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ACTION POSSIBLE IN

A WEEK

Major Expansion Plan

Revealed

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Major Expansion.

FOUR SHIPS SUNK

German Raider's Deadly

LIFEBOATS PICKED UP

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Japan is believed to be perched on

SHANGHAI, Nov. 13.

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AXIS SEEKS A PARTNER

Mussolini's Roman Warrior Pose Not Helpful

(British Official Wireless.) (Received November 14, 6.0 p.m.)

RUGBY, Nov. 13. Speaking in London the Secretary for India (the Rt. Hon.

as "a military design aimed as a blow at our heart Poland, Mr Amery continued, was destroyed to clear Hitler's rear, and the conquest of the Low Countries and France were successive steps to bring Britain within range of fighter aircraft so that an overwhelming blow might be delivered at British production after destroying the R.A.F.

L. M. S. Amery), described the German policy over past years

"The courage of a few thousand well-trained young men and the spirit of the great nation wrecked that plan," Mr Amery said. He described the battle which the R..A.F. had won as one which in this war would figure as the Battle of the Marne did in the last.

Invasion's Small Chance. Although invasion might be tried, Mr Amery continued, it now had a very much slighter chance of suc- SINGAPORE'S DANGER The first design against Britain having failed, what Mr Amery described as "the second great de sign" was now being staged.

For success, Mr Amery continued, much depended on who could be called, bribed or bullied into taking part with the Axis Powers.

Terrible Menace.

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Extending from Gibraltar to Singapore, from Morocco to Indo-China, the main plan constituted a terrible menace which must not be underestimated. Although the first move—the Nazification of Rumania—succeeded, the Italian effort against Greece "was becoming somewhat agitated." Mussolini, while posing as a Roman warrior restoring the glories of ancient Rome, forgot that the Roman Empire had grown by character and that her distinguishing feature was law, not lawlessness.

"He also forgot," said Mr Amery, "that before there was an ancient Roman Empire there was an ancient Greece, the spirit of which still lives."

SHANGHAL, Nov. 16.

Japan is believed to be perched on the verge of another major southward push aimed at the Saigon naval base, French Indo-China, possibly following an announcement of a Russian-Japanese rapprochement from Berlin.

Foreign intelligence reports state that heavy Japanese concentrations at Hainan, Haiphong, and Kwang-chowan are standing by awaiting orders to board many transports for the south.

Inspired Japanese reports throughout the week indicate that Saigon, the capital of French Indo-China, is the objective.

BULLET-PROOF CAR FOR QUEEN

Sirens Shriek On Way To West End

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Nov. 14, 9 p.m.) LONDON, Nov. 13.

The Queen in a bullet-proof car drove to the West End this morn-

The sirehs sounded when the Queen was about to leave the palace and as a result it was decided to

MR HARKER'S WAR RECORD

SPIRITED DEFENCE BY MR BROADFOOT

WAIPAWA ADDRESS

"Baseless And Beneath

Contempt" (Daily Mail Special Service)

WAIPAWA.

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The Labour candidate is apparently using personal attacks to cover his inability to defend the professed policy of the Labour Party, as represented by their numerous broken promises," said Mr W. J. Broadfoot, M.P., for Waitomo, speaking at Waipawa last night.

"Inuendoes have been levelled at Mr Harker's war record. When he went into the army he was faced with a grave issue, either to have a serious eye operation or to be discharged from the forces. He elected to have the operation and to remain in the forces and go overseas.

"No man is his own master in the army and he carried on the duties assigned to him with credit to himself and the Dominion. Mr Harker was elected by the Waipawa Returned Soldiers' Association for seven years as its president. Surely that speaks volumes for the regard in which he is held by the regard in which he is held by the Waipawa Returned Soldiers' Association for seven years as its president. Surely that speaks volumes for the regard in which he is held by the re-

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turned soldiers of the district.
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"The inuendoes against Mr Harker as a professional man are base. less and beneath contempt. He rightly has ignored them."

State Socialism.

As against the principle of the National Party the Labour Party stood for State Socialism, of his address. State Socialism was the example to-day, soil Mr Broadfoot in the course of his address. State Socialism State ownership of capital and land and in addition State operant State ownership of capital and land and in addition State operant of the outbreak of war, are large ship with picked up their lifeboats 36 hours after the attack. The survivors said they were attacked at night by a large ship with heavy guns. The raider's fire was deadly accurate. One boat from each ship is still missing.

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JAPAN'S CLAIMS DEFINED

AUSTRALIA WANTED LATER

AMERICA'S PART

Showdown Held To Be Necessary

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Japan's New Order in Asia has een clearly defined by Admiral Sankichi Takahashi, former commander-in-chief of the Japanese Navy and a member of the Supreme women of Epirus, also old men and War Council, in the Japanese children, took over the supply serperiodical "Himode."

Japan demands Manchukuo, China, Burma, the Straits Settlements, New Caledonia, New Guinea, the Philippines and Indo-China.
Admiral Takahashi SOUTHWARD PUSH Admiral Takanasni says unac Australia and the Dutch East Indies can be included later. says that and ammmunition.

America's Part Vice-Admiral Hamada says that America's participation in the Euro-pean war would automatically involve Japan, but that the Japanese alliance with Italy and Germany would probably delay action.

He explained that war could not

would make necessary a showdown between America and Japan. United States Defied

MARTINIQUE DECISION

Trusteeship Intentions Rejected

TROOPS IN TRAINING

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An overseas News Agency copyright message from a correspondent who has just returned from Martinique, the French island in the West Indies, states that the French, under orders from Vichy, have rejected every United States proposal designed to keep the island from Germany Inspired Japanese reports throughout the week indicate that Saigon, the capital of French Indo-China, is the objective. Germany.

They are feverishly preparing the Informed quarters report that

is only the beginning of a major road barricades, and lighters

is only the beginning of a major expansion in southern Asia, possibly including the Dutch Indies.

Private reports from Bangkok, capital of Thailand (Siam) indicate that the Thailanders are heavily concentrated on the Indo-China frontier, which they are expected to cross early in December, when they will possibly be able to effect a junction with Japanese troops operating from Saigon, thereby outflanking

from Saigon, thereby outflanking Singapore and threatening Burma.
Thailand has been claiming an extension of her frontier with Indo-

Within a Week.

Informed quarters are increasingy convinced that, regardless of the lerlin announcement, Japan will

A fortnight ago, the freighter war period.

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Baltic States which had been tem-

Gestapo Agents The correspondent adds that a

off Formosa.

In Tokyo the Cabinet chief sec-French ship from Casablanca brought 80 "Poles and Czechs," alleged to be from the French Army, and infers that they are Gestapo retary announced that "complete agreement of views" had been reached regarding the China affair as the result of an imperial conference A South Seas Bureau has been formed within the Japanese Foreign Office under Mr Motji Saito, former Consul-General at Batavia, to handle affairs relating to the East Indies, the Philippines, Australia, New Zealand, British Oceania, and

the Antarctic, and also Thailand, Indo-China, Burma, Malaya, North Borneo and French Oceania. Ninety Survivors

NEW COMMANDER IN CHIEF

WIDE TERRITORY

Able Administrator And

Airman

(By Radio) United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Nov. 14, 12.45 p.m.)
ST.-JOHNS (Newfoundland),
Nov. 18.
Ninety survivors of four unidentified ships sunk by a Nazi raider have arrived aboard a ship which picked up their lifeboats 36 hours after the attack.

(By Radio)
Complete co-ordination of the defence forces in the East is envisaged in the appointment as Commander-in-Chief of Air-Chief-Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham. The new Commander-in-Chief will be stationed at Singapore and his authority will extend over Malaya, Burma, Hong Kong China the East Indies

Greek Women And Old Men Helped To Repel The Invader

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LONDON, Nov. 13. It is semi-officially stated in Athens that when the Italians

INDIA AND THE WAR

Gandhi Hopes Nazism

Will Be Defeated

NEW ACTIVITY

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says that the selected members of Congress who are promulgating Mr Gandhi's specific views, chiefly in the villages, indicate that Indian participation in the war is at odds with the Congress ideal of nonviolence.

violence.

The political policy of Gandhi supporters within Congress relegates to second place such political aims as early independence, the establishment of a national Government and settlement of domestic controlversies

xcessive embarrassment.

Imprisonment Invited

BIG BATTLE OVER

CHANNEL

Messerschmitt Raiders

SAVAGE ATTACK ON

COAST TOWN

Bombing Of London

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A big battle was fought between Hurricane and Messerschmitt fighters over the English Channel coast

on Wednesday after a squadron of German fighter-bombers had savagely dive-bombed a coastal town. Another squadron of raiders attempted to reach London via the Thomas Estuary, but the majority of them retreated without passing the outslying. An Italian 'nlane

Two stations of the American Ambulance were bombed in Tuesday night's raid on London. None of the

Cinema Hit Seven people were killed when a cinema was hit. There were only 60 people present. Many are still

A high-explosive bomb struck a public shelter in which nearly 80 persons were sheltering. It is feared that many were killed, including women and children.

girl drivers was injured.

LONDON, Nov. 13.

'The Times' Delhi correspondent

LONDON, Nov. 13.

invaded Greece they were confronted with only the Greek Eighth Division which was not reinforced. The Greeks, facing such formidable forces withdrew, allowing the Italians to climb the wooded northern slopes of the Pindus Mountains. Before the mobilisation was completed the Greek High Command ordered the contingents to

rush up to the nearest front without supply services. Meanwhile, another voluntary mobilisation occurred when the Congress Favours Non-Violence vices. They harnessed themselves to guns, carried shells on their shoul-

The patriotism of these people did in a few hours what well organised services in the rear could not have done amid the snows, trees and rocks of Pindus.

ders up the mountain slope, and

transported rifles, blankets, bread

Armed With Stones

Finally the Greek troops and also the villagers armed with stones be postponed indefinitely because directions beyond their control attack against the Italians, who retreated in disorder, but sacked the villages through which they passed.

A new Italian division is reported to have arrived on the Koritza front, increasing the strength to five

Italian bombers killed 50 and wounded 140 at Janina yesterday.

"The Times" Athens correspondent says that four fresh Italian dent says that four fresh Italian divisions have landed in Albania during the last few days. Two further divisions are reported to be held in readiness at Italian ports for embarkation to Albania.

A Rome message stated that Italian losses in the Greek campaign are 372 killed, 1000 wounded and 620 missing.

versies.

Mr Gandhi opposes Nazism and hopes that it will be defeated, but he does not agree with defeating it by violence. The majority of his followers do not endorse his views. His intention to limit the campaign to chosen individuals is claimed to reflect his anxiety to spare Britain excessive embarrassment.

Important Issue For Producers

POST-WAR MARKETS Mr H. M. Christie At

Pukehou

FUTURE PROBLEMS

Concern for the future welfare o primary producers was expressed by Mr H. M. Christie, Labour candidate for Waipawa, when he addressed a good audience at Pukehou last night. Mr Christie said it would be Verging on Revolution

The inhabitants are verying on the markets from which Britain revolution, but are unarmed.

The American 'planes from the French aircraft-carrier Bearn are in excellent condition and await only which metals from which Britain had formerly drawn supplies would be closed for a long time to come, and there would also be the problem of certain surplus products which metals are verying on the markets from which Britain had formerly drawn supplies would be closed for a long time to come, and there would also be the problem. which must accumulate during the

Berlin announcement, Japan will push southward within a week.

It is authoritatively stated at Hong Kong that the ban on British shipping going to Indo-China has been extended to Kwangchowan.

It is reliably reported that there is a large Japanese naval formation off Formasa.

Colombia, carrying many German baltic States which had been tempilots, mechanics, and technicians. She was seen alongside an unidentifying porarily overrun by the tide of war, had supplied over 200,000 tons of dairy produce to Britain before the blockade, says the correspondent, Martinique will be impregnable expensed or slaughtered by the Nazis there was reasonable ground for the supposition that they would not be in a consistent for a consistent formation of Formasa. supposition that they would not be in a position for a considerable time after the war to resume their former supplies to Britain, if they ever did.

An Italian 'plane crashed and exploded in the town

Impoverished Europe

Impoverished Europe
agents.

A United States destroyer patrols
Fort de France, capital of Martinique. Navy bombers from Puerto
Rico fly over daily.

Six United States destroyers and
an aircraft carrier are believed to
be based at St. Lucia.

INTHE EAST

Impoverished Europe
It should also be remembered, he said, that after the war the people of the European countries would be developed now some plan for the regularising of the markets of the Empire in a manner that would assist in the rehabilitation of the war-stricken countries after the termination of the present conflict.

Mr Christie pointed out that as chairman of the Wool Council he had already received letters from sheep-farmers' organisations in South Africa, urging the need for some such plan in connection with the marketing of wool. It was sugthat they are Gestapo agents.

Scattered Raids
Scattered Ra

some such plan in connection with the marketing of wool. It was suggested, for instance, that the British Government should continue its present purchase scheme for a longer period than was now intended. This proposal, Mr Christie pointed out, had the endorsement of the South African wool-growers' organisation, which was a most conservative body. The speaker extends to the second servative body. The second servative body. The second servative below the second second servative below the second organisation, which was a most con-servative body. The speaker ex-pressed some doubt as to whether such a plan could be successfully operated, but it indicated the lines along which even conservative people were thinking.

Constructive Plan

The Government had not lost sight buried of these issues, the speaker went A h on, but he was of the opinion that mmediate attention should be

DEFENCE PLANS Co-operation Between Two Countries

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MEXICO READY

TO HELP

USE OF BASES BY

AMERICA

Mexico and the United States have agreed to defence co-operation, the United States armed forces being granted access to Mexican naval and

The United States Under-Secretary of State (Mr Sumner Welles)

Prime Minister and Hitler should affect his current talks with the Sovlet Ambassador (M. Oumansky).

PEOPLE'S MOVEMENT **POLICY**

Auckland Approves

PLEAS FOR UNITY ISSUED

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, Nov. 14. Pleas for unity among the forces opposed to the policy and practice of the present Government were made by speakers at a meeting held by the Auckland division of the

by the Auckland division of the People's Movement.

The political policy of the movement was announced by the Dominion president (Mr E. R. Toop, of Wellington). The meeting approved the main planks of the movement's policy, endorsed its unification proceeds and recursted the National An earlier message from Bombay stated that Mr Gandhi has drawn up a list of 1500 members of the Congress Party who invite imprisonment as a result of individual civil disobedience in the form of anti-war activities. The list includes all the Congress ex-Ministers and other well-known leaders. People's Movement.

The political policy of the movement was announced by the Dominion president (Mr E. R. Toop, of Wellington). The meeting approved the main planks of the movement's policy, endorsed its unification proposals and requested the National Party and other organisations concerned to join without delay in giving effect to the proposals.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 13.

The chairman of the committee investigating un-American activities opening of an investigation at Washington next week into the activities of the Italian and German Consuls in the United States.

RELATIONS WITH SOVIET Germany Determined To Create

ATTEMPT TO PATCH UP

Impression Of Holding Initiative

> (British Official Wireless.) (Received November 14, 6.0 p.m.)

RUGBY, Nov. 13.

Communications made public in Berlin seem designed to create the impression that Germany is determined to hold the initiative in conversations between M. Molotov and the Nazi leaders. In particular these inspired statements make it apparent that Berlin is anxious that exchanges should have the result of putting upon a sounder basis relationships consequent upon the signature of the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo pact, and it is declared that "it has become necessary to define positively and clearly the position of the Soviet."

tary of State (Mr Sumner Welles) earlier stated that the United States had not acquired and did not intend to acquire military bases from any Latin-American republic, but he indicated that the United States might accept invitations to share in the use of bases built by those nations themselves.

Mr Welles also said he was not aware of any reason why the Berlin conversations between the Soviet Prime Minister and Hitler should affected that the United States might accept invitations to share in the use of bases built by those nations themselves.

Mr Welles also said he was not aware of any reason why the Berlin conversations between the Soviet Elsewhere than in the Axis countries a more modest estimate is taken of the prospects of the Berlin meetings. It is thought in London that it is probable that a communique will emerge containing reference to an agreement which, while having the appearance of adiplomatic victory for Germany, will in fact be imprecise in phrasing with regard to the commitments exacted from the Soviet in respect of German and Russian spheres of interest in the Balkans and Near East.

TRIPS TO THE WRECK

East.

It will cause no surprise if it contains also a hint at an understanding between Russia and Japan and emphasises the determination of both parties to develop existing commercial relations between Germany and Russia.

Adjusting "Questions" In certain neutral countries it is recognised that there are many questions as between the two countries which Berlin would wish to see adjusted at these meetings and not-ably those which are affecting the

The meetings are regarded in Washington circles as a German attempt to repair generally the deterioration in Russian-German rela-

ACTIVITIES OF AXIS CONSULS

TRIPS TO THE WRECK

News Just Received From Denmark

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13. Letters from Denmark indicate that the German luxury liner Bremen was sunk in the Kattegat four miles from the coast of northern Denmark on an unspecified date.

Letters state that excursion trips are being made and that hundreds of people have seen the superstructure of the vessel rising from the

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Yesterday On 'Change

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Following is a list of transactions on he New Zealand Stock Exchange:— WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

 Sales Late Wednesday.

 National Bank A/sia (pd.)
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 Bank of N.S.W.
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 Sales Yesterday.

 4% Stock 1952
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 DELICIOUS, STURMER AND GRANNY SMITH.

 South British distributes
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 Gear Meat
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 Broken Hill Ppty. (2)
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The Theatres

LANE SISTERS IN "FOUR WIVES"

Gay Comedy-Romance With Fine Cast

"Four Wives," which is now at the Regent Theatre, Hastings, is a sequel to last year's popular film hit, "Four Daughters," it has the same cast, consisting of the three Lane sisters, Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola, Gale Page, Claude Rains, Jeffrey Lynn, May Robson, Frank McHugh and Dick Foran. Added to the roster of stars is Eddie Albert, comedy star of "Brother Rat."

While the story of "Four Wives" is complete in itself, it takes up the fortunes and romances of the "Four Daughters" where last year's film Daughters" where last year's film left off. Gale Page and Lola Lane, who play the two eldest daughters, are already married to Dick Foran and Frank McHugh, respectively, when the story opens. Rosemary, playing the romance loving middle sister, is still waiting for her dream man to come along while Pricella. man to come along, while Priscilla, the youngest, and a widow, is preparing to marry the young concert musician, played by Jeffrey Lynn. girls all go to keep an appointment which one has with the doc-

Municipal

"LIVES OF A BENGAL LANCER"

Gary Cooper In Great Adventure

NAPIER State LINDA DARNELL IN

Story Of Hollywood And Its People

"STARDUST"

Dark-eved Linda Darnell has been called the screen's loveliest and most exciting star. She achieved overnight stardom in her very first screen role! And now, in her third picture, "Stardust," now screet at the State Theatre, Na she brings to the screen a tale might very well be a chapter out of her meteoric rise to fame.

of her meteoric rise to fame.

For it casts her and her leading man, John Payne, as two plucky small-town youngsters, scrapping for their place in the sun and finding out things about love in the great adventure that is Hollywood. In the story, which has been described as the most original entertainment idea in years, Linda is discovered by a talent scout, brought to Hollywood, tested, sent home heartbroken because of her extreme youth, and wins overnight stardom in her second try.

All this actually happened to the

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All this actually happened to the real-life Linda. Discovered by a 20th Century-Fox talent scout in her native Dallas, Texas, she was first brought to Hollywood about two years ago. Her first test showed unistakable talent, but she was advised to return to Dallas and take up her amateur theatrical work aga'n and send the studio new photographs from time to time. She was just too young for a screen career, they told her.

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Linda left Hollywood, moist-eyed but determined to come back. Then the studio informing her to come back. She came back, took another test and a week later was working in the leading role of Elsa Maxwell's "Hotel for Women."

A brilliant array of short features includes "The Capture of Fort Capuzzo" by Movietone News, "Filming the Fleet" (Camera Thrill) "The Friend of Man" (Interest), Fox Australian News and a Terrytoon

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The Latest From A "FU MANCHU" STORY SERIALISED "Dr Kildare"

The screen's favourite doctor hero world, is portrayed on the screen by Dr James Kildare, makes his re- a man who was chosen by an eminappearance in M-G-M's latest "Dr ent university professor as one of Already there are prospects of a new appearance in M-G-M's latest "Dr ent university professor as one of generation, too, as is seen when the Kildare" film, "DR KILDARE'S the 1000 most intelligent students in America. STRANGE CASE."

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Excerpts from famous films include scenes from the ladden Academy Award winning film (Con With the Control of the Control learn that his friend, Shepperd Strudwick, has performed what appears to have been bungled brain surgery.

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have been insane before the operation was performed, Ayres, by the use of insulin shock to restore insane people to normalcy, succeeds in vindicating his friend and showing his superiors that his judgment was correct.

Gloria Jean, in one scene for "A LITTLE BIT OF HEAVEN," wears a gold heart-shaped diamond and pearl-studded pendant considered a "good luck" charm by its owner vera West, Universal studio designer.

Max Brand and Willis Goldbeck, the drama introduces the screen's first just been re-released, and which will screen to-night at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings.

Gary Cooper, Franchot Tone, Sir Guy Standing and Richard Cromwell are a few of the notables who head the impressive cast of this memorable film. It relates the story of an heroic band of men fighting against desperate odds far from civilisation, and for its gripping realism and adventure has probably never been surpassed.

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on the theory that the patient might conquer the world, and has chosen to commence his task by the stirring up of a revolt in Asia.



Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore and Lynne Carver in "Young Dr Kil dare," story of adventure in a doctor's life, to open on Tuesday at the Regent Theatre, Hastings.

CURRENT PRODUCTIONS

NAPIER

MAYFAIR THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "South of the Border" (Gene Autry) and "Gangs of Chicago" (Lloyd Nolan and Barton McLane). Tuesday to Thursday: "The Barrier" (Leo Carillo, Jean Parker) and "Romance in the Dark" (Gladys Swarthout, John Boles). Commencing Friday: "You're Not So Tough" ("Dead End Kids" and "Little Tough Guys") and "Scatterbrain" (Judy Canova, Alan Mowbray).

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REGENT THEATRE: Now showing

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Tyrone Power in character for the title role of "Johnny Apollo," story of a college boy in the world of crime. It will open next Friday, at the State Theatre, Napier.

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COSY THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Home From Home" (Sandy Powell, Rene Ray) and "Subptage" (Arleen Whela) and "Scandal Sheet" (Otto Kruger, Ora Munson). Next Friday: "They Made Me a Criminal" (John Garfield), "Dead End Kids") and "Girl From God's Country" (Chester Morris, Jane Wyatt).

REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Four Wives" (the Lane Sisters, Jeffrey Lynn) and short subject, "Cavalicade of Academy Awards." Tuesday to Thursday: "Avenure in Diamonds" (George Brent, Isa Miranda). Next Friday: "Dr. Kildaer's Strange Case" (Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore).

MUNICIPAL THEATRE: To-night and to-morrow: "Lives of a Bengal Laneer" (Gary Cooper, Richand Cromwell). Next Friday: "Dr. Kildaer's Strange Case" (Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore).

STATE THEATRE: Now showing to The Common of the studios of this progressive company and the first of their new releases is "The Old Maid" starring Bette Davis, which is now at the Regent. Mr. Tombs advises that other carly bookings to be expected in-licking "Romeos," John Boles and Clair Hank," with Errol Flynn; "Dr. Erlich's Magic Bullet," with Edward G. Robinson: "Four Wives," starring Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola Lanee, "Weare Not Alone" Propagation and music-filled and country" (Chessis) and "Romeos," John Boles and Guldes Frick Strange Case, "Cavalicade of Academy and Music Hank," with Edward G. Robinson: "Four Wives," starring Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola Lanee, "Weare Not Alone" Propagation and music-filled and music filled star in the Hank," with Errol Flynn; "The Sea Hank," with Errol Flynn; "The Sea Hank," with Elward G. Robinson: "Four Wives," starring Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola Lanee, "Weare Not Alone" Propagation and music-filled and music-filled and country" (Chessis) and many freatment of the first of its with Edward G. Robinson: "The Carleen Weather Too." with Edward G. Robinson: "T

Three Live Ghosts."

STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Tuesday: "The Westerner" (Gary Cooper, Walter Brennan). Wednesday and, Thursday: "The Primrose Pach" (Ginger Rogers, Joel McCrea). Next Friday: "Stardust" (Linda Darnell, John Payne, Roland Young).

Edward Small has started production on "THE SON OF MONTE CRISTO" under the direction of Rowland V. Lee, for United Artists release. Cast is headed by Louis Hayward, Joan Bennett and George Sanders

Being a versatile actor has given George Sanders plenty to do. Thus far in 1940, he has played featured roles in seven noteworthy pictures. His latest is in Walter Wanger's "FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT," directed by Alfred Hitchcock, and due for early release due for early release.

Gloria Jean's pet dog, "Pip," has a new companion, a fox-terrier puppy named "Pat." "Pip" was named after Gloria's character name in "The Under-Pup" while "Pat" acquired his title from Gloria's name in her current film, "IF I HAD MY WAY."

Comment On The Films

The three Lane sisters—Priscilla, Lola and Rosemary—appear with Gale Page, Jeffrey Lynn and Claude Rains in "FOUR WIVES," which provides gay and tender entertainment as a follow-up to the adventures of the family introduced in last year's "FOUR DAUGHTERS."

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which relates the "sad" story of a convict who is very fond of his prison cell, and is loth to leave it when composed to do so. Rene Ray is featured.

Fu Manchu, famed in fiction as one of the master minds of the

S Share the "ADVENTURE IN DIA. MONDS" in the film of that name, the story of the mystery surrounding the steadily-mounting number of thefts from the great diamond mines near Cape Town, South Africa.

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Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore continue their screen partnership as the brilliant doctor and his young assistant in "DR. KILDARE'S STRANGE CASE," latest in a series of medical adventure-dramas which continues to enjoy steadily increasing popularity.

"SOUTH OF THE BORDER,"
which stars Gene Autry, is based on
the theme in the song of the same
name. The picture deals with a
small revolution which Gene, with
the help of Smiley Burnette, helps
to quell "down Mexico way."

Jean Rogers finds romance spiced with adventure in "CHARLIE CHAN IN PANAMA" which has Sidney Toler as the inimitable sleuth who tracks down would-be saboteurs of America's life-line, the Panama

continues to enjoy steadily increasing popularity.

Ginger Rogers has probably the most unusual role of her career in "PRIMROSE PATH," which casts her as the daughter of somewhat disreputable parents, a girl who sets out to regain her own self-respect.

"JOHNNY APOLLO" offers Tyrone Power his best role since "Jesse James" as a banker's college son who turns mobster when the father he idolised is thrown into prison for embezzlement. Dorothy Lamour and Edward Arnold are among the many notables on the supporting cast.



Gary Cooper with newcomer Doris Davenport in "The Westerner," epic adventure of pioneer days which is now screening at the State Theatre, Hastings.

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M. Tombs, manager of Napier When the wrong girl is discovered to play the part of a hillbilly in a film a wonderfully hilarious mix-up occurs. Such is the theme of "SCAT.

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Bette Davis, George Brent and Miriam Hopkins form a triumvirate of accomplished screen stars in "THE OLD MAID" which recounts



the Regent Theatre, Hastings.

A "family group" in a gay moment from "Four Wives," delightful romance featuring the Lane sisters and Jeffrey Lynn. It is now at

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'HOME FROM HOME' A GAY COMEDY

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ture now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. In his latest laughterlogue, Sandy is seen as a convict, hale, hearty and happy with his lot, because "home was never like this." The peace of the cell with its regular meals, warm bed and happy companionship, helps Sandy to forget the nagging of his wife at home. Nevertheless Sandy is hard put to keep in and when he is released in spite of his protestations and sent out into the hard, cruel world, he

spite of his protestations and sent out into the hard, cruel world, he sets to work to get back into his "Home from Home."

Made for laughing purposes only, the entertainment value is further enhanced by the inclusion of two or three catchy and tuneful song hits. Rene Ray, Roy Emerton and Kathleen Harrison head the supporting cast.

Thrilling entertainment, with a good share of excitement and com-edy is "Sabotage," the second feaedy is Sabotage, the second feature. It is a timely tale of espionage in a small town's aeroplane factory. The story centres around two sweethearts, Arleen Whelan and

with him.

When Oliver is falsely accused of stealing the plans, Arleen and Charley Grapewin, Oliver's father, take the law into their own hands and break up the sabotage ring with the aid of Grapewin's Veterans' Home pals. The antics of these veterans are hilarious, but when they get down to business the thrills come guickly. The cast offers some splent. When Oliver is falsely accused of stealing the plans, Arleen and Charley Grapewin, Oliver's father, take the law into their own hands and down to business the thrills come quickly. The cast offers some splent did characterisations. Miss Whelan is as capable as she is beautiful. Gordon Oliver tops all his former performances as the young mech-anic, while Charles Grapewin is outstanding in his role as Oliver's

GARY COOPER AS "THE WESTERNER"

Epic Adventure Of The Pioneer Days

Against the colourful and adventure-filled background of the Old West, in the days when justice was administered at the point of a gun and roistering Judge Roy Bean loomed as the "Law West of the Pecos," Samuel Goldwyn's "The Westerner," with Gary Cooper in the title role, is now at the State Theatre, Hastings.

Directed by William Wyler "The Westerner" features in the cast which supports Cooper such notable players as Walter Brennan, Fred Against the colourful and adven

which supports Cooper such notable players as Walter Brennan, Fred Stone, Doris Davenport, Lilian Bond, Forrest Tucker, and Paul Hurst. The setting of the story is Vinegarroon, Texas, in the roaring days of the eighties when there raged a bitter and long protracted battle between the cattlemen, origin, al settlers of the land, and the homesteaders, who sought to till in the same old house in aristocratic

in the scene where the cattlemen and Bean's henchmen set fire to the hundreds of homesteads and farms throughout the area. Cole follows the weatherbeaten, grimy old man to Fort Davis where Lily Langtry is to make her long-promised visit. How Cole waylays the Judge as the gorgeous actress is about to step before the footlights and what happens when guns are fired provides the story with a swift, action-filled ending.

The first half too, excels anything presented in many months. The featurettes "World's Fair Junior" starring child performers, brings the house down. You will hear too, Mr and Mrs Jesse Crawford at the organ, you will see a clever cartoon in colour, and be right up to the minute in world news by the latest Cinesound Review. This complete programme ran for four weeks each in Wellington and Auckland. Early reservations are advised.

Mayfair

AUTRY IN "SOUTH OF THE BORDER'

Showing With "The Gangs Of Chicago"

Sandy Powell's hilarious comedy, "Home From Home," is the first feature now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. In his latest laughterlogue, Sandy is seen as a convict, hale, hearty and happy with his lot, behearty and happy with his lot, behavior of the most entertaining and satisfying westerns seen to date. Gene Autry, whose popularity is the nine days' wonder of the amusement field brings his colourful personality and brings his colourful personality and his melodious voice to the screen in a warm and glowing panorama of life south of the Rio Grande.

The story follows closely the theme of the song of the same name; the idyllic romance of a cow-

Further Theatre Reviews on

boy, engaged in government work with a Spanish senorita who ultimately enters a convent. Autry gives his best to the role, and may be credited with the films outstand-

ing success.

Smiley Burnette, a lovable and laughable comedian, contributes his share of laughs, and Mary Lee, a newcomer from the New York airwaves, vocalist of Ted Weems' or chestra, turns in an effective "kid" characterisation. characterisation

Gardon Oliver. Oliver is a mechanic on the factory; Arleen a show girl two comes to town and falls in love with him.

Characterisation.

Gangs of Chicago, the second feature, is the gripping story of a brilliant attorney who, upon entering the ranks of organised crime is

Regent

"THE OLD MAID" IS GREAT DRAMA

Bette Davis And Miriam Hopkins Co-starred

Wherever screened, enormous crowds have thrilled to the greatness and charm of "The Old Maid," an outstanding picture co-starring Bette Davis and Miriam Hopkins, which is now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier.

Filmed by Warner Bros., it has been hailed by preview audiences as the outstanding dramatic event of the year—a rare combination of brilliant talents in the fields of acting, writing and directing.

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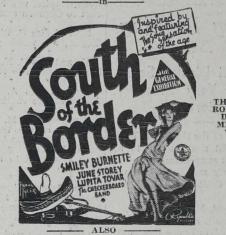
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was in the chair, and with her was the secretary, Mrs Bruce Baumgart, Garden circle members had made the stage look most attractive with a large basket of roses on the presithe secretary, Mrs Bruce Baumgart, dent's table, bowls of pink and white peonies on either side of the stage and along the front vases and baskets of roses and mock orange

Mrs Hyde welcomed all members and extended a special welcome to the visitors.

The secretary made several announcements. She reminded members of the final meeting of the year on the evening of December 12 and asked them to bring a gift for the Children's Homes. Members were asked for gifts of produce for the Patriotic Day on November 25 at the racecourse and it was decided to accept an invitation from Miss Holland the principal of Woodford accept an invitation from Miss Holland, the principal of Woodford House, Havelock North, to visit the school gardens, the visit to be made in conjunction with the garden circle's visit to Mrs H. N. Coleman's home next Wednesday.

Mrs Hyde told members that the periodic Circle activities had eased.

Mrs Hyde told members that the Patriotic Circle activities had ceased for the present year and she spoke of the wonderful work done by those who met each week to sew in the Guild room. Four hundred and twenty-four garments had been completed for the Lady Galway Patriotic Guild.

The president said that as she would unfortunately be absent from

would unfortunately be absent from the December meeting she would like to extend the season's greetings to all members. Mrs Sarah Jones returned these greetings on behalf

of the members.
In the absence of Miss Helen Ford the programme had been arranged by Mrs F, Deans who then took charge. It opened with a game of musical arms arranged by the Social Activities Circle and won by Mrs

This was followed by a charming series of tableaux, "Mother Goose and the Nursery Rhymes," presented by members of the Literary Circle, the commentary having been written by Mrs W. A. Bryant, who had arranged the item. Those taking had arranged the item. Those taking part were Mother Goose, Mrs E. Wall; See Saw, Margery Daw, Mrs

Five o'Clock Jossip

Mrs H, S. Hindmarsh will leave to-day on a visit to the South Island. She will be the guest of her sister, Mrs W. N. Pickard, Timaru.

Mrs L. G. Donovan, Seapoint Road, Napier, will leave to-day on a visit to Campary and Dunedin.

visit to Oamaru and Dunedin.

Mr and Mrs C. W. Johnston, Wel lington, are visiting Napier.

Mr and Mrs R. K. Carter are Wellington visitors to Napier. Mr and Mrs A. W. Bryant, of Auckland, are visiting Napier.

Charge Nurse M. M. Sheehan, of the staff of the Waipukurau Dis-trict Hospital, has been promoted to be staff nurse. Miss E. Foley has be staff nurse. Miss E. Foley has been appointed to the staff as probationer.

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Mesdames R. S. Martin, T. E. Jones, W. E. Anderson, Pallot, J. Girvan, A. C. Davidson, S. Cross, P. Ellison, M. Fullalove, A. Dut. L. Willis, J. W. Millis, J. W. Millis

F. Deanes (Johnny) and Mrs Shuker (Margery Daw); Little Miss Muffet, Mrs J. Macaulay (Miss Muffett) and Mrs O'Tully (the spider); Jack and Jill, Mrs J. K. Agnew (Jack) and Mrs H. E. Elliott (Jill); Queen of Hearts, Mrs Edwards (Queen) and Miss McLean (Knave); Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary, Miss E. J. Strang (Mary), Miss Ellis, Mrs Jones, Mrs H. E. Grainger and Mrs Kittermaster (the maids).

After this a game "O'Grady

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recital.

The stage was attractively decorated with bowls of deep orange calendulas, iceland popples and greenery and during the evening Miss McCarthy was presented with two beautiful bouquets.

In the interval Mr H. L. Harston, hon. local representative of the Royal Schools of Music, presented certificates to those who were successful in the recent examinations.

certificates to those who were successful in the recent examinations. The high standard of the programme reflected great credit on the excellent tuition the children have received from Miss McCarthy. The assisting artists for the evening's entertainment were Mr B. L. H. de Rose and the singing pupils of Miss Helen Dykes's Deepdene Studio.

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Mesdames R. S. Martin, T. E.
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Misses A. Browster Phillips (2) Mercer.

Mary), Miss Ellis, Mrs Jones, Mrs H. E. Grainger and Mrs Kittermaster (the maids).

After this a game "O'Grady Says," caused much merriment. This was arranged by members of the Civic Circle and organised last evening by Mrs Sarah Jones.

A very delightful item was sponsored by the Music Circle. Miss E. Compton, accompanied by Miss B. McHutchon, sang most beautifully, The Changing of the Guard," with an escort of 10 girls in attractive guardsmen's uniforms. Later Miss fompton sang "There'll Always Be An England" with the girls singing the chorus. There was such a hearty encore that the first song had to be a repeated. Girls from the Baptist Church who formed the guard were the Misses Audrey Gloyn, Pearl Kemp, Dorothy Potter, Kathleen Smith, Isobel Taylor, Joyce Barden, Norma Gosling, Phyllis Fowler, Beulah Lord and Joyce Halstead.

Members of the Sunshine Circle arranged a bird competition in which all present took part.

A very fine display which was given by the members of the Keep Fit Class, under the capable direction of Miss Peggy Morris, was siven by the members of the Keep Fit Class, under the capable direction of Miss Peggy Morris, was siven by the members of the Keep Fit Class, under the capable direction of Miss Peggy Morris, was watched with much interest and the achievements of those who belong to this circle were seen to be of much value. The members are the valuable services of Mrs S. I. Jones, their accompaniste. Their display included marching and circle exercises, followed by the Merry Widow Waltz and a rhythmic maypole. They did also time exercises and concluded with two dances, "Circasian Circle" and a reel.

The programme was interspersed with dances, a waltz, and two step, the Lambeth Walk and the Chestnut Tree and also a progressive Valeta the music being played by Valeta, the music circle and area.

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During the evening members of the Arts and Crafts Circle held a most successful sales table.

A very happy evening concluded with the serving of supper.

Macabre" (Saint-Suens), Barbara James and Grethel Lawrie.

Pianoforte duets were played as follows: "Naila Waltz" (Delibes, arranged E. Haywood), Zelma Stuart and Delys Taylor; "Nocturne in E Flat" (Chopin), Leslie Lockwood and Leonie McBeath.

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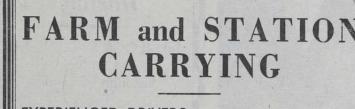


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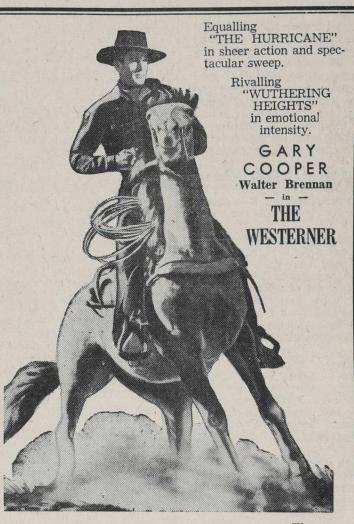
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EXPECTED ARRIVALS

Awahou, Gisborne Nov. 15
Pukeko, Gisborne Nov. 16
Pakura, Wellington . . . Nov. 19
Poolta, Westport Nov. 23

COASTWISE TRADE

AWAHOU: Left Gisborne last night and is due here early to-day, sailing for Auckland late this afternoon. PUKEKO: Leaves Walkokopu for Na pier to-day, arriving here to-morrow. She is expected to sail for Wellington and Lyttelton on Monday.

PAKURA: Is due here from Wellington on Monday, sailing the same night for Gisborne and Wellington. WAINUI: Is due here about November 19 with a cargo from east coast South Island ports and Wellington.

POOLTA: Arrives with a cargo from Greymouth and Westport about Novem ber 23.

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Daily Mail

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1940.

THE WAR AND THE CRITICS

Critics of Britain's war policy who were silenced by the appointment of Mr Churchill as Prime Minister have become vocal again, and recent cables reveal an undercurrent of dissatisfaction with our position after 14 months of war.

At this distance it is a little difficult to appraise accurately the justification or otherwise for the suggestion that the Government has failed to unite the nation or to be sufficiently ggressive. By taking leading members of the Opposition into his Ministry and by giving them the most responsible posts, Mr Churchill has united the legislature if not the nation, and it is hard to see how he could have secured a greater degree of

It may be true that certain members of the Government are weaker on the administrative side than they should be, but the administrative genius is a rare bird, and it is always easier to find fault with the Minister on the job than to replace him with a better man.

The complaint that the war policy lacks aggression can be readily understood. The public are naturally impatient and demand action but the man in the street is not always the best judge of the time to strike. The Norwegian fiasco was an example of an ill-timed and bungled act of aggression. We have also learned from bitter experience that the first Expeditionary Force, which scrambled back from Dunkirk with the loss of 50,000 men and all their equipment, met disaster by taking the offensive in conjunction with unreliable and incompetent allies.

We cannot afford any repetition of these failures. With a lack of preparation which seems incredible in the light of subsequent events, Britain went into the war without the means of waging it effectively, or even of defending herself properly. It will be time enough to talk of taking the offensive again on land when the Army can be supported by an overwhelming air force and an equally formidable complement of mechanised units.

The invasion of the Continent, which alone can end the war, will have a reasonable prospect of success only when Germany has been weakened by the blockade, and when the enemy can be confronted with a better equipped army than Hitler can deploy.

So far as the Navy and the Air Force are concerned, the charge of a lack of aggressive spirit cannot apply. The Navy has done marvellously well with very little allied assistance, and has covered itself with glory. The epic battle between the Jervis Bay and a German warship, which saved 30 merchantmen from destruction out of a convoy of 38, is one of the great stories of the war. Nor are the deeds of the Fleet Air Arm or the R.A.F. one whit less heroic and thrilling. The latter has been sufficiently aggressive to destroy nearly 5000 enemy 'planes and to put nearly three times as many enemy pilots out of action. With dauntless courage and resource, the R.A.F. has been battering away at Italy's and Germany's munition works, oil plants, naval depots and troop concentrations for months. Slowly but surely they are crippling the enemy's capacity to last out a long war.

The allegation that the production of munitions and war material is falling short of expectations or requirements is one that can be investigated only by responsible men on the spot. In view of the hours that have been worked for months past it would not be surprising if the operatives were beginning to weaken under the strain. Fortunately American supplies are now available in greater quantities and the combined resources of British and American plants ought to surpass Germany's output.

The charge of failing to replace shipping losses is not easy to understand. The transfer of Dutch and Norwegian ships to British control should have made up for a good deal of the tonnage sunk by enemy action, but the seriousness of the shipping position is evident from the enormous orders placed with American yards. Unless ships can be built faster than they are sunk, Britain's war effort will be gravely

If there is serious ground for apprehension over the position as it stands to-day, a Parliamentary debate will clear the air as it did when Mr Chamberlain was forced to resign. The last war made and destroyed many reputations. This one will deal similiarly with as many more.

Personal

Second-Lieutenant W. A. Talbot, Death in Tasmania of the Army School of Instruction, is visiting Waipukurau on leave.

Mr E. E. Skeet, Napier, has been appointed clerk of works for the Waipawa Hospital Board's new building programme. Mr Skeet arrived in Waipukurau yesterday to begin his new duties.

Cabled advice was received last night by Mr H. F. Forster, Napier, that his mother, Mrs Ann Forster, had died at Hobart, Tasmania. Mrs Forster had attained the advanced age of 82 years. begin his new duties.

Mr Eric Goodall, of the Telegraph branch, Auckland, will leave Napier this morning to resume his duties.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant E. C. W. Hassall has been promoted to lieutenant and appointed to the command of a destroyer. Advice to this effect was contained in a letter received by a relative in Napier on Tuesday. Lieutenant Hassall was until recently a well-known resident. until recently a well-known resident of Napier, occupying the position of

rate-collector for the Napier Borough Council.

Messrs D. M. and S. Faulknor, Napier, left for Auckland yesterday, or a short visit.

Mr L. Maclean, Glencoe, left Hastings yesterday for Wellington on business connected with the Export

The Rev. Kenneth Liggett, who has been at Gisborne for the past 2½ years, and before that in Hastings, has received advice that he is to go into the Walouru territorial camp to-day, until March, and then will proceed to a mobilisation camp for overseas.

AT THE HOTELS

Dr. T. L. Paget, Miss J. P. Theloar, Mr H. E. Sapsford, Mr S. K. B. McClurg, Mr L. S. F. Bell, Mr and Mrs A. N. Baker, Mr S. Cunningham (Wellington), Mr C. W. Smith (Auckland), Mr C. J. Howard (Palmerston North), Mr H. H. Young, Mr M. F. Constable (Wellington), Mr Alan G. Jones, Mrs J. Winter (Christchurch) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mr P. J. P. Tulloch (Auckland), Mr E. R. Bavin (Palmerston North), Mr W. Mullingham (Petone), Mr and Mrs E. Haldene, Miss G. Haldene (Hamilton) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings.

Mr L. O. Jones, Mr R. Johnstone, Mr and Mrs Oldhen (Auckland), Mr W. T. Hill (Gisborne), Mr D. Eeles (Wairoa), Mr J. O'Connell (Carterton), Mr H. Kallum (Masterton) Mr S. Stowe, Mr H. Bennett (Wellington), Mr B. Murray (Christchurch), Mr F. Brown (Dunedin), Mr A. Andrews (New Plymouth), Mr H. Black, Mr G. Wilkins (Dannevirke), Mr M. Russell (Woodville), Mr R. Leahey (Gisborne), Mr F. Cousins, Mr A. Harper, Mr M. Groves (Tauranga), Mr P. Slade, Mr W. Estcourt, Mr J. Duff, Mr and Mrs Forster are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

Mr T. Alston Coleman, Mr E. H.
Baker, Mr R. Louis Thomson (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs W. S. Bussell,
Mr T. H. J. Harker (Auckland), Mr
G. R. Broad (Hamilton), Mr A. W. I.
Cuthbertson (Takapau), Mr D. Eddy (Waipawa), Mr and Mrs E. A. I.
Hockly (Pohangina), Mr W. I. Corbett, Miss F. Heaton (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs C. W. Johnston, Mr H. K. Jordan, Mr S. E. Swinburn, Mr and Mrs P. K. Wilson (Wellington) are at the Hotel Central, Napier. tral, Napier.

Mr and Mrs P. G. Wilkins, Mr C. W. Smith (Auckland), Mr R. H. Newman, Miss Pattison (Napier), Mr Edgecombe, Mr R. McDonald, Mr Cuthbertson (Waipukurau) are staying at the Clyde Hotel.

Mr Jackson, Mr Walker (Gisborne), Miss Lucas, Mr Woolley (Wellington), Mr Thurkill, Mr Scott, Mr Agar (Napier) are staying at the Wairoa Hotel.

MAIL NOTICES

Trans-Tasman Air Service: Mails for concerned.

(8) The decision was a com-

TRANS-PACIFIC AIR MAIL. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22. Trans-Pacific Air Mail.—Postage rates Letters:Hawaii, 2/6 each ½oz., United States of America and Canada (including air in America), 4/- each ½oz. Great Britain 5/9 each ½oz. Mails close noon. For further particulars apply at Post Office.

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Napler, Monday to Friday, 6 a.m., 11
a.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m. Saturday, 6 a.m., 11
a.m., 4 p.m. Gisborne District, 4 p.m.
Wairoa, 6.30 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Auckland, Main Trunk and Walkato districts, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only), 4
p.m. Saturdays only, 1.15 p.m. (letters

Only).

The county thereupon obtained INLAND MAILS.

Young Woman Injured A young woman, Miss Audrey Napier-Smith, aged 28, employed at Woodford House, received a frac-tured arm when she fell from her bicycle at 8 o'clock last night. She was admitted to the Memorial Hospital, Hastings. It is understood that a back tyre of the machine blew out when riding downhill, and she was thrown to the roadway.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Cabled advice was received last

Bankrupt Fisherman

Edmund Jack Goodyer, a fisherman, of Hastings, has filed a petition in bankruptcy at the Napler Courthouse. A meeting of creditors in the estate will be held in the ture this summer. Hastings Courthouse at 2.15 p.m. on November 22.

Traffic Control

Appreciation of the efficient control of traffic both to and from the Show on People's Day was expressed in a letter received from Messrs Nimon and Sons at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council. Not once during the day was there any noticeable delay, and this was no doubt due to the efficient manner in which the traffic was controlled, stated the letter. The letter is to be forwarded to the traffic inspector (Mr H. A. Green) with the council's congratulations.

Breakfast Table

Observed on the rear of a large delivery van:

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Letters To The Editor

report it would appear as if the Hawke's Bay County was the injured party in this matter, but the following are the facts of the case:—

Industrial Union of Employers; Mr C. J. Talbot, vice-president of the New Zealand County Councils' Industrial Union of Employers; Mr G.

POST OFFICE, HASTINGS
(Napier Mails close approximately one hour earlier than Hastings).

OUTWARD OVERSEAS MAILS.

CHRISTMAS MAILS.

America, November (last week); East (Including Egypt), mid-October; Australia, mid-December. Early posting is recommended in view of the uncertainty of transit time.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15.

Australian States and Countries via Australia. Mails close 6 p.m.; parcels 4 p.m.

Other oversea mails will be dispatched as opportunity offers.

TRANS-TASMAN AIR SERVICE. TO AUSTRALIA

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19.

Trans-Tasman Air Service: Mails for

promise as the representatives the workers did not adhere to their full original claim and agreed to accept approximately 50 per cent. of (9) The decision was accordingly forwarded to the Hawke's Bay

County and at its meeting in July the council refused to accept the decision of the arbitrators and decided to take the matter up with

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

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

Waipukurau and south of Waipukurau, Monday to Friday, 8.5 a.m., 4 p.m. Waipukurau and south of Waipukurau, Monday to Friday, 8.5 a.m., 4 p.m. Otane, Monday to Friday, 6.30 a.m., 4 p.m. Saturday, 6.30 a.m.

Opapa, Poukawa, Paki Paki and Pukehou, 6.30 a.m.

The county The county thereupon obtained the advice of its solicitors which adparently from your report also indicated that the county should meet its obligations as decided by the Disputes Committee and notwithstanding the decision of the Disputes Committee and notwithstanding the decision of the committee and the advice of its solicitors which advice for its solicitors which advice for its obligations as decided by the Disputes Committee and notwithstanding the decision of the committee and the advice of its solicitors which advice for its solicitors which advice for its obligations as decided by the Disputes Committee and notwithstanding the decision of the committee and notwithstanding the decision of the committee and the advice of its solicitors which advice for its obligations as decided by the Disputes Committee. Notwithstanding the decision of the decision of the committee. In the county of its solicitors which advice o AIR MAIL INLAND.

Blenheim, Nelson, Westport, Greynouth and Hokitika, Monday to Friday, p.m.; Saturday, 4 p.m. Auckland and Auckland and New Plymouth, Monday of Friday, 6 p.m.

Christophymol.

Solicitors. In our opinion they are just common law-breakers. They are setting an extremely bad example to the community in ignoring constituted authority which was set up to deal with these questions.

Without commenting fruits. Without commenting further we would esteem it if publication could Auckland and New Flymous, to Friday, 6 p.m.

Christchurch, Oamaru, Dunedin and Invercargill, Tuesday to Friday, 6 p.m.
Saturday, 4 p.m.

L. A. BURNS,
Postmaster.

Would esteem it if publication count be given to the workers' side of the story and they will be in a better position to judge who is responsible for this "rank injustice."—I am, etc.,

P. M. BUTLER, N.Z. Federation of Local Bodies' Employees, Wellington, C.2.

To Correspondent

"John Citizen"—At this stage of the campaign it is not possible to provide space for anonymous propaganda for either side,

Temperatures Rise Hastings yesterday experienced the warmest day this summer, a maximum of 88 degrees being recorded at Cornwall Park by the Government meteorologist (Mr H. Nelson-Fowler). The highest temperatures last summer were January 12 and February 29 of this year when 91 degrees were registered. At Napler 85.5 degrees were recorded. This also was the highest temperature this summer.

Heart-to-Heart Appeal

Scores of parcels were collected in the Mystery Parcel drive organised to assist the Napier quota of the "Heart-to-heart" appeal. Early yesterday morning a number of willing citizens under the direction of the president of the Napier Rotary Club (Mr E, N. H. Stewart) assembled on the Marine Parade and with the assistance of pupils from the Napier Boys' High School combed their respective zones. To-night the proceeds from the drive will be offered for sale in Market

Films At Christmas

An application by Amalgamated Theatres Ltd. and Hawke's Bay Amusements Ltd. for permission to show films at the State, Regent, Cosy and Municipal Theatres on Christmas night was refused at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council. In a letter to the council the secretary of the New Zealand Theatrical and Places of Amusement Union expressed the opinion that theatre employees should be free to spend Christmas Day and evening with relatives and friends. He asked that the council refrain from granting permission cil refrain from granting permission to show pictures on Christmas Day.

Gift Acknowledged

The committee of the Hastings St. John Ambulance acknowledges with thanks a donation of £10 worth of timber from Messrs R. Holt and Sons for the construction of fittings "Do you ever have to hurry to catch your morning train?"
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thanks a donation of the timber from Messrs R. Holt and I sons for the construction of fittings in the brigade's new headquarters on the top floor of the Colonial Mutual Assurance Co's. building in Russell Street. The transfer to the new rooms will take place at the and of the month. By taking the end of the month. By taking the whole of the top floor the brigade has accommodation for all its activities, and in addition will have the use of the roof for drill parades. Thus it can extend further the voluntary services already being given.

Lavender Experiment

An experimental plot of about 200 plants of lavender had been established in the nursery at Cornwall Hawke's Bay County
And Legislation

Sir,—Our attention has been drawn to a report in your paper of November 12, headed as follows:
"Injustice Is Alleged; County And Labour Legislation; 'A Scandal'; Dispute To Be Taken To Court."

From the above headings to your report it would appear as if the

Work For Sailors

Appreciation of the work carried out by sailors of both the Navy and the County was drawn to an alleged breach of the award.

(2) It was decided to refer the matter in dispute to a Dominion Disputes Committee for settlement, as laid down in the award.

(3) The National Disputes Committee met in Wellington on May 23, 1940.

(4) The committee had before it a full and comprehensive report from the Hawke's Bay County dealing with its side of the case.

(5) The employers' representatives on the Disputes Committee were Mr W. Marshall, president of the New Zealand County Councils' Industrial Union of Employers; Mr Appreciation of the work carried

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR RAIN AND COOLER WEATHER

Following is the "Daily Mail's" ecial forecast for Hawke's Bay:— Winds: Moderate to strong from a vesterly quarter. Weather: Cloud increasing and scattered rain later developing. Temperatures cooler later.

NAPIER WEATHER

Seas: Moderate.

Meteorological readings taken yes-erday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Jovernment recorder (Miss G. futton) are as follows:— Ory bulb temp.
Vet bulb temp.
Maximum temp.
Jinimum temp.

 Grass
 43.2deg.

 1ft. underground
 64.0deg.

 Wind
 W.1

 Cloud
 6

 Rain
 Nil

 Rain for month
 7.18ine

DOMINION FORECAST

General situation: Anti-cyclones are ocated to the north and over Australia while a depression lies across the middle of the Dominion.

Forecast.—Winds: Moderate to strong, north-westerlies to westerlies at first from Nelson and Mariborough northwards; elsewhere rather variable at first but tending to south-westerly, and southerly directions probably becoming general within the next two days.

Seas.—New Zealand waters: Rough south of Cape Egmont and about Cook Strait; slight to moderate elsewhere but rising north of Cape Egmont. Eastern Tasman Sea: Fresh west to south-west winds and rather rough to rough seas.

Weather: Fair to fine at first in eastern districts of the North Island; otherwise cloudy and unsettled with drizzle and rain at times, more particularly between Taranaki and Westland. Temperatures becoming cooler from the south.

To-day's Diary

NAPIER

p.m.
"South of the Border," and "The Gangs of Chicago," Mayfair 2 and 7.45 p.m. HASTINGS

"Stardust," State, 2 and 8 p.m.
"The Old Maid," Regent, 2 and 8

Address by Mr C. G. E. Harker, Odd-fellows' Hall, 8 p.m.
Address by Mr W. J. Broadfoot, M.P. for Waitomo, Havelock North Town Hall, 8 p.m.
Address by Mr H. M. Christie, Tiko-kino Hall, 8 p.m.
Flower Show, Assembly Hall, 2 p.m. to 9 p.m. ne Theatres

"Four Wives," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"The Westerner," State, 2.15 and 8 "Lives of a Bengal Lancer," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.
"Sabotage," and "Home From Home," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

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SIX SHIPS OUT OF ACTION

Battleship Strength Halved By Fleet Bombers

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LONDON, Nov. 13.

Two, and probably three Italian battleships, two cruisers, and two Fleet auxiliaries have been put out of action by 'planes of the British Fleet Air Arm in a raid on the Italian naval base at Taranto.

This action, said Mr Churchill in relating the exploit to the House of Commons to-day, left only three Italian battleships effective. "It affects decisively the balance of naval power in the Mediterranean, and also carries with it reaction on the entire naval situation in every part of the globe," the Prime Minister added.

It is estimated that one-third, or probably one-half, of the Italian battleship strength has been knocked out.

smoke-screen.

Italy had six battleships at the eginning of the war. Two of these remain effective.

The effective of 35,000 tons of 35,000 t beginning of the war. Two of these were modern ships of 35,000 tons carrying 15-inch guns, and four were older ships which had been reconditioned, the armament of these being 12.6-inch guns.

It will be recalled that an Italian communique issued on Tuesday admitted that one warship had been badly damaged. The Italian communique also claimed that six British aircraft had been shot down and that three more were probably shot down. In fact, two only of the british aircraft are missing and its short down.

being 12.6-inch guns.

The following message has been sent to the commander of the Mediterranean Fleet by the Chief of the Air Staff: "Heartiest congratulations. A magnificent show."

The Royal Navy has struck a crippling blow at the Italian Fleet, the main units of which were lying snugly behind the shore defences in their main base, Taranto, at the "heel" of Italy, says an Admiralty communique.

communique.

On the night of November 11-12, aircraft of the Air Fleet Arm carried out an attack, the results of which have now been established by photographic reconnaissance.

It is now known that one battleship of the Littorio class (35,000 tons) is so badly down by the bows that the forecastle is under water, and she has a heavy list to starboard. One battleship of the Cavour class (23,600 tons) has been beached, and her stern up to and beached, and her stern up to and including the after turret is under water, and the ship is heavy listed to starboard. It has not yet been possible to establish the fact with certainty, but it appears probable that a second battleship of the Cav-our class also has been severely

Sterns Under Water.

In the inner harbour, two cruisers are listed to starboard and surrounded by oil fuel. Two fleet auxiliaries are lying with their sterns under water. under water.

The total strength of the Italian

Battle Fleet was six battleships—
two of the Littorio class which had
just been put into service, and four
of the recently constructed Cavour
class.

As a result of this determined and
highly successful attack, probably

NEW CRICKET SERIES

BEGINNING

HASTINGS TEAMS

SELECTED

R. Hart, C. Rawlings (12th man).

W. Black.

Midland

Junior B.—v Celtic, Cornwall Park No. 4: W. Bentley (captain), A. Tunnicliffe, P. Cullinane, H. Linyard, D. Driver, P. Revell, D. Tilling, R.

Simpson, Boyce, Christinson, Tuohy.

The following players will represent the United Cricket Club (Na-

Senior: Hutchinson, Grant, Rip-pen, Northcote, Stock, Brady, Kav-anagh, Graham, Brown, Wolsten-holme, Hatch.

Junior: Kilminster, Petterson,

Hutchinson, Edmundson, Hill, Smith Mangelson, Franklin, Martin, Mc-

BOWLING AT PORT

AHURIRI

BY COUNCILLOR

CORNWALL PARK TENNIS CLUB

"I AM AMAZED"

Hastings Borough Council Discussion

Alleged activities among the ownspeople of Hastings by mem bers of the Cornwall Park Tennis Club were referred to by Mr G. W. B. McCormick at yesterday's meet ing of the Hastings Borough Council. "They seem to have set themselves out to blacken the names of members of this council. It has rather amazed me, some of the things that have been suggested,"

"They have said some rotten, dirty lies, and they have even gone as far as to introduce the political aspect to get this council out next election," declared Mr McCormick.

Everything Possible Done

As far as he could see, the council had done everything possible as far as the club was concerned, said Mr S. J. McKee. Although they had to consider the club, the interests of the citizens also had to be taken into account. "Although Mr McCormick's remarks were a little strong, I think that they were justified," commented Mr McKee.

"There are 73 of them and they want the borough ratepayers to pay for their sport." said the Mayor (Mr G. A. Maddison). "I think that they should appreciate the fact that for 30 years they carried on at the expense of the ratepayers."

"If they want to elect their own Mayor and council, they are welcome to," said Mr Maddison. "The thing's just a laugh."

Mr Maddison read the following report: As far as he could see, the coun-

British aircraft are missing, and it is noted that the enemy claims that part of the crews were taken prisoner.

Squadrons of British light forces operating on the main line of Italian communications across the Straits of Otranto, between Italy and Albania, on the night of November 11-12 intercepted off the Albanian port of Valona an enemy convoy of four supply ships, escorted by two destroyers, states another official Admiralty communique.

Of the supply ships, one was sunk outright, two were set seriously on fire and almost certainly sunk, and the fourth was damaged but succeeded in escaping under cover of a smoke-screen.

Council Report

At the council meeting of Decem ber 15, 1938, a report was received from the superintendent of reserves regarding the tennis courts in Cornvall Park, as follows:-

(1) That the pavilion was in a very dilapidated condition, and the Building Inspector estimated the cost of repairs at approximately £75.

(2) That the courts had reached a Both the escorting destroyers escaped at high speed under cover of smoke, but one was hit and damage and no casualties sustained by the British stage when they were in need of re-

were sustained by the British forces.

The British Mediterranean Fleet also has continued to barass the Italian communications with their armies in Libya. On the night of November 9-10, a successful bombardment was carried out on Sidi Barrani. The fire was returned by the shore batteries, but the British ships sustained no damage and no casualties. (3 That the standards supporting the wire netting round the courts

This report was referred for consideration at the next year's estimates—viz., May, 1939.

The report above was taken at an ordinary council meeting and consequently was published in the Press.

Club Given Notice

At the council meeting held on May 18, 1939, it was decided to spend no more money on repairing the tennis pavilion and the Park Tennis Club was given notice of termination of its tenancy. This notice was given at once to enable the club to make arrangements for yearting.

was given at once to enable the club to make arrangements for vacating the courts before the coming 1939-40 season. On receiving this notice, the tennis club asked for an opportunity to discuss the matter with the courcil, and a sub-committee was set up to meet the club, which meeting took place on May 31, 1939.

At this meeting, it was pointed out that the rent received from the club was £40, but the actual cost to the Borough for the upkeep of the courts was approximately £80 to £100 per annum. It was also explained that costs were increasing, and the Reserves staff had that year been increased by two. Repairs were necessary to the pavilion amounting necessary to the pavilion amounting to between £70 and £80, and the whole wire netting enclosure needed re-conditioning and the courts re-

(2) That the laying of the courts would mean moving several of the electric light standards.

Hastings Club's Offer

It was at this stage that the secretary of the Hastings Lawn Tennis Club advised that it would have five courts available for leasing and suggested that this might be suitable for the Park Tennis Club. The secretary of the Park Tennis Club was advised of the difficulties encountered in Nelson Park, and the suggestions made by the Hastings Tennis Club. Negotiations were then nis Club. Negotiations were then entered into between the Park Tennis Club and the Hastings Lawn Tennis Club, but these fell through—it is understood on the matter of

In the meantime, following out the original decision which was re-ported on in November 1938, and decided on in May 1939, the pavilion ported on in November 1938, and decided on in May 1939, the pavilion was removed, consequently making the area no longer available for tennis.

WAIPAWA.

After making allowance for increased costs and for the payment to the dairy farmer in depreciated money he was getting to a second content.

FLOWER SHOW TO BE HELD TO-DAY

Promised

INTERHOUSE SPORTS

Ten Teams Will Compete To-Morrow

The fifth annual meeting of the Hawke's Bay business girls' interhouse sports, to be held at Nelson Park, Hastings, to-morrow night, promises to be as colourful and in-

be seen in competition to-morrow has been practising early in the mornings and in the evenings with a keenness which augurs well for

The judges will be Major S. I. Jones, Lieutenant C. Bagley and Mr

Teams Competing

nd white.
Nelson's (N.Z.) Ltd.—Instructor, Mr.
W. Mitchell; R. Taylor (leader), M.
ritt, J. Elliott, A. Upton, M. Hardg. J. Knuckey, O. Roil, D. Bascand,
Simmonsen. Costumes: Cream, gold

ver.
Katranski's.—Instructor, Mr J.
torp; N. Jorgenson (leader), J. Hill,
Lawrence, J. Jorgenson, E. Faulkor, S. Boardman, M. Johnston, M.
txon, J. Knight, P. Hepburn, B.
hith, D. Birks. Colours: White, with
d tripmings.

CO-OPERATION IS NEEDED

New Zealand's Effort For Production Increase

cision and advised it that it must now make arrangements to vacate the courts. The Tennis Club made representations to the council and a sub-committee was set up to explore the possibilities of providing courts in Nelson Park. This sub-committee in Nelson Park and reported back to the council that there were difficulties in providing courts, for the following reasons:—

(1) That an unsealed artesian well would have to be opened and sealed.

He realised it had not always been easy, Mr Christie continued, for war production was necessarily encompassed by special problems, which it was not always possible to fore-see. Many such difficulties had been met and provided for by the Government, but there were others with which it was now grappling. Solutions were not always easy to find and until they were found all those who were really earnest in their desire to assist the war effort would be patient.

"GRAVE INJUSTICE TO DAIRY FARMER"

Pegged Exchange

GREAT ANNUAL LOSS

9d a pound actual purchasing power for his produce, Mr W. J. Broadfoot, M.P. for Waitomo, stated in an address at Waipawa last night.

The overseas realisation had noth-

ing to do with the guaranteed price; it was purely an internal matter, so Mr Nash had said when he introduced the scheme, said Mr Broadfoot. economy of the country would have to be organised on the basis of what New Zealand got for exports. The School's Water Charges whole basis of the scheme was The Hastings Central

therefore being shattered.

The price for butter over 34 years

STRONG COMMENT | Colourful Scene | BOROUGH AFFAIRS | Further Men For | STRIKE-BREAKING IS NOT AT HASTINGS

ITEMS FROM THE

Land Taken For Road Deviation

AGENDA

A letter from the borough soli-citors advising that, the transfer to Messrs Robert Holt and Sons Ltd. of the portion of the closed road adjoining their property having been completed, certain title deeds had been handed to the council, was received at restrictions. ceived at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council. These titles show the effect of the proclamation issued by the Government in connection with the roading deviation, and appear to be in order, commented the solicitors.

An umpire appointed by two valuers to value the land taken over by the council as part of the Nelson Park extension scheme reported that the area was worth £150. Payment of the purchase money was approved by the council.

Women's Rest

There was a total attendance of 6407 at the Women's Rest last month. These included 4570 patrons, 33 visitors and 1804 used the facilities of the Plunket rooms. Cash receipts were £19/9/3. Cricket Wicket Charges

The council agreed to a request by the Hastings Cricket Sub-Asso by the Hastings Cricket Sub-Asso-ciation for a reduction in the charge for preparing senior wickets. The council declined to grant a reduc-tion in the case of No. 4 wicket at Cornwall Park.

New Subscribers

During last month 28 new subscribers joined the library, stated the librarian (Mrs O. Skipper) in a report. Seventy-two renewed their subscriptions and 33 left, leaving the total at 1926 subscribers and 2169 subscriptions.

Cornwall Park Flowers

The flower gardens at Cornwall ark are at their best and were visited by many hundreds of people during the past month, reported the superintendent of reserves (Mr G. J. C. MacKenzie). Last month 4700 seedlings were planted out to add to the summer display.

A tender by Messrs H. E. Andrews and Son, Napier, of £816/6/6 for widening and timbering drains in Karamu and Elwood Roads was accepted. A tender of £1279 by the same firm for laying stormwater pipes in Railway and Sylvan Roads also was accepted by the council.

The Hastings West School Committee asked the council to cut the playing fields at the school with the council's mowers. It was considered that two cuttings would be suffi-cient. The council decided that if the playing field was first cut with an agricultural mower and then raked it would be cut with the park mowers, but it could not agree to keep the field in order after that.

A request by the Hastings Grey-hound Racing Club for two addi-tional lights to be erected at the town end of Nelson Street in Nelson Park was received. It was stated

CRICKET BOOKS

books may be put through a slot in the door.

claims that might occur through in-

declined. The association pointed out that the proposed advertisers would pay for the cost of the public address system, in return for which they would receive certain advertistics. Permission to call tenders for the right to sell soft drinks, Building's Appearance

pared to guarantee that the building would be demolished by March 1, 1941. The request was granted. Albert Street Footpath

tradespeople access to their property. They complained that the grass was very long and that it was causing weeds to spread into their gardens. It was pointed out that as the applicants' properties have a footpath and bitumen road facing the Hastings Street frontage, it was presumed that the application referred to the south side of Albert Street. The council decided that it had no money available for the con-At the recent dairy conference he plainly admitted that in general the plainly admitted that in general the it would be considered with next year's estimates.

The Hastings Central School applied for a reduction in the charges

Camp

TRENTHAM UNITS

To Join Mechanical Company

DEPARTURE TO-DAY

The following men will enter camp at Trentham from the No. 7 Military Area to-day for training with the Mechanical Company:— Napier.—P. G. Childs, E. A. S. Gordon, J. Cairns, A. Malcolm. Hastings.—M. J. and V. Pennyfather.

Hastings.—M. J. and V. Pennyfather.
Wairoa.—J. J. Flowers, J. W. Boag, A. H. Woon, R. F. Bailey.
Gisborne.—V. L. Jones, A. F. Allen, C. V. Hornig, R. F. Perrott, J. W. Short, J. Kearns, H. C. Bean, G. Moore, E. W. Harris, H. M. Hackett, M. C. Dickson and F. K. Campbell.

KEEN TO LEARN THEIR DUTIES

NAPIER HOME GUARD'S REQUEST

not actually enlist in the guard, but will supply instructors, as requested, to Home Guard units every member of which will receive at least elementary training in first aid duties," continues 'he statement. "St. John Ambulance Brigades in every centre in Hawke's Bay have been asked to make contact with the Home Guard Unit Commanders and proceed on this basis.
"In addition they will, where prac-

"In addition they will, where practicable, supply instructors for outlying Home Guard centres where no St. John units exist. This is a matter for local commanders to arrange."

FORGERY CHARGE ADMITTED

WOMAN IN WAIROA COURT

MAORI'S OFFENCE

Committed To Gisborne For Sentence

(Daily Mail Special Service) WAIROA.

Pleading guilty to the charge of forging a cheque for £18/8/- payable to Mrs Rumbo Raroa and signed by E. K. McIvor, drawn on the Union Bank of Australia, Gisborne, and to the charge of attempting to cause Trevor Roberts Howard to

cused as Mrs Rumbo. Mrs Rumbo had come to her after a quarrel with her husband and she gave her

"On the last day," stated the witness, "the accused was ironing in the kitchen and I was in and about the house the whole time.

"The next day she called and said she would not be returning."

That afternoon, witness stated, she received a telephone call from Mr Crombie, a storekeeper, asking her if she had issued a cheque in favour of Mrs Rumbo Raroa, witness replying that she had not. The cheque (produced) was not made out by witness nor was it her signature. She was not aware that the cheque form had been stolen. Cheque Undated

Trevor Roberts Howard, grocer's assistant in the employ of Mr Crombie, Nuhaka, said that the accused came into the shop and produced the cheque, which was undated, and he told her to take it back and get it dated. She left the shop and returned about five minwas spelt wrongly and he consulted Mr Crombie, who informed him that the cheque was forged. The accused wanted the cheque back.
Constable Wesley Houston, of Nu-

haka, said that on October 17 Mrs McIvor informed him that a blank cheque had been stolen from her book, and on interviewing the accused she admitted the offence. Accused's Statement

Akeroa Rauna (Mr F. H. Jones) in her statement said she was a single woman residing with her par-

£1,000,000 Appeal are as follows: ents at Nuhaka Valley. Formerly she had lived with Rumbo Raroa as his wife, but she left him after a Previously acknowledged 476 I. M. G.
Joan Beaumont
T. B. H. Priest
Mr and Mrs Melville Bell
P. F. Hunter
Mr and Mrs I. S. Gardiner
C. Nailson C. Ritchie
le of car raffle tickets
na College, prize fund .
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codford House Trust . . .

Fascist Basis To Organisation Hotly Denied By Mr Semple

DUTY OF HOME GUARD

By Telegraph—Press Association

DUNEDIN, Nov. 14. "In the first place, there should be no strikes at a time when the enemy is at our gates, and anyone who does strike is playing the enemy's game," said the Minister of National Service (the Hon. R. Semple) when replying in an interview to-night to suggestions that the Home Guard might be used for strike-breaking and in support of Fascist activities.

If there were strikes, Mr Semple added, the Government had other means to deal with them without adopting the tactics of the enemies of Britain.

'If the workers got into the movement they could soon deal with that side of the question in the extremely unlikely event of its arising.

"The organisation is created for the purpose of preventing Fascism or Nazism coming to our shores and those are the very systems that have set themselves out in other countries to destroy the Trades Union movement. They would do the same here if they ever came to our shores.

"Any person therefore who Bomber

BOTH MOTORS FAILED our shores.

"Any person, therefore, who makes a statement like that to which I have referred is either a Fascist himself or a fool, or is looking for an excuse to shirk his responsibilities to the nation."

St. John Ambulance
Co-operates

So much keenness is being shown by Napier members of the Home Guard that it has been decided at the men's request to extend the period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the parades from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the flower from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the flower from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the flower from 1½ to 2 hours. All companies in the first period of the flower from 1½ to 2 hours from 1½ to 2 hours from 1½ to 2 hours from 1½ to 2 hour

Not a Stunt

The suggestion has also been made, Mr Semple added, that the Home Guard was a political stunt of the Labour Party: "That is just as absurd and ridiculous, just as poisonous and harmful as the other statement," said Mr Semple. "There should be no politics in this business at all. The man who can't forget his politics when his country is in jeopardy is either a fool or a humbug or both.

"We want no division when the enemy is at our gates. We want to remember all the time that we are members of the great British family with all its great traditions that Hitler and Mussolini are trying to destroy. Our object should be to hang together. If not we will hang separately."

Motor In Flames

"However, on the way back one motor burst into flames, and the prop fell off. We got the fire out and tried to get home on one engine, but she wouldn't do it, and we gradually lost height. Then the good motor started to go and we flew into the ground in the middle of a thick fog only 10 miles from home. There was a most awful crash. We hit two pine trees first, smashed them up, and then spread all over a field.

"I was out first, and tried to fix up the others, who were pretty bad, and then went for help in the dark and the fog. They were all knocked about, but all are getting better."

Flying-Officer Edwards, who is the chief pilot in one of the bombers, has two Napier airmen in his crew, one as rear gunner and the other as observer.

Athletic Season

THE NAPIER CLUB

Offer From Boys Of The More Support Could Be

CHANCE FOR GIRLS

Favourable weather greeted the Napier Amateur Athletic and Cyc-ling Club's first meeting of the 1940track was light and the going easy no spectacular times were recorded, most competitors taking the oppor-

The weekly programme conducted at McLean Park lends itself admirably to the physical development of youth, and it has been suggested that the girls who took part in the Inter-house Carnival might help to popularise the gathering. It is regrettable that the girls should reach such a high standard of efficiency and then not make an effort to maintain it

Women's 75 yards: L. Climo 1, Gibson 2, J. Medcalf 3. Time, 8.4-5

Women's Cock of the North. Miss June Elliott.
High jump: V. McCutcheon (11 inches), 5ft. 8ins., B. Scullin (9ins.), 5ft. 6ins. Discus Throw: B. Scullin 70ft. 7ins., E. Wells 65ft. 5ins., V. Mc-Cutcheon 60ft. 5ins.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE

Duty List For Napier Sports Events

Napier Park: Privates I. Whaanga and P. Crozier.

Napier Park (Taradale Division):

Teams For To-morrow's Games

TAXI-CABS

AT STATION

The third series of matches in the senior competition of the Hawke's Bay Cricket' Association will be started to-morrow. Two senior started to-morrow. Two senior games will be played at Napier and one at Hastings. Following are teams for Hastings matches:— Whakatu-Mahora v. Midland, at Nelson Park at 1.45: R. Love, J. Lee, J. Drummond, S. Herries, J. Goodall, D. Thompson, H. Stubbs capt., B. Edwards, E. Miller, C. Lowe, B. Johnson, J. Macklow, W. Blakey.

Whakatu-Mahora v. Fruitworkers, at Cornwall Park 1.45 p.m.: Arthur, Carrington (2), Christison, Davison, Gardner, Lowe, Moseley, Osborne, Pell, Trumper.

Fruitworkers v. Whakatu-Mahora,

Fruitworkers v. Whakatu-Mahora,

The Tenits were unloaded from the control of the mail venicle, with the result that when the mails were unloaded from the courts. The Tenins Club made passed by special problems, which at Cornwall Park at 1.45: Ingram, Love, Heenan, Huff, Taylor, Carpenter, Broadhurst, Knuckey,

Brooker, Porter, Aitcheson, Gal-Baptist v. High School B, High School No. 2, at 1.45: L. Spurdle (capt.), C. Cash, D. A. Lean, H. Dyson, G. Curtis, S. Simpson, T. Taylor, A. Taylor, I. Milner, H. Beckett,

Reserve.—v Rugby, Cornwall Park
No. 2: L. MacDonald (captain), L.
Driver, S. Murley, J. Ladbrook, E.
Keong, W. Boyle, H. Mayo, S. MacDonald, L. Davidson, T. Morrison, ramp.
The council passed a resolution

Junior A.—v Whakatu-Mahora, Nelson Park No. 1: S. Vince (captain), A. Ferguson, I. Mayo, L. Mayo, W. Wallis, B. Walsh, C. Young, H. Currie, H. MacDonald, R. Epplett, Lee, Moore. TOBACCO WORKERS TO

BODY OF DEAD CHILD CONCEALED

Hastings Complaint

Recently the mail from the Wellington-Napier express had been delayed in reaching the Post Office by taxi-cabs parking in front of the contractor's mail lorry, said the postmaster (Mr L. A. Burns) in a letter received at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council.

necessary to the pavlino amounting to between £70 and £80, and the whole wire netting enclosure needed re-conditioning and the courts relaying.

Without the co-operation of every-body in the community it was impossible to wage a war successfully, said Mr H. M. Christie, Labour candidate for the Waipawa seat, last give them plenty of time to make other arrangements.

On occasions when a taxi was engaged to meet passengers these en-

gaged cabs made a practice of go-ing to the head of the line and standing at the entrance to the that all taxis, whether or not they had been previously engaged, shall

to-morrow morning.

This announcement was made tonight by the Minister of Labour
(the Hon. P. C. Webb) who said before the meeting that he was approached by representatives of the
council and the workers and he undertook providing the workers redertook, providing the workers re-turned, to set up an emergency dis-putes committee to deal with the question of the dismissal of the

MAILS DELAYED BY

the mails were unloaded from the train it was impossible for the contractor to leave the loading bank until the offending taxis moved away, said Mr Burns.

The traffic inspector (Mr H. A. Green) reported that it had been the practice of taxis when meeting the train to form up in line along-side the kerb to the south of the ramp used by the mail contractor. On occasions when a taxi was en-

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, Nov. 14.
Representatives of the Trades and Labour Council attended a meeting of workers from W. D. and H. O. Wills's tobacco factory at Petone this afternoon and as a result a decision was reached to resume work

LORRY OBSTRUCTED

Council Takes Action

wait in line and not encroach to the

RESUME

Destroyers Escape.

Despite unfavourable weather Despite unfavourable weather conditions, entries for the Hastings Horticultural Society's summer flower show, which is to be held to-day, are above expectations. Classes in decorative work are the largest for a number of years, and this in itself will add considerably to the heavity of the show.

HASTINGS THE VENUE

eresting a spectacle as any yet Ten teams have been entered, and each of the 103 members who will

the competitions.

Jones, Lieutenant C. Bagley and Mr W. C. Taylor.

The teams will leave Westerman's corner at 7 p.m. to-morrow, and, headed by the Hastings Citizens' Band, will march to the grounds.

A list of the trophies to be competed for is as follows: Alexander Challenge Shield, Hugh W. C. Baird Cup, F. L. Bone Cup, Harold Connop Cup, L. J. Harvey Cup, W. C. Taylor Cup.

personnel of the individual eams is as follows:-

teams is as follows:—

Ten Heighway's.—Instructor, Mr
Ten Heighway; S. Hudson (leader), S.
Howard, A. Harnden, N. Wairoa, D.
Estaugh, H. Jones, L. McLaren, F.
Sparks, N. Russell, J. McQuilkan. Costumes: Cream and red.

H. H. Campbell's.—Instructor, Mr
W. Cate; G. Lane (leader), J. Sullivan, E. Hunt, P. Fannin, N. Sparling, R. Burnett, H. Cohen, P. Sparling, S.
Hartz. M. Kessell, J. Fargher (emergencies). Costumes: Red and white.
Juvenile Lodge (Oddfellows).—Instructor, Mr F. W. Franklin; M.
Thomson (leader), N. Thomson, E.
Franklin, B. Matthews, N. Thomson, G. Price, J. Murray, Y. George, I.
Corby, C. Thomson. Costumes: Gold and white.

ing. J. Knuckey, O. Roil, D. Bascand, N. Simmonsen. Costumes: Cream, gold and silver.

Roachs' (1931) Ltd.—Instructor: Mr W. Wallis; M. Cassin (leader), G. Holmes, E. Downey, F. O'Shea, E. Belchamber, I. Pedersen, F. Hughes, D. Ramsay, D. Musson, V. Tulley, M. Edgar. Costumes: Red and white. Wattle Ltd.—Instructor, Mr H. A. Bennett; D. Southcott (leader), H. Smith, L. Roach, J. Ward, J. Bungate, H. Harper, E. Hanlon, A. Hodgson, M. King. Costumes: All white. Woolworth's (N.Z.) Ltd.—Instructor, Mr L. Driver; E. Carter (leader), I. Garnett, M. Lewis, E. Roil, B. McLombe, T. Young, B. Tunnicliff, P. Garnett, J. Warren. Costumes: White, green and silver. S. T. Eves.—Instructor, Mr A. Thompson; Trixie Eves (leader), M. Butcher, N. Butcher, R. Butcher, P. Davidson, J. Gardner, M. Sanson, L. Vernon, G. Wilson, P. Wilson, Costumes: White, trimmed with blue and silver. Katranski's.—Instructor, Mr J.

Westerman and Co.—Instructor, Mr runton; G. Sampson (leader), J. ynch, N. Fulton, M. Mockeridge, S. ant, N. Thear, M. McGrath, M. New-lck, M. Wright, P. Young.

night at Pukehou. The farming section had responded splendidly to the He realised it had not always been easy, Mr Christie continued, for war juries to the public.

Mr Broadfoot's View (Daily Mail Special Service) WAIPAWA.

Greyhound Racing Club

Cricket club secretaries at Hastings are requested to arrange for books to be left at the "Daily Mail" office as soon

that after a demonstration of the present lighting system the club agreed that no further lights were needed. The club was given permission to leave a motor chassis and engine in the park to avoid registration, providing that they took out an insurance policy to cover any

A request by the Hastings Greyhound Racing Association for permission-to carry on advertising by a loud speaker at the greyhound racing meetings in Nelson Park was Jeclined. The association pointed but that the proposed advertisers would new form.

creams and sweets on the park was In response to a request by the council Messrs T. J. Thompson and Sons Ltd. carried out improvements sons Ltd. carried out improvements to a building in King Street which was recently damaged by fire. It was decided to thank the firm for their response to the council's request. Mrs P. Cooper asked if the council would grant a final extension of four months in which to response to the property building ward. move a temporary building owned by her in King Street. She was pre-

Messrs S. J. Belgrave and B. Heaven asked that a footpath be provided in Albert Street to allow tradespeople access to their pro-

Port Ahuriri bowling teams play Omarunu to-morrow are as follows:

North, Nov. 14.

A woman, aged 23, whose name was uppressed, pleaded guilty. Exeter, Hallett, Earney, Webley. A match for the McLennan Cup layed yesterday resulted: Clegr and McLeay (Port Ahuriri) 26 v. Clark and Deakin (Wairere) 23.

To-morrow is guest day at Port Ahuriri. Teams will come from Hastings, Napier, Heretaunga, Bluff Hallet, Sangier, Heretaunga, Bluff Hill, National Service, Waipukurau and Wairere.

By Telegraph—Press Association, Port Ahuriri bowling teams to play Omarunu to-morrow are as play Omarunu to-morrow are as follows:

The rose and sweet pea classes three for butter over 34 years before the guaranteed price was forwater used for the quarter and June 1/29. The proceeds of the show.

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Bottle Drive On

APPEAL TO BENEFIT

Tuesday

Hastings High School LATEST DONATIONS An appeal to householders to give unwanted bottles to aid the £1,000,000 patriotic appeal has been issued by pupils of the Hastings High School, who have of their own ac-

cord volunteered to canvass the whole town next Tuesday for donations. This latest contribution to the fund is entirely the boys' own idea, and the appeal they have drafted reads as follows:— "Since the war started, the adults have done much to aid the different patriotic appeals. The school chilpatriotic appeals. The school children have played their part, too, although usually under the direction of teachers. Recently, the Hastings High School pupils elected a com-mittee to see what they themselves could do. This committee appointed a sub-committee to organise and

a sub-committee to organise and direct a bottle drive right through the borough.

"We ask you to keep your bottles for next Tuesday morning when a High School boy will call for your contribution to the war effort. When we say bottles, we mean anything from beer bottles to medicine bottles to medicine bottles are all types and investigations. The results were as follows:

"The Results

The results were as follows:
Junior 100 yards: D. Tweedie 1,
K. Oram 2. Time 10 2-5sees.

Men's 100 yards: O. Banks 1, B.

Scullin 2, R. Phillips 3. Time, 10 1-5

secs. tles, including all types and jars. In supporting this effort, you are supporting the £1,000,000 appeal. Remember! Every bottle helps to win the war!"

Hastings Zone

The £3000 mark is approaching in the central fund for cash contributions to the Hastings Patriotic zone's share of £15,000 for the appeal. The latest acknowledgements are as fol-A. Anonymous
C. H. Slater Ltd.
A. J. Grant
County Club
M. A. Hunter
S. W. Dixon
E. T. Gifford

Total £2972 15 1 Donations at Havelock North Havelock North donations to the

Mrs J. Lynch Havelock North School

"It is ridiculously absurd to suggest that the Home Guard would be used for anything in the nature of strike-breaking," the Minister said. Injury

HASTINGS PILOT

Crash In Air Force

Opens

Accorded

tunity to "limber up" in preparation for the official opening on November 25.

secs.
Lap Dash Cycle race, first heat:
G. Hunt 1, S. Hunt 2, D. Newrick 3.
Time 36 1-5secs. Second heat: E.
Manning 1, R. Millar 2, I. McInerney
3. Time 35secs. Final: G. Hunt 1, E.
Manning 2, S. Hunt 3. Time, 35 2-5

Secs.
One mile cycle: G. Symes 1, G.
Hunt 2, T. Newrick 3. Time, 2mins.
41 1-5secs.
Men's 880 yards: R. Phillips 1, J.
McIntosh 2, D. J. Butler 3. Time,
2mins. 0 4-5secs.
Women's Cock o' the North Miss. Women's Cock o' the North: Miss

BRIGADE

The duty list for to-morrow for the Napier St. John Ambulance Brigade is as follows:—

forth School ... 3 3 0 Inglis.

Marine Parade Skating: Privates ... K. Jackson and C. Adams.

Superintendent D. L. Inglis, Corporal L. O'Keefe and Private W. L.

LABOUR POLICY WILL NOT BE ABANDONED

Guaranteed Price And Social Security Defended By Prime Minister

"Daily Mail" Special Service WELLINGTON, Nov. 15.

FORMER MAYOR'S

DEATH

Council's Tribute

Reference to the death of Mr J. A.

the Hastings Borough Council by

To-Day

Sessions, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

Also Three Sessions on Saturday, 2.15, 5, 8 p.m.

years to come.

"I am sure that we, as present-

Declaring the Government's determination not to abandon its policy of a guaranteed price for dairy produce, or its scheme of organised marketing, the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) to-day told the "Daily Mail" that to do so would be return to chaos, speculation and losses

He criticised the policy of the Nationalist Party as one of "paring to the bone"—a policy, which, he asserted, would throw thousands back into destitution and unemployment.

Mr Fraser also affirmed the de-! by the Labour candidate (Mr H. M. termination of the Government to Christie) to stand aside from the continue its social betterment pro- election contest if Mr J. D. Ormond, gramme and said that because the country was at war there was no need to abandon the Social Security scheme with all its benefits. To do so, he contended, would be to betray the brave men who had gone overseas to defend the democratic privileges and institutions that had placed this country in the vanguard of the nations, politically and socially.

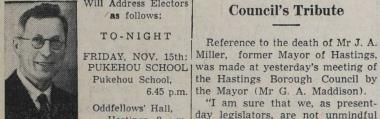
Medical Benefits

Mr Fraser added that shortly the Government hoped to be able to announce a further important extension of the Social Security scheme, namely the medical benefits.

Referring to the Waipawa by election the Prime Minister average of the social security sheet of the Prime Minister average of the social security and socially. gramme and said that because the who was now serving overseas

Referring to the Waipawa by-Referring to the Waipawa byelection, the Prime Minister expressed regret that the National
Party had rejected the offer made

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



Will Address Electors as follows: TO-NIGHT FRIDAY, NOV. 15th: Miller, former Mayor of Hastings,

Pukehou School. 6.45 p.m. the Mayor (Mr G. A. Maddison). Oddfellows' Hall,

ALSO MR. W. J. BROADFOOT, M.P. MR. W. J. BROADFOOT, M.P. (Waitomo) Will address Electors at

HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN HALL, TO-NIGHT (Friday), Nov. 15, 8 p.m.

-NIGHT (Friday), Nov. 15, 8 p.m.

INQUIRERS, PLEASE RING:
Hastings, 4190.
Waipawa 64.
Waipukurau 372.
Havelock North Office, from 9-12, and 1-5, 'phone 2031.

And in sewer extensions.

"In two short years he and his officers combined a wealth of industry and vision of what Hastings was to be," said the Mayor. "His industry, enthusiasm and optimism always carried him along the road of life. Although he has passed away his name will be always remembered."

"Four Wives"

COMMENCES

AT THE HASTINGS-

Taradale HOME GUARD UNIT

Young Men Wanted As Signallers

PARADE ON TUESDAY

(Daily Mail Special Service)
TARADALE.

To date 35 recruits have come forward for the Taradale Home Guard, but many enlistments are expected soon. At the meeting of the committee last night the chairman (Mr F. G. Yeo) was of the opinion that once parades were in progress the incentive to enlist would be much assisted.

It was decided that a mounted troop be formed and men wishing to join this are asked to come for-

Encouragement is to be given young men and others in the district who could join the signalling unit. This unit would be an excellent group for young recruits from 16 years and over and also for men who may not be physically fit for territorial work.

The first parade will be held on Tuesday, November 19, at 7.30 p.m. in the Taradale Town Hall (if available, and if not in the Labour

BRILLIANT YOUNG ORATOR

Social Credit Speaker In Hawke's Bay

day legislators, are not unmindful

but appreciative of the work of those councillors of over 30 years ago," said Mr Maddison. During Mr Miller's term in the mayoralty many services were established which benefited the borough in the Mr Maddison recalled that Mr Miller expended £85,000 on intro-ducing electric light in the borough and in sewer extensions.

RIFLE SHOOTING AT NAPIER

Handicaps For Saturday's Meeting

will look forward to a series of ad-dresses to be given in Napier and Hastings by another prominent costs and secure stability. No reply Hastings by another prominent costs and speaker for the federation, Mr C. to that let W. Clift, Dominion president. The addresses, as advertised, cover a wide range and are calculated to inspire control of the contro spire courage and confidence in the future of our Commonwealth of Naions no matter how formidable the combination of aggressive nations ettacking us. Keep these dates free, November 18 to 21, and do not fail to hear this convincing speaker.

The chap who had given his opponent twenty out of a hundred and run out without laying down his cue, put on his coat, lit his pipe, and started to talk about smoking. "There's some blokes," he said, "and I know two or three, will smoke for ten minutes. Then they're had I know two or three, will smoke for ten minutes. Then they've had enough. Me, I like a smoke to last for two or three solid hours—and then some." They all laughed. "What's your tobacco, old sport?" asked somebody. "Why, toasted Navy Cut No. 3," he replied. "I can smoke it for two or three hours at a stretch—yes, and enjoy every whiff." Well, lots of men can do that (any number), if they smoke toasted. It contains no nicotine, you see, worth talking about. tine, you see, worth talking about. It's the real Mackay!—doesn't affect the throat, or the heart either, for that matter. For pure, mellow, sweet and fragrant smoke there's nothing like the genuine toasted brands—there are just five of them—Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog), Cut Plug No. 10 (Bullshead), Cavendish. Riverhead Gold and Desert Gold.*

Mounted Troop At DAIRY INDUSTRY'S REPLY TO THE PRIME MINISTER

Board Requests Mr Fraser To Investigate Problem Personally

"Daily Mail" Special Service WELLINGTON, Nov. 14.

A request for the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon P. Fraser) to go thoroughly into the facts of the industry's case was made at a meeting of the N.Z. Dairy Board this week, when Mr Fraser's reply to the representations of the Dominion Dairy Conference in passing a vote of no-confidence in the Minister of Marketing (the Hon. W. Nash) was considered.

The board pointed out that the industry was working on

a price decided in 1938, with the high costs of 1940—due, it was alleged, to the Government's policy as well as to the war. Dairy farmers, it was stated, felt the position to be most unjust and they considered a price adjustment essential.

"RAID" ON HOTEL

WAIPUKURAU

TRAFFIC OFFENCES

Car

Charges arising from a police raid on the Wanstead Hotel on the even-

ng of November 1 resulted in the appearance of five men and the

The letter to Mr Fraser contained the following:

"We are sorry that you considered the attitude of the conference to the Minister of Marketing discourte-ous, but feel that you would not have answered our previous letter as you did, had you been fully aware of the many efforts which the dairy industry has made to secure from Mr Nash the fulfilment of promises previously made. Un-

Following discussion regarding the St. John Ambulance and the Home Guard it was decided that when recruits are being canvassed for, the point be stressed that the unit desires recruits to offer themselves as a medical unit to act in co-operation with the Taradale unit of the Home Guard.

The first parade will be held on respect.

"No Other Action Possible"

"We fail to see what other action he conference could have taken the conference could have taken. The present price was fixed at the commencement of the 1938-39 dairying season and even to anyone without detailed knowledge of the dairy industry, it must be obvious that there have been considerable cost rises since that date, and that in accordance with the Primary Products Marketing Act, dairy farmers are entitled to have their price increased. We maintain definitely, and in this attitude have the united support of the industry, that in failing to make some adjustment, Mr Nash evaded his responsibilities in terms

Arriving in Napier to-morrow (Saturday) morning is John Hogan, the brilliant young Australian lecturer. It is stated by Dr Maloney, veteran M.P. for Melbourne, that this 24-year-old orator is the finest he has heard in 20 years.

Mr Hogan i. touring the Dominion as the guest of the New Zealand Social Credit Movement, and has already addressed large audiereces in Auckland, Hamilton, Gislorne, and Wairoa. There will be three opportunities of hearing this gifted young man, on the solution to see that the arrangements made were such that the excess would materialise. We have no cosperation with the Dairy Division, to see that the arrangements made were such that the excess would materialise. We have no desire to be wrangling about price under to-day's conditions. That the strangements and the following man, the Mayor, Mr S. T. W. Heroock), and at the Napier Sound Sheil on Sunday, at \$1.50 m. (chairman, the Mayor, Mr S. D. Beglev); at the Napier Sound Sheil on Sunday, at \$1.50 m. (chairman, the Mayor, Mr S. D. Beglev); at the S. D. B. B. C. B. B. C. B. B. C. B. C. Soundard, and the saked to carry a most unjust but a drink before going home. The licensee was straightforward in the attitude Mr Nash has taken up is such that we can get no redress. We therefore appeal to you.

Industry's Case

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Industry's Case

"In September, 1938, Mr Nash the licensee, and on this occasion he was chatting with Matheson. He was chatting with the other "In September, 1938, Mr Nash the licensee, and on this occasion he himself fixed the present guaranteed price, reducing the standards which were unanimously reached by the 1938 Guaranteed Prices Advisory Committee, and thus submitting the industry to a reduction in its returns.

"The Dairy Industry Council."

The licensee, and on this occasion he was chatting with Matheson. He had nothing to do with the other four men. The licensee had been in the hotel for the past three years and this was the first charge against him.

A fine of £1, with 10/- costs, was "The Dairy Industry Council."

Meeting

Industry to a reduction in its returns.

On Saturday next the members of the Napier Defence Rifle Club will fire the second practice of the first series for the club championship on the Roy's Hill rifle range, 10 shots and one sighter at 300 and 600 yards.

This practice will decide who holds Captain S. Tozer's Cup and receives Dr Waterworth's trophy.

The following handicaps have

Industry to a reduction in its returns.

"The Dairy Industry Council, which is composed of members of this board together with representatives of all other organisations organisations and together with representatives of all other organisations at the dairy industry, met on September 8, 1939, and agreed that, in view of the war, the dispute as to the standards should be dropped, but asked that increases in costs since the price was fixed should be allowed.

The following handicaps have

Captains. Tozer's Cup and receives Dr Waterworth's trophy.

The following handicaps have been declared.

Major J. W. Olphert, President W. J. Munro, Deputy-President F. H. James, Riflemen H. Pedersen, L. Proffitt, R. Nicholson and H. C. Russell, scr., scr.; R. Gollop, 2, 3; R. Mundy, G. Gordon, C. Deverell, J. Manssen, A. Hyde, C. E. Maney, 3, 4; R. Baker, 4, 5.

Memorando

was fixed should be allowed. No increase was allowed.

"In June, 1940, the Dairy Industry Council again met and considered the position in the light of further cost increases which had taken place. In a letter to Mr Nash after that meeting, the council set out the position as they saw it, and showed that dairy farmers' costs had been increased through increased was egiranted to different sections of the community. Notwith standing those increased costs how ever, the council pointed out that because of he war situation they because of he war situation they were anxious to avoid asking for an Hawke's Bay audiences have good reason to remember the addresses given in this district by Major E. E. Barrows, national secretary of the British Israel World Federation, and will look forward to a corios of a district by Application of the community who will look forward to a corios of a district by a policy which to that letter was ever received from

Arbitration Award

"In . uly the Arbitration Court awarded a blanket increase in wages which made impossible the fulfilment of the policy of keeping costs down, which the industry had been attacking us. Keep these dates free, November 18 to 21, and do not fail to hear this convincing speaker.

The "dug-out" at the Clock Tower is now open as the booking office for "Uncle Ed's" new radio revue, "HiJinks," which is to be staged at the Hastings Municipal Theatre on Tuesday evening, the proceeds to go to the £1,000,000 Appeal, "Hi-Jinks" is the successor to the "Music Store" which raised over £700 for various organisations and those who have seen the new revue are unanimous in their opinion that it is better than the previous one. seriously affect the dairy farmers' costs, he indicated he was prepared to think of some way of assisting the farmer making £6 a week or less. (Incidentally we are emphatically opposed to this suggestion which would obviously provide a premium for inefficiency, and which is totally opposed to the principle underlying the guaranteed price.)

Economic Conference "Following on this, the Economic Stabilisation Conference was held and when addressing our Conference, Mr Nash indicated that the Government considered the report brought down an excellent one, and that it intended carrying it into

A FARMER for WAIPAWA!

VOTE CERSID

AT WANSTEAD **PROGRAMMES** FINES IMPOSED AT ON THE AIR

IYA Auckland

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Weather report; breakfast session.
9.0: "With a Smile and a Song."
10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: "Records at Random." 11.0: Talk, 11.15:
"To Lighten the Task.". 12.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news.
2.0: "From Our Library." 2.30: Classical music. 3.30: Sports results; "In Varied Mood." 4.0; Weather report and light music. 4.30: Sports results. **Collision With Stationary** (Daily Mail Special Service) WAIPUKURAU.

and fight music. 4.30: Sports results.
Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.15: Sports talk. 7.30: British Symphony Orchestra. 7.40: "When I Have Sung My Songs" (Charles), "Do Not Go, My Love" (Hageman). 7.46: "Waltz in C Sharp Minor" (Chopin). 7.49: "Parted" (Tosti). 7.52: "Fantastic Bourree" (Chabrier). 8.0: The Auckland Amateur Operatic Society presents: "Merrie England," by Edward German. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning variety. 10.0: Weather report. 10.10: Devotional service. 10.25: Favourite melodies. 10.45: Talk. 11.0: Versatile artists. 12.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.0: Weather report

The defendant Johnston was a personal friend of the licensee and often called to see him at the hotel, stated Mr Harker, who appeared for

p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.0: Weather report.
Classical hour. 3.0: Talk. 3.15:
Rhythm on the plano. 3.30: Weather report. 3.32: Popular tunes. 4.0:
Sports results; Celebrity session.
4.15: Afternoon vaudeville.
Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55:
Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.15:
"Britain Speaks." 7.30: Reserved.
7.45: Leslie Henson and Fred Emney, The Two Leslies, Gillie Potter.
8.1: "Funzapoppin." 8.31: Some of the latest records added to 2YA's library. 8.51: "Victor Herbert Favourites." 8.57: Weather report and station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. news-reel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P.
9.25: American Bands. 9.34: "Meek's Antiques": "Fair Exchange." 9.42: Songs on Brass. 10.0: Swing session. 11.0: B.B.C. news. Songs on Brass. 10.0: sion. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

3YA Christchurch

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning melodies. 10.0: Classical programme. 10.30: Devotional service. 10.45: Hall of Fame. 11.0: Talks. 11.30: Popular hits of the day. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.10 p.m.: Relay from Addington of New Zealand Metropolitan Trotting Club's meeting. 1.15: B.B.C. news.

1.15; B.B.C. news.
Music on strings. 2.30; Commentary
on Grand Parade at Agricultural
and Pastoral Show. 3.0; Classical
programme. 4.0; Weather forecast.
4.5; Variety programme. 4.30; Sports
results; light orchestral and ballad

results; light orchestral and ballad programme.
Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.15: Talk. 7.30: "Music from the Theatre": "Nutcracker Ballet," to the music of Tchalkovski. 8.2: "Scherzo No. 4 in E Major, Op. 54" (Chopin). 8.11: A recital by Heinrich Schlusnus (baritone). 8.24: "Iberia" Suite (Debussy). 8.44: Dllys Parry (soprano). 8.57: Weather report and station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: James Duffy (tenor). 9.38 and 9.55: Debroy Somers' Band. 9.47: The Maestros (vocal quintet). 10.0: Maestros (vocal quintet). Music, mirth and melody. B.B.C. news.

report.
2.0: Light music. 3.15: Talk. 3.30 Light music. 3.15: Talk. 3.30: Sports results; classical music. 4.0: Weather report. 4.30: Light music. 4.45: Sports results. Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.11: "Talking Pictures, How They Are Made." 7.30: "Conversation Piece" Selection (Coward). 7.40: "Dad and Dave." 7.53: "Rhumba Rhythms and Tango Tunes." 8.8: The Mastersingers. 8.17: "The Theatre Box": "Gay Paree and All That." 8.30: Richard Liebert (organ). 8.38: Bert Hirsch's Novelty Dance Orchestra. 8.43: "The Circle of Shiva." 8.57: Weather report and station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: London Symphony Orchestra. 9.30: Readings by Professor T. D. Adams: From "The Talisman" (Sir Walter Scott). 10.0: Dance programme. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

2YH Napier

7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Break 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session.
11.0: Light music. 12.0-2.0 p.m.: Lunch music. 1.15: B.B.C. news.
5.0: For the Children. 6.0: "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.45: Weather forecast: "The Hunchback of Notre Dame." 7.0: Afterdinner music. 7.30: Variety hour. 8.30: Dance session. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: Vernon Bartlett, M.P. 9.25: Light music. 9.45: Tales from the Pen of Edgar Allen Poe.





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Judgment summonses: V. A. Doria was ordered to pay Alex Blom £3 11/10, in default four days' imprisonment.

4YA Dunedin

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 10.0: Weather report. 10.15: Devotional service. 10.50: Talks. 12.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.0: Weather report. Tribute Paid To Mr Chamberlain HASTINGS BOROUGH

H. Hannah) stated that it was a case of neglect, the licence being re-

Judgment by default was entered for plaintiff in the following civil

Jim Harrison v Tom McGregor

Jim Harrison v Tom McGregor, £3/13/3 (£1/1/6); C. A. Collier v A. Doria, £4/4/- (£1/7/6); Hawke's Bay Farmers' Co-operative Association v R. McNair, £4/13/1 (£1/5/6); K. F. Anderson v W. O. Natta, order for possession of a dwelling and costs £2/12/6

newed at the end of the month.

"Great And Good Servant"

MAYOR'S COMMENT

"I am prompted by a remark passed by 'he Minister of Finance at Havelock North recently to move at this council meeting a motion ex that it intended carrying it into pressing the very real gratitude of effect as far as possible. Although the people of Hastings for the magdelegates pointed out that our industry was the only one in New Zealand which was being peremptorily berlain, and to convey to Mrs stabilised on the price level of 1938, Chamberlain that expression and with a cost level of 1940, affected by also an expression of our very real

with a cost level of 1940, affected by the war and the policy followed in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any increase in the price, and in the opinior of delegates indicated that the guaranteed price for the future was to comprise London parity, with the exception that if there were disastrous price falls overseas, "the dairy farmer would have to receive a bigger share of the national income."

"We submit courteously but definitely that the basis of the guaranteed price scheme, as put to the industry before its inception, was that the price was to cover all costs a warm place in the hearts of the later of the content of the policy followed in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any and genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Nash refused any genuine sympathy with her in New Zealand, Mr Maddison) at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council.

"To review his public career is to realise that he brought to office a deep sympathy for the well-being of mankind, and ideals that were lofty and that always guided him along the path of duty.

"His breadth of national vision when he became Prime Minister, and his eagerness to promote international provential provides and provides and

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Vascones Unlucky

Several Improvers Are Engaged There To-morrow

Racing at Greenmeadows last Saturday was popularly voted "the best for years." Not only were there big fields, but the class was really good and some splendid performances were recorded during the day. To-morrow the sport should be equally attractive.

The Canterbury Jockey Club's accept-nces for Saturday are:

2.2.—SUBURBAN HANDICAP.
Of £250; one mile.
Old Surrey 11.7, Cymric 10.11, Dona
dea 10.4, Great Swoop 10.2, Stabilise
10.1, Jewish Lad 10.0, Muffler 9.13, Arabic 9.9, Sham Bos 9.4, Gay Thread 9.2,
Jacksonville, Argeratum, Lockheed,
Safe Light 9.0. Yogi, who was palpably sore, put up a really good performance in finishing second to Native Song. However, Atkins was at him half a mile from home and, despite his undoubted class, he could make no impression on

FEILDING ENTRIES TO-NIGHT

ATTENTION is drawn to the fact that nominations for all events at the Feilding Jockey Club's spring meeting on No-vember 30 and December 2 close with the secretary, Mr E. C. Goodbehere, Feilding, at 8.30 o'clock to-night (Friday). This is always a normal fixture with Nigger Boy 10.1, Second Innings 8.9 Norseman 8.8, Trench Fight 8.4, Dictate 8.4, Ruatiti 8.4, Wild Career 8.3, Peter-sham 8.2, Night Fal 8.0, Nightdress 7.13 Roy Bun 7.12, Lockit 7.11, Hearth 7.10 Schoolgirl 7.9, Harina 7.8, Chary 7.7, Glenora Boy 7.7, Skyrena 7.7, Prudent Prince 7.7, Great Night 7.7. is always a popular fixture with Hawke's Bay owners and trainers and the programme is an attractive one, no race carrying less than £130. This province is likely to be again well repre-

2.12—PIONEER HANDICAP.
Of £500; maximum weight 9.5;
5 furlongs.
Pay Roll 9.5, Silver Lily 8.7, Salutation 8.7, Corn Prince 8.5, Bird of Prey 7.13, Divorced 7.9, Dash o' Dublin 7.8, Willow Wood 7.8, Drake's Drum 7.6, Desert Maid 7.3, Lindus 7.3, Palfrey 7.1, Miss Jessica 7.0, the pacemaker. It is a great pity to see such a good horse amiss and it looks as if he will have to be treated to a lengthy spell.

*2.57—METROPOLITAN HANDICAP OF £1000 1½ miles.

Royal Chief 9.12, Siy Fox 8.8, Soveeign Lady 8.1, Capricious 8.1, Serenata 1.1, Wardress 8.0, Boswell 8.0, Little Robin 7.8, Passaform 7.8, Second Innags 7.7, The Raker 7.3, Trench Fight 7.8, Knight Commander 7.0, Settlement 7.0, Windsor Chief 7.0. The fact that old Hunting Cat could finish third did not show up the remainder very favourably. Lady Furst was travelling well within herself for seven furlongs and then threw in the towel. The Greenmeadows mare has never looked better than at present, but she is racing like a jade.

Of £300; 9 furlongs,
Gayest Son 9.3, Sir Amyas 9.1, Gay
ox 8.9, King's Toast 8.9, Cymric 8.8,
[appy Night 8.7, Ferriby 8.7, Auto
weep 8.6, Airline 8.4, Dranoel 7.11, Araic 7.8, Metric 7.8, Scarteen 7.8, Myraid
.7, Enticing 7.7, Nightshift 7.7. Of £350; one mile.

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Don't Forget 9.2, Doria 8.6, Cherry Bay 8.2, Poutatau 7.13, Gold Flight 7.12, Symbol 7.7, Leighnor 7.0, Pleading 7.0, Blue Abbey 7.0, Wild Coon 7.0, Welsh Fusilier 7.0, Rawhamai 7.0.

Royal Star II, who was produced in great nick by Sid McGreal, won the Flying Handicap in a common canter and, as the result of a couple of great trials, his party threw in for a good win. They got a wonderful price, but the Irish-bred gelding is now to be spelled and is not engaged to-morrow.

Vascones was far from disgraced, but it would seem that her sequence of minor placings is never to end. Four seconds and a third in six starts is her record this season and she has been meeting some of the best sprinters in the land. Perhaps her chance will come to-morrow. chance will come to-morrow.

Nigger Boy 9.6, Lord Nuffield 9.6, Sleeveless 9.6, Spanish Lad 8.5, St. Cloud 8.2, Don't Forget 7.11, Not Out 7.10, Wild Career 7.10, Endorsement 7.6, Schoolgirl 7.1, Gay Parade 7.0. Kathbella is not beginning with her former alacrity, but she put in some good work in the last quarter on

THE PROSPECTS FOR GREENMEADOWS

PROSPECTS are bright for the second day of the Napier Part Racing Club's spring meeting at Greenmeadows to-mor and the following appeal on last week's form:

12.45 Omahu Hurdles: Morning Flight, Cherry Plum, Royal Stuart.

1.25 Novice Stake: Knight, Haughty Rival, Catanach.

2.05 Kuao Two-year-old: Theatre Miner's Hope, Erinscourt. 2.45 Waiohiki Stake: Native Song, Master Cyklon.

3.25 Meeanee Hack: Shani, Malacca, Boat Song.

4.10 Napier Handicap: Vascones, Kathbella. 4.55 Taradale Hack: Roeon, Silverhope, Flying Spy, or verhope, Flyin Sunny Knight.

Saturday. And, as that race will improve her, she may be harder to catch to-morrow. At least, she is one to follow and double up on. 30th NOVEMBER & 2nd DECEMBER

I was pleased to see Hunting Blood race so well. Harold Griffith took over a bag of bones a couple of months back and has made a horse out of the wreck. Hunting Blood would be all the better for that race, but he is essentially a Hunting Song and a soft track would suit him better.

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GALLOPS AT HASTINGS

Hunting Blood Sprints Well

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The Hastings tracks presented a The Hastings tracks presented a busy appearance yesterday morning, when the final trials for the Napier Park Spring meeting were performed. The trial grass and plough were in fast order as the result of the past few days and there were some smart gallops recorded. Pleasing sprints were credited to the two-year-olds Theatre. Proven

Pleasing sprints were credited to the two-year-olds Theatre, Proven and Dusky Bay, while the maidens Waicony, Support and Elminola galloped attractively.

On the plough, Kathbella (P. Atkins) ran her three in 40, travelling well within herself. She leaves the impression that she is improving with every race.

Kehurangi (Lunn) and City Song (R. Marsh) hit out well over six furlongs in 1.19 3-5, the first three in 39 3-5.

Dainty Dell (H. Callahan) and

sunny Knight ran nome from the two under a good hold. He looks all the better for his race last week.

Nora Gregor (Atkins) took 1.5 for her five after cutting out the first two in 24 3-5.

Kalika (W. Lewis) was doing better than Hugme (Atkins) over half a mile in 52

a mile in 52.

Proclamation (C. Cameron) was stopping at the end of his six furlongs in 1.21. However, he invariably goes better on race days.

Waicony (S. Parramore) pleased by the way in which she covered her six furlongs in 1.18 3-5, for she appeared to be going well within herself all the way. Under a Cloud

Yogi (P. Atkins) was to have gone six furlongs, but after running two down the back in 26 ne appeared to falter and was eased up. The Beau Pere gelding was all right again when he came in, but his lameness is causing his trainer much concern and there is rainer much concern and there is a doubt about him starting to-mor-

a doubt about him starting to-morrow.

Master Cyklon (T, Winiata) ran a steady once round in 1.42½.
Elminola (J. Forsyth) just shaded Silver Hope (Atkins) and Shani (Cameron) over half a mile in 51 3-5. Shani had the outside running and was conceding a lot of weight to her companions. She looks very well.

Lindrum (Atkins) was unimpressive over a round in 1.43 2-5, but he could have improved a lot on that time.

Hunting Blood (Forsyth) was brilliant over five furlongs in 1.33 3.5, the first two in 24 4.5. A shower of rain would enhance his prospects. Royal Vision (W. Doyle) ran an

Royal Vision (W. Doyle) ran an easy three in 40.

Proven (W. Aitken) and Captain Star (H. Gilmore) ran their three on the trial grass smartly in 38.

Burra Sahib (S. Parramore) and Crucible (G. Phelps), from a standing start, took 40 on this track.

Support (Forsyth) was going well with Foreign Gold (Marsh) over five in 1.4, a smart effort for maidens.

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Lady Garvagh (L. Cullen) was going easily with Greek Diana (Forsyth) over half a mile in 52 2-5.

Valcony (Lewis) finished well clear of Gay Rona (Aitken) over three in 39 3-5.

Laughing Song (J. Rae) was going comfortably alongside Cherry Plum (J. Forsyth) over seven in 1.37, the first half mile in 54.

Theatre (Marsh) was never off the bit in his three with Stolen Coat (L. Cullen) in 37 3-5. Theatre looks bright and well, but has been troubled with recurrent lameness.

Cherry Hunter (E. Desdandes) who does better in private than in a race, jumped vell over a round of six hurdles.

Morning Flight (E. Deslandes), looking none the work gave a dach looking none the worse for his race over hurdles last week, gave a dashing display over three flights of hurdles. Morning Flight is a natural jumper and should do well

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results are:—
WHITELEIGH HANDICAP, of f300; two miles.—2/4 Bush Laddie, 36yds (F. J. Smith) 1; 6-6 Parrish Guide, 60yds (R. Berry) 2; 8-7 Amonos, 36yds (R. Young) 3. All started. Time, 4.31 4-5.

ELLESMERE HANDICAP, of f300; 11 miles.—9-9 Mendel, scr (R. Young); 11-11 Lady Vasclyne, scr (Siebel); 4-4 Battlevale (bracketed with Trieme), 12yds (McKendry) 3. Scr.: Willowbank. Time, 2.46.

Willowbark. Time, 2-49.
LE LIEVRE HANDICAP, of £500;
two miles.—1-1 Peter Smith, 12yds
(L. Maidens) 1; 2-2 Accountant, 24yds
(R. Donald) 2; 5-3 Harold Guy, 12yds
(Pringle) 3. All started. Time, 4.27. OLLIVIER HANDICAP, of £600; wo miles.—4-4 Sandusky, scr (R. B. serry) 1; 1-2 Nelson Eddy scr Thomas) 2; 7-8 Jesse Owens scr 3. cratched: Horsepower, Time, 4.28 2-5. 2; 1-1 Peter's Find (Mitchell) 3. All started. Four lengths; three. Time, 3.22 3-5.

SOCKBURN HANDICAP, of £500; 1½ miles.—6-5 Manna's Son, scr (F. Alborn) 1; 7-6 Lament, 36yds (W. Doyle) 2; 8-7 Franz Derby, 12yds 3. Il started. Time, 3.22 2-5.

METROPOLITAN HANDICAP (9); 13 furlongs (1); 13 furlongs (1); 15 furlongs (2); 15 furlongs (2); 16 furlongs (3); 17 furlongs (3); 18 furlongs (3); 19 fu

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Alborn) 1; 7-6 Lament, 36yds (W.
Doyle) 2; 8-7 Franz Derby, 12yds 3.
All started. Time, 3.22 2-5.

METROPOLITAN HANDICAP, of £300; 13 furlongs.—5-5 Regal, 24yds (R. Berry) 1; 3-3 Three Tens, 12yds (Moritz) 3. Scratched: Ned Worthy.
Time, 3.34.

CLARKSON HANDICAP, of £500;
Time, 3.34.

CLARKSON HANDICAP, of £500;
(Walsh) 1; 8-8 Blair Athol, scr (D. C.
Watts) 2; 4-4 Great Jewel, 12yds (R.
Berry) 3. All started.



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Charing Cross impressed me as being on the upgrade and her racing at the Park should attune her nicely for Levin and Feilding.

The best hack at Greenmeadows on Saturday was Rakanui. He has grown very plain this season, but, on the other hand, he is infinitely more solid. The best Hunting Song's have not been oil-paintings and I think last week's form gave a very true indication of Rakanui's chances at Te Rapa to-morrow.

Wallace Young has Laughing Song looking well and he fully deserved his second placing with the mare. Like her half-sister City Song, who also ran a good race, Laughing Song would be a better proposition on a heavy track.

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