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Armed Troops Converging On Bucharest

SOLDIERS JOINING REBELS

Antonescu Accused Of Selling Nation To Germany

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LONDON, January 23.

In Heart Of

Abyssinia

EMPEROR AT HOME

Co-Ordinating War

Activities

BRITISH ASSISTING

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Commission's Duties

VITAL DUTIES TO BE

UNDERTAKEN

Neither the "Daily Mail" nor the "Daily Express" corresponsible at Sofia accept the report that General Antonescue is completely in control of the situation in Rumania.

The "Mail's" correspondent asserts that 30,000 armed men to-night are converging on Bucharest from all parts of Rumania. They are Iron Guards accompanied by angry peasants, all aiming to depose General Antonescu for "selling

the country to Germany."

The correspondent adds: "In the face of this nation-wide revolt some regiments of the regular army have joined the rebels and heavy fighting is inevitable.

The "Express" Sofia correspon dent says: "The Germans last night gave General Antonescu 24 hours in which to quell the revolt. The army early on Thursday began shelling the Ministry of the Interior which rebel Iron Guards captured the previous day. 'The military today captured the Bucharest radio station after the issue of a defiant proclamation. Rebels occupying Bucharest police headquarters defy General Antonescu's shock troops.

"The rebels have gained the upper hand everywhere in Transylvania. General Dragalina, commander of the Brasov garrison, commands one of the forces advancing on Buchar-

est.

"The garrison at Jassy revolted and occupied the town after several hours' fighting.

"The attitude of General Horia Sima, the Iron Guard leader, is a mystery. Reports from Belgrade declare that the Iron Guards massed 30,000 men in Bucharest and recaptured the post office and the telephone buildings, after being expelled by loyal regiments. Communications are chaotic throughout Rumania."

"The garrison at Jassy revolted and occupied the Sudan border into Abyssinia on January 15, and is now somewhere in the heart of the country co-ordinating and intensifying patriots' activities against the Italians in conjunction with the British military mission.

CLAIMS FOR DAMAGE

IN WAR

Political Prejudice.

The Budapest radio to-night was one of the principal sources of in-formation on the situation in Rumania, concerning which much of the news is obviously strongly col-oured by political prejudice. This Hungarian radio quoted a proclama-tion in which General Horia Sima appealed to his followers to cease their activities, which had led to clashes with the troops and police. He added that the Axis policy required certain measures in Rumania

German Claims To Luxemburg

ECONOMIC PRESSURE

Signatures Sought To Petition

ON WRONGFUL BASIS

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 24. The Luxemburg Minister to Washington said to-day that German agents in Luxemburg were exerting economic pressure on his countrymen to obtain signatures Supporting union with Germany.

The Germans, he said, were describing the movement as "Back to Germany," but he pointed out that Luxemburg never was German.

FURTHER HELP FROM THE COLONIES

Funds For Fighters And Red Cross

British Official Wireless (Received January 24, 7.30 p.m.) RUGBY, Jan. 23.

LIFEBOAT

LONDON, January 24. A tale of the terrible hardship enland which was torpedoed off the

an English port. Eight persons left the torpedoed ressel in one lifeboat, but five, com-

BRITISH CATCH UP

THREATS ENFORCED

Mussolini's Empire

Operations continue to develop suc-

FORTY HOURS IN

TERRIBLE HARDSHIP SUFFERED

Two Other Boats Still Missing

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dured by the rescued survivors of a vessel outward bound from Eng-Irish coast was told by three passengers when they were landed at

ERITREA

In Shreds

British Official Wireless
(Received January 24, 6 p.m)
RUGBY, Jan. 23.
In Eritrea the Italian colony on the Red Sea, British troops are now in contact with the Italian forces which withdrew from Kasala area of the Sudan, and which are now holding a defensive position covering Bischa and Barentu (about 60 miles eastwards from the Sudan border), says to-day's communique from British headquarters at Cairo. Operations continue to develop successfully.
In Abyssinia, the communique

British Official Wireless
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RUGBY, Jan. 23.
The composition of the commission to be set up under the terms of the War Damage Bill will be the responsibility of the Treasury, Sir Kingsley Wood told the House of Commons. adds, the pressure on the enemy east of Metemma is being maintained.

tiating with the Government in an effort to clarify the situation.

Meanwhile, the Government is making the best use of the recaptured Bucharest radio station, which to-day warned the people not to stay in the streets because of the danger of shooting during the disarming of various detachments.

It was later announced that General Antonescu had sent a message to all Ambassadors that the rebellion had ended.

The Budapest radio, however, declared that fighting continues in Bucharest and other towns.

According to the Rumanian Legation at Budapest, flerce fighting has occurred at Priala, near the Russian frontier, where about 50 were killed.

Kingsley Wood told the House of Commons.

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Sirush Treasury, Sirush Reversed throughout their developments at every point where British pressure is being exerted throughout their African possessions, and are living witness to the potency of the warn-ing Mr Churchill addressed to them and their compatriots at home in Italy before Christmas. "Our armies are tearing and will tear your African empire to shreds and tatters," he said.

In the Sudan, the Italians have been driven from their positions in the Kassala region, and British troops are again in touch with them some miles inside Eritrea. On the Kenya front the Italians are still retreating.

VICTORIOUS

Disquiet In Italy At Progress Of Greek Campaign

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received January 24, 9.45 p.m.)

LONDON, Jan. 24. It is generally considered that the Italians are planning a counter-offensive on the Albanian front, but the Greeks' ceaseless jabbing here and there is allowing General Ugo Cavallero's forces little opportunity to reform under the handicaps of weather and weakened morale.

Meanwhile, the "Daily Telegraph's" Athens correspondent quotes reports of increasing disquiet in Italy. Marshal Badoglio, who recently resigned, is reported to be virtually under house arrest. The army remains attached to him and after his resignation his appearances in public was invariably applauded by the people, embarrassing the Fascists.

The "Daily Express" correspondent on the Italian frontier says that the "Frankfurter Zeitung" announces that Signor Farinacci, Minister of State, has been sent to Albania with the rank of Air Force

respective to the torpedoed vessel in one lifeboat, but five, comprising four members of the crew and a wireless expert, who was bound for Fiji, died from exposure. The boat was picked up by a Swedish vessel after 40 hours of nightmare.

Two other lifeboats, in one of which were Mr G. C. Codlin, formerly of Auckland, and his wife, are still missing.

BRITISH CATCH UP

WITH ITALIANS

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SIXTY MILES INSIDE

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Again No Night Raiders

LONG QUIET SPELL

Daylight Attacks On Small Scale

BRITISH REPORT

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London's fourth successive night without a raid is the longest spell of quiet nights since the intensive raids began in September.

The night lull has also been experienced all over the country since

January 19, apart from slight activity in the eastern counties on the early part of Wednesday night.

The few daylight attacks have been on a minor scale.

Monterey Held Up

AUCKLAND STORM

Liner Fails To Berth

DELAYED ARRIVAL

By Telegraph-Press Association

AUCKLAND, Jan. 24. Hove-to in the Rangitoto Channel off Cheltenham Beach, the Matson liner Monterey from San Francisco did not attempt to enter the harbour to-day as it was considered inadvisable to berth her in the strong easterly swell

anie to berth her in the strong east-erly swell.

The Monterey, which was expect-ed to berth at Prince's Wharf about eight o'clock this morning, was de-layed by high seas and winds and by thick mist for some hours this morning. She sheltered off Cape Colville, Coromandel, and as no pilot appeared when she reached Bangi. appeared when she reached Rangitoto Channel about three o'clock in the afternoon, she turned back and returned to the channel in the afternoon and dropped her anchors.

AIR SERVICES ARE DISRUPTED

Emergency Ground Used At Wellington

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, Jan. 24. WELLINGTON, Jan. 24.

Thick weather at Rongotai disrupted nearly all air services to-day.

The 7.35 'plane to Nelson was the only outward service from Rongotai itself. The Nelson 'plane for Wellington stopped at Blenheim and did not complete the trip. The Auckland-Dunedin 'plane stopped at Palmerston North, and the Dunedin 'plane north stopped at Blenheim. It was decided shortly after noon to complete the trunk services by using the emergency landing ground using the emergency landing ground at Paraparaumu. Passengers to con-

"AIR INVASION IMPOSSIBLE"

LINDBERGH'S TRUST IN ATLANTIC

NEGOTIATED PEACE

Best Solution For America

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(Received January 24, 6 p.m.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.
Colonel Charles Lindbergh, the
noted aviator itestifying before the
Foreign Affairs Committee of the
House of Representatives to-day declared that the United States was in no danger of invasion, either by sea or air, while she maintained an army, navy and air force of reasonable size.

"An air invasion over the ocean, I

"An air invasion over the ocean, I believe, is absolutely impossible now or at any predictable future time," he declared.

He advocated that the United States should construct as rapidly as possible an Air Force of about 10,000 thoroughly modern fighting 'planes, plus reserves, which "would be adequate to ensure" American security regardless of the outcome of the European war.

"If England is able to live at all with German air bases less than an hour's flight away, the United States is not in great danger across the

is not in great danger across the Atlantic." he said.

Colonel Lindbergh added: "I oppose the Lend-and-Lease Bill, first because it is a step away from democracy, and secondly because it is a step towards war. I do not know a step towards war. I do not know how many more steps can be taken and still be short of war." Negotiated Peace

measure authorising the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to lend 1,000,000,000 dollars to Britain, 500,000,000 dollars to Canada, and 50,000,000 dollars to Greece.

Petrol

CHEMIST'S WARNING

"Very Dangerous Position"

N.Z.'s PROBLEM

By Telegraph—Press Association DUNEDIN, Jan. 24.

"It has always seemed to me a very dangerous position for a country whose proved petroleum resources are negligible, whose exports go mostly to the other end of the world, and whose external trade per caput is far too high to form a stable basis for prosperity," he said

ENEMY ACTIVITY IN PORTUGAL

RUMOURS BROADCAST

Democratic"

British Official Wireless (Received January 24, 7.45 p.m.) RUGBY, January 23.

"It is, I am sure, fully realised in Portugal and elsewhere that our victory will, among other benefits, safeguard the right of nations to shape their lives in full freedom in their own way."

Surprises Await Invaders

BRITAIN IS READY

Prepared

British Official Wireless (Received Jan. 24, 6 p.m.) RUGBY, Jan. 23.

the spirit of the men excellent.

He added that there had been a great improvement in the beach defences and better organisation of secondary lines. The job to be done by the Home Guard had been clearly defined. Communications had been improved and gun positions.

"The plans of defence have been carefully drawn," he said. "The British Army is working on the assumption that an attempt will be made, and I know that the element of surprise will not be monopolised by the invading forces, for there are surprises awaiting them on and behind these beaches."

ANNOUNCED

Missing

WELLINGTON, Jan.24.
The following casualties were anounced to-day. By Telegraph-Press Association

"Dr Salazar's Regime Not

were taking place, denote a marked ment and people are well aware that this country does not and will not seek to interfere in the internal affairs of other nations or to impose on them its own forms of Govern-

Beaches And Hinterland

he spirit of the men excellent.

been improved and gun positions strengthened.

TWO AIR CASUALTIES

One Pilot Killed; Another

And Navy

TOBRUK GUNS SILENCED

Little Gunboats Braved The

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received January 24, 10.45 p.m.)

The R.A.F.'s ten days intensive operations, comprising

Fire from the San Giorgio and other guns was silenced

attacks against Derna and Apollonia cut off the only bases from which the Italians could be sent reinforcements.

The Navy's part was no less inspiring. Little gunboats built for the smooth Chinese rivers braved the Mediterranean storm to participate. The veteran monitor vessel Terror crept in under the noses of the shore defences early on the morning of January 22 to harass the reserve troops and transports for two hours. Her 15-inch guns lobbed tons of shells into the Italian lines. Italian newspapers chorus that the fall of Tobruk will not alter the course of the war. Tobruk's fall was foreseen after Bardia, it is claimed, and the magnificent defence against vastly superior forces held up the enemy for 20 days.

The Australians hoisted an "Anzac" hat on a masthead in the centre of the town when they hauled down the Italian flag after a 26-hour operation, in which Tobruk was captured.

rac" hat on a masthead in the centre of the town when they hauled down the Italian flag after a 26-hour operation, in which Tobruk was cap-Australian cavalry in Bren-gun carriers stormed the main road to the town, broke down a ferro-concrete barrier and marched in. A couple of bursts of machine-gun fire rang out from the defenders, the Australians replied with gusto and the garrison surrendered.

Italians Exhausted RUGBY, Jan. 23.

Commenting on the preparations on the Channel coast to meet a possible invasion, Lord Morrow, in a broadcast address over the American Columbia system, while agreeing that a fortress could not be created in a few months, said that the progress made was impressive and the spirit of the men excellent.

The prisoners possibly number 20,000, and include the Metropolitan 61st Division, which is a peacetime garrison, also 1500 from the naval garrison and 700 from the crew of the grounded cruiser San Giorgio, several hundred civilian technicians and many fishermen, military police and Customs officials.

Exhausted and unnerved, the Italians, who had been hammered for days by bombs and shells from the air, land and sea, streamed out into captivity before the last of the Australians rode triumphantly into the town. An Australian brigade captured Major General d'Ella Mura, of the Metropolitan 61st Division, between Solaro and Airente. All the Allied troops pay tribute to the magnificent and untiring work of the British mechanised work of the British medianised units. The colonel of a famous tank regiment said: "We have hardly stopped from the beginning of the offensive."

200 Guns Taken To-day's Cairo communique states: "The capture of Tobruk was completed on Wednesday night. So far, more than 14,000 prisoners have been taken, including a corps commander, a divisional commander, two other generals, an admiral, and a number of senior army and navy

staff officers.

"About 200 guns of all calibres were captured, with quantities of other material. 500 Casualties "Our casualties were fewer than

Turkish Support Of Bulgaria Possible Through Treaty With Moscow

(Received January 25, 0.15 a.m.) LONDON, January 24.

The "Daily Express" diplomatic correspondent believes that Turkey's stiffened resistance to Germany's threat against Bulgaria is explained by a reported secret Russian-Turkish agreement signed a few weeks ago guaranteeing: (1) If Bulgaria is attacked or unable to prevent the passage

actively participating in the conflict.

The correspondent adds: "The pact is not a gesture of Soviet friendship with Britain or Turkey. It is Stalin's measure of self-protection.

to maintain their neutrality,"

Valiant Service By R.A.F.

Stormy Mediterranean

87 sorties, preceding the fall of Tobruk cost the British only three 'planes. The attack on Tobruk lasted from dawn to dusk. The conditions of the defences of the port and the stranded cruiser San Giorgio testified to the effectiveness of

before the final attack. The R.A.F.'s and the Fleet Air Arm's simultaneous

Ing.
The actual number of prisoners cannot yet be disclosed, but it is known to be large. Some reports give the figure at 25,000. What Next? What Next?

What are the plans of General Wavell and his staff after the fall of Tobruk? Mussolini and Graziani must be left to guess. It is known, however, that advanced British units are close to Derna and Mecali, an important road junction some 60 miles south of Derna.

TOBRUK DECLARED A ROUT

GERMAN ATTACHE DEPRESSED

MAJOR FAILURE Criticism Of Italian Behaviour

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LONDON, Jan. 23.

German circles in Italy are reported to be profoundly depressed at the fall of Tobruk. General von Rintelen, military attache at Rome, is stated to have declared: "Tobruk was not a defeat—it was a rout on a major scale."

Sir Archibald Wavell's troops are already in the vicinity of Derna, 100 miles west of Tobruk, and Mekili, an important road junction 50 miles

miles west of Tobruk, and Mekili, an important road junction 50 miles inland and a little more westerly than Derna. It is understood that Derna is lightly defended.

The British offensive is now strengthened by the possession of air bases at Bomba, El Adem, Gazala and Tmimi, at which mechanised forces are already established.

BLACKOUT TIGHTENED IN BERLIN

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The Swedish radio stated that Berlin expects intensive air raids when the weather conditions improve. Hundreds of new shelters are being built and others are being reinforc-

MONOTYPE CUP RACE

SAILED

By Telegraph—Press Association WANGANUI, Jan. 24. The race for the Monotype Cup was sailed to-day. It is open to boats of the Takapuna Class single-handed, Results:

Manakau 1, Wanganui 2 and 3.

Twelve boats competed,

OPTICIAN

SHIP TORPEDOED

In Kenya, offensive activities by British patrols continue.

EAST AFRICA Abyssinia, Eritrea And Kenya

All Report British

Successes

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received January 24, 11.55 p.m.) LONDON, Jan. 23. The British advance in East Africa continues on all rronts. Mechanised units advancing from Kassala are developing a pincers movement against Agordat. The Italians have abandoned their base in the area of west Abyssinia.

Offensive patrols are pushing back the Italian outposts

The invading forces in Eritrea have penetrated 50 miles

The Italians are estimated to have evacuated 5,000 square miles. Their tactics seem to be to develop the principal resistance at the escarpment in the highlands, but they are still contesting the British advance, notably at entrenched positions between 15 and 20 miles west of Bisha Parentu. This drive is the southern half of the pincers movement against Agordat. The northern one is a mechanised offensive in which patrols are reaching out eastward ahead of the main forces. The Italian forces here attacked the British amid steep volcanic hills. Italian cavalry rushed through the tropical scrub and charged to within 30 yards of the British guns, but it was a hopeless rearguard action, costing the Italians 25 dead. There

on the Kenya front.

from the frontier.

Negotiated Peace

After Mr Luther Johnson had commented that Colonel Lindbergh had never expressed sympathy for either side, Colonel Lindbergh said: "I would prefer to see neither side win. It would be better for us if the war ended without a conclusive victory. It would not be best to see Germany defeated. A negotiated peace would be best for us."

He asserted that the British Navy's fall would not seriously menace the United States.

Colonel Lindbergh said he did not believe that even if the United States joined Britain, Germany could be defeated unless such a defeat was preceded by internal collapse. He said he believed that the United States must co-operate with Europe regardless of which was the dominant Power. He added that he considered the sending of 50 destroyers to Britain was a mistake.

Senator Ed Johnson has introduced in the Senate a substitute British Aid Bill authorising an outright gift of 2,000,000,000 dollars' worth of war materials to Britain.

Senator Taft has introduced a measure authorising the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to

Dependent On

In his presidential address to the annual conference of the New Zealand Institute of Chemistry, Dr. Roy Gardner referred to the extent to which New Zealand had become dependent on petrol, a commodity which it probably could not produce in any quantity.

"It has always seemed to me a yeary dangerous position for a coun-

TRYING TO ALIENATE BRITAIN

The Foreign Minister (the Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden), questioned in the House of Commons about enemy endeavours to undermine Anglo-Portuguese friendship by spreading rumours to the effect that continuance of the present regime of Dr Salazar in Portugal is incompatible with a British victory, re plied that such manoeuvres, if they loss of confidence among Britain's enemies, and added: "I have no doubt that the Portuguese Govern-

CHANNEL FORTRESSES

Pilot Officer Frank Reidhaar Bullot, R.A.F., killed on air operations; father, Mr A. B. Bullot, Mill Road, New Plymouth.

Sergeant-Pilot Stronach Vivian Smith, R.N.Z.A.F., missing on air operations; father, Mr V. Smith, Taoroa, Taihape.

"Our casualties were fewer than 500," the British communique adds. "The enemy battle casualties have not yet been fully ascertained, but 2000 wounded are already being evacuated."

One admiral and four generals were among many Italian officers of high rank taken during the assault

SOVIET BACKING THWARTS GERMANS IN BALKANS

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of German troops across Bulgaria Turkish troops will assist her with all possible means.

(2) In the event of this the Soviet will supply Turkey with all the arms, munitions and 'planes she can spare without

'It must be assumed that Hitler knows that the agreement exists, which is a good reason why Germany is unable to shake King Boris and M. Filoff from their determination Manakau Boat Wins At Wanganui

Intensive Air Raids Feared

ed.

Blackout conditions are being tightened and evacuation has been speeded up in respect of children and elderly persons. Anti-aircraft defences have been strengthened with new guns.

The Germans claim to have discovered fresh methods of anti-aircraft fire.

nect left by car shortly after 1 p.m. The colonies' continued part in the war effort is acknowledged in a message of thanks from the Government to the people of Tanganyika for a final contribution of £5436 for the purchase of fighter 'planes. Nyasaland is also thanked for a final gift of £3000 from Nyasaland's Win the War Fund, and the Bahamas Red Cross branch for having raised a further £1000 for the Lord Mayor of London Air Raid Distress Fund. BITAILIAN positions which could easily be taken from the flank. The last Italian invaders are likely in 30 yards of the British guns, but too high to could easily be taken from the flank. The last Italian invaders are likely in 30 yards of the British guns, but it was a hopeless rearguard action, could easily be taken from the flank. The last Italian invaders are likely in 30 yards of the British guns, but trade per caput is far too high to from the flank. The last Italian invaders are likely in 30 yards of the British guns, but trade per caput is far too high to from a stable basis for prosperity," the last Italian invaders are likely in 30 yards of the British guns, but trade per caput is far too high to found a few days. South African troops with Abyssinian irregulars seized two Italian outposts on the Kenya-Abyssinian irregulars seized two Italian outposts on the Kenya-Abyssinian bregulars seized two Italian outposts on the Kenya-Abyssinian bregulars seized two Italian outposts on the Kenya-Abyssinian irregulars seized two Italian outposts on the

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2.30 p.m.: Mangateretere.

p.m.: Song Service, Alexander Hymns. Subject: "The Call of the Deeps." Anthem: "It is well with My Soul." Sunday School and Worshipping League reopen Sunday Next, February 2nd., at 9.30 a.m.

WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH HASTINGS.

Preacher: Rev. C. H. Olds, B.A. 11 a.m.: "Secret Prayer." Anthem: "Give to the Winds Thy Fears."

7 p.m.: "The Appeal of the Crucified" Anthem: "The Shadows of the Evening Hours." United Intercession, Salvation Army Citadel, 3 p.m.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

SETTLEMENT LAND FOR SELECTION ON RENEWABLE LEASE

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned section is open for selection on Renewable Lease under the Land Act, 1924, and that applications will close at 4 p.m. on TUESDAY, 11th February, 1941, at the Lands and Survey Office, Napier.

Section 10, Block XI, Waipukurau S.D. (Lindsay Settlement)
Area, 10 acres.
Capital Value, £200.
Half-yearly Rental, £5.
Weighted with £470 for improvements.

This property is suitable for a small farm to supplement a worker's income, and is situated on the main highway, one and a half miles from Waipawa Post Office. Further particulars may be obtained

F. R. BURNLEY, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SEASIDE SECTIONS FOR DISPOSAL ON RENEWABLE LEASE

NOTICE is hereby given that 14 sections in Te Awanga Township Extension No. 4 are being offered for selection by the Lands and Survey Department, Napier, applications closing at 4 p.m. on TUESDAY, 11th February, 1941.

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2YA Wellington 6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. These sections, which are well suited for beach cottage sites, are situated adjacent to the Township of Te Awanga, and within 2½ miles from Haumoana Post Office.

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F. R. BURNLEY, Commissioner of Crown Lands. Hawke's Bay County Council Office,
NAPIER, Jan. 25, 1941.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
the Hawke's Bay County Electoral
Roll for the undermentioned kidings is
open for inspection at the Hawke's
Bay County Office, Browning Street,
Napier, during office hours; and a
copy of the Roll for each riding will
be open to public inspection at all
reasonable hours from January 27th
until February 16th, 1941, at the
undermentioned places:

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PUKETAPU Post Office, Opapa
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WAIMARAMA

WAIKARE WAIMARAMA Post Office, Waimarama ANY PERSON may, on or before the 22nd day of February, 1941, lodge with the Council an objection in writ-ing under his hand to the County Electors' Roll on any of the following

(a) That any person whose name is on the said roll in respect of any qualification does not possess that qualification at the time when the objection is lodged; or (b) That any person whose name is not on the said roll possesses the necessary qualification at the time when the objection is lodged and is entitled to have his name

(c) That the number of votes allotted to any person is greater or less than that to which he is entitled. DATED this 25th day of January, 1941. W. J. O'CONNELL, Clerk, Hawke's Bay County Council.

enrolled; or

Hawke's Bay County Council Office, NAPIER, Jan. 9, 1941. NAPIER, Jan. 9, 1941.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an ADDITIONAL charge of 10 per cent. will be added to County and Rivers Board Rates remaining unpaid after FEBRUARY 14th, 1941.

RATEPAYERS are requested to note that the County Offices close for the receipt of rates at 4 p.m. each day—MONDAY to FRIDAY inclusive.

Clerk, H.B. County Council Clerk, H.B. Rivers Board.

NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL PENALTY ON OUTSTANDING RATES. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

"The Rating Act 1925" an additional ten per centum will be added to all Napier Borough Rates for the year ending 31st March 1941 remaining unpaid after the 31st day of January, 1941. After that date proceedings will be taken to recover outstanding rates.

F. R. WATTERS, Town Clerk and Rate Receiver

WAIROA A. & P. SHOW AT WAIROA WEDNESDAY, 29th JANUARY, 1941 A SPECIAL RAIL-CAR will leave Wairoa at 6.30 p.m., Raupunga 7.10, Putorino 7.35, Eskdale 8.30, Napier arrive 8.49, depart 9.0, Hastings arrive 9.20 p.m.

Stops at all stations, if required, for passengers

BY ORDER.

WAIROA RACES, THURSDAY & SATURDAY, 30th JANUARY & 1st FEBRUARY, 1941 TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS AND FARES: THURSDAY, 30th JANUARY

SPECIAL Rail Car leaves Hastings 8.45, Eskdale 9.4, Waikoau 9.32, Putorino 9.58, Raupunga 10.24, Wairoa arrive 10.55 a.m.

Return rail car leaves Wairoa 7.45 p.m., Napier arrive 9.55, Hastings arrive 10.20 p.m. Both rail cars stop at all stations, if required, for passengers.

Be sure and reserve your seat, fee 1/1 for the combined journey.

For fares enquire stations. SATURDAY, 1st FEBRUARY, 1941

Special fast passenger train leaves statings 7.20 a.m., Napier 8.0, Est-dale 8.30, Waikoau 9.15, Putorino 9.55, Raupunga 10.35, Wairoa arrive 11.15

Raupunga 10.35, Wairoa arrive 11.15 a.m.

Return passenger train leaves Wairoa 6.20 p.m., Napier arrive 9.45 p.m., Hastings arrive 10.30 p.m.

Both trains stop at all stations, if required, for passengers.

Special return tickets available for use only by the special passenger trains will be issued to Wairoa on Saturday, Ist February, from Hastings and intermediate stations. Example of return fares: Hastings 14/4 (1st) 9/11 (2nd), Napier 12/8 and 8/6, Eskdale 11/- and 7/5, Putorino 6/1 and 4/5, Raupunga 3/10 and 2/6.

For further particulars see hand-bill or enquire at stations. BY ORDER.

PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

IYA Auckland

5.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 9.0: "Entertainers All." 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: "In Holiday Mood." 11.0: A Few Minutes with Women Novelists." 11.15: "Domestic Harmony." 11.30: Running commentary on Auckland Racing Club's meeting.

2.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 2.0: "Rhythm in Relays." 3.30 and 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: Topical Talk from the B.B.C. 1.30: Evening Programme: The Louis Voss Grand Orchestra. 7.35: Mary Lewis (soprano). 7.45: Vincente Gomez (guitar). 7.48: The Mastersingers. 7.52: Albert Sammons (violin). 8.1: Studio rectal by Henry Donaldson. 8.13: Boston Promenade Orchestra. 8.29: Harry Dearth (baritone). 8.37: Louis Voss Grand Orchestra. 8.40: Studio recital by Margaret Mercer in 8 group of Scots songs. 8.52: Louis Voss Grand Orchestra. 8.57: Station notates. 9.0: N.F.S. newscref. 9.15. of Scots songs. 852: Louis Voss Grand Orchestra. 8.57: Station no-tices. 9.0: N.F.S. newsred. 9.15: B.B.C. news continentally. 825: New Mayleir Orchestra. 933. B.E.C. pro-gramme. 10.0. Sports summary, 10.10 Dance music.

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning
variety. 10.10: Devotional service.
10.25: Popular melodies. 10.45: "A
Few Minutes with Women Novelists." 11.0: Something for everybody.

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12.0: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news 2.0: Saturday matinee. 4.0: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: "Britain Speaks." 7.30: Reserved.

7.45: Evening Programme: Harry Horlick and his Orchestra. 7.48: "Glimpses of Erin." 8.0: Burns Anniversary Dinner. 8.57: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Dance programme. 10.0: Sports summary. 10.10: Dance programme. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

3YA Christchurch

O, 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: "The Morning Spell." 11.10: Light orchestral session. 11.30: Popular tunes.
O: Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 2.0: Musical snapshots. 2.30: Happy memories. 3.0: Radio allsorts. 4.5: Bands and Basses. 4.30: Sports results; Rhythm and melody. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: Topical War Talks from the B.B.C. oc. Evening Programme: "The Ex-

B.B.C. b): Evening Programme: "The Exploits of the Black Moth." 8.0: Celebrity Patriotic Concert, starring Noel Coward. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Continuation of concert. 10.0: Sports summary. 10.15: Dance music. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

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4YA Dunedin 6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 10.10: Random Ramblings. 10.50: "Some Remark-able Women I Have Met." 11.0: Melodious memoirs; Novelty and hum

our.

Lunch music. 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 12.30: Running Commentaries on Racing at the Forbury Park Trotting Club's Meeting. 2.0: Vaude-ville Matinee: Bands, Banjos and Baritones. 3.30: Sports results. 3.45: Revels, Recitals and Rhythm; Music in a Cafe. 4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: Topical War Talks from the B.B.C. B.B.C.

Discription of the B.B.C.

Evening Programme: Light orchestral and ballad programme, 7.38: The Light Opera Company, 7.46: Rale da Costa, with Orchestra, 7.58: Duncan McKay (violin), 8.4: Marek Weber and his Orchestra, 8.11: Studio recital by Dorothy Barron, 8.17: Paul Whiteman and his Concert Orchestra, 8.29: Sydney McEwan (tenor), 8.35: The Boston Promenade Orchestra, 8.44: Dorothy Barron (soprano), 8.51: The Boston Promenade Orchestra, 8.57: Station notices, 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel, 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary, 9.25: An

B.B.C. news commentary, 9.25: An old-time dance programme. 10.0: Sports summary, 10.10: Revellers' Dance Band. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

11. 0 a.m.-1.30 p.m.: Recordings. 1.15:
B.B.C. News. 2, 0-4.0: Afternoon concert session. 6.15: B.B.C. News and topical talk. 7.0: Relay of evening service from St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, Napler.

8.15: Recordings, station announcements. 8.30: The London Philharmonic Orchestra. 8.42: Georges Thill (tenor). 8.45: Talk by Noel Coward. 9.0: NBS Newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: The Czech Philharmonic Orchestra. 9.29: Choir of the Temple Church, London. 9.42: London Philharmonic Orchestra. 9.46: Malcolm McEachern (bass) 9.50: Arthur Rubinstein (plano), 9.54: Philadelphia Orchestra.

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; Dance music. 5.30; For the children. 5.45; Light music. 6.0; "Carson Robison and his Pioneers." 6.15; B.B.C. news. 6.45; Senior Cricket Results. 7.0; Afterdinner music. 7.15; Topical War Talk from the B.B.C. 7.30; "The Circle of Shiva." 8.0; Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra. 8.2; Dusolina Giannini (soprano). 8.14; Halle Orchestra. 8.23; Beniamino Gigli (tenor). 8.35; Edward Kilenyi (piano). 8.39; The E.I.A.R. Symphony Orchestra. 8.44; London Symphony Orchestra. 8.53; John Cockerill. 8.56; Boston Promenade Orchestra. 9.0; N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15; B.B.C. news commentary, 9.25; "Thrills." 9.40; Light music.

Sunday IYA Auckland 6, 7, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. News. 9.0: "With the New Zealand Forces in the Middle East." 9.15: "Players and Singers." 11.0: Congregational Ser-

12.15 p.m.: "Musical Musings." 1.0: Din-ner music (1.15, B.B.C. News). 2.0:

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topical talk. 7.0: Anglican Church Service.

0, Evening Programme: "Francis Drake." A commemoration with music. 8.45: Talk by Noel Coward, 9.0: NBS Newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Station notices. 9.27: Hands Across the Sea. Band music from the U.S.A. and the British Isles. 9.39: Interludes by Lawrence Tibbett. 9.47: From the British Isles. 10.0: Close of normal programme. 11.0: B.B.C. News.

6, 7, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. News. 9.0: "With the N.Z. Forces in the Middle East." 9.15: Morning programme. 11.0: Anglican Service.
12.15 p.m.: Recordings (1.15, B.B.C. News). 2.0: "Famous Artists." 2.15: "For the Music Lover." 3.0: "Slavonic Rhapsody." 3.15: Ballads old and new. 3.45: The music of Franz Lehar. 4.15: Light Symphony Orchestra and Florence Austral. 5.0:

PLAYTIME PAGE ON

The Playtime Page has been unavoidably held over this week. It will appear in Monday's "Daily Mail."

Children's Service, 5.45: Evening reverle, 6.15: B.B.C. News and Topical Talk, 7.0: Presbyterian Service, 8.15: Recordings.

8.30, Evening Programme. 8.45: Talk by
Noel Coward. 9.0: NBS Newsreel.
9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25:
Station notices. 9.28: Studio recitals
by Rita Simpson, Nancy Estail and
H. G. Glaysher. 10.0: Close of normal programme. 11.0: B.B.C. News

4YA Dunedin 6, 7, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. News. 9.0: "With the N.Z. Forces in the Middle East." 9.15: Melody land; British Army bands. 10.10: Feminine artists; Orchestras and chorus. 11.0: Presbyterian Service.

12.15 p.m.: Concert celebrities. 1.15: B.B.C. News, followed by dinner music. 2.0: Lavender and lace. 2.30: The music of Brahms. 2.42: Classical programme. 3.30: "The First Great Churchill." 3.55: Music of Many Lands. 5.0: Big Brother Bill's Song Service. 6.15: B.B.C. News. 6.30: Congregational Service. 7.45: After Church music.

Congregational Service, 7.45; After Church music,
8.30, Evening Programme: Part 2 of Mozart's opera "The Magic Flute."
8.45; Talk by Noel Coward, 9.0; NBS Newsreel, 9.15; B.B.C. News Commentary, 9.25; Station notices, 9.28; Continuation of Mozart's opera, 10.0; Close of normal programme, 11.0; B.B.C. News,

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"New Zealand Brains Abroad." 3.30:
"Prelude and Good Friday Music."
3.56: "In Less Serious Mood." 5.0:
Children's song service. 5.45: "As
the Day Declines." 6.15: B.B.C. News
and Topical Talk. 7.0: Methodist
Service.
5. Evening Programme: "Music from Service.

8.15, Evening Programme: "Music from the Theatre." 8.45: Talk by Noel Coward, famous English actor-playwright. 90: NBS Newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. News Commentary. 9.25: Station notices. 9.28: Continuation of opera. 10.28; Close of normal programme. 11.0: B.B.C. News.

2YA Wellington

6, 7, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. News. 7.30: Early morning session. 9.0: "With the New Zealand Forces in the Middle East." 9.15: Band music. Voices in Harmony. 11.0: Anglican Service.

12.15 p.m.: These You Have Loved. 1.0.: Dinner music (1.15, B.B.C. News). 2.0: Music by J. S. Bach. 2.12: For the Music Lover. 2.45: In Quires and Places Where They Sing. 3.0: "These Served Mankind." 3.30: Sousa and Strauss. 3.42: Musical Comedy. 4.0: Reserved, 4.15: Voices in Harmony. 4.28: Band Music. 5.0: Children's song service. 5.45: Tunes you may remember. 6.15: B.B.C. news and topical talk. 7.0: Anglican Church Service.

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Cosy

"INVISIBLE STRIPES" FINE DRAMA

Gene Autry In "Public Cowboy No. 1"

The case of the ex-convict who wants to go straight has never been pleaded so eloquently as it is in "Invisible Stripes," the film drama now screening at the Cosy Theatre Hastings. A robust, full-bodied story, expert direction, and brilliant acting have combined to make one of the most powerful human interest films of the year. est films of the year.

est films of the year.

Contrast is used to brilliant dramatic effect by drawing a parallel between the lives of two men who come out of prison on the same day, one a confirmed criminal, played by Humphrey Bogart, the other, a one-time offender determined to rid himself of the prison stigma and go straight. George Raft is cast in the latter role. Bogart is cynical enough to realise that it is only a matter of time until he returns to the big house and he returns to his former life, intending to enjoy his very ill-gotten gains while he may.

The futility of his efforts to go straight in a world that has branded him with invisible stripes at last becomes apparent to Raft, and he joins Bogart and his gang in several hand head him with invisible stripes.

joins Bogart and his gang in several bank hold-ups in order to raise a stake for his brother and save

a stake for his brother and save him at least from becoming a criminal. From here the story moves swiftly to its stirring climax.

No more fitting title could be chosen for Gene Autry's current Republic vehicle than "Public Cowboy No. 1." This picture, which is now showing at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, presents Gene as an ultramodern cowboy who uses streamlined technique in detecting and apprehending modern cattle rustlers.

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State

GAY COMEDY, "LUCKY PARTNERS"

> Ronald Colman And Ginger Rogers

Bracketing two of the screen's top favourites for the first time, "Lucky Partners" brings Ronald Colman and Ginger Rogers to the State Theatre, Hastings to-day in what is said to be the sprightliest comedy-romance of the season. From the ultra-modern, sophisticated pen of Sacha Guitry, "Lucky David Colman as David cated pen of Sacha Guitry, "Lucky Partners" casts Colman as David Grant, an artist with a secret past, and Miss Rogers as Jean, a clerk in her aunt's Greenwich Village book-

her aunt's Greenwich village bookshop.
Jean is engaged to Freddie, and
as soon as she earns a bank account
for emergencies, she plans to marry
him. Circumstances cause Jean to
believe that David brings her good
luck, and she urges him to join her
in the purchase of a sweepstake
ticket. Intrigued with the idea, David agrees, but on one condition:
that Jean shall accompany him on
a platonic honeymoon before she a platonic honeymoon before she weds Freddie, Freddie, it seems, believes the nuptial journey is a waste of time and money, whereas David considers the event essential. This honeymoon, David assures Jean, will be strictly make-believe; they'll

travel like brother and sister.

How David and Jean fall in love with one another without daring to reveal, and the complications caused by Freddie's arrival, lead up to the hilarious climax of the picture. Included in this programme is a March of Time entitled "Spoils of Conquest," dealing with the Dutch East Indies. It shows in vivid fashion the problem faced by Holland's overseas empire in protecting its rich resources from possible in-

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NAVY

Clive Brook Stars In "Convoy"

No film in recent years has so gripped the imagination of the people as "Convoy," the picture of the moment which picture of the moment which picture of the moment which fail to be exciting motion picture. Theatre, Hastings.

give the otherwise individual naval battles complete unity.

A flagship, expecting leave, is ordered to sea without a breathing space, to convoy a fleet of merchantmen. Among the latter is a tough old skipper who thinks he can do better away from the convoy and takes his ship, packed with refugees, on a course of his own.

On the flagship, the captain (Clive Brook) is disconcerted to find it he Admiralty have appointed as his lieutenant the man who ran away with his wife and left her stranded. The girl in question is on the refugee ship, which is soon in difficulties with a U-boat. The flagship captain ignores her S.O.S. lest he imperil the rest of his charges, but the lieutenant despatches a 'plane to its assistance, only to have sto its assistance, only to have sto its assistance, only to have sto down. Though the captain's wife is saved, and explains away his bigoted misjudging of his younger colleague, the flagship has to engage single-handed the German pocket-battleship "Deutschland."

gether in one well-intregrated tale typical incidents of thes successful fight of native Californians to prevent the ruthless despoliation of their famous redwood forests by rapacious lumber interests.

Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland, Rosalind Russell and Patric Knowles share starring honours in the new Warner Bros. comedy, "Four's A Crowd," which is the associate feature.

"Four's A Crowd" has only one objective, and that's to make the audience laugh. It is an up-to-theminute comedy of the modern scene. The four persons with whose fortunes it is mainly concerned are: A bright and fascinating newspaperman, played by Errol Flynn; a spoiled but charming heiress, played by Olivia de Havilland; a clever smoothie of a girl reporter, played by Rosalind Russell; and a rich playboy, played by Patric Knowles, who inherits a newspaper.

Municipal

DRAMA OF THE ROYAL "THE VALLEY OF THE GIANTS"

> With Comedy, "Four's A Crowd"

An intensely dramatic film story, ople as "Convoy," the motion which ture of the moment now showing at the Regent fail to be exciting motion picture fare. Add to this the exquisite pic-With a canvas crammed with torial beauty of California's red-high-geared thrills, desperate adventures, resounding naval encounters, pulsating acts of individual heroism, and adorned with the bluff, sardonic humour of the British bluejacket and men of the merchism, and adorned men of the merchism bluejacket and men of the merchism screening at the Municipal Theatre,

bluejacket and men of the merchant service, this large-scale production fulfils up to the hilt every demand for a topical drama extolling Britain's command of the seas. Its direct, unadorned acting serves to throw into greater relief the reality of the subject matter, while a human story effectively serves to give the otherwise individual naval battles complete unity.

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Mayfair

'WHEN THE DALTONS RODE"

"International Crime" Murder Story

Action from start to finish marks Universal's new saga of frontier America, "When the Daltons Rode," now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, with Randolph Scott and Kay Francis in the leading roles.

Heading the cast is the versatile Randolph Scott in an excellent portrayal of the frontier lawyer who befriends the embattled Dalton boys. No less outstanding is the performance of Kay Francis in her first "outdoor" role as the winsome telegraph operator of Coffeyville, Kan., centre of the Dalton gang's exploits.

The Dalton boys themselves, whose careers from ranch men to desperadoes are traced in the picture, are expertly delineated by Brian Donlevy, Broderick Crawford, Stuart Erwin and Frank Albertson. Andy Devine, in the role of the Dalton's girl-chasing ranch hand, also gives an impressive performance.

George Bancroft is effective as the rich man of Coffeyville. One of the many surprises is the intensely dramatic portrayal of Ma Dalton by Mary Gordon.

The associate feature, "Inter-

by Mary Gordon.

The associate feature, "International Crime," starring Rod La Rocque and Astrid Allwyn deals with the attempts of one man to solve a perfect crime fast enough to prevent disaster for a whole na-

tion.

Rod La Rocque plays Cranston, crime commentator de luxe, combining the devil-may-care soldier of fortune with the sure, clear logic of the Sherlock Holmes type. Astrid Allwyn, who has the leading feminine role, is cast as Cranston's beautiful assistant, a modern young woman with a lot of determination, which supplies plenty of headaches. which supplies plenty of headaches for her employer.

STIRRING SAGA OF THE SEA

Kenneth Roberts' Epic "Captain Caution"

With a cast studded with top-notch stars and players, and a story of breathless excitement, Kenneth Roberts's sweeping sea saga, "Captain Caution," is now showing at the State Theatre, Napier. The production co-stars Victor Mature and Louise Platt, with mature and Louise Flatt, which prominent roles played by Leo Carrillo, Bruce Cabot, Vivienne Osborne, Robert Barrat, Miles Mander, El Brendel and Roscoe Ates.

The picture opens aboard the American merchant vessel, Olive Branch, shortly after the beginning of the War of 1812. The Olive Branch has been on the seas, homeword bound from the Orient for 108 ward bound from the Orient, for 108 days and is unaware of the war on the high seas. She is captured by a the high seas. She is captured by a British naval vessel and during the fighting, the captain is killed and his daughter, a high spirited, forceful young lady, as well as the rest of the crew are captured. When, however, the Olive Branch is recaptured by an American vessel, Corunna, the captain's daughter, takes over. Although she is deeply in love with Captain Caution, played by Victor Mature, Corunna has him by Victor Mature, Corunna has him put in chains because he laughs at

to take part in the war.

From then on to the smash hit
climax in French waters, the story
of "Captain Caution" fills the screen with scenes of tense excitement, red-blooded action and thrilling ro-mance. When the Olive Branch finally sails into her home port, there is a dramatic denouement which draws the picture to a stirring and unforgettable end.

Distinguished acting is contributed by Louise Platt and Victor Mature in the principal roles, and among those in lesser roles to be congratulated for first-rate portrayals are Leo Carrillo as a volatile Frenchman, Vivienne Osborne as his wife, Bruce Cabot as an unscrupulous Englishman and Robert Barrat as the captain of the Olive Branch.

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Ann Sheridan Stars In "It All Came True"

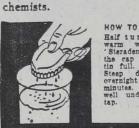
The Napier Regent Theatre's next attraction, opening to-day, will be "It All Came True," based on the Louis Bromfield novel and star-ring Ann Sheridan, the red-headed Texan dynamo who has become Hollywood's most outstanding feminine personality, combining, as she does, that "oomph" with dramatic fire.

Playing one of the most delight ful characters ever created by Louis "Rains Came" Bromfield, Ann is at once bold and beautiful, hot-tempered and honest. She is sentimental but is the last person in the world to admit it. She sings, does the rhumba, and "hangs one" on the jaw of a would be talent scout, all with could profice the court, all

with equal proficiency.
With the quaintness, charm and dramatic suspense of the Bromfield novel, "It All Came True" tells the story of a group of people who live in a New York boarding house run by two sentimental old women, using it as a refuge where they can fight off the reality of the present and dwell in the fond memories of the past. The complacent atmos-phere of the house is shattered when first Ann, daughter of one of the landladies comes home to roost and again when the housekeeper's son, Jeffrey Lynn, returns home after an absence of five years, with a gangster who intends to use the house as a hideout. The gangster, played by Humphrey Bogart, is so won over by the motherly ministrations he receives that he offers to straighten out the financial difficulties. ties of the boarding house by converting it into a night club with a "Gay Nineties" background. From there the story works up to a surprise climax.

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1. Fruit or vegetables for pickles must be fresh and sound and gathered on a dry day.

2. Only the best vinegar should be used.

3. Spices as fresh as possible and always used with caution.

and always used with caution.
4. Always use a porcelain lined or enamelled preserving pan and a wooden spoon. Also enamel basins for soaking and an enamelled colander. Ordinary metals may be affected by the acids in the vinegar.

5. Absolutely airtight jars are essential and they must be stored in a cool, dry place.

teaspoonful each ground cloves, cinnamon and allspice, a little pep-

per and salt.

Method: Prepare the vegetables
by shredding the cabbage and cutting the others into convenient sizes.

Put all into brine made by bringing alb. salt and 2 quarts of water to the boil, skimming it and straining through muslin. Soak for 24 hours,

next day drain and rinse for 1 hour

PLUM AND APPLE CHUTNEY

Take 2lbs. plums, 1b. chopped apple, 1b. grated carrot, 1b. seedless raisins, 2 or 3 medium onions, 1 pint strong vinegar, ½ to 1lb. brown sugar, 2ozs. salt, cayenne pepper or chillies, ½ teaspoonful each of ground cloves and allspice. Wash and stone the plums and out them into a saucepan with the chopped apple and grated crarot Put the raisins and onions through

a mincer, add them and also the vinegar, and simmer all until tender. Then add the sugar, salt and spices and continue the cooking until the mixture is thick and soft, stirring almost constantly with a wooden spoon. Put into hot jars and cover. A little finely chopped garlic may be added if the flavour is liked.

PICCALILLI

toes, 2 red peppers, 2 green peppers, 1 cabbage, 2 large onions, 1 head celery, 1 pint small gherkins or 2 cucumbers, vinegar, spices, sugar, grated horseradish, pepper and salt. Ingredients: 1 quart green toma-

Method: Remove the stalk end from the tomatoes and the seeds and pith from the peppers and chop them finely. Chop also the cabbage, onions and celery and cut the gherkins or cucumbers into small pieces.

Mix all the vegetables together, sprinkle them well with salt, let them stand 24 hours, then drain, and press out the liquid. Heat enough brown malt vinegar to cover the mixture, with the sugar, spices to taste tied in muslin, and a little grated horseradish. Simmer a few minutes, then put in the vegetables, and let them cook until tender, stir.

PICKLED PEACHES

sugar for 5 minutes.

PICKLED WALNUTS

Wash and dry the walnuts. Prick, and steep in cold water for six days, changing the water every day. Drain, and boil gently in fresh water till tender. Drain, and in each one stick a clove and a small piece of cinnamon. Put in jars.

CORN RELISH pense the housewife can make sufficient pickles to last through the winter and these will be ap-

Ingredients: I dozen ears fresh corn, 1 small cabbage, 2 or 3 onions, 2 sticks celery, 1 or 2 cloves of garlic, 2 red or green peppers, 1½ pints vinegar, 21b. sugar, 1 teaspoonful mustard, 1 teaspoonful turmeric, salt

Method: Cut the corn from the Method: Cut the corn from the ears and prepare the vegetables and chop them all finely. Mix together and put them into a saucepan with the vinegar and salt. Cook slowly until tender, from § to 1 hour. Then add the mustard and turmeric mixed with a little cold vinegar and boil a four minutes leaven. few minutes longer. Add salt to taste, pour into pots and cover when

PICKLED VEGETABLES

Several vegetables may be pickled very easily with spiced vinegar made as follows: Take 1 quart vinegar, 20z. each peppercorns, allspice and ginger, 2 dozen cloves, 1 or 2 blades of mace, 2 inches of cinnamon stick, 21b. sugar, 1 tablespoonful grated horseradish.

Put all the ingredients into a saucepan, bring them to the boil and simmer from 10 to 15 minutes. (Do not boil too long or it will lose its strength).

its strength).

Ingredients: 2 or 3 cucumbers, 1 pint small onions, 1 pint green tomatoes, 1 cauliflower, 1 cabbage, 1 pint string beans, 1 small head celery, a little horseradish.

For the dressing: To 1 quart brown vinegar allow 1 teacupful brown sugar, 2ozs. mustard, 2ozs. flour, 1 dessertspoonful turmeric, 1 teaspoonful each ground cloves.

trate and cover when cold.

For carrots cut them in slices and cook till tender, then cook 10 minutes in the spiced vinegar before placing in the jars and sealing.

For cauliflower divide into small sprigs, soak in brine for 24 hours, then drain thoroughly. Boil for 5 minutes in the spiced vinegar before placing in jars and sealing.

For gherkins soak them in slightly salted cold water for an hour. Put them in a basin, pour boiling brine over them, cover closely and stand 2 days. Drain, pack in jars and cover with hot but not boiling spiced vinegar and seal down.

A LONDON VISITOR IN HASTINGS

Parkvale Guild To Entertain Her On Monday

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In the evening delegates and members of the Napier Scattered Nurses Group journeyed to the Napier hospital where they were entertained by members of the hospital staff. On arrival the guests were greeted by

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conference of the New Zealand Nurses' Christian Union at Havelock North visited Napier yesterday afternoon and were the guests of the members of the Napier Scattered Nurses and Hospital Groups.

Among the delegates were representatives from India, China, Syria and Alaska, visiting Maori missionaries and the founders of the movement, Miss Emma Williams and Miss Constance Grant.

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The evening opened with a short devotional service, after which Mrs Bayldon-Ewen, president of the Dominion executive of the N.Z.N.C.U., gave a short address on "Christianity as the Hallmark of Nursing."

Later in the evening the guests were entertained with the following concert programme:
Pianoforte solos, Miss Mitchell; elocutionary item, "A Mere Nothing," Miss Fleming; soprano solos, "Where'ere You Walk," and "Roses of Picardy," Miss Marjory Smith (accompaniment, Miss L. M. Croft); elocutionary items, "Chills at the Telephone," "Girlies Proposal" and "The Marriage of Sissie Swallowtail," Mrs K. O'Halloran.
At the conclusion of supper Mrs Alick Williams, president of the Napier Scattered Nurses' Group, extended her thanks to Miss Croft, members of the nursing staff and visiting artists for their entertainment and hospitality.

Before journeying to Napier, the delegates had spent the day with a Bible study in the morning conducted by Mrs Gibson and reports from the hospital groups followed by discussion. In the afternoon they journeyed by bus to Napier, where they were shown all round and taken to tea. TO SUIT THE SMARTEST

Five o'Clock Gossip

Mrs., H. W. Abbott, Westmere, Napier, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. H. Gunn, Hobson Crescent, Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Grey Thorne George, Auckland, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Thorne George,

Mrs. D. M. Tyler, Caius Avenue, Gonville, Wanganui, is spending two weeks, holiday in Napier.

Miss V. Thomason, who paid a brief visit to Hastings where she was the guest of Miss M. Webb, has returned to her home in Waverley.

Mrs. G. D. Beatson and Mrs. W. Richmond have returned to Hastings after visiting Wellington for

the Trentham races. Mrs. L. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright are visitors from Ngawapurua to Hawke's Bay. Mrs. Williams is staying in Napier and Mr. and Mrs. Wright are visiting various friends.

Mrs. Nelson Hunter, Waipukurau, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Hanmer Atkinson, Hanmer Springs, has taken a flat in Christchurch for a month before returning home.

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and let them cook until tender, stirring frequently. Pack in a clean, hot jar, remove the spice and close tightly.

PICKLED PEACHES

Peaches or apricots may be pickled in this way. Allow 7 cupfuls of sugar, 3 cupfuls of vinegar, one cupful of water, 2 tablespoonfuls of whole cloves and 3 small sticks of and spices with a little cold vinegar, and spices with a little cold vinegar. cinnamon. Tie the spices in a bag and boil with the vinegar, water and

Use small firm peaches or apricots. Scald, dip in cold water and peel. Then place in the syrup, using as many as it will cover well. Let them simmer till tender. Pack into hot sterilised bottles, or jars, cover with boiling vinegar and seal tightly.

the vegetables and a little grated horseradish, bring to the boil, and simmer slowly from 10 to 15 minutes. Add pepper and salt if necessary and pour into pots.

INDIAN CHUTNEY

Ingredients: 4lb, apples, 2lb. onions, 3½lb. brown sugar, 2lb. seeded raisins, 2lb. sultanas, 6oz. salt, 1½ oz. ground ginger, 2 oz. mustard, 2oz. garlic (after peeling), 1 small saltspoonful cayenne, 3 quarts vinegar.

gar. Heat the remainder and pour it on gradually, stirring all the time Turn the mixture into a saucepan and stir until thick and smooth. Add

members of the hospital staff. On arrival the guests were greeted by Miss L. M. Croft, matron of the hospital, and conducted to the lounge, where bowls of deep blue hydrangeas, red and pale yellow dahlias made a colourful decoration.

The evening opened with a short Members of the Parkvale Townswomen's Guild and their friends are invited to meet Mrs. How-Martyn, of London, next Monday, at a meeting to be held in St. Barnabas Hall at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs How-Martyn has travelled in many countries and has made a special study of conditions affecting women and children so that the story she tells is more than usually interesting. The evening opened with a short devotional service, after which Mrs

gar.

Method: Put the apples, onions
a mincer and one stick a clove and a small piece of cinnamon. Put in jars.

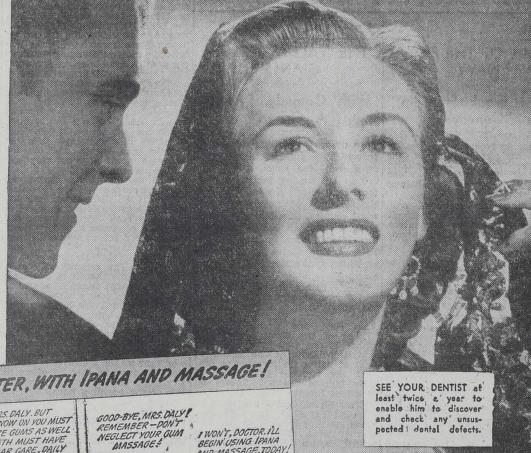
Allow 1lb. of most brown sugar to each pint of good malt vinegar. Boil until the sugar is dissolved, pour over the walnuts and leave for a week. Boil up the vinegar again, and pour over while hot.

Method: Put the apples, onions and garlic through a mincer and place in a large basin together with all the other ingredients. Pour over them 2 quarts of vinegar, mix well, and stand till next day. Boil 3 to 4 hours, stirring constantly, adding rau, is visiting her mother, Mrs. F. the last quart of vinegar by degrees.

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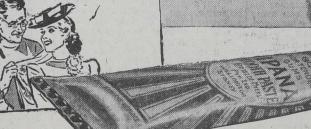
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New Link in Story of Hawke's Bay and Gisborne

SCENES ALONG THE RAILWAY WHICH WILL CONNECT NAPIER AND EAST COAST

Bridges And Tunnels Under Way On One Of The Dominion's Most Important Lines

There is an element of romance in the story of the New Zealand railways. It lies behind the statistics and the Departmental records, and in New Zealand history it goes back past Sir Julius Vogel to that day in 1863 when the first train teetered along from Christchurch to Ferrymead.

It is a question whether many New Zealanders realise how much interest lies in the story of their own railways. Possibly this is because railways have long been an integral part of the life of these islands. No other young country began life with such unbounded ambition, and New Zealand had its fragmentary rail system long before it became a colony of any great consequence to the Mother Country and the Empire.

canyon-like valley.

To-night and every night

To-night and every night

while fires are still alight

God save England!

so long as men have breath for all free men to fight-

God save England!

To-day and every day God save England!

God save the Right!

The English poets May, the seaman's world-highway,

the heroic muster-roll who are the heart and soul

and strength for which men

pray—
God save England
and the English way!

Not for those men of state who'd have saved England for a dotard few grown great, greed breeding endless hate, false peace in chains again

where roaring skies rain death -

conditions in the early days were much more favourable to the development of the new Bridges communities of Canterbury Up here and Otago than they were in

For instance, the Canterbury Pilgrims and later arrivals set about piercing the Lyttelton Tunnel when Christchurch was only a few years old, and trains were running in Canterbury in the days of crinolines. Later, when Christchurch-Dunedin expresses were an accepted fact and the incredible Midland Line which clambered from the Canterbury Plains over and through the Southern Alps was being surveyed, a railway link between Wellington and Auckland was still a fantastic

All this explains why there are still great railway construction works going on between Napier and Gisborne and why long-settled communities like Wairoa have only recently been linked with the Dominion's major rail systems.

A good deal of the adventure of railway construction has vanished. but there is still a tremendous fascination in watching the growth of a new line—a sort of vicarious enjoyment of the sensations of a pioneer in a new land which is only partly clouded by the fact that electricity and modern machinery have increased the scientific precision of the work in inverse proportion to the disappearance of old-time ad-

the 'nineties of the last century it was surveyed by Mr J. McEnnis, whose son, Mr E. W. McEnnis, is to day the Resident Engineer at Kopuawhara, superintending the construction of a stretch of the new line which is being pierced between Opoutama and Bartletts, on the Gisborne side of the last mountain barrier.

—WILLIAM ROSE BENET, in the New York "Evening Post" in the N

To-day, when railcars slide the ranges. smoothly from Wairoa to Welling ton, it is curious to look back to Arches Soar those days of the first surveyors, when most of the East Coast and in Gorge was tied up with the sea, and when Gisborne and Wairoa lay somewhere out in the wild country to the north of Napier. It is only a little less posite face, where the line discurred to look at the photograph of the scene at Westshore on the famous day in 1912 when the late Sir Joseph Ward performed the integration of the sense of a mountain, meet in posite ends of a mountain, meet in posite ends of a mountain, meet in oposite ends of a mountain, meet in the middle, and regard it as a major of the middle, and regard it as a major disaster if their calculations are out appears as suddenly as it had appears as foom the other side. The centre of a new controversy when they were quoted to show that environment can't oversy when they were quoted to show that environment can't oversy when they were quoted to show that environment can't oversy when they were quoted to show that environment can't oversy when they were quoted to show that environment can't oversy when they were quoted to show that environment can't oversy when they were quoted to the middle, and regard it as a major of the middle, and regard it as a majo Sir Joseph Ward performed the in- the supporting arches, from which air-conditioning to help them on "If a highly favourable environauguration ceremony and turned it will spring across the gorge, the way.

ment could do what some psycholothe first sod on the new line. (In-tower, 90ft. high, over the narrow Outside the tunnels, long emgists claim, these five children

Last Gap on Line

In 1941 the line runs from Na- Europe in modern form, or a pres- the moment.

may prevent things going well is, of course, the war, which has already caused a substantial reduction the line. From a high-water mark gorge, is a smaller replica.

And then come the tunnels. of between 900 and 1000 the number

whata-Waiau tunnel and two tre-sooner or later, dive under moun-there will be a repetition of the old England" ("Down with England"). mendous bridges in the Kopuawhara tains. and Waiau valleys, and it is at There are five tunnels of varying There is no doubt that the bush gift of a million stitches." these points that the more spectacu- lengths on the uncompleted stretch would rehabilitate itself if the young lar aspects of railway construction can be seen to-day if one has the necessary authority to go prying interest and longest is well on activities of rational importance.

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Like all the great New Zealand railways, the Napier-Gisborne line The Longest was bound to run into mountains sooner or later, and in this case the Tunnel



THE BEGINNING OF THE LINE.—The scene at Westshore on the day, nearly 20 years ago, when the late Sir Joseph Ward performed the inauguration ceremony of the Napier-Gisborne railway. (Photo by Mr C. Sorrell).

This was especially marked in the South Island, where conditions in the early days were much more favourable to Two Great

Pass-Otira tunnel, which plunges looking the blue harbour. Here, in a solid cliff face 180ft, high a series of "benches" or terraces has been titled to call itself the Longest Tuncut to prevent a landslide from the RECEIVES

Two Great

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major engineering feat, and when

Up here, along the deep, rocky completed it will be slightly longer
valley of the Kopuawhara, a road than the earliest of all New Zeawinds into the heart of the mount land tunnels that he will be slightly longer
winds into the heart of the mount land tunnels that he will be slightly longer. this new tunnel of 149 chains is a winds into the heart of the moun- land tunnels, that between Heath-

tains. It swerves sharply under over-cote and Lyttelton.
hanging bluffs, and round one of these 149 chains about 135½
these bluffs you get the first view have already been pierced, and now, of the first of the two partly-com- when approaching from the southpleted bridges which will span the ern or Kopuawhara side, it is poscanyon-like valley. One does not usually look at a the heart of the mountain.

railway bridge as a piece of archicetural beauty, but perhaps the precariously on a surprisingly and most surprising thing about these somewhat disconcertingly swift

Her fleets of great emprise shall save England!

The sea her signal flies and high in warring skies

valiant beyond all praise she wears the battle-bays

Her future still to be

than lordship of the sea,

where 'plane with war plane vies to save England

shall save England-

from midnight's lord of lies!

A PRAYER FOR ENGLAND

And so the work goes on. It is a jolt when Colonel Benjamin O. tremendous task which is already Davis, negro commander of an Amewithin sight of completion and it rican negro artillery regiment, was will bring a new prosperity to promoted General, becoming first of places which have hitherto been his race to attain that rank. Genpretty well out of the world. Prob- eral Davis will command a newlyout-of-the-way corners like formed negro brigade, but all offi-Opoutama, which possesses a mag-cers under him will be white. Some nificent bathing beach curving cynics believe, although promotion round towards the Mahia Peninsula, and duties have already will become holiday resorts—which etted, the new brigade may not be may or may not be an improve- ready for complete taking over until ment, it depends on the point of after July, when the new general view. At all events the commercial reaches retiring age. existence of the area will begin all over again.

Lastly, there are the great Pubside these are now mostly concenlic Works camps. On the southern trated near the Kopuawhara, and RECEIPT FOR they have almost all the characteristics of permanent settlements. istics of permanent settlements. SUNKEN SHIP in these camps are entirely content with life is not a question to be discussed here, but there must be wegian ship Vinni, at least got somemany town dwellers who would thing out of the commander of the readily make an exchange. readily make an exchange.

To an outside observer at least the camps and the camp life have a pirate commander, he said, good many attractions. Certainly it ship, you give me a receipt to give life. However, human nature being the owners." And the raider com- (11) When a man appears before what it is, it is just possible that mander gave him the receipt. among those bronzed workers on the railway (most of them are so tanned that Maoris and pakehas say, pounding a typewriter.

But still ,the Gisborne railway, like a number of other things,

and dawn in brave array shine on great England for whom to-night we pray!

Quintelligence

The Dionne Quintuplets recently became the centre of a new contro-

cidentally, one of the most interest- valley like great pillars in a cathed- bankments have been built of spoil should be far ahead of most childing features of the picture is the ral nave. The bridge is of concrete from the mountains. This might ren of their age in mental developnumber of motor-cars—rather sur- and, like most well designed con- give an opportunity for a philoso- ment," claims Dr Newman, Chicago prising manifestations of mechanical ingenuity; but they appear to be sion of tremendous strength combetween the indefatigable human "the quins are all somewhat backbined with symmetry and a certain beings who burrow into mountains "the quins are all somewhat back-

Dr. Newman points out that the

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Putting Hitler

Germany and Japan.

REQUIRED HERE: BUSY TIME AHEAD

Strange Dilemma On The Napier Railway Station

idiograph. I wanted an idio-

Measure my height, meas-(3) Well, here is one that will

stump you. What is the difference between a bridge, a viaduct, and an aqueduct? (4) "Well," he said to her, with

exceeding patience,

some cepe Suzette do?" They

chest, and it automatically be- gates. comes known as--?

native of Brazil, Java, India, Malay, ed her hair, and managed to make Australia, New Zealand, Eng- something of a name for herself

A hitch in time

(a) An ounce of prevention is worth

(b) If procastination was human it would be gaoled for(12)

(c) A stitch in time saves 729 (8) If a human being ever comes

(9) Two words in the English language which have never had any rhymes to them are: (14) Dog, silver, month, almighty,

omnibus or chicken? (10) How many years were there between 5 B.C. and 5 A.D.?

a court of his peers, he is tried

14 ANSWERS FILM FAILURES WHO MADE GOOD AS NEW NAMES

Film moguls who wrestle with the unpronounceable names of screen hopefuls in an endeavour to convert them into something the public can tackle with their tongues will testify that the simple but catchy names are best, not only for theatre marquees, but for picturegoers' memories.

names made famous by Hollywood been overlooked.
stars are not their real names at all. It was thus ever since the star collected six months' salary for system commenced. Mary Pickford lending her decorative presence to been made famous by promin- da Bara was Theodosia Goodman. around for the chance she got in ent world politicians. Here And so Arlington Brugh became are the three words; who are Robert Taylor; Lily Chauchion her name to Andrea Leeds to do it. Claudette Colbert; Archibald Leach Maybe you remember a dark-

who have won a new lease of screen She just didn't make the grade. Measure my height, measure my ideas, have a private mark, keep a chart of temperature? life by the simple expedient of fading from camera range for a short in another appearance—but how while and returning with a new changed! No longer is she a sleekname, sometimes in a new guise.

Decorative Brunette.

Exhibit A is Ann Sothern. Ten years ago Ann, as Harriette Lake ing name to the more Eng (her real name) and then a lan-"would guorous-eyed brunette, was under ing quite a name for herself on the contract to Metro.

A restaurant, a bar, a milliner's, a furrier's, a silk department, a shirt department?

The late of the late of the company's company that let big business and conduct by a changed name and appearance. For months she did little more screen. (5) Take some baking soda from the kitchen cupboard and place it thoughtfully in the medicine who managed to crash the studio

At length, in despair of making (6) Few trees are more lovely than any headway in pictures, Harriette the jacaranda in full bloom. accepted an offer to go into a Zieg-The jacaranda is, of course, a feld show. In five years she changed her name to Ann Sothern, bleach-

on broadway.
Soon the Hollywood talent scouts saves embarrassment. Brace were on her track, and Ann re-

Court, Magistrate's Court, any real names. jury of titled men, his equals? Only two

Keats, Milton, Shakespeare, Browning, Shelley, Tennyson?

If you went into the railway.

To save questions being asked by

If you went into the railway the Hays office and station in Napier and bought change out of a pound, where would you be going to?

(Answers on Page 7)

In seven out of ten cases, the studio by whom she had formerly

(1) In the past six years or so the was born Gladys Smith, Claire the studio precincts. She wore out following three words have Windsor was Olga Cronk, and The several pairs of shoes waiting

the three people?

Claudette Colbert; Archibald Leach
Umbrella, balcony, fireside. is now Cary Grant; Fanny Zilvereyed, sleek-haired youngster dance in gin "George White's Scandals"
and "Dante's Inferno," and how Fox and "Dante's Inferno," and and "Dante's Inferno," and how Fox There are, however, in Hollywood tried and failed to build up Rita a number of one-time film failures Cansino as a coming personality

> haired Mexican-looking senorita, but a glamorous, typical American girl who has changed her foreign-sounding name to the more English appel

And as Rita Hayworth she's mak-

Accident Sequel

Carole was once Jane Peters, on the screen and off. In a motor accident she suffered facial disfigurements which were corrected only by the application of plastic surgery. She emerged a different person, de termined to carve a new career for herself on the screen.

Numerology gave her a fresh name and the peroxide bottle a dif-ferent personality that has paid a dividend, including Clark

saves embarrassment. Brace up, that was only a turned to the film colony, eventuup, brace up, that was only a ally to win a contract with the very was formerly June Vlasek, but her Ellen Drew was once known on before the House of Lords, greater success than they enjoyed House of Commons, Supreme when known by their original and new titles have brought them far

> Only two actresses in recent film Take a pencil and quickly history have changed their names write down in figures eleven to avoid the unsavory publicity conthousand eleven hundred and nected with their earlier profes-

divided by?

If a human being ever comes across a river the first thing he is likely to want to do is to cross it. Name the people who crossed the thousand eleven hundred and leven hu

station in Napier and bought a two-shilling ticket and you were given eighteen shillings change out of a pound where ped before the cameras. Louise Hovick, incidentally, is her real

look alike) there are some who would prefer to earn a living by, Drama and Peril of Life in a Submarine say, pounding a typewriter.

SEARCHING: THE END MAY

Captain Henrichsen, of the Nor-

When he was summoned by the

SETBACK

Think of an air raid in which the "all clear" is not sounded for a fortnight. Imagine yourself during all that time crowded in an underground factory with just enough air to keep you breathing and just enough space to stretch your legs.

You subsist on emergency food supplies, mostly cold and usually tipped out of the can. You sleep in your clothes. You wake to do a full day's work at your bench. For the entire period you and your fellows are cut off from the world outside.

You know only this: that always

Dionne babies were born prema- fair idea what life is like in a sub- patrol.

would want to lounge in a deep arm- greater part of three weeks. chair with a pile of newspapers and a pipe. You would want to enjoy the experience of wearing fresh clothes. You would want room to surfaces for preference only in dark-

"The Fuhrer was most gratified ship, part liner, part maintenance alike.



STEEL PRISON.—In the accompanying article a description is given of life in a British submarine. Sometimes the crew do not see daylight for three weeks. The submarine must come to the surface for two hours in every 24 to run diesel engines to re-charge the batteries, but this is done only in the dark

Preference for Dark In hostile waters, a submarine

stretch your legs. You would want room to see new faces. You would ask, if you had your choice, for all the comforts of a good hotel. In a sub-marine depot ship all your wisks. The essential strategy of sub-marine attack is that the presence sky is empty. The daily routine of surfacing and diving, the constant watchfulness and the complicated has dwindled to somewhere about 450, but in spite of th's the work is being pushed ahead steadily.

The major tasks at the present time are the completion of the Tikibahara-Wajau tunnel and two tressesses whata-Wajau tunnel and two tressesses which are the most railway lines, ments of land by one half. He wished more guess that New Zealand is one of bush had been left. But to-day, the constant of the completed worked for months on a rug for worked for months on a rug for hide-and-seek. If submarines surface in daytime—which is what our face in daytime—which is what our time pass tain seasons of the year off the constant of the constant worked for months on a rug for worked for months on a rug for submarine depot ship all your wishes would come true.

When he fished it up, let it wriggle of survival for the remaining frag-beautifully embroidered. In the to-day, the constant of the c A depot ship is a vessel which, ex- of Norway, where there is practic- But there comes a day when a Japanese newspapers call it "the cept on rare occasions, does not put ally no darkness—they are easy warship or a convoy is reflected in damaged parts are replaced and reift of a million stitches."

A depot ship is a vesser which, every order to be a convoy is reflected in damaged parts are replaced and reift of a million stitches."

During the stay at the base any warship or a convoy is reflected in damaged parts are replaced and reift of a million stitches."

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Germany and Japan.

"He has personally dictated a mesage of thanks.

"He has assured the donors that "He has assured the rug will have a place of honour marines are on patrol, they are cut electric, motors, which are contained and to father the craft and, in for the crew. After a long cruise commander in the submarine waits She leaves with scarcely a fareunder water, the breathing of the just long enough to see whether he well. If she fails to come back, the grim convention of the depot ship requires that the missing submarine waits are on patrol, they are cut electric, motors, which proped the proposition of the submarine waits are on patrol, they are cut electric, motors, which proped the proposition of the submarine waits are on patrol, they are cut electric, motors, which proped the proposition of the depot ship requires that the missing submarine waits submarine waits should be proposed to submarine waits should be proposed

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taken in submerging is one or two patrol, the crew are, as far as pos-

Constant Watchfulness

underwater routine steps up to a paired. New torpedoes are taken "He regards it as a token of marines; to keep house for the sub-reservoirs with compressed air, and scope. The torpedoes slip away with mariners while they are out on pat- to admit a new supply of oxygen a tell-tale wake behind them. The create and to father the create and the create a

sible, relieved from duties. During their week or 10 days in port, they live comfortably aboard the depot ship, doing no more than is necessary to get their submarine ready for sea again. They are helped to do that by the relief crew, which is always in readiness on the depot ship, and the experts whose business it is to check and refit the different fixtures of the ship. During the stay at the base any

aboard the submarine to replace

pier to Wairoa, and on to Waiko- ent-day conception of a Roman

in the number of men employed by hundred yards up the twisting over-stocking on former bushland the Dublia Works Department on

forest which once swept back over burrow and went down head first. At the head of the tunnel with 950 feet of mountain overhead, all the stages of construction can be Exposedseen in progress. Inevitably one wonders at the scientific and math-Northern Hawke's Bay transport The first of the two new bridges ematical precision which enables was tied up with the sea, and when emerges from the mountainside and, tunnel-builders to work from op-

> deceptive slightness. Against the and build things, and the beavers, ward mentally, a disappointing wild tawny-green background the ants, and coral insects which be mediocrity, to say the least."
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> Tou know only this: that always the enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. The enemy is searching for you and back, lined with white-jerseyed sea- must be recharged by Diesel en- curately where she is lying. slim grey arches are like some of have similarly with different rethe ancient bridges of Southern sults. However, space is limited at

bridges, the highest and most specthan the tragic results of the whole-tacular on the entire Napier-Gissale destruction of natural bush. borne line. The second bridge, a few One farmer at least admitted that had resulted in a reduction in the carrying-capacity of a large block It is probably safe to hazard a of land by one half. He wished more guess that New Zealand is one of bush had been left. But to-day,

story of flood, slip and erosion. of the scenic beauty which once made that isolated corner of New Zealand famous.

In places elaborate precautions against slips have been made along sage of thanks. high country begins almost immediately. It goes on until the great Mohaka Viaduct—a span like a cobweb magnitude of, say, the Arthur's clings to the foot of the cliffs over-in the Chancellery building."

"He has assured the donors that most remarkable the railway. The most remarkable the railway. The most remarkable the railway. The most remarkable the railway will not be mentioned in conversation off from the world. A narrow grey ship under the sea, run down. They ships are able to gauge fairly action again.

than sovereign empery far more—that she may ever liberty's risen land with all her peoples free— God save that England surely to be! This night and every night God save England! This day and every daytill War be torn away, a foul unnatural birth, from a new ordered earth—

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 (N.Z. Summer Time)

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ARRIVED

LAST NIGHT. Pukeko, 719 tons, Petley, from Wellington.

EXPECTED ARRIVALS Awahou, Gisborne Jan. 27 Kiwitea, Westport Jan. 27 Wainui, Wellington Jan. 28

COASTWISE TRADE

PUKEKO: Arrived from Wellington and Lyttelton last night and is expected to sail for Walkokopu and Gisborne at 5 p.m. to-day.

AWAHOU: Cleared Auckland Thursay and is expected to arrive at Naer via Gisborne on Monday. WAINUI: Loading at east coast South Island ports for Napier and Gisborne via Wellington. Due here about January

KIWITEA: Is expected to load at Grey-mouth to-day, completing at Westport for Napier and Gisborne. She is due at Napier about January 27.

Magnetic Survey

Preliminary arrangements for a magnetic survey of New Zealand are at present being made by Mr. H. F. Baird, director of the Christ church Magnetic Observatory, and Mr. J. W. Beagley, physicist, who are now in Dunedin. Readings of the magnetic compass do not bear constant relationship to the geo graphic north and south, as is often generally believed, and periodic checks have to be made on the var iations and the rate of the varia tion. These checks are usually made at intervals of about 15 years, but for various reasons a resurvey of New Zealand is long overdue, the last examination having been made by Dr. C. Coleridge Farr, F.R.S., and Mr. H. F. Skey, about 1900. The survey has considerable research value as part of an international study of Phone 3960. the magnetic forces within the earth, but, with the development of MEN'S SADDLE TWEED blind flying, it has also become of considerable practical importance.

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Daily Mail

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1941.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE

For many years there has been in New Zealand a rising tide of criticism directed against the Matriculation examination. Such criticism has been based principally on the contention that Matriculation has gained a stranglehold on the Dominion's educational system which was not intended when the University Entrance examination was instituted, and that as a consequence Matriculation has become primarily a schoolleaving test demanded by prospective employers as a guarantee of a certain educational standard.

Additional criticism has been levelled at Matriculation from two directly opposite points. It is alleged that the examination demands a far broader education in a wide diversity of subjects than the majority of candidates are likely to require in after-life. This criticism, incidentally, comes from those who regard the examination as a neat period to be placed at the end of three or four years at a secondary school and not as a preliminary to a University career. On the other hand there are authorities like the Director of Education (Dr. C. E. Beeby) who insist that Matriculation has the opposite effect of limiting the curriculum of post-primary

With all its faults, Matriculation is of very real value. The worst that can be said of it is that it is an inducement to a certain amount of "cramming," but it does supply a useful standard by which a student's proficiency in the usual branches of a good secondary education may be measured. In view of the nature of the test, there are bound to be complaints about it from someone. For instance, it is pretty much of a certainty that if any candidate is strong in English subjects he or she will be correspondingly weak in another branch (usually mathematics) and vice versa. Therefore, argue certain people, the student should be permitted to concentrate on English or any other congenial subject and leave the uncongenial branches to whom they may concern. A very welcome argument for the student, but whether its application would raise the general standard of education is another matter.

Accrediting, as an alternative to Matriculation, has been discussed at various times, and the supporters of this plan scored a victory during the week when the Senate of the University of New Zealand adopted a system by which it is proposed to permit entrance to the University "by way of accrediting by approved schools after at least four years of satisfactory post-primary education."

It is probable that any objection to this scheme will be directed chiefly at the proposal to compile a list of selected schools at which the accrediting system will be available. (The plan has already been described as "undemocratic"). But one of the most important aspects of the proposal—the question of whether it will make entrance to the University easier or more difficult—has not yet been fully explained.

As far as the University is concerned, any move making for easier entrance must be regarded more than doubtfully. For many years the four colleges have carried a small proportion of students to whom a university career is less a means of gaining an education than of enhancing their social status. This is a feature of University life in all Englishspeaking countries, but it is not a thing to be encouraged. On the other hand, if accrediting is going to simplify things for those students who, through force of circumstances, are compelled to earn their living while attending evening lectures on a sort of night-school basis, it will not be without its

There are still many obstacles to be overcome before the accrediting system is put into operation, and in any case it was pointed out during the session of the Senate that if the Minister of Finance agrees to the additional expenditure involved, the new legislation will still have to be considered by the Senate at its next annual meeting. But from what has already been said about the scheme, there are many people who will agree with the University Chancellor when he said, "I realise that the Matriculation test has its weaknesses, but I have not yet been able to find a scheme that is free from weaknesses as a substitute,"

Personal

Mr R. Henderson, superintendent of the Hastings Fire Brigade, re-turned yesterday from a conference of fire superintendents at Welling-

Leading-Aircraftsman W. J. A. MacErlich, Royal New Zealand Air Force, was met this week by men of his father's department at Whakatu Freezing Works and presented with a fountain pen and rotary lead pencil. Several speakers wished him good luck.

Mr M. J. Reardon, Conciliation Commissioner, is visiting Hastings to hear a Hawke's Bay fruit work-ers dispute. He will return to Wellington early next week.

Mr E. R. Baker, who has been engaged in journalism in Christ-church for 18 years, has been appointed managing-editor of the "Wairoa Star."

Mr. R. Trotter, Raupare, is reported to be progressing favourably after an operation performed at Royston Hospital.

AT THE HOTELS

Mr W. Percival, Mr J. A. King, Captain G. Prictor, Mr P. Nash, Mr Stevenson (Wellington), Mrs J. D. Williamson, Mrs E. C. Beale, Mr and Mrs M. A. Moore, Mrs M. A. Wooller, Miss M. McCulloch (Auckland), Mrs A. Burgess (New Plymouth), Mrs M. Hamilton (Bournemouth), Rev. and Mrs M. Moore (Te Kohura), Mr H. Abbott (Hastings), Mr J. K. Lindley (Christchurch), Mr A. M. Henson, Mr and Mrs I. Sutherland (Feilding), Mr and Mrs H. Hancock (Palmerston North), Mr D. J. Barry, Miss Rita Barry (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs Cook (Palmerston N.), Mrs Wilton Irwin (Gisborne), Mr J. Blundell (Taupo), are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Mr and Mrs H. Otway, Miss P.

Mr and Mrs H. Otway, Miss P. McDougall, Miss R. Wynn Brown (Cambridge), Mr and Mrs A. J. Dobson, Mr L. A. Cornaga (Auckland), Mr J. Buchanan, Mr H. A. Seifert (Palmerston North), Mr F. W. Fergusson (Christchurch), Mr B. T. Coburn, Mr W. Barrett, Dr Hayman, Mr A. W. Swap, Mr M. J. Reardon (Wellington), Mrs B. Canning (Porangahau), Mr B. L. Claydon (Wellington), Mr B. J. O'Donnell (Sydney), Mr A. J. Dynes (Wellington) are staying at the Grand Hotel, are staying Hastings. staying at the Grand Hotel,

RANKER OFFICERS CRITICISED

Colonel Dismissed

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Breach Of Regulations

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the Army Council's severe displeas. ure, and he is no longer considered a suitable person to be in charge of an officers' cadet training unit.

Lieutenant-Colonel Bingham recently wrote a letter to the Press claiming that officers drawn from the ranks had proved a failure. He said: "Never was the old school tie and the best that it stands for more justified than to-day."

MAIL NOTICES

POST OFFICE, HASTINGS (Napier Mails close approximately one hour earlier than Hastings). OUTWARD OVERSEAS MAILS. Overseas mails will be dispatched s opportunity offers.

TRANS-TASMAN AIR MAIL TO AUSTRALIA.

Mails close at Hastings three times each fortnight at 4 p.m. TRANS-PACIFIC AIR MAIL. THURSDAY, JANUARY 30.

Trans-Pacific Air Mail.—Postage rates
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Great Britain 5/9 each ½oz. Mails close
4 p.m. For further particulars apply to
Post Office.

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

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., Saturiay only 1.15 p.m.

Waipawa, 8.5 a.m. and 4 p.m.

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

Saturday, 8.5 a.m.

Otane, Daily, 8 p.m.

Opapa, Poukawa, Paki Paki and Pukehou, 8 p.m.

AIR MAIL INLAND.

Wairoa A. & P. Show All exhibitors in the fat cattle section at the Wairoa Show to be held

ton,

Mr J. Farrell, representative for J.C. Williamson, Ltd., will leave Hastings this morning for Palmerston North and Wellington.

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Some five hundred adults and 250 children from the Dannevirke disrict are expected to arrive in Napier by train this morning, under the auspices of the Friendly Societies. While in Napier they will be granted the use of the Oddfellows' Hall in Milton Road,

Appeal for Cooks

Several men responded to the appeal by the Army authorities for cooks to enter camp at Foxton with the Wellington and East Coast Mounted Rifles on February 12. An officer of the Army Office at Hastings stated yesterday that there were still several vacancies for cooks in this camp.

Blaze in Country

A heavy red glare in the sky which could be seen by Hastings people last night, and which appeared to be in the direction of Pakowhai. Road, gave rise to a good deal of speculation as to its cause. Actually the blaze was on a property about two miles north of Stortford Lodge, and, so far as could be ascertained last night, was caused by burning timber. In spite of the heavy rain the fire continued until a late hour.

Businessmen's Scheme Having investigated the need, certain Napier businessmen are interesting themselves in sending Mr Gordon Pirie, the well-known charity collector, to Hanmer Springs. For some years, Mr Pirie has been associated with a number of charities and in recognition of his services and in recognition of his services.

The Clerk to the Havelock North Town Board (Mr W. H. Anderson) acknowledges the following donations to the Havelock North Fire Brigade fund:—W. S. Davidson £1, J. B. Boese 10/-, G. Husheer £3, Melville Bell £1 1/-, Mrs M. L. MacLennan £1, G. C. Tripe £1, F. L. Bone £1 1/-, Mrs K. C. White £1 1/-, E. D. Couper £1 1/-. Estaugh and Trene-WAIROA

Mr. I. C. Allan (Putere), Mr. A. Walker, Mr C. Agar (Waipukurau) Mr. H. G. Fleming (Trentham), Mr. R. Fenton, Mr. B. Douglas, Mr. M. Morrah, are staying at the Clyde Hotel, Wairoa.

Mr. Parker, Mr. Yule, Mr. Carter, Mr. Manning, Mr. Cooper (Hastings), Mr. Whitehead (Auckland), Mr. T. Rakau, Mr. Ship (Gisborne), Mr. and Mrs. Stewart (Whakatane) are staying at the Wairoa Hotel, Wairoa.

ville Bell £1 1/-, Mrs M. L. MacLennan £1, G. C. Tripe £1, F. L. Bone £1 1/-, Mrs K. C. White £1 1/-, E. D. Couper £1 1/-, Estaugh and Treneman £3, Anonymous £1, W. Bridgman £1, G. C. Tripe £1, F. L. Bone £1 1/-, C.C-T." 5/-, F. Gosling 5/-, F. C. Twigg £1, B. Crompton-Smith £1 1/-, "298" £1 1/-, "W.M." £1 1/-, A. E. Peters £1.

Runaway Trailer

The importance of making sure that trailers, caravans and such appendages are properly attached to the vehicle drawing them was

The importance of making sure that trailers, caravans and such appendages are properly attached to the vehicle drawing them was shown in Karamu Road, Hastings, yesterday morning, when a small two-wheeled trailer became disconnected from a car. Careering across the street the trailer struck a parked car. Fortunately the front bumper of the car took the impact, and as the trailer was a light one no serious damage resulted. The motorist drove on for some distance before he became aware that a portion of his property had deserted tion of his property had deserted

Hare's Escape

An impromptu coursing match, in which a hare eluded a large setter, enlivened the fishing near Shag in this city is undoubtedly Sir John United Press Association—Copyright.

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LONDON, Jan. 23.

The Secretary of State for War, (Captain Margesson) announced in the House of Commons that Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Bingham had been relieved of his command for a breach of the King's Regulations. Lieutenant-Colonel Bingham has been informed that he has earned the Army Council's severe displeas and are seen more often in public than the other diplomats.

In this city is undoubtedly Sir John Maffey, 6ft. 4in. tall, United King-ter, which had been dashing about in a vain attempt to capture a seating out on the open beach, close to the water. The chase was on, and the hare took a neat plunge into the sea, setting off for the South Brighton Spit. Headed back by the dog, which failed by inches at one stage to get his teeth into it, the hare came back to the beach. There was a fine burst of speed by both hare came back to the beach. There was a fine burst of speed by both animals in a dash to the long grass on the beach near the pier, the setter being hampered by his wet coat. The chase than continued under the causeway at Clifton, where the hare finally escaped among the rocks.

The engagement ring, symbol of lifelong happiness—forever. You buy only one in a lifetime—how great the need for discrimination. Built on fair dealing, the name of McClurgs, master jewellers in Napier for half a century, is your evidence for confidence in buying. Fine selected stones in the latest settings, McClurgs have the ring for you, at your figure. McClurgs, Jewellers, Napier.*

Breakfast Jable

"I've sold everything out of that room," said the helper at the jumble sale, proudly.
"Dear, dear." cried the minister's
wife, "that was the cloakroom!"

Stranger (savagely): "You're sitting on my hat, sir!"
Old Gentleman: "So I feel, sir!
And I hope in the future you will wear soft hats, and not these hard-brimmed abominations."

"Well, I got the licence to-day."
"OH, GEORGE!"
"I mean my pilot's licence."
"Oh, George!"

Young Brown got a job in a ship yard. The first morning the foreman gave him a two-foot rule and told him to go measure a large steel plate. Brown returned in 20 min-

Foreman: "Well, what is the hou, 8 p.m.

Commencing Monday, December 30, the street receiving letter boxes will be teleared at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. from Monday to Friday (inclusive)—Saturday 10 a.m. only.

size?"

Brown: "It's just the length of this rule, and two thumbs over, with this brick, and the breadth of my hand, and my arm from here to there bar the finger nails" there, bar the finger nails."

AIR MAIL INLAND.

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Local & General DUBLIN CHEERFUL HAWKE'S BAY AND NEUTRAL

STREETS A BLAZE OF LIGHT

EIRE CONDITIONS

Petrol Only Substance Rationed

"Daily Mail" Special Service. LONDON.

I have just come back to Dublin after seeing London during the air raids. What a difference! Dublin seems gay by comparison (writes Mr J. H. Murdoch in the "Daily

Arriving by the evening mail-boat from Holyhead is like walking from a dark room into the sunshine. To the traveller from England the absence of the black-out is the most striking feature about life

the most striking feature about life in the Eireann capital.

There are all the multi-coloured neon lights of peace-time London, the flood-lit shops, and the blinding motor-car headlamps.

Only the high-powered street lamps have been cowled so that the lights are deflected straight down to the ground. So from these, at any rate, there is no reflection in the sky.

sky. Entertainment here is still almost Entertainment here is still almost at peace-time level. There are the usual long queues of people waiting to get into the cinemas and theatres. One notable change is that there are no English theatre companies coming here now because of travel and other difficulties.

Food is Dear

Although Dublin is the centre of a 90 per cent agricultural country, food is surprisingly dear. It is not rationed, because there are unlimited supplies for home consumption and many millions of pounds worth are sent across the Trish Sea each are sent across the Irish Sea each

year.

Petrol is the only commodity rationed, but in spite of this and the cost of it there is no appreciable decrease in the number of motorcars seen in the streets. In Dublin No. 1 grade petrol costs 2/4 a gallon, outside the city 2/5.

Hunting takes place regularly round Dublin and in the adjoining counties, and there are hunt balls

counties, and there are hunt balls every week in the hotels here. Racing has never been better, be-cause of the large number of Eng-lish owners and trainers who have sent their horses over here for the duration of the war.

British Refugees

When many thousands of British women and children refugees arrive here within the next few weeks as a result of the Eireann Government's recent offer to the British Government, they will, find the place one of the most peaceful sanctuaries in

Europe.
Unless the worst fears of the Government materialise and Eire is directly involved in war, it will be possible for scores of thousands of those women and children to live here in peace with plenty of good food and entertainment.

food and entertainment.

Although her army is being expanded and armed as rapidly as possible and the authorities are taking no chances, it is felt here that the danger of Eire's neutrality is not nearly so great as it was three or four months ago.

The main reason for this is that the prospect of a German invasion of Britain has almost disappeared and the Mediterranean has become more important. As a result the more important. As a result the people in Dublin feel more secure

WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR MORE RAIN

Following is the "Daily Mail's" Special forecast for the Hawke's Bay area.

Winds: Strong easterly reaching gale force in exposed positions. Weather: Continuing dull and un-settled with further rain and drizzle. Temperatures, moderate. Seas: Rough with a considerable easterly swell.

HASTINGS WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken ves-terday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Mag-netic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:— Ory bulb temp.

Vet bulb temp.

Maximum temp.

Minimum temp. Grass
1ft. underground
Rain
Wind
Cloud
Rain for month

NAPIER WEATHER

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

1ft. underground

3ft. underground

Sun

Wind

Rain

Cloud Nil S.E.5

DOMINION FORECAST

General Situation: A deep cyclone centred east of Auckland peninsula is moving slowly southward. Pressure remains high east of the Dominion.

remains high east of the Dominion.

Forecast. — Winds: Easterly to north-easterly, moderate to strong generally and reaching gale force at many places in the North Island.

Seas.—New Zealand waters: High north of East Cape. Elsewhere rough. Considerable swell on the east coast. Eastern Tasman Sea: Winds from an easterly quarter, force moderate to fresh in the southern portion with rather rough seas; gales in the northern portion with high seas.

Weather: Unsettled over the North ern portion with high seas.

Weather: Unsettled over the North Island with further rain and some heavy falls, flooding likely in the Auckland province and later in the Gisborne-East Cape area. Fair at first over the South Island but unsettled conditions gradually developing from the north and east. Temperature, moderate.

To-day's Diary

HASTINGS Greyhound Racing, Nelson Park, To-night, 8 p.m.
The Theatres:
"Convoy," Regent, 2.15, 5, and 8 "Lucky Partners," State, 2.15, 5 and

Invisible Stripes," also "Public Cowboy No. 1," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

8 p.m. "Invisible

NAPIER

Interhouse Sports, McLean Park, at 7 p.m.
The Theatres:
"It All Came True," Regent, 2. and 8 p.m.
"Captain Caution," State, 2.0 and 8 p.m.
"When the Daltons Rode" and "Daredevil Drivers," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.



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If you start this New Year with Uniforms and uniform acces-sories of good quality, they will be bound to

wear . . . and wear.

You can rely on Westerman's quality for any school requisites. FIRST in QUALITY SCHOOL UNIFORM CLOTHS. High School "Blue Tobralco." 36in wide, Fast colour. Price 3/42yd.

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3/4½ yard.
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.36in. Serge. Navy. Price 7/11yd.
.54in. Serge. Navy. Prices 12/6,
.13/6 and 14/6.

FOR BLOUSES: 29in, Kabe. Prices 1/9 & 2/3 yd. 36in, Kabe. Prices 1/11, 2/6 & 2/11 yard. 36in. Tobralco. Prices 3/41 vd. 36in. Britway. Price 3/- yard 36in. Summer Breeze. Price 2/7

FOR BLAZERS. 56in. Blazer School Blazer Cloth.
Navy. Price 19/6 yd.
40in. Blazer Flannel. Navy.
Price. 7/11yd.
36in. Blazer Flannel. Navy.
Price. 6/6yd.





PETANE RIDING **VACANCY**

COUNTY COUNCIL **ELECTION**

MR H. ELLIS

A Three-Cornered Contest

By one of the smallest margins ever recorded in a council by-election, Mr H. Ellis, Bay View, was yesterday elected by the ratepayers of the Petane Riding to fill the vacancy on the Hawke's Bay County Council created by the death of Mr C. C. Smith, a former chairman.

In spite of the interest which had been created in the issue, only 294 out of a total of 600 votes were recorded, but this can be attributed to the proximity of general elections in May.

Polling began at 9 a.m. yesterday and closed at 6 p.m., and at 6.45 last night, the Returning Officer and County Clerk (Mr W. J. O'Connell), was able to announce the provisional

Recount Next Week Recount Next Week

The recount will take place at the flawke's Bay County Council's office in Napier at 9 a.m. next Wednesday. In addition to the successful candidate, Messrs J. Black and H. E. Beattle contested the seat. In the previous election, Mr H. E. Beattle polled 98 votes when he stood against the late Mr Smith.

The details of the polling are as follows:—

SCHEME

Councillor's Error

FORCED TO RESIGN OFFICE

Unprecedented Case

WELLINGTON, Jan. 24.

Mr. H. Polson has resigned from the Upper Hutt Borough Council. About two years ago the council in-troduced a house-building scheme, whereby residents were able to build houses with money lent by the State through the council. Mr. Polson took part in the discussion on the Some time later he applied for

and was granted a loan under the scheme. This has now met with the disapproval of the Audit Depart-

ment, which tagged the balancesheet covering the transaction and
called upon Mr. Polson to resign,
stating he had committed a breach
of the Municipal Corporations Act.
The Mayor (Mr. Blewham) explained the position to the council
last night, stating that nobody anticipated such action. A councillor
was allowed by the Act to borrow
money from the council for the purpose of laying drains, and there was
nothing in the Act which stated it
was wrong to borrow for housing
purposes.

purposes.
Cr. Rendle said that the case was a precedent. There was no similar case in the Dominion. Nobody thought the Act covered a loan to a

It was also stated that Mr. Polson would be eligible to stand for re-election in May.

RE-LICENSING DATE

the date for re-licensing, according to information received yesterday by the Hastings Borough Council. The next licensing period will be for a term of 13 months and when they

BALLOT APPEALS ARE REVIEWED BY MINISTER

Hon. R. Semple Gives Details Of Cases Heard By The **Committees**

> By Telegraph—Press Association) WELLINGTON, Jan. 24.

> > Titles

FURTHER RESULTS

Hastings Player In

Women's Final

YESTERDAY'S PLAY

In Bucharest

FRONTIERS CLOSED

Legionaries Still Hold

Radio Station

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The frontiers of Rumania, where grave disorders continued yesterday, remain closed, but information reached London late last night that the Chief of State (General Antonescu) has re-established a certain measure of control in Bucharest.

RUGBY, Jan. 23.

The Minister of National Service (the Hon. R. Semple) in an interview to-night, gave some details of the number of appeals against being called up for territorial service in the first ballot and the way in which they are being dealt with by the Manpower Committees. He also mentioned the appeals against being called up for overseas service which have been received in respect of men drawn in the ballot.

The total number of men drawn in the first territorial ballot was 16,000. In respect of 7629 of these, appeals were lodged by reservists or by other persons on their behalf or both. The number of appeal forms handled by the committees was 11,834, specifying 13,888 grounds of

11,834, specifying 13,888 grounds of appeal.

There are five possible grounds of appeal, and of these two are for convenience, treated as one under the heading of status. They are (a) that the reservist called up was not a member of the reserve or (b) that he was not a member of the class over which the ballot was taken.

Other grounds are public interest, hardship, and conscientious objection to armed service.

First Ballot Analysis

Of the 7926 men who appealed, cases were dealt with thus: 92 were cases were dealt with thus: 92 were allowed on the ground of status; 337 were struck out because the men concerned were found to be permanently medically unfit for any type of military service; and 1990 were adjourned because the appellants were not up to the required standard of medical fitness for territorial service making a total of

Totals 109 94 91

Mr Ellis has carried on farming operations at Bay View for many years. Before the floods of 1938 his property was looked upon as one of the best in the district. Situated at the mouth of the Esk River, Mr Ellis's property experienced the full fury of the torrent which poured down the valley. Within 24 hours the work of a lifetime was reduced to desolation.

The remain dealt with as follows.

The remain dealt with postponement of ser journed with postponement; 1749 were dismissed conditionally on service not commencing until a later specified date; 355 were dismissed unconditionally; 407, based on conscientious objection, were referred to Armed Forces Appeal Boards; 37 were for various reasons not finally disposed of; 187 were withdrawn and 49 were struck out owing to lack of prosecution.

In Primary Production

the territorial forces was adjourned or postponed until a specified date, or postponed until a specified date, the great majority were men employed in farming, freezing works, shearing and other forms of primary production or allied industries. The total number of men drawn in the first overseas ballot was 14,000. In respect of 4434 of these appeals were received, the number of appellants being 2338 and the number of co-appellants 3028.

Overseas Ballot Appeals

Twenty appeals were withdrawn before hearing. There are grounds on which appeals may be based, and in many cases two or more grounds were pleaded. The total number of pleas raised was 7950, distributed thus: Not a member of reserve, 57; not a member of the class called up 77; contrary to public interest 3407; undue hardship 3896; conscientious objection, 513.

objection, 513.

The proportion of men who appealed or were appealed for is greater in districts largely devoted

AIR AND TANK **ATTACKS**

LESSON OF WARFARE IN EAST

TWO ESSENTIALS

Historic Victory Achieved At Tobruk

British Official Wireless (Received January 24, 6 p.m.)

RUGBY, Jan. 23.

Motorists Affected By
The Change

Drivers' and motor vehicles' licences will expire a month later next year as a result of an alteration in the date for re-licensing, according ware and results of the middle East.

RUGBY, Jan. 23.

The Joint Parliamentary Secretary for War (Lord Croft), in a speech to-day, referred to the new successes of General Wavell's army. He said: "To-day we are attacking. We have assumed the offensive, and Italy is reeling under the hammer blows of the Royal Navy, the R.A.F., and our magnificent Army of the Middle East.

"To-day our main army has advanced over 122 miles from its rail."

"To-day our main army has advanced over 122 miles from its railhead and 400 miles from its base. It has swept forward in one of the most brilliant series of victories in

Westland Mine Disaster

INQUIRY OPENED

Smoking Materials Found

EXPLOSION THEORY

By Telegraph-Press Association GREYMOUTH, Jan. 24. The Royal Commission inquiring nto the causes of the explosion at

into the causes of the explosion at Kaye and Party's mine at Ten Mile on November 6 commenced the hearing of evidence to-day.

The commission comprises Mr G. G. Chisholm, S.M. (chairman), Messrs T. O. Bishop, J. Watson, A. McLagan, and J. Devlin.

The principal witness, W. Parsonage, manager of the Glen Afton Collieries, who was Inspector of Mines at Greymouth at the time of the explosion and the first man to enter the mine after the disaster, gave lengthy evidence. He stated that he found .07 per cent of carbon monoxide gas in the mine on the day of the explosion, and greater quantities on subsequent inspections. Detailing the finding of the bodies

Detailing the finding of the bodies Parsonage said the smoking materials, including wax matches and tobacco, were found in the clothing of some of the men in the mine.

On August 3, 1938, in the course of an inspection, he found fire damp in the mine, and ordered the use of safety lamps. On May 31 last, Kaye applied for permission to withdraw the safety lamps, but Parsonage told him that permission could not be given.

By Telegraph—Press Association
CHRISTCHURCH, Jan. 24.
F. C. Bryan, Wellington, successfully defended his men's champions ship title at the New Zealand Croquet tournament in Christchurch today. His match was against A. C. Ross, Christchurch, and he won 26-4, 26-15, a fairly decisive victory for a Dominion championship final.
The standard of play was not as good as was expected, but the game was followed with close interest by a large gallery.
Generally speaking, Bryan appeared to get the strength of the green, and scored consistently from his hitting in. Ross's failures were on long shots.
Earlier games in the men's singles resulted as follows:

F. C. Bryan (Wellington) 26, J. Thompson (Ashburton) 17; A. J. Gibbs (Patea) 26, W. H. Kirk (Geraldine) 2; W. H. Kirk 26, R. W. McCreath (Gore) 12.

Open Championship.
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In a semi-final of the open championship, Mrs Watkins (Hastings) beat R. McCreath (Invercargill), 26-17, 26-6. The final will go on tomorrow when Mrs. Watkins, the present open champion, is to meet Mrs. McLeod (Gore). It is unusual for men to be eliminated from the closing matches of the open championship. rise place, lead me to the conclusion that ignition was caused by the striking of a match or smoking in the vicinty of an accumulation of fire-dam?"

Question Of Inspection. Under cross-examination, Parsonage said he did not think the quanpionship.
Players left in the women's championship, which will also be decided to-morrow, are:—
Mesdames Maddren (Christ-church), Hadfield (Christchurch), Corbett (Invercargill), Telfer (Invercargill), McLeod (Gore), Watkins (Hastings), and Miss Cloughton (Wellington).

Latest Games
Today's games resulted: Mrs tity of gas causing the explosion could accumulate between the time of the manager's inspection in the morning and the explosion. The manager's examination did not appear to have been thorough enough.

To Mr Bishop: Generally the regulations were observed as well in

ton (Wellington).

Latest Games

To-day's games resulted: Mrs. Holmes 26, Mrs. Holmes 21; Mrs. Holmes 26, Mrs. Palmer 17; Mrs. McLeod 26, Mrs. Kirk 12; Mrs. Hadfield 26, Mrs. Clark 17; Mrs. McLeod 26, Mrs. Clark 17; Mrs. McLeod 26, Mrs. Lowery 19; Mrs. McLeod 26, Mrs. Penn 23; Mrs. Penn beat Mrs. Metcalfe by default.

Levels Singles.

Four players remain in for the Levels Singles competition. They are: Mesdames Kellaway (Christchurch), Faulkner (Christchurch), Murray (Christchurch), and Miss McDowell (Ashburton).

Matches held to-day resulted:
Mrs. Grant 26, Mrs. Wotherspoon 7; Mrs. Kellaway 26, Mrs. Murray 7; Miss. McDowell 26, Mrs. Grant 24; Mrs. Faulkner 26, Mrs. Grant 24; Mrs. Faulkner 26, Mrs. Whitfield 22.

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Station Quiet Restored

New Appointment To The Portfolio

Of Railways

Hastings Plans

Mayor Wires Mr Semple: Town's Good

Wishes "Cordial congratulations on your appointment as Minister of Railways, which surely portends at last a new railway station for Hastings. Kindest personal regards, George Maddison, Mayor."

HEARD

MAN COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

NAPIER CASE

Accused Reserves His Defence

Facing a charge of indecent assault on a female, Richard Thomas Johnson, a carpenter in the employ of the New Zealand Government Railways, pleaded not guilty and reserved his defence, when he appeared before Messrs A. E. Bedford and F. S. Tarrant, J.P.'s, in the Napier Police Court yesterday.

Mr C. G. E. Harker, Waipawa, appeared for the accused, who was released on bail for £200, on condi-

released on bail for £200, on condition that he report to the police twice a week until he appears for trial on February 17.

Senior-Sergeant P. C. Felton, who conducted the case for the police, asked that the complainant's name

asked that the complainant's name be suppressed in the meantime.

The complainant told the Court that she was a married woman living in Wanganui and had come to Napier in December. She was now living with her sister-in-law at Westshore

Cries For Help

Last Saturday she came to town with her sister-in-law and they parted company at the corner of Dalton and Emerson Streets. The witness said that she decided to inspect the ruin of St. Paul's and while there was assaulted by the accused, whom she hit.

Saturday she came to town efficient condition.

"The Primary and Industrial Production Committee received reports from controllers and expressed general approval to the council of the measures being taken.

Farm Labour Problem

Her cries for help attracted the attention of a boy from Wairoa. As soon as the accused was satisfied that the boy did not know him, he hurried away leaving an orange-covered library book behind.

The witness said she had attended an identification parade and had recognised the accused without the

Corroborative evidence regarding the complainant's movements up to the time they parted was given by her sister-in-law.

In the Basement

Robert Gordon Finucane, a 16year-old engineer's apprentice, residing at Wairoa, told the Court that he went up to the ruins on the day of the alleged assault. Although he could not see anyone about, he heard cries of help which he calculated were coming from underneath him. The witness said that in order to get to the basement of the church he had to go around the building.

"When I got to the top of the steps I saw that the accused had the complainant's shoulders pressed up against the wall of the vault," said Finucane.

said Finucane.

"Just as I reached the steps, the accused let the complainant go and she rushed up the steps with him following," he continued.

"The complainant asked me if I knew the accused and I said 'No.' The accused told me that he had offered to show the complainant around the ruins but this she denied, saying that she had never spoken to the man before. The accused then turned and hurried away.

Blood on Her Mouth

Blood on Her Mouth "The complainant had blood on her mouth and I wiped it off," said

the witness. He then told the Court that he had had no difficulty in identifying the accused at the parade.

Constable Ewen Rippin gave evidence of an interview that he had had with the accused and his subsequent arrest. The witness said that he had asked the accused if he had been in the vicinity of the ruins and he had replied: "Not to my

"I noticed that Johnson's lip was swollen and had recently been bleeding. I asked him how it had happened. He said that he was in the habit of biting his lip," said the witness.

Identification Parade

"The accused then accompanied "The accused then accompanied me back to the police station, where he was seen by Senior-Sergeant Felton. He was then placed in an identification parade of eight men in addition to himself. After the parade the accused remarked: 'I can't make it out. They all picked me out the first time.' He was then charged

charged.

"The accused maintained that he could not remember what had taken place. He said that he had had a few beers, but when I saw him he was practically sober," said Constable Rippin.

In reply to Mr Harker the witness said that the accused was not anxious when interviewed and that he was perfectly willing to accompany

was perfectly willing to accompany the witness to the police station. Johnson was eager to go into an identification parade.

Book Club Record

Edmund Bevin Jenkins, proprietor of the Oxford Book Club, said that he knew the accused, who was a fre-

ASSAULT CHARGE WAR COUNCIL MEETS FOR FIRST TIME THIS YEAR

Manpower, Defence, And Aircraft Accidents Dicussed

(By Telegraph—Press Association) WELLINGTON, Januaray 24.

"The War Council met to-day for the first time this year." said the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) in a statement to-night.

"The two committees, one dealing with defence and military affairs, the other with questions connected with primary and industrial production, had met yesterday, and submitted full reports to the council which were considered at the

"Full consideration had been given by the Defence and Military Affairs Committee to the question of Affairs Committee to the question of the manpower requirements of the armed forces, both for service in New Zealand and overseas, in relation to the available resources of manpower, enlistment of men for service in the territorial force, and the steps which might be taken to ensure that as many fit single men as possible could be made available for service in the overseas forces and the means which could be adopted to ensure that the territorial force is maintained at the maximum force is maintained at the maximum strength possible and in the most efficient condition.

"The farm labour situation was also considered by the committee also considered by the committee and proposals were submitted to meet certain difficulties which have arisen as the result of the present emergency. The position in regard to the manufacture of munitions and the supply of essential materials was also discussed by the

committee.

"The council adopted almost entirely the recommendations submit-ted by the committees, and these are being referred to the War Cabinet

or consideration.
Chiefs of the naval and air staffs, and the Adjutant-General were present at the meeting.

An outline was given by Commodore Parry of the steps being taken by the naval authorities to meet the nenace of enemy raiders in the

Accidents to Aircraft

A survey of the incidence and causes of accidents to aircraft piloted by personnel under training in the various R.N.Z.A.F. stations in the Dominion was made by Air Commodore Saunders, and the council was assured that all possible steps were being taken to minimise the risk of these unfortunate happenings. The council was also assured of the suitability of the aircraft used for training purposes.

"The work done by the council is most valuable, and it will continue to meet at monthly intervals, although it will probably be necessary for the committees to meet more frequently." Accidents to Aircraft

Champions To Meet

INTERHOUSE GIRLS

Florence Harvey Cup At Stake

BRIGHT DISPLAY

Competitors from various parts of the North Island will be on parade at McLean Park, Napier, this afternoon, when the North Island Interhouse Championship will be

All the teams have high reputa-tions in their home towns, and the contest will be keen as well as arduous.

The movements involved in the marching competition are those of the syllabus of military marching, and the interpretation of each team will be judged by expert military judges. judges. Novelty events and games have been introduced and all the indica-tions are for a brighter display than

LODGE CONFERENCE NOMINATIONS

Napier Oddfellows Meet

Few In The Big

RICCARTON RACES

Event

Classic Draws Fair Field

By Telegraph-Press Association PALMERSTON N., Jan. 24. The following handicaps have been declared by Mr W. Russell for the Canterbury Jockey Club's midsummer meeting on February 1:—

HORNBY HIGHWEIGHT HAN-OICAP, of £200; one mile.—The Wrecker 11.7, Settlement 11.6, Cym-Wrecker 11.7, Settlement 11.6, Cymric 11.5, Knight Commander 11.0, Gay Parade 10.13, Rebel Star 10.8, Liane 10.5, Cape Gabo 10.2, Happy Night 10.2, Peacock 10.1, Muffler 10.0, Great Flight 10.0, Waitaka 9.12, Twenty Grand 9.8, Princess Minerva 9.7, Foxette 9.3, Great Bramble 9.3, Aggravate 9.0, Sweet Mystery 9.0. MIDSUMMER HANDICAP, of

f400; one mile and a quarter.— Trench Fight 9.2, Wardress 8.13, Sovereign Lady 8.7, Winning Rival 8.0, Not Out 7.10, Settlement 7.7, Cymric 7.3, Gay Parade 7.0. HALSWELL HANDICAP, of £200

nine furlongs.—Iceland Spar 9.2, Prince Ruenalf 8.4, Omapo 8.1, Princess Minerva 8.1, Elmarch 8.0, Nightshift 7.12, The Tryst 7.8, Gay Thread 7.7, Alias 7.7, Ryetown 7.7, Royal Refrain 7.7, Good Health 7.7. LYTTELTON PLATE, of £200. For two-year-olds. Five furlongs.—Bird of Prey 8.7, Cherry Queen colt 7.8, Stepway 7.8, Mark Out 7.8, Willow Wood 7.7, Sir Gundi 7.6, Palfrey 7.6, Saone filly 7.5, Penny Whistle 7.5, Hinepo 7.5, Lady Nottava 7.5, Full Pitch 7.4, Good Scout 7.4, Espionage 7.4, Lindus 7.4, Dash o' Dublin 7.3, Calypso 7.0, Blue Bouquet 7.0, Princess Myosotis 7.0.

quet 7.0, Princess Myosotis 7.0. CRAVEN PLATE, of £300; seven furlongs.—Rebel Mate 9.4, Doria 9.0, Density 8.13, Not Out 8.9, Shikari 7.10, The Wrecker 7.9, Cymric 7.7, Chary 7.5, Skyrena 7.4, Pleading 7.2, Epic 7.1, Good Passage 7.1, King's Toast 7.0, Liane 7.0, Synthetic 7.0, Grey Night 7.0.

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POST HANDICAP, of £200; seven furlongs.—King's Toast 9.5, Leighnor 9.1, Ferriby 8.11, Nightglass 8.5, Plumage 8.4, Twenty Grand 8.3, Metric 8.2, Halt 8.1, Blue Abbey 8.0, Grey Night 7.13, Lord Midas 7.12, Big Joe 7.12, Greenbank 7.11, Starwink 7.10, Great Bramble 7.10, Stylist 7.9, Gold Nugget 7.7, Gentility 7.7, Puella 7.7,

TRIAL STAKES, of £200; seven furlongs.—Alias, Night Rehearsal, Ruatoro, Stylist, Erambie, The Dictator, Lockheed, Rue, Trench Coat, Anne Mie, Benevolent, Topple, Radio Call, Bloss, Lady Derby, My Abbey, Royal Refrain, Kurawhi, Sweet Mystery, Foxette, Red Ace, Bright Lad, Gentility.

MIDDLE PART PLATE, of £310;

MIDDLE PARI. PLATE, of £310; weight.for.age; six furlongs.—
Trustees late Sir Charles Clifford's ch. c. Willow Wood, by Cricket Bat-Winsome Hind, 2yrs.; R. J. Harper's b.c. Imperium, by Colossus-Tripping, 2yrs.; Miss J. Edgar-Jones's b.f. Helenora, by Solicitor General-Helen Gold, 2yrs.; Mrs H. D. Greenwood's rn.f. Salutation, by Theio-Queen's Salute, 2yrs.; E. Hay's bc. Palfrey, by Man's Pal-Venacular, 2yrs.; E. Hay's ch.c. Alias, by Solicitor General-Disguise, 3yrs.; J. L. and S. L. Holmes's b.g. Lindus, by Colossus-Greymist, 2yrs.; G. R. Macdonald's br. f. Bird of Prey, by Solicitor General-Capercalizie, 2yrs.; G. R. Macdonald's br. c. Pleading, by Solicitor General-Eulalie, 3yrs.; G. H. Paul's ch. c. Divorced, by Midian-Ohangaiti, 2yrs.; C. R. Powell's br. f. Bright Lady, by Sunflare-Miss Val, 2yrs.; W. A. White's br. c. Monetary, by Paper Money-Kakara, 2yrs. MIDDLE PARIT PLATE, of £310;

POPULAR OFFICER'S
DEATH

Mr Charles Wilson, Napier

Mr Wi John Wilson, record clerk of the Land and Survey Department, Napoler, which occurred yesterday.

Mr. Wilson was for many years save province before coming to Napler in 1938, which each grant of the first time the temporal time temporal time temporal time the served with distinction in the South African War.

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RIOTERS OPPOSE **NEW TAX**

BRITON WOUNDED AT **SHANGHAI**

THREE SHOTS FIRED

Police Disperse Mob With Guns

United Press Association-Copyright. (Received January 24, 6 p.m.) SHANGHAI, Jan. 23.

The chairman of the Japanese Ratepayers' Association, Y. Hayassai, fired three shots, wounding the chairman of the Municipal Council, a British subject, Mr. W. J. Keswick, and a Japanese councillor, Mr. O. Okamoto, during a council meeting at the raceourse stands today. ing at the racecourse stands to-day immediately after they had vetoed Hayassai's amendments to the new

Hayassai's amendments to the new tax surcharges.

A police cordon was placed around the officials' platform when Japanese in the crowd threatened to mob them.

Mr. Keswick was admitted to hospital. Officials of the hospital said that Mr. Keswick, who was not wearing his usual bullet-proof vest, was not critically wounded. He received bullets in his left chest and forearm.

forearm.

Mr. Okamato was wounded in one

A British municipal councillor, Mr. R. G. MacDonald, was struck on the head by a flying chair. His head was lacerated. Japanese consular police took Japanese consular police took Hayassai into custody.
Japanese voters who opposed an Anglo-American resolution increasing the taxes by 40 per cent. surged towards the platform, hurling boards and folding chairs. They dispersed when the police drew their

Aero Club Holds Meeting

TRUSTEES APPOINTED

Service OFFICERS ELECTED

Members On Active

The Napier Aero Club held its annual meeting on Thursday evening, Mr H. H. McDougall in the chair.

The secretary (Mr W. Denholm) in his report on the club's operations during the year, said that the Kirby tutor sailplane had been built from parts supplied from England and

parts supplied from England and both it and the Waco glider are in good flying condition.

The balance-sheet for the past twelve months was read and

adopted.

The interests of the men who had gone on active service and those who are soon to follow will be look who are soon to follow will be looked after while the club is in recess by the following trustees appointed by the meeting: Messrs H. H. McDougall, T. P. Husheer, W. Haxton and N. Oliver. These gentlemen agreed to visit the headquarters regularly and see that the gliders are least in good order.

kept in good order. Officers Elected The following officers were elected:—Patron, Mr W. Harvey; president, Mr E. N. H. Stewart; club captain and instructor, Mr N. Oliver; honorary medical officer, Dr. Fitzgerald; honorary secretaries, Maccare B. Sciller and W. Draches.

Gift Parcel Presented

Pollock; Airport Board representa-tives Messrs N. F. Harston and T.

PRIVATE L. A. ALLEN

Returning To Camp To-day

WAIPUKURAU MAN

R. Powell's br. f. Bright Lady, by Sunflare-Miss Val, 2yrs.; W. A. White's br. c. Monetary, by Paper Money-Kakara, 2yrs.

Complaints From

Fiji

COMFORTS LACKING

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, Jan. 24.
Complaints made by a New Zealand soldier in Fiji have been referred to official sources in Wellington.
Soap, they say, is not an army issue, it is always among the artitional complaints with the source and present on leave, is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. B. Allen, who is at present on leave, is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. B. Allen, was with his brother, Mr. B. Allen, was is attached to the Fourth Reinforcements, has been on leave from camp and returns to-day by the express. Yesterday afternoon Private Allen was met by his Worship the Mayor (Mr. R. W. Carpenter) and other members of the Patriotic Committee and presented with a useful gift parcel.

Mr. Carpenter, in extending the best wishes and thanks of the citizens to Private Allen, expressed the hope that he would soon see all our soldiers home again. Private Allen, in accepting the gift, suitably replied.

Knowledge Test Answers

Sce Magazine Page. 1. Chamberlain, Mussolini, Roose.

Have a private mark.
Bridge, over water; viaduct,
over valley or chasm; aqueduct is an artificial method of transporting water. A restaurant. Bicarbonate of soda.

6. Blazh. 7. 16 of cure; theft; 81. 8. George Washington; Charon; Caesar.

Caesar.

9. Silver and month.

10. Nine years.

11. His equals.

12. 12111.

13. Tennyson.

14. Why buy a ticket if you don't know where you are going?

Birthday

ANNIVERSARY TO-DAY

Scotland's Famed A TRIBUTE

Scottish people to-day will celebrate the birthday of the poet Robert Burns, born in 1759. The following article has been contributed by Mr W. A. Gunn, Hastings:

"But round fair Scotia's honoured

brow
'Twas Burns the brightest wreath
did twine
And well to-night may thousands

bow,
In homage at his hallowed shrine Robert Burns was the son of William Burness, Alloway, and his spouse Agnes Brown. He was born on January 25, 1759, and baptised on January 21 by the Rev. Wm. Dalrymple, Ayr. The poet was proud of his parents for he said about his father, that he had never met any of his parents for he said about his father that he had never met anyone with a wider knowledge and appreciation of men, manners, habits and character than him. Then, of course, he left us that beautiful poem "My father was a farmer upon the Carrick Border."

Referring to the father, there can be little doubt that the poet drew from his guidance, teaching, and logical habits of observation and reasoning. Unfortunately the father's struggles against poverty last-

er's struggles against poverty lasted till the day of his death and on his headstone we find inscribed:

"O ye whose cheek the tear of pity stains,

The pitying heart that felt for human woes,
The dauntless heart that fear'd no human pride,
The friend of man, to vice alone a

foe, For ev'n his failings lean'd to virtue's side."

The poet's first teacher was Campbell of Alloway. He had the lad for six months at his private school, but this school was closed when Campbell was appointed the master of the work beyond the Thealth. The greatest influence in the matter of Burns's formal education was the personality of this young man. Young as he was—for Murdoch was only 18 years—Murdoch understood the importance of a sound education. It is very nice to know that Murdoch remained one of the part's elegant friends till the one

At an early age Burns became remarkable for his fluency and correctness of speech. He read voraciously but he had to do hard physical et the plough, or reap hook he feared no rival. It is a great pity that he never owned a farm, although it was on the farm he found his strength as a poet, his weakness as a man, and his limitations as a farmer.

He was in trouble with the Kirk authorities. The Kirk in the 18th century had too great a hunger for century had too great a hunger for power! Of course, this was entirely the fault of the leaders of the Kirk—and not of the Kirk itself. "Holy Willie's Prayer" did a lot of good then. William Fisher ("Holy Willie") did not meet a very Godly end—he was found by the neighbours standing on his head with the bours standing over him, when returning from Manchlure fair intoxicated. No doubt the Scottish ministers did their best to ruin Burns—Professor Rainey was anything but pleased at their behaviour. Burns was opposed to the "false friends of faith," the hypocrites, the enemies of true Christianity. He deended Calvanism and the rights of Church, but being publicly re buked by the Rev. "Daddy" Auld hurt his feelings very much. You may notice in his immortal poem "The Cotter's Saturday Night" that he pays no tribute to "Christian" he pays no tribute to "Christian doctrine," but to the faithful, un-

forgotten-father. Burns never claimed to be a stainless sinner. In 1790 he said "God knows I am no saint, I have a whole host of follies and sins to answer for, but if I could I would wipe out all tears from all eyes.' His True Voice.

This is the true voice of Burns. He knew that the lust of men had the failings of men. How does Burns the Poet compare with David the Psalmist? Well, this is how: We do not hear of the sins of David but by repentance in his writings.

Platform speakers like to tell of the sins of David but by repentance in his writings. the Poet compare with David the Psalmist? Well, this is how: We do not hear of the sins of David but by repentance in his writings.

Platform speakers like to tell Platform speakers like to tell their audience about "Tam O' Shan-ter" and "The Cotters Saturday

and it is said it was the best single day's work done in Scotland since fought. Tam was a Carrick farmer.
His proper name was Douglas
Grahame, and he died in the year
1811 aged 72.
Burns wrate in

Burns wrote in a letter to Mrs Dunlop that he looked on Tam O' Shanter to be his standard performance in the poetic line—other great poets looked upon this poem as a masterpiece.

regreat poets looked upon this poem as a masterpiece.

A Misunderstanding.

There is a lot of misunderstanding about the origin of "The Cotters Saturday Night." The statements made by many would-be Burns students are misleading. The 5th, 6th and 18th verses Gilbert (the poet's brother) said were an exact copy of his father in his manners and family devotion, but that the other parts of the poem did not apply to the family. None of the family worked for "the farmer's roun." This poem was first heard when he was out walking with Rob-

I have heard a speaker say that the prototype of this poem was Fergusson's "Farmers Ingle." But the big "ha' bible ance his father pride" was only printed by Alexander Kincaid in Edinburgh in 1762. This bible measured 9% x 94 and was read daily by the prot's was read daily by the poet's "Bonnie Jean" during her last years on earth, and after that bert Burns (the poet's nephew) and it in his possession in County Dublin, Ireland.

Love of Scotland.

Love of Scotland.

Burns loved Scotland and its people, and he protested against heir wrongs, and he fought hard

Robert Burns's SHORTAGE OF MECHANICS: MOTOR TRADE'S DILEMMA

Heavy Enlistments: Repairs Mounting With Old Cars In Use

"Wanted: Mechanically-minded girls to train as motor

Advertisements similar to this are likely to appear in the "Daily Mail" shortly, according to inquiries made yesterday. No new motor-cars are being imported. Worn-out cars formerly regarded as junk are being repaired and reinstated on the highways. Diminishing sales through lack of stock are causing some garages to regard workshop repairs as the

mainstay of their business.

Many garages are confronted by a severe staff shortage.

Scores of motor mechanics, married and single, have joined the armed forces, particularly the Air Force, where there has been a keen demand for these artisans.

'I have advertised in your pape "I have advertised in your paper and in the newspapers of the main centres in efforts to get good mechanics, but without success," a garage-owner told a "Daily Mail" reporter. "In my workshop there is work that I have no chance of handling in the time that I should, directly due to lack of staff."

Repairs Mounting.

Almost every garage is finding that repair business is mounting each week, and this is attributed to the fact that individuals and firms are retaining their cars instead of

trading them in on new models.

Stock firms that normally would replace cars after three years' run-"O ye whose cheek the tear of pity stains,

Draw near with pious rev'rence and attend—
Here lies the loving husband's dear remains,
The tender father and the gen'rous friend.

The tender father are three years running now are paying garages to overhaul the engines, give a cylinder re-bore if necessary, and return the vehicles to almost-new efficiency. This means work for many more mechanics, but the garages are under-staffed as a result of enlistments.

Values Mounting.

In the past six months the values of better-class used cars have increased to a remarkable degree. Cars were to be had very cheaply soon after petrol restrictions were introduced, but the market steadied.

mons on this man when he was on his death-bed. Yet the same scan-dal-mongers and gossipers lined the streets when he was given the greatest funeral Dumfries had ever

Known.

His volunteer uniform had not been paid for, and he was threatened with the bailiff and the horrors of gaol, but on his funeral day companies of infantry and cavalry lined the streets. Poor Robbie had bitter experiences and sufferances. Poverty and adversity chased him to an early grave. Yet he died with his face to the foe:

"Why has man the will and pow'r To make his fellow mourn."

Alice E. Newton, P; Cara G. J. Fuldie, P. Barbara Reay, P; Margaret S. L. Reeves, P; Jacqueline C. Rice, P; Nancy M. Salmond, P; Barbara Reay, P; Margaret S. L. Reeves, P; Jacqueline C. Rice, P; Nancy M. Salmond, P; Barbara Reay, P; Margaret S. L. Reeves, P; Jacqueline C. Rice, P; Nancy M. Salmond, P; Barbara Reay, P; Margaret S. L. Reeves, P; Jacqueline C. Rice, P; Nancy M. Salmond, P; My Yvonne A. Westmacott, P; Judith Weston, P. Waterworth, M; Yvonne A. Westmacott, P; Judith Weston, P. Waterworth, M; L. F. Hellyer, P; Hana Whaanga, P; Katie L. Whakataka, P; J. Alexander, M; R. H. Armstrong, P; J. Boston, P; H. P. J. Byrne, M; C. S. Butcher, E; D. Carter, P; C. J. Col-

No man has done more for his country than Burns has done for Scotland. To-day there is a track worn by the feet of pilgrims from all parts of the world to his last resting place—
"Jean, they will ken me better a

hundred years' hence than they do now."

It did not take a hundred years It did not take a hundred years for the people to realise that he was no ordinary poet, for in the year 1859 there were 676 celebrations in Scotland, 76 in England, 10 in Ireland, 48 in the colonies, 61 in America and one in Copenhagen.

It may also interest readers to know that engravings of Burns' portraits in Masonic regalia were unheard of until some progressive printing firm decided to flood the market with calendars. Some of

market with calendars. Some of them have been honoured with a frame and hung in prominent posi-tions. They are of no value what-soever. Recently I was shown one

Regretful Love.

"Tam O' Shanter" was written in one day, for Captain Francis Grose, and it is said it was the best circle.

His country fain would prove By grateful honours lavished on his grave; grave; Would fain redeem her blame That he so little at her hands can

Medical Parade

inly worked for "the larmer of yours is unfit to smoke. It suffices a doctor of yours is unfit to smoke. It suffices a doctor of yours is unfit to smoke. It suffices a doctor of yours is unfit to smoke. It suffices to you'll scrap it." "It's a bit strong," you'll scrap it." "It's a bit strong," you'll scrap it." admitted its owner, with a grin but I reckon that's the fault of my tobacco." "Quite likely," smiled the doctor. "But why smoke such stuff? Why not do as I do and smoke our New Zealand tobacco? You see, it's toasted and all but free from nicotine, therefore quite harmless. And it's good!" The pipe-smoker thanked the doctor, and said he'd act on his advice. He'll be wise if he does. Our New Zealand brands, Riverhead Gold, Desert Gold, Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog), Cavendish and Cut Plug

MATRICULATION

RESULTS

THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

DISTRICT PASSES

Hawke's Bay Scores

The letter P indicates that the candidate passed the entrance examination; the letter M indicates that the candidate passed the medical preliminary in addition to the entrance examination; the letter E indicates that the candidate passed the engineering preliminary in addition to the entrance examination.

For ev'n his failings lean'd virtue's side."

No better tribute was ever written.

Early Teaching.

The poet's first teacher was Campbell of Alloway. He had the lad for six months at his private school, but this school was closed when Campbell was appointed the master of the work-house at Ayr. Then John Murdoch became the poet's teacher. The greatest influence in the matter of the work-house at Ayr. Then John Murdoch became the poet's teacher. The greatest influence in the matter of Burns's formal education was the personality of this voung man. Young as he was—for Murdoch was only 18 years—Murdoch understood the importance of a sound education. It is very nice to know that Murdoch remained one of the poet's closest friends till the end. At an early age Burns became remarkable for his fluency and correctness of speech. He read voracicusly but he had to do hard physical foil.

Bred to the Plough.

Burns was bred to the plough, and at the plough, or reap hook he feared no rival. It is a great pity that ham, P; Daphne P. Greenwood, P; Diana M. Humphreys, P; Barbara Jenkins, P; Helen L. Mitchell, M; Alice E. Newton, P; Cora G. J. Purdie, P; Barbara Reay, P; Margaret S. L. Reeves, P; Jacqueline C. Rice, P; Nancy M. Salmond, P; Barbara E. Sharp, P; Mina J. Waterworth, M; Yvonne A. Westmacott, P; Judith Weston, P.

Boston, P; H. P. J. Byrne, M; C. S. Butcher, E; D. Carter, P; C. J. Colbert, P; C. H. Couch, P; W. L. Dunn, P; I. R. Diggle, P; R. M. Donovan; M; R. V. Ennor, P; R. A. Foster, P; R. Frederickson, P; A. M. Goss, P; T. W. Hague, P; A. K. Leitch, P; C. H. Mackay, M; A. A. McIntyre, P; W. B. Olphert, M; K. G. Orman, E; W. G. Poppelwell, P; A. T. Proffitt, E; R. W. Struthers, P; J. C. U. Tait, P; L. Thompson, P; R. S. Wilson, P; L. A. Zorn, M; Dorothy J. Darling, P; Kathleen L. Gunnell, P; Valeria A. Langley, P; Eleanor F. Mardon, P; Margaret M. Martin, P; Joan P. Maylett, M; Shirley M. Melhuish, P; June M. Paviour-Smith, M; Dorothy V. Proffitt, P; Joyce M. Roberts, P; Lauris D. Scott, P; Nancy G. Webb, P.

WAIPAWA

H. P. Aukaha, P; A. D. Bartlett, P; Joyce Bishop, P; M. A. Collett, P; K. Harrison, E; N. T. McKay, M; H. W. McQuilkan, P; Ephra M. Nunn, P; Joan Oram, P; Thelma A. Parkinson, P; E. A. Tate, P. WAIPUKURAU

J. W. Bennett, P; Margaret J. Dowrick, P; C. R. Howlett, P; Mary J. Wilson, P.

WAIROA T. S. Godley, P; Marjorie J. Marshall, P; Joan R. Shaw, P; G. J.

Sutherland, P. DANNEVIRKE

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Dorothy A. Allardice, P; E. L.
Bartlett, P; Muriel M. H. Berry, P;
R. E. Bond, P; M. C. E. Cammock,
M; P. J. Culliford, P; Patricia M.
Edwards, M; A. A. Francis, P;
Gwenneth P. Hand, M; A. H. Ingram, P; C. M. Jennings, P; J. A.
T. King, P; B. McDowell, M; Winifred J. Norton, P; W. H. Oliver, P;
M. J. Paulsen, M; Ruth M. Russell,
M; Joy G. Stretton, P; J. B. Trapp,
M; L. P. Walker, M.

WOODVILLE A. L. Olsson, P; Dorothy C. Peebles, P; Audrey A. Whittington, M. TOLAGA BAY

D. B. Dav. P: Honora Hale Pass G. W. N. Kelly, P; Hazel E. Wilson, P.

TE KARAKA D. Charteris, P; C. H. Hardacre,

GISBORNE

L. B. Briggs, P; I. A. Brown, P;
D. C. Bull, M; P. J. Carlin, P; E. L.
Croker, M; Lorna Donn, P; Clara
M. Evans, M; D. C. Fraser, P; Annette B. Hamilton, P; N. E. Hanna,
P; June H. Harries, P; E. F. Heald,
P; Kathleen A. Jenkinson, P; A. C.
Jensen, P; G. E. Judge, P; Gretchen J. Kane, M; H. A. Kent, P;
Patricia M. Lange, M; R. D. Livingston, M; D. H. W. Lougher, P; G. E.
Monk, M; A. B. Muir, P; Lillian M.
McDermott, P; D. W. Neal, P; R. A.
Park, P; P. B. Pollard, M; D. C.
Prosser, M; Pamala R. Read, P;
Shirley B. Robertson, M; G. S. Sadler, E; L. Schwabe, ME; L. B. Shaw,
P; T. L. Smale, P; G. O. Stubbings,
P; Juliet C. Williams, M.

WANGANUI GISBORNE

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M. F. Howes, M; Ruth E. Kaveney, P;; A. R. Walker, P; I. C. Barnitt, P; R. C. Bebarfald, M; E. M.

Of Transport

EFFICIENCY MOVE

Farmers Co-operation Sought

ORDERING VEHICLES

Transport operators have for ome time found that costs have been steadily mounting in many ways, and it has not been possible

fully 15 per cent., of which at least half was borne by the industry. The

branch of the Road Transport Alliance is atttempting to attain a greater measure of efficiency witheliminate waiting time so far as the drivers are concerned, and secondly to make up full loads wherever

With these objects in view farmers and stock-buyers are asked to notify carriers as soon as possible when transport is required. The order should be given the previous Following are results of matriculation and allied examinations held in December last:—

day, and on Fridays when trucks are required for the following Sunday.

day, and on Fridays when trucks are required for the following Sunday.

The support of the New Zealand Farmers' Union and the Hawke's Bay branch of the New Zealand Sheepowners' Federation have been obtained, and members of these organisations as well as all others now have the responsibility of assisting themselves by carrying the plan into effect.

Yesterday

H.B. Farmers' Co-op., Assn., Ltd.

We offered a fair yarding of sheep consisting mostly of aged ewes to a fair attendance of the public. Bidding was fair, but buyers limits were small, and we cleared all our yarding at prices in buyers' favour. No cattle came forward.

We quote the following sales:

130 6-yr ewes (fair condition) 10/6, 69 at 13/4, 137 at 12/1, 60 aged ewes (poor condition) 7/6, 60 at 7/8, 61 at 7/6, 24 6-yr ewes (fair to good) 12/9, 1 4-th wether 20/9, 88 aged ewes 7/3, 15 2-th weds (small) 16/9.

Williams and Kettle, Ltd.

Yesterday On 'Change

Transaction List Following is a list of transactions or he New Zealand Stock Exchange:—

WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

Sales Late Thursday. Milburn Lime 1 17 6 Sales Cesterday.

 3½ % Stock 1953/57 100
 5

 Bank of Australasia 8
 15

 4% Stock 1946 / 103
 15

 Wellington Woollen . (ord.)
 6
 13

CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE

,	Dominion Breweries	. 1	10	6
,	Sales Reported			
,	N.Z. Govt. 31% Stock 1953-			
	57 (2)	100	5	0
	N.Z. Refrigerating 4½%	102	10	0
,	N.Z. Refrigerating (£1 pd.	102	10	U
,	cum, div.)	1	0	3
-	Dominion Breweries	1		
		1	13	0
	Broken Hill Ppty. (late sale			711

Bogle, Pass Drawing; J. D. Bradshaw, P; C. J. Burgess, P; J. Clere, P; V. B. Cook, M; Cutfield, M; M. D. Davies, P; Burgess, P; B. Cook, M; shaw, P; C. J. Burgess, P; M. de J. Clere, P; V. B. Cook, M; W. G. Cutfield, M; M. D. Davies, P; K. K. Donald, P; K. Douglass, P; R. F. Elliott, E; W. J. K. Endean, P; K. M. Ewen, M; H. G. Feltham, P; M. D. Fraser, P; R. B. Gibson, P; C. R. Gray, M; W. S. Hall, P; G. E. Hare, P; J. H. Henson, M; M. F. Horrocks, M; W. W. L. Jardine, P; H. L. Jones, P; C. C. Jordan, P; B. A. Kingston, M; A. H. Malcolm, P; A. F. W. Mason, P; I. L. Moffatt, M; D. N. Morgan, P; J. A. Nathan, P; R. P. Richardson, P; G. E. K. Sare, M; D. H. Simmonds, M; M. G. Spencer, Pass Drawing; A. G. Smith, M; R. J. L. Stephens, M; D. D. Stewart, E; D. J. Towgood, M; D. W. Wilkie, M; E. T. Williams, M; H. S. Wood, P; D. M. Wylie, M; Margaret S. Andrews, M; Dorothy M. Bruce, P; Hilda M. Campbell, P; Mary G. K. Cook, P; Joan N. Edwards, P; Florence D. Frankish, M; Patricia E. Gardner, P; Stella A. Hermans, M; Catherine M. Hughes, P; Elaine V. Hulse, P; Kathleen D. Jamieson, P; Rosemary R. Joll, P; Dorothy B. May, M; Barbara J. McNie, P; Helen M. A. Reid, P; Athalie M. Roots, P; Valerie M. Ryan, P; Annette E. Silver, P; Winifred M. Sim, M; Joan A. Stewart, M; June G. Strauchon, M; Kathleen J. Todman, P; Jacqueline E. Walker, M; A. C. Beck, Pass; D. C. Benbrook, P; G. A. Drummond, E; D. Forsyth, P; Vivienne E. Hammer, P; D. W. Herd, E; K. T. Hextaill, P; M. M. Murchie, P; E. D. P. McCarthy, P; D. B. McClymont, P; J. Newsham, P; W. J. B. Nicholls, P; C. M. Peffers, P; E. B. Reynolds, P; D. E. Rogers, E; R. H. Smith, P; O. D. Stapleton, P; G. H. C. Stephens, P; Ellen E. Taylor, P; R. L. Wilks, P; A. B. Cotti, P; A. R. Delamore, P; R. J. N. Lane, P; W. Muller, P; R. G. Ratcliffe, P.

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E. I. Funnell, P; Audrey J. Le-Quesne, P; Joan M. Lynch, P; Jean N. Manning, P; F. C. Matthews, P; Ruth A. Mitchell, M; Cushla M. Murphy, P; A. P. Philip, P; W. H. Port, P; W. G. Roots, P; A. P. Russell, P; D. N. Sinclair, P; R. K. Adcock, M; I. S. Beattie, P; N. M. cock, M; I. S. Beattie, P; N. M. Brooker, M; P. S. Cooper, P; J. G. Coze, M; K. S. Dalefield, P; P. M. Denton, M; I. G. Garvie, P; L. J. Gledhill, M; P. M. Gordon, M; C. E. Gledhill, M; P. M. Gordon, M; C. E. Hardie, P; H. D. Harkness. P; I. N. Holder, P; C. R. Honey, P; N. L. Ihle, P; B. Jackson, M; R. H. Jackson, P; G. W. N. Johansen, E; B. V. Kyle, M; E. H. Lampp, P; N. G. Macalister, P; F. D. Manchester, P; B. G. O'Connor, M; T. F. O'Dea, P; C. H. Palmer, Pass; K. G. Perrin, P; S. Rich, E; P. B. Speedy, P; I. D. Spratt, P; A. R. Tait, P. Marion P; S. Rich, E; P. B. Speedy, P; I. D. Suratt, P; A. R. Tait, P; Marion O. Bailey, P; Margaret Beattie. M; Joan Churchill, M: Patricia S. Cody, P; Freda C. Dawbin, P; Nancy G. Dron, P; Edna P. Eilers, P; Nancy R. Fsau, M: Alice S. Fleck. P; Jose P. Hart. M: Shirley T. King, M; Nancy J. Randall. P; Noeline A. Thompson. P: Joan B. Watchorn. P; Mavis A. White P. P. C. Alve. P.

Sheer

WAIROA STOCK SALE

Bad Weather Affects Attendance

(Daily Mail Special Service)
WAIROA.
The yarding of sheep offered at the North Clyde Saleyards on Thursday was smaller than usual owing to unfavourable climatic conditions. Bad weather also effected the attendance of buyers but on the the attendance of buyers but, on the whole, prices were on a par with last week's sale.

to avoid passing on a portion of that increase to the farmers and other transport users.

It was recently stated that costs in the industry had increased by fully 15 per cent., of which at least last week's sale.

Prices realised ranged as follows: Store ewes from 6/- to 17/6, 6-yr. ewes from 7/6 to 13/4, wether lambs from 5/4 to 14/3, ewe lambs from 4/5 to 13/4, 2-th. wethers (small) 16/9.

Brokers report as follows:

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Dalgety and Co. Ltd. remainder, however, has had to be passed on to the producer, who can ill afford to pay extra for transport when he is beset on all sides with rising costs.

With a view to reducing expense to a minimum, the Hawke's Bay branch of the Boad Transport Alli wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 97 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 97 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were as follows: 98 medium woolly wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were were were were wether lambs 5/4 34 at 6/2 40 small sides were were wether lambs 12/3, 22 shaar woonly wether lambs 5/4, 34 at 6/-, 40 small woolly ewe lambs 9/1, 49 small shorn ewe lambs 9/3, 34 small shorn wether lambs 7/2. Other lots: in the industry. The two points at Small ewe lambs to 4/5, small which it is aiming are, firstly to to 17/6, fat ewes 15/-

N.Z. Loan & Mercantile Agency Co. Ltd.

We offered only a small yarding we offered only a small yarding of sheep owing to inclement weather. There was an average attendance and bidding was fair although limited. The following prices were realised:—Good wether lambs 14/3, wether lambs 9/8, ewe lambs 13/4, m.s. lambs 5/10.

H.B. Farmers' Co-op., Assn., Ltd.

Williams and Kettle, Ltd.

Several lines of lambs which we had advertised did not come forward owing to bad weather conditions and we had a small yarding. There was an average attendance, and prices were on a par with last sale. We quote:—
'Store ewes (light condition and failing mouths) 6/-, do in fresh condition 9/-, small m.s. lambs 10/1.

HEAVY YARDING OF POULTRY

Messrs Harvey, Fulton and Hill report having held their weekly market sale in the mart, Russell Street, Hastings, yesterday before a good attendance of the public, considering the time of the year. As was the case last week another very heavy varding of poultry came to was the case last week another very heavy yarding of poultry came to hand with quite a portion of the yarding consisting of light and unfinished cockerels. Bidding was firm for good quality table birds, but anything on the light and unfinished side was not sought after. Good strain pullets of all breeds are in demand.

Prices may be quoted:—W.L. hens 1/9 to 2/10, B.O. hens 2/6 to 4/-, W.L. roosters 2/- to 2/8, B.O. roosters 2/3 to 3/2, B.O. cockerels 2/3 to 2/9, lighter sorts to 1/6, W.L. cockyounger cockerels 6d Khaki Campbell drakes 2/9 to 3/6, W.L. pullets (not good) 4/6 to 5/-,

Brokers Report On Sale

Messrs Williams and Kettle Ltd Messrs Williams and Rettle Ltd.
report having held their weekly
stock sale at Dannevirke on Thursday, when they offered a fair yarding of sheep and cattle to a good attendance of the public. Prices for
lambs were well in advance of recent sales owing to the good rains

cent sales owing to the good rains. A spirited sale resulted at the following range of prices:

Fat b.f. 2-ths. 18/6, ewe lambs 14/to 15/2, good wether lambs 15/7,
medium wether lambs 11/- to 14/-,
b.f. lambs 16/9, small b.f. lambs 7/6,
small wether lambs 6/- to 9/4 2-th small wether lambs 6/- to 9/4, 2-th. wethers 20/3, 2-th. ewes 22/- to 25/-. Light fat P.A. cows and heifers £5. ight fat Jersey cows £3 17/6, empty 2-yr. P.A. heifers £3 9/- to £4 11/-

otter cows £3. DALGETY AND CO., LTD. The sale attracted a good attendance. The yarding comprised nearly all lambs but was not as large as anticipated, due to several lines not coming forward owing to wet wea-ther. Buyers bid with confidence and ther. Buyers bid with confidence and sales were made in vendors' favour. One pen of 100 woolly wether lambs, a very good line, were offered on account of C. P. Anderson, Mangatoro, making 19/1. Other lambs also created competition and brokers report a good clearance at prices showing a firming tendency. Following is the range of prices: Best lines of woolly wether lambs 19/1, medium lots same class 15/10, small wether lambs (woolly) 12/3, good shorn wether lambs 15/6 to 16/-, medium shorn wether lambs 12/- to 14/6, Down cross lambs 16/-, medium shorn wether lambs 12/- to 14/6, Down cross lambs 12/- to 14/6, Down cross lambs (keen demand) 16/6- to 19/-, small ewe lambs 14/- to 15/8, cull ewe lambs 10/9, 4 and 5-year ewes 12/7,

lambs 10/9, 4 and 5-year ewes 12/7, aged ewes 9/6. Fat Sheep: Only two or three small lots of fat sheep came forward and the market was quiet. Cattle: The entry in this section was small and very little business was done. A few P.A. heifers, medium quality, \$\frac{4}{11/-}\$; small P.A. heifers \$\frac{43}{5}\$/-. The offering of fat cattle was slack and only a few odd. was slack and only a few odd beasts were sold.

LATE ADVERTISEMENTS

THANKS NOTICE

I WISH to thank the ratepayers for returning me as their repre-sentative for the Petane Riding of the Hawke's Bay County Council at yesterday's election. H. ELLIS,

THANKS NOTICE

I WISH to thank all those ratepayers who supported me with ir votes at yesterday's Hawke's Council by-election for the Petane Riding.

H. E. (DICK) BEATTIE.

Reducing Costs Small Yarding Of HASTINGS FRUIT STORE FOR THIS YEAR'S CROP

More Than 50 Men Working Busily On New Building

The site of the new fruit cool store being erected on a section in King Street, Hastings, for the Internal Marketing

Department presents a hive of activity.

More than 50 men are working 10 hours a day erecting the building, which will be one of the largest fruit cool stores in the Dominion. It must be finished at the end of March to accommodate this season's crop.

When a "Daily Mail" reporter visited the job yesterday more men were being engaged, and it was stated that the contractors were in stated that the contractors were in need of carpenters and labourers to speed up the work. The work is being carried out by the Fletcher Construction Company, the successful tenderers for the contract.

The single-floored building will be 200ff square with a 12ff stud and

250ft. square, with a 12ft. stud and roof of "saw-tooth" design. Cool store space will total 24,000 square feet, while the remainder of the space will be occupied by the re-frigerating machinery, offices, staff rooms and conveniences and corri-

dors.

The foundations are of concrete and the superstructure will be of wood and asbestos. The cooling chambers are to be lined with cork and wood, and the roof will be a composition material replacing iron. Some conjecture has been heard concerning the refrigerating plant to be used in the store, and the authorities at first feared that difficulty would be experienced in securing suitable machinery in the Dominion. It has been stated that refrigerating plant from the ship Port Bowen stranded at Wanganui last year is to be used in the new store, but this is not confirmed.

Rains Enhance Values

FEILDING SALE

Store Lambs Up 2/-A Head

CATTLE MARKET QUIET

By Telegraph-Press Association

FEILDING, Jan. 24. In consequence of the splendid general rains, store lambs advanced by 1/6 to 2/- a head at the sale to-

day, when there was a ranty large offering.

A small yarding of fat sheep and fat wethers showed a slight advance than 1/-. Fat cattle were at lower prices with a quiet sale. There were practically no run cattle or dairy cattle offered.

The range of prices is as follows: FAT SHEEP Fat wethers: Prime 21/10 to 22/4, good weights 20/4 to 21/-, unfinished from 18/10. Fat ewes: Light prime 14/1, fairly good quality 12/10 to 13/3, light from 11/10. Prime lambs 21/- to 22/10.

STORE SHEEP sorts to to 16/2, fair from 12/2 to 14/6. 2110 to 9d, lambs: Fairly good 18/8, others 14/7 to 3/6, to 17/-. Two-tooth ewes 29/3.

FAT CATTLE

light £6 7/6, vealers £2 12/6.

SAVOY OPERAS FOR

HASTINGS

Line-Up Of Popular Artists

Playgoers will be delighted to know that arrangements have now been made for the appearance in Hastings of J. C. Williamson's famous London Gilbert and Sullivan Comic Opera Company, which numbers 80 artists, and which was declared in Auckland to be by far the finest company of singers, dancers and comedians that the Williamson land during the past 20 years. The operas chosen for the season are probably the best and most popular of the Gilbert and Sullivan

series.

The opening production on Friday, February 7, will be the entrancing comic opera "The Gondoliers," and on Saturday afternoon, February 8, the grand old navy opera "H.M.S. Pinafore" (preceded to the company). by "Trial by Jury") will be revived. The season will close with a mag-The season will close with a mag-nificient performance of the delight-fully tuneful and very humorous opera "The Mikado," which will be staged on Saturday night, February

The Savoy operas have a special value just now, and not only because they offer an hour or two's escape from hard realities into a world of song where everything is consistently topsy-turvy. To see and hear one of them is almost a patriotic act, as they typify superlatively the heritage of intangible things that the Anglo-Saxon race is defending with all its strength, including the right to indulge its own sense of humour, to make fun of catalyladed intitutions and laurh of established institutions and laugh at

the great.

Those members of J. C. Williamson's latest Gilbert and Sullivan son's latest Gilbert and Sullivan company who have previously appeared here are Ivan Menzies, unquestionably the best and most popular comedian, who will again assume the role of the Duke of Plaza Toro in "The Gondoliers," Miss Evelyn Gardiner, the brilliant London contralto, Mr Gregory Stroud, one of England's best baritones, Richard Watson, character comedian, Bernard Manning, comedian, and Vincent McMurray, tenor singer. Of the newcomers there are several who, until recently, were singing in grand newcomers there are several who, until recently, were singing in grand opera at Covent Garden. These include Miss Viola Wilson, the principal soprano and Mr John Fullard, whose singing of "Take a Pair of Sparkling Eyes" created something like a sensation in Auckland, and no less than three encores were deno less than three encores were de-manded at each performance. Other Wether lambs: Good condition to 17/-, fair average to 15/9, not so good from 12/- to 15/6. B.F. lambs: Very good 16/6 to 16/10, good 15/3 to 16/2, fair from 12/4 to 14/8. Ewe lambs: Fairly good 18/8, others 14/7 Two-tooth ewes 29/3.

| Manded at each performance. Other artists who will be making their first appearance here are Miss Sara Gregory, dainty young soubrette, Will leave Wairoa at 6.30 p.m. and will run to Hastings. The Railways Department adversionable of the Wairoa artists who will be making their first appearance here are Miss Sara Gregory, dainty young soubrette, will leave Wairoa at 6.30 p.m. and will run to Hastings. The Railways Department adversionable of the Wairoa artists who will be making their first appearance here are Miss Sara Gregory, dainty young soubrette, will leave Wairoa at 6.30 p.m. and will run to Hastings.

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Agreement Not Reached

FRUIT TRADE AWARD

Conciliation Council At Hastings

GOES TO ARBITRATION

No agreement was reached in Conciliation Council proceedings heard in Hastings yesterday when an application for a new Hawke's Bay fruit packers', graders' and cool store workers' award was discussed before the Conciliation Council Commissioner (Mr M. J. Reardon). The application will now be heard by the Arbitration Court.

The parties cited in the dispute by the employees were C. H. Slater and Co. Ltd., Thompson and Hills Ltd., McCutcheon and Co. Ltd., and Produce Distributors Ltd. Mr H. E. Edgley, Napier, appeared as advocate for the employers and the assessors were Messrs A. H. Sievewright, C. H. Slater and G. O. McCutcheon.

Cutcheon.

The advocate for the workers was Mr W. Miller, Auckland, with whom was associated Mr J. Murphy, of Napier. The union assessors were Messrs A. Lee, C. Robertson and G. W. Brenchley, all of Hastings, and L. Kale, Clive.

40-Hour Week.

The union claimed a 40-hour week The union claimed a 40-hour week and minimum hourly rates for adult workers as follows: Foreman 3/3 an hour, certified packers 3/-, grader in charge 3/-, assistant graders 2/9, general workers 2/7, and cool storemen 3/-. A claim was also made for case and box maker to be applicable on piccounty.

made for case and box makers to be employed on piecework rates ranging from 6/- to 8/6 100. The rates claimed for youths ranged from £1 3/- for youths under 16 years to £3 10/- at 20-21 years, thereafter the adult wage.

The employers quoted the existing award made in March 1938 as the basis of their counter-proposals. Settlement was quickly reached on a number of machinery clauses, but the parties failed to agree on time to be worked before overtime became payable and on the claim

Memoranda

A "New Order" for the earth, Hear address, United Hall, Lyndon Road, Hastings, to-morrow night at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Work to be accomplished by Christ at His coming, and during his 1,000 years' reign upon the earth."

Notice is given in this issue by the Hawke's Bay County Council that the electoral roll for various ridings in the County is open for in-spection. The places where the roll is deposited are advertised. The Haumoana weekly dance will

be held to-night at the Haumoana Hall. Free buses leave Napier and Hastings at 8 p.m. Music supplied by McKay's band. A stock sale and sale of plant will be held on the Wilder Settlement Road, Wallingford, on behalf of Mr H. M. Christie. The Hawke's Bay Farmers' Co-operative Association Ltd. will conduct the sale, which will

start at noon to-day. For the convenience of patrons who desire to attend the Wairoa Show on Wednesday, January 29, the Railway Department advertises in this issue that a special rail car

the Wairoa races on January 30 and February 1, 1941.





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MAIDEN RACE

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Of £110; 1 mile and 110 yards

De Friend 11.8, Kaiwaka 10.12, Golden Ridge 9.12, War Cloud 9.7, Red Chief 9.2, Glen Donal 9.0, Debham 9.0, Arachne 9.0, Half Caste 9.0, Namesake 9.0, Moderate 9.0.

De Friend failed at Trentham, but should have benefitted by the rac-ing. Kaiwaka, owned at Pahiatua, will be expected. Golden Ridge has not raced prominently for some time. For his Trentham success

time. For his Trentnam success War Cloud has been penalised only 4lb so must be considered again. Red Chief is a possibility. Arachne, by virtue of Wednesday's win enters calculations. Form points to WAR CLOUD, KAIWAKA, DE FRIEND.

PAHIATUA CUP

Of £200 (inc. £20 trophy); 11 miles

De Friend 8.5, Hunting Cat 8.3, Gay Mimic 8.0, Kaiwaka 7.9, White Rajah 7.8, Arcas 7.4, Master Cyklon 7.3, Lind-run 7.3, Gay Fox 7.3, Great Night 7.0, Piastre 7.0, Hokumai 7.0.

Soutane 9.0, Uganda 8.3, High Morale 7.7, Grey Spy 7.7, Sea Quer 7.5, Makarora 7.5, Quick Decision 7.2.

Of £110; 1 mile and 100 yards
Doctor Defoe 8.0, War Cloud 8.0,
Sanction 7.13, Hokumai 7.12, Arabic
7.12, The Monarch 7.11, Martene 7.11,
Gold Card 7.9, Gold Craft 7.7,
Renascor 7.7.

Doctor Defoe is flattered at being

Doctor Defoe is flattered at being the virtual top-weight. Reserved for this War Cloud (8.4) must be fancied. Sanction has disappointed since running second to Belle Cane in the early spring. Arabic of late has proved costly. Due any day: The Monarch. Martene, on Wellington form, commands respect. Gold Craft is the best of the others. The favourites may be THE MONARCH, MARTENE, WAR CLOUD.

MAKURI HACK HANDICAP

Of £110; 6 furlongs and 55 yards

Flying Spy 8.10, Mansura 8.5, Colerica 8.3, Etla 8.0, Star Zone 7.12, Hinerangi 7.11, Parlato 7.11, Black Forest 7.7, Wakarara 7.7, Coronado 7.7, First Round 7.7.

MARTENE, WAR CLOUD.

MID-SUMMER MEETING

Takapuna Cup Claims Fifteen Acceptors

(By THE BARB)

The Auckland mid-summer meeting will be held at Ellers-lie to-day and on Wednesday. This fixture was taken over by the present body when, a few years ago, the Takapuna Jockey Club was obliged to come to arrangements owing to the difficulty of carrying-on on the old "Shore" track. Although it has lost its identity, the titles of the various races are the same as when they were conducted at Devonport.

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FERRY HANDICAP. Of £300; 6 furlongs.

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To-day's programme opens with the Trial and on account of the ac-ceptances exceeding the safety number this event will be run in two divisions. Miss Jose 8 6 Favourite 7
Estro 8 6 Royal Fawkes 7
Omaha 8 6 Rey Lu 7
Hacken- Miss Valerie 7
Beeswing 8 2 Hineiti 7
Landveyor 8 1 Bronze Ora 7
Bambury Heroic Star 7
Cross 8 1 Veyana 7
Kinvara 7 13

TRIAL STAKES HANDICAP. Of £300; 6 furlongs. First Division.

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Rey Lu \$ 12 Voorlouper
Kaalooa 8 10 Hineiti
Royal Sister 8 7 Thurnavaals
Heroic Star 8 7 Beaucoup
Flying Vixen 8 4 British Mint
King's Flight 8 4 Red Warden
The Pacifist
Bonnet 8 3 Flyitte Bonnet 8 3 Flylite
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Cornish Rey Lu, Kaalooa, Heroic Star, King's Flight and Golden Bonnet have the best performances among this lot. Public opinion may lean towards GOLDEN BONNET, REY LU, KAALOOA.

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OREWA HURDLE HANDICAP.
Of £300; 13 miles.
Fight Hawk 10 7 Digger Jim 9 0 Bright Idea 10 4 Sabu 9 0 Silver Eagle 10 0 Red Appellant 9 0 Melvanui 9 5 Sardue 9 0 Son of the Soil 9 1

By no stretch of the imagination can this field be described as strong but there is promising material included in the nine acceptors. When raced down south, Night Hawk was a fair handicap performer on the flat. Raced over hurdles in the spring, he lacked jumping experience but since having had time to rectify this he will now be expected to make a bold showing. As a hurdler there are possibilities about the Appellant gelding, Bright Idea. Silver Eagle was a moderate third at Thames last Monday. The balance of the field have yet to make the grade.

Fancied candidates may prove to the fled candidates may prove to the word of the others and in a good betting the condition are not made for Star, King's Flight Hawk 13 formish 7 13 Paddy the Rip 7 0 Cornish 12 whether Orelio's two races at Trentham last week has done him any harm or not. Lou Rosa was second to Kindergarten in the Great Northern Derby, so now down 6lb in weight, a furlong less to travel, and no Kindergarten in the Great Northern Derby, so now down 6lb in weight, a furlong less to travel, and no Kindergarten in the Great Northern Derby, so now down 6lb in weight, a furlong less to travel, and no Kindergarten in the Great Northern Derby, so now down 6lb in weight, a furlong less to travel, and no Kindergarten in the Great Northern Derby, so now down 6lb in weight, a furlong less to travel, and no Kindergarten in the Great Northern Derby, so now down 6lb in weight, a furlong less to travel, and no Kindergarten in the Great Northern not. Lou Rosa was second to Kindergarten in the Great Northern not. Lou Rosa was second

Fancied candidates may prove to be NIGHT HAWK, BRIGHT IDEA and SILVER EAGLE.

ANARTH and Cornish are from F. Smith's Takanini stable and are each engaged in the Cup, but the pool most may be invested on LOU former may be reserved for the race now under discussion and will have

ELLERSLIE RACES COMMENCE TO-DAY

march-Variant) has yet to earn place money, but is held in high esteem by trainer F. Smith, who is esteem by trainer F. Smith, who is also in charge of Route March, winner of the Foal and Royal Stakes. Miss Gay was second to Panoni at Auckland. Kronos has been once third. Transmitter (Vaals-Telepathy) was in the money on Auckland Cup Day, and Camilla. The remainder have all raced without getting into the money and of these Powys is reported to be the best. Speculation may mostly be confined to MISS GAY, PANONI, BORAK. speculation may mostly be confine to MISS GAY, PANONI, BORAK.

WYNYARD PLATE. Of £400; Special Weights; 7 furlongs. Kraal Sir General Kraal Mansura Venture
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 9 2 Dinky Di
 7 5

 Grandora
 7 13 Rex Maitland
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prise.
It is only a small field, but very open. The favourite may come from GRANDORA, BRONWEN, DINKY

RANGITOTO HANDICAP.
Of £400; 1 mile.
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ish 8 17 Rarotonga Arvakur 9 7 Inver
Cornish 8 11 Rarotonga
Aero King 8 7 Tea Gong
Full Hand 8 4 Tellsom
Clipper 8 3 Joan Peel
Erlick 7 10 Coronation
Royal Ascot Bloom
Message 7 5 Noitaro Arvakur and Cornish are from F.

CALLIOPE HANDICAP.
Of £400; 6 furlongs.

Panoni 8 12 Nellie Head 7 3
Borak 8 1 Powys 7 0
Miss Gay 8 0 Regal Fox 7 0
Kronos 7 10 Tagalie 7 0
Transmitter 7 5 Camilla 7 0
Golden Pay 7 3

For two-year-olds, Panoni (Vaals-Angry Words) has won twice this season, her last being at the recent Auckland fixture. Borak (Night-march-Variant) has yet to earn

AUCKLAND RACE REVIEW

TAKAPUNA CUP CHIEF EVENT

TRACK SOFT

Bronwen Retains Her

Form

to notice. The Dozer may be improved by his racing at Thames, but the trio named are more likely to attract attention.

Bronwen Fancied
The Zealandia Handicap is to witness the return of the Railway and Electric Handicaps winner, Bronwen. She is galloping well after a few days' rest and another double winner at Ellerslie due to reappear in this event is Pirate King, but of Grandow.

Ashhurst. Colincamps, in form, now carries 9.2—he likes it best with the sting out of the going.

Goldburn is passed over in favour of either Counter or Royal Pageant. Of the minimum weighted division little good can be said. Most money may be invested on (if Augment does not start) AUTH-ORESS, COLINCAMPS, ROYAL PAGEANT.

BALLANCE WAS Should 8.2, Roeon 7.4, Kobi 7.2, Golde Ridge, Boat Song, Hui, Solaria Battlegain 7.0.

RAUWA HACK HANDICAP, of £100; six furlongs.—Smiling Personality 9.8, Roeon 9.2, Flying Spy 8.10, Proclamation, Plenteous 8.5, Lady Ex 8.4, Quilp 8.2, Battlegain, Isis 8.1, Indian Sun 7.11, Silver Bat, No Wonder, Ashaboy, Black Frost 7.7.

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winner at Ellerslie due to reappear in this event is Pirate King, but of the two, Bronwen may be preferred. Grandora went down to Marton to dead-heat with Black Robe after taking third place on the first day of that meeting.

In heavy going, Aero King's chances would be greatly enhanced and Dinky Di's prospects, based on Ellerslie mid-spring form, ought to be excellent, but she did not run up to it subsequently. In November, Sure Pay, in receipt of all but two stone, easily beat Pirate King and the winner was beaten in turn by Dinky Di, in receipt of half a stone, on the concluding day. Now Dinky Di receives 35lb. from the topweight in the Zealandia Handicap, and that should bring the lightweight into the picture.

Ordinary Juveniles

Ordinary Juveniles None of the two-year-olds in the None of the two-year-olds in the Calliope Handicap has so far proved to be more than ordinary. In the Sylvia Handicap on the fourth day of the A.R.C. holiday carnival, Panoni beat Miss Gay at a difference of a stone and here there is only 12th between them so Panoni may plastre 7.0, Hokumai 7.0.

Defriend may prefer the previous winners at the meeting in Burra Sahib, Corn Prince and Peter Douglas. One likely to be dangerous, as he was a good third to Burra Sahib, is Transmitter, who is expected to be improved, while Powys has shown plenty of pace. Borak won the Hopeful Stakes at Avondale in November, but he failed in his two starts at headquarters last month, finishing fifth on each occasion.

In the Wynyard Plate at special weights, the claims of Kraal hardly need emphasising. She has been always in the money since winning the Three Kings Handicap at Avondale in November, and in the Queen's Plate, she was just touched off by Cillas. The best of her opponents may be Venture and Calula Boy.

Prospects:

Plastre 7.0, Hokumai 7.0.

De Friend may prefer the previous dead-heat in the Ashhurst Cup Hunting Cat has a rise dead-heat in the Ashhurst Cup Hunting Cat has a rise of 3lb so the old fellow looks like being in favour now.

Gay Mimic, another recent winner, carries a weight increase of 5lb so he, too, earns respect. Kaiwaka is not fancied. White Rajah, at 7.8, may cause trouble. On Hastings New Year form Arcas needs to improve. Master Cyklon will have a track and a weight to his liking. Lindrum and Gay Fox, on Ashhurst form, are not recommended with any confidence. The remaining triodisappointed at Ashhurst. The damperous ones appear to be GAY MIMIC, HUNTING CAT, WHITE RAJAH.

NURSERY HANDICAP

Of £110; 5 furlongs

Soutane 9.0, Uganda 8.3, High Morale 7.7, Sea Quex 7.5, Makarora 7.5, Quick Decision 7.2.

Boy. Prospects:— 12.10—TRIAL STAKES.—(First) Cheval de Bataille, Miss Ridicule. (Second) Kaloola, Rey Lu. 12.55—OREWA HURDLES.—Night Hawk, Bright Idea, Melvanui.

1.40—FERRY HANDICAP.—Kinvara, Miss Jose, Softly. 2.25-TAKAPUNA CUP.-Cornish, Beau Leon, Greek Queen. 3.5—CALLIOPE HANDICAP.—Panoni, Miss Gay, Transmitter.

3.50—WYNYARD PLATE.—Kraal, Venture, Calula Boy. 4.30—ZEALANDIA HANDICAP.— Bronwen, Grandora, Dinky Di. 5.15—RANGITOTO HANDICAP.-Clipper, Tellsom, Ascot Bloom.



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WAIROA ACCEPTANCES POSTED

Good Response

NEXT THURSDAY'S MEETING

Excellent Prospects

(By The Barb.)

Despite the fact that the annual race meeting of the Pahiatua Racing Club, to be held to-day and on Monday, follows closely after Wellington and Ashhurst, the fields engaged exceed expectations, so there is every indication of first along from very By Telegraph—Press Association and Asimurst, the fields engaged exceed expectations, so there is every indication of first-class racing from very even fields.

The President of the Club (Mr. R. J. Smith) reports that the racing

TRIAL HANDICAP, of £100; six furlongs.—Plenteous 9.0, Lady Ex 8.12, Dusky Morn 8.11, Centennial 8.5, Catanach 8.5, No Wonder 8.0, Waikawa 7.10, Support, Final, Ririwai, Waicony, Versatile, Black Frost, 7.7

track is in wonderful order and everything is in readiness for the comfort of patrons.

The betting will be of the single pool system.

Racing commences with the DISTRICT HACK HANDICAP, of £105; six furlongs.— Opoho, River Tide 8.6, Kincarole 8.1, Jungle King 8.0, Hillside 7.13, Helios, Silver Bat 7.10, Carburetter, Royal Wave, Dun-vegan, Final, Katesbridge, 7.7. Lady Garvagh, Empire Action, Oraiti, Manahau, March Easy, Locrain, Rondalina, Inform, Rhodes, Mentonymy, Yurilla, Elusory, Luath.

WAIROA CUP, of £160; one and a-quarter miles.—Gay Mimic 9.1, Hunting Cat 8.11, De Friend 8.8, Bold Step 8.3, Diana Tetrix 7.10, Master Cyklon 7.9, Queen's Dream 7.7, Boat Song, Whetu 7.0.

TE KUPENGA HACK HANDI-CAP, of £110; one mile.—Queen's Dream 9.6, Shani 8.4, Doctor Defoe 8.1, Catanach, Arabic 7.13, Opoho 7.11, Ashaboy, El Minola, Chablis, Whetu 7.7

Private reputations may be relied upon here more than public form—little that there is. Lady Garvagh, third at Tauherenikau, is on the upgrade as her galloping on Hastings tracks recently suggests.

Empire Action was third at Ashhurst on Monday when Inform, the favourite, disappointed to finish fourth. Oraiti has been tried and found wanting. Rhodes, on form, is the best of the others. Betting may be confined to LADY GARVAGH, INFORM, EMPIRE ACTION. MAIDEN PLATE, of £100; five MAIDEN PLATE, of £100; five furlongs.—Acres Beauty, Big Wonder, Black Saint, Celdcardine, Cartoonist, Chablis, Cyprine, Fiddlers Green, Jackwe, Katesbridge, Kinariki, Lady Quintette, Loch Moigh, Myrna Loy, Nalla, Princess Baffles, Royal Melton, Royal Wave, Skyette, Waiseny, Fairie Song. KONINI HACK HANDICAP
Of £110; 7 furlongs
Augment 9.0, Authoress 8.12,
Colincamps 8.11, Counter 8.11, Goldburn 8.3, Royal Pageant 8.1, Pitmark 7.13, Army Girl 7.7, Dawn Parade 7.7, Inform 7.7, Little Margot 7.7, Triple Crown 7.7.

G. C. ORMOND HANDICAP, of f120; seven furlongs.—Native Song 9.9, Endorsement 8.11, Diana Tetrix 8.2, Roeon 7.4, Kobi 7.2, Golden Ridge, Boat Song, Hui, Solaria, Rattleggin 7.0 Augment has gone up 2lb for his Wellington win so that 9.8 should have him thinking. This track should suit Authoress better than Achburt College and the state of the should suit Authoress better than Battlegain 7.0.

Horsemen engaged for Pahiatua

Horsemen engaged for Paniatua o-day are:—
R. Marsh: Grey Spy, Hinerangi.
J. Forsyth: Metonymy.
L. Cullen: Lady Garvagh.
P. Burgess: War Cloud.
H. Callahan: Royal Pageant,
Hunting Cat.
B. H. Morris: Authoress.
L. Dulieu: Kaiwaka, Counter.
T. Winiata: Master Cyklon.
F. Power: Arabic, Colincamps.

Power: Arabic, Colincamps. Caddy: Parlato.

M. Caddy: Parlato.
N. Vaughan: Cheerful Lady.
S. Anderson: Pitmark.
A. Gregory: Flying Spy.
C. G. Sargent: Lindrum.
The Hastings jockey, W. J. Mudford, will be riding at Auckland and his mounts include Elise, Cornish, Aero King and Royal Message.

EGMONT ENTRIES ON

Moraie 1.1, Give Morale, 7.5, Makarora 7.5, Quick Decision 1.2.

Soutane is the only winner engaged while Uganda has two seconds to his credit. High Morale, on the improve when leaving here at the beginning of the month, will have to be considered to-day. There is no form offering from the remaining quartette, but a likely improver is Sea Quex. Three that may appeal are SOUTANE, UGANDA, HIGH MORALE.

HAMUA HACK HANDICAP Of £110; 1 mile and 100 yards

HAMUA HACK HANDICAP OF £110; 1 mile and 100 yards

Defore 8.0. War Cloud 8.0, war Cloud 8.0, was completed in the day. Mittie was out of the picture at Trentham but back to a grade lower should go close in making amends the same being applicable to Kentucky. White Rajah would be a serious contender if reserved for this event.

Of late, Harina has been racing below form. Black Robe was a moderate third to two "hacks" in the open sprint at Ashhurst. On her two good seconds at Trentham Cheerful Lady appears the logical favourite. It is some time since Debham attracted any notice. Most money may be coming for CHEERmoney may be coming for CHEER-FUL LADY, MITTIE, KENTUCKY

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Isth instant.

Following the auctioning of the residence the following furnishings will then go to the hammer:

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NOTE.—The trustee for the late client is anxious to wind up the above estate and is prepared to take a reasonable offer for the beach residence, while the furnishings are for sale without reserve. Full particulars as to the terms and conditions of the sale of the bungalow can be had on application to the auctioneer. W. E. TAYLOR, Auctioneer

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