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## Nazi Activities In France Suggest Early "Blitzkrieg"

### TRANSPORT AND FOOD MOBILISED

#### "A Question Of Hours," Says Broadcaster

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(Received July 30, 1.30 a.m.)

BASLE, July 29.

There are both civil and military reasons for the Germans cutting off all available communications between occupied and unoccupied France. Germany needs all the available trains to prepare for the invasion of Britain and fears espionage and sabotage by refugees from unoccupied France. She also needs all the food supplies in the occupied territory for the troops.

The civil reason is that the Germans are unprepared to handle a huge influx of refugees.

The Vichy correspondent of the British United Press says that the Germans have closed road as well as rail traffic between occupied and unoccupied France. Some quarters consider that the step indicates that operations against Britain from Northern France are imminent.

The German radio propagandist "Lord Haw Haw" repeats that a great attack against England is only a question of days and possibly hours. The coastal attacks are only a mild preliminary, he declares.

"A month ahead may be the most dangerous period," said the British Minister of Health (Mr Malcolm MacDonald) in urging parents not to bring evacuated children home for the summer holidays. He stressed that casualties in air-raids had so far been much smaller in the country than in the towns.

Meanwhile, the total number of men registered in Britain for military service is now 4,200,000.

An official French communique states: "The return of refugees to the occupied zones and transfer of Government services to Paris have been provisionally stopped."

Division of France  
The French radio announces that German-occupied France had been split up into five zones and that refugees were forbidden to enter or leave the two most strategic areas. One embraces the Channel ports and their hinterland, and the other takes in the Maginot Line from Switzerland to Belgium. Special permission to travel must be obtained in the other zones, and can only be granted to farmers, doctors, nurses, and officials.

It is learned that trains are being held up at Moulins. This has prevented refugees, including 1000 bank workers, from reaching Paris.

## FRENCH STATESMAN ON TRIAL

### "Contact With Enemy"

#### MILITARY COURT'S SITTING

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(Received July 29, 12.45 p.m.)

LONDON, July 28.

The Vichy correspondent of the British United Press says that a military court has opened an inquiry into the activities of a former Minister of the Interior, M. Mandel. The inquiry is being conducted on the orders of the Petain Government.

It is reliably stated, says the correspondent, that the inquiry involves charges that M. Mandel attempted to communicate with the British Minister of Information (Mr Duff Cooper) and the Commander-in-Chief of the British Expeditionary Force (Lord Gort) against the interest of France, which is an offence punishable with death.

At Casablanca  
Mr Duff Cooper and Lord Gort are alleged to have arrived at Casablanca, Morocco, by seaplane and to have sought contact with M. Mandel who was aboard the Massiglia. The French authorities are reported to have ordered the seaplane to leave M. Mandel was held aboard the Massiglia.

The court is believed to be seeking to determine whether M. Mandel planned to fly to England to join General de Gaulle's group.  
The former Prime Minister, M. Daladier, is reported to be held incommunicado in a Marseilles hotel. M. Reynaud, also a former Prime Minister, is under house arrest near Vichy. MM. Camille and Delbos, other former Ministers, are under strict surveillance in North Africa.

## TURKEY AND JAPAN IN CONFERENCE

### A Commercial Treaty Sought

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ANKARA, July 29.  
Negotiations have begun for a new commercial treaty between Turkey and Japan.

## DEADLOCK ON LAND AND SEA

### AIR HOLDS THE KEY TO VICTORY

#### BRITAIN READY

#### Full Confidence Felt By The Empire

British Official Wireless.  
(Received July 29, 11 a.m.)

RUGBY, July 28.

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"France lost her fine armies because she had no adequate air force. Poland failed, too, before her. We ourselves were kept out of Holland and southern Norway, despite our great naval superiority, by reason of Germany's superiority in the air. Furthermore, as the war proceeds, it is to air power that we must look for the means of taking the offensive. Therefore, the need for building many more aircraft than Germany's is disputed by none."

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"Production, however, is only one part of the problem. The other is the best use of aircraft. Some uses are marked and inescapable, but there are others about which the balance of political, and even of expert opinion, may vary considerably."

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## FRENCH PORTS BOMBED

### VICHY PROTESTS TO LONDON

#### Naval Concentrations Attacked

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VICHY, July 29.

The Government has protested to Britain against the severe bombing of France, including Cherbourg, Nantes and St. Nazaire, where the casualties were heavy and the damage serious.

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## Children Sail For Safety

### ON WAY TO CANADA

#### Majority Going To Relatives

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LONDON, July 29.

The first contingent of children evacuated under the scheme sailed for Canada last week, comprising children from schools aided by grant. The majority are going to relatives.

## POTATOES MARKED AT SYDNEY

### New Zealand Crown

#### PRICE FIXED AT £11 A TON

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SYDNEY, July 29.

The first shipment of New Zealand potatoes since the lifting of the Commonwealth's ban on their importation was marketed in Sydney to-day at the official fixed price of £11 a ton, which is the same as Tasmanian whiteskins.

No difficulty is anticipated in disposing of the New Zealand consignment.

## FROM HONG-KONG TO AUSTRALIA

### Britons Evacuated

#### DUTCH SHIP GIVES ASSISTANCE

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MANILA, July 28.

A Dutch ship evacuated 585 British women and children from Hong Kong to Australia. Three thousand more will be evacuated in the first week in August.

## DUCHESS OF WINDSOR AT LISBON

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LISBON, July 28.

A large crowd cheered for England when the Duchess of Windsor visited a maternity hospital and left a sealed envelope, containing a gift of money.

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## Ten Britons Arrested By Japanese

### UNEXPECTED ACTION

#### Prominent Business Men And A Journalist

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LONDON, July 29.

The Japanese police, acting simultaneously in several cities, to-day arrested 10 prominent British subjects. No reason is given for the action.

Those arrested are: Captain C. H. James, of Tokyo, a retired naval officer and chief representative on the Federation of British Industries; four Kobe residents, Mr Holden, president of the local British Association, Messrs E. W. James, P. M. Jonas, F. J. Drummond; two Osaka businessmen, Messrs H. M. Macnaughton, honorary consul for Greece, and J. F. James; two brothers named Ringer, from Shimonoseki and Nagasaki, and the Reuters Tokyo correspondent, Mr J. Cox, who is being charged under the military secrets regulations. The British Consul is not allowed to interview Mr Cox.

It is authoritatively stated in London that diplomatic representations will be made to the Japanese Government with all speed.

## Not A Plaything Of Any Power

### SWEDISH POLICY

#### Dependence On World Is Realised

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STOCKHOLM, July 28.

The Prime Minister (M. Hansson), in a speech, admitted that the concessions to Germany for transit through Sweden represented a change of the policy adopted during the Norwegian hostilities, but there was no ground for the suggestion that Sweden was changing her basic policy—namely, refusal to become the "brick" of any Power or group of Powers.

It would be a mistake, he said, to suppose that Sweden did not realise her dependence on the rest of the world, but Sweden must retain the status of a free people.

"After hostilities ceased in Norway, the Swedish Government decided to allow a limited number of German soldiers to pass through Sweden on leave," the Swedish Consul-General at Sydney said recently.

Mr de Dardel said "unfortunate and unjust impressions" had been created in Australia by cables alleging the passage of German troops and supplies through Sweden.

"My Government has informed me that what German soldiers do pass through Sweden on leave do so without arms," he added.

"The soldiers travel in special trains. The passage of these German troops through Sweden is of no real importance either to the situation in Norway or in the development of the war."

## Award For Coal Industry

### AUSTRALIAN CHANGES

#### Cancellation Committees Set Up

#### STOPPAGES TO CEASE

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SYDNEY, July 29.

Under an award delivered to-day to cover the coal-mining industry, hours will remain at 40 a week for all underground workers; the hours of all others are 36 a fortnight. The wages of engine-drivers in New South Wales will be increased by 7/ a week.

The award prescribes a five-day week, but on one Saturday a fortnight employees will be required to work for six hours.

The award sets up a network of conciliation committees with wide powers and with directions that stoppages of work shall not occur.

## Samoa Means To Buy Warplane For R.A.F.

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APIA, July 29.

A citizens' meeting to-day considered a proposal by the United Progressive Party that funds be raised in Western Samoa to buy or help to buy an aeroplane as a gift to the Royal Air Force from Samoa. The initial effort will be to raise £5000 by subscription, but if that sum is not obtained, whatever is collected will be given toward the cost of a plane.

## Stupidity Of Hiding Loss Of Lancastria

### DISASTER WAS MAGNIFIED IN BRITAIN

#### Official Story Suppressed For Five Weeks

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LONDON, July 29.

"The official delay in releasing the news of the loss of the Cunard liner Lancastria at St. Nazaire in the last days of the evacuation has very badly affected public opinion," says the "Daily Mail" in a leading article.

"It seems to be an outstanding example of the stupidity of some official mind."

"The Lancastria was sunk on June 17 with the loss of over 2500 troops; within a few days of the disaster hundreds of thousands of British people knew it to be true because they heard stories from survivors. The losses were exaggerated as the tale spread, but it was not until July 24 that the news was first published in New York, after which the Ministry of Information permitted British newspapers to circulate the news they had known for five weeks."

"The Service departments were doubtless primarily responsible for the delay, but it is the business of the Ministry of Information to urge in the national interests for the earliest release of good or bad news."

"The Ministry essays many roles, sometimes that of a benevolent uncle, sometimes that of a schoolmaster, but it is rarely the source of worth-while information."

## PROTEST AT "LEAFLET RAIDS"

### WALEB BOMBED FOR OVER THREE HOURS

#### Little Damage Done In Latest Nazi Air Attack

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(Received July 29, 7.10 p.m.)

LONDON, July 29.

The Vichy correspondent of the Associated Press states that the Petain Government has protested energetically to Britain against the leaflet air-raids.

Memorable scenes of activity marked the exodus of sections from the Cairo training camps. The departure of long columns of lorries, cars and motor-cycles, often in the first light of day, has become a common sight as parties began motorised treks covering hundreds of miles.

Many speak of air-raids as commonplace, though usually distant, spectacles.

The localities in Britain which have had air-raids are still quite a small part of the whole country but, in the regions most frequently mentioned in the Ministry of Home Security announcement, there are a few places where, during the last six weeks, siren warnings, the drone of engines, gunfire and occasional bombs have become very familiar.

The experience in these areas of the people's calmness, patience, irrepressible good humour, and kindness to each other leave no doubt of how the rest of Britain will behave when their turn comes, or how the nation as a whole will stand up to the air menace.

Not Despondent  
Wherever Hitler's "travellers" have called with sample of the German Air Force's might and menace, determination to liberate the world from domination by terrorism may be a little more grim than elsewhere, but there is no despondency.

The inhabitants are showing great adaptability and ingenuity in overcoming the inconvenience and disturbance of normal routine caused by the regularly-repeated warnings and raids. To avoid fatigue due to interrupted rest, many people have changed their sleeping hours. Others sleep in shelters.

Neighbourliness  
In many streets of small houses, common shelters have been erected by the authorities, and, where warnings are an almost nightly occurrence, neighbourliness is joined by something of a picnic spirit. The wives take it in turn to provide hot drinks, the men arrange games and concerts are provided by the young people, adjacent shelters sometimes exchanging the more successful "appearance" is duly "billed" the previous night.

Such is the resilience of spirit with which the enemy raids on Britain have been met so far.

## PRESERVATION OF COLONIES IN THE WEST

### IMPORTANT MOVES AT HAVANA

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HAVANA, July 28.

The full committee of the Pan-American conference approved the declaration on colonies in the western hemisphere belonging to belligerents and the full text will be presented to a plenary session, when its unanimous acceptance is expected.

One of the most significant and most important provisions of the project is the authorization of one or more countries to act first and consult the others afterwards when the hemisphere is endangered. In so acting the nation or nations will act on behalf of all the republics.

The original draft text was:—  
1. The Americas shall not observe conquests by force in this hemisphere and shall not recognise any transference, directly or indirectly.

2. The Americas may judge whether any change in the political status of the possessors as of September 1, 1939, affects the independence and liberty of action of their possessions.

3. In the event of their having to proceed against possessions which will not mean that the Americas will seek territorial expansion.

4. The territories affected may be returned to their original owners provided this does not affect American security or may be declared independent if they are able to govern themselves.

5. In the event of territory being taken over it would be controlled by a committee from the United States which would be empowered to ask for military help to protect the territory.

## SECRET DUTIES IN THE DESERT

### FIRST ECHELON KEPT BUSY

#### Important Role Being Played

By Telegraph—Press Association.  
WELLINGTON, July 29.

The following dispatch from the New Zealand Expeditionary Force officials news service, dated Egypt, July 28, has been received:—

Although the only contact with the enemy has been through aerial bombing raids, in which they have not been revealed, but hundreds of members of the First Echelon now proudly claim experience in the field. Some have actually been engaged on special assignments since the critical days before Italy entered the war.

Admiration for the keenness and efficiency of the New Zealanders in all their activities in the Western Desert has been expressed by English officers.

The New Zealanders themselves have enjoyed this new phase of their military career. They have become versed in varying degrees in the hardships of the desert, but they have been living under the best possible conditions, often within easy reach of the sea.

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## NEW ZEALAND MUST KEEP ON GROWING SAYS HON. R. SEMPLE

### Increased Production And Population Essential

#### WORK FOR THE FUTURE

By Telegraph—Press Association  
CHRISTCHURCH, July 29.

"There are people who think that we have reached the limit of development of our resources in New Zealand; that we should now accept a stalemate and 'stay put.' It gives me the cold shivers to think of this insane, defeatist attitude," declared the Hon. R. Semple in an interview.

"We have a huge country here practically empty and if we are not willing to develop it someone else will. We must have more production and more population; the two must go hand in hand."

"I know every inch of this country and I know its real value from the point of view of production. I sometimes feel dismayed when I hear people talk about ceasing our activities in construction and production. This country is only now reaching the fringe of its possible development."

Mr Semple was speaking with special reference to the land drainage schemes at Ashburton and in the Lake Ellesmere district, both of which he hopes will greatly increase the productivity of the province.

"This is the kind of work that must be undertaken in future. It will double the food production of our land and increase the population," he said. The completion of the Rangitata irrigation scheme could synchronise with such land improvement schemes as that proposed at Ashburton and together they would prove a wonderful boon to the Dominion.

Mr Semple said that scientific records showed how irrigation had worked wonders in other countries, increasing the productivity of the land five or even eight times. Large areas of Canterbury, Central Otago and Marlborough could share in those same benefits.

"Only an increased population will enable us to develop our resources to the maximum," he declared. "We have a priceless heritage here and it is our duty to develop it. Population is the surest defence for our country. Another million and a quarter people and we would be able to defend it against any attacker, but we are living in a fool's paradise if we think we can defend it with a mere handful of people."

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"Little Miss Somebody" Stars **Binkie Stuart**

"Convict 99" starring Will Hay, Britain's No. 1 laughter-maker, one of the greatest comedies in years, is now showing at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings.

When Dr Benjamin Twist (Will Hay) is literally kicked out of St. Michael's famous school he goes to prey on his brother Alfred (Graham Moffat) and his nagging wife Lottie, played by Googie Withers. Not relishing the prospect of providing an out-of-work with sanctuary beneath her roof, she makes Benjamin answer an advertisement in the local paper.

Fate decrees that Dr Twist shall be interviewed by a board of prison authorities, who are waiting for a Mr Benjamin to arrive from Australia to take up the post of Governor of Blackdown Prison. Through mistaken identity Twist gets the job, his arrival at the prison coinciding with a mutiny among the inmates. How Twist lavishly furnishes the prison cells, providing wireless, beer and other luxuries for the prisoners, eventually finishing up in prison himself, gives you 90 minutes of laughter that will leave you rolling in the aisle.

The second attraction is "Little Miss Somebody," a delightful story featuring the lovable, charming child star Binkie Stuart, supported by John Longden, Kathleen Kelly, June Carr, and a big cast of other celebrities of the English stage.

**SUDDEN DEATH AT NGARUAWAHIA**

Mrs Isabel Stanley, Of Gisborne

The death occurred suddenly at Ngauruawhia on Thursday of Mrs Isabel Stanley, wife of Mr Fred Stanley, Gisborne.

Mrs Stanley leaves four daughters and a son, Mrs Bert Scragg, Wairoa; Mrs Reg. Ward, Hastings; Mrs George Johansen, Wairoa; Mrs Basil Wilson, Ngauruawhia, and Mr Ernest Simonsen, Palmerston North.

**State**

**"THE MARINES FLY HIGH"**

With "Double Crime In The Maginot Line"

The determined efforts of a small group of Marines to round up a renegade bandit and his outlaw men who are terrorising a Central American republic form the exciting plot of "The Marines Fly High," now showing at the State Theatre, Hastings.

Richard Dix, Chester Morris and Lucille Ball have the leading roles in this stirring adventure drama. Dix and Morris play two flying Marines and Lucille is cast as an American girl who owns a cocoa plantation.

Because of the depredations of a ruthless renegade who is constantly pillaging the countryside, Dix and Morris, as a pair of lieutenants and friendly rivals for the hand of the American girl, are stationed at the cantonment and to them falls much of the dangerous work of tracking the vicious outlaw. The capture of the girl by the bandit and the thrilling gun battle between the Marines and the renegade army are said to provide unusual excitement and suspense.

The second feature, "Double Murder in the Maginot Line," is a story of two mysterious murders in a great line of fortifications. Victor Francen is featured. Suspicions of mysterious espionage activities in one of the underground fortifications of the Maginot Line have caused Major d'Espinae, formerly active in the Secret Service, to be placed in command. One of his highest ranking subordinates is Captain Bruchot, grizzled war veteran. The Secret Service has placed Bruchot in charge of the investigation of the murders. His suspicions centre on his three lieutenants. An elaborate trap and careful deduction lead to the conclusion that one of them is the assassin and a German spy, and in an exciting climax he solves the mystery.

**Cosy**

**"KNIGHTS OF THE RANGE"**

Western, With "Opened By Mistake"

Against a background of desert vistas and rugged mountain scenery, Zane Grey's "Knights of the Range," a thrilling tale of gallantry in the wide open spaces has been filmed. With Russell "Lucky" Hayden, Victor Jory, Jean Parker, J. Farrell MacDonald and Britt Wood heading the cast, it is now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. This is the tale of the regeneration of an outlaw, showing how the love of a beautiful spirited girl helps a man to regain his self-respect.

After Jean Parker has taken over her father's ranch following his death at the hands of outlaws, terror rides the range until she persuades Russell Hayden to desert the rustling outlaws and work for her. In a thrilling climax, Hayden saves a fortune from cattle sales for Miss Parker. Highlights of the production are the singing and playing of Britt Wood and The King's Men.

"Opened by Mistake" is the second feature, giving Charlie Ruggles an opportunity to portray again his most memorable character role that of the drunken reporter, in another hilarious characterisation. Star reporter Jimmie Daniels (Robert Paige) is going to take a vacation at the Latoria races, with sports editor Buzz Nelson (Charlie Ruggles) as pal—or die. Publisher Matt Kingsley (William Frawley) is equally convinced that he is going to keep his only good "leg man" at work.

In the midst of their argument city editor Connolly brings in a flash; Martin James, leading bank president, has embezzled a million dollars, and is missing. Daniels is assigned to cover the story. Not to be deprived of his holiday, Daniels goes to the races outside the city with Buzz. In attempting to conceal his own swindle, Daniels buys a trunk which happens to hold the body of a woman. With the help of Janice Logan, the trio solves the puzzle and obtains a "scoop."

**Regent**

**"JUAREZ" A GRIPPING DRAMA**

Paul Muni, Bette Davis Co-Starring

The long-awaited "Juarez" (pronounced "War-azz"), starring Paul Muni and Bette Davis, concludes to-day at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. The spectacular production has already been hailed by the critics as one of the greatest pictures of all time. In addition to being headed by the actor and actress who are generally acknowledged to be the foremost screen artists of their time, the cast includes a host of other film notables, such as Brian Aherne, Claude Rains, John Garfield, Donald Crisp, Joseph Calleia, Gale Sondergaard, Gilbert Roland, Henry O'Neill, Harry Davenport, Montagu Lowry and Monte Blue.

Conceived and executed on a scope never before attempted by Warner Bros., the picture tells a story that is at once powerful drama and authentic history, played against a rich panorama of backgrounds, ranging from imperial palaces to poor peon huts. It relates the attempt of Napoleon III of France to end the long history of the Mexican republic by placing a puppet emperor on its throne, it tells of the tragic fate of Napoleon's hapless tool, Maximilian von Habsburg, and his beautiful consort, Carlota, who has passed into history as "the mad empress," and it tells, inspiring, of the brave and successful fight of the Mexican president, Benito Pablo Juarez, born a humble Zapotecan Indian, to rescue his country from the hands of the imperialistic despoilers.

Muni portrays Juarez, Miss Davis is Carlota, and Aherne is Maximilian. The production was directed by George Fitzmaurice, who directed Muni's two previous starring vehicles.

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**"FRONTIER MARSHAL," WESTERN DRAMA**

With Alice Faye In "Barricade"

Blood-tingling action is the order of the day in "Frontier Marshal," opening to-morrow at the State Theatre, Napier, with Randolph Scott and Nancy Kelly in the leading roles.

This stirring 20th Century-Fox production tells the vivid story of the wickedest, wildest town of the dangerous old West, where life isn't worth a lead nickel—until a gun-fighting marshal brought in the law at the shooting end of a sixgun.

Scott is seen in the title role as Wyatt Earp, whose fabulous exploits tempted Tombstone and who stayed alive because nobody ever beat him to the draw, while Nancy Kelly is cast as a beautiful, brave, unflinching girl who followed the man she loved to this wide-open town in the hope of saving him from himself.

Romero has the colourful role of Doc Holliday, elegant gambler and deadly killer, a man who, for reasons best known to himself, has given up a useful life in the East to come to this wild borderland town to wait for death. Loved by two women, he was feared by every man—until Wyatt Earp walked in. Binnie Barnes is seen as Jerry, volcanic dance hall queen.

Alice Faye and Warner Baxter co-starred in "Barricade," the thrilling drama which is the second feature on the programme. Miss Faye plays a frightened American girl in China, running away from murder straight into fury and danger in a remote United States consulate besieged by fierce bandits. Baxter is seen as a ne'er-do-well adventurer, making trouble when he can't find it and finding it this time with Alice! These two live a startling drama with death seemingly but an hour away. Featured in the cast are Charles Winninger, as the heroic American consul; Arthur Treacher, Keye Luke and Willie Fung.

**Regent**

**LAUREL AND HARDY'S "BLOCK-HEADS"**

Showing With "Romance For Three"

Hilarity reaches a new high in Laurel and Hardy's comedy hit "Block-Heads," which is now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier.

"Block-Heads" starts with a tangy breeze of mirth and ends with a whirlwind of insanity, one of the most ludicrous finales that has ever graced a Laurel and Hardy production. Interspersed are rare gems of comic and pantomimic arts. Gags are fresh and frequent. Action zips along with a refreshing spontaneity and the players react with apparent enjoyment.

Stan Laurel impersonates America's man of the hour, whose most recent exploit has made the front pages of the country's newspapers. Oliver Hardy, once his war buddy, hastens to invite the hero to share his home, but his wife has other ideas. With domestic bickering and misinterpreted friendships throwing the pair into a welter of mirthful woe, Laurel and Hardy muddle through in their own inimitable style to a gloriously funny conclusion.

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**Mayfair**

**ZANE GREY'S "THUNDER TRAIL"**

With "The Big Broadcast Of 1938"

From the gifted pen of Zane Grey comes a Western picture that can't be topped for drama and thrilling action! It's Paramount's "Thunder Trail," which is now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier.

The story features two boys whose father is killed in a raid on a wagon train in the western plains. The two lads are separated in the massacre, and each grows up believing the other is dead. Years later they meet, discover their relationship, and set out together to bring the murderer of their father to justice. Charles Barton directed "Thunder Trail," which includes Gilbert Roland, Charles Bickford, Marsha Hunt, James Craig, J. Carroll Naish, Barlowe Borland and Monte Blue in the cast.

Loaded with laughs and studded with songs, Paramount's "The Big Broadcast of 1938" starring W. C. Fields, is the second feature. It presents the hilarious story of what happens on a big ocean liner, out after the trans-Atlantic record, when the world's greatest trouble maker and his jinx-ridden daughter come aboard! Assisting Fields in the laugh riot that ensues are Dorothy Lamour, Shirley Ross, Ben Blue, Bob Hope, Lynne Overman, Rufe Davis, Lelf Erikson and Grace Bradley.

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The low-lying poisonous mists of German economic propaganda fall miserably to obscure the jagged peaks of dangerous doctrine upon which many of the honourably recognised trading principles may crash to disaster.

Yesterday's news emanating from Germany had more economics than war in it, but it is to be borne clearly in mind that an economic war can be the most bitter of all under certain circumstances.

With the "bull-in-a-chinapop" finesse of Nazi psychological methods, we have Marshal Goering first of all, saying that America need never fear a military invasion.

He declared with all the apparent sincerity of a man who was taken aback at the very idea, that really, even German bombers could not fly to America and back without landing, and that the whole idea was ludicrous.

But this puerile balderdash deceives no one. The German Marshal, who always reminds one of Masefield's "bemuddled commander, riding cock-horse to parade when the bugles are blown," went on to say what he really had at the back of his mind; and that was that a sound economic reconstruction of the world would be possible only with the help of America.

It is as plain as daylight that he was laying down a protective barrage to cover the remarks made almost simultaneously by Dr Funk, the Nazi Minister of Economics.

Such low cunning will doubtless fail to impress the American people, who will probably jump more quickly into action on the economic front than on any other.

But the point is that the Germans will leave no loophole unexamined for purposes of offense and that their already recognised tactics of attacking only what they believe to be the weak spots are once more in operation.

Dr Funk's speech to foreign Pressmen in Berlin was spoken to them but spoken at the world in general. The Germans have invented a phrase about "the new economic order" which they are exploiting for all they are worth.

The phrase is merely the jam smeared on a fly-trap. It means merely an economic hegemony—a word which implies the very negation of the democratic principle, connoting, as it does, the dominance of one partner of a confederation of peoples.

Hard-headed economists in other parts of the world are not at all likely to be hoodwinked by Dr Funk when he declares: "It is not intended to put Greater Germany on an entirely self-sufficient basis: Germany will continue to export manufactured goods." Hard-headed economists know only too well that in her present all-conquering mood Germany will exploit her economic gains to the uttermost, irrespective of the sufferings she may impose upon other peoples.

Why, the vicious principle is already in operation. Flanked on either side by Dr Funk's hypocritical utterance and Marshal Goering's tongue-in-the-cheek promises, is the central item of news which tells us just how the people of the occupied territories are faring under Nazi economic rule.

The blunt fact is that Germany is thieving from the people of Flanders and Holland to feed her own people. Thus the "acute shortage" of butter in Antwerp and in other places is balanced by an increased ration per head to the German population.

Similarly, before Dutch housewives knew anything of German economic protection, they could exercise their genius for scrupulous cleanliness and efficient domestic service to the full; but now they are warned not to use too much fuel, not to be so fussy about washing up and even to reduce their fowl-runs because of the shortage of chicken feed.

There may indeed be a shortage of literal chicken feed, but there is a superabundance of economic "chicken feed" which should deceive no one for a moment.

Evidently the race of supermen is to be reared not only on the blood of slaughtered foes, but on the very bread out of the mouths of those still left alive.

Personal

Mr J. P. Foddy, Hastings, who recently enlisted for home defence and was serving at Tauherenikau, has been discharged as medically unfit. He has returned to Hastings.

Mr Sinclair Carruthers, managing director of Carlton-Carruthers Ltd., Wellington, was an overnight visitor to Napier.

Mr E. B. Gordon, M.P. for Rangitikei, has agreed to accept a seat on the Board of Trustees of the New Zealand Sheepowners' Acknowledgment of Debt to British Seamen Fund.

Captain G. R. Blackett, assistant area officer in Auckland, has been promoted to the rank of major.

Colonel J. H. Whyte, D.S.O., D.C.M., who has been appointed to the Headquarters Staff in connection with the formation of nine mounted squadrons throughout New Zealand, is present engaged in a series of official visits to Auckland, Whangarei, Whangaroa and Coromandel, accompanied by Captain Yerex as his staff captain.

Colonel Whyte will subsequently visit other centres, which will necessitate his travelling the length and breadth of the Dominion.

The Hon. Sir Walter Stringer, who has held the position of chairman of the War Pensions Appeal Board since 1927, has tendered his resignation and this has been accepted by the Government as from July 31.

Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P., will leave Hastings this morning for Wellington.

Mr G. A. Hayden, secretary of the National Patriotic Fund Board, left Wellington yesterday for Auckland, Napier and Dannevirke.

Constable W. W. Tindall, who has been in charge of the Khandallah police station since it was opened seven years ago, and who was stationed in Dannevirke for several years, is to retire shortly because of failing eyesight. He is at present on leave and ceases duty on July 31.

AT THE HOTELS

Mr C. Sewell (New Plymouth), Mr C. G. Cranby (Waipukurau), Mr A. G. Federman (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs John Wiles (Auckland), Mr Royden Brown, Mr E. Shields-Brown (Chateau Tongariro), Mr and Mrs K. A. Scholes, Mr and Mrs W. Tinsdell, Mr P. C. Ablett (Wellington) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mr H. Digges Smith, Mr A. R. Perry, Mr H. W. J. Penock, Mr B. Tremain, Mr J. Brown, Mr E. Hazleton, Mr F. H. Thornton, Mr G. A. Taylor, Mr and Mrs Sinclair Carruthers (Wellington), Mrs G. Baldwin, Mr and Mrs J. Barber (Trentham), Mr J. C. Bidwill (Featherston), Mr R. Hatrick (Wanganui), Mr and Mrs White (Porangahau), Mr G. E. DeAth (Upper Hut), Miss H. Johnstone, Miss L. Johnstone (Waipukurau) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Mr B. Stennett, Mr C. S. Renshaw, Miss Berry, Messrs Bawn (Auckland), Mr G. B. K. Scholiers, Mr G. Smith (Wellington), Mr B. Holdsworth (Gisborne), Miss F. Heaton (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs H. W. Tolan (Hataitai), Mr and Mrs T. Davey (Wairoa), Mr J. Abraham (Hamilton), Mr C. Housemann, Mr H. Robinson (Feilding) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mr E. Pittack, Miss M. Burke, Mr R. L. Page, Mr K. Long (Wellington), Mr and Mrs J. R. Gardiner (Pahiatua), Mr and Mrs J. Harp, Mr and Mrs Johansen (Masterton), Mr S. R. Barton, Mr G. Anderson, Mr G. T. Dawson, Mr A. Tarrant (Auckland), Mr and Mrs Adkins, Mr McDonald (Christchurch), Mrs S. H. Hay (Rotorua) are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

WAIROA

Mr E. Peters (Piripaua), Mr J. W. Harris (Wellington), Mr W. Griffith (Tua), Mr Parker (Hamilton), Mr H. Phillips (Palmerston North), are staying at the Clyde Hotel.

Mr Hichecock (Nuhaka), Mr Grant, Mr Wincoff, Mr and Mrs Allan (Napier), Mr Taylor, Mr Carr (Wellington), are staying at the Wairoa Hotel.

Mr Church, Mr Parkinson, Mr Edwards, Mr Wade (Napier), Mr Herin, Mr Norcroft (Wellington), Mr Reid, Mr Hook, Mr Clark, Judge Carr, Mr Nikora, Mr Matosh (Gisborne), Mr Wright (Palmerston North), are staying at the Ferry Hotel.

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LETTERS to the EDITOR

Roading Policy

Sir,—At a time such as the present there is much talk inside the Houses of Parliament, and outside among the "men in the street," about the Government's public works policy and programme. There is no doubt that some public works programme is essential, such as the maintaining of the back roads of New Zealand to keep open communication with the settlers who reside on them.

It has been noticed, however, that the stupid deviations are taking place on the main highway near Paki Paki. It was announced through your valuable columns that the work was to be suspended, but such is certainly not the case at present.

New sections are being started and valuable man power and precious petrol is being squandered.

From this road one cannot help looking at another road parallel to this one but further inland. I refer to the main Maraekakaho-Tikokino Road. I am a frequent traveller over this route and am in a position to lodge a stern protest against the way in which this road is let slide when it is essential to the many farmers in that area for the transport of their farms which contribute to the production side of the war.

One ford in particular is nothing but a death trap, and at present this important road is closed because the stream is running higher and there is no bridge. In a few days the water will have subsided a little and the "Road Closed" sign will be removed, but such a road is left for motorists so that they negotiate it at the risk of serious accident.

The road dips into the stream at an angle of about forty-five degrees and after some rain the water scours a sheer drop of up to two feet in

which cars have to "drive" over. At this stream I have many times damaged my car with the result that I am many pounds out of pocket.

The Hon. Mr. Semple, when visiting it several years ago, referred to it as a "bullock track," said that it was disgraceful, and that it would be fixed immediately.

As actions are needed at this time, not words, the Minister of Public Works should practise what he preaches and get on with the job. It can be asked, too, of the Hawke's Bay County Council, "What are you doing about it?"

We know that excavators, bulldozers and graders look very fine at work on our main highways, but what about using these assets of the public's to better use on essential rural communications?—I am, etc., N. H. SMITH.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Six Degree Frost

A frost of six-degree intensity heralded the glorious day which attracted so many Hastings people out of doors yesterday. A new fall of snow on the ranges was taken as an indication that more frosts can be expected in the near future.

Boy Injured

A 12-year-old boy, Brian Douglas Stohart, 114 Alexander Crescent, was admitted to the Memorial Hospital, Hastings, yesterday morning suffering from a fracture of the left foot. The injury was received several days ago. His condition is not serious.

Zoning Bread Deliveries

Bakers of Hastings are awaiting advice which they anticipate will come from the Government in the near future concerning the zoning of bread delivery. A meeting of bakers has been held, and official word is now awaited for further action to be taken.

Art Union Results

An art union conducted by the Hawke's Bay Art Society resulted as follows: First, Mrs C. E. Neils-Smith, Olrig, Hastings; second, Mrs T. H. R. Gifford, 13 Colenso Avenue, Napier; third, Mrs L. J. Stopford, Orari Gorge, Geraldine.

1000 Miles a Day

According to figures supplied to the "Daily Mail," all the milkmen of Hastings cover a total distance of 1000 miles each morning in doing their rounds, using approximately 1000 gallons of petrol a week. It is stated that as a result of the zoning of bread deliveries the consumption will be reduced by well over a half.

Count von Luckner

A cablegram appearing in the "Daily Province," Vancouver, states that Captain Franz von Rintelen, now interned in England, said that Count von Luckner had disappeared mysteriously. Von Rintelen believed that the count was in a concentration camp because of his anti-Nazi views.

Rivers Board Work

The Hawke's Bay Rivers Board yesterday appointed committees to transact urgent business between meetings of the board, which in future will be held bi-monthly. They were as follows: Finance, Messrs C. Lassen, H. M. Thompson, W. H. Campbell, R. E. Talbot and G. Fairley; works and reserves, Messrs C. Lassen, L. E. Harris, J. MacDonald, F. E. Evans and J. H. Sheath.

Growth of Hemlock

The growth of hemlock weed on the Rivers Board's property on the Napier-Pakowhai Road was the subject of a communication received by the board yesterday from the Agricultural Department. It was decided to clear this area and to instruct the overseer to report on all cases of noxious weeds coming under his attention.

Vandals At Work

A number of pansy plants uprooted and lying in a stack, as well as being during the week-end at Cornwall Park, Hastings, indicated that vandals are once again at work. It is believed that the thief was disturbed while at work and departed hurriedly, leaving the plants in the shed. A £5 reward is offered by the Borough Council for information leading to the conviction of anyone guilty of vandalism.

To-day's Diary

NAPIER The Theatres: "For Freedom," State, 2 and 8 p.m. "Blockheads" and "Romance For Three," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m. "Big Broadcast of 1938" and "Thunder Trail," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

HASTINGS

The Theatres: "Juarez," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m. "Convict 99" and "Little Miss Somebody," Municipal, 7.45 p.m. "Opened by Mistake" and "Knights of the Range," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m. "Everything Happens at Night," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FAIR TO FINE WEATHER.

The "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay is as follows: Winds: Light to moderate and variable winds. Weather: Fair to fine, with moderate temperatures. Seas: Slight.





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NATIONAL POSSIBILITIES NEXT WINTER

Sidelights On Form At Marton

(By MOTUROA).

Tigretterre's success in the Rangitikei Hunt Cup on Saturday was even more impressive than his wins at Greenmeadows and Hastings, and it confirmed the impression that he was a good thing beaten in the Manawatu Hunt Cup.

The handicapper has certainly been very kind to the Tractor gelding for, after winning the open class Napier Steeplechase, and running two quite fair races at Hastings and Woodville, he allowed in on the minimum in the Hawke's Bay Hunt Cup, which he won in a common canter.

Tigretterre, who is a fine jumper and a genuine stayer, is a good advertisement for the Flaxmere sire Tractor and is one of the best of the many useful jumpers he has sired. There is also good blood on the dam's side of Tigretterre's pedigree, for he is a son of Tigritiya, who won over £4000 in stakes and included the A.R.C. Railway Handicap among her victories.

It is noteworthy that Tigridia was purchased in Auckland in 1883 by the late Sir William Russell. This filly was a good winner for him and, after she put out her hip during the running of the Wanganui Cup, she proved an instant success at the Stud. From the descendants of the Leolinus mare, Mr Harold Russell bred Tigritiya and Tigretterre is raced by the son of that fine hunting enthusiast.

A comparatively young horse, Tigretterre might easily go on to the best steeplechase classes next season and it should not be beyond him to improve on Tigridia's second in the National.

HAWKE'S BAY horses did not have a very good spin at the Manawatu Hunt meeting, but they made up for lost time at Marton on Saturday, cleaning up for the seven races as well as securing a couple of minor placings. As well, the former Greenmeadows gelding Hunting Royal prevailed in the main flat race of the day. To the good content of the supporters of the local horses, there were good prices available about the Bay representatives.

As suggested in these columns last week, Mr Arthur Melk's filly Lady Ex found the distance of the Glenmore Maiden to her liking and she duly won in an easy manner. Lady Ex was assisted to some extent by drawing a good position and being smartly hopped out by Bert Morris, but she ran the speedy Sweet Anne off her feet and Saturday's win should be the precursor of many more.

Lady Ex has breeding to recommend her and it will surprise if the Lord Quex filly does not win some good races as a three-year-old. It is a great pity that she is not engaged in the classics next season, for she is bred from a half-sister to Defaulter. However, she is a stungly-built filly and should prove up to weight in the handicaps.

BOOST FOR 'BAY BREEDERS'
LADY EX, Sweet Anne and All Quiet, who finished in the places in the Glenmore Maiden on Saturday, made the finish an all-Hawke's Bay one. Indeed, Hawke's Bay Stud provided five winners, four seconds and two thirds at the Rangitikei Hunt meeting.

Sweet Anne, who ran a good second the previous week at Awapuni, is a half-sister by Hunting Song to Lucullus Boy, who won the concluding event. She is a three-year-old and was bred by Miss Grace Twist, being raced on lease by the Awapuni trainer, Ernie Watson.

A greatly improved galloper, Sweet Anne should go on to better things, especially as she hangs on well. A mile should not trouble her later on.

All Quiet, having her first race since the Hawke's Bay autumn meeting, was badly placed in the critical stages of the Glenmore Maiden and had to force her way through from about sixth position as they straightened up. However, she responded well under pressure and looked just a bit unlucky not to beat Sweet Anne for second money.

from Orozino (a sister to Moorland), by Finland (a sister to Doro, a sister to Desert Gold and second dam of Princess Doreen).

Gold Court, who is rather backward as the result of the bad cold he has had, would have been greatly improved by a race on Saturday, but he swung round at the start and lost his rider. This Tractor gelding has been given every chance and, while he should win races on the flat, he leaves the impression that he will do best as a jumper.

Uvedale was one of those slow away, but this Leighton filly showed a nice turn of pace in the middle stages and should improve a lot

BERT MORRIS OUT OF LUCK

WHEN The Smiler fell in the concluding stages of the Springrove Handicap at Marton on Saturday his pilot, Bert Morris, sustained a broken collarbone and will have to miss the National meeting. Morris, who won on Lady Ex on Saturday, has finished second on the winning jockey's list this season. By the way, The Smiler was quietly fancied by his connections under rain, fell midway through the afternoon and, as the result, the Laughing Prince gelding was never going right. He looks a much improved horse, however, and should make amends on a firm track.

with the race as it was her first outing since the spring. Uvedale is bred to stay, being from the Comely King mare Humorada, a half-sister to Maniapoto.

RACING is having no ill-effects on the Antonio mare Etila, who recorded her most impressive performance to date when she won the Closeburn Handicap at Marton on Saturday. Always well placed and nicely ridden by J. Forsyth, who is having a welcome change of luck, Etila came through as soon as they straightened up and she fought on solidly to hold the favourite, Hasten at bay.

Despite the fact that she was remarkably well handicapped, Etila beat a really good back field. She proved herself a model of consistency, as she has now notched three wins, and run three seconds and a fourth in her last seven starts. Etila showed plenty of pace in her early races, but she needed racing to make her properly solid and Saturday's win suggests that there will be more for her in the next month or two. Indeed, Saturday's form leaves the impression that she will see out a mile or further in the coming season.

Bred at Karamu, Etila is by the Sunstar horse Arausio and she should later make a good brood mare. She is the first foal of Angela, who is a sister to Halley, being by Gainscourt from Pareara, by Demosthenes from Mangaroa, by San Fran from Maude, who traces back to Citty Sark.

Good things in this family have been Mahutonga, Kopu, Labour Day, Merry Day, Alteration and Taunana.

LOOKED UNLUCKY
BILLY BROUGHTON, the leading rider of the season, failed to ride a winner at Marton, but he was unlucky on Hasten, even though that three-year-old was beaten by an extremely well handicapped opponent in Etila.

Hasten was one of the first away, but he lost his position going on to the home turn and was in the middle of the field three furlongs from home. He made a gallant effort, but weakened just as he caught Etila inside the distance.

Hasten who was a winner at Opaki in the spring, won well at Trentham this month and is one of the most promising staying racks around at present. He is game and looks likely to win his way through back ranks at the spring meetings.

SOLID PAPER MONEY MARE

SCHOOLGIRL was having her first race over a distance when she won the Pentlow Handicap at Timaru on Saturday and the effort draws attention to her chances at Riccarton next month. This Paper Money mare, who is raced by the former successful rider, George Humphries, has had three wins in her last five starts, and it would seem as if the best has not yet been seen of her. Schoolgirl is the first foal of Air Valve, a mare by Tractor from Callbird, the dam of those two successful performers, High Gear and Kelly the Crow, and she belongs to the famous Mermaid family.—"Moturoa."

By the Polymelus horse Colossus, Hasten comes from the same family as Etila. His dam, Miss Hastings, was a useful performer on the flat and over hurdles, and was by Cape Horn from Arbitration (dam of Windward, Mother-in-Law and Trench Law), by Tribulation from Mere Mere, by San Fran from Maude, the fourth dam of Etila.

It would not surprise to see Hasten make good as a jumper later on, though he should do well on the flat first.

WEIGHT FOUND HIM OUT
LITTLE ROBIN'S 9.10 found him out in the Closeburn Handicap at Marton on Saturday, but his chances were not improved by the fact that he drew the extreme outside of a field of 16. His rider, too, appeared to err in riding the gelding hard to be in second place half a mile from home; it is little wonder that he weakened in the run home.

Like the Robin, however, does not run two races alike. He has scored three wins in the past five weeks, but his three other starts in that period have been poor performances. The Otaki gelding is a Winter Cup candidate, but that looks rather rich for him.

Kinkajou had only two behind her three furlongs from home on Saturday and she did very well indeed to finish fifth, right up with Viracou, who also came from the clouds.



TRUE TO FORM.—The Hastings filly Etila, who ran true to her recent form to score another win at Marton on Saturday.

This Hastings filly has been rather unlucky this season, but she is thriving on her racing and it will surprise if she does not win a handicap around the provincial meetings next season.

Kinkajou is a fine big filly by Kincardine from the Lord Quex mare Barometer, Kilonsa, Desart and Record Reign.

In her last five starts Kinkajou who is now trained by Jack Ryan, has won on four occasions, a third, a fourth and a fifth.

DIPRESSIVE WIN
LUCULLUS BOY is right back to his best form, judging by his success at Marton on Saturday, and George Swinard should have little difficulty in placing his charge at the coming meetings, especially as he is a rare mudlark and well up to weight.

In winning this event Miss Grace Twist's gelding was rather impressive for he had half a dozen lengths to run up on All Bunsby when they straightened up. However, so well did he finish, he hit the front half a furlong from home and won going away.

Lucullus Boy raced a few times over the battens last month and he would need only to reproduce the jumping he has shown in his schooling efforts to win a string of hurdles races. The experience will do him good, however, and it may be in this department that his spring racing will be done.

Gold Ballad did not jump one fence well at Marton on Saturday and she scrambled over the last two, losing many lengths. His third, under the circumstances, was a really good effort, and one which should be improved on at the coming meetings.

Gold Ballad was a winner on the flat at New Plymouth two years ago and should be worth taking up next month as a jumper.

LACKS STAMINA
TOLAGA again showed a lot of pace in his race at Marton on Saturday, but, as at Trentham, he topped in the run home and was one of the last to finish. The Master Colossus gelding has grown into a nice horse this winter, however, and it will surprise if he does not make amends when tried as a jumper.

Tolaga has shown plenty of ability in his few schooling tasks at Awapuni and this game may be his metier.

Seven furlongs is hardly far enough for the Lord Quex-Prima Lux mare Stella Lux and her defeat at Marton on Saturday can be safely overlooked. She was well back on the home turn and made up quite a lot of ground to finish a close seventh.

Stella Lux has been racing well this winter and the half-sister to Conveyor should add to her winning account before long, especially over a mile or further.

Cherry Hunter was a disappointment to his party at Marton and, after showing some pace to the turn, he faded right out in the run home. Gold Ballad's brother does not look right, however, and he leaves the impression that he would be all the better for a good spell.

Golden England Again

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VALERIAN IMPROVES

By Telegraph-Press Association. ROTORUA, July 29. The Rotorua Racing Club's patriotic meeting was held in brilliant weather. The track was in excellent order and the attendance fair. The totalisator turnover was £14,222/10/- for the day.

W. J. Stevens, the rider of Teacony in the third race, was suspended for one month for interference with Aberdovey. The results are:—
FAREWELL HACK HANDICAP, Of £100, 1 mile and 160 yards.
4-4—HUNTING BEE, 8.4 . . . (T. Smith) 1
1-1—ESQUIRE, 9.9 . . . (L. Collett) 2
3-3—PLEURON, 8.0 . . . (R. McTavish) 3
Also started: 2-2 Little Ruse, 8.12; 5-5 Maxown, 8.9; 6-6 Gas Ace, 8.6; 7-7 Gay Bell, 8.0; 9-9 Ilimani, 8.0; 8-8 Waiteti, 8.0.

A nose; one and a half lengths. Time, 1.52/4-5.
JULY HACK AND HUNTERS' HURDLES, Of £100, about 1 1/2 miles.
2-2—BLAZZ MUSE, 12.2 (J. Mair) 1
4-3—RADIANT DAY, 9.0 (Ferguson) 2
1-1—RAROTONGA, 10.5 (J. McRae) 3
Also started: 7-7 Mungacre, 9.12; 6-6 Eccletra, 9.5; 5-5 Gael, 8.5; 4-3 Hutana, 9.1; 8-8 Little Scotch, 8.0; 9-9 Pal, 8.0. Eight lengths; ten lengths. Time, 3.3/2-5.

NOVICE STAKES, Of £70, 5 1/2 furlongs.
8-8—LORD WAITANGI, 8.12 (N. McKenzie) 1
3-3—TEACONY, 7.10 (W. J. Stevens) 2
5-6—DURVACH, 7.10 . . . (V. Dye) 3
Also started: 6-5 Face Value, 9.0; 12-12 Snare, 9.0; 4-4 Agula, 8.12; 10-10 Prince Jay, 8.12; 12-11 Classical Song, 8.10; 9-9 Miss Eureka, 8.10; 1-2 Aberdovey, 7.8; 2-1 Gay Rosette, 7.8; 11-10 Hauwiti, 7.8.

Half a length; one and a half lengths. Time, 1.9/1-3.
PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP, Of £140, 11 miles and 180 yards.
8-8—RACELINE, 7.0 (W. J. Stevens) 1
2-2—SUNNY DOWNS, 8.2 . . . . . 2
5-6—RAROTONGA, 7.10 . . . . . 3
Also started: 1-4 Kena, 9.0; 7-7 Jayvils, 7.9; 4-3 Wildore, 7.4; 3-1 Kaspiam, 7.0; 9-9 Baroscope, 7.0; 6-5 Raepata, 7.0. Two and a half lengths; a short head. Time, 2.2/2.

PATRIOTIC HACK AND HUNTERS' STEEPLES, Of £140, about 3 miles.
2-2—GOLDEN ENGLAND, 10.6 (G. H. McRae) 1
5-5—MUNGACRE, 9.4 (A. Curran) 2
4-4—FAT BOY, 9.12 (W. Skillington) 3
Also started: 1-1 Makoi, 11.5; 3-3 Turu, 11.12. Won by a furlong. Time, 6.52/2-5.

PARK HACK HANDICAP, Of £85, 6 furlongs.
2-1—VALERIAN, 8.0 (R. McTavish) 1
4-4—LORD WAITANGI, 8.0 (V. Dye) 2
1-2—STAR VAALS, 9.9 (N. McKenzie) 3
Also started: 3-3 Sir Lyaxander, 8.11; 5-5 Glenbevan, 8.6; 11-11 Acquest, 8.11; 8-8 Gazeful, 8.0; 6-8 General Blake, 8.0; 12-12 Snare, 8.0; 7-7 Spats, 8.0; 10-9 Surtoy, 8.0; 9-10 Roman, 8.0. Two and a half lengths. Time, 1.14/4-5.

FLYING HANDICAP, Of £110, 6 furlongs.
3-3—FIANCEE, 8.2 (L. Dullea) 1
2-1—MERRY VAALS, 9.0 (G. Cameron) 2
4-4—YOUNG PADDON, 9.8 (O. McNally) 3
Also started: 5-6 Orate, 9.7; 8-8 Royal Dance, 8.7; 1-2 Heroic Maid, 8.0; 6-5 Town Section, 8.0; 7-7 Trilliarah, 8.0. One and a half lengths; two and a half lengths. Time, 1.14/4-5.

CHRISTCHURCH HUNT WEIGHTS
PADISHAH'S 12.13
Handicaps for the Christchurch Hunt Club's meeting next Saturday have been declared by Mr W. P. Russell as under:—
CHRISTCHURCH HUNT CUP, Of £50, 2 miles.
El Caballo 12 13 Golden Glow 11 10
Corban 11 12 Tommy Ruff 10 9
Guapo 11 7 Mintleaf m. 11 0

LAWFORD HACK AND HUNTERS' STEEPLECHASE, Of £130, about 2 1/2 miles.
Suroat 11 2 Ucdi Jim 9 8
Balfour 11 1 Tom Cat 9 7
El Caballo 10 13 La Boca 9 7
Joy Boa 10 5 Waka 9 7
Aretic Star 10 4 Valens 9 6
Frenchy 10 2 Golden Glow 9 1
Corban 9 13 Mintleaf m. 9 0
Night Scout 9 13

HONEYE STEEPLECHASE, Of £200, about 2 1/2 miles.
Padishah 12 13 Nighthound 10 2
Slayer 11 6 Trisox 10 1
Bally Brit 10 12 Dauber 9 13
Golden Wren 10 6 Balfour 9 10
Flashlight 10 3 Frayke 9 0

CAMLA HACKS, Of £130, 6 furlongs.
Schoolgirl 9 5 Gnohill 8 3
Great Night 9 5 The Vulture 8 2
Stabilize 11 2 Sie Fredrick 8 1
Raceaway 8 11 Countervane 8 0
Kriemhild 8 11 Lady 8 0
Dinah Dhu 8 11 Magellan 8 0
Gold Dirl 8 0 Paperella 8 0
Lord Lynn 8 10 Featherboa 8 0
Moneymore 8 10 Taxpayer 8 0
Royal Victoria 8 9 Skyring 8 0
Lord Midas 8 9 Rora Riko 8 0
Synthetic 8 6 Ann Mie 8 0
Ferry 8 4

LONGBEACH HURDLES, Of £130, 14 miles.
Streamline 11 6 Spentauriff 9 8
Recolition 10 8 Turaki 9 6
Courtyard 10 6 Far East 9 6
Kaiwaka 10 6 Hunting 9 0
Tutuwater 10 4 Skyring 9 0
Cottingham 10 3 Good Sun 9 0
Aussie Ra 10 3 Aggravate 9 0
Dividend 10 1 Half and Half 9 0
Colonel 10 1 Waka 9 0
French 9 10 Lifeguard 9 0

BRABAZON HANDICAP, Of £150, 7 furlongs.
Haughty 9 9 Wagner 8 0
Night Winner 9 9 Night Dress 8 0
Black Thread 9 8 Straightdai 7 11
Spanish Lad 9 2 Combat 7 11
Distain 8 8 The Raker 7 11
Dictate 7 7 Rebel Star 7 10
Kirobe 8 6 Wardress 7 10
Lockit 8 5 Paper Note 7 10
The Wrecker 8 5 Skyring 7 10
Strip 8 2 Night Hawk 7 7
St. Cloud 8 2 Padishah 7 7
Nigger Boy 8 2 Flame Queen 7 7
Second 8 2 Cape Fox 7 7
Innings 8 1 Noble Fox 7 7
Grey Honour 8 1 Lady 7 7
Winning Rival 8 0 Middleham 7 7

KENNELS HACK, Of £130, 1 mile.
Rebellion 9 11 Ry-town 8 5
Great Night 9 6 Vocal 8 4
Sheeny 9 5 Norse 8 4
School Dirl 9 5 Captain Bruce 8 4
Islay Downs 9 2 Dividend 8 4
Turaki 8 13 The Duel 8 3
Prudent 8 13 Sweet Mystery 8 2
Prince 8 12 Iceland Spar 8 0
Merry Simon 8 9 Racewell 8 0
Scarlett 8 8 Richbank 8 0
Grey Silk 8 8 Richbank Pearl 8 0
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**DEATHS**  
**MACKENZIE**—On July 29th, 1940, at Napier, Catherine, widow of the late Hector Mackenzie, aged 79 years.

A service will be held at St. Paul's Church at 2 p.m. to-day (Tuesday), after which the funeral will leave for the cemetery at Park Island cemetery.

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