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LONDONERS GRIN AND BEAR NAZIS' ROUTINE RAIDS

New Schedules Forced On City

THEATRE QUEUES ARE NOW SHELTER QUEUES

Offices Close Up Early

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LONDON, Sept. 11.

Londoners have taken the Luftwaffe's daily raids in their stride. In one week the entire life of the city has changed—it is now regulated by the timetabled visitations—and the people have settled down to withstanding the greatest air siege in history.

The first daily warning can be expected at midday, when the Germans make a regular attempt to break through with a mass formation of bombers. Londoners shrug their shoulders and estimate that their shelter-sitting will last from half an hour to an hour.

The next raid usually arrives at approximately 5 p.m. and lasts about the same period, while the German pilots endeavour to drop bombs which will cause fires to guide them throughout the night.

Then, between 8 p.m. and 9 p.m., the nightly sessions begin.

Everywhere in the vast, sprawling city millions go to the shelters prepared to remain until 6 a.m. Suburban residents have converted their shelters into bedrooms. With children, and even pets, they bed down cheerfully for the night. Those lacking private shelters hurry to the public shelters, where they settle down in small, brave-hearted communities intimately drawn together by the overshadowing peril.

Those living in hotels go to the basements or ground floors prepared for a fitful vigil.

"Night life" has been abandoned temporarily and theatres have closed but the queues remain. Where once Londoners sat patients waiting for the show to begin, amused by itinerant entertainers, they now wait as patiently for the shelters to open. With the first note of sirens, since the wardens will not allow seats to be reserved.

Working hours have been adjusted to suit the raids. The homeward trend begins two hours earlier and staffs of offices have been advised to set off about 4 p.m. before the first raid, so that they are settled down in their homes by dusk.

Queues for trains and buses wait patiently and more tolerantly than in peacetime. In view of the temporary dislocation of travelling facilities, the public are asked to avoid unnecessary travel.

Many Londoners are having a cold midday meal instead of a hot one since the gas pressure in many restaurants is reduced. Some water services are also reduced. The Metropolitan Water Board has appealed for people to use less water for bathing and washing-up.

As the raids continue night after night one thing emerges: The people, who are schooled to expect the toll of night bombing, are resigned to get it over as though it were a distasteful necessity in order to free Europe of the scourge.

Volcano Bursts Into Action In Japan

Villagers Use Umbrellas As Shield From Ashes

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TOKYO, Sept. 11.

The Domei News Agency reports that residents on the slopes of Mount Asodake have hardly seen the sun since August 24, a volcano almost constantly belching ashes following dormancy for 53 years.

The people carry raised umbrellas as a protection.

Crops and 13 villages have been destroyed.

THE MEASLES EPIDEMIC

REINFORCEMENTS ARE DELAYED

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 11.

No information is yet available as to when the Fourth Reinforcements of the Second New Zealand Expeditionary Force will be called up to enter mobilisation camps for training.

This will, of course, depend on the duration of the measles epidemic, which has affected military camps as well as a section of the civil population.

IMPORTANT BRIDGE LOST BY CHINESE

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HANOI, Sept. 10.

The Chinese have blown up the international bridge at Loakay, between China and French Indo-China.

JAPAN REINFORCES BORDER

Indo-China Action

YOUNG FORMOSANS SENT

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CHUNGKING, Sept. 11.

It is reported that the Indo-China authorities blew up a bridge at Shuikow, on the Hwangsi border, 25 miles west of Lungchow.

A Kweilin message states that the Japanese have transferred 4000 troops from Lungchow to the Indo-China border, also 5000 volunteer Formosan High School students.

It is authoritatively stated that the Government of French Indo-China has ordered the immediate evacuation of all European women and children from border towns such as Kachang and Langson, says a message from Kweilin, in the Kwangsi province of China.

A message from Hong Kong says that 1000 Japanese troops crossed over the Indo-China frontier at Dongdang, but withdrew after a French protest. The French are still firmly opposing Japanese attempts to gain a free hand in Indo-China. The Japanese apologised swiftly when the French threatened to abandon the negotiations.

N.Z. SAPPER KILLED ON DUTY

Taranaki Resident

SAW SERVICE IN LAST WAR

By Telegraph—Press Association.
NEW PLYMOUTH, Sept. 11.

Advice has been received at New Plymouth of the death on active service in England of **Sapper Oswald J. Jans,** a member of the Forestry Detachment of the Second Echelon of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Sapper Jans, who was 47 years of age, was unmarried. He was the second son of the late Mr and Mrs O. Jans, formerly well-known residents of the Stratford and Oakura districts. Sapper Jans also lived for some time at Oakura and Okato, but for the past ten years has lived in the King Country, where he was engaged in contracting.

Sapper Jans saw three years' service in the last war. He enlisted from Taumarunui.

ARABS KILLED IN RAID BY ITALIANS

R.A.F. DOES DAMAGE IN MIDDLE EAST

Military Buildings Destroyed

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CAIRO, Sept. 11.

An Army communique states that over 50 civilians, including five Arab children, were killed when Italian 'planes raided Tel Aviv and the adjoining area, bombing indiscriminately far from military objectives. A number of houses were destroyed, but the fires were quickly controlled.

Enemy 'planes raided Mersa Matruh, where slight damage was done but no casualties resulted.

A British patrol successfully encountered a party of native troops at El Katulo, on the northern frontier of Kenya.

The Palestine wireless announces that 150, including some Americans, are believed to have been killed in the Tel Aviv raid.

A communique issued by the R.A.F. states: "Our bombers on Monday successfully attacked aerodromes and harbours in eastern Libya. Two grounded enemy 'planes were destroyed by direct hits when the Derna aerodrome was raided.

"In the El Gazala, Boma and El Timi areas bombs fell among 'planes on the slipways.

High Smoke Columns

"Columns of smoke 1500 feet high followed explosions after an attack on objectives in the Tobruk, El Gabbi, El Aden areas. All our 'planes returned from all operations."

Enemy bombers raided Sidi Barrani on Monday, but there were no casualties. The R.A.F. attacked Dessie, Abyssinia, where military buildings were destroyed. Enemy fighters unsuccessfully attempted to intercept. Asab, Massawa, Asmara, the Abd el Kader Peninsula and Metemme were all raided. One Caproni was shot down.

GREAT WAR EPISODE RECALLED

Pacific Operations

JAPANESE ADMIRAL DIES

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TOKYO, Sept. 11.

The death has occurred of Admiral Tanin Yamaya, aged 74.

He commanded the Combined Fleet which occupied the German islands in the Pacific in 1914.

TERRITORIALS TO CAMP AT DANNEVIRKE

By Telegraph—Press Association.
DANNEVIRKE, Sept. 11.

Cabinet has decided that the Territorial camp for troops in the Central Military Command Area will be held on the Dannevirke showgrounds. The camp begins towards the end of the month and will extend over six weeks.

At a meeting of the Dannevirke A. and P. Association it was unanimously decided to offer the showgrounds as a site.

The secretary, Mr H. S. M. Quigley, explained that Captains H. A. Jones and W. A. Breach, of the Defence Department, had commended the Dannevirke site as the most suitable they had seen.

The use of the showgrounds would not interfere with the show arrangements for February.

Heart Of Berlin Undergoes Raid For Two Hours

BLUE SMOKE RISES FROM UNTER DEN LINDEN

Raiders Circle Low Over Their Objectives

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LONDON, Sept. 11.

The Berlin correspondent of the British United Press says that bombs were seen falling in the centre of Berlin during an air raid alarm which lasted from 11.55 p.m. till 1.47 a.m.

It is believed that the raid was the most intense that Berlin has yet undergone.

One bomb crashed through a house next to the United States Embassy, only 100 yards from the Wilhelmplatz. An incendiary bomb fell near the United States Embassy and two others in the middle of the Unter den Linden, immediately in front of the Brandenburg Gate. The Embassy was not damaged. The first bomb lit up the famous gate like daylight.

Windows in nearby offices rattled and blue smoke rolled up from the Unter den Linden. A high-explosive bomb fell 100 yards from the former French Embassy, sending plumes of smoke and sparks 75 yards.

The raiders circled over the centre of the capital at a low altitude for at least 30 minutes and dropped six parachute flares.

An official German communique states that bombs struck the art academy in the heart of the city and the premises of the German Engineers' Union, Hedwig's Hospital, and residential and business property.

Mines To Be Laid Round Australia

GUARDING STRATEGICAL POINTS

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SYDNEY, Sept. 11.

A substantial expansion in Australia's output of naval mines for local defence and for Admiralty requirements was approved by the War Cabinet to-day. In addition, a 3000-ton merchant ship will be fitted out as a mine-layer and manned by a naval crew.

The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies) announced that preparations were being made for mining important strategical points round the Australian coast.

Ex-King Carol On Way To Portugal

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LUGANO, Sept. 10.

Ex-King Carol and Mme. Lupescu have left for Portugal via Italian-occupied France.

FUND FOR VICTIMS OF NAZI BOMBERS

Melbourne City Leads The Way

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MELBOURNE, Sept. 11.

The City Council has given £25,000 to the Lord Mayor's British Bombing Victims Fund. The Mayors of other capital cities in Australia have opened similar funds.

BRITAIN AND U.S.A. CAN REPLACE R.A.F. LOSSES

Purchases And Manufactures Can Even Build Up A Surplus

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.

Mr Purvis, of the British Purchasing Commission, conferred with the Secretary of War (Mr H. L. Stimson) to-day.

Mr Purvis said that the visit did not involve an appeal for 'planes.

British sources say that American aircraft factories are turning out 'planes for Britain at a rate sufficient to replace one-quarter of the R.A.F. losses, British production more than making up the remainder of the losses.

The Co-ordinator of Production (Mr W. S. Knudsen) announces that the defence schedule, including 'planes for Britain, calls for a peak production of 3000 'planes a month by July, 1942, and by April, 1942, it is expected that a total of 33,000 'planes will be completed, of which 14,000 would go to Britain and the remainder into the American service.

FIVE 'PLANES GIVEN

AUCKLAND "HERALD" FUND

Request Made To The Prime Minister

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, Sept. 11.

The total amount of the subscriptions to the "Herald" readers' aeroplane fund (£33,872) has been remitted to the Secretary to the Treasury and the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) has been asked to send the money to Lord Beaverbrook, Minister of Aircraft Production in Great Britain.

The following cablegram was sent to Lord Beaverbrook: "New Zealand Herald readers within three weeks subscribed over £33,000, which we have requested Prime Minister to remit to you for the purchase of aeroplanes.

"This gift is offered as a grateful tribute to the Royal Air Force."

A letter, signed by Sir Henry Horton, managing director of Messrs Wilson and Horton Ltd., to the Prime Minister says: "We believe that the amount of the 'Herald' readers' fund will pay for five fighter aeroplanes. Will you please suggest to Lord Beaverbrook that the aeroplanes be named 'Auckland 1, Auckland 2, Auckland 3, Auckland 4 and Auckland 5'."

BRITAIN DEVISES NEW WEAPON

INCENDIARY CARDS OF CELLULOID

A Million Dropped In A Month

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LONDON, Sept. 10.

Authoritative circles in Britain state that the R.A.F. has dropped a million self-igniting celluloid cards in Germany in the past four weeks and has set fire to crops, barns, and schools in Westphalia, Hanover, and the Harz Mountains, and also in southern and central Germany.

One 'plane could carry a quarter of a million of the cards, which are two inches square.

It is learned from an authoritative source to-night that the R.A.F. is using a form of incendiary weapon which could be described as a self-igniting leaf (says a British Official Wireless message).

Not Poisonous

It is designed to set fire, for example, to military stores standing in the open, an arsenal or ammunition dump, or engineers' stores in the field, military supplies in open trucks, in marshalling-yards or parks of military lorries, and other similar objectives.

It would also set light, under suitable conditions, to a wood in which a military unit or a depot or an ammunition plant was concealed. It is known that the enemy has concealed such targets in the woods.

Accusations made by the Germans that the "leaves" cause poisoning are false. The leaf is not poisonous, but, if handled, would of course cause burns, just as every other incendiary bomb would.

Grim Search In School

BOMBED BUILDING

Suffered Direct Hit On Monday

MANY DEATHS

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LONDON, Sept. 11.

Many bodies have so far been recovered from a school in East London which received a direct hit by a bomb on Monday. Some persons extricated from the mass of twisted girders and debris were still alive but died en route to hospital.

Between 18,000 and 20,000 Civil Defence members are working in shifts, in addition to contractors' employees, who are toiling at high speed in an effort to clear the debris and restore normal conditions in London's bombed areas.

REICHSTAG STRUCK BY R.A.F. BOMB

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LONDON, Sept. 11.

The Berlin correspondent of the Associated Press of Great Britain says that the Reichstag was struck by an incendiary bomb during the R.A.F. raid.

AMERICAN HELP FOR LONDONERS

Medicines, Beds And Garments

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.

The Red Cross without delay is shipping to London half a million garments and large stocks of medicines and beds.

It has also cabled funds to purchase canteens, etc.

RANDOM BOMBING OF LONDON

Fewer Casualties Than On Recent Night

RIVERSIDE FIRES

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LONDON, Sept. 11.

It is officially stated that enemy 'planes on Tuesday night delivered a further succession of bombing attacks on London. Bombs also fell at random in many places in the suburbs and surrounding districts.

Fires were caused in a riverside city, in warehouses, factories, and many other parts of London, where damage was done.

Preliminary reports indicate that the damage and casualties are considerably lighter than on preceding nights.

Bombs also fell in south Wales and the Bristol Channel area, the west of England and the east of England, with only slight damage and very few casualties.

A large maternity hospital in the London area was hit during the night raid. All the patients were evacuated.

The raiders last night flew over the north-west of England, the Midlands, and the south-east, where eight bombs were dropped in the centre of a town, demolishing a number of buildings.

Wales was subjected to a heavy raid for several hours to-day and bombs fell in the centre of a town, a number of persons being injured.

Recruiting Trains For R.A.A.F.

STATE-WIDE DRIVE

Five Thousand Enrolments Expected

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SYDNEY, Sept. 11.

Two specially fitted recruiting trains will leave Sydney within a few days for a State-wide six months' drive for Air Force recruits.

It is expected that 5000 men will be dealt with by the staffs aboard the trains which will be able to accomplish all the work usually done by the Metropolitan recruiting centres.

SINGLE CANADIANS CALLED UP

War Training

TWO BATCHES BEFORE CHRISTMAS

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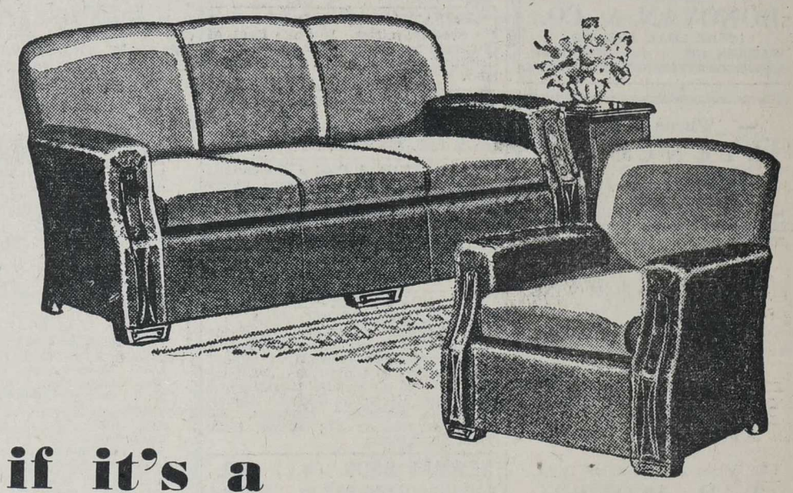
OTTAWA, Sept. 10.

The Minister of National War Service (Mr J. A. Gardiner) announces that 988,725 single men aged 19 to 45 have registered for military service, of whom 77,983 are in the 21-year class and will start training in October.

Two batches of 30,000 each will be called up before Christmas.

The figures did not include the 60,000 already enlisted for active service.



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DEATH OF RESIDENT OF OTANE

"Daily Mail" Special Service.
OTANE.

Mr John McKenzie, who died at the week-end at the Waipukurau Public Hospital, was very well known in and around Central Hawke's Bay, having lived in this district for many years.

A native of Queensland, Mr McKenzie, who was 61 years of age, came to New Zealand about 30 years ago, and was employed by Messrs. Kittow Bros., Mr Phil Ward and other well-known residents since returning from the 1914-18 war.

The funeral, which took place at the Otane cemetery, was conducted by the Rev. F. Robertson, of Waipawa, pall bearers being Messrs. P. Ward, P. Oram, S. Irwin, F. Minto, G. Thomas and G. Price.

Mr McKenzie had no relatives in New Zealand.

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BOWLERS MEET AT DANNEVIRKE

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An increase in membership and a strengthening of interest among younger bowlers, were reasons advanced by the president (Mr J. Campbell Carston) for the success of last season, when he presented his report at the annual meeting of the Dannevirke Bowling Club.

Mr C. P. Burkinshaw moved a vote of congratulation to the officers and committee upon the excellent state of the club's affairs.

Officers for the coming season were elected as follows: President Mr W. Howarth; vice-presidents, Messrs. A. C. Bibby and H. E. Young; auditor, Mr W. Dobson; hon. treasurer, Mr W. J. Woods; secretary, Mr J. E. Tyler; committee, Messrs. N. A. Gandell, F. Allardice, P. N. Hudson, W. G. Holloway, S. Petherick, and A. W. Boniface. Match committee, Messrs. S. Petherick and J. Register. Green committee, Messrs. W. Howarth, J. E. Tyler and C. F. Barker; sole selector, Mr S. Petherick. Delegates to the Manawatu centre, Messrs. J. A. Nash and H. E. Young. Greenkeeper, Mr E. Hicks.

R.S.A. MEETING AT WAIPAWA

New Committeeman Welcomed

"Daily Mail" Special Service.
WAIPAWA.

Before proceeding with the general business of the monthly committee meeting of the Waipawa and District branch of the R.S.A. held in Waipawa, the president (Mr H. T. Limbrick) referred with regret to the death of one of the branch members, Mr J. MacKenzie, of Te Kura, members standing in silence as a mark of respect.

The defence authorities advised that there was no intention at present of forming a National Military Reserve, Class II. Members expressed keen disappointment, as they feel that small, as well as large, centres should have equal opportunity to have their local companies.

The president welcomed a new committeeman from Ongaonga, Mr E. S. Bibby, and then made reference to the impending departure from Waipawa of Messrs H. Hawke and J. C. Clark. These two members have rendered good service to this association and will be greatly missed. Both carry with them the very best wishes of the committee in their new positions.

HAWKE'S BAY JOCKEY CLUB (Inc.)
SPRING MEETING.
to be held on the
HASTINGS RACECOURSE,

THURSDAY and SATURDAY
3rd and 5th. OCTOBER, 1940.
First Race Each Day at 12.30 p.m.

OFFICIALS:
President, G. D. Beatson; Handicapper, H. Coyle; Starter, L. G. Morris; Judge, W. P. Russell; Secretary, A. E. Wishart (telephone 2447; P.O. Box 13, Hastings).

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, OCT. 3, 1940.
1—HOLLYCOMBE HURDLES HANDICAP, of £110; second £20; third £10 from the stake. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. About 1½ miles.
2—IMPERIAL PLATE, of £100; second £15; third £5. For three-year-olds and upwards that have never won a flat race at a totalisator meeting at time of starting. Weight: three-year-olds 8st., four-year-olds and upwards, 8st. 7lbs. No allowances. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. 5½ furlongs.
3—HASTINGS STAKES, 1940, of £250; for two-year-olds; winner to receive £205, second £30, third £15. Colts and geldings 8st. 5lbs, fillies 8st. Forfeit of £1 due night of general entry of the H.B.J.C. Spring Meeting 23rd Sept. 1940). All entries left in after that date to pay full subscription of £2 10/-. (Entries closed). Four furlongs.
4—HASTINGS SPRING HANDICAP, of £150; second horse £20, third £10; Min. weight: 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1 10/-. One and a-quarter miles.
5—EPSOM HANDICAP, of £100; second £15; third £5. Gentlemen Riders. Min. weight: 10st. 7lbs. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. One and a-quarter Miles.
6—OTANE HACK HANDICAP, of £100; second £15; third £5. Min. weight: 7st. 7lbs. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.
7—HOMEWOOD FLYING HANDICAP, of £130; second £20, third £10. Min. weight: 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.

SECOND DAY,
SATURDAY, 5th OCTOBER, 1940.
1—TOMOANA HURDLES HANDICAP, of £110; second £20, third £10. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. About 1½ miles.
2—TRIAL STAKES, of £100; second £15, third £5. For three-year-olds and upwards that have never won a flat race at a totalisator meeting at time of starting. Weight: three-year-olds, 8st., four-year-olds and upwards, 8st. 7lb. No allowances. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.
3—JUVENILE HANDICAP, of £100; second £15, third £5; for two-year-olds. Min. weight: 7st. 7lbs. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Four furlongs.
4—H. A. RUSSELL MEMORIAL HANDICAP, of £150; second £20, third £10. Min. weight: 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1 10/-. One and a-quarter miles.
5—GLENARAY HACK HANDICAP, of £100; second £15; third £5. For apprentice riders only. Min. weight: 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. One and a-quarter miles.
6—FLAXMERE HACK HANDICAP, of £100; second £15; third £5. Min. weight: 7st. 7lbs. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.
7—FINAL HANDICAP, of £130; second £20, third £10. Min. weight: 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.
The winner of any race after declaration of weights may be re-handicapped.
Approved by H.B. District Committee, 7th August, 1940.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, ETC.
Nominations, Both Days: MONDAY, 23rd September, 1940, at 8 p.m.
Weights—First Day, Monday, 30th Sept. (Morning Papers).
Second Day—Thursday, 3rd. Oct. about 7 p.m. (at the Secretary's Office, Queen Street).
Acceptances—First Day—Tuesday, 1st. Oct., 1940, at 8 p.m.
Second Day—Thursday, 3rd Oct., 1940, at 8.30 p.m.
A. E. WISHART, Secretary, Box 13, Tel. 2447. Hastings.

Spitfire Fund At Waipawa

OPENING LIST

Donations To Borough Council

"Daily Mail" Special Service.
WAIPAWA.

Following are the first donations to the Spitfire Fund at Waipawa, for which a list has been opened at the Borough office:—

	£	s.	d.
Anonymous	10	0	0
Forbes McHardy	5	0	0
Douglas Nairn	2	2	0
Omakere Welfare Club ..	4	0	0
Omakere Football Club ..	1	0	0
R. Smith, "Te Manuiri" ..	1	0	0
J. McFarlane		10	0
Total	23	12	0

REAL MUSSOLINI A FACTION LEADER

NOT A TYPICAL ITALIAN

Villainous Campaign Recalled

The distinction between Mussolini and the Italian people ought always to be borne in mind (writes Mr Wickham Steed, former editor of "The Times"). He is not a typical Italian. He is a Romagnolo, a native of the anarchical province of Romagna, in north-east Italy, which, for nearly a thousand years, was perturbed by faction fights under faction leaders. Mussolini is a faction leader of the worst type. Let me explain.

In 1922, before the "March on Rome," Mussolini had been carrying on a villainous campaign against the Cardinal-Archbishop of Milan, whom he had attacked with vile abuse daily in the "Popolo d'Italia." The Cardinal's organ had replied vigorously. Then, one day, Mussolini had sent for the assistant editor of the "Popolo d'Italia," had shown him a neat little package, and had asked him to address it in his clear handwriting to the Cardinal-Archbishop. Mussolini explained that his own handwriting was almost illegible—which it is. When the package was addressed, Mussolini blotted the ink with a clean piece of blotting paper and instructed the assistant editor to have it sent to the Archbishop's palace by a public messenger. "I have had enough of this row with the Archbishop," Mussolini added, "so I bought him a present as a peace-offering."

Sensation Caused

Two hours later a sensation was caused by the announcement that the Cardinal-Archbishop's secretary had opened a package addressed to the Cardinal and had found in it a live bomb, which he had thrown out of the window. It had exploded in the courtyard, doing some damage, but fortunately injuring nobody. he police had traced the public messenger, who, however, could not say who had given him the package.

Thereupon, Mussolini's assistant editor rushing into Mussolini's room, exclaiming: "Was that your present to the Archbishop?" Mussolini opened a drawer, took out the clean piece of blotting paper, held it up, and answered, "Is that your handwriting? Shut up." Horrified, the assistant editor bolted from the office, but Mussolini managed to get the scandal hushed up.

In later years I verified this story in a quarter which knew all the details. It was confirmed in every particular.

ZOO'S RAT-CATCHER DEPARTS

A London Keeper

WAS A CHAMPION EXTERMINATOR

The London Zoo has lost the services of its champion rat-catcher, Keeper Arthur Hopper, who is to take up another appointment. Mr Hopper, who was one of the youngest men ever to be made a Zoo keeper, when he was appointed at the age of sixteen, in 1926, has accounted for more rats in the gardens than any keeper had previously done.

A year or two ago, when the Zoo was troubled by rats, Mr Hopper, who is an expert shot, was entrusted with the task of killing them. Several nights each week he made a round of the gardens, often with Spider, his terrier, and his gun. Occasionally he used a ferret.

Fifty a Night

The nightly "bag" was anything up to fifty rats, and the record reached a few years ago, was 80. Altogether Mr Hopper claims to have accounted for ten thousand rats as well as innumerable mice.

It will never be possible to banish rats completely from the Zoo, it is thought, for new specimens are continually finding their way into the grounds. Sometimes they enter from the neighbouring park, sometimes from coal barges which pass along Regent's Canal. Rats have a highly developed sense of smell, and when a barge rat finds itself passing this part of the waterways it can usually detect the presence of animal food in the Zoo, so it jumps or swims ashore.

WAR WORK INTERRUPTED!
Only two women turned up at the Soldiers' Comforts Circle . . . everyone had colds! "Why don't they take PULMONAS!" the Chairman said . . . "I always keep colds at bay with Pulmonas." Pulmonas give quick relief by inhalation . . . penetrating, antiseptic vapours penetrate deeply, relieve inflammation and coughing. Keep fit to do your bit. Avoid colds with Pulmonas. 1/-, 1/6, and 2/6. Chemists and Stores. 2.

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NEW BRIGHTON TROTS

Willowbank And Bush Laddie Well

FIELDS UNDER REVIEW

By "Moturoa"

The New Brighton Trotting Club's meeting, which was postponed on account of rain last week, is scheduled to take place to-day. The tracks are reported to have dried out fairly well but the going will again be on the easy side.

Much attention to-day will be given to form shown by many of the competitors who were seen in action at Addington last month. However, sight should not be lost of the fact that the New Brighton track is a grass one and the different conditions may not suit some of those who performed so well at the Metropolitan fixture.

Win-and-place betting will be used and the following may appeal to backers:—

Improvers' Handicap:—Pegasus Bay, Elite Ray, Diversion.

Belfast Handicap:—Gold Bar, Gold Pot, Jerry Parrish.

Seaview Handicap:—Willowbank, Three Tens, Coquette.

Harper Handicap:—Accountant, Wee Potts, Kenworthy.

Pacific Handicap:—MacGregor, Wainoni Girl, Superior Rank.

Spring Handicap:—Bush Laddie, Gyrate, Gracie Fields.

Wainoni Handicap:—Guncase, Sandusky, Gold Bank.

Electric Handicap..—Happy. Locanda, Rollalong, Mendel.

The following are the acceptances:—

12 noon—
IMPROVERS' HANDICAP, of £200; 3 min. 41sec. class; one mile and a-half.—Danzie Guy, Hamel Bey, Lady Ede, Mackscot, Native Ruler, Patch's Discovery, Pegasus Bay scr., Elite Rey, Manlan, Princess Beverley 12yds., George Arliss, Syntax 24yds., Diversion, Honeymoon 48yds., Hatrack, Mah Jong 60yds., Reward 72yds.

12.40 p.m.—
BELFAST HANDICAP, of £200; 2min. 56sec class; one mile and a-quarter.—Ben Wyvis, Bill Grattan, Brigadier, Bronze Eagle, Gentleman Jim, Gold Bar, Gold Pot, Heroic Prince, Jerry Parrish, Lord Brent, Purveyor, Shadow Son, Sister Polly, Storm Signal scr., Dancing Pirate, Gallant Chief, Imperial Boy, Zingarrie 12yds., Superior Rank 24yds.

1.25 p.m.—
SEAVIEW HANDICAP, of £220; 3min. 27sec. class; one mile and a-half.—Coquette, Great Blaze, Jovial, Lady Vasclyne, Mazaire, Mendel scr., Old Faithful, Rollalong, Willow Bank 12yds., Aldershot, Happy Locanda, Ned Worthy, Philario, Privateer, Three Tens 24yds., Worthy Need 36yds.

2.5 p.m.—
HARPER HANDICAP, of £400; 3min. 23sec. class; one mile and a-half.—Acuity, Cruiser, Great Don, Guncase, Palomar, Quest, Ringtrue, Waitaki Power scr., Accountant, Harold Guy, Nelson Eddy, Waipahi, Wee Potts 12yds, Kenworthy, Toorak, U. Scott 24yds., Ferry Post, Renown's Best 36yds.

2.45 p.m.—
PACIFIC HANDICAP, of £270; 4min. 43 sec. class; two miles.—Bay Flier, Black Art, Gay Lady, MacGregor, Pamelus, Robin Hyde, Superior Rank, Wainoni Girl scr., Huguenot, Idlealong, Lady Carol, Royal Surprise, Shadow Queen, Twenty Grand 12yds., Kilrea, King's Jubilee 36yds.

3.25 p.m.—
SPRING HANDICAP, of £250; 3min. 30 sec. class; one mile and a-half.—Amonos, Arapai, Bush Laddie, Native Huon, Parrish Guide, Shadeland scr., Dark Hazard, Escalado, Manna's Son 12yds., Blue Logan 24yds., Aristotle, Gracie Fields, Guy Hugo, Gyrate, Mohican, Tan John 36yds., Te Kahu, Timworthy 48 yds.

4.5 p.m.—
WAINONI HANDICAP, of £250; 2min. 14sec. class; one mile.—Cruiser, Gold Bank, Great Don, Labourman, Llewellyn's Pride, Loyal Pat, Mankind, Repeal, Ringtrue, Worthy Need scr., Carver Doone, Guncase, Kenworthy, Nell Grattan, Red Ranger, Sandusky, Waitaki Power, Wee Potts 12yds., Colonel Grattan 24yds.

4.45 p.m.—
ELECTRIC HANDICAP (in saddle), of £210; 2min. 16sec. class; one mile.—Aircraft, Mendel, Rollalong scr., Aldershot, Happy Locanda, Ned Worthy, Sports Review, Zincali 12yds., Southern Smile 24 yds., Palomar 36yds.

A LIKELY YOUNG HACK

BEAU COUREUR showed improving form at Awapuni last week and he was noticed finishing very fast just in behind the placed horses in the concluding event on Saturday. A three-year-old by Beau Pere from the Paladin mare Zarisee, Beau Coureur is a half-brother to Dollar Bill, Call Money and Free Gold and he was a winner at Tauherenikau last summer. It should not take him long to reach the winning list again. . . . "Moturoa."

SPLENDID ENTRIES AT MARTON

Hawke's Bay Horses Are Engaged

An increase from 134 last year to 142 this year is shown in the list of nominations for the Marton Jockey Club's spring meeting, which is to be held on Saturday of next week, September 21.

In the principal event, the Marton Handicap, run over nine furlongs, the entries total 15, and they include Siegmund, Homily, Royal Star II, Colonel Bogey and Aurora's Star. A similar number of nominations was received for the open sprint, the Railway Handicap, in which Taurangi, The Buzzer, Amigo, Footloose, Screen Star, Black Robe and Saxon Tor are included.

Sixteen two-year-olds figure in the Juvenile Handicap, and the hack races have been well supported, there being 22 in the Maiden Race, 21 in the hack sprint, 20 in the hack distance race, and 18 in the five furlong Farewell Hack Handicap.

Following is the list of nominations:

JUVENILE HANDICAP, of £110; four furlongs: Royce, Forsake, Par Avon, Retort, Bayadeer, Foreign Coin, Nisus, Fleche d'Or, Soutane, Premature, Sandy Bay, Interrum, High Tone, Gainscourt—Queenly colt, Prince Plato, Polario.

MAIDEN RACE, of £100; six furlongs: The Monarch, Vacation, Pillory, Gay Gipsy, King's Mark, Star Zone, Princess Merling, Taane Pango, Glen Donal, Distress Signal, Brown Fox, Aoronit, Social Credit, Goldgain, Lord Vegas, Fly-by-Night, Sweet Anne, Black Out, Rose Acre, Tea Lord, Locrain.

HACK HURDLES, of £130; about one mile and a-half: High Peer, War Lap, Sanguine King, Foxiana, Prinihia, Dorado, Parekura, Karere-nui, Golden Memory, Moonlight Bay, Haile Selassie, Raeburn, Brazil, Lacan, Larwood.

TUTAENUI HACK HANDICAP, of £120; six furlongs: Acrobat, Namesake, Eupatrid, Ringling, Gold Court, Viracious, Scandal, All Bunsby, Royal Fleet, Taiho, Little Margot, Lucullus Boy, Belle Cane, Waimutu, Silver Gift, Sanction Army Girl, Vaalsstar, Chandlery, Etla, Triple Crown.

RAILWAY HANDICAP, of £150; six furlongs: Heroic Maid, Footloose, Royal Star II, Sea Link, Taurangi, Royal Minstrel, The Buzzer, Colossal Chief, Nigger Boy, Screen Star, Black Robe, Gold Chase, Amigo, Saxon Tor, Solaria.

MARTON HANDICAP, of £200; nine furlongs: Siegmund, Homily, Noble Fox, Royal Star II, Colonel Bogey, War Lap, Viracious, Hasten, Dorado, Aurora's Star, Gaelic Song, Skyway, Winsome Lu, Meamea, Cherry Bay.

SPRING HACK HANDICAP, of £135; one and a-quarter miles: Arabic, Dynasty, Eupatrid, Gold Court, Boniden, Hasten, Kinkajou, Colibri, Foxiana, Goldgain, Stella Lux, Gold Bridge, All Quiet, Hirangi, Auto Sweep, Great Fair, Vaalstar, Sceptre, Beau Monde, Hokumai.

FAREWELL HACK HANDICAP, of £110; five furlongs: Kentucky, Namesake, Beau Coureur, Zest, Glen-Birnam, All Bunsby, Wings of Song, Taiho, Dark Eagle, Lady Govern, Lucullus Boy, Windsor Glow, Army Girl, Barry Boy, Royal Consort, Squeers, Pas de Cheval, Military Maid.

PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

1YA Auckland

6 a.m.-7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 7.30: Weather report. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 11.0: Talk by "Lorraine." 11.10: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news.
2.0: Recordings. 2.30: Classical hour. 3.30: Sports results. A.C.E. talk. 3.45: Light music. 4.0: Weather report. 4.30: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Winter course talk. 8.0: "Hard Cash." 8.15: "Wandering with the West Wind." 8.45: "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.10: Studio concert by the Auckland Watersiders' Silver Band. Interludes. 9.26: "Dad and Dave From Snake Gully." 9.15, 9.23 and 9.51: the Buccaneers Vocal Octet. 10.0: Dance music. 11.0: Daventry news.

2YA Wellington

6 a.m.-7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 7.30: Weather report. 9.30: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report. 9.30: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report. 10.10: Devotional service. Recordings. 10.45: "Speaking Personally: Our Friend the Dog." 11.0: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news.
1.0: Weather report. 1.30: Educational session. 2.30: Classical music. 3.0: Sports results. Recordings. 3.30: Weather report and frost forecast. 4.0: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. 6.25: Dinner music by Strings of the NBS Orchestra. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Topical war talks. 8.0: "Home Town Variety." Entertainment by N.Z. Artists. 8.35: "Evergreens of Jazz." 8.49: "Your Favourite Cinema Organist?" No. 2: Reginald Foort. 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.10: Eileen Clark (pianist). 9.21: Betty Capper (soprano). 9.31: The Salon Trio." 9.44: "Under the Stars and Stripes." 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: Daventry news.

3YA Christchurch

6 a.m.-7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 10.30: Devotional service, Recordings. 11.0: "Outdoors in Australia: The Platypus." 11.10: Recordings. 11.15: Book review. 11.30: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.30: Organ recital by C. Foster Browne.
2.0: Recordings. 2.30: A.C.E. talk. 3.0: Classical music. 4.0: Frost and weather forecast and light music. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.35: Talk: "Animal Breeding To-day." 8.0: "The Adventures of Marco Polo." 8.15: "The Mystery of Darrington Hall." 8.30: "Those We Love." 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.10: Dance music. 11.0: Daventry news.

4YA Dunedin

6 a.m.-7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 9.30: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report. Recordings. 10.15: Devotional service. 10.50: "Talk by a Biologist." 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news.
1.0: Weather report. 1.30: Educational session. 2.30: Recordings. 3.30: Sports results. Classical music. 4.0: Weather report and frost forecast. 4.30: Light music. 4.45: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Gardening talk. "Marriage of Figaro" overture (Mozart). 8.6: Florence Austral (soprano). 8.14: Concerto in E Flat Major (Mozart). 8.46: Florence Austral (soprano). 8.53: Scherzo "The Fair Day" (Hamilton Harty). 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.10: Symphony No. 5 in E Minor, Op. 64 (Tchaikovski). 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: Daventry news.

2YH Napier

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news.
11.0: Light music. 12.0 to 2 p.m.: Light music. 12.30 and 1.15: Daventry news.
5.0: Light music. 5.30: For the children: "Robin Hood." 5.45: Daventry news. 6.0: "Homestead on the Rise." 6.15: Light music. 6.45: Weather forecast. "Dad and Dave." 7.0: News. 7.15: After dinner music. 8.0: Frederick Grinke (violin) and Watson Forbes (viola). 8.14: Miliza Korjus (soprano). 8.23: The Menuhin-Eisenberg Trio. 8.49: Herbert Janssen (baritone). 8.54: Deman String Quartet. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.5 to 10.0: Light music.

Daventry

6.30 a.m.: Short Act of Worship. 7.0: Grenadier Guards Band. 7.30: BBC Theatre Orchestra. 10.0: R.A.F. Central Band. 11.30: Short Act of Worship. 11.45: "An American Looks at Britain."
12 noon: Talk, "Britain Speaks." 12.15 p.m.: Variety, Frances Day. 12.30: News commentary by A. G. Macdonnell. 12.45: "The Seven Against Thebes," from Aeschylus Tragedy. 2.30: Talk, "Matters of Moment." 2.45: John Tainsh (tenor). 2.5: "Pig Hooey," play from P. G. Wodehouse story. 3.35: Interlude. 3.45: Talk, "Britain Speaks." 4.27: Short Act of Worship.
5.0: "Everybody's Scrapbook." 6.30: Early English Songs, John Morel (baritone). 6.50: Rhythm on Reeds. 7.15: Talk, "Matters of Moment." 10.10: Schumann recital, Cyril Smith (piano). 11.45: Grenadier Guards Band.

Patangata Golf Club.—Owing to wet weather last Saturday the Patangata Ladies' Golf Club members were unable to continue their series of games, and the draw for Saturday, September 14, is the one postponed from September 7.

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The second attraction on the programme is "Battle of Broadway," a riotous comedy packed with a barrage of wisecracks, fun and full of uproarious situations. Victor McLaglen, Brian Donlevy and Louise Hovick head the cast, which includes Raymond Walburn, Lynn Bari, Jane Darwell and Robert Kellard.

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Zipping across the screen at breakneck speed in a whirlwind of action, drama and excitement, "Outside the 3-Mile Limit" screens finally to-day at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. Definitely one of the better films of the current season, the new thriller stars Jack Holt, and features such well-known personalities as Harry Carey Eduardo Ciannelli and Sig Rumann.

The story opens on board the palatial gambling ship owned by Eduardo Ciannelli. Because there has been a steady stream of spurious bills flowing from the ship, Holt has been assigned to investigate the source of the counterfeiters. After he has wormed his way into the position of "bouncer," another operative is discovered at the safe by Ciannelli and killed. Fearing the consequences of the murder of a Federal man, the floating casino puts to sea, and the captain, Harry Carey, takes charge and in a dramatic denouement Holt completes his mission.

The secret of Edgar Wallace's genius as an author rests upon his ability to couple story ingenuity with clarity and establish lifelike character versatility.

In "Mr. Reeder in Room 13," the second feature and one of his best sellers, both these qualities are successfully transferred to the screen. The story has the unexpected twists so essentially Edgar Wallace and the film ends with much excitement and no little humour to its credit.

The story briefly tells how Johnny Gray (Peter Murray Hill), a wealthy youth with a yearning for adventure, agrees with J. G. Reeder (Gibb McLaughlin) a wily enquiry agent for the Bank of England to deliberately secure a sentence of imprisonment in the hope of securing information that will lead to the apprehension of the secret head of a gang of banknote forgers. The success of his mission is attained only after much typical Edgar Wallace thrilling mystery.

State

"MY SON, MY SON" IS GREAT FILM

Louis Hayward, Brian Aherne Starred

An unforgettable story, brilliant performances, outstanding direction and a beautiful production make Edward Small's film version of Howard Spring's "My Son, My Son' one of the finest pictures of the year. This new film drama, which is being released by United Artists, commences screening at the State Theatre, Hastings, to-morrow.

"My Son, My Son!" has a brilliant array of stars in Madeleine Carroll, Brian Aherne and Louis Hayward, a trio who enhance the picture by down-to-earth, unforgettable acting. Others who give excellent performances include Henry Hull, one of the best contemporary actors, Josephine Hutchinson, Laraine Day, Sophie Stewart and Bruce Lester. With his usual skill for maintaining swift tempo and clear characterisation, Charles Vidor has directed "My Son, My Son!" with a remarkable sureness of touch and with unsurpassed clarity of insight.

The story is rich in emotional implications and everyday drama. It concerns a father and a son, and the high hopes that fail to materialise. William Essex's dreams for his son fade into thin air when he realises that Oliver is a vain and selfish young man, over sophisticated, insincere and cynical. Oliver realises almost too late that he has brought misery to the people who have surrounded him with love and understanding.

Golden-haired Madeleine Carroll, portraying the role of Livia Vaynol, has never turned in a screen characterisation to equal her present one in this picture; Brian Aherne and Louis Hayward, as William and Oliver respectively, play their parts with understanding and humanity which points up the story brilliantly, and the other members of the cast in the supporting roles make many notable contributions.

"My Son, My Son!" definitely belongs among the great pictures that from time to time come out of Hollywood to surprise the millions of moviegoers all over the world. It is a memorable screen accomplishment because for sheer entertainment it hasn't been—and it unlikely to be—surpassed in a long time to come.

Current Programme

The "Crazy Gang" comedy, "Frozen Limit," concludes its season today with "Free, Blonde and 21," featuring Lynn Bari.

Regent

"JUDGE HARDY AND SON"

Popular Family In A New Success

"Judge Hardy and Son" brings Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney and the rest of the entertaining Hardy Family to the Regent Theatre, Hastings, to-morrow in the eighth all-new adventures of the famous family. In the new story Mickey turns detective to help his father fight a foreclosure case; gets involved with three pretty girls with consequent trouble with his "regular" sweetheart, Ann Rutherford; turns hero to ferry Cecilia Parker across a raging flood to reach her sick mother's bedside; and inspires his father to new courage in an hour of tragedy. The new picture is laid entirely in the family's home town of Carvel.

There are poignant moments when the family fears the loss of the mother through illness. There are hilarious complications in Andy Hardy's life, and several tense dramatic moments in the life of the family.

George B. Seitz, who piloted all but one of the Hardy series, directed. Lewis Stone as the Judge and father, Mickey as Andy Hardy, Cecilia Parker as his sister, Fay Holden as the mother and Sara Haden as the aunt, with Ann Rutherford as Polly Benedict, Mickey's high school sweetheart, comprise the "regular" cast of the series. Mme. Maria Ouspenskaya, distinguished Russian actress who recently scored a hit in "The Rains Came," June Preisser, Henry Hull, Martha O'Driscoll, Margaret Early, Leona Maricle, Egon Becher, Edna Holland, George Breakston and Marie Blake are others in the case.

Thrills include the flood sequence and Mickey's adventures with his recalcitrant car. Comedy highlights include his involvement with three pretty girls at once and his struggles to extricate himself from the predicament.

Current Attraction

The brilliant comedy success, "French Without Tears," featuring Ray Milland and Ellen Drew, concludes to-day.

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TO-MORROW! (FRIDAY)

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EARLY POHUTUKAWAS SEEN

Novel Buttonhole Worn

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The "New Zealand Tablet" stigmatises as "despictable propaganda" the statement, attributed to the Berlin News Agency, that the German Catholic Bishops have decided that special ceremonies of gratitude to the German troops and of loyalty to Hitler will be arranged after the final German victory; and that the bishops expressed their own thanks for the German soldiers' victorious advance in defence of the homeland.

Regent

THRILLING STORY OF SUBMARINES

Conrad Veidt In "U-Boat 29"

The headlines come to flaming life at the Regent Theatre, Napier, to-morrow, with Columbia's "U-Boat 29" providing in vivid actuality a picture of wartime England desperately battling enemy spies and submarines. Stirringly dramatic as "U-Boat 29" is, the new film is as remarkable for its vivid character studies as it is for its action-tense narrative and breath-takingly beautiful scenic shots.

With Conrad Veidt, Valerie Hobson and Sebastian Shaw featured, "U-Boat 29" is a story of world-wide significance, told, for the most part, in an out-of-the-way part of the world and concerned with only three major characters. Veidt is seen as an enemy submarine commander who leaves his home port under sealed orders, only to learn that he must make contact with a young schoolmistress on one of the lonely Orkney Islands, to the north of the Scottish coast. She will have for him information of British fleet manoeuvres and he will thus be enabled to score a major victory over his foe. Safely arrived in enemy territory, Veidt locates the girl, and through her is introduced to a renegade British naval officer.

It is not until he believes that his mission is successful, that he need only return to his undersea and transmit his secret knowledge to others of his fleet that Veidt suddenly discovers he has been dealing with British counter-espionage agents. Aware that the information which had been given him was misleading, Veidt attempts to escape to his boat but is forestalled.

In the garb of an English clergyman, he boards a Scottish coastal vessel and with it goes to his grave when the vessel is torpedoed by his own submarine.

Current Attraction

"I don't want my baby to be born a Nazi!" An anguished cry from the depths of a woman's heart . . . a woman who wanted babies, yes, but not babies to become part of the war-machine of a power-crazed dictator. This dramatic outburst occurs in "Hitler—Beast of Berlin," the most amazing motion picture of all time, which is now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier.

Mayfair

GEORGE O'BRIEN IN "GUN LAW"

With "Hitting A New High"

A thrilling story of romance and adventure on the old Arizona frontier, "Gun Law" is now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier. George O'Brien, a United States marshal, is assigned to investigate a series of stage coach hold-ups in and near the cattle town of Gunsight.

A romance with a preacher's daughter, a stage coach hold-up that O'Brien successfully circumvents, a memorable rough-and-tumble fight with two husky bandits and a thrilling gun battle and an attempted lynching are a few of the highlights that make "Gun Law" what is said to be one of the year's more notable outdoor entertainments.

A glorious singing star, four master mirth-makers and a prince of romance top the harmony and hilarity heights in R.K.O.'s "Hitting a New High" in which the singing divinity of opera, radio and screen, Lily Pons, smashes to greater triumphs. The comedy king, Jack Oakie, is co-starred with the world's greatest singing star in this delightful, delirious melody romance, while such favourites as Eric Blore, Edward Everett Horton, Luis Alberni and John Howard appear in support.

State

DRAMA OF THE COAL MINES

A. J. Cronin's "The Stars Look Down"

There can be few who have not read or, at least, heard of the popular story "The Stars Look Down," by Dr. A. J. Cronin. This grand story of the coal-mining industry and of the men who toil and sweat below the ground, made Cronin's reputation. This story has now been filmed, and, if anything, has been strengthened by its adaptation to the screen. Certain it is that no British picture has ever been made with a finer cast or with more realistic spectacle and tense drama than "The Stars Look Down," which opens to-morrow at the State Theatre, Napier.

This G.B.D. attraction co-stars Michael Redgrave, Margaret Lockwood and Emlyn Williams, three names that make the strongest co-starring team it is possible to obtain. Supporting these three are Nancy Price, Edward Rigby, Allan Jeayes, Linden Travers, Cecil Parker, Milton Rosmer and George Carney.

The greatest care was taken to capture the atmosphere of a typical mining village, and for this purpose the whole unit spent several days in the town of Workington when background scenes were shot. Realism is the keynote of the whole production, and it is this very ability to transport the audience into the life of this mining village and enable them to share the fears and hopes of the miners that does much to make the film the gripping drama it is.

The story, as is generally known, deals with the hopes and aspirations of a studious young miner, David Fenwick, who sacrifices his ambitions for pretty, shallow little Jenny Sunley, who lets him down in preference for the unscrupulous self-made Joe Gowlan. This human drama is being played out whilst the mine itself and its impending disaster looms in the background throughout the whole film. The climax is one of the most impressive scenes ever brought to the screen.

Current Programme

The power of one of to-day's great novels finds its full scope on the screen in Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "The Rains Came," the sensationally successful best-seller by Louis Bromfield, which is now showing at the State Theatre, Napier, with Myrna Loy, Tyrone Power and George Brent sharing stellar honours.

"Free, Blonde and 21"—on her own and in a dither about love—and so are all the brunettes and redheads at the swank Sherrington hotel for women in the 20th Century-Fox film which is the second feature on the programme.

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His close pal is "Mac" the grandson of a Governor of the Yukon in the days of the Klondyke gold rush. "Mac" managed a winning "rose bowl" team in the premier inter-collegiate football match in Canada. While still at college he bought an old freighter. With some fellow students and one experienced seaman, he sailed it on a nightmare journey to Japan, where he sold it for scrap. Two days after the war broke out he left Montreal. He was in Air Force blue a month later.

A regular visitor is a tall, lithe Australian who looks every inch the athlete he is. Friend of Don Bradman, he was running professionally in Britain last summer, and he "just stayed on to see this thing through."

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These are especially simple to make. The outside part is crocheted in ordinary string purchased from any merchant store, the price per ball being about 3/-, and this is sufficient to crochet seven gloves. The lining is either crocheted in wool or made from woollen material.

These directions are very simple and from them can be made an excellent glove. Use a steel or bone crochet hook, No. 9. Make a chain of 53 stitches, join and do double crochet into each stitch loosely for 10 rows.

Join the string for the thumb, taking 19 stitches, and do seven or eight rows. The row before the last, take two stitches together and then crochet three stitches, then two together, and so on all round. The last row do just single crochet and finish off.

Join for the hand (no knots) and do double crochet for 10 rows, then take two stitches together, crochet three stitches, then two together, and so on all the way round. In the last row just do single crochet and join.

For the lining either repeat the above, only using a larger bone needle and wool, or else make a lining of woollen material in the shape of the glove.

Slots may be made in the string glove for a cord or a thread, or elastic may be threaded through to keep the gloves firmly on the hand.

Attractive Havelock North Wedding

Miss Marjorie Gillies And Dr G. Scholefield Married

Last Evening

Two Bridesmaids Wear Cupid Blue Chiffon Gowns

The most beautiful flowers, pink and white camellias, spirea, flowering currant and tree tulips looked very colourful and attractive in St. Luke's Church, Havelock North, last evening, for the wedding of Marjorie Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. D. Gillies, "Anawai," Havelock North and Gavin Lindsay, younger son of Dr. and Mrs Guy H. Scholefield, Highland Park, Wellington.

The Rev. S. F. N. Waymouth officiated at the ceremony and very fine organ music was played by Mr Richard Warwick.

The bride looked dainty and most attractive when she entered the church escorted by her father and followed by two bridesmaids. Her beautiful wedding gown was fashioned of heavy cream satin-finished brocade with small leaf design. Fashioned on very simple lines the corsage was slightly shirred in front and had a high neckline with covered buttons at the back and long sleeves cut very full at the shoulders. The skirt was very fitting and swept into a long and graceful train. She wore a veil of tulle edged with delicate embroidery which fell from a topknot of orange blossom and lily of the valley to form a second train. Her only ornament was a lovely pearl-studded star pendant and she carried a shower bouquet of cream hyacinths, freesias, camellias and rosebuds with maidenhair fern.

Very attractive gowns of cupid blue chiffon were worn by the two bridesmaids, the Misses Joyce Coop (chief), and Eila Scholefield, the bridegroom's sister. Their gowns, mounted on matching blue taffeta, were fashioned alike on princess lines with softly shirred corsage, heart shaped neckline and softly swathed sleeves. The skirt, very fitting at the waist was fully flared towards the hemline. Each maid wore a head spray of grape hyacinths and mauve tulips and carried a shower bouquet in blue, mauve and fuchsia shades with grape hyacinths, irises, tulips and maidenhair fern.

Dr. Peter Powles, Wellington, was the best man and ushers at the church were Messrs John Palmer and Piet van Asch.

Tall bowls of the most beautiful vivid pink flowering blossom looked most attractive in the lounge of the Hastings Women's Service Club where the wedding reception was held. The guests were received by Mr and Mrs A. D. Gillies, assisted by Dr. and Mrs Guy Scholefield, and then passed on to wish the bride and bridegroom very much happiness.

Mrs Gillies wore a model gown of deepest ocean blue moire taffeta with swathed corsage and long sleeves full at the shoulders. She wore a matching taffeta toque with wing bow in front, a cape of squirrel fur and carried a bouquet in blue and petunia shades.

Mrs Scholefield chose a gown and matching coatee of hyacinth blue mariette with trimming of fine tucks. She wore a musquash cape and smart navy straw hat with a hyacinth blue plume in front. Her bouquet was in fuchsia and blue shades.

During the wedding breakfast the toast to the bride and bridegroom was most humorously proposed by Mr R. D. Brown, a very old friend of both.

Later in the evening when Dr and Mrs Gavin Scholefield left for their honeymoon, Mrs Scholefield travelled in a model ensemble with smart frock of burgundy mariette having a tucked bodice and a tailored coat of Chinese blue fine wool. Her smart little straw hat was in the same shade of Chinese blue and her shoes, gloves and hand bag were in burgundy shade.

Dr and Mrs Scholefield will make their home in Wellington and Dr. Scholefield, who has joined the New Zealand Medical Corps, will enter camp in about a fortnight's time.

BARNARDO HELPERS' LEAGUE

Travelling Secretary Visiting Hastings At Present

An interesting English visitor at present in Hastings is Mrs V. Dutton, who has recently been appointed travelling secretary for the Barnardo Helpers' League in the North Island.

Mrs Dutton arrived recently from England and though her headquarters are in Wellington she has decided to begin her tour of the schools in Hastings and she will spend several weeks in the district.

During this time the travelling secretary will lecture to the school children and encourage them to become members of the Barnardo Helpers' League.

When discussing the league, Mrs Dutton said how essential it was to have continued support because funds were needed more urgently than ever before and that the peacetime activities had been very considerably increased since the war commenced.

She said that in peace time an average of five children were admitted to Dr Barnardo's Homes every day, but in the first 12 months of the war an extra 150 children, those whose fathers had been killed at the war, were admitted. It was, therefore, very obvious how badly the extra funds were needed.

It is hardly necessary to stress the wonderful work done in Dr Barnardo's Homes. No destitute child is ever refused admission, while crippled, blind, deaf and dumb, delicate and incurable children are all made welcome and every possible effort is made either to bring about a cure or to help the children to make the very most of the gifts which they possess.

The wonderful cures achieved and unceasing help given should fill every person with a desire to help even if in some very small way. Annual subscriptions are very small, only a shilling for junior members and 2/6 for senior members, while a cot in a hospital home may be supported for the annual sum of £50.

Mrs Dutton is most anxious that all who are interested should support this wonderful work about which she is so enthusiastic. She would gladly give any information possible and may be rung at telephone number 3027, Hastings.

RED CROSS LOCAL FUNDS NEEDED

Annual Street Collection On Friday Next

As is already known, the St. John Ambulance Association and the Red Cross Society work side by side and are very firmly linked together in Hastings, but perhaps it is not realised that this connection is quite unique in New Zealand.

The connection was brought about by two very fine former chairmen, the late Mr Wally Wood of the St. John Ambulance Association and the late Mr Selwyn Averill of the Red Cross Society. These two men worked to link the two bodies, realising how splendidly the work could be carried on jointly.

In memory of these two men it has been decided to have a joint street collection on Friday to raise funds for local work.

With so much thought being given to the recent joint appeal for the Sick and Wounded Fund, it has, possibly, been somewhat overlooked that the joint societies have their peacetime work as well as their war effort, and to carry on with this equally splendid work there must be funds to hand.

Among the many different kinds of peacetime work one of the most important is the training and equipping of the V.A.D.'s and Ambulance men, and already a request has been made for a certain number of V.A.D.'s from this district to be ready to go to the Waiuru Hospital when completed.

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Five o'Clock Gossip

Mrs M. Edwards, Wellington, is visiting Napier as the guest of Mr and Mrs T. Higgins, Marine Parade.

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Mr and Mrs J. Crawford-Smith, Gisborne, and their two children, are visiting Napier and are the guests of Mrs H. Crawford-Smith, Goldsmith Road.

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Mrs M. Fuller was a Wellington visitor to Napier for the wedding of her brother, Mr L. B. Quirke, to Miss M. R. Luke, which took place yesterday.

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Miss P. Pole, Christchurch, is spending a holiday with her sister, Mrs H. S. Robinson, Hastings.

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Miss Joan Hennah, who has been spending her vacation in Hastings with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. Hennah, Market Street, has returned to Christchurch.

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Afternoon In Hastings

All who were present at the meeting of the music circle of the Hastings Women's Community Club, held yesterday afternoon, pronounced the gathering a most pleasurable one with a very enjoyable programme.

The club lounge was especially gay with tall vases of tree tulips and yellow blossom and others of flowering currant and arum lilies while float bowls of tulips stood on the small tables.

The leader of the music circle, Mrs W. T. Drake, announced that Mrs F. S. Budd had very kindly arranged the programme. The club president, Mrs T. H. Lowry, presented very attractive shoulder sprays, made by Mrs J. Wright, to the performers, Mrs H. B. Poppelwell, Mrs R. W. Richardson, Miss Aira Hewitson, and Mrs C. McCombe, whose small pupil, Brian Harris, gave elocutionary items.

The following was the programme:—

Vocal solos, "I Heard You Go By," "Down Here" and "Trees," by Mrs H. B. Poppelwell.

Elocutionary items, "Joan of Arc" (Mark Twain), "The Hindu's Paradise," "The Doom of Stephanus" and "Mrs 'Arris," by Miss Aira Hewitson.

Vocal solos, "Five Eyes," "Spring Comes Dancing," "I Heard You Singing" and "Country Folk," by Mrs R. W. Richardson.

Elocutionary items, "Girls," "Those Pants That Mother Made," "What's It For," "Just Seven" and "Willie's Hearing," by Brian Harris.

Mrs F. S. Budd played some pianoforte selections which were enjoyed and also capably accompanied the vocalists.

All the items gave very great pleasure and the performers were very heartily thanked for their contribution to a very delightful afternoon.

In between the items a most tempting afternoon tea was enjoyed.

During the afternoon the president of the club, Mrs T. H. Lowry, drew the attention of all present to the beautiful collection of goods to be forwarded from the club for the Lady Galway Patriotic Guild. These clothes for refugee children in England were most perfectly made and included frocks and undies in every size and all most attractive, the club having supplied all materials and members having sewed them either at the club's Friday sewing circle or in their own homes.

Mrs Lowry reminded members of the special garden circle meeting next Wednesday and of the short general meeting to be held on October 2.

Among those present were: Mrs T. H. Lowry, Mrs F. S. Budd, Mrs W. T. Drake, Mrs H. Lovell-Smith, Mrs J. Wright, Mrs A. J. Foot, Mrs Donald Robertson, Mrs H. S. Robinson, Mrs C. G. Wilkinson, Mrs O. H. Moller, Mrs J. W. Satchell, Mrs E. V. Simpson, Mrs C. Duff, Mrs E. M. Marshall, Miss A. Seal, Mrs Gordon Roach, Miss Hall, Mrs B. Shadbolt, Mrs J. Craig, Mrs H. I. Simson, Miss P. H. Commin, Mrs A. E. O'Meara, Mrs C. A. Hendry, Mrs Rees Davies, Mrs Dyer, Mrs D. Drummond, Dr Elizabeth Gunn, Miss A. Evans, Mrs H. B. Poppelwell, Miss Aira Hewitson, Mrs T. Arkens, Mrs R. W. Richardson, Mrs V. Dutton, Miss P. Pole (Christchurch).

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SAVAGE CLUB ENTERTAINS AT NAPIER

ANNUAL LADIES' NIGHT

The Foresters' Hall, Napier, was en fete last evening when members of the Napier Savage Club held their final evening for the year. This took the form of a "Ladies' Night," and a very entertaining programme of music, songs, orchestral numbers, and a spice of humour, for which the Savages are well known, was much enjoyed.

The stage was beautifully decorated with masses of gaily-coloured cyclamen, cinerarias and tropical foliage, and prior to the start of the programme Chief Savage M. S. Spence extended a welcome.

During the evening the Chief Savage, on behalf of the club, presented Mrs E. G. Stevenson with a gold wristlet watch for her husband, Mr Stevenson, who has for many years been a valued member of the club, his fine tenor voice always being a great asset at the club concerts. He has now left Napier to join the Air Force.

At the conclusion of the concert programme a buffet supper was much enjoyed and dancing was kept up until a late hour.

The following programme was given: "The King"; orchestra selection, March from "Aida"; community sing, "The Army, the Navy and the Air Force"; song, "Red Devon by the Sea," Savage Mackie; stories, Savage L. B. Fleming; piano solo, "Fantasia Impromptu" (Chopin), Savage A. Pacey; song, "Harlequin" (Sanderson), Savage H. C. Gregory; character sketch, Savage S. P. Spiller; instrumental trio, Savages Hay, Drummond and Foster; choir, song, "The Road to the Isles"; violin solo, Mr De Rose; song, "There Will Always Be An England," Savage Poynter; orchestral selection.

Amongst those present were :Mr and Mrs A. E. Bedford, Mr and Mrs H. Newton, Mr and Mrs J. Drummond, Mr and Mrs A. Pacey, Mr and Mrs G. Peake, Mr and Mrs H. Pullen-Burry (Wellington), Mr and Mrs S. P. Spiller, Mr and Mrs T. H. Ringland, Mr and Mrs H. Peters, Mr and Mrs H. J. Hill, Mr and Mrs R. N. McNiven, Mr and Mrs W. Painter, Mr and Mrs I. S. Bingham, Mr and Mrs H. L. Harston, Mr and Mrs H. J. Down, Mr and Mrs E. C. Pirie, Mr and Mrs H. L. Benjamin (Havelock North), Mr and Mrs C. V. Marshall, Mr and Mrs W. T. Dobson, Mr and Mrs H. R. Dockery, Mr and Mrs H. F. Forster, Mr and Mrs S. J. Rayment, Mr and Mrs K. O'Halloran, Mr and Mrs G. Cooke, Mr and Mrs C. A. Beaufort, Mr and Mrs A. J. Anderson, Mr and Mrs Ruddenklau, Mr and Mrs A. Mackie, Mr and Mrs A. R. Wood, Mr and Mrs E. Wiig, Mr and Mrs Nimon (Havelock North), Mr and Mrs P. J. Sweetapple, Mr and Mrs H. C. Gregory, Mr and Mrs A. E. Renouf, Mr and Mrs K. Bryant, Mr and Mrs H. Wardell-Johnson, Mr and Mrs A. McCartney, Mr and Mrs H. Wilson, Mr and Mrs C. Findlay, Mr and Mrs W. P. Newton, Mr and Mrs J. Ramage, Lieutenant and Mrs Duncan, Dr and Mrs R. I. Sutton, Mr and Mrs W. H. Shearer, Mr and Mrs P. W. Tombs, Mr and Mrs L. S. McClurg, Mr and Mrs E. Prentice, Mr and Mrs H. Tonkin, Mr and Mrs J. D. McKinley, Mr and Mrs R. Newman, Mr and Mrs W. Harvey, Mr and Mrs K. Boswell, Mr and Mrs H. Faulknor, Mr and Mrs R. Holt.

Mesdames F. G. Smith, H. A. Pidduck (Wairoa), Mrs A. Dallimore, M. Spriggs, E. G. Stevenson, A. M. Perry, W. Forsythe.

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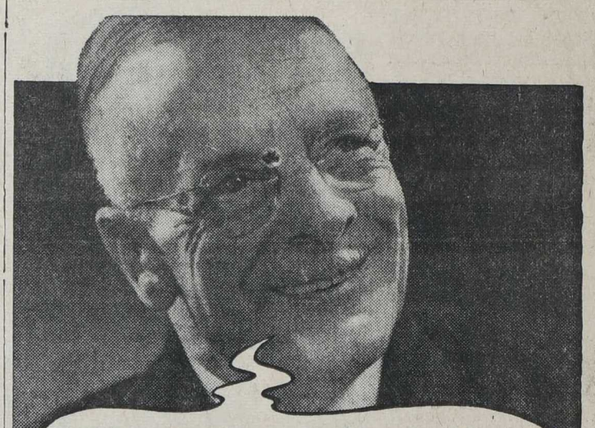

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A FIRM TO IMPROVED BEEF MARKET

Store Cattle Offered To A Rising Demand

STORTFORD LODGE SALE

An offering of 180 head of fat cattle met a market fully firm to improved on last week's rates at Stortford Lodge yesterday, when there was ready competition for all good entries. The average standard of the yarding was good, there being an attractive range of quality stock for butchers to fill their requirements, and the demand was well maintained.

The season's largest yarding of store cattle—1500 head—came on to a rising market yesterday, with a ready demand apparent for all quality sorts. Quite a number of useful lines were included in the offering and in all such cases there was a brisk tone about the selling.

Wether hoggets again comprised a major portion of the store sheep yarding and these eased off a little from last week's rates. Ewe hoggets sold readily where quality was apparent, and useful lines of ewes with lambs at foot were very evidently wanted at good prices.

The best quality offering of beef in many sales came forward in the fat cattle pens yesterday when a Manawatu source contributed a total of six heavy-weight Shorthorn bullocks, a big framed draft in great order, which sold at prices from £18 17/6 to £20 7/6. Other good entries of bullocks made £14 17/6 to £15 17/6 with medium pens from £13 12/6.

The top price for female cattle was £14 17/6, paid for a single outstanding cow, which formed part of a draft from Woodville. Other prime cows made £11 7/6 to £12 2/6; good medium weight entries sold at £9 12/6 to £10 12/6. The heifer pens made £11 17/6 to £13 2/6 for the tops; good heifers made £10 17/6 to £11 17/6 with small young heifers at £7 7/6 to £9 17/6.

Forward four-year bullocks in the store pens made £10 12/- to £11, at as much as £1 a head dearer than on recent markets. Three year steers were similarly dearer at £9 12/- to £10 2/-; two-year-olds made £5 17/6 to £7 5/-, with good yearlings at £5 9/- to £5 16/-.

Yearling heifers made £3 2/- to £4, two-year brought £5 to £5 16/-, and three year made £5 15/- to £6 10/-. Empty cows for fattening were dearer at £5 15/- to £6 14/-.

In the store sheep pens aged ewes with lambs at foot made 17/4 to 17/6; a good line sold at 18/2. The first pen of wether hoggets offered topped the sale at 25/7, after which the demand was easier for prices to range from 22/- to 24/9. Good ewe hoggets sold at 30/9, with plain and light pens around the 22/- mark.

Some of the realisations were:

Fat Cattle

In on account of Mr J. Barker 5 nicely framed prime finished P.A. bullocks, described as having been hay-fed during the winter and in sound order brought £13 12/6 to £14 17/6. Two further pens of these bullocks, from medium to well-framed and in prime order brought £12 7/6 to £15 17/6.

A line of medium framed P.A. cows, medium to well finished, sold at £10 2/6 to £10 17/6 for the tops; a pen of 5 medium grown Hereford heifers, on account of Mr W. C. Pilmer, Gisborne, finished and carrying good condition, brought £11 7/6 to £11 17/6, with a very light P.A. heifer at £6 17/6.

In another pen of 5 prime conditioned cows and heifers, in finished order a single Hereford heifer brought £11 17/6; a P.A. heifer made £10 17/6 and 3 prime P.A. cows sold at £11 12/6 to £12 2/6.

A light conditioned line of 5 unfinished Hereford heifers passed in at £6 15/-; similar plain, light P.A. heifers, not finished, were passed in at £7.

On account of the Estate of James Tod a single nicely framed P.A. bullock finished and in prime order, sold at £14 17/6; the same price was paid for a good Hereford, with a medium framed entry at £13 2/6.

Down from Gisborne, and in good order after a week in the district, a pen of Hereford cows sold at £10 17/6 to £11 17/6. Another line from the same place sold at £10 12/6 to £11 2/6.

A single well framed cow in exceptional order, a heavyweight beast carrying great condition, sold at £14 17/6; medium framed cows in the same pen, prime finished made £10 17/6 to £11 17/6, with a single heifer at £11 17/6. These cattle were offered on account of the Holden Estate, Woodville.

A line of P.A. cows, mixed in size but medium to well-finished, ranged from £9 7/6 to £12 17/6.

In from Fernhill on account of Mr E. Lambe a draft of Hereford and A. A. heifers, small grown but prime young beef made £9 12/6 to £9 17/6 for the tops. Two further pens of similar young A.A. beef, averaging out rather lighter, made £7 7/6 to £9 12/6.

An exceptional quality pen of 3 big-framed Shorthorn cross bullocks, prime finished and carrying great weights of meat sold at £20 7/6, £19 12/6 and £19 7/6. These cattle represented the best quality to come forward in months and were in from the Manawatu.

From the same consignment 3 similar heavy weight Shorthorn bullocks carrying great condition sold at £18 17/6 to £19 12/6.

STORE CATTLE

In from Atua Station 40 clean-bred A.A. steers, three-year-olds fairly grown and in good doing order sold at £10 2/-. A run-out of 41 steers in similar order sold at £9 12/-.

A Ridgemount Station offering of 61 nicely-grown yearling A.A. steers having been well wintered and in useful order, being hardy, sold at £5 10/-.

From Bay View, 44 yearling A.A. steers, not clean bred and in light to medium order, made £4 12/6.

On account of Atua Station, 50 well-grown yearling A.A. steers, showing breeding, well wintered realised £5 16/-.

From the Wairoa district 70 well-framed empty A.A.-Hereford cross cows in good store order made £5 15/-.

On account of the Ridgemount Station, 55 well-grown dehorned four-year Hereford bullocks, in good condition, sold at £11.

From Ridgemount, 14 empty, fair-framed A.A. cows, in medium order, sold at £5 17/6.

Down from Tangoio 38 two-year dehorned Hereford steers, small to medium grown and in medium store order sold at £6 11/-.

From the same property the blacks drafted out of the previous line, in similar order and should come away well enough, brought £6 12/-. There were 40 in the pen.

On account of Mr E. D. Hoit a line of 22 fairly-framed empty A.A. cows in light to improved order for fattening sold at £6.

In from Spring Bush 21 empty A.A. cows in medium to good store condition, a sound fattening proposition, made £6 14/-.

Down by rail from Nuhaka 12 fairly grown yearling A.A. steers in medium store order sold at £4 15/-.

On account of Ridgemount Station a line of 25 well-framed A.A. cross bullocks, four-year-olds in forward store order, being a line which should grow on well, brought £11 to equal the top price.

Again on account of Mr E. D. Holt a line of 23 two-year A.A. heifers, fairly grown cattle, empty and in medium store order, sold at £5 10/-.

Off Tangoio country 26 small grown yearling heifers in good doing order realised £3 2/-.

A draft of yearling steers, 33 in number, fairly grown but in only medium store order with a proportion of better sorts in the line, made £4 12/6.

In from Poporangi Station 25 medium to well-grown A.A. bullocks in hardy order off high country made £10 12/6.

An offering of well-grown empty two-year A.A. heifers sold at £5 16/-; a pen of young, medium framed A.A. cows in calf to A.A. bulls sold at £5 7/-.

STORE SHEEP

Down from Opapa on account of Mr I. Wallace 163 well-grown wether hoggets in forward store order sold at 25/7.

On account of Te Mata farm 142 ewe hoggets, a straight line with one ear mark, well-grown sheep carrying plenty of useful condition, sold at 30/9.

An attractive line of 198 wether hoggets, nicely grown and in useful order, being healthy and bright, were put by at 24/9.

An Olrig-bred line of 52 ewe hoggets fairly-grown sheep showing good condition with a proportion somewhat mixed in size made 28/6.

On account of Mr C. G. Nestor Bayliss a line of 80 ewes with 88 good lambs at foot, the pen being quite a useful proposition, realised 17/4.

A light line of 95 wether hoggets, lacking somewhat in condition, was passed in at 21/6, which was 1/6 below the reserve. A further line of ewes with lambs at foot in useful order sold at 17/5. There were 80 ewes with 83 lambs, and the offering was again on account of Mr Nestor Bayliss.

A pen of 103 wether hoggets, nicely grown sheep carrying good store condition and healthy, sold at 24/3. A lighter line of 77 wether hoggets in fair order made 22/-.

An entry of 80 ewes with 81 lambs at foot brought 18/2, and a good conditioned offering of 9 ewes with lambs at foot brought 22/3.

FAT SHEEP

A very much smaller offering of fat sheep confronted buyers yesterday when the total of some 200 head was the lightest yarded for a long time. This fact did not appear to have any effect on the market, which maintained the easier tone shown last week.

Single fat 2-th and 6-th ewes made 32/4 and 32/7 respectively; lighter sorts brought 25/- to 26/10, and plain, light ewes made 20/- to 22/4. The tops were good prime sorts at 30/10 to 33/10.

The tops of the wethers were mainly single entries at 31/4 to 35/3; others made from 25/1 to 28/1. Hoggets were in short supply at 26/7 to 28/1.

Apt reference to the resolution of the British people in wartime as expressed by the Prime Minister, Mr Churchill, was made by Mr H. Tai Mitchell when making a presentation to Mr C. E. MacCormick, chief judge of the Native Land Court, at Auckland. In handing over a carved patu, Mr Mitchell said the carvers had sought to depict Mr Churchill "breathing defiance to the foe." He also said the Arawa carvers were working on a swagger-stick which was to be sent to the High Commissioner at London, Mr W. J. Jordan, to be presented to Mr Churchill. "The carving will represent the strength and man-power of Britain to-day," aded Mr Mitchell.

Stortford Lodge Quotations

BROKERS' REPORTS

Realisations At Stock Sale Yesterday

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

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One fat bullock £20/7/6, 1 £19 12/6, 1 £19/7/6, 1 £19/12/6, 1 £19 12/6, 1 £18/17/6, 2 fat cows £9/2/6, 44 P.A. steers £4/12/6, 18 yearling steers £4/19/-, 8 £3/6/-, 26 yearling heifers £3/2/-, 9 £2/7/-, 16 store cows £4/17/6, 2 £4/8/-, 4 £4/10/-, 8 3-yr. heifers £6/10/- 80 ewes and 83 lambs (all counted) 17/5, 83 ewes and 84 lambs (all counted) 17/6, 80 ewes and 81 lambs (all counted) 18/2, 80 ewes and 89 lambs (all counted) 17/4, 105 wether hoggets 22/9, 58 23/6, 39 17/10, 51 ewe hoggets 18/10, 20 2-th. wethers 22/6, 9 store ewes 9/3, 7 fat wethers 31/4, 8 28/7, 4 fat hoggets 28/1.

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Two fat bullocks £14/17/6, 2 £14 12/6, 1 £11/7/6, 2 £12/7/6, 2 £12/2/6, 1 £10/17/6, 3 £11/12/6, 1 £9/17/6, 2 £11/12/6, 2 £14/12/6, 4 £13/12/6, 2 £12/12/6, 2 £11/12/6, 1 fat heifer £9/12/6, 2 £8/17/6, 2 £9/17/6, 2 £9 12/6, 1 £8/12/6, 1 £9/12/6, 2 £7/7/6, 1 £7/17/6, 1 £8/2/6, 1 £7/7/6, 3 £8 2/6, 1 fat cow £8/17/6, 1 £8/7/6, 1 fat Jersey cow £7/17/6, 1 £7/2/6, 1 £6/12/6, 1 £5, 22 empty P.A. cows £6, 23 empty P.A. heifers £5/10/-, 16 yearling P.A. heifers £4, 5 yearling P.A. steers £5/9/-, 3 yearling heifers £2/17/6.

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6 fat ewes 30/10, 7 at 25/1, 11 at 33/10, 9 at 31/4, 11 at 32/7, 11 at 28/4, 8 at 28/7, 28 fat wethers 31/4, 13 at 25/10, 37 at 25/1, 5 fat hoggets 26/7, 4 store ewes 10/9, 3 at 9/6, 163 wether hoggets 25/7, 43 at 24/-, 77 wether hoggets 22/-, 4 ewe hoggets 28/6, 9 hoggets 23/4, 5 ewes in lamb 27/-, 3 rams and 1 ewe 7/-.

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Reports from districts outside Hawke's Bay indicate in all cases that satisfactory, and in some cases high, lambing percentages are being obtained as the reason progresses. That there is every need for this state of affairs is evidenced at once by a survey of the Dominion's sheep population.

Sheep flocks in New Zealand have been declining steadily. Facial eczema was responsible for a great proportion of the recent falling off. Although the high lambing percentages this season are noticeable particularly in fat lamb districts, there is sufficient indication that the sheep population of the Dominion will be able to overtake some of its more recent falling off in numbers. Beef will be more urgently required in Great Britain next winter than mutton, and although the high lambing percentages indicate a prolific fat lamb killing season, war conditions may modify estimates.

Controlled use of New Zealand's refrigerated storage space is to be maintained this season, and if beef is to get preference from those in charge of Great Britain's food supplies, then the freezing companies may have to lessen the lamb killings.

Government requests for increased space for refrigerated food material, such as meat, are being made. Every meat freezing company in the Dominion is being asked to have sufficient storage to accommodate a year's output. This step has been taken to cope with the disorganisation to shipping caused by enemy action.

JERSEY AWARDS AT HAMILTON

Two Championships

NATIONAL SHOW AND SALE

By Telegraph—Press Association.
HAMILTON, Sept. 11.

Results of the judging at the National Jersey Show and Sale at Hamilton to-day are as follows:—

Junior championship: W. S. Mc Ewen (Pukeroro) and J. Jameson (Masterton) equal 1.

Two-year-old: Dr George Walker (Whangarei) 1, A. C. Smith (Hamilton) 2, C. G. C. Dermer (Feilding) 3.

Grand champion: W. H. Jakins (Christchurch), Keeper's Marques; reserve, R. D. Hosking (Waiuku), Belle's Pioneer.

The placings in the senior championship were similar.

Champion two-year-old: Dr George Walker (Whangarei); reserve, A. C. Smith (Hamilton).

Aged class: W. H. Jakins (Christchurch) 1, R. D. Hosking 2, R. Waterhouse (Takanini) 3.

Three-year-olds: D. O'Sullivan (Inglewood) 1, W. J. Chynoweth (Walton) 2, E. Hofman (Katikati) 3.

Yesterday On 'Change

Transaction List

Following is a list of transactions on the New Zealand Stock Exchange:—

WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

Sales Late Tuesday.

Commercial Bank Aust. ..	15	0	
N.Z. Drug (rights)	1	5	3
N.Z. Drug (rights)	1	5	6
Woolworths Ltd. (ord.) ..	18	3	

Sales To-day.

£2000 4% Stock, 1952	105	17	6
200 Bank of N.Z.	2	2	6
50 Broken Hill Ppty.	2	5	6

CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE

Ballins Breweries (15/- paid)	10	9	
Broken Hill Ppty.	2	6	0
N.Z. Drug Co. (rights)	1	5	3

Sales Reported.

Auckland Gas 5% Perpetual	102	0	0
Australian Consolidated Industries (2)	1	16	6
Australian Iron and Steel (pref.)	1	6	0
Wilsons Cement	19	5	
Mt. Morgan (2)	8	1	
Grey River	16	6	
Nemona		3	

WAIPUKURAU STOCK SALE

Hawke's Bay Farmers' Report

The following is our report of stock sold at Waipukurau saleyards to-day, 10/9/40:—

One 10-yr. bay gelding, broken to all work, £26; 1 rising 8-yr. br. mare, broken to all work, £37; 1 4-yr. brown filly, broken to all work, £35; 1 10-yr. bay mare, broken to all work, £21; 1 5-yr. bay gelding, broken to all work, £31; 1 5-yr. brown gelding, broken to all work, £24 10/-; 1 7-yr. bay mare, broken to all work, £32/10/-; 1 9-yr. bay mare, broken to all work, £28; 1 10-yr. bay gelding, broken to all work, £19; 1 4-yr. brown mare, broken to all work, £20; 1 9-yr. bay gelding, broken to all work, £21; 1 10-yr. brown gelding, broken to all work, £18; 10 covers, 30/-; 1 set collar, hames and winkers, 2/7/6; 4 sets collars, hames and winkers, £2/10/-; 5 weaner pigs, 34/-.

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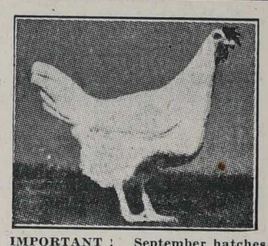
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September 18 ..	5.48 a.m.	5.43 p.m.

N.Z. Standard Time)

PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon .. .. Sept. 17
Last Quarter .. .. Sept. 25

TIDES

		H.W. a.m.	H.W. p.m.	L.W. a.m.	L.W. p.m.
Sept. 12	Thu.	1.09	1.34	7.32	8.08
Sept. 13	Fri.	1.57	2.22	8.21	8.57
Sept. 14	Sat.	2.42	3.08	9.10	9.44
Sept. 15	Sun.	3.29	3.57	10.00	10.31

(N.Z. Standard Time)

COASTWISE TRADE.

Wainui, 1633 tons, Collins (U.S.S. Co.), is expected to arrive from Wellington this morning.

Kopara, 719 tons, Bates (Richardson and Co.), was expected to leave Auckland last night for Napier via East Coast bays and Gisborne. The vessel is due here on Saturday morning.

Pakura, 719 tons, Coldicutt (Richardson and Co.), loads at Lyttelton to-day and at Wellington on Saturday for Napier and Gisborne. She is due here early on Monday.

Karepo, 2562 tons, Waters (U.S.S. Co.), is expected to leave Westport to-day for Napier and Auckland, arriving here on Sunday.

Poolta, 1633 tons, Johnson (U.S.S. Co), is expected to leave Greymouth on Friday for Wellington, Napier and Gisborne; being due here next Wednesday.

GENERAL

Monterey, 23937 tons (Matson Line), is due at Auckland from Sydney and Melbourne on September 23, sailing for San Francisco at 5 p.m. that day.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1940.

LEVEL SIGHTS

Commendable as is the Government's effort to ensure that New Zealand's contribution towards final victory in the war will not lag behind that of any other part of the Empire, it is nevertheless true that some of the targets are not being sighted properly. It has been left to the Napier Rifle Club to bring forward a matter of national importance in regard to defence. According to the published report, offers of service by that club to the Defence Department have been ignored, and it is said that the membership of rifle clubs throughout the Dominion reaches a total of 7000.

While we may not altogether endorse the opinion expressed that these members "are more qualified to give instruction than is the average Army officer," it may be agreed that there is useful work that can be done by those who are accustomed to handle rifles. It is understood that this year no ammunition is to be made available to the clubs concerned, so that even the potential instructors will be deprived of their necessary practice.

On the face of it there would seem to be grounds here for a legitimate complaint. When enthusiastic offers of service are received by the Government from men skilled in the actual and practical use of arms—that is to say, men who know how to hit a target with a bullet—it is infinitely to be regretted that no notice should be taken of such offers.

Nothing can be taken for granted in such a war as this, and if we have a Home Guard, a National Military Reserve, and Territorials, we surely need also the training that will enable them to make the best use of themselves. Giving in all the revolutionary changes which have been brought about by modern mechanised warfare and the greater use of automatic guns of all types, the fact remains that the man who looks over his sights must be instructed in the elementary principles governing a single shot. Rifles are still issued to the troops. They are not ornamental additions to the soldier's already heavy load. They are still deadly weapons, and in the case of a willing company of men the "mad minute"—or fifteen rounds of accurate firing in sixty seconds—is still a telling means either of attack or defence.

In rough and tumbled country such as characterises the greater part of New Zealand from the military point of view, the man with the rifle is the most mobile and useful of all our troops, and he cannot have too much training in actual field practice. Firing in open country has but little in common with firing at a target over a measured distance (although the beginning must be that way). The soldier, in the possible guerilla warfare that may confront this country, must know how to set his own sights, how to allow for atmospheric conditions of wind or rain, heat or cold, and must, in fact, fit his rifle to his vital needs as he fits his boots to his feet.

Training is essential, and it is a great pity, if it is true, that the Government pays no heed to the requests of men who are able to supply the necessary instruction. It is becoming all too obvious that in this Dominion we do not have such a sense of the urgency and importance of the deadly issues at stake as characterises the people of the Old Country. It is of no use to blame the Government and leave it at that. If this is a democratic country, we are the Government; and every people gets the kind of Government it deserves. If the people will make it clear on this issue, as they did in the case of conscription and the War Cabinet, that they desire more direct co-operation between the Government and those who have made offers to serve their country, something will be done. And this particular question of utilising the knowledge and experience of rifle club members to train others actually in the Services should not be let go at a mere local resolution.

Personal

Mr H. B. Lusk, K.C., Napier, will be a passenger by this morning's express to Wellington, where he will enter a private hospital.

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Mr I. L. Elliott left Hastings by the express yesterday morning for Wellington, where he is to take up a new appointment as supervisor of fertilisers.

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Mr M. Neville, of Adelaide, Australia, is on holiday in Hastings.

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Mr F. C. Wilkinson, of Hastings, has received advice that he has been elected to represent Hawke's Bay as a councillor of the Real Estate Institute of New Zealand.

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Mr Rolf Keys, of Hastings, was appointed secretary and treasurer of the North Island Professional Photographers' Association at its annual conference at Palmerston North on Monday. Mr A. B. Hurst, of Napier, was elected president.

Mr Thos. Fairweather, who for the past three years has been a member of the staff of the Union Bank of Australia in Gisborne, has left on transfer to the Wairoa branch. He was farewelled by the Gisborne staff, and received a presentation in token of the goodwill of his fellow-employees. The manager (Mr A. F. Houston) referred to Mr Fairweather's efficiency and popularity, and also mentioned that Mr Fairweather was awaiting a call to join the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

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Miss C. R. Montgomerie, B.H.Sc., of Napier, has been appointed to a position as a domestic science instructress at the Palmerston North Intermediate School.

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The Rev. Dr A. J. McRae, of Wellington, has had bestowed upon him by the Holy See the title of Monsignor in recognition of his work for the success of the National Eucharistic Congress held in Wellington in February. Though Monsignor McRae held the position of treasurer of the committee of organisation of the Congress, he was responsible for a great deal more work than the office denoted.

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Mrs C. Pease, Takapau, who recently underwent an operation at Waipukurau Hospital, is now making progress towards recovery.

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Private Leslie Stevens, of the Third Echelon, is home on sick leave and is staying with his relatives in Otane.

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Mr J. Germain, who underwent an operation at the Waipukurau Public Hospital on Saturday evening, is now making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

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AT THE HOTELS

Mr and Mrs A. D. Gillies (Havelock North), Mr and Mrs A. A. Craig, Dr. and Mrs Guy H. Scholefield, Miss Eila Scholefield, Dr. C. P. Powles, Mr A. G. Jones, Mr T. J. Gallagher, Mr A. W. Swap, Mr N. H. Carter (Wellington), Mrs H. Jackson (Lower Hutt), Mr I. H. MacDonald, Mr V. C. McPhail (Auckland), Mr C. H. Davies (Wanganui), Mr S. Kennard, Mr R. H. Cranfield (Christchurch), Mr W. Pettit (Waipawa), Mr H. W. Nixon (Putaruru), Mr Brian Bree (Gisborne), Mr P. C. Aekins (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs R. Lambert (Dunedin), are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

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Miss Hunter (Napier), Mr Hunter Hastings), Mr J. R. Makinson, Mr P. Paget, Mr R. Noton, Mr and Mrs Baker (Wellington), Mr C. Kyndon, Mrs H. O. Toogood (Masterton), are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings.

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Mr A. Simms, Mr and Mrs M. Beckett, Mr C. W. Miller, Mr E. Bellam, Mr and Mrs E. L. Bell, Mr and Mrs H. Champion, Miss Prosser, Mr C. Hughes (Wellington), Mr G. Livingston (Takapau), Mrs P. Hunter (Porangahau), Miss K. Beale (Te Puia Springs), Mrs E. M. Hamilton (Bournemouth), Mr and Mrs J. C. Bedwell (Featherston), Mrs Humphrey Bayly, Mrs McRae (Wairoa), Mr P. Graham (Wanganui), Mr K. Glendining, Mr A. E. Mansel (Palmerston North), are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

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Mr A. Bennett, Mr T. N. Smallwood, Mr B. L. Harris, Mr H. M. Caselberg, Mr C. Morris, Mr K. R. Davis, Mr A. Williams, Mr T. M. Ball, Mr F. Langbein, Mr H. W. Johnson (Wellington), Miss P. Makeig, Mr G. Smith (Gisborne), Mrs J. Houlihan, Mr F. Houlihan, Mrs Kernick, Miss F. Heaton, Mr J. Durham, Mr C. Hill (Palmerston North), Mr Ellison (New Plymouth), Mr D. Eddy (Waipawa) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Breakfast Table

"Last night I dreamt of a most wonderful pearl necklace and to-morrow is my birthday."

"Now, that's a brilliant idea—I'll buy you a dream book."

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"It says in this paper that a bachelor has left £20,000 to a woman who refused to marry him twenty years ago."

"Well, she can't say he did not show his gratitude."

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"Daddy," said little Tommy, "will you please give me some money."

"What for?"

"Well, a robber might hold me up and say 'Your money or your life.' What would happen if I didn't have any?"

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The Colonel over the telephone ordered that one of the unit cars should be sent round to him at once.

"Sorry, sir," replied the N.C.O. "The Major is out in the Vauxhall, the Adjutant has the Bentley, the Medical Officer the Austin, and the Quartermaster has borrowed your bicycle."

When the Colonel had recovered his breath, he shouted:—

"Find my batman, and if he's not wearing my boots, I'll walk!"

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We're keeping things going—of course, in other words, we are conducting our business as nearly "as usual" as possible. We have difficulties—who hasn't? For example, getting materials is taxing our ingenuity, but we are succeeding. To our country friends we say "Our service to you will be as near normal as we can make it." Parkers.*

LETTERS to the EDITOR

Letters to the Editor must be written on one side of the paper only, and in ink. The correspondent's name and residential address must be given even if the letter is to be published anonymously.

Lepers at Makogai

Sir,—For a number of years past the people of New Zealand have sent gifts at Christmas time to the 607 lepers who are isolated at Makogai, a lonely isle in the Fiji group. One hundred and twenty-seven of these lepers are from New Zealand's dependencies. There are 89 leper children on the island.

These sadly afflicted people look forward to this festive season with pleasant anticipation of the arrival of the steamer from New Zealand bearing gifts and messages of goodwill. However difficult our own circumstances at present are, when they are compared with the lot of these stricken people we find that we have much to be thankful for, namely, that we continue to enjoy good health, and have our liberty. On behalf of our less fortunate friends, therefore, I have no hesitation in once again appealing to the generosity of the people of New Zealand to supply them with such Christmas gifts as gramophone records, jig-saw puzzles, games, toys, musical instruments, sewing silks, embroidery cottons, etc., soap, sweets, pipes, tobacco. Gifts of money will be most useful.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the Postmaster-General and the Hon. the Minister of Railways for having kindly reduced charges to half-rates on all parcels addressed to me for the lepers.

Donations may be sent to me at 172 Bealey Avenue, Christchurch, C.1., and all gifts will be duly acknowledged by letter.

Our Empire is passing through a crisis and the "few crumbs" we give to the lepers will not hinder our cause, rather will they bring God's blessing on us all.—I am, etc.,

P. J. TWOMEY,
Honorary Collector.

Radio Thriller

Sir,—I read with interest a report in your paper suggesting that radio serials be stopped. Sir, we have all listened to "The Black Moth," "Inspector Scott," etc., and I may say that they have been enjoyed by everybody who has heard them. If the radio interferes with the children's studies put them in another room away from the radio. Now that petrol is so short we need something to take our minds off the war, so let us have our radio serials.—I am, etc.,

RADIO FAN.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Win for Napier

By defeating Poverty Bay at Gisborne by two goals to one the Napier women's hockey team have won the Lady Carroll Shield. The match was fast and even, the speedy Napier forwards being the deciding factor. Miss M. Simmonds led the forwards in great style and scored both of the visitors' goals.

Farmer Fined

For allowing stock to wander on a roadway a Maraekakaho farmer, Arthur di Menna, was fined £1 (costs £4 2/-) by Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the Hastings Magistrate's Court on Tuesday afternoon. The Hawke's Bay County Council inspector (Mr G. R. Beauchamp) laid the information for the case, which was defended.

Spirit of Britain

The spirit of Britain is exemplified in a letter received by an Auckland resident from her brother. The writer tells of a Dover landlady who advertises her rooms as having "a splendid prospect, facing the enmy."

Napier Garden Competition

Entries in the flower and vegetable garden competition being sponsored by the Napier Rotary Club will close at the end of this week. Everyone residing within the borough boundary, including Marewa, may compete, and it is hoped that the contest will improve the standard of Napier's private gardens. Cash prizes are offered for the best three gardens in each of the two classes.

New Zealand Wasteful

"I do not suppose there is a more wasteful country in the whole world than New Zealand," said Mr. A. G. Williams, in a reference to waste reclamation and collection by schools, at the meeting of the Christchurch Technical College Board. "I think we should look further than collections of a few bottles and odds and ends and should try to educate young people first of all on what has been wasted in New Zealand."

Route March To-night

Provided the weather is clear the Hastings Company of the Class 2 reserve will take part in a route march to-night. The parade will move off from the Drill Hall at 7.30 p.m. headed by the Hastings Citizens' Band. The men will march along Heretaunga Street as far as Selwood Road and then to Windsor Park. Park Road and Heretaunga Street will be followed back to the Drill Hall. Captain J. R. F. Earl will command the company.

Omarunui Bowling Club

The erection of shelters of the rustic type was approved at a meeting of the Omarunui Bowling Club's committee, details being left in the hands of Messrs H. W. Brown and T. B. McDonald. The shelters will fill a long-felt want and will be much appreciated by bowlers and croquet players. No date has yet been fixed for the opening of the season, on account of the uncertainty of the weather, but a working bee is to be held on Saturday in order that everything will be in readiness for the commencement of play.

Road Safety Films

Films on road safety were shown in Hastings West, Mahora and Parkvale Schools by officers of the Transport Department yesterday, the children taking a keen interest in the pictures and what they were intended to convey. Pupils of the Central and Convent Schools are to see the films in the Assembly Hall at 10.30 this morning.

Marine Parade Roadway

Good progress is being made with the work of extending the double roadway on Napier's Marine Parade, and the stretch between Raffles Street and Edwardes Street is now receiving attention. Kerbing and channelling is being laid down, and the metalling will then be completed and sealing undertaken. This will complete the present programme of extensions.

Shortage of Cotton-Wool

If Napier were to experience an air-raid within the next few days there would be no great quantities of cotton-wool available to keep the concussions out of the ears of the citizens, according to chemists in the town. Supplies of this useful commodity are now at a low level owing to the restriction of imports, but it is now being manufactured in New Zealand, and ample quantities should soon be obtainable.

News for Men Overseas

The Australian short-wave stations have now commenced broadcasting a news session "for members of the A.I.F. overseas, especially in Palestine and the Middle East." The session has been heard in Napier on recent mornings at 6.45 a.m., corresponding to the evening hours in Egypt and Palestine. New Zealand is unfortunately not able to provide a similar service for Dominion troops owing to the lack of short-wave stations, a position which is rather ironical in view of the fact that the main broadcast transmitters are of high power and technical quality, that of 2YA being the most powerful in the southern hemisphere.

To-day's Diary

HASTINGS

The Theatres:
"Battle of Broadway," and "The Sky's the Limit," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.
"French Without Tears," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Frozen Limits," and "Free, Blonde and 21," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Mr Reeder in Room 13," and "Outside the 3-Mile Limit," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

NAPIER

Napier Golf Club's tournament opens.
Annual meeting Napier H.S.O.B. Cricket Club, office of Messrs. Retemeyer, Edgley and Chapman, 8 p.m.
Annual meeting Napier T.C.O.B. Cricket Club, Congregational Hall, 7.45 p.m.

The Theatres
"Hitler, Beast of Berlin," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
"The Rains Came" and "Free, Blonde and 21," State, 2 and 7.45 p.m.
"Hitting a New High," and "Gun Law," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FURTHER SHOWERS

The "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay is as follows:

Winds: Fresh to strong but decreasing southerly winds.

Weather: Cloudy with a few further showers, chiefly in the north. Cool temperatures.

Seas: Rough.

Hastings Weather

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

Dry bulb temp.	49.0deg.
Wet bulb temp.	44.0deg.
Maximum temp.	54.0deg.
Minimum temp.	46.4deg.
Grass	44.0deg.
1ft. underground	54.0deg.
Cloud	9
Rain for last 36 hours	.16ins.
Rain for month	1.99ins.

Napier Weather

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

Dry bulb temp.	48.2deg.
Wet bulb temp.	43.0deg.
Maximum temp.	53.0deg.
Minimum temp.	47.8deg.
1ft. underground	55.0deg.
3ft. underground	55.0deg.
Rain	.12ins.
Grass	45.0deg.
Sun	Nil
Cloud	7
Humidity	78 p.c.
Visibility	6
Wind	S.W.4

Dominion Forecast

General situation: An anti-cyclone covers the Tasman and southern New Zealand, while a vigorous depression is centred over the east Chatham Islands.

Forecast: Winds, southerlies predominating, light to moderate in force over the South Island, later becoming variable in direction. Fresh to strong, but decreasing over the North Island.

Seas (New Zealand waters): Rough between East Cape, Kaikoura and north Kawhia, elsewhere slight or moderate.

Eastern Tasman Sea: Southerly winds, fresh to strong, but decreasing in the northern portion, with rough seas. Light to moderate in the south with slight seas.

Weather: For the most part fair to fine. Scattered showers continuing in the Hawke's Bay area, however, but becoming less frequent to-morrow. Cool with frosts in the South Island, but temperatures moderate later.

Semple v. Mussolini

Mussolini came under the stinging lash of Mr Semple's tongue in Dunedin when as Minister of National Service Mr Semple addressed a meeting of representatives of local bodies on the subject of the Home Guard. "That yellow-hearted cur," the Minister said, "that vulture in human shape, he's the biggest traitor the world has ever known. I just wish Britain could have a month at him alone. There would be some macaroni flying then, I can tell you."

NEW Styles for the OUT-OF-DOORS
There's brilliant new styling in Westerman's Spring Outfits. You'll enjoy looking these over next time you are down Westerman's way . . . they're all Westerman's values, of course.
DAINTY DRESS NOVELTIES
GEORGETTE SCARVES
Newest colourings and designs.
Prices 5/11, 6/11, 7/11 and 15/6 each.
SILK SCARVES
New colours.
Prices 4/11, 5/11, 8/11 ea.
BLOUSETTES
Plain colours.
Prices .. .. .. 11/6 ea.
BLOUSETTES
Striped and fancy designs
Prices 8/11, 10/6 and 12/6 each.
SMART HOSIERY
PURE SILK HOSE.
Fully fashioned.
New colours.
Prices 6/11, 7/6 and 7/11 pr.
HEAVY WEIGHT PURE SILK HOSE.
New shades. Mediums. Usual price 11/6.
Special Price 8/11
WHITE COTTON ANKLE SOCKS.
For School wear.
Prices .. 2/3 & 2/6 pair
HALTER FRONTS
White, Cream, Sky, Rose, Saxe, Navy, Green and Salmon.
Prices .. .. .. 4/6 and 4/11 each

Westerman's MODERN STORE
FAMOUS IN HASTINGS FOR LOW PRICES !

Germany's "Prelude To Invasion"

BLITZKRIEG ON LONDON

Fourth Successive Night Of Bombing

WAREHOUSES ABLAZE

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LONDON, Sept. 10.

Military circles in Berlin are emphatic in declaring that the air offensive against Britain is a prelude to invasion before the end of September, says the Berlin correspondent of the Swiss newspaper "Basler Nachrichten." They add that disorganisation of the south of England is the first essential.

This declaration came while the aerial blitzkrieg raged over London to-night for the fourth successive night. The raids were in full swing five hours after the sounding of the alarm at 8.17 o'clock, and the London defences are fully in action. The glow of fires can be seen in two or three quarters, but no details are yet available regarding the damage.

Some raiders also appeared to-night over other parts of the country.

The sirens sounded in London five times to-day between 1.7 p.m. and 8.17 p.m. The first four warnings were of short duration, but the fifth lasted for eight hours 30 minutes.

Immediately after the first alarm, there was a thrilling dogfight over London between enemy 'planes and British fighters, and an exchange of machine-gun fire was heard in the crowded streets.

A mountainous black cloud of smoke was hanging over London this morning after Monday night's raids. The police guarded the entrances to all the affected areas pending the fixing of barriers. The streets were filled with dust and smoke, and ambulances and demolition wagons still raced along the roads. Rescuers over a wide area were still searching buildings for victims.

Most distressing scenes were in progress not only in the East End but in areas far to the westward. Warehouses in the vicinity of St. Paul's Cathedral were ablaze. The Church of St. Mary-le-Bow, after a long period of anxiety, was pronounced out of danger.

Rescuers in many parts of London on Monday night worked to extricate people from collapsed houses with bombers overhead.

Two bombs which fell in a London square demolished one house and damaged every other.

Horrible Sights

A member of the A.R.P. said: "It was not the fires and damaged buildings which upset us, but the sight of little children with gaping wounds, and others killed outright; people screaming amid the flames; women frantically trying to save their babies; men searching for their families."

A bomb dropped in a Central London district demolished a women's hostel, causing the surrounding area to be evacuated.

Bombs fell on two hospitals in Central London, shattering the roof of a children's hospital and causing a fire in the top floor. A second bomb hit a maternity hospital. A nurses' home also was struck. There were no casualties at any of the three places.

The maternity hospital contained 30 mothers and 20 babies, but the patients were evacuated within a quarter of an hour.

The bomb which hit the maternity hospital seriously damaged the ground floor of a nearby public house. A broken water main threatened the lives of eight people who were taking refuge in the cellars, but screams from the trapped people attracted the attention of rescuers.

Several people were killed when high-explosive bombs fell in north-east London, seven houses crashing in a huge pile of debris.

Firemen Busy

Firemen fought fires in the vicinity of St. Paul's for eight hours amid falling bombs and crashing debris. Fires raged in several localities around the cathedral, which was not damaged. The wind blew the flames from the nearest fire away from the building.

Twenty-two houses were demolished, with casualties, in two adjoining streets in an area of South-East London.

A number of people were killed when a bomb fell at the corner of two streets in Central London, sending seven houses crashing to the ground.

Fifteen hours after a house in South-East London had been demolished by a bomb, rescuers were still working to release a family of five entombed under the debris.

A stretcher party were killed while on duty in south-west London.

The fire which threatened Bow Church was one of the biggest. Hundreds of firemen worked feverishly in narrow side streets and saved the church.

Without Gas

Many people in the East London district have been without gas since Saturday night. Some localities are temporarily without both gas and water.

The communal feeding system instituted in the East End is working effectively.

The Minister of Food (Lord Woolton), to-day urged traders to get their stocks from the docks as speedily as possible. Retailers are warned to shelter their stocks, because splinters of glass have pierced even canned foods.

A raider dropped a salvo of bombs in the residential area of a south-east seaside town at noon to-day. Two women were killed and several people injured.

AIRCRAFTSMAN'S DEATH

Struck By A Propellor

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 11.

It was announced officially in Wellington to-night that Aircraftsman Arthur Lawrence Jessop, 22, was killed when he was struck by the propellor of a 'plane at the Ohakea Air Force Station at 6.4 p.m. to-day.

Supply Ships Sunk

RAIDS ON NORWAY

Fleet Air Arm Scores Many A Hit

British Official Wireless.
(Received September 11, 12.45 p.m.)
RUGBY, Sept. 10.

Further successes by the Fleet Air Arm against enemy supply ships off the Norwegian coast are disclosed by an Admiralty communique, which states: "Our aircraft again carried out an offensive reconnaissance over the Norwegian coast yesterday. This confirmed that two out of the three tanks of the oil depot of Dolvic attacked by Skuas on Sunday are completely destroyed and the third tank and pipeline severely damaged.

The announcement of a successful attack by the Fleet Air Arm on an enemy suply ship and tanker off the Norwegian coast and an oil depot in Norway follows closely on other offensive operations over the Norwegian coast.

Skuas and Swordfish on Sunday left two enemy supply ships sinking and abandoned by their crews, all the British aircraft returning safely.

On August 28, Skuas set fire to oil tanks in the Bergen area and to a motor patrol vessel and also scored direct hits on a 2000-ton supply ship. All the aircraft returned safely.

Skuas on August 19 attacked two 3000-ton transports, obtaining direct hits on one of them, and also attacked oil tanks north of Haugesund. All our aircraft returned safely.

Skuas on August 8 set fire to an oil depot at Delvic. All our aircraft again returned safely.

On August 1, Skuas successfully bombed a wireless station and a 4000-ton supply ship, leaving the latter in a sinking condition and abandoned by its crew. All our aircraft returned safely.

FRUITGROWERS TO MEET

New Season's Crop

STATE SCHEME TO BE DISCUSSED

The Hawke's Bay Fruitgrowers' Association is calling a general meeting for to-morrow night when the delegates to the recent Dominion conference, Messrs R. Paynter and A. L. Baumgart, will submit their reports of the business transacted. Two items of particular interest to be discussed are the suggested compulsory standardisation of stone fruit and the Government purchase of the coming season's crop. In connection with the former matter, a petition has been drawn up with a view to suspending it indefinitely, since it is believed by many growers that the standardisation of stone fruit would be practically impossible to operate satisfactorily.

With reference to next season's marketing of pip fruit, the Hon. W. Nash made a revolutionary suggestion to the large deputation which interviewed him, and members will be invited to express their views on this matter also. The meeting is therefore an important one and growers are urged to attend in force.

DANISH SWIMMER'S NEW RECORD

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COPENHAGEN, Sept. 10.

Miss Ragnhild Hveger beat her own 400-metres swimming record with a time of 5 minutes and 5 seconds.

SHIPPING LOSSES MOUNT

Ideal Weather For Nazi U-Boats

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LONDON, Sept. 12.

The increased shipping losses for the week ended on September 1, which totalled 84,575 tons, are attributed to ideal weather and good visibility, which favoured U-boats.

"WORSE TO COME" SAYS BERLIN

BLITZKRIEG NOT AT ITS HEIGHT

Attempt To Justify Ruthlessness

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LONDON, Sept. 10.

The R.A.F. again raided Berlin early this morning. A message from Berlin states that the alarm lasted 45 minutes, beginning at midnight.

"Bombs damaged a number of apartment houses in the northern districts," says a communique describing the raid. "The raiders did not reach the centre of the city. British bombers also attacked Westermuende, at the mouth of the River Weser. Anti-aircraft fire drove back some of the 'planes before they reached their objectives. Others were so dazzled by the searchlights that they dropped their bombs in open country."

The Berlin news agency admits that R.A.F. bombs fell last night in the Moabit district, and also in North Berlin, where incendiary bombs struck houses in the main street, set fire to the roofs, and destroyed a house.

Almost three-quarters of the space in German newspapers is taken up by reports and descriptions of the air battle over England, says the correspondent of "The Times" on the German frontier.

Some proclaim that this constitutes the beginning of the decisive fight against England; others declare that the mightiest war machine of all ages is now running at top speed; but the official German spokesman, as usual, asserts that only a small part of Germany's war potential is in action, while an immense reserve is scattered throughout the Reich and also among the Channel coasts, ready for use at a moment's notice.

"Justified Raids"

The Berlin morning papers say that the raids on London are justified by the months of reckless, planless British bombing, which has killed 78 German children and wounded 51.

The "Voelkischer Beobachter says: "It is a mistake to call the present action the Battle for Britain. The Germans regard it modestly as the Battle for London, from which will develop the Battle for Britain."

Raids' Effect On Food Stocks

LOSS IMPORTANT

Flour And Sugar Stores Suffer Chiefly

RATIONING UNALTERED

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RUGBY, Sept. 10.

The effect upon the food stocks of the Nazi bombing raids on London was described by the Minister of Food (Lord Woolton) as annoying in detail but entirely unimportant as regards either the nation's food supplies or those of London.

Flour mills and sugar warehouses suffered chiefly. There was also damage to stores of animal feeding stuffs and meat. None of this damage, however, would affect the rationing.

Lord Woolton said that, as a result of patient organisation, the Food Ministry knew where the food supplies were, and, in times like the present, justification for that work was plainly seen.

Lord Woolton added that he had visited the East End, where he saw people feeding in communal fashion after their homes had been damaged. "I think they are perfectly marvellous," he said.

Toll Of Italian Army

EASTERN FIGHTING

Official Figures From Rome

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LONDON, Sept. 10.

A list of casualties in the Italian armies was issued to-day in Rome. The figures are:—

North Africa	
August	
Killed	78
Wounded	156
Missing	7
East Africa	
August	
Killed	50
Wounded	127
Missing	20
Navy	
Period not stated	
Killed	88
Wounded	77
Missing	128
Air Force	
Killed	55
Wounded	128
Missing	131

A communique issued at Nairobi, Kenya, states: "One of our patrols penetrated 16 miles into Abyssinia 80 miles east of Lake Rudolf, and found 40 irregular troops occupying a fort. The patrol inflicted several casualties and withdrew without loss."

An R.A.F. communique issued at Cairo states: "The R.A.F. bombed Massawa, Eritrea, and started fires. The South African Air Force raided Mogadiscio, Italian Somaliland, bombed motor transport, started a fire, destroyed an aeroplane, and damaged four others on the ground. It was observed that the main motor transport park, which was attacked on August 28, was gutted. One enemy 'plane was shot down. During the enemy raid on Malta on Saturday, we shot down one enemy fighter and seriously damaged another."

MACDONALD MINE DISPUTE

NO DECISION YET REACHED

Men Return To Their Homes

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, Sept. 11.

The dispute which opened at the Macdonald Company mine on Tuesday of last week, when 200 miners decided not to work until one man's claim for wet time payment had been determined, was revived this morning when, after working for an hour, the men returned to their homes.

No work will be done at the mine to-morrow. Last week the men were idle on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. They worked on Friday and again on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

It is understood that the men held a meeting to receive a report from the disputes committee this morning and subsequently left the mine after working for only an hour.

The Northern Miners' Union executive held a meeting to-night to discuss the situation, but it was announced that no finality had been reached. A further meeting with the men will take place at the Macdonald mine to-morrow afternoon.

United States Prepared

DEFENCE IN ALASKA

Rapid Preparations In Hand

BASES CONSTRUCTED

The United States was pushing on rapidly with defence preparations in Alaska, stated Dr. Ernest Gruening, the Governor of Alaska, in an interview at Auckland.

At present there were under construction three navy and two army bases, all to be fully equipped as air stations. The navy bases were at Sitka, on the "panhandle" strip of coastal territory in the south-east, on Kodiak Island, off the southern coast, and at Dutch Harbour, in the eastern Aleutian Islands. The army bases were at Fairbanks, about 300 miles from the sea, in the centre of the territory, and at Anchorage, at the head of Cook Inlet, on the south coast.

Three Shifts

At Fairbanks three shifts were being worked, the continuous daylight of the Arctic summer having made this easily possible in recent months.

When the bases were ready, United States military and naval forces would be moved to Alaska. So far as the navy was concerned, this could not be done earlier, since the nearest establishments of the kind were so far away as Hawaii and Guam. The people of the territory had contributed their share to defence by forming a battalion of four companies of the National Guard.

The International Road

Speaking of the projected arterial highway to connect the United States with Alaska through British Columbia, Dr. Gruening said that as a member of the American commission on the scheme he had flown over the proposed route, which lay mostly in a cleft between the coastal range and the main chain of the Canadian Rockies.

It did not present any special engineering difficulties, except perhaps in the bridging of some rivers that had a habit of wandering over wide, shingly beds. It was probable that some time would be spent in giving further consideration to the project. One question to be settled was whether Canada, under war conditions, could divert the large amount of manpower needed for the building of the road.

SCORES OF ITALIANS ARRESTED

Defeatist Talk Not Permitted

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It is reliably stated that scores of Italians have been arrested recently for defeatist and unpatriotic talk, says a message from Rome.

MARAENUI WOMEN'S GOLF

L.G.U. Medal Round On Saturday

The following is the Maraenui women's draw for Saturday, when an L.G.U. medal round will be played:—

Mrs Henderson and Mrs Dyke; Miss Murphy and Miss Clark; Miss Gasson and Miss Hamlin; Miss Dudding and Miss Harvey; Miss Prewett and Miss Bailey; Miss Hodge and Miss Jones; Miss Moore and Miss Wilkins; Miss Stairmand and Miss Gallagher; Miss Butler and Miss Hitchens; Miss McCulloch and Miss Evans; Miss Adam and Mrs Nicholas; Miss Rundle and Miss Mendelssohn; Miss Barry and Miss Wilson; Miss Cogswell and Miss Alexander; Miss Harding and Mrs Barker; Miss Smith and partner.

C Grade: Miss Armour and Mrs Ross; Miss Ashby and Miss Bowler; Miss Beagley and Miss Hammond; Miss McKenzie and Miss McMillan; Miss Puflett and Mrs Longney; Miss Sharkey and Miss Morris; Miss Tomlinson and Miss Bryant; Miss Greening and Miss Fleming.

Any player who does not desire to play in this round is requested to advise Miss M. Gasson ('Phone 4201).

Young Evacuees From Britain

MOTHERS WITH THEM

Warm Welcome Awaits In Dominion

ARRIVAL YESTERDAY

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 11.

A party of 170 children whose arrival had been privately arranged reached Wellington to-day from Britain. The Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry), in a statement concerning them, said that they did not come under the evacuation scheme, but the children were mostly with their mothers from war-affected England and would receive an enthusiastic welcome from the Government and the people of New Zealand. They would quickly find that they were made to feel at home in a new land, where sympathy, sentiment and loyalty rang synonymously and true among the people.

Hopes of More

He hoped that the party would be followed shortly by a large number of British children to come under the evacuation scheme. It was definite that the children were coming to New Zealand, and arrangements were being completed for their reception. It was not possible at present to give advice regarding individual children prior to their actual arrival in the Dominion. He felt sure that the relatives and friends who had nominated children would understand the need for secrecy, and any inconvenience that they might experience as a result would be cheerfully borne in the interests of the children themselves.

Those expecting children could rest assured that they would be well cared for from the time of their arrival till arrangements could be made for them to be handed over to their foster parents.

Mr Parry expressed admiration of the whole-heartedness of the response of many thousands of people throughout New Zealand to the Government's appeal for homes. Nominations of children of relatives and friends continued to be received in a steady stream. All that had to be done was to write a short letter to the Minister or Under-Secretary of Internal Affairs giving the name of the child and the address of the parents or guardians in Britain. A surprising number of people did not give their own addresses when writing and even failed to sign the letters, causing a great deal of extra work for the staff dealing with the matter.

All the nominations were forwarded to the High Commissioner in London, who got in touch with the parents or guardians. If these wished to send the children, and the children being eligible under the scheme, they were accepted. All arrangements would be made by the High Commissioner in conjunction with the Children's Overseas Reception Board in London.

ON SHIP WITHOUT PERMIT

Labourer Charged

USED RUSE TO GET ABOARD

Breach Of Regulations

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, Sept. 11.

The fact that a man yesterday boarded an overseas ship lying at Queen's Wharf without a permit was severely criticised by the Magistrate (Mr E. C. Levien) in the Magistrate's Court to-day, when William James Sylvester Anthony Whitty, aged 31, a labourer, pleaded guilty to a charge under the Shipping Safety Emergency Regulations, 1940.

The police said that Whitty was admitted to the wharf when he said that he wanted to see Constable Anderson at Queen's Wharf police station. It was later discovered that Whitty did not go to see the constable, but had been on an overseas ship. Whitty told the constable that he had "put one over him" as he wanted to get on the ship to see a fireman. The police had ascertained that the fireman named had been paid off the ship in Australia.

The Magistrate: How did he get on the boat?

Senior-Sergeant Joyce: There was an official on duty on the gangway.

The Magistrate: Well, what's the good of having regulations? This man is charged with an offence for which, if he elects, he can be tried by the Supreme Court. It is supposed to be a serious offence, but on pitching a tale to a constable he is allowed to pass the gates, and although there was an official on duty at the ship's gangway, he is allowed to get aboard. What a wonderful system! And now I am asked to impose a penalty. A maximum penalty of a fine of £100 or 12 months' imprisonment is provided.

Senior-Sergeant Joyce said that the constable had authority to admit persons with business at the wharf police station.

The Magistrate: If a man wishes to go to the police station on the wharf, he should have an escort. Why not?

Whitty was fined £3.

IMPROVEMENT WORK AT HAUMOANA

Further Damage Reported To Society

Mr T. A. Smith presided over the monthly meeting of the Haumoana Beach Improvement Society on Tuesday night, there being present: Messrs F. Foddy, A. M. Sherriff, M. Castles and Mrs Castles (secretary).

It was reported that the Patriotic Farewell Committee was now functioning splendidly and had £35 in hand for the Soldiers' Parcel Fund.

The caretaker reported that a considerable amount of mischief was still being done to beach property.

Advice was received from the Hawke's Bay Rivers Board and County Council that the repairs to the stop-bank were to receive attention.

NEW WHEAT GERM BREAD

IDEA HAS BEEN WELL RECEIVED

Misconceptions Are Cleared Up

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 11.

"The reception by the Press and interested individuals has been very gratifying, and much useful criticism has been received," said Dr MacMillan, referring to the new process evolved by the Wheat Research Institute for the manufacture of white bread containing the wheat germ.

The Minister added that it was apparent from some inquiries received that there were some misconceptions in regard to the nature and purpose of the process, and steps were being taken to put it into practical operation.

The novelty of the Wheat Research Institute process had been questioned. There was nothing new about adding vitamins to flour or bread, but there was everything new about adding vitamins or a natural substance containing them in such a way that the palatability and keeping qualities of the bread were not affected.

Wholemeal flour contained the wheat germ, but bread made from it was unpalatable to many people.

U.S. Process

The Morris Mills process of America was quite different from the New Zealand one. It probably could not be operated with New Zealand wheats; it required special expensive machinery and it was heavily protected by patents. Furthermore, it gave a bread containing very much less wheat germ than the New Zealand process made possible.

More recently, the synthetic vitamin B1 was being added to bread in Britain. Valuable as this was in Britain, the use of the wheat germ by the New Zealand process had many advantages. An essential distinguishing feature of the Wheat Research Institute process was in the pre-fermentation of the wheat germ with the yeast before addition to the flour. It gave a loaf of fine texture, good appearance, palatable taste and a content of 10 per cent. of wheat germ as compared with 2 per cent. in wholemeal bread—not that it was intended to replace wholemeal bread, which had other qualities of its own.

The formulae for the new bread has been supplied in bulletin form to all bakers. Some mills already had supplies of the wheat germ in stock. Several others had made preliminary runs and could start production at a day's notice.

RED CROSS SOCIETY MEETS

Napier Sub-Centre

CLOTHING SENT TO BRITAIN

Thanks Expressed

The monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Napier Sub-Centre of the New Zealand Red Cross Society was held on Tuesday evening. Mr M. S. Spence presided and there were present: Misses E. M. King, Gideon, Carroll; Mesdames F. W. Browne, J. T. Fenwick, L. S. McClurg, C. P. Mercer and T. Lindsay Gordon; Mr H. J. Harman, Dr. Biggs and the secretary.

The British Red Cross Society acknowledges the receipt of five cases of clothing forwarded in May last for distribution by that society, appreciation having been expressed of the quality and quantity of the goods forwarded.

Correspondence was received from headquarters setting out the procedure to be adopted in efforts to get in touch with prisoners of war through the Red Cross Society.

Gifts of Clothing

The depot committee reported that since the previous meeting 25 cases had been dealt with and 179 garments issued. It was reported that a further case of goods containing 270 garments had been forwarded to the Lady Galway Guild.

A report on the Lady McLean Challenge Shield recently held at Waipukurau was received, appreciation being expressed of the success of the Havelock North team in winning the competition.

The nursing committee advised that of pupils who had recently attended V.A.D. classes 27 had now taken up nursing as a profession, two had trained as Karitane nurses and one was a masseuse.

The question of obtaining outdoor uniforms for V.A.D.'s was discussed, the matter being left in the hands of the nursing committee with power to act.

It was decided that the annual presentation of certificates and medallions should take place on October 8.

Arrangements were made for the annual afternoon to be given by the junior circles at which the members of the Blind Club would, as usual, be invited as guests.

MOTOR-LORRY TURNED OVER IN ACCIDENT

Spectacular Collision At Hastings

A spectacular accident in which no one was injured occurred at the intersection of Hastings and St. Aubyn Streets, Hastings, at 2.30 p.m. yesterday. Two motor-lorries, one laden with fruit cases and the other with furniture, collided violently, the former vehicle being overturned and its contents strewn over the road.

One was driven by Mr A. O. B. Svendsen, Napier, and the other was driven by Mr A. J. White, Willowpark Road, Hastings. Both men escaped with a shaking.

Good Brakes are of no use when tyres are smooth. It pays to have worn tyres Rebuilt.—H.B. Tyre Rebuilders, Eastbourne Street, Hastings. 'Phone 4192*.

FROM THE TURMOIL OF WAR TO QUIETUDE

British Children Arrive At Wellington

POISE AND POLITENESS

By Telegraph—Press Association
WELLINGTON, Sept. 11.

Escaping from the horrors of war, 170 British children arrived at Wellington to-day in a liner from England. They did not come under the Government scheme for the evacuation of children from the United Kingdom to other parts of the British Commonwealth. Their passages had been privately arranged. In most cases they were accompanied by mothers or other relatives.

One or two were young New Zealanders returning home, but the great majority had been born and bred in the Old Country. Most were coming to friends or relatives in the Dominion. They were met at the wharf by Sir Harry Batterbee and by representatives of the British Children Reception Committee.

The latter gave advice as to transport and accommodation facilities and, when necessary, assisted the arrivals to establish contact with their friends or relatives ashore.

From Cook Strait this morning most of the children and their mothers had the first glimpse of New Zealand—an impression of high hills, bright sunshine and biting wind. After some hours in the stream, the vessel berthed and the rails were crowded with eager young faces, bright-eyed with excitement at the first impressions of their new homeland. The crowd gazing down from the liner's rail was predominantly composed of women, young mothers and uniformed "nannies" and children between the ages of five months and fifteen years.

On the wharf stood a knot of expectant relatives and friends, who had learnt of the impending arrival of the party. Most, however, saw no familiar faces smiling at them from the wharf, and there were one or two who wept at finding themselves left out of the emotional scenes of welcome and reunion when the gangway was let down. Very many arrived quite unheralded, and the first intimation that friends in New Zealand farms and cities received of their safe arrival was by a surprise telephone call this evening. Although one or two were hollow-eyed and anxious-looking, most were cheerful and gay and showed no outward signs of whatever ordeals they might have undergone in the war zone. They were loath to speak of what they had seen of warfare. Indeed, it seemed almost a point of honour to make light of air-raid experiences.

The Darker Side

One woman, however, who was expecting a baby within a few weeks, said that between the time when she left Home and that of the liner's departure from England, her home was destroyed by an enemy bomb. Another said that she had no idea where her husband was or what he was doing. She had expected to find a cable waiting her on arrival, but no such cable had been delivered.

Small boys described proudly, almost boastfully, how they had jumped out of bed on the screaming of the sirens and had seen the flash of anti-aircraft shells bursting against the sky as they raced for the shelters. The voyage out, they said, had been almost wholly free from anxiety.

After some delay in getting away from the British coast, they spent three uneventful days in convoy, and thereafter the voyage was a rest-cure for them all.

A week out from New Zealand, they were told that there was a raider at large in the Pacific, but they were not worried.

No Sickness

There was no sickness or trouble of any kind on the ship. The officers and staff did their utmost to assist in making the trip a happy one. They arranged entertainments and kept an eye on the youngsters to see that they did not clamber up the masts or tumble overboard.

Although the juvenile passenger-list was almost unprecedentedly large, little difficulty was experienced in feeding or otherwise managing the children.

It was stated that for the first fortnight they were models of good behaviour, but after that time they relaxed somewhat. As they came ashore, it was seen that many of the mothers had exercised considerable ingenuity in arranging simple methods of transporting their families. A young baby was carried in a canvas box open at the top, with a handle amidships. Another was slung in a special chair from its mother's shoulders, so that her hands were free for carrying luggage and shepherding other children. A third infant was carried in a sort of laundry-basket by two women, each holding a separate handle.

Toujours la Politesse

The youngsters were remarkably healthy-looking, browned with the sun of the tropics, but distinguished by English mannerisms and politeness. They showed a remarkable diversity of dress, ranging from a party of kilted young Scots to a toddler in brown battle-dress with an airman's helmet. Though comment on the wharf prior to their arrival gave the impression that these first arrivals were children of rich families who had been able to pay their own fares at wartime rates, it was evident at a glance that this was inaccurate. The children and their parents were of all classes and walks of life, and were predominantly middle-class. A very large proportion were travelling tourist-class.

HAWKE'S BAY SOCCER TEAM

Side To Meet Poverty Bay

The following team will represent Hawke's Bay in the East Coast Rose Bowl match, Hawke's Bay v. Poverty Bay, to be played on Nelson Park, Napier, on Saturday afternoon, at 2.45 p.m.:—

Goal, Ben Christie; R.B., T. Gosling; L.B., A. Mackie; R.H., J. Cullen; C.H., A. McLean; L.H., Roy Atkinson; O.R. Peter Millet; I.R., W. Thompson; C.F., Ron Rigby; I.L., A. Gibson; O.L., W. Brown.

Emergencies: R. Kersey, W. Campbell. Referee: R. Gallacher.

Manure Works In Hawke's Bay

PROJECT REVIVED

Mr Cullen Active In The Matter

"A DEFINITE NEED"

Support for a proposal to establish a fertiliser works at Napier to serve Hawke's Bay was given by the member for Hawke's Bay (Mr E. L. Cullen) in an interview this week. During his recent visit to Wairoa he met local bodies and the Council for Primary Production, which whom he discussed the project.

Mr Cullen in the interview said that the Production Council at Wairoa was co-operating with the council in other parts of the province in an effort to have the works established. He knew that there was a definite, almost urgent, need for these works, continued Mr Cullen, for he was satisfied that there were large areas of land between Napier and Gisborne that were "just starving" for manure supplies.

The logical location for the works would be near the Port of Napier, said Mr Cullen, and with its increased harbour facilities there was a better argument in favour of the scheme. He intimated that he was taking up the matter with certain members to sanction a licence.

He understood that there would be no difficulty in financing the works, said Mr Cullen, for both the farming community and the freezing companies were anxious to see the project initiated in Hawke's Bay.

A LABOUR PARTY CAUCUS

Economic Situation Discussed

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 11.

Members of the Parliamentary Labour Party held one of their periodic caucuses to-day. In addition to purely party business the caucus discussed matters relating to the general economic situation in the Dominion.

It is expected that the caucus will continue to-morrow.

MINER KILLED AT KAITANGATA

Crushed By Fall Of Coal

By Telegraph—Press Association.
DUNEDIN, Sept. 11.

The death took place at Balclutha hospital this afternoon of Thomas Randle Carson, married, aged 41, following injuries received in an accident at Kaitangata coal mine on Monday.

Carson was struck by a fall of stone and coal, receiving a fractured skull and other injuries. He failed to regain consciousness.

A family of seven children is left.

ELECTRIC SPEEDWAY AT HASTINGS

Miniature Cars On A Banked Track

One of the most spectacular carnivals to visit Hastings is showing at the rear of the Hastings Hotel under direction of Mr Angus A. Duncan. It consists of the "Electric Speedway," the most popular "ride" at New York World's Fair, the Glasgow Exhibition and the New Zealand Centennial Exhibition.

It was packed to capacity every day and night. The occupants have full control of the miniature cars on a banked speedway track. The carnival also consists of the penny amusement arcade, rifle range, ever popular "knock-em," and "hoop-la," and others too numerous to mention. The carnival is open from 11 a.m. daily.

HAVELOCK NORTH GOLF CLUB

Members of the Havelock North Golf Club will take part in the mixed Canadian foursome postponed from last week. The draw is the same as that previously published. The starting time is 12.30 p.m.

COLLECTING MONEY FOR PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Order Of St. John And The Red Cross Society

STATEMENT ISSUED

A statement clarifying the work of the Joint Council of the Order of St. John and the New Zealand Red Cross Society has been issued on behalf of the National Patriotic Fund Board. It is said that there is a definite misunderstanding regarding the work and the co-operation of the bodies.

The Joint Council has been appointed by the National Patriotic Fund Board as the authorised collector for the sick and wounded fund, all moneys collected being paid to the National Patriotic Fund Board, says the statement. The Joint Council has also been appointed the only authorised expending agent of the sick and wounded fund; that is to say, the Joint Council actually carries out the work of the board in connection with the sick and wounded.

The National Patriotic Fund Board in the early days of the war decided that moneys should be raised in the order in which they would be expended. Consequently they authorised first the fighting services appeal (for the comforts of troops overseas), which was held in May, and second the sick and wounded appeal which has recently been completed. Arrangements have now been made between the National Patriotic Fund Board and the Provincial Patriotic Councils that no further national appeals will be made by independent bodies, and all future appeals will be made by the Provincial Patriotic Councils. The next appeal will be that of the provincial patriotic councils for rehabilitation, or the care of the men upon their return.

The wonderful response made by the people of New Zealand to the appeal for the sick and wounded has been inspiring. The original amount aimed at—£250,000—has been doubly subscribed and, as far as can be foreseen, sufficient moneys are now in hand for this phase of the work.

Money on Application

The various committees and sub-committees of the Joint Council of the Order of St. John and New Zealand Red Cross Society will be provided with funds from which to carry out their war work on application being made to their centre. The work should, however, only be done as is requested from time to time by the headquarters of the Joint Council, which is supplied with the information of what actual work is required by requests from overseas, and by requests from the Director-General of Medical Services. It will be realised that making goods in excess of the actual requirements, plus a reasonable reserve, is at the present time a waste of good material.

The National Patriotic Fund Board and the Joint Council of the Order of St. John and New Zealand Red Cross Society desire to record their sincere thanks to the various committees throughout the whole of New Zealand who have worked so wholeheartedly for the success of the appeal, and to request them not to disband but to make their services available to their local patriotic committees throughout the Dominion.

The ordinary work of the Order of St. John and also of the Red Cross Society will carry on as in peacetime, but branches of both organisations, when advertising functions, are to state clearly and definitely that they are for their peacetime activities and not for the sick and wounded fund. As pointed out, the appeal for this fund is completed, and any further moneys that may be required will be the subject of announcement in due course by the National Patriotic Fund Board.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE WORK

Jointly Controlled

In view of the street appeal to be made at Hastings to-morrow it is interesting to review the work of the St. John Ambulance. This body is jointly controlled by the association, which is the parent body, and the brigade. The association is responsible for the training given in all classes for first-aid, home nursing and A.R.P. work. The brigade works in conjunction with the association in the practical aspect.

A new member wishing to join and holding no qualifications first receives instruction by means of lectures by the divisional surgeon, while practical knowledge is given by qualified brigadesmen. Upon passing an examination he is enrolled as a brigade member able to do public duty.

It is necessary for brigadesmen to attend an inspection and also to be re-examined each year. This ensures that members are efficient and conversant with the latest methods of rendering first aid. Work and training is not hard, but constant study and practice is necessary.

Hastings is fortunate in having a membership of 200 who give service whenever called upon. This subdivision is looked upon as most efficient and it can be safely said that its members are as keen as any in New Zealand.

PATRIOTIC FUNDS AT HASTINGS

Further Contributions Acknowledged

Contributions to the Mayor's patriotic fund at Hastings continue at a steady rate. The following donations are acknowledged:—

	£	s.	d.
J. R. Munro (proceeds card evening)	1	6	0
Mrs T. Brown (proceeds card evening)	1	17	6
Mrs George Nelson (sale flowers ex A. Simmonds and Co.)	3	1	0
Mrs G. R. Beamish (Christmas parcels)	1	0	0
Patriotic depot (sundry donations)	8	19	6
P. Atkins (proceeds boxing tournament, jockeys and trainers)	56	6	3
A. F. Shaw (doll)	1	10	0
Mrs Hopkins (collection parcels	2	3	6
Omahu Ladies' Progressive committee	10	0	0

TREATMENT OF MEASLES

ADVICE FOR ALL PARENTS

Disease Is Sometimes Serious

Have not you heard it said, "Oh, it's only harmless measles. You must expect children to have all the children's diseases." That idea is wrong as it is old fashioned (says a bulletin issued by the New Zealand Health Department). Every year measles cause deaths of children in New Zealand—lives that could be saved if parents would be more cautious. Children between the ages of 1 and 10 years are most liable to "catch" the disease. It has its greatest toll among children of five years and under.

Measles itself is not only dangerous but frequently other serious illnesses follow it. Broncho-pneumonia is one of the most common and fatal complications. Again, it may affect the ears and eyes. But broncho-pneumonia is the gravest development following measles and approximately sixty per cent. of all cases of broncho-pneumonia occur in children under five years of age.

The first signs of measles are sneezing, running at the nose, and a slight cough. The eyes look red and watery and the light hurts them. It is during this early period that others are very liable to catch the disease. The child may appear to have only a cold. But the mother who sends her child to school or allows him to play in the street at this time is helping to spread the disease to other children.

In the beginning there is little fever. In a day or two the skin becomes hot, the tongue becomes covered with a furry coating, and the throat grows very red. About the fourth day, red spots begin to appear behind the ears, on the forehead and face and soon spread down over the entire body. The spots collect in large red blotches and usually itch.

What To Do

As soon as your child shows signs of measles, keep the child out of school—indoors in bed in an airy room—and away from other children.

Call the doctor without delay. He will give your child the proper treatment. The diet should be light in character and the bowels kept well open.

Keep the direct light out of the child's eyes, and do not let him read until the doctor says it is safe.

Be sure to follow your doctor's directions for keeping your child's eyes, ears, mouth and nostrils perfectly clean. The discharge from your child's nose and throat and ears should be carefully gathered in clean rags and burned. Measles can easily be caught through the disease germs the sick person spreads by talking or coughing. For this reason only the doctor and the person who is nursing the patient should enter the sick room. Although children are more likely to catch the disease, adults, too, sometimes develop measles. In adult cases the disease may be even more serious.

Do not let the child get up until the doctor says it is safe. If possible after an attack of measles a good holiday in the country or at the seaside is advisable.

Remember that measles is considered to be most infectious from the early symptoms to the disappearance of the eruption. The period of exclusion from association with others must be continued until at least two weeks after the appearance of the rash, and until convalescence is completely established. If your child shows the signs of measles you should put him to bed, send for the doctor and obey his orders. Persons suffering from this disease should be strictly isolated and carefully nursed, and every precaution taken to prevent its spread to others.

The veteran smoker had been expatiating at the Club on the merits of toasted tobacco, but his pal didn't seem much impressed. "Honestly," he said, "I can't see how toasting the leaf can make much difference anyway!" The veteran laughed. "If you were to brew a pot of coffee, my dear chap, he said, "from coffee beans which hadn't been toasted (or roasted) before they were ground, the stuff wouldn't be worth drinking. It's heat, skilfully applied, that brings out the beautiful flavour and aroma of the coffee bean and it's precisely the same with tobacco. When the leaf is toasted (a rather complex process) it yields up its full flavour and fragrance, and what's more, the nicotine in it is mostly eliminated. Thus it becomes comparatively harmless. And, believe me, once you smoke toasted you'll have no time for any other tobacco. Oh, yes, there are several blends, Cut Plug No. 10 (Bullshead), Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog), Cavendish, Riverhead Gold and Desert Gold. And to my mind they're the pick of the basket. Every tobacconist stocks them."*

STEADY RESPONSE YESTERDAY

SPITFIRE APPEAL IN HAWKE'S BAY

Almost Two-Thirds In Hand

With an objective of £6500, the Spitfire fund in Hawke's Bay is approaching the £4000 mark. A steady flow of contributions was received yesterday, more especially in the country districts.

Following is a table showing the amounts raised and the allocations of the zones:—

	Raised.	Allocation.
	£	£
Napier	1360	1495
Hastings	1295	1560
H.B. County	376	715
Central H.B.	230	845
Southern H.B.	250	1040
Wairoa	—	845
Totals	£3911	£6500

Additional acknowledgements to the funds are as follows:—

NAPIER

	£	s.	d.
Previously acknowledged	1324	11	0
Miss K. Geddis	10	0	0
Burlingham Bros. and McMillan	5	5	0
Mrs S. Amyes	5	0	0
C. E. Rogers and Co.	2	2	0
Mrs C. E. Rogers	2	2	0
"Greta and Tom"	2	2	0
"Two Well-Wishers"	2	0	0
Nelson Park School children	1	6	0
Miss Hitchings	1	1	0
Mr B. M. Bennett	1	1	0
Miss Maxine Edgar	1	1	0
"G.R.N."	1	0	0
"V.D.C."	1	0	0
Mr & Mrs A. R. Cullen	1	0	0
Mr H. J. Hill	1	0	0
Mr & Mrs D. Byford	1	0	0
"E. and J."		10	0
"J.H.D."		10	0
Miss Z. Byford		5	0
Mr C. Sharp		5	0
"L.P."		5	0
Total	£1364	6	0

HASTINGS BOROUGH

	£	s.	d.
Previously acknowledged	840	12	3
J. A. Hennah	10	0	0
Roachs (1931) Ltd.	5	5	0
Anonymous	5	5	0
Miss M. A. Armstrong	2	0	0
E. M. M. Norris	2	2	0
C. S. Palmer	3	0	0
National Service Club	10	10	0
Mrs F. Alford (Tuai)	5	0	0
Redcliffe Station	5	0	0
Mrs J. Garnett	10	0	0
Pupils and Staff Mahora School	9	7	6
Mrs N. A. Powdrell	5	0	0
Mrs B. Stead	1	0	0
Mr G. Gunn	5	0	0
Mrs G. Gunn and Sons	5	0	0
Total	£924	1	9

OTHER HASTINGS DONATIONS

Previously acknowledged	352	8	9
"Old Scout"		5	0
Anonymous	1	0	0
Mrs M. A. Beamish	1	1	0
Mr A. Howse	1	1	0
Mrs W. B. Edwards	1	0	0
Mrs J. Russell	3	0	0
Miss J. Williams	5	0	0
C. F. Bixley	1	0	0
Mrs R. E. Clarkson		10	0
Mr Edward Millichamp	3	0	0
Miss June Mason	1	1	0
"Granny" Elsthorpe		10	0
Mr W. T. Watson		10	0
Total	£371	6	9

Of the above total, £181 19/- will be handed to the Hawke's Bay County Council. This represents the amount paid into the fund by residents in the Hawke's Bay county and will be transferred so that the county's quota may be filled.

HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN BOARD

Previously acknowledged	210	10	0
Mr and Mrs R. Sunderland	10	0	0
Mrs George Nelson	5	0	0
Mrs J. Kruse	3	0	0
Mrs C. J. Phillips	3	0	0
C. J. Phillips	3	0	0
H. R. Gilbertson	2	0	0
Mrs A. J. Foot	1	1	0
O.N.	1	0	0
"Wellwisher"	1	0	0
Anonymous	1	0	0
F.S.M.		10	0
Miss E. McLeod		10	0
Miss F. Bridge		10	0
Total	£242	1	0

HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY

Previously acknowledged	152	16	0
Mr H. M. Glazebrook	50	0	0
Mr F. C. Clark	5	0	0
Mr F. G. Gibson	5	5	0
Pupils of Mangateretere School	1	1	0
A. Robson	10	10	0
Mr and Mrs J. A. Absolom	10	0	0
Tutira W.I.	1	1	0
Amy H. Hutchinson	1	1	0
Total	£236	14	0

WAIPUKURAU BOROUGH COUNCIL

Previously acknowledged	103	3	0
"7789"	5	0	0
Miss M. G. Shand	2	0	0
Miss J. S. Shand	1	0	0
Mr C. Pattison	10	0	0
Mrs Borwick		10	0
H.B.R.	2	2	0
S. E. McNutt	44	5	0
Mr and Mrs G. A. Ellison	2	2	0
Total	£170	2	0

TOYS BEING PRODUCED BY FIRM IN HASTINGS

Father Christmas May Have Difficulty Filling His Bag This Year

The banning of the importation of toys from overseas is likely to result in a shortage of some lines this Christmas, according to information gained in Hastings yesterday. A Hastings firm which formerly made furniture is now turning its attention to the production of wooden toys on a large scale, and it is stated that already there is a keen market for supplies.

The inability of Dominion factories to produce toys on mass production lines is expected to result in higher prices. The small metal toys which, made by specialist factories, can be retailed for sixpence or a shilling, will be largely replaced by larger New Zealand-made wooden toys. The larger type of metal toys, also made in New Zealand, will be available, but difficulties in securing metal will probably result in their being in short supply.

"Supplies of materials must be procured, all of which are becoming increasingly difficult to obtain," says a circular letter received by retailers from a firm of toy manufacturers. "Paper for labels, cardboard for boxes, cellulose, lacquers and springs are all at a premium, while the box-makers themselves are suffering from a shortage of board and staples and are severely taxed to maintain deliveries. Even though timber is a local product, this is being rationed and much delay is experienced in securing stocks of the selected kiln-dried grade used in the manufacture of toys."

Costs Will Decline

The letter stated that the Dominion factories could not be expected to expand sufficiently in a night to produce goods as cheaply and as rapidly as overseas firms, but as the industry developed, the quantity and the quality of the goods that were coming forward were improving and the opinion was expressed that as time passed Dominion-made articles would come forward to fill the gaps created by the import restrictions.

Toys formerly came to New Zealand from England, Germany, America and Japan, but it is now doubtful that even if there were no import restrictions the Dominion could receive supplies from these sources. It is known that English factories which formerly produced millions of toys are now turning out such items as hand-grenades and Bren guns, while it can be presumed that German industries have been similarly converted.

Ironic Situation

It is rather ironic that something which is in the nature of a reverse process should have taken place in New Zealand, firms which once produced heavy articles are now turning to the production of playthings of a child. An instance of this is given in the case of a large car-assembly plant in the Dominion which is now converting its machinery to make small, metal toys.

Likewise in Hastings yesterday a "Daily Mail" reporter saw machines which several months ago made heavy chairs shaping toys that will delight the heart of some child this Christmas. It will be interesting to note how this promising new industry develops.

"SPITFIRE" CONCERT AT HASTINGS

Radio Star Neddo On The Programme

The 2ZM radio party, under the direction of Neddo, the popular radio star, will be the feature of the "Spitfire" concert to be held in the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, on Sunday night. Neddo is well known to thousands of radio listeners all over the country, especially the children. He is now in charge of 2ZM Gisborne, the only privately-owned radio station in the Dominion.

Using two microphones and a public address system, Mr Lew Munro's band will be heard in all the latest popular items. Miss Donovan will sing some of the "hits." Other entertainers will be the mouth-organ player, Mr C. Woodem, and Mr W. Keen and Miss Keen, vocalists.

Bookings are available at Denton Wyatt's book shop, Hastings.

RAILWAYMEN PROTEST AT THE RECENT HEAVY CUTS

"Misplaced Trust In The Labour Government" Referred To At Napier

A resolution protesting against recent actions of the Government was carried at a largely attended meeting of the Napier branch of the Enginedrivers, Firemen and Cleaners' Association held in the Railway Social Hall on Sunday, according to an official statement. The resolution reads:

"That the Napier members of the Enginedrivers, Firemen and Cleaners' Association make a most emphatic protest to the Government against the recent imposition of additional taxation on the wages of members of this association which is now equivalent to a cut of 20 per cent., made up as follows:—Sales tax 10 per cent., Social Security tax 5 per cent., and National Security 5 per cent., with the additional deduction of 5 per cent. for the Superannuation Fund.

"It is becoming clearly evident that the trust placed in the Labour Government has been misplaced, judged by the heavy and inequitable burden placed on the shoulders of those whom the Government was pledged to protect from suffering a lowered standard of living.

"We also consider that the Prime Minister has either been badly misinformed or else he is evading the issue when he publicly stated that the increasing series of resolutions being passed by railwaymen and other bodies are not representative of the mass of workers."

Miniature Rifle Shooting

HASTINGS CLUB

Trophy Winners For The Season

SUCCESSFUL YEAR

An inability to obtain ammunition caused the curtailment of the season of the Hastings Miniature Rifle Club, but the season was a most successful one. The standard of markmanship was exceptionally high, and if anything was an improvement on that of past years.

Still more members left during the year for active service, and to them all members extend the wish for a speedy and safe return, yet knowing that they will acquit themselves well should the need arise.

The honour of winning the club championship goes to J. Cox, who maintained a high consistency throughout, for which he receives the Stevenson Cup. He was closely challenged by J. M. Carmichael, who wins the Charlton trophy, a margin of only four points separating them.

A well-merited victory was that of R. Robinson, who used his handicap to advantage to win a "double," the Turner Williams Cup for the club handicap aggregate, and the Harvey Cup for the A-grade aggregate.

Improved Juniors

A feature of the B-grade events was that the honours go to two junior members, who have shown considerable improvement this year. They are P. Dunn, who wins the rifle aggregate and the F. L. Bone Cup, and L. Walden, winner of the handicap aggregate and the Barclay Cup, donated by the club captain. The latter member was unfortunate in missing the club handicap aggregate by a fraction of a point. To N. Livingston, runner-up in the rifle aggregate, goes the Macovini Cup.

In the women's section, Miss C. Robertson shot consistently well to win both the championship, with which goes the Stevenson Cup (women's championship), and the Witcombe and Caldwell Handicap Cup, the latter in a closely-contested finish. To the runner-up, Mrs C. Pirie, goes the H. J. Grieve Cup.

Following is a list of the principal rifle and handicap aggregates recorded in each grade by members of the club during the season:—

A Grade

Rifle aggregate: J. Cox 1243, J. M. Carmichael 1239, S. L. Luxford 1230, R. Robinson 1220, N. Pirie 1217, T. Rosenberg 1216, D. Dunn 1201.

Handicap aggregate: R. Robinson 1271.22, J. M. Carmichael 1270.09, S. L. Luxford 1268.70, N. Pirie 1267.01, J. Cox 1266.29.

B Grade

Rifle aggregate: P. Dunn 1182, N. Livingston 1177, R. Stevenson 1158, J. McNeilly 1140, L. Walden 1130, K. Breuer 1127.

Handicap aggregate: L. Walden 1271.07, K. Breuer 1269.51, C. Taylor 1268.19, N. Livingston 1266.82, K. Thompson 1266.33, P. Dunn 1266.57.

Women's Section

Rifle aggregate: Miss C. Robertson 1214, Mrs C. Pirie 1174, Mrs J. McCue 1112, Miss Denson 1088.

Handicap aggregate: Miss C. Robertson 1265.01, Mrs C. Pirie 1264.68, Mrs McCue 1264.49, Miss Denson 1264.23.

Cups and Trophies

The winners of the various cups and trophies won throughout the season are as follows:—

Stevenson Cup (club championship rifle aggregate): J. Cox 1243.

Charlton Trophy (runner-up club championship rifle aggregate): J. M. Carmichael 1239.

Turner Williams Cup (handicap aggregate all male members): R. Robinson 1271.22.

Harvey Cup (A-grade handicap aggregate): R. Robinson 1271.22.

F. L. Bone Cup (B-grade rifle aggregate): P. Dunn 1182.

Macovini Cup (runner-up B-grade rifle aggregate): N. Livingston 1177.

Barclay Cup (B-grade handicap aggregate): L. Walden 1271.07.

Stevenson Cup (women's rifle aggregate): Miss C. Robertson 1214.

H. J. Grieve Cup (runner-up women's rifle aggregate): Mrs C. Pirie 1174.

Witcombe and Caldwell Cup (women's handicap aggregate): Miss C. Robertson 1265.01.

Trophies: A-grade, L. E. Brathwaite 1, H. Gibson 2, T. Rosenberg 3, J. Cox 4, S. L. Luxford 5, J. M. Carmichael 6, T. Rosenberg 7. B-grade, P. Walden 1, L. Walden 2, C. Taylor 3, K. Thompson 4, J. McCue 5, L. Walden 6, K. Breuer 7. Women's section, Mrs Patmore 1, Mrs Hooper 2, Mrs McCue 3, Miss Robertson 4, Mrs Pirie 5, Miss Denson 6, Mrs McCue 7.

The presentation of the above trophies will take place at a social evening arranged for Saturday, September 21, in the Homely Tearooms, opposite the Albert Hotel, commencing at 8 p.m., and all members are invited to bring their friends.

Air Force Man Honoured

NAPIER GATHERING

Mr J. T. Tringham Guest Of Honour

The opportunity was taken on Tuesday evening by some hundred guests, to meet Wireless Operator J. T. Tringham, better known to his friends as "Snowy," when his mother, family and friends entertained him to a very pleasant evening at Miss Jean Lee's studio in Bower Street.

The studio had been tastefully decorated for the occasion by a very willing band of lady helpers and Mr and Mrs Lee placed their house at the disposal of those who were not dancers.

During the supper adjournment Mr J. Fairclough on behalf of the guests assembled, and also on behalf of the principal guest's mother and family, took the opportunity of wishing him success. On behalf of his mother and relatives he presented the guest of honour with a gold mounted pen and pencil in case and from the friends who were gathered there a gold engraved signet ring, these gifts carrying with them the well wishes of one and all.

Prominent in Sport

"Snowy" Tringham was very well known in sporting circles, particularly in the soccer field, and on behalf of the High School Old Boys' Club, of which "Snowy" was one of the foundation members, Mr C. J. S. Nicholson, president of the club, and secretary of the H.B. Association, made a presentation of an initialled pocket wallet. The music for the dancing was supplied by Mr J. Stevens.

During the evening Miss Ninty Vannan gave an exhibition Highland Fling.

Napier Plunket Society

MONTHLY MEETING

Competitions held at the recent shop day of the Napier Plunket Society resulted as follows: Bag, Mrs Popplewell, Eskdale; Cake, Mrs Purvis, Clyde Road; sheep, R. Rees; second cake, Mrs Logan, Colenso Avenue; turkey, Mrs L. C. Rolls, Coleman Terrace.

Mrs T. M. Geddis presided at the monthly meeting of the society, those present being Mesdames T. B. Ferguson, H. Tonkin, L. S. McClurg, F. W. Browne, H. Ellerm, H. R. Bisley, E. N. H. Stewart, F. D. Logan, L. C. Rolls and W. Forsyth.

Subscriptions totalling £93 5/8 were received.

The country reports stated: "The following districts have been visited: Greenmeadows, four times; Taradale, five times; Puketapu, twice; Westshore, four times; Bay View, twice; Eskdale, twice; Awatoto, twice; Whareranga, twice; Puketitiri, once; Rissington, once; Meeanee, once. New babies for the month totalled 8; number of country visits 93."

The general report stated: "Number of cases on list, 674; visits to homes, 282; visits to office, adults, 662, babies and pre-school children 651, 1313; new cases for month, 25; letters written, 3; letters received, 6; advice by telephone, 57; total new cases for town and country, 33; total visits for town and country 365."

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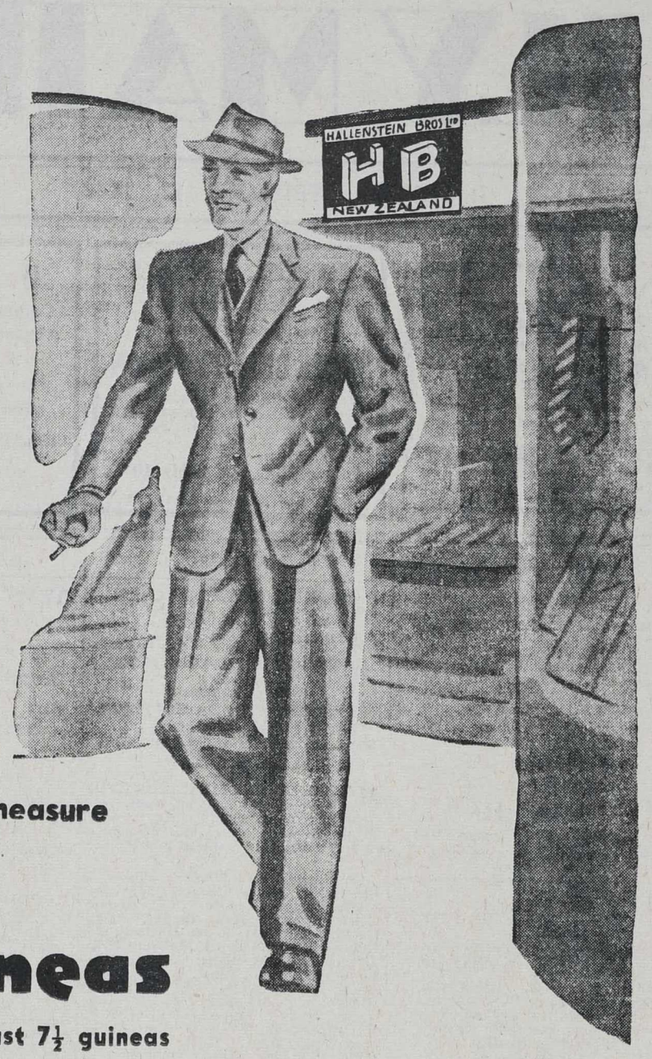

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SPRING PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT

Plenty Of Horses In Work

FIRST GLANCE THROUGH N.Z. CUP LIST

Royal Chief Will Be Topweight

(By MOTUROA.)

August over, and the jumping season now a thing of the past, racing clubs, and horse-owners and trainers, and the general public are now summing up the prospects for the new season, spring in particular. Racing clubs framing their programmes have many complex problems to beset them, but the general impression is that the level of prize-money for the 1940-41 season will be maintained. Indeed, the lengthy nomination and acceptance lists for the early spring meetings must engender a feeling of some security for clubs racing in the immediate future. Whether such liberal patronage will continue throughout the season or not is dependent upon the international situation, but it is the urgent hope of all that Britain and the British Empire will soon resume the even tenor of their way.

Whether the horses of the 1940-41 season will prove to be of the same standard as last year in all departments remains to be seen. However, there seems to be no reason for pessimism at all. It is true that some of our leading horses—notably Beaulivre and Beau Vite—have been sent across the Tasman to contest the well-endowed early spring classics and handicaps in Australia, but they are acting as splendid ambassadors for the New Zealand bloodstock industry and there are fewer of the lesser lights than usual trekking Sydney-wards. At home many proven and promising horses remain, and, in all probability, fresh champions will arise from unexpected quarters as they have done before.

It is not always the highest priced or highest rated thoroughbred that proves the real top-notcher; in fact, many of our greatest winners have in the past ranked as bargains of the sale-ring. With fresh blood infused into our breeding establishments, it is quite likely that before very long we may have to remodel our ideas; that the successful sires of yesterday may have to take minor places behind the new ones imported or produced locally in the past few years.

And in this way, though overseas sportsmen follow the beaten trail in paying high prices for yearlings from winning strains, much good quality—some of it from unexpected sources—may be unearthed to carry on the sport in New Zealand on robust, virile lines.

"LACK of outside support has been one of the main reasons for the loss of revenue of the Poverty Bay Turf Club during the past few years," stated Mr Fred Tolerton at the annual meeting of his club last week. He said that the Poverty Bay Turf Club would probably have to relinquish two days' racing this season.

That such should be the case is a matter for profound regret. It is a reflection on the foresight of Hawke's Bay owners and trainers, for no one will deny that racing in this province is substantially dependent on support from the Poverty Bay district. Messrs E. N. Fitzgerald, F. Tolerton, D. J. Barry, H. H. Dods, M. Moore and others never fail to send their teams down to our fixtures, and sight must not be lost of the fact that these owners will have to curtail their racing if there is less scope in their own district.

Hawke's Bay owners and trainers should realise that the success of meetings in this province is not likely to continue without support from neighbouring provinces and they would be working towards their own ends to make the sport a success in the Poverty Bay district. The Poverty Bay Turf Club makes a really liberal travelling allowance for visiting horses and it follows as a natural corollary that the prize-money at Gisborne will improve as the finances of the club improve.

It is to be hoped, therefore, that Hawke's Bay sportsmen will look at the Poverty Bay meetings from a less insular perspective and, by generously supporting the spring fixture, encourage the club to hold its existing permits.

OUR JEAN IN GOOD NICK

NOTHING reads better in the Avondale Cup on Saturday than the consistent Vaals mare Our Jean, who, by her fine second to Royal Message at the Pakuranga Hunt meeting last month, has shown that she is as good as ever, and is well forward.

With 7.12 in the Avondale Cup, Our Jean is weighted at 11lb. under standard w.f.a., and this liberal concession is difficult to understand despite the fact that the field is a very strong one and that the Avondale Cup is always a hard race to win. There are few engaged in this event who have better form than the Auckland mare, and she will find her impost a luxurious one.

Twice a winner and twice placed in eight starts, Our Jean was a good two-year-old, but she was a model of consistency last season, when her sixteen starts produced six wins and six minor placings. She raced over all distances from six furlongs to a mile and three furlongs.

It was over this latter distance in the Alison Cup that Our Jean carried 7.9 to finish on and beat Fils de Vaals, Mintlaw and Royevrus at Ellerslie. Our Jean failed under good weights at the subsequent Waikato and Franklin meetings, but her last start of the season was to run Foxmond and Classform to a head and a neck in the G.N. Oaks.

Our Jean has the brilliance and the stamina necessary for a hard race like the Avondale Cup.

THE CUP FIELD

SIXTY-ONE horses are entered for the New Zealand Cup, to be run in eight weeks' time, but a cursory glance through the nomination list leaves the impression that the tail-enders will constitute a large proportion of those handicapped. The proven stayers in the field can be counted on one hand, but the spring racing has in other years revealed many unexpected stayers, and it would be unwise at this juncture to condemn the field as a whole.

The surprise absentee from the list is Old Bill, who fought on so gamely to beat Beau Vite in the Wellington Centennial Cup. No fault can be found with the condition of the five-year-old Siegfried horse, but it would seem that Luke Wilson regards him as a better middle-distance prospect.

Handicapper Russell will not have to look far for his topweight with Royal Chief engaged. He gave this fine Chief Ruler horse 9.6 last year and there is little doubt that Royal Chief was the unlucky runner of the race, having to come through a big field from last to run a great fourth.

Royal Chief is now a six-year-old and he is not likely to improve, but he had a fairly light season in 1939-40 and Riccarton reports suggest that he has come up well for his preparation for this year's Cup. One of the gamest and most consistent horses foaled in recent years, Royal Chief can be depended upon for another gallant effort and his form during the next two months will be the cynosure of all eyes.

SCANDAL'S form at the Wanganui meeting last week was very good. The Bulandshar gelding should go on to further successes in the next few weeks.

A GRAND STAYER

THE BUZZER, who won the Auckland Cup in 1937, did not contest the last New Zealand Cup, but he was a good thing beaten in the 1938 contest, suffering a head defeat at the hands of Arctic King, who showed unexpected stamina.

The Buzzer, who is a son of The Buzzard, the most successful sire of stayers in recent years, is a genuine stayer himself. But for going amiss, The Buzzer might have played an important part in the long-distance races last season. It is encouraging, however, to hear that he has resumed training at Awapuni looking wonderfully improved by his long spell.

Provided he trains on, The Buzzer should again be worthy of consideration as a Cup candidate, and it will be interesting to see how he shapes at the coming meetings.

Capricious, still eligible for hack company, by the way, finished strongly into second place in the Cup last year to Yours Truly. The Night Raid—Egotism mare is a true stayer and her solidness is suggested by the fact that she was eleven times placed in 17 starts last season without securing a win.

It takes Capricious a long time to wind up, but she should be at her best this season and the reward may come for her consistency.

OFTEN IN THE MONEY

DICTATE has been in the money in most of the big races in New Zealand. He finished strongly into third place in the Cup last year and he was in a similar position in the Auckland Cup in 1938. He is certainly a good stayer, but he has been too unlucky in important races to be regarded very seriously.

The Cardinal shaped like a stayer last spring when he came from the clouds to win brilliantly in the Avondale Cup, but his subsequent form was poor. He is one of the Night Raid tribe, however, and he may be more solid this season.

Yogi impresses as being a true staying type, his success over twelve furlongs in the A.R.C. Autumn Handicap being most decisive. As a four-year-old this season he should come to his best and his appearance certainly subscribes to this contention. Yogi's own-sister Peerless is also engaged and her owner won this race with Oratrix, who was regarded as purely a middle-distance mare until she won the Cup in 1928.

However, Yogi should be the pick of this pair. He looks more likely to see out two miles than the dual Oaks winner and his connections make no secret of the fact that they expect him to make a brave showing in November.

IS HE A BACK NUMBER?

WILLIE WIN is undoubtedly a fine stayer. He was second in the Melbourne Cup three years ago and fourth in the New Zealand Cup in 1938, while he returned to form last autumn when he scored an easy victory in the Great Autumn Handicap.

Now a nine-year-old, Willie Win is surely past his best, but one hesitates to class such a good stayer as a back-number, especially as he likes the Riccarton track.

Sparkle is highly regarded in the south. She won the Dunedin Cup in very easy fashion from Capricious and Willie Win, and it is reported that she is in very solid condition to begin her spring preparation. Sparkle is bred to stay two miles for she is by Colonel Cygnus from Lambent, who was by the Flaxmere sire Tractor from Dazzling Light, a mare by Kilbroney from the imported Simper, who presented the Turf with that great stayer Gold Light, as well as Affectation, Razzle Dazzle, Beacon Light and Sir Simper.

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Classform had a strenuous time as a three-year-old last season, but she was solid and a promising stayer, finishing fast into second place in both Oaks contests and being narrowly beaten by Yogi at Ellerslie. She is a hardy sort, however, and it does not seem as if the best has yet been seen of her.

HAWKE'S BAY HOPES

THE RING'S main claim to fame is her success in the last Hawke's Bay Cup, but this mare looks better all round this season and it would be unwise to discount her chances in the New Zealand Cup.

By that good sire of stayers Siegfried, The Ring is bred from Gay Salute, by that good brood-mare sire Lord Quex from Soot, by All Black from Salute, a half-sister to March, the dam of the dual Auckland Cup winner Te Kara, King March and second dam of Limarch. On the score of breeding there will be nothing better in the 1940 Cup field, and her trainer knows what is required for a big race like the New Zealand Cup.

The Grand National Hurdles winner Limbohm seems to be set an ambitious programme and more attention will be given to the Ngatarawa four-year-old Arcas. It is against this improving young horse that he is by Hunting Song and he may be better suited by middle-distance racing this season.

Coronation is owned by the Orongi sportsman Mr Herbert Gaisford and is bred along classic lines. However, while he impresses as being a good staying type, this Limond horse has no form yet to recommend him for the New Zealand Cup. Further light may be shed on his prospects at Avondale this week, so much interest will be taken in his running.

SHOWED SOME STAMINA

BEAU REPAIRE showed some stamina at Trentham last January when he finished strongly into fourth place in the Wellington Cup. On the second day of the meeting he beat off his half-brother, Royal Chief, in a gruelling finish for the Racing Club Handicap (11 furlongs), but he failed subsequently in his two starts in the autumn.

It is possible that Beau Repaire was feeling his hard summer racing and in that case he can be expected to make amends early this season. He is better bred on his sire's side to stay than Royal Chief, so his form in the Avondale Cup this week will be closely watched.

Taurangi impresses as being a better mare than she was twelve months ago when she won the Waikato Cup, and she will enter early discussions on the New Zealand Cup, while Siegmund and Settlement — though disappointing at times—have both shown stamina when at their best and they have both raced well at Riccarton.

The remainder have to be taken on trust and, while the spring meetings to be decided in the next eight weeks may cause a revision of early opinions, a quartette who will figure among the early Cup favourites will be

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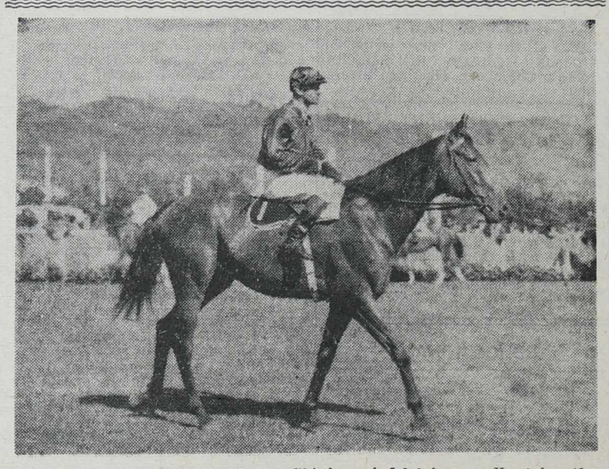

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100 head of table poultry.
20 B.O. and W.L. roosters.
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WAIPUKURAU YARDS.
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1940.
Sale will commence at 10.30 a.m. with cattle followed by fat and store sheep. Sale of sheep will commence not later than 12 noon.
SHEEP—
CATTLE—

STORTFORD LODGE YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1940.
The sale will commence at 10 a.m. with fat cattle.
No stock will be yarded before 6 a.m. until further notice.
The times for commencing selling will be as follows: Beef cattle 10 a.m., store sheep 12 noon, fat sheep at 30 minutes after completion of fat cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are finished before that hour. Store cattle not earlier than 12 noon.
SHEEP—
40 Fat Ewes.
60 Fat Lambs.
500 Wether Hoggets.
200 Ewe Hoggets.
CATTLE—
140 1/2-yr. Steers.
80 1/2-yr. Heifers.
40 Empty Cows and Heifers.

SALES FOR SEPTEMBER:
Waipukurau: 17, 24.
Stortford Lodge: 18, 25.

WAIROA SALE YARDS.
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1940.
(Commencing 11.30 a.m.
SHEEP—
420 M.S. Hoggets.
589 Wether Hoggets.
100 W.W. Hoggets.
90 Ewe Hoggets.
CATTLE—
20 M.S. Cattle.
HORSES—
10 Hacks, broken to lead.
3 Draught Horses.
2 Hacks.
All Sheep should be dipped before being offered for sale.

WAIROA SALE YARDS
CATTLE FAIR.
SEPTEMBER 19, 1940.
265 2/3-yr. P.A. & Hereford Steers
30 2-yr. Heifers.
20 Yearling Steers.
10 Yearling Heifers.
55 3/4-yr. Bullocks.
60 Empty Store Cows.
25 18-mths. Hereford Steers.

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