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Nation Eager To Smash

Invasion

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Mr. Paul Tierney, war editor of

the "New York Post," who recently

visited Britain, in a front-page art-

icle to-day said: "I went to Britain

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# Yugoslavs Will Defend Their Frontier

#### **OPPOSITION TO GERMANS**

# Anti-Nazi Propaganda By Russia In Bulgaria

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A report that the German Minister at Athens called on the Greek Prime Minister (M. Korizis) and handed him what the Belgrade Radio described as "some proposals" provided an indication that the crisis in the Balkans is reaching the

Meanwhile, Yugoslavia's defence measures are proceeding rapidly and scarcely any young men remain in Belgrade. Opposition to any agreement involving German occupation is growing throughout the country and organisations are being formed in the provinces to fight the German troops if they march over the frontier.

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IRELAND'S NEED

Granting Of Bases An

Essential

(Received March 11, 10.40 p.m.)

The "New York Daily News" states that the Administration has

states that the Administration has opened a drive to obtain bases in Ireland that are considered vital to the protection of the increased flow of aid to Britain in exchange for a loan of 50,000,000 dollars to Ireland. The Eire Minister of Defence Coordination (Mr Frank Aikin) is at present coming to the United States by the Clipper with the object of obtaining American money and ships to sail to Eire under the Irish flag. Informed quarters say that bases on Ireland's south-west coasts would

BANKNOTES BENEATH

BANDAGES

Attempt At Smuggling

Money From France

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march over the frontier.

The song "Tipperary," which is widely regarded as the British national anthem, is constantly being sung or played in the Belgrade cabarets.

The Moscow radio is frequently repeating fierce attacks in Bulgarian against "Bulgaria's traitor King and Government." Although Russia, according to the "Daily Mail's" Belgrade correspondent, is too weak to make an open armed stand in order to stem the German drive through the Balkans, she is employing every possible underground method to prepare a Bulgar national revolt against the Boris regime and the German masters.

It is known that a number of important Bulgars notoriously hostile to Germany escaped from the country last week, including the former Premier, M. Massanov, and several leaders in the Bulgar Orthodox Church.

There seems to be no doubt that Fate Hangs On British

Church.

There seems to be no doubt that the hostility against Germany is growing, partly because of deeprooted antipathy toward foreign troops and partly because of intensive Russian propaganda.

Belgian, Dutch, and Polish diplomats, on arrival at Istanbul from Sofia, reported that 200,000 German troops were in southern Bulgaria, one-third of whom were on the Turkish frontier.

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#### Chiang Appeals For Unity

CHINA'S WAR EFFORT

Communist Elected To Council

REMOVING FRICTION

United Press Association-Copyright (Received March 11, 9.15 p.m.) CHUNGKING, March 10. Marshal Chiang Kai-shek to-day appealed for national unity for the sake of victory over Japan. Mar-shal Chiang spoke at the closing session of the People's Political

The Council elected Mr Tung Pi The Council elected Mr Tung Firm (Communist) as a member, although he was not present. This is interpreted by the vernacular Press as a favourable move toward ending the friction between the Nationalist Government and the Chinese Communists.

#### NO EXCHANGE OF NAVAL CRAFT

# British Ambassador's

United Press Association—Copyright (Received March 11, 10.35 p.m.) WASHINGTON, March 10. The British Ambassador (Lord Halifax) stated to-day that he considered it unlikely that now or in the future would Britain and the United States trade any naval craft.

#### **NAVY AWAITS GERMANS**

MISTRESS OF SEA AND AIR

GREECE HEARTENED

Admiral Interviewed At Athens

United Press Association—Copyright (Received March 12, 1.45 a.m.) ATHENS, March 11. "The Mediterranean sky will be swept clean of Germans as it was of Italians," said Admiral Cunningham in an interview with the special correspondent of the Athens newspaper "Ethnos."

"There is a good deal of talk

paper "Ethnos."

"There is a good deal of talk about coming enemy spring activity," said the correspondent. "Do you think that Britain will remain mistress of the seas?"

"Yes," replied Admiral Cunningham, "and a good many springs will come and go and we shall continue

to remain mistress of the seas,"

# **PIECES**

DIRECT HIT FROM DESTROYER

PORTSMOUTH RAID

Bombs Dropped For Six Hours

(By Radio) LONDON, 1.10 a.m. German bombers carried out a heavy raid on Portsmouth on Mon-day night. Bombs were first drop-ped soon after dark and the raid ontinued for six hours.

Three 'planes were certainly destroyed and probably two more.

There were four alerts in Lon-

Shipyards

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OTTAWA, March 10.

The Minister of National Defence (the Hon. C. D. Howe) announced to-day that Canada is ready to build destroyers for Britain. Experts are en route from England. Mr Howe said that the bottleneck was labour. "There are at present 20,000 men engaged on shipbuilding throughout Canada compared with 1500 before the war," Mr Howe said. The Government was investigating the possibility of increasing the capacity of the shipyards on the Pacific Coast. United Press Association-Copyright (Received March 11, 9.15 p.m.) NEW YORK, March 10. A group of prominent Irish Americans has asked the Prime Minister of Eire (Mr Eamon De Valera) to permit the British to use Eire's western ports to enable her to maintain "the lifeline of civilisa-tion"

#### "Only if England survives can Ireland be free," they state. "We ask you 'o do this for Irish free-dom's sake, which our ancestors fought to win." QUARRELS CAN BE AVOIDED Money And Ships

TRADE WILL FOLLOW FRIENDSHIP

JAPANESE SPEECH

Reassuring Words To Australia

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BRISBANE, March 11. BRISBANE, March II.
The Japanese Minister, on his arrival in Australia, said: "Friendship is of greater importance than mere trading relations. Let us establish friendship and trade relations will be certain to follow.
"Some think that Australia and Japan must inevitably quarrel but there is no need if we understand each other's problems which being each other's problems which, being neighbours geographically and closely related economically, it is our duty to try to do."

#### on Ireland's south-west coasts would be the only terms on which the United States would advance cash. RETURNED UNOPPOSED FOR HITCHIN

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VICHY, March 10.

French customs officials arrested two men trying to escape across the Swiss frontier and ordered one to remove a bandage from his leg, revealing bank notes valued at 1,000,000 francs.

RUGBY, March 10.

Captain Sir Seymour Berry, aged 31, the son and heir of Lord Camrose, proprietor of the "Daily Telegraph," was returned unopposed as National Conservative M.P. for Hitchin, Hertfordshire, at a by-election caused through the death on active service of Sir Arnold Wilson.

# GERMANS WILL JOIN IN BATTLES IN ALBANIA

#### Unwelcome Help As Mussolini Hoped For Single-Handed Victory

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NEW YORK, March 10. The "New York Times" Washington correspondent says that information has been received that Germany is preparing to send an air force and other most modern equipment to Albania to reinforce the Italians and drive the Greeks from

"It is believed that this plan is not especially welcome to the Italians, who had hoped for a single-handed victory over the Greeks," adds the "Times."

"The same information stresses that, despite the Italian reverses, Mussolini remains firmly in the saddle and is exercising real power internally."

# RAIDER BLOWN TO Italians At Keren Put Up Stiffest Fight Yet Made

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CAÎRO, March 10.

The next fortnight, it is believed, will show what further progress the British are able to make in Italian East Africa before the rains terminate large-scale military activity until the autumn. The rains have already begun in the extreme south of Abyssinia but, unless they start unseasonably early elsewhere, they will not delay the British forces for several

Air reconnaissance shows that the Italians are withdrawing into the mountain fastnesses in the western half of Abyssinia. The two main gateways to the mountains are Jig-

Skilful Retreat.

Apart from the defence of Keren the most creditable Italian feat in the East African campaign is the skilfully conducted retreat to Gondar, but now the Italians are under persistent Patriot harrying and are beginning to draw in their forces from the outposts in the immediate vicinity of Gondar.

The Patriots are under the leadership of a member of the British military mission which for months played a lone hand in this region. They have now occupied a post barely 15 miles northward of Gondar.

# Recruiting Drive In Australia

TWO HUNDRED A DAY

Single-Men Preference Abandoned

VICTORIAN SCHEME

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Plans for an immediate drive for recruits including hundreds of additional men a week from Victoria, for A.I.F. reinforcements were announced to-day in the Southern

Command area.

The objective is 200 men a day.
The men enlisted will be over and above the monthly quota of 1500 allocated to Victoria when general recruiting was resumed on February

Officers said that the increased in-take was necessary because of in-creased A.I.F. activity overseas and the formation of new units in Aus-

Since the resumption of general recruiting preference has been given to single men but it is regarded as significant that to-day's official announcement merely states men between 20 and 40.

#### Petrol Ration Cut

AUSTRALIAN ORDERS

Applicable To April And May

QUARTER REDUCTION

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3000 miles a year.

This new scale was announced to-day by the Minister of Supply (Senator McBride) and will apply to the rations for April and May.

MALTA Messerschmitts Attack Seaplane Base

(Received March 11, 9.20 p.m.) VALETTA, March 10. Malta was raided five times to-day, making eleven in two days and more than 400 in nine months. Several Messerschmitts to-day to-day achine-gunned the seaplane base. to former appeals

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GREEK CAMPAIGN AT CLIMAX

ITALIAN DEBACLE

**AHEAD** 

HARRIED FORCES

Thousands Killed In The Retreat

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Mr. Saburo Kurusu, retiring Japanese Ambassador for Germany, said on his arrival at Jersey City to-day that the German people are in good spirits and their leaders are confident of victory.

LONDON, March 10.

"Italy's harried forces in central Albania are headed for the worst debacle since the outbreak of the Italian-Greek war," says the Athens correspondent of the "Daily Express." "The Italians are reported to be in full retreat and thousands have been killed, wounded or taken prisoner.

"The Italians on the entire front have been ordered to observe special mourning for the death on the battlefield of one of Fascism's 'greatest personalities', which seems to confirm the report of the death in Albania of the Minister of Education (Signor Bottai).

The Greeks have captured a further 258 prisoners, considerable stores and provisions and other materials. The Greeks have captured a series of heights in the central sector. The Italians on the coastal sector thrice fruitlessly counter-attacked during the day, fighting along summits 5000 feet in height.

The Italians further north lost 50 per cent of their effectives when counter-attacks failed.

Battalion Wiped out.

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It is now known that, in addition to recently announced casualties, the Seventh Battalion of Blackshirts was wiped out and its commanding officer taken prisoner.

Prisoners state that, when another officer who was an intimate friend of Mussolini was killed, a desperate fight was waged around the body until the Greeks finally drove off the Italians.

Documents found in this officer's pockets included a letter from Il Duce exhorting his friend to do his utmost to prevent a Greek advance. "Otherwise Fascism will die under the scourge," the letter added. "Do everything, replace everyone, but do not let the Greeks advance another step. Save Fascist Italy." Battalion Wiped out.

#### WORKERS REAFFIRM **SOLIDARITY**

Fight To A Finish PRIME MINISTER **UPHELD** 

Liberty Of The Nation

(Received March 11, 10.30 p.m.) LONDON, March 10. The "Daily Telegraph's" Athens correspondent says that Greece's internal solidarity was reaffirmed when delegations representing half a million workers declared their determination to fight to the end. The Prime Minister (Mr Kirizis) in a speech to the delegates said: "Greece will continue to struggle to impose respect for her independence, integrity and liberty."

#### Women Answer The Call

WORK IN FACTORIES Greater Output Of

Munitions

FINE RESPONSE

British Official Wireless FIVE RAIDS MADE ON (Received March 11, 7.35 p.m.) RUGBY, March 10. London evening newspapers report a wide response to the call from the Hon. Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labour, for women to make

Women of all ages have applied at employment exchanges or by letter and telephone. Some were married with families and some had jobs they were willing to give up for war work. The biggest response appears to have been in districts outside London. This has occasioned no surprise since London women have come forward so well in reply to former appeals.

# HOARDING AND ILLICIT TRADING

#### Food Offences Frequent In Nazi-Occupied Countries

(British Official Wireless.) (Received March 11, 7.45 p.m.)

RUGBY, March 10. The latest information reaching official circles in London indicates an increasing tendency in the occupied territories to break the German official regulations despite the stringent penalties for hoarding imposed on producers and consumers. Frequently livestock is slaughtered surreptitiously and producers and dealers overcharge their customers. Scarce but unrationed foods are sold by the retailer only if the customer buys at the same time articles in ample simply (coupled sales) buys at the same time articles in ample supply (coupled sales).

Smuggling is frequent. Not merely food itself but food coupons are subject to theft, while food "I am confident, moreover, that Germany will be beaten decisively."
Mr. Tierney believes that the people of Britain will not crack. "The defences of Britain are strongly manned," he says, "and the people are eager for Hitler to attempt an invasion. Britain will not starve. coupons are often forged. These are all punishable offences in every country under German rule.

Coupled sales, which can obviously only take place where certain goods are plentiful, are frequent in Ger-

tempt an invasion. Britain will not starve.

"The Nazi-held nations of Europe are being organised to take part in a great upsurge of revolution when the hour is ripe.

"British capital and British labour are working with marked harmony in the common cause. Given shipping and given supplies, the British can and will carry the war to the Continent and bring Hitler to his knees."

are plentiful, are frequent in Germany but are rare in the occupied areas, where theft and coupon-forging are more common.

In the German countries Austria is the centre of illicit trading and members of the Nazi Party are among the worst offenders. In Denmark one hoarding case involved the cold storaging of 50,000 kilos of cold storaging of 50,000 kilos of butter and there have been numerous convictions for forgeries and

thefts of coupons. Overcharging in Holland recently resulted in the confiscation of two factories' entire stock of 170 tons of cocoa and an importer's stock of 400,000 kilos of coffee.

Offences in Belgium

REVEALED Notwithstanding the severe penalties the prosecutions for hoarding mounted steeply at the end of last year in Belgium. In August, 320 prosecutions occurred, involving 1000 kilos of goods; by November the number had risen to 7000, while in December the total was 8531, covering 10,001,530 kilos of foodstuffs. Theft and forging of coupons have become increasingly common in occupied France and in one district 220,000 forged coupons were recently Twenty-eight Vessels In One Week

(By Radio) LONDON, 1 a.m.

HEAVY SHIP LOSSES

The shipping losses for the week ending March 3 were the third heaviest of the war. British ships sunk numbered 20, totalling 148,000 tons.

Eight Allied vessels were also sunk and one neutral. 220,000 forged coupons were recently Eight Allied vessels were also sunk and one neutral.

[The above news was received direct on a "Columbus" calibrated short-wave radio.]

Issued.

The severity of the measures taken to protect foodstuffs in Italy is indicated by the fact that the theft of staple foods has been punishable by the death penalty since December.

DOUBLED OUTPUT

OF PILOTS AIR TRAINING IN

> **CANADA** HUSH-HUSH POLICY

Probably 10,000 Now Enrolled

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LONDON, March 10.

"The Times" says that the number of graduates from the Empire air training scheme is most secret but 10,000 are estimated to be at present enrolled and from 15,000 to 20,000 more will be enrolled for aircrew duties this year.

The last training school is expected to open in July instead of September and thereafter a staff of 40,000 will be available and it is expected that the number of pilots trained in Canada will double the figure visualised a year ago.

#### MILLION AMERICANS IN THE ARMY

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FIRST DAY.

First Race to start at 12 Noon.

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SECOND DAY

First Race to start at 12 Noon.

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NOMINATIONS. — For both days, MONDAY, March 17, 1941, at 8 p.m.

FIRST DAY WEIGHTS-MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1941 (Morning Papers).

SECOND DAY

WEIGHTS.—THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 941, about 7 p.m.

Box 13, Hastings.

Others are still new, telling the story of a quick romance, a "metin-September - married in - November" tale. And still other frocks are new. Their owners confide: "I met him last night. He wants my picture to take away."

Day after day, strict instructions come from overseas or from camp to wear such and such dress and its matching hat. But the most coveted thing is that particular smile.

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"Another woman is sending her husband a documentary film of their three boys at school. It begins: 'Dear Dad, we are back at school...' Then comes pictures of their activities."

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**DECLARATION OF HANDICAPS** 

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BEAU VITE PLEASES

Beaulivre Very Much Below Par

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SYDNEY, March 11.

Beau Vite will make his first public autumn appearance in Australia when he gives an exhibition gallop at Victoria Park races to-morrow. He has made considerable progress this last fortnight and his three furlongs at Randwick this morning in 374secs was accomplished like a horse nearing fitness.

Sir Amyas was not on the track but

Sir Amyas was not on the track but there is nothing wrong with him.

Beaulivre is now a doubtful quantity this season as his recent form was very much below par is failing to show any improvement.

There was previously some doubt about High Caste starting in the Doncaster on Easter Saturday but his owner to-day expressed satisfaction with his horse's handicap.

Handicaps were issued on Monday evening for the principal events at the A.J.C. autumn meeting. Following are the top weights and New Zealanders engaged:—

DONCASTER HANDICAP (run on

the top weights and New Zealanders engaged:—

DONCASTER HANDICAP (run on April 12): High Caste 9.12, Beaulivre 9.6, Gold Salute 9.5, El Golea 9.4, Mildura 9.3, Dhoti 9.2, Carpentier 9.1, Reading 8.13, Heroic's Double 8.12, Caesar, Ensign, Lucrative 8.10, Feminist 8.9, Amiable 8.7, Rimveil 8.6, Historian, Chatsbury 8.5, Belmestor 8.4, Spearvale, Moonray, Gilltown 8.3, Pure Gold, Warbird, Proud Fox 8.1, Phoines 8.0, Wilson, Overbold, Remarc, Marengo 7.13, Geebung 7.11, Nightbeam 7.7, Veiled Threat 7.5, Sir Amyas 7.5, Hydra 7.2.

SYDNEY CUP (run on April 14): Mosaic 9.10, Beaulivre 9.6, Dashing Cavalier 9.4, Reading 9.0, Feminist, El Golea 8.10, Dhoti, Gold Salute 8.9, Contact, Buzalong 8.8, Hope, Malagigi, Bourbon 8.5, Spearvale 8.4, Historian, Gilltown 8.3, Keelie, Proud Fox, Katanga 8.2, Cooranga, Lucrative, Tidal Wave, Macrob, Remarc 8.0, Wilson, Pandect, Scarlettoi 7.12, Binniahero, Warbird, Yours Truly 7.11, Positron 7.10, Fearless, Overbold 7.9, Pantler, Royal Order 7.8, Scientist 7.7, John, Velocity, Pinero, Evergreen, Fearless Fox, Marengo, Hedonic 7.5, Nightbeam 7.3, Sir Amyas 7.3.

WARWICK FARM AUTUMN CUP, (run on April 5): High Caste 912

WARWICK FARM AUTUMN CUP, (run on April 5): High Caste 9.12, Beaulivre 9.8, Gilltown 8.6, Katanga, Proud Fox 8.5, Tidal Wave 8.0, Yours Truly 7.13, Sir Amyas 7.5.

LIVERPOOL HANDICAP: The topweight is Gold Salute 9.12. Proud Fox has 8.3.

TRENTHAM FINAL **GALLOPS** 

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AUTUMN HANDICAP (Hack conditions), of £120, 2nd £15, 3rd £5. Min. weight 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1.

6 FURLONGS. By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11.

Weight 18t. 16t.

6 FURLONGS.

3 POJKAWA MAIDEN, of £100, 2nd £10, 31d £5 from the stake. For horses three years cld and upwards that have never won a Flat Race at a totalisator meeting at time of starting. Weight, 8st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1.

5½ FURLONGS.

Trentham was enveloped with usual pre-meeting mist this morning, and for the first hour it was difficult to time the gallops.

The weather was perfect, and the outside of the course proper was fast.

Siglow, going well throughout, was timed to run the last half-mile Acc. £1.

—HAWKE'S BAY CUP (Open), of £500, including Silver Cup valued at £30; winner to receive £360 and Cup, 2nd £80, 3rd £30. Min. weight, 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £4.

—NURSERY HANDICAP, of £130, 2nd £20, 3rd £10, For two-year-olds. Min. weight, 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1.

—i FURLONGS.

Siglow, going well throughout, Siglow, going well throughout, was timed to run the last half-mile of six furlongs in 52sec. and Legis did not appear to be unduly bustled to cover a half-mile in 51sec.

Hearth, on the outer, was half a length in front of Leighnor in 52 sec.

Sports Flash beat Kevin by nearly strength in the strength in the strength in the strength in front of Leighnor in 52 sec.

Sports Flash beat Kevin by nearly a length, with Erin's Court a couple conditions), of £120, 2nd £15, 3rd £5.
Min. weight, 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1.

1 MILE and 1 FURLONG.
7—HAVELOCK FLYING HANDICAP (Open), of £200, 2nd £30, 3rd £10.
Min. weight, 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £2.
6 FURLONGS.
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Sports Flash beat Kevin by nearly a length, with Erin's Court a couple of lengths further back, in a similar task, which took 49½sec.

Saka Bona was too good for Makarora over half a mile in 50½ sec. Corn Prince was finishing better than Par, Avion and Transmitter in 49sec. OREKA HANDICAP (Hack conditions), of £120, 2nd £15, 3rd £5. Min. weight, 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1.

49sec.

The best gallop of the morning was that of Pay Roll, who covered five furlongs in 1.2, the last half-mile in 48sec.

Foreign Coin, going easily, was two lengths clear of Burra Sahib and Kathbella over similar ground in 1.4, the last half-mile in 504sec.

Auriling galloned seven furlongs Aurline galloped seven furlongs in 1.29, the last half-mile in 52sec. Last Acre, Wildfire and Don Quex were almost on terms at the completion of the same task in 1.32, the £140, 2nd £20, 3rd £10. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. ABOUT 13 MILES.

flat barred except Poukawa Maiden first day. Min. weight, 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. 6 FURLONGS.

TE MAHANGA HANDICAP (Open) of £250; winner to receive £200, 2nd £35, 3rd £15. M.n. weight, 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £2. 1 MILES.

JUVENILE HANDICAP, of £130, 2nd £20, 3rd £10. For two-year-olds. Min. weight, 7st. Nom. £1, Acc. £1. 51 FURLONGS.

HASTINGS HACK CUP. of £200, in-

HASTINGS HACK CUP, of £200, including Trophy valued at £25; winner to receive £135 and Trophy, 2nd £50, 3rd £10. Min. weight, 7st. 7lb. Norn £1, Acc £2 1½ MILES.

—CFAWA HANDICAP (Open), of £175, 2nd £25, 3rd £10. Min. weight, 7st. Norn £1, Acc £1/10/-. 6 FURLONGS.

—AKITIO HANDICAP (Hack conditions), of £120, 2nd £15, 3rd £5. Min. -AKITIO HANDICAP (Hack conditions), of £120, 2nd £15, 3rd £5. Min. weight, 7st. 7lb. Nom. £1, Acc. £1.

6 FURLONGS and 200 YARDS.

Winners after Ceclaration of weights FLYING BOATS HEARD BEFORE SEEN

> (Daily Mail Special Service) SYDNEY. Bluey, a cattle dog "attached" to Rose Bay Flying Base, can hear in-coming flying-boats before they can

Bluey's master, Mr R. Kay, caretaker at the flying base, claimed this unique achievement for his dog. ACCEPTANCES.—TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1941, at the Secretary's Office, Queen Street, Hastings ('Phone 2447), at 8 Mr Kay and a "Daily Telegraph" reporter were watching Bluey bounding along the breakwater and barking delightedly when an incoming flying-boat appeared as a faint speck on the horizon. When a flying-boat is sighted from Rose Bay a warning bell is run. A few moments before the bell was rung Bluey jumped from his bed in the hangar

AC' EPTANCES.—SAME NIGHT, at 8.30 r.m., at the Secretary's Office, Queen Street Hassings ('Phone 2447). jumped from his bed in the hanga-and made for the landing stage. When flying-boats depart in the early morning Bluey wakes at his home in Albemarle Avenue, Rose A. E. WISHART, Secretary, Telephone 2447-P.O. Box 13, Hastings. (Approved by Hawke's Bay District Committee. Bay, and barks furiously,

# ON THE AIR

1YA AUCKLAND

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6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 9.0: "Music As You Like It." 10.0: Devotional service. 10.20: 'For My Lady." 10.45: "A Woman's Letters from England." 11.0: "Musical Highlights."

12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 and 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 2.0: "Music and Romance." 2.30: Classical music. 4.0: Light music. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: Book review.

7.30: Evening Programme. 7.50: Studio recital by Dorothy Stentiford (contralito). 8.3: Mitchell Miller (oboe). 8.11: Studio recital by Adolph Mann (piano). 8.39: Charles Panzera (baritone). 8.45: Frederick Grinke (solo violin). 8.57: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Evening prayer. 9.30: "Martin's Corner." 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

#### 2YA WELLINGTON

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. 10.40: "For Pty Lady." 11.0: "A Woman's Letters from England." 11.15: Music by popular composers. 11.30: Variety on the air. Lunch music. 12.15 and 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.30: Educational session. 2.0: Classical music. 2.30: Official opening of Parliament by the Governor-General, Sir Cyril sewall, 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: "Britain Speaks." 7.30: Talk by Our Gardening Expert.

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Evening Programme. 8.17: Thomas E. West (tenor). 8.29: "I Remember." 8.58: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Evening prayer. 9.30: Anton and the Paramount Theatre Orchestra. 9.36: "Surfeit of Lampreys." 10.0: Review of tomorrow's fields at Trentham. 10.10: Ray Nob'2 and his Orchestra. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

3YA CHRISTCHURCH

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.; B.B.C. news. 7.30; Breakfast session. 9.0; Morning melodies. 10.0; "For My Lady." 10.30; Devotional service. 10.45; Songs from the films. 11.0; Talk to women. 11.10; Light orchestral session. 11.30; Popular tunes, 12.0; Lunch music. 12.15 and 1.15 p.m.; B.B.C. news. 1.30; Educational session. 2.0; Melody and rhythm. 2.30; Musical comedy. 3.0; Classical programme. 4.0; Rhythmic revels. 5.0; Children's session. 5.45; Dinner music. 6.15; B.B.C. news. 7.0; News. 7.20; Addington stock market report.

7.20: Addington stock market report.
D: Evening Programme. 8.10: Reading by Owen L. Simmance. 8.30: Sir Henry Wood and the Queen's Hall Orchestra. 8.34: Recital from the Studio by Moira McIlrevey (soprano). 8.47: Gulla Gustabo (violinist). 8.55: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Evening prayer. 9.30: Symphony Orchestra with soloist and chorus. 10.10: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

4YA DUNEDIN

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6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 10.15: Devotional service. 10.40: "On Tour in Southern Ireland." 11.0: "For My Lady." 11.20: "Cooking by Electricity." 11.35: Tunes of the times.

12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 and 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.30: Educational session. 2.0: Rambling in Rhythm. 3.15: A.C.E. talk. 4.30: Cafe music. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: Talk. 7.10: Burnside stock market report. 7.15: "Choosing a World Cricket Eleven."

7.30: Evening Programme. 7.40: "Evergreens of Jazz." 7.54: "The Hunchback of Ben Ali." 8.7: F. J. Woodham (mouth-organ). 8.14: The Mastersingers. 8.23: F. J. Woodham (mouth-organ). 8.30: "The

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The Polish Eagle, the Czech Lion, the Orange of the Netherlands, the Crimson Cross of Lorraine standing for Free France—in fact, all the emblems and colours of our Allies—are to-day familiar sights in Britain. Each Sunday night their national anthems stir our ears. But we know too little of the exploits of these forces who, less happy than the Greeks, cannot face the common enemy on their own soil. The aid which they are giving is wrapped in official secrecy, until we have won the war. Only now and then does the veil, lifting for a second, vouchsafe us a glimpse of the great things that are happening behind the scenes.

'Poland Lives Yet'

"Poland Lives Yet"

"Poland Lives Yet" is the superscription above one village hall that has been lent by its vicar for Polish troops, and is to-day transformed into Little Poland, offering its own newspaper and its own Polish plays. The actors are aviators who spend the rest of their time aching to get the rest of their time aching to get into the sky and who are ready at

into the sky and who are ready at a pinch to rain their German adversaries to perdition. "I asked the British Commanding Officer the reason for their outstanding successes. He gave two. The first was the boundless enthusiasm and dash of the pilots. The second comes from their realisation of the fate of their country under German rule."—(Peter Matthews in the "Daily Telegraph.")

The Czechs have wings. It is in the Air Force that the Czechs, too, have performed their most spectacular feats. Czech squadrons, completely manned and officered by Czechs, reveal their presence at aerodromes where the flag of Czechoslovakia flies alongside the ensign of the Royal Air Force. Their best tribute comes from an English best tribute comes from an English

Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 8.42: "Live, Love and Laugn." 8.58: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Evening prayer. 9.33: "The Life of Cleopatra." 10.0: Hal Kemp and his Orchestra. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

2YH NAPIER

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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. (12.15 and 1.15 p.m.; B.B.C. news.) 5.0; Light music. •5.30; For the children. 5.45; Louis Levy and his Orchestra. 6.0; "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 6.15; B.B.C. news. 6.45; Hawke's Bay stock market report. 7.0; Afterdinner music.

7.30; "Those We Love." 8.0; Hildegarde entertains. 8.15; Organ and tenor selections. 8.30; "Night Club." 9.0; N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15; B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25; Evening prayer. 9.30; Music by modern composers. 9.44; The London Philharmonic Orchestra.

RADIO REPAIRS



# NAPIER

Resuscitation Will Be Subjec'

A lecture of public interest is to be given to-night in the Napier Council Chambers, the speaker being Mr Allan Gardner of the Auckland branch of the Royal Life-Saving Society. He will speak on the Schafer method of artificial respiration, a method which is to be standardised throughout Naw Zea standardised throughout New Zea-

In view of the Emergency Pre-cautions Scheme coming into force in Napier, the lecture is timely, as this particular method is that used by A.R.P. workers in England to deal with cases of electric shock and

pilot's mess: "And after he'd got his fifth Messerschmidt his Spitfire began to come down all smoking. We thought he couldn't miss the vilwe thought he couldn't miss the village, but he stayed on board and managed to land his perishing bonfire in a field. And then we found he was a Czech. It did make us proud. You might think any Englishman would risk his life to save his own village, but a — eigner!"

Norway On the Sea

Norway's exploits are, as befits a seafaring people, chiefly performed at sea, where Norwegian seamen man not only naval craft, but the great merchant fleet—fourth largest great merchant fleet—fourth largest in the world—which is her biggest material contribution to the joint war effort of her allies. The silence which surrounds her feats was broken for a moment when a Swedish pressman (Helgens Nyheter, Stockholm) spilt the story of the gunboat Sleoipner—the mystery ship which, eluding the Germans, thanks to her turn of speed, is abletto swoop in and out of her native flords.

Honneur: Patrie—the apt motto upon the flag of Free France—is borne on the Libyan front, not only by the French Marines, whose desert exploit cut the road between Bardia and Tobruk, but also by a lesser known company of Spahis—the desert cavalry which rode its horses out of Syria at the time of the armistice, in order to join General de Gaulle.

eral de Gaulle.

Here at home the higgest outcrop
of Free French flags is usually to
be found in our harbours, not only
on the vessels manned by the
French Navy, but also on the ships
of the Free French Merchant Marine.

Belgian troops are ranged alongside their allies not only round the British coast, but in Africa, where one contingent from the Belgian Congo is already on the war front in the Sudan.

Besides mannower the Congo has

Congo is already on the war front in the Sudan.

Besides manpower the Congo has other contributions to offer: its palm oil and its copper are being used or sold for Allied ends, while under an agreement of January, 1941, its production of gold is to go to swell the common coffers.

The Dutch Navy, in the tradition of William the Silent, says little about its exploits. Its sole boast is that it escaped almost to a steamboat, and that it is working with its allies both in home and foreign waters. Thanks to the resources of her free Empire, rich in rubber, tin and petroleum, Holland is more than paying her way in the present struggle. By her naval exploits she is adding still further to her credit balance, for the Dutch Navy, is, by its capture of German merchantmen, even succeeding in collecting damages off the enemy.

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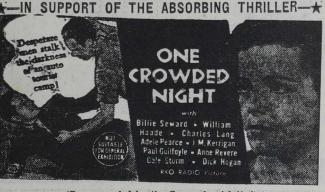
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DEATH OF WAIROA DOCTOR

Medical Superintendent At Hospital

(Daily Mail Special Service)

WAIROA. The death has occurred of Dr Robert Burns Grey, after an illness of some weeks. A week ago Dr Grey was reported to be recovering and on the road to regained health. He was on his way to Auckland to undergo recuperative treatment when his death occurred, at the age

of 36 years.

Dr Grey was with the Army in Egypt before the war and for nine months was in China during 1938 as representative of the joint St. John Ambulance and Red Cross Society. On his return to New Zealand he was in practice in Augustand

clety. On his return to New Zealand he was in practice in Auckland before his appointment as medical superintendent at the Wairoa hospital.

HASTINGS CRICKET DRAW

High School Winners In Junior A Grade

Senior

Reserve Grade Midland v. Fruitworkers, Cornwall Park No. 1.
Rugby v. Whakatu-Mahora, Cornwall Park No. 2.

Junior A Grade

Baptist v. Celtic, Cornwall Park o. 4. Midland v. High School A, Nelson

Cosy

"THE GHOST COMES HOME"

Comedy, With "Tarzan" Adventure

A grand cast of comedy stars is to be found in "The Ghost Comes Home," starring Frank Morgan and now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. Presumed lost at sea, Morgan turns up to find that he has been "dead" for so long that the family has spent the insurance money. Hilparity is the keynote of the producarity is the keynote of the production, and its continuity is assured by the inclusion of such names as Billie Burke, Nat Pendleton, Reginald wen and Ann Rutherford.

Thrills, drama and tender ro-mance, told amid the jungles of mance, told amid the jungles of Africa, are found in the second feature, "Tarzan Finds a Son!" reuniting Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan. A new character comes to the screen in a "Tarzan Junior," played by John Sheffield, amazing five-year-old athlete. The new story deals with the finding of a baby, only survivor of a Juliane a baby, only survivor of a 'plane wreck in the jungle. Tarzan and his mate raise the boy. A safari arrives searching for 'plane survivors because of a legacy in England, and the boy becomes the centre of a plot to conceal his claim. Tarzan refuses to surrender the boy in any event, and Jane tricks him, feeling that the and Jane tricks him, feeling that the boy should return for his birthright. This leads to capture of the party by savages. A rescue of the baby from a charging rhinoceros, amazing underwater swimming by Weissmuller and young Sheffield. and dramatic sequences in the jungle tree house are high points in the ad-venture romance. Star animal act-ors include Cheeta, the famous Tarzan chimpanzee, Queenie, Tarzan's elephant friend, and Baby Bee, smallest baby elephant in the United

State

ONE CROWDED NIGHT FINE STORY

> Unusual Background For Adventure

The romantic screen drama, "One Crowded Night," now at the State Theatre, Hastings, presents an unusual and stirring tale of twelve thrilling hours in an auto-camp on thrilling hours in an auto camp on the Arizona desert. An exceptionally capable cast of players in an ingen-iously woven plot fabric features this vivid cross-section of life in a characteristic field of American life.

When her husband is sent to prison unjustly, a young mother, with her parents, her sister and her little boy, go West to avoid gossip, and they buy and operate a lonely auto camp, aided by the experience of a young waitress and of erience of a young waitress and of youthful mechanic who repairs assing cars. To this remote spot, in the course of a few hours, come a young wife about to become a mother, a truck driver in love with the waitress, a patent medicine peditine the waitress. iller, a navy deserter in the custody of two police officers, a pair of myserious crooks and the convict hus-band fleeing from the penitentiary search of the men who framed

The interweaving of the lives and opes and objectives of these six-een persons make up the plot comtions of this unusual picture, with three separate romances car the threads of its drama. Billie Seward as the waitress with a past, and William Haade as a husky young William Haade as a husky young truck driver, have the romantic leads. Anne Revere as the young mother, Paul Guilfoyle as her convict husband, J. M. Kerrigan as the timerant peddler, Don Costello and Gaylord Pendleton as the crooks, Charles Lang as the deserter, Adele Pearce as his wife and Harry Shannon and Ferris Taylor as the police. non and Ferris Taylor as the policemen, with Gale Storm, Dick Hogan, Emma Dunn, George Watts and little Casey Johnson playing essential relations. tial roles.

Regent

"UNTAMED" IS TENSE DRAMA

Production In Glorious Colour

ring Ray Milland, Patricia Morison and Akim Tamiroff, and is now at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. The picture is announced as one of the more important offerings for the current season and has been filmed entirely in Technicolour.

The wollier's Her wollier's Her wollier's Her agenda for the district conference was discussed and it was presented the cups won during the season, and announced that the delegates be given a free hand.

P.G.S. Bro. Lincoln and Sykes were appointed delegates to the entirely in Technicolour.

Backgrounded by the awsome, yet colourful North Canadian forests of the Rockies, it visualises the love of two men—one a sturdy, single-minded hunter and guide, the other a sophisticated city society doctor—for a woman who, through a strange quirk of destiny, has mar-ried the guide, although her entire life has been spent in an atmosphere of fine clothes and modern city life. Immured in a tiny Northwest community she falls in love with this The following matches under the urisdiction of the Hastings Cricket Sub-Association will be played on Saturday, March 15:—

Intuity she fails in low doctor, who represents everything worth while in life to her, but honour and affection for the third in this eternal triangle, acts as an until the state of the state o surmountable bar to both in a conummation of their love. In a series Possibles v. Probables (2 day of dramatic sequences the picture match). in entertainment values. George Archainbaud directed the film from

a screen play by Frederick Hazlitt Brennan and Frank Butler. The impressive grandeur of the mountains and forests of the Rockies, and the co-starring three of High School v. The Rest, Nelson Hollywood's most popular personalities, combine with the tense story to make "Untamed" an exciting and completely entertaining triangle drama.

tal.

Dr Grey leaves a widow and one infant daughter. His father, mother and a brother are still living.

The Wairoa Hospital Board, whose monthly meeting was to have been held yesterday, adjourned for a week as a mark of respect,

Midland v. High School A, Nelson by his inspector to overtake and stop a speeding car. Ten minutes later he rang up to report: "Car was being driven by an actress. I stops her, pulls out my notebook. She snatches it, writes her autograph and leaves me standing."

Misse The new traffic cop had been told by his inspector to overtake and stop a speeding car. Ten minutes instance will supply gear. The Junior A Grade is closed and High School have been declared the winners.

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#### Last Club Night At Napier

SWIMMING RESULTS

Cups Presented By Chairman

FINAL SERIES

Sinclair Lewis' famous story, "Mantrap," has been translated into an exciting and intriguing picture under the title, "Untamed," co-starring Ray Milland, Patricia Morison and Akim Tamiroff and is now at

Results:-33 1-3 yards junior girls' handicap: Misses V. Craven 1, M. Tanner 2. Time, 26secs.

33 1-3 yards junior boys' handi-cap.—First heat: R. Prebble 1, A. Crowhurst 2, S. Hawkins 3. Time, 22 2-5secs. Second heat: A. Paxie 1, K. Boardman 2, M. Williams 3. Time, 19 1-5secs. Final: A. Paxie 1, R. Prebble 2, A. Crowhurst 3, Time, 25secs.

25secs.
50 yards intermediate girls' handicap: Misses J. Mist 1, J. Redshaw 2, O. Workman 3, Time, 36secs.
33 1-3 yards intermediate boys handicap: B. Blackmore 1, L. Jones 2, A. Howse 3. Time, 19secs.
100 yards men's handicap: B. Ferguson 1, P. Sweetapple 2, J. Gilroy 3. Time, 66secs.
440 yards women's championship: Misses R. King 1, J. Redshaw 2, J. Wright 3. Time, 7min. 21secs. Open diving: Miss M. Tanner 1.
33 1-3 yards junior breaststroke: M. Williams 1, H. Harte 2, R. Mills 3. Time, 32secs.

I. Williams 1, 1...
Time, 32secs.
Teams race: S. Hawkins, L.
Jones, B. Blackmore, 1; A. Howse,
Jones, B. Blackmore, 1; A. Cockcroft,

LOYAL HASTINGS LODGE

Fortnightly Meeting Last Night

N.G. Bro, Edwards presided at the fortnightly meeting of the Loyal Hastings Lodge last evening. Sick pay amounting to £3 was passed for payment and one candidate was admitted by initiation.

Correspondence was received from two soldier members overseas thanking the lodge for Christmas parcels.

were appointed delegates to the bowls and cards committee.

Miss R. King; Lowry Cup, Miss J

Intermediate Boys and Girls. Harvey Breaststroke Cup, A. Howse; K. Bryant Cup, Miss O. Workman; Stone Cup, Miss J. Red-

Junior Boys and Girls. handi-ishaw Bisley Cup, S. Hawkins; Scinde Cup, Pania Cup, and H. H. Smith Diving Cup, Miss M. Tanner.

> HERETAUNGA CLUB CARNIVAL

Season's Swimming Ends To-night

The final meeting of the season will be held by the Heretaunga wimming Club at Maddison Baths the evening when the 220 de club

Jones, B. Blackmore, 1; A. Howse, S. Boardman, P. Sweetapple, 2; Misses O. Workman, O. Cockcroft, J. Martin, 3. Time, 56secs.

Life-saving, intermediate girls: Misses D. Cockcroft and J. Martin, 1. Senior women: Misses R. and J. King.

Cups were won by the following: Cups were won by the following:—

Senior Men and Women.

Seymour Memorial Cup: G. Snaddon; Rolls Cup, J. Gilroy; Stevenson Cup. G. Lowe; Hedley Cup, Son Cup. G. Lowe; Hedley Cup. Son Cup. G. C

Mayfair

STANLEY LUPINO IN "HOLD MY HAND"

Otto Kruger In Human Drama, "Zero Hour"

The new Stanley Lupino film, "Hold My Hand," now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier, is a true comedy in that it makes laughter out of trouble. One of the funniest sequences is seen in the office of a newspaper owned by Stanley, which is literally going to pieces. Investigating for himself, he finds the hat-stand collapse under a touch, the reception room barrier comes away in his hand, chairs and tables fall to splinters in a draught, and even a cigarette box will not survive being picked-up. Windows slide down when opened and the survive being picked-up. Windows slide down when opened and the glass shatters; doors only open to admit wrathful deputations from the printing staff.

The newspaper is situated in Man-hester, and Stanley rings a new hange on the perennial rain gag by change on the perennial rain gag by taking at least seven umbrellas from the stand when leaving his town house for the rainy city.

The ever ingenious Lupino has turned out another winner in this splendid film.

"Yare Hour" co-starring Frieda

splendid film.
"Zero Hour," co-starring Frieda
Inescort and Otto Kruger, presents
something entirely new and diverting in the way of screen drama.
Based on the problem of whether
or not a woman can love two men, it presents realistically a dilemma which has confronted every woman

at one time or another, during her Linda's first love was nine-tenths Linda's first love was nine-tenths gratitude. A famous theatrical producer had groomed her from the days when she was an awkward amateur, and she regarded him with a hero-worshipping adoration. Although this first love was immature, she held doggedly to it, even after the man had been crippled in a motor accident, until she found a deeper and more satisfying love.

DEMOCRACY VERSUS DICTATORS

'The Ramparts We Watch' Timely Production

When a film is acclaimed by critics, government officials, and news commentators alike it rates universal attention. When it is news commentators affice it its universal attention. When it is afterwards super charged by the addition of breath taking sequences from the notorious Nazi propaganda film, "Baptism of Fire," it becomes an event of unique importance to all moviegoers. The film is "The Ramparts We Watch," begun more than a trear and a helf ago as the first a year and a half ago as the first feature-length picture to be pro-duced by the editors of Time and Life and the March of Time, and now at the State Theatre,

Napier.
An absolutely new kind of picture, "The Ramparts We Watch" was inspired by the disastrous trend of world events. Recreating the story of the great crisis of World War 1, it also was designed to reveal the forces of aggression which were plunging the world once more into war. To do this, the producers decided to make use of the Nazi terror film, "Baptism of Fire," which showed more vividly than anything else the danger faced by the free peoples of the world. Already it has been used to demoralise Norway, the Low Countries, Rumania and

But German censorship was But German censorship was a stumbling block, and so "The Ramparts We Watch" was released without the forbidden Nazi sections. It was then learned that the Canadian Government held prints of the Nazi film which had been confiscated from a flying boat by British contraband control officers at Bermuda. The prints were secured from the Canadian Government and included as a new ending for "The Ramparts We Watch" over the vigorous We Watch" over the vigorous threats and protests of the German

Regent

ELLEN DREW AND JOHN HOWARD

Star In "The Rangers Ride Again"

The plot of "The Rangers Ride Again" now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier, hinges on the arrival of Rangers Jim Kingston (John Howard) and Mace Townsley (Anthony Quinn) incognito, at the vast White Sage Ranch to solve the mystery of how hundreds of heads of cattle have been disappearing without leaving a trace, to the annoyance of Ranch Owner Cecilia Dangerfield (May Robson) and her beautiful grand-daughter, Ellen Dangerfield (Ellen Drew).

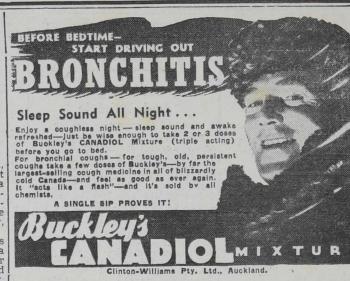
They join the cattle rustling gang which they find is headed by Carter Dangerfield, Cecilia's grandson, and Joe Yuma, the half-bred ranch foreman. The plot of "The Rangers\_ Ride

The Rangers intercept a radio-

telephone conversation between the rustlers which tips them off about big shipment of beef to go that

In the meantime Kingston has met and fallen hard for Ellen, on whom he plays a couple of practical jokes which she pretends to resent. But actually she likes his brash, important manner. tuous manners.
Townsley hides himself on one of

the trucks going to the rustlers' headquarters in town. Just before they arrive, the Ranger throws a they arrive, the Ranger throws a note to a young couple parked in a car asking that they follow and then summon the Rangers. Townsley is captured, but in the meantime the Rangers are notified and race to his rescue in patrol cars. The Rangers are forced to use their guns in the rescue. Learning of an attack by the rest of the rustler gang on the ranch house, in which their friends are imperilled, the Rangers speed off once again. They arrive in time to save them, and the



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# A Wedding In Napier

PAINTER—WOODS

Bride's Picture Gown Of Ivory Taffeta

St. Paul's Church, Napier, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Philippa Lydia, third daughter of Mr and Mrs P. Woods, Napier, was married to Gunner Howard Roche, second son of Mrs S. E. Painter, Napier. The service was conducted by the Rev. Stuart Francis, the hymn, "O Perfect Love" being sung by the congregation.

The bride made a very sweet nice.

The bride made a very sweet picture when she entered the church escorted by her father. Her gown of ivory taffeta was made with full flowing skirt and circular train daintily embroidered with white velvet flowers in a horse-shoe design. The neckline and shoulders and the wrist of the sleeves were very finely The neckline and shoulders and the wrist of the sleeves were very finely pintucked. Her veil was a present from her godmother, Mrs H. Edwards, and was of very fine Parisienne lace sent from France. It was held in place by a halo of orange blossom. The bride carried a beautiful sheaf of white belladonna lilies and maidenhair fern.

Attending the bride was Miss Thelma Hill who looked very charming in blush pink coin-spot satin cut on early Victorian lines finished with bands of black velvet ribbon at the waist. A floral bandeau with pink bow was worn on the hair. Her bouquet was of pink and mauve asters and fern.

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Colleen Woods, sister of the bride was dressed in buttercup coin-spot satin fashioned like the bridesmaid's gown and her bouquet was of pink and lemon asters and fern.

Mr W. Painter acted as best man, When the bride left the church she was presented with a silver horse-shoe by her niece, Beverley Johnson.

After the reception, which was held at the residence of the bride's parents, the happy young couple left for their honeymoon trip to

The bride's mother wore a grey ilored costume with burgundy

TRAVEL TALK HEARD WITH INTEREST

> Ruakaturi Women's Institute

The Ruakituri Women's Institute The Ruakituri Women's Institute
March gathering was the annual
meeting, when the office-holders for
the ensuing year were appointed.
The election resulted as follows:—
President, Mrs Neil Thompson; vicepresidents, Miss Spence, Mrs Oliver
Evans; secretary, Miss B. Evans;
treasurer, Miss Gavin; librarian,
Mrs Allan Morice

Mrs Allan Morice.

Monthly competitions were judged by ballot, the winners being: Best pair of boy's trousers, Miss Spence; best eating apple, Miss Spence 1, Mrs Evans and Mrs Neil Thompson

2 equal.

Miss Hazel Johnson, of Massey
College, gave a very interesting account of her travels in the United
States, Canada, England and various

#### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING

Held At Waipukurau And Eskdale

Mrs. H. H. Keir presided at the annual general meeting of the Waipukurau Women's Institute and Mrs. Campbell, Pukehou, president of the Southern Hawke's Bay Fed-

work done throughout the year, which included much work done for the soldiers.

Included in the correspondence was a letter from the secretary of the Patriotic Society, thanking members for their help. The president mentioned that during the week 90 soldiers' parcels had been packed by members assisted by Miss G. Beachen.

It was proposed that a posy be

Miss G. Beachen.

It was proposed that a posy be sent with a letter of thanks to Mrs. R. W. Carpenter, who kindly lent her garden for the annual garden party. Mrs. W. G. MacKenzie was also thanked for the great interest she had taken in the drama circle. It was intimated that in future the drama circle will meet at Mrs. circle will meet at Mrs.

Keir's home.

Mrs. J. Dunlop was appointed leader of the song group. Mesdames L. V. Hanson and N. E. H. Hubbard were appointed delegates to attend the annual meeting of the Southern Hawke's Bay Federation of Women's Institutes to be held at Dannevirke. Dannevirke.

Dannevirke.
Prior to the election of officers
Mrs. Campbell addressed the meeting giving much needed information
on Institute matters. Mrs. Campbell also paid a high tribute to the
work done by Mrs. Keir during her
term of office as president, and
also a committee member of the
Federation Council. The election of
president resulted in Mrs. Keir being re-elected.

president resulted in Mrs. Keir being re-elected.
In making the announcement Mrs. Campbell congratulated Mrs. Keir and wished the Institute every success for the year.
Tea was served by the hostesses, Mesdames L. V. Hanson, G. Davey, J. Dilworth, C. Scherf, and Hansen sen.

sen, sen, Competition results were: Choco-late cake (one egg), Mrs. Peterson 1, Mrs. P. Wadman 2, Miss Peter-son 3; best bloom, Mrs. C. Scherf 1, Mrs. Brown 2, Mrs. Skeet 3. ESKDALE.

reports of the year's work which showed that it had been a very busy and successful one. Final arrangements were made for the annual show on March 15. Potato and onion

weights were received.

Members were advised of the proposed visit of Miss Cocks-Johnson and the Queen Carnival for patriotic funds. During the afternoon the meeting was surprised by a visit from three school children who presented Miss Kirkham with £2/1/3 guidance.

#### **METHODIST LADIES'** GUILD

Monthly Gathering Held In Hastings

Mrs Mahafie was the speaker at the monthly meeting of the Hastings Methodist Ladies' Guild, over which Mrs P. Loach presided. When welcoming the speaker Mrs Loach presented her with a sheaf of madonna lilies and pink dahlias.

Taking as her subject "Beauty Hints" Mrs Mahafie read Psalm 90, "Let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us." She then told how many Christian women were not beautiful, Christian beauty being very rare. She said that people expected to find the Christian woman very different from others and judged Christianity accordingly. The speaker said that Christian beauty was composed of unselfish-The speaker said that Christian beauty was composed of unselfishness, patience, meekness, faithfulness and love. These graces were all part of a variegated whole which unlike the flowers would not fade but would grow and develop and become more and more attractive. Spiritual beauty was free and attainable by all, and though the possessor was unconscious of it others could not but help take knowledge could not but help take knowledge

On behalf of those present Mrs J. Wilson thanked Mrs Mahafie for her helpful address. During the afternoon final arrangements were made for the harvest sale and concert and it was decided to hold a Guild picnic at Clifton on March 19.

A vote of thanks was accorded the hostesses Mesdames W. H. Brown, P. Loach and K. Sinclair for a refreshing cup of tea.

a refreshing cup of tea.

The meeting closed with the bene-

500 VARIETIES OF **POTATOES** 

Discoveries Made In South America

Europe's food supply is always problem, and more prolific species of food plants are constantly sought. A recent British expedition into the heart of South America, original home of the potato, brought out no less than 500 varieties to be used in plant-breeding experiments.

The annual meeting of the Esk-dale Women's Institute was held at The Terrace with Miss D. Kirkham as hostess. The president, Miss Kirkham, presided over a good attendance of members. One new member was welcomed.

The motto read was, "Whoever acquires knowledge but does not use it, is as one who ploughs but does not sow."

The roll call was for uses of a lemon.

The secretary-treasurer gave full reports of the year's work which showed that it had been a very busy and successful one. Final arrangements were made for the annual show on March 15. Potato and onion

The test of the Women's Institute parcel fund for overseas troops. This money was half the proceeds of a concert the children had given sole-ly for patriotic purposes, and was much appreciated by all, the donors being heartily applauded.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Conway; vice-presidents, Mrs. Saunders and Miss Kirkham; secretary, Mrs. King; treasurer, Mrs. Le Quesne; committee, Mesdames Cross, Clark, and Poppelwell.

Points prizes were presented to Mrs. Rodgers and Miss D. Kirkham, first equal, and Mrs. W, Kirkham, first equal, and Mrs. W, Kirkham, first equal, and Mrs. W, Kirkham, first equal, and Mrs. W. Kirkham, second.

The monthly competition results were: Three assorted biscuits, Mrs. Rodgers 1, Miss D. Kirkham 2, Mrs. Poppelwell 3; best bloom, Mrs. A. Martel (zinnia) 1, Mrs. Rodgers (dahlia) 2, Mrs. Clark (nerine) 3.

The meeting closed with the Home and Country prayer for peace and

# Five o'Clock Gossip

Miss Eileen Morris, Napier, is visiting Christchurch, where she is the guest of Mrs Crosby Morris, Papanui.

Mrs George Hanmer, Worcester Street, Christchurch, is visiting her daughter, Mrs R. P. Wilder, Wallingford, Waipukurau.

Mrs M. H. Godby and Mrs Guy Ronalds, who have been the guests of Mrs John Mason and Mrs Kin-ross White, Napier, have returned

Mr and Mrs S. Stratton, Mosgiel, who have been staying in Hastings with Mr and Mrs A. F. Nathan, have

Aircraftman L. G. Flowers and Mrs Flowers, who have been spend-ing a few days in Hastings as the guests of Mrs Flowers' mother, Mrs Harper, have returned to Welling-

We are showing a new collection of very smart autumn and winter coats, including country life tweeds, and shadow checks from 9gns; "rolex" styled camel coats in soft blues and greens 13gns; all wool alpaca coats 8gns; attractive box and fitting coats with a military air, styled in Harris tweeds, llama cloth, velours in all shades, 5, 6 and 7gns. "Victor" Gowns, Hastings exclusive salon. Telephone 3076.

PARTY GIVEN FOR A BRIDE

> Friends Gather At Bay View

A very happy gift party was given by the women of Bay View for Miss Thelma Robertson, whose wedding took place on Saturday. It was held at the home of Mrs McHardy, the drawing-room was decorated with bowls of dahlias, roses and African marigolds, which looked very bright.

Miss Robertson was the recipient of a very pretty spray made by Mrs

The afternoon was spent in novel competitions and games and a delicious afternoon tea was served, after which Mrs McHardy, on behalf of all present asked the guest of benoun to accept the many parcels of all present asked the guest of honour to accept the many parcels and with them went the good wishes of her many friends in Bay View.

Miss Robertson then opened her parcels assisted by her two bridesmaids, Miss Pickering and Miss Nancy Calder, and disclosed some lovely and useful gifts for her future home. She suitably returned thanks.

She was then asked to accept on

thanks.

She was then asked to accept on behalf of the Bay View Women's Institute a gift as a remembrance of the many happy meetings she had spent while a member of the Institute and it was hoped that she would still continue her membership.

Winners of the competitions were: Lucky teacups, Mesdames Bird and Sands; animals, Mrs Petersen, Mrs Olsen and Miss Nancy Calder.

Before the afternoon was brought to a close Mrs Daly, a member of the Institute, who is leaving the district, was asked to accept a farewell gift from the members with their best wishes for her happiness in the future.

#### DRESS EXPENSES CURTAILED

Be Firm And Choose Wisely

Your dress allowance has dwindled, is dwindling, and is likely to dwindle further still. The price of clothes has risen, is rising, and will

continue to rise.

And if, like most of us, you were never quite able to make the proverbial ends meet even before these two processes began—how world are you going to tackle this dressing business now?

There are two ways open. The first is to wear out the clothes you possess, and replace each worn-out item with the best substitute you can afford, thus steadily sinking to lower levels of quality and cut.

Try Elimination

The second is elimination. That inspired elimination that induced us to change our Victorian drawing rooms, crowded with plant-stands, settees, occasional tables, overmantles and Japanese fans, into present day living rooms containing half a dozen pieces of good furniture and a couple of prints. That wise elimination that causes no regret; that consists in doing with far

gret; that consists in doing with far less, but far better.

Put right out of your mind the wardrobe you used to think essential; take pencil and paper and make a list of your actual needs, giving the word "need" a fairly ruthless interpretation. Then buy yourself the clothes on the list, and no others; and don't grudge time, brains, or money to making sure that they are good. For you can afford good gualgood. For you can afford good quality now. The afternoon frock you are doing without will help to pay for a coat that would otherwise be ocyond your reach.

Your non-existent evening dress, with its wrap and shoes, will more than cover the price of a tailored suit of the kind you'll wear with pride and joy for seasons to come.

The extra hat you cross off your programme will let you buy one programme will let you buy one that really swings your spirit up. And the bags and gloves that don't materialise will justify something rather special about those that do. The very first item on your short list should be a good foundation. Don't skimp on this. It will literally be the foundation of your wardrobe for months to come. Your suit your for months to come. Your suit, your simple shirt frocks, and daytime dress can look twice their price on a poised, controlled figure—and a mere fraction of what they did cost over a bundle of bulges.



#### PAKOWHAI WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Annual Meeting Held RESULTS OF THE

**COMPETITIONS** New Officers Elected

The Pakowhai Women's Institute held their annual meeting in the Church Hall when the president, Mrs. Mitchell, welcomed visitors Mrs. Mitchell, welcomed visitors and a good attendance of members. Correspondence was read and dealt with and when the business was completed the president thanked Mrs. Holmes, pianist, Mrs. Parker, who had helped so willingly with entertainments; Mrs. A. Bartle, press correspondent; Mrs. Gabrielson for supplying milk for meetings; also all who had helped so generously with the supplying of the contents of the parcels and the making up for our men overseas. A letter which had been received from a soldier who sampled one of the parcels was also read.

Mrs. Patrick was appointed auditor for the year.

The secretary was thanked for her the secretary was and interesting.

Russell was second in the competition.

Mrs. Parker presented the secretary, Mrs. Brooker, and the treasurer, Mrs. A. Lowe, with dainty shoulder sprays; also Mrs. Holmes, the retiring pianist, with a gift and a pretty posy. Mrs. Mitchell, the retiring president, later received a lovely bouquet and gifts from the members after which all joined in singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow." Mrs. Mitchell thanked all who had helped so much during her term of office, and urged all to sink their little differences and remember the big cause we are all fighting for just now. She hoped members would wholeheartedly support the new president.

Misses Jean Parker and Rita Howard contributed much to the afternoon's entertainment with their vocal solos.

their vocal solos.

Competition results were as follow: Best bloom, Mrs. Couch (dahlia) and Mrs. D. Brunton (zinnia) equal, 1, Mrs. Howard (zinnia) 2, Mrs. C. Brunton (zinnia) 3; best vegetable, Mrs. Couch (bean) 1, Mrs. Mardon (cucumber) and Mrs. A. Lowe (onion) equal, 2, Mrs. Stanford (beetroot) 3; flowers, 3 blooms each of 3 varieties, Mrs. blooms each of 3 varieties, Mrs. Howard 1, Mrs. Couch 2, Mrs. Brun

Howard 1, Mrs. Couch 2, Mrs. Brunton 3. The onion competition from 25 plants was won by Mrs. Mardon. Bottle of tomato sauce, Mrs. D. Brunton 1, Mrs. C. Brunton 2, Mrs. Collinge 3.

Mesdames Johnson and Sayers, Taradale, were thanked for kindly acting as tellers, the new committee being: President, Mrs. A. Lowe; secretary, Mrs. A. Bartle; treasurer, Mrs. S. Pedersen; vice-presidents, Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Brooker; committee, Mesdames Mardon, Mitchell, Robinson, Russell, Semmens and Welch.

Mrs. Robinson was appointed

Mrs. Robinson was appointed press correspondent.

Mrs. A. Lowe briefly thanked the members for electing her as presi-

In the competition for the bottle of loganberry wine Mrs. Waterhouse was successful, Mrs. Gledhill securing the cake. Mrs. C. Brunton kindly supplied the articles for competition.

ompetition.

Mrs. W. Smith assisted by three members showed how bandages should be applied. Whilst the demonstration was going on Mrs. Smith gave a running commentary on bandaging and haemorrhage. This

First aid classes are to be again started, and the sewing circle for the Lady Galway Guild and garden-ing circle are to meet during the

Mrs. Mitchell who, with helpers, Mrs. Mitchell who, with helpers, has been making up overseas parcels, showed how they were prepared, the result being a compact parcel of a handy size.

Hostesses were Mesdames A. Bartle, J. Bartle, Kay, Smith, Waters, Waterhouse, Welch and Miss More.

Waters, Wa Miss Moore.

#### A SIMPLE GUIDE TO WEDDINGS

Handy Book Recently Published

All prospective brides will welcome a handy little book, "Simple Guide to Weddings" by Sky Pilot, recently published by Whitcombe

recently published by and Tombs Ltd. This is a most inexpensive issue in which are clearly set out many points which singly or collectively

may quite possibly prove a problem for the bride-to-be and her parents. In quite a few moments one can learn about marriage certificates, registration fees, forms of procedure in the marriage, special licences and the banns. The correct way of wording both invitations and replies are followed by a discussion as to presents and letters of thanks. A few paragraphs about the actual ceremony include also the duties of best man and bridesmaids, correct bridal apparel, flowers, etc. This is followed by helpful advice as to the reception, seating of guests, toasts and speeches with suggested replies. In the miscellaneous information

section there is much more of in-

Both brides and other readers will have pleasure in learning the meanings of customs and symbols such as the bridal veil, wearing of orange blossom, the wedding ring and wedding cake. Besides all this there is included a list of birth stones and their meanings, flowers and their meanings and the various wedding anniversaries. Surely a handy and helpful little guide to possess.

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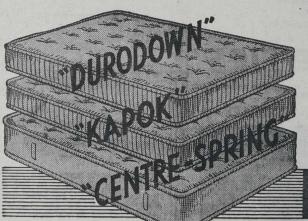
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King George's Hall, Bay View, was

tion was much appreciated by mem- the residents of Eskdale and Bay View gathered to farewell six sol diers on leave. The hall was brightly decorated with bowls of dahlias, berries and autumn flowers. Dancing to the Buffs Orchestra with extras by Mr and Mrs Staniland's band and Mrs Nicol was much enjoyed.

Mrs Nicol was much enjoyed.

After a delicious supper had been served by the ladies, Mr F. C. Clark, president of the Eskview Farewell Committee asked the following guests of honour to come forward: Second Lieuts. David Holt and John Shirley, and Privates W. Lawson, A. McKenzie, L. Bryson, an apology being received from V. Painter who was unable to attend. Mr Clark congratulated the boys and wished them all the luck possible from the residents of the districts. He then called on Mr H. Ellis, member of the Hawke's Bay County Council, to present to each of the boys a silver engraved pencil from the residents and a gift parcel from the Hawke's Bay County Council. He especially mentioned Private W. Lawson who was the first Maori boy from the Bay View district to go overseas, and this was met with a round of applause from the audience All ioned Bay view district to go overseas, and this was met with a round of ap-plause from the audience. All joined in singing for they are "Jolly good Fellows." The Rev. Cameron also ad-dressed the boys and gave them the Church's blessings and wished them a very safe return

very safe return. Each soldier suitably thanking the residents for the most enjoyable evening and all stated that would stand out in their memor

Mr Lopdell asked Second Lieut. David Holt and Private V. Painter to accept gifts from the Petane Dog Trial Club, of which both boys were

Sister D. Tait, who is nursing in social apparel, flowers, etc. This is followed by helpful advice as to the ecception, seating of guests, toasts and speeches with suggested replies. In the miscellaneous information section there is much more of interest.

Both brides and other readers will be readers with the British Forces was also the recipient of a silver engraved pencil. Sister D. Tait, who is nursing in the Middle East with the British Forces was also the recipient of a silver engraved pencil. Sister Tait, who is nursing in the Middle East with the British Forces was also the recipient of a silver engraved pencil. Sister Tait, who is nursing in the Middle East with the British Forces was also the recipient of a silver engraved pencil. Sister Tait joined up with Queen Alexander's not be recipient of a silver engraved pencil. Sister Tait is middle East with the British Forces was also the recipient of a silver engraved pencil. Sister Tait joined up with Queen Alexander's not pencil pen

out to the Middle East.

Thanks were due to the secretary
Miss R. Blair, and committee for a
most enjoyable evening spent, also
to Mr V. J. McHardy, Messrs Bryson and Wheatherly for acting as
door keepers and M.C., while the
supper arrangements were in the
capable hands of Mesdames C.

Stanling and A McHardy. capable hands of Mesdames Staniland and A. McHardy. These two districts are to be

gratulated on the number of boys and men who have answered the call for King and Country, 42 to date being farewelled.

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The annual meeting of the Tunanui Dog Trial Club was held on grounds at Tunanui lent for the occasion by Sir A. H. Russell, There were a large number of entries in all classes and the runs were of a high standard. The results were as follows:

Open Heading
Class 1: R. Booker's Plack
(43½pts), 1; W. Aitchison's Jeb (42½)
2; G. Boyle's (40½), 3; W. Dysart's
Sandy (40), 4.
Class II: J. C. Wedd's Flo (20pts),
1; E. Connor's Skye (18½), 2; J. B.
Will's Jean (16½), 3; W. Aitchison's
Jeb (16), 4.

Maiden Heading

Class I: W. Dysart's Sandy (40pts), 1; A. Oliver's Tui (36), 2; T. Lamont's Sweep (35), 3; D. Morton's Bruce (34½), 4.
Class II: E. Connor's Skye (18½pts), 1; T. Lamont's Sweep (16½), 2; J. B. Will's Jean and A. Sinclair's Fan (16), equal, 3.

Huntaway Open: T. Lincoln's Jock (43pts), 1; J. C. Wedd's Don and M. Harper's Bruce (42½), equal, 2; M. Harper's Tim (42), 4. 11m (42), 4.
Maiden: M. Harper's Bruce (42½pts), 1; W. Dysart's Scott and R. Booker's Nig (37½), equal, 2; G. Stevens (18), 4.

Challenge Cups Challenge Cup presented by W. Aitchison: W. Dysart.
Cup presented by Mr R. Booker: J. C. Wedd.

Miniature, Cup, women's class: Mrs R. Ensor.
Trophy presented by Mr E. C.
McDermot: E. Connor.
Mr A. Whyte's trophy: T. Lamont.
Mr A. Butt's prize: W. McQuillan

# Yesterday On 'Change

Transaction List

Following is a list of transactions one New Zealand Stock Exchange:—

WELLINGTON EXCHANGE Sales Late Monday Sales Yesterday 

 4% Stock, 1955
 105
 2

 Broken Hill (Rights)
 0
 17

 National Electric
 1
 0

 Wilson's Cement
 0
 19

 Woolworths Ltd.
 0
 17

CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE Govt. 4% Stock, 1954-Farmers' Co-op. 4½% Stock, 1955 81 0 0

# The Home Guard Rally

The following verses, together with a musical setting, have been offered to the Hastings Patriotic Committee by Mrs. Lilian Cumberworth, who has previously written a humorous war song:—

A spirit watches o'er the land, He holds a mere in his hand, He raises the mere up on high From north to south, you'll hear the cry. Ao-tea-roa and the singing dove, You must defend New Zealand, the land

Chorus So rally! rally! rally! one and all, Rally! rally! rally! to the call, For we'll defend New Zealand, Yes, we'll defend our free-land! Yes, we'll defend our free-land:
Ao-tea-roa! is the spirit's cry.
Ao-tea-roa, defend or die!
Ao-tea-roa, and the singing dove
Yes! we'll defend New Zealand, it's the
land we love;
So rally! rally! rally! to the call,
For the Home Guard needs you, one
and all!

and all! Second Verse Though we are far from the clamou

#### Auction Offering Yesterday OF LAMBS

WAIPUKURAU SALE

Brokers' Reports Of Their Realisations

Brokers report as follows on yes-terday's stock sale at Waipukurau:

H.B. Farmers' Co-op. Assn. Ltd. H.B. Farmers' Co-op. Assn. Ltd. 40, fat ewes 11/-, 4 at 10/1, 36 at 12/2, 24 at 12/1, 1 at 12/8, 4 fat weds 22/-, 207 ewe lambs 20/10, 64 rape lambs 16/2, 73 at 16/6, 67 wed lambs 16/1, 19 at 17/1, 126 at 18/3, 69 2th. weds 18/6, 97 2th. ewes 20/-, 18 at 22/7, 19 at 22/-, 60 m.a. ewes 18/6, 16 5yr. ewes 11/-, 26 at 14/-, 97 f. and f. weds 20/-, 40 2th. weds 18/-, 2 S.D. rams 3gns., 1 at 1½gns., 1 at 1gn. 1 at 12/-, 3 1sh. S.D. rams 7½gns., 2 at 4¾gns., 2 at 3½gns.

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5 fat P.A. cows £7, 1 fat Jersey cross cow £4 16/-, 2 fat seers £8, 1 fat red cow £8 7/6, 5 fat cows and heifers £5 15/-, 1 fat cow £4 10/-, 7 fat Hereford heifers £7 2/-, 4 fat P.A. heifers £7 7/-, 5 fat cows £6 1/-, 4 fat cows £6, 1 fat Jersey cow £5 5/-, 1 fat P.A. cow £6, 1 fat Jersey cow £5 5/-, 1 fat P.A. cow £6 13/6, 1 fat horned heifer £6 15/-, 10 fat P.A. cows £6 10/-, 4 fat cows £5 15/-, 1 fat Jersey cow £3 10/-, 1 fat red cow £5 10/-, 1 fat P.A. cow £8, 2 at £5 2/6, 1 Hereford cow £5 5/-.

12 steers £6, 5 bullocks £9 12/-, 7 P.A. steers £7 17/-, 7 P.A. bullocks £9 8/-, 6 heifers £3 12/-.

191 wed lambs 11/-, 240 wed. lambs 16/3, 260 at 16/3, 100 woolly wed lambs 14/10, 73 at 14/3, 286 shorn wed lambs 12/3, 200 at 16/2, 87 2th. ewes 26/-, 1 at 10/-, 120 at 10/-, 120 4 and 6th. ewes 20/-, 69 4 and 5yr. ewes 16/-, 81 m.a. ewes 20/-, 35 w. wed lambs 7/6, 26 4 and 6th. ewes 17/-, 14 6th. and 4yr. ewes 18/6, 15 lambs 11/5, 29 ewe lambs 15/-, 9 m.a. ewes 16/6, 1 Romney ram 10/-, 5 Romney rams 6/-, 6 S.D. rams 1½gns.

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£4 5/-, 1 Jersey runner £3 12/-, 1
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19/7, 71 m.a. ewes 20/6, 66 at 19/3,
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#### BROKERS' OFFERINGS AT NORSEWOOD

Report On Weekly Stock Sale

Messrs Williams and Kettle, Ltd., report that at the weekly Norsewood stock sale they offered a small yardstock sale they offered a small yarding of sheep, cattle and pigs to a fair attendance of the public. They quote as follows:—Wether lambs 16/9, small wether lambs 9/- to 9/9, B.F. lambs 13/6, ewe lambs 20/-, zhe ewes 25/-, aged ewes 8/- to 11/1, light fat Jer. cows £3 10/-, small Jersey weaner heifers £2 7/-, heavy potter bulls £8 5/-, weaner pigs 3/- to 8/6.

Dalgety and Company, Ltd. The sale did not attract a very big entry, the offering of sheep, cattle and pigs being small. The attendance was good and a satisfactory clearance was made. The sheep penned were mostly odd lots but sold at prices comparing favourably with

recent sales.
Good ewe lambs 17/9 to 21/-, small ewe lambs 13/6, good romney wether lambs (woolly) 16/6; others 14/-. Good down cross lambs 18/6, medium lots 16/-, good class young breeding ewes 21/6, old ewes 9/6 to 14/-. Small 2-th. ewes 25/-. Pigs: The offering comprised upwards of 60 head mostly weaners, the quality being poor. Prices for this class were down and sales hard to make. Small weaners 6/6 to 10/-. Better class 12/6 to 14/-.

Better class 12/6 to 14/-. Cattle: The few offered did not create much interest and some lots did not sell. Good class springing heifers £7 12/6. Store cows £2 10/-.

YOUNG FARMERS MEET AT WAIROA

Co-operation In Field Experiments

(Daily Mail Special Service) WAIROA.

A highly instructive lantern lecture on beauty spots in the South Island was given by Mr Bernard Teague, Wairoa, at the monthly meeting of the Wairoa Young Farmers' Club.

Mr Teague took his interested lis

teners on a hiking and cycling tour of the South Island and showed some beautiful slides of some of the notable peaks in the Southern Alps.
Mr Teague touched on Central
Otago, the Mackenzie Country and
the South Island Lake District in
the course of his talk and his lanthe course of his talk and his lat-tern slides graphically illustrated the remarkable type of country which he has visited on many of his tours.

At a subsequent meeting of the club it was decided to co-operate with the Department of Agriculture with the Department of Agriculture in its field experimental work. A sub-committee consisting of Messrs D. G. Wilson, R. Watson, and G. Newlands was appointed to investigate the possibility of obtaining members to superintend trial plots in the Wairoa district.

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Drop In Values Not Acceptable

(Daily Mail Special Service) WAIPUKURAU.

The yarding of approximately 3000 store sheep offered at the weekly stock sale at Waipukurau yesterday was made up mainly of lambs, which included several top-line drafts. Values were from 1/- to 2/-cheaper and as the sale progressed the market became assign. The sellthe market became easier. The sell-ing was very quiet in comparison with the brisk activity that has been with the brisk activity that has been a feature since the season opened. Soon after the selling started some drafts off well known stations caught an ebb in the selling prices, being over two shillings down on last week. Several vendors were not prepared to accept the drop in values

Extra good shorn white-faced wether lambs in forward order sold wether lambs in forward order sold at the beginning of the sale made 18/3; others offered later, a little smaller grown, brought 16/1 to 16/3. These were followed by a good station draft passed at 13/9 which last week would have realised over 16/-. Down cross lambs in meaty condition made 16/2. Breeding ewes were again slow to trade, while the few

tion made 16/2. Breeding ewes were again slow to trade, while the few wethers penned were small and in store order only.

No interest was shown for the small entry of fat sheep the quality of which was much better than at late sales. Fat ewes made 11/- to 12/2 and 2-th wethers 21/-.

In view of the circumstances affecting the beef industry, yesterday's yarding of about 140 head met with a satisfactory market. Cows made up most of the pens being chiefly plain and unfinished.

Cattle

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Ten well framed A.A. cows in forward condition, were passed at £6 5/-. Seven two-off A.A. cross steers, medium grown and doing well sold at £7 17/-. Six fairly framed forward A.A. bullocks sold at £9 8/-. An entry of A.A. bullocks in forward order made £9 12/-. 8 A.A. cows, medium framed and in fair order, averaging close on 550lbs., sold at £7. Ten plain quality A.A. cows in light condition and would hardly grade, were passed at £6 14/-. A pen of young A.A. cows and heifers, small framed and for which no guarantee as to empty could be guarantee as to empty could be given sold at £5 15/-. Six fairly framed A.A. cross cows in ordinary

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1 2yr. heifer \frac{15}{2}, 2 prime wethers 22/1, 124 shorn wether lambs 13/-, 44 shorn wether lambs 16/10, 98 2th ewes 21/-, 23 woolly wether lambs 17/6, 1 S.D. ram \frac{1}{2}\text{gns.}, 3 S.D. rams 2gns., 4 shearling S.D. rams 5gns.

BROVER. inferior Hereford cross cows in poor condition were passed at £4 18/6.

Store Sheep

An offering of early shorn small grown low set 2-th ewes in good order made good buying at 24/-; 69 small to medium grown 2-th wethers late shorn and in store order were passed at 18/-. On account of Estate M. Tansey, 64 medium grown Down gross lambs in meaty condition sold cross lambs in meaty condition sold

at 16/2.
On account Mr M. Davidson, Porangahau, 126 well grown early shorn w.f. wether lambs in forward order and handling well, being in bright order, met the market at 18/3.

An offering of well sliped four, six and eight-tooth ewes, low set and in good order were passed at 19/6. On account of Mr H. J. Talbot, Blackburn, 156 fairly framed medium sliped ewes, mouths well worn, being off hard country, but good doing sheep, sold at 14/3. On account Bullock Hill Station, 191 small to medium grown woolly w.f. lambs in light condition, but hardy were passed at 11/6. On account of Te Awa Station, 150 small to medium grown shorn w.f. wether lambs ium grown shorn w.f. wether lambs in hardy condition and very bright sold at 10/4. On account Aramoana sold at 10/4. On account Aramouna Station, 240 nicely grown shorn w.f. wether lambs and in good doing order made 16/3. On account Mr R. G. St. Hill-Warren, 260 shorn lambs in similar order to the previous pen but not quite so even were passed at 16/1. On account Messrs C. and F. Severinsen, 208 woolly ewe lambs, F. Severinsen, 208 woolly ewe lambs, medium grown, handling well, being very bright and sound sold at 20/10. On account Mr W. Johnston, 139 woolly w.f. wether lambs, medium grown and handling quite well having been on rape, sold at 14/6. From Springhill, fairly grown wether lambs in good order and very bright, were passed at 13/9.

#### PETROL THIEVES ARE ACTIVE

Two Men Flee After Being Surprised

The activities of petrol thieves are still causing Napier motorists conecrn. Typical of the problems confronting those engaged in the detection of this particularly mean type of offence was that faced when two thieves who were caught in the act, fled and disappeared in a thicket on a recent night. thicket on a recent night.

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Leander was the first of these.

Rofary Conference

Because of the war, the 19th cor Because of the war, the 19th conference of Rotary clubs of New Zealand is being confined largely to business, and many of the social activities usually associated with the assembly have been eliminated. The official opening took place at Wellington yesterday, the mayor of Wellington (Mr T. C. A. Hislop) officiating. Mr D. A. Ewen presided. Mr Ewen said that the number of clubs was 26, and the membership clubs was 26, and the membership 1462.—Press Association



# Daily Mail

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1941.

#### FRANCE AND THE BLOCKADE

Making every allowance for the difficult and uncomfortable position the Vichy Government finds itself in, there does not seem to be any justification whatever for its threat to use the French Navy to break the blockade.

Germany has plundered France and has transported large quantities of food and livestock to Germany. As a consequence, the French are going short of food.

The Frenchman likes his food. He may start the day with a very light meal but he makes up for it at noon and in the evening. The Vichy Government will know from past experience that a hungry mob is very difficult to control, and one can readily understand its anxiety about the food

The Germans are clever enough to exploit the situation. Having failed to get control of the French Navy, the next best manoeuvre is to embroil France and Britain in a dispute over the blockade, and bring about a position which would require Britain to restrain movements of the French fleet by force. It would be a deplorable development, but Great Britain could hardly shrink from the unpleasant duty of putting it out of the power of the French Navy to render the Germans indirect assistance.

Food supplies imported into France from North Africa and elsewhere to replace those which have gone to feed the Germans would also be liable to seizure for the same purpose, and while one can sympathise with the sufferings of hungry people in France, the responsibility for their privations is Germany's and not ours.

The Petain Government is a military dictatorship which has usurped power in France and can have no basis of popular support or approval. It can exist only for so long as the German military occupation prevents any expression of the will of the French people. When Germany is defeated and compelled to withdraw from France, revolution is as inevitable as night following day, and it will go very hard with Marshal Petain and his fellow collaborators with Germany. They will be fortunate indeed if they do not lose their heads, because the vengeance of revolutionaries in France is apt to be rather terrible.

In the meantime, the problem facing Great Britain is how to prevent the Vichy Government from playing the German game, without setting the French people against us. They are suffering to-day for the corruption and incompetence of their politicians and the inefficiency of their military chiefs. Their only hope of liberation is through a British victory.

General de Gaulle has been emphasising this in his broadcasts to the French people, but a starving Frenchman is more likely to be concerned about his immediate necessities than his political future. He may be perfectly well aware that the Germans plundered his country, and still be susceptible to German propaganda which is capable of representing with great plausibility that his sufferings are now due to the refusal of Great Britain to allow him to obtain food from French

One can only hope that Admiral Darlan will not put the matter to the test by an order to the French Navy to convoy French merchantmen to French ports.

#### THE HUTT WORKSHOPS DISPUTE

The trouble which has arisen at the Hutt Railway workships over payment for Saturday work has taken a serious turn, and in locking out the disaffected employees the Minister of Railways has placed both sides in a position from which retreat without loss of "face" is difficult.

While giving Mr Semple every credit for his desire to speed up production of munitions and war material, a less provocative tone towards the men would have made a settlement easier to reach. It may be perfectly true that exponents of what Mr Semple calls "a foreign philosophy" have been partly responsible for the trouble, but infection with the Communist virus is not confined to railway workshop employees. It occurs among members of the community who have had every advantage which social position and educational opportunities provide, and is no monopoly of the labouring class.

In the absence of a full statement of the facts, one can only speak subject to correction, but the failure of the Government to observe conditions which a private employer is bound by, seems to be the primary cause of the dispute. The men claim overtime rates of pay for Saturday morning work, having completed the statutory working week of 40 hours on Friday evening. There does not seem to be any logical reason why it should be refused. The private employer cannot get away with overtime at ordinary rates of pay, even when the man are willing to accept it as a proposal contri when the men are willing to accept it as a personal contribution to the war effort. A Hamilton employer who tried it was prosecuted by the Labour Department for committing a breach of an industrial award.

There may be a sound reason for differentiating between workers in Government and private employment, and if there is it should be forthcoming. One cannot help regretting that Mr D. G. Sullivan is not handling the matter instead of his exceedingly impulsive successor,

# Personal

Mr D. Smith has gone to New Plymouth for a holiday visit.

Private L. Keating will leave Napier shortly to join the crew H.M. hospital ship Maunganui.

Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P., left Hastings yesterday morning for Wellington for the opening of Parlia-

Mr R. Caffie, New Plymouth, has returned home after visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs D. Smith, Cheviot, Otane. Mr R. Henderson, superintendent

of the Hastings Fire Brigade, has been elected vice-president of the United Fire Brigades' Association of New Zealand. Mr Henderson, who is attending the Fire Brigades' Conference at Blenheim, has held this attending the Fire Brigades' Conference at Blenheim, has held this attending the Fire Brigades' Conference at Blenheim, has held this attending the Fire Brigades' Conference at Blenheim, has held this attending the Fire Brigades. They will also have seen the announcing of selections for the Parliamentary elections later on. office on several previous occasions.

Mr T. King was elected secretary in place of Mr J. Stickland, who has entered the Royal New Zealand Air Force, at a meeting of the Hawke's Bay Boxing Association last night. Mr F. A. Hull was appointed the association's delegate to the annual conference of the New Zealand Boxing Council at Wellington on March 14. March 14.

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AT THE HOTELS

Mr. L. C. Bain, Mr. A. B. Cox, Mr. A. Basset, Mr. R. Carter, Mr. J. Hickey (Wellington), Mr. D. Prince (Auckland), Mr. C. Yin (Auckland), Mr. L. Richardson (Auckland), Mr. W. Montgomery (Palmerston North), Mr. Hunter (Hastings), Mr. G. Chezman, Mr. Bullock (Rotorua), Mr. Abbott (Hastings), are staying at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings).

Mr. W. M. Lowry, Mr. F. Knight Mr. C. W. Smith (Auckland), Mr. Mr. F. Constable, Mr. R. E. Hankey, Mr. T. H. Meakin (Wellington), Mr. A. Welais (Christchurch), Mr. W. Knights (Palmerston North), Mr. S. Pizer, Mr. J. Stacey, Mr. L. Clark, Mr. E. Bates, Mr. W. Cook (Wellings.)

Mr and Mrs M. Pizer, Miss S. Pizer, Mr. J. Stacey, Mr. L. Clark, Mr. E. Bates, Mr. W. Cook (Wellingston), Mr. J. D. Williamson, Mrs E. C. Beale, Mrs H. L. Thomson (Auckland), Mr. and Mrs H. White (Waipawa), Mrs M. Hamilton (Bournemouth), Mr. R. Bell, Mr. J. Mortlock, Mr. A. Teuch (Christchurch), Mr. C. Davies (Wanganui), Mrs G. Wilson (Onga Onga), Mr. J. Hides (Mellony), Mr. R. Mortlock, Mr. A. Teuch (Christchurch), Mr. C. Davies (Wanganui), Mrs G. Wilson (Onga Onga), Mr. J. Hides (Mellony), Mr. R. Mortlock (Hawera) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

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Mr S. R. Smith, Mr W. S. Nicol, Mr C. Self, Mr Jackson, Mr H. H. Morris, Mr Sherratt, Mr McReady,

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# Breakfast

"Billiards player? Why, he knows so little about the game he thinks Inoff the Red is a Russian General!"

"She said she'd send me a photo of

# Editor

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

#### "Muddling Party Politics"

Sir,-Your readers will nave no ticed a desire by several people for

The former, by virtue of the fact Day of Prayer Government House has been advised that his Majesty the King has expressed the wish that Sunday, March 23, should be observed as a Parliament. If it were then half the "tripe" secondary local government has to try to carry out would cease and there would be a more equitable basis between local body government and primary government.

The greatest is the secondary local government when the secondary local government is a constant. The greatest is the secondary local government. that its members have to adminis

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the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Mr H. C. Plested (Napier), Mr K.
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A. Self (Wairoa), Mr W. F. Percy, Mr K. McCready (Tolaga Bay), Mr W. T. Nicol (Gisborne), Mr A. Anderson, Mr H. L. P. Smith (Wellington), Mrs C. Allen (Levin), Mr D. G.
Dymock (Te Karaka), Mr W. H.
Mossman (Putere), are staying at the Clyde Hotel.

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Mr C. Self, Mr Janta (Melington), Mr Ja mentis rather than vox populi.

In the meantime party government and paid Parliamentarians combined has brought us to where we might lose our freedom. Cannot candidates be forced to have their views examined by a committee of public safety before being allowed to nominate? I think this is possible even with the party system.

There is not the slightest necessity for postponing either local body or Parliamentary elections.— I am, etc.,

#### Norsewood.

Medical Service And The B.M.A.

Sir,—A sentence in the statement of Dr Alexander Wilson, Wanganui, published in this morning's "Daily Mail" is decidedly interesting.

"He said the scheme was doomed from the beginning because it was not in accordance with the beliefs and traditions of the allied professions."

I wonder if the good doctor would be ready to accord the same free-dom to the strikers in the Hutt Val-

dom to the stikers in the Hutt Valley?

Under the bad old system the B.M.A. is rich and powerful to the degree that people suffer sickness and pain; surely it is time to try for a better arrangement?

That doctors as a general rule are men of the highest character I am more than ready to agree, but that that fact mitigates to some extent the consequences of the present system is surely no argument for the retention of that system.

The argument that a doctor will not do his best unless he is free to charge according to the dictates of the B.M.A. is completely falsified by the war of 1914-1918. Is it not a fact that freedom from "beliefs and traditions" and other stultifying effects of the B.M.A. resulted in tremendous advances being made in medical and surgical science by the splendid men who simply took their Army pay and gave of their best?

Time was when the doctor was one of the best loved members of the community. With commercialism killed he can be so again.—I am, etc.

VERY HOPEFUL.

March 11.

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# To Correspondent

'Jim the Milker": It is hardly reasonable to ask the "Daily Mail" to print replies to letters and statements which have been published in other newspapers.

#### **New Street Lights**

The work of erecting street lights in the Richmond block at Napier is in progress by men of the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board. A shortage of material has considerably delayed the work, but it is expected that the lights will be in use within a few days.

#### Minister's New Role

"How are ye enjoyin' the army, Tam?"

"Ach, it's a great life. It's the first time I've had peace since I married ten years ago."

"Give me a round-trip ticket."

"Where to, please?"

"Back here, you fool."

The new Daylight saving idea, if carried on through the Winter, will have us out of bed in the half light, and off to our various duties a good deal earlier. To provide against the chilly morning air, smart warm woollies will be much in demand. Parkers have just opened the first lot of Twin sets for Ladies—Beautiful garments in the latest shades and made expressly for them.\*

Minister's New Role

Donning dungarees and all the paraphernalia of a Waikato dairy-farmer in the milking shed, the Minister of Agriculture (the Hon. J. G. Barclay) on Monday assisted to milk a herd of cows on a Waikato farm. The sight of a Minister of the Crown applying his practical knowledge in the milking shed, was seen on the farm of Mr L. R. Harris, and the purpose of the Minister's action was to obtain first-hand knowledge of a milking machine evolved by Mr Harris. That the Minister was no typro in the operation of a milking machine evolved by Mr Harris. That the Minister's New Role

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#### Letters To The Local & General HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FAIR, WARM WEATHER

The following is the "Daily Mail's' special forecast for the Hawke's Bayarea:

Winds: Moderate north-easterly. Weather: Mainly fair and warm but an isolated shower or two in the hills. Seas: Slight to moderate.

#### NAPIER WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken ves-terday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows:— Dry bulb temp.
Wet bulb temp.
Maximum temp.
Minimum temp. t. underground

#### HASTINGS WEATHER

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Maximum temp.
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#### DOMINION FORECAST

General situation: An anti-cyclone centred near Chatham Island still ex-tends on to New Zealand while a de-pression is almost stationary in the estern Tasman Sea.

Forecast.—Winds: Fresh easterlies over the Auckland Peninsula. Elsewhere moderate north-easterlies prevailing and freshening at times in exposed positions. Seas.—New Zealand waters: Slight to moderate. Eastern Tasman Sea: Moderate to fresh north-easterly winds. Sea moderate.

Weather: Morning fog in many places and an isolated shower or two during the afternoon in the Auckland Province. Otherwise fair to fine with mild to warm temperatures.

# To-day's Diary

NAPIER

The Theatres:

"Hold My Hand," and "Zero Hour"
Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.
"The Rangers Ride Again," Regent,
2 and 8 p.m.
"The Ramparts We Watch," State,
2 and 8 p.m.

#### HASTINGS

The cheatres: "Untamed," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"One Crowded Night," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"The Ghost Comes Home" and "Tarzan Finds a Son," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

#### School Amenities

Largely through the actions of the



Coats in Angora, plain and nov-elty checks and stripes. Military, swing and semi-fitting styles, with high neck-line or fitting

## New Autumn Styles Westerman's are displaying a glorious range of new sea-son's fashions which all have a brand new look. See them all in Westerman's various departments.

Lovely display of Autumn Millinery featuring Military, Breton, and wide brimmed shapes. Shades Wood Moss, Vineyard, Gorse Gold, Soldier Blue, Teal, Navy, Black, College Grey, Pixie Brown.

Two Piece Suits in feather weight wool materials, belted weight wool materials, benedicted and fitting styles, coats of fingertip length with built up shoulder and pleated skirts. Shades Soldier Blue, Copper Rose, Firth, Haze Green, Red Clay, Clipper Blue, Black and Navy.

Frocks in Jerseylaine, angora and fancy woollen materials showing the novelty stripes and designs, with swing and pleated skirts, styles including the new buttoned fronts.



HERETAUNGA ST. — HASTINGS

Vineyards: Church Road, Greenmeadows, 'Phone 23, Taradale.

MAIL NOTICES

The Air Mail for Australia is dis-atched thrice fortnightly and the losing time is 4 p.m.

Wairoa 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. daily. Gisborne, 4 p.m. daily. Auckland, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only) p.m. Saturday (letters only), 1.15.

Heard about the Scotsman who needed money so badly he drew some out of the bank?

"I asked if I could see her home."
"And what did she say?"

#### Appeal for Recruits Twenty-three 'planes passed over

One Case Session

The Napier session of the Com

pensation Court, which is to open on Friday, will be of short duration. Only one case is set down for hear-

only one case is set down for lear-ing and it is anticipated that the Court will be engaged for the whole day. Mr Justice O'Regan is expected to arrive in Napier from Hamilton to-morrow night.

At least one Napier night worker received a surprise bordering on em-

barrassment, early this morning Wending his way homeward past a telephone cubicle which he had come

to regard as a milestone, this unin-vited witness was suddenly con-fronted by a girl changing her

Civic Dressing Facility!

Auckland at lunch hour, and 300 airmen from Whenuapai and Hobsonville marched up Queen Street to the Town Hall, where the mayor (Sir Ernest Davis), delivered an address. He said that this was the be-ginning of an appeal for pilots and observers, and there was no doubt as to the response the men of New Zealand would make.—Press Associ-

#### Bankrupt Files

A petition in bankruptcy was filed by Roy Gayne Walley, a freezing works employee, Havelock North, at the Napier Courthouse y yesterday. The file disclosed that £164 18/11 was owing to unsecured creditors. Assets in the form of real estate work estimated to moduce £140. were estimated to produce £140, leaving an estimated deficiency of £24 18/11. There are no creditors domiciled in Hawke's Bay. A meeting of creditors will be held in the Hastings Courthouse at 2.15 p.m. on March 20.

The adjourned inquest into the death of Mrs Muriel Lillian Waldon, wife of Mr John Waldon, a Waihau farmer, which occurred on January 31, will be resumed at the Napier Courthouse at 10.45 a.m. to-morrow. Courthouse at 10.45 a.m. to-morrow. A post mortem examination conducted shortly after the tragedy disclosed that a .22 bullet had penetrated the chest. This was later recovered in the ribs. A .22 rifle which was found beside Mrs Waldon's body was sent to the Police firearms expert in Wellington and has now been returned to Napier.

Shooting Sequel

Queen Carnival News Inquiries made yesterday at the Inquiries made yesterday at the headquarters of the various Queens participating in the Napier Patriotic Carnival disclosed that all organisations are making the maximum effort to place their respective candidates at the head of the poll. It was also revealed that numerous gatherings have been arranged for the also revealed that numerous gatherings have been arranged for the future. At frequent intervals, commencing next Tuesday morning, the positions of the various Queens will be published. Through the generosity of the managing-director of the National Tobacco Co. Ltd. (Mr Gerhard Husheer), the Army Queen has benefited by the extent of 55

benefited to the extent of £5.

day, both for their plain beauty as an adornment, and to hold a small photograph or miniature. McClurgs are catering especially to fulfil this demand for plain, engraved or jewel set lockets at moderate prices in solid gold. Their aim is to serve the public with high grade goods, at moderate prices. McClurgs Ltd., the oldest established Jewellers in Hawke's Bay. Hastings Street, Napier.\*



# **DECISION**

#### AUCKLAND HOSPITAL **OUT-PATIENTS**

#### REFUND DEMANDED

"Chairman Sulking," Says Minister

Telegraph—Press Association GREYMOUTH, March 11. Commenting this morning on the report from Auckland of remarks made by the chairman (Mr Allan Moody) and the decision of the Auckland Hospital Board not to rovide free out patient service, the linister of Health (the Hon. A. H.

Minister of Health (the Hon. A. H. Nordmeyer) said:

"While Mr Moody was sulking in Auckland, the remaining members of the Hospital Boards' Association executive were meeting me in conference in Wellington. As a result of our discussions, satisfactory arrangements to the Government on the one side and the boards on the other were entered into.

"The attitude of the gentlemen on the executive was in striking contrast to that exhibited on this occasion and on others by the chairman of the Auckland Hospital Board. The regulations are ready and will be gazetted shortly.

"The only change that will now require to be made will be the insertion of a provision requiring the Auckland Hospital Board to refund to any person whom it has charged for out-patient service since March I the amount so charged" he con-

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#### "Statement Not Acceptable"

CHAIRMAN'S VIEW

"Implementing" Policy Government

#### MEDICAL BENEFITS

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, March 11 Replying to the Hon. A. H. Nordmeyer, Mr Alan Moody, the Hospital Board chairman, said: "Unlike certain Cabinet Ministers, I wish to state that I have neither time nor the inclination to sulk when I do not get my way, or when I am not capable of making up my mind on a definite course of action. "I have not yet received official

advice whether the remaining members of the Hospital Boards' Association executive has, as stated, made satisfactory arrangements with the Government and, personally, I would prefer to wait until I have this statement from the association itself, because I do not included in the Indian I when the Indian I would be required to consider more than a slender legislative programme. have this statement from the association itself, because I do not intend to accept the Minister's bald, and, to my mind, unconvincing

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"Matter for Government"

"It may be that this statement is as accurate as his remarks concerning the general body of medical practitioners accepting the Government's medical benefits plan. The timeat to require the Auckland Hospital Board to refund any outpatients' service fees is, of course, a matter of responsibility of the Government or the Minister, who will act quite wrongly, I think, in making the board do something which is contrary to commonsense methods.

"Instead of the Minister wasting time dealing with this type of regulation, why does he not get on with the job, and if he has that conviction which he alleges he has, let him bring the necessary regulation into effect to compel the nospital boards to give their out-patients treatment free?

"If this is done, then the board of the Minister wasting the dealing with this type of regulation, why does he not get on with the provided the distribution of the Government, with a view to its continuation of the Government, with a view to its continuation of the Government, with a view to its continuation of the Government, with a view to its continuation of the Government, with a view to its continuation of the Government of the municipal election, as a municipal viewpoint is a No Man's Land.

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#### GREY BOARD WILL CO-OPERATE

#### Free Out-Patient Treatment

By Telegraph—Press Association GREYMOUTH, March 11.

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The Grey Hospital Board to-night decided unanimously to co-operate with the Department of Health in regard to free out-patient treatment under the Social Security Act.

The Department advised the board of Ministerial approval of the renewal agreements with the medical associations, of which there are a large number in the district.

It was stated by the board's secretary that the renewals were now under discussion in view of the free scheme, and members stated that some associations were seeking arrangements for free treatment by specialists apart from the free outpatient scheme, and also the free use of ambulances, which is not covered in the scheme.

Auckland's fishing fleet stayed in port for the second day while the fishermen awaited a decision from the Minister of Industries and Commerce (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan) regarding their dispute with the fish merchants.

Although the matter was reported to have been placed in the Minister's hands on Monday no decision from the free outpatient scheme, and also the free use of ambulances, which is not covered in the scheme.

The fishermen first refused to sail during the week-end when they

#### FINED FOR REMOVING TIME-BOMB

#### Cheering Crowd Watched Sailor

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For carrying a time-bomb a quarter of a mile to vacant land, Arthur Pullen, a sailor of 6ft. 5in. tall, from H.M.S. Dolphin, was to-day fined

#### REPLY TO BOARD FURTHER IMPRESSMENT OF VEHICLES NOW NECESSARY

#### North Island Total Is Still Several Hundred Short

(By Telegraph—Press Association) WELLINGTON, March 11.

"The impressment of vehicles for the Army must go on," said the Hon. R. Semple in a statement to-day. "We are still several hundred vehicles short of actual requirements. "While I cannot disclose the number required or the

number taken under the impressment scheme, I am permitted to say that the South Island requirements for the manoeuvres which commenced yesterday were fairly well met, but the North Island quota has not been filled.

"It is therefore necessary to make a considerable effort in the near future, as large-scale field force manoeuvres will

"ILL-CONSIDERED"

**COMMANDEER** 

STRONG PROTEST IN

**CANTERBURY** 

IMPRESSED CARS

By Telegraph-Press Association CHRISTCHURCH, March 12.

"While desirous of assisting the

var effort, this committee desires oprotest regarding the absence both f reasonable notice and of method in

the recent impressment of vehicles in this territory. It is considered that an unnecessary dislocation of business has resulted from an illustrational and unbusinesslike commander."

This comment is part of a statement issued by the Transport Committee of the Canterbury Chamber

of Commerce about the impressment of vehicles for military purposes. The statement also asks under what authority the transport licens-ing authority is able to accept ap-peals.

Records at Post Office

"A Serious Effect"

Probate Details

British Official Wireless (Received March 11, 7.45 p.m.)

Further grants of probate in respect of settled lands of a total of £3,555,600 have been issued in the estate of the ninth Duke of North-

RUGBY, March 10.

TURKEY : -

"DOES HE THINK I WAS

LATCHED ONLY YESTERDAY?

take place next month."

Mr. Semple added that he regretted the hardship that might be suffered by individuals, but everyone would agree that Army requirements were of paramount im-

quirements were of paramount importance.

Our local forces could not be properly trained and operated at maximum efficiency unless they were adequately equipped, and the Government sought the co-operation of all concerned in meeting the position.

the position.

Some difficulties had arisen, said Mr. Semple, but the scheme provided for an immediate appeal to local licensing authorities and he would emphasise that immediately an owner was notified that his vehicle was to be impressed he should, if he had any objection, get in touch with the licensing authority at once, even by telephone if the urgency of the case demanded it.

Every endeavour would be made to give owners notice before the notice of impressment was issued, but in some cases it might be impossible to do this.

To meet such cases, notices

possible to do this.

To meet such cases, notices would accompany every impressment order giving the owner information regarding the appeal

#### New Session Of **Parliament**

LITTLE LEGISLATION

War Effort Comes First

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11.

"With complete registration statistics recorded at the General Post Office and already tabulated under suitable headings, direct contact and ample notice could and should have been given to all owners of the value and class of vehicle selected, not only to prepare them for impressment but to give them an opportunity to submit their reasons to be classed as essential and exempted. This would have prevented unnecessary hardship and inconvenience and the apparently unfair and haphazard method of selection recently adopted "A Serious Effect" The session of the House of Rep-"The intended impressment of a large percentage of the most mod-ern and efficient vehicles must have

#### Fishermen Stay In Port

AUCKLAND DISPUTE

Minister's Decision

during the week-end when they claimed that although an increase of d a pound as from March 1 was granted for schnapper, terakihi and kingfish by the Price Tribunal, all did not receive the increased price from the merchants for their fish last week

#### DEFENCE TALKS AT **MELBOURNE**

NEW ZEALAND AND **AUSTRALIA** 

The bomb weighed 110lb and lodged in the floor-boards of a house in the London street where his relatives live. He sawed out the bomb and, amid the cheers of the residents, trundled it in a barrow to vacant land, with his son, aged 17, going ahead to warn the people in the streets. However, a policeman followed and, when Pullen got rid of the bomb, led him unresisting to the station,

United Press Association—Copyright MELBOURNE, March 11.

Comprehensive defence plans for the Pacific are being considered by a series of conferences beginning to-day in Melbourne between Australian and New Zealand defence chiefs. The New Zealand representatives are Major-Comeral Sir John Duigan (Army), Commander W. E. Parry (Navy), Air Commodore H. W. L. Saunders (Air).

#### FIRE SERVICE IN WARTIME

ORGANISATION FOR **EMERGENCY** 

WIDE SCHEME

Recommendations By Conference

By Telegraph—Press Association BLENHEIM, March 11.

The organisation of fire services in New Zealand to meet conditions arising in the event of the cities and towns being subjected to air raids was the principal subject before the conference of the United Fire Brigades' Association.

To-morrow four resolutions will be forwarded to the Minister of National Service.

An address on the Government's roposals, which emphasised the ecessity of increasing fire service necessity of increasing fire service personnel and equipment so that immediate training can be carried out was given by the Inspector of Fire Brigades (Mr T. Girling Butcher). As an outcome of a discussion on the address, in committee, the conference instructed the executive to confer with Mr Butcher and to present recommendations. and to present recommendations. Four resolutions embodying these recommendations were adopted as

Brigade Auxiliary

(1) That all brigades endeavour to establish a brigade auxiliary of not less than two-thirds of the ordinary brigade strength. The conference considered this desirable not only to meet possible war emergencies but to strengthen the brigades for dealing with ordinary fires and preventing the loss of material irreplacable in wartime.

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(2) That the conference represent to the Minister of National Service that in view of the fact that the fire service is the first line of defence in the event of enemy attack, service in the existing brigades, brigade auxiliaries or emergency fire services be given preference over both the Home Guard and Emergency Precautions scheme except in the case of men having special qualifications. Suitable men could be interchanged.

Emergency Service

**Emergency Service** 

(3) That the conference approve the formation of an emergency fire service on the basis recommended for the cities and larger secondary towns, and the enrolment of unpaid voluntary auxiliaries numbering not less than two-thirds of the ordinary brigade strength brigade strength.

(4) All auxiliaries to be enrolled individually as members of the E.P.S. and every brigade to be included in the E.P.S. as a unit.

#### Three Women Are Missing

Tramping Trip From Titirangi

AUCKLAND, March 11.

Three Auckland women who left ne city on Friday evening to unthe city on Friday evening to undertake a tramping trip from Titirangi to Piha and were to have returned home on Sunday evening have not been seen since they left the bus at Titirangi.

Africa. I will feed them even if I have to use force.

"The Germans by releasing 2,000,000 quintals of wheat earmarked for the Army of Occupation have proved more generous than the British, but I still hope for more the bus at Titirangi.

To-morrow morning a number of search parties will leave Auckland to comb the bush.

A message was received in the city late to-night from an unknown source that the missing women had been found 20 miles from Titirangi, but the police were unable to confirm if

The three women are: Miss Hazel Parker, 21, Miss Erica Rent, 26, and Mrs Fiveash, about 40.

No Experience

It is believed that none of the three had had tramping experience. They were travelling light and had sufficient food to last them for only two days. So far as is known none of them was a member of them was a member of them.

of them was a member of a recognised tramping club.

The missing women left Auckland about five o'clock on Friday night.

They are believed to have told several people that they intended to find a track through the bush from Titirangi to Piha via Bethells, and would sleep in the open on Friday and Saturday night.

As soon as the Auckland police were advised this morning of their failure to return on Sunday evening inquiries were made in several country districts but without result.

They are believed to have told several from France.

"We must remember that the french Government has accepted the principle of economic co-operation with Germany," the spokesman added.

"Admiral Darlan may be responsible for feeding the 40,000,000 people of France. Britain, however, is fighting to free many times more than 40,000,000 enslaved people in Europe, including the selfsame causes.

The Duke, who was 27 was a lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards and died on active service last May.

He left unsettled property already valued at £1,446,489, making the total £1,802,089 passing by his death.

# On Victory

AUSTRALIAN MESSAGE

H.M.S. Leander's Feat Against Raider

TELEGRAM RECEIVED

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11. telegram congratulating H.M.S. Leander on her success in destroy-ing the Italian commerce raider in the Indian Ocean has been received by the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon, P. Fraser) from the Acting-Prime Minister of Australia (the Hon, A. W. Fadden).

Hon. A. W. Fadden).

His message is:

"On behalf of the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia I ask you to accept our warm congratulations upon the recent successful action of H.M.S. Leander against the Italian raider. We are indeed glad to know that the New 1998. indeed glad to know that the New Zealand Squadron is playing such a notable part in maintaining Britain's command of the seas.

"The constant vigilance of the Empire's naval arm will contribute greatly to our ultimate victory."

Prime Minister's Reply. Mr Fraser has sent the follow-

"I am very much obliged to you for your telegram. The Government and the people of New Zealand greatly value the goodwill of Australia value the goodwill of Australia value. tralia and warmly appreciate your congratulations on H.M.S. Leander's success. It is a great satisfaction to us to know that New Zealand vessels are worthily playing their part."

# VICHY CONDEMNS **BLOCKADE**

THREAT TO CONVOY FOOD SHIPS

APPEAL TO BRITAIN

Lack Of Wheat An Urgent Problem

(Received March 11, 6 p.m.) LONDON, March 10.

An indication that the Vichy Government does not intend to submit to the British blockade is contained in the latest proclamation made by Admiral Darlan, French Minister of the Navy and deputy to Marshal Petain.

This declaration follows western.

Marshal Petain.

This declaration follows yesterday's official statement that the French Empire will be defended against any attempted aggression.

A threat that he would order French warships to convoy food ships if Britain continued to seize or sink them was made by Admiral

or sink them was made by Admiral Darlan at a Press conference.

He said: "I am responsible for the feeding of 40,000,000 people in France and additional millions in Africa. I will feed them even if I have to use force.

or more generous action from England.

"In the hope of a better understanding with England, I will not protect food ships for a few weeks, but, if this fails, I will seek Marshal Petain's authorisation to convey them.

Harmful Blockade.

"I told the American Ambassador (Admiral Leahy) last night that the blockade alone was powerless to starve Germany. The blockade does not harm Germany; it touches only peoples who are not participating in the war." "If there are any means of help-

ing unoccupied France without helping Germany, the British Gov-ernment is willing to consider them,

# Congratulations | INQUIRY INTO CANTEEN SERVICE FOR THE N.Z.E.F.

#### Board Finds Naafi System Satisfactory; Reply To Complaints

(By Telegraph—Press Association) WELLINGTON, March 11.

No Trade For Profit.

Naafi, it is pointed out, does not trade for profit. There is no element of private gain. Of money spent at Naafi the greater part merely covers the cost of the article purchased. Of the remainder (the profit in a normal establishment), a percentage is returned to

ment) a percentage is returned to the unit in the form of a rebate, and

The rebate to units is at present actually 6 per cent. of the gross

The board adds that for the first time in its history, an efficient can-teen service was ready to take the field at the same time as the troops

and is functioning in every part of the world where British soldiers,

sailors or airmen are serving. By making use of Naafi the N.Z.E.F. has had the benefit of participating in facilities that were already established.

ADOPTED BY THE

GOVERNMENT

Recommendations Of

Inquiry Board

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11.

The report of the board of inquiry on canteen systems has been received by the Prime Minister from Major-General B. C. Freyberg. The conclusions of the Board, which consisted of Brigadier N. S. Falla (president), Colonel W. G. Stevens and Captain H. Turner, are as follows:

1. The bulk of the complaints and Air Force Institutes" has pergainst Naafi would have been ommon to any service. The majorcommon to any service. The majority are quite unjustified.

2. Those complaints that are justified appear to be remediable with the possible exception of the price of tobacco and cigarettes and even here a partial solution has been ound.
3. The 2nd N.Z.E.F. could provide

the business organisation in the Middle East to run a satisfactory service at least as good as either Naafi or Australia.

4. It is very doubtful if supplies of New Zealand goods of sufficient range could be provided with ade-

quate regularity.

5. A New Zealand service could never be as flexible or as ubiquitous as Naafi. There is an advantage in sharing in a big organisation, where

sharing in a big organisation, where large territories are to be covered.

6. Taking into account all the above factors, the only real gain in a New Zealand canteen service would be the moral satisfaction that it was a New Zealand organisation. There is nothing to show that a New Zealand service would otherwise be better than Naafi.

The Recommendations. The board recommends:

1. That Naafi be approached with a request to increase their stocks of New Zealand goods, to allow for the introduction of some New Zealand personnel in canteens in New Zealand camps and to confirm the fact that New Zealand will share in the net profits at the end of the war.

2. That provided the answers to the above are satisfactory, Naafi be retained as the N.Z.E.F. canteen service.

At the outset of a lengthy report, the board stresses that the Naafi authorities have no axe to grind and are in no sense concerned with endeavouring to retain the custom of the New Zealand forces in the Middle East. Indeed, they would in some respects welcome a cessation some respects welcome a cessation of that custom, enabling the spreading of existing Naafi stocks still further in other directions.

It is explained that since the out-

break of war the correct official name of this organisation has been "Expeditionary Forces Institutes," but the original name "Navy, Army

ITALIAN CRUISER

**TORPEDOED** 

ATTACK BY BRITISH

**SUBMARINE** 

PROBABLY SUNK

Destroyer Escorts

Stood By

British Official Wireless (Received March 11, 6 p.m.)

An Italian cruiser of the Condottieri "A" class has been torpedoed and almost certainly sunk by one of the British submarines, reports an Admiralty communique issued today. The cruiser was escorted by two destroyers. She was seen to be hit, and for two hours afterwards the destroyers were seen to be alternately circling around and stopping.

RUGBY, March 10.

#### dations of the board of inquiry on canteen systems. Amazing Escapes In London

ADVENTURES IN RAIDS

Two Thousand Churches Destroyed

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casualties.

Churches Destroyed.

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Nearly 2000 churches in London and the provinces have been destroyed or damaged by German bombers in quest of "military objectives." The actual number given by the Vatican radio is 1966, and comprises:

Destroyed in London: Fourteen Roman Catholic, 120 Anglican, 125 Free Churches.

Damaged in London: Thirteen Catholic, 250 Anglican, 350 Free Churches.

Destroyed or heavily damaged in

Churches.

Destroyed or heavily damaged in the provinces: Twenty Catholic, 100 Anglican, 150 Free Churches.

Churches more lightly damaged: Thirty Catholic, 300 Anglican, 514 Free Churches.

In addition, 45 Catholic monastries and convents have been destricted. tries and convents have been des-

# MEDIATION TERMS **SIGNED**

#### INDO-CHINA-THAI DISPUTE

JAPAN JUBILANT

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TOKYO, March 11.

#### RESENTMENT AT HUTT

STRIKERS REPLY TO MINISTER

MEN'S LOYALTY

Returned Soldiers' Views

By Telegraph-Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11. Returned soldiers, members of the Returned soldiers, members of the Hutt workshops strikers, attended a meeting of the men this afternoon. Exception was taken to the remark of the Hon. R. Semple that the trouble was caused by a few men "whose views were tinged with foreign philosophy."

It was pointed out that many of the men among the strikers had fought at Mons, Passchendaele, Arras, Cambrai, Gallipoli, Palestine and Egypt, and their loyalty of those days and their loyalty to-day had never been questioned.

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It was contended that the principle for which they were fighting was the same as that for which their sons were fighting in Egypt and elsewhere to-day. They would uphold it. the unit in the form of a rebate, and the balance after allowing for neces-sary reserves is expended for the benefit of the services as a whole on such things as increased ameni-ties in the institutes. Change of air camps, concert parties, radioes,

It behoved Mr Semple to table his evidence before casting reflections on the loyalty of the men, said a statement issued after the meet-Only 20 Men Report

Apart from apprentices and trainees, who are not included in the strike at the Hutt Railway Workshops, fewer than 20 out of a staff of 800 reported for duty at the shops this morning.

A meeting of men had been called for 10 a.m. outside the workshop gates, but when the men assembled it was transferred to Hutt Park, where it was held under the pine trees.

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The chairman announced that the executive had been informed that the Emergency Regulation had been invoked, declaring the strike illegal, and therefore no reference could be made about the merits of the dispute. He also announced that Superintendent Lopdell, of the Police Department, was present, but he was quite sure that nothing would be said that would cause cancellation of the meeting.

Other Unions Contracted

established.

Discussing criticism of Naafi, the board says quite a number of the complaints were of a nature that should have been dealt with on the spot by unit officers. The board considers that commanding officers do not make enough use of their powers or possibly do not realise that they have powers over the good order and general conduct of Naafi in their lines. Other Unions Contacted Contacts had been made with other railway workshops in the Dominion, and other trade unions, and the attitude of these would be known in a few days. Officials of several other unions present at the meeting said that the matter would be considered by their unions in a few days.

be considered by their unions in a few days.

The meeting concluded in an orderly manner. A picnic at Hutt Park has been arranged for to-morrow.

Men who have been working on munitions have received a letter from their union, instructing them to remain on the job while the national executive meets and issues any subsequent instructions.

"Inspectors of munitions," says the letter, "are under the jurisdiction of the Defence Department, and any refusal to perform duty would The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. 2. Fraser) stated to-night that the covernment had accepted the con-lusions and adopted the recommen-

any refusal to perform duty would render you liable to penalties the Army authorities may decide."

# Expression Of Sympathy

CARPENTERS MEET Wellington Body And

Hutt Strike

LONDON, March 10.

Four explosive bombs fell across a group of workers' tenements on Monday night, burying a man and his wife and the wife's sister, whose bodies were not recovered until Tuesday morning.

The frontages of a number of houses elsewhere were cut off as though by a huge knife.

Bombs demolished the suburban homes of Mrs. Martha Paynter, aged 80. Neighbours vainly searched under the debris and later discovered Mrs. Paynter asleep in an Anderson shelter with four inches of water around her bed.

Another elderly woman was in bed in an upstairs room when a bomb blew out the roof and one wall. A rescue party brought the woman down unhurt.

Explosive bombs damaged shops, houses, offices and stores in one south coast town. There were some casualties.

Churches Destroyed.

Hutt Strike

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11.

A largely-attended meeting of members of the Wellington branch of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners was addressed by two speakers from the Hutt workshops.

The following resolution was carried:—

"That this meeting sends fraternal greetings and sympathy to the workers in the Hutt workshops in their fight for the principle of the forty-hour week. We request the Government to pay the railway workshop employees the same rates of pay and to employ them for the same hours as are enjoyed by workers in private enterprise.

"We pledge our support to the Hutt workshops employees in their struggle."

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It was decided to make a donation towards the fund for the dependants of the strikers of approximately £200.

#### Casualties In Air Force

Gisborne Man Is Missing

The following casualties are reergeant Daniel Munro Walker, R.N.Z.A.F., died of injuries re-ceived in a flying accident. His next-of-kin is Mr Walker, 6 Ka-hu road, Fendalton, Christ-church.

Sergeant Brodie was born at Gisborne and was educated at the Marist Brothers' School, Gisborne, and St. Patrick's College, Silverstream, where he took a prominent part in sport. At the time of enlistment he was employed in a clerical capacity by the Public Works Department.

Sergeant Brodie was mistakenly

Sergeant Brodie was mistakenly reported as a prisoner of war late in February. Young Scientist Killed.

TOKYO, March 11.

France and Thailand have accepted and signed the Japanese mediation plan.

The signing was announced in a joint communique revealing some modifications of the original Japanese plan.

The "Nichi Nichi Shimbun" says: "The Thailand-French peace agreement marks the first concrete steps in Japan's southward policy."

The "Asashi Shimbun" says: "The agreement marks the firm establishment of Japan's right to leadership in East Asia."

Young Scientist Killed.

Acting-Flying Officer John Austin Strong, whose death in an aircraft accident in England was reported yesterday, was a young New Zealand scientist who was appointed in October, 1933, Travis Radiological Physicist under the New Zealand branch of the Empire Cancer Campaign Society. In 1939 he entered the Scientific Department of the War Office, later joining the R.A.F., where he was engaged on scientific work.

He was a son of Mr T. B. Strong, late Director of Education,

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11.

Sergeant Andrew Moore Brodie, R.N.Z.A.F., missing on opera-tions. His next-of-kin is Mrs Brodie, 16A Rawiri Street, Gis-

# THE\_BIRD

# PREPARING FOR **EMERGENCY**

#### BOOKLET FOR NAPIER CITIZENS

NEW PUBLICATION

Analysis Of Advance Precautions

A booklet has been prepared the Napier Emergency Precautic authorities and will be published the near future. A similar publication will also make its appearance

in Hastings.

The issue of the booklet is no occasioned by the expectation of lisaster, but the authorities be-ieve that it will be of value to citizens generally so that they may have a knowledge of the methods which would be adopted in the

event of an emergency.
"Two serious earthquakes of re Two serious earthquakes of re-cent years have demonstrated the need for being prepared to cope with the confused and dangerous conditions which arise following such disasters," says the booklet in an explanatory note.

Constitution Defined.

The publication goes on to enumerate the disruptions which might be expected in the event of a major disaster overtaking either the whole, or a portion of the town. "The organisation of the E.P.S., will operate upon a state of emergency being declared by the Mayor" it is stated, and it is added that while the organisation has been approved by the military authori-ties it is non-military.

The E.P.S. Organisation for Na-

The E.P.S. Organisation for Napier will be controlled by a Central Committee comprised of the following: The Mayor (chairman), the M.P. for the District; the District Public Trustee; the Government Audit Inspector; the Area Staff Officer, Army Office, Napier; Officer Commanding Home Guard, No. 7 Area; the chairman Napier Harbour Board, and a representative of the Hawke's Bay Trades Council, and the controllers of each of the committees.

Provisions of Scheme.

Broadly speaking, the organisa-tion provides for the mobilisation of civil man-power and supplies in the event of an emergency arising; and the organisation and guidance of the population in any such emer-

The Municipal Theatre will be the headquarters in any emergency and the controllers of the various committees will assemble at this central reporting point. The executive will then advise as to the degree of emergency existing so that controllers may instruct their varicommittees as to the course of

action to be followed.
The Supplies Committee which controls food, clothing and other necessities is the only authority having power to take over from private stocks, all or any quantities of whatever may be necessary.

ment of wounded or injured have been arranged at the following the apple varieties that at present places: The old Port School, Girls' High School, Central School, St. Paul's Schoolroom, Hawke's Bay Tennis Club's pavilion, Hastings Street and Te Awa Schools.

A Women's Auxiliary has been formed and its duties will be to make classified registers of available women workers, embracing clerical, public health, car driving

able women workers, embracing clerical, public health, car driving and general service capacities. Assistance would be rendered in visiting homes, care of aged and children, medical supplies and dressings, sewing, and food preparation and cooking.

Airmen Pilots.

Cowan, J., Hastings; Everett, G. W. J., Hastings; Holmes, K. R., Hastings; Langeson, G. W. Danne-virke; Mackinnon, F., Napier; Wrightson, C. C., Wairoa; Hayes, J. T., Trafford, G. R., Gisborne. and cooking.

Horrors Of War And N.Z.

WARNING GIVEN

Danger Not Imaginary But Real

MR SEMPLE'S VIEW

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11. A warning that the horrors of war hurled at England might yet be used against New Zealand was made by the Minister of National Service (the Hon. R. Semple) when speaking at the opening of the exhibition of A.R.P. and E.P.S. equipment to-day.

The danger was not imaginary but

The danger was not imaginary but real, he said. He regretted that it should be necessary to demonstrate the real horrors of modern warfare. He made reference to the display of all kinds of masks, protective suit-ings, anti-gas treatment, sirens and other equipment. He said that dis-

other equipment. He said that distance had been annihilated, and we might be challenged at any time, and it was just as well that the people should realise it.

The exhibition will remain open for a fortnight, the proceeds going to the queen carnival.

#### WINDOWS SHATTERED BY · EXPLOSION AT HOSPITAL

#### Operation Was In Progress, But Staff Carried On At Gisborne

(By Telegraph—Press Association) GISBORNE, March 11.

A startling explosion occurred at the Cook Hospital, Gisborne, this afternoon when a steam-operated water unit in a room adjoining the operating theatre blew up, shattering nearly every pane of glass in the theatre and the adjoining

The Medical Superintendent (Dr. R. J. B. Hall) was conducting an operation at the time.

Despite the sensational interruption the members of the staff proceeded with the work and completed the operation. No one was in the room where the explosion occurred. The exploding water unit went rocketing through the ceiling and tiled roof, but although nurses were showered with splintered glass none received even a scratch.

#### GAS STORAGE OF **APPLES**

#### EXPERIMENTS IN **DOMINION**

FOUR SEASONS

(Daily Mail Special Service)
CHRISTCHURCH, March 10.
The success of experiments on the refrigerated gas storage of New Zealand varieties of apples during the last four seasons was referred to yesterday by the Minister in Charge of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan). In this type of storage the fruit is cooled by refrigeration in the usual way, but is hold in a storage of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan). In this type of storage the fruit is cooled by refrigeration in the usual way, but is hold in a storage of the same amount. On the last of three charges of driving a motor-activities and the same amount. On the last of three charges of driving a motor-activities and the same amount. On the last of three charges of driving a motor-activities and the same amount.

storage life of the Washington and Ballarat varieties could be very considerably extended, and that the fruit was in much better condition to withstand its subsequent hand. to withstand its subsequent hand-ling in commercial channels. Tests on a similar scale with the Jonathan and Sturmer varieties had given strikingly successful results. Jona-thans had been kept in almost tree-fresh condition until October and Sturmers until December.

Already in Operation. "A semi-commercial refrigerated gas-store has been built and is being operated this season, using more than 500 cases each of Jonathans and Sturmers," the Minister added. "Here again accurate scientific data is being gathered concerning the functioning of the two chambers in this store, so that if obtained confirm the

Impressment of Vehicles.
The transport committee will supply and control all transport required for persons and materials as requisitioned by the various committees. Vehicles may be taken over by impressment.
Public health will be controlled by the Medical and Public Health Committee which will be responsible for all matters affecting first aid, ambulances, schools, sanitation and mortuaries.

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Principal Varieties Suitable.

High School, Central School, St. Paul's Schoolroom, Hawke's Bay Tennis Club's pavilion, Hastings Street and Te Awa Schools.

In an emergency, doctors will work through the stations mentioned and applications for medical assistance should be made to the nearest dressing station.

Law and Order.

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Law and order will be maintained by a committee charged with general police duties, traffic control and the picketing of prohibited areas and buildings. The controller will be the senior police officer.

The Borough has been divided into 100 blocks containing 40 to 50 houses each and each of these will be controlled by a warden. Each warden will be responsible for the collection of the Evacuation Committee. In any emergency he will be at his block post and any instructions given by him must be obeyed. He is also concerned with the control of lighting during blackouts, should these become necessary, and his instructions must be obeyed.

A Women's Auxiliary has been formed and its duties will be to "The work has already shown

preliminary training as airmen pilots, air gunners and air observ-ers (Levin) and flight riggers and radio mechanics (Harewood):

Airmen Pilots.

Crabtree, R. H., Napier; Devine, T. W., Dannevirke; Inglis, L. G. Dannevirke; O'Sullivan, F. W., Hastings; Kavena, P. R., Opapa.

Flight Riggers. Harrison, F. A., Hastings; Pemberton, J. I., Waipukurau; Usherwood, J. A., Hastings; Hyde, G. T.,

Radio Mechanics.

Earnshaw, L. A., Takapau; Stor-key, H. D., Napier.

Such a horror of tobacco-smoke had "Victoria the Good" that those of her guests at any of the Royal palaces who chanced to be smokers were compelled, if they craved a whiff, to indulge in their bedrooms after retiring for the night, with their heads up the chimney—lest perchance the tell-tale fumes should give them away! This seems almost incredible to-day, when both sexes incredible to-day, when both sexes smoke and even exalted personages puff away freely and unashamedly, and sometimes even to excess. Excessive smoking, by the way, is not always wise, but it needn't worry Maorilanders, because "toasted" is always at their service. It's the tobacco full of nicotine that does the harm. But there's very little nicotine in toasted. It's cut out by the toasting. So you run no risks with these beautiful tobaccos, so sweet, pure, cool and fragrant—and so these beautiful tobaccos, so sweet, pure, cool and fragrant—and so comparatively harmless. Five brands only of the genuine toasted: Cut Plug No. 10 (Bullshead), Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog)! Cavendish, Riverhead Gold and Desert Gold. But take care what you buy. Worth-less imitations are not the more than

less imitations are on the market!\*

#### TRAFFIC OFFENDERS FINED

Cases At Hastings

BREACHES OF ROAD

Arising out of charges brought by the police and by Traffic Inspec-tors J. W. Coddington and H. A.

refrigeration in the usual way, but is held in a gas-tight room in which the composition of the atmosphere can be controlled as required.

Mr. Sullivan said experiments

Lightless Cycle.

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Leslie Charles Toms was fined 15/-, costs 10/-, for riding a cycle without a light.

For riding a motor-cycle in a dangerous manner, Philip Patrick Beachen was fined £2, costs 10/-.

Charged with driving a motor vehicle liable to cause annovance to the public by reason of the noise, Alex Rodney Symon was fined £2, with costs 10/-.

Failurc to keep to the left in parking resulted in a charge against William John Wilkins, who was fined 10/- without costs.

on a similar charge Colin Newrick was fined 10/- without costs.

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For parking in a prohibited area Arthur B. Hodgson was fined 10/-

without costs.

Charges of operating a heavy motor vehicle at speeds in excess of 25 m.p.h. were brought against Samuel Marshall, who was fined \$1. costs 10/-, and against George Mar. tin and William Mouat, who were each fined £1 10/- with 10/- costs. For permitting a horse to be at large in Jellicoe Street, Tong On was fined 10/-, without costs.

Charge Dismissed.

Stating that he could not enter conviction on the major count, the magistrate dismissed a charge of dangerous driving brought by Inspector Green against Robert C. Wilson. Mr Miller said that the lesser charge of driving without due care and attention would have been more appropriate.

#### TAR ON CAR AND **TROUSERS**

Claim For Damages

(Daily Mail Special Service)

WAIPUKURAU. At the monthly meeting of the Patangata County Council yesterday, a letter was received from an officer of the Manawatu Automobile Association claiming £4 for damage Association claiming £4 for damage received to his car and to a pair of trousers through tar primer being picked up during tar sealing operations on the Porangahau highway. The writer stated that he had had to spend a whole day removing the tar from his car and caravan and his troubles were added to in the damaging of a pair of trousers. He considered that there was an obligation on the council to provide a temporary track when tar sealing

temporary track when tar sealing was being carried out.

Speed seemed to be the cause of the trouble was the terse comment of the engineer (Mr J. C. McLaughof the engineer (Mr J. C. McLaugh-lin). He explained that when the contractor began the sealing work there had been some rain and, anxious to complete the job, he pressed on, using the full width of the road. If cars proceeded over the wet stretch of highway at a slow pace damage would not result. Notice boards were erected, yet motorists disregarded them and sped across the tar.

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Applications from the Home Guard at Waipawa and Porangahau for grants towards organistion expenses £10 and £5 respectively were agreed to.

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Dalgety & Co., Wellington, expressed their willingness to assist the council with the cost of metalling Tamumu Station Road and agreed to pay £100 toward the work at the rate of £10 per year.

Those present at the meeting were Mr C. Pattison (chairman), Councillors R. H. White A. W. S. were Mr C. Pattison (chairman), Councillors R. H. White, A. W. S. Longley, C. R. Edgecombe, B. E. O. Nilson, A. McGaffin, W. T. Kittow, H. Parsons, J. L. Hunter and G. F. McHardy. The clerk (Mr J. W. El-liott) and the engineer (Mr J. C. McLaughlin) were also present.

#### MAY ELECTIONS TO BE HELD

# Carried Out

FOUR-MILE RANGE

In Training

Holding that the defendant was entitled to the benefit of the doubt, Mr. J. Miller, S.M., dismissed a charge of being found on enclosed ously made to use Akina Park premises without lawful excuse, as a signalling base, but it was but in circumstances not showing found that the numerous lights but in circumstances not showing the intent to commit a crime, against Charles Davis, 25, a labourer, in the Magistrate's Court at Hastings yesterday. On a charge of assaulting Hubert Ernest Clark, Davis was fined £5, half of the amount to be paid to the injured

The case was continued from last week by two more police witnesses, Constables P. C. Boate and F. Day, both of whom, when questioned by Detective-Sergeant L. B. Revell, stated that the defendant showed no signs of being intoxicated.

**ASSAULT** 

CASE CONCLUDED AT

**HASTINGS** 

YOUNG LABOURER

Yesterday

"Enclosed Premises.

Opening the case for the defence, Mr. H. R. Bannister put forward the legal submission that the section of the Act under which the charge of the Act under which the charge of being found without lawful excuse was brought had been framed before the introduction of modern town planning, and gave no indication of what was needed for a space to be described as enclosed. He requested a ruling as to whether a low fence, some 15 inches high, broken in two places, and without any gate, could be described as enclosing a space.

Describing his actions on the day in question, the defendant Davis said that after knocking off work at 4.30 p.m., he had gone to an hotel and stayed there drinking until 6 p.m., when he went home and had tea, taking some bottles with him. After drinking again, he had gone to a dance in the Assembly Hall.

Mixed Drinks.

During the dance he had gone home to his room with a friend, and secured three bottles. Asked what he had been drinking, he said that he had mixed drinks, having gin and beer and later some rum, which he had first thought to be whisky. He had arranged to meet a friend outside the hall after the dance, but had missed him and had wandered about, not knowing where he was going. He remembered nothing until he was being taken to the station by the constables.

Asked whether he was "sham-Mixed Drinks.

Asked whether he was "sham Asked whether ne was "snamming" when he was pulled from under the tree on Mr. E. Garnett's premises, Nelson Street, the defendant said he must have been drunk as he remembered nothing about the incident. He expressed his willingness to pay for the damage. willingness to pay for the damage he had done to Clark's clothing.

Detective-Sergeant Revell contended that the plea of remembering nothing about the incident was the best, and ineed the only one the defendant could put forward under the circumstances.

"Looked Very Sick."

James Moffat, a carpenter, gave corroborative evidence, stating that when he had last seen Davis about 11.45 p.m., at the dance, he had "looked very sick." He (Moffat) had arranged to meet him at the door and take him home. He had not been able to find Davis, however.

George Mayne gave similar evidence as to the defendant's condition, stating that "it was pretty obvious he had had quite a few drinks."

Summing up, the Magistrate "Looked Very Sick."

drinks."

Summing up, the Magistrate said that there were two distinct phases in the case. The first was the assault, about which there was no difficulty. The accused did assault a young man, striking him a violent blow, an action which did not support the claim that he did not know what he was doing. Consequently he must be found guilty.

Legislation's Provisions.

Legislation's Provisions.

Regarding the submission by the defence concerning enclosed premises, his Worship said that there was evidence to show that when new ideas came in after the enactment of legislation, that legislation could be taken to cover them. Therefore, the purpose of the section referred to was to provide for the area round a house or building, regardless of the height of the wall. Drink was really no excuse for the offence, said Mr. Miller, but the question was whether the defendant was or was not "shamming" when found on the premises. The case was not one where the police would at once consider it necessary to establish whether the defendant was drunk or not, and he considered the defendant was entitled to the benefit of the doubt.

Other Cases.

Jack Runakai, a second offender charged with drunkenness, was fined 10/-, costs 15/-.

Found on licensed premises within the currency of a prohibition order, Hilston James Lean was fined 15/-, costs 10/-.

DEBT CASES DECIDED AT HASTINGS

> Magistrate's Court Yesterday

Judgment for plaintiffs in default of defendants was entered by Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the following debt cases dealt with in the Magistrate's cases dealt with in the Magistrate's Court, Hastings, yesterday:
R. Holt and Sons Ltd. v. Ngariki Renata £1 6/-, costs £1 9/-; F. Beal v. C. Coles £3 0/10, costs £1 11/6; Claude Cash v. Charlie Orbell, 9/6, costs 8/-; A. J. Vidal and Sons v. E. M. Faulkner £1 10/5, costs 12/-; T. King v. I. Dillon £1 6/8, costs 19/-.

Judgment summonses: Rangi Te Where was ordered to pay Fowler Son and Drummond £60 17/6 forth By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, March 11.

"Unless unforeseen circumstances in the international field arise, the local body elections will be held," said the Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry) in reply to a question. "But no man can say when the international situation will take a serious change," added the Minister. "If a change takes place, neither local elections nor anything clse will matter," he concluded.

Son and Drummond f60 17/6 forthwith, in default three days' imprisonment; L. H. Jackson to pay E. Y. Comrie £7 8/- at the rate of 10/- a week, in default eight days' imprisonment; W. Langley to pay W. W. Moore £1 7/- forthwith, in default two days' imprisonment; T. Rogers to pay H. McKay and Co, take a serious change," added the Minister. "If a change takes place, neither local elections nor anything clse will matter," he concluded.

Hastings Home Guard

"MOST SUCCESSFUL"

Winking lights on the side of Te Mata Peak last night were Morse signals being transmitted by the signalling platoon of the Headquarters Company of the Hastings Home Guard to a unit located on the Lesser Charge Dismissed

Hastings Racecourse.
Arrangements had been previ

the guard to maintain communica-tion over a considerable distance," said the company commander (Cap said the company commander (Captain G. Forster) commenting on the evening's activity. "The signals received from Havelock North were excellent, but a defect in the lamp used on the racecourse led to slight difficulties. This will be rectified before the next practice."

Bomb Training

Further exercises will be carried out by Headquarters Company at Fernhill on Sunday. A trench system including bays, weapon pits and strong points will be built and used for demonstration purposes in instructing other units of the Home Guard. Bomb-proof shelters will be constructed, and also a course of

bombing practice.

Captain Forster said last night that the company would make its own bombs, which would include "Molotov cocktails" (bottles filled with petrol) and missiles of gelig-

Experienced tradesmen and Vic-Experienced tradesmen and Vickers and Lewis gunners were urgently wanted to bring the Head-quarters Company up to strength, said Captain Forster. Any men willing to join are advised to approach Mr Gordon Walker, Hastings

#### Manoeuvres In South

SERVICE CONDITIONS

By Telegraph—Press Association TIMARU, March 11. War was carried into South Can terbury to-day when 2300 men of the territorial forces took part in manoeuvres against a friendly enemy which comprised two com-panies of various territorial units which have been training at Burn-ham for the last seven weeks.

Aeroplanes co-operated with the enemy by keeping touch by wireless and reporting the movements of the

THE WOMAN WHO GAVE SOCKS

Unusual Message Sent To Soldier

Typical of the numerous notes in parcels sent out to New Zealand soldiers in the Middle East from London, is the following communi-cation received by the "Daily Mail"

parcels sent out to New Zealand soldiers in the Middle East from London, is the following communication received by the "Daily Mail" last night, from a former member of the staff:

"To whoever wears these socks—Dear Scot, if I may call you that, I am writing to you because these are my first pair of socks. They were knitted by my lily-white hands and it took the said lily-white hands and it took the said lily-white hands exactly three months to knit them.

"If they wear as long as it took me to knit them, they will do well. So if I receive a parcel three months hence I shall know it will be the socks, to be mended, and I only hope that they may have been washed!

"I am making another pair just now—I have just finished one, and after looking at it I think it will be clastic around the ankle to make it fit; if you get this second pair, too, you will probably get both feet in one.

"The mere thought of starting the

one.

"The mere thought of starting the second one makes me squirm. You don't know of any one-legged soldier who would only want one sock? I will close now wishing you the best of luck."

HEAVY CALENDAR AHEAD

Manpower Committee's Sittings

A heavy calendar confronts the Hawke's Bay Manpower Committee for the next few weeks, when the enlistment of volunteers for overseas and the appeals of balloted Territorials will be considered in various centres in the province. The number of men being dealt with and dates of sittings are as follow: dates of sittings are as follow:—
Hastings (89), March 19, 20 and 24.
Napier (38), March 14 and 17.
Waipukurau (46). Date not yet

Woodville (18), March 31. Dannevirke (69), April 1, 2 and 3. Wairoa (29), March 27 and 28.

ELDERLY MAN'S DEATH

By Telegraph—Press Association

#### FOUND GUILTY OF Morse Signalling COMPULSION POWERS ARE PROVIDED IN REGULATIONS

#### Home Guard Organisation Is Affected By Recent **Amendments**

Some evidence of a desire on the Government's part to "tighten up" the organisation of the Home Guard is given by recently-adopted amendments to the Emergency Service Corps Regulations, 1940, particularly by making it clear that the Minister of National Service may direct any individual, at his discretion, to serve in the guard.

The National Service Emergency Regulations, gazetted last June, empowered the Minister to require any member of the general reserve, which comprises all persons over 16, to perform any specified civilian service. This power was extended in Service in the service in the September to include service in the Emergency Service Corps, which includes the Home Guard until such time as the latter may be incorporated in the armed forces to meet

an emergency.

The amending regulations clinch The amending regulations clinch the matter by laying down that every person who is directed by the Minister, under his existing powers, to serve in the Home Guard "shall thereupon become a member of the Home Guard in the same manner to all intents and purposes as if he had voluntarily enrolled therein and been attested."

Another amendment abolishes the previous requirement that comman-

# AGE, SIZE AND QUALITY

EGG GRADER DECIDES ALL THREE

INGENIOUS SYSTEM

Apparatus Inspected At Hastings

The intricacies of an egg-grading archine were revealed yesterday to "Daily Mail" reporter who visited and reporting the movements of the brigades.

This is the first occasion on which the units have worked together and the operations were designed to train the various units to work as part of a brigade under brigade control, and to train the supply, transport and medical sections to maintain units in the field under active service conditions.

At one end of the grader is a "Daily Mail" reporter who visited a "Daily Mail" reporter who visited a "Daily Mail" reporter who visited a Hastings on Monday and Thursday there will be boards at Waipukurau. The expeditious manner in which the men were handled last night was noticeable. Although a comparatively large number of men were speed for an operator is the handling of a 30-dozen crate in from 6 to 8 minutes.

At one end of the grader is a Tea and sandwiches were provided last right by the women's committee

to 8 minutes.

At one end of the grader is a shielded light shining through two holes, permitting the operator to light-test two eggs at a time—the up-to-date version, in fact, of the old candle test. If the eggs pass the requirements they are set rolling along any of the four runways leading from under the light standard.

War.

Tea and sandwiches were provided last night by the women's committee of the Hastings and District Scots' Society.

"CHRISTMAS UNDER FIRE" ing from under the light standard.

Counterbalanced Runways. The largest eggs travel but a short distance before a neatly counterbalanced section of the run-

checked at intervals to ensure that the constant tilting and dropping back into place has not upset the

balance. Quality Tested.

Quality Tested.

The light-test enables an experienced operator to pick out almost instantly eggs which are too old, or which have blemishes, such as a blood-spot, sufficient to warrant rejection. The age, a very important factor, as most connoisseurs will agree, is determined by the size of the little air-cell in the egg. As the egg ages, this space expands, and the light shows the defect clearly. There were no extremely bad specimens on view yesterday, but the guide said: "We have some beauties' coming in at times—everything from half-full of air to half-full of chicken!"

The grader inspected would lack something of the speed of the latest type of electrically-operated machine, but wartime difficulties practically preclude any possibility of procuring such a model. The speed attained with the hand-operated type seen yesterday, however, seems more than sufficient for most requirements, and there is no doubt of its efficiency. So far as is known, it is the only grader in the

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Central System.

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The aim of those connected with the production and distribution of eggs in Hastings is eventually to bring into operation a central system whereby all eggs will be similarly tested and graded before sale, ensuring a uniformity of quality which the average consumer should appreciate.

The advantages accruing from grading and testing were made clear when it was explained that the firm operating the grader had received one recent 30 dozen crate out of which 13 dozen were classed as rejects. So far as age is concerned the nearest approach to an exact figure as the limit of an egg's healthy life was ten days, as the period up to which the yolk will remain unbroken in boiling fat.

Beyond that length of time, suspicions are likely to be justified.

# A NEW CAMPAIGN SHORTLY

NON-FERROUS METALS WANTED

WAR NEEDS

Appeal By Mayor Of Hastings

A fresh campaign for the collection of non-ferrous metals is to be opened shortly, and an appeal for residents' support was made yesterday by the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison).

"When the last call for non-ferrous metals to aid the war effort was made. Hastings people made a

rous metals to aid the war effort was made, Hastings people made a splendid response and tons of valuable material were dispatched from this centre," said Mr Maddison. "I am certain that in this new compaign they will extend their efforts even further to help this great

A letter received by Mr Maddison from the chairman of the National Council for the Reclamation of Waste Material (Mr C. Todd) states that the international situation does

matter by laying matter by laying matter by person who is directed by sister, under his existing powers, serve in the Home Guard "shall ereupon become a member of the ome Guard in the same manner to II intents and purposes as if he had foluntarily enrolled therein and been attested."

Another amendment abolishes the previous requirement that commanders and other officers are to be appointed from among the members of the guard. The Minister is also empowered to prescribe conditions of service by order and to provide for the imposition of disciplinary fines not exceeding £2 by district and area commanders, subject to review by the Dominion Commander, view by the Dominion Commander.

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IN USE

Napier Power Supply

POSSIBLE SHORTAGE THIS WINTER

Conserving Water

The 400-kilowatt generating plant of the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board at Napier has been running 16 hours a day this week and will be stopped late on Friday night, the secretary-manager (Mr H. H. Wylie) said yesterday. Whether it will be put into commission again on Monday is not yet known.

Powered by a 500 horsepower diesel engine, the Napier plant is maintained chiefly for stand-by purposes, and is capable of carrying about one-fifth of the electric power load of Napier. It is in use this week to conserve water at the hydro power The first Hastings medical board dealing with men drawn in the sec-and overseas ballot was held last

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conserve water at the hydro power stations.

The 900-kilowatt plant at Hastings is being overhauled and will be put into operation immediately after Easter, said Mr Wylie. The plant, consuming 7000 gallons of oil a work. week, was used extensively in the middle of last year and it is almost certain that it will be in operation all this winter to relieve the power load of the North Island network.

CONQUEST OF THE MOUNTAINS

Hastings Rotary Address Yesterday

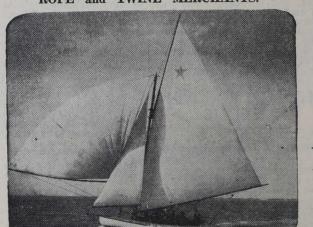
"We have explored practically all the flat country in the world, and now we want to explore the peaks," said Mr J. W. Palmer, in an address on mountaineering to the Hastings Rotary Club yesterday. He pointed out that only comparatively recently, had mountaineering become an accepted and popular pastime.

Detailing some of his own experiences on New Zealand mountains, Mr Palmer mentioned also the polits of world famous climbers in conquering great heights, with reference, too, to the many assaults on Everest.

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**Emergency** TRAINING CHILDREN Organisation Set Up At Hastings

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when a general scheme with drawn up.

Mr Maddison is chairman of the schools executive and the town clerk (Mr Noel C. Harding) is secretary. The Government has suggested that teachers should join the E.P.S. organisation as wardens. OVERSEAS BALLOTEES

EXAMINED

Men Before Doctors At Hastings

night, about 40 being examined by four doctors. It is hoped that all remaining Hastings men drawn in the ballot will be examined in the two further boards tto be held next Hastings on Monday and Thursday nights next week and on Wednes-

FIRE"

Of topical interest is the short feature "Christmas Under Fire," an excellent film dealing with the British Christmas, now being presented at the State Theatre, Hastings. The heroism of the British people under the ordeal of heavy bombardment is portrayed in the film, which reveals how Londoners are "taking it on the chin."\*

Memoranda

Telephone exchange subscribers are notified elsewhere in this issue that all connections for which half-yearly subscriptions are unpaid at 5 a.m. on Saturday, March 15, may be discontinued without further notice.

Napier members of the Carpenters' and Joiners' Union are notified of a special meeting to be held tonight in the Friendly Society Hall, Emerson Street, at 7.30. As business is of special importance members are urgently requested to attend,

#### Hack Cup Sweep COMMENT ON COLONIAL AND ARAB STUD MARES TRAINING AND STABLE Rejected

HASTINGS RACES

Decision Popular With Owners

MANIFEST INTEREST

(By THE BARB)

A great deal of interest is being taken in the Hastings Hack Cup, to be run over a mile and a quarter on the second day of the forthcoming Hawke's Bay Cup meeting, to be held on the Hastings racecourse on March 27 and 29.

Judging by the owners and trainers in this centre who have signified their intention of nominating their horses in this race, the action of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club committee in adding this event to the programme meets with their wholeprogramme meets with their whole hearted approval so that this event should be second only to the Hawke's Bay Cup run on the first

day.

The club in the years past has staged many classic races, including the Welcome Stakes, St. Leger, Hastings Stakes, Hawke's Bay Guineas, Hawke's Bay Stakes, and the

Final Track Gallops at Trentham on Page 2

weight for age Ormond Memorial Gold Cup, all of which, with the ex-ception of the Hastings Stakes, have

# INFORMATION REQUESTED

# Early Progeny Achieve Many

(By THE BARB.)

Reference was recently made in an issue of the "Daily Mail" to Colonial Families, or tap roots, who did not possess a Bruce Lowe numeral through neglect, or some other reason of persons with broad mares in the early history of breeding the thoroughbred in Australia and New Zealand. Since that publication many requests have been made to comment on such and such a family of the Colonial type. The Barb will therefore give a list, with a few comments on all the Colonial families, many of which have practically died out of existence, not on account of the non-success attained, but because buyers have gradually sought the numbered families, so, with no demand for the un-numbered ones, they have been practically eliminated. However, there is such a thing in the thoroughbred breeding industry as being bred to death and killed by

Before commencing with the colonial mares it may be stated that there also exists in the Dominion and Australia the Arab tap.

Miss Rowe's name is reached. She was bred in 1853 and was by Sir Hercules from Miss Millar by Wanderen from a pure Arab mare.

roots.

In alphabetical order the first Arab mare is BELLA, a pure-bred Arab imported to New Zealand from New South Wales by Major Durie. The brood mares she produced were Ascot Vale and Juanita, both by Ascot; Lady Serah by a son of Derby, Waitotara by Gladiator and Wereroa by Vanguard, but looking through the Stud Book of to-day finds very few descendants.

This also applies to FAIRY, an imported Arab.

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Ariel, winner of three Auckland Cups, was a descendent from this also were from a spure Arab mare.

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Peeress, one of the best mares that ever raced in the Dominion, but as a sire he was not a success. This also applies to FAIRY, an imported Arab.

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New South Wales, being got by Donizetti from Lady Ann by Whisker out of a daughter of Toss from an Arab mare.

In her descendants figure Artilleur, British Lion, Enchantress, Oingo, Opawa, Ruby (not the daughter of Denbigh), Scud, Spinfeldt, and Templeton. Spray was sent to New Zealand and in the early days after her arrival her descendants were very successful, winning almost all the races there were to be won.

Belle of the Isle and Stormbird

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Belle of the Isle and Stormbird won the Canterbury Cup, British Lion the New Zealand Cup, Diadem and Enchantress the New Zealand Oaks, Flying Jib the New Zealand Derby and the C.J.C. Handicap (later the New Zealand Cup).

Templeton was quite the best horse of his time, winning the Canterbury and the Auckland Cups, Dunedin Cup (twice), and many other races. Scud was the sire of Knottingly, who won many good races, including two Canterbury Cups.

THE COLONIAL MARES.

Like the Arab, many of the Colonial mares can be passed over as, although not extinct, they are of little interest to students of Deeding or racing.

The most important of the Colonial mares are CUTTY SARK, Sir GIPSY, JOSEPHINE, MOTH, STARKIE.

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The most important of the Colonial mares are CUTTY SARK, GIPSY, JOSEPHINE, MOTH, PRINCESS, SAPHO, SHARKIE, SLANDER, THE STEELTRAP MARE, WOODSTOCK AND YATTEPINA

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COMMENT

Local Doings

PREPARING FOR H.B. MEETING

Team Additions

With the departure of the Hast-ings-trained horses for Trentham there was not a great deal of fast work on the Hastings tracks yester-lay morning. However with the MANY STAUNCH PERFORMERS

From this tap root descended end of the month, many now here

> Practically all the fast work was done on the plough, which is in capital condition, but a heavy fog which hung over the racecourse for some time delayed training operations with the result that it was after 6 a.m. before horses could be timed.

Curry (G. Stowe) and Vin D'Honneur (B. Stowe) strode along three furlongs and finished strongly furlongs and finished strongly abreast but could not be clocked. The former is a Bulandshar-Caen filly. The latter is taking some time to train down to the right condition and is inclined to be of the masculine type so that she will require time and racing before any reliable indication can be obtained as to her future possibilities. tralia and old-timers place him on the same pedestal as Carbine and the same pedestal as Carbine and Phar Lap. He won everything there was to be won in Australia, including the V.R.C. Derby, Champion Stakes, Melbourne Cup, A.J.C. Derby, Metropolitan, two Sydney Cups, the second time under the crushing weight of 10.8, and I believe he holds the record weight ever allotted in the Melbourne Cup, 11.5. His sister Barbette, also won the Sydney Cup among many other future possibilities.

On the course proper Parvita (J. Dockery) and Aristocrat (S. Dockery) hit out in rare style in an untimed three furlong sprint. If free-Mahutonga won the Auckland dom of action is any criterion, both these can be ticked off as useful sorts for the future. This was the

Cups, Ropa the Wellington Cup, Trench Law the Taranaki Cup, Cheddar the C.J.C. Great Autumn, Hilda the A.R.C. Easter, Strainmore the V.R.C. Derby, St. Leger and Champion Stakes, Sweet Neil the V.R.C. Oaks, Caulfield Cup and Cuinase etc. etc. Waicony was worked twice round and brushed home the last two furlongs each time but could not be timed on account of the fog.

Tashi Lama was not galloped but did pace work on the sand. He has developed into a fine type of handicap horse, but in his few starts has not shown the form that his breeding and action suggest. Now a four-year-old it will be surprising if he does not develop into a payable proposition in a few months, as when a young two-year-old he rewhen a young two-year-old he re-vealed the possession of as much speed as the brilliant Nora Gregor.

Gipsy was a black mare bred by a Mr C. Smith (New South Wales) by Rous' Emigrant. Her dam's pedigree has never been ascertained but the second volume of the Australian Stud Book says, upon the authority of an old stud groom of Mr Smith's, that her dam was by Bay Camerton from a Steeltrap mare.

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Best known of the Australian Proclamation (G. Stowe) doing it well within himself, ran four furlongs in 51½, a fair effort. Now out of hacks this release.

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Best known of the New Zealand winners from members of this root are Aronel (by Apremont), Calumny (by Traducer), Cour de Lion (by New Warrior), the Hawke's Bay Cour de Lion (by Dreadnought), Defamation (by Traducer), Forester (by Puriri), Gipsy King, Namoa (by Nordenfeldt), St. Crispin (by St. Leger) and others.

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This family's doings are restricted almost entirely to New Zealand, where Gipsy came in 1844, and no less than five descendants won the less than five descendants work at least furlong and finished clear of Lindrum in a shade better than 1.43. There is an old racing adage that you can give them weight but not a start, which was borne out in this New Zealand Derby. Azucena, Envy gallop. (a daughter of Azucena's) Defama-

New Zealand Derby. Azucena, Envy (a daughter of Azucena's) Defamation and Calumny accounted for four of the Derbys mentioned and Manton the fifth, but in the same year he accounted for the New Zealand Cup, Canterbury Cup, Wanganui Derby and Hawke's Bay Guineas. Namoa won the C.J.C. Welcome Stakes, Gipsy King the Dunedin Champagne Stakes and Cup, besides having good credentials as a sire. St. Crispin won the Auckland Cup and Derby, Aronel the Northern Champagne Stakes, Revoke the Wanganui Derby and Forester the Hawke's Bay Guineas.

Calumny went to Australla, where she won many races over all distances including the V.R.C. Newmarket Handicap, recognised as the most difficult open sprint race to win in Australia or New Zealand.

Josephine, Moth, Princess, Sapho, Sharkie, Slander, The Steeltrap mare Woodstock and Yatterina familles will have to be left over to another time.

Hastings meeting.

Endorsement, from the same stable, as the above, is now carrying all her old bloom but she may not race in the immediate future. Her tasks of late have been restricted to slow work.

RACING FIXTURES

Authoress (L. Lewis) was galloped once round by herself and after running the first short half mile in

Shani (S. Parramore) who certainly is in great nick, was galloped for the first time since the last Gisborne meeting but in running three furlongs yesterday morning in a tick under 40secs was never in top gear. She is one of many that has the Hastings Hack Cup in view.

Master Cyklon (C. Cameron) and Katesbridge (T. Winiata) were al-lowed to bowl along over three fur-longs without undue effort in 391. The latter is another with the Hastings Hack Cup in view.

Myrna Loy was not allowed to show her wares. This mare has yet to win a race but outward appearances and condition strongly suggest that it should not be long before she is out of the dunce's class. On the eve of the last Woodville meeting, she went slightly amiss meeting she went slightly amiss, just when the maiden class did not appear too tough.

Fossicker, looking big and lusty, was on the tracks for the first time for some weeks. He has completely recovered from his mishap and as he does not take a great deal of time to come to hand should be forward enough in the early jumping season to take an active part in any back

There are two of Foxbridge's progeny in work on the Hastings tracks—Katesbridge and the yearling by this horse from Merry Ways, whom Mr Howard Glazebrook paid a substantial sum for privately at the last National Sales at Trentham. The latter has many admirers on the Hastings tracks, but the other morning one trainer said he did not like this colt because he carried his tail on one side. Strange to say Katesbridge does the same thing so it is possible that this is a characteristic of the Foxlaw horse himself. it is possible that this is a characteristic of the Foxlaw horse himself. Perhaps no doubt some of the "Daily Mail" readers, who are not fully acquainted with racing and horseflesh, will smile at a trainer not

Reference was made in Monday's issue of the "Daily Mail" to the promising Kincardine gelding in J. Ryan's stable. He is from a mare horseflesh, will smile at a trainer not liking a horse that carries its tail to one side, but it is supposed to be a sign of weakness. There are dozens of other characteristics with horses that racing folk do not like that could be quoted, but personally I have seen so many exceptions to the many "don't likes" that I am inclined to place them among the old women's yarns,

Ryan's stable. He is from a mare named Karsavina by Hunting Song from Lavenham who traces back to Amusement, the dam of Chortle, and once Mr "Boy" Symes's gelding furnishes a little more there will be a resemblance between him and Chortle. It is to be hoped that the resemblance will carry on to galloping ability for Chortle was a first class performer.

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