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Sixty Million People Have The Right To Vote

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NEW YORK, Nov. 4.

German Control

Of Danube

SOVIET OBJECTIONS

Rights To Maritime

Reaches

CONFERENCE DELAYS

Dairy Farmers'

Procedure

MR NASH'S VIEW

Question Of Costs

And Prices

POST-WAR PROBLEMS

further increase in the guaranteed

Opposition To Wage Increase

The difference of opinion had re-colved itself into opposition by the Dairy Conference to the increase of

5 per cent. granted as a cost-of-living bonus to wage and salary earners throughout the Dominion. He was satisfied that "unless we get

an element of stability in costs and prices we will run into difficulties

far exceeding those that followed the last war."

"Fortune" magazine, in an eleventh-hour pre-election survey shows that 55.2 per cent. of the nation's popular vote favours President Roosevelt for re-election.

The "New York Daily News," on the basis of a fort-night's poll, predicted that President Roosevelt would carry the important New York State by a small plurality. will be a virtual photo-finish, says the "News."

Both sides are prepared for an intensive election eve effort to clinch the campaign, in which 60,000,000 people have the right to vote, including 25,000,000 women.

Mr John L. Lewis, chairman of the Congress of Industrial Organisation, issued an eleventh-hour appeal to labour to support Mr Wendell L. Willkie and characterised President Roosevelt as "an erratic, war-

Wilkie and characterised Fresident Roosevelt as "an erratic, warmongering politician."

Mr William Green, leader of the American. Federation of Labour, Irged members to vote as they honestly and sincerely thought would be best in the interests of the masses of the nation.

Naval Movements President Roosevelt returned to

President Roosevelt returned to Washington to-day and conferred mmediately with the Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull) and the Jnder - Secretary (Mr Sumner Welles). The conference is being inked with reports of naval activity n the Caribbean. It is reported that hree destroyers sailed yesterday from Balboa

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It is officially announced that regime established by Germany on the Upper Danube places the entire control of the river in German hands whereas control of the maritime reaches from Braila to Sulina should be exclusively the right of Russia

hat five other destroyers left durng the week.

In his final election broadside Mr Willkie said: "When the third term andidate speaks about 26,000 planes for Britain, let us not fool he British people. We must arm Britain with 'planes, not disarm her with political speeches. It will take years to fill their orders as a result of New Deal stagnation in the aviation industry."

be exclusively the right of Russia and Rumania.

A message from Moscow says that 600,000 14-year-old labour students are immediately being called to the colours as reservists.

Dairy Farmers'

During the meeting a man approached Mr Willkie's platform. He was immediately seized by police and a revolver was taken from his

More Canadians In Britain

TWO BATTALIONS

Men From Ontario And Quebec

OFFICIAL ADVICE

(By Radio) Two more battalions of Canadian troops are officially stated to have arrived in Great Britain.

The men are mainly from central Ontario and Quebec.

FLANDIN MAY HEAD NAZI FRANCE

Awaiting Opportunity

GERMANS TIRED OF VICHY

Post War Intrigues

M. Flandin, a former Premier, who sent Hitler a congratulatory given effect to. telegram after Munich, may soon be neading a completely Nazi France under German occupation.

News trickling from France confirms reports that the Germans are

increasingly impatient with the Vichy regime, and also angry with a section of the French Press for mentioning Britain's defiance of the

Mentioning Britain's defiance of the blitzkrieg.

M. Flandin's leadership would be the best reply to Vichy's dalliance. He has carefully kept out of the political arena for months, and has not compromised himself by accepting a Ministerial position since the authors of war. outbreak of war.

Awaiting Opportunity
He has also emphatically urged that France should be under one regime. It has been long known that M. Flandin was awaiting an opportune moment to make a bid for dictatorship in a completely Nazified tatorship in a completely Nazified

France.

M. Flandin assisted in the discussions when M. Laval went to Paris to negotiate for the return of the Government to the capital.

Writing in the paper "l'Oeuvre," which he owns, M. Flandin demanded a real revolution, "not the Vichy revolution of which officials and radio announcers are speaking."

M. Flandin has always been an arch appeaser, notoriously pro-German, and is regarded by most Frenchmen as the prince of France's countless political intriguers. countless political intriguers.

Governments Interested In Beau Vite

New Zealand Says Earnings Must Be Sent Here

Australia Refuses

Amazing Situation Revealed By Owner

United Press Association-Copyright. (Received November 5, 1.25 a.m.) SYDNEY, Nov. 4.

The "Sydney Sun's" special reparisen regarding the destination of ganda can be detected. the prize money earned in Australia by Beau Vite. If he wins the Cup to-morrow the New Zealand Govern- will be no capitalists and no Bolshev ment will insist that the prize ists but all will join for the common money, totalling £6250, together with good. all other of Beau Vite's earnings, shall be remitted to New Zealand. The Commonwealth Government

Mr Stewart, interviewed to-day, said that when he left New Zealand he had to sign an undertaking that United Press Association—Copyright. (Received November 4, 12.45 p.m.) all the moneys won should be re-turned to the Dominion.

Mr Stewart explained that the position had become so embarrass-ing that he had referred the matter LONDON, Nov. 3. The Belgrade correspondent of the p Daily Mail" says that the Danube for "Daily Mail" says that the Danube for a legal opinion. He felt he had conference has not met for three an obligation to both countries but there was little doubt that while he was domiciled in Australia he was bound to obey the laws of the coun-

regime established by Germany on try.

Beau Vite's winnings since his article the Upper Danube places the entire rival are £8275.

DERAILMENT OF **ENGINE**

PASSENGERS DID NOT KNOW

SLIP ON TRACK

Trains Delayed Near

Auckland By Telegraph-Press Association.

AUCKLAND, Nov. 4. Softened by heavy rain overnight a new clay formation at the Scroggy Hill railway deviation slipped down when the 6.30 a.m. Waitakere train was passing over it, and caused the leading wheels of the engine to jump off the track.

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The Minister of Finance (the Hon. W. Nash), who arrived from Wellington to-day, told an interviewer that he could not understand the procedure of the Dairy Conference which invited him to speak and condemned him before he arrived at the meeting.

The Minister stressed the point that in June last representatives of the industry came to his office and said that if it were possible to stabilise costs and prices, then they felt that they should not ask for a further increase in the guaranteed was passing over it, and caused the leading wheels of the engine to jump off the track.

The train was being piloted over the new section by the ganger in charge of the work. It was going so slowly that many of the passengers were unaware of the derailment until after the engine had stopped with little more than a slight jerk.

A delay of about half an hour occurred while the engine was being jacked back to the line by the equipment carried for such an emergency. Other trains due to pass over the line to and from the city suffered correspondingly.

FRENCH SAILORS FROM BRITAIN

Four Repatriation Vessels

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Mr Nash said he hoped that the recommendation of the Economic Stabilisation Conference would be given effect to.

Four ships are going to Britain from France to repatriate sailors wishing to return home, two more ships are following.

INCREASED PETROL RATION IS UNLIKELY, SAYS MR NASH

"Every Dollar Used Is A Dollar Less For Britain's Munitions"

By Telegraph—Press Association

AUCKLAND, Nov. 4.

"I have no knowledge of it, and I think it very unlikely," said the Minister of Customs (the Hon. W. Nash) when a suggestion that the Government was contemplating an early restoration of the petrol ration to the figure prevailing before the last reduction in July was referred to him.

"There would have to be a change in the dollar situation before that could happen," Mr Nash said. He hoped that the increase in the ration already announced for November and December would assist the motor industry by removing some of its difficulties. It was still a fact, however, that every dollar used to buy petrol for civil consumption was a dollar less for the purchase of munitions by the United Kingdom.

Early Offer Of Peace Expected From Germany

'United Press Association-Copyright.) Received November 4, 10.55 p.m.) LONDON, Nov. 4.

HASTINGS, N.Z., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1940

It is reported from Washington that Hitler is planning within a day to two to present the terms on which he is willing to end the war. It is possible that he will make the

announcement in a speech to the Reichstag.

Members of the United States State Department said they had received no official information, but they had heard rumours that Hitler was making a speech on peace to the people. They added that the Department had not received Hitler's proposed terms, as reported in a London newspaper.

"The Times," discussing Hitler's apparent propaganda campaign to unsettle American opinion on the FIRST RESPITE IN esentative at the Cup Carnival re- eve of the election, says that two ports that an amazing situation has particular lines of German propa-

The first develops the theme that the new European order will soon usher in a golden age where there

The second shows that Hitler is trying to win back religious opinion. It is revealed that Father Odo, otherwise Duke Carl of Wurtemburg, has been on a mission to the United has informed the owner, Mr R.
Stewart, that Beau Vite's earnings cannot leave this country.

Undertaking Given

Mr Stewart, interviewed said that when he left New Zealand

Wise Duke Carl of Wurtemburg, nas been on a mission to the United States on behalf of Hitler for the purpose of persuading American Catholics that Hitler is one of them and is fighting to give them fresh fields for conversion to the Christian belief.

Admiration For Greece

DE GAULLE'S MESSAGE

Example Of Ancient Traditions

SUCCESS FORECAST

British Official Wireless, (Received November 4, 7.10 p.m.) RUGBY, Nov. 3.

General de Gaulle, leader of the Free French forces, in a telegram to the Greek Prime Minister (General Metaxas), said: "On behalf of all the French people, those who are still fighting and those temporarily held in servitude by the enemy, I express to your Excellency and the Government and people of Greece our admiration and our confidence that, in safeguarding once more their independence, the Greeks will give the world an example worlty of their ancient traditions. Together with our allies, we shall beat our common enemy."

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General Metaxas replied: "I warmly thank you for your telegram. All Blanket of Mist

Pilot Officer Jack Milton Cave, killed in air operations. His father is Mr M. K. Cave, Tirau, Rotorual time, afternoon to hear violent antial the afternoon

mon enemy."
General Metaxas replied: "I warmly thank you for your telegram. All Greece is convinced that, in the present grave moment of history, the hearts of all French people, without hearts of all French people, without exception, are beating for the success of our just cause.
"The great French nation, who

many times followed the noble example of our ancestors and gallantly supported us at the time of our in dependence, could not but be with us once more."

EMPEROR CONSULTS HIS CHIEFTAINS

Selassie In Sudan

HOPES TO REGAIN THRONE

Italians' Failure

PETROL RESTRICTIONS DEFENDED

"Noisy, Unhelpful Clamour

"That in view of the full explanation by responsible Ministers of the necessity for petrol restrictions having regard to the grave war situation, the Hastings branch of the New Zealand Labour Party expresses strong condemnation of those persons and organisations that are maintaining a noisy, unhelpful clamour for extra petrol for pleasure consumption."

This resolution was unanimously carried at the monthly meeting of Zealand Labour Party.

EIGHT WEEKS

NO NIGHT RAID ON LONDON

SCOTTISH ATTACK

Dornier Reported To Have Crashed Into Sea

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received November 4, 11.10 p.m.) LONDON, Nov. 4. After 57 successive nights of raids London had no alert at all last night—the first occasion since the blitz-bombing began.

Nine bombs fell in the north-east of Scotland last night, but there were no casualties

were no casualties.

Low-flying 'planes attacked various parts of East Anglia, where a Dornier is believed to have crashed into the sea.

300th Warning An air-raid warning sounded on Sunday morning was the 300th given in London since the outbreak

given in London since the outbreak of war.

A raider dived from low clouds and machine-gunned streets in the London area in the afternoon. People in the streets scattered to shelter, many having narrow escapes. The same raider later dropped several bombs, one of which hit a footbridge and caused several casualties.

Londoners were surprised later in

Blanket of Mist

Under a protective blanket of neavy mist, London returned almost to normal early on Sunday night with no alert for several hours after

An official report of yesterday's enemy air activities over Britain records a more peaceful Sunday than has been experienced for some

weeks.

Dealing with the day's raids, the communique issued by the Air Ministry and the Ministry of Home Security states: "Enemy air activity over this country during the morning and afternoon consisted of flights by a few single aircraft over some districts in the southern half some districts in the southern half of the country. Reports received up to 5 p.m. indicate that a few bombs were dropped but that the damage

was not serious.

"In some cases, enemy aircraft dived from the clouds and delivered short bursts of machine gun fire. A small number of casualties were caused by these attacks.
"One enemy bomber was destroyed to-day. One of our fighters was

Bomber's Crash

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(Received November 4, 12.45 p.m.)
BOMBAY, Nov. 3.
Dr Martin, former Ethiopian Minister in London, has arrived on an undisclosed visit.
He said that Emperor Haile Selassie, who was at present somewhere in the Sudan, was in constant communication with his chieftains and would seize the first opportunity to recapture the country and regain the throne.
Dr Martin claimed that over half of Abyssinia was practically in Abyssinia was practically in Abyssinia hands. The Italians had failed in their efforts at pacification despite the presence of 350,000 troops.

Bomber's Crash
Fighter pilots and anti-aircraft gunners shared a German bomber between them on Sunday. The machine, a Dornier-215, was first seen above the clouds over Essex by two Hurricane pilots. Both fired bursts and left it dropping slowly through the clouds with its engine silent and smoke pouring out. One of the Hurricane pilots dived to within ten yards of the bomber before it disappeared into the clouds. The German air gunner fired back. When the Dornier appeared below the clouds, anti-aircraft gunners spotted it. They saw that it was not quite out of action, and decided to finish the fighter pilots' work for them. A few rounds brought the bomber crashing down near the Essex coast.

This was the second German regider the gunners shared a German between them on Sunday. The machine, a Dornier-215, was first seen above the clouds over Essex by two Hurricane pilots. Both fired bursts and left it dropping slowly through the clouds with its engine silent and smoke pouring out. One of the Hurricane pilots dived to within ten yards of the bomber before it disappeared into the clouds. The German air gunner fired back. When the Dornier appeared below the clouds, anti-aircraft gunners shared a German between them on Sunday. The machine, a Dornier-215, was first seen above the clouds over Essex by two Hurricane pilots. Both fired bursts and left it dropping slowly the bursts and left it dropping slowly the bursts and left it drop

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SEVEN GERMAN 'PLANES LOST IN RAIDS

Communique Blames Bad Weather

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(Received November 4, 7.10 p.m.) LONDON, Nov. 3. This resolution was unanimously carried at the monthly meeting of that seven German 'planes were lost the Hastings branch of the New over Britain, and blames the bad

OFFICIAL LABOUR **CANDIDATE**

MR A. E. ARMSTRONG NOMINATED

NAPIER ELECTORATE Not Yet Ratified By

The nomination of Mr A. E. Armstrong, Westshore, as official Labour candidate for the Napier seat at the general election next year was inanimously made at the fortnightly meeting of the Napier branch of the New Zealand Labour Party last night. When this an nouncement was made it was stated

hat the nomination would have to be ratified by the Labour Representation Committee, which will meet in the near future?

in the near future?

Mr A. E. Armstrong is a son of the Minister of Housing (the Hon. H. T. Armstrong) and is a comparatively young man. He came to Napier from Christchurch some months ago and has been attached to the Labour Department as liaison officer. He is a former member of the Christchurch City Council.

Since he came to Napier, Mr Armstrong has taken a leading part in the affairs of the official New Zealand Labour Party, and the nomination from the party's point of view is regarded as extremely satisfactory.

on Sunday.

The Greeks continue to throw in back the Italians. Nine Italian tanks phace been destroyed on the Janina, koritza and Florina sectors.

Radio reports state that the Greeks continue to press into Albanian in territory and that they have captured important heights.

The Greek Air Force carried out a raid on important Albanian oil depots and set them on fire.

The Berlin radio states that 100 bombs were dropped on troops disembarking at Crete. Two transports are claimed to have been hit.

Napier Pilot Held Prisoner

RED CROSS ADVICE

Two R.A.F. Pilots Killed

OFFICIAL NOTICE

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Nov. 4. Air casualties are announced as ollows:

Pilot Officer Jack Milton Cave,
illed in air operations. His father
s Mr M. K. Cave, Tirau, Rotorua

Red Cross a prisoner of war and uninjured. His father is Mr Wil-liam Baird, 14 Morris Street,

LOSS OF CANADIAN MINESWEEPER

Fortnight Overdue

SEARCH AT LAST ABANDONED

Four Recent Sinkings

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OTTAWA, Nov. 4. A fortnight's search for the over-due minesweeper Bras d'Or has end-ed; consequently she is officially considered to be lost.

Four Canadian ships have recentbeen lost, the personnel totalling

The three injured men were conveyed to the Waikato Hospital.

The others in the car were

the Dominion.

Dominion's own resources.

PRICE STABILISATION AND

ECONOMY OF THE DOMINION

Government Will Follow The

Economic Conference's

Recommendations

By Telegraph—Press Association

An assurance that the recommendations of the Economic Stabilisation Conference would be implemented to the maxi-

mum extent possible without doing harm to New Zealand's

working out the procedure. He pointed out that, working on

the resolutions of the conference, the Government would have

to determine the prices at which food and other essentials

should be stabilised and the effect of this on the economy of

He was satisfied that unless stability in costs and prices was achieved, New Zealand would meet difficulties far greater

than those that followed the last war. There was, however,

no reason why stability should affect access by all people to

food and other essentials that could be supplied from the

Mr Nash said that the Government was moving towards

economy was given by the Minister of Finance (the Hon. W

NAVAL BATTLE FOUGHT OFF CORFU

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Heavy Cannonade Heard And Italian Ship Seen On Fire

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received November 5, 2.10 a.m.)

LONDON, Nov. 4. The Athens radio states that a heavy naval engagement was reported to be progressing off Corfu last evening. One

Italian ship was set on fire and driven northwards.

The inhabitants of Corfu heard a heavy cannonade throughout Sunday accompanied by the noise of 'planes recon-

noitring above the battle. Twelve Italian bombers raided Salonika in the morning when a hospital was hit. Four Italians were brought down.

raid on important Albanian oil depots and set them on fire.

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Artillery Duel

According to agency messages received in London (says a British Official Wireless message) Greek communique No. 7 issued by head-quarters regarding Saturday's operations, states: "On the Epirus and western Macedonian fronts, there was a violent artillery duel. The positions occupied by our troops in Albanian territory on the Florina sector, as announced in a previous communique, were maintained in spite of violent resistance by enemy artillery and aviation.

"Our 'planes successfully bombed the aerodromes at Koritza and Argyrokastron, destroying some Italian aeroplanes on the ground. A fuel depot was set on fire, and fires could also be seen in the aerodrome installations. Concentration of enemy roops and batteries were bombed the success by our aviation. Four enemy bombers were shot down in the service of the course o

troops and batteries were bombed ith success by our aviation. Four enemy bombers were shot down in £20,000,000 from London.

Reports from Athens state that six Italian 'planes were shot down on Sunday.

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were some casualties, including deaths, among the civil population." "Obstacles Overcome"

GUAM HIT BY

TYPHOON

VICINITY

HOTEL WRECKED

Six Airmen In Car Smash

AUSTRALIAN VISITORS NO CLIPPERS IN THE

Three Injured Near Hamilton DRIVER ESCAPES

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, Nov. 4. When returning to Auckland from a visit to Rotorua in a rental car just after 6 p.m., six members of the Royal Australian Air Force were involved in an accident at Hillcrest, in which three were injured.
Those injured were:
Leading Aircraftsman Terrence
Wade, aged 19, of Flinders Lane,
Melbourne (head injuries; condition

Leading Aircraftsman Arnold J. Rayment, aged 19, of Surrey Hills, Victoria (fractured pelvis; condition fairly, socious) fairly serious). Leading Aircraftsman William Douglas Willis, aged 23, of Alexandra Avenue, Canterbury, Victoria (facial abrasions; condition not servicus)

serious).

The car, which was driven by Leading Aircraftsman Claude Murray Ross, was running down Hill-crest hill in the outskirts of Hamilton, when a burst tyre or some other mishap caused the driver to lose control of the vehicle.

The three injured men were constituted to the control of the vehicle.

AUCKLAND, Nov. 4.

Governor Asks Red Cross For Aid United Press Association—Copyright, Received November 4, 11.15 p.m.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4. The Navy has been advised that typhoon of the velocity of 150 miles an hour on Sunday raked Guam. A hangar was damaged and ommunications disrupted.

Pan-American Airways said that ts tourist hotel was wrecked. Captain G. J. McMillan, Naval Governor of Guam, has cabled the Red Cross asking for 50,000 dollars to relieve civilian distress. There were no Pan-American Clippers in the area. The full extent of the casualties cannot be determined immediately.

BRITISH CASUALTIES AT SEA

Naval Operations

THIRTY DEAD ON-LIVERPOOL

Torpedo Attack

United Press Association—Copyright, (Received Nov. 4, 7.10 p.m.) LONDON, Nov. 3. The Admiralty to-day gives the names of 357 casualties from various hazards of war not connected with any particular operation of ship.

ship.

The casualties on the cruiser Liverpool, which was damaged by an enemy torpedo last month were three officers and 24 ratings killed three ratings died of wounds, and 32 months are wounded.

NORWEGIAN VESSEL TORPEDOED

Rome Reports Sinking Ir North Atlantic

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The Norwegian ship Cubano (581(tons) is reported to have been sunly a submarine in the North At

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tores supplied by the company. The matter was investigated by a disputes committee set up by the Government, and Mr J. A. Gilmour, S.M., the chairman, gave his deci- Prizes were offered by the Breeders' 2YA Wellington

SPRING CATTLE FAIR AT WAIROA

Brokers Report On Their Offering

Messrs Williams and Kettle, Ltd. report that at their third Spring Cattle Fair at Wairoa they yarded 250 head comprising chiefly 2-year heifers and steers and there was a fair attendance.

Cattle Fair at Wairoa they yarded Lattle Fair at Wairoa they yarded Market at prices below outside districts. Some first class Hereford bulls were yarded, also some very good P.A. bulls. We quote the following sales:

1 2-yr. bull donated by H. Bayly, inc., to the Patriotic Funds was sold at the top price of the day to Mr Junic, to the Patriotic Funds was sold at the top price of the day to Mr Junic, to the Patriotic Funds was sold at the top price of the day to Mr Junic, to the Patriotic Funds was sold at the top price of the day to Mr Justice Johnstone, of Opoutama, 41gns. We also sold on behalf of Mr Justice Johnstone, of Opoutama, 41gns. We also sold on behalf of Mr Justice Johnstone, of Opoutama, 41gns. We also sold on behalf of Mr Jefferson a line of two-year-old well grown P.A. bull 26gns; 1 2-yr P.A. bull 37gns. Other bulls sold ranged from 13gns. to 23gns.

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A total of 25 Herefords and 56 Aberdeen Angus bulls were penned, of which our entry comprised 14 Herefords and 16 Aberdeen Angus. Well grown Aberdeen Angus bulls in condition and showing quality sold under good competition to

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The war has entered that there is now scarcely any speculation in London about the chances of a revolution about the chance of the public and a large offering of bulls was put before them. The Aberdeen Angus bulls were offered firs

much greater.

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A strong committee from the re cently formed Wairoa Beef Cattle Breeders' Association had the arrangements well in hand and catalogues were distributed to buyers. Association for each class. A 2-yr. ered yesterday by members of the bull on account of Mr T. leC. Pow-The resumption of work means the Hereford class and a 2-yr. bull drell, Turiroa, secured first prize in full employment for about 600 men. offered by Mr H. Bayly, jun., secured the Aberdeen Angus prize. The prices of these bulls were donated to the Patriotic Fund, the Hereford realising 22 guineas and the Aberdeen Angus, 41 guineas.

Brokers' Reports

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Well grown Aberdeen Angus, well grown Aberdeen Angus bulls in condition and showing quality sold under good competition to realise satisfactory prices but smaller or backward cattle were dull

Hereford bulls were not so keenly sought but here again quality bulls realised satisfactory prices.

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of exiles from all the invaded countries are methodically working for such revolutions.

Revolution by Air

Each group has its own ideas of methods to be adopted. Many exiled patriots favour the "parachute technique" which the Nazis used in the Netherlands. When the time comes it is proposed, Czech troops from England shall be flown over their country and either dropped or landed at key points to lead the revolutionary movement. Polish, and possibly also Dutch and Belgian movements would be organised in the same way.

In thus turning Hitler's parachute technique against himself, the patriots would have great advantages. Men landed in Nazi-occupied territory would find 99 per cent. of the people ready to befriend them, whereas German parachutists in Tombleson, 1 2-yr. Polled Hereford bull, 15gns, to Wm. Tombleson, A/c T. leC. Powdrell 1 2-yr. Hereford bull, 15gns, to Wm. Tombleson, A/c T. leC. Powdrell 1 2-yr. Hereford bull, 15gns, to J. T. Jessep.

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IYA Auckland

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Weather report; breakfast session.
9.0: Correspondence School educational session. 9.45: "Light and Shade." 10.0: Devotional service.
10.15: "Morning Melodies." 11.0:
Talk. 11.15: "Musical Snapshots."
12.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C.

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1.30: Educational session. 2.40: Classical music. 3.30: Sports results; "Bands and Ballads." 4.0: Weather report; light music. 4.30: Sports results.

5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.10: Gardening talk. 7.30: New Mayfair Orchestra. 7.40: "One Good Deed a Day." 7.53: The Jolly Campers' Accordion Orchestra. 7.59: Alec Templeton (entertainer). 8.5: "Evergreens of Jazz." 8.18: Everett Marshall (baritone). 8.22: Robert Renard Dance Orchestra. 8.28: "The First Great Churchill." 8.53: Everett Marshall (baritone). 8.57: Weather report and station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: John Watts's "Songs of the Shows." 9.30: Dance music. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.; B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Correspondence School educational session.
9.45: Rainbow rhythm; Contrasts in rhythm and melody. 10.0: Weather report. 10.15: Devotional service.
12.0: Lunch music.
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5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner

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Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Evening programme. 8.4: N.B.S. String Orchestra, interludes, by Christina Ormiston. 8.51: Georges Thill (tenor). 8.57: Dominion and district weather reports and station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: Paul Magill in a studio recital. 9.37: The Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. 9.52: The Orchestra. 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: B.B.C. news. 5.0:

3YA Christchurch

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Correspondence School educational session.
9.45: "Morning Melodies," 10.0: Classical programme. 10.30: Devotional service. 10.45: "Hall of Fame." 11.0:
Talks. 11.30: "Popular Hits of the Day," 12.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.:
BBC news

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Light orchestral and ballad programme. 2.30: Plano-Accordion and Hawaiian music. 3.0: Classical programme. 4.0: Weather forecast. 4.5: Mainly instrumental. 4.30: Sports results; hits and medleys.
Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.15: Talk. 7.25: Talk. 7.30: Dajos Bela Orchestra. 7.38: "Dad and Dave." 7.51: The Xavier Cugat Orchestra 7.59: Billy Mayer! (plano). 8.2: From the Studio: Madeleine Grey presents Negro spirituals. 8.14: "A Gentleman Rider." 8.28: Richard Liebert (organ) and the Dreamers. 8.32: "The Buccaneers." 8.57: Dominion and district weather reports. 9.0: N.B.S. Newsreel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: Musical comedy memories. 9.34: Richard Crooks (Lenor). 9.38: Percival Mackay's Band. 9.46: "Gems from Maytime" (Romberg). 9.51: Jeanette MacDonaid (soprano). 9.55: Richard Crooks (Lenor). 10.0: Hal Kemp and his Orchestra. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

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Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55; Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.13: Recorded talk by Professor Arnold Wall. 7.30: "Yes Madam" Selection (Weston). 7.40: Winter Course talk. 8.0: A concert by the St. Kilda Band, with popular interludes. 8.9: Mary 8.0: A concert by the St. Kilda Band, with popular interludes. 8.9: Mary Somerville (contraito) in a studio recital. 8.15: The Band. 8.25: The Happiness Boys. 8.33: The Band. 8.42: Mary Somerville (contraito). 8.48: The Band. 8.57: Weather report. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15 Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: "Coronets of England." 9.51: The Hillingdon Orchestra. 9.54: "Do You Know Why?" 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

7.0 a.m.: "News from Home," talk by Howard Marshall. 7.30: Feature. 8.0: Somerset Folksongs. 8.15: B.B.C. Military Band. 9.0: Talk. 10.0: Kenneth Sydney Baynes Orchestra. 11.15: B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra and Carl Rosa Quartet. 12.15 p.m.: Canada Calls from London. 12.45: Talk. 1.15: "Starlight," compered by Gerry Wilmot. 1.30: "Britain Speaks." 1.45: Vernon Bartlet. 2.0: "Hi Gang," with Bebe Daniels, Vic Oliver and Ben Lyon. 2.45: "To-night We Present." 3.0: "Within the Fortress." 4.0: "Music of Britain." 4.15: "Britain Speaks." 1.45: "Britain Speaks." 6.45: Laelia Finneberg (soprano) and B.B.C. Orchestra. 7.15: "Cockadoodledo." 8.15: Talk, "Calling Australia." 8.30: Vernon Bartlett. 8.45: Variety cartoon, "Dandy Lion." 9.0: "Matters of Moment." 9.15: B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. 10.45: French songs, Carola Cerf (contralto), 11.30: Birmingham Philharmonic String Orchestra.

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DOUBLE ALIBI

Cosy "NAUGHTY BUT NICE," GAY COMEDY

With "Double Alibi"

"Naughty But Nice," the comed which is now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, is a hilariously satirical disclosure of some of the skeletons in the closets of the denizens of Tin Pan Alley (a name given to New York's song writing community), both the composers and the publish-

Since it is about the industry, art or profession of supplying most of the world with popular music, it has a good deal of music as well as comedy in it. In fact, even in the face wooden floors, the interiors remained. edy in it. In fact, even in the face of the suspicions it may engender about the efforts of some writers of popular songs, two of the best of them, Harry Warren and Johnny Mercer, have supplied it with five

Sharing almost equally in the acting and singing burden are Ann Sheridan, Dick Powell and Gale Page. As to Ann, she is not only given the honour of introducing three of the new songs, but she is given the best role of her career to date, a part with plenty of opportunity to display her very individ-

A new trend in mysterv films is established by "Double Alibi," costarring Wavne Morris, Margaret Lindsay and William Gargan, which is the second feature.

Margaret Lindsay and William Gargan, which is the second feature.

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Morris, famous as the screen's to-day from all parts of the proforemost portrayer of prize-fighter vince, roles, fills what might be termed a All triple role, appearing to the police as a murderer, to the newspaper re-

TENTS WITHSTAND DOWNPOUR

Unusual Mystery, RAIN AT TERRITORIAL **CAMP**

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DANNEVIRKE.

Over three inches of rain falling in less than 24 hours from four o'clock on Sunday afternoon caused some concern at the Territorial

kets that had become damp but

tunity to display her very individual type of charm. he will attend a refresher for senior officers. Major

All except one or two cases of neasles have been discharged from the Dannevirke Hospital and no after effects are reported from what porters as one of their fellow-workers, and to Miss Lindsay as a fortunately proved to be a mild

gay, if mysterious, young Lothario. attack.

JONES FAMILY "ON THEIR OWN"

With "Pop Always Pays" Comedy Programme

The Joneses have lost their home The Joneses have lost their home and their money and their Dad is laid up in the hospital. All they have left is their car and their trailer—but they're having a grand time, anyway! They head for California in "On Their Own," now at the State Theatre, Hastings, and things happen so fast they have trouble keeping up with the march of events.

keeping up with the march of events.

They have the time of their life when they take over a ramshackle bungalow court, and pitch in to help Ma make ends meet. They run themselves ragged, but they conquer hard times with plenty of work and lots of laughs. Outstanding as always is Ma Spring Byington. She shows she can roll up her sleeves and dig in when her home and family are menaced by hard times. The remaining members of the cast are seen in their familiar roles.

"Pop Always Pays." the second feature, is a side-splitting comedy of a father who makes a rash promise, on which he is forced to make good. Leon Errol plays the part of the father, who agrees to allow his daughter's marriage, if his prospective son-in-law can raise a thousand dollars, to which he will add an equal amount. Helped by his sympathetic mother-in-law-to-be, the young man succeeds in finding the morney much to the supprised dis-

pathetic mother-in-law-to-be, the young man succeeds in finding the money, much to the surprised dismay of the father, who is unable to raise his promised thousand dollars. He is forced to give the young man a bad cheque, and the fun mounts to a screaming finale as the father scratches round to find money to cover the cheque before it reaches the bank. Dennis O'Keefe, Adele Pearce and Marjorie Gateson head the featured cast.

"THE OLD MAID" IS FINE DRAMA

Bette Davis And Miriam Hopkins Together

Presenting as co-stars two of the Presenting as co-stars two of the screen's greatest actresses—Bette Davis and Miriam Hopkins—the long-heralded motion picture version of Edith. Wharton's famous story, "The Old Maid," is now showing at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. It is the tale of two girls, cousins of a proud old Philadelphia family, and its period ranges from the beginning of the American Civil War in 1861 up into the 1880's. Across ginning of the American Civil War in 1861 up into the 1880's. Across that stretch of years the two live under the same roof—hating each other, never achieving reciprocal sympathy or understanding until both are well into middle age, and the young daughter of one is leaving the ancient homestead for matrimony. Miriam Hopkins is a widow, with two children of her own. The old maid is Bette Davis and the sweet young girl of the house is old maid is Bette Davis and the sweet young girl of the house is her daughter and that of the man both she and her cousin loved, who was killed in the war. This role is played by George Brent, and the role of the daughter is played by Jane Bryan, as a grown-up. The daughter grows up without knowledge of her true origin, and gives her love and affection to the woman she calls "Mummy" (Miriam Hopkins) rather than to her true mother. It is only on the eve of the mother. It is only on the eve of the girl's own wedding that she comes to realise some measure of the sacrifices that her "old maid aunt" has made for her. And after the wed ling, the two women go back to the npty house to live out the rest of

neir lives together.
Associated with the co-stars are Jane Bryan, Donald Crisp, Louise Tazenda, James Stephenson, Jerome Cowan, William Lundigan, Cecilia Loftus, Janet Shaw, DeWolf Hopper nd Rand Brooks,

> Defence Rifle Shooting

THE NAPIER CLUB

President J. Munro Wins Trophy

On Saturday last members of the Napier Defence Rifle Club fired the first practice of the first series for club championship, seven shots On Saturday last members of the Napier Defence Rifle Club fired the first practice of the first series for club championship, seven shots at 300, 500, 600 yards. A dull light made shooting difficult, yet at 300 yards shooting difficult, yet at 300 yards some excellent scores were put up. President J. Munro notched the possible at this distance, finishing the day with 100pts., taking the lader badge and Dr. Waterworth's roophy for this practice.

On Saturday last members of the Napier Defence Rifle Club fired the first practice of the first series for club championship, seven shots at 300, yards. Adull light made shooting difficult, yet at 300 yards said: My car does 2000 miles was good for them, said the Director of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. T. R. McDonald) after an inspect of Supply and Transport (Colomel R. President J. Munro notched the possible at this distance, finishing the day with 100pts., taking the ladder badge and Dr. Waterworth's trophy for this practice.

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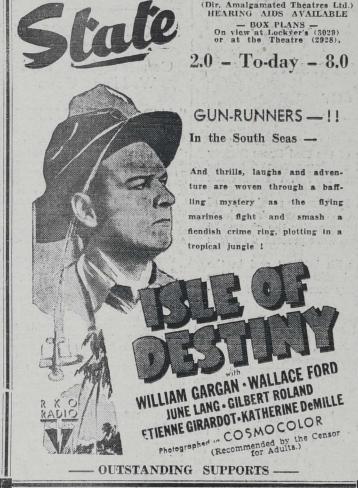
DANNEVIRKE. A car driven by Mr R. C. Daley, Salvation Army officer, of Wel-ngton, was completely wrecked at ne Tahoraiti level crossing yester-

day morning.

Mr Daley had stopped to warn an approaching car that the road at Papatawa was under water and his TELEPHONE your "Wanted" Adwove to Waiouru about the end of the month, but final arrangements
'Phones 3551, Hastings; 2432, Napier; will depend upon when the new construction is completed there.

The battalion is expected to move to waiouru about the end of the line. He had got out to start the engine when the express approached; he was able to jump clear.

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notoring in Victoria, according to ing at the Mayfair Theatre. the bulk of applications received by the Transport Regulation Board from motorists seeking consumers' licence; under the petrol rationing paper. Only occasionally do officers see on an application form, "car for

grave and gay. The prize for patri-otism should probably go to the man will quit such adventures once they

i used to travel to work, and use very little for pleasure, some times i go 1½ miles, then i walk other times; i might go 10 miles then i drive, i think i can just about do the private ration allowed. Patriotic Fish Merchants

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In a thrilling story of murder in the skies, international plotters and military secrets, John Howard once comes Whitey Marsh, to the priest's care by again plays the role of the clever his brother Joe, who has been senyoung amateur detective in "Bulldog Drummond's Revenge," now show-

man who has just invented an explosive that can destroy the capitals scheme, comments an Australian of Europe, it does not take him long scientist's secretary, actually a spy in the employ of a hostile Govern Pleas for an extra ration are both ment. Although he has promised

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"Conciddered" Essential

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I am a building overlooker which necessitates my travelling from building in various suburbs. Owing to health reasons I am not able to make use of self propelled vehicles. pelled vehicles.

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Rochelle, fleeing marriage to a Line and a title-seeking mother.

Rochelle, fleeing marriage to a titled fortune-hunter, stumbles into

> etic though some of these are, into For the past two years we have used this car for fish business purposes and wish to continue doing so. Our opposition in our town is a foreigner, and being British we feel it repugnant to co-operate with him in cartage.
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> etic though some of these are, into them, too, there has often crept a touch of humour. For instance:
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> Car used for pleasure owing to my wife not being able to get on trains or trains through her hips being stiff.
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> Under medical instruction it is

in cartage.

This car is the only one in the business with the exception of two others.

This car is owned by my mother of the others.

This car is owned by my mother in law which lives with us.

I have to attend the business two or three times a week 10 miles there and back or 30 miles 5 miles each way about 380 miles a week.

I am a reject from the A.I.F. so that's why I have took this job up.—Bottle Oh.

Humour in Sad Stories

Stories are told, too, of illness and hardship at home; obviously path-

State JUNE LANG IN "ISLE OF DESTINY"

> Gun-Running In The South Seas

Send a beautiful and daring girl on a round-the-world flight in a 'plane that is testing new flying instruments, land her on a small island in the South Pacific where Uncle Sam has just established an emergency air base and where there isn't another white woman in sight, and vhere a ruthless adventurer is engaged in piracy and gun running, and plenty of excitement is bound to follow.

and plenty of excitement is bound to follow.

Such is the dramatic material Elmer Clifton had to work with in directing "Isle of Destiny," which is now showing at the State Theatre, Napier, with an all-star cast including William Gargan, Wallace Ford, June Lang, Gilbert Roland, Katherine DeMille.

William Gargan and Wallace Ford are cast as two Marines who find life in the South Seas just a dull routine until June Lang drops down out of the sky in her 'plane, the Lady Bird, after the whole world believed she was lost in a typhoon. The troubles that follow her arrival on the islane prove far more danon the islance prove far more dangerous to the life of the daring aviativity than tropical storms, for she becomes 'nvolved in the double-dealing of the gun runner. The two Marines supply the heart interest for the girl and also share the dangers of rescuing her.

for the girl and also share the dangers of rescuing her.
Lending her luscious dark beauty and vivid personality to "Isle of Destiny" is Katherine DeMille, playing in this thrilling story of adventure and romance the role of the native wife of a gun runner.
Thrilling new colour reproduction in photography is revealed through the Cosmocolour process.
Cosmocolour, the production reveals, does not make the demands of other colour processes. For in stance, the same amount of light is

of other colour processes. For in stance, the same amount of light is not necessary, nor do the actors need to apply so much makeup. In fact, the women players do not need as much makeup for Cosmocolour, as they normally use for the street.

Regent

SPENCER TRACY IN "BOYS TOWN"

Mickey Rooney Also In Human Drama

Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney are co-starred in "Boys Town" a human interest drama which is now screening at the Regent Theatre, Napier. Tracy's moving portrayal of Father Flanagan in this film won him the coveted Academy Award

emy Award.

Father Flanagan is an idealist.
His first attempt to bring relief to hopeless people is a fiasco. He discovers that his refuge for homeless covers that his refuge for homeless men is not only unappreciated but that it is also a gathering place for the vice-ridden denizens of his city. While attending Dan Farrow at the State penitentiary, prior to his execution, Father Fianagan learns that Farrow's warped mind resulted from his incarceration in a boys' reformatory. He gets an idea, sells it to Dave Morris, a pawnbroker, borrows 200 dollars and starts Boys Town, which consists of a small house, practically no furniture and and the statement of th house, practically no furniture and tour boys whom he has rescued from the juvenile court and a trip to the State reformatory.

With the aid of Morris, big-heart-

BULLDOG DRUMMOND ed and instinctively cautious, he ouilds Boys Town into a community nousing 200 boys, all of whom could otherwise have ended in prison. The community has moved from the unpretentious nouse into a farm setting, complete with engin-eering facilities, country healthfulness, freedom from city enticements and a self-governing set-up presided tenced to life imprisonment. The brother wants Whitey to have a

ing at the Mayfair Theatre.

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> "FOOD" PREFERRED TO **VITAMINS**

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OTAWHAO WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

At the October meeting of the Dtawhao Women's Institute a welrome was extended by the members to the new president (Mrs Heald), who expressed her desire to do her best in her new role and she hoped that members would still enjoy the

All responded to the roll-call, weekly old-time dance in the Buf-'Fillings for school sandwiches," and falo Hall, Hastings, on Saturday and valuable suggestions were

Mrs Stewart gave an interesting reading from pioneer tales and she also won a competition, "Settlers'

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British Legion Members And Friends

The Hastings and district branch of the British Legion held their the hall was filled to capacity.

The McKay Orchestra supplied excellent music and extras were played by Mr D. Begg.

A further supply of garments was brought for refugees, and gifts of reggs, butter and jam for the Otane phildren's home. A donation was voted to the £1,000,000 fund.

GAY PARTY ENJOYED AT ORMONDVILLE

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Blayed by Mr D. Begg.

Legionnaires Foddy, McKie and Walker were M.C.s.

The prize-winners were: Monte Carlo No. 1, Miss B. Manley and Private N. Tucker; ladies' lucky number Gay Gordons, Mrs F. Partridge and Mr O. Bainbridge; Monte Carlo No. 2, Mrs Astridge and Mr S. Keorey; final competition, Mr G. McLinnes 1, Miss P. Rasmussen 2, Mr J. McKie 3.

A dainty supper was prepared

A dainty supper was prepared and served by the ladies' commit-

meet again.

A dainty, savoury supper was served, the hostess being assisted in her duties by her mother, Mrs S. Powell, and it was not until the small hours of the morning that the party dispersed.

Sary to pass an examination in two of these three subjects before commencing the 60 hours' training at a public hospital.

Mr von Dadelszen went on to explain that on the foundation of a sub-centre of the Red Cross Society

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OLD-TIME DANCE HELD RED CROSS NURSING CLASSES Recent Wedding ARRANGE SOCIAL EVENING

Havelock North Sub-Centre Conclude Successful First Year

It was most fitting that the extremely successful first year of the Havelock North Sub-Centre of the Red Cross Society should be celebrated with a social evening arranged by the members of the nursing classes and held in the Havelock

North Town Board Hall, last night. The chairman, Mr H. R. von Dadelszen, presided, and spoke of the work of the society and the sub-centre's achievements during its first year. Certificates for the successful candidates in the recent examinations were presented by Mrs von Dadelszen.

Several speakers were heard with interest and in the second part of the programme a splendid playreading given by Mrs J. B. Campbell, the honorary secretary of the subcentre, gave much pleasure.

A gay party was given at the home of Mr and Mrs Donald Munro, Ormondville, in honour of Mrs Munro's brother, Mr Neal Powell, of the R.N.Z.A.F., who was their guest.

The lounge was decorated with The returned soldiers present gave him good advice, and spoke of the Red Cross Society," said the chairman (Mr H. R. von Dadelszen) in his opening remarks. "This work is divided into three courses: (1) si the normal activities of a sub-centre of the Red Cross Society," said the chairman (Mr H. R. von Dadelszen) in his opening remarks. "This work is divided into three courses: (1) si divided into three courses: (1) si divided into three courses: (1) si divided for the returned soldiers present gave him good advice, and spoke of the spirit of comradeship of Army life, which lives on afterwards, and is always present when old soldiers meet again.

A dainty, savoury supper was of these three subjects before com-

CHARLES WELLINGTON TURSE BRILLIANT ARTIST GLORIFIED THE ENGLISH COMPLEXION

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The chairman complimented the instructors, Sisters Lockie, Longley and Wood and Dr Antony Reeve, on the success of their candidates and and Wood and Dr Allell and the success of their candidates and he thanked the examiners, Sisters Norman and Lockie and Drs K. E. Crompton, Antony Reeve and D. A. Bathgate, for their work. He added that nine of the members had now entered upon their 60 hours' training at the Hastings Memorial Hospital.

"A team from the Havelock North team from the Havelock North that nine of the mide. Who wore a charming frock that nine of the mide. Who wore a charming frock that nine of the mide. Who wore a charming frock that nine of the mide. The mide is not the nine of the mide. The mide is not the nine of the mide in long flaring lines with short puff sleeves and she wore a blue hat of summer felt. Her bouquet was of roses and delphiniums and she wore a charming frock that nine of the mide in long flaring lines with short puff sleeves and she wore a blue hat of summer felt. Her bouquet was of roses and delphiniums and she wore a charming frock that nine of the members had now entered upon their 60 hours' training a gift from the bridegroom, a neck-large with short puff sleeves and she wore a blue hat of summer felt. Her bouquet was of roses and delphiniums and she wore a charming from the bridegroom, a neck-large with short puff sleeves and she wore a charming a gift from the bridegroom, a neck-large with short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the bridegroom and the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the bridegroom at the large with short puff sleeves and she wore a blue hat of sleeves and delphiniums and she wore a charming from the bridegroom and the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the bridegroom and the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the bridegroom and the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the bridegroom and the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the bridegroom and the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the short puff sleeves and she wore a charming from the sleeves and she wore a charming from the short puff sleeves and she w "A team from the Havelock North nursing classes was entered in the Lady McLean Challenge Shield contest," continued Mr von Dadelszen. "This contest is open to all branches and sub-centres in Hawke's Bay and the competition took place at Waipukurau on August 3I. There were five competing teams and Havelock North succeeded in winning the shield."

Miss Helen Goertz, sister of the bride, who wore a charming frock of white with floral pattern in clover and blue, clover hat and shoes, was hostess at the reception at the Oddfellows' Hall, where about 60 friends were entertained. The "breakfast" table looked very gay and pretty decorated with bowls of Iceland poppies and roses in shades of apricot and rose. The two-

shield."

Mr von Dadelszen said that the following members formed the team: Miss M. E. Grantham (captain), Miss F. Miller, Miss M. Bell, Mrs R. Greenwood, Mrs A. Taylor and Mrs E. M. Fenton. He extended congratulations to the instructors, Mesdames Lockie, Longley and Wood, the captain, Miss Grantham, and the team.

In conclusion, the chairman said

and the team.

In conclusion, the chairman said that the First Aid certificates had been presented to the successful candidates by Mrs H. N. Coleman at the annual meeting of the subcentre and he then asked Mrs von Dedelgren to present certificates to Dadelszen to present certificates to the successful candidates in the Home Nursing and Hygiene and Sanitation examinations.

These were presented as follows: Home Nursing (first year certificates): Honours, Mrs Janet Cope, Mrs Joyce Cotterill, Mrs Wendy Fenton, Miss Olga Fitchett, Miss Ursula Greenwood, Mrs Marjorie Jones, Miss Margaret Masterson, Miss Ailsa McKenzie, Miss Myrtle McLeod, Miss Della McLeod, Mrs Winifred Nimon, Miss Muriel Ritchie, Mrs Annie Taylor, Miss Annie Taylor, Miss Ada Tocker, Miss Nancy Scott, Miss Dulcie Yule; pass, Miss Ngaire Diamond, Mrs pass, Miss Ngaire Diamond, Mrs Mavis Evans, Miss Judy Masterson, Miss Hilda Mawson, Miss Kathleen

Home Nursing (second year certificates): Miss Margaret Bell and Miss Rosemary Greenwood (both with honours).

Home Nursing (third year medalion): Miss Enid Grantham (hon-

Hygiene and Sanitation (first year certificates), all passed with nonours: Miss Margaret Bell, Mrs Janet Cope, Mrs Joyce Cotterill, Miss Ngaire Diamond, Mrs Wendy Miss Ngaire Diamond, Mrs Wendy Fenton, Miss Enid Grantham, Miss Rosemary Greenwood, Miss Ursula Greenwood, Mrs Marjorie Jones, Miss Hilda Mawson, Miss Ailsa Mackenzie, Miss Marjorie McLeod, Miss Della McLeod, Mrs Winifred Nimon, Miss Muriel Ritchie, Mrs Annie Taylor, Miss Dulcie Yule.

Dr Antony Reeve proposed a sincere vote of thanks to Mr and Mrs von Dadelszen for their help.

In recognition of the valuable services which had been given by Miss Della McLeod as secretary of the Home Nursing classes, a small presentation was made to her by Miss Enid Grantham with the thanks and appreciation of all members.

members.
Following this several announcements were made by the chairman.
These were as follow:
First, that a very important course of four lectures would be given to all members of the nursing classes by members of the St John Ambulance Association. These would commence on Monday, November 11, at 7.30 p.m. in the Domain Pavilion, the subject of the lectures being "Splinting and Treatment of Fractures."

Secondly, that members of the Secondly, that members of the nursing committee and all members of classes were invited by the patron, Mrs H. N. Coleman, to view her garden and to have afternoon tea on Saturday, November 23, at 3 p.m.

Thirdly, that Dr Bathgate was anxious to arouse interest in ambulance driving and stretcher bearing. Dr Bathgate gave a most interesting address on this subject and urged all members of the society to take an active interest in this work. He was warmly thanked by the chairman, who thanked sisters Lockie, Longley and Wood and Dr Anchairman, who thanked sisters Lockie, Longley and Wood and Dr Antony Reeve for their splendid honorary assistance and also all the instructors of the nursing class.

This concluded the first part of the programme. Then came a reading of an abridged version of Reginald Berkeley's play, "The Lady With a Lamp," most ably given by Mrs J. B. Campbell's play-readings are always heard with very great interest and pleasure and she was sincerely thanked at the conclusion.

The serving of supper brought to

The serving of supper brought to a close a very happy and successful

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'MAID WEARS APRICOT

A recent wedding which took place at St. Matthew's Church, Hastings was of interest to many old residents of Hastings, for the bride's parents, Mrs and the late Mr C. H. Goertz, Hastings, have lived home for some 30 years and made here for some 30 years and made many friends. The bride, their third daughter, Ada Jessie, was mar-ried to John Gilbert Stockham, Auckland, and will reside in that dis-

Vases of white flowers adorned the chancel of the church for the ceremony at which the Rev. W. T. Drake officiated, and the bride's uncle, Rev. H. B. Goertz, Para-

paraumu, gave her away. Mr. A. Simpson was best man.

For her wedding ensemble the bride chose a long gown of deep cerulean blue lace made with flaring skirt, fitting bodice with long sleeve and heart-shaped neckline finishe and heart-shaped neckline finished with a pleated net frill. The traditional "something old" was a lovely old enamel brooch in blue, belonging to the bride's mother. Apricot roses and delphiniums composed her bouquet and she wore a wide hat of blue to match her frock.

Attending her as bridesmaid was her niece, Miss Mary McKenzie, Auckland, who wore a princess.

gay and pretty decorated with bowls of Iceland poppies and roses in shades of apricot and rose. The two-tiered square cake had been beautifully iced by a friend, Miss Kathleen Stubbs. The toast to the bride and bridegroom was proposed by the

and bridegroom was proposed by the Rev. W. T. Drake.

After the reception, Mr and Mrs Stockham left by car en route for New Plymouth, the bride attired in a suit of lapiz blue angora with white jumper and hat, shoes and

Five o'Clock Gossip

Mrs H. de Denne, Nelson Street, and Mrs G. E. Ballantyne, St. Aubyn Street, Hastings, are spending a week's holiday in Wellington.

Mrs Vallance, Masterton, is stay ing in Hastings with her mother Mrs J. J. Faulkner, Wolseley Street

Mrs Vaughan Philpott, who has been the guest of Mrs T. Water-worth, Charlotte Crescent, Hastings, has left for Wairakei en route for

Miss Anne Faulkner is spending her vacation from the Auckland University with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. J. Faulkner, Wolseley Street, Hastings.

Mrs Caithness, Otawhao, who has been ill in hospital for some weeks, has now returned home.

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PARTIES IN HONOUR OF SISTER LOWE

Tangoio Residents Meet

PRESENTATIONS MADE

A farewell to Sister A. Lowe was also held at Kaiwaka, where a most enjoyable dance was given with a arge attendance of local residents and several visitors.

Sister Lowe, who wore a black and dau and scarlet floral silk evening frock Burnett. with a scarlet coatee was presented with a wristlet watch (from the local residents) and the H.B. Patriotic Zone presented her with a trip book and an eversharp pencil.

Mr Arnold was a capable M.C. Supper was provided by the local ladies and afterwards dancing continued till midnight,

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Last Evening

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Bowls of iceland poppies and pussy willow and low posy bowls of pansies made a colourful decora-

pussy willow and low posy bowls of pansies made a colourful decoration in the lounge of Blythes tearooms, Napier, last evening when members of the Napier Musicians' Society held their monthly meeting. This took the form of a students' evening and a very fine programme was presented showing what excellent progress the students have made during the past 12 months. Prior to the commencement of the programme, Mr P. W. Tombs, president of the society, offered his congratulations to the many pupils who had been successful in the recent Royal Academy examinations. The following programme was given: Piano solo, "Moment Musical" (Schumann), Sheena Blundell; vocal solo, "Sing, Break Into Song" (Mallison), Ngaire Keen; violin solo, "Sonata in A Minor, 1st Movement" (Mozart), Nola Mathieson; vocal solo, Margaret Shearer; piano solo, "Fantasia in D Minor" (Mozart), Valerie Down; vocal solo, "Sunlight" (Harriet Ware), Shirley Boardman; violin solo, "Andante" (Gluck), David Briasco; piano solo, "ist Movement of Sonata in G Boardman; violin solo, "Andante' (Gluck), David Briasco; piano solo "1st Movement of Sonata in GMinor" (Beethoven), Ray McLean vocal solo, Hazel Turner; piano solo Dance At Kaiwaka

The Tangoio residents gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Love for a farewell party given in honour of Sister A. Lowe. The evening was spent in games and singing and was thoroughly enjoyed.

The guest of honour wore a smart navy frock and bolero trimmed with white braid. She was presented with a posy of rosebuds by Mrs Pepper. During the evening the guests enjoyed baggipe items given by Mr W. Wright, Waitara, who with his parents, is Mr and Mrs Lowe's guest. After supper Mr A. Ford spoke on behalf of Sister Lowe's Tangoid luck. He asked her to accept a weekend suitcase, suitably initialled. Sister Lowe sincerely thanked her friends for their gift.

Mr H. Orr thanked the host and hostess for their kind hospitality and the evening concluded with the singing of "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Minor" (Beethoven), Ray McLean; vocal solo, "Novellotto" (Schumann), Joan Dawe; violin solo, "Siciliano and Ellegro from Concerto" (Ferdinand Kuchler), Judith Edridge; vocal solo, "Oslongistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Shirley Boardman and Morag McLean; violin solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Shirley Boardman and Morag McLean; violin solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Shirley Boardman and Morag McLean; violin solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Shirley Boardman and Morag McLean; violin solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Shirley Boardman and Morag McLean; violin solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Shirley Boardman and Morag McLean; violin solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Solo, "Solsogistto" (Bach), Jocelyn King; vocal duet, "I

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AMERICANS TO-DAY WILL ELECT THEIR PRESIDENT

Roosevelt For The Democrats Opposes Willkie For The Republicans

The question of greatest interest to the people of the United States has been for the past many months the gigantic four-yearly struggle, the Presidential election, which will take place to-day.

More than ordinary interest attaches to the election this time for a European war is raging and Mr Franklin Delano Roosevelt (Democrat) is seeking a third term of office, which is unprecedented in American history. His opponent for the presidency is Mr Wendell Willkie (Republican).

other country to do his duty at the polls, for there are Senators and Representatives, State Governors, and members of State legislatures, besides municipal or county officials to be chosen at frequent intervals. to be chosen at frequent intervals.

These occasions he may take more or less seriously depending generally on circumstances which may lend special interest to some particular appears to the par ticular contest: But choosing the President is a different matter. It is a national event in which the whole nation takes part, heart and soul. Historical Groups

The two historical groups, the Democrats and the Republicans, share between them the great of office.

majority of the voters.

By far the older of the two main organisations is the Democrat Party which ruled the country almost without interruption from the foundation of the Republic until 1860.

Only on two occasions during that the country was its capabidate defeated by

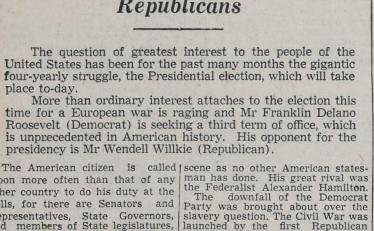
period was its candidate defeated by the Whig opponent.

Then, on the eve of the American Civil War, the Republican Party was founded and won immediate success founded and won immediate success with its first and greatest President, Abraham Lincoln, who took office in. 1861. Since that date the record of Republican triumphs has been almost as unbroken as the previous Democrat successes. Grover Cleveland, on two occasions, and Woodward Wilson bedselver with March 1861. row Wilson, had alone prior to Mr Roosevelt's victory eight years ago interrupted the succession of Repub-lican Presidents.

Democrat's Views

The Democrat is essentially an individualist. He believes in direct, popular control over the Government; in the rights of the masses, in the fullest possible degree of personal liberty. The typical Democrat was Thomas Jefferson, who contributed more than anyone else to the making of the American Constitution. A close personal friend of George Washington, he succeeded him as second President of the United States, holding the office for

An unwritten law in American politics, following a precedent set by Washington himself, requires that a President shall not stand for a third term (President Roosevel by the first Precident to President to Preside the first President to break that rule as he is contesting his third term of office). Jefferson, however, practically nominated his two suc-cessors, Madison and Monroe, and for 25 years dominated the political



ery, but because certain States claimed the right to secede from the Union.

Union.

In the present campaign both candidates have agreed to give the fullest support to Great Britain in the conflict now raging in Europe. This is the second time in the past 23 years that an American Presidential election has taken place during a European war. The last occasion was in 1917, when Mr Woodrow Wilson was re-elected for a second term son was re-elected for a second terr

Former Presidents

The following is a list of American Presidents since the establishment of the Republic:—

 George Washington
 1789-1797

 John Adams
 1797-1801

 Thomas Jefferson
 1801-1809

 James Madison
 1809-1817

 Lames Monroe
 1817-1825

 James Monroe
 1817-1825

 John Quincy Adams
 1825-1829

 Andrew Jackson
 1929-1837

 Martin van Buren
 1837-1841

 William Harrison (March

 William Harrison (March-April)
 1841

 John Tyler
 1841-1845

 James K. Polk
 1845-1849

 William Fillmore
 1849-1853

 Franklin Pierce
 1853-1857

 James Buchanan
 1857-1861

 Abraham Lincoln
 1861-1865

 Andrew Johnson
 1865-1869

 Ulysses S. Grant
 1869-1877

 Rutherford B. Haves
 1877-1881

National Changes

This change of power in the course of the last century and a half marks a change in the nation's life.

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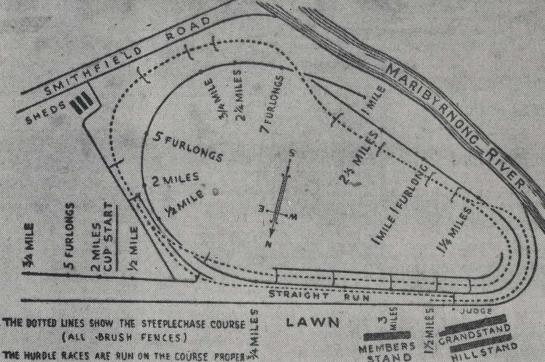
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WHERE THE MELBOURNE CUP IS RUN.—A plan of the Victoria Racing Club's course at Flemington, Melbourne. The historic Melbourne Cup event will be decided here to-day.

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CASE AT WAIROA

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WAIROA.

"Your case presents a problem," said Mr V. E. Winter, J.P., to William Arthur Gibbons, aged 37, a car-

accident which he had when he was taking his wife and eight children home to Waikokopu. When going down a hill the car ran off the road; two of the children were slightly hurt and were taken to Dr Gray, who advised Gibbons to inform the police of the accident.

Later the defendant was examin-

d and found to be incapable of lriving a car.

driving a car.

The police also said that the defendant could not produce a driver's licence and that he had just bought the car. The defendant, the police said, was not a drinking man but had had a little too much on the

day in question.

Gibbons told the Court that he was going down a hill and some-thing happened to the steering gear; the made for the bank and the car turned over. He pleaded guilty to this charge and also to a further charge of driving without a licence, for which he was convicted and dis-

Murder Charge Heard

WOMAN IN COURT

Remand Granted To November 20

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Nov. 4. Jean Laurentine, aged 31, appeared in a crowded Magistrate's Court this morning charged with murdering her husband, Francis Norman Laurentine, on November 2.

With the consent of counsel, a remand was granted to November 20.

Inquest Acjourned Inquest Acjourned

An inquest into the death of Francis Norman Laurentine was opened this afternoon before the Coroner, Mr W. G. L. Mellish. After evidence of identification had been given by Hira Rob Roy Avery, a married man, who occupies with his wife and child a flat at 263 Willis Street, on the same floor as the Laurentines, the inquest was adjourned sine die.

Detective Sergeant W. McLennan represented the police and Dr. O. C. Mazengarb appeared for the widow. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon.

ow afternoon

In a report published to-day Mrs Laurentine was described as being of partly Maori blood. This was inshe has no Maori blood

PIANOFORTE AND SINGING

Waipawa Examinations

SUCCESSFUL PUPILS ANNOUNCED

Following are the results of the examination of the Royal Schools of Music, conducted by Mr Max Pirani at Waipawa on October 28:— Grade VII (Advanced) Pianoforte.

—Pass: Glenys Thompson (Miss D. Swain, L.R.S.M.).

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Grade V (Higher).—Pass with distinction: Hilda Tod (Miss D. Swain).
Pass: Elsie Raymond (Mrs L.

Grade IV (Lower).—Barbara Tow-

ers (Miss D. Swain).
Singing, Grade IV.—Barbara Towers (Mrs L. Swain).
Grade III Pianoforte (Transitional).—Pass: Margaret Macdonald (Miss D. Swain), Isobel Munro (Mrs J. Swain), Alsohel Munro (Mrs J. Swain), Alsohel

(Miss D. Swain), Isobel Munro (Mrs L. Swain), Alison Hunter (Mrs L. Swain).

Grade II (Elementary).—Pass: Terry Ashby (Miss D. Swain), Dorothy Harwood (Mrs L. Swain), Beth Lunt (Mrs L. Swain).

Grade I (Primary).—Pass: Ngaire Hill (Mrs L. Swain), Betty Ward (Mrs L. Swain), Nancye Warsnop (Miss D. Swain), Isobel McDougall (Miss D. Swain), Zola Stephenson (Miss D. Swain), Myra Avison (Miss D. Swain).

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Preliminary Division. — Barbara Marshall (Mrs L. Swain), Teddy Malkin (Mrs L. Swain).
Grade V (Diploma Requirements), Harmony.—Pass with credit: Nola Mathieson (Mrs L. Swain).
Grade IV (Rudiments) Theory.—Glenys Thompson (Miss D. Swain).
Grade I, Theory.—Alison Hunter (Mrs L. Swain).
All presented passed All presented passed.

SATURDAY BOWLING AT WAIROA

Nominations Invited For Championship

> "Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA.

The following games were played at the Wairoa Bowling Club's greens

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Christenson, Marshall, A. B. Smith, Bennett (s), 32; Lunney, Touhy, Pinel, Moore (s), 14.

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MEN AND WOMEN

Joshua Cup Won By P. Brown

MANY COMPETITIONS

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WAIROA.

The Wairoa Golf Club threw their links open to the public or Sunday under the auspices of the Patriotic Committee. From early morning there was a steady stream of enthusiasts until by mid-afternoon the links were occupied by 100 or more. For many it was their first attempt at the game, but such a stage of enthusiasm had been reached that even the heavy rain which fell later in the afternoon could not deter a certain well-known notelkeeper and his party from com-

notelikeeper and his party from completing their round.

A ladies' committee organised by Mrs C. H. P. Ryan provided afternoon tea and on behalf of the Patriotic Committee Mrs F. H. Jones presented the trophies won during

presented the trophies won during the day.

The Joshua Cup (presented by Mr S. J. Pattison) was won by P. Brown after an extremely close finish with Mr Harry Martin. Other trophies were presented as follows:

Ladies' match: Mrs Langley Shaw after a tie with Mrs H. Martin.

Ladies' putting: Miss Eria.

Men's putting: Ralph Jones.

Men's driving: Niel Russell (also an award for the best attire).

Men's approaching: C. Matches.

Men's approaching: C. Matches. Mixed foursome: A. A. West and Miss M. Shaw.

Grade VI (Intermediate).—Pass with credit: Velna Hill (Mrs L. of the committee thanks were extended to the Wairoa Golf Club for the use of their links.

DEATH OF PIONEER SETTLER

Mrs S. M. Evans

LOSS TO OTANE DISTRICT

"Daily Mail" Special Service. OTANE.

Otane has lost yet another of its pioneers with the passing of Mrs Sarah Marion Evans, widow of Mr Robert Evans, of Homewood, Otane. Born at Portree, Isle of Skye, Mrs Evans went first to Australia, com-

Evans went first to Australia, coming to New Zealand some time later. Mrs Evans leaves one son, Mr W. G. Evans, Homewood, and one daughter, Mrs D. N. McKenzie, The Manse, Outram West, Tairi; also 11 grandchildren and four greatgrandchildren. One grandson, Lieutenant R. M. Evans, is on active service with the First Echelon. A son, Captain O. G. Evans, R.A.-M.C., who was a medical officer in the 53rd Welsh Division in Palestine during the last war, died as a result of war injuries after his return to New Zealand. A daughter, Miss Read Evans, also died while a member of the Woodford House teaching staff.

staff.

The funeral was conducted by the

Rev. F. Robertson, a large number of residents attending the service, the pall-bearers being Messrs J. McDonald, N. McQuilkan, G. McLeod, R. Mc R. Loughnan, R. Pearson and R. Evans.

ALLEGED SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY

Jehovah's Witnesses Case

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Nov. 4. John Joseph Murray, who was re manded from Saturday until to-day on a charge of participating in the activities of a subversive organisation (Jehovah's Witnesses) was remanded by Mr J. L. Stout, S.M.,



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Daily Mail

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1940.

THE WAIPAWA BY-ELECTION

The nominations for the Waipawa by-election have been confined to two candidates representing the Government and the Opposition respectively, and the non-appearance of any Independents or a member of the Democratic Labour party in the field leaves a clear issue to be decided by the

electors. As far as the candidates personally are concerned, both are men capable of filling public positions creditably, and of rendering useful service to the community. Whichever is chosen, the district will be represented in Parliament by a

useful Member. This by-election, however, has a significance that overshadows the personal qualifications of the candidates. What the electors of Waipawa decide on November 16 should prove a fairly reliable pointer to the verdict of the country as a whole twelve months hence.

A great deal has happened since the last General Election to accentuate differences of opinion and to modify people's views regarding the trend of political policy. No government can introduce far-reaching changes in the national economy without interfering seriously with the personal affairs and interests of individuals, and few persons are sufficiently selfsacrificing to acquiesce without protest in a new order which may put them out of business or leave them worse off than they were before. Each person who feels that he has been injured by the operation of laws and regulations becomes a centre of political discontent and a clamant advocate of an administrative change.

In the five years that have passed since the Labour party came into power, great changes have taken place in the social and economic structure of New Zealand. The aim has been, primarily, to even up the distribution of the national income, to step up production by forcing money into circulation, and to bring under government control the greater portion of the financial and economic resources of the country.

The movement that produced these important developments was born of the slump, which hoisted the Labour party into power in 1935 with an overwhelming majority and a mandate to give effect to a policy which was frankly socialistic. Three years later, the memory of the distress and hardship suffered during the depression was still sufficiently fresh in the popular mind to secure for the Labour party a further lease of

There is little doubt that whatever the colour of the party in power, recent years would have brought a considerable extension of the powers and functions of the government. The tendency is world-wide. Everywhere we see that the State is directing the expenditure of an increasingly greater proportion of the national income, and is exercising a wider control over the machinery of production.

In totalitarian countries this is carried to a point which leaves the individual very little real liberty of action or freedom of choice in the matter of livelihood. In democratic countries, individual rights and privileges have been freely surrendered to meet the exigencies of war. Although there is an understanding that they will be restored when peace again prevails, only a super optimist will expect a reversion to pre-war conditions, and it is exceedingly improbable that governments will shed many of the new powers and functions they have assumed.

In New Zealand, the arbitrary regulation of production, finance, marketing, distribution, together with the rationing of foreign exchange and the prohibition, in whole or in part, of the importation of certain classes of merchandise, has caused a great deal of disaffection. Many who do not stop to think that some of these expedients would have been adopted in any case are itching to express their disapproval in the only way open to the citizens of a free country, viz., by voting against

Just how far there has been a change in public opinion

since the last general election is what we all want to know.

The Waipawa by-election furnishes an opportunity of testing the matter, and this fact will invest it with unusual interest.

Personal

VICE-REGAL

The Governor-General (Lord Galway) and Lady Galway made a round of official visits in Dunedin yesterday. In the morning his Excellency inspected the territorial camps at Wingatui and Forbury Park. In the afternoon their Excellencies paid a visit to the Otago Museum. Lady Galway was the guest of the committee of the Otago Women's Club at luncheon. This evening their Excellencies will be guest of the committee of the Otago
Women's Club at luncheon. This
evening their Excellencies will be
accorded a farewell by the citizens
of Dunedin in the Town Hall. They
will leave Dunedin to-morrow morning.—Press Association.

"I want to say that there is
nothing more irritating than a good
road and no benzine to travel on it,"
said Mr J. A. Lee at Hastings last
night. "Perhaps the motorists would
not mind a few more potholes if
they had a little more benzine." ng.-Press Association.

Leading Aircraftsman N. Powell, of the R.N.Z.A.F., and Mrs Powell, who have been staying on leave with Mr and Mrs Donald Munro, Ormondville, have left for Auckland. Mr J. S. McDonald is in Waipuku-

rau relieving Mr J. M. Carroll, of the Waipukurau Magistrate's Court, while he is attending to his duties as Registrar of Electors.

I has returned to Wellington.

Mr P. B. Meredith, of the Gisborne Post Office staff, has been appointed organiser of the national savings movement in the Gisborne postal district. His headquarters will be in Gisborne. The national savings campaign will be conducted on the lines of the savings movement which is proving so successful in Great Britain. It is hoped that savings groups will be set up in all business establishments.

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Rev. J. C. Macky, minister of the Palmerston North Baptist Church, has accepted a call to the joint pas-torate of the Otahuhu and Papatoeoe Baptist Churches, Auckland.

Mr F. Ellis, supervisor of the postal branch in the Palmerston North Post Office, is to take over the duties of Deputy Oil Fuel Controller in place of Mr E. E. Nansett, whose appointment as organiser of the patients of the programment in the patients of the programment of the patients the national savings movement in this district is announced.

Mr L. R. Palmer, careers maste Mr L. R. Palmer, careers master at Wellington College, has resigned to take up a position on the editorial staff of the Nelson "Evening Mail." He was met by the staff and students of the college at farewell gatherings recently when presentations were made.

Captain R. H. Perrett, N.Z.S.C., New Plymouth, has arrived in Tauherenikau, where he will take over duties from Major J. M. Reidy, N.Z.T.S., as commandant of the Tauherenikau wing of the Central District School of Instruction.

AT THE HOTELS

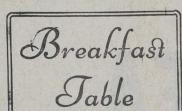
the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mr J. M. A. Ilott, Mr W. W. Percival, Mr Alex Hamilton, Mr R. H. Smith (Wellington), Mrs Percy Hunter (Porangahau), Mrs M. Hamilton (England), Mr H. Ashford (London), Mr R. Barker (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs E. R. Griffin (Raetihi) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

WAIROA. Mr H. A. Martin (Wairoa), Mr C. B. Goulsbro, Mr H. McDonald, Mr J. Geange, Mr K. Patridge are guests of the Clyde Hotel.

Mr Stacey, Miss Cameron, Miss Burch (Wellington), Mr Crawford (Gisborne), Mr Ryan (Tuai), Mr Hermensen (Kopuawhara), Mr Laing (Hastings), Mr Burns, Mr Smith (Hastings) are staying at the Weinze, Hotel

Mr Codlin, Mr Crabb (Napier), Mr Lloyd, Mr and Mrs F. Martin (Tuai), Miss Quartermain (Christ-church), Mr Standlind (Petone), Mr Ellery, Miss White (Wellington) Mrs Taylor are staying at the Ferry Miss White (Wellington),



knew my hubby was interested in archaeology until yesterday. I found a funny-looking ticket in his pocket, with 'Mudface 40/-' and some numbers on it; and when I asked him what it was he said it was a relic of a lost race. Isn't it just too interesting?"

Mr. Bumpup painted one side of his car green and the other red. Asked why, he said: "Oh, I just love to hear witnesses argue when I got to easy." get to court."

"When does the next train that stops at Manchester leave here?" as ed the resolute widow at the book-office window. "You'll have to wait four hours,

"You'll have to wait four hours, Ma'am."
"I think not."
"Well, maybe you know better than I do, Ma'am."
"Yes, sir, and maybe you know better than I do whether I am expecting to travel on the train myself or whether I am inquiring for a relative of mine that's visiting my house and wanted me to call here house and wanted me to call here and ask about it and save her the trouble, because she is packing up her things and expects to take the train herself and not me; and she'll have to do the waiting and not me; and maybe you think it's your business to stand behind there and try and instruct people about things they know as well as you do, if not better, and, perhaps, you'll learn someday to give people civil answers when they ask you civil questions, young man, and my opinion is

With a gasp, "Yes, Ma'am."

Clothes are as essential to the civilian as battledress to the soldier. Today, despite the unavoidable all-round increase in tailoring costs you can still buy a good suit from "Parkers" at a reasonable price. But the time is not far distant when prices will become exorbitant.*

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

"It's not sedition to laugh at 'Bob'

A large number of bicycles stack-

ed outside the Hastings Assembly Hall yesterday afternoon attracted

the attention of passers-by. The cycles belonged to children from

Parkvale School who were rehearsing items for their concert, which will be held in the hall to-night. The

proceeds are to go to school funds.

Interjectors at Mr J. A. Lee's meeting at Hastings last night suffered badly at the hands of the speaker. One man who persistently interrupted was told: "Unfortunately, my friend, this is going to be a solo; it won't be a duet. You may ask questions later." The interjector's response was drowned by the applause that greeted the reply.

English people from the Far East visiting Auckland state that tension

has eased following the opening of the Burma Road. The general im-pression is that the United States and Britain have called Japan's bluff

The champion Napier inter-house

team from Saturday's competitions (Katranski's), accompanied by the Government team, will be seeking fresh laurels at Palmerston North

to-morrow when it will compete at the Manawatu A. and P. Show in a

special inter-house display staged for the opening afternoon. Teams have been invited from the whole of the southern end of the North Is-

land and some 14 are to take part. Prizes valued at £20, £10 and £5 are

offered for the respective places. The girls will return to Napier to-mor-

Comforting news of conditions in

row night.

Less Tension In East

Visit To Manawatu

Rotary's Duty

Concert Rehearsal

Inspector's Failure

Fifth Columnist Harry Stanton Sherbrooke. building inspector attached to the State Advances Corporation, yester-day filed a petition in bankruptcy at will call you a fifth columnist!"

Mr Lee on Restrictions

they had a little more benzine.

Wrestlers Broadcast

Mr J. Tuohy, secretary of the Nanier Wrestling Club, gave an address rom Station 2YB New Plymouth on Saturday on the prospects of New Zealand-born wrestlers. A sketch of Oscar Brock's athletic attainments was described by the announcer, Mr F. J. Eggleton, and Brock explained his ambitions for his wrestling

The effect that the petrol restrictions are having on motorists in general is illustrated by the number of purchases of petrol caps with of purchases of petrol caps with locks fitted. Even the Government road services have taken the precaution of sealing the 'buses with the official seal. Many motorists although there have been relatively few cases of petrol stealing in Hawke's Bay—feel that it is better to take no chances.

The annual conference of the Locomotive Engineers', Firemen's, and Cleaners' Association was opened at Wellington last Tuesday. It is not expected to conclude until towards the end of this week. It was stated yesterday that the items stated yesterday that the items which had been dealt with or were

New Wellington Cathedral

The latest decision of the Angli-Mr H. D. Nelson, Mr J. Gibbs, Mr V. R. Winchcomb, Mrs Caulton, Mrs Ramsay, Mr J. E. Leaming, Mr C. A. Noble, Mr A. C. Black, Mr P. Jenkins, Mr G. L. Wilson (Wellington), Mr G. C. Nash (Nelson), Mr H. Hamilton, Mrs I. Clulow, Miss F. Heaton, Mr J. T. Parker (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs Housmann (Feilding), Mr M. G. Clarke (Tauranga), Mr D. L. Bourke (Pahiatua), Mr D. Andrews (Whakatane) are at the Hotel Central, Napier. This left £51,440 avail- German Prison Camps

Latin in Court

German prison camps has been re-ceived through the Red Cross So-ciety by an Auckland woman whose Latin in Court

A brief lecture on Latin was given to counsel in a compensation case in the Christchurch Magistrate's Court recently by Mr Justice O'Regan, when Mr K. G. Archer applied for an adjournment sine die. "The case is adjourned accordingly," said his Honour. "You notice that I shrink from saying 'syny dye.' It should be 'sin-ay dee-ay'—you know that, Mr Archer." "I don't agree," interposed Mr A. W. Brown, who also appeared in the case. "Syny dye,'" he added with emphasis. "In Germany, and there appeared to be no cause for worry on that account. The society hoped shortly to enter a respectful protest against the anglicisation of Latin," replied his Honour, smiling, as he rose to adjourn the Court. adjourn the Court.

MAIL NOTICES

POST OFFICE, HASTINGS
(Napier Mails close approximately hour earlier than Hastings). OUTWARD OVERSEAS MAILS.

CHRISTMAS MAILS. BRITAIN, AUSTRALIA, ETC. Great Britain and Europe: Suggested time of posting not later than mid-October; America, November (last week); East (including Egypt), mid-October; Australia, mid-December, Early posting is recommended in view of the uncertainty of transit time.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6.
Mails for Australian States and countries via Australia will close as follows:
Hastings, 6 p.m.; parcels 4 p.m. Napier,
5 p.m.; parcels 3.20 p.m.
Other oversea mails will be dispatched as opportunity offers.

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Trans-Tasman Air Service: Malls for despach by this service close at noon at both Hastings and Napier Post Offices. Postage Rates: Australia (including air services in Australia), 5d each 2oz. Egypt, Africa and Intermediate Empire countries, 1/6 each 2oz. Foreign countries intermediate between Australia and Egypt, special rates apply. (Inquire at Post Office). TRANS-PACIFIC AIR MAIL. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7.

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Trans-Pacific Air Mail.—Postage rates
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Great Britain 5/9 each ½oz. Mails close noon. For further particulars apply at Post Office. INLAND MAILS. Napler, Monday to Friday, 6 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m. Saturday, 6 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m. Gisborne District, 4 p.m. Wairoa, 6.30 a.m. and 4 p.m. Auckland, Main Trunk and Waikato districts, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only), 4

.m. Saturdays only, 1.15 p.m. (letters only).

Manawatu, Wairarapa, Dannevirke and Faranaki Districts, 8.5 a.m., 4 p.m. and Monday to Friday, letters only, 6 p.m. Wellington, 8.5 a.m., 4 p.m. Monday to Friday (letters only), 6 p.m., Saturday only 1.15 p.m.

Waipawa, 8.5 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Waipukurau and south of Waipukurau, Monday to Friday, 8.5 a.m., 4 p.m. Saturday, 8.5 a.m.

Otane, Monday to Friday, 6.30 a.m., 4

Otane, Monday to Friday, 6.30 a.m., 4 p.m. Saturday, 6.30 a.m. Opapa, Poukawa, Paki Paki and Puke-hou, 6.30 a.m.

AIR MAIL INLAND. Blenheim, Nelson, Westport, Grey mouth and Hokitika, Monday to Friday

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

DAILY MAILS" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR HEAVY RAINFALL The responsibility of Rotary to-ward overcoming present day dis-cord in international politics was emphasised by Mr J. M. A. Ilott, a past governor of Rotary, at the Na-pier Rotary Club's weekly luncheon vesterday.

Following is the "Daily Mail's" pecial forecast for Hawke's Bay:— Winds: Strong and squally southerly rising to gale forces in places. Weather: Further rain and some heavy falls. Temperatures cool. Seas: Rough.

HASTINGS WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:—
Dry bulb temp. 56.0deg.
Wet bulb temp. 52.0deg.
Maximum temp. 60.0deg.
Minimum temp. 45.0deg.
Trass 45.0deg.

 Grass
 45.0deg.

 1ft. underground
 58.0deg.

 Cloud
 10

 Rain (last 24 hours)
 6ins.

 Rain for month
 6.06ins.

NAPIER WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows:— Dry bulb temp.
Wet bulb temp.
Maximum temp.
Minimum temp.
Ift. underground
3ft. underground
Grass
Rain
Sun
Cloud
Visibility

DOMINION FORECAST

General situation: A cyclonic de-pression which appears to be almost stationary is centred over Hawke's Bay and another depression is ad-vancing across the south Tasman

Forecast.—Winds: From between south and west prevailing. Still strong and squally from Marlborough northwards and reaching gale force in many exposed positions, but mainly moderate to fresh over the remainder of the South Island.

the South Island.

Seas.—Rough to very rough north of Farewell Spit and Banks Peninsula. Slight or moderate in the south but rising later. Eastern Tasman Sea: Strong southerly to westerly winds reaching gale force at first in the northern portion. Seas rough.

Weather: Over the Auckland Peninsula and in Taranaki changeable with occasional showers. From Marlborough to East Cape dull with further rain and heavy falls in the northern portion. Over the remainder of the South Island mainly fair but with rain developing later from the southwest. Temperatures cool.

To-day's Diary

HASTINGS

The Theatres:
"The Old Maid," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

"Pop Always Pays" and "On Their Own," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Double Alibi" and "Naughty But Nice," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

NAPIER Address by Mr J. A. Lee, M.P., Municipal Theatre, 8 p.m.

The Theatres:
"Boys Town," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Isle of Destiny," State, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Bulldog Drummond's Revenge,"
and "Rascals," Mayfair, 2 and

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HUNDREDS OF DISMISSALS ON RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION

Men Fail To Produce Tickets Of Financial Membership In Workers' Union

By Telegraph—Press Association

CHRISTCHURCH, Nov. 4. Between 300 and 400 men employed on the South Island Main Trunk railway were dismissed to-day, having failed to produce tickets of financial membership of the New Zealand Workers' Union within the stated time. The men say the question of membership was "purely a domestic quarrel."

Mr Christie Speaks At

Waipukurau

OPPONENT'S REMARK

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

Had Liquor Near

Dance Hall

FINE IMPOSED

Constables Saw Man

With Carton

"This man claimed to be a mem-ber of the orchestra and said that he

was 'running the cutter' for the players," said Sergeant F. Forsythe in the Napier Magistrate's Court yesterday when Gordon Hesketh was charged before Mr J. Miller, S.M., with having liquor in the vicility of the description.

S.M., with having liquor in the vicinity of a dance hall.

The National President of the Union has asked the Minister of Public Works (the Hon. R. Semple) to enforce Section 34 of the Public Works agreement, which provides for the dismissal of men who are not financial members of the union.

The men are resident in various but on the construction works by

The men are resident in various huts on the construction works between the Clarence Bridge and Taratuhi. All are reported by Mr D. D. Popplewell, secretary of the Oarolocal union, to be members of the Workers' Union, with which a dispute arose over the appointment of organisers

organisers.

Mr Semple, who was telephoned at Tauranga to-night, had no comment to make on the report that a large body of men had been either dismissed or locked out.

Roads Slightly
Affected

SUNDAY'S DOWNPOUR

Six Inches Of Rain
At Hastings

LITTLE DAMAGE

No serious dislocation of communications resulted from Sunday night's torrential downpour, although there were several hold-ups on highways in Central Hawke's Bay. There were wash-outs on the deviation work at Poukawa, and Public Works men were engaged most of yesterday claring debris from the roadway.

For a time yesterday morning the main highway was blocked near Wallingford, but traffic was able to pass a midday. The Porangahau bus was delayed and did not reach Walpukurau until after 12 o'clock. Part of a bank in the Te Aute cutting collapsed during the downpour and it was cleared from the road early in the morning.

Six inches of rain was recorded by the Government meteorological observer (Mr H. Nelson Fowler) at Cornwall Park, Hastings, for the 24 hour period since Anzac Day, 1938, and one of the heaviest fall for the 24-hour period since Anzac Day, 1938, and one of the heaviest recorded in Hastings for 20 years.

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Napier escaped comparatively lightly, the rainfall totalling 2.15in. Little inconvenience was caused by the rain except for a short period on Sunday night, when watertables in the town overflowed.

Milk Zoning In Napier

QUALITY DISCUSSED

Request To Council By Labour Party

The milk zoning scheme came in for trenchant criticism at the fortnightly meeting of the Napier branch of the official New Zealand vigour. Labour Party, which was held in the Community Hall last night. Several speakers questioned the quality of the milk delivered and sold at certain dairies.

After discussion it was decided to request the Napier Borough Council to make an immediate inspection of the source of supply and distribution of supply and

tributing agencies. Christmas Pictures:

The attitude of the Borough Council in regard to the screening of pictures on Christmas night was also discussed at the meeting, and also discussed at the meeting, and it was resolved that a letter of thanks be sent to the council in this respect. The meeting expressed its appreciation of the fact that the council had prohibited pictures. It was decided to approach the Minister of Marine (the Hon. D. G. M.Miller) is respected. McMillan) in regard to the unsatisfactory condition of the inner har-

Further Appeals Hesketh, who did not appear until the end of the case, was convicted and fined £2 (costs 10/-). Heard

RESULTS TO DATE

Sittings Scheduled For This Week

The Napier Manpower Committee last week heard a further 55 appeals concerning 50 men called in the first ballot for Territorial ser-The decisions are summarised as follows:-

Adjourned for further hearing, 9;

Adjourned sine die (temporarily unfit), 19; dismissed, 5; dismissed (permanently unfit), 2; dismissed, but service suspended for periods ranging from two to five months, 19; withdrawn, 1; total, 55.

Sittings have been arranged as follows:—Napier, to-day; Hastings, Dannevirke and Waipukurau, to-morrow; Wairoa, Friday.

Appellants are requested to attend promptly at the times set down for the heaving of their appeals

the hearing of their appeals.
When the sittings arranged are concluded, the committee will have dealt with all cases where the medical reports have been released by the Army Department. It is anticipated, however, that further sittings will be required at the centres mentioned and also at Woodville in the near future

APPEAL

PATRIOTIC WORK DESCRIBED

BROADCAST TALK

Clearing Up Possible Misunderstandings

The £1,000,000 "heart-to-heart" appeal was the subject of a broadcast address given last night by Mr F. W. Browne, chairman of the Napier Zone Committee handling the

pier Zone Committee handling the appeal.

"Following the recent decision of the patriotic council to discontinue national appeals, the provincial councils are now the sole collecting agencies," Mr Browne said. "In order that the provinces might be placed on a financial footing, his Excellency the Governor-General recently launched a £1,000,000 Patriotic Fund Campaign, of which £50,000 has been allocated to the Hawke's Bay province.

The Hon. W. E. Barnard support of the leader, and the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. In dissentient voices to a motion to wishing the Democratic Labour there were few interjectors who tempted his caustic wit and ready answer. Several questions were asked at the conclusion of the ad-HOUSING CONTRACTS Bay province.

Bay province.
"The position of the funds has not yet apparently been clearly understood, and I would like to state the position briefly.

Purpose of Fund

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"This sum will be raised in Hawke's Bay and administered by the Hawke's Bay Provincial Patriotic Council, the moneys being used:

"Firstly, for comforts and the wellbeing of New Zealand men in the firing line.

"Secondly, for rehabilitation, including provision where necessary for the dependants of members of the fighting services. It is the duty of the Government to care for the repatriation of the men, but no Government, however favourably disposed it may feel, can legislate for all requirements, and the Patriotic Fund will meet an urgent need to fill the gap between the time of a man's breakdown in health and of his being accepted by one of the schemes to be provided by the Government for his welfare.

"Thirdly, to afford if necessary, further assistance to relieve distress in the bombed areas of England. The experience of the last war fully justifies the present system, which ensures a maximum of efficiency. Distribution of comforts overseas is in the hands of men of special ability, who will see that the work is faithfully performed.

"There is a personal side to this."

Personal Touch

"There is a personal side to this appeal, in that every citizen is today interested in the welfare of relations and friends with the fighting forces. Every mail brings grateful acknowledgements from the men best able to judge the value of the work being carried out.

"The organisation in Hawke's Bay is now active in all districts, and for simplicity the country districts have been attached to the local centres.

"I would like to say a word especially regarding the Napier fund, which covers the town of Napier and the surrounding district north of the Ngaruroro. The allocation of this area is £14,000, and during the next few days a personal approach will be made to heighted. The National Party candidate in the Waipawa by-election (Mr C. G. E. Harker) addressed a very well attended meeting at Maraekakaho last night. Mr H. Gascoyne was in the chair.

The necessity of continuing the war effort was stressed by Mr Harker and the desirability of scrutinising the domestic expenditure

be made to business houses and professional men, while a plan has been prepared which will provide an opportunity to staffs and offices, shops and factories to assist by small weekly donations. The co-operation of all local organisations is sought in promoting functions to aid the appeal. Country residents are invited to contribute by mail to the local treasurer, Mr S. P. Spiller, Napier.

Napier Activities

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he addressed the new Cabinet and called on the people of the electorate to prove themselves worthy of them. A vote of thanks and confidence in the National Party was moved by Mr G. C. B. Clarkson, seconded by Mr G. Sanderson, and carried unanimously.

In acknowledging the vote, Mr Harker said that if elected he would criticise whatever appeared to him to be needing criticism but that he would on all occasions support the Government's war effort whenever it was prosecuted with proper vigour.

be held at St. Patrick's Hall, Dalton Street, Reservations for this gathering may be arranged by communicating may be arranged by called ma

"Contributions should be made to the treasurer of the local Patriotic Appeal Fund, located in Dannevirke, Waipukurau, Hastings, Napier and

Wairoa.

"In the past, Hawke's Bay has responded magnificently. In the present cast, the demands on the funds are such that generosity should characterise our giving. The world is on fire. You cannot put it out with a wet blanket. Either we pay the price freely, or else Hitler will take up the collection."

FRENCH SPIES LET OUT SECRETS

Press Demands Action

FAILURE OF DAKAR **EXPEDITION**

and fined £2 (costs 10/-).

Dozen Bottles

Sergeant Forsythe told the Court that on the night of October 16 Contact that on the night of October 16 Constables Jennings and Rippin saw the defendant carrying a carton down the right-of-way to the rear of the Foresters' Hall while a dance was in progress. The constables accosted the defendant and discovered that the carton contained a dozen bottles of ale.

"The defendant denied that the beer belonged to him. He said that he was getting it for the orchestra," said the Sergeant.

In answer to Mr Miller, Constable Jennings said that Hesketh was accosted at the back door of the hall, but had not managed to take the beer inside.

Would you believe that in the middle of all this bombing the Ministry for Information is going to spend £100,000 teaching Britain about the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Control of the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Control of the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Control of the Empire? But, as Hannen Swaffer says in the "Dally Herald," every-body with the Control of the French in London was mainly responsible for the news of the British move on Dakar leaking out to France?

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This is the first time that combined newspapers are demanding prompt action even from Mr Churchill.

The "Daily Mirror" asks: "Are we would to meet the addition of furtive

PURPOSE OF THE DEMOCRATIC LABOUR PLAN IS DESCRIBED IN ADDRESS

"Let's Build New Zealand," Says Mr J. A. Lee In Speech At Hastings

Adopting a "let's build New Zealand" theme, the leader of the Democratic Labour Party (Mr John A. Lee) received a good hearing from an audience of about 600 in the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, last night. Mr Lee thrived on the few interjections levelled at him, and early in his address effectively silenced those who sought to interrupt him.

The Hon. W. E. Barnard and Mrs Lee spoke briefly in support of the leader, and the chair was occupied by the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison). There were a few dissentient voices to a motion thanking Mr and Mrs Lee and wishing the Democratic Labour Party good luck.

asked at the conclusion of the ad-

"Six months ago I was supposed to be politically dead and Mr Bar-

to be politically dead and Mr Barnard, for supporting me, was supposed to have committed suicide politically," said Mr Lee.

A short time ago, when the conference of the Democratic Labour Party was held, branches from all parts of the Dominion were represented, he said. He recalled that when he attended a conference of the Labour Party in Christchurch in 1933, when that party was about to challenge the rights of the National Party, about 80 representatives were there.

"Political Ghosts."

"Mr Barnard and myself were political ghosts—and we're pretty live ghosts," declared Mr Lee. "We

"Pro-New Zealand Party."

"The Democratic Labour Party is a pro-New Zealand party," he said. "We have the determination to build because we have faith in our country. We know that certain changes must be effected if in our time the country is to be worthwhile."

the surrounding district north of the Ngaruroro. The allocation of this area is £14,000, and during the next few days a personal approach will be made to business houses and professional men, while a plan has been prepared which will provide an opportunity to staffs and offices, shops and factories to assist by small weekly donations. The co-operation of all local organisations is sought in promoting functions to add the appeal. Country residents are invited to contribute by mail to the local treasurer, Mr S. P. Spiller, Napier.

Napier Activities

"Once, for the Labour Party in 1931, I wrote a pamphlet on the evils of the National Party—"The History of the Smash and Grab Party," said Mr Lee. "To-day in the train I was trying to decide the difference between the two parties, and I came to the conclusion that one was the Smash and Grab Party and the other was the Grab and Nash Party. Nationalism represents the local treasurer, Mr S. P. Spiller, Napier.

Napier Activities

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Developing Industries

It was the aim of the party to develop industries in the Dominion, said Mr Lee. With plenty of water power and right timber available power and right timber available paper could be manufactured, while light metal of the aluminium type would be invaluable at present. Mr Barnard and he had pressed for the development of iron and steel production, but although a Bill had been passed, no further action had been passed, no further action had

been taken.

Industry in New Zealand must be developed so that the country could hit hardest in her war effort, said Mr Lee. The war was not going to

Mr Lee. The war was not going to be won unless there was a general mobilisation of industry.

The Labour Party had pledged itself to overthrow the powers controlling currency, but did they live up to it? asked Mr Lee. "Has it completed its control promise?" he asked. "The policy Mr Barnard and I pledged ourselves to has not been given effect to, and the Hon Mr. given effect to, and the Hon. Mr Webb down the Coast said that it

would not be given effect to."

"He is a queer Socialist," said Mr
Lee, referring to Mr Webb. "He
changes his Socialism as he moves
geographically. He is Paddy Webb
on the Coast, but the Hon. P. C.
Webb through the Otira Tunnel."

Not a Racket

"Our programme is not a racket; not something dangled in front of the people to catch votes," said Mr Lee. "It is something that we will put into practice in New Zealand

when we are given a mandate."

Attacking the money system, Mr
Lee said that it was faults in this
direction that made the Hitlers and
the Mussolinis, for the people were
dissatisfied with what democracy
had to offer. "Youth will march and
destroy, the Hitlers" declared Mr destroy the Hitlers," declared Mr Lee. "We are determined to alter the conditions that make the Hitlers and Mussolinis."

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"Did Labour adopt a new policy
when war broke out?" asked Mr
Lee. "The only difference between
the National Party and the Labour
Party is that the National stopped you from having an income and Labour stopped you from hanging

Mrs Lee, who is an excellent speaker, was accorded an attentive speaker, was accorded an attentive hearing. She stated her intention not only of supporting her husband and the party, but of standing as a Democrat Labour candidate. "I believe that this is a wonderful opportunity for women to take a part in something that is of vital important.

BRITISH CIVILIAN **SPIRIT**

WHAT HITLER CANNOT BREAK

AUSTRALIAN TRIBUTE

Something "Great, Strong And Holy"

"I suppose one is taking a risk of getting a rap over the knuckles for writing to you. I must plead, howpolitical ghosts—and we're pretty live ghosts," declared Mr Lee. "We have also a large number of followers, and show the ability to recruit not only from the virile followers of the Labour Party, but from the young men and women of the National Party.

"Men and women understand that times change; that the two old parties have changed, and that the time has come for a new power that will split both the Labour and the National Parties," stated Mr Lee. He denied a charge that it was his party's intention to divide the Labour Party and to allow the National silsts to regain power.

Dealing with the policies of the other two parties, Mr Lee said that while Labour was anti-National and National was anti-Labour, the Democratic Labour Party was not built on the negative.

"Pro-New Zealand Party."

Withing to you. I must plead, nowever, that the things I have witnessed ever since arriving in England justify me in placing my ideas before you."—That is the opening paragraph of a letter sent by a sapper of the Australian Imperial Force in Britain to Sir John Anderson, formerly Minister for Home Security. The rap over the knuckles did not eventuate; instead, the letter was treated as a simple but eloquent appreciation of the spirit of the British people.

"When we arrived at Liverpool," wrote the sapper, "we could not understand why everyone we met held his or her right thumb pointed upwards, but we soon woke up to what it meant. It was the civilian's way of saying, 'Tail's up.' While we camped in Hampshire we were in ever, that the things I have witnes-

held his or her right thumb pointed upwards, but we soon woke up to what it meant. It was the civilian's way of saying, 'Tail's up.' While we camped in Hampshire we were inspected on parade by several highly-placed officers and others. All sorts of nice things were said, and, of course, we liked it. But what of these wonderful civilians? Who inspects them? Who tells them just how their courage and example are appreciated, and what do Australia, Canada and South Africa really know of the heroic behaviour of the British civilians?

"That's Jerry Over Again" "The first night we were billeted in Hampshire Jerry came over the town. I was in France during the last war, and do not mind admitting that I wanted to duck for cover, but the civilians just said "There's civilians just said, 'There's

"We were in a little 'pub,' and there they sat, just talking and drinking in the parlour. A number of people carried on a bit of a song.
"I went out not the street. People were standing at their front doors, others at windows, trying to spot the Hun aeroplanes. I asked one the Hun aeropianes. I asked one group of women, "Don't you feel a bit afraid? Why not go to shelters?" They said, 'Afraid of they blighters? We would rather be up there having

go at they.'
"On another night I was in bed when a man with whom I was billeted called out, 'Are you awake, Jack?' I answered. 'Yes, that's Jerry

"His wife called out, 'Aye, that's Jerry.' I said, 'Well, what do we do now? Go to the cellar?'
"The woman said, 'Not me, I don't "The woman said, Not me, I don't leave my bed for no German."
"During my leave I was in Lon-don during two raids. The behaviour of the people was marvellous. The

Australian troops are amazed at the way the civilians stick it out.
"Some of the boys left London before their leave was up. They said, 'It's too hot for us.' They all brought back tales from all parts of

At the Railway Station

"I have hundreds of little stories of civilian bravery. I spent my leave at Bridgewater, and left London during a morning raid. At Bath, sirens sounded a warning. Railway officers patrolled the station, calling out, 'Air raid on. Anyone wishing to leave the train may do so and take shelter but the train goes on.' Not one person left the train, and the people on the platform just talked as if nothing were happen-

"The train pulled out, stopped some minutes on the bridge, and all the time the passengers in my compartment were highly amused lispartment were nightly amused instending to some working men who were highly indignant because the siren had upset a shop-girl, and she had given them a bag of tomatoes when they had ordered plums.

"On the Sunday night I was with friends—three ladies who had left

London. Jerry came over again, and we could hear his engines droning quite plainly. One of the ladies was 81 years of age. The other two were not young. We were listening were not young. We were listening to the radio. Suddenly the strains of 'God Save the King' came over the radio. Like a flash, those three women were on their feet, and there they stood to attention like three soldiers. I followed their example rather sheepishly. But as I stood in that room watching those three English women standing so still and bravely honouring their King while up in the heavens lurked sudden, awful death, I seemed to feel that some strange power was in

FIRST ROUND WON PRIME MINISTER'S RETORT TO THE DAIRY CONFERENCE HANDS DOWN

Letter From Mr Fraser Warmly

Defends Minister Of

Marketing

By Telegraph-Press Association

A letter was sent to the New Zealand Dairy Board to-day by the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) in reply to one which he had received from the board a few days ago con-

veying to him two resolutions carried at the Dominion Dairy

CIVILIAN EFFORT PRAISED

SAFETY PROBLEM

More Deep Shelters Promised

British Official Wireless. (Received Oct. 4, 12.45 p.m.) RUGBY, Nov. 3. RUGBY, Nov. 3.

Giving what he referred to as his "interir report," the Home Secretary (the Hon. Herbert Morrison) spoke of Government action to assist the civilian population to carry out their part in the Battle of Britain when he broadcast to-day. Although the conflict between the German Air Force and the civilian population was only part of the battle, Mr Morrison stressed the vital importance of that part and said that the whole future of the war turned on successful resistance by the ordinary workaday people of Britain. "You have won the first round—won it hands down," he said.

Active Defence

Active Defence

their utmost to secure the maximum production and make the greatest contribution possible to this country's war effort.' I feel personally that this resolution embodies the will and spirit of the primary producers of the Dominion, whose contribution to the country's war effort has been so highly creditable. Mr Morrison emphasised that the Government's efforts could not be concentrated on passive defence, for both active defence and preparations for the offensive would suffer if supplies of steel, cement, and bricks were allocated solely to civilian defence measures.

"I have not come," he continued,
"to tell you how to be shut away
from the rigour and stress of war as
though you were unfit to play your
part."

part."
There was neither logic nor humanity in tolerating unnecessary danger or discomfort, and the policy of his department was to enable everyone to be safe, to sleep comfortably, and to live as healthily as the onslaught allowed.

WINNING TEAMS IN CONTEST

"Peculiar and Unique"

"In regard to the other resolution it is inevitable that it must be considered in the light of the peculiar and unique conceptions and standards of controversial ethics and methods of fair dealing adopted by those responsible for the management of the conference proceedings in regard to the reception extended to my colleague, the Hon. W. Nash, who attended as an invited guest. "In acknowledging this resolution I would like it to be distinctly understood that any representations from

"Peculiar and Unique"

The personnel of the leading teams in Saturday's inter-house carnival was as follows:

Katranski's: Misses N. Jorgensen (captain), S. Boardman, D. Burke, E. Faulkner, P. Hepburn, J. Hill, M. Johnston, J. Jorgensen, J. Knight, M. Lawrence, M. Luxton, P. McCarthy, B. Smith, R. Smith, A. Trude.

Blythes: Misses J. Saville (captain), N. Jack, P. Moroney, D. Bateup, P. Sporle, J. Willis, J. Dawe, J. Corskie C. Bromley G. Darling, G. Lawrie, S. Richardson, J. McPhail and M. Owen.

Government Departments: Misses Wilma Fuller (captain), Nell Boston, Helen McConochie, Leonie Cheriton, Rita Browne, Madeline Hodge, Cynthia Lawton, Clare Fox, Joyce Gibson, Lorna Tonkin, Nola Mooney, Dorothy Buckley and Shirley Madigan.

pleasing at present, was that the Buddhist priests were beginning to

meddle in politics, and politics and religion did not usually go well

NAZI JEW-BAITER IN

RUMANIA

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LONDON, Nov. 3.

UNLIMITED MANPOWER WILL REPAIR BURMA ROAD

Visitor From Rangoon Gives Details Of Historic Trade Route

The enormous value of the Burma Road to China was stressed by Mr N. L. Hepburn, a director of a European firm of merchants, dealing principally in sugar, at Rangoon, Burma, during an interview which he granted to a "Timaru Herald" reporter. Mr Hepburn, who mentioned that his firm's factory is 60 miles from the Chinese frontier, is visiting Timaru in the course of an extensive tour of New Zealand.

"The Burma Road has been a eventually be absorbed by the Chintrade route from time immemorial" ese." said Mr Hepburn, "and probably has Increase in Trade trade route from time immemorial" said Mr Hepburn, "and probably has been used for trade between India and China since before the commencement of the Christian era. It runs from Rangoon to Lashio on the Burma-Chinese frontier, a distance of between 600 and 700 miles, and continues for about 1500 miles to Chungking, the present seat of Government of Marshal Chiang Kaishek.

"The route from Lashio to the "The route from Lashio to the very keen, but with the elimination"

shek.

"The route from Lashio to the Chinese border, a distance of about 100 miles is a metalled road. In China the road has been developed during the last two years, and it took one and a-half to two years to construct. The project was practically carried out by hand labour, the Chinese Central Government employing hundreds of thousands of Cainese under a conscripted labour Cainese under a conscripted labour the conduct of the conduct o Chinese under a conscripted labour ystem, each province contributing its quota of man-power. No explo-sives were used except home-made

"Some conception of the magnitude of the task may be gained from the fact that portion of the route which traverses the mountains reaches an altitude of between 8000 and 9000 feet in the Yunnan province in China. Its undulating course vince in China. Its undulating course is also dotted with innumerable is also dotted with innumerable bridges. Ammunition and oil for China is sent from Rangoon to Lashio by rail, and then by motor transport on the Burma Road to China.

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War Supplies

"Pefore the war large supplies of German and Italian arms and ammunition were forwarded to China via the Burma Road. Since the European war commenced American petrol and arms from Russia have been sent by the same route. There is another route from Russia into China from the north, but the enormous distance involved makes its use hardly practicable and its commercial and strategic value suffers accordingly. In return for war supplies China was exporting tung oil, pigs' bristles, and silver to America, pigs accordingly. In return for war supplies China was exporting tung oil, pigs' bristles, and silver to America, this trade also travelling via the Burma Road to Rangoon.

Refired Farmer At Whangarei

The "Daily Mirror" asks: "Are we ready to meet the addition of furtive foes to our declared enemies—Spain, and Petain of France? And what of Russia, where Ambassador Sir Stafford Cripps appears to have sunk into a sort of siesta? Isn't it time that certain Government speakers began to talk less about invasion? Mr John Cullen, aged 66, until 18 month, ago a well-known farmer of the Maungaturoto district and since then living in retirement at Whangarei, dropped dead during a service at the Congregational Church yester day morning.

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The text of Mr Fraser's letter, which is addressed to the secretary of the board (Mr C. H. Courtney) is as follows:— Strong Support

WELLINGTON, Nov. 4.

LABOUR GOVERNMENT

Voiced

700 Delegates Meet At Auckland

MR NASH ATTENDS

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, Nov. 4 AUCKLAND, Nov. 4.

The hope that doctors would agree to operate the General Medical Practitioner Scheme under the Social Security Act at an early date was expressed by the Minister of Finance (the Hon. W. Nash) at a private meeting of delegates of Labour Representation Committees and Trade Union executives to-night.

There was attendance of 700 delegates.

"In acknowledging this resolution
I would like it to be distinctly understood that any representations from a responsible organisation of primary producers will always receive the close and careful attention of my colleagues and myself.

"Not Impressed"

"Not Impressed"

"Not Impressed"

"However, the attempt to single out the Minister of Marketing for a personal attack completely fails to impress the Government. The proceedings at the conference on Wednesday last strengthen and increase, if that were possible, our confidence in him and our admiration for his ability, efficiency, integrity, sincerity and courage, as well as for his whole-hearted devotion to the duties of his responsible office, including the work of furthering the Government's proposals for guaranteeing a fair standard of living to all useful people in twom and country entry and country entry and country entry and country the little proposals for guaranteeing a fair standard of living to all useful people in two name of the standard of living to all useful people in two name of the standard of living to all useful people in two name of the standard of living to all useful people in two name of the standard of living to all useful people in two name of the standard of living to all useful people in two name of two proposals attendance of 700 delegates.

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The meeting which included several Auckland Members of Parliament, carried the following resolution by acclamation:

The meeting which included several Auckland Suburbs, Waitemata, gives its sincere assurance to the Prime Minister of its loyalty and determination to work for the cess of the Government and Labour Party."

AN EMPIRE WAR **CABINET**

DEMANDS MADE IN **SYDNEY**

AUSTRALIA'S RIGHTS

Aid To Complete Co-operation

Public men in Sydney are leading the demand that Australia, with other dominions, should be repre-sented on an Empire War Cabinet or Council in London which would decide war policy. The demand sprang principally from the Dakar incident and the announcement of Japan's pact with Germany and

Italy.

Mr W. J. McKell, leader of the
Labour Party in the New South
Wales Legislative Assembly, was the first to voice a growing feeling that the Imperial War Cabinet of the 1914-18 war, whose establishment the then Australian Prime Minister (Mr W. M. Hughes) mainly

Minister (Mr W. M. Hughes) mainly influenced, should be now copied.
"It is our duty to see," Mr McKell said, "that Imperial war policy should be decided and carried out in a manner which will ensure that Australian soldiers shall not be used in half-hearted adventures.

pally. As communication between the two countries had been very little affected by the war, Burma's trade had not been influenced so adversely as other countries. Trade with Europe, as a whole was, of course, practically non-existent, and that with the United Kingdom was limited to the shipping available.

Dominion Status Sought

As in India the Burmese were War Cabinet or Council. Silence on certain aspects of the conduct of the war is no longer in the national interest. Plain speaking is essential."

Dr H. V. Evatt, K.C., who resigned from the High Court bench and won the Barton (Sydney) seat for Labour at the recent Federal election, said: "I agree with Mr McKell that Australia should be consulted in the most intimate way about the conduct of the war in which it

As in India the Burmese were anxious for Dominion status and "Burma for the Burmans" was the slogan of all political parties. There were numerous political parties in the most intimate way about the conduct of the war in which it wishes to play its part. Especially should she have a direct voice in deciding adventures likely to affect Australian troops. Australian troops. Australian troops.

"The trouble, as I see it, is that the Australian Government has not pressed sufficiently for direct representation in an Empire War Cabinet. Until Australia is able to get a place in the inner councils of Britain from which the war is being directed its own contribution. directed, its own contribution will lack the necessary vigour and direction. Australia will get that place only through earnest desire of its Government to share the responsi-

bility of the conduct of the war with Britain." Need Recently Emphasised

The Premier of New South Wales (Mr A. Mair) recalled that he had suggested the formation of an Empire War Cabinet several months establishment of a similar body

now."

Professor F. A. Bland, professor of public administration at Sydnev University, supported the plan, but emphasised that, if such an Empire Council was merely advisory, its members would be wasting their time. He made the point that Britian's vacillation in her dealings with

ago. "Recent events," he added, "have emphasised the need for a co-ordinating council. Results of the 1914-18 Imperial War Cabinet should be sufficient encouragement for the

Reports from Bucharest state that Heinrich Himmler, chief of the Gestapo, has arrived in Rumania.

Visits to other countries under similar conditions have always been similar conditions have always been tallowed by the usual Nazi purge. lese who do penetrate into China will followed by the usual Nazi purge. I ped Britain's policy towards Japan,

LIABILITY FOR ACCIDENT ON HOME GUARD SERVICE

Government Withdraws Present Enrolment Forms To Clear Up Difficulties

By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, Nov. 4.

FOR FUNDS

PATRIOTIC APPEAL

AT HASTINGS

STORTFORD SALE

Drovers Giving Their

Services

"The organisation is now comlete and the whole district has been subdivided, with a canvasser or can-

vassers for every part, and we are

Wednesday, November 20.

livestock drive for cattle.

"The Need is Great

"We are confident that there will be no refusals," said Mr Kirkpatrick.

"The cause is worthy and the need is great, and every contribution made will be of the greatest benefit

The Minister of National Service (the Hon. R. Semple) announced to-day that the Government has decided to withdraw the present enrolment form for the Home Guard and replace it with a simpler form, which will not require persons to give an undertaking to accept their own liability for injury or accident.

The form will be for enrolment either in the Home Guard or the Emergency Precautions Scheme.

Mr Semple said that in framing the questions on the enrolment form for the Home Guard, the Government had no intention of persuading volunteers to contract themselves out of anything they may have been entitled to should they be disabled due to service in the Guard.

"People Hesitant"

"People Hesitant" Although in his previous statement he made it clear that the Government would sympathetically consider any genuine cases that might arise in the course of training, it appeared that a large number of people were hesitant to enrol because of the undertaking to accept liability which appeared in the old form.

"The Government will accept lia "The Government will accept the bility for all accidents or injuries which can be established as having arisen out of membership of the Home Guard," said Mr Semple, "but naturally every care will be taken to prevent imposition or fraud."

HOME GUARD PARADE TO-NIGHT

Napier Battalion

MORE RECRUITS ENROL

Firms Co-operate

The first parade of the Napier Home Guard is to be held this even-ing at McLean Park, when the first Enlistments are continuing to come in steadily, and the employees of a number of firms have now joined in a body. The staff of Barry's Bottling Co. is the latest to offer they are prepared to land their continuated that they are prepared to land their continuated that

MEDICAL TESTS FOR MILITARY RESERVE

More Enlistments Sought At Hastings Previously acknowledged Miss Jean Ballantyne (proceeds of dance) ... 19 7 7 Patriotic shop

The medical examination of memoers of the Hastings company of the Class 2 reserve was begun last night, and is to continue to-night. The reserve, which comprises returned soldiers and has been paradurate the continue to the comprise of the companion of the continue to t ing for some months at regular in-tervals, has now reached the stage

tervals, has now reached the stage of being officially recognised as an active unit in the defence scheme. When the company is newly-formed its members will be entitled to army pay under the same scale as other forces serving in New Zealand.

The present roll stands at about 150, but it is expected that this number will be reduced after the medical tests. As the full strength of the company is to be 128 plus officers, there will be vacancies and any returned soldier or member of Class 3 reserve who wishes to serve Class 3 reserve who wishes to serve with the Hastings unit is asked to attend the Drill Hall this evening.

Napier Wrestler Wins

EXCITING BOUT

Oscar Brock's Success At New Plymouth

HICKLAND DEFEATED

In a wrestling contest at New Plymouth on Saturday evening, Os-car Brock defeated Bob Hickland by one fall in the fourth round. Both wrestlers were wary in the first round, but in the second round Hickland opened a whirlwind attack and battered Brock with elbow jolts to the jaw and ribs. Brock was groggy and Hickland showed no Brock held Hickland in numerous

headlocks and body scissors in the third round and recovered slowly. Hickland countered with a standing splits, crucifix and figure-four toe holds.

Brock started round four by throwing Hickland with a Japanese stomach throw, but Hickland made determined counter moves. Brock flying-tackled Hickland in the solar

hi bout on points. A teams match cial sections have been arranged for between Army and Air Force for hand, needlework and knitting, nov-

Letters To The CRICKET SEASON Editor

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

Children On The Grandstand

Sir,—I would like, through your paper, to express my disgust at the behaviour of several children on the grandstand at Napier during the inter-house sports on Saturday afternoon. These children were permitted to run wild up and down the stand, much to the annoyance of the patrons. At times it was impossible for the members of the teams to hear their respective leaders.

It is to be hoped that at future meetings the authorities will pro-STOCK TO BE SOLD

hibit children from the grandstand. Certainly the officer in charge of the loudspeaker appealed to the children several times, but to no purpose.

hopeful that the drive will be one of the most successful efforts of the campaign," said Mr A. Kirkpatrick, chairman of the stock drive committee, yesterday when announcing that the sale of cattle donated to the sale a borden was trodden down. Only a beauty-loving and perhaps a garden-ing community could have been so courteously careful, and those of us who work in and love these beauti-ful grounds gratefully appreciate this consideration.—I am, etc. 'heart-to-heart" £1,000,000 appeal will be held at Stortford Lodge on Every portion of the Hastings patriotic zone has been taken into account, and every care has been taken to ensure that all primary producers will be personally approached to make a donation to the

Farmers

Sir,-I have been reading the report of the dairy farmers' conference and I notice, in particular, one statement of Mr Nash's: That the lower the price of butterfat the harder the farmer has to work. Mr Nash does not know what he is talking about and to my mind his

Bottling Co. is the latest to offer its services.

Labour Party's Support

Unanimous support was accorded the Home Guard movement at last night's meeting of the Napier branch of the Official New Zealand Labour Party. The meeting undertook to do all in its power to assure that the movement was given impetus.

Many drovers have intimated that they are prepared to lend their services free of charge for one or two days as their contribution to the appeal. The Farmers' Union and Young Farmers' Club have co-operated fully in the preliminary organisation and will continue to work hard to ensure ultimate success of the drive. Donations of cattle will be acknowledged.

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New Contributions

Contributions to the personal appeal being made for donations to the heart-to-heart appeal have now almost reached the £1000 mark, the latest donations being acknowledged as follow:

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SHAREMILKER.
Tutira, November 1.

To Correspondent

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The co-operation of local organisa-tions has been secured in the cam-paign, and many of them have made arrangements for the staging of social functions and other activities

during the month's intensive cam-

paign.

"INQUIRER."—The Admiral Graf Spee, like the Deutschland and the Admiral Scheer, was of 10,000 tons. She was driven by diesel engines at a speed of 26 knots, was armed with six 11in. guns, and was claimed by the Germans to have a radius of action of 10,000 miles.

The E.B.L. Hiking and Cycling Club, and the West End Tennis Club will be promoting a dance to be held next Saturday. It is proposed to conduct the draw for the £112 sports FAREWELLS MADE IN conduct the draw for the £112 sports art union at this function. The sports clubs' committee is working steadily and enthusiastically on its mystery parcels scheme. The response to date has been very encouraging, and it is hoped that on this occasion there will be 15,000 parcels available. Donations of articles suitable for the mystery parcels drive may be left at the sandbag hut in front of the Clock Tawer. A radio to be raffled for the fund has been donated by Mr J. E. Sutcliffe, Hastings, and means of its disposal are being considered by the ways and means committee. The mayor (Mr G. A. Maddison) yesterday expressed appreciation of Mr Sutcliffe's donation. HASTINGS

Major And Mrs L. B. Tong

SALVATION ARMY **LEADERS**

To Reside In Auckland

Expressions of goodwill and regret have been received from many sources by Major and Mrs L. B. Tong, of the Salvation Army at Tong, of the Salvation Army at Hastings, upon their departure from the district, which takes place today. Major Tong is leaving on transfer to the Auckland Congress Hall. Major Tong has received a letter from the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) referring to his regret at the major's impending departure, and to the cordiality of their relations during his stay in Hastings.

Intending exhibitors at the Napier and Mrs Tong's departure with regret and with a body press gained the only fall of the bout.

The final two rounds had the crowd wild with enthusiasm and Brock was declared the winner amid cal's for an extra round.

Hickland collapsed at this stage and received attention from St. John Ambulance officials.

R. Morris, Napier amateur, won by bout on points. A teams match cal's forting the present of the Ministers' Association in Hastings, spoke of Major and Mrs Tong's departure with regret and wished them success and happiness in their new home in Auckland. The Rev. C. W. Marshall also spoke.

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Simmonds and Co. Ltd. at 3 p.m. today. In addition to the classes that have been allotted for all varieties.

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Before taking up their new positions Major and Mrs Tong have been the Barnes Cup was won by the Air lock decorative and school children's granted a forminght's leave of absence.

Mr "Bomba" Wells acted as second for both boxing and wrestling bouts.

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OPENS

HOPPER SHIELD GAMES AT WAIROA

FIRST-INNINGS. WINS

Success To Retailers And Rovers

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA

The opening matches in the Wai-oa Cricket Association' Hopper roa Cricket Association' Hopper Shield competition were held on the Clyde Domain on Saturday when victories on the first innings were gained by Rovers and Retailers over Nomads and High School respectively

Win for Rovers Victory by 28 runs on the first innings went the way of Rovers when they met Nomads on No. 2 vicket. Winning the toss Nomads out Rovers in to bat, the first wicket

Having first use of the wicket in their match with High School, Retailers compiled a first innings total of 68 runs, K. Shaw (10) and W. Corbett (19) being the only two batsmen to reach double figures.

Bowling honours for High School were shared by W. Bilbrough, four wickets for 11 runs, and Hart three for 14.

MARY MOLLAND,
Woodford House.
Havelock North, Nov.

Mr Nash And The Dairy
Farmers

for 14.
High School did not fare well in their initial innings, only 27 runs being on the board when the last wicker fell. R. T. Bean, who contributed 10 runs, was the only batsman to make anything like a stand.
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Kia Toa Club's Results

WEEK-END BOWLING

Results Of Play At Hastings

CAMPBELL BUTTONS

Results of play on the Kia Toa Bowling Club's greens at Hastings during the week-end have been reported as follows:-

Campbell Buttons Other Games

Tabley, Watkins, Arkens, 21; Roe, Graham, I. Caimbell, 18; Ritchie, D. Frame, Emmerson, Godber, 19; Dashper, Stanton, Begley, Parkhill, 17. Carmichael, Ashcroft, Paul, Sommerville, 15; R. Campbell, Griffiths, Harris, A. Ross, 21. Cowlrick, Frame, C. Palmer, Head, 21; Carroil, Before departing the members decided in the control of the Duke and Duchess of Sutherland at Guildford. A special dinner concluded this very wonderfully entertained.

Mrs A. F., Glenny thanked Mrs Harvey very much indeed for her most delightful talk. Frame, C. Palmer, Head, 21; Carron, Logan, Ingram, Burge, 25. Perry, Charles, Parkin, Beauchamp, 12; Milne, Chamberlain, Keast, Rixon, 26. Soppit, Hart, Apperley, McAr-thur, 26; Pidgeon, West, Michaelson, Lassen, 23. Haggitt, Johnston, Hen-dry, Sykes, 25; Chadwick, Cooke, Broadley, W. Harris, 26.

Competitions

Championship pairs: Ingram, Burge, 27; Lassen, Head, 15. Beg-ley, Godber, 22; Keast, Sykes, 16. Handicap pairs: Carroll, Michael-son, 24; Watkins, Graham, 19. Beg-ley, Sommerville, 28; Keast, Logan,

"I see from the papers," remarked a veteran clubman, "that they're smoking more cigars in England now than for years past." "They're welcome," said somebody else. "I'd sooner have my old briar than the best cigar going." "Same nere," chipped in the chap with the smart smoking cap. "nothing like a pipe TED

In this morning's paper. The show is on Tuesday, November 12, and as this annual event is famous for its drawing power, the Taradale New Horn Hall should be packed both afternoon and evening. Exhibitors of the the thing of the thing o

Luncheon Club Members

HASTINGS MEETING

Mrs Hedley Harvey The Speaker

A SPLENDID TALK

Mrs Hedley Harvey was an especi-lly interesting speaker at the nonthly meeting of the Hastings Vomen's Luncheon Club, which rooms yesterday. The tables were gaily decorated with float bowls of calendula and African marigolds

of calendula and African marigolds with maidenhair fern.
After luncheon the president, Mrs A. E. O'Meara warmly welcomed Mrs Harvey and told her that the members had greatly looked forward to a visit from such an excellent speaker.
Mrs. Harvey chose to tell the members of a week which she and her husband spent in London at the

her husband spent in London at the time of the Chamber of Commerce conference last year, Mr Harvey being one of the 8 or 9. New Zealand delegates to the conference which is held alternately in London and in one of the Dominions.

wicket. Winning the toss Nomads but her husband spent in London at the several times, but to no purpose. Perhaps a policeman stationed on the stand would have the desired effect at future meetings.—I ametc.,

PATRON.

Woodford House

Fete

Sir,—May I, through the medium of your paper, convey to the patriotic and warm-hearted people of Hawke's Bay our sincere appreciation of the generous support they gave us a Woodford House on Saturday? They are responsible for the great success of our fete, and when so may calls are being made upon them, such liberal spending is really marvellous.

I would like also to give our visitors my personal thanks for their careful treatment of our gardens. Although more than 800 people were there, not a flower was broken, not a borden was broken, not a pooreer was broken anot a pooreer was broken and the pooreer was broken and the pooree

That evening a wonderful reception took place at the Guildhall, where the delegates and their wives were the delegates and their wives
were entertained by the Lord Mayor
of London, Major Sir Frank
Bowater, and the Lady Mayoress
who arrived with much ceremony in he famous coach. At this reception there was entertainment to suit each person's tastes and much of great interest to be seen.

wicket fell. R. T. Bean, who contributed 10 runs, was the only bats man to make anything like a stand. Shadbolt handled the ball well for Retailers to secure four wickets for eight runs.

Following on High School in their second innings realised 115 runs, Jury and Nightingale top-scoring with 33 runs each.

Royal Home.

The speaker also told of a visit paid to an exhibition of Royal and historic treasures of 145 Piccadilly, the old home of the King and Queen when they were Duke and Duchess of York. Mrs Harvey described some of the lovely treasures, including many lent by the members of the Royal family, which she saw.

Holders (Barr, Hunt, Murray, Finlay), 23; Challengers (J. Palmer, Galvin, Burfield, Brinsley), 17. tour which took them to Hampton Court and later to the wonderful home of the Duke and Duchess of

Before departing the members decided to make their final meeting for the year a high tea followed by

for the year a high tea followed by a picture party.

Among those present were Mrs A. E. O'Meara, Mrs F. J. Hull, Mrs A. F. Glenny, Mrs M. McLeay and the Misses N. Diamond (secretary), M. Irwin, O. White, J. Lovell-Smith, L. A. Gilchard, M. L. Vogther, S. Lincoln, T. Watts, G. Symes and D. Osborne Osborne.

Splendid Effort In Wairoa



DISBAND

DECISION TO GO INTO RECESS

PARK LAWN TENNIS

Difficulty Over Courts

At Hastings

A decision to go into recess until after the next local body elections, when the club will hold another meeting to discuss the position, was reached at the annual meeting of the Park Lawn Tennis Club, Hastings. It is hoped that after these elections the help of some of the councillors may be enlisted to obtain courts on one of the borough playing areas.

"Our finances are in a very healthy state, and it is unfortunate

healthy state, and it is unfortunate that after being in existence since 1910, we are now faced with the prospect of having to break up, or alternatively, of going into recess for a time until we can arrange some means of acquiring courts in the borough in order to keep the club going," said the club's annual

report Alternative Proposals.

"When first giving notice of the termination of the club's lease of the courts, the borough council intimated that it was prepared to discuss a proposal of allotting us courts in Willowpark Road Reserve. This project, however, evidently did not find favour in the eyes of the councillors, as nothing further was heard of it. After many attempts to get something definite about new courts, the club was advised that the council would appoint a committee to meet a deputation to discuss the possibility of laying down courts in Nelson Park.

"This discussion never eventuated as it was found impossible to get the council to fix a date to meet our deputation. Eventually, however, the town clerk (Mr Noel C. Harding) was contacted on the telephone and he stated that the councillors had inspected the Nelson Park area and had found an unsealed well there. This well would have to be couled before the area could be con-

there. This well would have to be sealed before the area could be converted into courts, and this would make the cost of laying down the courts prohibitive. Mr Harding courts prohibitive. Mr Harding stated, however, that the Hastings Lawn Tennis Club had a proposal whereby we might be allowed to lease part of that club's courts in Whitehead Road, and the council considered that it would be advisable for our club to come to some arrangement with the Hastings club.

Forced to Disband. bers of the Royal family, which she saw.

Lady Astor was the hostess at a reception given at her home in St. James's Square and here the visitors very greatly admired the wonderful home with many beautiful treasures and everyone very much some to any arrangement, that derful home with many beautiful was of no avail as we could not reasures and everyone very much enjoyed meeting Lady Astor, who was so lively and friendly.

One afternoon was to have been spent at the Buckingham Palace Garden Party but this unfortunately had to be cancelled at the very last by the club could be put to a better being in existence for 30 years, forced to disband because the council considers that the area used by the club could be put to a better being in existence.

by the club could be put to a better use. Nothing has yet been done with this area, apart from demolishing the conference, the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Dudley, at which there were 50 tables each seating nine guests.

Duchess's Jewels.

On still another occasion delegates and their wives were entertained at the Guildhall and had the privilege of having present the Duke and Duchess of Kent, the latter very exquisitely dressed and wearing magnificent iewels.

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Bottle Party In Car

MAORI'S OFFENCE

Intoxication In Charge Admitted

FINES IMPOSED

"The defendant frankly admitted

"The defendant frankly admitted that he had had about a dozen beers," said Sergeant F. Forsythe when Miki Whenuaroa, a Maori labourer, appeared before Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the Napier Magistrate's Court yesterday.

Whenuaroa pleaded guilty to being drunk while in charge of a motor-car and to a further charge of not having a driver's licence. He was fined £10 and was prohibited from holding a licence for a period of six months. On the second charge he was fined 10/-.

Sergeant Forsythe said that the defendant had been drinking with two men and a woman in his car in Dalton Street late on Saturday

in Dalton Street late on Saturday afternoon.

Some people passing by had noticed the defendant and had advised a constable of his condition, and when the police arrived his companions had departed, said the sergeant. Whenuaroa, who is a shearer, explained that he had bought the car recently and had not obtained a driver and had not care to the sergeant. The writing was also explained a driver of the sergeant. obtained a driver's licence at the time of purchase. The defendant was granted two weeks in which to pay.

ALLEGED NEGLIGENT

DRIVING

Damages Sought

SUPREME COURT

ACTION

The hearing was begun in the Supreme Court at Napier yesterday afternoon of a civil action in which afternoon of a civil action in which Sara Whittingham and another claimed £1500 general damages and £30 medical and funeral expenses from Bruce Woodward Ellison following the death of Mrs Whittingham's husband through the alleged negligent driving of the accused. The Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers) presided. Mr C. W. Nash appeared for the plaintiffs and Mr C. G. Harker for the defendant. When the Court adiourned, the evidence for the plaintiff had been heard. The case is expected to occupy the greater part of to-day's

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CLUB FORCED TO "ACTION WAS FOOLISH MORE THAN CRIMINAL"

Hastings Youth Convicted Of Demanding Money With Menaces

A 19-year-old youth, Alfred Henry Roy Lay, stood his trial in the Supreme Court at Napier yesterday on a charge that with menaces he demanded from Dorothy Beatrice Campbell £200 in money with intent to steal.

The Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers) presided. Mr L. W. Willis conducted the prosecution in the absence through indisposition of the Crown Prosecutor (Mr H. B. Lusk). Mr H. R. Bannister represented the accused.

The jury as as follows:—Messrs
C. L. Staniland (foreman), W. Saint,
J. J. Young, J. Hickey, W. Ireland, R.
T. Allison, T. H. Baldwin, W. S.
Jones, T. McLeod, F. J. McHardy,
I. B. Evans and R. J. Trenwith.
Mr Willis said that the case was a
short and simple one. The accused
had worked on the property of Mr
Donald Campbell, whose sister-inlaw, Mrs Neil Campbell, was the
complainant in the case before the
Court.

money, which he wished to give to
the Napier Children's Home.
His Honour: A very laudable object, but it would have been better
if you had worked for the money
instead of demanding it from other
people.
In his address to the jury Mr
Bannister suggested that the accused's actions should be regarded as
an appeal to the woman's generosity
rather than as a criminal act of

Anonymous Letter

The following anonymous letter had been received by the complainant:—

"I am in dispirit need of mony so I ask you for the sum of £200. I all so must add if you dont respond to my request, you may be very sorry. You have a daughter and I should imagin you think quite a lot of her. If you think quite a lot of ner. If you reply to my request with the mony you can leave it at the Cosy Theatre, Saturday afternoon, address to Mr Smith, put in a parcel. If you notify the Police you will be very sorry as I said be for. The mony will do a great deal of good.

"P.S. (Please respond) The mony must be in nots."

Mrs Campbell, said Mr Willis, was naturally concerned for the safety of her 11-year-old daughter, who was a student at Woodford House, and arranged with the principal of the college to supervise all letters, parcels and telephone calls

eceived by her daughter. Some time later she received a econd letter, which read as fol-

"I have not received the £200 yet and I am waiting for some reply, but please send the mony for I am very much inneed of it as I told you before. You have a child, but have you ever thought of those that have no homes and have to go to the children's home. So if you decide to give the mony please leave it at the same place but on Friday the 2nd of August. (Please)."

A Trap Laid

Mrs Campbell then made a com-plaint to the police, and a trap was laid for the accused. A dummy pack-age was delivered to the theatre, and age was delivered to the theatre, and on the Saturday afternoon the accused called and asked for Mr Smith's parcel. He was then questioned by Detective Campin.

Two pages taken from an exercise book in the possession of the cacused would be shown to be of the

cused would be shown to be of the same paper as that on which the letters were written, and a bank manager would say that the hand writing was similar. On this evidence it was submitted that the offence was proved. It was not necessary for the Crown to prove a motive, Mr Willis said.

Mrs Dorothy Beatrice Campbell gave evidence of having received the letters. In reply to his Honour she said she took the threat seriously.

said she took the threat seriously.
She did not know the accused personally, but had often visited her brother in-law's station. Her daughter was also a frequent visitor at the station. Witness had had no dealings with the accused, and could give no reason why he should have written the letters. said she took the threat seriously

"No Thought of Paying" Cross-examined by Mr Bannister witness said that when she received the first letter she was at first inclined to treat it as a joke, but she later took it seriously.

Mr Bannister: Did you at any time contemplate regging out the sum

Writing Identified

actly similar.

Mr Bannister said it was admitted

that the letters had been written by

the accused.

Evidence concerning the events leading up to the arrest was given by Detective H. E. Campin. The accused, he said, at first said he was collecting the parcel for another man, but later became confused and asked to see Mrs Campbell, who, he said, would evidence the events of the concerning the events. asked to see Mrs Campbell, who, he said, would explain everything.

To Mr Bannister witness said he knew the accused's family, who were respected in the district, and was surprised to find the accused in volved in the affair. Up to the present the accused had borne a perfectly good character.

Called by the defence, Ian D. M. Campbell, brother-in-law of the complainant, said he had employed the

plainant, said he had employed the accused and his family for some time, but the accused had left his employ shortly before the incidents

related in the present charge.

To his Honour: He knew nothing against the accused, and would be willing to employ him again "if he would give an undertaking to leave his foolishness behind." He was an avceedingly quiet unassuming lad. exceedingly quiet, unassuming lad. The Accused's Evidence

Mr Bannister then called the ac-

Mr Willis did not address the jury.

Summing-up, his Honour said that from the jury's point of view the case was a simple one. From the boy's own evidence they would be justified in finding that he intended to steal the money.

The letter, his Honour said, could not be considered as anything but a threat. What the boy intended did not matter. It was the interpretation that would be placed on it by the ordinary person that counted. The case was not a bad one of its kind, but this was not a point for

kind, but this was not a point for the jury to concern themselves with.

After the luncheon adjournment

the jury retired, and returned with-in a few minutes with a verdict of guilty, with a strong recommendation to mercy.

Films To Blame

His Honour said that the accused had been foolish, and he hoped he had realised the fact. He was only 19, and it was possible that his action had been caused by his seeing something of the kind on the films.

The probation officer did not re-commend probation, his Honour con-tinued, not because it was suggested that the accused's character had that the accused's character had been anything but good in the past, but because of the gravity of the offence. However, he did not think the circumstances were such that the accused should be sent to prison, especially as he hoped and believed that the boy's father would know how to deal with him.

There was no reason why the ac-

There was no reason why the accused should not obtain work and repay the country for the expense to which it had been put, said his

Honour.
The accused would be admitted to probation for a period of six months and would be ordered to pay costs amounting to \$8/6/3.

LIGHT CRIMINAL LIST

PLEASURE

JUDGE EXPRESSES

SUPREME COURT Opening Of Napier Sessions

The quarterly sessions of the Na-pier Supreme Court were opened vesterday before the Chief Justice

cross-examined by Mr Bannister witness said that when she received the first letter she was at first inclined to treat it as a joke, but she later took it seriously.

Mr Bannister: Did you at any time contemplate paying out the sum asked?—No. I have always understood that if you pay one lot of money you will be asked for another before long.

His Honour: Possibly Mrs Campbell had not £200 in notes in the house at the time.

Mr Bannister: Doesn't the second letter sound rather like a clumsy appeal to your generosity?—Yes. In didn't think the second letter as bad as the first.

Mr Bannister: If the letters had been signed what action would you have taken?—I or my husband would have referred the matter to to boy's father.

Mr Bannister: If you had known the sender of the letters you would have looked on the case as one of misguided foolishness?—Yes.

Writing Identified

Designed Raider and piers Supreme Court were oppended vesterday before the Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers).

The following Grand Jury was empanelled: Messrs L. C. Friend (foreman), H. M. Bennett, G. H. Bickerstaff, B. D. Chisholm, J. H. Corne, C. W. Corner, C. D. Cox, V. J. Cushing, S. Goudie, E. Grant, F. E. H. Harvey, W. S. Holland, F. V. T. Kettle, W. J. O'Connell, W. G. Sands, J. Sandtmann, H. W. Thompson, and G. C. Thornton.

"Once again the presiding tiudge is in the happy position of being able to congratulate you on the comparative freedom from crime in your district," said his Honour in addressing the Grand Jury. "I am informed that there were only two or three cases before the last session of the Court, and none at all at the previous session. On this occasion there is one case for trial and one for sentence."

The charge to be considered by the Grand Jury was rather a peculiar one, continued his Honour.

The charge to be considered by the Grand Jury was rather a peculiar one, continued his Honour. A man was charged that with men-Reginald Bridge, manager of the Hastings branch of the Bank of New South Wales, gave evidence to the effect that the pages on which the leftert that the pages on which the leftert was united by the left of the state of the state of the left of th

two letters which had been written to a woman, and which brought the affair within the scope of the Act.

The case did not present the sinister aspect usually associated with such offences, but if the jury found that there was prima facie evidence that the acquired words the letters. that the accused wrote the letters (and he had no doubt that they would) they should find a true bill. The legal and other aspects of the case could then be left to be con-After a short retirement the jury returned with a true bill against Alfred Henry Roy Lay.

WAIPAWA BY-ELECTION. MR C. G. E. HARKER

(The Official National Candidate) Electors as Follows: TO-NIGHT, Nov. 5th:

Havelock N. Town Hall, 8 p.m. WEDNESDAY, Nov. 6 Waipukurau Municipal Theatre, 8 p.m. THURSDAY, Nov 7th: Hatuma, 8 p.m.

Will Address

N.Z. NATIONAL PARTY. INQUIRIES, PLEASE RING:

cused to give evidence.

Lay said that he had written the letters because he thought that Mrs Campbell could well afford the Theorem 1900 Campbell Could W

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer **Mickey ROONEY** Young TOM EDISON WITH FAY BAINTER
GEORGE BANCROFT
VIRGINIA WEIDLER, EUGENE PALLETTE HASTINGS-REGENT Next FRIDAY

Melbourne Cup Is Decided

BEAU VITE AT HIS BEST

Incidents In A Famous Race Recalled

By "MOTUROA"

To-day the Melbourne Cup will be decided at Flemington. As the greatest handicap race in the Southern Hemisphere it will claim the attention not only of keen race-goers, but also of those who take only a passing interest in the sport.

Tradition, sensational incidents and great triumphs are but part and parcel of this eighty-year-old contest which attracts on the first Tuesday of every November the best horses in Australia and New Zealand to do battle for the huge monetary consideration and the coveted honour which is the desire of every owner and breeder. In the history of any great race extending over a long stretch of years is invariably woven many incidents of a sensational nature, and the Melbourne Cup has had its full quota.

There have been surprises in this period. There have also been outstanding performances such as those of Archer, Carbeen outstanding performances such as those of Archer, Pan bine, Poitrel, Windbag, Spearfelt, Nightmarch and Peter Pan. There have been the defeats of some hot favourites, too. Without exception, however, there has been keen racing and Melbourne becomes the Mecca of thousands of Australian and New Zealand sportsmen in November year in and year out despite world disturbances.

To-day there can be expected a crowd in the vicinity of the hundred thousand mark and the material is there for a contest as widely interesting as any yet staged at Flemington.

NEW ZEALAND representatives, either owned or bred in this Dominion, have enjoyed a greater measure of success in the last decade in the Melbourne Cup than in all other years combined. There is little doubt that this success has been of material assistance to the bloodstock industry here and the Melbourne Cup has certainly been a grand advertisement for our National Yearling Sales.

Although Pilliewinkie and Naos had raced well in Melbourne Cups in the two or three preceding years, it was not until 1929 that New Zealand came into her own. In that year we provided Nightmarch Paquito NEW ZEALAND representatives, one of the most dismal meteorol-

it was not until 1929 that New Zealand came into her own. In that year we provided Nightmarch, Paquito and Phar Lap to provide the three placings, the first two named being also owned in the Dominion.

Twelve months later Phar Lap

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BITALLI'S CUP WAS WELL ENDOWED

RITALLI, who won the Melbourne Cup in 1923, won the best-endowed of all Melbourne Cups. It was worth £13,288, £3000 going for second and third. Carbine's Cup was worth £10,230 to the winner, while Windbag's share of the Cup prize was £10,215. In those years, however, the populations years, however, the nominations and various payments were added to the stake of £10,000. On this occasion the V.R.C. has reduced the prize to £7500, as this club is devoting its war-time profits to patriotic purposes.—"Moturoa."

and the Okawa-bred Second Wind filled the first two placings. Con-centrate was third behind White

Two years ago the Hawke's Baybred Lord Quex gelding Catalogue achieved his greatest distinction with a N.Z.-bred horse, but considerable interest was taken in him in this Dominion for his dam came from a successful N.Z. family.

A GRAND PEREODATANA.

PETER PAN'S second Melbourne win a Melbourne Cup, came back Cup success was a grand perto New Zealand to win his third formance. The day will go down as Winter Cup, and twelve months ago

TIMBER OF ALL KINDS.

FENCING MATERIALS.

TANKS AND TROUGHS

GATES AND HINGES.

A GRAND PERFORMANCE

FIRST NEW ZEALAND WINNER

MARTINI-HENRI was the first New Zealand - bred winner and it is interesting to recall that he was a chance pur-chase by the Hon. James White, who was passing through by mail steamer en route from Sydney to San Francisco. In the few hours the boat was at Auck-land he was taken by the late Thomas Morrin to the Auckland Stud Company, where he was impressed with Sylvia's bay colt by Musket. Mr White was familiar with the breed and when he saw Musket he immediately closed the deal for 1200 guincas for the saven menths cold. eas for the seven-months colt. Martini-Henri did not race as a two-year-old, but he won his first race, the V.R.C. Derby, and then took the Melbourne Cup a few days later.—"Moturoa."

**************** here is little doubt that he would have gone close to winning his sec-ond Melbourne Cup but for striking trouble in the last furlong when making his run.

EARLIER WINNERS

MARTINI-HENRI, who triumphed in 1883, was the first N.Z.-bred vinner of the Melbourne Cup, but the Dominion's first real association with this great race was in 189 when the mighty Carbine, carrying 10.5—an all-time record—beat a r cord field of 39 and ran what wa cord field of 39 and ran what was
then the record time for the dis
tance. There was only one Carbine
and he probably did more than any
other horse to place the Dominior
on the racing map.

The previous year Carbine had
run second to Bravo, who had gone
amiss after the Caulfield Cup and
whose chances of starting in the
Cup were so remote that one book

up were so remote that one book-naker laid £10,000 to £50 about his chances and another impetuous fielder took £1000 to £1. Melos was badly ridden.

One of the most disappointing years to New Zealanders, however, was 1885. Nordenfeldt had won both Derbies and another Maorilander in Trenton was also in tip-top form. They were backed to win fortunes, but a surprise was in store, for Sheet Anchor got home by a head from Grace Darling, with Trenton and Nordenfeldt only a head and Nordenfeldt only a head and half a length further back.

PULLED UP FOR BROTHER

MARABOU'S success in the Cup in 1935 is of interest for he was trained by the former New Zealand-Gaulus, but orders had to be obeyed and the rider of The Grafter checked his mount to allow Gaulus to get up to win on the post. Twelve months later The Grafter won the and he does not lack for stamina on trained by the former New Zealander Lou Robertson and ridden by the ex-New Zealand jockey the late Keith Voitre, and two years later Stan Reid was the first to lead in the winner of the Caulfield-Melbourne Cups double in the same year (The Trump). That performance was repeated by a gallant mare in Rivette twelve months ago.

However, following Marabou's win the Taranaki-trained horse Wotan confounded the critics by coming

HARDY MELBOURNE CUP WINNERS

GLENCOE, winner of the 1868 Melbourne Cup, was a hardy customer. The Lord of the Hills norse won five races on the three days of that spring meeting—the Melbourne Cup on the first day with 9.1; the Spring Handicap ([4m.) and the Four-Year-Old Handicap (2m.) the second day; and the All-Aged Stakes (1m.) and the Queen's Plate (3m.) on the final day. Don Juan and Phar Lap each won on the four days of the won on the four days of the V.R.C. spring meeting in the years of their respective Cup victories, while The Grafter lost the Melbourne 'takes by a neck to Battalion, but then won the Cup, Flying Stakes (7fur.) and Fisher Plate (2m.).—"Moturoa."

Cup easily with 9.2, 23lb. more than he had carried the previous year.

In 1894 the five-year-old Grand Flaneur horse Ruenalf was backed to win a fortune. He had won the Melbourne Stakes in brilliant fashion and, with only 7.7 in the saddle, the Cup looked all over bar the

However, the uncertainty of racing was exemplified, for Ruenalf had to lower his colours to his brother, Patron, whom he had decisively beaten in the Melbourne Stakes.

A COUP THAT FAILED ANOTHER beaten relation of Ruenalf and Patron was the Gozo horse San Fran, who was run-ner-up to Revenue. San Fran later did good service at the Stud in New Zealand, but the circumstances sur-rounding his Cup defeat were extra-ordinary. The result of the race is a remarkable proof that weight does not really affect good horses to any

not really affect good horses to any great extent.

And San Fran was a really good horse. He had won the Sydney Cup as a three-year-old and the Metropolitan Handicap the following season. Weighted at 9.7 in the Melbourne Cup as a five-year-old he was regarded by his trainer, Tom Peyton, as having a great chance, for he not only possessed stamina, but he was a grand weight-carrier he was a grand weight-carrier

At that time a gang of scale-fakers, which afterwards became in-famous throughout Australia and necessitated a revision of the weighng conditions, was operating. The lightly-weighted Revenue (7.10) was popularly regarded as a cer-tainty and they decided to use San

Fran for a great coup.

Revenue started at what was then record shorts odds for the race of 6 to 4, but San Fran started at a remunerative figure and the scale-fakers would have won a fortune had the Gozo horse succeeded.

CONNECTIONS UNAWARE

SAN FRAN'S owner and trainer were totally unaware of the scheme afoot and so were the public, but it is hard to imagine that San Fran's rider was not in the ramp. It is certain that had the San Fran party known that their horse was carrying considerably less than the 9.7 at which he was weighted the betting would have been re-versed and Revenue's price would

have lengthened.

However, Revenue won very decisively from the lightly-weighted San Fran. It simply meant that Tom Peyton's charge was a great weightcarrier and, while the drop of a



CATALOGUE, who scored at tall odds in 1938, was the last New Zealand winner of the Melbourne Cup. The Lord Quex-Catalini gelding contested the race last year, but struck trouble when in a winning position.

CUP FIELD FOR TO-DAY

The acceptances for the Melbourn

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0,	MELBOURNE CUP.									
ng	£7500 and gold cup value £200; 2 mi									
e-	Beau Vite Beaulivre			Old Rowley Pantler	7 1					
S-	Maikai .	9	4	Apostrophe	7 1					
1e		8	7	Lucrative	7					
ly	Dashing			Pandect	7					
n	Cavalier			West Wind	7					
3/0	Historian			Morvren	7					
id i	Wilson			Cheery Jack	7					
ie l	Gilltown			Tidal Wave	7					
id	True Flight			John Dory	7					
ia ie	Indignity	7	13	Scientist	6 1					

stone or more must have helped him to some extent over the final stages of such a long journey, it did not afford him the advantage it would have done to the majority of horses. In the race Sar Fran was beaten by Bravo's success was due largely to the fact that Carbine was below his best that day and Melos was very to some extent over the linal stages of such a long journey, it did not have done to the majority of horses. In the race Sar Fran was beaten by a more height of the majority of horses. more brilliant stayer.

Twelve V.R.C. Derby winners have gone on to success in the Melbourne Cup a few days later. These have been Hall Mark, Trivalve, Patrobas, Prince Foote, Poseidon, Merriwee, Newhaven, Martini-Henri, Grand Flaneur, Chester, Briseis and Lantern, so much interest will be taken in Lucrative's running today.

BEAU VITE READY

TO-DAY all eyes will be on the New Zealand horse Beau Vite

livre does not impress as a Melbourne Cup winner, but George Price, who led in Windbag a winner in this race, has a high opinion of the former Hastings horse. He has an additional 6lbs. to carry to-day.

MARKAT was in the industry in the Melbourne Cup last year, but his form this season has been disappointing and Katanga (third in the Moonee Valley Cup) has also been running below form. Dashing Cavalier, who won the Hotham Handicap on Saturday, raced well at Randwick and succeeded in the two miles Randwick

POPULAR NAMES FOR THE CUP

Sasanof's the Postponed Cup.
Comedy King won the Jubilee
Cup and Peter Pan's second success was the Centenary Cup.—
"Moturoa."

Plate. The Constant Son horse is a grand stayer and it will surprise if he does not play a prominent part in the finish of this event.

Historian has been one of the fav-ourites for the Cup for some time. He was not a lucky runner in the Caulfield Cup, but he did not impress on Saturday, though he now meets Beau Vite on 15lbs. better

day to have any chance at all here.
Pantler, True Flight, Apostrophe
and Old Rowley have some support,
while the Derby winners Lucrative
and Pandect will not be entirely neglected. However, Tidal Wave may stay as well as any of the three-year-olds and he may surprise today. It should be a wonderful race, but

BEAU VITE DASHING CAVALIER HISTORIAN

Tom Edison was a great boy before he was a great man.

HASTINGS-

REGENT

RIDERS FOR THE

TRACK EXPECTED TO BE FIRM

OAKS ACCEPTORS

Thirteen Remain In This Event

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Nov. 4, 11.45 p.m.) MELBOURNE, Nov. 4. J. Thompson has arrived to ride

to be if enough to run. He is the only doubtful starter.

Morvren is suffering from a boil in the mouth and his starting in the Cup depends on to-day's progress. If Gilltown runs in the Cup H. Skidmore will be his rider.

M. McCarten has been engaged to ride Wilson and T. Unkovich to ride Tidal Waye.

Tidal Wave.

Gold Salute is an acceptor for the Railway Highweight Handicap and Yan Yean Stakes to-morrow but is an unlikely starter.

Present intentions are that High

Caste will run in the Yan Yean The Cup race starts at 3.30 p.m Intermittent rain in the past 24 hours has had little effect on the track. The forecast is for improving weather. If there is no further rain the track will be firm.

The Oaks

Following are the final acceptors for the Oaks: Berry, Procella, Throttle, Pauline, Tranquil Star, Lib-ertas, Resting, Meadow Lark, Ses-sion, Trueness, Love O' Mine, Dalbly, Princess Peare.

BEAU VITE PROVES HIS WORTH

Amazing Win

CAREFUL GUARD ON HORSE

Police Attendants

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Melbourne correspondent says that any doubt that might have been held about the ability of Beau Vite to win the Melbourne Cup, for which he is a firm favourite, must have been dispelled by his amazing win over High Caste in the Mackinnon Stakes

There is absolute unanimity of opinion among newspaper racing experts that Beau Vite will win. There has not been such whole-hearted enthusiasm for one horse since Phar Lap was selected successing

from the course on Saturday by an attendant and two armed guards. Behind him were two uniformed policemen and the owner, Mr Stewart, who last week was granted a art, who last week was granted a licence to carry a revolver. A police-man accompanied the horse to the mounting enclosure for the Mackin-non Stakes, and was there after the race to escort him back to his stall.

BEAU VITE IS NOT FOR SALE

American Offer Of £10,000 Refused

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Nov. 4, 11.5 p.m.)
MELBOURNE, Nov. 4.

Mr Ralph Stewart, owner of Beau Vite, has refused an American offer of £10,000 for the horse. He said that Beau Vite was not or sale at any price.

Answer To Correspondents

18/-. "L," Waikokopu: (1) £2; (2) £1 18/6; (3) £3 15/6.

New Zealand Cup Meeting

SATURDAY'S FIELDS

Nineteen Remain In The Chief Event

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Nov. 4. Win-and-place betting will be used at he New Zealand Cup meeting which opens at Riccarton on Saturday next, and the following are the acceptances for the first day:

SPRING HURDLES HANDICAP, Of £300, about 11 miles.

Recollection 11 6 Dorado
Dividend 11 2 Milford
Jewish Lad 10 12 Donadea
Master Dingle 10 4

SPRING PLATE, Of £350, 1 mile. 8 2 Great Night 8 2 Schoolgirl 8 2 Kentucky 8 2 Poutatau 8 2 Wild Coon 8 2 Belle Cane LINWOOD HANDICAP, Of £300, 7 furlongs.

N.Z. CUP,

Of £2000; 2 miles. Royal Chief 6 Second Taurangi The Buzzer Innings 7 6 Wardress
0 Little Robin
10 Settlement
9 The Raker Passaform 8 Serenata 5 Pearl of Asia 4 Kilometre Swordstick The Ring 4 Kilometre 3 Auto Sweep

WELCOME STAKES. Of £750; 5 furlongs. Corn Prince 8 5 Monetary
Drake's Drum 8 5 Desert Maid
Foreign Coin 8 5 Flying Spray
Palfrey 8 5 Miss Jessica Palfrey Par Avion 8 5 Pay Roll 8 0 8 5 Silver Lily 8 0 8 5 Dash o' 8 5 Dublin 8 0 Varuna Willow Wood Salutation

APPRENTICES' HANDICAP, 9 0 Twenty Grand 7 8 9 Rye Town 8 7 Oragon 8 6 Nightshift 8 5 Alias 8 2 Rue 7 11 STEWARDS HANDICAP.

Of £800; 6 furlongs. 8 5 Belle Cane 8 5 Don't Forget 8 5 Gold Flight 8 4 Kentucky 8 3 Gay Parade 7 13 Spanish Lad

RICCARTON HANDICAP, Of £350, 9 furlongs. Sovereign Night Dress
Lady 9 3 Lockit
Beau Leon 8 12 Hanlon
Globe Trotter 8 7 Chirp
Lambourn 8 7 Glenora Boy
Sir Cameron 8 6 Cape Gabo
Petersham 8 6 Prudent
Trench Fight 8 5 Trench Fight 8 5 Siglow
Wild Career 8 5 Prince 7 7

RACING FIXTURES

9-Napier Park R.C. 9, 11-Avondale J.C. 9, 11, 13 and 16-Canterbury J.C. Nov. 16—Napier Park R.C. Nov. 16, 18—Walkato R.C. Nov. 23—Levin R.C. Nov. 23, 25—Auckland R.C.

Archer, who won the first two contests, and Peter Pan, who won in 1932 and 1934, are the only horses to win more than one Melbourne Cup.

Poseidon won the Caulfield and Melbourne Cup in different years, but The Trump and Rivette, in 1937 and 1939 respectively, completed the double in the same year. Beaulivre will attempt to follow their lead to-day. * * *

Twenty-three three-year-olds have been successful in the Melbourne Cup. In Sasanof's year the Melbourne Cup was postponed from the Tuesday of the Saturday as the result of the looding of the course.

On nine occasions New Zealand-bred horses have been second in the Melbourne Cup. Those are Trenton, Carbine, Carnage, Hova, Bloodshot, The Cypher, Naos, Paquito and Second Wind,

The first Melbourne Cup won by Archer was worth only £710. This was made up as a sweepstakes of £20, with £5 and £10 as forfeits. Two years later the stake was only £510.

The Martian colt The Cypher is reckoned to have been unlucky to be beaten a neck by King Ingoda, a four-year-old with 1.1.

When Trenton ran third to Sheet Anchor in the Melbourne Cup his rider ost his whip at a crucial stage.

After Carbine's Melbourne Cup in 1890 the New Zealand contingent had a run of bad luck that was not broken until the Auckland five-year. old Apologue won easily under his 7.9 in 1907. This son of Phoebus Apollo was made a staunch favourite.

Carbine was sold by his New Zealand owner for 3000gns, to the Hon. D. S. Wallace as a three-year-old. His new owner was credited with winning £28,000 over his Melbourne Cup success



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16th. First Race 12.45 p.m. WIN-AND-PLACE TOTALISATOR.

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SIRES OF THE SEASON

To Stand at the Karamu Stud, Hastings b h BULANDSHAR (5), 1929 (Imp.)

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by MASSINE 12 by Consols 3—Mauri by Ajax 2.

From FOREST TRACK by Tracery 19—Forest Lassie by Isinglass 3—Baroness is Fleche by Ladas 1—La Fleche by St, Simon 11.

LANG BIAN is a particularly handsome horse and closely resembles his famous sire. He was a good winner in the best class races in France.

MASSINE, Lang Blan's sire, was a high-class winner in France, and also beat the Derby winner Papyrus in the Ascot Gold Cup. He has twice headed the winning sires' list in France and he introduces a fresh strain of St. Simon blood through that great galloper La Camargo.

FOREST TRACK'S pedigree is well known. Not only is she by that great brood mare sire Tracery, but her third dam is that wonderful mare La Fleche, the third dam of Beau Pere and Gay Shield, two of the most successful sires in New Zealand in modern times.

Stud Fee: 35 Guineas R. J. MACKAY

or further particulars and cards apply:

— Manager, Karamu Stud, Hastings

GYNERIUM (3)

br.h. FOALED IN 1932. BY PHALARIS (1) from Figliastra, by Son-in-Law (5) from Daniella, by Chaucer

For further particulars apply-MR A. F. M. SYMES,

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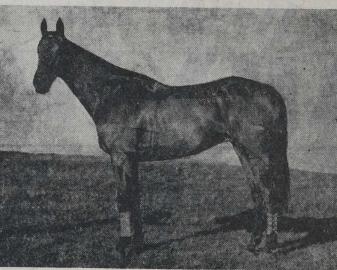
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