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### **Australian Troops** Have Left Greece: Task Nobly Done

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SYDNEY, April 29. "Many of our troops have now left Greece after stub-bornly contesting the enemy's advance even to the last few inches of Greek soil." This announcement was made by the

inches of Greek soil." This announcement was made by the acting Prime Minister (the Hon. A. W. Fadden) after a meeting of the Federal War Cabinet at Sydney today.

"Unfortunately," he added, "we cannot hope to avoid casualties and we must be prepared for them.

"The full story will be told as soon as possible. Until then I know this country will wait in courage and resolution."

Mr Fadden described the evacuation as "proceeding" and and that the took entrypted to our forces had been carried. said that the task entrusted to our forces had been carried out with great fidelity.

#### JAPAN PLAYS FOR SAFETY

#### PEACEFUL OVERTURE TO AMERICA

"UNOFFICIAL" MOVE

Non-Aggression Pact Proposed

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Informed quarters regard as a trial balloon a Tokyo suggestion that the Foreign Minister (Mr Yosuke Matsuoka) visit the United States in an effort to conclude a non-

States in an effort to conclude a nonaggression treaty.

The United States Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull) asked whether the Government would consider such overtures, said he had no information on the subject and would rather not discuss it.

Other quarters saw the proposal—which is advanced by a political expert, Mr Masonori Ito—as an officially inspired feeler reflecting Japanese anxiety over the Washington attitude if Japan pushes her programme of East Asia expansion.

These officials contended that so long as Japan is an aggressor actively linked to the Axis Mr Matsuoka would be an unwelcome visitor.

#### Visibility Fifty Yards

DESERT SANDSTORMS

Axis Forces Occupy Sollum

#### ADVANCE CHECKED

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CAIRO, April 29.
A sudden sandstorm in the Western Desert has temporarily checked the enemy forces thrusting to Egypt from Libya. Visibility in some places was reduced to 50 yards.
To-day's communique from British General Headquarters at Cairosays: "There is no change at Tobruk. In the Sollum area yesterday, enemy detachments which had penetrated five or six miles across the frontier the previous evening made little or no progress. Light elements of a well-known British armoured division are once again in contact with the enemy. Operations contact with the enemy. Operations continue satisfactorily in all Abys-

sinian areas."

Germans and Italians occupied Sollum, a port a few miles inside the Egyptian border, last Saturday, according to military sources in Cairo, but harassing tactics by a British armoured division have so tar prevented further penetration.

The R.A.F. continues to hammer the enemy's lines, destroying reinforcements and supplies, and the position is regarded as satisfactory.

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#### ARMED VESSELS FROM AMERICA

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in be expected.

It said that 40 small cutters, which the Wheeler shipyard, New York, is at present building for the Doastguard, may go to Britain.

## BOMBARDMENT OF

LONDON, April 28. German guns on the French coast pened up the biggest bombardment of the year on Dover to-day. British rtillery replied, at first with single hells but later with four and sixun salvoes. The duel continued for wo hours. Later the Royal Air orce joined in, heavily raiding the memy batteries at Cap Griz Not.

The above news was received direct n a "Columbus" calibrated short-wave

## Night Raid On

ATTACK IN WAVES

Barrage

THREE 'PLANES DOWN

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received April 30, 0.15 a.m.) LONDON, April 29. Night raiders in waves heavily attacked Plymouth, dropping first incendiaries, followed by oil bombs

The ground defences put up an intensive barrage and three raiders a report that British and Free are reported to have been shot

### TRADE PACT WITH **GERMANY**

### TURKEY AGREES TO

SMALL AMOUNTS

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the German frontier says that the Turkish-German trade agreement deliveries of additional goods to the value of 3,000,000 Turkish pounds

## Plymouth

Ground Defences' Heavy

and then high exlosives, also many

#### manding 12 armed merchant raiders in the South Pacific, which are alleged to be operating from Japan-

BARTER

Political Implications Not Negligible

"The Times" correspondent from signed at the week-end envisages eral Sikorski) to-day. He had lately

each way.

The agreement is on a barter basis between private firms, supplementing the official clearing agreement, which is inadequate to meet Turkish import needs.

Attempts to increase imports from America have been disappointing owing to the inadequate Iraq railways. The Germans will supply pharmaceutical materials, chemicals, paper and machinery and the Turks will supply tobacco and agricultural products.

The deal is comparatively small, but the products have key importance and the political aspects are not negligible.

Turkey and Hungary have initialled an agreement to the value of 20,000,000 Turkish pounds, whereby Turkey will export cotton and wool in exchange for industrial products.

Operating From Japanese United Press Association—Copyright.
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NEW YORK, April 28.

### ese bases in the Caroline and Marshall Islands. PERSECUTION AGAIN

Polish Sufferings

MANY SENT TO GAOL

VON LUCKNER

COMMANDER OF 12

RAIDERS

MANILA REPORT

Bases

A broadcasting corporation cor-

respondent in Manila has broadcast

Netherlands Navy units have been

ordered to capture Count Felix von

Luckner, who is reported to be com-

BREAKS OUT

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received April 29, 8.45 p.m.) TORONTO, April 28. German persecution of the Poles has broken out anew, said the Polish Commander-in-Chief (Genhad very sad news from Poland of

more Poles being executed and inore being sent to concentration camps. General Sikorski described the Balkan events as important but not

all-important.

"Mastery of the Mediterranean will be a matter of much more weight, and the result of the Battle of the Atlantic will be the decisive element in the war," he stated.

EXPRESS TRAIN ON FIRE

#### Sons Of Belgian Premier Missing

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BRITISH BLOCKADING DJIBUTI

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#### WRISTLET RADIOS TO SAVE RAID VICTIMS

#### SOS Call From Beneath Debris Heard By Rescuers On Surface

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LONDON, April 28. A lieutenant of the Polish Army and a Dunfermline engineer have devised a wristlet broadcasting set to help in the rescuing of those trapped in wreckage.

The Home Office is testing the device, which sends out oscillations on a fixed wavelength by slight pressure on a celluloid strip. The oscillations can be picked up on an ordinary portable radio and rescuers equipped with a direction-finding coil are able to locate the trapped person.

The broadcaster weighs six ounces and is three inches in diameter. It operates for 44 hours. The small dry battery can be mass-produced for 5/-.

### SEARCH FOR FELIX Pincer Movement Against Asia May Be Next Axis Move

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OTTAWA, April 28. The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King) speaking in the Canadian House of Commons warned Canadians to be prepared for "an extension of the theatre of

war on a vast scale He predicted that there might be a Nazi drive down the Gulf of Persia as the commencement of a huge pincer movement against the whole continent of Asia, accompanied simultaneously by attacks against Singapore, Gibraltar and

Suez and an attempt to invade Britain. "Now as never before we must view things in perspective." he declared. "It is important to realise that as long as British resistance continues the issue cannot be lost."

Referring to a suggestion that he go to England to join an Empire War Cabinet, he said he believed he would be of more service in Canada sitting in Cabinet and Parliament at

### MORE MEN THAN CAN BE SENT

ARMY CHIEF VISITS CZECH TROOPS.—General Sir John Dill, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, at a Czech camp in England. On his left is the Czech Commander, General Miroslay.

CANADA'S RECRUITING **FIGURES** 

HOME DEFENCE

Seventy Thousand Soldiers Overseas

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received April 29, 7.45 p.m.) OTTAWA, April 28. The Defence Minister (Colonel J. N. Ralston) announces that Canada now has 70,000 troops overseas and another 118,000 have enlisted for service overseas. She also has a

arge home defence militia.

Colonel Ralston added that overseas recruiting had been slowed down because of the shortage of transport shipping.

### **GROWING MIGHT** OF R.A.F.

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are a sign of the growing bomber strength which will lead eventually to a 24-hour air offensive, and the wrecking of the German war machine," says the "Daily Telegraph's" aeronautical correspondent. In daylight yesterday, 'planes of the Bomber Command successfully bombed a factory west of Cologne and a military camp near Cologne, says an Air Ministry communique. Docks at Ijmuiden and an aero-drome at Dekooy, Holland, also were attacked.

Off the coast of Brittany, an enemy patrol vessel was hit with bombs and left on fire and listing In an offensive patrol over Holland yesterday, 'planes of the Figher Command machine-gunned enemy positions and a supply train. None of our 'planes is missing.

HINDU-MOSLEM CLASH AT CAWNPORE

Ten Injured When Police Fire On Mob

### Coffee Shipment Seized

CANADIAN ACTION

Cargo Intended For Germany

RUSSIAN ROUTE

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received April 29, 11.15 p.m.) VANCOUVER, April 28. The Canadian Government has seized a shipment of 1,500,000lb of coffee aboard a freighter berthed here. The shipment originated from Cristobal, Canal Zone, and is believed to be scheduled for transhipment at San Francisco for Ger-

freighter was instructed by radio while at sea to proceed to Vancouver.

The origin of the radio instructions are not disclosed.

The German freighter Lech, which arrived at Rio de Janeiro from Germany on March 3 after breaking the blockade, sailed to-

many via Japan and Russia, but the

Captain Brinckmann asked for a permit to sail at noon to-morrow, but sailed at 8 p.m. after completing the loading of cotton. Brinckmann had asked the police to capture two deserting sailors,

#### SUSPICIOUS YACHT SEIZED

Those Aboard Detained At Cuba

(Received April 30, 0.15 a.m.) HAVANA, April 29. The Navy announces that a cruiser at Cuba seized the yacht Ezzegoing, flying the United States flag, and removed a woman and three men, who have been interned pending efforts to determine their nationality, which is reported to be German

It is understood that the yacht lacked proper navigation papers and identification documents.

NO BLAME PUT ON BRITAIN

Eire's Difficulties

WAR CREATES NEW **PROBLEMS** 

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BOMBAY, April 28.

Moslems and Hindus clashed today at Cawnpore. The police fired on the mob and ten were injured. The situation is tense and curfew has been imposed.

The situation in Bombay has improved. Ten have been killed and 135 injured since the beginning of the riots there a week ago,

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LONDON, April 28.

The Eirean Minister of Supplies (Mr Sean Lemass) in a speech at Dublin said: "One meets people saying that Eire's shipping and supply difficulties have been created to force a change in policy or Government. Britain is not putting the screw on Eire. Her difficulties are an inevitable outcome of the war and they will end only when the war ends."

### Pacific May Be Patrolled

WASHINGTON REPORT

Co-operation With Australia

RECENT DISCUSSION

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(Received April 29, 6 p.m.) WASHINGTON, April 28. The Australian Minister to Wash ington (the Hon. R. G. Casey) conferred with the Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull) to-day and conveyed assurances of unity within Australia and with Britain regarding the prosecution of the war. Mr Casey presented copies of the statements made by the Federal Labour leader (Mr J. Curtin) and the Acting Prime Minister (Mr A. W. Fadden) and Mr Hull expressed

war effort. Mr Casey and Mr Hull then lengthily discussed important and interesting long-range views about the Far East.

pleasure and satisfaction at these

proofs of Australia's unity in the

Pacific Policy Mr Casey, when interviewed after the discussions said: "We explored a fairly wide field and discussed the influence of current American policy

as regards the Pacific area, in which Australia is greatly interested."

Mr Casey declined to give details or to explain the meaning of this, but well-informed circles believe the subject was patrols into the Pacific. In the light of President Roosevelt's recent statement, it is now considered most likely that the United States may shortly arrange neutrality patrols in the direction of Australia.

Mr Casey said that the admirably

clear pronouncement by Mr Curtin and Mr Fadden had entirely cleared away all misapprehensions aroused in America last week by reports of disunity on the war in Australia. tain does not want American man-power.

### OPEN SEALANES SPELL AXIS DEFEAT

#### American Assistance Must Be Great And Speedy

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Mr Thomas Lamont, banker and financier, speaking at the Detroit Economic Club said: "Britain and China can win if the United States grants immense and speedy aid. America's determination not to surrender her sealanes in the Atlantic and the Pacific, thus backing the indomitable spirit of the British and the heroism of China, will spell ultimate defeat for the Axis.

Mr Lamont said that the Japanese in China were failing and did not know which way to turn, and added: "Japan's acute problem now is not how to finish the war with victory but how to make some sort of composition to save her face."

Sir Gerald Campbell, British High Commissioner to Canada, in a speech to the Chamber of Commerce at Washington, said that Britain and the Allies would win the war if they got adequate help from the United States. Though he did not mention Lind-

bergh by name, Sir Gerald branded as untrue Lindbergh's statement that the British had misinformed other European nations when she promised armed assistance that she could not send. Sir Gerald said that the size of the British Expeditionary Force to France was fixed by the French General Staff. He rejected Lindbergh's contention that Britain still hopes to persuade the United States

to send another army to Europe, pointing out that Mr Winston Churchill had emphasised that Bri-

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#### TRANSFER OF WORKERS

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HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that an HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that an Election will be held on SATUR-DAY, the 17th day of May, 1941, for the purpose of electing a Mayor for the Borough of Napier, and I hereby appoint the Borough Council Office, Tennyson Street, as the place, and TUESDAY, the 6th day of May, 1941 (before noon) as the day for nomination of candidates.

Each candidate must at the time of nomination deposit with the Returning Officer the sum of ten pounds (£10). Nominations must be made on the

W. E. COOPER,

Returning Officer. BOROUGH OF NAPIER.

TRIENNIAL ELECTION OF ELEVEN COUNCILLORS.

IN THE MATTER of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1933," and "The Local Elections and Polls Act, 1925," and amendments 1941.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that an Election will be held on SATUR-DAY, the 17th day of May, 1941, for the purpose of electing Eleven Councillors for the Borough of Napier, and I hereby appoint the Borough Council Office, Tennyson Street, as the place, and TUESDAY, the 6th day of May, 1941 (before noon) as the day for nomination of candidates.

Each candidate must at the time of nomination deposit with the Returning Officer the sum of three pounds (£3). Nominations must be made on the prescribed form, which may be obtained at the Borough Council Office or at the office of the undersigned, No. 4, Bryant's Building (upstairs). Dated the 24th day of April, 1941. W. E. COOPER, Returning Officer.

NAPIER HARBOUR BOARD. ELECTION OF THREE MEMBERS

IN THE MATTER of "The Harbours Act, 1923," and "The Local Elec-tions and Polls Act, 1925," and

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that an Election of three members to represent the Borough of Napier on the Napier Harbour Board will be held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May, 1941, and I hereby appoint the Borough Council Office, Tennyson Street, as the place, and TUESDAY, the 6th day of May, 1941— (before noon) as the day for nomination of candidates.

No person shall be deemed to be a candidate unless at the time of nomination he has deposited with the Returning Officer the sum of three pounds (£3).

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ELECTION OF TWO REPRESENTATIVES.

IN THE MATTER of "The Electric Power Boards Act, 1925," and "The Local Elections and Polls Act, 1925," and amendments.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that ar HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that an Election will be held in the Constituent District of the Napier Borough on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May 1941, for the purpose of electing Two Representatives of the said Constituent District to serve on the above-named Board, and I hereby appoint the office of the Napier Borough Council as the place and TUESDAY, the 6th day of May (before noon) as the day for nomination of candidates.

as the day for nomination dates.

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Evidence In Breach Of Promise Case

After keeping company with a girl for four years and becoming engaged to her last July, a young man of Swansea, Wales, suddenly dropped his affectionate relations with her and sent her a formal letter breaking off the engagement. The missive as read in court in the course of an undefended breach of promise proceedings is as fol

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This expressed, it is best to retreat in time. treat in time.

"I have therefore to state that I beg permission to decline further intercourse of a tender nature.
"I am, madam, your obedient ser-The young man is said to have admitted that his mother, who opposed the marriage, dictated the letter.

The court awarded the plaintiff damages and costs to the amount of £110.

**PROGRAMMES** 

ON THE AIR

1YA AUCKLAND

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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: Tenors and the Girls They Sing About. 10.45: "The Woes of a Contralto." by Evelyn Gardiner. 11.0: "Musical Highlights." b: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 2.0: "Music and Romance." 2.30: Classical music. 3.30: "From Our Sample Box." 4.0: Light music 5.0: Children's Session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News 7.15: Talk.

7.15: Talk.
Rebecca Clarke (viola), Frederick Thurston (clarinet), Kathleen Long (piano). 7.47: Studio recital by Dorothy Stentiford (contralto), 7.59: Studio recital by the Westminster Trio. 8.11: Stewart Wilson (tenor). with the Marie Wilson Quartet and Reginald Paul. 8.35: Ethel Bartlett and Rae Robertson. 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 MFILINGTON

2YA WELLINGTON

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.; B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning variety. 10.10; Devotional service. 10.25: Popular melodies, 10.40: For My Lady. 11.0: "A Woman's Letters from England." 11.15: Music by popular composers. 11.30: Variety on the air.

12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 1.30: Educational Session. 2.0: Classical hour. 3.0: Ballad singers. 3.32: Musical meanderings. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: "Britain Speaks." 7.30: Gardening Talk by Our Gardening

Gardening Talk by Our Gardening Expert.

Debroy Somers Band, 7.54: "Kitchener of Khartoum." 8.19: "Let's Sing It Again." 8.43: In the Music Salon, 8.58: Station notices, 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel, 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary, 9.25: Evening Prayer, 9.30: Leslie Bridgewater's Harp Quintet, 9.33: Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham. 9.36: "Grey Face." 10.0: Hal Kemp and His Orchestra. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

4YA DUNEDIN 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session, 10.15: Devotional service. 10.40: "More Sidelights": "Rabbit Rampage." 11.0: "Ernest Maltravers." 11.20: "Cooking by Electricity." 11.35: Tunes of the times.

Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 1.30: Educational Session. 2.0: Rambling in rhythm. 3.15: Talk, "The Midday Meal Away from Home." 3.30: Classical music. 4.30: Cafe music. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.10: Burnside Stock Market report. 7.15: Book talk,

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): Roy. Fox and his Band. 7.40: "Evergreens of Jazz." 7.54: "The Hunchback of Ben All." 8.7: Richard Lelbert (organ). 8.14: The Dreamers. 8.22: The Langworth Gauchos. 8.30: "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 8.42: "Live. Love and Laugh." 8.55: Alfredo Campoll and his Salon Orchestra. 8.58: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Evening prayer. 9.30: Henry Croudson (organ). 9.36: "The Life of Cleopatra." 9.56: The London Palladium Orchestra. 10.0: Abe Lyman and his Californians. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

2YH NAPIER

7.0, 8.45 a.m.; B.B.C. news, 7.30; Breakfast session. 11.0; Light music. 12.0-20 p.m.; Lunch music. (12.15; B.B.C. news.) 1.15; Headline News and Views. 5.0; Light music; 5.30; For the children. 5.45; Primo Scala's Accordion Band. 5.51; Sowande and his Music. 6.0; "The Fourth Form at St. Percyls." 6.15; B.B.C. news. 6.45; Hawke's Bay Stock Market reports.

7.0; After-dinner music, 7.30; "Those We Love." 8.0; Debroy Somers Band. 8.9; Mantovani and his Orchestra for Dancing. 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; The Boyd Neel String Orchestra. 9.40; "Music from the Theatre." 2YH NAPIER

B.B.C. a.m.; News. 7.30: Religious service. 8.30: Music of Britain. 8.45: News. 10.45: News. 11.0: "Questions of the Hour."
9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: "Francis Drake."

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12 noon: News. 12.45: Listening Post. 1.15: Starlight. 1.45: Headline News and Views by J. B. McGeachy or Lindsay Fraser. 2.0: "Music of Britain. 2.45: "To-night We Present." 3.15: "At Your Request." 3.30: Newsreel. 4.30: News summary.
6.00 p.m.: Programme announcements. 6.15: News. 6.30: "Questions of the Hour." 6.45: Starlight. 7.45: "Music of Britain." 8.0: Headline News and News Commentary. Cyril Lakin or P. E. G. Bayley. 9.15: "To-day We Present." 9.30: Radio Newsreel (Pacific edition). 11.0: News.

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MEETING ON MAY 3

By Telegraph—Press Association INVERCARGILL, April 29. Following are the acceptances for the Southland Racing Club's meeting on May 3:— THE SOUTHLAND HURDLES, of £155; one mile and a half.—Araboa 11.8, Flagman 10.8, Kippen 9.2, Viking 9.0, Triple Cone 9.0, Astral Flame 9.0, Rosaleen Dhu 9.0.

INVERCARGILL HARNESS TROT, of £140; class 3.43. One mile and a half.—Castle Blaney scr, Flying Peggy scr, Lichfield scr, Lustrous scr, Recast scr scr, Recharge scr, Red Wolf scr, Scatterbrain scr, Sea Fortune scr, Jimmy Drusus 24yds bhd., Sunny Dell 36, Bonnie Sandy 48, Jackie Coogan 48, Nancy Guy 48, Fransol 60, Brown Cloud 72.

MYROSS HANDICAP, of £125; even furlongs.—Gnohill 9.0, Ackemma 5. Gold Robe 8.4, Royal Chorus 8.2, jolita 8.0, Remembo 7.12, Anglo rench 7.12, Shantyman 7.11, Music

AWARUA HANDICAP, of £250; one mile and a quarter.—Royal Lancer 10.2, Wild Career 8.5, Waitoru 8.4, Peony Rose 8.2, Aravane 8.0, Heidelberg 7.11, Southern Sail 7.0, Fidelis 7.0, Half and Half 7.0. SOUTHLAND STEEPLECHASE, of £165; about two miles and a half.—Spendthrift 11.2, Trisox 10.5, Gay Boa 9.13, Pride o' Central 9.3, Rifle Range 9.0, Panara 9.0, Polar Star 9.0.

OTATARA HARNESS TROT, of £150; class 3.39. One mile and a half—Bonnie Sandy scr, Jackie Coogan scr, Nancy Guy scr, Aidus 12yds bhd., Fransol 12, Lochiel's Pride 12, Lunch Hour 12, Brown Cloud 24, Glen Guy 36, June Tide 36, Erin's Star 48, Irish Guy 48, Loyal Sun 48, Peter Young 48, Prince Charles 48.

BLUFF HANDICAP, of £125; one mile.—Mosgiel 8.11, Aspire 8.6, Gnohill 8.6, Noko 8.5, Lucky Feather 8.3, Ackemma 7.11, Royal Money 7.9, Scotch Queen 7.7.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP, of f155; seven furlongs.—Araboa 9.0, Strip 8.13, Waitoru 8.13, Phalanx 8.5, Boaform 8.2, Sailing Lady 8.0, Sea Lady 8.0, Gold Flight 7.6, Colonel Rouge 7.0.

NORTHERN TROTTING NOTES

Saturday's Form TOCEETIE BELOW

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Daily Mail Special Service.
AUCKLAND, April 28.

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11.0: B.B.C. news.

3YA CHRISTCHURCH
6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news.
10.30: Devotional service. 10.45:
Songs from the fims. 11.6: "A
Woman's Letters from England."
11.10: Light orchestral 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C.
news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 1.30: Educational Session.
2.0: Melody and rhythm. 2.30:
Musical comedy, 3.0: Classical hour.
4.0: Rhythmic revels, 4.30: Favorus
dington Stock Market Report.
7.35: Winter Course series. 8.0:
Lill Kraus (planist). 8.3: Reading by O. L. Simmance. 8.28: Orchestra 1.0: S.8: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Evening prayer.
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The chief sprint race, the Henderson' Handicap, concluded with a dead-heat between Club King and Kete Kura, either of which would have paid double figures for an outright win, that of Kete Kura being three times the return of Club The latter ran to the front about three furlongs from home with Stargum, he led Young Parry and Princess Linnett into the straight. Kete Kura came into the picture at the distance and seemed to head Club King just short of the post, but Club King made a last effort to share the honours. Stargum was still battling on, then came young Parry, Princess Linnett and Connenora. The second favourite to Young Parry, Peter's Find, showed speed in the first stages but he was beaten with half a mile to go. The Swift Lady-Sentiment combination was fancied but not forward.

Short-Priced Winner

Getaway, short-priced favourite for the Innovation Handicap, was never worse than second in running and Baby Triumph, who shared the pacemaking in the middle stages, broke crossing the top, later bridg-ing the gap to be second a clear ing the gap to be second, a clear length behind Getaway. Esther, well-known in the South Island, was well-known in the South Island, was third, her place price being just over one and a-half score. Golden Journey, generally conceded a good place proposition, was fourth, from Barney Bingen and Mattie Herbilwyn. The last-mentioned put in some very fast work at two periods of the journey and she was possibly some very fast work at two periods of the journey and she was possibly unlucky not to pay a dividend.

Castella del Oro was a red-hot selection for the first division of the Devonport Handicap, but she was beaten home by Now Then, third favourite, and Rockfel, who was prominent throughout. This was G. T. Mitchell's second win in successive races. Nearest to the placed horses was the rank outsider Shining Link.

Shining Link. Moko Direct Easily Moko Direct won the second divi-sion of the Devonport Handicap by five lengths from Katoomba. County Jewel was a moderate third and the only close finish was that between Oxford and Parrish Queen for fourth. Flying Scott, the fav-ourite, broke early and tailed the field.

M. Stewart produced a winner in Neutrality in the Franklin Handi-cap. He led throughout and proved

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"I grabbed the steering wheel and shoved the driver aside," Mrs Richard Gadd related. "How I ever came through that traffic I'll never know. I tugged at the wheel every time we

seemed headed for a collision."

Mrs Gadd piloted the bus through a busy intersection, unable to heed a stop sign, and brought it to a halt, the motor choked and lights ablaze on a side street, a few feet away from a tree.

ner led almost all the way. Mah Jong made a splendid effort from 120 yards behind and was only a length and a-half from the winner M. Stewart produced a winner in Neutrality in the Franklin Handicap. He led throughout and proved himself fighting fit in beating off the sustained challenge of Davey Day, who kept third place throughout the running as far as the straight. Sir Echo was stretched to keep third place from Cynic, who was confidently supported by her party, and Double Peter.

The second trotters race, the Whitford Handicap, saw Dick Redmond score narrowly from Sir Tony and Silver Countess. The win-

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Rescued By Tugboat

A 17-year-old Glasgow mess boy who woke up in the middle of the night to find himself alone in the 'guns instead of butter' theory of Atlantic in a sinking ship arrived national economy," says a correhome recently. His name is Donald spondent in "The Times," London Morrison. The crew of his ship were The characteristic feature of totalilanded at a British port earlier. tarian economy—reduced standard They reported that there was one of living and intensively increased casualty-Donald Morrison.

The lad was believed to have been killed by the explosion of a torpedo, but young Donald had calmly gone back to his cabin and fallen asleep. He had been told that the ship was in no immediate danger of sinking.

After anything home he said: (II)

After arriving home he said: "I was awakened by a terrible bang. I made my way to the deck and the ship was listing so badly that I had to cling to an iron stanchion to keep on my feet. I could not see another soul on the ship. I shouted and there was no reply I realised I was there was no reply I realised I was soul on the ship. I shouted and prints. With the proceeds of those there was no reply. I realised I was bonds the Government pays capi-

From Raft to Raft

"I soon realised that the ship was sinking rapidly. There was nothing else for it but to dive overboard, and as I did so I had a glimpse of three lifeboats in the distance. I grazed my head on a derrick as I dived," he added, "and I was just about finished when I found a raft.
"Here I rested as I saw a lifeboat."

function. The essential feature of this economy is that already described. "And I was just about finished when I found a raft.

"Here I rested, as I saw a lifeboat which appeared to be empty. It was a long way off, but there were a lot of rafts floating between me and the boat."

Donald described how he swam from raft to raft until he could swim no more and the lifeboat in a gritation for better conditions.

Donald described how he swam from raft to raft until he could swim no more and the lifeboat seemed as far away as ever. So he

from raft to raft until he could swim no more and the lifeboat seemed as far away as ever. So he decided to stay on a raft, and with some pieces of wood he built a small screen to keep off the biting wind. Cold and exhaustion made the boy fall asleep.

When he awakened the light was stronger, and after two hours he saw the smoke of a rescue tug. Tying his life-jacket to a long piece of wood, he waved, and within 10 minutes a signal from the rescue tug showed him that his ordeal was at an end. He was landed at a British port.

Under the stress of war there is no agitation for better conditions. The living requirements of the common men are small, and the innate patriotism of the race disposes the people to accept and even exult in privations. Impoverishment for years to come will be the inevitable result, but this prospect is hidden by sisions of the great "co-prosperity sphere of Greater East Asia" toward which the present hardships are leading an able and ambitious nation. The Government takes care tug showed him that his ordeal was at an end. He was landed at a British port.

State

#### "FOUR FEATHERS" ON RETURN SEASON

Alexander Korda's "The Four Feathers," now showing at the State Theatre, Hastings, is a silm that will live long in your nemory. Like "The Drum," a previous Korda success, it inscribes on the same and the state of the same and vious Korda success, it inscribes on the screen another stirring chapter of Empire history. This time the scene is the Sudan, where beneath the hot sun Gordon met a martyr's death and Kitchener fought through to victory and enduring fame at Omdurman. You will thrill to the sight of these historic incidents re-lived on the screen: the solid gived on the screen; the solid British square—broken, it is said, only once, by the grandfathers of these self-same Fuzzie-Wuzzies that you see hurtling fearsomely across the screen—a bulwark against fanae screen—a bulwark against fana-ism and terror; the wheeling vul-res, ominous specks against a ear blue sky; the hauling of tchener's army across the raging ille cataracts, a feat without paral-l in military history...these, and any more, are scenes that will not forgotten easily,

re forgotten easily,
Faversham, as so convincingly portrayed by John Clements, a rising young player, comes to the creen with all the sympathy with which the author endowed him. The ll-fated Captain Durrance provides alph Richardson with an excellent pportunity for another of those excellent character studies that have blaced him in the top flight of creen actors. In addition we have C. Aubrey Smith playing in inimitable style once of his crusty old gentlemen cameos as the father of June Duprez, a new Korda starlet who is clearly set on her course to

#### "DISPUTED PASSAGE" FILMED

There is excitement in the private There is excitement in the private life of a doctor and human drama behind hospital doors that make medical and scientific stories ideal for translation onto the screen. The latest is the Lloyd Douglas best-seller, "Disputed Passage," a picture in the tradition of such hits as "Pasteur," "Men in White" and "The Citado!" It is now at the Regent in the tradition of such hits a "Pasteur," "Men in White" and "The Citadel." It is now at the Regent Theatre, Hastings, with Dorothy Lamour, Akim Tamiroff and John Howard heading a brilliant cast. In the picture, Akim Tamiroff plays the role of a doctor who believes in the stern dedication of the physician's life to science, with no room the stern dedication of the physi-cian's life to science, with no room for human emotion. William Collier, sen., plays the role of a doctor to whom the human side is as import-ant as the scientific. Caught between these two attitudes are John Howard and Dorothy Lamour, his sweet

Miss Lamour is seen in the role of an American girl, brought up in China, who has returned to the Orient when Tamiroff says her marriage to Howard, his most promising student, will ruin the latter's career. Howard finds out what has hapbened and sets out across the battle-fronts of present-day China, in search of his fiancee. One day, while attempting to rescue a wounded Chinese, he himself is dangerously urt. A dramatic turn of eve ives Miss Lamour the chance show what love can do and Douglas his chance to prove his stirring thesis—that science can go only part the way; the soul must do the

## "HITLER-BEAST OF

fined to countries outside the iron converting it into a fortress. rule of his dictatorship. For in manent camps have been laid Nazism there are organised groups of men and women of all religions and political faiths, fighting Hitlerism with every weapon their ingenuity and meagre resources can command. Hidden behind a black well of censorship rigidly enforced by members of the brutal Gestapo, these courageous people are fighting a battle for right against tremendous odds. "Hitler—Beast of Berlin," now screening at the Cosy Theatre, dous odds. "Hitler—Beast of Berlin," now screening at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, and described as the most sensational picture ever produced, tells the uncensored truth of these people. Eventually, despite every precaution, they fall into the clutches of the dreaded Gestapo and thrown into a concentration p. "Hitler—Beast of Berlin," is camp. "Hitler—Beast of Berlin, is indeed a frank, fearless expose of Nazism, based on actual happenings and enacted by the specially selected cast of International players, headed by Roland Drew, Steffi Duna and Allan Ladd. And the picture stresses the fact that Hitlerism and all that it stands for must be crushed stands for, must be crushed-

On the same programme will be screened a gay comedy, "Meet the Missus," with popular Roscoe Karns n one of his inimitable character-

#### STRIKE AT LONDON MEAT DEPOT

Protest At Manager's Dismissal

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LONDON, April 28. LONDON, April 28.

The distribution of meat in London has been stopped by a strike covering all 30 wholesale depots around the capital. Two thousand five hundred employees are affected.
The strikers are protesting against the dismissal of the manager and 60 employees from a depot closed after suffering damage in an airraid. It is contended that the employers undertook that the staff would be absorbed at other depots. talists and munition workers, and

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#### Iceland Becomes A Fortress

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Mobile Warfare Training For Troops

Britain has now consolidated her most northerly military outpost, Iceland, to such good effect that no attempt by Germany to oust her would have he slightest chance of success. It was assured when I visited the neadquarters here of the British forces (reports a Reuter special correspondent in the "Evening Stand-

ned to countries outside the iron ule of his dictatorship. For in ustria, Czechoslovakia, Poland, ermany and other countries under fazism there are organised groups if men and women of all religions it into a fortress. Permany have been laid out, roads built and defences constructed. Lorries dash about the roads moving men and materials in the recreational huts, and tramps to the island's beauty spots. Local leave is often used to know Iceland better. The men form small parties and, equipped with rations

home. Training in mobile warfare is a feature." Snowclad peaks towered up on three sides. No trees of any kind relieved the bare landscape. The sole vegetation was a kind of brown dead grass, cut here and there by a threatens on board. frozen stream. A searing wind came down from the hills. Protection against such conditions is provided by Nissen huts, which the men find comfortable. The majority have electric light although this is im-possible in isolated places.

John Wray

The health of officers and men is excellent. They are getting full rations of good food, much of it bought locally. The sickness rate has been "remarkably low."

Special equipment, including "Arctic coats," has been issued on a generous scale. Skis have been supplied by the Army authorities. Our soldiers are now proficient in their use. The principal recreations are skating and Association football—

and camping gear, tour waterfalls, hot springs and the other sights. Use is made by the troops of the natural hot water baths in various towns. Near one camp I watched some Icelandic girls busily washing British soldiers' clothing in water that gushed, nearly boiling, from a natural hot spring.

Fine Training Areas

"Our men have been extremely good," he said. "They have done considerably more and better training, in much finer training areas, than would have been possible at troops by an Icelandic brewing firm.

Mail from home arrives punctual forces with shouts of "Down with Hitler and Mussolini!"

The Dieppe municipality has been ordered to provide a compulsory watch on its telephone and telegraph lines, because sabotage is prevalent.

State

"PIER 13" IS AMUSING COMEDY-DRAMA

"Pier 13," now showing at the State Theatre, is thrilling and amus-ing screen fare with a fine featured cast including Lynn Bari, Lloyd east including Lynn Bari, Lloyd Nolan, Joan Valerie and Dougla

Fowley.

New York's exciting waterfront is the background for the picture which is based on a sparkling story providing tense thrills and a good share of laughter.

Showing the real drama behind the thrills of football and the roaring crowds, "Yesterday's Heroes" tells the story of a college hero and his girl—who showed him that there's more to life than headlines and cheers. Jean Rogers is the girl and Robert Sterling portrays the football star. Others featured with them in a strong cast are Ted them in a strong cast are Ted North, Katharine Aldridge and Rusell Gleason.

Regent

#### 'MEIN KAMPF" REVEALS NAZI HORRORS

"Mein Kampf" was a book that avowed to the world at large just what Hitler intended to do. Now comes a film "— My Crimes," now showing at the Regent Theatre, Napier, which shows how he did it.

Happenings which were headlines, the murders of Roehm and von Schleicher, Dolfuss lying in agony for hours while his killers try vainly to his agreement to a Nazi successor become a reality through this amazing film instead of something one reads about in newspapers. There is a fascination in this picture, born of actually witnessing events whose significance is thrown events whose significance is thrown into ghastly relief by the war.

#### Mayfair \*\*

#### COMEDY, "THE DAY THE BOOKIES WEPT"

"The Day the Bookies Wept," now showing at Mayfair Theatre, Napier, presents the noted comic Joe Penner, as a taxi-driver. Devoted to his flock of pigeons and to his flancee, Betty Grable, Penner hasn't much interest in anything else until the other drivers get together in a bright scheme and buy a horse to make a killing at the expense of the bookmakers, with Joe as the trainer.

expense of the bookmakers, will Joe as the trainer.

In "Pacific Liner" Dr Jim Craig (Chester Morris) takes the post of ship's physician on the S.S. Arcturus to be near Ann Grayson, ship's nurse (Wendy Barrie). Chief Engineer, Crusher McKay, also is interested in her which brings him into immediate conflict with Craig. From this point the film moves on to a thrilling climax, as mutiny to a thrilling climax, as mutiny

#### WOMAN'S DEATH ON ISLAND

By Telegraph-Press Association INVERCARGILL, April 29. At 12.30 o'clock this morning the launch Manurewa arrived at Bluff with the body of Mrs George Fife. She had been one of a party of mutton-birders on Big Island, on the east coast of Stewart Island. She collapsed and died vesterday morncollapsed and died yesterday morn-

ing.
Smoke signals were seen, by BERLIN'

The most hated man in the world to-day is Adolf Hitler, power-crazed dictator, and that hate is not confined to countries outside the iron fined to converting it into a fortness persondent in the "Evening Standard and Association football—skating and Association football—when conditions allow.

Reykjavik boasts two excellent clientas, which are supplemented by film shows arranged by the troops the Manurewa at one o'clock. The boat left Big Island at four o'clock for Bluff, which was reached just include lectures given in the recreations are skating and Association football—when conditions allow.

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An inquest is being held.

#### AUDIENCE FINED FOR JEERING

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The Germans have fined the French city of Dieppe £60,000 because a cinema audience greeted a film of the Italian and German air

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If you have a very sensitive skin, and find that the salt water stings and dries it, then you must see that it receives special attention. Before venturing into the water, massage either a little vanishing cream or a little glycoring and resewater wall

little glycerine and rosewater well into the face and neck. Never use

Of course, it is equally as important to remove all traces of salt water from the skin after a bathe. As it is not always possible to procure fresh water on the beach, and,

SIMPLE PRECAUTIONS

a greasy cream.

mosquito net and bottle.

As you start to use each new bottle of the rice water add one teaspoonful of lemon juice and two drops of simple tincture of benzoin to each ounce of the rice water.

Before using first wash the face for a minute in warm water, then, after the skin has been thoroughly wet, dry it lightly on a soft towel, and finally bathe the face with the rice water lotion for five minutes.

ondville Women's Institute, Mrs H.
R. Benbow gave as the thought for the month "I shall pass through this world but once. And good thing that I can do or any kindness that I can show any human being, let me do it now and not defer it, for I shall not pass this way again."

A letter of thanks was received from a soldier in Suva for one of the parcels sent out by the institute for Christmas and a very inspiring letter was read from the institute's link in England, telling of the great gratitude felt in Britain for the help given to them by New Zealand and the other colonies.

A very comprehensive report was given by Mrs H. O. Baines, of the annual federation meeting at Dannevirke. The meeting was unaniverselved. nevirke. The meeting was unani-mously in favour of holding a Do-minion Conference next year and of rice water lotion for five minutes. deferring the Institute Drama Festival from July to September.

tival from July to September.

A smart competition arranged by the hostesses, Mrs Hosking and Miss F. Hosking, was won by Mrs C. T. Leggett. The monthly competitions resulted as follows: Mittens, Mrs G. S. Chapman 1, Mrs J. C. Packer 2 Mrs W. A. Trask 3; best bloom, Mrs G. Huttheson, Mrs G. Hill 2 Mrs G. A. Hutcheson, Mrs G. Hill 2, Mrs G. S. Chapman 3.

TUAL

At the Tual Women's Institute meeting held in Tual Hall the president, Mrs Godman, presided over a good attendance of members.

A competition was won by Mrs

Members are working for the Lady Galway Patriotic Guild and also knitting is being done for the forces and soldiers' parcels are be-

forces and soldiers' parcels are being sent overseas.

The competition results were as follows: Handwork, coloured fancywork table-centre, Mrs C. Dawson 1, Mrs Nicol 2; cooking shortbread to be sent to soldiers overseas, Mrs Lough 1, Mrs Stoupe and Mrs Rosenberg equal 2, Mrs Nicol 3; bowl of autumn flowers, Mrs Nicol 1, Mrs Bumstead 2. Mrs Bumstead 2.

After supper the meeting closed.

Annual Appeal For Funds

CHILDREN'S HOME

Street Collection And Shop In Hastings

ON FRIDAY NEXT

Boys of the Hawke's Bay Chil-Boys of the Hawke's Bay Children's Home have gone overseas to fight for their country and the girls are busy with patriotic knitting and are spending their few odd pennies to buy wool for peggy squares to make into quilts. Surely such children are worthy of our strongest support

support.
There are now almost 100 children in the Home and it will be realised that a considerable sum of money is needed to maintain such a number.

needed to maintain such a number. For 49 years the people of Hawke's Bay have provided the necessary funds to carry on this fine work and it is earnestly hoped that they will continue to do this although it is realised that this is a time for constant calls for assistance.

The annual appeal for this purpose takes place this week. On Friday next, May 2, there will be in Hastings a street collection and also a shop. It is hoped that all people will give as generously as is possible to help the collection and that everyone will be keenly interested in the shop. Many will have some contribution to make towards the various stalls, others will find the various stalls, others will find plenty to purchase.

The cake stall in particular, which sorganised by the Hastings Women's Community Club, promises to be particularly tempting and the meat stall will be another great attraction. The shop will be situated next to the Cosy Theatre.

RICE AND POTATOES GOOD Keeping Fit In Winter

CLASS ON SATURDAYS

Women's War Service Auxiliary

Women and girls who are busy all the week have an excellent op-portunity of keeping fit and healthy by attending the physical culture classes which begin next Saturday at the Drill Hall, Hastings, under

at the Drill Hall, Hastings, under the auspices of the Women's War Service Auxiliary.

To be really useful a girl or woman must be fit and well. It is wonderful how much benefit can come from gently exercising the body. Tiredness is lessened and the person feels so much better and happier that work is far less difficult. All who are wanting to an make-up, that is not the slightest reason why you should forego your bathe. Surely you know that in these days it is possible to procure cosmetics which are as near to waterproof as is possible.

There are liquid waterproof powders, rouges, and lipsticks. And, although these cosmetics will not adhere to the skin for hours in the water, they will at least stand up to your dip in the water, and when you again appear on the beach your face will not be streaked and running.

If your legs are fat, do not draw attertion to them by wearing brightly-coloured bathing shoes, and, if they are rather hairy, remember that most of the hairs can be rubbed away with a little elbow grease and pumice stone.

If you have a very sensitive skin, cult. All who are wanting to get out of a groove and who desire to give practical outlet to their patri-otic feelings should attend the drill hall on Saturday next and hear all hall on Saturday next and near all about the plans ahead for the Hastings' members and would-be members of the W.W.S.A. Mrs E. S. Craven, who is an experienced teacher of physical culture, will take the classes.

It will be a most interesting afterment and mathems and daughters.

noon and mothers and daughters should make a point of attending and adding their help to that already enrolled.

Besides this, there are all sorts

of activities in which women can participate. Miss Leck will organise a Bicycling Corps. This will appeal to all who enjoy cycling and who would like to be efficient in all per-taining to their machine. With a bicycle no benzine is needed and ness, caused by your holiday, will have left the skin, and it will once again be its old normal self. bicycle no benzine is needed and much valuable work can be done at small cost. Signalling may be taught and a demonstration will be given on Saturday.

In other parts of the Dominion Plunket nurses and those of the Free Kindergarten are holding lectured by the state of the stat

tures and classes for women inter-ested in caring for children. These classes will be a future work for the W.W.S.A., but have not yet been

Since salt water also has a ruinous effect on your hair, it may also need a little attention. A trace of egg-white added to your shampooing water will help keep the hair soft and lustrous, but, if it has become badly sun-bleached and is stringy and lank, you will then have to go to your hairdresser for a course of vitamin hair reconditioning treatments. Most hairdressers now have these vitamin creams, and you will discover that, even after the W.W.S.A., but have not yet been started here.

It will be seen clearly that both young and older women can help their country by each giving of their best in any way which would help the district and country to rise above any confusion should an emergency arise. Let us be prepared even if we are working quietly now. To unite, and to record our names, means that organisation is far more efficient and easy. All who have the welfare at heart of the boys overseas will put timidity aside and follow the lead given by our men in the Home Guard in organising and getting healthily fit. you will discover that, even after only two treatments, your hair is in a much better condition. And remember that, when you are on the beach, you are not he only bather in the world, and that what you think are major imperfections other people will not even notice.

Mrs R. K. Murphy, Muriwal, is spending a holiday in Hawke's Bay.

Miss Ruth Herrick, Napier, Dominion commissioner of Girl Guides, is the guest of Mrs Sutherland Ross, Dunedin.

Mrs Douglas, who has been staying with Mrs Francis Clark, Havelock North, has returned to her home, in Canterbury.

Mrs Leonard Wright, who has been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Melville Bell, Havelock North, has returned to her home in Dunedin.

Mr and Mrs Laurence Stone, Epsom, Auckland, are at present holidaying in Napier and are guests of Mr and Mrs N. Solomon, Masonic

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WRAPPING PAPER AND HOW BEST TO SAVE IT

The official decision to ration paper will provide the drapery and allied trades in England with yet another problem, says "The Drapers' Record." How can this be done? First eliminate waste. It is no exaggeration to say that two out of every three parcels are wrapped in larger sheets of paper than necesin larger sheets of paper than neces-

If your assistants habitually use

If your assistants habitually use 36 x 45 sheets when 36 x 40 would do, you can go a long way towards the fifty per cent mark, and reduce expenses at the same time, by providing the right size for the job and make some person responsible for seeing it is used.

That form of waste is due to thoughtlessness or indifference.

What about the wrapping paper taken from incoming parcels? Waste merchants know the value of this, especially now. A sheet of kraft brown of moderate size and weight is worth a copper or two.

Yet in shops and warehouses innumerable parcels are unpacked, the goods placed on counters, and on the floor go the wrappings, to be walked on, soiled and crumpled, until finally they are gathered up and deposited with the shop sweepings.

ings.

If assistants took a hint from those who collect silver paper for hospitals, and in like manner straightened and stacked the wrappings, rationing worries would vanish and another saving be effect. ed. Before re-use, remove other firms' labels, of course.

These two methods of preventing waste can be supplemented by a systematic overhaul of packing and parcelling arrangements.

Are you buying heavier paper than is required? One large concern was using 120-kraft cream manilla. It was found that 60 or 70 would do the job quite satisfactorily.
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Porkers Still Up

North Island, and 3,976 in the South) total 109,715, showing an increase of 73,314 carcases. Baconer

(409,231); boneless bobby veal 86,745 (65,634); sundries 315,378 (280,625).

Yesterday On

'Change

Transaction List

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

WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

Sales Late Monday

CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE

Sales Reported

N.Z. Govt. 4% Stock, 1955 105 10 South British Insurance . . 2 8

Metropolitan Building .... R. and E. Tingey (pref.) ... Sales Yesterday

4% Stock, 1948 . . . . . 104 War Loan, 1/10/53 . . . (2) 82 Bank of N.S.W. . . . . . 28

Porker killings (105,739 in orth Island, and 3,976 in

### DIFFICULT DAYS FOR INDUSTRY

CHAIRMAN'S ANNUAL REPORT

FRUIT EXPORT BOARD

Effect Of Outbreak

"The outbreak of war in Septem ber, 1939, interrupted the normal functioning of the board. It was then quickly obvious that the fruit industry faced a major crisis and that something of an unusual nature would have to be done to protect the industry through the difficult days that lay ahead," states the annual report of the chairman of the Fruit Export Control Board (Mr

H. E. Stephens, Nelson). "An 'endeavour was made to secure Government assistance for the Board to continue its usual export functions and for a growers' organisation to organise the local marketing through a central control with the Government guaranteeing to the grower a net return sufficient to cover average production costs. The Government held that to undertake the responsibility of such a guarantee it was essential that the Government had full control of both export and local fruit marketing. Because of this view, both organisations requested the Government to take the necessary control and give to growers an assurance of a net return sufficient to cover the average cost of production, plus a fair standard of living." Board's Recent Position

The report continues with details of the prices paid, and the increase granted for the 1941 crop to cover the increased cost of production. Concerning the present status of the board, the chairman states:

"As has been explained the advent of war led to the Government purchase agreement and in turn this prevented the board continuing its normal functions. The status of the board, however, remained unaltered and its legislative authority still exists. In no way has the Government interfered with the board's status as a marketing organisation under normal conditions. In fact when the continuity of the board was endangered, through emergency when the continuity of the board was endangered, through emergency conditions rendering inoperative the regulations whereby Board members are elected, the Government, through Order-in-Council dated August 28, 1940, conserved the board's status.

"Meanwhile under the authority

"Meanwhile, under the authority of Emergency Regulations the Min-ister has appointed board members to act as an Advisory Committee to the Internal Marketing Division for the operation of the Apple and Pear Marketing Scheme.

Co-operative Effort

"As a committee, board members are associated with the Director of the Division and his officers and there is gradually evolving a basis whereby the industry can co-operate more and more in this important work. In addition to the Central Committee there are selected subcommittees in most fruit districts to assist the marketing officer in his assist the marketing officer in his duties. These sub-committees consist of officials of the Marketing Division and Horticultural Division, plus local Federation Director and Truit Record members.

Fruit Board member.

"Although neither the board members nor Federation Directors have any executive authority on any of these committees, the final authority these committees, the final authority in all instances resting with the marketing officer, the industry's representatives hope that by the whole-hearted co-operation of all parties the best possible result will be obtained from the present conditions.

Financial Statement

"When considering the balance sheet of March 31, 1940, the board resolved to return to the exporters of the 1939 season the levy that they had contributed during that year. This meant a refund of £4380 which

Hastings Rugby fixtures and referees for Saturday are as fol-

Celtic v. Havelock North, Nelson Park, No. 1, 3 p.m. (Mr W. Scott). Hastings v. H.S.O.B., Nelson Park No. 2, 3 p.m. (Mr E. Singleton).

Junior High School v. M.A.C., Nelson Park No. 1, 1.30 p.m. (Mr H. David-

son).
H.H.S.O.B. v. Havelock North,
Havelock North, 2.50 p.m. (Mr A.
Kirkpatrick). Third Grade

H.H.S.O.B. v. Hastings, School No. 3, 2.45 p.m. (Mr J. Drummond). School A v. School B, School No. 2 1.30 p.m. (Mr G. Bainbridge). Celtic v. St. Johns, Nelson Park No. 2, 1.30 p.m. (Mr G. Toothill).

Fourth Grade

Fourth Grade
H.H.S.O.B. v. St John A, School
No. 3, 1.30 p.m. (Mr R. Whitworth).
School A v. Havelock North,
School No. 4, 1.30 p.m. (Mr N.
Hingston).
St. Johns B v. School C, School
No. 5, 1.30 p.m. (Mr L. Patrick).
Hastings v. School B, School No.
4, 2.45 p.m. (Mr C. Kemp).
Touch Judges: No. 1, Messrs W.
Thurlow, J. Geenty; No. 2, Messrs
E. Spooner, T. Kilner,

#### Patriotic Work At Otane

ANNUAL MEETINGS

Review Of Year's

**Operations** 

RED CROSS ACTIVITIES

(Daily Mail Special Service)
OTANE.

Mr R. H. White presided over a good attendance at the annual meeting of the Otane sub-branch of the Red Cross and the Otane-Pukehou Patriotic Society, held in the Town Hall on Monday evening.

The financial report was adopted, the position showing a satisfactory state of affairs.

Mr White gave a resume of the year's work, during which 32 soldiers had been given a farewell social.

social.

The election of officers resulted in Mr White being re-elected chairman, Mr J. Macdougall re-elected secretary, and the committee to consist of all those present at the meeting, with an executive committee consisting of Messrs White, Macdougall and Large. Mrs A. B. Collins was re-elected convener for the social entertainments on fare-Collins was re-elected convener for the social entertainments on fare-well evenings, Mr and Mrs Voyce and Mrs Macdougall agreeing to as-sist. A vote of thanks was accorded Mr J. Stevens for his energetic help also to the honorary secretary (Mr J. Macdougall), for his devotion to

duty.

It was announced that the concert recently held in aid of the patriotic funds brought in £11 5/5½.

Mr White expressed the sympathy of the district with Mrs Crawley, whose son has been wounded in action. Mr and Mrs Crawley have

five sons overseas.

This closed the Patriotic Society

This closed the Patriotic Society meeting and the Red Cross annual meeting followed. Mrs R. H. White, president, gave the annual report in which it was stated that the Otane share of the equipment for the hospital ships had been 55 serviettes, 67 face cloths, 14 tray cloths, six pairs deck shoes, two dozen handkerchiefs. Also donated to the Merchant Marine and fishing trawler men were 17 pairs sox, 5 balaclavas, 5 scarves and 5 pairs mittens. To the Napier Red Cross were sent a number of garments, and articles made up from wool supplied by the Napier Headquarters were. 33 balaclavas, 33 pairs sox, 11 pairs mittens, 22 scarves, 30 pullovers and 6 pairs pyjamas.

Sox have also been sent to all Otane boys overseas, and several articles are on hand for future use.

Knitters Thanked

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Thanks were expressed to the elderly ladies who had done so much kitting for the society, and to the honorary secretary, Mrs Macdougall for her untiring assistance during the year, also to Mr Turner, honorary auditor.

The report and balance-sheet were adopted.

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The election of officers resulted as follows: Chairman, Mr R. H. White; president, Mrs R. H. White; president, Mrs R. H. White; honorary secretary, Mrs J. Macdougal, all re-elected. The 15 vice-presidents were also re-elected. Sewing committee, Mrs Stafford, Mrs Thomas, Mrs A. V. Collins; entertainment committee, Mrs Collins, Mrs Craw ley, Mrs Tod, Mr and Mrs Voyce: finance committee, Messrs White, Black, W. Tod; auditor, Mr W. F. Turner. Turner.

#### SOCIAL SECURITY IS DUE IN MAY

Registration Fee

NATIONAL SECURITY CHARGE

Details Of Payments

In this issue appears an intimation from the Commissioner of Taxes that an instalment of the Social Security registration fee becomes payable on May 1, and that on the same date there also falls due the first instalment of the Social Security and National Security Charge on income other than salary or wages derived during the year

had contributed during that year. This meant a refund of £4380 which was paid to these exporters during last July. Of the remaining capital, £12,000 has been placed on fixed deposit with the Bank of New Zealand and this provides an annual interest income of £300, less Government tax.

"At present the capital of the board is held in cash and amounts to £14,295. To resume marketing functions at least £2000 would be required for equipment in the London and Wellington offices, and this would leave a balance no more than the essential minimum required for working capital. The future disposal of these funds will be again considered at the termination of the present investment period, namely April 30, 1942."

SATURDAY'S RUGBY AT HASTINGS

Referees And Grounds Announced

Hastings Rughy fixtures and Security and National Security or wages derived during the year ended March 31, 1941. Payment may be tendered at any Money-order Office.

All male and female persons, including Natives, sixteen years of age or over must pay the registration from the selection in respect of each installment. All persons entitled to exemption in respect of each installment to precipit of any other income, are reminded that they may be held liable for payment of the instalment unless a claim for exemption is completed and presented together with the coupon-book at a Money-Order Office within 7 days after the last day for payment of that instalment. Failure to pay renders defaulters liable, on summary conviction, to a fine of £5. In addition, a penalty of sixpence a month with a maximum penalty of 2/6 for each instalment automatically accrues if payment is not made within one month of the due date.

Income Other Than Wages

Income Other Than Wages All male and female persons (including Natives) sixteen years of age or over, companies not speci-fically exempted, and, trustees who fically exempted, and, trustees who derived trustees' income which no beneficiary is entitled to receive during the income year, are required during the month of May, to furnish in respect of the year ended March 31, 1941, declarations of income other than salary or wages ("nil" or otherwise), and to pay the Social Security Charge and National Security Tax at the rate of 2/- in the f on such income. A penalty of 10 per cent is payable on any amount of the charge not paid within one month of the due date. The income derived by a person in receipt of a war pension in respect of total disablement is exempt from the Social Security Charge. Monetary benefits from the Social Security Fund are also exempt.

from the Social Security Fund are also exempt.
Employers also have certain obligations under the Social Security. Act, and are responsible for deduction of the wages charge at the time of payment of all salaries or wages paid to employees, including the value of any benefits in kind, such as food, lodging or free house provided and must also inspect the coupon-books of employees to ensure that payment is duly effected of all due instalments of the Registration Fee.

#### PRICES ADVANCE A SHILLING

EWE LAMBS AT WAIPUKURAU

KEEN DEMAND

Attractive Entries On Offer

(Daily Mail Special Service) WAIPUKURAU.

Ewe lambs made up the main ines in the sheep section at the

ing was firm and active with prices showing an advance of fully 1/- a season's statistics to the same approximate date. North Island production was 64.01,0141 freight carcases, compared with 6,220,846 and South Island 2,939,773, compared with 2,549,743 in the previous season's statistics to the same approximate date. North Island production was 64.01,0141 freight carcases, compared with 6,220,846 and South Island 2,939,773, compared with 2,549,743 in the previous season, the priceding, on account of Omakere Station. Other good shorn pens made 18/9 to 19/1, smaller grown filte, B. 12/-. Wethers again made good buy-for ing, well framed and very forward arement was shown for production to shorn pens making 18/9 to 19/1. An improve-wet ment was shown for a small offering of fat sheep. Ewes ranged from 8/- to 9/-, light wethers 19/-, lambs 21/3.

Only 80 head of cattle, which were beef, were yarded. Small young bullocks averaged close on schedule.

SHEEP.

On account 3/-

On account Mr A. Barlow, Wakarara, 200 shorn ewe lambs, fairly grown and doing well, being sound bright and healthy, started at 16/to be passed at 19/-.
On account Bullock Hill Station, Te Uri, 234 medium-sliped well framed wethers in very forward condition being useful for the winter trade sold at 19/-.
On account Mr A. S. Aldridge, Makaretu, 119 late shorn wethers in much the same order as the previ-

Makaretti, 119 late shorn wethers in much the same order as the previous pen were sold at 19/1.

A second cut out of Mr A. Barlow's draft of ewe lambs, smaller grown and in lighter order were passed at 16/9.

On account Omakere Station, 331 very early shorn ewe lambs fairly.

On account Omakere Station, 331 very early shorn ewe lambs fairly grown in bright fresh order having been done well and should develop into quality two-tooths started at 18/- sold in the line at 21/3.

On account Estate J. S. McLeod, Elsthorpe, 221 very early shorn ewe lambs slightly smaller grown than the previous pen but in good condition, some being killable brought 18/9.

On account of Mr D. Clark, Wanstead, 47 extra well woolled, well-grown ewe lambs all in killable order sold at 22/7.

grown ewe failings all in kindle order sold at 22/7.

An entry of 62 low-set well-sliped two and four-tooth ewes in first class order sold at 18/6.

A pen of 71 fair framed four and six-tooth ewes medium sliped in good order made 19/-.

The second cut out of the Omakere Station draft of ewe lambs was passed at 18/3.

A pen of 67 fairly-framed two and four-tooth ewes late shorn and in good condition made 20/10.

On account of Mr R. G. Willis, Porangahau, 125 medium to fairly grown Down cross lambs and in very forward order not previously drafted sold at 18/6.

An entry of 60 woolly ewe lambs

An entry of 60 woolly ewe lambs very small grown and light but bright and healthy sold at 13/-.

An entry of 116 well-framed fairly sliped fine woolled two-tooth ewes in splendid order being an attractive line realised 24/10. On account Mr J. Schaffer, Porangahau, 150 well-woolled medium grown wether lambs a little mixed in condition sold at 14/3.

An entry of 113 medium-sliped four and six-tooth wethers in forward condition made 18/5.

CATTLE.

On account Mr H. Parsons, Wallingford, 12 clean-bred dehorned young bullocks, in good order and averaging about 650lbs sold at £11.

Off the same property, 8 young A.A. bullocks, similarly grown to the property finish. A.A. bullocks, similarly grown to the previous pen, also nicely finished, made better buying at £10 17/-. Out of the same draft, 8 A.A. cows and heifers, medium framed and in good order made £7 11/-. A pen of fairly-grown two-off A.A. steers showing quality being quality young beef sold at £8 3/-. A pen of 25 Jersey and Shorthorn cross two-off steers being very mixed in size and condition were passed at £4 15/-. Offered by Mr Williams, Clairinch Station, in aid of the funds of the Waipawa and Omakere Home Guard units, 2 horned Hereford cows, medium framed and fairly finished, sold at £7. Two A.A. Hereford steers donated to the same funds made £9 2/-.

BROKERS' REPORT ON VALUES

Waipukurau Sale

STOCK ON OFFER YESTERDAY

Brokers report as follows on the Walbukurau stock sale yesterday:—
de Pelichet, McLeod and Co. Ltd.
Three fat ewes 12/9, 10 8/5, 330 shorn we lambs 21/3, 219 18/9, 113 f. and f. wethers 18/5, 77 ewe lambs 19/3, 46

N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Agency Co. One fat lamb 27/9, 125 f. and f. S.D. lambs 18/7. lambs 18/7.

Dalgety and Co. Ltd.

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17 7/6, 2 fat wethers 19/6, 3 fat ewes
11/-.

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Fwo fat lambs 22/3, 5 fat ewes 9/6
10/1, 18 9/1, 10 8/1, 12 10/-, 32 fa

## THE END

**AUSTRALIAN LABOUR** 

Answered

Export killings at the Dominion's freezing works from October 1 to April 12 last, show a total of 9,349,914 freight carcases, which, according to the official statement of the New Zealand Meat Producers' Board, is 579,325 in excess of killings in the corresponding period of the previous season to the nearest comparable date. United Press Association-Copyright. SYDNEY, April 27.

workers are united in their determination to give their all in the war (C/cs.) 444,613 (903,178); Ewe Mutton (C/cs.) 868, 745 (992,772); Lamb (C/cs.) 4,969,991 (4,629,406). South Island: Wether Mutton (C/cs.) 52,688 (78,984); Ewe Mutton (C/cs.) 425,471 (315,259); Lamb (C/cs.) 4,907,511 (3,649,780).

Frozen beef production has Frozen beef production has reached 343,143 quarters compared

**Unflinching Support** 

"To the United States, I say that the Labour movement in Australia will be unflinching and unyielding to the end. We have a common interest in resisting aggression crease of 73,314 carcases. Baconer killings were as follows: North Island 275,527 (compared with 254,403): South Island 8804 (9484) an increase this season of 20,444 carcases. Killings of choppers total 10,286, an increase of 1268.

Killings of other classes of meat expressed in 60lb. freight carcases were as follows, with the figures for the previous season to approximately the same date shown in parentheses: Boneless beef 307,900 (409,231.); boneless bobby veal 86,745

wherever it may come.

"The suggestion that Australia is pulling out of the war is utterly false," Mr Curtin declared. "The workers here know too well what has happened to trades unionism and civil liberty in the and civil liberty in the lands of the dictatorships and, more poignantly, in the lands which the dictatorships

No Disunity

doubt.

"On the contrary, the liberty we now practice, even while the war rages, is the surest guarantee of our undiminished determination to continue the war for the preserva-

## UNYIELDING TO

DECLARATION

UNITED EFFORTS

Oversea Critics

In an outspoken statement to-day, Mr J. Curtin, Federal Labour leader, assured the world that the Australian Labour movement was wholeheartedly behind the war Restrictions on export killings, operative from March 24, subject to several modifications since that date, are now showing their effects when

wanting in this crucial struggle for human liberty.

"Finally, I say to the world, friends or foes, that there is no political disunity in Australia re-

garding the prosecution of the war. garding the prosecution of the war. We face it as a united and determined people. In this country opinions are still free and criticism is not muzzled, but it would be absolutely false for our foes to mistake liberty of speech here as a source of strength to themselves, and it would be wrong for our friends to construe it as evidence of doubt.

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GABRIELLA: Loaded at Greymouth vesterday for Wellington, Napler and Gisborne, being due here on May 4.

PAKURA: Will load at Wellington on May 3 for this port, Waikokopu, Gisborne, and East Coast bays, and is expected here on May 5.

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Daily Mail

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1941.

#### THE FRENCH IN AFRICA

A declaration of support for General de Gaulle from the French forces in Somaliland would clear up a somewhat awkward situation. From the period of the defeat of France to the British victories in east Africa, French Somaliland was almost surrounded by Italian territory, and the Italian occupation of British Somaliland completed the encirclement. At that time, although French Somaliland had favoured continuing the war from Africa, any move towards linking up with Free France would have been useless, since the French colony would have been immediately swallowed up by an Italian advance from Abyssinia, Eritrea, or British Somaliland.

To-day, however, the positions are reversed. The corner of French territory round Djibuti is like an oasis of semineutrality in the midst of Italian colonies now in British hands. With the fall of Dessye in Abyssinia, the Duke of Aosta's forces are left in a hopeless position, and a retreat across the French frontier is the only feasible course of escape other than complete surrender. The gaining of such a sanctuary would remove the last fragments of the enemy forces beyond the British reach, but if French Somaliland should declare for Free France, the entire stretch of Africa from the Sudan to the Red Sea and Indian Ocean would come under Allied control, thus permitting the realisation of the British plan to transfer the bulk of the east African armies to Egypt.

There is no doubt that the Axis and the subservient Government at Vichy will endeavour to retain some sort of hold on Somaliland, but the presence of Free French forces on the frontiers may be expected to influence any decision made at Diibuti.

#### AFTER THE BALKANS

Following the occupation of the Balkans, it may be assumed that every new move by the Axis will be planned with a view to the conquest of Egypt and the seizing of the Suez Canal. The pressure on Spain is being intensified and Turkey is subjected to a new war of nerves, probably as a preliminary to activity in both the western and eastern Mediterranean. At the same time there are suggestions (largely unsubstantiated) that Japan may at last take a more active part in the war in an endeavour to hamper the flow of American assistance to Great Britain.

The Canadian Prime Minister (Mr W. L. Mackenzie King) has indicated the possibility of attacks on Gibraltar, Suez, and Singapore, with an attempted invasion of Great Britain, as part of the world-wide Axis plan. If this plan is put into operation it will be on the assumption that Britain will be unable to maintain campaigns in widely-separated areas. But this disadvantage would apply equally to the Axis which, in its campaign in Poland, Norway, France and the Balkans, has been working on inside lines of communica-tion. A German assault on Gibraltar would be practicable with the connivance of Spain, and an attack on Turkey may be regarded as inevitable, but once outside Europe, Germany would be faced with difficulties such as she has not encountered in the first 20 months of war.

#### COLOUR BAR IN AMERICA

The United States Supreme Court has ruled that negroes are entitled to first-class services and accommodation in Pullman cars, but it is a question whether this or any other legal move to lower the colour bar will have any effect unless the American mentality undergoes a profound change. The problem of the negro in America is a legacy of the old days of slavery which has influenced the whole social structure of the United States, and although the negro may appreciate the court's permission to travel first-class (if he can afford it) the reaction of the railway companies and their white passengers has yet to be recorded.

### Personal

Mr A. Christie, Gisborne, is visit-

Medical Board

Wounded Waipawa Man

Hearing Concluded

Teachers' Pay

Mr H. F. Forster, Napier, is away on three weeks' annual leave.

Quartermaster-Sergeant K. C. K. Hopkins, who has been invalided home, will arrive at Hastings to-day. Hastings Athletes Win The Hon. W. E. Barnard is absent from Napier and is expected to return at the end of the week.

Mr A. Helps, Akaroa, who is on a visit to Hastings, is staying with his brother, Mr B. Helps, of Townshend Mr H. E. Edgley, Napier, who has been a patient in a Napier private hospital for some weeks following an operation, is reported to be mak-

ing good progress toward recovery. Count K. Wodzicki, the first Polish Consul-General to New Zea-land, has left Auckland for Welling-ton accompanied by his wife and family.

Lieutenant-Colonel V. G. Jervis, N.Z.S.C., Deputy Adjutant-General has been appointed to act as Adjutant-General and Second Member of the Army Board, in addition to his present duties, during the absence from the Dominion of Colonel A. E. Conway, O.B.E., N.Z.S.C.

ombed towns in England.

The death occurred suddenly yesterday of Mr Samuel Gottlieb August at the age of 60. For many years he had been a well-known figure in the literary life of Invercargill, especially in connection with his work for the W.E.A. He was organiser of the movement in Invercargill for 28 years.—Press Association.

pay in full for the first three months of training. It points out, however, that the approval given referred only to pay for school holidays falling within this period.—Press Association Advice has been received in Auckland of the promotion of several Royal Navy officers who are well known in New Zealand. In each case known in New Zealand. In each case promotion has been effective since the beginning of the year. Commander D. M. L. Neame, who was decorated with the Distinguished Service Order following the Battle of the River Plate, when he was executive officer of H.M.S. Achilles, has been promoted to the rank of captain; Lieutenant Commander Dawnay, M.V.O., who also came to the New Zealand Squadron in H.M.S. Achilles, has been promoted commander. (His wife, Lady Angela Dawnay, is a sister of the Duchess of Gloucester). Another promotion is that of Paymaster Lieutenant Commander J. K. Highton to the rank of paymaster commander. He Firemen Honoured Honours bestowed on firemen in the Napier district during the past year and approved by the Napier Fire Board at its annual meeting last night are as follows: Fireman W. Palmer (Central Brigade), 25 years' Gold Star; Fireman C. Robinson (Central Brigade), two years years' Gold Star; Fireman C. Robinson (Central Brigade), two years Gold Bar (31 years' service); Foreman F. Thompson, two years' silver bar (15 years' service); Foreman E. Riddell (Port Brigade), 25 years' Gold Star; and Motorman M. Downing, two years' Silver Bar (21 years' service) rank of paymaster commander. He served in New Zealand for several years as secretary to Rear Admiral the Hon. E. R. Drummond, then commanding the New Zealand Divi-sion of the Royal Navy.—Press Association. Physical Culture

#### AT THE HOTELS

Mr P. N. Wigglesworth, Mr F. M. Wigglesworth, Mr R. A. Oldfield (Marton), Mr W. Ratcliffe (Palmerston North), Captain Henderson, Mr Campbell (Wellington), are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

Mr and Mrs Caulton (Marton), Mr A. Cedereman, Mr I. Stenberg (Wel-lington), Mr P. B. Weldon (Palmer-ston North) are at the Hotel Central

Mr and Mrs F. W. Dawson, Mrs Graham Dawson, Mr and Mrs H. W. Kersley, Miss L. R. Kersley, Mr A. D. Manderson, Mrs S. C. Hartridge, Miss D. Kersley, Miss L. Finley, Mr K. K. Watts (Wellington), Miss D. Haywood (Auckland), Mr and Mrs H. Essex, Miss M. Essex (Palmerston North), Mrs G. Williams, Mrs Colin Deans (Masterton), Mr and Mrs Clarke, Mr and Mrs La Pouple, Mr and Mrs Sanko (Wanganui) Mr Mr and Mrs Sanko (Wanganui), Mr and Mrs Warburton (Feilding), Mr and Mrs Barraclough (Melbourne), Mr B. Harding (Waipukurau), Mrs Scott, Mr P. Scott (Gisborne) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Mr and Mrs J. A. Pinnington, Mrs Ina Allan, Miss Joy Allan, Mr C. Slade-Jones, Mr J. H. Thorp, Mr L. Gichard, Mr H. Longley, Mr J. Carrol, Mr M. Lubransky, Mr W. Osborne (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Noel Cole, Mrs M. Read, Mr Ron Waters, Mr L. E. Smith, Mr F. Mullen, Mr A. R. Johnstone (Auckland), Mr W. Royal, Mrs H. Whitaker, Mr T. Parnell, Mr T. Ward (Palmerston North) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mrs A. Humphries, Miss H. Forde (Wellington), Mr and Mrs J. G. Sim (Gisborne), Mr J. G. McDonald, Mr D. Prince (Auckland), Mr E. J. Wills, Mr E. G. Dobson (Palmerston North), Mr E. A. Urquhart (Papakura), Mr L. A. Fisher (Cambridge) Mr M. Symmington (New Plymouth), Mr J. Bretherton (Wairoa), Mr O. Cheer (Elsthorpe) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings. Mr O. Cheel Hastings.

Mr F. W. Dobbie, Mr G. Murdock (Gisborne), Mr D. H. Dinnie, Mr Payne, Mr Sandtman, Mr I. Coulam (Napier), Mr L. C. McMickle, Mr A. K. Paterson (Wellington), Mr P. H. Mason, Mr Mackie (Palmerston North) are staying at the Clyde Hotel, Wairoa.

Mr Scott, Mr Thirhill, Mr Horne, Mr Stinberg are staying at the Wairoa Hotel.



A good soldier is one who works hard at any job which he is unable to get out of doing.

ous Houses in the Old Country.\*

The death occurred at the Wairoa Hospital on Tuesday night of Mrs Marjory Clemas, a well-known resident of Wairoa, at the age of 83.

Mrs Clemas was born at Warminster, England, and came to New Zealand 29 years ago. Her husband, Mr James L. Clemas, predeceased her three years ago. According to a Berlin newspaper the book-publishing business in the German capital is flourishing. There is a keen public demand for best

Mr James L. Clemas, predeceased her three years ago.

Mrs Clemas leaves seven children:
Mrs R. A. Payne (Wairoa), Mr W.
L. Clemas (Wairoa), Mrs R. H. Ingoe (Wairoa), Mrs L. Goodyer (Taradale), Mrs A. Ryman (Cambridge), Mrs G. Gould (Cheltenham, England), and Mrs A. Morris, (Hastings).

The funeral took place on Wed-"The person who invented buttons did a good job," asserts a novelist. Church treasurers will no doubt beg Parkers suits have been made and sold for nearly fifty years and to-day are worn by most people in Hawke's Bay who care for their appearance. We still import our suitings for both men and women from the most family Hayses in the Old Country.

Snaddon said that considerable experience had been gained at Foxton last year and as a result of the lessons learned there he felt that movement would receive a considerable benefit from the ambitious programme which had been prepared. It was also mentioned that the schools would be conducted by officers drawn from the Dominion's Territorial forces.

The engagement ring is the symbol of beauty, grace, constancy and devotion. Where all these virtues are bound in one purpose of fidelity as expressed in the engagement ring, how necessary it is that the ring should be exquisite in design and flawless in beauty. McClurg's Ltd. are the oldest established jewellers in Hawke's Bay, and their reputation is built on quality diamonds and fidelity of workmanship.—McClurg's, Jewellers, Napier\*

DEATH OF WAIROA

RESIDENT

(Daily Mail Special Service) WAIROA.

The funeral took place on Wed-

Territorial forces.

Some 50-odd men, comprising ballotees drawn in the last territorial ballot, will parade before the Medical Board which will sit in the Drill Hall, Coote Road, Napier, to-night. SCHOOLS MAY HELP

Demand

Eliminating High Costs

Of Harvesting

MAYOR'S APPEAL

Competing at the Cairo athletic championships on March 29 and 30, Lieutenant P. F. Sharpley, Hastings, won the 110 metres high-hurdle event. His time, 16 6-10secs., was not fast for a cinder track, but Sharpley had only one week to prepare himself for the meeting. An urgent appeal to grow carrot seed for Britain has been received by the Hastings Seed Cropping Committee, and a plan has been formulated in which schools will have an opportunity of cultivating seed crops in their grounds. As chairman of the committee, Mr G. A. Maddison has written as follows to the various schools:— According to cabled advice re-ceived by his wife, Mrs L. Crawley, Waipawa, Sergeant L. Crawley has

"Formerly this seed was grown on the Continent and is now obviously in very short supply. Crops require daily attention when the seed is ripening in early February, and the committee has not the labour available to give the necessary attention. It is suggested that pupils of the various schools in Hastings may be prepared to cultivate crops of one-sixth acre upward on land available in the school grounds."

Must Be Planted Soon

In his letter Mr Maddison points suffered a fractured ankle. His condition is not regarded as serious. It was announced earlier this week that Sergeant Crawley had been wounded in action.

N.Z.S.C., Deputy Adjutant-General has been appointed to act as Adjutant-General and Second Member of the Army Board, in addition to his present duties, during the absence from the Dominion of Colonel A. E. Conway, O.B.E., N.Z.S.C.

The Ven. Archdeacon W. Butterfield, Wairoa, has received word that his eldest son, Cyril, who left New Zealand with the Expeditionary Force as a lieutenant, has been promoted to the rank of captain. The voungest son, Dr R. Butterfield, is in charge of a hospital in one of the bombed towns in England.

Hearing Concluded

At the conclusion of a lengthy hastings way be prepared to cultivate crops of one-sixth acre upward on land available in the school grounds."

Must Be Planted Soon

In his letter Mr Maddison points out that the crop needs to be planted as soon as possible after the next school holidays. A large quantity for roots is available in the committee's nursery beds for transplanting for this purpose. The roots would need weeding until approximately the end of November, but after this buryose. The roots would need weeding until approximately the end of November, but after this out that the crop needs to be planted as soon as possible after the next school holidays. A large quantity for toots is available in the committee's nursery beds for transplanting for this purpose. The roots would need weeding until approximately the end of November, but after this outperson.

no further attention would be required until harvesting.

The harvesting is carried out by the daily removal of laterals bearing ripe seed. It is this daily harvesting which could be readily attended to by children, but which presents a labour problem if done by other means. In undertaking this work pupils would not only be assisting the people of Britain but assist the local patriotic fund to the extent of 2/- a pound received for the seed, said Mr Maddison.

"This is a way in which even private individuals can assist," said Mr Maddison. "There must be some sections or parts of vegetable gardens that could be used for the production of carrot seed. It is impossible for us to undertake this work A Press Association message from New Plymouth on April 24 contained a summary of a departmental memorandum concerning leave pay for teachers on Territorial service. The Education Department states that this message made it appear that the department had approved of teachers receiving civil

sible for us to undertake this work because of the costs of labour involved in harvesting."

#### LINDBERGH RESIGNS COMMISSION

"Honourable Course"

#### RECENT REBUKE BY PRESIDENT

United Press Association-Copyright. NEW YORK, April 28. Films dealing with physical culture were shown in the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, last night, before an attendance of some hundreds of members of the Home Guard, National Military Reserve and women's organisations. The films dealt with all aspects of physical training, and were followed with a great deal of interest. During the evening it was announced that physical culture classes were to be instituted for members of the Women's War Service auxiliary, commencing on Sat-Colonel Charles Lindbergh, in a letter to President Roosevelt, an-nounces that he is resigning his nounces that he is resigning his commission as a colonel of the United States Army Air Corps Reserve. He said that Mr Roosevelt's remarks at a recent Press conference left him no honourable alter-

Last Friday, Mr Roosevelt sharply criticised Colonel Lindbergh and others who believe that the Axis will

announced that physical culture classes were to be instituted for members of the Women's War Service auxiliary, commencing on Saturday afternoon, and that enrolments were being taken at the Dugout.

Sportsmen's Memorial

"Before long I would like to see the various sports bodies in Napier erect some sort of war memorial to sportsmen who are serving the Empire overseas," said Mr N. A. Mospier Harrier Club last night. Mr McKenzie said that there were many sports organisations without permanent homes and it was desirable

#### Local & General Carrot Seed In HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR SCATTERED

Following is the Daily Mail's special orecast for the Hawke's Bay area: Winds: Moderate east to north-east vinds predominating. Weather: Cloudy with scattered mist and drizzle. Temperatures mod-

Seas: Slight to moderate. NAPIER WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken ves-erday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows:— 

 Hutton) are as follows:—

 Dry bulb temp.
 58.5deg.

 Wet bulb temp.
 55.0deg.

 Maximum temp.
 62.2deg.

 Minimum temp.
 38.0deg.

 lft. underground
 58.5deg.

 Str. underground
 62.8deg.

 Sun
 2hrs.

 Cloud
 8

 Wind
 E.3.

 Grass
 52.5deg.

 Rain
 Nil

 Visibility
 6

 Humidity
 79 p.c.

HASTINGS WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken ves-terday at 5 n.m. at the Hastings Mag-netic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:— | Dry bulb temp. | 64
| Wet bulb temp. | 55
| Maximum temp. | 65
| Minimum temp. | 44
| Ift. underground | 55
| Grass | 38
| Rain | Wind | Cloud Nil S.E.2.

#### Rain for month ..... 1.25in. DOMINION FORECAST

Winds: Easterly directions predominating, fresh at times over the northern half of the North Island, otherwise moderate.

moderate.

Seas.—New Zealand waters: Rather rough at times north of East Cape. Otherwise slight or moderate. Eastern Tasman Sea: Fresh north-easterly winds and rather rough seas in the northern portion, moderate to fresh easterlies and moderate seas in the southern portion.

Weather: Fair at first in western districts of the South Island; otherwise cloudy and at times misty with scattered drizzle over the northern half of the North Island and extending southward to the northern portions of the South Island. Temperatures cool to moderate.

### To-day's Diary

HASTINGS

"Hitler, Beast of Berlin" and "Meet the Missus," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m. "Four Feathers," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Disputed Passage," Regent, 2.15
and 8 p.m.

NAPIER

"The Leather Pushers," and "So You Won't Talk," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.
"Mein Kampf—My Crimes," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Pier 13," and "Yesterday's Heroes," State, 2 and 8 p.m.



## Said Visitors from Wellington

Visitors from Wellington have been really amazed not only at the variety in fabrics which Westerman's are offering, but also at the low prices which are ruling in this popular store. "Hastings people are lucky," they say, "that such values are obtainable these days!"

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#### WAR COUNCIL SUPPORTS GOVERNMENT'S DECISION

#### Prime Minister Gives Reasons For Sending Troops To Greece

(By Telegraph-Press Association.)

WELLINGTON, April 29.

GHASTLY WEEKS

OF RETREAT

ANZAC LINE NEVER

BROKEN

NAZIS HELD UP

Immense Eight-Hour

Barrage

Fierce Barrage

A handful of Anzacs had behind them a dump of 8000 251b, shells, and when the Germans advanced they ran into one of the flercest bar-

It is no wonder the plain became the graveyard of German bombers, tanks, and hundreds of men.

Firing ceased only when the ammunition was exhausted, and the Anzacs then hitched up their guns and drew away and retired towards the thousands of men they had

Way

ANZACS' PROGRESS

Successful Operations

So Far

(Received April 29, 6 p.m.)

The latest information from Brish headquarters in the Middle East

Transports Silent.

No official statement is likely yet

about the evacuation from Greece,

about the evacuation from Greece, but there is every prospect that a substantial proportion of the force has reached safety, says the London "Evening Standard." Transports cannot use their wireless without giving away their position to the enemy, and consequently the numbers aboard cannot be radioed. Therefore, no definite news can be expected until the whole operation is complete.

complete.
A declaration that the Greek Air

Force would continue to fight by the side of the Royal Air Force was

made by the Greek Minister in Cairo. He further stated that the whole of the Greek mercantile marine, aggregating 1,000,000 tons, would be placed at the disposal of Pritain

RUGBY, April 28.

saved that day.

"A meeting of the War Council was held yesterday," said the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) in a statement to-night. "It was attended by members of the War Cabinet, other Ministers of the Crown, Messrs. L. G. Lowry, M.P., H. Atmore, M.P., E. T. Tirikatene, R. Eddy, A. Mc-Lagan, C. C. Davis (Christchurch), W. W. Mulholland and the Hon. W. Perry."

A statement of the circumstances leading up to the Government's decision to despatch the New Zealand Division to Greece in company with Australian and British troops was made to the council by the Prime Minister.

The following resolution was passed unanimously:
"That this council, having heard the statement of the Prime Minister detailing the events which led up to the Government's agreeing to our troops taking part in the operations in Greece, expresses its full support of the decision of the Government, which was arrived at after a very able and accurate appreciation of the situation." the situation.

The council was informed of the present position in regard to the supply of oil fuel, and the following is the text of a resolution which was

is the text of a resolution which was passed:
"That the War Council welcomes the agreement reached with the representatives of the motor industry, industrial, agricultural and other interested organisations referred to by the Minister of Supply in his statement of April 28 regarding the necessity in the national interest of further reducing the consumption of petrol. sumption of petrol.

#### Economy Measures

"In view of the need for economy in petrol usage in the interests of national safety and defence, as indicated in the Minister's statement, cated in the Minister's statement, the War Council strongly urges all State and local body services and all other sections of the motoring public, both commercial and private, to provide for the maximum conservation and the minimum use of petrol as a means of assisting in doing this.

"The War Council invites the commercial and industrial community so to organise the use of transport as to avoid unnecessary duplication and waste of petrol."

Hospital For Troops

The council also discussed the provision of a convalescent hospital for soldiers returning from service abroad and certain matters in connection with the Home Guard.

These two topics are to be further discussed by the Defence and Military Affairs Committee at its next meeting.

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meeting..

A meeting of the Primary and Industrial Production Committee of the War Council is being held tomorrow to discuss fully the position in regard to the cultivation of linen flax in the Dominion.

#### Candidates For Election

#### FURTHER NOMINEES

for the local body elections are as follows:

HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY

COUNCIL

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Heretaunga Riding.

CHRISTIAN LASSEN (Messrs T.
Mitchell, E. C. McDermott, E.
Wall and D. G. Begley). Okawa Riding.

ERIC HAMILTON BEAMISH (Messrs W, Kinross White and W,

FREDERICK KRAEFT WILKIE (Messrs C, R. Lee and C. A. Sig-

Walmarama Riding.

SELBY MILES PALMER (Messrs
H. C. Chambers and M. S. C.
Gordon). H.B. ELECTRIC POWER BOARD.

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#### GIFT PARCELS FOR SOLDIERS

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 29.

Three main dispatches of unaddressed gift parcels received through the Provincial Patriotic Councils of the Dominion have now been sent overseas for the New Zealand forces by the National Patriotic Fund Board.

In all the number of these parcels

In all the number of these parcels sent to date is nearly 100,000.

The scheme was introduced by the board to ensure that all members of the Dominion's fighting services would receive a parcel from home at intervals and it has been an unqualified success.

Britain.

German troops are reported to be pouring into Athens. Units of the crack Adolf Hitler shock devision, which suffered heavy losses at the hands of colonial forces in the early stages of the campaign in Greece, have pushed on to Patras, in Peleponnesus

#### MEN FOR HOME DEFENCE

SMALL TERRITORIAL BALLOT

NAPIER DISTRICT

Hawke's Bay-Gisborne Men Drawn

The names of men on the register who since the last Territorial ballot have either attained the age of 19 and thus become liable for Territorial service, or else attained the age of 41 and thus ceased to be iable for overseas service are conained in an extraordinary Gazette published last night. Men in the Hawke's Bay-Gisborne area affected by the ballot are: ALLEN, Andrew Aubrey, Gisborne.

BAIRD, James Aitken, Hastings, Beauchamp, Alister, Hastings, Begley, Bernard James, Hastings, Begl, Donald Stuart, Wairoa.
Bell, Leonard Raymond, Havelock N. Bishop, Leon Eric Gordon, Dannevirke Bonica, Anthony Guy, Port Ahuriri, Burchett, Edward Raymond, Otane.

CASTLES, Bryan John, Dannevirke. Cleaver, William Thomas, Gisborne. Connop, Harold Robert, Hastings. Cooper, Lionel Charles, Wairoa. Crane, Eric George Regis, Hastings. Crone, Geoffrey Parker, Gisborne.

DAVIS, Ronald Alexander, Gisborne. Dean, Arthur Edward, Napier. Dickinson, Wilmour Harold, Gisborne. Dodd, Robert Ernest, Woodville. Double, Mervan Edgar Daniel, Napier. Duignan, Edward Robert, Eskdale. EAGLE, Frank Albert, Wairoa. Eddy, John Joseph, Napier.

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LONDON, April 28.

How Australian forces, supported by British tanks, fought off terrific German onslaughts for more than a fortnight has been told in a dispatch by an Australian observer which has just reached London.

In spite of the great promy FANNIN, Henry John, Hastings. Farley, John William, Dannevirke. Fell, John Henry, Dannevirke. Franklin, Clifford Walter, Dannevirke. Fulford, Gordon George, Havelock N.

GIBBS, Ivan Gordon, Napier. Gillespie, Andrew Bruce, Hastings. Gillespie, James, Napier. HEASMAN, Edgar, Waipukurau. Hill, Geoffrey Longney, Havelock N. Hitchings, Albert Ernest, Gisborne. JOHNSTON, Bruce, Ormondville.

LEAN, Dudley Alexander, Napier. Lougher, David Henry W., Gisborne. Lucas, James Moncrieff, Gisborne.

McDONALD, Lawrence A., Hastings McGregor, Duncan Peter, Hastings. McKain, George Henry, Hastings.

McLeod, Gordon Alexander, Gisborne. McLernon, John Somers, Gisborne. Manson, Arthur George, Gisborne. Mollgaard, Douglas B., Dannevirke. Morton, Keith Malcolm, Waipukurau

The R.A.F. fighters had to attack the German troops, guard the ports, and fight off the dive-bombing attacks on transport, but they could not cover all three.

This rearguard action was carried on for two and a half ghastly. O'CONNOR, Thomas, Woodville. PATTISON, Ernest Alfred, Napier. Pegram, Peter Morris, Napier. Pritchard, William Alex., Gisborne.

This rearguard action was carried on for two and a-half ghastly weeks. The Anzacs fought by day and withdrew by night. Almost everyone had a bandage somewhere, but everyone had a smile.

At one stage it looked as if they could not hold them up long enough. One Australian detachment was sent to the left to assist the Greeks, and one to the right to help the New Zealand troops, who had been fighting a bitter action for several days. ROBINSON, James Keith, Napier. SCOTT, Lewis Clive, Napier.
Smale, Leslie Thomas Wm., Gisborne.
Smith, Wallace, Hastings.
Stevens, Neill Frank, Napier.
Stevenson, Nolan, Taradale.
Stokes, Thomas A., Greenmeadows.
Stowe, Brian, Hastings.
Sudfeldt, Geoffrey, Hastings.
Sullivan, Edward Raymond, Woodville

TAYLOR, Henry Rankin, Gisborne. Telford, Maurice Keith, Dannevirke Thomson, Ernest George, Gisborne. Timmo, Alfred, Napier. Tune, Harold Dennis, Mangapapa.

WADDELL, Colin Alex., S., Napier. Weedon, William Henry, Waipawa. West, George Alexander, Havelock N. Wilson, Owen James, Gisborne. Woods, John Percival, Napier.

#### Napier Harrier Club Meets

SEASON REVIEWED

Chairman Pays Tribute To Sports Bodies

OPENING RUN MAY 10

SHIPS FROM GREECE

"I would like to pay a tribute to all sporting bodies for the generous way in which they have responded to patriotic appeals," said the chairman (Mr N. A. McKenzie) at the annual general meeting of the Napier Harrier Club which was held in the Napier Thirty Thousand Club's Rooms, last night.

Mr McKenzie said that he had occasionally been requested to "handle the sports bodies" when money was required for patriotic purposes. Never once had he been refused a donation nor had any club been parsimonious.

tish headquarters in the Middle East regarding the operations in Greece is given in an official communique, which states: "Our troops are continuing their withdrawal."

This information is supplemented by a Sydney report, which states that the Australian Minister of the Army (the Hon. P. C. Spender) has announced that the evacuation of certain of our troops from Greece has begun and, so far as it has proceeded, has been successful. He would neither confirm nor deny United States reports that the majority of the Anzacs have been safely evacuated with their weapons. who obtained second place in the A and B grade events.

Special mention was made of the runs conducted with the Hastings Club and it was stated that they were keenly contested and appreciated by both clubs.

An invitation from the Hastings Harrier Club to be present at its official opening run, which is to start from the home of Mr and Mrs A. M. Robertson, Pakowhai Road, on Saturday, was accepted.

The Napier club decided to commence its season at Kennedy Park on Saturday, May 10.

It was reported that the following trophies were won during the season:

ing trophies were won during the season:
Senior championship: G. Bellamy; junior championship, R. Smith; Lawrence Cup, R. Smith; Bromley Cup, G. Bellamy; Morse Rose Bowl, R. Smith; McKenzie Trophy, G. Robertson; Road Race Cup, J. Coady; Fastest Time Medal, R. Gollop; Roger's Chair, E. Carlson; Sweeney Shield, R. Gollop, L. Green, J. Spencer and Thompson.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Patron, Mr N. A. McKenzie; president, Mr A. Sutherwood; vice-presidents, Messrs H. Baird, H. Biddle, W. Berryman, J. Eagle, W. Corbert, J. W. Lawrence, C. E. Rogers and R. S. Burt; club captain, Mr G. Robertson; vice-captain, Mr R. Gollop; delegate and handicapper, Mr A. Clough; secretary, Mr J. Johnson; records steward and assistant secretary, Mr R. Gosling; Mr G. I. Bickerstaff was reappointed auditor.



## FOR GIBRALTAR

SPAIN AWAITS RIGHT MOMENT

AN AXIS ALLY

Disapproval

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LONDON, April 28.
Lisbon reports state that the
Spanish Foreign Minister (Senor
Suner) is finalising preparations to
declare Spain openly on the side of

German assistance.

This plan is believed to have been accepted in principle with its timing the only outstanding consideration.

#### No Big Fires In Year

NAPIER'S RECORD

Decline

A steep and welcome decline in he number of outbreaks of fire he Napier district was disclosed

rine total number of calls for the year was 71, a decrease of 17 when compared with the previous year," stated the superintendent. "The Napier Central brigade received 46 calls, while the Port brigade received 25. None of these fires were serious.

buildings and contents covered by insurance were assessed at £443 while the losses on properties no covered by insurance stood at £200

cleared the salt water wells, which were now giving a good supply. He recommended that the wells be cleared at least once a year.

In reviewing the club's activities last season, Mr McKenzie said that 19 official runs were conducted. At the Hawke's Bay-Poverty Bay Championships, the club was successful in having representatives who obtained second place in the A and B grade events.

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It was stated that the staff of the Napier Central Brigade comprised five officers and 17 men, while the Port Ahuriri Brigade was staffed by two officers and nine men. Foreman J. Spence, Firemen R. Swift and P. Scullin (Napier) and Fireman C. Riddell (Port Ahuriri) were absent on active service.

Auxiliary Fire Service The Auxiliary Fire Service under

The Auxiliary Fire Service under the Emergency Precautions Scheme attracted 50 applicants, their training being carried out by the officers and men of both brigades. The members were very keen and enthusiastic in their work, and would provide the board with a reserve of trained men in the event of a major fire.

W. J. Gilberd and the secretary (Mr Mr Bedford was re-elected chair-

#### WELLINGTON WHARF CONGESTION

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, April 29. A conference of representatives of

mittee was set up to investigate it

### DEMAND EXPECTED Revolt Rumoured At Djibuti

Have Long Favoured De Gaulle

(Received April 29, 6 p.m.) LONDON, April 28. Headquarters of the Free French forces in London states that it has no knowledge of attacks which, according to rumours circulated by

French Somaliland.

It suggests that this information should be viewed with the greatest reserve, as it has every appearance of being news of a spontaneous movement in the midst of the French garrison itself at Djibuti, which, together with the civil population, is known for a long time to have cherished a very favourable feeling towards Free France.

The statement recalls that, following the armistice, Djibuti was one of the first French possessions to send out a call for continued resist-

send out a call for continued resistance.

According to a message from Vichy, official advice has been received there from Djibuti that a Free French column, supported by British motorised forces, has attacked French Somaliland from Daouanleh, on the Addis AbabaDjibouti railway.

Earlier, the Vichy Government announced that de Gaulle troops, supported by British mechanised units, were massed along the southern border of French Somaliland. The Ministry for the Colonies, it stated, had given the necessary instructions to the Governor of French Somaliland to prevent the colony from going over to General de Gaulle. It added that Free French troops were concentrated at a point on the Djibuti-Addis Ababa railway and that other forces had disembarked at Zeila, in British Somaliland.

Pamphlet Raid

Pamphlet Raid The Free French forces, says Vichy, distributed pamphlets by aeroplane over all military posts in the interior of French Somaliland calling on the troops to go to Daouanleh or Zeila with their arms.

The Vichy News Agency says that, although negotiation is possible regarding the transport of food and the evacuation of wounded along the Addis Ababa-Djibuti railway, there can be no question of French Somaliland negotiating with the dissident French. sident French.

### Troops Return Home

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, April 29.

bers of the second echelon from Britain and the rest from the Middle East. The majority of the latter were picked up at Suez, but some at Sydney from another ship.

Hirst, who has with him a number of members of the R.A.M.C., Matron

E. Townsend, and 13 nursing sisters, all of the R.A.M.C.

A few of the returning soldiers were wounded in bombing. One is a shellshock case, but the majority are sickness cases. Several were injured in accidents, mainly through

at Aldershot before going to the Channel coast to meet any attempt at a German invasion. London had been out of bounds to them, but several had paid unofficial visits. East End Suffers

One man said that, while the damage to London was great, it was not as extensive as most people thought.

the East End.

Another who had visited London commented that some of the destruction would do good, because it had removed buildings that should have been replaced before.

When asked for his impressions of the stand Britain was making, another soldier declared that the British could never be beaten and were more determined than ever. This man said that German 'planes came over in hundreds. He saw a squadron of bombers attacked, and in two minutes all were down. One

The train was not travelling fast as it came round the bend. When the driver saw Mrs Gilligan standing on mile away.

#### 'PLANE DAMAGED PLEA FOR WORKERS' UNITY IN STRUGGLE FOR VICTORY IN CRASH

"London is not so bad as is

nought," said Mr Holmes, describ-

"We laugh at invasion because of

the work of the men in the factories

The one thing which saved England in the May crisis was the repair and engineering shops, he said.
"Now great factories are coming into operation—air factories and shippards that will build our materials superior to the enemy's

Freedom at Stake

ng conditions in England.

in the last eight months."

ials superior to the enemy's.

British T.U.C. Representative

Speaks To Employees

At Lower Hutt

(By Telegraph-Press Association.)

A plea for an even greater output and better co-operation from the workers of New Zealand in order to help rapidly

to defeat the Nazi tyranny was made by Mr W. Holmes.

representative of the British Trades Union Congress, in an

address to the Hutt Valley railway workshop employees

to-day.

Mr Holmes said that this war was a workers' war.

Above all, he said, everybody must remain democratic and

loyally support the Government elected by the people, leaving

PILOT ESCAPES **UNINJURED** 

OVERSHOT 'DROME

Machine Overturns At Rongotai

By Telegraph—Press Association

WELLINGTON, April 29. Severe damage was caused to an Oxford training aircraft when it crashed at Rongotai this afternoon, but the pilot, Leading Aircraftman J. J. Fox, the only occupant, was not injured.

The pilot was on a routine flight from Ohakea to Blenheim when he was compelled to land at Rongotal, because the weather made it unsafe to cross to the South Island. In doing so he overshot the aerodrome. He crashed through a boundary fence and the machine overturned.

#### Promotion For Airman

DOMINION OFFICER

work.

A younger brother is Pilot-Officer Jack Buckley, formerly well-known as a pianist in Auckland. Just prior to the outbreak of war, Pilot-Officer Buckley was studying music in Berlin and Leipzig.

Wing-Commander M. W. Buckley, M.B.E., who has been in charge of the New Zealand Bomber Squadron in England, is a cousin.

Captain Buckley is the Dominion's senior bandmaster, and after 55 years in the military forces is still doing duty as bandmaster at Papakura military camp.

AIRMAN

Action While On A Bombing Mission

By Telegraph—Press Association
WELLINGTON, April 29.
Advice has been received by Air
Headquarters, Wellington, that the
Distinguished Flying Cross has been
awarded to acting Flying-Officer
William Davenport Brown, a son of Mr W. R. Brown Avenue, Wanganui. Brown, 23 Gonville

Avenue, Wanganui.

The official citation states:

"One night in March, 1941, as rear gunner of an aircraft returning from a bombing mission, acting Flying-Officer William Davenport Brown sighted a Messerschmitt 110 some 300ft. below his aircraft.

"Despite bad visibility, he kept the enemy aircraft in sight. After a few minutes it climbed to the attack, but by excellent judgment and markmanship, Flying-Officer Brown fired three short bursts and the enemy fighter was seen to dive enemy fighter was seen to dive straight into the sea.
"On a previous occasion, when he

"On a previous occasion, when he identified an approaching aircraft as hostile, his instructions to the captain enabled him to manoeuvre his aircraft so that the ensuing fire went under the tail. Flying-Officer Brown then used his fire to drive off the enemy aircraft, which was left in a damaged condition."

Flying-Officer Brown was born at Wanganui in 1918 and was educated at Wanganui Technical College.

#### TWO AIR FORCE CASUALTIES

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, April 29. The following Air Force casual ties were announced to-day:—

R.N.Z.A.F., killed in a flying accident. His mother is Mrs Hobden, Harefield, Sussex. Sergeant Hobden was born in Sussex in 1912. In New Zealand he studied at Massey College for a period, and at the time of his enlist-ment he was engaged in farming at

Sergeant Frederick Simpson Hobden

Flying Officer Edward Lamb, viously reported missing and be-lieved killed, now confirmed as killed on air operations. His uncle is Mr W. B. Reid, Pon-

Matamata.

Flying Officer Lamb was born at Auckland in 1917 and was well-known at Wellington as a former secretary of Swift's Football Club. WOMAN STRUCK BY

TRAIN

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 29.

Struck by a train travelling from Vellington to Waterloo just north f White's Line ramp about 9.30 a.m. to-day, a young Hutt Valley woman was killed. She was:

Mrs Jean Gilligan, 25, White's Line East.

ship and welcomed the men. engine. Her husband is serving with owners to escape the taxation on (List of Troops on Page 8) the forces overseas.

## Polish Airman's

WELLINGTON, April 29.

FAMILY'S MASSACRE

Nazi Leader

DOMINION OFFICER

Wing-Commander R. G. R.

Buckley

NOTABLE CAREER

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By Telegraph—Press Association
AUCKLAND, April 29.

News of the promotion of their elder son, Squadron-Leader R. G. R.
Buckley, to the rank of Wing-Commander has been received by Captain G. Buckley and Mrs Buckley, Auckland.

Wing-Commander Buckley is only 30. He is an old boy of Wanganut Technical College and later attended Canterbury University College, where he obtained the degrees of Bachelor of Engineering and Bachelor of Science.

After leaving the University he was granted a commission in the Royal Air Force and left for England up 1935. He is at present engaged in important administrative work.

Ayounger brother is Pilot-Officer Lad Procedure for the shambles well as a policy of the proper of the shambles well as the present engaged in our victory. We express our addition of the end; and their victory is our victory. We express our addition of the end; and their victory is our victory. We express our addition of the end; and their victory is our victory. We express our addition of the end; and their victory and the proper of the trade unionists in this country, to convey to the British workmen. We ask him, in the accountry, to convey to the British workmen in their titanic struggle for the proper of the

Outnumbered by 40 and 50 to one, the Poles fought to the end; and this officer was the last man to fly in defence of the shambles below.

strength we possess and all the treasures at our command in order that they, along with us, will come victoriously out of this titanic struggle that has been forced on us against our will."

Taxation System

Reviewed

CANADIAN'S TOUR

Work Of International

Mot until he had been several months with us did any other details of his story come out. Then, in odd words, grunted assents and inferences, it was understood that he had spent 36 hours trying to dig out his mother, father, wife and four-year-old son from beneath ruins, blazing all along one side, that had collapsed on them as they tried to hide from the rain of German explosives from the skies.

The child died first; then the two old people. When he had got through a hand to touch his wife, and pass her some water, more wall collapsed, injuring his arms, and entombing the young wife in a final silence. He never rescued her.

**Believed Chance Would Come** 

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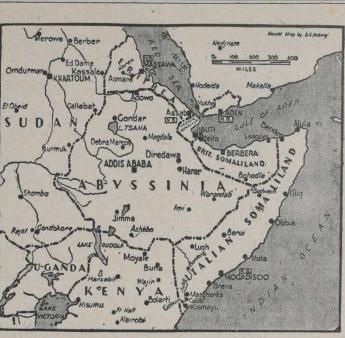
He had a strange belief—almost a mania. He said that a certain Major von Epp was in charge of the German bombers that pitilessly smashed Warsaw, systematically flying to and fro over it. He said he would know this man by the way he handled his aircraft in attack, and he said he would meet the German again in air battle.

His personal "bag" was 16 enemy machines when, during the early evening, at the beginning of a recent great attack on London, his section took the air. They went into a big mass fight with scores of Heinkels and Messerschmitts, and from the beginning it was obvious that the Pole had picked out one for himself, apparently the leader of the raiders. No doubt about it, the German could fly. It seemed at times as if the main battle stood still to watch the whirling of those two machines, tout on the edge of the mob, where they had plenty of skyroom. The German, flying a big Heinkel bomber, accepted the challenge right from the start. In spite of his heavier aircraft, he gave back round for round, and more. Every one of his gun-nests flamed as the fighter wheeled about him.

Twice the Pole tried to ram, and

ing, leaving naked ribs. Early in the fight the Pole was wounded in the

ful. cruel bitterness had all gone out



FRENCH SOMALILAND MOVE.—Vichy. claims that British war-ships are blockading the important port of Djibuti, French Somali-land. Earlier reports stated that there is Free French activity in the colony, which provides the last possible line of retreat for the defeated Italians in Abyssinia.

American Warning Of

declare Spain openly on the side of the Axis.

It is believed that Spain will then join the issue against Britain, either alleging that the blockade is respon-sible for Spanish starvation, or de-manding the return of Gibraltar.

When this is refused, Spain is expected to attack Gibraltar with

The Lisbon correspondent of the "News Chronicle" states that the United States Ambassador (Mr Weddell) warned Senor Suner that the United States would regard Spanish belligerency with the deepest disapproval and would take the necessary steps, including the possible dispatch of warships to African waters.

dispatch of warships to African waters.

Mr Churchill's broadcast is featured on the front page of the Madrid newspaper "Official Spanish Weekly." His reference to the possibility of the war spreading to Spain and Morocco is, however, omitted. The remainder of the Spanish Press is bound to follow this lead,

Losses Show Marked

he report of the superintendent of he Napier Central Fire Brigade Mr W. J. Gilberd) which was presented to the annual meeting of the Napier Fire Board last night. "The total number of calls for the

"The value of buildings and their contents where fires did occur amounted to £8900, and the losses on

making a total fire loss of £643 for the year."
Salt Water Supply The superintendent reported that the Napier Borough Council had cleared the salt water wells, which

Those present were the chairman (Mr A. E. Bedford), Messrs G. Mitford-Taylor, W. G. Hay, D. B. Mac-Rae, R. W. Goodyer, Superintendent

shipping and commercial interests and Government departments, called by the Wellington Harbour Board to by the Wellington Harbour Board to discuss ways and means of relieving the present serious congestion of cargo in the board's wharf sheds in order that essential and adequate space might be made available for the more rapid reception and deliv-ery of cargo, was held to-day. The main aspects of the problem were discussed and an advisory com-

## FREE FRENCH FORCES

REPORTS FROM VICHY

cording to rumours circulated by Vichy, are being made by the Free French, supported by British units, against the French colony of Djibuti, French Somaliland.

Call For Resistance

N.Z.E.F. CASUALTIES

Two hundred and forty members of the Second Expeditionary Force landed from H.M. hospital ship Somersetshire to-day, 84 being mem-

The men are from all parts of New Zealand.

The Somersetshire, which is a former Bibby Line troopship, is under Lieutenant-Colonel J. W.

A man returning from England said they received thorough training

The bombing was largely confined to the East End.

in two minutes all were down. One fell from almost above them, and when it was near the ground it flat-tened out and shot straight at them. "We scattered in all directions," he said, "but it hit the ground half a

The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) and the Minister of Defence (the Hon. F. Jones) visited the ship and welcomed the men.

"Their cause is our cause; their fight is our fight, and their victory is our victory. We express our admiration for the courage and fortitude of the people of Britain who, through their grim determination and indescribable suffering, are upholding democracy, which represents the rights of the people to be masters of their own destiny and captains of their own souls.

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D.F.C. FOR WANGANUI AIRMAN

Work Of International

Committee COMPARISONS MADE

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, April 29. Investigating New Zealand's system of municipal taxation on behalf of the International Research Committee on Real Estate Taxation, the committee's director of research, Mr H. Bronson Cowan (Peterborough Ontario) is now in Wellington.

The committee aims through a field of study in New Zealand, Australia, and South Africa, to gain first-hand information from public officials, business and civic groups, as to the effect on municipal administration and accomming and social

istration and economic and social conditions on the policy of partial r total exemption of improv from municipal taxation, and the dependence on site values or ground cents as the principal sources of ocal revenues.

The vice-chairman of the commit-tee is Mr F. C. R. Douglas, M.P., chairman of the Finance Committee of the London County Council. Unimproved Value Tax

Interviewed to-day, Mr Cowan said that the system of raising municipal revenue by taxation on unimproved land values was first adopted in New Zealand 40 years ago. To-day 67 per cent of the urban population of the Dominion lived in municipalities under that system.

In the United States taxation was based on the capital value of buildings and land, and in England it was and tore away ing, leaving na fight the Pole left shoulder.

The end can

Land Speculation The comparatively light taxation in unimproved land encouraged wild speculation. For example, land values in Chicago increased from 2,000,000,000 dollars to 5,000,000,000 dollars between 1923 and 1928 and fell back to 2,000,000,000 by 1933. Nearly 100 banks in Chicago along fellows

the permanent way he sounded the whistle but she did not turn until the engine was only four or five. Since 1930 tens of thousands of the engine was only four or five yards from her. Then she half-turned, but was struck by the States had been torn down by their

### petty grievances for settlement when the war is over. Revenge

Death Combat With

wheeled about him.

Twice the Pole tried to ram, and failed by inches. Both Machines Crash Each machine had been hit several times. Later, the Heinkel's fuselage was found riddled like a colander, and one wing had fifty-four bulletholes. A shell from the German hit the tip of the British machine's wing and tore away several feet of cover-

ings and land, and in England it was based largely on rental value. In effect there was not much difference between these latter two systems.

Heavy Taxation Burden
The load of municipal taxation, Mr Cowan said. was heavier on cities in the United States and Canada than on cities in New Zealand because they had to bear the cost of education and law enforcement, which here was met by the central Government.

In England the Government gave direct grants to cities to help meet education costs.

Growing out of the depression unemployment, the burden of taxation on improvements became so great in the United States and Canada that it was largely instrumental in bringing the building industries to a standstill. Few new buildings were erected and the existing buildings deteriorated rapidly.

Land Speculation
The comparatively light textion.

The Pole was wounded in the left shoulder.

The end came with startling suddenness. Another of those savage attempts to ram caught the Heinkel just as it tried to turn, sheared away its port wing close to the body, buckled up the attacker like a kicked can, and sent them both rolling over and over into the abyss.

They came down within 20 yards of each other, and from among the rolling over and over into the abyss.

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The black bomber one figure painfully clambered, limping fright took a hop or two toward the smashed fighter that had done the damage.

Then, from the fighter's cockpit came the harsh chatter of an automatic. The limping German stopped, crumbled slowly and fell.

The Duelling Cut

The Pole was still alive when they got to him.

"That—is—von—Epp," he gasped.

"You can know—him—duelling cut across—his left cheek."

And he closed his eyes and went to sleep comfortably, for the last time. He was smiling, but the dread-ful cavel hitterness had all cone out.

There was an old duelling scar across the German's cheek, and, apart from wounds got in the sky combat, he had eight bullets in his chest from his enemy's automatic. Letters and personal items on the body showed that the name was Karl you Fnn.

## Yesterday

TRAFFIC OFFENDERS

Cases Heard Before Magistrate

LIQUOR TO NATIVES

Several traffic offenders appeared on various charges before Mr J. Miller, S.M., at Hastings yesterday. For failing to produce a driver's licence, Dun Manahi Waikai was fined £1, costs 10/-.

Charged with driving at a dangerous speed Bruce Nathaniel Edwards, (Mr E. V. Simpson) who pleaded guilty, was fined £5, costs 10/-. In addition an order was made for the cancellation of his driving licence for a period of six months.

Dennis Vincent Barry, pleading guilty by letter to a charge of failing to give way to the right, was fined £3, costs 10/-.

Supplying Liquor

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Charged with assisting in the supply of liquor to a Native for consumption off licensed premises sumption off licensed premises within the Tamatea Proclaimed Dis-trict, Niko Kupa 17,00 13, with

court costs totalling 17/-.

For supplying liquor to a Native Samuel Westrupp, who pleaded quilty, was fined £5, costs 12/-.

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Time Books Not Kept

Failure to keep time books in respect of every person employed on their vehicles under the goods service held by them resulted in a charge brought by the Transport Department (Inspector J. W. Coddington) against the Minor Parcel Service, Ltd.

The defendants wrote explaining that as they were working regular hours and their licence did not permit long trips they had not realised the necessity for keeping the books. The Magistrate imposed a fine of £1, costs 10/-.

Debt Cases

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Judgment for plaintiffs in default of defendants was entered in the following debt cases:

C. Barclay v. John Hesketh £12
19/-, costs £3/4/-; Hastings Bakery
Ltd. v. R. A. Wilkie £7/1/-, costs
£1/14/6; A. Hampton v. Tom Donghi
£5/5/-; costs £1/15/6; Hallenstein
Bros., Ltd. v. J. Rossiter £6/7/-,
costs £1/10/6; J. D. Ryan v. L. H.
Jackson £2/17/-, costs £1/3/6; C.
Shinnick v. W. Airlie £1/16/-, costs
9/-; H.B. Publishing Co., Ltd. v. T.
H. Lloyd £6/5/3, costs £1/10/6; same
v. A. Hawley £5/17/6, costs £1/10/6;
same v. Captain Walker £4/4/-,
costs £1/10/6; H.B. Newspapers Ltd.
v. P. Martin £3/8/2, costs £1/12/6.
Judgment summonses: J. Edwards was ordered to pay S. Fox
£9/15/- forthwith, in default 11 days'
imprisonment; I. Parkinson to pay
A. E. King £1/7/- forthwith, in default two days' imprisonment; Cyril
Crowley to pay M. G. Hargrave £23
2/6 at the rate of 10/- a week, in
default 25 days' imprisonment.

NO CHATHAM CUP

tootball Association Meets

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, April 29. Because of the difficulties teams would be faced with concerning travel and securing leave for players, the council of the New Zealand Football Association decided today not to proceed with the Chartesian Char

again operate.

It was also decided to carry on

with the Brown Shield (no subsidy) and Peter Dawson Cup mat-

The question of schools tournaments was left in the hands of the districts concerned, consideration to be given to them when the applica-

#### Hastings Court | GRAPE PRODUCTS REPLACE LIQUORS FROM OVERSEAS

Excellent Vine Crop This Year: Good Opportunity For Wine-Makers

With normal supplies considerably reduced by the war and import restrictions, Hawke's Bay has an excellent oppor-tunity for developing the wine-making industry to meet the Dominion's demand, said a leading representative of the trade in an interview yesterday.

Soil and climate are ideally suited to the production of grapes in large quantities, and in present conditions there is a chance for a valuable industry to become established. This was a splendid season for grapes, both quantity and quality exceeding even the most ambitious hopes of the growers.

Good Auguries

For Rugby

DANNEVIRKE AREA

Camp Teams May Take

Part

A good attendance of delegates and nomination of teams at Monday

night's meeting of the Dannevirke Rugby Sub-Union promises well for

Two other nominations of senior

The committee was also empowered to formulate any rules necessary for the smooth running of the competitions to meet extraordinary conditions due to the war.

Last Year's Profit

the most popular brands of cigar-ette tobaccos now—Riverhead Gold and Desert Gold. Both are virtually

Daily Mail Special Service.

DANNEVIRKE.

According to the grower interviewed, this season will be known as a "vintage year," in which wine of the highest quality could be produced. When it was found that the bearing was heavy, considerable pruning was undertaken in the vineyards, reducing any surplus crop and at the same time improving the

quality of the grapes.
Limited quantities of Australian,
Spanish and South African wines
are imported, but the supply is
hopelessly short of demand. With nopelessis short of demand. With the cessation of spirit supplies from Low Countries, Empire brewers are seeking substitutes for these im-portant concoctions, and it is here that the wine-maker has an oppor-

Liqueurs and Cocktails

Although it is not generally known, liqueurs and cocktails are among the numerous products of the fermented grape. Hawke's Bay growers have already been experimenting along these lines and several drinks have been evolved which are proving exceptionally nopular eral drinks have been evolved which are proving exceptionally popular, especially in the lounge trade of city hotels. Since there is little prospect of customary liqueurs and cocktails coming to the Dominion in any quantity for several years, the local manufacturers will have a splendid opportunity to develop their trade and cultivate a taste for their wares.

Fermentation of the grape crush

their wares.

Fermentation of the grape crush occupies about a fortnight before it is ready for storing, the time being governed by the sugar content. The maturing period for good wine is in the vicinity of five years, and for this reason local industry must act soon if it is to take advantage of the situation.

Distinct Bland

Each country has its own type of vine, and for this reason New Zealand should not try to imitate outside products, concentrating rather on producing a blend peculiar to the Dominion, said the grower. He said that wines now being produced in the Dominion were taking the place of many of the imported products

While this province has all facilities for growing grapes, the price of land is a problem that has to be considered, said the grower. In Australia Landau trable and the grower in Australia Landau trable and the grower in Australia Landau trable. tralia land suitable for vineyards could be bought from £3 to £6 an acre, while similar land in Hawke's Bay cost from £60 to £100 an acre.

HAWKE'S BAY SOCCER ASSOCIATION

Competitions To Start On May 17

season.

It was agreed to carry on with other trophy matches and that the pooling system adopted last was other trophy matches and that the pooling system adopted last year to make every effort to foster the game in this grade in the coming season. It was stated that this sea-son two teams from the Napier Boys' High School would take the field, this being the first year that the code has had official recognition

in the school.

Friendly matches will begin on

ments was left in the hands of the districts concerned, consideration to be given to them when the applications to hold them are received.

Affiliation fees for the season were placed at f6 6/- for major associations and f2 2/- for minor associations.

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WASHINGTON, April 28.
The Supreme Court ruled to-day that negroes are entitled to the same first class services and accommodation on Pullman cars as white passengers.

In the School.
Friendly matches will begin on May 10, and it is expected to start the competition in earnest on May 17, when it is hoped that the primary schools in Napier will have their teams ready for entry. This lower grade soccer is to be actively encouraged with a view to getting better support in future years.

Officers were elected as follows: President—Mr J. Fairclough; vice-presidents—Messrs T. W. Hercock, W. McGill, G. Husheer, R. Boyd, G. A. Maddison, N. Forster, J. Lothian, T. Rees, N. Solomon, W. Foster, W. Young, T. McKee, and the Hon. W. E. Barnard; secretary—Mr C. Nicholson; senior selector—Mr C. Nicholson.

#### **MEAT EXPORT PROBLEM**

SUGGESTED SOLUTION AT WAIPUKURAU

UNION MEETING

Charges For Transport Debated

Daily Mail Special Service.
WAIPUKURAU.
At a meeting in Waipukurau yes-At a meeting in Waipukurau yesterday, the president of the Waipukurau branch of the New Zealand Farmers' Union (Mr E. S. Elliot) stressed the need for sustained and intensified interest by all members. At present, conditions were such that there should be no slackening of efforts as the war created a special problem especially to farme

of efforts as the war created a special problem, especially to farmers and their marketing interests. Mr Clive Cassidy, Hawke's Bay representative of the Transport Alliance, addressed the meeting, urging the appointment of a farmers' representative to the Motor Vehicles Impressment Board, gave a detailed outline of the procedure for such impressment and answered many questions. After considerable discussion Mr A. F. Cook was nominated and the chairmen of other branches are asked to co-operate and to communicate with him if the occasion is warranted.

Meat Export

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Declaring that the meat question constituted the most serious problem confronting the farming community to-day, the chairman stated that it would be much worse during the coming season. He thought that remits should be brought forward now for presentation to the Dominion Conference.

After a lengthy discussion upon which all members spoke, Mr F. Hewitt placed before the meeting the following motion: "In view of the anticipated shortage of freezing space for the 1941-1942 season and the consequent possibility of pro-

Rugby Sub-Union promises wen for a successful Rugby season.

Representatives from the camp at the Dannevirke Showgrounds were present and said that it seemed likely that a camp senior and junior teams could be found to take part in the cub wings. the sub-union's competition teams, Old Boys and Ruahine, were received and an endeavour is to be made to secure a fourth. space for the 1941-1942 season and the consequent possibility of producers being unable to dispose of the whole of their normally surplus stock, this representative meeting of the Waipukurau branch of the Farmers' Union is of the opinion that consideration be given to the advisibility of instituting a quota system made to secure a fourth.

Since many players would be absent for Territorial manoeuvres for the next week or two it was decided to defer opening day until May 17. Gate charges were left to the management committee.

The committee was also empowered.

The report and balance sheet were considered by the meeting and adopted after Mr W. J. Woods had 

Transport Charges

preciation a small profit was shown and the actual cash reserve available was almost £60.

Officers were elected as follows: Patron, Sir Alfred Ransom, K.C.M.G., M.P.; president, Mr E. J. Kiely; vice-presidents, Captain L. R. Neilsen, Messrs M. D. Smith, H. J. Benzie, W. J. Woods, E. N. Hogben, J. Setford, A. W. Soundy, G. Patterson, F. Allardice, H. A. Ellingham, G. W. Keller, J. Fearon, P. S. Rabone, A. S. Parker and R. C. Moore; management committee, Messrs H. A. Henderson, L. Ingram, C. Le Quesne, A. V. Scott and representatives of clubs not able to field pre-war teams this season. Repre-Attention was drawn to transport charges by Mr W. Rathbone, who stated that the cartage on farmers produce was too high. In comparison he quoted the prices of a few years ago as to the cartage of lambs to the works which was 4½d, to-day it is 11½d plus 7½ per cent., making the charge over 1/-. This is excessive, continued the speaker, and he disclosed that at a recent ewe fair a carrier with a fleet of trucks made £400 in 24 hours.

Mr F. Hewitt said that it was impossible to make a business pay to-day at the old rate of 4½d, but maintained that the present day prices

sentatives of clubs not able to field pre-war teams this season. Representatives of the Referees' Association and the Primary Schools are also to be added. Delegate to Hawke's Bay Rugby Union, Mr V. Rouse. Selectors, senior, J. Setford; junior, H. A. Henderson; third grade J. Britland. Hon. solicitor, Mr P. W. Dorrington. Hon. auditor, Mr G. Pollick. Hon. medical officers, Drs. McLaurin and Boyd. Treasurer, Mr H. J. Benzie. Secretary, Mr J. A. Nodwell. sive charges.

The following officers were elected

The following officers were elected in the ensuing year: President, Mr E. S. Elliot; vice-presidents, Messrs L. M. Monckton and F. R. McWilliam; secretary, Mr D. J. Coughlan; lassistant secretary, Mr A. Rathbone; representatives of the Hawke's Bay Executive, Messrs F. Hewitt, E. S. Elliot, D. J. Coughlan, A. Rathbone and F. R. McWilliam. "No, girls didn't smoke when I was a girl," said a white-haired Wellington lady to an interviewer. "Didn't dream of it! Now I'm told lots of them smoke as many cigarettes as their brothers or fiances do. Must be very bad for them."
"Oh, not necessarily," said the scribe, with a smile. "Modern methods of culture and manufacture have revolutionised things. Take

CAMPAIGN AGAINST BOOKMAKING

and Desert Gold. Both are virtually free from nicotine, because they're toasted, consequently harmless, and both are unequalled for quality. Life's far more strenuous than formerly, and the genuine 'toasted,' with its calming, soothing influence, is really a boon. The three other toasted brands—Cavendish, Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog), and Cut Plug No. 10 (Bullshead)—make excellent cigarettes too, but are chiefly favoured by pipe smokers." "Ah, well," conceded the old lady, "times have changed, as you say, and perhaps By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, April 29. Commenting that there seemed to ave been considerable flouting of the law for five years and that the Court did not accept the evidence of appellant, the Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers) in the Supreme Court to-day dismissed the appeal of Charles Joseph Williams, 41, against a sentence of six months' against a sentence of six months' imprisoment imposed by a Magistrate on a charge of bookmaking. Sir Michael Myers said that bookmaking could be stopped, although perhaps not entirely, by making the offenders realise that imprisonment would inevitably follow. changed, as you say, and perhaps modern girls (men too) are fortunate to have these toasted tobaccos at their service." "Believe me, Madam," said the journalist, "they are!"\*

## Approaches

GAME PLENTIFUL

Prospects In Hawke's

PROTECTED CLASSES

The game shooting season which opens in Hawke's Bay on Saturday gives promise of being a good one, as game is reported to be more plentiful than for some years past. The season extends from May 3 to May 18, for certain species of native game, and from May 3 to July 6 for Australian and Californian quail and cock pheasants.

Wild ducks are plentiful this year n Central Hawke's Bay and Lake Hatuma should get a good quota of sportsmen. The lakes to the north of apier also provide good sport.

Hen Pheasants Protected Some hundreds of pheasants have been liberated by the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society, and these birds should be more in evidence than in past seasons. It should be noted that the shooting of hen pheasants is absolutely prohibited in Hawke's Bay, although permitted in some outside districts.

More quail have been noticed this year than in the past, and one sportsman reported having seen some large clutches.

Pukeko Protected

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Pukeko, for which there was a short open season last year, are now absolutely prohibited.

A property in the Putorino districts which has been open to sportsmen in the past has now been gazetted as an excepted area. Otherwise there are no changes in the shooting grounds in the province.

Although ammunition is in short supply in the shops, some sportsmen have enough on hand to carry them through the season. It is also thought possible that further stocks will come to hand from Auckland before the close of the period.

Claiming Stands Stands may be claimed at any ime, subject to certain conditions aid down in the Gazette.

A board bearing the name and ad-dress of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed "We suggest as a basis for this system, taking the average killings for the past two or three seasons of all classes of each producer's stock, be brought to a lamb unit basis, suggesting that each sheep represent two lambs and each cattle heart represent to lambs A per consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one at stand already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant of the occupancy of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one stand already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one stand already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one stand already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one stand already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one stand already occupied must obtain the consent of the claimant, together with his licence number, must be placed to claim more than one stand, and a sportsman wishing to occupy one stand already occupied must obtain the claimant, and the claimant of the cl

INGLESIDE HELD AT **HASTINGS** 

Scots Society Meets

PATRIOTIC WORK DESCRIBED

One of the best attended and most njoyable Inglesides held for some time book place in the Oddfellows' Hall, tastings, on Monday.

The stage was decorated with flowers not the Scottish standard.
Chief P. J. Priest, who presided, exended a hearty welcome to the memers and visitors, among whom were hief and Mrs A. Duncan and Mr Reid, f the Wellington Scottish Social Solety; Mr and Miss Cattanach, of St. ndrew's Burns Club, Wellington; and Irs Boag.

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tters were read from the Lord Proof Aberdeen and Mr Reid, secretary
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ed for the men on the trawlers and

take delivery of any parcels of clotning at his shop in Queen Street.

A Presentation

During the evening the Chief made a presentation on behalf of the members to Miss Dorothy Ramsay, on the occasion of her approaching marriage. Miss Ramsay had been an active member of the society for many years, taking a prominent part in the teaching of Scottish national dancing, he said.

An enjoyable programme was presented, as follows:—Recitation, Mr A. Sheriff; dance fling, pupils Miss Ramsay; vocal, choir; song in costume, Miss V. McCombe: character dance, Miss I. Pothan; items by Pipe Band; song, Miss Pothan; tems by Pipe Band; song, Miss Pothan; dance, Irish reel, Misses Ramsay and Knuckey: sketch, Miss McCombe; song, Mr Bentley.

Pipers Butler and Watts played for the dancers. Mrs Bell was the accompanist, and McKay's Orchestra supplied the dance music. Mr Guthrie was M.C. The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought a happy evening to a close.

#### Shooting Season 215 MEMBERS OF N.Z.E.F. RETURNED TO DOMINION

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 29.

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Following is the list of 215 members of the N.Z.E.F. invalided home to-day. Where not otherwise indicated the rank is private:
Major J. G. C. Leach (Wanganui), Captain C. F. Thomas (Whakatane), Lieutenant A. H. L. Bardsell (Gore), Lieutenant M. V. Wilson (Whangarei), Lieutenant W. H. Carter, Lieutenant J. K. F. Watson (Auckland), Second Lieutenant J. H. Corlett (Hamilton), Second Lieutenant H. L. Thomson (Auckland).
Sister H. M. Scott (Havelock

Sister H. M. Scott (Havelock North), Staff Nurse V. Cartwright

(Napier).

Sergeant F. Adamson (Wellington), B. Alding (Oamaru), Lance-Corporal R. J. Alexander (Wellington), Sapper J. Anderson (Wellington), Gunner D. M. Andrews (Palmerston North), H. R. Armstrong (Dunedin), C. A. Arthur (Invercargill), J. E. Ash (Wairoa), Driver L. M. Barr (Auckland), H. E. Bassenden (Wellington), W. A. Beach (Napier), J. E. Beacham (Onehunga), I. J. Bell (Auckland), Lance-Corporal P. A. Bellve (Auckland), Signalman W. Bennett (Kaitangata), Sapper T. G. Biddulph (Inangahua Junction), C. V. Blomfield (Waitoa, Thames Line), C. T. Blucher (Waihopo), R. K. Bones (Hamilton).

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Gunner F. H. S. Booth (Wellington), Signalman F. H. K. Braddock (Nelson), S. J. L. Bramble (Paeroa), Gunner J. Brennan (Timaru), C. S. Brown (Te Rapa), R. F. Buckingham (Auckland), C. E. Bürke (Tauranga) J. G. Buxton (Timaru), T. F. S. Callan (Wellington), Corporal J. H. Campbell (Hornby), Sapper J. H. Campbell (Napier), C. Capón (Auckland), Corporal R. N. Carpenter (Auckland), Sapper J. J. Channing (Ngaruawahia, R. C. Clouston (Wellington), D. McK. Coombridge (Otorohanga), Sapper W. D. Coote (Christchurch), Sapper M. J. Corkery (Hastings), C. J. Cottier (New Plymouth), Corporal R. T. Craig (Taupiri), R. E. Crampton (Wellington), Sergeant C. N. Crawford (Dunedin), Regimental Sergeant-Major F. Crompton (Nelson), Driver J. R. Cross (Auckland), Lance-Corporal D. J. Curtis (Christchurch), G. M. Dale (Onehunga), T. E. Davies (Paekakariki).

Company Sergeant-Major A. G. M. Dent (Wainawa), Lance-Corporal G.

T. E. Davies (Paekakariki).

Company Sergeant-Major A. G. M.
Dent (Waipawa), Lance-Corporal G.
Diamond (Christchurch), Lance-Corporal J. M. Dive (Wellington),
Lance-Sergeant J. Dobson (New
Plymouth), Driver D. P. Donald
(Maitland), Lance-Corporal A. F.
Dogherty (Dunedin), Signalman T.
Degherty (Wellington), Gunner E.
Faithful (Ravensbourne). Driver T. D. Evans (Wellington), Gunner E. Faithful (Ravensbourne), Driver T. Fitzsimmons (Christchurch), Sapper R. J. Forman (Napier), Corporal J. P. Foster (Wellington), A. J. H. Fowler (Marton), S. R. Frewin (Wellington), Driver T. P. Frost (Hamilton), R. J. Gardiner (Frankton Luction)

(Wellington), Driver T. P. Frost (Hamilton), R. J. Gardiner (Frankton Junction).

Trooper F. W. Garrett (Kaikoura) Lance-Sergeant D. Glover (Nelson), Gunner J. H. Goldsworthy (Wellington), Sapper J. M. Gough (Kamo), Sapper J. J. L. Gould (Auckland), T. F. Gregg (Stratford) Driver L. L. Gross (Onehunga), E. P. Hammond (Dargaville), H. R. Hammond (Auckland, G. H. Hannah (Auckland), Sapper A. H. Harper (Dunedin), G. R. Hart (Dunedin), Corporal R. M. Hay (Otahuhu), Sergeant W. D. Haydon (Wellington), Sergeant R. G. Hayward (Wellington), Lance-Sergeant R. N. Heffer (Gisborne), W. M. Henderson (Wellington), Lance-Sergeant R. N. Heffer (Gisborne), W. M. Henderson (Mangapehi), R. F. Hewat (Wellington) by the express this morning. It is also known that Gisborne men who have been invalided back to Wellington will also journey north on the ordinary express. Questioned last night as to whether the Napier Patriotic Committee had made any arrangements to supply the men joining the rail-car with refreshments, Mr Hercock said that he had not had sufficient information to make even tentative plans. In any case there would not be sufficient time to do anything before the railcar left. A cup of teaching the provided, but that was

Letters were read from the Lord Provost of Aberdeen and Mr Reid, secretary of the Scottish Comforts Society, thanking the women of the society for goods knitted for the men on the trawlers and minesweepers.

The chief made an appeal on behalf of the Patriotic Circle of the Townswomen's Guild for old clothing, particularly woollen goods, to make up into clothing for women and children in the Motherland who had been bombed out of their homes. It was pointed out that a large number of these garments were required, and Mr J. W. Shaw offered to take delivery of any parcels of clothing at his shop in Queen Street.

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During the evening the Chief made a presentation on behalf of the members of Miss Dorothy Ramsay, on the occa-

Gunner J. N. Little (Wellington), L.
A. Linklater (Kaiapoi), Gunner H.
E. Lloyd (Onehunga), R. G.
Loveridge (New Plymouth), B.
Luckock (Wellington), T. McConnell
(New Plymouth), C. F. MacDonald
(Christchurch), Sergeant G. McDougall, C. McDowell, G. D.
McFadgen (Wellington), Corporal

McFadgen (Wellington), Corporal R. G. MacGregor (Christchurch).

Gunner E. W. L. MacGregor (Walpawa), Lance-Corporal L. R. Mackay (Ohai), W. R. Mackay (Opurake), D. L. MacLeod (Hawera), K. A. McIntosh (Ruatapu), T. J. Major (Wellington), Driver F. J. Marsh (Christchurch), W. F. Martin (Auckland), Gunner F. Martin (Master-land), Gunner F. Martin (Ma

ton), Driver H. W. Martin (Christchurch), W. G. Matthews (Christchurch), Sergeant W. Maxwell (Ruatoria), Sergeant H. Metcalfe (Orakei), D. H. Millar (Wellington), A. J. D. Mitchell (Hamilton), R. M. Moir (Flaxton), Lance-Sergeant G. K. Maloney (Hawera), Driver J. C. Mooney (Alexandra), W. J. Moore (Christchurch).

Lance-Corporal P. J. Morris

(Alexandra), W. J. Moore (Christ-church).
Lance-Corporal P. J. Morris (Otane), Corporal J. L. Morris (Wellington), S. Morrison (Wellington), Gunner J. Murphy (Te Puke), Sergeant E. J. Nation (Wellington), Lance-Corporal H. E. Norman (Tuatapere), B. P. Oakes (Hawera), J. G. Olsen (Hastings), J. E. Penrose (Christchurch), Corporal P. T. N. Pitama (Tuahiwi), Sergeant J. S. Porteous (Wanganui), M. E. Prendergast (Ikamatua), Sapper F. A. Ramsay (Ashburton), Lance-Corporal L. J. P. Regan (Christchurch), G. H. Reeve (Dunedin), Lance-Corporal W. K. Rewha-Rewha (Torere), Gunner C. S. Riley (Christchurch), Sapper A. S. Ritchie (Takaka), F. Robertson (Auckland), L. L. Roebuck (Dunedin), Sapper H. J. Rodgers (Wellington), J. M. Roiall (Auckland), Driver W. G. Rowlands (Christchurch), Gunner W. R. Russell (Christchurch), Gunner W. H. Roxburgh (Howick), P. R. Ryan (Ngakawau).

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C. H. P. Ryan (Wairoa), Gunner H. W. Ryder (Auckland), Gunner D. N. Shutte (Christchurch), F. N. G. Sibley (Christchurch), D. C. Slocombe (Southland), G. A. Smith (Auckland), G. G. T. Smith (Ashburton), J. A. Smith (Southland), Signalman A. J. Snelgrove (Wellington), J. H. Standen (Auckland), C. L. Sutton (Christchurch), P. Tahatu (Hastings), Gunner A. D. Taylor (Otorohanga), Sapper M. R. Taylor (Wellington), Gunner P. Taylor (Wellington), Gunner P. Taylor (Bluff).
R. A. Te Whero (Hastings), A. R. Thomas (Whangarei), W. J. Thomas (Christchurch), Sapper H. Thorp (Opunake), J. C. Timmins (Auckland), Gunner R. B. Tollemache (Te Awamutu), Gunner W. G. Tooman (Auckland), H. L. Townsend (Wellington), E. H. Trask (Te Aroha), Sapper C. S. Trichon (Auckland), A. C. Wastney (Nelson), Lance-Corporal F. J. Wardrope (Auckland), R. J. Welnoski (Wellington), E. J. Whitson (Auckland), Sapper O. D. Walesby (Christchurch).
Bombardier E. S. Wiig (Napier), Bombardier J. Wilkins (Blenheim), Corporal W. E. Wilson (Dargaville), N. F. S. Wood (Taranaki), T. W. S. Leach, A. McLauchlin, J. C. R. Smith (Tapanui), Sergeant C. K. Rosser, C. J. McFerran (Christchurch), W. A. Robinson, Sergeant-Major Hardley.
Nurse E. J. Jarman (Auckland), Driver A. F. Gogle (Auckland), S. Lawson (Dunedin).
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Memoranda

As advertised on another page, a soil survey lecture is being given at Napier to-night, giving the public an opportunity of hearing something of the soils of their own and neighbouring districts. New Zealand's remarkable wartime soil surveys will be described and also the strategic importance of soil restrategic importance of soil resources in Europe and the Ukraine at the present time. Air photographs of Hawke's Bay and soil maps will be exhibited.

Autumn Leaves Are Falling

CHANGE OF COLOURS

Season's Effect On The Province

RUSSET POPULAR

Meteo.ologically commencing in the middle of March, autumn this year in Hawke's Bay is now in full swing. If evidence besides that of the scientists who decide these matters were required, it is to be found on every side with the falling of the leaves and the ripening of the berries.

The russet-brown and golden tints which no other season can produce have this year appeared early on most deciduous trees. Poplar Avenue, Pakowhai a feature of the district's summer landscape which few visitors miss seeing, has undergone a change of colour which is scarcely less pleasing than its earlier display of greenery, and in parks and gardens everywhere the same transformation is to be seen.

Plane trees which form the impressive main avenue in Cornwall Park have lost much of their foliage, and the grass surrounding is carpeted with brown leaves.

Some of the finest displays of colour are to be seen in bushes and creepers which seem to save for this season the best of their colours, and are now a riot of reds and yellows.

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Descending to a more prosaid level, the average amateur gardener has found that an early foretaste of winter's frosts has reduced products such as pumpkin plants to a bedraggled pulp, while preparation of empty ground for next spring is at least occupying the minds of the more energetic.

In the orchard, of course, the season is drawing to a close, and though, like every other man "on the land," an orchardist's work lasts from year's end to year's end, growers have ahead of them the prospect of some relaxation of the rush of recent months.

It is inevitable that the poet's line, "season of mists and mellow truitfulness," should be included in any mention of autumn, for no more fitting description could be penned.

WOMEN'S TRANSPORT CORPS

**Hastings Trainees** 

**EXAMINATION** RESULTS

90 Per Cent. Of Passes

The examination of trainees of Women's Transport Corps in Hastings has now been completed, the results being most satisfactory. Passes were 90 per cent. of the candidates, comprising 19 Red Cross section members and 36 of the Emergency Precautions organisation. tion.
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## Crushing Imposts Given To Juveniles DECLARATION OF

#### WHY NOT A MAXIMUM?

### Preparations For Forthcoming Meetings

(By THE BARB)

Some few years back the Canterbury Jockey Club introduced a maximum weight clause in connection with the New Zealand Grand National Steeplechase and later applied the same condition to the New Zealand Cup Handicap. Since then the Wellington Racing Club has followed suit with a similar clause attached to the Wellington Steeplechase

These introductions have met with the approval of owners and trainers as well as the weight-adjusters.

It is a little surprising that some enterprising club, or even the New Zealand Racing Conference, has not considered applying a maximum clause to all two-year-old handicap

Many instances could be quoted during the last two or three decades of excessive imposts on good class juveniles when entered for handicap events, with the intention, no doubt of giving the riff-raff a chance or to make the handicap appear as if it had been correctly framed, to give every entrant an equal chance with the other on performances.

The Barb is not suggesting that such adjustments, up to a point, on form were not correct, but why "cruel" a good youngster, for ever perhaps, in order to give the poorer horse a chance which he might not be able to accept even if the majority were handicapped about 10 stone?

One day on the Hastings racecourse in conversation with the late Mr R. J. Mason, I put the question to that racing "wizard" and Mr Mason replied that he did not know, but possibly it was that a two-year-old had a wonderful store of vitality and that it could dash at top over four or five furlongs, no matter the weight, within reason. This appears possible but youngsters should not be so harshly treated, and if the Conference elects say a 9.7 maximum, it would have a beneficial result on the future of many a promising young thoroughbred. Surely if the aged steeplechaser or handicap horse is entitled to consideration why not the youngster?

HASTINGS TRACK NOTES

THE BRILLIANT EPITAPH

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It is 20 years since the racing track first knew Mr A. B. Williams's brilliant Absurd filly Epitaph, who won the C.J.C. Welcome Stakes and the Great Northern Foal Stakes, among other races, from early spring to early summer. It was just after the latter victory that she was weighted at 10st. at the Auckland summer meeting, was started and won, too, which in a way justified the handicapper's estimate of her capabilities. In this event she was opposed by Mr A. F. M. Symes's Ad Astra, also by Absurd, who had this breed's brilliancy. After a desperate race Epitaph won, but what did it take out of the Classic winner? Was that supreme effort responsible for Mr Williams's filly not furnishing into the brilliant sprinter expected of her as a three-year-old?

Route March was a big disappointment in the recent Great Northern Champagne Stakes. Was it that hard second, in keeping 20-ing with 10 stone on his young back a few weeks before the Champagne sapped his vitality? It is almost certain that this is the reason for his mediocre display over the last quarter of the Champagne at Auck-quarter of the Champagne at Auck-quarter

certain that this is the reason for his mediocre display over the last quarter of the Champagne at Auckland.

This writer could go back for years, giving instances of juveniles not fulfilling early promise on account of crushing weights carried.

Un the course Burma, by Bulandshar-Sahara (G. Stowe) and Vin d'Honneur (B. Stowe) who was runner-up in her only effort to date, were given an easy three in 41sec. It is difficult to say which will turn out the better, but the former has many admirers here.

Idda (S. Saramora) and Sclaria This writer could go back for years, giving instances of juveniles not fulfilling early promise on account of crushing weights carried.

TOO HEAVY A TOLL

It is only common sense to admit the heavy toll these big weights take on the strength and vitality of a young thoroughbred and the effect it must have on their later careers. It must have on their later careers.

Owners, of course, have their own remedy in not starting youngsters with big weights, but the clubs wish to see the best in action and so do the racing public.

At one time The Barb was puzzled how heavily weighted youngsters ran so prominently when older horses failed under similar weights.

ran off at the second obstacle. Taken back, he gave a first class display of lepping once round the country. On this performance he should go very close in collecting a cross-country event at Gisborne next week.

On Monday morning Iddo (J. Rae) was given once round the inside cross-country fences by himself. Never a mistake did he make to register the once round in 1.38 which is quite up to the average of open is quite up to the average of open company steeplechasers. He has only to continue, as he is, to very soon place a cross country event to

his credit. DOING IT ON THE FARM

Kikiroki has been doing his pre-paration out in the country on the farm. He is to be brought into Hast-ings to-morrow (Thursday) where he will be given a couple of lessons over the steeplechase fences before going on to Gisborne. His game leg has hardened up and there is every hope he will go through the jumping eason without reoccurrence to his

season without reoccurrence to his old trouble.

Lady Stella was worked at half pace on Monday morning but unfortunately was very lame on being pulled up, which should spell finis to any chance of racing this season. Her trouble is in the pastern so another holiday may be required. It is not, however, always safe to say how long an animal will take to low long an animal will take to

Theatre has been added to the list and will very shortly rejoin J. P. Ryan's Mummer's Lodge team. He has grown since being turned out last December and as this Theio gelding has undoubted galloping ability his future certainly appears

bright.

The handsome Gynerium-Lila rising two-year-old has also been gelded and he, too, will be handed over to the care of J. P. Ryan when Theatre is.

PERHAPS FOR KEEPS

Fossicker, who has twice gone amiss, has again gone lame, this time with tendon trouble, and as J. A fair amount of activity has been in evidence the last few morn-

KATHBELLA BACK

It was anticipated that Kathbella might be retired to the stud after his loss of form, but she was back on the Hastings racecourse yesterday morning. The few day's spell had done her little good and she still looked a little weary.

The Inflation-Mon Mint two-yearold, Mynet, is now a member of P. Hazleman's string, having been purchased by a patron of that stable, Mr C. Hart, Te Aute. Mynet looks as though he may furnish into something worth while but it is going to take time to get him there.

Blue Tiger is still running in his paddock near Hastings. He appears to be A1 when cantering round but when walking it is not difficult to detect the lameness. Next jumping season he will make his come-back.

The Tiderace-Coronilla yearling filly purchased by Mr Alf Symes at the January sales and leased to H. S. Greene, Greenmeadows, is an attractive young thoroughbred. She many admirers here.

Iddo (S. Paramore) and Solaria (J. Rae) were associated in a six furlong gallop on the plough. The first three occupied 40½ sec. and the full journey 1.23. Iddo came away at the finish, full of running, and could have improved on the time. He will be ridden in the Highweight on Saturday by A. Jenkins and probably the same horseman will be in the saddle at Egmont, when the Tractor gelding is to take on the cross-country events. Tractor gelding is to take on the cross-country events.

Sunny Knight, an acceptor for Waverley, where he will be ridden by B. H. Morris, was let off with light work. He is right back to his best.

LAMBOURN NEVER BETTER njoying a rest at her owner's Lambourn (B. Stowe) and Procla-

AN EARLY WINNER

LAMBOURN NEVER BETTER

mation (G. Stowe) were companions

in an easy six furlongs gallop in 1.192. Lambourn is in rare order

to take on the Egmont trip. Pro-clamation is also a fit horse for

Kinkajou (H. Callahan) and Gayest Son (S. Paramore) were re-

sponsible for a solid once round in 1.47½, which is equivalent to about

1.474, which is equivalent to about 1.45% for a mile on the inside grass which, perhaps, is the fastest track at present at Hastings.

Cherry Hunter (W. J. Mudford), now carrying half a hundredweight more condition than formerly, was given a couple of rounds, brushing home the last three the second time.

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home the last three the second time in 41sec. against the bit,
Black Majesty (W. L. Altken) and Dainty Dell (H. Callahan) registered 64% for five furlongs on the plough, finishing together. After he was dried off the former was noticed walking tenderly to the sand roll. However, this black horse is often slightly lame.

Katesbridge (T. Winiata) definitebooked for the Waverley Hack

Cup on Saturday, was given a solid once round on the plough against the bit to record 1.44. She came over the last three furlongs in 41

Master Cyklon (C. Cameron), having his initial introduction to hurdling, was schooled twice over the hurdle in the middle of the

course. He gave a most impressive and fast display for a novice, in fact it was one of the best seen here for

some time. On this one essay it is predicted that Master Cyklon may develop into a tip-top hurdler and will need little schooling before he

will need little schooling belove he is ready to win a race or two.

Siegall (J. Rae) was given her first school on the track but has had a little tuition at home. This Siegfried mare also went pleasingly and as a jumper should make the grade with little difficulty as she has the essentials

ROYAL STUART PLEASES

slightly lame.

THE JUMPERS

Hunting Blood continues to go on the right way and, although he has not raced since the beginning of January, it will not be long before he strikes his best form.

C. Griffith's The latter continues to impress as having the makings of a handicap performer later.

Myrna Loy (H. Callahan) and City Song (W. J. Mudford) were associated in a six-furlong gallop, coming home together in 1.183, after running the first half of the distance in 384 sec. City Song goes to Gisborne, but Myrna Loy will not race until Napier Park at the end of May.

SOLID ONCE BOY.

CURRENT RUMOUR

There is a rumour going the rounds that the engaging by Mr Frank Ormond of B. H. Morris has not been finalised and that Morris, after all, will not be taking up his residence as a professional trainer in this district.

Stella Lux is now an inmate of Geo. Greene's stable and in future will race in the interests of breeder, Mr W. A. Tod a chance to put on a little more flesh, which is needed.

> FIRST DAY'S FIELDS FOR NELSON

Eight Accept For The Chief Event

By Telegraph—Press Association. NELSON, April 29. Acceptances for the first day of the Telson Jockey Club's annual meeting, be held on May 3 and 5, are as

WAKEFIELD TROTTING HANDI-CAP, of £93; 3.43 class; one mile and a half.—Airline scr, Fullwood scr, Portfolio scr, Mauri McKinney 12yds. bhd., Bulldozer 36, Chelidon 36, Cava-tina 60, Rorqual 60.

NOVICE STAKES, of £80; five furlongs. Fixed weights. — Batsman, Smiling Morn, Rautoro, Tristan, Miner's Hope, Dark Water, Haughty Rival, Flying Fortress, Rebel Lady, Make Play, Dark Agnes, Valagia, Te Aweawe, Half Caste.

NELSON CUP, of £175; one mile and a quarter.—Augment 9.1, Lady Montana 8.12, Roy Bun 8.2, Esperance Bay 8.0, Flame Queen 7.9, Beau Ciel 7.2, Rabble 7.2, Philibun 7.0.

HOPE HACK HANDICAP, of £100; one mile.—Titter 9.0, Te Ore 8.12, St. Grace 8.3, Lady Magellan 8.3, Black Sovereign 8.2, Dark Water 8.2, Lights Out 8.2, Half Caste 8.2, Fox Tower 8.2.

BRIGHTWATER TROTTING HANDICAP, of £93; 3.2 class; one mile and a quarter.—Chelidon scr. Mauri McKinney scr. Portfolio scr. Highborn 12yds bhd., Kate Bingen 12, Plymouth 12, Rorqual 12, Lough Derg 24, Travelwell 24, Worthy Audubon 24, Gunman 36, Gold Cue, 48.

essentials.

Dia Bando (S. Paramore) in a school over the country revealed he has little to learn as a fencer after the experience gained in the hunting field. This big Psychology gelding should be a handy Hunt Cup candidate this season and by next jumps. ELECTRIC HACK HANDICAP, of £100; six furlongs.—Miltiades 9.0, Gemara 8.12, Te Ore 8.10, Pretty Lass 8.6, Citizen 8.4, Batsham 8.3, Moderate 8.2, St. Grace 8.1, Lady Magellan 8.1, date this season and by next jumping season will have qualified to take on the open grade.

NEWMAN HANDICAP, of £100; seven furlongs.—Augment 9.3, Lady Montana 8.12, Roy Bun 8.4, Skyrena 8.3, Flame Queen 7.12, Aggravate 7.6, Rabble 7.2, Adina 7.0, Philibun 7.0, Genara 7.0 Boyal Stuart (J. Rae) was Rabble 7.2, schooled over the double first but Gemara 7.0.

## WEIGHTS

EGMONT WINTER MEETING

EXCELLENT FIELDS

Many Hastings Horses Engaged

By Telegraph—Press Association

HAWERA, April 29.

Handicaps for the first day of the gmont Racing Club's winter meeting, o be held at Hawera on May 8 and 0, have been declared as follows:—

TONGAHOE HURDLES, of £175, one alle and a half.—Aussie Ra 11.4, Tidevalter 11.0, Mataroa 10.6, Segra 10.5, tollicker 10.1, Hunting Chorus 9.12, arekura 9.12, Raana 9.7, Southern 1000d 9.4, Mia Acrea 9.2, Selkirk 9.1, tebretts, Karere-nui, Natal, St. Grace, oyal Talkie, Eupatrid, Sanguine King, 11 9.0.

TELEGRAPH HACK HANDICAP, of 150, six furlongs.—Battlegain 9.0, Ringng 8.11, Valiant Lady 8.9, Tavoy 8.8, Criemhild 8.7, Katesbridge 8.4, Miss Cliper 8.1, Night Ray 8.0, Minvaal 8.0, Capain Gale, Lu Chang, Lucky Lulu, Ocean Sreeze, La Rosita, Desert Tide, Earlsourt, Wenewene, Tau-Uru, Sunfire, Brenfire, all 7.13.

HAWERA HANDICAP, of £200, seven turiongs.—Amigo 9.2, Sir Crusoe 9.1, Gold Dale 8.13, Royal Star II 8.7, Noble Fox 8.6, Du Maurier 8.5, Minority 8.2, Night Eruption 8.2, Circular Note 8.0, Paso Robles 7.11, Surveyor-General 7.10, Endorsement 7.9, Alexcelia 7.9, Hagen 8, Screen Star 7.7, Lord Cavendish 7.4, /eldette 7.4, Grandora 7.4, Notium 7.3, Davilia 7.2, Valerian, Sporting Gift, Warlap, Happicoat, Air Flight, Boden Park, Harina, all 7.0.

EGMONT STEEPLECHASE, of £400, two miles and a half.—Kaiwaka 10.11, Aussie Ra 10.8, Bridegroom 10.5, Chat 10.5, Riotous 10.2, Iddo 10.2, High Peer 9.11, Dozie Boy 9.11, Disturbed 9.4, Glenvane 9.3, Southern Blood 9.2, Tigreterre, Mia Acrea, Vesty, Padnos, Ruling Star, Car Leaf, all 9.0.

HACK SCURRY HANDICAP, of £150, five furlongs.—Parlato 9.0, Sea Link 8.11, Star Mark 8.10, Verulam 8.9, Sunny Knight 8.8, Tavoy 8.7, Valiant Lady 8.7, Golden Pam 8.6, Kriemhild 8.5, Barry 30y 8.2, Fly-by-Night 7.12, Valiour 7.12, Vinvaal 7.11, Miss Wheriko 7.9, Taitama 9.9, Earlscourt 7.8, Captain Gale, Salva-ion, Sly Girl, La Rosita, Desert Tide, St. Grace, Royal Taikie, Canox, Miss Hallomet, Teasof, Lady Pouma, Calliope, Ra Rena, Golden Wattle, Red Myosotis, Hinehou, Squeers, Illuminacre, all 7.7

McRAE CUP HANDICAP, of £400, one file and a quarter.—Amigo 9.0, Sir Cruoe 8.13, Friesland 8.6, Royal Star II. 5, Lambourn 8.4, Tidewaiter 7.11, Little tobin 7.9, Paso Robles 7.8, Kena 7.7, Niexcella 7.7, Surveyor-General 7.6, Tench Law 7.6, Ned Cuttle 7.6, Plastre 2.2, Gay Fox 7.2, Notium 7.2, Lord Cavndish 7.1, Aurora's Star 7.1, Authoress 1. Hunting Bee, Beau Clel, Pearl of sla, Filbert, Boden Park, Venture, Lastere, Windsor Chief, all 7.0.

TAWHITI HACK HANDICAP, of £17

#### ACCEPTANCES RECEIVED FOR AMBERLEY

Average Fields

NEXT SATURDAY'S MEETING

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Mixed Programme

By Telegraph—Press Association CHRISTCHURCH, April 29. The following are the acceptances for the Amberley Racing Club's meet-ing on May 3:—

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11.45—NOVICE STAKES, of £100;
six furlongs.—Acquitane, Ballerino,
Blue Silk, Camphor, Dusk, Force,
Frontiersman, Haughty Lad, Hurry
Girl, My Abbey, Portadown, Snow Elf,
Thoraide, Trench Coat, 8.7; Arabian
Night, Espionage, Guardress, Lady
Nottava, Lunaria, Plumbago, Sir Grey,
Square Cut, 7.12.

12.20—BRACKENSFIELD HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP, of £100; seven furlongs.— Merry March 10.5, Liane 9.13, Streamline 9.8, Donadea 9.3, Sir Frederick, Rua, Waka, Courage, Trench Coat, Slasher, Scarteen, 9.0.

12.55—TEVIOTDALE TROT HANDICAP, of £104; 3.43 class; one mile and a half.—Conflagrate, Narvarino, Native Man, Nuella, Robinette, Solicitor, Vera de Oro, Young Rey, scr., Silver Flash 48yds bhd.

1.40—GLASNEVIN HANDICAP, of f100; "seven furlongs.—Don't Forget 9.3, Paper Note 8.2, Mungatoon 7.10, Stabilise 7.7, Sham Boy 7.7.

2.15—G. B. STARKY MEMORIAL, of f130; one mile and a quarter.—Muffler 9.3, Princess Minerva 7.11, Greenbank 7.10, Halt, Good Health, Gay Thread, Lockheed, Benevolent 7.6

2.50—SEADOWN HANDIGAP, of £100; six furlongs.—Military Maid 9.0, Eulogist, Rawhamai 8.12, Guilder 8.9, Nightglass 8.6, Treasurer 8.5, Lady Derby, Retrogression 8.3, Dispense 7.8, Ann Mie, Slasher 7.7.

3.25—AMBERLEY HANDICAP, of f120; nine furlongs.—Cymric 9.0, Knight Commander 8.8, Prudent Prince 8.6, The Wrecker 8.3, Merry March 7.13, Liane, Stabilise, Rebel Star, Ferriby 7.6.

4.0—KOWAI TROT HANDICAP, of f104; 3.5 class; nine furlongs.—Canadian Prince, Conflagrate, Monitress, Native Man, Narvarino, Nuella, Prosecutor, Robinette, Sultan's Pride, True Metal, Vera de Oro, Waikari Chief, Wee Jack, Wee Truman, Young Rey scr., Loyal Betty 48yds bhd., Silver Flash 48.

POVERTY BAY WINTER MEETING

Acceptances Close On Monday Next

Good nominations have been re-eived for the Poverty Bay Turf llub's steeplechase meeting to be held on the Makaraka racecourse on Saturday and Monday, May 10 and

creased entry on last year's figures, pointing to an interesting race meeting eventuating. A liberal transport allowance is made to all visiting horses.

Acceptances for all events close with the secretary, Mr G. H. Sceats, Gisborne, on Monday next, May 5,

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SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTION AND NATIONAL SECURITY TAX. CHARGE ON INCOME OTHER
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MAY INSTALMENT: The first quarterly instalment of the combined
Social Security and National Security
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