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ROOSEVELT'S WAR POLICY

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.

"America is rising to meet the ever-growing need for an adequate physical armed defence," said President Roosevelt in a speech to the Teamsters' Union Convention. He promised not to abandon labour, which would gain as a result of rearmament. At the same time, he pointed out that in countries where unions had disappeared the iron hand of the dictator had taken command.

He emphasised that people who yielded their liberty for revolutionary promises received only the rationing of news, religion, clothes, and bread.

"Our mighty defence effort against all present and potential threats cannot be measured alone in terms of a mathematical increase in soldiers, sailors, guns, tanks, and 'planes,'" he added. "Behind must stand a united people."

"I hate war more than ever and I have one supreme determination—to do all I can to keep war from these shores for all time. Let us have an end to appeasement, which seeks to keep us helpless by playing on fear by indirect sabotage of all the progress we are making."

CANADA WILL REDOUBLE EFFORTS

EVERY SUPPORT FOR BRITAIN

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OTTAWA, Sept. 12.
The Canadian Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King) has called Mr. Winston Churchill: "The men, women and children of Great Britain may rely on Canada redoubling her efforts to give all the support in her power to their inspiring resistance to the barbarous and inhuman slaughter they are called on to endure."

OPPOSITION TO BRITAIN IN U.S.A.

German-American Group

SUM SUBSCRIBED FOR PROPAGANDA

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NEW YORK, Sept. 12.
The "New York Herald-Tribune" says that the Steuben Society is launching a drive against British influence in America, for which 100 of the society's members are each contributing 100 dollars.
The society is described as politically the most powerful German-American group.

Aero Engines For U.S.A. From Ford Plant

NEW FACTORY TO BE BUILT

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NEW YORK, Sept. 12.
Mr. Edsel Ford announces the building of an "1,000,000 dollar plant to construct 4000 double Wasp aero engines for the Government. Delivery will begin in March."

KING'S BIRTHDAY NOVEMBER 25

Gazette Regulation Published

(By Telegraph—Press Association.)
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

The King's birthday will this year be observed on November 25, according to the King's Birthday Emergency Regulations, 1940, Amendment No. 1, which is published with to-night's Gazette. The regulations also provide that it will be observed as a statutory holiday.

CABLE MESSAGES DELAYED

A Press Association cable from London advises that most of the air raid messages are being delayed upwards of 11 hours.

TERRIFIC LONDON BARRAGE

Nazi Raiders Meet More Than They Bargained For

FIFTH NIGHT OF MURDEROUS ATTACKS

Fast Machines Come Over At Ten-Minute Intervals

WITHERING FIRE FORCES MOST TO RETREAT

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LONDON, Sept. 12.

The sirens sounded in London four times yesterday. Bombs were rained on a section of London during the second raid. Apparently when our fighters headed the bombers from the centre of London they unloaded loads indiscriminately. The battle raged from the coast to the Thames Estuary and back again.

The darkness enabled fresh forces of invaders to penetrate the London area, which soon reverberated with gunfire and exploding bombs.

The Germans opened the attack at about three o'clock in the afternoon, and within a few minutes two formations totalling 275 bombers and fighters had crossed the coast. The bulk of the raiders immediately headed for London, apparently making for the docks, but only a small portion got through. The rest were scattered and fled back across the Channel after jettisoning their bombs, most of which fell in the Surrey and Sussex woods.

Seven raiders at one time were ringed by exploding shells. The noise shook London, but it was the almost cheerful noise of a great city fighting back.

Millions of tired but greatly cheered Londoners have now been listening for hours to the most amazing anti-aircraft barrage. Sleep has become impossible in all but the deep shelters.

Shrapnel is incessantly raining on streets and buildings almost all over London.

Nobody now has doubts that the Hun met more than he bargained for on his fifth night of murdering. Never in history has such a wall of steel been flung up. The Germans appear to be finding it most difficult to penetrate the barrage. Early on Thursday morning they seemed to be using single fast machines, which were coming over at 10-minute intervals in an effort to reach central London, but all raced back when they met the withering fire.

The raiders became more active as the night wore on and bombs seemed as numerous as guns.

The Polish squadron was again to the forefront on Wednesday afternoon, when 73 raiders were shot down, of which 43 were bombers. The Poles destroyed seven bombers and seven fighters.

It is officially stated that reports to midnight indicate that at least 90 raiders were destroyed on Wednesday.

An Air Ministry communique states that the majority of the bombs dropped on London on Wednesday ranged from 25lb. to 100lb. A small percentage of 250lb. and some 1000-pounders were dropped on the docks. These are believed to be the heaviest types that Germany possesses, but they are considered uneconomical.

Bond Street and the Burlington Arcade were damaged in Tuesday night's raids.

The Berlin radio stated that German bombers yesterday afternoon attacked the great oil-storage depot at Port Victoria, south-west of Sheerness, and set fire to several tanks and a tanker.

It is officially stated that severe losses were inflicted on the enemy in yesterday's air battles. The attacks which followed in the night were less effective than any of those since Saturday. The London area was subject to most of these attacks. The enemy, as usual, dropped many bombs at random over widely separated districts of the capital, the main force of his offensive being directed against south London and its suburbs.

Burning Oil
A "flaming breadbasket" fell outside a shop, and burning oil spread along the street. Members of the Auxiliary Fire Service extinguished the flames while bombs were falling in adjoining streets, in which houses were demolished.

It is feared that many men, women, and children evacuated from their homes after Saturday's raids were killed when an East End school was wrecked. The school was used as a refuge for about 500 homeless people. Doctors and nurses worked by the light of torches, treating survivors rescued from under tons of debris. Masonry and girders crumbled down on the refugees, who were sheltering on the ground floor. Rescuers found two babies, aged nine and six months respectively, alive under the ruins.

Mass of Wreckage
Dozens of streets in this area presented a scene of mass wreckage. Many people, on emerging from their Anderson shelters, found their homes demolished.

Raiders attacked one area with the utmost determination. Here were concentrated scores of bombs in a small space. Several delayed-action bombs in the same district went off during the night, damaging several houses.

There were some casualties when a bomb hit a hospital in the central district.

A Roman Catholic church was demolished in Central London. Valuable music manuscripts and antique furniture were destroyed when the home of a well-known woman pianist was damaged.

Dropping from the clouds despite fierce anti-aircraft fire, a Dornier unloaded its cargo of bombs against a train en route to the coast from London.

A bomb fell through the roof of an empty carriage, causing a fire, which was quickly extinguished.

ARMAMENT PRODUCTION IN CANADA

BIG OUTLAY BEFORE START

Orders For Britain Fulfilled

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(Received Sept. 12, 8.40 p.m.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.

The Minister of Production (the Hon. C. D. Howe) said to-day that Canadian war industries had augmented by over 200,000,000 dollars their capital expenditure and were entering a period where, instead of building, they were producing.

The total capital expenditure on plant and equipment in Canada by England and Canada jointly was as follows:—

	Dollars
Explosives and chemicals	58,400,000
Armament	67,000,000
Ammunition	19,000,000
Shells, cartridge cases, fuses	1,400,000
Automotive equipment (including tanks)	4,500,000
Base metals for aircraft	62,000,000
British purchases since the outbreak of war amount to 208,000,000 dollars exclusive of lumber and foodstuffs. Canadian war purchases total 135,000,000 dollars, exclusive of plant extensions.	

BOMBING RAIDS IN MIDDLE EAST

Rome Communique

BOTH SIDES LOSE TWO PLANES

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LONDON, Sept. 12.

A communique from Rome says that the Italian Air Force repeatedly attacked Sullum, Sidi Barrani and Mersa Matruh and bombed and machine-gunned plants, army vehicles and troops, considerable damage being observed. Italian bombers claim to have shot down two British fighters, two Italian 'planes are reported to be missing.

British 'planes raided Bardia, Tobruk, Derna and Kassala, adds the communique, and considerably damaged non-military objectives, 13 being killed and 21 wounded.

JAPAN WANTS FREE HAND

AMERICA TOLD NOT TO INTERFERE

Navy's Attitude To Indo-China

(United Press Association—Copyright.)
(Received September 12, 9.50 p.m.)

HANOI, Sept. 11.

French circles in Indo-China are hopefully turning to the United States since Mr. Cordell Hull's statement that any change in the status quo would have an unfortunate effect on public opinion in the United States. Negotiations have been virtually suspended, apparently pending further Tokyo instructions. However, Admiral Decoux and General Nishihara continue to dine together.

Captain Chudoh, head of the Japanese naval delegation, commenting on Mr. Hull's statement, said that not only the Japanese people, but the entire nation desired that the United States confine its actions and words to its own hemisphere, leaving Japan free in the Orient.

He added that the Navy's interest in the negotiations included naval bases and aerodromes.

People who have arrived recently at Singapore from French Indo-China report that the Japanese demands are:—

1. Three air bases in the province of Tongking, with a personnel of 8000 each.
2. The use of Camranh Bay naval base.
3. Passage of 60,000 troops through Tongking.

It was earlier declared that the French Governor, Admiral Decoux, was holding out against the Japanese but could not do so much longer owing to pressure from the Vichy Government.

One report said that Admiral Decoux had already agreed to allow Japan the use of three aerodromes with a personnel of 1000, and passage of 20,000 troops.

Another report is that Admiral Decoux has sent three telegrams to President Roosevelt. The contents are unknown, but it is "believed that he pointed out Indo-China's critical position, especially as 95 per cent of the population is opposed to Vichy and is for General de Gaulle."

Nazi Ships And Ports Bombarded

REPEATED OFFENSIVE

British Preventive Against Invasion

CHANNEL GUARDED

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LONDON, Sept. 12.

A convoy of at least 12 fairly large enemy ships was sighted yesterday afternoon in the Channel near Cap Gris Nez en route to Boulogne. There they put up a smoke screen and were also covered by a dive-bombing attack against Dover, which was also shelled by guns mounted on the French coast. The British guns replied, after which R.A.F. 'planes disappeared toward the French and Belgian coastline; they are believed to have dropped bombs eastward of Calais.

The long-range duel across the Channel continued after dark, being interspersed with the chattering of defence guns against lone German fighters and nine bombers.

It was Dover's severest shelling of the war. Some were killed and others wounded.

An Admiralty communique says: "Our naval light forces are taking strong and repeated offensive actions against German shipping movements, ports, and concentrations of shipping. These operations have inflicted losses on the enemy and damage to port facilities which are vital in the event of an attempted invasion of England."

"Further details cannot be given without disclosing information useful to the enemy."

THREATS SENT TO JUDGES AT SHANGHAI

SUPPORT JAPANESE REGIME, OR DIE

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SHANGHAI, Sept. 12.

General Wang's political police headquarters have sent the following letter to Chungking's Chinese judges in the International Settlement's Courts:—

"Since the British troops have withdrawn and the Americans are no longer important, we advise you to join us within a week, otherwise your lives will be worthless."

Conscription For America

AGREEMENT REACHED

Younger Men To Register

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.

A conference between representatives of the Senate and the House has agreed to the conscription measure requiring the registration of men between 21 and 35 and eliminated Representative Fish's amendment providing for a 60-day postponement of the draft.



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CONRAD VEIDT'S GIFT
FOR WARPLANES
British Official Wireless,
RUGBY, Sept. 11.
Among subscriptions for the purchase of aircraft acknowledged by the Minister of Aircraft Production (Lord Beaverbrook) was £100 from the German film star, Conrad Veidt.
Conrad Veidt, who was born in Berlin, has long been a noted figure in British films. Among his most famous films have been "The Wandering Jew," "Jew Suss," "I Was a Spy," "Rome Express," and "U-Boat 29."

REMARKABLE ESCAPE
A remarkable escape from serious injury was experienced by Mr. George O'Connor, an employee of Stewart Greer Motors Ltd., Napier, early yesterday afternoon, when the car which he was driving was involved in a collision which caused the vehicle to spin completely around before coming to rest against an electric light standard at the corner of Clive Square. It appears that Mr. O'Connor was driving along West Clive Square and had just crossed the intersection of Carlyle street, when his car received a violent blow from a motor truck driven by Chinese gardener. Both vehicles were extensively damaged.

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MAIN TROT TO THE BACKMARKER
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The New Brighton Trotting Club's postponed meeting was held yesterday in fine weather. The track was in fast order and there was a good attendance.
The results are:—
IMPROVERS' HANDICAP, of £200 (3.41 class), 13 miles.—7.6 Patche's discovery, scr. (P. Gabb), 3-3; Elite Rev. scr. (A. Fairbairn), 2; 10-10 Hamel Bay, scr. (R. Donald), 3. Also started: Danzie Guy, Lady Ede, Mack-scot, Native Rules, bracketed with second horse), Pegasus Bay, scr.; Manian, 12; George Arliss, Syntax, 24; Diversion, Honeycomb, 48; Hattrack, Malton, scr. (bracketed with second horse), 72. A head; a length. Time, 3.34.4-5.
BELFAST HANDICAP, of £200 (2.56 class), 13 miles.—3.4 Fairy Par- rish, scr. (D. C. Watts), 1; 2-1 Gold Pot, scr. (T. Gunning), 2; 10-9 Super- ior Rank, 24yds. (R. Donald), 3. Also started: Bill Stratton, Brigadier, Bronze Eagle, Gentleman Jim, Gold Bar, Heroic Prince, Lord Brent, Pur- veyor, Shadow Son, Sister Polly, scr.; Dancing Pirate, Gallant Chief, Impe- rial Jade, Rerekohua, Silk King, Stylish Boy, Zingarie, 12. Two lengths; one time, 2.50.
MAYDAY HANDICAP, of £220 (3.27 class), 13 miles.—3-1 Ned Worthy, 24yds. (R. Townley), 1; 10-9 Jovial, scr. (J. B. Pringle), 2; 7-7 Happy 24yds. (C. Callaghan), 3. Also started: Coquette, Great Blaze, Lady Vaselvine, Mazaire, Mendel, scr.; Wallow Bank, 12; Alershot, Phoenix, Three Tens, 24; Renown's Best, 36.
HARPER HANDICAP, of £400 (3.23 class), 13 miles.—Ferry Post, 36yds., 1; 2-1 Kenworthy, 24yds., 3. Also started: Acuity, Crui- ser, Great Don, Palomar, Quest, Ring- true, scr.; Guncase, Accountant (bracketed with winner), Nelson, Giddy, Waipahi, 12; Toorak, 24; Renown's Best, 36.
PACIFIC HANDICAP, of £270 (4.43 class), 2 miles.—Wainoni Girl, scr., 1; Kilrea, 36yds., 2; King's Jubilee, 36 yds., 3. Also started: Bay Flier, Black Art, Gay Lady, MacGregor, Amelus, Robin Hyde, scr.; Hugenot (bracketed with second horse), Idealong, Lady Carol, Royal Surprise, Shadow Queen, Twenty Grand, 12.
SPRING HANDICAP, of £250 (3.30 class), 13 miles.—Manna's Son, 12yds., 1; 3-1 Blue Logan, 24yds., 2; Amoson, scr.; 3. Also started: Arapai, Bush Laddie, Nattie Hyde, scr.; Guide, Shad- eiland, scr.; Escalado, 12; Aristote, 24; Gracie Fields, Guy Hugo, Gyrate, Mo- hican, Tan John, 36; Te Kahu, Tim- worth, 24.
WAINONI HANDICAP, of £250 (2.14 class), 1 mile.—Kenworthy, 12yds., 1; Waiaki Power, 12yds., 2; San- dy, 12yds., 3. Also started: Great Don, Labourman, Llewellyn's Pride, Loyal Pat, Mankind, Reveal, Ringtrue (bracketed with third horse), Worthy Rev. scr.; Carver, Donegan, Guncase, Red Ranger (bracketed with second horse), Wee Potts, 12; Colonel Grat- tan, 24.
ELECTRIC HANDICAP (inside saddle), of £210 (2.16 class), 1 mile.—Sport's Review, 12yds., 1; Happy Lo- cala, 12yds., 2; Aircraft, scr., 3. Also started: Metaling, Havelock, Gungahor- derst, Ned Worthy, Zineali, 12; Southern Smile, 24; Palomar, 36.

Preview Of Form At Avondale
SATURDAY'S PROSPECTS
"Daily Mail" Special Service.
Nothing has occurred since the Pakuranga Hunt meeting to cancel the impression then given of the Avondale Cup potentialities of the Cardinal and Our Jean. The former, who now has many pretensions to being a sprinter, finished fast in fifth place in the Admiralty Handicap and Our Jean was narrowly beaten in the same race by Royal Message.
Acceptance closed with a field of 24, with Golden Sheila at the top of the list. As she has not raced since May she has no pretensions to be as some of the rest. The same remark may apply to the useful Beau Repaire, whose last appearance was in the Ohinemuri Cup in the month of November. Nevertheless, Beau Repaire's form will be worth noting, as he was a good staying three-year-old.
Te Kawiti was withdrawn in favour of his bracket-mate, Gamos, who should be dangerous with 7.8, although he has been lately. He won the Herries Memorial Cup at Te Aro- ha, a race which, like the Wellington Racing Club Handicap, won by Beau Repaire, is run over 1 1/2 miles, so his qualifications are well established. Gamos ran unplaced at the Pakuranga meeting, but the race should improve him.
There is equally wide scope for speculation in the Flying Handicap, which is 2 1/2 miles. The favourite, who did not appear at Ellerslie last month on account of the going not being in his favour, should make a bold showing if the going is not too heavy. He will be tried fully by the three-year-olds Gaymiss and Lou Rosa. Very good, and a keen receiver of the progress of Gaymiss, is the won- double at Te Rapu in February, and in her next start she scored in the Dunedin Cup. Lou Rosa, who has been well up to classic standard, and even with 8.6 he has not an im- possible task.
Those who see the Avondale Stakes are largely unknown quantities as yet, but we have seen Golden Pay demon- strate some two-year-old quality, who sold at Ellerslie last month. Other, who will claim attention are Royce, Theatre, Colombo Bay and Soutane. Colombo Bay will lead at Avon- dale and should be improved greatly by the experience.
Those for the Guinness will have an opportunity of a run on the first day, the Champion Plate and the Flying Handicap having been chosen for the second day. The favourite is Beau Leon, Belle Femme, Miss Jose, Rich Blood and Stratford. In the opening are Lou Rosa, Grandora, Marshall Hall, Queen City and Happi- coat.
Scratchings on Tuesday were as follows: All engagements: Saxon Tor (9.6 a.m.); The Band, 9.15 a.m.; Theatre. Theatre is not making the trip.
Win and place betting will be used to-morrow. Prospects are:—
11.30—Kingsland Hurdles: Mid- land, Saccone, Kaiwaka.
12.16—Trial Plate: First Division— Glen Connell, Expellant, Rara Yoni, Second Division—Venture, Rey Lion, Flinders March.
1.2—Henderson Handicap: Rex Maitland, Selwyn, Monty.
1.50—Avondale Cup: The Cardinal, Our Jean, Gamos or Beau Repaire.
2.35—Avondale Stakes: Colombo Bay, Golden Pay, Miss Baffie.
3.12—Champion Plate: Beau Leon, Classic, Estro.
4.23—Flying Handicap: Lou Rosa, Gaymiss, Llandaff.
5.0—Swanson Handicap: Don Quex, Milanon, Joan Peel.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE
A remarkable escape from serious injury was experienced by Mr. George O'Connor, an employee of Stewart Greer Motors Ltd., Napier, early yesterday afternoon, when the car which he was driving was involved in a collision which caused the vehicle to spin completely around before coming to rest against an electric light standard at the corner of Clive Square. It appears that Mr. O'Connor was driving along West Clive Square and had just crossed the intersection of Carlyle street, when his car received a violent blow from a motor truck driven by Chinese gardener. Both vehicles were extensively damaged.

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MAORI HEALTH
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Inspector's Report At Wairoa
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WAIROA
The report of the Health Inspector (Mr. R. Godding), presented at the monthly meeting of the Wairoa County Council on Wednesday stated that two cases of typhoid, both from the same household, one case of tuberculosis, a Maori girl aged five years, and one case of hydatids, a Maori woman aged 19 years, were reported during the month.
Referring to the typhoid case, the report stated that this is a dangerous disease, especially when it is not recognised.
Cases, who had previously had the disease were the source of infection and personal hygiene must be practised.
In regard to hydatids there was little doubt that this originated through the handling of dogs.
"Hydatids is to be stamped out" said the report, "the treatment of all dogs with arcoline hydrobromine must be strictly enforced."
Mr. C. R. Robertson, commenting, said that most of native houses were small but if they were kept clean it would help to lessen disease.
Mr. Carroll said that the Maoris should be educated to take a pride in their houses and to keep their yards clean.
"There is no way of knowing if dogs have been given the treatment and there is no way of forcing the people to do it," said Mr. H. Bayly.

TWO HOCKEY MATCHES
AT WAIROA
Poverty Bay Visit
TEAMS PICKED FOR TO-MORROW
Two big hockey matches will be played in Wairoa to-morrow, when the Poverty Bay and Wairoa women's representative teams will meet for the Single Cup and badges at present held by Poverty Bay and when the men's representative teams from these two centres will also clash.
The games will be played on the hockey ground at North Clyde, the men's match starting at 1.30 and the women's at 2.45 and it is anticipated both matches will produce first-class displays of hockey.
The following teams have been chosen by the selector (Mr. J. Duley) to represent Wairoa:—
Women's Team: Goalie, Hine Smith; full-backs, Mrs. Single, Mrs. Walker; halves, E. Thompson, M. Maraki, S. Keefer; forwards, M. Smith, I. McGregor, Z. Adsett, K. Hook, A. Smith; emergencies, P. Wairoa and D. Renata.
Men's Team: Goalie, S. Karetu; fullbacks, P. Rangit, I. Ryder; halves L. Lane, K. Adsett, B. Rees; forwards, W. Lawton, S. Deaton, W. Edwards (captain), V. Adsett, S. Ropha; emergencies, Stewart and W. Carrington.
Gisborne Teams
The following teams have been selected to represent Poverty Bay:—
Women: Goalie, Mrs. Tupara; full-backs, Miss Bianco, Mrs. Watts, Mrs. Tuho; halves, Mrs. Pere, Miss Lenane, Mrs. Wilson and Miss Rich; forwards, Miss Whitehead, Mrs. Le Bas, Mrs. Sangwell, Mrs. Nicol, and Mrs. Kellett.
Men: Goalie, B. Clam; full-backs, M. Lynsky and G. Graham; halves, D. Halbert, S. Baker and B. Richardson; forwards, R. Richardson, A. Wheatley, Roderick, R. Jones and D. Halbert.
Mr. Roger Whaitura will be referee for Wairoa.

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Transaction List
Following is a list of transactions on the New Zealand Stock Exchange—
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4% Stock 1953 107 5 0
N.Z. Breweries 1 15 2
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Bank of N.Z. 2 6
Auckland Gas 8 3
Wellington Woolen (ord.) 6 15 0
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4% Stock 1954/58 107 12 6
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2.0: Recordings. 2.30: Classical hour. 3.30: Sports results. Light music. 4.0: Weather report. 4.30: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. Dinner music. 6.35: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Sports talk. 8.0: Overture. "The Barber of Seville" (Rossini). 8.11: Studio recital by Joan Moody (soprano), 8.21: "Hungarian Fantasia" (Liszt). 8.37: Conchita Supervia (mezzo-soprano). 8.43: "Carmen" Suite (Bizet). 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.30: Concerto No. 7 in D Major (Mozart). 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: Daventry news.
2YA Wellington
5 a.m.-7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 9.30: Weather report. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 10.45: Talk by Nette Scanlan. 11.0: Recordings. 12.0: Community sing. 12.30 p.m. and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news.
3YA Christchurch
6 a.m.-7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 9.30: Weather report. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 10.45: Talk by Nette Scanlan. 11.0: Recordings. 12.0: Community sing. 12.30 p.m. and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news.
3.0: Recordings. 3.30: Classical hour. 4.0: Frost and weather forecast and frost forecast. 4.30: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. Dinner music. 6.35: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: "Who's Who and What's What?" 7.40: "The Law of War" (No. 2). "Every Friday Night at Eight." 8.32: "I Pulled Out a Plum" by "Gramofon." 8.52: New Mayfair Orchestra. 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.10: Gracie Fields. 9.16: Port Nicholson Silver Band. 9.32: "Neck's Antiques" (No. 2). "The Late Customers." 9.41: The Band. 10.0: "Rhythm on Record." 11.0: Daventry news.
3YA Napier
7 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daventry news. 9.30: Weather report and station notices. 10.0: Studio recital by Frederick Page (piano). 9.30: Readings by Professor T. D. Adams. 10.0: Dance music. 11.0: Daventry news.
6.15 a.m.: Variety. 6.30: News from Scotland. 7.0: Serial play, "Rupert of Hentzau." 7.20: Sophia Wynn (soprano). 7.45: "An American Looks at Britain." 10.0: Winifred Small (violin), and Laurie Cole (piano). 11.30: Talk. 11.45: French talk. 12 noon: "Britain Speaks," talk by J. B. Priestley. 12.15 p.m.: Variety. "Starlight." 12.30: News. 12.50: Serial play, "Rupert of Hentzau." 1.5: Interview. 1.25: News from Scotland. 2.30: Etoyo Amyot, South African pianist. 2.50: Songs from "The Rebel Maid," with the BBC Theatre Orchestra. 3.45: "Britain Speaks," talk by J. B. Priestley. 4.27: Variety.

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 Nette Scanlan. 11.0: Talk by "Cooking by Gas." 12.0: Community sing. 12.30 and 1.15 p.m.: Daventry news.
10.0: Weather report. 1.25: Recordings. 3.15: A.C.E. talk. 3.30: Sports results. 4.45: Music. 4.0: Weather report and frost forecast. 4.30: Light music. 4.55: Sports results.
5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Daventry news. Dinner music. 6.35: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Talk. "What Shall We Eat?" 7.50: "Do You Know Why?" 8.0: "Dad and Dave." 8.15: "The Kingsmen." 8.28: "The Circle of Shiva." 8.41: The Hillingdon Orchestra. 8.47: Will Fyfe (comedian). 8.53: Al Bollington (organ). 9.0: Daventry news. Weather report and station notices. 9.10: Studio recital by Frederick Page (piano). 9.30: Readings by Professor T. D. Adams. 10.0: Dance music. 11.0: Daventry news.

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Double portions of mystery, action and comedy are contained in "Honeymoon Deferred," which is the second feature. Edmund Lowe and Margaret Lindsay in the starring roles appear as the detective and his bride whose honeymoon is interrupted by the suspected murder of Lowe's wealthy employer. Their adventures in solving the case lead them into a fast moving series of situations that give them ample opportunity to display their talent for both dramatics and comedy. Elisabeth Risdon does outstanding work as the foster-mother of a family of rich children. The children themselves are ably portrayed by Anne Gwynne, Jerry Marlowe and Julie Stevens.

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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 suffers 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 cast.

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 struggle to extricate himself from the predicament.

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, is now screening at the State Theatre, Hastings.

"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 a swift tempo and clear characterisation, Charles Vidor has directed "My Son, My Son" with a remarkable 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.

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Medal Round At Waipukurau

TO-MORROW'S DRAW

Speedy Memorial Round In Conjunction

Following is the draw for the Waipukurau Golf Club's medal round to be played to-morrow in conjunction with the fourth round of the Speedy Memorial.

No. 1 Tee.—H. E. Coats v. G. G. Speedy, J. Tarrant v. C. A. Riekey, S. I. Peacock v. W. D. Riekey, E. T. Haldane v. I. McCaskill, V. H. Bradley v. A. J. Rathbone, L. A. Reid v. C. Riddell, P. L. Peacock v. N. Jamieson, J. Buchanan v. C. Cassidy, R. Allen v. C. H. Plimmer, R. McLean v. A. Barnaby, F. A. G. Dunn v. J. W. N. Mackie, R. Clark v. J. M. Erwin, G. E. Stiles v. S. A. Train, N. Bird v. E. C. Hurdfield.

No. 11 Tee.—C. Petersen v. C. Foote, E. S. Elliott v. J. McCormick, J. Paton v. T. Macallan, J. C. Mills v. C. R. Watson, A. C. Williams v. J. E. Reid, J. C. Windle v. H. Stovell.

Mayfair

"OUR NEIGHBOURS THE CARTERS"

With Boxing Drama, "Golden Gloves"

The trend to simple, homespun, down-to-earth drama, which has been forging to the lead in public favour, is definitely reflected in "Our Neighbours—the Carters." Paramount's story of life in a small Ohio town which will be presented to-day at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier, with Frank Craven, Fay Bainter, Edmund Lowe and Genevieve Tobin in the top featured roles. The story, which casts Fay Bainter as Craven's wife, tells how the Carters, residents of a small Ohio town, face sorrow and joy together with great family loyalty.

The story of how a crooked boxing racket is smashed is told in Paramount's "Golden Gloves," the second feature. J. Carroll Nash appears in the role of a boxing promoter who exploits the talents of young, up-and-coming fighters to his own advantage and to the youngsters' detriment. Robert Paige, young newspaper reporter, conducts an amateur contest with Richard Denning, a promising young heavy-weight, as the magnet to attract other fighters. In this way Paige hopes to bring the sport of boxing before the public eye. The feminine lead in "Golden Gloves" is taken by Jean Cagney, sister of the famous Jimmy, and making her screen debut.

Completing the programme is chapter four of serial "Flash Gordon Conquers the Universe."

Regent

THRILLING STORY OF SUBMARINES

Conrad Veidt In "U-Boat 29"

The headlines come to flaming life at the Regent Theatre, Napier, to-day, with Columbia's "U-Boat 29" in vivid actuality, a picture of wartime England desperately battling enemy spies and submarines. Stirring 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. Slightly 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.

Veidt, one of the world's greatest screen actors, is superb in the difficult role of enemy agent. An unsympathetic role at best, he invests the characterisation of the spy with a humaneness which wins audience sympathy and understanding.

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 is now screening at the State Theatre, Napier.

This G.B.D. attraction co-stars Michael Redgrave, Margaret Lockwood and Emyln 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 the background scenes were shot. Remarkable 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 in detail and yet with reverence and restraint every phase of the activity of the Vatican, which appears on the screen for the first time.

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On Honeymoon In The North

NAPIER BRIDE

The Quirke-Luke Wedding

COBWEB LACE GOWN

A pretty wedding took place at St. Patrick's Church, Napier on Wednesday morning, when Mary Rosalind, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. H. Luke, Wellesley Road, was married to Linden Blair, son of Mr M. J. Quirke and the late Mrs Quirke, Wellington. The church was beautifully decorated with bouquets of spring flowers and Nuptial Mass, followed by the wedding ceremony, was celebrated by the Rev. Father Lister, S.M.

Entering the church with her father, the bride made a pretty picture in her lovely wedding gown of deep magnolia French cobweb lace mounted on stiffened net. The softly gathered bodice with its heart-shaped neckline had a high inset belt of lace with long sleeves finishing with tiny buttons and loops at the wrists. The long flared skirt fell into a full and graceful train mounted on stiffened net and her veil of magnolia embroidered tulle was held in place by a halo of pleated tulle and orange blossoms. She carried a sheaf of cream madonna lilies.

The one attendant bridesmaid was Miss Yolande Luke, sister of the bride. Her lovely frock of orchid mauve taffeta had a deep V neckline finished with a spray of violet and mauve flowers and was sleeveless. The long full skirt was finished at the hemline with rows of cording, and she wore an orchid mauve felt hat and carried a bouquet of cyclamen shaded flowers.

Mr Teddy Luke attended the bridegroom as best man.

Following the ceremony Mr and Mrs Luke entertained a number of relatives and friends at a luncheon at their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs S. Jordan, Nelson Crescent. The reception room where the young couple stood to receive the congratulations of their friends was attractively decorated with spring flowers. Mrs Luke was wearing a smart suit of deep burgundy cloque, burgundy ballustrated straw hat with a gold ornament and she wore a shoulder spray of matching flowers.

Mrs M. Fuller, Wellington, the bridegroom's sister, chose a smart ensemble of clover wool georgette worn with a clover shaded hat.

When leaving for a honeymoon tour of the North the bride was wearing an attractive frock of du Barry rose American crepe under a dove grey tailored coat, grey felt hat and burgundy shoes and accessories.

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS

New Colours Featured At Dress Parade

That New Zealand can produce frocks, suits and hats that can compare very favourably with imported models, was seen in a fashion parade which opened in Auckland this week. The parade, which is divided into three groups, comprising suits and coats, tailored day frocks in silk and crepe, and evening homages, shows many new and novel high lights for the spring and summer fashions.

A feature of the suits is the importance of pockets, the vogue for the shorter skirt, and a number of new colour contrasts. Lime green is successfully combined with amethyst, catalina grey with cerise, grape wine and yellow, while a new prairie rose shade is assured of popularity.

The smartly cut frocks in patterned materials show to what perfection the art of designing, colour blending and dyeing, have been brought. These printed frocks are shown under plain light-weight coats, most of which are cut on slightly flared lines.

GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATED

Mr and Mrs J. Walker Of Waipawa

Yesterday Mr and Mrs J. Walker, of "The Bracs," Windsor Hill, Waipawa, celebrated their golden wedding, and were the recipients of many messages of congratulation from friends in all parts of the province.

Mrs Walker was born at Happy Valley, Wellington, where her father worked for many years for the Hunter family. Mr Walker is a native of Canterbury, but came north at an early age, settling in the Waitotara district. They were married at Waverley, by the Rev. Thomas McDonald, on September 11, 1890, and continued to live in that part of New Zealand until coming to Hawke's Bay.

Children Win Hearts Of Liner's Crew

170 Little Folk From England Arrive In N.Z.

In Happy Spirits

Warm Welcome Extended By All Who Greeted The New Arrivals

One hundred and seventy small children won the hearts of the entire crew of the overseas liner in which they travelled to New Zealand.

They did not come under the Government scheme for the evacuation of children from Britain to other parts of the Empire. Their passages had been privately arranged, as in the case of children who went to the United States last month, and in most cases they were accompanied by maternal or other relatives.

Although one or two were returning to the land of their birth, the majority of the children were born and bred in Merrie England.

Stewards, stokers, and officers came down to the wharf for a last hug and handshake with the children whose affection they had earned during the long voyage to the safety of New Zealand.

"Me pal give me this," said the youngest of the children, tearfully holding up a little wooden toy made for him by an old seaman.

"Aye, and there's no need for tears now; it's a fine sunny country you're coming to," said the old salt who came down in his greaser's overalls to farewell the youngsters.

"What about that song you were singing me, Johnny?"

"Come, and we'll sing 'There'll Always Be An England.'"

Johnny brightened a little.

"Miss, I've lost me knife. It was the best knife on, the whole boat," said another little boy, running to one of the supervisors for help.

"I got a gut line for fishing with a hook an' all," said another, disentangling the hook and line from his pocket.

Many babes in arms were included among the guest children who have arrived in Wellington. The youngest was probably the five-month-old daughter of a clergyman, but a boy, barely two months older, had the distinction of being cared for by his father, because his mother died when he was born.

Of the 100 mothers and 170 children, the boy's parent was the only father to make the voyage.

Describing his young son's life, he said that though for its first weeks the child was looked after in a home, he had cared for it the most of its life, assisted occasionally by a stewardess during the passage from the Homeland.

In addition, he tended the needs of his five-year-old son, a sturdy young chap who when he was asked what he intended to be when he grew up, dryly replied: "A psychologist."

Under one year old, Miss Elizabeth Peacock was another juvenile traveller who apparently thrived on the sea air.

Conspicuous among the strange medley of children assembled on the wharf, complete with their broad accents, their bonnets and tartans who had become accustomed to the ferocity of Nazi airmen quite early in the war.

"Aye, we've seen the air r-raids," said the elder of the boys from the land of the thistle. He said that he had seen air raids over Glasgow, and later over London, shortly before the convoy left the Thames.

"And what did you do?" Go down into the air raid shelters?"

"No," he replied with a twinkle in his eye. "We stayed in our beds."

"Were you very frightened?"

"Of course not!" he disclaimed indignantly.

That was the reply typical of the brave and matter-of-fact attitude of the youth of Great Britain to Nazi terrorism and all the frightfulness with which Herr Hitler threatens their mother country.

Now safe in the country of their adoption, these children who have been weaned from every other form of life, which they have been accustomed, to sleep safely in the knowledge that they will soon become "one of us."

Mothers' Union Members

HASTINGS AFTERNOON

Entertained By President

AT THE VICARAGE

Members of St. Matthew's Mothers' Union in Hastings spent a very happy afternoon this week when they were the guests of their president, Mrs W. T. Drake, at the Vicarage.

The Vicar, the Rev. W. T. Drake conducted a short service in St. Matthew's chapel and afterwards all members went over to the vicarage.

One or two announcements were made during the afternoon. First that the St. Matthew's Mothers' Union members would be the guests of the Mahora Mothers' Union on September 25.

Also that the Mothers' Union festival for the diocese of Waipapu, usually attended by between 200 and 300 members would be held in Hastings in November.

Two competitions during the afternoon caused much merriment. A mystery parcel was won by Mrs Bruce Baumgart and in musical parcels the winner was Mrs Young.

A playreading, "The New Paying Guest" (sent by Mr Frank Evans) was given by Mesdames C. P. Hopkins, Gibbs, Jenkinson, Robins and Bruce Baumgart and was heard with much interest.

A most delicious tea was enjoyed and at the end of the afternoon the Mothers' Union secretary, Mrs Bruce Baumgart thanked Mrs Drake for her hospitality and kindness.

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Five o'Clock Gossip

Miss Mabel Grant, Palmerston North, who has been spending a few days in Hastings, will return home to-day.

Miss June Guthrie, Papanangi, Wanganui, is staying in Hastings.

Miss Lindsay McAlley is spending her holidays with her mother, Mrs R. Stevenson, Havelock North, and will return to Palmerston North next week.

Mr and Mrs Bobs Cowper, Dannevirke, who have been staying in Hastings, will return home to-day.

Dr. Elizabeth Gunn, Wellington, is the guest of Mrs Eric Nelson, Papanangi, Hastings.

Miss Gladys Twydel, Hastings, was a recent visitor to Makotuku, and was the guest of Mr and Mrs J. Palmer.

Miss Dorothy Hosking, who spent the vacation with her mother, Mrs F. Hosking, Ormondville, has returned to duty at St. Margaret's Girls' College, Christchurch.

Mrs Calthness, Otawhao, has entered Waipukurua Hospital for treatment.

Miss Ruth Herrick, Napier, Dominion Girl Guide Commissioner, and Miss Elsie Williams, Frimley, Hastings, who have been visiting Christchurch in connection with Girl Guide affairs have returned home.

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TOWNSWOMEN MEET IN HASTINGS

The Monthly Gathering INTERESTING TALK ON HONG KONG

Mrs T. W. Lewis Speaks

Very attractively arranged bowls and baskets of pink rhododendrons and apple blossoms decorated the stage of the Oddfellows' Hall, Hastings, for the monthly meeting of the Townswomen's Guild yesterday afternoon.

The guild president, Mrs. A. C. A. Hyde was in the chair, and with her was the secretary, Mrs. Bruce Baumgart. The meeting commenced with one minute's silence during which members thought of the women in Britain in these present difficult times.

The president paid a very high tribute to a much beloved and useful guild member, the late Miss Susan Wellwood, who was a most efficient guild treasurer for over four years. Mrs. Hyde said that Miss Wellwood had been a kind friend to everyone and a very valued member of the guild committee, her wise advice having been sought on many occasions and her kindness was at all times appreciated.

Miss Wellwood passed away about two weeks ago and at the time Mrs. Hyde and Mrs. Dyer had sent a very beautiful wreath (made by Mrs. Dyer) from all guild members. Everyone stood in silence as a tribute to the memory of the late Miss Wellwood.

Mrs. Hyde announced that at the last monthly meeting a collection of 16/6 had been taken to provide supper at the drill hall when the enlisted men were medically examined. This had already been carried out on one occasion. As there would soon be another one she asked for further contributions.

A reminder was given that gift eggs for Britain could be left at the W.P.F.U. rooms in Hastings.

Mrs. Hyde announced that Mrs. Dyer had been co-opted to the committee.

During the afternoon a bring and buy stall for Sunshine Circle funds did good business.

The vocalist who was to have contributed to the programme was unable to be present and Mrs. Geor very kindly consented to give a piano solo and pleasure "One Day When We Were Young."

Afternoon tea was enjoyed and afterwards Mrs. Hyde introduced to the members Mrs. T. W. Lewis, who gave a splendid and particularly interesting talk on Hong Kong. She kept members amused with stories of her experiences when living there and at the conclusion of the talk Mrs. Lewis was most sincerely thanked.

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Comment On The Films

Filmed from Howard Spring's famous "best seller" novel "MY SON, MY SON" features Brian Aherne, Louis Hayward and Madeleine Carroll in a tense drama of a father and son who fall in love with the same woman and are rivals for her affections.

Another of the popular "Mr Reeder" series, "THE MISSING PEOPLE" features Will Fyffe as the popular Scotland Yard detective who this time is faced with the problem of the mystery surrounding the deaths of a number of wealthy women.

"VIVA CISCO KID!" continues the rollicking adventures of that carefree Mexican bandit, as portrayed again by Cesar Romero. Jean Rogers is the lady in distress to whose succour the roving bandit

"REWIS LAST STAND"

The story of an epic incident in New Zealand's history has been picturised, in "REWIS LAST STAND," as one of the most stirring productions ever to reach the screen. A sound version of a famous silent success, the new film is outstanding entertainment, according to advance reports.

The gallant defence of Orakau Pa by a handful of 300 determined Maori men and women who manned its crumbling battlements, refusing all offers of surrender, has ever been recounted as a heroic episode, and it is fitting that it should have been produced as a film in New Zealand's centennial year.

Adapted as New Zealand's own motion picture, the film was written by New Zealanders, produced by New Zealanders, with music by Alfred Hill, and enacted by a cast of such experienced actors as Leo Pilcher and Stanley Knight, Ramai Te Miha, as its heroine.



Carole Landis and John Hubbard are the co-stars of "Turnabout," hilarious film from a popular Thorne Smith novel. It will open next Friday at the State Theatre, Hastings.

rides, and Chris-Pin Martin is again his henchman.

The Thorne Smith comedy "TURNABOUT" has as its hilarious theme the story of a young married couple whose wish that they may change places becomes a fact.

"JUDGE HARDY AND SON" relates the further adventures of the ever popular Hardy Family, with Mickey Rooney and Lewis Stone in the title roles heading the now familiar players in the cast of this gay new story.

Ronald Colman has one of the greatest roles of his career as Dick Helder, the artist in the picturisation of Rudyard Kipling's great novel, "THE LIGHT THAT FAILED," story of a painter who works feverishly to complete his masterpiece before going blind.

A Russian, a French and a British naval officer who become united under the influence of a great danger on the high seas are the central characters in "HELL'S CARGO," drama of heroism and self sacrifice featuring Robert Newton.

Mystery, action and comedy in plentiful proportions are contained in "HONEYMOON DEFERRED," featuring Edmund Lowe and Margaret Lindsay as a detective and his bride whose honeymoon is interrupted by an unusual murder.

"DEVIL ON WHEELS" forcefully depicts the lure of the great sport of motor racing, as its story relates the efforts of Pat O'Brien, champion driver, to persuade his young brother not to follow his own example in choosing a profession.

The methods by which blackmail rings and extortion racketeers force their unhappy victims to pay tribute is related in "FRAMED," the

WAIPAWA HOSPITAL DECISION CONTRACT IS TO BE LET

The Waipawa Hospital Board, at its monthly meeting decided, subject to Ministerial approval, to let the contract for its building programme to a Wellington builder, Mr. A. V. Swanson, at a price of £69,000, and to take steps to raise a further £25,000 loan to cover rises in costs since estimates were prepared two years ago.

Board members should show some care before committing the ratepayers to the extra cost, and there was a long discussion in which some members urged the postponement of the scheme until after the war.

Rising Costs The chairman explained that, owing to the war, all costs had risen and were still rising. The first instalment of the loan of £54,000 was being lifted by monthly instalments. There were seven tenders, and the finance committee recommended that that of Mr. Swanson be accepted. The chairman reported that tentative negotiations had been started to raise a further loan of £25,000. Government officials concerned seemed willing that the work be carried on, and the finance committee felt that an endeavour should be made to raise the extra £25,000 in instalments at the discretion of the board.

Mr. Hawthorn: The easiest way out is to go ahead and, when ratepayers complain, lay the blame on the Health Department's recommendation.

It seemed to him, he went on, that the question was whether there was sufficient urgency to warrant increasing capital expenditure by something which would probably amount to nearly 50 per cent. Two months ago, the secretary had tabled a report which showed that extra patients could be accommodated in the present institution in a way that would serve, in the speaker's opinion, for the duration of the war. Staff accommodation, though not ideal, was adequate. He felt that the least year's required more consideration, and he would like to see it deferred until a more opportune time.

Still Necessary Mr. D. W. Neild said that if the works were necessary when the board thought that those who might be prevented from being sick or injured if the money were used for war purposes. He thought the matter should be referred back to the department.

Mr. T. P. Hunter said he thought that the sick in this country were few compared with those who might be prevented from being sick or injured if the money were used for war purposes. He thought the matter should be referred back to the department.

Mr. H. E. Davies, representing the board's architects, explained various factors contributing to the rise in costs. The proposed contract would be complete in every respect. All the board would have to do would be to put in the furniture and open the institution. He saw no prospect of a reduction in building costs and recommended that the work should proceed.

On the chairman's motion, seconded by Mr. D. Eddy, the following paragraph in the finance committee's report dealing with the tenders was adopted.

Approval Sought "The sub-committee found that these prices were considerably over the estimates for the work made two years ago, and it immediately instructed the managing-secretary to proceed to Wellington to confer with the Health Department authorities, and seek advice. Upon his return, the managing-secretary reported that the director, Division of Hospitals, after having matters explained, gave the opinion that the work should proceed, and the board should make the necessary financial arrangements for the additional money.

"We therefore recommend that Ministerial consent be sought for approval of the acceptance of the tender of Mr. A. V. Swanson, of Wellington, and that immediate steps be taken to make the necessary arrangements to raise an additional £25,000 the work to proceed at the earliest moment, particularly in view of the fact that the board will have a large amount of money lying idle."

Mr. Hawthorn said he could not vote against the motion, because he could offer no "decent alternative to it." However, he did not feel altogether satisfied with the position.

ORMONDVILLE GOLF MATCHES RESULTS OF PLAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

"Daily Mail" Special Service. ORMONDVILLE A flag match will be played at the week-end over the Ormondville District golf links. Following is the draw:

E. G. Port v. W. M. Kane, C. R. Williams v. H. O. Baines, H. Shaddon v. C. M. Barker, N. Forward v. E. Nightingale, J. R. Ryan v. C. Hall, E. W. Hyde v. C. C. Newling, H. Howes v. G. Hill, D. Edgecombe v. F. F. Sands, B. Castles v. L. Bannock, C. C. Rawson v. H. K. Sands, W. White v. D. Chadwick. The semi-finals of the match play competition for the Hyde Cup will also be played at the week-end:— W. M. Kane plays E. G. Port, D. Edgecombe plays F. F. Sands. The results of the semi-finals of the club championships were as follows:— Seniors: H. A. Baines lost to D. Chadwick, 1 down at the 19th, F. B. Ellingham lost to N. Forward 3 and 2. Juniors: C. R. Williams lost to F. E. Sands 4 and 2, D. Edgecombe won by default from G. Hill.

CURRENT PRODUCTIONS

NAPIER REGENT THEATRE: Now showing: "U-Boat 29" (Conrad Veidt, Valerie Hobson, Sebastian Shaw). Coming soon, "The Great Victor Herbert" (Allan Jones, Mary Martin, Walter Connolly). STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "The Stars Look Down" (Michael Redgrave, Margaret Lockwood, Emyln Williams). Tuesday to Thursday: "The Frozen Limits" (Moore Marriott, the Crazy Gang) and "As Young As You Feel" (The Jones Family). Commencing Friday: "Swanee River" (Don Ameche, Andrea Leeds, Al Jolson). MAYFAIR THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Our Neighbours The Carters" (Edmund Lowe, Fay Bainter, Richard Denning, Jean Cagney), with Chapter 4 of "Flash Gordon Conquers the Universe." Tuesday to Thursday: "Chan at Monte Carlo" (Warner Oland, Keye Luke), and "Owd Bob" (Will Fyffe, Margaret Lockwood). Commencing Friday: "Honey Moon Deferred" (Edmund Lowe, Margaret Lindsay) and "Danger on Wheels" (Richard Arlen, Andy Devine). HASTINGS REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Judge Hardy and Son" (Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone). Tuesday to Thursday: "His Girl Friday" (Cary Grant, Rosalind Russell). Next Friday: "The Light That Failed" (Ronald Colman, Ida Lupino). STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Tuesday: "My Son, My Son" (Louis Hayward, Brian Aherne). Wednesday and Thursday: "The Missing People" (Will Fyffe, Patricia Roe) and "Viva Cisco Kid" (Cesar Romero, Jean Rogers). Next Friday: "Turnabout" (John Hubbard, Carole Landis). COSY THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Hell's Cargo" (Robert Newton, Walter Rilla) and "Honey Moon Deferred" (Edmund Lowe, Margaret Lindsay). Tuesday to Thursday: "Devil on Wheels" (John Payne, Ann Sheridan) and "Framed" (Constance Moore, Frank Albertson). Next Friday: "Black Friday" (Boris Karloff, Bela Lugosi), and "Yodellin' Kid From Pine Ridge" (Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette). MUNICIPAL THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Boy of the Streets" (Jackie Cooper, Maureen O'Connor) and "I See Ice" (George Formby). Tuesday to Thursday: "Hitting a New High" (Lily Pons, Jack Oakie) and "Gun Law" (George O'Brien). Next Friday: "Sweethearts" (Nelson Eddy, Jeanette MacDonald).



Don Ameche and Andrea Leeds in "Swanee River," Technicolor film relating the life story of Stephen Foster. It will open next Friday at the State Theatre, Napier.

Heroism In The Navy

"CONVOY," produced by Michael Balcon and directed by Pen Tennyson, features Clive Brook, who plays the part of Captain Armitage in charge of a British cruiser and is the perfect type of British officer, quiet, courageous, cool and dominant; yet sympathetic, even sentimental. John Clements takes the part of lady killer Lieutenant Cranford.

"Convoy" is a tale of the Navy—of heroism and devotion to duty, of U-boats and tramp steamers, of the German battleship Deutschland in action with a British ocean cruiser before, during and after an engagement. Interwoven is a dramatic human interest story of two men and a woman, the captain, his wife and her lover. The picture is marvellously realistic, maybe even too realistic and noisy in the battle scenes for nervous people. For the great British public it is revealing and inspiring. No more realistic naval battle scenes have been staged.

This film is hailed as a wartime winner for all classes. It will be released throughout New Zealand by British Empire Films.

With Richard Arlen as the ace speed track driver and Andy Devine as the mechanic, "DANGER ON WHEELS" presents the story of a man's effort to get his new engine used on a crack racing car.



Conrad Veidt and Valerie Hobson, feature in "U Boat 29," a timely, topical story of German espionage, which will open to-day at the Regent Theatre, Napier.

TYRONE POWER'S LATEST ROLE

Not since "Jesse James" has Tyrone Power had a role like that of "JOHNNY APOLLO" in the 20th Century-Fox drama of that title which co-stars him with Dorothy Lamour. "Johnny Apollo" is the alias of a young college man, a banker's son who turns mobster when the father he idolised is sent to prison and his wealthy friends turn against him.



A stirring scene from "Revi's Last Stand," colourful story of an exciting incident in New Zealand's history. It will screen shortly at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1940. SINISTER MOVES

Reynard the Fox of Europe, with his brush trailing in the mire of the ditches in which he seeks to take cover as he prowls about his nefarious business of robbing the British hen-roost, is in an appalling fix.

The terrible losses incurred in the air by the Germans—three to one in machines and six to one in personnel, according to Mr Churchill's statement yesterday—make it imperative that the big, bold bid should be made speedily.

Mr Churchill, in his speech, published elsewhere in this issue this morning, did not for a moment minimise the stern nature of the duty which may confront the British people within the next few days.

It needs to be realised by all in the Empire that this present month may determine the direction of the development of our human culture for possibly a hundred years to come.

No such great struggle as that which seems to be pending can be carried through to a final conclusion without heavy loss. The British Prime Minister has not sought to camouflage that fact in any way.

Personal LETTERS to the EDITOR

Mr. R. H. Rasmussen, of Hastings and Mrs. Rasmussen, are on a holiday visit to Auckland.

Mr. A. I. Rainbow returned to Hastings yesterday evening from a business visit to Wellington.

Mr. David Christie returned to Havelock North yesterday evening from Wellington.

Wireless-Operator J. Turner Tringham, of Napier, a member of the New Zealand Air Force, has received advice of his transfer to the Royal Air Force, England, and leave Napier by train to-day.

Dr. Ian Lauder, formerly of Christchurch, who is on the staff of Melbourne University, has been appointed to a senior lectureship in the physics department of the University of Brisbane.

Mr. Alan Hosking, of the Hastings West School, is staying in Ormondville before entering camp at Papakura.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. K. Turnbull has been appointed officer commanding Brigade units at Trentham mobilisation camp, according to a Gazette notice.

Miss D. Millard (Marton), Mr and Mrs T. Davey, Miss Q. Davey (Waipara), Mr H. M. Caselberg, Mr T. N. Smallwood, Mr C. P. Duncan, Mr A. Davidson, Mr H. W. Johnson, Mr A. Bennett, Mr C. Morris, Mr A. Williams (Wellington), Mr G. Smith (Gisborne), Mrs J. Houlihan, Mr F. Houlihan, Mrs Kernick, Miss F. Heaton, Mr C. Hill, Mr J. Durham (Palmerston North), Mr Ellison (New Plymouth), Mr D. Eddy (Waipawa), Mr J. H. Clarke (Wanganui), Mr J. D. Marks (Wellington) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mr W. H. Jenkins, Mr E. Bellam, Mr C. W. Millar, Mr and Mrs E. L. Bell, Mr C. Hart, Mr N. Saxton, Mr C. Ashton (Wellington), Mr K. S. Glendinning, Mr A. E. Hansel (Palmerston North), Mr S. Ferguson (Dunedin), Mrs McRae, Mrs Humphrey Bayley (Waipara), Mr and Mrs Bidwell (Weatherston), Mrs E. M. Hamilton (Bournemouth), Mr J. Livingstone (Takapau), Miss J. Boyle (Nuhaka), Miss D. Boyle (Masterton), Mr Stuart Mair (Christchurch), are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

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Mr T. M. Ball, Mr F. Langbein (Wellington), Mr P. Kennedy (Cricklewood), Mr and Mrs J. S. Jessep (Waipara), Mr A. Dinnie (Napier), are staying at the Clyde Hotel.

Mr Widdowson, Mr and Mrs Johnson, Mr Foss (Gisborne), Mr Lynton (Wellington), Mr Robinson, Mr and Mrs Hardy, (Napier), are staying at the Ferry Hotel.

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HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FAIR WEATHER. The "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay is as follows: Winds: Moderate southerly winds. Weather: Fair with moderate temperatures.

Napier Weather. Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows: Dr: bulb temp. 47.3deg. Wet bulb temp. 43.0deg. Maximum temp. 45.0deg. Minimum temp. 45.0deg. 3ft. underground 54.0deg. 3ft. underground 55.0deg. Rain trace. Grass 43.0deg. Sun 1.5 hrs. Cloud 3. Humidity 72 p.c. Visibility 6. Wind S.W.4

Hastings Weather. Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 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. 44.0deg. Grass 40.0deg. 3ft. underground 52.4deg. Cloud Nil. Rain for month 1.99ins.

Dominion Forecast. General Situation: An almost stationary anti-cyclone covers New Zealand and the North Tasman Sea while an extensive depression is centred west of Tasmania.

Forecast: Winds: Moderate southerly over the northern half of the North Island, freshening at times in the Gisborne area, elsewhere to moderate and variable breezes with northerlies later predominating over the South Island and freshening.

Sea: (New Zealand waters) Rather rough between East Cape and Castlepoint, but moderating elsewhere from slight to moderate.

Eastern Tasman Sea: Light to moderate and variable winds in the central and northern portions with moderate seas, moderate to strong north-westerlies in the south with rising seas.

Weather: Fair to fine except in the Gisborne area, where isolated showers are still likely. Cloud increasing to-morrow in western and far southern districts of the South Island and developing later in South Westland. Cold night with frosts and morning fogs, day temperatures milder.

National Asset. "There is no doubt that the park is becoming more and more popular," said the Mayor (Mr G. A. Madison) at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council when the annual report of the Te Mata Park Trust Board was received.

Fruitgrowers' Meeting. Remits covering such items as the Government fruit purchase scheme, the suggested prices for apples and pears, and various amendments to the grading and varieties schedules, came before the recent Dominion conference of fruitgrowers, and definite recommendations to the Government were adopted.

Railway Station Lighting. Support for the recent move by the Hastings Chamber of Commerce to have the Hastings railway station lit on Sunday night when the rail-car arrives was given at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council.

Hawke's Bay Petrol Price. Described as "a most serious thing," the petrol situation in Hawke's Bay was discussed at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council. Further representations regarding the price are to be made to the Minister of Supply (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan) by the council.

Summer Sport. A start is to be made next week by the Reserves Department of the Napier Borough Council to prepare cricket wickets at Nelson Park. The present spells of wet weather have delayed the seasonal work of the Reserves Department and have also caused the loss of several playing Saturdays, and as a result a slight extension of the winter sports season may be necessary.

Hooks Wanted. In view of the fact that hooks recently removed from a swing undergoing repairs at Ebbett Park, Hastings, are now unobtainable in New Zealand, since they are made of special steel and designed to withstand the strain placed upon them, the borough reserves department is issuing an appeal for their return.

Democratic Labour. A special meeting of the Taradale branch of the Democratic Labour Party held on Wednesday evening was addressed by the Hon. W. E. Barnard, M.P., who described the progress being made by the party throughout the country.

To-day's Diary. NAPIER. The Theatres: "The Stars Look Down," State, 2 and 8 p.m. "U-Boat 29," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m. "Our Neighbours, The Carters," and "Golden Gloves," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

HASTINGS. Fruitgrowers' meeting, Oddfellows' Hall, 8 p.m. Red-Cross-St. John Ambulance joint street appeal.

The Theatres: "Judge Hardy and Son," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m. "My Son, My Son," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m. "Hell's Cargo," and "Honeymoon Deferred," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m. "Boys of the Streets" and "I See Ice," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

Philatelic Society Meets. Correspondence from the Dominion society in reference to the import and export of stamps was received at the monthly meeting of the Hawke's Bay Philatelic Society, presided over by Mr C. J. H. Baker. It was decided to reply stating that the society was in agreement with the letter sent to the Customs Department in this connection.

Traffic Education. More than 500 pupils of the Hastings Central and the Convent Schools gathered in the Hastings Assembly Hall yesterday morning to witness traffic educational pictures presented by officers of the Transport Department.

Breakfast Table. "Oh, Jim, kiss me like that again and I'll love you for life!" "Oh—er—thanks for the warning."

He (as they drive along a lonely road): "You look like me every minute. Do you know what that's a sign of?" She: "Sure. You're about to run out of petrol."

It is not production, but distribution, that is one of the great problems of today, an American industrialist tells us. Any bald man realises this when he shaves.

When a psychologist says that everybody should be trained to stop and think, we're a bit sceptical, although we are willing to admit that all of us might be trained to stop, anyway.

She: "And if I sit over in that nice dark corner with you, will you promise not to hug me?" He: "Yes."

She: "And will you promise not to kiss me?" He: "Yes."

She: "Then what's the sense in going over there?" 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.

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Barges Assembling On Coast Of Europe

TRIPLE ATTACK LIKELY

Mr Churchill Calls On Nation To Be Ready

CRISIS AT ANY MOMENT

(British Official Wireless.)
(Received Sept. 12, 0.45 p.m.)

RUGBY, Sept. 11.

The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill), in a broadcast to the nation this evening, warned the people of the determination with which the enemy was pursuing his plans for an onslaught upon Britain, for which they therefore should prepare themselves with special pride and care and do their duty; and he rallied their confidence with an account of Britain's strength in arms, men, and above all in courage, of which the citizens of the bombed areas of London had given such a shining example.

Mr Churchill told of the movement of hundreds of self-propelled German barges down the coasts of Europe to the Bay of Biscay, and of the furtive movement of convoys of "tens and dozens" of Nazi merchantmen through the Straits of Dover under the protection of shore batteries.

He said that behind these clusters of ships and barges large masses of German troops stood waiting for the order to set out on their perilous sea voyage to invade England, and he warned his listeners that "no one should blind himself to the fact that a heavy, full-scale invasion of this country may be launched at any time now upon England, upon Scotland, upon Ireland, or upon all three." He said that the next week or so would be very important.

"But," he declared, after revealing the instant readiness of the British Navy and Air Force and the power and temper of the Army awaiting the invader, "it is with devout but sure confidence that I say: 'Let God defend the right.'"

Mr Churchill said: "When I said in the House of Commons the other day that I thought it improbable that the enemy's air attack in September could be more than three times as great as in August, I was not, of course, referring to his barbarous attacks on our civil population, but to the great air battle which was being fought out between our fighters and the German Air Force."

"You will understand that, whenever the weather is favourable, waves of German bombers, protected by fighters, often three or four hundred at a time, surge over this island, and especially the promontory of Kent, in the hope of attacking military objectives by daylight. They are met by our fighter squadrons and nearly always broken up. Their losses average three to one in machines and six to one in pilots."

Crux of the War

"This effort of the Germans to secure daylight mastery of the air over England is, of course, the crux of the whole war," Mr Churchill added. "So far, it has failed conspicuously. It has cost them very dear, and we have felt stronger and dearer, actually, relatively a good deal more than they have. The French fight began in July."

"There is no doubt that Hitler is using up his fighter force at a very high rate and that, if he goes on for many more weeks, he will wear out the bulk of his air force. That would give us a very great advantage."

"On the other hand, for him to try to invade this country without having secured mastery in the air would be a very hazardous undertaking," the Prime Minister declared. "Nevertheless, all his preparations for an invasion on a great scale are steadily going forward."

Barges on the Move

"Several hundred self-propelled barges are moving down the coasts of Europe from German and Dutch harbours to ports in northern France, from Dunkirk to Brest, and beyond Brest to the French harbours in the Bay of Biscay. Besides this, convoys of merchant ships in tens and dozens are being moved through the Straits of Dover into the Channel, dodging along from port to port, under the protection of the new batteries the Germans have built on the French coast. There are now considerable gatherings of shipping in German, Dutch, Belgian, and French harbours all the way from Hamburg to Brest."

"Finally, there are some preparations made for ships to carry an invading force from Norwegian harbours."

Troops Await Orders

"Behind these clusters of ships or barges, there stand very large numbers of German troops awaiting the order to set out on the very dangerous and uncertain voyage across the seas. We cannot tell when they will try to cross, but we cannot be sure that they will try at all; but no one should blind himself to the fact that a heavy, full-scale invasion of this island is being prepared with all the usual German thoroughness and method, and it may be launched at any time now upon England, upon Scotland, upon Ireland, or upon all three."

"If this invasion is going to be tried at all, it does not seem that it can be long delayed," said Mr Churchill. "The weather may break at any time. Besides this, it is difficult for the enemy to keep these gatherings of ships waiting about indefinitely without being bombed every night by our bombers, and very often shelled by our warships, which are waiting for them outside. Therefore, we must regard the next week or so as very important weeks in our history."

Immense Scale

"They rank with the days when the Spanish Armada was approaching the Channel and Drake was finishing his game of bowls, or when Nelson stood between us and Napoleon's Grand Army at Boulogne. We have read about all this in our history books, but what is happening now is on a far greater scale, and of far more consequence to the life and future of the world and its civilisation than those brave old days."

"Every man and woman will therefore prepare himself to do his duty, whatever it may be, with special pride and care. Our feet and our flannels are very powerful and numerous; our air force is at the highest strength it has ever reached, and it is conscious of its proved superiority, not indeed in numbers, but in men and machines."

"Our shores are well fortified and strongly manned, and behind them, ready to attack the invaders, we

LONDONERS MEET KING AND QUEEN

CHEERY TALKS WITH RAID VICTIMS

British Official Wireless.
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RUGBY, Sept. 11.

The King and Queen took shelter under a police station this morning during an air-raid warning which occurred while their Majesties were on a tour of the bombed areas of south-east London.

Their Majesties first visited a block of flats where a direct hit had been scored by a German bomb and a number of people were killed, and were deeply moved by what they saw. They then conversed with a number of people who were watching A.R.P. workers clearing the wreckage, and expressed warm appreciation of their work.

Queen Converses

As their Majesties walked from the scene, the Queen conversed with a group of women, many of whom had lost relatives in the raids. As their Majesties entered their car, this group sang "There'll Always Be a Home for You."

Proceeding to another place where a heavy-calibre bomb had completely demolished 12 houses on one side of the road and wrecked 12 others opposite, the Queen again spoke to a number of women, one of whom said: "Hitler has knocked our house down, but he ain't got us down!"

Their Majesties both climbed over the debris to look into the huge crater which the bomb had caused. As they walked down the streets between wrecked or badly damaged houses, both the King and Queen frequently stopped and spoke to the people, who told them that their visit had cheered everyone up wonderfully.

One woman said to their Majesties: "Hitler has to have a body-guard wherever he goes, but you come down here just like this. God bless you and keep you."

Their Majesties in another borough saw a church which had been wrecked by German bombs, and also a block of flats damaged on Monday night.

Everywhere throughout the three-hour tour, the sympathy shown by their Majesties was deeply appreciated.

Their Majesties were much impressed by the wonderful spirit of the people.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE DAMAGED

Bomb Falls In Grounds

NO CASUALTIES REPORTED

British Official Wireless.
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RUGBY, Sept. 11.

A delayed-action bomb which fell in the grounds of Buckingham Palace exploded in the early hours of Tuesday. Considerable damage, including hundreds of broken windows, was done to the Palace by the force of the explosion.

The bomb fell in the Palace gardens close to the garden entrance and the Belgian Suite, and buried itself in the ground. The bomb exploded with terrific force, wrecking steps and stone balustrades on the north side of the Palace.

Among the hundreds of windows shattered were those of the King's and Queen's private apartments. Pieces of masonry were thrown completely over the top of the Palace and fell in the inner quadrangle, while other pieces smashed through the roof of the entrance to the Grand Hall.

King and Queen Away

The King and Queen were spending the week-end at Windsor when the bomb fell, but when the King returned to London yesterday morning, he was told of the occurrence, and he and the Queen inspected the crater and also the damaged part of the Palace.

The bomb fell, was occupied by King Haakon of Norway.

The bomb is believed to have been a 250-pounder. It made a crater ten feet deep and 20 feet wide, forcing up the stone slabs of the terrace and broke the huge columns of the swimming pool buildings. Masonry was sent flying into the air. Splintered glass fell over a wide area of garden, and several pieces of masonry fell on the roofs. Broken glass showered the Picture Gallery, and the Chinese Room was slightly damaged.

The bomb explosion at Buckingham Palace was of such fearful force that it flung a two-ton piece of Portland stone 20 feet, scattering hundredweight pieces 300 feet from the masonry roof and lifting a piece of masonry over the roof into the central courtyard, reports a later cable.

Eight stone pillars two feet in diameter were broken into three or four pieces and flung to one side. A flight of steps to a balcony collapsed. Not one pane of glass was left in their Majesties' apartments.

The Queen's sitting-room on the first floor was damaged, plaster being brought down and the floor covered with glass and debris.

Their Majesties' dressing rooms, bathrooms and working rooms were also damaged, the window of the Chinese Chippendale room shattered and the frame torn out.

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WILL INVASION BE NECESSARY?

GOEBBELS FORESEES COLLAPSE

Dire Threats Of Bigger Air Raids

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BERLIN, Sept. 11.

"Ten thousand 'planeloads of bombs are going to the London area in the next few days," declared a Nazi spokesman to-day. "There will be 2500 planes, rotating four times a day between London and the French supply bases, starting to-night."

"Bombers from their home airports, situated in Germany, will fly each day to the French coast, where they will take on bombs for flying to London. They will not return to their home airports until they have completed their fourth visit to London."

Dr. Goebbels's spokesman said: "I would not give a farthing for the House of Parliament. Now the Reichstag has been bombed, there is no reason why we should not bomb the British Parliament out of existence. If the British try to hit the Chancellery, then Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle will go as surely as you live."

He added that Germany would land troops in England if necessary, but declared that there was a possibility of England's collapse.

Anzac Airmen Decorated

DARING FLIGHTS Long-Distance Record For War

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

The following particulars regarding awards to New Zealanders are released by the Director of Publicity:

Two more New Zealanders have been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, according to information received from the Director of Publicity, this morning. They are: Acting-Squadron Leader Aubrey Arthur Ninnis Breckon.

Acting-Flight Lieutenant Francis Squadron-Leader Breckon comes from Northcote, Auckland, and is aged 26. According to the official citation, "He participated in 21 major bombing attacks in Germany, Holland, Belgium and France."

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PRISONERS HAVE PRIVILEGES

A RELAXATION OF RESTRICTIONS

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

Amendments to prison regulations contained in to-night's Gazette prescribe, by routine, the medical examination of every prisoner on reception. They confirm the practice of prisoners being permitted at the discretion of the controlling officers to have their own shaving outfits, and to use their own razors to shave daily if they so desire.

Visits are liberalised and under the new regulations prisoners are to be permitted to write a letter a week instead of one a week as previously.

Prisoners also are to be permitted to wear their own private clothes after working hours. The amending regulations also regularise certain improvements to the rations scale which has been in operation for some time past, and in addition provide for the issuance of fresh fruit.

THE HONEY CONTROL BOARD

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

The present personnel of members of the Honey Control Board has now been taken over by the Internal Marketing Division. The board was originally set up to control the export of all honey from New Zealand, but this function has now been taken over by the Internal Marketing Division. The board has been retained in an advisory capacity and is a valuable link between producers and the department.

In the ordinary course of events, each producer member of the board retires every two years, so that an election would be required each year to replace the retiring member.

"A Rebellion In Wellington," Says Rome Radio

Troops Said To Be Prevented From Embarking

Stupid Story

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

A cablegram received in Wellington to-night from Sydney stated that a radio broadcast from Rome had reported that a rebellion in Wellington was preventing the embarkation of New Zealand troops for overseas.

When Mr. Fraser was asked to comment for the purpose of refutation by the Australian short-wave radio to Europe, he said that the people of New Zealand would be highly amused when they learned of this fantastic nonsense. Obviously this lie was too ridiculous to warrant serious notice from him or from any other responsible source.

The whole-hearted devotion of all the people of New Zealand to the British cause and their determination to assist to the utmost of their power the successful prosecution of the war against Hitler and Mussolini needed no reiteration on his part.

Mr Fraser said that the footpaths should be maintained in a safe condition. Considerable sinkings would occur and there was no way of repairing it but to do the repair work immediately.

In the course of discussion, Mr. P. E. Leach said that it appeared to him that the soil had not been properly rammed when the trenches were filled.

A CHARGE OF SUBVERSION

ILLICIT PAMPHLETS FOUND

Alleged Attack On Ministers

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

A charge of being in possession on August 31 of 127 copies of a pamphlet with a view to facilitating the publication of a subversive statement was made in the court yesterday by Mr. Justice Gault. The pamphlet, entitled "The Weekly Worker," was found in the possession of a barber, employee at the railway station. The pamphlet contained an attack on three Crown Ministers in connection with the deportation of a Communist.

The magistrate (Mr. E. L. Stout) reserved his decision. Senior Detective Doyle said that as a result of complaints received, a detective interviewed the accused, who was the sole occupier of a bach at the back of a house. There the detective found a fairly extensive collection of books from the Left Book Club. Accused told the detective that he was a member of the Esperanto Society, but the detective did not find literature of the kind the police were seeking. A suitcase was found to contain Esperanto correspondence and the bundle of pamphlets which were the subject of the charge. Accused expressed great amazement at these, saying that he had never seen them before.

In the breast pocket of a coat there was a letter from the organiser of the Wellington branch of the Communist Party. In reference to this, accused said: "That's a different matter. That is a different story."

Doyle indicated that similar pamphlets had been posted throughout the city. Each pamphlet stated that it was issued by the National Committee of the Peace and Anti-Conscription Council. The police had stopped meetings of that body, and on the surface it had been defunct so far as the police knew.

Defending counsel said that accused, with several hundred others, had attended a meeting of the Peace and Anti-Conscription Council at the Trades Hall, signed on as a member. Members were asked to distribute notices of meetings, and such notices were dumped regularly in accused's room, the door of which was always unlocked. He had no reason to believe that there was anything in the room when the police searched it.

APPEALS OF THE JOCKEYS

Hearing Set Down For September 24

By Telegraph—Press Association.
CHRISTCHURCH, Sept. 12.

The appeals of the jockeys P. Burgess, A. E. Didham, G. R. Tattersall, W. Broughton, and H. Wiggins against the action of the executive committee of the New Zealand Racing Conference in granting them three months' conditional licences only at the beginning of the present season, will be heard before three judges appointed by the conference in Wellington, on September 24.

The names of the judges will not be divulged until after the hearing.

STREET APPEAL AT HASTINGS TO-DAY

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

The joint Red Cross-St. John street appeal is to be made at Hastings to-day. This is to provide funds for the local activities of the two bodies, and not for work in other districts.

A feature of the appeal will be a man attired in a complete decontamination suit parading the streets to-night. This outfit consists of heavy gumboots, baggy trousers, special gloves and a gas-mask. Over this is worn a hood which is tied around the neck and a heavy coat of special oil-proof material.

PATHS DAMAGED IN CABLE-LAYING

COUNCIL CONCERNED AT DANGER

Liability Passed On To Power Board

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

Concern at the damage caused by electric footpaths by the Hawke's Bay Electricity Power Board's cable-laying activities was expressed at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council. Discussion was prompted by the receipt of a letter from the board stating that two inches of red metal had been placed along the trenches in the borough where the cable had been placed.

This was all the work that the board intended to do, but it understood that it would pay for the cost of tar sealing "at some future date."

"It seems as if they can come along and tear up roads and footpaths just as they like and leave them just as they like," said the Mayor (Mr. G. A. Maddison). He moved that a reply be sent stating that the council holds the board responsible for injuries to any persons resulting from the sunken trenches, and that the cost of restoring the footpaths to normal is regarded as the liability of the board.

Mr. A. D. Ross: Even though they were filled with red metal in the summer, and then there would be a further liability for the council to meet.

Mr. G. W. B. McCormick: Why is it necessary that they should do the same job twice? Surely there is some slip somewhere. These footpaths were dug up and cables laid a little while ago.

Mr. S. Ashcroft: There has not been any slip or any carelessness about it at all. Certain circumstances made it necessary to expedite the work.

In seconding the Mayor's motion Mr. A. Lowe said that the footpaths should be maintained in a safe condition. Considerable sinkings would occur and there was no way of repairing it but to do the repair work immediately.

In the course of discussion, Mr. P. E. Leach said that it appeared to him that the soil had not been properly rammed when the trenches were filled.

Reading Matter For Troops

REQUEST RECEIVED

Hastings R.S.A. Committee Meets

MONTHLY BUSINESS

A request for the collection of reading matter for the troops was received from Dominion headquarters at the monthly meeting of the Hastings Returned Soldiers' Association. Books, magazines, and periodicals that are bright, readable and in clear English were asked for, and the committee decided to obtain as many as possible for the purpose. On account of their bulky nature, it was stated, publications such as the "Weekly News" were not considered suitable.

It was mentioned that the Boy Scout movement is greatly handicapped on account of the shortage of scoutmasters brought about by enlistments, and that the committee would be glad to hear of any returned soldiers who could assist in this direction.

Messrs. R. E. Hunt and L. J. Mackenzie were appointed as the association's representatives on the Hastings Rehabilitation Committee. The secretary reported that the financial membership to date was 500.

Mr. P. J. Priest presided at the meeting over Messrs P. J. S. George, S. I. Jones, L. J. Mackenzie, D. S. McLeod, F. R. Field, F. H. Goldfinch, C. G. Wilkinson, G. H. Roach and V. A. Thomson (secretary). Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. C. Prebble and J. Scott.

OLD COUNCIL SERVANT RETIRES

Many Years' Service At Hastings

Mr. J. Kitt, of the staff of the Hastings Borough Council, tendered his resignation at yesterday's meeting of the council after 25 years' service. His retirement was due to ill health.

He has been a very faithful servant, and I am sure that in the 25 years that he has been with the council there has never been a complaint about his work," said the Mayor (Mr. G. A. Maddison). He extended sympathy to Mr. Kitt in his illness, best wishes for the future, and thanks for his years of faithful service.

The council decided to grant Mr. Kitt three months' salary.

NAPIER RESIDENT'S PASSING

Mrs E. M. Newbould

LONG RESIDENCE IN DISTRICT

Death In 78th Year

Mrs Ellen Mary Newbould, widow of Mr. Walter Matthew Newbould, of Cote Road, Napier, died yesterday in her 78th year.

Together with five of her sisters, Mrs Newbould came to New Zealand 66 years ago, staying with her uncle, the late Mr. Philip Dobel. Her husband died some 12 years ago.

One son, Maurice George Newbould, resides in London, and a daughter, Mrs Charles Cowrick, at Cote Road, Napier. There are three sisters, Mesdames Parsons, Calcutt and Nichol, and four grandchildren.

The interment will take place this afternoon at the Napier cemetery.

CASE FOR WATERSIDERS CHALLENGED BY MR PRICE

"Mental Acrobatics" Said To Characterise Mover Of Recent Motion

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 12.

A further statement on the motion moved by Mr T. N. Warren and carried at a stop-work meeting of members of the Wellington branch of the New Zealand Waterside Workers' Union yesterday was made by the chairman of the Waterfront Control Commission (Mr R. E. Price) to-night.

"The full text of the resolution moved by Mr Warren was placed before me to-day," Mr Price said, "and I note that it expresses complaint because the contract system is operating, while at the same time complaining because it does not apply to all waterside workers. Surely this is inconsistency of the highest order."

"The resolution goes on to complain that nothing is known of the terms of contract and the mover, Mr Warren, emphasises this in speaking to the motion, yet concludes by foretelling the ultimate effect of the contract he claims to know nothing about."

"Apparently mental acrobatics are not enough for Mr Warren, for he has coupled with them a disregard for fact. In his answer to my reply he admits that the terms of contract were fully discussed at the stop-work meeting at which the resolution was passed."

"A person so careless of accuracy and so unbalanced of judgment deserves no further consideration, but for his own good he should accept advice and not again attempt to impart it," Mr Price said.

It was previously reported that a protest against the form of contract system introduced in the port was made at a stop-work meeting of members of the Wellington branch of the New Zealand Waterside Workers' Union. It was reported that more than 700 members were present, and that the following motion was carried unanimously:

"That this union views with grave concern and enters an emphatic protest against the imposition of a so-called co-operative contract system which deprives a large number of its members who assist in the work from participating in its benefits; and, further, as a party to the contract, with no knowledge of its contents, we feel that its continuance under its present conditions will ultimately undermine and destroy the humane and beneficial working conditions obtained by the sacrifice of our past members. We respectfully urge the Minister of Labour, Mr Webb, or his co-opted colleague, Mr J. O'Brien, to make direct contact with the union in order to see the position in its true perspective."

Not Acceptable. No self-respecting body of workers should be asked to accept such a scheme as the one at present in operation, said Mr T. N. Warren, moving the motion. A contract to carry out a certain work, in which one of the contracting parties had no knowledge of the conditions of the contract, and where 25 per cent. of the workers engaged in its performance did not participate in its results, was a contradiction of the term "co-operative."

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He thought that the only fear New Zealand might have would be one of epidemic, continued Mr Maddison. He could not see that any emergency was likely in this part of the Empire in the near future, but it was as well to be prepared.

A committee is to be set up comprising representatives of the Hastings R.S.A., the Farmers' Union, the Havelock North Town Board, the County Council, the Federation of Labour, Clive and the Hastings Borough Council.

Mr Maddison and Mr A. I. Rainbow were elected as the council's representatives.

ASSISTANCE FOR ORCHARDISTS

BASIS WILL VARY THIS SEASON

State Control For The Second Time

TARADALE AFFAIRS DISCUSSED

According to information given to a deputation of fruitgrowers which met the Minister of Marketing (the Hon. W. Nash) last week it appears probable that this season whatever assistance may be given to orchardists will vary considerably from the payments made during the first year of State control. Mr Nash expressed the opinion that it was stated yesterday by Mr. D. S. McLeod, who was a member of the deputation, that it was not right that growers with incomes of £1000 or more should receive assistance at the expense of the taxpayers.

Although Mr Nash had told growers when opening the annual conference of New Zealand Fruitgrowers' Federation that he was unable to give any indication as to the price that would be paid, the whole conference had gone to the Minister as a deputation on the following morning, said Mr. McLeod. "It was then that Mr. Nash dropped his bombshell," he added.

Different Conditions. When the deputation asked for a price of 3/4 a case for the fruit on the tree, reference had been made to the heavy increase in costs, which had placed

HASTINGS PARADES ARE POPULAR

Great Benefit For Owners

BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR NEXT WEDNESDAY

A.J.C. Derby A Very Open Race

(By MOTUROA.)

The Hawke's Bay Jockey Club set the main several years ago by introducing a spring parade for two-year-olds and upwards, and the innovation proved an instant success.

The success achieved in this direction has not been lost sight of by other progressive clubs, and Hawke's Bay's lead has been followed elsewhere, proving popular wherever tried.

The Annual Horse Parade at Hastings has become an institution. Owners and trainers welcome it as a splendid opportunity for giving experience from the barrier and over a sprint distance under true racing conditions their new batches of two-year-olds and untried horses.

Another important aspect of the Annual Parade is that it is growing in favour with racegoers, who come from all over the province to see the young horses in action.

Judging by the large number of horses in training in Hastings, Greenmeadows, and Ngatarawa this season, another successful meeting can be confidently expected next Wednesday, and Secretary A. E. Wishart should have a lengthy nomination list when entries close on Monday.

SELDOM has three-year-old racing borne a more open aspect in Australia than this season and, although quite a number of three-year-old races have already been decided, there is no pronounced favourite for the Derbies.

His dam is Fairy, who was by All Black from Pourparler, a sister to the mighty Bobriokoff, Estland, Finmark, Second Wind and other classic winners come from this family.

TIDAL WAVE, who caught the eye recently when he finished fast into third place in the six furlongs Zetland Stakes at the Victoria Park meeting, subsequently finished only 11th in the Hobartville Stakes (about 7 furlongs) at Randwick, but he has last when they straightened up and was not knocked about in the run home.

Something of the real ability of this Tiderace—My Own colt was shown in the nine furlongs Canterbury Guineas last Saturday when he finished brilliantly to run Ensign to half a head.

It takes Tidal Wave seven furlongs to get wound up and, while Australian critics admit that he is a dived-in-the-wood stayer, he is in any great favour for the Derby. However, those familiar with the breed look on Tidal Wave as being the ideal Derby colt.

There may be more brilliant three-year-olds to force the pace in the classic, but Tidal Wave will appreciate the smaller field and the extra distance will not worry him at all. His Zetland Stakes form early last month impressed me greatly and I will be surprised if the Australian critics have not a different tale to tell after last Saturday's racing.

After all, from a breeding perspective, there is nothing in the A.J.C. Derby with better qualifications than Tidal Wave, who is a half-brother to Beauvivre and Yours Truly. He is bred from My Own, winner of the G.N. Oaks and

MAIDEN PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT

CHEDDINGTON, a colt of outstanding quality and by the successful Phalaris horse Phalaris Bay from the Chief Ruler—Silver Link mare Silver Rule, started only twice last season as a two-year-old and in his second outing he ran Lou Rosa to a head in the Great Northern Foal Stakes. A repetition of this form would give him a lien on the Trial Plate at Avondale to-morrow. By the way, Cheddington was a cheap buy. The Oring sportsman Mr W. H. Gaisford secured Silver Rule, with the Beau Pere colt Silver Stiek at four months at Phalaris Bay at the Western Stud Dispensal Sale for 400 guineas.

two of the biggest 12 furlongs handicaps in the Dominion. Tidal Wave's second dam was the Oaks winner Tressida, the dam of the N.Z. Derby winner Runnymede.

DOES NOT STAY Ensign, who downed Tidal Wave in the Canterbury Guineas, has not shown stamina in his early races this season. In the Zetland Stakes he let the legs, but had to give way to Panchio, while Tidal Wave nearly caught him. Unless he has gained unexpected stamina he should not be dangerous.

Ensign, who is by Andrea from Reserved, is a tear-away customer and that kind of colt is not the true Derby type. The Medieval Knight colt Flying Knight, who won the Hobartville Stakes, is another who can be regarded as a non-stayer.

The Marconigram—Lady Canberra colt Broadcaster finished fairly well for third in the Hobartville Stakes. Like the Chatham, Emerald colt Evergreen, however, he may be better suited by shorter distances.

Australian critics have a good word to say for the Harinero—Rio Rita colt Panchio, who finished well to lead the Zetland Stakes. His subsequent form has not been so impressive for he could finish only fifth in the Hobartville Stakes and he was a length and a half behind

Tidal Wave in the Canterbury Guineas.

Panchio may be better suited by the longer course for the Derby, but without showing undue parochialism, it would seem that the early meetings have shown up the N.Z. colts Tidal Wave and Panchio in very favourable light. Nightbeam's form has been rather patchy, but he may not have yet become acclimatised and the approaching meetings may shed further light on his prospects.

STILL PROMINENT NEW ZEALAND OWNED horses are not in Australia in such numbers this spring, but the few who have made the crossing are keeping the Dominion well in the public eye, emphasising the excellence of our bloodstock to potential buyers at the next National Yearling Sales at Trentham.

Beauvivre and Beau Vite, who are among the best fancied horses for the big spring handicaps, have done everything well and High Caste leaves the impression that he is not far behind the form that enabled him to beat Ajax last autumn. In Sydney among the lesser lights and younger horses Tidal Wave, Panchio and Nightbeam have been attracting attention.

At Randwick on July 31, however an impressive race was secured by Snow Queen (a five-year-old mare by Beau Pere from Cursey), who was purchased cheaply at the 1937 Sales for 170gns. Snow Queen won

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going away by 2 1/2 lengths and unplaced behind her were Nightbeam, Malagigi and Beaupartir. Snow Queen is now raced by the Sydney trainer, Mick Polson.

On the same afternoon at Mentone (Victoria) Royal Order (Limond—Anklet), who cost 700gns. at the 1937 Sales, came home at tall odds in the main event, the Waverley Handicap, trained by Jack Fryer, Royal Order has been more or less unsound or he would have won more big races.

The Masterton owner-trainer J. Jamieson was out of luck for Erua (Cape Horn—Vuelta) looked unlucky to lose the Beach Hurdles, while Saki (Eastern Monarch) was cut down by Judean in the final stages of the Westminster Welter Handicap.

BEAUVIVRE IN DEMAND

CLEAR-CUT favourite for the Epsom Handicap after his success in the Warwick Stakes, Beauvivre on July 31, Beauvivre's position in the betting market would firm still further after his second defeat of Reading in the Canterbury Stakes

FOXTON ENTRIES TO-NIGHT

HAWKE'S BAY owners and trainers are given a final reminder that nominations for all events at the Foxton Racing Club's spring meeting at Foxton on September 28 close with the secretary, Mr Jack Newton, Foxton, at nine o'clock to-night (Friday). This is always a popular fixture, for the sandy Foxton course is an all-weather track and it provides splendid facilities for this time of the year.

THURSDAY AND SATURDAY 3rd and 5th OCTOBER, 1940.

Before the Canterbury Park meeting the Beauvivre—Beau Vite double had been backed for £25,000, but the most favoured way was Beauvivre—Reading and this double had been backed to the extent of £35,000 at the end of last month. Even at this shorter odds there would be many more takers for this combination after Saturday's racing, for it is obvious that Reading is going on the right way.

Buzalong, who won the Newcastle Cup recently, further impressed when he ran third to Beauvivre and Reading in the Warwick Stakes and he was coupled with Beauvivre after the race for £15,000. The double had been backed to the extent of £10,000 the previous week.

Buzalong, who already has a Caulfield Cup to his credit, is one of the best middle-distance horses in Australia and he is coming into strong regard for his second Caulfield Cup. However, this will be preceded by the A.J.C. Metropolitan Handicap on October 7 and that race should give a real line on his chances at Caulfield at the end of October.

The former New Zealand George Price is in the position of having the two Epsom Handicap favourites—Beauvivre and Mildura—in his stable and he seems to hold a very strong hand.

ESTABLISHED in 1899, the Avondale Stakes has always been a popular race for two-year-olds and, over this period of more than 40 years, there have been many high class winners of the first of big two-year-old events of the season.

Phalaris, who won the first contest, but a year later Nonette was successful and he was one of the best of the many great horses sired by Seaton Delaval.

Elysian, who won in 1908 was a smart galloper and later a useful sire, he scored two years before Miss Winsome, while that great staying mare Merry Roe succeeded in 1912. Landslide won in 1919 and the following year the race went to the Absurd gelding Mermin, who was the best two-year-old of his year.

Lady Lois, Bathos, Killoera and Autumn were all good class winners and followed in 1926. Clive went north to win. He was a great sprinter and won-most of the important races over six furlongs in the Dominion.

Phalaris later won the Oaks and he was the dam of Gallo and Te Hero, who in 1927, two years after her sister Phaela. Then came the brilliant Supremacy, while Princess Doreen, the best of her year, won in 1932. Whenakura won the next year and that great mare Stretto was successful in 1935.

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SHOWED PROMISE LAST SEASON

KINDERGARTEN, who won the Hastings Stakes and two minor events at Gisborne in his six starts last season, gets into the Henderson Hack Handicaps at Avondale to-morrow with a very reasonable impost of 8.1, only 8lb. above the minimum. Kindergarten, who promises to be more than useful, has won £370 in stakes, and a win at the Avondale meeting would put him into open company. This Kincardine three-year-old should hold his own in good sprint company later on, and much interest will be taken in his running this week-end.—"Moturoa."

CURRENT COMMENT

Colerica was missed from the nomination for the maiden event at the Marton Jockey Club's spring meeting next week. City Song should also be included in the entries for the Tutuau and Terevel Handicaps.

On the Upgrade King's Mark ran two really good races last week and the Australian-bred colt appears to have built up all round since last season. He is on the upgrade and appears to have bright prospects for a maiden race.

Turn Overdue

The Ngatarawa mare Harina has not run a bad race since she returned to the winning list at the Hawke's Bay Hunt meeting, but minor placings alone have seen her lot. She looked unlucky both days at the Wanganui meeting. The Australian-bred mare looks more solid now and should soon be back to the winning list.

Likely Hurdler

Lucillus Boy has been racing very solidly lately and after changing Scandal home on the first day of the Wanganui meeting, he battled on gamely to win under pressure on Saturday. Lucillus Boy is inclined to be "toey" at the barrier, but he has shown promising form in his schooling and the spring meetings should give him a chance to improve on the minor placings which marked his debut as a hurdler at the Napier Park spring meeting.



FOXTON RACING CLUB

SPRING MEETING.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28.

NOMINATIONS for the Spring Meeting to be held on the Foxton Racecourse on Saturday, September 28, close with the undersigned TO-DAY (FRIDAY), September 13, at 9 p.m. Two-year-old Parade immediately after hurdles. J. NEWTON, Secretary. 'Phone: Business 145, Private 69. P.O. Box 16, Foxton. Telegraph Office closes at Foxton at 5 p.m. Continuous Telephone.

HAWKE'S BAY JOCKEY CLUB (Inc.) SPRING MEETING.

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First Race Each Day at 12.30 p.m.

OFFICIALS:

President, G. D. Beaton; Handicapper, H. Coyte; Starter, L. G. Morris; Judge, H. Russell; Secretary, A. E. Wishart (telephone 2447; P.O. Box 13, Hastings).

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, OCT. 3, 1940.

1—HOLLYCOMBE HURDLES HANDICAP, of £100; second £20; third £10 from the stake. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. About 14 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. 7lb. No allowances. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. 5 1/2 furlongs.

3—HASTINGS STAKES, of £250; for two-year-olds; winner to receive £205, second £30, third £15. Colts and geldings 8st. 5lb., fillies 8st. Forfeit of £1 due night of general entry of the H.B.J.C. Spring Meeting 28th Sept. 1940. All entries left in care that date to pay full subscription of £2 10/- (Entries closed). Four furlongs.

4—HASTINGS SPRING HANDICAP, of £100; 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. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. One and a-quarter Miles.

6—OTANE HACK HANDICAP, of £100; second £15; third £5. Min. weight: 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.

7—HOMESWOOD FLYING HANDICAP, of £30; second £20, third £10. Min. weight: 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. Six furlongs.

SECOND DAY, SATURDAY, 5th OCTOBER, 1940.

1—TOMOANA HURDLES HANDICAP, of £100; second £20, third £10. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. About 14 miles.

2—TRIAL STAKES, of £100; second £15; third £5. For three-year-olds and upwards. 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. 7lb. 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. One and a-quarter miles.

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DEATHS

NEWBOULD—On Thursday, September 12, 1940, Ellen Mary, widow of Walter Matthew Newbould, of 20 Coote Road, Napier, in her 78th year.

Interment private at the Napier Cemetery after a short service at St. John's Cathedral Church at 2 p.m. to-day (Friday), September 13.

B. G. NICHOLSON, Funeral Director.

TURNER—At Waipukurau on September 11, 1940, Ernest Joseph, beloved husband of Nellie Beatrice Turner, aged 61 years.

The funeral will leave his late residence, St. Joseph Street, Waipukurau, following a service which will commence at 2.30 p.m. to-day, Friday, September 13.

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SHEEP—
CATTLE—

STORTFORD LODGE YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1940.

The sale will commence at 10 a.m. with fat cattle. The fat cattle 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.
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CATTLE—
46 Fat Bullocks.
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195 1/2-yr. Steers.
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