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## Severe Bombing Of London Area In Night Raids

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LONDON, Nov. 10.

As has frequently happened recently, heavy gunfire to-night preceded the "alert" in London. The city received a heavy pasting from high explosive and incendiary bombs. Bright moonlight helped the raiders to find their objectives, which included shelters, public houses, shops and a hospital.

The raiders came over one district every minute and dropped bombs methodically, high explosives quickly following one another. One wrecked the rear of two houses, where two persons are believed to be dead.

Another dug a crater in the roadway in a shopping centre but did little other damage. Several passers-by were slightly injured.

The matron and a doctor, although injured when a bomb burst in front of a children's hospital, continued to render first aid to the injured and made a shelter in the basement. Nine were killed and injured.

Raiders killed two and injured several when unloading high-explosive and incendiary bombs over the residential district of a south-east coast town. Several shops and houses were damaged.

No alert was sounded in London during the day on Sunday, and only limited action by the enemy was reported from other parts of the country. A communique states that enemy air activity in the morning was limited. There were raids on a number of towns on the Kent and Sussex coasts by aircraft which attacked singly or in formations of not more than three.

Although a number of high-explosive bombs hit houses in a few towns, wrecking some and damaging others, reports up to 4 p.m. showed that there were no casualties.

### Scilly Isles Attacked

A deliberate machine-gun attack was made in the Scilly Isles in the course of the morning, but it was ineffective, there being no damage and no casualties. A force of enemy aircraft in the afternoon crossed the Dorset coast. They were intercepted by strong forces of British fighters and dispersed. There were no reports up to 4 p.m. of any bombs having been dropped.

The Air Ministry states that "planes flew over parts of England and Wales. There was no serious attack on any targets, the casualties being few and the damage small."

The Air Ministry announced that three night raiders had been destroyed.

Ten persons were killed and a number of others are feared to have been trapped when six explosive bombs fell on the outskirts of London early in the morning.

### Two Buried

A raider which crashed on Bromley fell on top of two houses. Two people in the kitchen of one house are feared to have been buried under the debris. A woman in the other house was pulled away from the doorway by her husband just as the building collapsed.

The plane was completely destroyed. One member of the crew baled out and the other fell on a roof and died after he was discovered.

## Gisborne Men On Leave

### NEW ARRANGEMENT

Journey From Auckland Via Taneatua

### REPLY TO MAYOR

Gisborne soldiers returning to their homes on leave will in future use the Taneatua express route advocated by the Mayor of Napier (Mr T. W. Hercock), when the "Daily Mail" drew his attention to the long wait occasioned the soldiers when they travelled via Palmerston North and Napier.

It will be recalled that some weeks ago a number of soldiers arrived in Napier by the mid-day train and were compelled to wait about the town until the East Coast railcar departed late in the afternoon. In an endeavour to avoid a repetition of this occurrence Mr Hercock communicated with the Minister of Defence (the Hon. F. Jones), pointing out the undue hardship inflicted on the men.

"I thank you for drawing my attention to this matter, and assure you that all steps will be taken to give the utmost consideration to the welfare and comfort of the troops," states the Minister's reply to Mr Hercock.

## WANGANUI AIRMAN DECORATED

### Five-Hour Flight On Special Mission

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LONDON, Nov. 11.

Flying Officer S. J. Millen, Wanganui, who last month successfully completed a special mission involving a five-hour flight at 27,000 feet has been awarded the D.F.C.

His success in this and other flights was due to initiative, keenness and enthusiasm, says the official citation.

## FLOOD OF WAR INVENTIONS

### INCENDIARY LEAF WAS ONE PRIVATE DISCOVERY

#### Great Ingenuity Of Public

British Official Wireless.  
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RUGBY, Nov. 11.

Dr D. R. Pye, Director of Scientific Research at the Ministry of Aircraft Production, in a broadcast revealed that the so-called "incendiary leaf" recently announced as being used in British air flights over Germany was partly due to a suggestion put forward to him a few months ago by a private inventor.

Many changes have been made from the scheme originally proposed to make it practical, but the leaf is eventually used undoubtedly owed much to the suggestions of this inventor.

"Since the war started over 20,000 inventions have been sent to the Air Ministry," said Dr Pye. "Now that the air war has really been upon us they are pouring in at the rate of about 3000 a week."

## BERLIN ADMITS LOSS OF WARSHIP

### Details Withheld

### SUNK BY BRITISH SUBMARINE

### No Confirmation

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LONDON, Nov. 11.

The German Admiralty last night announced without detail that a German warship had been sunk by a British submarine. No confirmation is available in London, but it is unofficially believed that the warship was possibly the pocket battleship which shelled the convoy in the Atlantic last week. It is believed that if the vessel had been a destroyer or a small ship the Germans would have mentioned the fact.

A Berlin claim to have bombed a 25,000-ton vessel presumably refers to the Empress of Japan, from which the Fushimi Maru reported that she had picked up an SOS. There is no confirmation in London that the liner has been disabled.

## Big Budget For Australia

### COMING TAXATION

### Record Expenditure For War Purposes

### "SOME CONSOLATION"

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BRIISBANE, Nov. 11.

The Federal Treasurer (the Hon. A. W. Fisher) in discussing the forthcoming £250,000,000 Budget to be introduced in the House of Representatives on November 21, said: "Australians will appreciate the inescapable necessity of meeting the record war expenditure."

He emphasised that the Budget would provide no novel forms of taxation, but said there would be increases in the existing taxation which might in some quarters be regarded as staggering.

However, the Australian taxpayer would find some consolation in the realisation that what he was called upon to pay was not commensurate with what taxpayers in Britain, Canada, and New Zealand were paying.

At Melbourne, the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies) declared that the Government would need to accept the responsibility for its own Budget proposals. The Government was quite convinced, he said, that excessive use of Central Bank credit imposed the worst form of taxation by devaluing money and thereby imposing a flat-rate tax bearing more heavily upon the wage-earner than the well-to-do.



DEADLY TO BOMBERS.—Since the outbreak of the war British anti-aircraft guns have destroyed 400 German planes, states a London cable. The training of these men is intense and painstaking and their guns are mighty, as this picture of a London battery shows.

## NAZIS HOPE TO IMPRESS MOLOTOV WITH DEFENCES

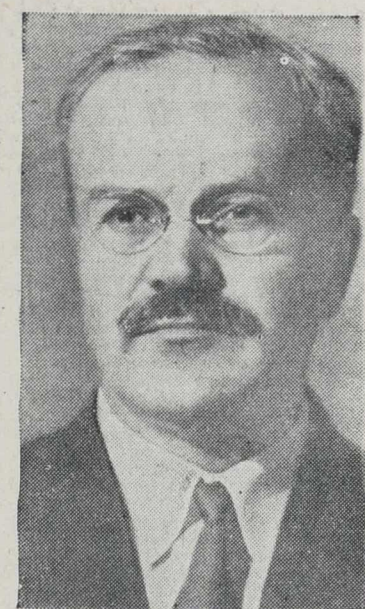
### Strenuous Efforts To Prevent R.A.F. Attack On Berlin During Visit

(British Official Wireless.)  
(Received November 11, 6.30 p.m.)  
RUGBY, Nov. 10.

In connection with the reported visit of the Soviet Commissioner for Foreign Affairs (M. Molotov) a Berlin Agency message from Zurich says that the air defences of the German capital have been doubled in order to try to prevent British air attacks on military objectives there during the visit.

If the suggestion is true, it shows a very delicate attention on the part of Nazi observers for the comfort of their distinguished visitor, although it is one of which the recipient will probably have to mark his appreciation of the intention rather than its fulfilment.

To judge by articles in the "Red Star," the organ of the Red Army, Moscow is by no means badly informed on the progress of the air war, and a show of pyrotechnics staged for his benefit is not likely to deceive so shrewd a detached observer as M. Molotov either as to the considerable present effective-



M. MOLOTOV

ness of the R.A.F. attacks on German military objects or as to the degree to which the German military machine will lie open to destruction when the addition of numerical superiority to the present moral ascendancy of the British Air Force overwhelms Reichsmarshal Goering's squadrons.

## Mines Of Enemy Origin

### AUSTRALIAN SINKINGS

### May Have Been Sown By The Narvik

### SHIP HAS BEEN SEEN

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SYDNEY, Nov. 11.

An examination of the mines swept up in Bass Strait, reveal that they are of enemy origin.

The Minister for Air (Mr J. McEwen) to-day paid a tribute to the work of the Air Force and mine-sweepers. He said that both were doing a great job and that when the story of their operations could be published Australia would be surprised at the extent and character of their work.

An armed raider known to the British Admiralty as the "Narvik" is believed by many shipping experts to have laid the minefield in Bass Strait and, either by mines or direct attack, to have sunk six ships in Australian and New Zealand waters, two in the Indian Ocean and possibly two others near the West Indies.

The Narvik has been seen by British and neutral ships, and is described as a merchant ship painted white or light grey. She is thought to carry four guns and is said to have disguised herself on previous occasions by flying the Swedish flag.

By great speed the Narvik has eluded every effort to track her down during the last five months. While minesweeping flotillas are cleaning up the Bass Strait field, the Navy and Royal Australian Air Force are ceaselessly searching for the raider. Rough weather in the strait is hampering the search.

## SUMMONED BY FOREIGN MINISTER

### Conference With American Ambassador

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TOKYO, Nov. 10.

The United States Ambassador (Mr J. C. Grew) conferred with the Japanese Foreign Minister (M. Matsukata) on Sunday for two hours at the latter's request.

They discussed the general situation. No details have been announced.

## OIL REFINERIES DAMAGED

### EARTHQUAKE RUINS IN RUMANIA

### BRITONS ESCAPE

### German Troops Help Firemen

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LONDON, Nov. 11.

The latest reports from Rumania indicate that certain oil refineries were seriously damaged. The British Ambassador (Sir Reginald Hoare), the staff of the Legation and other British subjects are safe.

The shock began at 2.30 a.m. on Sunday, British summer time, and lasted five minutes. It brought down a very large and extremely new block of flats known as the Carlton, consisting of 11 storeys and containing 50 apartments. The building was reduced to a mass of ruins.

It is officially estimated that 200 people were killed and 1000 injured in Bucharest, Galatz, Floesti, and Buzau as a result of the earthquake, said an earlier message.

Fire broke out at the Floesti oil wells.

Railways throughout the country will not operate pending examination of the tracks and bridges.

It is estimated in Bucharest that about 150 persons were killed and 150 injured at the Carlton. The casualties include a number of Italian and German officers. Four hundred people lived in the building, from which bodies are being dug out.

Screams and Yells

An eye-witness said: "For several seconds I heard screams and yells above the noise of falling debris. Then, suddenly, the whole building collapsed with a roar."

Rescue squads helped police and firemen to reach those trapped in other buildings.

Among the buildings damaged in Bucharest are the Royal Palace, the headquarters of the army, the American Embassy, and the new buildings housing the Foreign Ministry.

German troops helped firemen and police. The Germans took charge in one area.

The Royal Palace was considerably damaged, but neither King Michael nor his mother, Queen Helen, was there at the time of the earthquake.

In the Floesti oil district there was panic. A number of people are dead. It has not yet been determined how the wells are affected.

A municipal officer at Floesti has telephoned the following message: "The earthquake created great panic in the oil district. I cannot yet say how it affected the oil wells. A number of people were killed and injured. Hundreds of buildings were destroyed, including the municipal buildings."

Houses Demolished

A police official at Buzau phoned a report that scores of houses had been demolished and hundreds damaged. The casualties were not yet estimated, he said.

The quake was also felt at Sofia, Bulgaria, but no damage was caused there.

## GARRISON LEAVES WEI-HAI-WEI

### British Decision

### IMPORTANT CHINESE ISLAND

### All Mines Removed

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WEI-HAI-WEI, Nov. 10.

The long record of British activity at Wei-hai-wei, one of the principal garrison points in north China for many years, has been brought to a close, at least for the duration of the war.

The British naval maintenance party has been withdrawn and all stores at the naval depot have been shipped to Hong Kong for use elsewhere.

## POSTERITY MUST JUDGE RECORD OF CHAMBERLAIN

### He United The Nation, But He Also Aroused Personal Antagonism

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LONDON, Nov. 10.

The "Daily Telegraph" in a leader leaves the judgment of Mr Chamberlain's record to posterity. It emphasises his feat in solidly uniting the nation behind him and persuading it to accept compulsory service, and it suggests that his handicaps were personal as well as political.

It declares that he never had the art of accommodation or of compromise and never acquired the politician's temperament, arousing a special degree of personal antagonism among his opponents.

It adds that for the first time for more than 60 years, the name of Chamberlain vanishes from public life.

## Greeks Give Britain Time To Mobilise Forces

### AXIS OFFENSIVE HELD UP

### Italian Alpine Division Annihilated

(British Official Wireless.)  
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RUGBY, Nov. 11.

Commenting on the Greek campaign in a leading article, the "Sunday Times" says: "Nearly a fortnight's gallant resistance by the Greek Army on the Greek-Albanian frontier has gone far to deprive the latest Axis offensive of any surprise value. There is no evidence on which to speculate whether or how long it can be kept up, but at least it has secured time for not only the Greeks themselves to mobilise, but for the British forces in the Mediterranean and the Middle East to re-organise themselves to the new situation."

"The landing of British troops on Crete, the establishment of British naval and air bases there, the subsequent bombing of Brindisi and Valona and the interposition of British fighter planes to drive off the Italian bombers are as good as performance of our promises as anyone could have expected within the time."

The Associated Press Athens correspondent says it is officially confirmed that the annihilation of the Italian Alpine division trapped in the Pindus area has been completed with the exception of some sections which escaped. The remainder of the division were either killed or captured.

A later Athens communique states that the destruction of the Alpine division resulted from operations between October 28 and November 10. "The division," it adds, "was one of the crack enemy divisions supported by cavalry, Bersaglieri and formations of Fascist militia. The enemy planned with this large unit to deal a decisive blow at Epirus, using artillery and tanks to support the Alpine and cutting off their communications."

### Delaying Action

"The division attempted to traverse the Pindus Mountains and reach Metsovo. It met our light advance forces, which withdrew after fighting a delaying action. Other Greek forces, by firing forced marches, arrived at the battlefield and we then launched a series of counter-attacks, pressing them stubbornly despite hard terrain, bad weather and difficulties of supply and provisioning. After a fierce fight the enemy were overthrown and retreated in disorder, being hotly pursued. In their flight they carried away other forces landed at Flona and rushed by motor cars to the front."

"The enemy losses in dead and wounded were very heavy. We took a large number of prisoners and a great quantity of all sorts of material."

## COALMINERS WANTED IN LONDON

### Clearing Up Debris

### OTHER PLANS AFOOT FOR THEM

### Working Near Factories

British Official Wireless.  
(Received Nov. 11, 7.5 p.m.)  
RUGBY, Nov. 10.

Proposals that miners should help in clearing up the air raid debris in London were carried a step further yesterday, when the Secretary of Mines (Mr D. R. Grenfell) addressed a conference of the South Wales Miners' Federation.

Mr Grenfell also asked for volunteers to transfer to the Kent and Somerset coal fields, explaining that the Government was anxious that the output of coal from fields nearest the consumption centres should be increased to reduce the demands upon railway facilities.

## ALPINE COLUMN SURROUNDED

### MAJOR SUCCESS FOR GREEKS

### WOMEN ASSIST

### Second Italian Defeat In Few Days

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LONDON, Nov. 10.

It is reported from Athens that Greek troops have surrounded a second Italian Alpine column which attempted to relieve the column already defeated in the Pindus Mountains, on the centre front. The Greeks shelled supplies the Italians were trying to bring up with the relief.

Women carry ammunition to Greek snipers in the 6000ft. mountains. Prisoners are still being captured from both columns, and hundreds of Italian bodies are stated to lie in the snow.

It is claimed (says a British Official Wireless message) that the Greeks allowed the Italian relief column to approach within short range before opening fire with field guns and inflicting heavy casualties. Many prisoners were taken.

Air Provisioning Fails

The Athens correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" says there is immense satisfaction at the news that the Greeks have rounded up the Italian Division, which is under the command of General Boninai. The Italians pushed on alone for several days up the Pindus Valley. The Greeks cut off the Italians from all roads. The Italian staff tried to provision Boninai's troops from the air, but the supplies fell into the hands of the Greeks.

According to one account, wolves harassed the invaders, but the manner in which the Italians surrendered suggests pusillanimity and poor morale, which is in contrast with the Greek plan.

The number of prisoners taken is not revealed, but it is certainly considerable. Much war material also was seized.

The Athens correspondent of the Associated Press says it is authoritatively reported that the Greeks are holding the Italian drive down the west coast, while they are pushing the invader back at several points on the other fronts.

## Thirty Drowned In Snowstorm

### MOTOR BOATS COLLIDED

### Tragedy Off Coast Of Newfoundland

### SANK IN THREE MINUTES

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ST. JOHNS (Newfoundland), Nov. 10.

Thirty out of 34 passengers were drowned when two motor boats collided in a snowstorm in the three-mile strait between Belle Isle and the mainland.

The boat sank in three minutes. Four were rescued, one of whom died before reaching land.

## SYMPATHY FROM NEW ZEALAND

### Death Of Mr Neville Chamberlain

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

The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) has sent a message to the Secretary of State for the Dominions (Lord Cranborne), expressing deep regret at the death of the Rt. Hon. Neville Chamberlain, and the Dominion's appreciation of his efforts to prevent war.







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State JON HALL IN "SOUTH OF PAGO PAGO" Thrilling Adventure Romance

Against a background highlighted by the breathless beauty and tropical brilliance of the South Seas, "South of Pago Pago" concludes today at the State Theatre, Hastings... The stellar cast of this new adventure feature is headed by Victor McLaglen, Jon Hall, Frances Farmer, Olympe Bradna, Douglas Dumbrille and Gene Lockhart.

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Luncheon and dinner require about the same mileage—75 to 100 miles for a full course meal, including one cup of coffee; an extra cup adds 25 miles. It takes 10 to 15 miles for soup, 40 to 45 miles for the main course, 15 miles for salad, and about 15 miles for dessert.

**Many Gifts For A Popular Bride-To-Be**

Miss Gladys Jenkins The Guest Of Honour At Several Parties

**Held In Hastings**

Presentation Made By The Staff Of The Memorial Hospital

A very popular Hastings bride-to-be who is being much feted by all her friends is Miss Gladys Jenkins, whose marriage to Mr S. Armstrong takes place shortly.

Miss Jenkins is a most capable girl whose help has always been willingly and cheerfully given and the number of parties given in her honour are evidence of the high opinion in which she is held. Her many friends will all wish her very great success and happiness in the future.

Miss Jenkins has been a member of the clerical staff of the Memorial Hospital, Hastings, for a number of years and recently the staff gathered to wish her good luck and happiness. On behalf of the hospital staff, Dr H. M. Wilson presented her with an electric kettle and when doing so he spoke in glowing terms of her capabilities and the fine service she had given to the hospital.

For some years Miss Jenkins has been an honorary secretary of the Hastings High School Old Pupils' Association and the members of this association met at a 5 o'clock party to make her a presentation. The president, Mr N. Pippard, asked her to accept an engraved chromium clock from the association and he paid tribute to her work and help.

Several gift parties have also been given in honour of this bride-to-be. Mrs Colin Wilkinson was the hostess at a five o'clock party at her home in Havelock North, and each guest brought a gift for the pantry. Pantry gifts were also brought by those who were present at an evening given by Mrs N. Bishop.

Mrs J. Steenson was the hostess at a kitchen evening, and Miss Dulcie Howard hostessed a laundry gift tea, both parties being held in Hastings, as also was Miss J. Lassen's afternoon party to which each guest brought a handkerchief and many dainty gifts were received.

In Palmerston North Miss Jenkins was the guest of honour at a jolly party to which each guest brought a dainty gift.

**PATRIOTIC GARDEN FETE**

Successful Afternoon At Haumoana

A most successful garden fete organised by the Haumoana Farewell Society was held in the beautiful grounds of Mrs McCarthy's home and the splendid sum of nearly £38 was raised.

For some weeks, the ladies have worked with that vigour and enthusiasm which alone were responsible for such success. The various stalls were well prepared, and the full stocks were quickly reduced by the generous public response and readiness to purchase. Apart from the business done at the stalls, there was ample diversion in the form of games and competitions.

Probably that causing most amusement was "bed-making for men." This clearly showed that some had not received that domestic practice which is conducive to perfection, though it must be conceded that the time limit somewhat cramped the contestants' style.

The following is a list of the stallholders showing the amount netted by each:—

Afternoon tea (Mrs McCarthy)	14 6
Mystery parcels (Mrs Petersen)	3 1 9
Fish pond (Mesdames G. Glenny and Reeves)	1 14 3
Sweets (Mesdames Bradshaw and Gerrard)	5 9 0
Fancy stall (Mrs Collins and Miss Birch)	14 18 11
Cake stalls (Mesdames Francis and Chapman)	10 14 1
Games	2 5 6
Darts (Mrs Bradshaw)	2 5 6
Quilts (Miss B. Somerville)	14 6

**Queen Of Queens**

Her Power Finds Many Followers

Once, when I was in a certain country—yes, it might have been "somewhere in France"—I was taken to see one of the Potentates of human life.

"You will see a Queen," said the friend who took me.

"She is the Queen of Queens. Other Queens acknowledge her power."

"Only the rich can serve her. More money is spent to obey her than the banks contain. She has at her bidding hundreds of millions. Her influence is world wide."

"We came to her Palace. It was all any design that is a year old, she says, is obsolete."

"Every year she has a new Palace," said my friend.

"She abhors whatever is old. She has a passion for whatever new."

"After I had bowed low, she spoke to me. She said—"Will you, too, now become one of my followers?"

"My name is Fashion."

**SOMETHING TO REMEMBER**

Grey clouds are often sent merely to hide darker ones.

More hearts are cheered by small deeds than by great resolves.

Never let your tongue grow so long that it ties you to trouble.

Flowers without perfume are like beautiful women without discretion.

—Eva L. Merritt

**A New "Rough-Rider" Hat**



A SUEDE ENSEMBLE.—Rita Hayworth, Columbia player, chooses this outfit of suede in a symphonic group of colours. The double-breasted coat is claret colour, the quilted bag and handstitched gloves a lighter shade and the "rough-rider" hat is light grey trimmed with wine-coloured ribbon.

**SOAP AND WATER ARE GOOD AIDS TO BEAUTY**

Follow This Advice When Giving Your Face A Wash

Soap is mostly froth and bubble when it's mixed with water, but those uncountable millions of tiny bubbles form one of the best cleansing and beautifying agents.

It's the one beauty treatment which is available to everybody. Daily bathing is a necessity, and it can be made a ritual for loveliness which will amply repay any extra time and care given to it.

Many beauty experts recommend their clients to wash the face with warm water and the correct type of soap for their skin.

It will remove all traces of make-up and dirt. Another school recommends cold cream. Both arguments have much to commend them.

Both creams and soaps are essential in beauty budgeting. Soap is most useful as a cleansing agent, and cream for rejuvenating and as a base for make-up.

**Splash Your Face Well**

Washing the face, if done correctly, is a treatment in itself. You must acquire the technique as carefully as you acquire a make-up technique.

First the water. This should be lukewarm. Blood heat is the best temperature.

Cup the hands in the water and splash it liberally over the face. This will bring the skin to an even temperature with the water. Now apply soap to the face, preferably in the form of lather, and scrub it briskly. Use a rough face-cloth.

The skin does not need a very gentle treatment. The harder and brisker the rubbing, the more quickly it will respond and become clear.

Cup the hands in the warm water again and rinse the soap off with the same splashing motion. Gradually make the water hotter and keep splashing. Do this for three or four minutes. Then let the hot water run from the basin. Fill it with cold water and again splash the face.

Dry carefully with a rough, coarse towel.

If the soap is not completely rinsed from the skin, a drawing tendency may be noted. This is fine after drying on the face. Rinse again, and the sensation will disappear.

**Choose Your Soap**

Toilet soaps can be bought to suit any skin. There are lemon soaps which are slightly bleaching. Oily soaps for dry skins. Benzoin and alcohol soaps for oily skins, and the old-fashioned oatmeal soap which is good for any skin.

**IMPORTANT PRODUCTS COME FROM COAL**

Heat Is One Of The Least Valuable

An open coal fire is really a miniature gasworks run on exceedingly unscientific lines. Most coal consists of the compressed trunks and leaves of vegetation which flourished in an age when sunlight was very plentiful.

When we burn coal we are really "borrowing" the heat that was falling upon the earth many millions of years ago.

Heat is one of the least important products of coal, yet every year many millions of tons of coal are destroyed for nothing but the heat which they can yield. Even this heat is not scientifically used. Probably 70 per cent. of the heat from a coal fire, instead of going into the room which it is supposed to be warming, disappears up the chimney, together with smoke, which is really fine particles of carbon, and many other products of great industrial value.

Coal can do much more than warm us; it can supply almost every want of human beings from clothing to food. The time may come when the substance we now burn so carelessly will be treasured as one of the most valuable sources of raw material for manufacture, and the idea of burning it for its heat will seem as ridiculous as lighting a fire with treasury notes.

**BRITISH LEGION OLD TIME DANCE**

The British Legion weekly old-time dance in the Buffalo Hall, Hastings, attracted its usual large crowd. Excellent music was supplied by the McKay Orchestra. Extras were played by Mr R. Brightwell, Legionnaire J. McKie was an efficient M.C.

The prize winners were: Monte Carlo No. 1—Miss J. Niethes and Mr T. Lawrence; Monte Carlo No. 2—Miss J. Milne and Mr L. Brandon; ladies' lucky number Gay Gordons—Miss M. Heard and Mr M. Stevenson; final competition—Mrs G. M. McKay 1, Mrs R. Watson 2, Mrs J. Walker 3.

During the evening Mr D. Hunter, chairman of the committee for the collection of old gold and silver for the Million Pound Appeal, gave a short talk on this object. He thanked the president and committee for giving him the opportunity to speak on this subject and said that his committee desired people to give any old gold and silver they had and that this would be sold and the proceeds would go towards the Hastings Million Pound Appeal. "It need not be only old gold and silver," said Mr Hunter with a smile. The Rotary Club, assisted by the Boy Scouts, would make a house to house collection in two weeks' time but for the sake of convenience any donation could be left with the secretary, final competition—Legionnaire J. McKie, of the secretary, Legionnaire J. P. Paddy.

A dainty supper was prepared and served by the ladies' committee.

**Parkvale Guild Members**

MONTHLY MEETING

Mrs H. W. C. Baird A Fine Speaker

**DECEMBER PLANS**

The monthly meeting of the Parkvale Townswomen's Guild was held in the Guild room with a good attendance of members and friends. In the absence of Mrs Lovell-Smith, the president, Mrs Barry presided, and after the usual routine business was gone through afternoon tea was handed round and a very pleasant half-hour was spent chatting, the hostesses being Mrs Holmes-Brown and Mrs Harkness and helpers.

Mrs H. W. C. Baird then gave a very interesting travel talk describing travels through Greece, Luxembourg Belgium and Paris. This was very much enjoyed and a hearty vote of thanks was given to the speaker.

It was decided that the next meeting should be a Christmas party and that on November 26 there should be a social to wind up the card evenings.

The result of the competitions which were judged by Mrs Baird were: Best Christmas article (costing not more than 2/-)—Mrs Harris 1, Mrs Learmouth 2, Mrs Young and Mrs Holmes-Brown 3; best bloom—Mrs Barry 1, Mrs Cousins 2, and Mrs Staniland 3. Sand saucer—Mrs Cody 1, Mrs Staniland 2, Mrs Harris and Mrs Cousins 3.

**W.D.F.U. MONTHLY MEETING**

Mangateretere Branch  
**SPLENDID FLORAL DEMONSTRATION**

**Competition Results**

In spite of other attractions as well as the unsettled weather, there was a fair attendance of members at the monthly general meeting of the Mangateretere branch of the W.D.F.U. which was held in the school. In the absence of Mrs D. J. Holden, the president, Mrs E. Honeybun, vice-president, took the chair. She was assisted by Mrs A. W. T. Webb, secretary, and Mrs H. Honeybun welcomed all present and hoped they would spend a very happy afternoon. She announced that the next meeting would be on December 14, when there would be competitions for a best Christmas cake and for the best knitted balaclava and mittens, entries to be donated to the forces.

Members were requested to help by donating small gifts suitable for the mystery parcel drive to take place later in the month, and to assist with flowers for the W.D.F.U. stall at the Flower Show next Friday; also with the Women's Institute to be in charge of the cake stall at Havelock North the last Saturday this month.

Mrs E. Farney read the report of the provincial meeting in Hastings.

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SAXE BLUE ENSEMBLE, with Pure Silk Floral top. Women's X size. Usually 86/6. SPECIAL 79/6

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**NAPIER SUCCESSES ANNOUNCED**

Red Cross Examination  
 MANY STUDENTS GAIN PASSES

The following Napier candidates were successful in the Red Cross examination held on July 11 and 12:

Elementary: Mesdames Ward, Tiffin, R. M. Smith, Elsie Hay-Chapman, Tul Hay-Chapman, Wendy Morton, Doris Schierling, Kennedy, McCarthy, Josephs, Arthur, Misses J. Arroll, Huxtable, Neill, Swansegar, Eileen Shaeff, Saville, Chilver, Willma MacKenzie, Hatwell, Sinclair, Laing, Margery McLaren, Heather Grant, Audrey Reed.

Intermediate: Mesdames Rockell, Salthouse, Henderson, Misses May Miller, B. Hammond, Jeffares, W. Miller, C. Barry, J. Herman, A. Wells, L. Chapman, Beryl Stokes.

Senior: Mrs Kettle, Mrs Rossitor, Misses F. Morrissey, Tul Crawford, N. Johnston, P. Phillips.

Bars: Misses E. M. Nicholson, E. Berridge, Tul White-Parsons.

The practical examination for silver cup: Mrs Winifred Phillips and Miss Emily Berridge tied with 78 per cent. Miss Ngaire Johnston was runner-up with 76 per cent.

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Death Of Woman Pioneer

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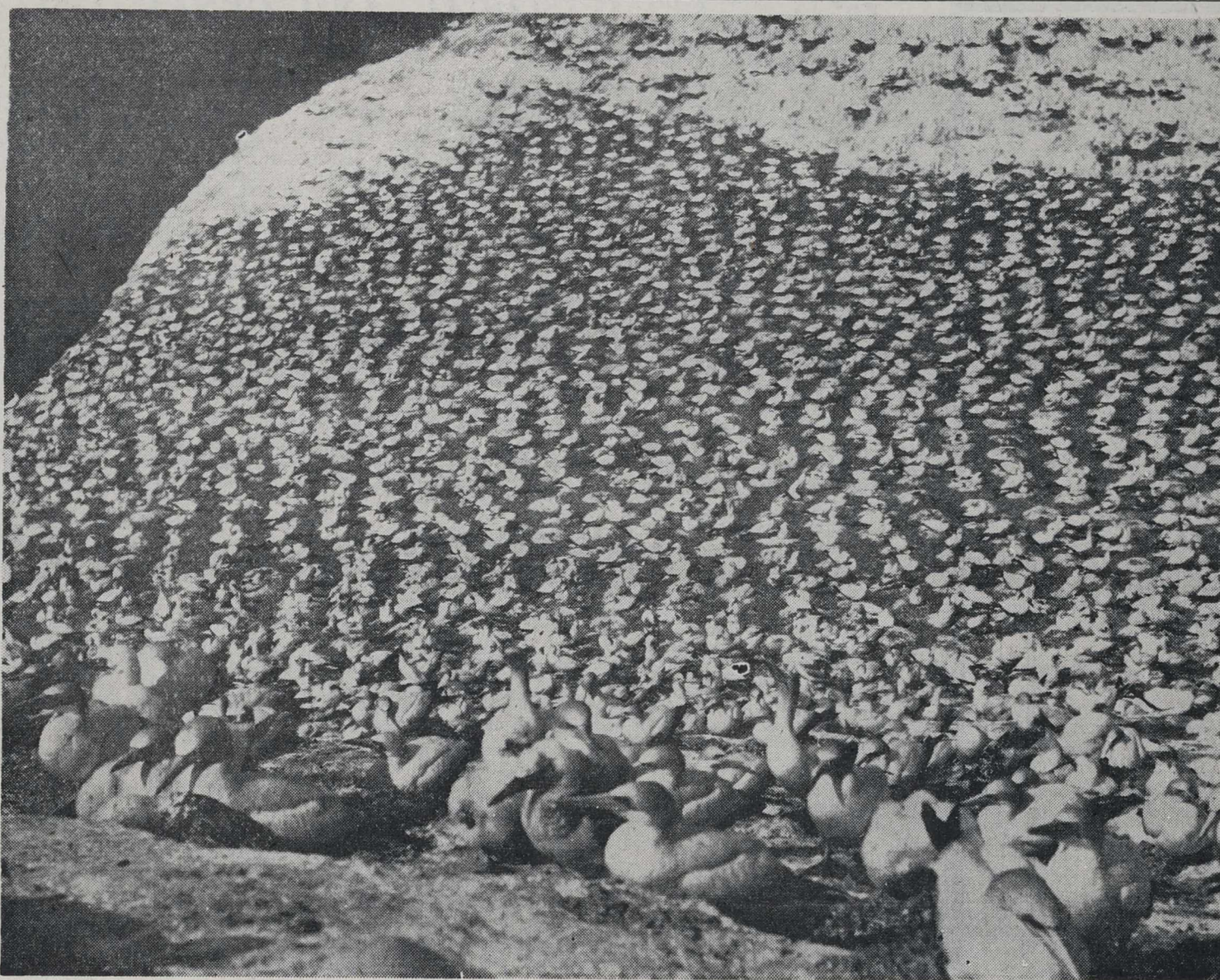
The funeral took place in Ormondville on Friday of Mrs Engeborg Herbert who died on Thursday, November 8, at the advanced age of 91 years.

She was born in Sweden and came to New Zealand with her brothers in 1872, landing in Napier. Shortly afterwards she married Mr James Herbert, who pre-deceased her many years ago.

She settled in Ormondville about 1877 and was a great benefactress to the district during those early days of stress and toil, her skill in nursing being always at the service of any requiring it.

Mrs Herbert's funeral was largely attended and a wealth of lovely flowers were silent testimony of remembrance. The service was conducted by the Rev. F. Middlebrook, the pall-bearers being Messrs F. Forward, D. Munro, H. O. Baines, H. R. Benbow, G. S. Chapman and A. Benbow.

Mrs Herbert is survived by one son, Mr Sydney Herbert, Taihape, and two daughters, Mrs E. Forward and Mrs S. Powell, both of Ormondville. There are also six grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.



THE GANNET COMMUNITY AT CAPE KIDNAPPERS.—A comprehensive view of the famous colony which has grown to such proportions, that in recent years there have been signs of a "housing shortage."

HEART-TO-HEART APPEAL MANY DONATIONS AT TAKAPAU

(Daily Mail Special Service) TAKAPAU.

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A GROCER'S REPORT

A recent survey discloses that if a grocer is out of the desired size of a brand requested by customers—28 per cent of those customers will take another size; 34 per cent will shift to another brand; 22 per cent will go elsewhere, and 16 per cent don't buy at all.

DARTS WILL HELP ARITHMETICIANS

The vogue of darts has turned us into a nation of arithmeticians. To the innocent it should be explained that, for some inexplicable reason, the counting is done backwards, and begins always at 501 or 301 or 251 instead of at the round sum.

There is scarce a farm labourer in the land who cannot now take 78 from 431 in a flash, without pencil and without error. What is more, when the end is in sight, the seemingly untutored player can instantaneously resolve such a sum as 77 into its most suitable components for the finishing touch. He cannot only score a treble nineteen and double ten; what is even more remarkable is that he knows in a second that he needs, exactly these figures.—Ivor Brown in the "Manchester Guardian."

JUNIOR YACHTSMEN COMPETE

Napier Activities

TAURANGA WINS RACE

A race for Tauranga class boats was held by junior members of the Napier Sailing Club during the week-end. Three entries faced the starter, resulting in a win for the Tauranga, sailed by C. Downs. Monetary prizes were offered and the race was sailed over a course in the inner harbour, from the pier-heads to the West-shore Quay.

The three entries were: Tauranga (C. Downs), Ace (B. Holder) and another boat sailed by R. McLeod. Commencing at the Iron Pot, the three boats got away well, Bob Holder taking the lead from R. McLeod, followed by C. Downs. A good run was made to a point near the Westshore footbridge and C. Downs was first round the buoy, followed by McLeod and Holder. On the beat back two boats went aground on a bank and lost considerable time in getting under way again.

On the way out to the pierheads the Tauranga took the lead, which she easily maintained back in to the finishing point opposite West Quay. The boat sailed by R. McLeod occupied second place.

Arm Broken In Accident

CAR COLLISION Mr Lex Logan, Of Waipukurau

(Daily Mail Special Service) WAIPUKURAU

As a result of a motor accident over the week-end, on the Waipukurau-Parangahau highway, Mr Lex Logan, Waipukurau, was admitted to the Public Hospital with a broken arm. Mr Logan was travelling towards Waipukurau and in attempting to pass another car going in the opposite direction the accident occurred, and his vehicle, a heavy three-seater, was thrown sharply round, and he was thrown against the bodywork.

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Sentence Upheld By Judge

SUBVERSION CHARGE

Appeal Dismissed At Christchurch

ORAL STATEMENTS

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Nov. 11. "While it is difficult to say what would be the appropriate sentence in such a case, nothing has been said to show that the view of the Magistrate was at fault," said Mr Justice Northcroft in the Supreme Court to-day when he dismissed the appeal of William Edward John Aitken, aged 39, against a sentence of six months' imprisonment imposed upon him for making oral subversive statements.

Mr P. H. T. Alpers appeared for Aitken and said that the sentence of three months' imprisonment on each charge was harsh. He thought the sentences should have been concurrent rather than cumulative.

When questioned by the judge, counsel said that Aitken had made the statements in the heat of the moment and that he did not mean them.

The Judge contended that if Aitken was not a Nazi sympathiser, then it would appear that he should be in a lunatic asylum.

Twice Escaped A Firing Squad

MAYOR OF NARVIK Exciting Flight From The Nazis CAPTURE OF TOWN

A Nazi death sentence still hanging over his head, Theodore Broch, Norwegian Mayor of Narvik, rested in San Francisco after making his way through Sweden, Russia and Siberia to Japan and across the Pacific Ocean to California. In a series of adventures that makes the wildest Hollywood plots seem tame by comparison, Mayor Broch, present during the British-German fighting at the ore port, twice escaped Nazi firing squads. Of the German arrival at Narvik, Mayor Broch told San Francisco newsmen: "Of course we were surprised. It was early morning, very foggy. My little house was on the hill, where I could see the harbour. Suddenly there were great explosions and two Norwegian ships began sinking. They had been torpedoed. Before I could get to the City Hall, Narvik had been surrendered."

A "Bad Soldier" Mayor Broch does not believe that Colonel Konrad Sundlo, who turned the city over to the Germans, was a traitor—just a bad soldier, he explained. Broch, only 36 years old, confidently expects the Nazis some day will run out of his homeland. "I think we can be more patient than the Germans," the Norwegian official said. "This Hitler is no more than a Napoleon. He blows up big now, but he will burst, and we shall have our country back. And do you know why Nazi-ism will fail? Because people are not so stupid as dictators would like to think. Eventually they can tell that a lie is a lie." Mayor Broch said he was saving his most exciting experiences for a book and lecture tour. With him as his secretary, was Elizabeth Prytz, who was in the United States in a secretarial capacity with Crown Prince Olav and Princess Martha last year.

CHRISTIE'S furnishings advertisement featuring an illustration of a dining table and chairs.

WILLIAMS & KETTLE LTD. advertisement for lawn mowers and garden tools, including a list of products like rakes, hoes, and shears.

P. GIBSON & SONS LIMITED advertisement for car accessories and tires, located at King and Queen Streets, Hastings.

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The Daily Mail advertisement featuring a map of New Zealand with a magnifying glass highlighting the Hawke's Bay region. Text includes: "Now serves every town, township and settlement shown below", "Is the only Morning Newspaper published in the whole of this wealthy territory", and "Offers you a breakfast table delivery throughout the province, plus latest news".



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Hawke's Bay Daily Mail "Your Own Morning Paper"

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1940.

ROAD AND RAILWAY TRANSPORT.

The Canterbury Chamber of Commerce in collaboration with the Department of Economics at Canterbury College has just issued a bulletin on transport policy in New Zealand.

The authors of the bulletin assert that one-third of the national income is spent on internal transport. Perhaps this is an exaggeration; it is always very difficult to determine just what the national income amounts to, and it would be harder still to decide how much of the expenditure on transport is essential to the production of the national income, and how much is an expenditure of the income on the enjoyment of one of the amenities of life.

The tone of the bulletin is mainly critical. It tells the old story of the evils incidental to political control of public utilities, and objection is taken to anomalies which have resulted from the operation of rival road and railway systems of transport.

It is always much easier to tell the Government what it should do than to show how the thing desired can be done, and economists seldom contribute much to the solution of the difficulties they are so clever at pointing out.

Although the road and railway problem is world wide, each country has its own particular troubles due to local conditions. In New Zealand the transport revolution arrived before the completion of an arterial system of railroads. For better or for worse, it was decided to complete unfinished trunk railroads. Some of these are now in operation, and on others work is still proceeding. In the meantime road transport has been inaugurated and the road services have built up a connection that is incompatible with profits for both when these unfinished railroads are ready to operate.

The Government was very slow in awakening to the possibilities of road transport. In the light of subsequent experience it is now evident that the State should have been first in the field. If a State owned and controlled railway system is right in principle, it is incontestable that motor road transport should also be publicly owned. Both are necessary if the community is to be adequately served, and they can be rationalised and made truly complementary only under one controlling authority.

Gradually, and at considerable cost, the pioneer road services are being gathered in, and eventually all important services will be in Government hands. With a monopoly, it should be possible for the Government to eliminate duplication of effort and a good deal of the wasteful competition which has been going on in the past. This may not prevent the State railways from being operated at a loss, but the loss should be reduced.

Many years ago it was laid down as a matter of policy that the farming industry should receive substantial concessions from the Railway Department. The Seddon Government instituted the free carriage of lime and specially low rates were fixed for fruit and other products. Often it has been urged that the losses incurred on this unprofitable traffic should be reimbursed by a special appropriation from the Consolidated Fund—a procedure that would make no difference to the taxpayer, but would enable the Railway Department to show a better result at the end of the year. The amount of any such appropriation would be small, however, compared with the difference between the net profit shown by the Department and the interest payable on the capital invested in the railways.

The New Zealand railway system is in advance of present requirements and many miles of line have been constructed through country that is incapable of producing sufficient revenue to cover operating costs. Political considerations were partly responsible for this, and the rest was mainly a matter of geography and the necessity of planning for the future. Our existing railways and paved roads would serve the present population, and at the present time the Dominion is like a boy growing into a suit that is two sizes too big for him.

Owing to the tardy increase in numbers, there is a danger of the suit being worn out before the boy grows big enough to fill it.

Personal

Gunner O. F. Whiteman, 16th A.A. Battery N.Z.A., is the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs A. E. Black, Te Kura, Otane.

Bombardier G. Wharton, 16th A.A. Battery N.Z.A., is spending leave with Mr and Mrs G. Price, Otane.

Mr H. J. Lovell-Smith, Hastings, has gone to Christchurch as a result of the death of his mother-in-law. He left by the express yesterday morning.

Mr A. C. Pfeifer, Auckland, has been visiting his parents at Point Erin, Colenso Avenue. Mr Pfeifer left for Trentham Camp by the Express train yesterday morning.

Mr Gordon Fraser (Taranaki) was elected president of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of New Zealand at the annual conference in New Plymouth recently. He succeeds Mr W. S. MacGibbon, Christchurch.

Mr A. F. Shepherd, Hawera, is at present a visitor to Napier.

Professor James H. Gilbert, professor of economics and director of the College of Social Science at Eugene, Oregon, United States, has left Invercargill on a short visit to Queenstown. He is visiting New Zealand in the course of an overseas tour in which he is studying aspects of taxation.

Mr A. E. Bedford, who had been indisposed for some time, was welcomed on taking his place at yesterday's meeting of the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board.

Dr E. Y. Comrie was granted indefinite leave of absence from the visiting staff of the Hastings Memorial Hospital for military reasons at yesterday's meeting of the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board.

Mr D. C. Cameron, deputy mayor of Dunedin for the past three years, and a member of the City Council for six years, will be a candidate for the mayoralty at the next elections. Mr Cameron has been closely identified with the business and sporting life of the city for many years. At the present time he is chairman of the Dunedin Manpower Committee.

AT THE HOTELS

Mr M. V. Ross, Mr P. J. Tulloch (Auckland), Mr J. H. Anderson (Auckland), Mr W. H. Grant (Napier), Mr G. Blouin, Mr G. Miles, Mr and Mrs A. N. Baker, Mrs E. J. Enfield, Mr L. W. Scott, Mr F. Drummond, Mr L. S. F. Bell (Wellington) are guests at the Pacific Hotel Hastings.

Mr P. Leahy (Gisborne), Mr C. H. Williamson (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs L. Oldham, Mr and Mrs E. Pascoe (Wellington), Mr R. O'Connell (New Plymouth), Mr H. Exek (Trentham), Mr R. Bennett (Masterton), Mr J. Johnson (Auckland), Mr R. Ryder (Waioa), Mr A. Simpson (Carterton) are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs A. J. Schneidman (Christchurch), Mr W. S. Bussell (Auckland), Mr H. W. Young, Mr J. Osborne, Mr P. Mackie (Wellington) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mr R. A. Flewellyn, Mr G. Luke (Auckland), Capt. and Mrs. McInnes, Mr and Mrs R. J. Noal, Mr A. S. Jantke, Mr A. Thompson, Mr H. G. Miller, Mr and Mrs E. Carter, Mr Golding, Mrs P. Murray, Mr T. H. Thornton, Mr and Mrs W. T. Dyment (Wellington), Mrs M. Hamilton (London), Miss Barker, Mr R. Barker (Gisborne), Miss M. Smith, Miss J. Kane, Mr J. Paterson (Dunedin), Mr E. C. Reid, Mr R. Hogg (Palmerston North), Mr R. G. Whitehouse (Whangarei) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Mr K. R. Hetherington, Mr Kjeld Samild (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs J. Jennings, Mr H. White, Mr and Mrs C. W. Johnston, Mr A. Stevens, Mr S. J. Murdoch, Mr W. Constable (Wellington), Mr A. F. Shepherd (Hawera), Mr W. I. Corbett, Miss F. Heaton, Mr H. J. Wallace, Mr A. Kennedy, Mr S. J. Walker (Palmerston North), Mr J. J. Peterson (Dunedin), Mr S. J. Bathurst (Hamilton), Mr L. A. E. Armstrong (Auckland) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

WAIROA. Mr H. Griffith, Mr P. F. Bennett (Tairā), Mr A. C. Jones (Kopua-whara), Mr H. J. Exeter (Napier), Miss R. Wilson (Gisborne), Mr L. Henry (Hastings), Mr F. Williams (Piripaua) are staying at the Clyde Hotel.

Mr Dixon (Hastings), Mr Johnston, Mr Dawson, Mr W. Taylor, Mr McSwenny, Mr Lloyd (Tairā), Mr McKee (Gisborne), Mr Clark (Waikaremoana), Mr Osborn (Kotemaori) are staying at the Ferry Hotel.

Breakfast Table. "Since the war began," we read, "nearly eight thousand umbrellas have been left in London trains and buses by their owners." Or somebody.

A retiring fried fish shop proprietor has served three generations from his East London establishment. Well, good-bye, Mr Chips.

"The secret of grand opera is to sing loud and fast," says a correspondent. No vocalist, he holds, should do anything under forte.

Owing to an electricity failure many Hamburg residents did not hear a speech broadcast by Goebbels. They just took it for granted.

A man at the front received a nagging letter from his wife, and wrote in reply: "Please don't write me any more letters. (Let me enjoy this war in peace.)"

Clothes are as essential to the civilian as 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.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Transit of Mercury. Commencing at 8.49 this morning the planet Mercury will make a transit of the sun, a rare event which will not occur again until 1933.

Flying-boat Services. With 10 passengers and nearly 600lb. of mail the flying-boat Awarua flew to Sydney from Auckland yesterday. The Awarua left Auckland at 6 a.m. and alighted at Sydney after a flight of 10hr. 45min.

Hastings Home Guard. Recruiting for the Home Guard at Hastings has proceeded at a steady rate and about 180 had enrolled at the "dig-out" in Heretaunga Street yesterday.

Disappointing Subsidy. "I am rather disappointed at the rate of subsidy made available by the Government for the construction of the Waipunga and Dartmoor bridges," said the chairman of the Hawke's Bay County Council (Mr C. C. Smith) at yesterday's meeting of the council.

Municipal Conference. "I think that under the circumstances it would be far better if we were not represented," said the clerk (Mr W. H. Anderson) at the meeting of the Hawke's Bay Municipal Conference to be held at Auckland.

Poverty Bay Show. A feature of the Poverty Bay A. and P. Show to be held this week will be the large number of outside exhibits, some even coming from Whangarei.

Fur Company Fined. Charged under the Price Emergency Regulations with selling a fur coat for £21, a price unreasonably high, the Universal Fur Co., Ltd., Palmerston North, was fined £10 in the Magistrate's Court yesterday.

MAIL NOTICES. POST OFFICE HASTINGS. (Napier Mails only approximately one hour earlier than Hastings).

OUTWARD OVERSEAS MAILS. CHRISTMAS MAILS. America, November (last week); East (including Egypt), mid-October; Australia, mid-December.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14. Australian States and Countries via Australia. Mails close 6 p.m.; parcels 4 p.m.

TRANS-TASMAN AIR SERVICE. TO AUSTRALIA. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12. Trans-Tasman Air Service: Mails for despatch by this service close at 4 p.m.

TRANS-PACIFIC AIR MAIL. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21. Trans-Pacific Air Mail—Postage rates—Letters: Hawaii, 2/6 each 4oz., United States of America and Canada (including air in America District), each 4oz. Great Britain 5/9 each 4oz. Mails close noon. For further particulars apply at Post Office.

INLAND MAILS. Napier, Monday to Friday, 6 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m. Saturday, 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 4 p.m. Gisborne District, 6 p.m. Waioa, 6.30 a.m. and 4 p.m. Auckland, Main Trunk and Waikato districts, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only), 4 p.m. Saturdays only, 1.15 p.m. (letters only).

AIR MAIL INLAND. Blenheim, Nelson, Westport, Grey-mouth and Hokitika, Monday to Friday, 8 p.m.; Saturday, 4 p.m. Auckland and Auckland and New Plymouth, Monday to Friday, 6 p.m. Christchurch, Oamaru, Dunedin and Invercargill, Tuesday to Friday, 6 p.m. Saturday, 4 p.m. L. A. BURNS, Postmaster.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FAIR, MILD DAYS

Following is the "Daily's Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay: Winds: Westerly to north-westerly soon prevailing and freshening.

HASTINGS WEATHER

Table with columns: Dry bulb temp., Wet bulb temp., Maximum temp., Minimum temp., Grass, etc. Values: 63.0deg, 60.0deg, 69.0deg, 50.0deg, 49.0deg, 60.0deg, N.E.2, 8, 40ins, 7.15ins.

NAPIER WEATHER

Table with columns: Dry bulb temp., Wet bulb temp., Maximum temp., Minimum temp., Grass, etc. Values: 59.2deg, 57.2deg, 60.8deg, 37.2deg, 60.5deg, 60.0deg, 47.8deg, 3hrs, 24ins, 8, 86 p.c, N.E.2.

DOMINION FORECAST

General situation: An anti-cyclone is centred to the north-west of New Zealand and a westerly depression is advancing across the South Tasman.

To-day's Diary

HASTINGS

Address by the Hon. W. Nash, Minister of Finance, Hawke's Bay, North, 8 p.m. Address by Mr S. G. Holland, M.P. (Christchurch North), Assembly Press, in the western and far southern areas of the South Island, with scattered rain developing.

NAPIER

Theatres: "The Westerner," State, 2 and 8 p.m. "Adventure in Diamonds," Regent, 8 and 8 p.m. "Sing You Sinners" and "Sophie Lang Goes West," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

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APPOINTMENT OF ALIENS AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED

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The Attorney-General (the Hon. H. G. R. Mason) has announced the appointment of Aliens Authorities in each police district in the Dominion.

The Minister explained that the appointments were made under the Aliens Emergency Regulations, which provided for immediate investigation into the affairs of and classification of all enemy aliens in the Dominion, as well as of such persons of enemy origin or associations as were brought within the scope of the regulations by special order, and of non-enemy aliens required by the Minister to be classified.

The investigation was being carried out by officers of the Police Department and classification would be the responsibility of the Aliens' Authorities.

The members of the Aliens Appeal Tribunal (Mr Justice Callan, Colonel C. H. Weston, K.C., and Mr J. H. Collins) were being appointed as Aliens Authorities for the Wellington Police District said the Minister, but they would continue to act as members of the Appeal Tribunal.

Following the example of the Home Secretary in England, and having regard for the fact that the work required the sifting of evidence, the Minister said that he had in making the appointments chosen men of eminence in the legal profession for the positions.

The members of the Authorities, other than those in Wellington, are: Whangarei: Mr Douglas Ross. Auckland: Messrs F. L. G. West, A. H. Johnstone, K.C., and G. P. Finlay.

Hamilton: Mr S. Lewis, Cambridge: Mr A. A. Whitehead, Napier: Mr C. H. Bisson. New Plymouth: Mr W. H. Woodward, S.M.

Wanganui: Mr J. H. Salmon, S.M. Palmerston North: Mr J. P. Innes, Nelson: Mr J. Glasgow, sen. Greymouth: Mr W. D. Taylor. Christchurch: Mr K. M. Gresson. Timaru: Mr W. D. Campbell. Dunedin: Mr H. L. Cook. Invercargill: Mr Eustace Russell.

DAMAGES GIVEN BY JURY

After a retirement of more than two hours, the jury in the Supreme Court at Wanganui today awarded a Matamata girl, Zelia Margaret Fane, aged 28, \$799.65 damages for breach of promise.

The defendant was a Whenuakura farmer, William Samuel Gower. The plaintiff's claim was for \$2000 general and \$81 1/2 special damages. Of the total amount awarded by the jury, \$750 was general and the balance special damages.

The plaintiff in evidence said that she met the defendant in Hawera and subsequently came to work in Wanganui. She received a presentation from the staff of the Wanganui firm when she left and went to her parents' home at Matamata. The wedding was planned for November 25, but the defendant became ill and entered the Patea hospital.

Thoughts of marriage ceased for the time being, but when they revived, the plaintiff said she noticed a change in his manner toward her.

WELL-KNOWN NAPIER SOLICITOR

Mr C. H. Bisson's Career

Mr C. H. Bisson is the senior partner in the Napier legal firm of Bisson and Moss. He was born in Napier and has spent the whole of his life in the town. He was educated at the Napier Boys' High School.

Quite early in his career, Mr Bisson qualified as an accountant, but later entered the legal profession. In 1930 he commenced the practice of his profession, taking Mr H. Russell Moss into partnership in 1936. Mr Bisson is a strong supporter of the activities of the Trinity Methodist Church, and has occupied various offices in the church.

ENORMOUS TRAFFIC ON REOPENED BURMA ROAD

Vast Quantities Of Supplies Reach China Despite Fierce Attacks

Traffic over the Burma Road is proceeding smoothly and vast quantities of supplies are reaching General Chiang Kai-Shek's armies.

Japanese claims of the destruction of suspension bridges over the Salween and Mekong rivers between Kun-ming and Lashio are untrue. The bridges were damaged but have been repaired.

The road is well guarded, although it is frequently attacked. An engineer commanding 500 repairs at the Salween Bridge said that the road was bombed on October 28 and October 29. It received direct hits, but repairs were completed within six hours.

Officials said that about 3000 trucks were operating on the Lashio-Kun-ming sector

Story Of Lady Galway's Lost Brooch

Small Boy's Find In A Park In Invercargill

Valuable Jewel

Her Excellency's Loss Leads To A Reward Of £10

A beautiful diamond brooch, valued at £90, which Lady Galway wore at the official farewell at Queen's Park last Thursday, became displaced while her Excellency was moving through the crowd. Its loss was not noticed until after the ceremony.

The loss occasioned the vice-Royal party considerable concern because the brooch had a special sentimental value.

Inquiries were set in train on Friday, but a painstaking search of the grounds failed to recover the brooch.

On Saturday morning a small boy, who was playing near a fountain, was attracted by an object glittering in the grass. The brooch had been trodden into the ground, and in its dirty state its value was not appreciated by the child or his family. On Sunday morning the boy wore it on his coat to Sunday School, where it attracted the attention of a teacher.

When the boy explained where he had found the jewel, it was realised that it was probably the missing brooch, the loss of which had been advertised.

It was returned to the Mayoress (Mrs J. R. Hannan), who passed it on to the police for return to Lady Galway. The brooch had been slightly bent and one small stone was missing when it was found.

The small boy will receive a reward of £10 for his find.

R.A.F. 'PLANES ON THE OFFENSIVE

Fourteen Months

ANALYSIS OF POINTS BOMBED

Nazis Pay Cost

An authoritative analysis of R.A.F. raids in the first 14 months of the war shows that British aircraft bombed 261 places in Germany, 23 in occupied territory, and 17 in Italy. Berlin had 26 raids in this period, but the most frequently visited place was Hamm, the largest and most important rail centre and goods-yard in Europe, which was visited more than 80 times.

A study of the distribution of the attacks over the different kinds of military objectives gives the following result: Ports, docks, etc., were bombed at 18 places in Germany and 63 in occupied territories.

Oil targets 37 in Germany, 23 in occupied territories. Seaplane bases and aerodromes: 84 places in Germany, 115 in occupied territories.

Goods-yards, railway centres, etc.: 78 places in Germany, 15 in occupied territories. Factories: 50 places in Germany. Hamburg heads the list of places according to the number of visits paid by R.A.F. raiders. In the period, there were 53 raids on Hamburg. Bremen comes next with 42. Wilhelmshaven had 31 raids.

Outside Germany the chief potential invasion ports—Boulogne, Calais, Flushing and Ostend—each had between 40 and 50 raids. The total raids on docks, ports and shipping were 554.

Oil targets were attacked 277 times. Among places, Gelsenkirchen comes at the head of the list with 30 raids.

Raid on goods-yards, railways, etc., number 475, those on factories and works 218, and those on air bases 64.

Seen in retrospect, that is a very remarkable record, showing how persistent and calculated the R.A.F. offensive has been.

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At what cost has this deadly offensive been maintained? Examination of these same communiqués reveals that from May 10, when severe raiding against the enemy began, the R.A.F. has lost 211 planes in all over Germany, enemy-occupied territory, and Italy, while the Germans in meeting these attacks were 64 aircraft.

Long Record Of Service

MISS A. M. ANDERSON

22 Years At Napier High School

WORK RELINQUISHED

The resignation of Miss A. M. Anderson was received with regret at last night's meeting of the Napier Secondary Education Board. Miss Anderson has been a member of the teaching staff of the Napier Girls' High School since the beginning of 1919, and will soon have completed 22 years' service.

In her report to the board the principal, Miss E. McCarthy, expressed appreciation of Miss Anderson's assistance during so many years. Members of the board spoke highly of Miss Anderson's record of service.



WOMEN IN WAR-TIME.—The top picture shows members of the London Auxiliary Ambulance Service at tea. Below is a scene in Essex, where girl members of the Women's Land Army are trained.

SIX AIR TRAINEES DIE IN CRASH IN AUSTRALIA

'Plane Goes Into Spin And Catches Fire On Striking The Ground

Five trainees at the Air Observers' School were killed and a sixth was burned so badly that he died after reaching hospital, when an Air Force aeroplane crashed near the flying school at Cootamundra today.

Local residents heard the crash and immediately saw smoke and flames. They rushed to the scene but were able to drag only one out of the blazing plane. The others were burned to death.

The victims were: Pilot-Officer James Hearne, aged 20, and five Leading Aircraftsmen—John Cameron, 26; Ernest Pierrey, 30; James Stanley, 24; Robert Montgomery, 26; John Head, 25, of Fiji.

The Air Board's official statement says that the crew was engaged in training exercises about two miles from Cootamundra aerodrome and according to eye-witnesses, the plane appeared to go into a spin.

Many Awards Made

LIFE-SAVING WORK

Hawke's Bay Centre's Annual Meeting

BRIGHT PROSPECTS

The hope that in the 1940-41 season there would be a greater interest shown in life-saving and the methods of resuscitation was expressed at the annual general meeting of the Royal Life Saving Society (Hawke's Bay Head Centre) at Napier last night.

Mr A. W. H. King, who presided, expressed the hope that the incoming executive would in spite of war conditions, see that the Knapp, Vigor Brown, and London Shields would be competed for in the usual way. It was also suggested that the former secretary, Mr T. W. Ireland, who is on active service, be written to wishing him the best of luck and a safe return.

It was planned to hold the competitions for the various shields in schools early in February or as soon after as is convenient. The teachers and instructors of the schools were thanked for their excellent support during the last season.

The balance sheet revealed the finances of the society to be in a healthy state.

Awards Made

The following officers were elected: President, Mr J. Vigor Brown; vice-presidents, Mrs W. H. Knapp, Miss Holland, Miss N. O'Neil, Miss McCarthy, Messrs J. Mason, A. J. Rainbow, G. A. Maddison, Hon. W. E. Barnard, M.P., Messrs F. V. Apperley, T. M. Geddis, G. Husheer, W. T. Foster, E. C. Boyes, W. A. G. Penlington, Doctors J. H. Berry, E. H. J. Berry, H. H. Barnett, D. W. Fitzgerald, Mr T. W. Hercock, delegate to Dominion Council, Mr P. G. Bamford; delegate to N.Z.A.S.S. H.B. centre, Mr K. Daniel; hon. auditor, Mr C. H. Bisson; executive committee, Messrs Clarke, Thomas, Laurie, Mrs D. Scarfe, Messrs A. W. H. King, H. V. Phillips, K. Daniel, K. Bryant; honorary secretary, Miss Laurie; honorary treasurer, Mr K. Bryant.

Raid Coincided With Speech

R.A.F. AT MUNICH

Western Europe Scored By 'Planes

WIDESPREAD ATTACKS

The newspapers today give great prominence to accounts of the R.A.F. raid on Munich on Friday night. The bombing of Munich was only part of a series of raids described as the most widespread in the history of the R.A.F.

Described by the Air Ministry news service as "one of the heaviest and most concentrated attacks yet launched by the R.A.F. against a single objective," the raid on Munich was directed against railway stations and goods-yards in Central Munich.

The reports of the bomber crews on their return indicated that very severe damage must have been inflicted in the hour and a-half or more during which the drone of British planes was heard in the very heart of the city and close to its principal resorts, where the targets lay.

Newspapers state that, according to reliable sources, one stick of bombs over-shot its mark and hit a famous beer cellar, starting a large fire.

MORE AMERICAN AID FOR BRITAIN'S WAR CAMPAIGN

Empire Pilots Will Receive Winter Training At Texas Fields

Arrangements for the transfer from Canada to the United States for the winter of a proportion of men undergoing training under the Empire Air Scheme have been completed, according to advice brought from the United States by one of the travellers on Pan American Airways' American Clipper.

It was stated that this new development represented the latest aid given by the United States to Britain's war effort.

Although no official announcement has yet been made, it was stated that some men, possibly including New Zealanders under training, would transfer from Canada to air stations in Texas so that their training would not be interrupted by the heavy snow of the Canadian winter. Texas was stated to be an ideal district for the purpose, as in normal circumstances it was possible to continue flying training throughout the winter.

Other advantages likely to result from the transfer would be the easier and more rapid delivery of training aircraft from American factories.

It was reported that an arrangement for some of the men to go to Texas had been completed after discussions, so that there would be no interruption in the stream of fully-trained air crews which Britain would require to man her growing number of aircraft.

CHALLENGE BY INTERJECTOR

WANTED TIME ON THE PLATFORM

MR NASH'S DEFENDER

Mr W. J. Polson Speaks At Waipukurau

When Mr W. J. Polson, M.P. for Stratford, speaking at Waipukurau last night, criticised the Hon. W. Nash when dealing with the recent Daily Conference, he was drowned by Mr Polson. The speaker, who prompted the chairman (Mr R. W. Carpenter) to rise to order.

An interjector, Mr J. McCarthy, deputy-Mayor of Waipukurau, challenged the chairman's ruling and said that he would leave the hall if he was given 10 minutes on the platform to repudiate what the speaker had said. This challenge was not accepted, and the interjector left the hall amid loud cheers.

Prior to the close of the meeting Mr P. Wall, in the audience, asked the chairman if he (the Mayor) was in order in asking the interjector to leave the hall. The Mayor then stated: "I said: 'If the interjector does not keep quiet he will have to leave the hall.'"

Well, Mr Mayor, Mr McCarthy shouted he had left the hall," said Mr Wall. This met with applause from the majority of the audience.

There was not a large attendance but the meeting was enlivened by several storms of interjections. Mr Carpenter said he would have to call on several occasions and warn the interjectors that if they persisted he would have no alternative but to ask them to leave the hall. A vote of thanks to the speaker was carried.

"Dead as Julius Caesar" "Mr Webb, speaking to the ministers at Deniston did nothing but discuss the policy of the Labour Party," said Mr Polson. "When we win this war the capitalist will be as dead as Julius Caesar and we want to see Socialisation complete throughout the country."

"While Mr Webb was making this statement the Prime Minister was appealing to the capitalist for money and help to win the war, said Mr Polson. "I do not defend the present capitalist system, and by the way this war is being fought by capitalists. Further we must not tolerate the profiteer, and he must be wiped out if we are to win the war."

"The present Government promised to put an end to borrowing, as past Governments had borrowed too much," continued the speaker. "This was one of the main planks in the Government's policy, but since they have been in power they have increased the public debt by £100,000,000."

"I believe in good housing conditions for the people, and I would like to see the Government do a good housing policy a hundred per cent," declared Mr Polson.

"A voice: Hear, hear!" "But," continued Mr Polson, "the present housing policy is clearly against private enterprise."

NEED FOR DOMESTIC ECONOMY

Mr Harker Well Received At Ongaonga

A large audience assembled to hear the National Party candidate in the Waipawa by-election, Mr C. G. E. Harker, speak at Ongaonga last night. Mr A. J. Parker presided.

At the opening of the meeting the audience stood to sing the national anthem and to the memory of the late Mr Neville Chamberlain.

Among other things, Mr Harker dealt with the questions of reconstruction and rehabilitation after the war, and stressed the necessity for a strict scrutiny of all Government expenditure in order that the "new Diggers" on their return should not suffer from waste and extravagance on the home front while fighting for their country.

A vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Mr Duncan Holden and seconded by Mr W. J. Buchanan and carried by acclamation. The meeting ended with cheers for the candidate and the signing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

HOME GUARD FORMED AT HAVELOCK N.

The possibility of Waimarama's forming a mountain unit in the Home Guard was mentioned by Mr A. R. Greenwood at last night's meeting of the Havelock North Town Board. The clerk of the board (Mr W. H. Anderson) reported that at the public meeting to organise the Home Guard at Havelock North, 51 names had been forwarded.

The meeting, which was largely attended, was addressed by the district organiser (Captain J. Turnbull). The area commander of the Home Guard, Mr S. I. Dixon, also spoke briefly. It was decided that the first parade of the Home Guard should take place to-morrow evening, when a local commander will be appointed.

Rumanian 'Quake Recorded

N.Z. OBSERVATIONS

The Rumanian earthquake was recorded strongly by the seismograph at the Dominion Observatory, Kellburn.

The acting-director of observation (Mr R. C. Hayes) said today that the instruments had started recording the earthquake about 2 p.m. on Sunday and had continued for over two hours. There had not been time to study the records properly, but some of the movements were quite considerable.

Earthquakes in Southern Europe were not usually recorded strongly in Wellington, but the latest was apparently more deep-seated than most, said Mr Hayes. The record was not quite as big as that made by the earthquake in Turkey last December, but the Rumanian earthquake would probably be recorded all over the world.

MAN THROWN FROM HORSE

Slight facial abrasions and concussion were suffered by a man believed to be Charles Patrick Smith. It appears that the injured man was thrown from his horse some time last evening. He was found unconscious on the side of the road at Taradale shortly after 10 p.m. After receiving attention from Dr A. C. Will he was admitted to the Napier Hospital and late last night his condition was reported to be satisfactory.



EMERGENCY PLAN FOR ATTACK OR EPIDEMIC

Hastings Will Provide 1000 Hospital Beds And Transport

"It is anticipated that in the very near future we will have a complete hospital scheme to provide 1000 beds and all emergency ambulance services needed in the case of an enemy action or to deal with any virulent epidemic," said the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) in an interview yesterday.

Mr Maddison said that a meeting had been held of the chairman of the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board (Mr C. Lassen), members of the board, Hastings doctors and the transport committee of the Hastings Emergency Precautions organisation. Preliminary steps were taken at this meeting.

All transport facilities were being organised so that the population could be taken from any part of this district to other places in Hawke's Bay in a few hours, said Mr Maddison. The emergency precautions organisation is ready to co-operate with the military forces at a moment's notice.

Mr Maddison spoke of the many offers of assistance received from owners of private motor vehicles, and said that they would be used to best advantage.

Within a few days the training of women ambulance drivers is to begin at Hastings. The course of instruction will include convoy work, maintenance of the vehicles and the driving of ambulances.

Heavy Debt On Riding

WAIKARE'S TROUBLES

Council Rejects Plan To Pool Funds

ASSISTANCE NEEDED

A motion by Mr F. K. Wilkie (Waikare riding) that the riding system in the Hawke's Bay County be abolished was rejected by a large majority at yesterday's meeting of the council.

Mr Wilkie said that ratepayers in Waikare riding had approached the Minister of Internal Affairs to have the riding debt liquidated. The Minister had replied asking them to take the matter up with the council, and if the council was not prepared to take the matter further, the Minister would do so.

Mr W. Tucker strongly opposed the abolition of the ridings system, and contended that no good would come from the pooling of funds.

The present was not the time to bring forward such a motion, said Mr W. Tucker. He recognised the difficulties of the outlying ridings, and considered that the Government would have to give them further assistance by way of subsidies.

HASTINGS CONVENT EXAMINATIONS

Book-Keeping Results

PUPILS IN THREE GRADES

Percentage Passes

Following are the Hastings Convent School results of the book-keeping examination held by the Southern Cross Commercial College—

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Advanced Grade: Heke Hone 72 per cent., Kathleen Sullivan 70, Lorna Usherwood 70, Kathleen Zaffra 70, Marjorie Bell 68, Christopher Norman 65.

PROCEEDS TO APPEAL FUND

Summer Flower Show At Hastings

Final arrangements in connection with the Hastings Horticultural Society's summer flower show have been completed and judges as under have been appointed—

Roses, Mr G. D. Wilson; sweet peas, Mrs J. Mercer; decorative, Mrs Athol Williams; miscellaneous, Mr J. G. McKenzie.

In addition to the competitive classes, special floral displays and trade exhibits have been arranged. Entries for the show close on Wednesday next and as the whole of the net proceeds have been donated to the "Heart-to-Heart" £1,000,000 appeal it is hoped that all possible will show.

Exhibitors should note that there is now no limitation on the length of stem on which blooms may be exhibited. In addition, the usual produce stall will be held in conjunction with the show. Schedules are available at all seedsmen in Hastings.

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A rank injustice was being done both to the county and to the men, who did not want the allowance, Mr Beamish continued. He asked how his riding could be expected to balance its budget when it was expected to find another £130 which it had not bargained for.

The clerk (Mr W. J. O'Connell) said that legal opinion had been obtained to the effect that the council would have to pay the money.

Mr W. Tucker moved that the action should be deferred so that the position would receive publicity, the cost to be borne by the general ratepayers.

This course was agreed to.

Travelling Allowance A claim by the Department of Labour for extra travelling time for certain relief labour employed on drainage also came in for criticism.

Mr C. Lassen said that the casual labourers were already receiving an hour more than the permanent employees of the council, and were also getting cycle allowance.

"The men were given employment at the request of the Labour Department," he said. "The engineer asked for Hastings men and was not informed that these workers lived at Havelock North. The whole thing makes one sick."

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It was decided to enter a strong protest.

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SOME METHODS OF PREVENTION ANNUAL LOSSES

Treatment Can Help Considerably

Loss through the death of a considerable number of affected animals, through loss of condition, and through damage to wool and the labour and expense involved in prevention and treatment, contribute to make blowfly strike in sheep one of the more troublesome diseases with which the farmer has to cope.

Bowfly strike arises from the presence of maggots hatched from eggs laid on the living sheep by certain types of blowfly. The flies lay clusters of light yellow eggs on carcasses, wounds or soiled wool; in from eight hours to three days the maggots hatch, and begin to feed.

A struck sheep usually stands with its head down, but it may be readily noticed that the animal is not feeding peacefully. It may attempt to bite the affected part, which is causing it considerable irritation, and an examination of the affected part will reveal a moist patch or pocket of wool, a dirty brown-green in colour.

Condition May Spread

If the animal is left untreated the condition may become very extensive, with considerable loss of wool and of condition. Often, when the results, is probably due to the absorption of poisonous substances due to bacteria.

In a survey of the measures recommended a Canterbury Chamber of Commerce bulletin states that with the reduction of the blowfly population by means such as the poisoning of carcasses, or the use of unpoisoned carcasses suspended as bait over a tank of water with a film of kerosene on top. These can the maggots as they fall after feeding, but most such traps are expensive in view of the fact that one trap to every 10 or 15 acres is believed to be necessary.

Selection For Breeding

The selection of sheep for breeding purposes is recommended as a help. Crutching, if properly carried out, is of undoubted value, and the treatment of any wounds on the sheep is advisable.

Jetting, the operation whereby any parts likely to be struck are sprayed with a selected fluid through a cable advice received by the returned Soldiers' Association, the British Legion, Townswomen's Guild and Legion of Frontiersmen, as well as private tributes.

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Hospital Building Plan Held Up

WELLINGTON VISIT

Terror and Strain

PATRIOTIC DANCE AT HASTINGS

KING'S BIRTHDAY CRICKET

Napier-Hastings Games Arranged

Arrangements for representative cricket matches between Napier and Hastings, to be played on the King's Birthday (November 25) were made at last night's meeting of the committee of the Hawke's Bay Cricket Association at Napier. Mr H. F. Forster presided.

The senior selector (Mr F. F. Cane) stated that the prospects for a match against Wairarapa on Christmas were not bright, as many players would not be available. It was, however, still possible that a team would be assembled.

RAID BY NAPIER POLICE LEADS TO COURT CHARGE

"Jehovah's Witness" Adherents Arrested In Camp By Tutaekuri

Following a raid on their tent, which was pitched underneath some trees on the banks of the Tutaekuri at Hakowhi, about 12 miles from Napier, three youthful members of the sect known as "Jehovah's Witnesses" were arrested and brought to Napier early yesterday morning.

Setting out from Napier early on Sunday evening, a police party under the direction of Detective-Sergeant H. Nuttall reached the roadside camp about 10 p.m. There the police awaited the return of the men, who had apparently been attending a meeting in Hastings.

Shortly after 2 a.m. small bicycle lights were observed to be approaching in the direction of the camp. The police party moved in on the newcomers and they were arrested and brought to Napier at 2.20 a.m. yesterday.

Late yesterday afternoon, William Arthur Roberts, aged 21, a farmhand of no fixed abode, and Edward Douglas Ridling, aged 18 years, described as a farmhand and a native of Australia, appeared before Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the Magistrate's Court.

They were charged with being in possession of six copies of a booklet entitled "Cure" with a view to facilitating the publication of a subversive statement contrary to the Public Safety Emergency Regulations.

The third member of the party appeared before the Children's Court to face a similar charge.

On the application of Detective-Sergeant J. McClung the accused were remanded until Monday.

It is alleged that a large quantity of "Watch Tower" literature and a number of "Judge" Rutherford's recorded speeches were recovered from the camp.

Both men pleaded not guilty and were remanded to appear next Monday.

The men were quite recently interviewed by the police and they knew that the organisation had been declared to be subversive, said Detective-Sergeant J. McClung when application was made for bail. Yesterday they were found carrying on with their work.

Oliver came from Australia and had no fixed abode. Prout came from the North Island and they were both travelling through this island.

The Magistrate: Birds of passage, are they?

Detective-Sergeant McClung: Yes, Bail was fixed at £300 with two sureties of £300, in each case. In addition, the men were ordered to report daily to the police.

RECRUITS EXAMINED

Fifty-three recruits of surname initial A, B and C drawn in the last Territorial ballot were examined at a medical board at the Hastings Drill Hall last night. Supper was provided by the Community Club.

Memoranda

Considerable interest attaches to the visit to Hastings to-day by Mr S. G. Holland, M.P. for Christchurch North. He is to speak in the Assembly Hall, Hastings, this evening.

The first prize of £100 in the Hastings Combined Sports Clubs' Committee's art union was won by Mr. Joseph, Racecourse Road, Palmerston North. Other prizes went to E. J. Lyons, Hastings; E. Lyons, Greenhill; Hastings; Jack Hall, Wallingford; Mrs C. J. Halligan, Hastings; and Eileen von Datzelzen, Havelock North.

NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL PARTY

MR S. G. HOLLAND MR S. G. HOLLAND MR S. G. HOLLAND MR S. G. HOLLAND (M.P. for Christchurch North)

Will address a Public Meeting in the ASSEMBLY HALL, HASTINGS, ASSEMBLY HALL, HASTINGS, TO-NIGHT (TUESDAY), NOV. 12, TO-NIGHT (TUESDAY), NOV. 12, At 8 p.m.

MR G. A. Maddison, Mayor of Hastings, will be in the chair.

NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL PARTY, WAIPAWA BY-ELECTION WAIPAWA BY-ELECTION MR C. G. E. HARKER

Will Address Electors as follows: TO-NIGHT TUESDAY, NOV. 12: WAIMARAMA, 8 p.m., WEDNESDAY, NOV. 13: Wanstead School, 7 p.m., Wallingford Hall, 8.30 p.m., THURSDAY, NOV. 14: Pukeora Sanatorium, 2.30 p.m., MUNICIPAL THEATRE, WAIKURAU, with Mr S. G. Holland, M.P. (Ch.Ch. North), 8 p.m., MUNICIPAL THEATRE, WAIKURAU, with Mr W. J. Broadfoot, M.P. (Waitomo), 8 p.m., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15: ODDFELLOWS' HALL, HASTINGS, 8 p.m.

HOLLAND MR S. G. HOLLAND M.P. (Ch.Ch. North), M.P. (Christchurch North), ASSEMBLY HALL, HASTINGS, TO-NIGHT (TUESDAY), NOV. 12, 8 p.m., MUNICIPAL THEATRE, WAIKURAU, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 8 p.m., MR W. J. BROADFOOT, M.P. (Waitomo), WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13—TIKOKINO, 8.15 p.m., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14—WAIKURAU MUNICIPAL THEATRE, 8 p.m., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15—HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN HALL, 8 p.m., INQUIRERS, PLEASE RING: Hastings, 4190, Waipawa 64, Waipukurau 372.

Women's Singles: Glyn and Fowler 7, Geor and Mangos 3; Emms and Brooker 4, Miers and Tacon 7.

Women's Doubles: Miss J. Jenkins and Mrs Emms 7, Mrs Tacon and Miss McKeegan 4; Miss J. Jenkins and Mrs Skittrup 7, Miss White and Mrs Miers 3.

Combined Doubles: Glyn and Fowler 7, Geor and Mangos 3; Emms and Brooker 4, Miers and Tacon 7. Women's Doubles: Miss J. Jenkins and Mrs Emms 7, Mrs Tacon and Miss McKeegan 4; Miss J. Jenkins and Mrs Skittrup 7, Miss White and Mrs Miers 3.



Outsiders Fight Out Derby Finish

ENRICH CONFOUNDS CRITICS

Kentucky And Globe Trotter Successful

"Daily Mail" Special Service CHRISTCHURCH, Nov. 11.

The result of the 1940 New Zealand Derby completely confounded the critics and was a repetition of last year's form when Beauivre went on from success in the Stewards' Handicap to annex the classic. However, whereas Beauivre had little real opposition in the Derby, Enrich appeared to be meeting a really high class field to-day.

There may be excuses offered for the beaten favourites, especially Belle Cane, who appeared to get on to the heels of another horse going out of the straight, but Enrich won too well for anything to detract from his triumph. His success emphasised the luck of the racing game for he was bred by the late Wm. Higgins, whose one ambition was to win a Derby with a horse of his own breeding. He bred both Beauivre and Enrich, but they were both sold at the disposal sale of his stock after his death, Enrich being bought as a yearling for 225gns.

Enrich followed Don't Forget throughout and, although the Dunedin Guineas winner battled on gamely, Enrich wore him down in the last furlong to win going away. It was an impressive performance and it once more showed the liking this sale-ring bargain has for Riccarton, for he equalled the New Zealand record for five furlongs on this track last November.

Enrich, on to-day's form, appears to be another Beauivre and it is unlikely that the best has yet been seen of him.

UPON Don't Forget devolved the responsibility of making the running and the southern gelding made a gallant attempt to lead throughout. Momentarily, at the false rail when Enrich put in his first serious claims, it looked as if Don't Forget would come away again, but the challenger was relentless and he was forced to give way half a furlong from home.

Don't Forget led out of the straight with a break of a couple of lengths from Sir Beau and Sir Cameron, with Enrich next, but Belle Cane appears to cut in too quickly and she stumbled, nearly upsetting her rider. There was no change for the first half of the journey, but Enrich began to work forward at the six furlongs where he took second place from Sir Beau, who was then clear of Beau Leon and Sir Cameron.

Lambourn began a forward move at the half mile and the field was bunched turning for home, with Belle Cane showing up wide out. Lambourn's effort was short-lived and Belle Cane dropped back again, but Sir Beau looked for a while as if he might be dangerous when he ran past Sir Beau, but the dividend payers were going as well as anything at the finish.

Easy for Muffler Muffler, who commenced racing only this season, scored a stylish win in the Middleton Handicap. The Riccarton gelding was bowling along freely and nothing looked like

BRED FROM A FINE FAMILY MUFFLER, the winner of the Middleton Handicap at Riccarton yesterday, has done very little racing, but his success was not unexpected for he finished strongly to run a good second to the consistent Cymric at Rangiora on Labour Day. He had previously raced three times without getting into the money, but his work at Riccarton has shown a steady improvement. Muffler, who is raced by the Christchurch veteran Mr Murray-Ainsley, comes from a great family and his dam, Muff, is a half-sister to Silver Seorn and Disdain. These two well-performed gallopers were bred from an owner-sister to the dam of the N.Z. Cup winner Chide. Muffler should hold his own in good handicap company later on.

seriously troubling him after heads were turned for home. A half-brother by Myosotis to Rebellion, Muffler is bred from a half-sister to Silver Seorn and Disdain and his form suggests that he will have little difficulty in holding his own in handicap company later on.

The consistent King's Toast was always handy. He made a dab at the pacemaker at the false rail, but could make no impression on Muffler. Gay Thread put in a strong run from the straight entrance and finished fast to cut Dranoel out of third money.

Sir Frederick showed up coming into the straight, but could not go on with it.

A Great Finish The Irwell Handicap was productive of a great finish, but it was unfortunate that Flying Spray came

down half a furlong from home when she was disputing the issue with Drake's Drum, the latter appearing to suffer a slight check.

Corn Prince, who showed promise at Trentham, was the winner and he achieved success as the result of a fine effort wide out on the track. It was a good performance, but the improving Drake's Drum might have been harder to catch but for his check. Drake's Drum is a fine big colt by Theo from Tame

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GAYEST SON'S fine second to Belle Cane at Riccarton on Saturday suggests that the Hastings gelding will be hard to beat in his remaining engagements at the N.Z. Cup fixture.

furlong of the Criterion Handicap saw him reveal unexpected stamina to come along in the concluding stages to beat the pace-maker Lord Nuffield rather easily. It was yet another reverse for the punters for the placed horses were the outsiders of the field.

Lord Nuffield was attended throughout by Kentucky, but Poutata (after a slow start), Endorsement, Wild Career and Spanish Lad were handy to them. Wild Career drifted near the three furlongs and Lord Nuffield had the call over Kentucky into the straight, with Spanish Lad, Not Out and Endorsement just in behind them. Lord Nuffield led to the last furlong, but he then had to give way to Kentucky, who had appeared to have had enough at the false rail.

Endorsement, who was doing as well as anything in the final furlong, was a good third, with the hot favourite Not Out next.

Globe Trotter Again The Derby winner's brother Globe Trotter kept the family well in the limelight by adding the Fendalton Handicap to his first day's win and he justified his backing down to staunch favouritism. After having

a perfect run on the rails throughout he came through the false rail just as Wardness had taken over control and, although there was a sharp tussle between the pair for a furlong, Globe Trotter gained the upper hand and won going away.

Wardness, who had run a sound race in the Cup, again performed solidly, but met a better horse on the day and was not disgraced. The Esker, after having to cover a little extra ground as they straightened up, came home well for third, being clear of the long-priced Night Pal.

The next to finish were Settlement and Pearl of Asia, who came fast into the picture in the straight after being badly left. They could not go on with it, however. Sword-stick and Lockit were prominent to the straight, but then retired.

Three in a Line Symbol made her successes three in a line when she captured the Randolph Handicap, in which she led throughout. This Gascony-Symbollo filly, who is a sister to Symony and a half-sister to The Crooner, was bought at the National Sales for 120gns, and appears to be a bargain. She should win in much better company than this.

Leighnor, who was backed down to favouritism, followed Symbol throughout and looked likely to come through to the lead when he challenged at the false rail. However, Symbol had not been called on for her effort and she came again over the last half furlong.

Wild Con appeared to be the unlucky runner of the race. He missed the jump-out, being checked when Blue Abbey lost his rider. However, he ran up smartly at the half mile and was in behind Symbol, Leighnor, Nightshift and Gay Thread as they entered the straight. He came home strongly and just failed to reach Leighnor.

Nightshift was fourth, but Pleading had anything but a good run in the straight, being checked by tiring horses when making a run.

Sham Raid made most of the early running, but gave way in the last furlong and Stylist, who had been fairly wide out on the track, ran on into second place from Omapo, who came through on the inner from the straight entrance.

Nothing in the race finished better than Princess Minerva, who was not sighted until the last furlong and a longer race should suit this mare, who was having her first race since last winter.

Rawahamai, Puella, Enticing and Big Game were prominent as they came on the course properly, but they failed to run on. Sweet Mystery and Myriad were slow off the mark.

Stamina Improved Kentucky faded badly over the business stages of the Stewards' Handicap on Saturday, but the extra

British Talent in Top Form An Easy Victory LED ALL THE WAY AT AVONDALE

(Daily Mail Special Service) AUCKLAND, Nov. 10. By leading all the way in the King George Handicap yesterday, British Talent gave easily the best performance of his career. He is a five-year-old by British King from Florent and his last previous success was in the second division of the Jervois Handicap at Ellerslie in June. He paid nearly a score to win and an equally good place price.

The winner led out from Cheval de Volée (the favourite), Valamito, Rarotonga and Golden Sheila, and half-way through the race, Rarotonga, Cheval de Volée and Valamito were bunched behind him, the other three runners also being together. From the half-mile to the straight, they were again strung out at two-length intervals, but at the straight bottom Valamito and Cheval de Volée again closed on the pace-maker.

However, British Talent, under pressure, went away again, but he was again pressed at the finish to beat Cheval de Volée by a head and Rarotonga by a long neck. Valamito was a poor fourth.

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DERBY DAY AT RICCARTON

ENRICH OUTSTAYS DON'T FORGET

CORN PRINCE WINS

By Telegraph-Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Nov. 11. The Canterbury Jockey Club's spring meeting continued at Riccarton in fine weather before a good attendance. The track was fast. The totalisator handled 444,195, compared with 440,491 last year, an increase of 3704. The results are:—

MIDDLETON HANDICAP, Of 250, 9 furlongs. 2-3-MUFFLER, G. Murray-Ainsley's b g by Myosotis-Muffs, 3 yrs., 9.2 (F. Mackie) 1 1-1-KING'S TOAST, 10.10 (G. Ridgway) 2 8-7-GAY THREAD, 9.9 (I. Walther) 3 Also started: 4-4 Dranoel, 10.0; 3-2 Arabic, 9.11; 5-5 Sir Frederick, 9.8; 6-6 Twenty Grand, 9.1; 7-8 Ageratum, 9.0. Three lengths each way. Dranoel was fourth. Time, 1:53 3-5.

IRWELL HANDICAP, Of 300, 4 furlongs. 4-4-CORN PRINCE, P. Curtis's b g by Iliad-Corn Queen, 2 yrs., 8.6 (B. H. Morris) 1 8-9-DRAKE'S DRUM, 7.12 (W. J. Mudford) 2 2-3-VARUNA, 8.1 (W. Broughton) 3 Also started: 5-5 Dash o' Dublin, 8.8; 3-2 Monetary, 8.6; 1-1 Flying Spray, 8.5; 6-6 Desert Maid, 8.5; 16-15 Alibon, 8.5; 14-17 Rora Hiko, 8.7; 15-14 Lindus, 8.5; 13-12 As Required, 8.3; 9-8 Palfrey, 8.1; 17-17 Miss Dignity, 8.0; 10-11 Repaire, 8.0; 11-10 Doric Mist, 7.12; 7-7 Miss Jessica, 7.12; 12-14 Comforter, 7.12.

Half a length each way. Monetary was fourth. Time, 47.3-5.

STROWAN PLATE, Of 250, 6 furlongs. 4-5-EULOGIST, J. H. Prosser's b c by Myosotis-Motoua, 3 yrs., 8.0 (S. Green) 1 1-1-STYLIST, 8.7 (W. Broughton) 2 17-15-OMAPO, 8.7 (Johnson) 3 Also started: 2-3-23 Box On, 8.7; 11-11 Palo Alto, 8.7; 16-16 Princess Mirerva, 8.7; 14-17 Rora Hiko, 8.7; 15-14 Safe Light, 8.7; 22-22 Sham Raid, 8.7; 3-3 Sweet Mystery, 8.7; 18-18 Very Happy, 8.7; 5-5 Big Game, 8.0; 8-8: 19-19 Bright Lad, 8.0; 13-12 Condit, 8.0; 20-20 Enticing, 8.0; 8-10 Gold Nugget, 8.0; 21-21 Invincible, 8.0; 24-24 Jacksonville, 8.0; 9-8 Lockheed, 8.0; 12-13 Make Play, 8.0, bracketed with Master Flash, 8.0; 7-7 Myriad, 8.0, bracketed with Puella, 8.0; 2-2 Rawahamai, 8.0, bracketed with Red Ace, 8.0, car. 8.6; 6-4 Stock Exchange, 8.0, bracketed with Stylosa, 8.0, car. 8.5; 10-9 Welsh Fusilier, 8.0, car. 8.2, bracketed with Whiphand, 8.0.

Three lengths; half a length. Prince Minerva was fourth. Time, 1:12 1-5.

NEW ZEALAND DERBY STAKES, Of 1500, 13 miles. 5-5-ENRICH, R. Berryman and E. S. Craig's b c by Safari-Sight Draft, 8.10 (G. R. Tattersall) 1 6-6-DON'T FORGET, M. G. Louisson's b c by Myosotis-Skyrest, 8.10 (P. Spratt) 2 4-1-BEAU LEON, E. H. Cucksey's b c by Beau Pere-Lady Bede, 8.10 (W. Broughton) 3

used, by his death last year necessitated the selling up of his horses in training, his own stock and his brood mares. The joy of leading in a Derby winner was not to be his.

Beauivre, who proved himself the best two-year-old of the season, was sold in training, his own stock for 2000 guineas, but he proved a bargain before he left New Zealand, winning nine of his eleven races, including the N.Z. Derby.

At the Higgins Dispersal Sale at Trentham one of the lots was a yearling son of Mr E. C. Harnett for 2000 guineas, but he proved a bargain before he left New Zealand, winning nine of his eleven races, including the N.Z. Derby.

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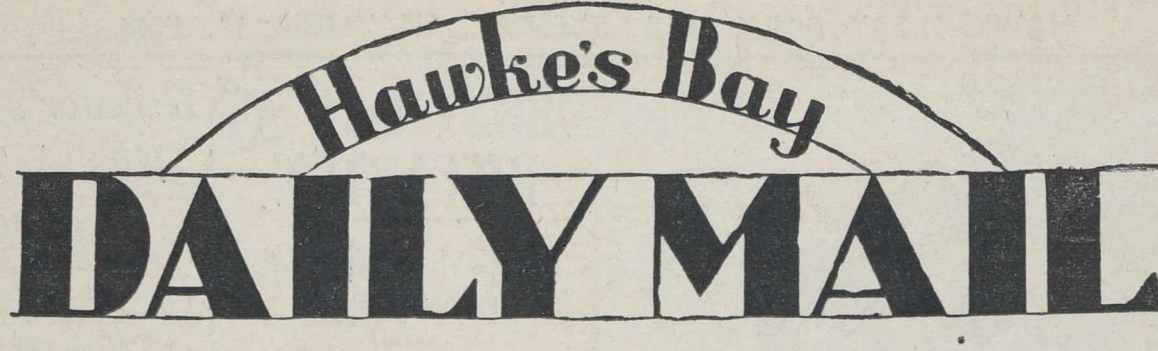


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**WAIPIKURAU YARDS.**  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1940.  
Sale will commence at 10.30 a.m. No stock will be yarded before noon later than 12 noon.  
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50 Fat Ewes.  
80 2/4-6th Wethers.  
50 Shorn Ewe and Wether Lambs.  
CATTLE—  
8 Fat Cows and Heifers.  
2 Dairy Cows and Heifers in profit and to calve.  
15 1/2-yr. Heifers.  
15 3-yr. Steers.  
3 Bulls (S.H.).  
PIGS—  
4 Pigs.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1940.  
The sale will commence at 10 a.m. with fat cattle.  
No stock will be yarded before 5.30 a.m. until further notice.  
The times for commencing selling will be as follows: Beef cattle 10 a.m., store sheep 11 a.m., fat sheep at 30 minutes after completion of fat cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are finished before that hour. Store cattle not earlier than 12 noon.  
SHEEP—  
100 Fat Ewes.  
50 Breeding Ewes (Lambs at foot).  
300 2-4th Ewes.  
280 2/4-6th Wethers.  
CATTLE—  
15 Fat Bullocks.  
11 f. and f. Bullocks.  
52 Fat Cows and Heifers.  
2 Vealers.  
121 1/2-yr. Heifers.  
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9 Bulls (P.A.).  
301 1/2-yr. Steers.  
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**SALES FOR NOVEMBER:**  
Waipukurau: 12, 19, 26.  
Stortford Lodge: 13, 20, 27.

**WAIROA SALE YARDS.**  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1940.  
(Commencing 11.30 a.m.)  
All Sheep should be dipped before being offered for sale.

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**CATTLE—**  
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