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ITALY DECLARES WAR ON THE ALLIES

AN IRREVOCABLE DECISION TAKEN BY MUSSOLINI

"We Will March With Our Friends"

QUALIFIED PROMISE TO BALKANS

Allies Ready To Meet The Sword With The Sword

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LONDON, June 10.

Italy has declared war on the Allies. The French Prime Minister (M. Reynaud) in a broadcast said that hostilities between France and Italy would begin at midnight to-night.

The Columbia (America) radio picked up an Italian radio announcement at 11 p.m. stating that hostilities had started four hours earlier and the first war communique could be expected shortly, but a Paris message says: "Our troops on the Alps front are in position and have not been attacked."

An official statement made in London regarding Italy says: "The preparations of the Allied Governments are complete. They will know how to meet the sword with the sword."

The announcement added: "This will be a long war unless Germany collapses unexpectedly."

The Italian Foreign Minister (Count Ciano) at 4.30 p.m. received the French Ambassador, declaring: "The King-Emperor declares that Italy is at war with France as from to-morrow, June 11." The British Ambassador was similarly informed.

In announcing Italy's declaration of war to the people of Rome, Mussolini said: "Italy has reached the hour of an irrevocable and important decision. The British and French Ambassadors have received Italy's declaration of war. Our conscience," said Mussolini, "is absolutely tranquil. We have done what was possible to avoid the storm which is now beating on the world."

"Treaties are not eternal. It was only needed to revise treaties to avoid this war. All the world knows that Italy tried in vain for peace. The Allies should not have repulsed Hitler's peace offers."

Facing The Risks

"Now we are ready to face all the risks and sacrifices of war. Our great people is ready to face its destiny and make its own history. We want to break the chains that are suffocating us in the Mediterranean."

"I wish to declare that Italy does not wish to drag others into the conflict—neighbours and friendly people. The neutrality of these nations will be severely respected."

"We will give a new era of peace to Italy, to Europe, and to the world," Mussolini declared.

"We salute the Führer of Germany. Fascist Italy is on her feet and ready to strike. This revolution asserts itself against those who control the world's riches. It is the struggle of one century against another."

"People of Italy, run to your arms!"

Signor Mussolini spoke from the balcony of the Palazzo Venezia.

The Allies Boomed

A crowd of 100,000 waited for an hour before Mussolini appeared on the balcony. His appearance was greeted by cries of "Duce! Duce!" which were repeated when he announced that Italy was at war. The crowd boomed and catcalled every allusion to England and France.

On the contrary, when Mussolini declared: "I have said to Berlin that we will march with our friends," the crowd shouted "Sieg heil! Sieg heil!"

The crowd continued its terrific cheering for five minutes after the speech.

The full text of Mussolini's speech was as follows: "Fighters of the land, sea, and air, and air legionaries, men and women of Italy, the Empire, and Albania, this is a grave hour for the fatherland—an hour of irrevocable decision. A declaration of war has already been decided upon. We are going to war against the plutocracies who are hindering and strangling our economic life."

"Events in quite recent history are summarised in these words: 'Half-promises, constant threats, blackmail, and finally, as the crown of this ignoble edifice, the League siege by 52 States.'"

Clear Conscience

"Our conscience is clear," Mussolini declared. "The whole world can testify that the Italian Empire has done everything in its power to uphold peace. The promises of the Western Powers have proved that they amount to nothing, as can be seen from the guarantees given by them."

"I take upon ourselves the risks and dangers of war because a great people like ours has to bear sacrifices. A great people cannot permit others to hamper its development."

FRANCE IS "LOOKING ON IN HORROR"

ITALIANS' "TERRIBLE ADVENTURE"

MOVE EXPECTED

"Insurmountable Alps": All Gates Are Barred

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LONDON, June 11.

The Paris radio says: "We welcome Mussolini's decision. We know it was taken against the will of the Italian people. This brother nation is looking on in horror as they are driven into a terrible adventure."

"The Alps are insurmountable and all gates to France are barred. We are expecting Mussolini's move and are ready for it."

Italians Living Under Flag Of France

PEOPLE WORKING IN PEACE IN NORTH AFRICA

Commander Appeals For Them To Act Calmly

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ALGIERS, June 11.

The Commander-in-Chief of the French forces in North Africa has appealed to the Italian population to accept the situation calmly.

"I am aware that a large part of the Italians in Tunis, Algeria and Morocco are working people who ask only to enjoy peace and the hospitality that France has always afforded them," he said. "The Italians in these countries know that France has always treated them as a free people."

"France took up arms only to defend the liberty of the peoples, and will fight till victory is won. Honest Italians have nothing to fear. Others who try to impede national defence will be punished without mercy."

NAZI ADVANCE HALTED

GERMANS NOW ON THE SEINE

CAUTION SHOWN

Weak Troops Find Way For Picked Men

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LONDON, June 11.

The Paris day communique states that it is confirmed that the enemy attempts between the sea and Oise to advance beyond the Seine were held.

The enemy during the night between Oise and Ourcq sought to make contact with our new positions.

Nothing of importance is reported on the Aisne or the Meuse.

The "Times" correspondent with the French forces says that the Germans are employing waves of the poorest troops, including Sudetens, in order to find the weak points, after which picked troops invest the position.

Spain's Attitude UNCHANGED

GREECE TAKES ALL PRECAUTIONS

SPAIN'S ATTITUDE UNCHANGED

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MADRID, June 11.

It is officially stated that Italy's entry into the war has not changed Spain's attitude.

A strict blackout has been imposed. The Pope's and the Papal Secretary's windows have been darkened.

Virtual curfew has been imposed on residents of the Vatican, who are not allowed out except by permit.

Priests and monks continue filling sandbags and protecting Church treasures. The Vatican Fire Brigade is drilled.

Greece has taken naval and military precautions, fearing that Italy or the Allies will attempt to establish naval bases in the Greek islands.

Anti-Italian Riots In Britain

SHOP WINDOWS SMASHED

Firearms Used In A Pitched Battle With Greeks

HISSING MOBS IN STREETS

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LONDON, June 11.

Violent anti-Italian riots broke out throughout the country late last night. Huge crowds in Soho waited tensely all the evening, and then hostility broke out.

Firearms are believed to have been used in a pitched battle between Italians and Greeks. Bottles flew, crashing into Italian cafes and shop windows. Scores of police were rushed to Soho.

One was injured in the head and was admitted to hospital. No arrests were made, except Italians.

A French cafe owner suffered from mistaken identity, a woman smashing his window with a syphon. Windows also were broken in Italian premises in Poplar and other London districts. The police at midnight still guarded the Italian Club, while others searched the premises.

Hissing mobs swarmed Liverpool's Italian district, blocking traffic and stoning premises from which the police rescued the owners.

Students Demonstrate

At Glasgow students demonstrated at the Italian Consulate as a workman removed the consular plaque.

At Belfast crowds gathered outside ice-cream saloons and cafes and demanded that the patrons leave. Two soldiers remained at one cafe after the civilians had left.

The police escorted them from the premises, the crowds shouting: "Shame! Are you Quislings or Leopolds?"

Baton Charges

The police made baton charges on infuriated crowds in Leith Street, Edinburgh, in an endeavour to check serious riots. They made numerous arrests. Several persons were injured.

Britain's Italian-born citizens total 25,000 of whom 19,000 are registered. The others are naturalised or under 16 years of age. London has 9366.

Internment will not be automatic, but on classification. The majority of dangerous suspects were arrested last night.

Round-up Begins

An earlier message stated that a great round-up of Italians began after Mr Duce's speech. The Italian Embassy and the Ambassador's residence were feverishly active. Smoke poured from the chimneys.

Italian journalists have gone to the Embassy prepared to quit England immediately. Sir Percy Loraine (British Ambassador to Rome) arranged with British journalists to come to England with the diplomatic staffs provided Italian journalists in Britain are granted similar facilities.

Excitement was intense at Soho and Bloomsbury. Hundreds of Italians came from shops and restaurants and gathered in the streets in apprehensive and bewildered groups.

Members of Scotland Yard requisitioned cars and throughout London brought in many Italians, who first heard of Italy's entry into the war from the police arresting them.

A hundred police raided the Italian Club at Charing Cross. It is revealed that Italian supervisors of West End restaurants were taken into custodial detention several days ago.

A Paris message states that M. Reynaud appealed to the French to behave calmly toward Italians living in France.

"There are Italians here who obviously are pro-French," he said. "Many Italians compelled to leave Italy sought refuge in France."

Quick Action In Australia

ITALIANS INTERNED

Sugar Workers In Queensland 200 APPREHENDED

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BRISBANE, June 11.

Italy's declaration of war quickly brought police and military machinery into operation in the Queensland sugar districts, in which many Italians are engaged. It is believed that about 200 were interned, others being kept under the strictest observation.

The public has been warned against taking the law into their own hands, and have been assured that every precaution has been taken to preserve order and to prevent subversive action. The authorities do not anticipate any serious disturbances.

BRITAIN'S ADVANCES TO RUMANIA

Diplomatic Gesture COUNTRY'S EFFORTS AVOIDING WAR

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LONDON, June 11.

In a complimentary message to King Carol on the anniversary of latter's accession his Majesty states: "We have watched with admiration the efforts you and your Government are making to preserve your independence and neutrality. We earnestly hope that Rumania is spared the horrors of war."

The message refers to the growing co-operation of the Balkan countries, and stresses the value of unity. It refers to the British fight for the liberty of mankind, and concludes: "We have never entertained the slightest doubt that we shall achieve victory."

Flying Ace Was To Have Had Home Duty

The Manner In Which "Cobber" Kain Met His Death

The "Mad Devil"

Recklessness, With Cool Thinking, Gave Him Victories

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LONDON, June 11.

"Cobber" Kain crashed and was killed instantly when the wing-tip of his Hurricane fighter touched the ground while flying over a fighter to his squadron.

His death occurred only a few hours after learning that he was being posted to England for special duties as an instructor. He wanted to stay in France, but the authorities judged that his brilliant service earned him a spell of home duty.

Writer's Tribute

The aviation writer of "The Times" in paying tribute to "Cobber" Kain says: "This tall, big-boned New Zealander was known affectionately to his associates as a 'mad devil.' It undoubtedly was this streak of recklessness, controlled by cool thinking, which gave him so many victories in such a short time. The name 'Kain' is permanently inscribed among the great air fighters."

YUGOSLAVIA IMPROVING DEFENCES

FATE OF OTHER NEUTRALS IS RECALLED

Mussolini's Assurance Is Viewed With Distrust

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BELGRADE, June 11.

Yugoslavia has called up a large number of specialist troops and has ordered the speediest work on the fortification of the Italian-German frontiers.

Mussolini's assurance that neutrality will be respected has caused uneasiness in view of similar assurances from Hitler to neutrals.

A message from Sofia states that official quarters look to Russia to protect Bulgaria. Military precautions are being taken on the Turkish and Greek frontiers.

EGYPTIAN LOYALTY IS UNSHAKEN

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CAIRO, June 11.

No panic followed the Italian declaration of war. The Italian Ambassador daily visited the Premier, but he failed to alter Egyptian loyalty to the Allies.

Guards were strengthened at diplomatic and Governmental offices, banks and telegraph installations day and night. Guards man the strategic points. Barrages, electric plants and waterworks have been declared prohibited areas.

The reorganisation of the Egyptian Army is almost complete. The training of Territorials proceeds apace, and the new Civil Guard is already active.

"Open Enemy Of Catholicism"

DISGUISE DROPPED

Cardinal Castigates Fascists

PAGANISM DISGUISED

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LONDON, June 11.

Archbishop Hinsley, Archbishop of Westminster, in a statement, said: "The leaders of Fascism have dropped the disguise of temporising with religion; they have broken with Christian civilisation. The issue is now clear. The present and the last Pope denounced their paganism. There is no longer any possibility of a modus vivendi with an open enemy of the faith of the majority of the Italian people."

"Fascism has become a radical Nazism and is committed to pillage, grasp, dominate and enslave. Whatever the merits of the Allied cause may be their victory will secure the freedom of many nations and end the Nazi system of religious and racial persecution and general paganism."

"I appeal earnestly for prayers for the Pope, who will be placed in an agonising position as the Father of Faithful and the Pope of Peace."

QUICK POLICE WORK IN AUSTRALIA

Army Co-operates In Round-Up Of Italians

SUSPECTS INTERNED

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SYDNEY, June 11.

A military order issued this afternoon empowered the police to close all refreshment cafes and shops conducted by enemy aliens in New South Wales and other parts of Australia. The police, in fast cars, rushed to all parts of the city and completely covered the windows of shops with posters which read: "Closed by Commonwealth Authority."

The windows of some Italian shops had already been broken despite an appeal by the Prime Minister to the community to respect the rights of naturalised Italians.

Months of preparations by the Army Intelligence proved of value at Melbourne at 9 a.m., when, within one minute of Italy's actual entry into the war, military officers and special police entered hundreds of homes, restaurants, and shops and rounded up Italians. Many were allowed to return to their homes, but all suspected of subversive intentions were rushed to internment camps in special lorries.

Greek shops were issued with special posters proclaiming their nationality and squads of police were posted to prevent rioting.

Unimportant brawls in Melbourne suburbs were quelled quickly by the police, who were prepared for such an emergency.

One Italian club noted for its Fascist tendencies was seized and the officials interned.

The un-naturalised Italians in Australia at the end of last year numbered 22,701, since when fewer than 1000 have become naturalised, thus leaving about 20,000 liable to internment, of whom 15,000 are males. A large proportion are Italian reservists.

THE GOVERNMENT LEAVES PARIS AT WEYGAND'S REQUEST

German Troops Engaged In An Encircling Movement

MOVEMENT FROM CAPITAL

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PARIS, June 11.

The Government has left at General Weygand's request. A Berlin military spokesman says that the German forces have formed a semi-circular front around Paris, 30 to 35 miles from the capital at certain points.

The rush of people to leave Paris reached large proportions at the railway stations, but the streets are almost normal, except for small bodies of troops and refugee cars.

The Parisians are calmly hoping for a last-hour turn of fortune, but are grimly prepared for the worst. The unemployed have been rounded up to assist in the preparation of Paris defences. Commercial and newspaper offices in Paris have been evacuated.

A communique announcing the Government's departure from Paris for the provinces added that M. Reynaud had gone to the front with the armies. A large number of Deputies and Senators arrived at Tours.

The Bourse has removed to the provinces.

Paris has been placed in a state of complete defence as the German drive towards the capital is intensified. Although the French forces are valiantly holding their line unbroken, withdrawals have been necessary at a number of points and it is admitted that the danger has become seriously intensified within the past twenty-four hours.

Encircling Movement.

It is becoming clear that the German plan is not to strike direct at Paris but to encircle it by driving down near the coast to the east of the city with one force, at the same time pushing down on the west of the city with another force, which could then wheel and threaten the city from the south. Paris would then be encircled, while the German force which had come down to the west of the city could also be used to take the Maginot Line in the rear.

Authoritative circles admit that the threat of the city's being enveloped is serious, and Paris has been put in a state of complete defence to resist any German siege. In the meantime, the staffs of the various Ministries of the French Government have been evacuated to the provinces.

MUSSOLINI WILL BE SUPREME COMMANDER

KING IS STILL THE NOMINAL CHIEF

Badoglio In Control Of The Army

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LONDON, June 11.

The Rome radio announces that Mussolini will be the Supreme Commander of the Italian Armed Forces, although the King still remains the nominal chief.

Marshal Badoglio has been appointed the Commander-in-Chief of the Army.

ITALIANS INTERNED AT MALTA

70 Arrested At Bombay

NEWS RECEIVED CALMLY

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MALTA, June 11.

News of Italy's declaration of war was received calmly. All Italians were rounded up and interned and Italian shipping was seized. A Bombay message states that the police arrested 70 Italians.

ITALIAN SHIP BURNED AND SCUTTLED

NEWSPAPER GIVES A BOMBER

£20,000 Gift From Jamaica

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MONTREAL, June 11.

The Italian freighter Caponoli was scuttled after burning on the St. Lawrence River two miles north of Rimouski. The Canadian pilot ran the vessel aground when he saw the Italian crew firing the ship.

A naval control boat extinguished the flames. The damage was slight. Canada is seizing the vessel and probably will intern the crew.

NEWSPAPER GIVES A BOMBER

£20,000 Gift From Jamaica

British Official Wireless. (Received June 11, 6 p.m.)

RUGBY, June 10.

The Minister of Aircraft Production (Lord Beaverbrook) announces that the "Daily Gleaner" newspaper, Jamaica, had sent him £20,000 to buy a bomber. The money has been diverted to the purchase of the biggest and best bomber so far produced.

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LOSS TO RUGBY IN WAIROA

MR F. H. MARDON RESIGNS SATURDAY'S DRAW. Position Of Teams In Competition. "Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA.

The resignation of Mr F. H. Mardon from the management committee of the Wairoa Country Rugby Sub-Union was received on Monday night at a meeting of the committee. He stated in a letter that he did not feel that sufficient interest was being shown by the players to balance the time given to the game by the officers.

For some years Mr Mardon has taken a keen interest as a player and as an administrator in the game and his resignation will be a distinct loss to Rugby in Wairoa. He was president of the Hawke's Bay Rugby Union in 1938, held the office of president of the Wairoa Sub-Union, and was vice-president of the sub-union at the time of his resignation. The management committee expressed regret at Mr Mardon's decision, and it was decided to write to him and thank him for his past services.

The Hawke's Bay Rugby Union wrote stating that it was perturbed at the number of injuries that had occurred as a result of late tackling and general indiscriminate play. Members, commenting on the letter, stated that there had been fewer injuries in Wairoa this season than ever before.

Saturday's Draw. The following is the draw for next Saturday: Seniors: Nuhaka A v. Athletic, Wairoa, No. 1 ground at 2.45. Y.M.P. v. Nuhaka B, Nuhaka, No. 1 ground, at 2.45. Junior: Athletic v. Nuhaka, Wairoa, No. 1 ground, at 1.30. Third grade: High School v. Athletic, Wairoa, No. 2 ground, at 1.30.

Position of Teams. The following table shows the position of the teams in the senior competition at the end of the second round:

Table with 6 columns: Team, Ch., P, W, L, D, Pts. Nuhaka A 6 5 1 0 10. Athletic 6 4 1 1 9. Nuhaka B 5 1 4 0 2. Y.M.P. 5 0 4 1 1.

WOMEN'S GOLF AT GLENULI

Stableford Bogey. PLAY ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. "Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPAWA.

Following is the draw for the stableford bogey match to be played by the members of the Waipawa Ladies' Golf Club on the Glentuli links on Friday and Saturday next. The scores also to be counted in the second round of the eclectic competition for the president's trophy: Seniors: Miss T. d'Emden plays Miss A. Britten, Mrs Strang plays Miss M. McCartin, Mrs Fleet 193/25. Miss J. Rathbone, Mrs Le Compté plays Mrs J. Hamilton, Miss R. Clark plays Mrs J. Angus, Mrs C. Woods plays Mrs E. Clark, Mrs H. Rathbone plays Miss V. W. Crow, Miss E. Butler plays another. Juniors: Mrs E. Kingston plays Mrs A. Logan, Miss Sebley plays Mrs Mrs Little, Mrs Hutchings plays Miss M. Logan, Miss S. Moroney plays Miss A. Collins.

Saturday draw: Miss A. d'Emden plays Miss H. Rathbone, Mrs McCartin plays Miss J. Roche, Mrs Woods plays Mrs Andrews, Mrs Wylie plays Miss Williams, Mrs J. Walker plays Miss J. Hall, Mrs Kennedy plays Mrs Stillburn, Miss N. Mason plays another.

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WEEKLY RUGBY REVIEW

LAST SATURDAY'S GAMES SENIOR FIXTURES. Havelock North v H.H.S.O.B. The defeat of Hastings Old Boys by Havelock North was a surprise to most people who were not at the game. Old Boys secured easily the best of the first spell, but after the interval Havelock played a bustling game and showed some good form in the backs. They thoroughly deserved the win.

E. Bligh, Havelock centre, played a good game and proved himself a hard man to stop. He showed plenty of determination and speed and was easily the best of the Village backs.

Most prominent man on the whole field was Roy Natusch, Old Boys centre, on leave from Trentham. His were no "gift" tries, but rather the result of his own efforts and his own particularly spectacular running. Natusch is probably the most powerful runner Hastings has seen for some time. Rumour has it that Natusch has not yet been played in the Army team in Wellington because of doubt that he is the Hawke's Bay representative player. They don't know what they're missing.

Alan Joll, burly Havelock forward, played one of the best games to date on Saturday. He worked hard and his try was the result of a determined effort.

It wasn't as if the Old Boys pack was loafing. Havelock were bustling and the Old Boys were doing everything they could to stem the tide. Morton, in the Old Boys pack, continually proves himself a valuable man.

G. Stanford, the Village half-back, is an improving player. He covers very well and sends out the ball quite fast. Winchester, O.B. half-back, should learn not to run to the touch with the ball but to send it out from where he stands.

Lowe, Old Boys second five-eighths, was playing his last game before going to the States for a good job he made of it. His cut-through for his scoring run was a nice effort.

M.A.C. v Pirates. The best feature of this game was the fine forward display of the Maori pack, who outlasted Pirates throughout the entire game. Reid and Jackson were the stars and held the pack together. Renata and Waretini were good.

Keble, Frazer and Wolstenholme were the pick of the Pirates forwards. Frick played with more dash than he usually does. Morgan and Dowrick were outstanding in the Pirates backs.

Arthur Walford, left winger, was the outstanding back for M.A.C. and made a number of his spectacular runs with his peculiar accuracy for bumping off tacklers. To some degree Rickard has this quality, but he is so well watched that he seldom has a chance to use it.

Newton played a keen game, combining well with Himona. His field-goal was a great effort.

Hastings v Marist. This game was poor except in the closing stages, when scoring was fast and exciting. Marist should have been able to beat such a weak Hastings team, especially as the latter team was three men short for quite a while and at a loss for Marist's injuries which necessitated replacements with juniors who had already played a game.

The handling of the Marist inside backs in the first spell was poor, both Tuohy and Hutchinson fumbling. Hutchinson was the worst offender and spoiled a number of promising openings with his inability to hold the ball.

The Marist defence was all at sea when Horton and Harrison broke away near the finish of the game and went into the forwards for McConnaughy to score. This was a good move, both backs and forwards combining well.

Tech-High v Celtic. Celtic probably surprised even their supporters by their fighting display against Tech-High at Napier. By keeping the play mainly in the forwards they held the home side for most of the game, and at one stage had the lead for quite a time.

The Celtic forwards packed hard and excelled in rucking play. McCarthy and King in particular were always in the thick of everything. The Tech-High pack showed up more in the second spell, when they staged some good loose rushes.

The Tech-High backline did not show its usual form until well into the second spell. Thomas, although sparkling on occasions, did not give the outside backs very many opportunities. Wright on the wing was rather uncertain in his handling, but redeemed himself by scoring an excellent try.

Thomas's goal-kicking again stood his side in good stead, and was responsible for some useful points to Tech-High's total.

Celtic exploited the sideline to good effect, and gained ground with some well-placed kicks. Geddes, the full-back, showed himself sound in this work as in defensive play.

A large audience attended a concert in the Gaiety Theatre on Sunday night in aid of the Patriotic fund. The promoters are to be congratulated on their fine work. The programme went with swing from beginning to end.

The Mayor (Mr H. L. Harker) in a short address, thanked the organisers, the performers and the public, who all had helped in the show's success.

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"Catherine," a well-filmed love story of Princess Catherine Olgurky, one of Russia's more glamorous women, and Czar Alexander II, in the middle nineteenth century, is based on the novel by Princess Marthe Bibesco and was adapted for the screen by Jean-Jacques Bernard.

In "Catherine" Danielle Darrieux, who portrays the title role, moves from her usual flighty portrayal of the bold young girl to a more serious type of drama, and a sagacious move it proves to be. John Loder star of English-made motion pictures, lends an impressive performance as Czar Alexander of Russia, and the supporting cast of Marcel Simon, Aime Clarioud and Maria Helene Daste, as the invalid Czarina, handle their parts ably.

State

A GREAT MUSICAL COMEDY

"Shipyard Sally" With Gracie Fields

Hearty comedy, glorious singing of old favourites and new hits by the one-and-only Gracie Fields, and a strong story, combine to make "Shipyard Sally," which will open to-day at the State Theatre, Hastings, among the most sparkling entertainments the screen has offered in many a season.

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

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

Cosy

OTTO KRUGER AT HIS BEST

"Housemaster" With "At The Villa Rose"

Otto Kruger gives the performance of his career in the title role of "Housemaster," the Associated British screen version of Ian Hay's long-running play, which is at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. "Housemaster" is a bright and breezy comedy with a sympathetic and human note underlying its humour, the action of which takes place almost entirely within the walls of a large English public school.

Otto, as the housemaster, a dry-humoured bachelor devoted to his boys, has three devastatingly pretty wards descend upon his school. These three lovelies—played by Diana Churchill, Rene Ray and fifteen-year-old Rosamond Barnes—cause a sensation at the school and unwittingly help to incite a revolution among the boys against the new headmaster's drastic reforms.

"At the Villa Rose," one of the most absorbing mystery stories ever written, will be screened as the associate feature.

Wai-pawa County Council

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPAWA. At the monthly meeting of the Wai-pawa County Council the Wallace County Council requested support for a resolution urging the reinstatement of a 48-hour working week as a war effort.

The chairman considered that the statement of the Government that where and when necessary Arbitration Court awards would be suspended covered the Wallace proposal. No action was taken.

The Minister of Internal Affairs inquired what had been done regarding the formation of an emergency precautions scheme. The chairman said that when the matter was previously considered it was decided to hold a conference of representatives of local bodies to draw up a comprehensive scheme, but it had not been finalised. In view of the Government's emergency measures giving absolute control, any scheme agreed upon might be overridden.

REPRESENTATIVE SOCCER

HAWKE'S BAY TEAMS TO TRAVEL

SATURDAY'S GAMES

The following Hawke's Bay Soccer teams will travel to Palmerston North to play Manawatu for the New Zealand F. A. Brown Shield:— B. Christie, V. Richardson, T. Gosling, J. Vannan, S. Bryan, E. Stead, W. Thompson, A. Gibson, A. Mackie (captain), C. MacMillan, R. Rigby, Emergencies: Roy Atkinson, P. Millett, Manager: J. Lothian.

All players and supporters are to join the bus at Clive Square on Saturday morning at 8.30. Any player who cannot go and has not yet advised the selector or committee should do so at once. The team will leave Palmerston North at 11 p.m.

Owing to the depletion of the senior ranks due to this important representative match and so many of the other senior players travelling to Palmerston North in support, there will be no regular senior match in Napier on Saturday, but other senior games which will provide some excellent football will take place at the usual times.

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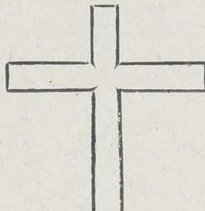
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Mayfair

"THERE GOES THE GROOM"

With "International Settlement"

Going behind the headlines for its thrilling theme and behind the barricades of Shanghai's amazing city within a city for its teaming thrills, "International Settlement" is now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, tells the timely story of daring Americans swept overnight into perilous adventure in the Far East.

Dolores Del Rio, the most glamorous and dangerous white woman in all China, George Sanders, adventurer and soldier of fortune, June Lang, as an American tourist, and Dick Baldwin as a daring newsreel cameraman, are featured players in the film. The cast includes intensely powerful roles by Ruth Terry, John Carradine, Keye Luke and Leon Ames.

With a unique theme for its sparkling comedy and delightful romance, RKO Radio's "There Goes the Groom" presents Ann Sothern in the feminine lead, Burgess Meredith, with the star of last year's film, "The Sign of the Cross," in the part of the gushing mother in the second attraction screening at the Mayfair.

State

NEW BOBBY BREEN PICTURE

"Escape To Paradise" And "The Missing People"

Riotous romance, exciting adventure and tuneful melodies against a rich tropical background of Latin America are brought to the screen in Bobby Breen's latest starring film, "Escape to Paradise," now showing at the State Theatre, Napier.

The eighth picture in which the clever young singer has been headed to top all his previous efforts both in his individual performance and in the vehicle and support given him.

Heading the list of featured players is Kent Taylor, who, as an American playboy who loves to loaf, gives a stand out portrayal. Romantic interest is furnished by Marla Shelton, as a South American senorita; comedy and villainy are provided by Joyce Compton and Robert O. Davis.

It's really a new Bobby Breen who makes his appearance in "Escape to Paradise." In a real boy role—that of Roberto, a happy-go-lucky South American lad whose penchant for exaggeration is always getting him and his friends into trouble—Bobby gives a rollicking portrayal. The half-dozen numbers he sings are all of Latin-American flavour.

Those who saw "The Mind of Mr Reeder" will remember that this attraction introduced to the screen the Edgar Wallace character of Mr J. G. Reeder in the person of Will Fyffe, one of the best-known character comedians of the music-hall.

Will Fyffe is again seen as J. G. Reeder in "The Missing People," the second feature. This Jack Raymond production carries on the adventures of this benevolent old gentleman who, although attached to the Public Prosecutor's office, and is one of the most feared detectives in the country, nevertheless disarms suspicion by having the appearance of a somewhat eccentric farmer.

The famous gentleman criminal "Raffles" comes to the screen in the film of the same name, which opens at the State Theatre on Friday. David Niven and Olivia de Havilland head the cast.

Regent

"FROM MANGER TO CROSS"

Remarkable Film From The Holy Land

In a world torn with war and tyranny, religion has come to the fore with a new significance, and, although it is many years since a picture with a sacred theme has been shown, a film depicting the life of Christ, from Annunciation to Resurrection, is now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier.

"From Manger to Cross" was made in the Holy Land several years ago before the British engineers reconstructed the roads into modern highways, and before any of the modern edifices now such a feature of the towns, were built. Thus the atmosphere of the days in which Christ lived is captured, but, it must be understood, without any of the so-called "glamour" which a modern American production would tend to bestow on it. All the players are anonymous, and though their names, if published, would mean little to the average filmgoer, their acting ability is good. A commentary by the Rev. Brian Hession, M.A. (London), accompanies the story, and lends added interest.

This is the third revival throughout the world of "From Manger to Cross" and tributes have been shown upon it from notables of all denominations, two noteworthy eulogies coming from Dr. Winnington-Ingram, Bishop of London, and Cardinal Hinsley, Archbishop of Westminster. In 1938 a Royal Command screening was ordered.

An associate feature of vital interest is to be screened with "From Manger to Cross," a picture showing the might of Britain's Army, Navy and Air Force, and her enormous industrial development and the resources at her disposal. Titled "Our Royal Heritage," it is a telling answer to the Nazi claim that the British Empire is declining. The whole programme is one which every man, woman and child should not miss.

A smile went round the room at a luncheon of the Wellington Rotary Club when Sir Charles Statham, speaking of the duties of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, said that at one time when he occupied the chair there was a member named McDougall. Mr McDougall was sat well to the right of the Speaker, and to see him he had to half turn round. As surely as he did that when the member was speaking Mr McDougall would say quite involuntarily, "I withdraw that."

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MOTHERS' UNION HOLD MONTHLY MEETING

Hastings Gathering

DEACONESS BRAND THE SPEAKER

At St. Matthew's Hall

The vicar of St. Matthew's Church, Hastings, the Rev. W. T. Drake, took the short service which preceded the Mothers' Union meeting yesterday afternoon.

ENGAGEMENT

The engagement is announced between Amy Rosalie, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs C. O. K. Sainsbury, Wairoa, and Gordon Nigel, second son of Mr and Mrs C. Giblin, Wai-pukurau.

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Five o'Clock Gossip

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A GIFT EVENING HELD IN NAPIER

Miss Cecil O'Halloran The Guest-Of-Honour

Miss Cecil O'Halloran, whose marriage to Second Lieutenant R. S. V. Simpson takes place on Saturday next, was the guest of honour at a delightful gift party given for her on Monday evening by Mrs G. Sweetapple, Kennedy Road, Napier.

"I was going to dispose of several framed pictures when I discovered that, by fixing handles to each end and rubber rests at each corner underneath, they made very useful and attractive trays," writes a reader.

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New colours are chosen each season by the British Colour Council, who have recently made an important announcement. Women are to be encouraged to abandon neutral colours, such as navy, nigger-brown, and bottle-green, and to wear clothes of lighter and brighter shades.

When choosing the new shades the Colour Council has been prompted mainly by the beauty of the English countryside, but, as usual, topical events have also left their associations.

In the first case we find a delightful silvery green, pussy willow, and in a deeper tone, catkin, and darker still, dried green. Then there is dusky lime, a brightish green with a touch of grey, and a deeper tone, pheasant green and still deeper, fern green.

Topical Events Inspire Names

Topical events have suggested names for several shades. The Altmarck incident provided a name for a rich sea blue called "fjord blue", and airforce blue has been replaced by pilot blue and avion which describe themselves.

For those who prefer a quieter tone to be brightened with vivid accessories there is college grey, the grey of the English college buildings, or fog grey. There are also clerical grey, platinum grey and iron grey, but it is essential to combine these with some rich shade such as stop red, Venetian scarlet, Breton red, flamingo, which describes itself, cherry or one of the new cyclamen or fuchsia shades.

Other colour combinations suggested are burnt sugar—a lovely new brown with catkin green, Guard's red with bright green, peacock blue, and burnt lacquer, jade green with lacquer red, mauve on purple, light blue or off-white on navy, ice-blue and wine, camel and nigger, royal blue with black and wine with pervenche blue.

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Mrs A. R. Greenwood, the convener of the sewing committee of the Havelock North sub-centre of the New Zealand Red Cross Society, dispatched the monthly contribution of the sewing circle to Napier on Monday.

This splendid effort has been made possible by the generosity of many members who have made personal donations and assisted in various efforts to raise funds.

The following is the list of garments made by the Havelock North sub-centre for the month:— Babies garments: 1 coat and bonnet, 1 jumper, 1 cardigan, 1 pair slippers, 5 vests.

Boys' garments: 7 flannel shirts, 3 sets pull-overs and shorts, 2 cardigans, 1 pullover, 3 pairs stockings.

Girls' and children's garments: 28 sets jumpers and skirts, 5 knitted berets, 1 pair bloomers, 5 print dresses and matching bloomers, 7 pairs bloomers, 1 pair bedsocks, 8 nightdresses, 11 pairs children's socks, 1 child's blanket.

Men's garments: 1 pullover, 12 scarves, 23 Balaclavas, 48 pairs socks, 1 cap, 5 pairs mittens.

Balance of outfits for Finnish relief: 2 dresses, 2 nightdresses, 1 pinafore, 2 blouses, 2 pairs bloomers, 2 vests.

Hospital list: 9 pairs slippers, 7 pairs bedsocks, 1 hot bottle cover, 3 bag covers, 5 tray cloths, 27 ditty bags, 2 helpess case shirts (unsplit sleeves), 37 gauze shirts, 6 pairs pyjamas, 36 sets sponge bag, face cloth and cake of Lifebuoy soap.

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BAIRD'S HASTINGS

British Drama League

Annual Meeting Held In Hastings

The annual meeting of the British Drama League, Hawke's Bay area, was held in the Pasadena tea-rooms, Hastings, last evening. The following annual report of the league's activities for the period ended on May 31, 1940, was presented.

Festival: The ninth annual festival was held in the Assembly Hall Hastings, on November 8, 1939, after careful consideration by the executive as to the advisability of going on with it or not, in view of the petrol restrictions and other factors.

Officers Elected The following officers were elected: Patron, Mr H. W. C. Baird; president, Mr F. J. Priest, vice-president, Mesdames W. A. Whitlock, J. B. Campbell, F. T. Kelly, Messrs Russell Todd, W. G. Wood, J. D. H. Buchanan, F. M. Tickner, G. A. Maddison, M. S. Spence, E. A. Renouf, A. Giorgi and L. MacLean; executive, Mesdames W. A. Whitlock, F. T. Kelly, J. K. Agnew and Miss Helen Ford (with power to add one member); secretary, Mr E. D. Anderson; treasurer, Mr H. H. Harding; auditor, Mr K. H. Bayliss.

The Drama League Centennial Festival was discussed by all members and it was finally decided that in the Hawke's Bay area it was considered unwise to continue with this festival or, in fact, any festival at the present time. It was decided, however, to continue in existence to help if possible and though the festival be suspended meanwhile, should an opportune time arise for holding a festival in the Hawke's Bay area it will be done.

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Firm Market At Norsewood

SHEEP IN DEMAND

Brokers Report On
Stock Sale

Messrs Williams & Kettle Ltd. report that at the usual stock sale at Norsewood on Monday, they offered a small yarding of sheep and cattle to a good attendance of buyers. Prices for sheep were very firm on late rates, while cattle also sold well.

They quote as follows:
2th. ewes 21/7, 4yr. ewes r.w.S.D. 22/8, store ewes 9/6 to 11/6, good ewe lambs 20/8, med. ewe lambs 16/7, smaller sorts 10/6, med. wed. lambs 14/7 to 16/7, smaller sorts 9/9 to 11/7, b.f. lambs 16/3, 2th. wethers 21/7.

Fat Jersey cows 3ms to £4 5/-, store Jersey cows £2 10/- to £3 9/-, heifers r.w.b. £4 15/-, good weaner pigs 19/7.

A Jersey heifer sold on account of the Red Cross Society and donated by Messrs Anderson Bros. brought £1 5/-, 3 store ewes sold on account of the Red Cross and donated by J. T. Dally, brought £1 13/-. The Hawke's Bay Farmers' Co-op. Assn. Ltd. report that they offered to a good attendance a medium yarding of both sheep and cattle. A total clearance was effected at prices ranging as follows: Fat ewes 16/4 to 22/1, wether lambs 14/7 to 16/7, 4 and 5yr. ewes S.D. rams 22/-, fat Jersey cows £4 15/- to £6 10/-, springing Jersey heifers £4 10/- to £6 10/-, store cows £2 to £3 5/-, weaner Jersey heifers £2 10/- to £3, potter bulls £4 10/- to £6 5/-.

Dalgely & Co. Ltd. report: There was a very small entry and a good attendance of the public. Sheep offered comprised mostly hoggets and an improved sale resulted; both wether and ewe hoggets improved by 1/- to 1/6 a head. Prices: Good ewe hoggets 20/8, medium lots 16/6, good wether hoggets 15/6 to 17/-, small wether hoggets 9/6 to 10/9. One pen of 5yr. ewes mated S.D. rams 23/3.

Cattle: The small entry of cattle comprised all classes, mostly dairy sorts. The quality was poor and

HOGGETS DEARER AT WAIPUKURAU

Good Store Market

WEANER STEERS RISE

A dearer market for hoggets prevailed at the Waipukurau stock sale yesterday when competition in the store sheep section generally was keen. An Argyle entry of ewe hoggets made the highest price of the season at 24/2.

Small-grown to medium wether hoggets brought 16/-; two-tooth wethers made 22/6. Two-tooth ewes in good order sold at 25/-.

In the store cattle offering where a small yarding came forward, well-grown weaner steers were dearer to bring £2/17/- to £3/4/-.

Weaner heifers made £2/4/-, with in-calf cows at £2/1 and light empty cows at £3/7/-.

The fat cattle sale was brisk with a sound inquiry for good pens. A number of useful finished pens were on offer to sell to good competition. Realisations were as follows:—
Store Sheep
An entry of 71 small-grown woolly wether lambs, hard conditioned, made a good sale at 15/1.

On account of Mr F. J. Addis, Argyle, 84 nicely-grown well-woolled ewe hoggets in splendid order topped the sale at 24/2. On account of Onepoto Station, an entry of small to medium woolly wether lambs in good condition brought 16/4.

On account of the Mathieson Estate, Tikokino, 61 small to medium-grown woolly ewe lambs in medium order sold well at 20/-.

Of the same high-country property, the woolly wethers, mixed in size and handling quite well, brought 17/3. On account of Te Awa Station, 211 mixed-aged ewes, 2-tooth and 5-

year, in quite good condition and run with Southdown rams, brought 21/6 for a run of 150, the balance making 20/5.

On account of Ascot Station, 171 fine-woolled fair-slip 2-tooth ewes, medium-grown and run with Southdown rams, realised 25/4.

On account Mr G. S. Douglas, Porangahau, an entry of well-grown and well-slip 2-tooth wethers, including a few four-tooth, in good order, sold at 22/8.

Store Cattle
From Porangahau, an entry of A.A. cows run with an A.A. bull and in forward condition, sold at £2/1/-.

Also from Porangahau, 19 fairly-grown well-coated A.A. weaner steers, in good condition and hardy, made a good sale at £3/2/-.

On account of Mr V. Windle, Porangahau, 12 weaner A.A. steers, smaller grown than the previous pen and in good doing order, made £2/17/-.

On account Mr F. Ireland Porangahau, 17 fairly-grown well-down weaner A.A. steers, well-coated and hardy, sold at £3/4/-.

On account of the same district 15 small-grown weaner A.A. heifers, some late calves, realised £1/17/6.

An entry of well-framed empty A.A. cows in light store order sold at £3/7/4.

On account Mr V. Windle, an entry of fairly-grown A.A. heifers in medium order brought 44/-.

Fat Cattle
Eight small to medium-framed A.A. bullocks, nicely finished averaging 650lbs., sold at £11/15/-.

Eight well-bred dehorned Hereford bullocks, prime finished, slightly shorter framed than the previous pen and averaging close on 650lbs., sold at £11/15/-.

Out of the same draft, four similarly-bred smaller bullocks, averaging a little over 570lbs. were passed at £10/5/-.

On account of Mr R. St. Hill Warren, eight clean-bred empty A.A. heifers in medium prime order and averaging about 520lbs. were passed at £9.

A single small-framed prime-finished young Shorthorn bullock, a quality entry of choice beef, scaling about 630lbs. sold at £12/10/-.

On account of Mr R. St. Hill Warren, six clean-bred medium-framed A.A. cows having quite a good finish sold at £7/17/6.

Stock Sale At Waipukurau

YESTERDAY'S PRICES

Brokers report as follows on prices realised at yesterday's stock sale at Waipukurau:

Williams & Kettle Ltd.

8 fat bullocks £11 15/-, 4 at £10 17/6, 1 at £12, 2 at £10 7/6, 1 fat Jersey cow £4 17/6, 2 fat P.A. cows £6 11/-, 1 fat Jersey cow £4 13/-, 3 P.A. bullocks £7, 1 brindle cow £7 10/-, 3 P.A. cows £3 16/-, 1 empty Jersey cow £2 18/-, 1 Shorthorn heifer £2 10/-, 8 fat P.A. heifers £9 5/-, 8 fat P.A. cows and heifers £8 5/-, 3 fat heifers £4 12/-, 1 fat cow £7 3/-, 2 fat heifers £5 11/-, 1 fat Jersey cow £4, 1 Jersey heifer in calf £3, 1 P.A. bull £3 10/-, 1 store Jersey cow £1 10/-, 1 Jersey cow due August 37/6, 1 store cow 17/4/8 P.A. heifers £2 4/-, 5 P.A. cows £3 7/-, 4 P.A. steers £3 18/-, 5 P.A. heifers £2, 19 P.A. weaner steers £3 2/-, 5 20-mths. P.A. steers £4, 17 P.A. weaner steers £3 4/-, 12 at £2 18/-, 15 P.A. weaner heifers 37/6, 5 P.A. cows r.w.P.A. £2 1/4, 22 fat ewes 20/-, 56 at 16/2, 63 fat lambs 19/4, 17 2th. ewes r.w.S.D. 25/-, 60 woolly wed. hoggets 16/-, 30 shorn wed. hoggets 15/8, 20 black hoggets 15/8, 21 woolly wed. hoggets 15/2, 4 store ewes 9/6.

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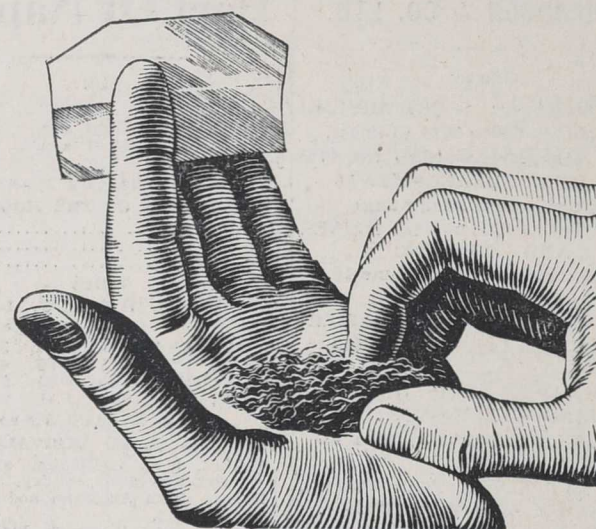
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EXPECTED ARRIVALS
 PAKURA, from Wellington and other southern ports, to-day.
 KOPARA, from Auckland and Gisborne, June 14.
 KAKAPO, from Westport, June 17.
 WAINUI, from Wellington and southern ports, June 17.

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Hawke's Bay Daily Mail

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1940.

THE WIDENING WHIRLPOOL

There was nothing of the unexpected in Mussolini's braggart move in declaring war on the Allies. Even his opening gambit was foreseen and will be forestalled. Wars generally have some kind of shadow of a pretext, but this declaration has none.

It was made perfectly clear by the Allies that no question arising in relation to Italian interests or to the well-being of the Italian people could not be solved by peaceful discussion and negotiation. Yet Mussolini refused to negotiate, and spent most of his time in raising the fiery frenzy of his youthful and irresponsible supporters. The Italian temperament readily lends itself to mob excitement and dearly loves such strutting and posturings as Il Duce is so willing to provide. When mass feelings are roused beyond a certain pitch control gives way and troubles come. And so, with a faithless disregard of the higher claims of civilisation and with a callous and ruthless abandon which will plunge hundreds of thousands of his people into the maelstrom of bloody strife, the Italian dictator has called upon his legions to march, and in his role as a modern Caesar presumes to sally forth to the conquest of France and Britain.

But history proves that the Italian on the platform and the Italian on the field of battle are two different men. In a straight issue on the field we have nothing to fear.

Perhaps the saddest man in Europe to-day is his Holiness the Pope. He has, despite his best endeavours, had to stand by while everything in which he and his faithful followers believe is being flung into the fiery jaws of war, while the leader of the people throws in his lot with the forces of anti-Christ. All men of goodwill throughout the world will share in that sorrow, and will have faith to believe that such a despicable betrayal of decent principles will never be allowed to go unpunished in the end.

One heartening aspect of the dramatic news is that indications have been given that this time the Allies will not wait to be attacked, but will take the initiative from the start. It is more than likely that we shall hear encouraging news in this connection during the next few days. If ever a quarrel is just, it is when unprovoked aggression, based on no reason of sense or justice, is launched on unoffending people.

It is more and more clear every day that the democracies have a sacred duty laid upon them to destroy once and for ever the pagan menace of unprincipled dictatorships, and with all the zeal of the holy Crusaders our men may be depended upon not only to straighten the crooked swastika into the form of the true Cross, but to meet and combat infidelity wherever it is found.

The entry of Italy into the war has cleared the issues. The gigantic struggle is one between faith in things that are right and good, faith in honour, justice, and friendly dealings, and the cruel smash-and-grab instincts of predatory tyrants. It is just at such a time as this that all of us may fall back upon these higher principles of belief to the end that we may know that we are trebly armed because Truth and righteousness are on our side.

Somewhere in the Bible there is a grand old story about the fearful servant of the prophet Elisha. The prophet, surrounded by the enemies of his faith, was strangely calm and confident. His servant asked: "What shall we do?" The prophet prayed that the man's eyes should be opened, and the servant saw that the surrounding hillsides were full of horses and chariots of fire. There are such things, in other words, as the hidden hosts of righteousness who fight on the side of the good and the true and the beautiful. They are to be found in the strength of the hearts and consciences of good men and women.

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AT THE HOTELS

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Mr A. W. Brice, Mr E. H. Dowsett, Mr H. M. Christie (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Fries (Tauranga), Mr and Mrs R. J. Willis (Tikiti), Miss E. G. Pringle (Dannevirke), Mr W. M. Barton (Auckland) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mrs A. Burton, Mr F. Hannaford, Mr and Mrs P. Morse, Miss L. Pointon, Mr A. L. McLean (Auckland), Miss Laurensen, Mr P. Marchbank, Mr and Mrs W. Fraser, Mr L. H. Jenkins, Mr C. Levinson, Mr H. Digges sen., Mr and Mrs O. McDonald, Mr C. Ashton, Mr G. P. Mawson (Wellington), Mr and Mrs H. M. Essex, Mr H. D. Essex, Mrs C. A. Thompson, Mr G. E. Constable, Mr H. D. Lunn (Wellington), Mr M. McKendry (Christchurch), Mr J. Allen (Masteron), Mr C. Griffin (Palmerston North), Mr G. C. Noble (Pukehoo) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs H. Simpson (Matamata), Mr and Mrs Allan (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs F. Chudley and family (Hastings), Mr D. W. Houson (Tikokino), Mr V. Hopkirk, Mr H. Featherston, Mr L. Taylor, Mr R. J. Thompson (Wellington), Mr S. P. White (Te Kuiti), Mr K. Somerville, Mr C. Jackson (P.O.) are at the Palace Hotel, Hastings.

WAIROA

Mr K. B. Keehan (Piripaua), Mr H. Telford (Te Karaka), Mr H. P. Hamilton, Mr C. R. Tuke (Gisborne), Mr Ray Thomas (Milford), Mr R. Clarke (Wellington) are guests of the Clyde Hotel.

Mr and Mrs McNeil, Mr Grant, Mr Russell, Mr Jackson, Mr Hastings, Mr Whittaker, Mr Alley (Wellington), Mr McLean, Mr McKinley (Napier), Mr and Mrs Saunders (Palmerston North) are staying at the Wairoa Hotel.

Mr Mackay, Mr Allan, Mr and Mrs Stephens, Mr Gardiner, Mr Hyde (Gisborne) are staying at the Ferry Hotel.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

No Telegrams to Italy

An official notice from the Post and Telegraph Department states that telegrams for Italy and the Italian colonies have been prohibited.

Copper Trail at Napier

A copper trail has been started in Napier by Mr W. Gilgling, who has devoted a week of fortnight's holiday for the purpose of assisting the Red Cross-St. John Ambulance appeal. A distance of 43 yards has so far been covered, the sum collected being £5 7/6.

Badges for Volunteers

A supply of arm badges is to be issued by the Army authorities to the various district offices so that volunteers for overseas service will have some tangible proof of their enlistment. So far the badges have not come to hand at Napier, but as soon as they are received they will be distributed to eligible persons.

Heifer Identification

The proposed method of identifying heifers under the surplus interchange scheme adopted at last night's meeting of suppliers to the Heretaunga Dairy Company was outlined by the chairman (Mr D. G. Begley), who stated that a neck tag stating the name of the owner and other essential details would be attached to each animal.

Red Cross Work

The dispatch from Wellington recently of 22 cases of articles destined for the British Red Cross for the relief of refugees is an example of the outstanding work the New Zealand Red Cross Society has been doing since the outbreak of war. Since September more than 300 cases of goods, containing about 20,000 articles, have been sent overseas.

Drowning Toll

As many people die by drowning in New Zealand during the summer months as by motor-vehicle accidents. This is revealed in a detailed review of accidents from 1930 to March 31, 1939, carried out by the National Committee of Swimming and Life Saving, which shows that during the months of October to March, inclusive, each year, 829 people perished by drowning and 800 by motor accident.

Stamina Wins

"It is not the horse that jumps out at the start that wins the race, it is the one who stamina who lasts out the course and goes to the front with a spurt as he goes down the street," said Mr W. E. Leadley at the annual reunion of the South Taranaki branch of the R.S.A. at Hawera on Saturday night. There would be a long and bitter struggle but they must sink all differences and pull together to defeat the German dictator.

White Feathers Again

The "white feather brigade" seem again to be becoming active in Napier, no doubt endeavouring in their own curious fashion to assist the war effort. One young man who spent 4 1/2 months in camp and was discharged on account of a minor eyesight defect was a victim of one such foolish trick the other day, and called into the "Daily Mail" office to express his disgust at the perpetrators of this act. The envelope containing the feather was left in his letter box, and he is still wondering who was responsible.

M.P.'s in Army

"I think when in a House of 80 there are four members overseas, three in camp, and at least another half a dozen who have offered their services, it isn't bad," said Sergeant J. B. F. Cotterill, M.P. for Wanganui, at the Wanganui section of the Post and Telegraph Employees' Association and Officers' Guild jubilee banquet on Saturday night. Sergeant Cotterill was referring to members of Parliament who have enlisted. He has enlisted himself and is waiting re-examination by a medical board.

New Labour Scheme

A cautious inquirer asked for an elaboration of an employer's power over men employed under the new 4B scheme for farm labour at last night's meeting of Heretaunga Dairy Company suppliers when a Labour Department representative outlined the scheme. Asking whether he would be able to get any work out of men so employed, the speaker recalled amid laughter, that under a previous Government subsidised scheme he had been told not to employ the men in his property did not work, as he was not paying their wages. "That's very nice," he commented when informed that he would, under the new scheme, have all the powers of any ordinary employer.

Breakfast Table

"Why do you avoid him so?"
 "He's full of opinions that are wrong, and can always prove everything he says."

An English newspaper advises the Government to stand pat on this Irish question.—Editorial.

Another idea, of course, is to try to understand Pat.

The first letter the family received from the pilot-son who was in the East told them to look out for a parcel which was on its way home.

There was great speculation in the house as to what weird and wonderful examples of native craft the parcels would contain.

Two days later it arrived. Its contents were seven shirts and a dozen-and-a-half socks together with the brief note, "Please wash and mend."

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HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR COLD, SHOWERY WEATHER.

Winds: Moderate to strong south-westerly to westerly.
 Weather: Cold and changeable with occasional showers.
 Seas: Moderate.

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows:—

Dry bulb temp. 51.5 deg.
 Wet bulb temp. 49.0 deg.
 Maximum temp. 60.0 deg.
 Minimum temp. 35.0 deg.
 1ft. underground 49.0 deg.
 3ft. underground 53.8 deg.
 Trace Grass 26.8 deg.
 Sun 1.5 hrs.
 Cloud 6
 Humidity 86 p.c.
 Visibility 6
 Wind Calm

Money From Car

Over £1500 has been raised from the sale of tickets in the motor-car art union now in progress in Hastings. It was reported at yesterday's luncheon of the Hastings Rotary Club. It is confidently anticipated that the £2000 mark will be reached before the art union's closing date, June 22. The draw is on June 23.

Tea for Recruits

That the Hastings Rotary Club had promised to assist in the provision of tea and refreshments for recruits undergoing medical examination at the Hastings Drill Hall was mentioned at the club's weekly luncheon yesterday. A committee of ladies is to be formed for this purpose, to be ready by the next sitting of the medical board.

Dean's Knowledge

Illustrating the friendly spirit between the Fellows and undergraduates at Cambridge University, Mr J. D. Buchanan, in an address to Hastings Rotarians yesterday, described an incident when undergraduates and others were discussing the number of illegal methods of entering the college after hours. Their total was ten, but the dean, who was present, twitted them with the remark that that left three of whose existence they did not know.

Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:—

Dry bulb temp. 47.0 deg.
 Wet bulb temp. 45.0 deg.
 Maximum temp. 56.0 deg.
 Minimum temp. 30.0 deg.
 Grass 25.0 deg.
 1ft. underground 45.0 deg.
 Wind S 2
 Cloud Nil
 Rain 8
 Rain for month02in.

Salvation Army Officer

The newly-appointed territorial Commander of the Salvation Army in New Zealand, Lieutenant-Commissioner J. Evan Smith visited Napier on Sunday, and in the evening conducted a meeting in the Salvation Army Citadel. The commissioner said he was familiar with the name of this district as one centre that had always generously supported the self-denial fund. He referred to the efforts being made by the Army at present in providing for the needs of the fighting forces, and mentioned the great loss incurred in France when huts had had to be abandoned before the enemy drive.

General situation: Pressure has been rising in the south behind an active depression with a centre to the west and an extension across New Zealand in the Cook Strait region. An anti-cyclone extends from Australia over the northern Tasman Sea.

Forecast:—Winds: Moderate to strong north-westerlies at first over the North Island and south-westerlies over the South Island and these becoming general during to-morrow.

Seas:—N.Z. waters: Rough about Cook Strait and north of Farewell Spit; elsewhere moderate but rising south of East Cape. East Tasman Sea: North-westerly winds at first in the northern portion but otherwise fresh to strong, south-westerly winds and rough seas.

Weather: Rather unsettled generally with some rain in most districts but especially in the central provinces. Conditions gradually improving from the south, however. Temperatures cold with snow on the high country.

To-day's Diary

NAPIER

The Theatres:
 "From Manger To Cross" and "Our Royal Heritage," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
 "Escape To Paradise" and "The Missing People," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
 "International Settlement" and "There Goes The Groom," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

HASTINGS

The Theatres:
 "Catherine," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
 "Shippard Sally," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
 "Housemaster" and "Murder at the Villa Rose," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.
 "Mad. Holiday" and "General Spanky," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

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WATERSIDE WORKERS' COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Guaranteed Minimum Now Increased

CO-OPERATIVE CONTRACTS

By Telegraph—Press Association
WELLINGTON, June 11.

The guaranteed weekly wage for waterside workers has been increased slightly under an order issued by the Waterfront Control Commission on June 6 and released to the Press to-day. The Commission has extended a wages adjustment to the men in accord with the standard wage pronouncement of the Court of Arbitration in September, 1937.

In respect to claims for variations in the general hours of work, overtime and practical time clauses, the Commission is of the opinion that the time is not opportune to make any alterations from the provisions of the recently cancelled award.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the order the Commission has power to introduce at any port or ports the system of co-operative contract work in the loading and/or discharging of vessels.

In a memorandum the Commission states inter alia: "To classify waterside workers with unskilled labour is itself illogical as some of the work performed is specialised in character and is recognised in Australia by the marginal rate of 6/ a week above the unskilled workers' rates. Disregarding the marginal rate, however, a comparison of waterside workers' rates, with those of unskilled and also with skilled workers in New Zealand for a period of 15 years prior to the standard wage pronouncement of September, 1937, it is found that over the period mentioned the waterside worker received on an average 6d an hour in excess of the standard hourly rate prescribed for unskilled workers and 1d an hour in excess of the standard wage for skilled workers.

"Immediately the standard wage pronouncement of September, 1937, was made the waterside worker lost the relative position he had held for so long and the order of the Commission does nothing more than to restore him to the wage position he previously held and to which he was entitled by the spirit and intention of the current legislation.

Restoration of Rates.
"In explanation of this contention the Commission desires to state that the Finance Act, 1936, restored to all workers the 1931 rates of pay—unskilled workers 1/10 an hour, skilled workers 2/3, waterside workers 2/4. The restoration was therefore the result of direct legislative measure.

"A little over a year later, in September, 1937, the Court of Arbitration, pursuant to legislative powers conferred on it by the provisions of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1925 and its amendments, raised the standard wages current in 1931 by 6d an hour. As far as the Commission is aware all industrial workers in New Zealand, with the exception of the waterside workers, received the full benefit of the measures.

"The Commission cannot see any equity in the exclusion of waterside workers from these benefits and accordingly has remedied the position by the extension of a rates adjustment which should have been made approximately two years ago, when the waterside workers award expired.

"It may be interesting to record that the hourly waterside rate, compared with the average skilled rate in Australia and also in London is approximately 2d an hour greater and, compared with New Zealand, the waterside worker in Australia is paid a higher hourly rate.

"Not Opportune."
"In respect to claims for variations in the general hours of work, overtime and fractional time clauses, the Commission is of the opinion that the time is not opportune to make any alterations from the provisions of the recently cancelled award. The minimum periods of employment have been improved and should result in a lessening of the number of irritating disputes which have arisen from these provisions in the past. It may be mentioned here that throughout the United Kingdom a straight-out half-day minimum payment operates while the minimum periods of payments for overtime are considered in advance of the minima operating in this country. However, there are other compensating advantages operating in this country that have no counterpart in the United Kingdom.

"The guaranteed minimum weekly wage has been increased slightly. Minor ports have been excluded from the benefits of the guaranteed weekly minimum wage as, after full consideration, the Commission felt that its extension to minor ports was impractical at this stage. In respect to such ports the Commission is of the opinion that the system of co-operative contract working will provide a better incentive to efficiency together with a better return to workers, with little if any additional cost to the industry. It is accordingly proposed to take early steps to bring such a system into operation.

A Fair Method
The Commission considers that this dual method of compensating workers who, to meet the requirements of industry, have to report daily for duty whether work is available or not is fair and reasonable.

"There are also many matters originally in dispute on which the Commission does not feel justified in making any alteration. The Commission is fully aware that in some cases the settlement of disputes which have arisen out of varying interpretations placed on some of the clauses of the cancelled award by one or other of the parties which are incorporated in this order has left much to be desired but it realises that the correcting of some anomalies will be likely to give rise to others and, in consequence, prefers to let such clauses remain without alteration until their incidence can be fully investigated at the ports in which they arise when, if official interpretation cannot achieve equity a redrafting of the clause will be made on the next occasion.

Ship Repairs
"The Commission concurs with the employers' contention that under the Waterfront Emergency Regulations 1940 it has no power at present to deal with wages and conditions of men employed on dock and ship repair work. However, as this work has by long-established custom been performed by waterside workers, the Commission is of the opinion that it is in the interests of the employers to continue to employ waterside labour at this work, thus enabling the men to increase their earnings and so avoid unnecessary payments under the quantity wage.

N.Z. Is At War With Italy

DECLARATION MADE

The Prime Minister's Message

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, June 11.

The following message has been sent by the Prime Minister (the Hon. P. Fraser), to the British Government: "In view of the official intimation that the King of Italy will consider himself at war with Britain and France from midnight on June 10, the existence of a state of war with Italy has been proclaimed here as from the equivalent time—namely 10.30 a.m. New Zealand standard time—and His Majesty's Government in New Zealand would be grateful if such steps as are necessary may be taken to indicate to the Italian Government that the New Zealand Government associates itself in this matter with the British Government and the French Government.

"Cold Blooded Attack"
"This cynical, cold-blooded attack by Italy at a moment plainly chosen in the belief that it will afford the maximum embarrassment to the Allied arms and in the hope, which we know will be dispelled, that it will result in an easy triumph and prompt gains for Italy, will call forth here, as elsewhere throughout the Commonwealth and in those countries that are banded together to resist aggression, the strongest feelings of indignation.

"The New Zealand Government at this moment wishes to renew in the fullest measure the assurance of its firm determination and that of the people of this Dominion to assist by every means within its power until the menace of ruthless and unprincipled aggression has been finally and completely destroyed.

The special Gazette signed by the Governor-General containing the proclamation of war against Italy says: "His Excellency the Governor-General has it in command from His Majesty the King to declare that a state of war exists between His Majesty and the King of Italy, and that such state of war has existed from 10.30 a.m. New Zealand standard time on June 11."

ITALIANS AT ONCE INTERNED

Wellington Action

CONSUL'S DEPARTURE ARRANGED

By Telegraph—Press Association.
PARLIAMENT BLDGS., June 11.
Immediately it became known that a state of war existed between Britain and Italy, steps were taken by the New Zealand Government to check up on enemy aliens resident in New Zealand, and this morning a considerable number of Italians known to possess Fascist sympathies were interned. These included a proportion of Italians born in New Zealand.

This information was given by the Prime Minister, who said that the strictest precautions were being observed so far as all enemy aliens were concerned.

Early this morning an officer of the Internment Affairs Department visited the Italian Consul (Signor Dacuzo) and the usual steps were taken to facilitate his departure. In the meantime a guard has been placed outside his office and his status, privileges and prerogatives of the Consulate have ceased.

Consulate Guarded
During the morning there were small gatherings, mostly of young people working in the vicinity, near the office of the Italian Consul, but the single constable on duty had a quiet morning, although at one time some youths evidently had designs upon the Italian arms displayed at the entrance.

All blinds but one were drawn and the windows were darkened. Callers were questioned as to their business and the contents of any packages, but generally the constable had the set to himself.

WAIKINO MURDER CHARGE

MEDICAL EVIDENCE

Statement Produced By Police

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WAIHI, June 11.

Douglas Herbert Cartman, single, aged 22, was today committed to the Supreme Court at Auckland to stand trial for the murder at Waikino on April 12 of Elizabeth Agnes Hamilton, aged 27, and Lloyd Moran, aged 27, and Lloyd Moran.

Today's evidence, chiefly of a medical nature, showed that both the victims had suffered extensive injuries, doctors believing that a tyre lever had been used.

The Crown Prosecutor (Mr V. R. Meredith) with Mr N. I. Smith, conducted the case for the prosecution, and Mr F. McCarthy, of Auckland, appeared for the accused.

Evidence given by Kenneth Massey Griffin, Government analyst, Auckland, showed that a piece of glass found in the accused's car was from the same batch of glass as 15 pieces found at the scene of the accident.

A microscopic examination of a broken cleat indicated beyond doubt that the small piece found in the roadway came from the cleat on the front bumper of the car.

Dr Walter Gilmore, pathologist at the Auckland Hospital, stated that blood from stains he collected on the roadside at the scene of the accident and others handed him by Detective Hayes from Mrs Hamilton's body, which was found near her were all human. The hairs were similar to hairs on the tyre lever and those found under the accused's car resembled hers and Moran's. Extensive stains from the front and side of the car, the dashboard, the floor mat and inside the lining of Cartman's car and on a piece of wood found near Moran's body were human bloodstains; the hairs were similar to Moran's.

A post-mortem examination of Moran revealed a large wound in the skull. He also had extensive lacerations to the skull and nose, broken arms and lacerated legs. In witness to his death was due to a fracture of the skull and laceration of the brain.

Prospect of Recovery.
Witness said that Mrs Hamilton received immediate treatment which would have been a remote prospect of recovery. Only very great violence could have caused such head injuries, which were consistent with having been caused by blows from a tyre lever. Witness considered that the blows were struck before death.

Corroborative evidence was given by Dr Edwin Francis Fowler Hetherington, Waikato.

The medical evidence showed that a grave offence had been committed on the woman.

Detective Sergeant John Thompson, Hamilton, stated that on May 1 the accused at an interview said that he had been worrying about what he had done. "If I had not had to do it, I would not have happened," Cartman, he stated. In a written statement the accused had admitted that he had not gone to Waikato beach on the night of the tragedy, as he had previously told the police. The accused said that he had been drunk all day in an hotel at Waikato and by evening was as near drunk as could be.

Failed to See Them.
Cartman stated that when he set out in his car for Paeroa he struck a woman and a boy who were walking along the road and whom he failed to see. No one was about at the time, and the accused placed the body of the boy in the back of the car and the woman's body in the front seat. Both were dead when picked up.

Continuing his statement, the accused, said the police, deposed how he had disposed of the bodies. He was conversant with the locality, having previously worked on a farm in the vicinity. The accused did not know the time he returned home to Waikato, but he went to work as usual the next day.

When formally charged with the murder Cartman made no reply.

The last witness was Detective Sergeant J. Walsh, Auckland, who corroborated Detective Sergeant Thompson's evidence and gave details of the finding of the various exhibits.

The accused was committed for trial at the Supreme Court at Auckland.

AMERICA WILL NOW GO FULL SPEED AHEAD IN ARMS PRODUCTION

President Roosevelt Says All Assistance Will Be Given The Allies

ITALY'S ACTION CONDEMNED

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WASHINGTON, June 10.

President Roosevelt, speaking at Charlottesville, declared: "The United States will send its resources to aid the Allies in their magnificent fight."

Referring to Italy's declaration of war, President Roosevelt interpolated: "The hand that held the dagger has struck it into the back of a neighbour."

He denounced Italy for her entry into the war, asserted that Britain and France, in fighting the totalitarian armies, were battling for freedom with magnificent valour, and declared: "The United States cannot safely be permitted to become a lone island in a world dominated by the philosophy of force. Such an island may be the dream of those who still talk and vote as isolationists. Such an island represents to me and to the overwhelming majority of Americans to-day the helpless nightmare of a people without freedom, a people lodged in prison, handcuffed, hungry, and fed through the bars from day to day by the contemptuous, unprincipled masters of other continents."

"Let us not hesitate," he said, "to proclaim certain truths. Overwhelmingly we as a nation—and this applies to all the other Americas—are convinced that the victory for force and hate would endanger the institutions of democracy in the Western World and that equally, therefore, the whole of our sympathies lie with those nations which are giving their lifeblood to combat those forces."

Mr Roosevelt added: "The people and Government of the United States have seen with the utmost regret, grief and disquiet, the decision of Italy to engage in the hostilities.

"Over the past three months the chief of the Italian Government has sent word that, because of the determination of Italy to limit as far as possible the spread of the conflict, over 200-million people in the region of the Mediterranean were enabled to escape the suffering and devastation of war. I expressed the earnest hope that the policy might be continued.

"On a subsequent occasion I offered, in a message to the chief of the Italian Government, to send to England and France, in assurance of the intentions of the desires of Italy to obtain readjustments as the Italian chief might desire, and proposed that, if Italy would refrain from entering the war, I would be willing to ask for assurance from the other Powers concerned that they would faithfully execute any agreement so reached, and that Italy's voice at any future peace conference would have the same authority as if Italy had participated.

Unready to Accept.
"Unfortunately, the chief of the Italian Government was unwilling to accept. The efforts of the Government have been directed to doing what it could for the preservation of peace in the Mediterranean.

"Italy has now chosen to preserve what she terms freedom of action, and to fulfil what she states are her promises to Germany.

"This day we send forth our prayers and hopes for those beyond the seas who are maintaining with magnificent valour their battle for freedom.

"We will extend to the opponents of force the material resources of this nation, and at the same time harness and speed up and use those resources in order that we may have equipment and training equal to the needs of any emergency. All roads leading to the accomplishments of these objectives must be kept clear. I call for effort, courage, sacrifice and devotion."

Senator Lee's Appeal.
A crowded Senate and galleries applauded for 90 seconds Senator Lee's appeal to send the Allies everything possible except men, and to pool resources against the common enemy.

Senator Connally likened Italy's entry into the war to the action of a hungry kangaroo.

Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the Senate's Foreign Relations Committee, said that Italy's entry into the war would accelerate the United States effort to aid the Allies, but the people of the United States did not desire to enter the war.

The Military Committee of the House of Representatives voted by 16 votes to eight to authorise President Roosevelt to call out the National Guard in the event of an emergency, but the guard will be used only in United States territory.

The committee also approved of an increase in the regular army to 400,000.

President Roosevelt has asked Congress for authority to construct three dirigibles of a million cubic feet capacity each for experimental naval training and coastal patrol.

CHILDREN FROM OVERSEAS

SYDNEY SUPPORT FOR IDEA

LETTER RECEIVED

Inclusion Of Allied Countries

A letter has been received by the Mayor of Napier (Mr T. W. Hercock) from the Lord Mayor of Sydney (Mr H. V. Howe) congratulating him on his suggestion to bring British children to New Zealand as a means of assisting the Mother Country in her war effort.

The writer suggests that children from Allied countries should be included in the scheme, as the need in their case was even more urgent than in the case of British children.

According to exchanges, the scheme has received enthusiastic support in Sydney. The Governor-General of Australia, Lord Gowrie, and Lady Gowrie have offered to provide a home at their Canberra residence for two children of either British or Allied stock. The Minister of the Interior (Senator Foll) and Mrs Foll, who have a family of four girls, have also offered to take two boys.

Numerous applications were also being received from private families in Sydney.

Interest Stimulated
In his letter to Mr Hercock the Lord Mayor states:—

"Since the outbreak of war my wife and I have been endeavouring to stimulate interest in the bringing of French and English children to Australia. On Wednesday last (May 29) we attended a meeting of representatives of a number of New South Wales organisations interested in the matter and were naturally delighted to read your Press statement of the following morning.

"I know, sir, you will not mind my writing to suggest the adoption of a scheme to include French and other Allied children as well as those from Britain. At the moment the need of the French and other Allied children is much more desperate than that of British children, although unfortunately all soon may be brought to equally urgent need of shelter."

Women Also
Mr Howe continues by adding the suggestion that they might well consider to think of bringing to Australia and New Zealand French and British women whom the respective governments thought desirable. It was safe to say that a great majority of these people had Australian and New Zealand soldiers billeted upon them for long periods between 1915 and 1919. The provision of food, shelter and clothing for them was a grave embarrassment to the British and French military authorities.

After dealing with the fact that the refugees would be highly trained in industrial or farming fields, Mr Howe urged the need for prompt action. "As many children as possible should be brought here while the sea routes are free from danger," he adds. "May I suggest, therefore, that you should at the first opportunity urge upon your Government the desirability of prompt and speedy action and suggest that they should extend to the French Government the offer already made to the British Government."

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ROUND-UP OF ALIENS IN AUSTRALIA

Rapid Action Follows Italy's Declaration

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MELBOURNE, June 11.

The Prime Minister announced to-day that a Commonwealth Gazette had been issued containing Italy's declaration of war on Britain, which automatically involved Australia. The action immediately was followed by a round-up of Italian aliens. This task is still proceeding throughout the commonwealth.

SUSPENSION OF AIR SERVICE
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LONDON, June 10.

The Australian Associated Press understands that Imperial Airways at present are suspending the services to Australia.

All mails from London are being sent via American air services till the Imperial Airways reserve route is operating.

GREYMOOUTH MINES GUARDED

Police Drafts Sent NO INTERNMENTS MADE

By Telegraph—Press Association.
GREYMOOUTH, June 11.

Inspector W. E. Packer, who is in charge of the Greymouth district, to-night confirmed the report that additional police had been drafted to Greymouth to guard the district mines and a number of police had already arrived from Christchurch.

Inspector Packer said that no internments had been made nor were any considered necessary.

Police guards have been established at all coal mines but Inspector Packer said that there were no risks of trouble among the Italians, most of whom had been loyal residents.

Bequest Made For Afforestation

INCOME FROM £20,000

By Telegraph—Press Association.
MASTERTON, June 10.

Under the will of the late Dr Trimble, the income in perpetuity of the residue of his estate of nearly £20,000 subject to certain life interests, has been left to the Masterton County Council for purposes of afforestation in the Masterton county.

Turkey Prepares For Emergency

LEAVE CANCELLED

Hungarian Troops On The Rumanian Frontier

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ANKARA, June 11.

The President of Turkey (General Inonu) has returned to Istanbul after an inspection of the coast defences at Thrace, a district divided among Greece, Bulgaria and Turkey.

The Bucharest correspondent of the Associated Press reports that Britain says that Turkey is reported to have ordered emergency military measures in preparation for her possible entry into the war.

The Istanbul correspondent of the same agency says that the Turkish Prime Minister (M. Sarajoglu), and Foreign Minister (M. Sarajoglu), conferred with the Allied Ambassadors at midnight on Monday. All military leave has been cancelled.

The Budapest correspondent of the Associated Press says that telephone communications between Turkey and Europe were cut shortly before 8 p.m. on Monday.

The same correspondent, in a later dispatch, says that communication has been resumed with Turkey, but under strict censorship.

The Foreign Office declared there was reason to believe that Italy's entry into the war would not affect the peace of south-eastern Europe, but Hungarian troops are reported to be moving to the Rumanian frontier as a precaution against a Russian move against Rumania.

ALLIES WANT LINEN

FIBRE FROM DOMINION

Urgent Request Will Probably Be Met By South Island Farmers

By Telegraph—Press Association
WELLINGTON, June 11.

"During the last few days we have received a request from the United Kingdom Government in connection with primary production," said the Prime Minister (the Hon. P. Fraser) to-day. "The request is for the production of linen fibre and the reason behind it is not far to seek—in the equipment of the modern fighting force linen is a key commodity. It is essential in the manufacture of aeroplanes, tyres, gun covers, fighting equipment, and a hundred and one other commodities which our fighting forces require.

"Under normal conditions the supply of this material was derived mainly from Belgium, Holland, and other Continental countries. This source of supply is now cut off and, with Italy's entry into the war, a further source has gone.

"The fighting forces of the United Kingdom and the Allies therefore look to the Empire countries for greater quantities of their essential materials. We have been asked to grow 15,000 acres of linen flax during the next production season. This area must be ready for sowing by September of this year. This acreage, on an average, will be equivalent to approximately 5000 tons of linen fibre.

"Without hesitation I have instructed the High Commissioner for New Zealand in London to arrange for the immediate dispatch of 500 tons of seed, to arrive here in time for sowing. It may be suggested that I should first have approached the interested parties before committing the country, but my reply would be that this was not necessary as I have no shadow of doubt that the primary producers of New Zealand will not hesitate to do their part in this great effort."

The Best Areas
"Full details of the programme of production have been worked out. It will be necessary for production to be spread over those districts best suited to the growing of linen flax, namely Marlborough, Canterbury, South Otago and Southland.

"Commencing this Thursday, meetings are being arranged in these centres for the purpose of explaining the scheme to producers. At the same time, a series of discussions between the Government and producers will be discussed so that growers will be in a position to realise that, in addition to a national service, they will be performing work which is financially advantageous. In other words, His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom is offering prices for fibre which will enable the New Zealand Government to pay farmers on a remunerative basis.

"At this juncture, however, the main feature I wish to stress is that we have been asked to perform a service for our fighting forces.

Advisers Available
"I appeal with perfect confidence to the producers of the Dominion to meet this request in its entirety. The work entailed in the growing and handling of linen flax will be new to many farmers, but there is a sufficient staff of expert advisers available to assist in every direction.

"The time at our disposal is short and the scheme for planting is one of considerable magnitude. I am confident, however, that it can and will be done.

"I urge primary producers in the districts concerned to make every endeavour to attend meetings which will be advertised in the local Press and to contribute their share to the limit to sow the areas required. By June of next year we must be in a position to begin shipments of linen fibre to the Home Country and thereafter maintain a steady flow of this material, so far as it is required by Britain and the Allies."

Bishop Simkin Consecrated

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

Parnell Cathedral Church Crowded

LAYING ON OF HANDS

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, June 10.

St. Mary's Cathedral Church, Parnell, was crowded to-day for the consecration of the Ven. William John Simkin as Anglican Bishop of Auckland.

In the consecration ceremony Archbishop West Watson was assisted by Bishops Cherrington (Waikato), Fitchett (Dunedin), Holland (Wellington) and Bennet (Aotearoa), also by the retired Bishop of Willochra, Australia. The preacher was the Rev. R. T. Hall, vicar of Otane.

The clergy entered the church to the singing of "Soldiers of the Cross Arise." Particularly impressive was the laying on of hands by archbishop and bishops upon the head of the bishop-elect, after which the new bishop arose from his knees and received from the archbishop a copy of the Bible.

With traditional ceremonial Bishop Simkin, having been duly consecrated, was enthroned at St. Mary's Cathedral to-night as the sixth Bishop of Auckland.

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HELP BY 210 EMPLOYEES

LARGE FIRM'S STAFF Offer To Assist The War Effort

SPLENDID GESTURE

Two hundred and ten employees, comprising executive officers, clerks, typists, storemen, grocery handmen and lorry drivers of the staff of Williams and Kettle Ltd., at Napier, Port Ahuriri, Hastings, Danversville, Waipawa, Waipukurau, Wairoa and Gisborne, have forwarded a letter to the Prime Minister (the Hon. P. Fraser) stating that they desire to assist the Government in all they possibly can in the war effort, to prosecute New Zealand's war efforts, and consequently place their services at the disposal of the Government.

They have advised the Prime Minister that they are prepared to give all their spare time to any task which the Government may allot to them and work if necessary seven nights a week, Saturday afternoons and Sundays without any remuneration.

Their offer is prompted by a keen desire to assist in any way possible, and they are hopeful that in some way their services can be utilised.

Public Debate At Napier

AUSTRALIAN TEAM Topical Subject To Be Discussed

TALENTED SPEAKERS

A public debate will take place in the Foresters' Hall (upstairs) to-morrow evening, when a team of Australian debaters will meet two outstanding local men.

The visitors are Mr D. Campbell, Queensland, and Mr A. McKinnell, Sydney.

Mr Campbell, who is 22 years of age, was last year an Australian University champion debater.

Mr Jenkins is 26 years of age. He is noted for his ultra-modern views and has represented Sydney University on various occasions. Mr Campbell is a debater of a more orthodox type.

The Napier team will comprise Mr H. R. Moss, one of the most polished speakers in the country, and a well-known Napier lawyer; and Mr H. W. Youren, who made a name for himself as a speaker while at Victoria University College.

The following proposition will be debated to-morrow night: "That the efforts of the Press to control public opinion menace democracy." The Napier men will take the affirmative and the Australians the negative.

GUARDS TO BE POSTED AT WHARVES

Loiterers At Gate May Be Moved On

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, June 12.

Control of the wharves by the Crown is provided for in regulations issued late to-night. Guards, who may be armed, are to be posted at ships' gangways and none but authorised persons and others to whom special permits are issued will be permitted to go aboard ship.

Constables are given authority to direct any person not to enter or remain upon a wharf or to loiter in the vicinity of any entrance to a wharf.

The regulations also give authority for the examination of cargo stores and baggage.

RUGBY GAMES ON SATURDAY

NAPIER AND HASTINGS FIXTURES

REFEREES CHOSEN

Draw For The Five Grades

Rugby matches to be played in Napier and Hastings on Saturday have been arranged as follows:

NAPIER.

Senior Grade.
M.B.O.B. v. Pirates, McLean Park No. 1, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr E. Bell).

Junior Grade.
M.B.O.B. v. Napier H.S.O.B., Nelson Park No. 2, at 1.30 p.m. (Mr J. Edmundson).

Taradale v. Clive, Taradale, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr J. Hepburn).

Pirates v. Tech. O.B., Nelson Park No. 1, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr T. Neville).

Third Grade.
M.B.O.B. v. Napier H.S.O.B., Nelson Park No. 2, at 1.30 p.m. (Mr J. Edmundson).

Clive v. High School, Nelson Park No. 2, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr G. Northcote).

Taradale v. Pirates, McLean Park No. 2, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr R. Pender).

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High School v. Clive, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr J. Franklin).

Fifth Grade.
High School A v. High School B, McLean Park No. 2, at 1.30 p.m. (Mr R. Pender).

High School C v. High School D, Matawa, at 2 p.m. (Mr A. E. McBryde).

Intermediate A bye.

HASTINGS.

Senior Grade.
Hastings v. Celtic, Nelson Park No. 1, at 1.15 p.m. (Mr D. Graham).

Tech-High v. H.H.S.O.B., Nelson Park No. 2, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr W. Scott).

M.A.C. v. Havelock North, Nelson Park No. 1, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr E. Singleton).

Junior Grade.
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Hastings v. Mercantile, Akina Park No. 1, at 2.45 p.m. (Mr H. Davidson).

Third Grade.
High School v. Havelock North, School No. 2, at 1.15 p.m. (Mr C. Kemp).

H.S.O.B. v. Haumoana, Nelson Park No. 2, 1.15 p.m. (Mr J. Bacon).

Fourth Grade.
School A v. School B, Akina Park No. 1, 1.15 p.m. (Mr H. Davidson).

Celtic v. Hastings, Akina Park No. 2, 1.15 p.m. (Mr E. Galvin).

High School v. M.A.C., Akina Park No. 2, 2.45 p.m. (Mr G. Bainbridge).

Fifth Grade.
School A v. School B, School No. 3, 1.15 p.m. (Mr H. Small).

Hastings v. School C, School No. 4, 1.15 p.m. (Mr J. Palmer).

Celtic v. School D, School No. 5, 1.15 p.m. (Mr J. Drummond).

Touch judges: Nelson Park No. 1, W. Thurlow and H. Apperley; Nelson Park No. 2, J. Scott and R. Pearson.

INCREASED PRODUCTION UNDER DISCUSSION

Important Decisions Reached At Hastings

DAIRY SUPPLIERS MEET

The urgent need for increased dairy production was stressed by the chairman (Mr D. G. Begley) last night at a meeting of shareholders and suppliers of the Heretaunga Dairy Co. in Hastings. It was felt that there was a definite need to give farmers a lead as to their responsibilities arising out of the critical conditions facing them to-day, said Mr Begley.

An indication of the importance attached to the meeting was given by the fact that nearly 70 suppliers attended. The forming of a bobby calf pool, the interchange of surplus calves from high-producing herds, and the need for a united effort for increased pig production were among the matters discussed, and as a result a number of important decisions were reached which should show definite results in all directions.

Various speakers stressed the need for increasing production as much as possible, and the unanimity of opinion was considered to promise well.

That financial assistance from the dairy company would be forthcoming to help producers in the production of pig meat was mentioned by Mr Begley, who stated that assistance would be given to each case on its merits.

"Our company covers a large area of the most fertile lands in Hawke's Bay," said Mr Begley. "We feel that a lead should be given as to what can be done, in conjunction with the Production Council, in proceeding with the war effort. There is no need to stress the responsibility of everyone in this respect.

"We can, as farmers must, work seven days a week, and 70 or 80 hours, but unless we can come through this struggle victorious that is of no avail.

"Our duty is to realise our responsibilities. A lukewarm attitude has gone on far too long. New Zealand can assist England in producing the war by the supply of men, finance and, above all, foodstuffs.

"While we may have a 'secret weapon' in the shape of a 'fifth column' in the Dominion, we have, by virtue of our primary producers, a 'first column' of vital importance."

Food Essential.

It was futile sending men overseas unless food commodities were there to feed the masses of the people, Mr Begley continued. Supplies from northern Europe were cut off, he pointed out, and British farmers were increasing their production to meet their own needs, within the very sound of battle. No one knew but that that effort might be seriously impeded, if not disastrously frustrated, by an attack on England itself. He illustrated this with an extract from a letter written from England by an ex-chairman of the Norsewood Dairy Co., who wrote that the war had been a serious blow to the pig industry there. Some notable studs were finding the greatest difficulty in keeping on; the ordinary pig producer was almost out of business, said the letter. The pig farmer was frequently rubbish, and enormous numbers of breeding sows had been killed for bacon.

"Every farmer here will appreciate the value of pig meats in time of emergency," said Mr Begley, commenting on the letter.

Export Maintenance.

The need for continued export of dairy produce from the country, despite the fact that margarine appeared to be filling a need at present, was emphasised by Mr Begley, who said that the future of the industry depended on this. Would a supply of margarine continue to be available to Great Britain in view of the disorganised nature of the essential material for its manufacture? Mr Begley asked. The margarine question was a passing phase which had to be accepted.

Quoting figures to show the serious decline in pig production in the district over the last three years, Mr Begley said that in 1937 the total figure had been 8487; in 1938 it was 7473, and last year it was 6473. The number of sows had declined from 4175 to 3777. Mr Begley stressed the need for an improvement in this direction, to correct the decline.

Pooling of Calves.

Pointing out the desirability of placing calves in Hawke's Bay in a pool, Mr Begley said that the Transport Department had requested that something be done in this direction. The need was definite, and a considerable saving of benzene supplies could be effected. In the pool, he mentioned the working of the arrangements would be in the hands of the farmers themselves.

Referring to the proposal concerning the interchange of surplus heifer calves from high producing herds, Mr Begley said that under this scheme these calves, tagged for identification, would be available to every farmer who wanted to respond to the call to raise more calves.

Some system for providing grazing for the heifers should also be entered into, Mr Begley suggested. A grazing scheme would relieve the pressure on the land of the smaller holdings.

Pig Production.

The question of increased production of pigs was also referred to by Mr Begley, who said that it was definitely necessary to increase the number of sows.

All farmers had been requested to carry through as many pigs as possible to bacon weights. If farmers would undertake this, now was an opportune time to enable them to carry the pigs through to the desired sizes. If each farmer in the company's area raised even one more pig, that, the speaker said, would mean an increase of 2000, and he was sure that a higher total than that could be attained. The company's directors, said Mr Begley, were prepared to consider assistance with finance in any such move.

A motion on the forming of a bobby calf pool, to be known as the Heretaunga pool, was unanimously carried, and a further motion that the directors of the Heretaunga factory be constituted the pool committee was also carried with the added suggestion that the Waiohiki factory be approached with a view to co-operation.

Value of Pig Meat.

The possibilities of increased pig production were discussed by Mr C. J. Hamblin, Fields Superintendent of the Department of Agriculture. "Pig meat is the one thing we

MINISTER'S APPROVAL OF PROPOSALS

Production Increases

HASTINGS MEETING LAST NIGHT

Pig Meat Important

A letter from the Minister of Marketing (the Hon. W. Nash) expressing the Government's appreciation of the motives in the calling of the meeting was read by the chairman (Mr D. G. Begley) at a meeting in Hastings last night of suppliers and shareholders of the Heretaunga Dairy Company, held to discuss matters connected with increased pig production.

Mr Begley stated that he had written to the Minister outlining the proposals for increased and more efficient production which were to come before the meeting. He had also asked for information concerning the relative importance attached to the various primary products for export. The Minister's reply was as follows:—

Timely Proposals

"These proposals are all excellent and timely, and if put into practice will be a gratifying example of that true co-operation which will help us to achieve that end for which we are striving.

"As regards the order of importance of food commodities required overseas, the Government is of the opinion that the United Kingdom in regard to the agreements for next season's produce, and until these are completed it is not possible to state definitely what preference should be given to individual products. It can, however, be definitely stated that pig products are of prime importance, and increased quantities of pig meat from New Zealand will be welcomed by the United Kingdom Ministry of Food."

Higher Production

"Apart from this I would emphasize that the Government is very anxious to see greater production in all the primary products, and to purchase all available exportable products.

"You may assure your board and your suppliers that the Government earnestly desires that the meeting may be a success in initiating the policy set out in your letter," the Minister concluded.

LIFE AT CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY

Old Institution

ADDRESS TO ROTARY MEMBERS

Interesting Community

One of the world's most famous centres of learning, Cambridge University, was the subject of an address to the Hastings Rotary Club yesterday by Mr J. D. H. Buchanan, who has just returned from a visit to the university's colleges as it compared with conditions in New Zealand.

The foundations of the university in the thirteenth century were laid in a very small way, said Mr Buchanan. The founding of the colleges, as such, began in the time of the Tudor monarchs.

The university as a result of its great age, was a very conservative body and changes took place very slowly. As an instance Mr Buchanan mentioned that when he went to Cambridge in 1922 bathing and the use of only ten years; previous hip-baths in the students' own rooms had been used.

Internal Organisation

Describing the internal organisation of the institution, Mr Buchanan said that the university had given the opportunity to those who could afford it, to live a community life very much like a residential club. The university itself was the examining body, and had certain disciplinary rights over the townspeople of Cambridge.

Each college was responsible for its own running. At its head were the headmaster and the dons, or lecturers and college officials.

There was at Cambridge a very intimate association between the undergraduates and the Fellows, which was lacking in New Zealand, Mr Buchanan commented. The bridge dons and undergraduates would meet together informally to discuss fees, intimately and humanely matters ranging from international politics to internal college affairs.

Lower Standards

Stating that the standard of educational achievement required in New Zealand was possibly higher than that required at Cambridge, Mr Buchanan added: "The letter 'B.A., Cambridge,' after one's name merely mean that one has completed three years at the university without being 'thrown out' for any particular misdeeds."

Contrasting further the wide personal liberty as to choice of subject and the effort put in at Cambridge with New Zealand conditions, Mr Buchanan said that at Cambridge men were left very much to their own devices. If a man was keen every assistance would be given him; if he was not, that was his own affair.

"Home, sweet Home!" Make up the fire and throw a log or two on it, with a bright little kettle singing merrily on the hob. On the small table set out the Scotch, the lemon, loaf sugar and sundries. Draw your easy chair up to the blaze, light your pipe or cigarette, lean well back, open your book—and you're in for a good time even if you are 'all on your lonesome.' What should you load your pipe with, or make your cigarette of? Well for the pipe there's nothing like Cut Pug No. 10 (Bulls-head). But if you like something milder there's Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog), or Cavendish (the Sporting mixture). Should you prefer cigarettes, roll your own with River-head Gold, or Desert Gold. You can't get anything so good if you pay double the money for it. The five brands of this splendid tobacco contain so little nicotine (being toasted), that you can smoke them for hours without burning your tongue or irritating your throat. There's no 'bite' in toasted!

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INTOXICATED IN CHARGE

MOTOR-CYCLIST IN COURT

FINE IMPOSED

Cases At Hastings Yesterday

Charged with intoxication in charge of a motor-cycle, Malcolm Muir appeared before Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the Hastings Magistrate's Court yesterday morning. A further charge of failure to produce a driver's licence when requested to do so was preferred against the defendant, who pleaded guilty on both counts.

Senior-Sergeant E. Quayle, who conducted the case for the police, stated that on June 7 Traffic Officer A. M. Dane was on duty in Heretaunga Street, inspecting licences and warrants of fitness. He stopped the motor-cycle, which was unable to produce his warrant. Muir, the senior-sergeant said, tried to run the inspector down on his cycle. The officer had noticed a smell of liquor and brought the defendant to the police station, where he was examined by a doctor.

Not Advanced Intoxication

For Muir, Mr E. J. W. Hallett said that an attempt to run down the inspector was denied. The defendant was one of those on whom drink was slow to take effect. He had had two or three drinks in the afternoon but showed no signs of liquor; he rode through the centre of the town at a busy time with no trouble, and it was while talking to the inspector that the effect began to show. Nevertheless, he wheeled his motor-cycle himself to the police station.

"All cases of intoxication in charge of a motor vehicle are serious," said his Worship. However, he added, a mild case of being on a motor cycle at all he could not be in a very advanced stage of intoxication. He fined Muir £10 on the first charge, and ordered his licence to be cancelled for one year on his second charge a fine of £1 was entered.

Prohibited from Racecourse

Charged with entering the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's racecourse, being a person prohibited from so doing, Maurice John Sims pleaded guilty and was fined £4, costs 10/-.

Detective H. E. Campin said that on Saturday last Sims was observed by Constable Craigie in the inside enclosure at the racecourse. His excuse was that he had come to see a man about a job. "He has quite a substantial list of convictions against him," the detective added. Sentence was imposed as above.

For a breach of his prohibition order W. N. Nung was fined £2, costs 17/-.

Dangerous Driving

Raymond A. McCormack, charged with driving a motor-car in a manner which might have been dangerous to the public, was fined £2, costs 10/-, and his licence was cancelled for six months.

Traffic Inspector H. A. Green who laid the charge, particularly requested that, for defendant's own good, his licence be cancelled, stating that in a previous case, in which he was fined by defendant's father, he considered that this would be the only effective course of checking a repetition of such incidents.

Two similar charges of driving a motor-car in a dangerous manner on May 1 and May 23, were brought by Inspector Green against Trevor Atkins, who was fined £1 on each charge, with costs 10/-. In addition his licence was cancelled for six months. In this case, also, Mr Green said, defendant's father, had expressed a wish for the cancellation of the licence.

Excessive Speed

Reginald Charles Munro, a traveller, charged with driving at a speed dangerous to the public, was fined £2, costs 10/-. Pleading guilty by letter, Munro stated that prior to the incident in question he had exchanged an older model car for a new one to which he was not accustomed.

Luke Cooper was fined 15/- with 15/- costs on a charge of riding a bicycle without a light.

For failure to give way resulting in a collision at the intersection of Lyndon Road and Southland Road, Dick Ratima, who pleaded guilty by letter, was fined £5 with 15/- costs.

Arnold McKnight, charged with operating a motor vehicle without a driver's licence, further, without possessing a warrant of fitness, was fined on the first charge 5/-, with 10/- costs, and on the second 10/- with 10/- costs.

BI-MONTHLY MEETING HELD

P.G. Bro. G. McKee presided over the bi-monthly meeting of the Ahuriri Lodge of Past Grands held in Napier last evening.

The Loyal Hastings Lodge invited members to pay an official visit on June 11.

The lodge was notified that owing to the war, the Alward Shield Ritual competition was held over.

Two candidates were admitted to the Purple Degree and they were afterwards admitted members of the Loyal Ahuriri Lodge of Past Grands.

The president called upon the district secretary (P.G. Bro. Laws) to present to P.G. Bro. T. Alexander, who leaves on Friday for training in the Air Force, a small gift as an appreciation from the members of the lodge. Several members spoke of Bro. Alexander's work in the lodge. Bro. Alexander suitably replied.

Bro. Alexander presented to the lodge a shield to be given to the juvenile lodges for ritual competition. It was decided to ask the Hastings Juvenile Lodge, at the lodge, to hold the shield until the first competition.

The next meeting is to be held at Clive in August.

At the close of the meeting the members entertained the members at supper.

PLANS FOR FINAL EVENTS

SICK AND WOUNDED APPEAL

MUCH ACTIVITY

JOINT APPEAL

Comprehensive Review Of Activities

The campaign at Hastings for the raising of funds for the Sick and Wounded Appeal is expected to conclude, with results exceeding all expectations.

The Patriotic Ball held last week resulted in at least £100 being contributed. The committee reported yesterday that it has made a progress which is a credit to the fact there was still a little more to come. The car raffle alone had resulted in £1470 being collected, and this, as well as the smaller raffles for the groceries, bicycle and other articles, is continuing to prove popular.

Such was the comprehensive collection of goods donated to the appeal on Monday, and it has been decided to sell the balance of the goods on Friday next.

Saturday will be Patriotic Day for Rugby enthusiasts, for the Hastings Rugby Sub-Union has decided to donate the proceeds of its matches to the appeal. The organisers of the appeal are sure of a great afternoon's sport in return for their continued support to the patriotic appeal. In view of the special occasion, all players' passes and complimentary tickets have been suspended.

"Pop" Concert

To-night the series of "pop" concerts will be revived, and the organising committee is confident that the programme will prove acceptable to everyone. The whole-hearted co-operation of all musical and social organisations has been obtained, and every effort has been made to ensure that the programme will be a revival of what 20 years ago proved great favourites with the people of the town and district.

The next big attraction in the campaign for funds for the Sick and Wounded Appeal in Hastings is the Hunt Club Ball in the Assembly Hall on Friday evening. The whole of the proceeds will go to patriotic purposes, and a special appeal is being made to the community to make this function an outstanding success.

An intimation has been given that many people propose to hold dinner parties and go to the picture on Friday night, and on the evening at the Hunt Ball, and it is suggested that this idea might well be given effect to by others.

Tickets are obtainable from Mr A. E. Wishart and will also be obtainable at the door. It should be noted that the whole of the expenses involved have been donated, so that the gross proceeds are to go to the Sick and Wounded Appeal.

CASE DISMISSED AT HASTINGS

CHARGE FOLLOWING COLLISION

WRITING TEST

As the result of a collision in Riverslea Road, Hastings, on June 10, the case of a 28-year-old mechanic, appeared in the Magistrate's Court at Hastings yesterday before Mr J. Miller, S.M., on a charge of intoxication while in charge of a motor car. Finding that on the evidence it would be unsafe to convict defendant his Worship dismissed the information.

For the police Senior Sergeant E. Quayle described the collision in Riverslea Road, Hastings, as a 28-year-old mechanic, appeared in the Magistrate's Court at Hastings yesterday before Mr J. Miller, S.M., on a charge of intoxication while in charge of a motor car. Finding that on the evidence it would be unsafe to convict defendant his Worship dismissed the information.

Defendant's Collapse

The evidence of William Lockhead who was the driver of the other car involved, was taken on the week of the accident, Victor Robert Ward and Alfred Edward Petersen, gave evidence to show that though just after the accident Woodham appeared sober, he had later collapsed and was staggering in his walk.

Mr Petersen stated that on the evening of the accident he was driving on Riverslea Road when he noticed a car approaching from the opposite direction. A slight mist had made it seem further away than it really was. A red truck had passed his vehicle and the collision between the truck and the approaching vehicle occurred just afterwards.

Dr. R. Cashmore, the next witness, cross-examined by Mr Bate, said that the defendant when examined had not been very talkative, and was in a state of partial collapse. He had certified the defendant as intoxicated largely on account of his illegible handwriting; all other symptoms shown were consistent with shock. Woodham had admitted having taken four stouts before the collision.

When a pocket book containing an entry made by Woodham directly after the collision was produced Dr. Cashmore gave his opinion that the result in a different opinion. Witness related an examination made by him of defendant at a later date, which had proved conclusively that Woodham was suffering from an advanced state of toxic psychosis, which would produce symptoms similar to those of intoxication and would bring about collapse of the nervous system.

Police Witnesses

Evidence given by police witnesses, Constables G. Smythe, R. Harding and Sergeant E. W. Strafford showed that they had formed the opinion that defendant was not in a fit state to drive.

The defendant admitted having had four stouts shortly before the collision, but declared that he was perfectly sober at the time of the accident.

A GRATIFYING RESULT

SPLENDID RESPONSE AT HASTINGS

JOINT APPEAL

Comprehensive Review Of Activities

"Our principal activity was the collection from businesses and industries and the work was not really difficult, because we met with such ready response," stated the chairman of the finance committee (Mr E. T. Gifford) in reviewing the activities of the joint appeal in Hastings on behalf of the St. John Ambulance and Red Cross Society on the eve of the closing of the campaign.

Only a few more days remain, during which it is hoped the fund will be carried to a figure in excess of the objective set by those organising the appeal in Hastings.

"The town was partitioned into eleven zones and members of the committee were allotted the various zones," explained Mr Gifford. "My own zone consisted mainly of smaller shops, and it is pleasing to record that in that zone (like most others) there was not a single refusal."

Interesting Instance

"Here is one small instance of our reception: A Chinese man in charge of a small fruit shop had given us a donation from the till, and when we were passing his shop again an hour later, he called us in on the street and made a further donation, saying: 'That first one from my syndicate, but this one from me.' He was anxious to contribute for himself as well as for his firm."

"People earning salaries or wages have responded remarkably well. Many staffs in the larger concerns have held meetings among themselves, without any solicitation, and have determined to make regular periodic contributions which will result in funds being available for patriotic purposes for the duration of the war.

"One hesitates to mention any particular case, but as an instance of the result that can be obtained from real co-operation, I must refer to the action taken at the freezing works. Every man, woman and youth employed on the staff or in the works of both companies made contribution of a substantial part of his or her income for the week, and as a result the funds benefited to the extent of just under £500. Many other staffs are doing the same."

Times Not Normal

"Most companies, societies and other institutions have made handsome donations, but the executives of some of the larger concerns are not normal, and the increasing intensity of the emergency justifies departure from normal action.

"The war must be won to ensure the continued existence of these concerns and funds will help to win the war. A trustee is justified in making extraordinary expenditure in an emergency which threatens the very existence of his trust property. The donation of funds could be looked upon as a term of premium of insurance against an immediate danger."

"This joint appeal has developed into a great national effort and it will conclude in a few days. We have endeavoured to canvass support from everyone in the town and district, but we must inevitably have missed several, and we ask that those who have not been called upon, will forgive the omission and make their donations just the same.

Realisation of Need

"In some cases where people have already given substantial sums they have given again, realising the great and increasing need for funds. The list will be open for just a few more days.

"It will not say that we have not had any disappointments, or refusals—we have had a few, and from most unexpected quarters.

"There are some prominent names that have not yet appeared on the lists, probably because people do not realise that this appeal is closing soon. Let this be a reminder, and let everyone bear his fair share of the burden.

"In conclusion, I wish to thank the Press for their unstinted support throughout the appeal. They have contributed largely to its success," he concluded.

Generosity Still Prevails

A GREAT RESPONSE

£8000 Mark So Far Raised

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A fresh list of donations is as follows:—

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PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEES DRAFTED TO THE LAND

Improvements Being Carried Out In Hawke's Bay Steadily

The drafting of men from Public Works to land improvement is being carried out steadily in Hawke's Bay, according to information received from the departments concerned at Napier.

A survey has been made of the capabilities of all single men at present on the various projects, and as opportunity affords they are being drafted to land work under the Government subsidised scheme.

A gradual tapering-off of some of the less important Public Works jobs is expected to follow as a matter of course.

Owing to the difficulty of finding accommodation on farms for married men, they are at present being retained by the Government. However, some suitable housing scheme is believed to be under consideration by the authorities.

Expenditure on main highways for the coming season is expected to be drastically reduced, although details of the estimates are not yet available.

Speaking to a "Daily Mail" reporter yesterday, Mr A. Dinne, chairman of the No. 5 District Highway Council said that apart from the need of conserving the financial resources of the country, the shortage of materials for new road construction was expected to be particularly serious next summer.

The Department will, however, see that maintenance work is not neglected, and those portions of highway which have received temporary re-sealing will have to be completed.

During last season a sum in excess of £500,000 was included in the estimates for the stretch of highway from Wairoa to Woodville, as well as a considerable sum for the Napier-Tararua section of the Taupo highway.

WRESTLING MATCH AT HASTINGS

Katan And Corbett Meet To-morrow Night

The opening match of the Hawke's Bay Wrestling Association's season is to be held at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, to-morrow night, when John Katan and Joe Corbett are to meet. The association's share of the net proceeds is to be handed to the sick and wounded appeal fund.

Katan opened his New Zealand tour with a sensational victory against "Lofty" Blomfield, and he subsequently withstood a series of hard matches without suffering defeat. Corbett has an impressive record, achieved since he turned professional nine years ago.

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a rear entrance to service lane run-
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