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A Vast Caravan Of
Parisian Civilians
On Journey South
GUNS' RUMBLE ACCOMPANIES
THE EVACUATION

Three-Quarters Of Population
Has Left The City

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LONDON, June 12.
News from Paris is very sparse. The last messages early last evening said that the city was three-quarters deserted. All stations were closed and no trains were running.

The sound of bombs to the south-east merged with the rumble of guns to the north as a vast caravan of civilians leaving the city continued southward.

The latest request from the military governor for all unaccompanied Frenchmen over 17 years of age to depart gave further impetus to the evacuation.

Paris rapidly and steadily is being transformed into a fortress. Every village between it and the enemy has become a stronghold. The banks removed from Paris are operating normally elsewhere. Civilian Parisians who remain were reported during the day to be going about their business calmly.

Shops are open and even jewellery is still being displayed in windows. It is not a panic flight but an orderly evacuation of those not having key positions.

The newspaper "Le Matin" last issue struck an inspiring note: "Two thousand years ago bridges were destroyed and suburbs set on fire in order to halt the enemy, so it is seen that again there is nothing new under the sun. Paris remains un-sundered. Paris never submits."

German Claims
A message from Berlin says that the official news agency claims that German patrols have reached points 37 1/2 miles north-west and north-eastward of Paris. These forces are cutting approaches to Paris.

Between Rheims and Argonne forest fighting continues. Masses of German bombers are even now flying over Paris and parts of the city are in flames as the result of aerial bombing.

Planes From Observing Enemy Dispositions and the progress of the advance on the city. The French Government, at General Weygand's request, has left Paris and the provincial town of Tours (130 miles to the south-west) has become the capital.

Expanding U.S.
Defence

68 NEW WARSHIPS

Increasing Regular
Army
BILL BEFORE HOUSE

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WASHINGTON, June 11.

The House Appropriations Committee reported a 1706,000,000 dollar Supplemental Defence Bill with funds to increase the regular army to 375,000 men. The Navy will start the construction of 68 new warships.

FIVE THOUSAND
AEROPLANES
A DAY

FORD COMPANY'S
ESTIMATE OF
OUTPUT

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NEW YORK, June 12.

PETROL RATIONING IN
AUSTRALIA

Monthly Allowance
PRIVATE CARS AND
TRUCKS

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MELBOURNE, June 12.

'PLANE DELIVERIES
SPEEDED UP

American Orders
FORMALITIES BEING
ABANDONED

Canada Benefits

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WASHINGTON, June 12.

ITALIANS
INTERNED
IN CAIRO

SUEZ A DESERTED
WATERWAY
EGYPT READY

Treaty Obligations Will
Be Met

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CAIRO, June 12.

The city sleeping for the first night under the shadow of war sprang to life when motorised columns of Egyptian troops, tanks and commandeered taxis came out from police headquarters in the centre of Cairo to round up Italians.

The Suez Canal already has become a silent, deserted waterway. Only British warships patrolling the Mediterranean and Red Sea henceforth will pass through.

A Cairo message states that the Premier in a statement to the Press said that the country was ready for any eventuality in fulfilling its obligations under the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty.

"Our Day Has Come"
The Abyssinian flag again appeared on buildings in Jerusalem, where the Emperor's most faithful followers are taking refuge.

"WE WORK, WE FIGHT,
WE SAVE"
Greater British Output

RESOURCES FOR THE
ALLIES

Providing "Nest Egg"
British Official Wireless.
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RUGBY, June 11.

Nazis Through
African Eyes

CONDUCT COMPARED
Ashanti King Supports
The Allies

A RISING RECALLED

British Official Wireless.
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RUGBY, June 11.

Assaults Repulsed On
Aisne And Meuse

VIOLENT BATTLE CONTINUES

Many Tanks Used In Fighting
About Rheims

PARIS, June 12.

A French communique says that the enemy has brought up masses of tanks in the valleys of the Vesle and the Ardre, and is attempting to outflank Rheims from the west and south-west. The pressure in this area is extremely violent.

In Champagne the enemy used new divisions southward of the Aisne. Fighting resumed from dawn along the whole course of the Retourne, the crossing of which was dearly disputed.

Our air squadrons bombed the airfields at Mannheim, Neustadt, and Frankfurt, and the smelting works at Volklingen. Formations of our naval planes bombed and set on fire the Heinkel works near Rostock.

Our Air Force is fully active on the main front. It attacked armoured units in the Seine Valley and the Argonne, destroyed numerous tanks, and dispersed columns. Despite unfavourable weather, our planes attacked military objectives. We were successful in numerous aerial combats.

"Gravest Of The
Greatest Human
Tragedies"
AMERICA'S REPLY
TO ITALY'S
ENTRY

Citizens, Ships Barred
From Mediterranean

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WASHINGTON, June 12.

President Roosevelt has proclaimed a combat zone from which United States citizens and shipping are barred. The Secretary of State (Mr. Cordell Hull) officially and personally informed the Italian Ambassador (M. Colonna) that in his deliberate judgment Italy's entrance into the war "would be considered one of the gravest of the greatest human tragedies."

DUTCH SPIRIT
UNCRUNSHED
GERMAN OVERTURES
UNAVAILING

Nazis' "BIG STICK"
Netherlanders Held As
Hostages

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ATTACK ON CONVOY
FAILS

Motorboat Raid
ESCORTS BEAT OFF
THE NAZIS

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RUGBY, June 11.

AN ITALIAN
ULTIMATUM
TO EGYPT

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LONDON, June 12.

Italian Liner
Scuttled In The
Pacific

Intercepted
By Australian Merchant
Cruiser

Set On Fire

Ship was Shadowed
From Brisbane By Plane
And Warships

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MELBOURNE, June 12.

The Navy Minister (Mr. Cameron) announces that the Italian cargo and passenger liner Romolo, which left Brisbane on June 5, was intercepted in the Pacific by an armed merchant cruiser of the Australian Navy and was set on fire by the crew, who took to the boats.

The Romolo, which is a sister ship of the Remo, which was captured at Fremantle, was carrying passengers and a large cargo, including wool.

She cleared Brisbane for Thursday Island but, as war with Italy was imminent, she was shadowed by planes and naval ships. It was soon apparent that she had no intention of proceeding to Thursday Island, as she passed through a passage in the Barrier Reef into the Pacific, where she was intercepted at noon to-day.

Mr. Cameron said that no information was available as to the condition of the ship, passengers or crew.

27 Ships Lost.

Italy's precipitate entry into the war against the Allies has already cost her the loss of 27 merchant ships captured or scuttled. Fourteen have been seized, ten are in British ports and three have been scuttled, says a London cable.

The Italian merchantmen Numbolia and Cellina (7601 tons) were scuttled off Gibraltar when their captain heard of Italy's entry into the war. The British captured half of the Numbolia's crew; the remainder of the crew got ashore in Spain in boats.

Six Italian ships attempted to scuttle in Gibraltar harbour last evening. Naval parties and dockyard tugs took prompt action and successfully beached the majority of them. One remained afloat, undamaged.

The Cape Town authorities seized an Italian ship, the Sistiana (5827 tons) lying in Table Bay. Two others, the Gerusalemme and Timavo (434 tons), which departed from Durban on June 6, were deliberately run aground on the African coast when they sighted an armed merchant cruiser and a South African Air Force plane.

Neutrality
Proclamation By
Brazil

"PEOPLES
WHO MUST FOLLOW
ASPIRATIONS"

Argentine Watches Her
Borders

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RIO DE JANEIRO, June 11.

President Vargas has proclaimed Brazil's neutrality between Italy and the Allies after a speech defending the ways of "vigorous peoples who must follow the route of their aspirations."

A message from Buenos Aires says that it is reliably stated that Argentina and Paraguay have strengthened their frontier garrisons recently without explanation. The Argentine Ministry of the Interior confirmed that precautions were being taken. Unofficially the Argentine borders, particularly the Brazilian, are under close watch.

ITALIAN ATTACK ON
SOMALILAND

Allied Troops Ready
For Action

ABYSSINIAN EXECUTED

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LONDON, June 12.

Black Shirt infantry and native troops have penetrated British and French Somaliland, bordering the southern entrance to the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aden, states the Rome correspondent of the British United Press. They are reported to be striking toward Jibuti, in French Somaliland. Jibuti is the coastal terminus to Addis Ababa, capital of Abyssinia.

A message from Jibuti states that Italian white troops for a week have been moving from Addis Ababa to Direwada with strong tank equipment. British and French troops under General Legenahomme immediately took up prearranged positions. The morale of the troops is excellent.

The Italians are reported to have executed Ras Haulu, a wealthy Abyssinian chief who joined the Italians during the Ethiopian War. Fiturari Birru has been appointed chief of the Abyssinian forces in Kenya. Italian civilians at Jibuti are seeking French protection. Many hundreds of French women and children have evacuated to Madagascar and Indo-China.

A London message says that it is officially stated from Pretoria that a flight of South African heavy bombers visited Italian Moyale and successfully heavily bombed Banda Hill and other military objectives. All returned safely. Italian Moyale is in Abyssinia on the northern frontier of Kenya.

"Dispatches from Addis Ababa claim that Italian planes have bombed military objectives around Aden. A message from Jibuti says that bridges have been destroyed on the border of French Somaliland and Abyssinia.

A B.B.C. observer, broadcasting from the Near East, says: "The R.A.F. early on Tuesday morning very successfully bombed Italian bases in Libya and Italian East Africa."

"We caught this new enemy napping. We set fire to aerodromes, bombers on the ground, and ammunition dumps and caused severe damage. Anti-aircraft guns and Italian fighters opposed our long-range Blenheim planes, of which three have not returned."

Bombing Attacks.
An R.A.F. communique issued at Cairo stated: "The R.A.F. to-day carried out bombing attacks against concentrations of enemy bombers, petrol dumps, and bomb dumps located on Italian military aerodromes in East Libya and Italian East Africa. The aerodromes attacked in East Libya were the principal Italian air bases threatening Egypt and the western desert. Planes were destroyed on the ground, fires were started, and petrol dumps were set ablaze. Our aircraft met fire from ground batteries and Italian fighters unsuccessfully attempted interception. We attacked aircraft and hangars in Italian East Africa. Several direct hits were obtained on aerodromes near Asmara, Eritrea. These were the main Italian bases threatening our Red Sea communications and the Sudan. Three of our planes are missing."

A second R.A.F. communique states: "British planes made additional attacks to those mentioned. They bombed troop concentrations and more petrol dumps."

The Commander-in-Chief of the R.A.F. in the Middle East, Air Marshal Sir Arthur Longmore, told correspondents that he thought the R.A.F. raids had crippled Italy's air striking power in the Middle East. They had caught the Italians by surprise, and this probably explained the anti-aircraft fire and weak opposition from fighter planes.

Raid on Malta.
A British War Office communique states: "At 4.50 a.m., a raid by about ten hostile aircraft was carried out on Malta. Further raids followed during the morning. The casualties were slight and little damage was done. One enemy plane was destroyed. Seven air-raid warnings were sounded in Malta throughout Tuesday.

Our waves of bombers carried out the first raid, dropping salvo after salvo, but only three bombs fell on the ground. The civil population showed no sign of panic. Anti-aircraft guns kept up a terrific barrage during each raid, preventing dive-bombing. It is believed that two and possibly four were brought down. The damage caused was very slight. The casualties included women and children. Curfew has been imposed at Malta between 10.30 p.m. and 5 a.m.

South African defence policy, says a British Official Wireless message, has been taken into account the danger of enemy air bases being established north of the equator for attacks on the Union, and timely steps have been taken to co-ordinate the Dominion's defence policy with that of its British neighbours. It is the Union Government's declared policy to extend its operations, if necessary, as far as Kenya and Tanganyika. African nationals, both British and Afrikaans-speaking, have volunteered in large numbers for service anywhere in Africa.

U.S. FLEET
REMAINING
IN PACIFIC

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President Roosevelt, at a Press conference, indicated that the Fleet was remaining indefinitely in the Pacific.

U.S. FLEET
REMAINING
IN PACIFIC

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Two Thousand
Interned

Australian Round-up

Awkward Situation On
Canefields

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SYDNEY, June 12.

The round-up of Italian nationals in all Australian States continued to-day and it is understood that at least 2000 males of military age or holding Fascist sympathies have already been interned.

About 5000 await examination by the military authorities. The chief Italian colonies are located in the Queensland canefields, also in the Griffith and Leeton irrigation areas of southern New South Wales and the Werribee and Shepparton districts of Victoria.

The apprehension of Italians on the sugar plantations in Queensland has led to an awkward situation, where cane-cutting is in full swing. A report from Brisbane to-day states that ample labour is likely to be forthcoming when the Commonwealth drive against the aliens is completed.

BOMBS DROPPED
IN ITALY

R.A.F. RECONNOITRING
RAID

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LONDON, June 12.

The Air Ministry has announced that the R.A.F. reconnoitred northern Italy last night and bombed certain military objectives. A decree has announced that the Italian protectorate of Albania has considered herself at war against Britain and France.



HASTINGS THEATRES

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"Back Area" Of The Front THE BRITISH SCENE British Official Wireless. (Received June 11, 11.30 p.m.) RUGBY, June 10. The great battle now proceeding in France is being followed with close and sympathetic attention by the British public.

ion that all available forces should be directed without delay to the scene of battle. Important contingents of new troops have already disembarked in France to reinforce those British forces which are already fighting at the side of their Allies. The Royal Air Force in France has been increased in strength, and the British Fleet is shelling German troops on the coast.

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Mrs N. Solomon Hostess

The lounge of the Masonic Hotel, Napier, was filled to capacity yesterday afternoon, when Mrs N. Solomon was again the hostess at a monster mah jong and mah jong drive in aid of the Napier Red Cross Society.

This was the third party that Mrs Solomon has organised and it was even more successful than the two preceding ones, and although the lounge was so crowded the tables were so arranged that the guests were able to enjoy their games in the utmost comfort.

Large bowls of red tinged hydrangeas arranged with autumn foliage and smaller bowls of red and yellow trumpet lilies were the artistic work of Mrs J. D. Williamson. A delicious afternoon tea was served in the dining room. A portion of the room had been partitioned off and a long table was set in the middle of the room. Here the decorative scheme was carried out in the Red Cross colours of scarlet and white. A large white bowl was filled with white chrysanthemums, trumpet lilies and scarlet poinsettias and streamers of scarlet ribbon were arranged down the sides of the table. Mr R. Theakstone was responsible for the dining room decorations.

During the afternoon Mr J. Harris introduced a visitor to Napier at present, Mr Bone, who was a member of the crew of the Doric Star when she was torpedoed, and later a prisoner of war on the Graf Spee and Altmark. Mr Bone gave a very interesting account of his experiences.

At the conclusion of the afternoon's play Miss E. M. King, vice-president of the Napier Red Cross Society, extended the very warm thanks of the Society to Mr and Mrs Solomon for their wonderful effort on behalf of the Red Cross, and also to the members of their staff who had helped so willingly to make the afternoon such a splendid success.

A mystery envelope competition was held during the afternoon and six prizes were given. The first was a permanent wave, second two dinners at the Masonic Hotel, third a luncheon at the Masonic Hotel, fourth a facial treatment, fifth a shampoo, set and manicure, and sixth two afternoon teas at the Masonic Hotel. A beautifully iced cake and two bottles of whisky were also raffled, all the proceeds going to the fund. Mrs Solomon thanked the guests for their generous support and stated that she was more than pleased to announce that the proceeds of the afternoon amounted to £65 10/-.

Among those present were the Mayoress, Mrs T. W. Hercock, Miss E. M. King, Mesdames Adams, I. Austin, Anderson, G. B. Amey, S. Bynell, Beamish, Bishop, G. Blythe, H. J. Bailey, Baird, Bishop, H. H. Barnett, Bee, H. F. Bernau, H. R. Bisley, A. C. B. Biggs, Bestall, Blair, Boch, T. Boland, K. Boswell, Branson, K. Bryant, Bradley, F. R. Burnley, J. A. Burnett, W. R. Bray, B. D. Chisholm, D. Corbett.

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## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING

At Ashley Clinton

KNITTING DONE FOR RED CROSS

Competition Results

The monthly meeting of the Ashley Clinton Women's Institute was held in the Hall, Mrs V. Pedersen presiding over a fair attendance of members.

Business was dealt with and correspondence read and discussed. One new member, Mrs Walker, was elected.

After the business had been finalised the members devoted some time to knitting for the Red Cross, after which afternoon tea was served by the hostesses, Mesdames Burruss and Dampney.

The roll call held during tea caused many suggestions as how to make money on a farm.

Competition results were as follows: Jar of preserves: Mrs M. Burgess. Best bloom (a chrysanthemum): Mrs F. Severinsen.

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The veillings belong to two principal schools of thought—the meaty, safe, or the mumps-bandage under the chin. To this is now added a third, where the hat develops a kind of frozen Niagara of stiffened net or lace at the back, sometimes reaching to below the shoulder-blade. On the crown it just contents itself with weaving a circle round it thrice; possibly in conjunction with a bird of paradise.

There is practically no limit to the size of the bow under the chin, which may be worn by those who are not ticklish and do not feel the heat. (Those who do should eschew all artificially stiffened nets and laces, which are apt to droop near a moist skin as hopelessly as in a shower.)

An extravagance of net—which sounds as logical as a pride of lions—needs a corresponding width of outline beneath it; this can be achieved by a shoulder-cape of the dress material, with thin, edged top and bottom by bands of even thinner stuff—plain where the dress is printed, printed if it be plain.

## NEW RULES FOR JEWELS

There was a time when even the etiquette of the visiting card was more rigid than that which governed the wearing of jewellery. It allowed of no coloured gems by daylight, no large diamonds or pearls before the afternoon, and in the morning only a discreet ring or two, and perhaps a bar-brooch, and then only if it were so placed as to have an ostensible duty in holding folds together, or keeping them apart.

All that has gone by the board. Not only can one wear all the stars and stomachers in the galaxy of gems, but they need not be made of real stones.

For a while the new jewellery hesitated at this last clause; it made itself of milk, of curious gums, or earthenware, or wood, or glass, or seashells. Then it took the plunge, and came out into the open with glass rubies two inches square, chiselled gold made of punched tin,

## A Slim Waistline Is Most Necessary

WOMEN MUST GIVE SERIOUS THOUGHT TO THEIR FIGURES

Foundation Garments Will Help

Waists, as you will have realised, rank as the most important single silhouette feature this season, though high, accentuated bosoms are almost imperative, so just a word about foundations.

To help smooth away the all-too-prevalent "roll" and give a real "curved-in" waistline, designers have got busy on corsetlets that dispense without the old misery of rigid materials and harsh boning.

The corsetlette is, of course, the ideal garment for the new silhouette because it gives that long, liquid, unbroken line right from the bust to the thighs. The whole waistline area is slim as a pencil, and perfect for the new "stem-waist" with its close modelling right to the hips.

The new foundations are designed to give the stream-lined figure, crisp, and youthful, through support and easy control. Even the big woman can be fitted to perfection with a corsetlette, thanks to the remarkable powers of skintex, the marvelous "fabric boning," which does the work of bones without any of their disadvantages. Really difficult figures may still merit two-piece control, but here again, a built-up girdle with deep-fitting bra coming well down over the top, does away with that fatal "spare tyre."

## British Legion Members

HASTINGS EVENING

Funds Raised For The Red Cross Society

COMMITTEE ELECTED

A jolly three hours was spent in the bandroom, Warren Street, Hastings on Tuesday evening by the associate members of the British Legion. A Dutch auction of small articles handed in by the members for the Red Cross resulted in the sum of £3 being raised and an additional 11/- was added from fines from a game of "Sing, Play or Pay."

Legionaire R. J. Evans was a humorous autoneur.

A small committee of five associate members was elected, the object being to form a link between the legion and its patrons, so that the aims and objects desired might be more easily attained.

The ladies committee provided light refreshments and dancing lasted till just on 11 p.m. when the meeting closed, all agreeing that evening had been well spent.

Mr W. Ford played the music.

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## FINE PROGRAMME OF MUSIC ENJOYED Women's Community Club YOUNG VISITORS ENTERTAIN Hastings Afternoon

Three young visitors gave the greater part of the musical programme which was so very much enjoyed by members of the music circle of the Hastings Women's Community Club at their meeting yesterday afternoon. Miss Florence Parkinson, a most clever pianist, gave several piano solos and vocal numbers were given by Miss Rachel Schofield and Miss Julie Tucker, both of whom possess a lovely voice. The programme was as follows: Piano solos by Miss Florence Parkinson, who chose the second movement from Beethoven's Sonata in E-flat, "Reve Anglique" by Rubenstein and "Waltz" by Coleridge Taylor. Miss Julie Tucker sang "Caro Mio Ben," "Songs My Mother Sang," "There is a Lady," "The Brown Bird Singing" and "My Treasure."

## Magnolia Satin Wedding Gown HASTINGS CEREMONY Two Bridesmaids Attend The Bride RYAN—HILL

The wedding was solemnised at the Methodist Church, Hastings, on Monday afternoon of Norma Caroline, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Hill, 31, Aubyn Street, Hastings, and Patrick, son of Mrs Ryan, Charlotte Crescent, Hastings. The Rev. C. H. Olds officiated at the ceremony and Miss Napier played the wedding march and "The Swan Song." The bride, who was escorted by her father, chose a lovely model gown of magnolia satin fashioned in the Empire style with softly draped surplus bodice and slim-fitting skirt ending in a full sweeping train. Her embroidered veil in palest pink was held in place with a magnolia satin halo catching the bride's hair in blossom and she carried a bouquet of cream chrysanthemums, rosebuds and heliopsis with maidenhair fern. Two maids, the Misses Nessa Barcham (chiel) and Mabel Laredo, attended the bride and wore gowns of georgette in pale pink and blue respectively fashioned on slim-fitting lines with fully flared skirts. The bodice which was shirred and fell in soft folds was finished with shoulder bows and the sleeves were full and puffed. Each maid carried a bouquet of roses and chrysanthemums to tone with her gown. Mr Jack Sullivan was the best man and Mr Brian Clark the groomsmen. About 60 guests were afterwards entertained at a reception held at the Rialto tearooms, where they were received by the bride and sister-in-law, Mrs R. Hill (her mother being absent owing to ill health) and the bridegroom's mother. Mrs Hill wore a frock of beige georgette pinstriped in brown under a natural camelhair coat with brown check effect. Her hat and accessories were brown and she carried an autumn tinted posy. Mrs Ryan chose a brown velvet frock under a fur coat and brown hat. Autumn shaded flowers were worn in her posy also. The bride's travelling dress was in the new strawberry red with matching coat and hat and brown accessories. After a motor tour to Auckland Mr and Mrs Patrick Ryan will live in Hastings.

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5 Pages for the FARMER

IMPROVED RATES FOR STORE SHEEP

Fat Cattle Also Meet Firm Market

STORTFORD LODGE SALE

A large yarding of store sheep sold to a brisk, active market at the Stortford Lodge stock sale yesterday, when some 6000 head came forward.

Following upon the general high quality of last week's fat cattle yarding, it was scarcely a surprise to find that yesterday the quality of the yarding, which totalled about 240 head, had dropped considerably.

Waipapa and Te Apiti Estate 2 and 4th in lamb ewes topped the store sheep market at from 29/2 to 31/6 for well-framed, well-woolled sheep in great order.

On account of Mr B. King, Maraetotara, and down off high country, 109 well-framed five-year ewes in great order and run with Southdown rams, sold at 24/.

On account of Mr A. D. Wallace, 6 small to medium grown Hereford steers, in quite fair order after four days on the road, brought £7 17/6 to £8 17/6.

On account of Mr C. G. Nestor, Bayliss 334 shorn wether hoggets, a nicely grown line carrying good store condition and healthy and bright sold at 18/3.

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On account of Mr S. Pepper, Tangaroa, 117 6-yr ewes, S.D. rams March 10, sheep in good order and showing quite good mouths, brought 15/.

On account of Estate W. Thompson, 233 woolly wether hoggets, small to medium grown and in good order, realised 18/2. A line of 129 2-4th ewes, S.D. rams February 25, a fairly framed line in healthy condition, made 25/6.

A pen of 206 4 and 5-yr ewes, r.w. S.D. rams March 10, a nicely framed line averaging out in good order, was passed in at 21/3.

On account of Mr R. McIntyre, 100 4 and 6-yr ewes, Romney rams March 10, made 20/3. Although somewhat mixed as to size and frame, there were in this line some big, roomy sheep.

On account of Waipapa Estate, 68 big, healthy, roomy 4-4th ewes, S.D. rams March 1, made particularly good selling at 31/6. Similarly aged Te Apiti Estate ewes, S.D. rams March 1, another line of

STORTFORD LODGE PRICES

BROKERS REPORT ON REALISATIONS

SALE YESTERDAY

Sheep And Cattle Offered

Brokers report as follows on the realisations for sheep and cattle offered at Stortford Lodge stock sale yesterday:—

Dalgety and Co. Forty F. and P. bullocks £8 8/-, 129 2-4th ewes, S.D. rams, 15/-, 117 6-yr ewes, S.D. rams 18/-, 42 at 18/-, 20 at 9/-, 46 store ewes 7/6, 50 at 8/-, 52 at 7/5, 10 at 5/-, 14 at 10/3, 333 shorn wether hoggets 18/9, 277 at 16/1, 112 at 14/11, 30 at 9/-, 36 at 7/5, 233 woolly wether hoggets 18/2, 14 at 10/-, 17 at 9/6, 6 fat wethers 23/10, 7 at 22/7, 1 at 23/10, 9 fat ewes 24/7, 8 at 19/10, 8 at 18/1, 8 at 17/10, 13 at 13/4, 1 fat lamb 22/7, 12 at 18/7, 9 at 17/10, 5 at 16/1.

N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Co. Ltd. Thirty-one fat ewes 23/1, 10 at 22/1, 9 at 19/4, 9 at 19/1, 11 at 20/10, 13 at 20/1, 9 fat lambs 21/1, 9 fat wethers 25/7, 19 at 23/7, 40 fat 2-4th ewes 23/4, 6 at 23/7, 1 fat wether 19/4, 6 fat lambs 25/1, 3 at 21/10, 2 at 24/10, 50 2-4th ewes 23/7, 25 ewe lambs 21/-, 40 at 20/9, 24 empty ewes 18/4, 34 ewe lambs 10/6, 34 empty ewes 3/7, 34 at 4/9, 24 wether lambs 6/7, 16 store ewes 5/9, S.D. lambs 11/4.

H.B. Farmers' Co-op., Assn., Ltd. One fat P.A. cow £9 17/6, 4 at £7 12/6, 1 at £7 7/6, 1 at £6 12/6, 1 at £6 7/6, 2 at £5 17/6, 2 at £5 2/6, 2 at £7 2/6, 1 at £7 2/6, 2 fat Hereford cows £6 17/6, 1 fat S.H. cow £7 12/6, 1 at £6 7/6, 1 fat Jersey cow £4 12/6, 2 at £3 17/6, 2 fat heifers £8 12/6, 1 at £6 12/6, 3 at £6 12/6, 4 at £7 12/6, 2 at £8 12/6, 2 at £8 17/6, 9 fat bullocks £8 5/4, 1 at £9 12/6, 2 at £10 2/6, 3 at £9 12/6, 2 at £9 2/6, 3 at £8 17/6, 3 at £8 12/6, 2 at £8 7/6, 1 at £7 17/6, 1 fat heifer £5 12/6, 1 vealer £2 2/6, 2 at £1 12/6, 2 at £2 2/6, 1 at £1 12/6, 1 at £1 7/4, 1 at £1 5/-, 1 Jersey bull £6 15/4, 1 dairy cow £3 2/6, 168 2-4th ewes r.w. S.D. ram 22/11, 60 2-4th ewes r.w. Rom. ram 25/10, 36 at 19/3, 100 6-yr ewes (Rom. ram) 20/3, 97 4-5-yr ewes (Rom. ram) 18/-, 103 5-yr ewes (S.D. ram) 24/-, 100 at 15/6, 9 at 17/9, 40 4-4th to 6-yr ewes (Rom. rams) 18/6, 99 M.A. ewes (Rom. ram) 14/4, 40 M.A. ewes (S.D. ram) 13/4, 100 ewe hoggets 22/7, 33 f. and f. ewes 12/2, 15 at 17/2, 29 wether hoggets 13/3, 16 at 15/2, 18 store ewes 6/7, 2 S.D. rams 7/6, 9 lambs 6/9, 27 fat lambs 26/10, 1 at 33/4, 1 at 26/10, 5 at 18/10, 13 at 20/1, 13 at 18/1, 9 at 18/1, 1 fat ewe 22/10, 7 at 21/10, 11 at 22/4, 8 at 19/1, 5 at 19/7, 13 at 19/4, 12 at 19/10, 5 at 16/10, 28 at 23/4, 12 at 22/1, 12 at 22/7, 12 at 21/10, 2 at 22/10, 6 at 22/-, 15 at 16/6, 2 at 16/6, 1 fat ewe 21/10, 3 fat wethers 29/4, 1 fat S.D. 2-4th 26/10.

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One fat heifer £7 7/6, 1 fat Jersey cow £6 17/6, 1 at £4 7/6, 1 at £4 2/6, 1 vealer heifer £3 6/-, 2 at £2, 13 P.A. steers £4 15/-, 14 P.A. cows

HERD IMPROVEMENT TESTS LAST MONTH

Wellington-Hawke's Bay Report On Association's Figures

The Wellington-Hawke's Bay Herd Improvement Association reports having tested 20,967 cows in the month of May. The average cow produced 348lb. milk of 6.0 average test yielding 21lb. butterfat.

Table with 5 columns: Group, Av., Highest, Highest, Cow. Rows include Hastings-Tutira, Waipapa, Dannevirke, Te Rehunga, Norsewood, Matamatua, Raumati.

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A United War Effort Probable

MR FRASER'S STATEMENT Conference With Leader Of The Opposition

DETAILS NOT REVEALED
By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, June 11.

When the House of Representatives met to-day and the formal business had been disposed of, the Prime Minister (the Hon. P. Fraser) announced that he had had a discussion before the House met with the Leader of the Opposition (the Hon. A. Hamilton) regarding to-morrow's business and how that business would be affected by representations he would be able to make to the Leader of the Opposition in the name of the Government Party and which he hoped would open up full opportunity for a united war effort as far as the House was concerned on behalf of the country and the British Commonwealth.

How Watersiders Work STATEMENT IN DEFENCE
Mr Hamilton Taken To Task

LONG HOURS ON JOB
When formal business was taken Mr. H. S. Kyle (Riccarton), in an explanatory question to the Prime Minister, asked if the Government's attention had been drawn to the lengthy stop-work meeting of watersiders to-day and whether the Government proposed to take any action in the matter.

RUGBY REFEREES' INSTRUCTION MUST NOT PUT BALL INTO SCRUM AGAINST THE LAWS
Southern Unions Protest

O'CONNOR DRAWS WITH RAINS
Wrestling At Wanganui
HARD AND WILLING BOUT

Te Aute Regains Moascar Cup
FAST, OPEN GAME
Palmerston North Boys Defeated

WAR CABINET EXPECTED IN NEW ZEALAND

A COALITION NOT LIKELY SPECIAL DUTIES Statement Probable To-day
By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, June 12.

VARIOUS USES OF ITALY DID HITLER ORDER HER ACTION? SHARING THE LOOT

British Mines Laid In Territorial Waters
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WATERSIDERS' WAGE INCREASE

Blasting War Effort HON. A. HAMILTON'S COMMENT

No Equality Of Sacrifice
By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 12.

Te Aute Regains Moascar Cup

FAST, OPEN GAME

Stemming Nazi Tide

A SECOND VERDUN Attack's Main Force May Soon Be Spent DRIVE WEAKENING

British Official Wireless. (Received June 12, 12.45 p.m.)
RUGBY, June 11.
Authoritative military circles in London are deeply impressed with the unsurpassed spirit and 'vigour with which the French are fighting their second Verdun on an enormous scale.

'COBBER' KAIN HAD 'HERO'S DEATH' Comrades' Tributes WREATHS DROPPED BY FLYERS

Over Forty Victims
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'Defeated French Army' CLAIM BY NAZIS

Strong Enemy Forces Scattered

Mr Barnard's Reply RIVERS BOARD JOB

Decision Was Made By Cabinet

SOUTH AFRICA AT WAR WITH ITALY

ALLIED RESOLVE STRENGTHENED

ITALY'S ENTRY INTO THE WAR ROLE OF JACKAL

There is No Quarrel Between The People
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R.A.F. TAKES ON BIG ODDS

EXTENSIVE DAMAGE DONE MANY PATROLS

Enemy Communications Damaged
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VALUE OF CO-OPERATION STRESSED TO PRODUCERS

Watersiders' Methods Pointed Out But By No Means Commended

By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, June 12.
'Who would have thought it possible that waterside workers would be able to obtain for five hours' continuous work on a Saturday a sum more than three times as much as a soldier received for a whole day?' said the Dominion secretary of the New Zealand Farmers' Union (Mr A. P. O'Shea) when he spoke briefly on the power of organisation to the annual conference of the Dominion Council of Commercial Gardeners to-day.

PLAN TO DESTROY ONTARIO ALLEGATION BY THE PREMIER ARMED NAZIS

An Invasion From America
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Pilot From Timaru WAS WOUNDED IN FRANCE

South Africa's 'Grave Danger' NEED FOR UNITY

Effects Of Italian Intervention SMUTS'S VIEWS

U.S. REFUGEE VESSEL HALTED Submarine's Orders

QUEER AFFAIR IN ATLANTIC Told To Proceed

Geneva Suburb Bombed ITALIANS BLAMED

McCREADY DEFEATS CORBETT

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**DEATHS**  
**FITZGERALD**—On June 12th, 1940,  
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Marie Fitzgerald; aged 80 years.  
R. I. P.  
Requiem Mass will be celebrated  
at 8.30 a.m. to-day (Thursday). The  
funeral will leave the Catholic  
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conclusion of a service which will  
commence at 10 a.m.

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Onions, Peas, Beans, Spinach, Fresh  
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— And —  
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FRIDAY, JUNE 14th, 1940.  
At 12.30 p.m.  
**SHEEP—**  
60 Fat Lambs.  
40 Store Ewes.  
40 Ewe Hoggets.  
200 Wether Hoggets.  
**WAIPIKURAU YARDS.**  
TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 1940.  
Sale will commence at 10.30 a.m.  
with cattle followed by fat and store  
sheep. Sale of sheep will commence  
not later than 12 noon.  
**SHEEP—**  
10 Fat Ewes.  
100 2/4-6ths Wethers.  
**CATTLE—**  
9 Fat Cows and Heifers.  
1 Fat Bullock.  
40 1/2-yr. Steers.  
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Buffalo Orchestra. Good Supper.  
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No stock will be yarded before 6  
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The times for commencing selling  
will be as follows: Beef cattle 10  
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220 Mixed-age Ewes (r.w. Romney  
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26 Dairy Cows due in September.  
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Net proceeds in aid of St. John  
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Appeal  
**EVERYONE IS INVITED TO**  
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**PUBLIC DEBATE**  
Foresters' Hall (upstairs), Dickens St.,  
TO-MORROW — JUNE 13th, 1940.  
At 8 p.m.  
A Great Opportunity to Hear Fine  
Speakers.  
Chairman: John Mason, Esq.  
Admission 1/- School Children 6d

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