), A.

M. Lucas, master, after discharging coal, left here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Auckland.

Kiritona, o.e.v., 136 tons (Richardson and Co.), lightering.

Koau, m.v., 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), at Tokomaru Bay.

Koutunui, m.v., 173 ons (Richardson and Co.), at Tokomaru Bay.

Kopara, m.v., 850 tons, F. S. Bates, master (Richardson and Co.), loaded cement at Portland on Monday and general cargo at Auckland on Tuesday and left at 7 o'clock that night for East Coast bays, Gisborne and Napier. Due here yesterday morning, discharges to-day, and leaves en Tuesday, March 26, for Auckland direct.

"akura, 719 tons, C. W. Caldicutt, master (Richardson and Co.), was expected to leave Wellington on Thursday night for Gisborne and Napier. Due here to-morrow, discharges Tuesday, and leaves the same afternoon for Lyttelton and Wellington. Loads at Lyttelton on Thursday, March 28, and at Wellington on Saturday for Napier, Waikopu, East Coast bays and Gisborne. Due here on April 1.

Pukeko, m.v., 730 tons, S. M. Petley, master (Richardson and Co.), discharging wool from Gisborne and the East Coast at Auckland; will load cement at Portland on Tuesday, March 26, thence Auckland to load general cargo the following day for East Coast bays, Gisborne, Waikokopu and Napier. Due here on Saturday, March 30, and leaves the same night for Auckland.

Jand.

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

Wahnui, 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, Lytteiton and Wellington (is expected to leave Wellington this evening). Due here on Wednesday, March 27, from Gisborne, and leaves the following day for Wellington. GENERAL

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Mariposa, o.e.v., 15,000 tons (Matson Line) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), en route from Auckland for Los Angeles and San Francisco, via Suva, Pago Pago and Honolulu. Was due at Los Angeles on Thursday and at San Francisco yesterday or to-day, and is expected to leave there on Tuesday, March 26, and is due at Auckland on April 12.

Monterey, o.e.v., 19,000 tons (Matson Line) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), at Australian ports; due at Auckland on April 1.

MAIL NOTICES

OUTWARD OVERSEAS MAILS THURSDAY, MARCH 28th.
Australian States and Countries via
Australia.—Mails close 6 p.m.
Other overseas mails will be dispatched as opportunity offers.

INLAND MAILS. Napier, 6 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m.
Gisborne District, 4 p.m.
Wairoa, 6.30 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Auckland, Main Trunk and Waikato
Districts, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only)
4 p.m. Saturday only, 1.15 p.m. (letters

Pangatira: March 25, 26, 28, 30, (45)
p.m.

Wahine: March 23, 7.45 p.m.; 26, 8.15
a.m.; 27, 29, 31, 7.45 p.m.

Tamahine, March 26, 10.0 a.m.;
27, 29, 2.45 p.m.; thereafter, Mon.,
Wed., Fri., 2.45 p.m.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1940.

A RECURRENT APPEAL

If we were to be told this morning that during one week-end 13 New Zealanders had been killed and 216 wounded as the result of a military engagement, there would be streaming headlines to announce the fact. Yet that is precisely the number of people done to death and injured during the last Easter holidays. These are the totals of the road

Now that the present Easter traffic is at its peak, it is timely to bring these facts forward. According to the Minister of Transport, 6000 people in this Dominion suffered as a result of road accidents last year, of whom 250 lost their lives. Mr Semple also wisely pointed out that there is nothing inevitable about road accidents. Given courtesy, sobriety, and ordinary attention to the decencies of the highway code, they are the most preventable of all kinds of accidents or fatalities. Yet the score of casualties, despite the best efforts to the contrary, reveals a total that is still high enough to be alarming.

In the case of this particular question, not all the legislative enactments in the world are sufficient to combat the menace if the active, zealous, and sincere co-operation of the motoring public is wanting. The most insidious and vicious enemy of the safety campaigns which are ceaselessly being waged in the country is the lackadaisical, take-it-for-granted attitude of some motorists that such appeals do not really refer to them. They agree thoroughly with the sentiments expressed, but when they have folded up and put away their newspapers and climbed in behind the wheel, they are in a different world. Accidents, they suppose, may happen to the other fellow, but never to them. And so familiarity with road rules breeds accidents.

These annual Easter, Christmas, and other holiday appeals should not, in point of fact, have to be made. Petrol restrictions or no, experienced motorists know full well that traffic on the roads will be heavier than usual at such a season and that it is just at such times that greater care is required. The temptation on a busy road is for the good driver to allow his natural patience to be irritated by careless driving on the part of others, so that carelessness is met by resentment, which itself results in further carelessness and the greater possibility of accident.

It is to be remembered also that during the present Easter season there are many cars on the highways with which their drivers are not too familiar. Returns from advertisements have shown a great demand for the lighter types of cars which have been chosen for petrol-saving purposes to take the places of the heavier vehicles.

For the rest, the basic principles of road safety may once more be enunciated. They follow an old, familiar pattern, but they will remain true when those who disregard them are dead. The repetitive chorus of the road safety anthem may be set out as follows:-There is a car around every blind corner. The "other fellow" can always be depended upon to do the wrong thing. If the approaching car's dust annoys you, you are making some dust yourself and should act accordingly. The splash nuisance should be avoided. It saves tempers and cleaning time.

The crest of a hill is the same as a sharp corner ("only worse," as the Irishman added). Slow driving can be as dangerous as fast driving. The "golden mean" is the rule. Do for the other driver what you would wish him to do for you. All pedestrians are blind and deaf. When in doubt, give way, whatever the notice-board says. You may be dead right, but just as dead afterwards as though you had been dead wrong. It is the deadness that matters for statistical and other purposes, and not the theoretical rightness or

To sum up: Take no risks, and you will be safe.

Personal

Messrs A. Christie, A. W. Parkinson, B. N. Rickard and C. F. Bennett, of Hastings, are taking part in the Easter bowling tournament at

Messrs R. Atkinson, F. Mandy and J. Reddell, Napier, have test for Wellington, where they will spend their Easter vacation. They will return to Napier on Monday evening.

Mr W. K. Dalls, director of Horticulture, Wellington, is visiting Hastings regarding fruit inspection and the Government marketing scheme. He is accompanied by Mr J. Thorpe, standardisation officer, of Wellington, and Mr B. G. Goodwin, district supervisor of the Depart of Agriculture, Palmersto

Mr J. Bell, a member of the Second Echelon, was recently honoured by the staff of Williams and Kettle Ltd., Waipukurau. In making the presentation of a valuable wristlet watch from the employees, the manager of the branch (Mr R. O. Bousseld exclusive with the W. W. Bell's qualities. The manager also presented the guest of honour with a substantial cheque from the firm.

Mr W. J. Minogue, recently appointed chief postmaster at Napier, was welcomed at the monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce by the chairman, Mr T. B. Ferguson.

Mr John Farrell, representing J. C. Williamson, Ltd., arrived in Hastings yesterday from the south to complete arrangements for the production of the "Switzerland" Ice Show and Ice Ballet.

Miss Marie Gannaway, pupil of Madam Lehmann, Napier, gained a prize of £10 for showing exceptional musical promise in Grade VI. to candidates under the age of 18, awarded by the Royal Schools of Music Lendon and held in New Music, London, and held in New Zealand in 1939.

Messrs H. F. Bush, Ian Duncan, L. Waterhouse, and Eric Marven are Havelock North visitors to Wel-

AT THE HOTELS

at the Albert Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs H. Rhodes, Miss. Rhodes (Masterton), Mr and Mrs H. Morrison (Auckland), Mr and Mrs E. Benner (Cambridge), Mr and Mrs T. Keeysburg (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs K. Tonkin (Dannevirke), Mr and Mrs L. W. Logan (Eltham), Mr D. Todd, Mr G. P. Todd (Foxton), Mr T. Roulton (Hamilton), Mr E. Staind, Mr W. Estcourt (Levin), Mr Mr M. Lee (Gisborne), Mr E. Grey (Wairoa), Mr A. Morris, Mr and Mrs G. G. Calder (Wellington), Mr D. H. Beal, Mr I. Beal (Whakatane), Mr A. Shannon, Mr and Mrs C. McKechnie (Wanganui), Mr and Mrs H. Boyd (Timaru), Mr F. Alfred, Mr T. Denner (New Plymouth), Mr J. Reid, Mr F. Douglas (Taihape), Mr P. Thompson (Napier), Mr A. Percy, Mr H. Allen (Tauranga), Mrs G. Johnson (Martinborough), are at the Carlton Club Hotel (Hastings).

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(Woodville), Mr and Mrs E. J. Turnbull (Auckland), Mr G. R. Horsborough (Gisborne), are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings.

Mr C. A. Gallagher, Miss Calman, Mr R. McEwen, Mr and Mrs Randall, Mr J. D. Raeside, Mr J. F. Grace, Miss V. Alexander, Mr M. Cleary, Mr J. G. Bergin (Wellington), Mr H. Steere (Auckland), Mr C. Hunter, Miss Hunter, Miss M. Hunter (Waione), Miss Hartgill, Mr W. Hartgill, Mr B. Smith (Dannevirke), Mr Wallace Nelson (Otorohanga), Mr Beamish, Mr R. W. Noble (Wairoa), Miss N. Steven (Christchurch), Mr D. Prime (Taihape), Mr L. Vincent (Whangarei), Mr and Mrs E. Cruickshank (Porirua), Mr R. Hill, Mr Jensen (Palmerston North), Mr T. J. Bourke (Lower Hutt), Mr E. R. Renner (Gisborne), are at the Grand Hotel, Gisborne), are at the Grand Hote Hastings.

Mr and Mrs H. C. Webster, Mr A. Bryant (Auckland), Mr and Mrs C. C. Tickner and family (Dannevirke), Mr and Mrs A. Martin, Miss M. Martin, Mr and Mrs C. P. Chambers, Miss N. Chambers, Mrs F. Du Faur, Miss Du Faur, Mrs G. Martin, Mr L. Martin, Miss V. Martin, Mr and Mrs K. Burridge, Mr and Mrs C. Naum, Miss Edwards, Miss Nettleton (Wellington), Mr W. N. Kummer, Mr R. A. Wilton, Mr D. P. Donald, Mr Bruce Jenkins, Mr and Mrs H. Morton (Masterton), Mr C. A. Collie, Mr J. G. Clarkson, Mr and Mrs Butler (Waipukurau), Miss Gladys Gamman (Wanganui), Miss Doris Bryant (Hawera), Mr and Mrs Gracie (Marton), Mr F. Holt, Mr R. Holt (Waipawa), Mr and Mrs H. C. Nicholls (Woodville), are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

Miss L. F. Green, Miss Shirley Taylor, Mr J. Lindstrom, Mrs R. S Burt, Mrs H. R. Tyler (Auckland) Mr and Mrs Thornton, Mrs Bear nan, Mr and Mrs J. J. Reich, Mr nd Mrs J. W. Gellatly, Mr and Mrs . E. Salmon, Mr W. W. Percival, Mr and Mrs J. W. Gellatly, Mr and Mrs J. E. Salmon, Mr W. W. Percival, Mr R. H. Browne, Mr and Mrs C. J. Pirie, Mr J. D. McIntosh, Mr J. Nicholson, Mr and Mrs L. J. Purdie, Mr and Mrs A. McLellan, Mr H. M. Bartley, Mr A. J. Hart, Miss N. Hart, Miss B. Hart, Mr G. T. Perano, Miss W. George, Mr and Mrs H. Reid, Mr Gordon Grant, Mr and Mrs W. Highet, Mr and Mrs P. Doland, Mr and Mrs G. F. Youngs, Mr and Mrs D. Cohen, Mr and Mrs Peacock (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Peacock (Wellington), Mr and Mrs S. H. Hume, Mr and Mrs M. S. Watson, Mr R. Smyth, Miss N. Grant (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs F. Egan, Mr N. S. Strachan (Christchurch), Mr J. G. Lonquet (Hawera), Pte. H. W. Garrett, Pte. R. L. Martin, Miss Lyla Garnett (Taihape), Mr and Mrs E. A. Duncan, Miss Nancye Duncan (Dunedin), Mr K. Brosnahan, Miss E. W. Simpson (Gisborne), Mr G. V. Henley (Brisbane), Mr J. H. Jenkins (Singapore), are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

LETTERS to the EDITOR HAWKE'S BAY

An Explanation

Sir,—The executive of the New Zealand Society of Accountants has carefully considered the widely published comments of the Hon. W. Nash on the published report of Mr. C. R. Richardson's paper, delivered at the Accountants' Convention, and has come to the conclusion that the Minister's criticism is not justified by the facts.

In fairness to Mr. Richardson and to the society, I am asked by the executive to request you to publish the enclosed brief statement which gives a correct view of the case:

The executive of the New Zealand.

And his article unfortunately imputes unfair criticism and lack of knowledge on the part of Mr. Richardson, a highly respected and capable member of the society, was asked to prepare a paper for the convention on "Some aspects of the existing Income Tax Law in New Zealand."

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The executive of the New Zealand Society of Accountants has considered the article by the Hon. Walter Nash, Minister of Finance, on the paper delivered by Mr. C. R. Richardson, A.P.A.N.Z., to members of the society at the recent convention. The society has no wish to enter a discussion on tax anomalies. The Minister stated, nowever, that the paper emanated from the society,

Waikaremoana Bush

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Interrupted Honeymoon

Poppy Day at Hastings The lengthy earthquake felt in Hawke's Bay in the early hours of Wednesday morning provided a startling reception for a recently married couple who were staying at Hastings hotel in the course of their honeymoon. They had arrived and booked in at the hotel on the previous night. When the earthquake occurred they arose, hurriedly quake occurred they arose, hurriedly house-to-house canvass during that park, were as follows:-packed, and drove south in their car, week. only a few minutes elapsing be-tween the last tremor and the whine of the car engine as they disap-

Peared over the borough boundary.

Napier Easter Competitions

A real holiday programme will be presented in the Municipal Theatre, Napier, to-night, when the annual Easter Festival of the Napier Competitions Society will continue. The petitions Society will continue. The items include operatic dances, ladies' operatic solos, character recitals for people under 16 years, songs in costume, skipping dances. Song and Mr and Mrs A. J. Wilcox, Mr and Mrs Dyer, Mr and Mrs L. Dyer (Wellington), Mr Maloney, Mr T. Downey (Trentham), Mr L. Meads, Mr Soler (Bulls), Mr Hodgson (Levin), Mr McCarthy, Mr and Mrs L. May and night until Wednesday. Valsick (Pukehu), Mr D. Molor Valsick (Pukehu), Mr D. Molor Valsick (Pukehu), Mr and Mrs English (Hamilton), Mr and Mrs A. Lackett (Wanganui), Mr and Mrs A. Lackett (Wanganui), Mr A. Johnson (Wairarapa), Mrs Brock (Hawera), Mr Benton, Mr I. Feast (Masterton), are at the Albert Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs A. J. Wilcox, Mr and Mrs Doperatic solos, character recitals for people under 16 years, songs in costume, skipping dances, song and dance, ladies' recitals, national songs and the ever-popular tap troupes. The competitions will continue each day and night until Wednesday. Admission charges are:—Day session 1/-, evening sessions 2/- and 1/- for adult, children half-price. Season tickets entitling the holder to admission to all sessions, including the demonstration concert, are on sale at the theatre.

An element of originality was introduced into the entertainment of a Hastings theatre on Thursday night when an outburst of snores from a presumably exhausted member of the audience threatened conflict with, and even conquest over, the reproduction of the sound track. An attendant quickly rose to the occasion and woke the slumbering member. A few moments later and

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Assignee (Mr. W. Harter) president, Eric Leslie, a bankrupt labourer of Port Ahuriri, stated that he attributed his failure to a bicycle business which he had conducted in Masterton. He had put the sum of £250 into the business. This had been

minimum in the state of the sta To-day's Diary

NAPIER

Grand Rodeo, McLean Park, 2 p.m. Music Festival, Municipal Theatre Greyhound racing, League Park, 7.30 p.m.

The Theatres: "The Under-Pup," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.

"My Old Kentucky Home" and
"Star of the Circus," Mayfair,
2 and 7.45 p.m.
"Eternally Yours," State, 2.15 and

HASTINGS

Hastings Lawn Tennis Club's
Easter Tournament, Whitehead
Road Courts, 9 a.m.
St. Joseph's Tennis Club's Special
Easter Dance, Assembly Hall, 8

The Theatres:

"Come On, George," Regent, 2.15, 5 and 8 p.m.
"The Housekeeper's Daughter," State, 2.15, 5 and 8 p.m.
"Great Guy" and "The Witness Vanishes," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.
"Behind Prison Gates" and "The Fighting Gringo," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

The Breakfast

WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS COOL WEATHER AND SHOWERS.

Winds: Moderate southerly. Weather: Some scattered showers, but improving. Cool temperatures. Seas: Moderate.

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows:— Dry bulb temp. 54.8deg.

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Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Dry bulb temp.
Wet bulb temp.
Maximum temp. Cloud Wind Rain for month 0.71in

Dominion Forecast

General situation: Yesterday's depression has moved off to the southeast and an anti-cyclone now extends from Australia across the Tasman on to New Zealand. The highest pressures are still, however, well to Forecast:-

Winds: Moderate to strong south-westerly to southerly prevailing, de-creasing gradually in force later, becoming variable over the South

Seas (New Zealand waters): Moderate north of Castlepoint and in the far south, elsewhere rather rough to rough, but decreasing.

Gems of Thought

Build to-day, then, strong and sure,
With a firm and ample base;
And ascending and secure
Shall to-morrow find its place. ---Longfellow

Patriotic Concert

Easter period.

A cheque for £100 for his fund credit and failing to collect moneys has been received by the Mayor of owing. At the present time, he added, he had about £30 outstanding. the Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) from the Hastings Orphans' Club as a pro-The deficiency in the estate amounting ress payment from the profits of ed to £213/19/6.

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HIGH STANDARD SET

Elocution, Singing And Dancing Competitions

COMMENTS BY JUDGES

The Napier Competitions Society's Easter festival was opened on Thursday evening and will continue for a week. The standard of the performances during the past two days has been uniformly high, particularly in the children's sections, and indications are that a highly successful series will

In spite of travel difficulties, entries are well up to the figures of other years and competitors are drawn from almost every part of the North Island.

The competitions are being continued in three halls—the Municipal Theatre, Trinity Hall, and Foresters' Hall—with morning, afternoon, and evening sessions.

The judges are:—Vocal and instrumental, Mr Albert Bryant (Auckland); dancing, Miss Bettina Edwards; elocution, Miss Gladys Gamman. Mr S. P. Spiller is the energetic

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Commenting on the work so far presented, Mr. Bryant said last night that the most common defect in the singing was faulty intonation, a number of competitors losing heavily through not keeping exactly in

Miss Gamman expressed the opinion that the standard of elocution had been very high. She particularly congratulated Miss Cavell Trask, Napier, and Miss Naida Cameron, Hastings, who scored first equal in the recitation for girls 12 and under 16 from among 15 competitors. Both girls gave excellent performances, said the judge.

Detailed results are as follows:—

Results In Detail

Piano duet, under 14, own selec-

Piano duet, under 14, own selection: Misses Barbara and Nancy Mew, Levin, "Dance by Moonlight," 80½ points, 1; Misses Eileen Davies and Margaret Peers, Hastings, "Pas des Fleurs," 65, 2.

Vocal solo, amateur, accompanied by self, own selection: Miss Joan Dawe, Napier, "The Little Silver Ring," 102 points, 1; Mrs. R. T. Reid, Napier, "Indian Lullaby," 99, 2.

Song in costume, boy or girl under 12: Yvonne Ansin, Napier, "Our Farm," 122 points, 1; Aylene Boate, Hastings, "When Granny Wore Her Crinoline," 118, 2; Mamie Hickson, Hastings, h.c.

Duet in character, adults: Misses

Hastings, h.c.

Duet in character, adults: Misses Nancy Gilroy and Stella Chambers, Napier, "Shepherdess and Beau Brocade," 109 points, 1; Misses Jean Dawe and Doris Douglas, Napier, "The Dream Minuet," 103, 2.

Humorous character sketch, women: Miss Ivena Pothan, Hastings, "Women's Rights," 102 points, 1; Miss Valerie McCombe, Hastings, "Mrs. 'Arris Flies To Paris," 2.

Vocal solo and accompanist, open: Mr W. Clothier and Mrs W. Roberts, Napier, "Eri Tu," 124 points, 1; Mrs A. McGregor and Mr M. McGregor, Napier, 1163, 2; Mr Max Blake and Miss Joan Dawe, Napier, "Sunshine of Your Smile," h.c.

Vocal trio, women: Misses Nancy Gilroy, Stella Chambers and Joan

Miss Joan Dawe, Napier, "Sunshine of Your Smile," h.c.
Vocal trio, women: Misses Nancy Gilroy, Stella Chambers and Joan Dawe, Napier, "T Heard a Forest Praying," 118 points, 1; Misses Margaret Cushing, Ngaire Keen, and Doris Douglas, Napier, "The Lass With The Delicate Air," 117, 2.

Test recital, women, "The Song of the Little Hunter": Miss Gladys Tonkins, Wanganui, 85 points, 1; Miss Ruby Cheyne, Wellington, 83, 2.
Musical monologue, boy or girl under 12: Graham Monrad, Napier, "Menin Gate," 110 points, 1; Yvonne Ansin, Napier, "Two Little Girlies and a Lad," 105½, 2; Dawn Vanderspeek, Napier, Craig Moore, Hastings, and Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, h.c.

Test recital, men: Mr Norman Low Circhery and other china was broken activities of the society can be dispensed with, and I feel it my duty to emphasise the importance of members retaining their interest in the society and doing everything possible to interest others.

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"In view of this payment, subscriptions coming in at the end of the year were carried forward to the year

Test recital, men: Mr Norman the year were carried forward to Lee, Gisborne, "Rienzi to the current year and subscribers Romans," 88 points, 1; Mr Gordon Hooper, Wellington, "Old Ships," a further subscription until next year. The society does not wish to

Wellington, 87, 2.

Recitation, girl nine and under 12: Valerie Cleary, Hastings, 81 points, 1; Lynlea Wainscott, Lower Hutt, 79, 2; Gwen Dixon, Mangateretere, June Pitcher, Napier, Yvonne Ansin, Napier, h.c.

Vocal solo, girls 15 and 16: Shirley Wilson, Wellington, 100 points, 1; Nancy Gilroy, Napier, 99, 2.

Sacred solo, men: W. Clothier, Napier, 98 points, 1; Max Blake, Napier, 97, 2; W. Rawshorn, Norsewood, h.c.

Sacred solo, women: Sylvia Hilben, Napier, 101 points, 1; Meryl Daniels, Wellington, 95 2.
Vocal solo, girls 14 and under: Renais Gage, Hastings, 100 points, 1; Tui Hickson, Hastings, 95, 2. Piano duet, under 16: Olive Workman and Chrissie Neagle, Na-

pier, 89 points, 1; Nola Briasco and Margaret Warren, Napier, 87½, 2.

Song with obligato: Mr W. Clothier and Miss S. Cody, Napier, 118 points, 1; Nancy Alexander, Napier, 116, 2.

INTRODUCTION OF NEW SYSTEM

PER DOZEN

Statement By Minister Of Marketing

By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, March 22. In an interview to-day the Minister of Marketing (the Hon. W. Nash) dealt with the regulation of Nash) dealt with the regulation of prices for citrus fruits.
"It will be recalled," said Mr Nash, "that some months ago the Internal Marketing Division introduced a system of selling oranges and lemons at per dozen in order that fluctuations in the market prices (wholesale) would be more quickly reflected in retail figures."

The Minister said that an Orderin-Council made this week contained a supplementary clause which provided that citrus fruits sold retail (which includes oranges, lem-

provided that citrus fruits sold retail (which includes oranges, lemons, mandarins and grapefruit) should be placarded, ticketed or labelled in such a manner as to show distinctly the details of the appropriate retail price per dozen and also show in the case of oranges particulars of count and in the case of lemons particulars of grade and count as marked on the case or other container in which oranges or lemons were delivered to retailers.

Method Confirmed Now that the methods to be employed in the retailing of citrus fruits had been confirmed by Order-in-Council, it was pointed out that action would be taken against restailers when were not complying with action would be taken against retailers who were not complying with the law. For the convenience of those retailers who were desirous of arriving at correct selling prices under the scheme, the Internal Marketing Division has issued a specially prepared booklet or chart which will be available on application from recognised wholesale selling agents of the division.

EARTHQUAKE DAMAGE AT MOHAKA

Centre Of Disturbance

BOOMING NOISES NEAR COAST

Many Minor Shocks

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

MOHAKA. Reports indicate that the origin of the earthquake which occurred at an early hour on Wednesday morning was in the Mohaka district. The shock was a heavy one in that district, and caused some damage and a great deal of consternation.

The earthquake was accompanied by booming noises emanating from

by booming noises emanating from the same direction as in the 1931 lisaster, about two miles from the

Mr G. M. Gaddum's homestead "Ponui," wrecked in the 1931 earth-quake, again suffered. The wall-paper in every room was split and crockery and other china was broken.

Mr. M. S. Spence presided on Tuesday evening over the monthly meeting of the Napier Sub-Centre of Recitation, boy or girl under 9: Brian Harris, Hastings, "The Night Wind," 1; Mary Buckingham, Hastings, "Apple Blossoms," 2; Naomi Estall, Wellington, and Mamie Hickson, Hastings, h.c.

A letter was received on the New Zealand Red Cross Society. A motion of sympathy was passed to deemed necessary.

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Estall, Wellington, and Mamie Hickson, Hastings, h.c.
Piano, under 14, Prelude No. 6 from Poetic Pictures (Harris): Margaret Tanner, Napier, 78 points, 1; Shirley Stephens, Napier, 76, 2.
Recitation, girls 12 and under 16:

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"The object of the society is to prevent cruelty rather than to punish persons guilty of cruelty. Prosecutions are necessary at times, but are taken only when there is evicember last, for distribution among refugees.

eight cases had been dealt with, 37 garments, one pair blankets and four pairs shoes having been issued. The nursing report intimated that the classes in the schools were now being attended by 295 pupils, and that the senior home nursing class had reached an attendance of 70. Matters relative to the Napier team's participation in the Collins' Cup competition to be held at Wellington next Saturday were finalised.

Red Cross Day The treasurer reported that the recent Red Cross Day had resulted in the collection of the total amount of £345/11/7.

Appreciation was expressed to all persons who had assisted in mak-ing the Red Cross float such a satis-factory unit in the recent Centennial Miss King and Mr. Spence report-

pler, \$9 points, 1; Nola Briasco and Margaret Warren, Napier, \$7\frac{1}{2}\$.

Champion piano, open, Briasco rose bowl: Miss Frances Revere, Palmerston North, 78 points, 1; Rene Hassall, Paki Paki, 64, 2.
Recitation, grirs 12 and under 16: Cavell Trask, Napier, and Naida Cameron, Hastings, 94 points, first, equal.

Song with obligato: Mr W. Clothier and Miss S. Cody, Napier, 118 points, 1; Nancy Alexander, Napier, 116, 2.

Vocal duet, women or men: Misses Muriel Bridle and Valerie Lewis, Napier, 110 points, 1; Masses Muriel Bridle and Valerie Lewis, Napier, 110 points, 1; Misses Muriel Bridle and Valerie Lewis, Napier, 110 points, 1; Misses Hawkins and E. Compton (Auckland) 109, 2.

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Public Meeting

It was reported that arrangements were being made for Sister Small, the director of Junifor Red Cross, to give an address at a public meeting in Napier early in May. The delegates to the Hawke's Bay down the word go. This meeting, which will be greatly stimulated by 100 delegates from all parts of New Zealand.

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Dog Trials At HONEY MARKETING Late Sporting Petane

CONCLUDING DAY

Successful Meeting Results

HIGH STANDARD

The Petane dog trials, held on Mr. F. Lopdell's property, Bay View, concluded on Thursday. Favoured with fine weather, the meeting prov-

ed particularly successful.

Entries were at least as good numerically as last year, and the standard of work was very high.

Mr. J. Thom acted as judge. Concluding results are as follows

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Class 2, long head: L. Lopdell's
Nap, 46½ points, 1; G. Morrison's
Dick, 42, 2; G. Morrison's Mack, 46½,
3; K. Ruddenklau's Bell, 45, 4.
Class 3, short head and yard,
open: K. Ruddenklau's Bell, 55
points, 1; D. Hitchcock's Jock, 54½,
2; G. Morrison's Mack, 54, 3.
Class 4, maiden huntaway, run in
conjunction with huntaway: E. Alloway's Don, 34 points, 1.
Class 5, maiden long head, run in
conjunction with Class 2: E. Hitchcock's Jock, 43½ points, 1; K. Hindman's Lad, 42, 2.
Class 6, maiden short head and
yard, in conjunction with Class 3:
I. Hammond's Flo, 53½ points, 1; E.
Smith's Lad, 51½, 2; D. Bain's Scot,
50, 3.

E. McDermott's trophy for best head and pull in Class 6: I. Hammond's Flo.
C. C. Smith's trophy for local maiden dog scoring most points at meeting: I. Brown's Lace, 84 points.
W. White's special cup for maiden man scoring most points at meeting with one dog: J. Creighton.
W. Corbett's Cup for open maiden huntaway: R. Richmond's Scot, 41

Mrs. E. D. and D. L. Holt's Cup for most points Classes 4 and 5: E. Alloway's Bright and Don, 72 points.

An All-India Struggle

EXTREMISTS' HOPE

Gandhi Refuses To Co-operate

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Mr. Gandhi to-day triumphed over the extremists in Congress.

In a vigorous speech denouncing civil disobedience until his conditions for non-violence were fulfilled, he reproached the leaders of Congress for lack of discipline, without which, he said, they were certain to be defeated.

"I have never been defeated," he said. "We must break the bonds of slavery and fight to win, but I am your general, and you must accept my conditions."

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Congress rejected proposals for immediate action from the "anticompromise" group of Congress members, who were holding a rival conference a mile away under the leadership of Mr. Subhas Bose.

Anti-compromise supporters page

Anti-compromise supporters passed a resolution to start on April 6 an all-India struggle to withdraw from the war and procure executive

India beyond the orbit of British im-A rainstorm reduced the expected attendance of 100,000 to 10,000.

Bankrupt With No Assets

WAIPAWA CASE

Creditors Opposed To Discharge

"Daily Mail" Special Service WAIPAWA.

At a meeting of creditors of Charles Beck, contractor, held in the Waipawa Courthouse, presided over by the Official Assignee (Mr W. Harte), a decision was reached to oppose the bankrupt's discharge until he has paid 10/- in the £. Mr S. W. Strang appeared on behalf of WELLINGTON, March 21.

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Gifts For Troops

The action of the president in agreeing to provide one pullover to be included in each of the parcels to be given to members of the Second Echelon was confirmed.

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GREYHOUND RACING AT NAPIER

Easter Carnival Meeting To-night

Napier's foremost attraction this evening will be the grand Easter carnival meeting which will be held at the League Park Stadium, when dogs from Poverty Bay will be seen the annual meeting of the Hawke's in action against the Hawke's Bay branch of the National Beein action against the Hawke's Bay Bay branch of the National

METHODS

STATE DISPOSAL **PROCEDURE**

SMALL SELLERS

Competitive Difficulty Stressed

The urgency of establishing a procedure that would allow the oney section of the Internal Marketing Division to operate in a manner acceptable to all concerned was stressed by the chairman of the Honey Control Board (Mr Wallace Nelson) addressing Hawke's Bay apiarists at Hastings on Wednesday night. The meeting passed the following resolution:—

"That we view with concern the possibility of the Marketing Department suffering from independent sellers so as to jeopardise the turnover necessary to meet the overhead expenses, and we suggest, as a safe-guard, that complete selling rights be given the Marketing Department in the four main centres."

At the request of the beekeepers At the request of the beekeepers the Government had taken over marketing responsibility, and a honey depot had been established in Auckland consisting of the most modern honey blending and packing plant available, said Mr Nelson. Everything possible was being done to maintain efficiency, and it is ob-vious to every apiarist that to keep overhead expenses down the volume of honey handled by the plant must not be allowed to decline be

ow a certain point. The Honey Control Board did not favour any interference with the local business of individual growers, but it was essential for the industry that the Marketing Department be placed in a position of security where it would be free from compe titive selling in those areas where the bulk of New Zealand honey was sold, concluded Mr Nelson.

FATAL MOTORING ACCIDENT

A Young Woman Killed Instantaneously

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, March 22.

A young woman was killed and A young woman was kined and two others were admitted to the hospital, one in a serious condition, as the result of a car running into a telegraph pole at Wakatu on the main Stoke-Nelson road at 1.30 clock this morning

The victim was Miss Nancy O'Sullivan, aged 30, Nile Street, Nelson She was killed instantaneously.

The injured were:-John Sutherland Howard, aged 22, South Street, Nelson (severe head injuries, compound fracture of the leg); condition serious; Miss Smith, Nelson (injuries to shoul-der), admitted to hospital; Miss Sadie Howard (minor injuries); James O'Brien, of Annesbrook (minor injuries). James

The car was returning to Nel-Congress adopted, by an over-whelming majority, a resolution demanding complete independence for graph post, which snapped in two graph post, which snapped in two places.

The vehicle went through a hedge, struck a tree and returned to the road, where it turned over on its

side and was wrecked.

LABOUR FEDERATION **OFFICERS**

Annual Election

MR A. McLAGAN PRESIDENT

Loan to Government

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, March 21.

other candidate, Mr. T. Stanley, reother candidate, Mr. T. Stanley, receiving 35.

Other officers elected are:—Vicepresident, Mr. R. Eddy; resident executive, Messrs. Roberts and Walsh; trustees, Messrs. Roberts and A. Black; delegate to International Labour Office, Mr. H. Campbell (Auckland); secretary, Mr. Cornwell (reelected unopposed).

Consideration of the report and

Consideration of the report and balance-sheet was concluded, and the conference decided to lend £500 free of interest to the Government for the duration of the war and six months after.

APIARISTS MEET AT HASTINGS

Remits Framed For The Conference

A LOOK ROUND THE FIELDS

GOOD GOING

Brief Review Of The Gallops

"Daily Mail" Special Service. AUCKLAND, March 22.

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The rain that fell on Thursday was eneficial to the course at Ellerslie, and unless the weather is wet the going should be excellent for the opening of the Auckland Racing Club's utumn meeting to-morrow.

Good fields are engaged, and the acing should be most interesting. The hief event, the Easter Handicap, apears very open and fancies are liketoto take a wide range, although the hances are that the three-year-old relio will start favourite. Orelio is ained by F. Smith, who has three ther candidates—Arvakur, Proud ox and Sunola.

The betting will be under the win ind place system.

nd place system.

Horses likely to be well supported valude:

President's Handicap: Gamos, Mint-law, Royal Appellant. Great Northern Oaks: Foxsen, Classform, Greek Queen. Brighton Hurdles: Lapidarian, General Ruse, Knight of Australia.

Easter Handicap: Orelio, Suleiman. Proud Fox. Great Northern Champagne Stakes: Lambourn, Nightbeam, Grandora. Mangere Steeplechase: Tutor, Bells of Bow, Floodlight.

Onslow Stakes: Mysito, Bloom, Belle Femme. Eden Handicap: Kaspian, Fairfield,

Bracket—Easter Handicap: Arvakur and Orelio. Scratchings posted include all en-gagements for Gar Vaals, Kindergar-ten, Pearl of Asia, Hot Box at 4.30 p.m. Thursday for the Great Northern Oaks.

Nola and several visiting horses appeared in the final training at Ellerslie to-day when, as a result of recent rain, the No. 3 grass track provided perfect going for galloping.

Golden Sheila (Reid) and Foxtoon (Goulsbro) strode over six furlongs in 1.17 1-5, the last three in 39½. Golden Sheila worked smoothly and no fault can be found with her condition. Although she is engaged in the Easter Handicap Golden Sheila's prospects are likely to be more discussed in the H.O. Nolan Handicap on Monday.

Lou Rosa (Goulsbro), Volifox (Reid) Lou Rosa (Goulsbro), Volifox (Reid) Cillas (Tremain), were in that order at the end of half a mile in 50 2-5, the first furlong being run in 12 4-5. Lou Rosa has fined down considerably since racing at Paeroa, and the attractive style in which he finished now makes his prospects more hopeful.

Volifox also worked well and, judging by the manner in which she has been finishing in her races, should be admirably suited by the distance of the Onslow Stakes.

The jumpers Rattle Pown (Chap.

The jumpers Battle Pomp (Chaplin) and Race Boy covered a round in 1.44 3-5, the last three furlongs in 43 3-5. 43 3-5.

Beaupartir (McInally) had Forest Glow(Dye) as a companion over an easy round, the last half-mile taking 56. Beaupartir looks well, and has worked freely since his arrival. However his latest form has been well below expectations.

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Valerian (Goulsbro) impressed more than Miss Te Koura (Dye) over five furlongs in 1.3 3-5, the last three in 39 2-5. Valerian worked really well and apears to be regaining form on the Quee

Beau Vite hit out freely over two circuits. He is bearing a very bright appearance and looks to be even better than when he was here at Christmas

General Ruse strode out well. His appearance created a favourable impression and with the easing of the track he is likely to advance in favour for the Brighton Hurdles.

As a result of ricking a shoulder while schooling on Thursday, Riotous was an absentee from the track and his trainer, L. Knapp stated that there was little hope of his taking his place in the fields for the Brighton Hurdles.

Hurdles.

Begorrah, who came to grief while jumping with Riotous on Thursday, did not come out unscathed and had an enlarged off foreleg yesterday. He worked usefully over a couple of rounds on the sand, but no decision will be made until to-morrow morning as to whether he will be fit to run. Begorrah is engaged in the Brighton Hurdles and the Mangere Steeplechase, but the former event will be his mission if he is produced.

The President's Handlean entrant

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The President's Handicap entrant King Rey did not accompany his stablemate Greek Queen to Elerslie and is not expected to run.

Latest reports are that Full of Scotch is a doubtful starter in the Brighton Hurdles.

The jockey, G. Cameron, has been the following riding engagements are announced for the opening day of the Auckland Easter meeting:—R. W. McTavish: Orelio, Gamos, Phaleron, Our Jean, Belle Femme.

Markwick: Mintlaw, Master Appellant.

G. Cameron: Beau Repaire, Nightbeam, Tea Gong, Rara Avis.

W. J. Mudford: Sunola, Night Pilot, Nightbeam, Serenata, High Sea, Clinch.

The jockey, G. Cameron, has been released from his engagement to ride Beau Repaire in the Easter Handicap. Beau Repaire, who pulled up lame after galloping at Te Rapa on Thursday, is unlikely to run. ACCEPTANCES FOR

RANDWICK

Plate And St. Leger CUP TO BE RUN ON

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MONDAY

AUTUMN PLATE: Royal Chief, St. Constant, Fearless 9.3; Old Rowley, Iosaic, Maikai, 9.0; Dashing Cavalier

DONCASTER HANDICAP: El olea, High Caste, Mildura, Beauvre, Geebung, Gold Salute, Femist, Denis, Bonny Loch, Rodborough, he Albatross, Tuhitarata, Gayrince, Breeze, Billposter, Baveon, he Squire, Cherry Bay, Royal Roune.

tine.
A.J.C. ST. LEGER: Bronze l'light, Reading, Dashing Cavalier, 8.10.
SYDNEY CUP (run on Monday):
Maikai, Royal Chief, Mosaic, Plymouth Hoe-Roundup, St. Constant, Old Rowley, Feminist, Cooranga, Geebung, Elanage, Yours Truly, Dashing Cavalier, Own Folk, Gold Spark, The Blizzard, Fountain.

Riders at Tauherenikau
Among the riding engagements made for the Wairarapa meeting at Tauherenikau to-day are:—
H. Stewart: Trebor, Alunga, Kadina, Piastre.
B. Stowe-Hunter's Eve.
J. Forsyth: Daregain.
H. J. Callahan: Kinkajou, Dainty Dell. M. Marsh: Royal Minstrel.
F. Power: Arabic.

NO EASTER MONDAY WORK FOR AUCKLAND "WHARFIES"

Long-Standing Dispute Is Still Undecided, Says The Controller

By Telegraph-Press Association AUCKLAND, March 22.

As no settlement has been reached after more than a year of dispute between the shipowners and the Auckland branch of the Waterside Workers' Union on the question of work on holidays, no action is being taken by the union in response to a request to handle cargoes on three overseas ships on Easter Monday.

The ships, aggregating more than 34,000 tons, comprise two with cargoes from Great Britain and one to load Homeward produce.

Following a request from the hipowners' Federation that the A FAREWELL TO hree vessels should be worked, the controller of the waterfront at Auckland (Mr R. E. Price) called a meeting of both parties on his re turn from Wellington on Thursday No action was taken by the meet NURSE AND MEN FROM

Explaining his position in a statement issued after the conference, Mr Price said that application was made to him by the federation at Wellington on Wednesday. As the current awards provide that arv work on holidays must be by arrangement between the union and the employers concerned and as the regulations administered by the con troller did not confer upon him pow ers to alter or vary an award in any way, Mr Price said that he had no jurisdiction to demand that the mer should work on Easter Monday.

Meeting Called

"However," continued the control ler, "I called a meeting of the parties to discuss the position and learned from that meeting that holiday work was the subject of a long standing dispute which had been referred to the National Disputes Committee a long time ago. No decision has yet been given.
"Under the circumstances, I am unable to enforce Easter Monday work on the three vessels."

A representative of the employers

A representative of the employer stated that until the end of 1938 the men of the Auckland union gave good co-operation in working on holidays, pay being on the double time basis. At the end of that year, nonunionists were given work after union labour had declined it. The dispute had then arisen, and it had not yet been settled.

Beaumont Fields For Monday

GOOD ACCEPTANCES

Fine Field In Champion Hack Handicap

The following acceptances have been been been for the Beaumont Racing lub's jubilee meeting, to be held on aster Monday:— ROXBURGH TRIAL HANDICAP, of ROABURGH ITAL HANDICAT of f125; six furlongs.—Our Empire 9.0, Lady Don 8.13, Homing 8.7, Royal Ransome 8.6, Invadere 8.5, Rose Ileana 8.4, Foxy 8.1, Weathereen 8.1, Jalna 8.1, Ascent 8.1, Subscription 8.1, Safe

The monthly meeting of the committee of the Hastings Returned Soldiers' Association was held this week, the vice-president (Mr. P. J. PRESIDENTS HANDLEST ASSOCIATION OF THE MEETING OF TH

JUBILEE CHAMPION HACK HANDICAP of £200; one mile.—Hearth 9.0, Combat 8.11, Silkwood 8.7, Bad News 8.3, Aravane 8.3, Exult 7.5, Gusterina 7.5, Royal Ransome 7.2, Rose Ileana 7.1, Ascent 7.0.

Riders at Ellerslie

Nightbeam, Serenata, High Sea, Clinch. R. E. Horne: Golden Sheila. C. G. Goulsbro: Bronwen, Lou Rosa. C. Farrell: Beaucoup. P. Atkins: Kathbella, Worton, Silver

P. Atkins: Naturelly, stick.
A. G. Murray: Beverley.
L. J. Ellis: Proud Fox.
C. Kerr: Begorrah; J. F. Fergus: Agog. S. Tremain: Cillas. M. Ritchie: Royal Abb. C. Walters: Te Rongo. J. H. McRae: Knight of Australia. B. H. Morris: Beaupartir, Lambourn, Millament.
J. Chaplin: Riotous or Forest Glow, Battle Pomp.

Riders at Feilding Riding engagements at Feilding to-day include:—

Riding engagements at Fending today include:—

W. J. Broughton: Russian Ballet, Red
Cat, Black Robe, Scandal.
G. Tattersall: Goldburn.
S. Anderson: Last Acre, Sceptre.
R. B. Ireland: Brazil, Resingold, Little Dorrit.
P. Sheild: Great Quex.
W. Jenkins: Pitmark, Gold Chase.
G. Redstone: Kotua Wings of Song.
P. Jarvis: Hunting Lore.
D. McGregor: Sweet Anne, Kincota.
C. B. Goulsbro: Selkirk.
S. Waddell: Bonnie Bunsby, Endorsement, Lindrum.
C. Cameron: Nelumbo.
I. K. Chote: Amigo.
L. Dulieu: Saxon Tor, Ringling, Zest.
R. W. Shaw: Rollicker.
N. R. McKenzie: Homily, Rehearsal.

Evening And Dance On Tuesday An invitation to the people of Hastings to attend a farewell to members of the Second Echelon was extended by the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) on Thursday. The farewell will be held in the Municipal Theatre on Tuesday, at

SOLDIERS

HASTINGS

PUBLIC INVITED

quota from Hastings and district for the Second Echelon are 93, in-cluding 20 men of the Maori Bat-talion, and one nurse," said Mr talion, an Maddison. "Reserved seats will be set aside for the soldiers and their near rela-tives, and a gift parcel will be pre-sented from the Patriotic Society to

each member.
"After this farewell a dance is "After this farewell a dance is being held in the Assembly Hall, at which the nurse and soldiers will be the guests of the Women's Community Club. The Women's Community Club on this occasion have very kindly undertaken the arrangements in connection with the official farewell in the Municipal Theatre and afterwards at the dance.

"It is hoped that the public will attend in large numbers, so that a fitting tribute can be paid to these men and the nurse, who are shortly proceeding overseas to link up with the members of the First Echelon."

Hastings R.S.A. Affairs

COMMITTEE MEETS

Appeals To The War Pensions Board

mile and a quarter.—Sir Hugh 8.9, Night Wings 8.0, Hanlon 8.0, Auctor 7.13, Queen Dorothy 7.13, Ashaway 7.0, Moneyless 7.0.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP, of £135; five furlongs.—Miltiades 9.6, Queen Beth 9.1, Lady Sincere 9.0, Pink Dress 8.1, Lady Don 7.8, Recall 7.7, Astern Prince 7.7, Jalna 7.7, Attractive Note 7.7 Rose Ileana 7.7 Silver Don 7.7.

JUBILEE CHAMPION HACK HANDICAP of £200; one mile.—Hearth prospective pensioner seeking the assistance of the association at the earliest possible moment after re-ceiving an adverse reply to a claim

Note 7.17, Ascent 7.7, Rose Ileana 7.7, Invadere 7.7.
RAILWAY HANDICAP, of £150; six furlongs.—Sir Hugh 9.8, Hanlon 9.1, Ructor 9.0, Queen Dorothy 8.13, Song Boy 7.7, Ballad 7.7, Moneyless 7.7, Combat 7.7, Final Bell 7.7, Silkwood 7.7.

MR E. P. MEACHEN TO ENTER CAMP

Member For Marlborough

By Telegraph—Press Association.

BLENHEIM, March 21.

Mr. E. P. Meachen, M.P. for Marlborough, who had offered himself for overseas service with the New Zealand Field Engineers, has been advised that he will be required to enter camp at Burnham next month. It is expected he will leave for over It is expected he will leave for over seas with the first reinforcement of the engineers company, sailing with the Third Echelon.

BAY VIEW SPORTS MEETING

Successful Gathering Is Indicated

Always regarded as one of the events of the sporting season, the eventane and Eskdale sports meeting, to be held this year on April 6, promises to be particularly successpromises to be particularly successful. Large entries are expected, as a number of competitors have signified their intention of travelling long distances to take part.

A varied programme is to be presented, including athletic, horse, cycle, football and novelty events, as well as pational denging

cycle, football and novelty events, as well as national dancing.

The meeting is timed to start at 11 a.m. and the athletic events at 1 p.m. Hot water will be provided free on the ground.

The secretary is Mr D. R. Mc-Glashan, Bay View.

In the evening a dance is to be held in the Bay View hall, a free bus running from Napier for the occasion.

HAWKE'S BAY'S WAR **EFFORT**

Enlistments In Vicinity Of 3300

£6424 IS COLLECTED

What does Hawke's Bay's war effort represent? Interesting facts were learned by the "Daily Mail" as a result of an inquiry this week. It is emphasised that although these figures may provide a guide to the position, they cannot be taken as entirely accurate.

No actual detailed record of the total number of men from the various provinces in military service is kept by the authorities, and for this reason it is practically impossible to state accurately the number of Hawke's Bay men in service. The following estimates are given:-

Financial (for patriotic purposes) .. £6424

Enlistments (all services) 3300

It should be remembered that the military district which includes Hawke's Bay also incorporates Masterton and Gisborne, centres outside the province.

THE ASSOCIATION

CODE

PROGRESS MADE IN

DISTRICT

SCHOOL TEAMS

Assistance Needed In

Training

Election of Officers

Stationmaster

Transferred

MR C. TRASK, NAPIER

Promotion To Position

At Auckland

SUCCESSOR NAMED

The appointment of Mr C. H. Trask, the stationmaster at Napier, to a similar position at Auckland,

has been announcd by the Railways Department. The transfer will be-

. S. Nicholson.

A steady response is meeting the fighting services welfare appeal in all centres. From Napier, Hastings, and Waipukurau moneys totalling approximately £4000 have been collected, while the Mayor's Fund at Hastings totals packet. Fund at Hastings totals nearly £300. Figures are:—

Fighting services welfare appeal (Napier, Hastings, Waipukurau) Council's receipts 1900 Estimated other moneys for patriotic purposes 200 Total (approximate) .. £6424

The welfare appeal fund totals on Thursday were:—

 Napier
 ...
 £1510

 Hastings
 ...
 1630

 Waipukurau
 ...
 890

 District Contributions

The various districts of the Provincial Patriotic Council have contributed as follows to the main

Work of the Zones

Figures relating to the Hastings
Zone provide an indication of the work being undertaken by the separate committees which are contingent to the council.

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WAIPAWA FOOTBALLERS MEET

The United Club

NEED FOR SENIOR **PLAYERS**

Officers Elected

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPAWA.

The annual meeting of the Waipawa United Football Club was held in Waipawa on Thursday evening, there being a fair attendance, presided over by Mr F. Eagle. The balance-sheet showed a credit balance of £7 1/11.

In congratulating the club on its sound financial position, Mr Eagle stressed the necessity for engendering a strong club spirit among the

NAPIER GOLF TOURNEY

EXCELLENT START MADE

WEATHER IDEAL

Particulars Of Scores And Draws

The Napier Golf Club's annual Easter tournament commenced yesterday morning under ideal weather conditions. Results of the qualify-

conditions. Results of the ng rounds were as under:-H.B. Easter Championship First Second

Round. Round. Tl. 145 152 153 155 A. Sinclair Glendining Kawhe E. Lawry
H. Wylie
E. Crosse
L. Elliott
W. Smith
C. Barlow

Duthie 82
D. Kettle . . . 82
G. Elsmore . . . 86 Tareha Handicap H. B. McMaster .. 84 E. Atkinson .. 84 Atkinson Atley ...
T. Spain ...
J. Templeton .
A. McLeod ...

Canning .. 87 V. Marshall .. 85 H. E. Troutbeck. 90 84 174
C. Watkins 88 86 174
Best net scores.—Morning: R. L.
McDonald (17) 65, H. E. Lawry (5)
68. Afternoon: H. Willis 65, A. T.

An active year, particularly so far as the schoolboys' section was concerned, was reviewed in the report presented at the annual meeting of the Hawke's Bay Football Association at Napier on Tuesday evening.

The Napier schools had formed 168. Afternoon: H. Willis 65, A. T. Spain 69.

Best gross scores.—Morning: K. Glendining 73, A. E. Lawry 73, A. Gibbs 74, A. A. Sinclair 74. Afternoon: A. Gibbs 74, A. A. Sinclair 78, H. H. Wylie 78, C. S. Geddis 78, A. Champion 78.

Qualifying Rounds First Second

Round. Round. Tl. Louisson C. Sproule ... J. Simmonds ... F. Stanton L. McDonald H. J. Smith R. H. Perkins . . Duncan McErlick F. H. Stephenson. 94 97 191
F. N. Fussell 96 96 192
A. O. McLean 98 94 192
The draw and starting times for

Tareha Handicap

tings Street B and Nelson Park (joint holders).

The Colin Webster Shield and No 1 1ee
9.6.—A. Gibbs v. H. E. Crosse.
9.10.—R. Duthie v. C. S. Geddis.
9.14.—F. G. Elsmore v. A. E. Lawry.
9.18.—N. W. Smith v. K. Glendining.
9.22—A. Champion v. H. C. Barlow.
9.26.—H. H. Wylie v. F. Raven.
9.30.—A. Kawhe v. R. D. Kettle.
9.34.—L. L. Elliott v. A. A. Sinclair.

Otatara Handicap No. 10 Tee

this service are temporarily unacceptable.

A large number from the Hawke's Bay district are in the Air Force, but it is difficult to obtain an accurate figure. It is estimated that there are 150 Hawke's Bay men in this branch of the service.

On a population basis Hawke's Bay leads the Dominion for enlistments for the special force. For both the First and Second Echelons the province has been called upon to supply additional men to fill deficiencies in other districts' quotas.

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Officers were elected as follows: Patron, Mr J. Fairclough; president, Mr J. Stickland; vice-presidents, Mr J. Stickland; vice-presidents, Mr J. Stickland; vice-presidents, Mr J. Stickland; vice-presidents, Mr J. McGill, R. Boyd, T. Woods, G. A. Maddison, J. Snaddon, J. Snaddon, J. McKew, E. T. Rees, N. Solomon, B. Fuller, J. Theakstone and the Hon. W. E. Barnard, M.P.; secretary, Mr C. S. Nicholson; assistant secretary, Mr G. Vannan; auditor, Mr G. Young; delegate to the New Zealand Association meetings, Mr L. Mac-Donald.

8.30.—R. L. Badley v. R. L. Mac-Donald.

8.34.—Don. McErlich v. A. McLach-lan.

8.38.—F. N. Fussell v. T. J. Simmonds.

8.42.—R. H. Perkins v. C. Louisson.

8.46.—L. M. Cato v. Duncan Mc-Erlich.

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8.54.—H. C. Sproule v. F. H. Stephenson.

8.58.—H. J. Smith v. J. W. White.

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Labour Party At Taradale

SOUND FINANCES

Officers Elected For Year

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

TARADALE.

A highly successful year's working for the Taradale and District Labour Party was concluded on Tuesday evening by the annual meeting, which was well attended. The membership of 142 is considered satisfactory at such a time of vear.

TARADALE.

T. B. Somerville

Staff Oslers Ltd.

Junior members staff

Bank of N.Z.

M. R. Shaw

W. Tait

T. A. Glenny

L. P. South

year.
The Hon. W. E. Barnard, M.P., the guest of honour, was welcomed by Mr G. D. Webb.
Mr Barnard, in his address, complimented the Taradale branch on its work and spoke of the excellent balance-sheet presented. Mr Barnard paid special tribute to the work of the treasurer (Mr T. Stanford).

T. A. Glenny
L. P. South
Staff Swift N.Z. Co.
W. Friar
J. A. Hurrey
R. E. Neale
T. Jessep
J. Tapper
F. McConnell
D. Delautour
Mrs D. J. McDonald

Balance-sheet The balance-sheet showed that though the credit balance was small this was off-set by the large buildthe senior competition.

Subscriptions were fixed at 7.6 for seniors and 5/- for juniors and thirds.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Patron, Mr A. E. Jul, M.P.; president, Mr F. Holt, sen.; vice-presidents, Messrs O. Upton, H. Hawke, A. E. King, C. E. Harker, D. Y. Allan, J. W. Young, F. M. T. Tickner, T. Wills, F. Adeane, T. S. Norris, J. B. Hamilton, and the Rev. F. W. Holt; treasurer, Mr F. Eagle; delegates to the sub-union, Messrs F. W. Holt; treasurer, Mr F. Eagle; delegates to the sub-union, Messrs F. W. Holt, N. MePherson, J. A. Cable, S. J. Estephenson; management committee, Messrs N. Welber, S. J. Estephenson; management committee, Messrs N. Welber, S. J. Stephenson, M. Collett, R. A. Holt. The appointment of selectors was held in abeyance.

Mr Trask joined the department of though the credit balance was small and in 1919. the number of selection of officers resulted: this was off-set by the large build in many and for the next few president, Mr G. D. Webb (reselected); vice-president, Mr J. Patrick, Jun, G. Stanford, and Gordon; auditor. Mr J. Patrick, sen.; execut and Junior Mr J. Patrick, sen.; execut transferred to Ohakune, and in 1929, he was again serving in the district traffic manager's office at Wanganui. In 1932, he was made there were a vice of the sub-union, Messrs M. Wellington. Three years later he became assistant stationmaster at Wellington, and last year he came to Napler as stationmaster.

Mr J. Thomas 1 1 0 0 Nell this was off-set by the large build this was off-set by t

BOWLING TOURNEY OPENS AT NAPIER

Play In Progress On Greens Of Four Clubs

46 RINKS COMPETING

With 46 rinks competing, the Hawke's Bay Bowling Centre's Easter tournament opened yesterday on Bluff Hill, Napier, Port Ahuriri, and Wairere Club greens. From delightful conditions in the morning the weather changed in the afternoon, a cold south-easterly wind making bowling difficult.

Seven games were in doubt until the last bowl was played, and in three games an extra head had to be played to find the winner. Play will be continued to-day on the four

Hampton 16, Poppelwell 12. Rowlands 25, Jones 19. Daily 16, Patterson 13.

Rowlands 19, Panckhurst 15. McCarthy 16, Jones 13. Elmes 28, Pirie 14. Gardner 21, Daily 8.

Third Round

Patterson 26, Hampton 11. Poppelwell 20, Wardell-Johnson 19th head).

SECTION D

WAIRERE GREEN

First Round

Second Round

Third Round

SUMMARY

SECTION A

SECTION B

| W. | Bewley (Hastings) | 3 | Belcher (Napier) | 2 | Barr (Bluff Hill) | 2 | Morton (Masterton) | 2 | Warren (Heretaunga) | 2 | Melfor (Wairere) | 2 | McLaren (Napier) | 1 | Eagle (Waipawa) | 1 | Brown (Omarunui) | 1 | Briasco (Port Ahuriri) | 1 | Deakin (Wairere) | 1 | Frater (Port Ahuriri) | 1 | SECTION C | W.

Rowlands (Heretaunga)

Mayo 22, White 14.
Duff 18, La Roche 12.
Williams 14, Head 11.
Smith 21, Nicholson 14.
Rowe 20, Cooke 19 (19th head).

Wilson (Havelock North)

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Johnson (Port Ahuriri)
McLeay (Port Ahuriri)
Harris (Kia Toa)
Wright (Seatoun)
Thomas (Napier)
Anderson (Khandallah)
Burfleid (Heretaunga)
Holt (Bluff Hill)
Newton (Bluff Hill)
Russell (Napier)
Sinclair (Wairere)

White 14, Smith 8. Nicholson 18, Rowe 15. Mayo 23, Duff 16. Cooke 15, Williams 12. La Roche 20, Head 17.

Details of yesterday's play were:-SECTION A
BLUFF HILL GREEN First Round

First Round

Hardaker, Mackay, Lockwood, Johnson (Port Ahuriri), 16; Williams, Lee, Wray, Sinclair (Wairere), 13.

Mirams, Christie, King, Anderson (Khandallah), 17; Martin, Daines, Nutter, Burfield (Heretaunga), 11.

Spriggs, McNiven, Nuttall, Thomas (Napier), 20; Surgenor, Burnley, Dunsford, Holt (Bluff Hill), 17.

Cuff, Clegg, C. Pirie, McLeay (Port Ahuriri), 18; Barrow, Marshall, Blyth, Wright (Seatoun), 13.

North), 20; Seaton, Burt, Eddy, Russell North), 20; Seaton, Burt, Eddy, Russell (Napier), 14.

____, Harris (Kia Toa), 15; _____, Newton (Bluff Hill), 8. Second Round Thomas 21, Sinclair 20. Wright 23, Holt 17. McLeay 18, Burfield 17. Harris 21, Russell 10. Wilson 19, Newton 9. Johnson 19, Anderson 13.

Third Round Wright 20, Thomas 9.
Johnson 19, Russell 6.
Wilson 11, Sinclair 2.
Burfleld 15, Newton 13.
McLeay 18, Anderson 14.
Harris 16, Holt 11.

SECTION B NAPIER GREEN First Round

First Round

White, Watson, Kalin, Briasco (Port Anuriri), 19; Roberts, Stubbing, Hendry, Morton (Masterton), 17.

Jenkinson, Powdrell, Collinge, Warren (Heretaunga), 18; Burton, Exeter, Morley, Frater (Port Ahuriri), 12.

Dawe, Clark, Tonkin, Mellor (Walrere), 21; Dean, Simpkin, Horan, Brown (Omarunui), 13.

Kilpatrick, Oliver, Plested, McLaren (Napier), 20; Briggs, Sharples, Thompson, Deakin (Wairere), 11.

Hall, Garland, White, Bewley (Hastings), 24; Pacey, Wood, Bryan, Barr (Bluff Hill), 12.

Armitage, Findlay, Drummond, Belcher (Napier), 18; Limbrick, Dunkin, Jopson, Eagle (Waipawa), 14.

Second Round

Second Round Eagle 17, McLaren 14. Morton 16, Warren 12. Barr 25, Mellor 14. Brown 27, Brlasco 13. Belcher 15, Deakin 10. Bewley 22, Frater 18.

Third Round Mellor 21, Briasco 20, Warren 22, McLaren 14, Morton 20, Frater 9, Barr 19, Eagle 5, Bewley 21, Belcher 18, Deakin 18, Brown 15. SECTION C PORT AHURIRI GREEN

First Round First Round
Coombe, Hay, Tucker, Panckhurst
(Havelock North), 36; Hardle, Chubin,
Willett, Daily (Napler), 6.
Ewen, Bradley, Richards, Gardner
(Waipukurau), 21; S. Pirie, Wilson, A. N.
Pirie, F. K. Pirie (Napler), 11.
Dunn, Henry, Barlow, Wardell-Johnson
(Bluff Hill), 17; A. Elmes, Simmonds,
Buckley, Elmes (Walrere), 16.
Boyle, Pickering, King, Hampton
(Hastings), 17; Russell, Mills, —,
Jones (Masterton), 15. Jones (Masterton), 15.

Petherick, Petherick, Ireland, Patterson (Walpawa), 29; Johnson, Tuohy, Logan, McCarthy (Port Ahurirl), 13.

—, —, Rowlands (Heretaunga), —, Poppelwell (Port Ahurirl), 15.

Second Round
Elmes 16, McCarthy 15 (19th head).
Pirie 24, Wardell-Johnson 23.
Panckhurst 27, Gardner 11.

WAIROA FUND

NOW £602

FIGHTING SERVICES

APPEAL

LATEST LIST

"Daily Mail" Special Service.
WAIROA.

Latest additions to the Fighting

Services Welfare Appeal are as fol-

Previously acknowledged £477 11
Miss M. A. Armstrong 1 0
L. H. Ebbitt 1 1
L. Boyle

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J. Boyle
J. T. McGurk
H. D. Jeffreys
H. A. Martin
W. Harvey
T. Knowles
F. R. Buttrick
T. B. Somerville
E. J. and Mrs Bray
G. D. Melville
Staff Oslers Ltd.
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Bank of N.Z.
M. R. Shaw

R. E. Neale
T. Jessep
J. Tapper
F. McConnell
D. Delautour
Mrs D. J. McDonald
D. J. McDonald
D. J. Lister

SECTION D

Mayo (Port Ahuriri) Mayo (Port Ahuriri)
Rowe (Wairere)
Smith (Napier)
Duff (Hastings)
White (Waipukurau)
La Roche (Bluff Hill)
Cooke (Napier)
Nicholson (Dannevirke)
Williams (Omarunui)
Head (Kin Toa)

Head (Kia Toa) FOOTBALLERS ANSWER CALL

> Takapau Club MANY MEMBERS

JOIN UP

Annual Meeting

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

TAKAPAU. "The club may well be proud of the manner in which members have answered their country's call," said the president (Mr W. Hobson) at the annual meeting of the Takapau Football Club. "Of last season's Football Club. "Of last season's members C. Marshall and J. Anderson have gone with the First Echelon and J. Kissock, Tinker Pedersen, P. Hunter and D. Matthews are sailing with the Second Echelon, while Eric Pedersen and P. Neara are in camp. P. Padbury and L. Vaughan, members of the club a few seasons ago, have also gone with the First Echelon. I am sure that every member will wish them all the best of luck and a speedy and safe return to New Zealand. "The club's financial position is sound and has been substantially maintained, but it is necessary to point out again that many members did not pay their subscriptions.

did not pay their subscriptions. This is very unsatisfactory and it is clear that without the splendid fin-ancial assistance given by suppor-ters and officers of the club it would soon be in financial difficulties."

Officers Elected The following officers were elected: Patron, Mr W. Hobson; president, Mr R. A. Fraser; vice-presidents (all re-elected); hon. secretary, Mr N. C. Wylie; treasurer, Mr J. A. Grant; bus steward, Mr H. L. Dunn; delegate sub-union, Mr A.

A BIG SUM COLLECTED

PATRIOTIC EFFORT AT WAIPUKURAU

TOTAL OF £1379

Generous Help By Farmers

"Daily Mail" Special Service.
WAIPUKURAU.

The Welfare Appeal campaign is now practically ended and Waipuku-rau and district has distinguished itrau and district has distinguished it-self by setting up the very large total of £1379/8/2. This is a mag-nificent effort and all donors and people who assisted in the work can feel amply rewarded by the results. The additional donations include proceeds of stock and are shown

Previously acknowledged £929 9 10 Sanatorium
Tavistock Hotel staff ...
Mr and Mrs W. J. Vance
Mr J. Bibby Wells, Andrews, Dadson, Rowe (Wairere), 17; Forster, Metcalfe, Riley, La Roche (Bluff Hill), 15.
Collier, Clarkson, Butler, White (Wairgheuman), 14; McGlashen, Hislop, Sweetapple, Cooke (Napier), 12.
Allen, McIntosh, Watters, Duff (Hastings), 17; Davis, Allardice, Foote, Nicholson (Dannevirke), 13.
Fulford, Corne, Fowler, Smith (Napier), 18; Blakeley, Tuohy, Geor, Head (Kia Toa), 15.
O'Leary, Crawford, Dykes, Mayo (Port Ahuriri), 19; Golding, Evans, Blair, Williams (Omarunul), 14.

Second Round
White 14 Smith 8 .. 392 18 2 Proceeds stock drive

Stock Donations

Stock donations included in the total of £392/18/2 have been worked

out as near as possible and the fol-lowing is a list of donors with the approximate value of their dona-tions. In many cases cash contributions have also been made by the

A. W. Parsons
Mrs S. A. Limpus
Est. Tuxford
E. Wright
Dave Stoddart
R. O. Stoddart
M. Morrah
E. L. White M. Morrah
M. Morrah
J. E. J. White
A. Healey
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1 J. Spiers

1 Est. G. Hunter

1 J. W. McNutt

1 Harry Parsons

2 B. S. Carver

2 Canning Bros

Arlington Est.

3 J. L. Stoddart

Wethers auctioned: L. E. Harris, F. R. McWilliam, T. E. Whelch, D. J. Bayliss, B. J. N. Stephenson, J. W. McNutt, guinea each; L. E. Harris £1/5/-. Total £7/11/-.

The principal workers in the stock drive were Messrs T. E. Whelch, R. O. Bousfield and F. R. McWilliam and the results obtained speak highly for their organisation. They had the co-operation of carrying firms and drovers who delivered this stock free of cost at Waipukurau. The result must be highly satisfactory to all concerned and is due first and foremost to the generous response made by the farmers of the district.

Zinnia Show At Wairoa

SUCCESSFUL EVENT

High School Pupils' Efforts

LIST OF AWARDS

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA.

A successful Zinnia Show was held at the secondary department of the Wairoa District High School on Thursday. Mrs D. P. Baird, besides acting as judge, gave an interesting talk on the placing of the classes.

The following acted as officials: Mr J. Marshall (secretary), Messrs R. Shaw, P. Shortt and C. Jameson. Results were as follows:— Results were as follows:—

UNPRECEDENTED DEMAND FOR HOLIDAY TRANSPORT

Easter And The Centennial Exhibition Responsible For Record Figures

Many thousands of holiday-makers are taking advantage of the Easter break this year. With the Centennial Exhibition at Wellington as a chief source of attraction, crowds have been leaving the Napier and Hastings districts over the last few days.

Traffic by rail, it is expected, will easily constitute a record. Petrol restrictions have doubtless influenced a number of motorists in their decision to travel by train, while it is also probable that others have done so in order to avoid heavy road holiday traffic.

Officials at the Hastings railway station comment that there has been "one long rush" for accommodation. The demand has been heavier than any experienced before, and exceeds by far the Christmas rush.

Numerous special trains have been scheduled to cope with the steady flow of passengers, and to date these have proved popular. Three trains due south on Thursday. 26 12 11 were completely booked in advance and a similar situation was experi-

enced yesterday. enced yesterday.

A typical experience is that of a passenger from Palmerston North to Hastings, who on Wednesday endeavoured to book a seat on yesterday's north-bound express train from Wellington. This was already completely filled, however, and she found it recessary to reserve a seat on it necessary to reserve a seat on another special train leaving after the express. Doubtless many others who had not reserved well in advance were caught by the unprecedented rush to travel. Full Trains

All trains have been heavily laden, including the two specials which left late on Thursday night. The week-end excursion train which left last night for Wellington, to depart on return from there about 10 o'clock on Sunday night, was well becked up.

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It was not all one-way traffic, however, as numerous visitors have arrived in the district over the last

few days. Road passenger services also report many bookings for the heliday periods. Additional vehicles have been scheduled, but even these cannot cope with the exceptionally mittee, will accompany the party.

heavy need for transport.

The motor-camp at Windsor Park,
Hastings is popular as a means of
temporary accommodation for
motorists bound for Wellington and

Breaking the Journey

Many reservations of sites for Easter which Mr Ribbands has received have also come from motor-ists intending to make a one-night stay only on their way to Welling-

ton.

Here, too, however, there is an inward bound flow of travellers, Mr Ribbands stating that numbers of people from Wellington and elsewhere who regularly visited Hastings have again arrived, or expressed their intention of staying at the gamp.

sed then internace camp.

All in all, it appears that the Centennial has helped to establish something of a record for traffic during the holiday period. For many, Easter is probably the last chance to visit the Exhibition, and the opportunity has been widely used.

FAREWELL BALL FOR

who are on leave was attended by about 400. Sponsored by the Maori people of the Hastings district, the ball was attended by many soldiers of the Second Echelon who are also

on leave.

Gifts were presented to the Maori soldiers by the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison), who spoke briefly. Second-Lieutenant W. Mc-Kay replied for the men.

Men of the Second Echelon are to be given a farewell at Hastings on Tuesday night. At a gathering in the Municipal Theatre several concert items will be given, followed by addresses by three speakers. A dance will follow in the Assembly Hall.

expectations and the committee wish it known that entries on the ground will not be accepted. Owing to the element of danger the standing public will not be allowed in at the Latham Street entrance, the only tickets procurable there will be for the main stand. The corral has been the procurable adjacent to the score heard. will not be accepted. Owing to the element of danger the standing public will not be allowed in at the Latham Street entrance, the only tickets procurable there will be for the main stand. The corral has been erected adjacent to the score board and the public who patronise the old stand will have a view equal to that from the new stand.

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A dance committee was appointed to hold a dance on April 17 with a request that Mrs Murphy supervise the supper.

B. Snaw, F. Shortt and C. Jameson. Results were as follows:—

One zinnia: J. Marshall 1. Three something for pipes, old sport!"

One zinnia: H. McKinnon 1, M. Deacon meto tow smokes a day, so I've zinnias: H. McKinnon I, M. Deacon at the McKinnon I, M. Deacon been buying a pipe with a decent sized bowl." Both laughed heartily. I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," Said his friend — "smoke toasted." I know a trick worth two of that," I know a trick w

CHILDREN'S VISIT

HASTINGS PRIMARY SCHOOLS

PARTY OF EIGHTY

Cost To Be £2 For Each Child

About 80 children of Hastings primary schools are to visit the Exhibition at Wellington next month, according to a decision made at a meeting of interested persons on Thursday. They will be accom-

The cost to the children will be £2 each, which will cover rail fares to Wellington, accommodation, and admission charges to the Exhibition the Exhibition, who break their journey for the night, according to the camp warden, Mr H. S. B. Ribbands.

This has been the case for the past the cost to the teachers would be £5 each, whereas it was only £2. The adults will be required to pay for admission to the Exhibition.

The visit will extend over three days at Wellington, and travelling days at Wellington, and travelling will cover two additional days. To provide pocket money for the children, "Uncle Ed" has offered to stage a musical revue. It is intended to proceed with this when the date of the visit has been fixed by the authorities at Wellington.

A LAVISH ICE BALLET "SWITZERLAND"

Sixty Skating Stars In A Great Show

MAORI SOLDIERS

Gathering At Hastings

A farewell ball in the Hastings
Assembly Hall on Thursday night to members of the Maori Battalion who are on leave was attended by about 400. Sponsored by the Maori so when it created a furore of ensurement of the same lavish scale as when it created a furore of ensurements. as when it created a furore of en-thusiasm in Sydney and Melbourne, where it broke all known records in each city.

The initial New Zealand production of "Switzerland" was presented in Auckland recently to an audience that filled the theatre. An idea of morning following the opening night there was a long queue lined up be-fore the box office opened, and dur-ing the day practically the whole of the Williamson theatre was booked out for the remainder of its season

of three weeks. RODEO AT NAPIER
TO-DAY

On McLean Park this afternoon,
Napier will witness its first rodeo.
Elaborate preparations include the appearance by special arrangement of Frank Bruce, whose fame as a rough rider extends to Australia.
Entries received for the various events exceeded the most optimistic expectations and the committee wish it known that entries on the ground will not be accepted. Owing to the

extravaganza and the second act to a cabaret scene, in which Connie Graham, Hal Scott and Russell and Marconi are the principal fun-

makers.

Then there is the gorgeous "Switzerland" Ice Ballet, presenting 50 beautiful and amazing skating sirens. "Switzerland," wrote a Brisbane critic, "had a stirring reception. It was deserved, for there was something in its make-up which has never been surpassed in theatrical representations for eye-appeal, novelty, beauty and grace. It had glitter. It had something of the brilliance of the Russian Ballet; it had humour and spectacle; it had gorgeous girls, no less than dazzling, and it had, above all, Phil Taylor, maestro of the flashing blades and Megan Taylor, the world's outstandnakers. Megan Taylor, the world's outstand-ing champion skater."

The box plans for the season will be opened at Fails (Hastings) and at Fairclough's (Napier) on Thursday, April 4

stressed the Rectangles of the single a strong club spirit among the members as a means of keeping the club on its feet. It was decided to make inquiries as to the possibility of drawing on senior players from Omakere and Otane in the event of these clubs not entering teams in the senior competition. Subscriptions were fixed at 7/6 for seniors and 5/- for juniors and thirds. Department. The come of two or three weeks. Mr W. A. Finlayson, stationmaster at Te Kuiti, becomes stationmaster at Napier. Mr Trask joined the department to march 1, 1904, as a cadet at wellington, and for the next few years served at various stations in the Wellington and Taranaki districts. He received an appointment

Competition for girls and boys under 16.

ATHLETIC EVENTS handicapper, A. Clough, and run under N.Z. A.A.A. Rules): 100 (amateur), High Jump, 100 yards (local), 440 yards half-mile, Married Men's Race, Married Ladies' Race, Single Ladies' Race, Local Boys' Race, Ladies' Race, To and 100 yards. CYCLE EVENTS: Half-mile, One Mile and Two Mile.
FOOTBALL EVENTS: Longest Drop-kick, Best Place-kick, NOVELTY EVENTS. (under 10 years): Sailor's Hornpipe, Sword Dance, Highland Reel (over 10 and under 12), Irish Jig, Highland Fling, Sailors' Hornpipe (over 12 and under 16), Sean Triubhais, Sailors' Hornpipe, Fling and Irish Jig and novice events.

lce events.

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of the Secretary three days belove day of Sports.

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ENDORSEMENT AGAIN WORKS WELL

HASTINGS GALLOPS Trials For Waipukurau

Easter Races (By Moturoa)

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The plough was a little slower on Thursday morning than has been the case recently and this was reflected in the times recorded. The best gallop of the morning again went down to the credit of Endorsement, who is in good fettle for her engagements at Feilding to-day. City Song (L. Cullen) came right away from Modern Way (B. Stowe) in the concluding stages of their six furlongs in 1.181-5, the last half-mile in 521-5.

Tableau (B. Stowe) was shading Tableau (E. Stowe) was shading Royal Minstrel (Marsh) at the end of five furlongs in 1.5—quite a good

Royal Minstrel (Marsh) at the end of five furlongs in 1.5—quite a good effort.

Black Out (H. Callahan) came home comfortably from the halfmile in 55 3.5.

Golden Melody (Forsyth) ran his best gallop for some time when he slipped over his halfmile in 52 2.5, the last three in 38 4.5.

Haile Selassie Well

Although he has not been up long, Haile Selassie (T. Winiata) showed his forward condition by running once round in 1.45. He had the outside running and finished half a length in front of Red Shoes (L. S. Deeley), with The Ring (L. Cullen) two lengths back. The last halfmile was run in 53 4.5.

Hunting Moments (M. Galvin) was travelling very easily alongside Lady Stella (Marsh) over a round.

travelling very easily alongside
Lady Stella (Marsh) over a round
in 1.48, and both could have improved on this time had they been re-

Endorsement (Cullen) jumped off at the five furlongs, cutting out her first two in 241-5. She was picked up from the top of the straight by Versatile (B. Stowe), the two-year-old holding an advantage of a couple of lengths. Endorsement's time for the full distance was 1.3.2.5.

Additional riding engagements made for the Waipukurau meeting on Monday are:—

to have benefited from his racing at Trentham.

Kathbella won the Thompson Handican in a solid manner and it.

WIDESPREAD RACING FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS Some Tracks May Be Soft

REVIEWS OF MEETINGS HELD TO-DAY

Hawke's Bay Horses May Do Well

(By MOTUROA).

The widespread Easter carnival of racing opens to-day and, while rain has been experienced in most districts, the weather promises to be reasonably good for the week-end.

In the North Island to-day the galloping meetings open at Ellerslie, Feilding, and Tauherenikau. The South Island meetings will be held at Riverton, Tuapeka, and Westland. On Monday the Waipukurau Racing Club's autumn meeting will be held at Waipukurau, while the Auckland, Feilding, and Waiparana meetings will be corolled. In the South and Wairarapa meetings will be concluded. In the South Island the Canterbury Jockey Club's autumn meeting will open at Riccarton, while there will also be racing at Riverton, Kumara, and Beaumont.

Clubs using the win-and-place betting system over the Easter holidays are Auckland, Christchurch, and Riverton, while single pool betting will be in vogue at the Feilding, Wairarapa, Waipukurau, Tuapeka, Westland, Kumara, and Beaumont meetings.

In a very open race the favourites to-day may be

KATHBELLA PROUD FOX BLACK THREAD

GREAT NORTHERN CHAMPAGNE STAKES, Of £750, 6 furlongs.

LOU ROSA NIGHTBEAM LAMBOURN

MANGERE STEEPLECHASE.

GAR VAALS BELLS OF BOW

ONSLOW STAKES.
Of £350; two-year-olds; 6 furlongs.

Paeroa on Saturday and Night Pilot will have some support. However, form, in the possible absence of Kindergarten, points to

WORTON

BELLE FEMME

ORAGON

EDEN HANDICAP. Of £350; one mile.

Tea Gong can run out a good mile, while Susan is right back to her best form again. Silver Stick should be more solid now, but Kaspian, Raepata and Veritable have

shown stamina.

Princess Vaals and Foxtoon are

not without chances, while there will be some support for Fairfield, Milanion, Maioro and Beverley. However, the bulk of the money should be for

PRINCESS VAALS

SILVER STICK

2550; one mile.

9 0 Maioro
9 0 Joan Peel
8 11 Bide-a-Wee
8 5 Veyana
8 3 Milanion
8 3 Beverley
5 3 Sigurd
0 Master
9 Appellant

Appellant 7 7

ORAGON

lver Stick

Miss Jose

Beau Leon Sir Cameron Kindergarten Nightbeam Phaleron Cillas

8 10 Lambourn 8 10 Sure Pay 8 10 Lou Rosa 8 10 Lovaals 8 10 Queen City 8 10 Happicoat 8 10

EASTER HANDICAP Kur-Orelio bracket will find much favour, especially after the latter's excellent second in the Thompson Handicap. AT ELLERSLIE

KATHBELLA ATTUNED FOR HER TASK

BLACK THREAD FIT

Classform Favourite For The Oaks

(By MOTUROA). There are fewer Hawke's Bay orses than usual at Ellerslie to-day, but the provincial representatives are good and they include the Easter Handicap favourite Kathbella; Charing Cross and Serenata in the G.N. Oaks and Begorrah in the Brighton Hurdles Brighton Hurdles.
To-day's programme opens with

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP, Of £450; 11 miles. King Rey 9 3 Gamos Royal Mintla Royal Mintlaw 7 7

Appellant 8 10 Racecamp 7 5

Kena 7 11 Pocket Venus 7 1

Hot Box 7 11 High Sea 7 0

King Rey won well at Te Rapa
last month and is obviously right
back to his best form. Royal Appellant is always hard to beat at
Ellerslie.

Kena, the winner of the Rotorua Cup, will appreciate the easier track conditions. Hot Box should be held safe by Gamos, but the improving Mintlaw may be too smart for both of them. Racecamp and High Sea are possibilities at the weights, but form points to be

KING REY ROYAL APPELLANT GREAT NORTHERN OAKS,

Of £500, 11 miles. Classform Kilcash Our Jean Maneroo

Hunting Bee 8 10 Wyndora 8 10 Classform, who was second in the New Zealand Oaks and in the Wanganui Cup, is the logical favourite. She won the Rangitikei Cup at her last start and is in great order for this event. Our Jean won the Takapuna Cup and is a good filly, Kilcash, Greek Queen and Foxsen also have good form. also have good form.

Pearl of Asia has been a little dis-

appointing and so has Millament, but both should be improved by their races at Trentham. Charing Cross has been galloping well at Trentham, but Serenata has been showing better form. Foxmond will have some support, but the favour-Worton 8 University Willonyx Worton 7 13 Willonyx 7 Marshall Hall 7 12 Volifox 7 Belle Femme 7 10 Night Pilot 7 Ascot Bloom 7 9 Onetea 7 Oragon 7 8 Rara Avis 7 Foxmint 7 5 Beaucoup 7 5 Golden Bonnet 1 this event Kir ites should be CLASSFORM OUR JEAN

SERENATA BRIGHTON HURDLES.

Of £500; two miles. 10 9 Knight of General Ruse 10 7 Forest Glow 9
Lapidarian 10 3 Tutor 9
Lapidarian 10 3 King Musk 9
Lucidus 9 11 Sockettes 9
Riotous, who pay

ing, but he may be more at home over the steeplechase fences on Monday.

Lucidus and Agog will have support, but Knight of Australia is a good stayer and he showed solid form at Auckland in January. Tutor, Celtic Lad and Forest Glow

FULL OF SCOTCH LAPIDARIAN

EASTER HANDICAP. Of £1250; one mile.

Golden Sheila 9 3 Proud Fox Beaupartir 8 11 Bronwen Suleiman 8 8 Orelio Kathbeila 8 7 Lornacre Arvakur 8 4 Valmint of lengths. Endorsement's time for the full distance was 1.3 2.5.

Kalika (G. Stowe) and Lindrum (Marsh) appeared to be going very comfortably together to run their once round in 1.44 4.5, the last five furlongs in 1.7 1.5.

Trailer (Mr. R. H. Liddle) ran his mile in 1.55, the last once round in 1.51. This was quite a fair effort as he was carrying 13.8.

Additional riding engagements at Elerstia and must be given some to have benefited from his racing at Trentham

on Monday are:—

Mr. E. W. Symes: Lady Stella.

Mr. L. Monteith: Royal Pageant.

H. J. Callahan: Black Out.

L. S. Deeley: Haile Selassie, Red Shoes.

L. Cullen: Dyne, Hunting Monte on March 25 and it looks as if she will keep the sting out that Sid Reid has her in top form and it looks as if she will keep the sting out the sting out that Sid Reid has her in top form and it looks as if she will keep the sting out the softer track conditions will not be in her favour, there is no doubt that Sid Reid has her in top form and it looks as if she will keep the sting out the sting out the sting out the sting out the softer track conditions will not be in her favour, there is no doubt that Sid Reid has her in top form and it looks as if she will keep the sting out the s

The Feilding Cup Queen Of Song Is Run To-day

AMIGO IS LIKELY

Saxon Tor Engaged In The Sprint

ANALYSIS OF FORM

By MOTUROA

Big fields are carded for most events at Feilding this week-end and the Hawke's Bay horses engaged look likely to give a good account of themselves.

of themselves.

Galteemore (3 p.m. Wednesday) and Ruling Star (3 p.m. Wednesday) are the only scratchings so far announced, while the track is likely to be found fairly soft, though in reasonably good order if further rain does not fall.

Single pool betting will be used and the meeting opens with the

KAWA KAWA HIGHWEIGHT,

Of £150; 11 miles.

Prime Quality 10 6 Thrasos 9 8
Hunting Haupongi 9 8
Hunting Haupongi 9 3
War Lap 9 10
Prime Quality ran badly at Woodville and will have to improve, but Hunting Lore is a very consistent galloper who will be hard to beat around these turns. War Lap is a possibility, while the improving Filbert ran a good second at Trentham. Haupongi may have some support. Handicap.
Royevrus and Beau Repaire have shown good form this season, while there are few more consistent gallopers than Black Thread. He galloped well on Thursday and is sure to attract attention.

Proud Fox is a high class galloper. He has won at his last five starts and has a penchant for Ellerslie. Bronwen must be respected, but the recent rain makes Valmint a dangerous horse to-day. Lornacre comes into the same categoty, while the track conditions should also suit Te Kawiti.

In a very open race the favourites Haupongi may have some support but form points strongly to

HUNTING LORE FILBERT

MAIDEN STAKES. Of £150; six furlongs. Pitmark Resingold Resinguard Sunfire Sweet Anne Te Oriko Taiho Augment
Big Wave
Boniden
Colerica
Flying High
Goldburn
Great Fair
Hoa Pai

The draw at the barrier will mean a lot in this race. Augment has a reputation for speed, while Boniden is improving. Goldburn has run several good races this term, while Pitmark has been second thrice in his only starts this season. His effort at Pulls was impressive. at Bulls was impressive. Hoapai and Sweet Anne are possibilities, but most faith is likely to be placed in PITMARK

GOLDBURN

Grandora impresses as being a good galloper, while Beau Leon and Sir Cameron have also raced well. Kindergarten would have an undeniable chance if kept for this race, while Nightbeam showed stamina last week at Trentham.

Phaleron has been galloping well. FEILDING CUP. Of £615; 11 miles. Amigo 8 9 Gay Mimic 7 7
Jack Tar 8 2 Lickem 7 5
Notium 8 2 Old Surrey 7 0
Lady Montana 8 1 Mataroa 7 0
Homily 7 12 Colonel Bogey 7 0
Dainty Sheila 7 10 Colossal Chief 7 0
Laughing Prime Quality 7 0
Amigo has yet to recons

stamina last week at Trentham.

Phaleron has been galloping well, but Lambourn galloped so badly on Thursday that he has gone out of favour. He would have a great chance on his running at Trentham but it would seem that he does not like the right-handed going.

Lou Rosa is regarded as the best two-year-old in the Auckland district and he should be all the better for his race at Paeroa. Lovaals. Amigo has yet to race past a mile, but there is no reason to believe that he will fail to go ten furlongs, especially on this turning track, and with his substantial drop in the with his substantial drop in the weights. Jack Tar is likely to im-prove on Trentham running, while

Notium is racing well and must be considered.

Lady Montana finished fourth at Trentham last Saturday and she may be coming back to form again. Homily raced well at Trentham and was fourth to Old Bill. However, a

Gar Vaals 10 4 Tutor 9 6
Royal Abb 10 3 Gascyne 9 5
British Battle Pomp 9 0
Sovereign 10 3 Seneta 9 0
Geltis of Bow 9 11 Te Ronga 9 0
Gar Vaals showed good winning form in the spring and will have to be seriously considered, while Royal Abb schooled well on Thursday. Celtic Lad should be held safe on Paeroa form by Tutor, who may turn the tables on Bells of Bow. Gascyne jumps well, but the remainder have not been impressive.

Was fourth to Old Bill. However, a more consistent gallopper is Dainty Sheila, who will not be inconvenienced by a soft track.

Laughing Lass should be all the better for her recent racing, while Gay Mimic is dropping in the weights again. However, he is also engaged at Tauherenikau. Lickem and Old Surrey should be held safe by Mataroa, who showed greatly improved form at Woodville. Colonel Bogey and Colossal Chief will be supported, but it would not surprise to see the favourites Paeroa form by Tutor, who may turn the tables on Bells of Bow. Gascyne jumps well, but the remainder have not been impressive. It is probable that the favourites will be see the favourites

AMIGO or DAINTY SHEILA LADY MONTANA

MANGAONE HANDICAP, Of £300; six furlongs.

9 6 Wings of 8 13 Song 8 11 Endorsement 8 7 Sea Link 7 9

8 6 Airport 7 5 8 5 Ballivor 7 4 8 0 Little 7 13 Willonyx 7 4 Kept for this race, Amigo would e one of the best backed horses, Ascot Bloom 7 9 Onetea 7 0 Oragon 7 8 Rara Avis 7 0 Foxmint 7 5 Beaucoup 7 0 The Dude 7 5 Golden Bonnet 7 0 Reserved for this event Kindergarten will be favourite, for he has won at his last three starts and seems to be extra good. Worton appears to be on the upgrade, while Miss Jose won well at Taeroa on Monday.

Mysito and Marshall Hall have private reputations, while Ascot Bloom and Oragon will not be neglected. Belle Femme won well at Paeroa on Saturday and Night Pilot

SAXON TOR SIR CRUSOE

ONEPUHI HACK, Of £200; seven furlongs. Gaelic Song 9 2 Nelumbo 8 0
Ruatiti 8 12 Little Dorritt 7 13
Chere Amle 8 9 Vadanoe 7 13
Kilometre 8 8 Colibri 7 9
Chief Lord 8 8 Master Hector 7 7
Filetto 8 4 Myarion 7 7
Sieglinde 8 2 Selkirk 7 7
Kotua 8 1 City Song 7 7
(Pracket: Vadanoe and Colibri)

Kotua 8 1 City Song 7 7
(Bracket: Vadanoe and Colibri).
The distance may be a trifle short for Gaelic Song, but Ruatiti is on the upgrade and should be nearly at his best to-day. Kilometre appeals more than Chere Amie, but Chief Lord also has to be considered.

Kotua impressed at Bulls and should be better than Filetto or Sieg

should be better than Filetto or linde over the distance. Nel might surprise, while City So should be the pick of the others. The favourites should be

TAONUI NURSERY. Of £200; five furlongs.

200; five furiongs.

8 13 Poutatau 7 4
8 10 Salvation 7 2
8 4 Arabella 7 1
7 10 Bonnie
7 6 Bunsby 7 0 RACING FIXTURES

March 25—Kumara R.C.
March 25—Beaumont R.C.
March 25—Beaumont R.C.
March 25—Waipukurau J.C.

If Hunter's Eve should strike the sting out of the going, she might prove troublesome to the open sprinters at the Wairarapa meeting. She has shown good form at Tauherenikau before.

Black Robe 8 4 Arabella 7 1
Barry Boy 7 10 Bonnie

7 0
Peata 7 5 All Quiet 7 0
O'Gonelloe 7 4
Ringling has a big weight, but she is a smart filly and raced well here in the spring. Airflight will appreciate the distance, but Black Robe may be all the better for a race. Barry Boy won well at New Plymouth.

Peata has shown useful form this season, while All Quiet should be

At Riverton

TO-DAY'S PROSPECTS

Frenchy Favourite For The Steeplechase

(By Moturoa) The three days' carnival at River-ton opens to-day and fine fields have been attracted to this meeting. Win-and-place betting will be used and the following appeal on recent

Trial Handicap: Royal Song, Ackemma, Dolita. Waiau Steeplechase: McHeath, Vitaphone, Mount Val. Aparima Handicap: Spendthrift,

Phalanx, Nigger Boy.

Longwood Hack Handicap: Asia,
Heidelberg, Moonraider. Riverton Cup: Queen of Song, Wild Career.

Great Western Steeples:
Frenchy, Bally Brit, Santoft.
Visitors' Handicap: Islay
Downs, Mondello, Triple
Cone.

Pourakino Handicap: Lazy-bones, Peony Rose, Amelita. Following are the acceptances:-

11.45-TRIAL HANDICAP,
Of £175, 6 furlongs.
Royal Money 8 12 Escort
My Song 8 7 Feather Box
Dollta 8 6 Gnohill
Moneymore 8 6 Grey Seal 8 6 Gnohill
8 6 Grey Seal
8 2 In Flight
8 2 Red Feather
8 2 Royal Lancer
8 2 Slumber
8 2 Susie Ackemma Ballyaggan Campers Chantyman Don Roy

Mount Val 10 10 Baltruin
Corban 10 5 Neptune
McHeath 10 1 Polar St.
Osculate 9 8 Night Sc.
La Boca 9 8 Gay Dece
Vitaphone 9 7 Whirr
King Willow 9 5 Surcoat
Matchem 9 4

1.10-APARIMA HANDICAP, Of £300, 6 furlongs.

LONGWOOD HACK HANDICAP, Of £300, 7 furlongs. 9 8 Turaki
1 8 9 Asia
8 5 Mosgiel
8 5 Colonel Rouge
8 4 Southern Sail
8 2 Ardmayle
8 0 Strathalbyn

RIVERTON CUP,
Of f600, 1½ miles.

Queen of Song 8 11 Sailing Lady 7 10
Peony Rose 8 2 Chirp 7 0
Wild Career 8 0 Waitoru 7 0
Mona's Song 7 13

3.10-GREAT WESTERN STEEPLECHASE,
Of £500, about 3 miles.

Santoft 10 12 McHeath 9 0
Trisox 10 3 Joy Boa 9 0
Arctic Star 9 7 King Willow 9 0
Mount Val 9 5 Gay Boa 9 0
Frenchy 9 4 Polar Star 9 0
Bally Brit 9 0

Of £200, 6 furlongs. Triple Cone Islay Downs Withdrawal Mondello Gay Lancer Verdure 8 8 Sea Lady 7 8 8 Colonel Rouge 7 8 5 Gold Robe 7 7 9 Irish Fling 7 7 9 Green Locket 7 4.30-

POURAKINO HANDICAP, Of £250, 1 mile. S 13 Straightdel S 5 Rodeur S 2 Blissful Lady Peony Rose

improved by her race at Woodville. BARRY BOY

HALCOMBE HANDICAP, Of £250; seven furlongs. 9 4 Colonel Bogey 8

Russian Ballet shaped like an early winner at Trentham. Brunhild must be respected in this event if she runs up to her best form, while Gaily and Lickem can both run a good seven. good seven.

Colonel Bogey likes this track,

while Rollicker should be held safe by Sporting Gift. Brazil is not without a chance, while Lindrum may urprise. However, the issue should e fought out by

RUSSIAN BALLET BRUNHILD

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

Gold Dale is extra smart and will be suited by this track. However, Gold Chase should be improved by his race at Trentham on Saturday. Scandal has been disappointing, but Zest is a smart filly and in good form. Royal Sign should be held safe by Colincamps, while Val Pere, Pretty Lass and Moradabad must be respected on recent form. Bronze espected on recent form. Lass, Sceptre and Debretts are worthy of some consideration, but most support should be forthcomin

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Of £125, 6 furlongs. Grand F125, 6 furlongs.

Igowlah 8 7 Kinkajou 8
Isham 8 7 Manahou 8
Isham 8 7 Master Solway 8
Isham 8 7 Master Solway 8
Isham 8 7 Rose Mimetic 8
Isham 8 Rose Mimetic Balgowlah Golden Wattle 8 7 Vivid Flash 8 7
Balgowlah and Batsham have
shown some form, while Bergle and
Daregain will also find some support. Kinkajou has been working
well at Hastings, while Master Solway has run several fair races lately. The favourites may be

KINKAJOU BALGOWLAH. MOKAI HANDICAP, Of £150; six furlongs,

Dungarvan 9 2 Jeanne 7 7 Alunga 8 3 Hunter's Eve 7 7 Flancee 7 11 Alunga 8 3 Hunter's Eve 1

Flancee 7 11

Dungarvan is on the upgrade, while Alunga has also run some good races lately. Fiancee has been racing well, while Jeanne is a winner on this track. If the going is at all easy Hunter's Eve would stand a really good chance around these bends. It looks as if the bulk of the money will be for DUNGARVAN HUNTER'S EVE

TUHITARATA HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP.

Of £140; nine furlongs and 80 yards.
Good Sun 9 12 Gay Fox 9
Acrobat 9 10 Gay Artist 9
Titter 9 10 War Cloud 9
Phil 9 7 The small field will suit Good Sun, but Acrobat may be smarter around the bends. Titter and Phil will not be neglected, while Gay Fox ran fairly well at Trentham. The best backed should be

GAY FOX EASTER HANDICAP Of £350; 1½ miles. Lady Furst 8 12 Galteemore 7 12
White Rajah 8 1 Dainty Sue 7 8
Gay Mimic 8 0 Trebor 7 8
Tooley Street 7 13
Lady Furst led for over a mile

in the Autumn Handicap at Tren-tham on Saturday and that race is likely to improve her a lot. The short straight and the turns will assist the Greenmeadows mare and she promises to be very hard to beat.
White Rajah's two fine races
Trentham make him appear to be a
good prospect, but Gay Mimic may
find it hard to concede weight to
Tooley Street. Galteemore is a de-

cided prospect, while Trebor appears
to be coming back to form.
The finish may be disputed by
LADY FURST
WHITE RAJAH WAIRARAPA NURSERY HANDICAP. Of £150; five furlongs.

Of £150; five ruriongs.

Kentucky 8 13 Tane Pango
Kadina 7 11 Cicada
Triple Crown 7 8 Tractometer
Blue Border 7 7 Yurilla
Courting 7 5 Maharajah
First Round 7 4 Hamish
Lady Garvagh 7 0

Ventucky raced well at Tree

Lady Garvagh 7 0

Kentucky raced well at Trentham where Kadina also showed a lot of pace. Triple Crown is also smart, while Courting has run several good races. Hamish is pacy, but the form horses appear to be

KADINA

KENTUCKY KAHUTARA HACK HANDICAP, Of £140; six furlongs.

9 4 Kurrawong 7 11
15 8 10 Buccaneer 7 9
8 4 Newbury
Dell 8 0 Queen 7 9
ra 7 12 Jungle King 7 8
7 11 Dainty Dell Wakarara

Autolite is a smart galloper and won here at New Year. Plenteous has been showing good form, while Dainty Dell, Wakahara, Counter, Kurrawong, Buccaneer and Newbury Queen may find some support. The favourites, however, should be

The favourites, however, should be AUTOLITE NEWBURY QUEEN MARTINBOROUGH HANDICAP, Of £175; one mile.

Tooley Street 8 6 Fiancee
Alunga . 8 1 Rustem
Royal Siglow 7 9
Minstrel 7 12 Liane 7 7
Corroboree 7 9
Tooley Street would lave to be given a great chance here, for he can run a good mile. Alunga is a possibility, but Royal Minstrel does not appear to be quite ready yet. Corroboree must be given a chance here, but Rustem reads nicely in a the weights, while Siglow is also a possibility. Form favours

TOOLEY STREET FERRY HACK HANDICAP, Of £125; seven furlongs. 8 12 Caution 8 10 Kintyre 8 6 Plastre 8 6 Gay Artist Arabic Te Ore Titter

Kehua 7 9

Hui appeared to be unlucky at Carterton and is well placed here. She should be a staunch favourite. while there will be support for Te
Ore, Kehua, Caution and Piastre.
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HUI
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