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At Sea

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British Official Wireless (Received May 15, 7.35 p.m.) RUGBY, May 14.

R.A.F.'s Good Part

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Two Years

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TWO HUNDRED BOMBERS

American Envoy Reports On

Britain's Needs: Supplies

May Be Sent

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"The Times" Washington correspondent says that the Under-Secretary of the Navy (Mr Forrestal) on his return from Britain reported the result of his investigations to President Roosevelt. It is reliably learned that he said

Britain's greatest need was heavy bombers to combat the

U-boats and thereby render American convoys unnecessary. She also needs ships and tanks, indicating that invasion is

Mr Forrestal added that the British morale was so high that an attempt to negotiate peace would precipitate a

Furthermore, public confidence in Mr Churchill was at its peak. The R.A.F. had greatly improved and the night defences hope to overcome the night-raid menace by downing

The "New York Times" says that Administration circles believe that 200 heavy bombers would permit Britain to smash the U-boats and it is likely that such numbers can be

supplied from America before the end of the summer.

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### **Axis Demanding** Right To Enter Syria Unhindered

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The "Daily Telegraph" says there is reason to believe that the meeting of the French Cabinet at which Admiral Darlan's negotiations with Hitler were approved concerned the situation in Syria. Hitler is reported to have sent for Admiral Darlan in order to demand assurances that if Germans were landed in Syria by air the French garrison would be withdrawn or would refrain from intervening.

When Hitler sends for a foreign statesman to hand him an ultimatum he usually acts as though the terms were already fulfilled. Consequently one may expect to hear at any moment that German 'planes carrying troops and material have actually landed at Aleppo. The possibility of landing from the sea must also be considered.

The official report after the meeting of Cabinet at Vichy is merely Successes Scored a smokescreen maintaining the pretence that Admiral Darlan's visit was intended to conclude economic negotiations which are already concluded.

Britain is bound by the declaration of July, 1940, that she "could not allow Syria to be occupied by a hostile Power or used as a base for attacks on other countries in the Middle East." It is believed that the implications of this declaration are now under discussion with Vichy in London and Washington.

London and Washington.

The official news agency at Vichy announced to-day that two German 'planes landed at an aerodrome in the region of Mosul. It is not known whether they are civil or military machines, for which reason it is unwise to deduce that this is the start of military aid for Iraq. A message from Baghdad to Vichy says that a communique from Rashid Ali's headquarters states: "Our desert patrols frequently contacted the enemy." It adds that a single British 'plane flew over Baghdad, dropping many bombs without result. It also alleges that enemy 'planes bombed two clearly marked Red Cross ambulances.

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RUGBY, May 14.

Enemy shipping was again continually attacked by units of the British Fleet and R.A.F. in the week ending May 12. At least 12 vessels ranging from an armed merchant cruiser acting as a commerce raider, sunk by H.M.S. Cornwall in the Indian Ocean, to patrol vessels destroyed off the coasts of Norway, Holland, France and Germany, were sunk or rendered a total loss.

Supply ships with an estimated tonnage of 18,000 were sunk and at least six others were severely damaged.

During an attack by British naval forces on Benghazi harbour on May 8 an enemy ammunition ship of between 5000 and 6000 tons was blown

Ankara newspapers publish un-confirmed reports that German bombers have arrived at Mosul.

### BRITISH CRITICAL BUT UNITED

SWEDISH COMMENT ON DEBATE

PRESENT CRISIS

Churchill Not Ruthless Enough

British Official Wireless (Received May 15, 8.45 p.m.) RUGBY, May 14.

Interesting comment on the recent Commons debate on the war situation is made in the Swedish newspaper "Dagesnyheter," which says that it is characteristic of the British that, despite the fact that Parliamentary criticism is sronger than ever previously during the life of the present Parliament, a practically unanimous vote of confidence was passed.

Unswerving Lovalty.

"This is a British custom when faced with a life or death struggle," says the paper. "A strong difference of opinion regarding the methods and unswerving unity as to the end in view appear to some people such a curious phenomenon that they cannot grasp it—yet it is a fact of fundamental importance in the present world crisis."

The paper points out that the debate also had definite psychological importance. Mr Churchill was not criticised for being too brutal but because his methods are not ruthless enough. This is also characteristic of the British and could not occur elsewhere.

"The British people have gradually been awakening to the realisation of the threatening catastrophe yet after all this time it is stated in the debate that British has not by a Unswerving Loyalty.

the debate on Cyrenaica and the Balkans that Britain has not by a long way exerted her full military or industrial potential."

### GREEK WARSHIPS FOR BRITAIN

Several Are Safe

LOSSES IN RECENT **OPERATIONS** 

British Official Wireless
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RUGBY, May 14.

Asked in the House of Commons what Greek naval vessels were available to assist the British Navy and whether any fell into enemy hands, the Admiralty Parliamentary Secretary replied: "As was to be expected in view of the very active and gallant part played by the Royal Hellenic Navy during the recent operations in Greece, some losses were suffered, but I am glad to say that a number of extremely useful modern vessels have arrived safely at Alexandria. I do not think it advisable to publish further details." Asked in the House of Commons

# DAMAGED

VANDALS' RAIDS ON LONDON

OLD BAILEY HIT

"Oranges And Lemons" Bells Cracked

LONDON, May 14. The names of five more historic buildings damaged in recent raids are now revealed. They are:

Lambeth Palace, the official residence of the Archbishop of Canterbury.

Queen's Hall, where the famous "Proms" are held. Serious damage was done and much valuable music destroyed.

The Old Bailey, the scene of many historic trials. Two porters were

St. James's Palace, where considerable damage was done but the Duke of Gloucester's residence escaped. escaped.
St. Clement Danes, a Wren church. The bells, celebrated for their ringing of the nursery rhyme "Oranges and Lemons," are believed to have been cracked in the heat.

At Least 12 Ships Sunk

Old World Gone Forever"

MR MENZIES'S BELIEF

Great Effect On Status Of Women

REAL FIGHTERS

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aged.

During an attack by British naval forces on Benghazi harbour on May 8 an enemy ammunition ship of between 5000 and 6000 tons was blown to pieces. A supply ship of 3000 tons was sunk in the same engagement, while a further bombardment from pointblank range on the night of May 10 caused more damage to enemy shipping and military objectives. "Whatever is the outcome of the war the world as we know it is gone for ever," said the Australian Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies) at a Press conference.

"There will never again be in our lifetime extreme riches and poverty. Taxation has already eliminated the

great incomes."

Mr Menzies said he thought that the war would probably have an enormous effect on the status of women after the war, because women were fighting to a greater extent than anyone had conceived possible The R.A.F. made two more successful attacks on the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau at Brest on the nights of May 4-5 and 6-7. Direct hits with powerful armour-piercing bombs were obtained. On May 11 a German raider in the Indian Ocean and the Norwagian tanker Ketty. and the Norwegian tanker Ketty Brovig (7031 tons) captured by the raider were intercepted by H.M.S. Canberra and H.M.S. Leander.

### GIBRALTAR OF THE PACIFIC

PEARL HARBOUR WELL DEFENDED

HAWAIIAN BASE

Flying Fortresses Arrive

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RUGBY, May 14.

The Nyasaland Protectorate, on its fiftieth anniversary to-day, announced a gift of £29,150 to the British Government. This is in accordance with the Protectorate's previously announced policy of offering as a free gift to the United Kingdom the whole amount by which its surplus balances at the end of each year of the war exceed £100,000. which its surplus balances at the end of each year of the war exceed £100,000.

The £29,150 is the final gift in respect of years 1939-40. It brings the total to £117,000 for two years.

The British Government has gratefully accepted this further gift of the Government and people of Nyasaland towards the war effort.

WASHINGTON, May 10.

Twenty-one long-range Flying Fortresses to-day made a mass flight from San Francisco to Hawaii. These 'planes will patrol the Pacific within a radius of 1000 miles from Pearl Harbour, which is described as America's Gibraltar and is now prepared for any possible attack.

NEW YORK, May 15.

# FAMOUS BUILDINGS Hess Mystery Deepens: "Fed

IT TO THE TROOPS OVERSEAS. POSTAGE &d.

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received May 15, 9.45 p.m.) LONDON, May 14.

The tide of interest in Hess's motive for his sensational flight to Scotland received new impetus to-night when it was reported that he had told the farm people when he first landed of the hardships now being experienced in Germany and also of the great distress and suffering prevailing among the German people as a result of the R.A.F. raids against

Hess declared he was fed up with the war and with life in Germany.

Hess said he had made the Duke of Hamilton's estate his objective because he had valuable information to give the Duke. This information would be of great use to Britain in overthrowing the tyranny now prevailing in the Reich.

Mr Ivone Kirkpatrick has sent to London further reports of his conversations with Hess. They are now being studied by Ministers. Thus far there is no official indication that Hess made any sensational statements to the British officials although the "Daily Mail" says: "Acting, as he seems to have done, without Hitler's permission, Hess has undoubtedly revealed to the British Government the present state of affairs in Germany and the Nazi Party. Mr Churchill is expected to be in a position to make an early announcement in the House of Commons showing what importance to attach to any of Hess's statements."

statements."

At Berlin officials declared that Hess, in papers which are now being examined, said he expected to return to Germany in two days.

"The papers reveal that he expected the British to supply him with enough petrol for the return flight after he had convinced them of the folly of their rulers," said the officials.

terview Hess, and such a meeting seems unlikely. It is argued that it is hardly fitting to honour in such a manner an unconventional visitor who for long has played a full part in supporting all the reprehensible institutions—Gestapo, concentration camps, persecution of the Jews—of a country now warring against Bri-

The remains of Hess's 'plane are being exhibited in London during War Weapons Week, beginning on May 17.

Wrong Sentiment

May 17.

Wrong Sentiment

Sir Patrick Dollan, Lord Provost of Glasgow, said that too much sentiment should not be displayed over the appropriate the Doctor Fundament. the arrival of the Deputy Fuhrer. The British people should not forget the 14 countries overrun and crucified largely as a result of Hess's plotting. He had come to Britain not for love of us but for love of his own skin.

### First Symptom Of Collapse

BLOW TO NAZIS

Loyalty To Hitler Had Been Unquestioned

British Official Wireless
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"The Times," in a leading article, says: "Out of the group which surrounded Hitler, Hess is perhaps the only one whose loyalty to Hitler was unalloyed by suspicion of self-seeking and into whose relations with the Fuhrer the element of personal devotion appeared to enter. But the precedent of June 30, 1934, showed that no friend, however intimate, would be spared once he had been frank enough to criticise or oppose the supreme will.

Roehm's Case. COULD SMASH U-BOATS

Roehm's Case.

"The assassination of Captain Roehm and the gratuitous thoroughness with which his memory was besmirched left a lasting scar even on the by-no-means delicate susceptibilities of the Nazi leaders. Such a blow to personal confidence was hardly retrievable and taught party members a lesson from which Hess—one, no doubt among many—appears to have profited. The rift on the surface does not imply that the rottenness has yet spread through the whole structure, but questionings will not be so easily silenced in the ranks of the party and still less easily in the country as a whole.

"While Hess acted alone, there must be many people in Germany who will draw from it confirmation of their doubts about the issue of the campaign of brutal conquest and domination on which Hitler's ambition has launched the German nation.

Confidence Shaken. Roehm's Case.

Confidence Shaken.

"It would be wholly misguided to suppose that his flight opens up the prospect of any easy break in the cohesion of the German political machine, still less of any slackening of German military efficiency. When the history of the war is written this event will be marked as the first symptom of cohesion sapped and confidence mortally shaken."

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"Go to it to fulfil these needs," concluded Lord Movne.

### GERMANS KEPT **INFORMED**

REPEATED B.B.C. **BROADCASTS** 

WAR GOES ON

Britain Will Not Be Fooled

(Received May 15, 11.15 p.m.) LONDON, May 15.

pected the British to supply him with enough petrol for the return flight after he had convinced them of the folly of their rulers," said the officials.

No War Plans

"Hess had no knowledge of the war plans of Germany's military leaders. He was, however, acquainted with German information that the war would end not only in the defeat but in the destruction of England."

The officials added that Hess wrote saying that he did not want to speak to Mr Churchill in any circumstances.

The Press Association lobbyist says: "There is a great deal of objection at Westminster to the suggestion that Mr Churchill should interview Hess, and such a meeting seems unlikely. It is argued that it is hardly fitting to honour in such a manner an unconventional visitor."

(Received May 15, 11.15 p.m.)

LONDON, May 15.

The British propaganda broadcasts to Germany, which have been almost continuous since Hess's arrival, took on a sharper tone yesterday. This is what the Germans are being told.

"We always knew your gang were a pretty rotten crew, corrupt and without solidarity. What has happened confirms our view. We are glad to have your Number Three in our hands but we are not being fooled into relaxing our bombing or the war effort generally.

"The German war machine has got to be smashed.

"We are treating Hess merely as a Nazi who saw the writing on the wall and got out while the going was good. Hess knows what Germany's capacity is and he knows Hitler's plans. If you knew as much as Hess you would probably also

as Hess you would probably also get out if you could."

A B.B.C. official said that all this and much more was being hammered home to the Germans ten times a day and it was being explained that Hess was both talking and writing freely.

### DUKE OF HAMILTON WAS AWAY

Fighting With R.A.F. PLOUGHMAN FEARS

PUBLICITY

(Received May 16, 0.45 a.m.)

LONDON, May 15.

Hess actually landed 15 miles from Dungavel and had he reached the Duke of Hamilton's mansion he would have found him away fighting with the R.A.F. The Duke is now Air Commodore in the R.A.F. Dungavel is used as a military convalescent hospital and the Duke rarely visits there.

McLean, the Scottish ploughman who found Hess, resented being filmed by the newsreel men and went on ploughing.

McLean's mother has received a telegram from a New York woman signing herself Sarah Lynn, saying: "You did a magnificent job. Hurrah for the Scotch. 'Im one."

Mrs McLean's terse comment was "That woman has more siller than sense."

### FUTURE OF AFRICA AT STAKE

Defeat Means Slavery

"GO TO IT," SAYS MINISTER British Official Wireless (Received May 15, 8.45 p.m.)

RUGBY, May 14. Broadcasting to Africa on the fif teenth anniversary of the Nyasaland Protectorate the Colonial Minister (Lord Moyne) said that the war in-

volved the future of Africa as well as of Europe. If the Nazis won, the hope of civilisation in Africa would be at an end and its peoples would be thrown back into slavery under

be thrown back into slavery under German taskmasters.

Men from all over Africa had fought like lions in the Empire armies and had learned how to use the wonderful and terrible inventions of modern warfare. Not even the natural difficulties of these mountain countries had enabled the Italian.

### FLY-SWATTING IN GESTAPO SHOWS NO THE DARK

NIGHT FIGHTERS' AIM Bread Strictly Rationed: **IMPROVES** 

DIFFICULT TASK

Great Progress Made In 10 Months

British Official Wireless (Received May 15, 7.45 p.m.) RUGBY, May 14.

The Minister of Supply (the Hon. Herbert Morrison), in a speech in London referring to the progress made by night fighters, said: "We must not underrate their task. It seems to us that night interception must be like trying to swat a fly in a large dark room at midnight with a small fly-swatter and with the feeling that maybe the fly is not there anyway. Yet there have been great achievements. I am told that of the flood of refugees from Maceresearch and development have gone far this last ten months as they would have done in ten years in normal peacetime, so that to-day those who know best think that in night interception we are rather more than a shade ahead of the

"There has been good progress with moonlight interception and some progress even on dark nights.
"Yet we must beware of jumping to conclusions too easily, setting our hopes too high or counting on their fulfilment too soon. The intermediate of the soon the country of the soon. their fulfilment too soon. The sig-nificant thing is the steady and con-sistent rise in the curve of victories since the dark times of winter."

### WRECKED AFTER 200 YEARS

School

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RUGBY, May 14.
The damage by bombs to Westminster School includes the destruction of a 200-year-old dormitory where King's Scholars have slept and where the historic Latin play took place every December.
Serious damage was done to the great schoolroom where the annual ceremony of tossing the pancake took place, while the panelling in the big hall, with a memorial containing the names of old Westminster boys, has been destroyed.

ster boys, has been destroyed.

war against Germany. Bombing Of Westminster CATTLE SLAUGHTER IN

For Beasts

# **MERCY TO GREEKS**

Meat Taken To Germany

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LONDON, May 14.

"The conditions of Gestapo rule in Greece are very grim," says the Istanbul correspondent of "The Times." food situation is growing worse daily, especially in the islands, where the people are on the verge of starvation. Bread, which is the Greeks' main sustenance, is rationed to less than half a pound a day and almost all the meat is going to

"The Germans have requisitioned all the stocks of tobacco, turpentine, oils and minerals, also ships above Many Bulgarians 50 tons.

"Many Greek towns except Athens were seriously bombed, rendering the housing problem acute because donia and Thrace.

"The Germans are doing their utmost to enlist the support of the puppet Government but the public's attitude is illustrated by the Athens Radio's injunction that the cheering of British prisoners of war is being severely punished."

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The "Daily Telegraph's" Cairo correspondent says: "The specious moderation in the early days of the German occupation of Greece is being dropped in favour of progressively ruthless dragooning of the population. Several Greeks have been sentenced to five years' imprisonment for offering cigarettes to British prisoners. The Germans have announced the death penalty for sheltering British soldiers. The puppet Premier (General Killakoglu) announces that all concerned with the Metaxas regime will be tried by a Military Council for preparing a war against Germany.

FRANCE

No Fodder Available

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The Minister of Agriculture (M. Caziot) announced to-day that 1,200,000 head of cattle are being slaughtered because the fodder is 4,410,000 tons below the amount required as a result of last season's poor harvest, the ravages of war and the blockade.

# Disappear

GESTAPO'S WORK

Report Made By British Diplomat

FIRST-HAND NEWS

(Received May 15, 7.45 p.m.) LONDON, April 14.

Interviewed on his arrival by air from Cairo, the former Minister to Sofia (Mr George Rendel) said: "The Bulgarians appreciated my work and treated me well, but three weeks before I left the Gestapo gained complete control. We were all watched and the name and address was taken of everybody visiting my military and air attaches. If they were Bulgarians they just disappeared to concentration camps. Our Bulgarian friends disappeared one by one."

### ENGLAND NEED NOT STARVE

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Dr. Kenneth Farnell, food chemist, declared that the British people could be kept from starvation by aeroplane shipments of dehydrated foods even if not a single ship was able to reach England.



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-MOTEO HACK HURDLE RACE HAN DICAP, of £100; 2nd £15, third £1 Min, weight 9st. Nom. £1; Acc. £ Min. weight 9st. Nom. £1; Acc. £

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£100; 2nd £15, 3rd £10. Min. weight
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SECOND DAY

SECOND DAY First Race Starts 11 a.m.

-WATOHIKI HACK HURDLE RAI HANDICAP, of £100; 2nd £15, 3rd £ Min, weight, 9.0. Nom. £1; Acc. GREENMEADOWS HACK HANDI CAP, of £100; 2nd £15, 3rd £10. Min weight, 8.0. Nom. £1; Acc. £1. BIRTHDAY HANDICAP (Hack Con ditions), of £120; 2nd £15, 3rd £10 Min, weight, 8.0. Nom. £1; Acc. £ 10/-Min. weight, 8.0. Nom. £1; Acc. £10/-.

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DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS ACCEPTANCES. MONDAY, MAY 19, 1941. NOMINATIONS for ALL EVENTS close at the office of the Secretary, Bow-man Building, Market Street, Napier, at p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 26. WEIGHTS for all First Day's Event, vill be declared. WEDNESDAY, MAY 28. ACCEPTANCES for All Events First Day close at 8 p.m. SATURDAY, MAY 31, at 7.30 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES for All Events Second Day close at 8.30 p.m.

PENALTIES The winner of any race after the de-laration of weights may be re-handiclaration of sweights may be remained capped.

All nominations made by telegram or by telephone must be confirmed in writing immediately afterwards.

All entries to be addressed to the Secretary, with entrance money enclosed, giving the name, age, description, pedigree, name of trainer and colours of owner.

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CLUB (Inc.) WINTER MEETING WINTER MEETING To be held on the

HASTINGS RACECOURSE. FIRST MEETING: SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 1941. SECOND MEETING:

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1941. DFFICIALS.—President: G. D. Beatson. Handicapper: H. Coyle, Starter: L. G. Morris. Clerk of Course: J. T. Hind-rup. Judge: W. P. Russell, Secretary: A. E. Wishart, telephone 2447, P.O. Box 13, Hastings.

FIRST MEETING. First Race 11 30 a.m. FIRST MELTING.

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-MAIDEN PLATE, of £100; 2nd £10, 3rd £5. For two-year-olds and upwards that have never won a Flat Race at a Totalisator meeting at time of starting. Weights: Two-year-olds, 8.0; three-year-olds and upwards, 8.7. Nom, £1; Acc. £1.

-HAWKE'S BAY HURDLES HANDICAP, of £275; 2nd £35, 3rd £20, Nom, £1; Acc. £2/10/-. ABOUT 1½ MILES

-WOODLANDS HANDICAP (Hack Conditions), of £125; 2nd £15, 3rd £5. Nom, £1; Acc. £1.

-JUNE STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP, of £250; 2nd £30, 3rd £15. Nom, £1; Acc. £2.

-BOUT 2½ MILES

-WINTER HANDICAP (Hack Conditions), of £120; 2nd £13, 3rd £10. Nom, £1; Acc. £2.

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SECOND MEETING
First Race 11.30 a.m.

1—HASTINGS TRIAL, of £100; 2nd £10.
3rd £5. For two-year-olds and upwards that have never won a Flat
Race at a Totalisator meeting at time
of starting. Weights: Two-year-olds,
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Nom. £1; Acc. £1. 6 FURLONGS.

—WHAKATU HURDLES HANDICAP,
of £200; 2nd £30, 3rd £10. Nom. £1;
Acc. £2. ABOUT 1½ MILES
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£10, 3rd £5. Gentlemen Riders. Minweight, 10.7. Nom. £1; Acc. £1.

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FINAL HANDICAP, of £160; 2nd £20,

3rd £10.

Nom. £1; Acc. £1/10/-.

6 FURLONGS 200 YARDS

(Minimum weight in all Flat Races, with exception of Corinthian Plate—8 stone.) NOMINATIONS
Both Meetings: MONDAY, MAY 26, 1941, at 8 p.m.

WEIGHTS First Meeting: TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 1941 (Morning Papers). ACCEPTANCES

First Meeting: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 1941, at 8 p.m.

WEIGHTS Second Meeting: MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1941 (Morning Papers).

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a Poll for the Election of three
(3) Members of the Hawke's Bay
Rivers Board (Being members to represent Ward No. Two (2) of the
Hawke's Bay Rivers District) will be
taken on SATURDAY, the 17th day of
May, 1941, between the hours of 9
a.m. and 6 p.m. The table below
shows: (a) the Number of Members
to be elected; (b) the names of the
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WARD NO. 2.

WARD NO. 2. Number of Members—Three (3). Names of Candidates: GEORGE FAIREY EDWIN JOHN FLEWELLYN KING JAMES MACDONALD HERBERT MACKNEY THOMPSON

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Air Training In America

BRITISH PILOTS

United Press Association—Copyright. WASHINGTON, May 13. Plans were discussed to-day between the War Department and the British Embassy for the training of British pilots in the United States. American 'planes and pilots will be used to give primary training to possibly 3000 men annually, starting in midsummer.

The construction of 27 destroyers and 43 naval auxiliaries has been CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE N.Z. Farmers' Co-op. (41% Stock, 1950)

The construction of 27 destroyers and 43 naval auxiliaries has been halted by a joint American Federation of Labour and Congress of Industrial Organisation strike at 11 Pacific coast shipyards. The strike has spread to Boston and stopped work on the new dry dock despite the Covernment's and union leaders' the Government's and union leaders' protests. The strikers are 1700 machinists, but 20,000 other workmen have been rendered idle by it.

Presentations Made.-Mr C. P.

Crocker, who has been in the employ of the Central Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board, Waipukurau, as cashier for the past 11 years and ploy of the Central Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board, Waipukurau, as cashier for the past 11 years and who is at present on leave from military service, was honoured at a gathering yesterday of all members of the field and office staffs of the board. In presenting Mr Crocker with a camera, the secretary-manager (Mr G. E. Fowler) paid tribute to his conscientious service and ex-

REDUCTION SALE REPORTED

TAUTANE STUD

CATTLE PRICES

Representative Number Of Buyers

Messrs Dalgety and Co. Ltd., N.Z. Loan and Mercantlle Agency Co. Ltd., and Williams and Kettle Ltd., in conjunction, held a highly successful reduction sale on the property at Waiter pukurau on Thursday, May 8. The attendance was not as large as had been anticipated, but was drawn from many parts of the North Island and the Nelson province. Certain cattle were most keenly competed for, whereas others falled to realise the price anticipated. The recently imported built, Justice of Bywell, was paraded at the commencement of the sale and the three cows mated to this bull realised the excellent average of 84 guineas, one of which was the top price of the sale, namely Quaff of Tautane, calved August, 1935, being purchased by Mr A. McCaffin, Waipukurau, at 164 guineas. The other two cows in calf to Justice of Bywell were both purchased by Mr J. Handley of Mangamaku at 53 and 36 guineas respectively. Louisa of Tautane, winner of seven championships, went cheaply to Mr J. Oglivie of Masterton at 45 guineas. The next lot, however, Sark of Gwavas, calved September, 1933, went to the well-known Tailhape breeder, Mr Joseph Webb, at 150 guineas.

The cattle bred by Tautane Stud numbered 91 lots, of which 76 lots were sold under the hammer, averaging £20/5/. The remainder of the offering comprised cattle bred by Tautane Stud numbered 91 lots, of which 76 lots were sold under the hammer, averaging £20/5/. The remainder of the offering comprised cattle bred by Tautane Stud numbered 91 lots, of which 76 lots were sold under the hammer, averaging £20/5/. The remainder of the offering comprised cattle bred by Tautane Stud numbered 91 lots, of which 76 lots were sold under the hammer, averaging £20/5/. The remainder of the offering comprised to the provided the fers averaged £21/14/17, 12 calves averaged £27/14/6, 7 rising three year-old helfers averaged £22/14/7; 10 rising two-year-old helfers averaged £22/14/7; 10 rising two-year-old helfers averaged £22/14/7; 10 rising two-year-old helfers averaged £22/14/7; 10 rising two-year-

rising two-year-old helfers averaged £1275/-.

The following is the list of purchases: Cows: 1 at 20gns., 1 at 8gns., 1 at 40gns. to E. Jefferson, Wairoa; 1 at 14 gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 16gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 27gns., 1 at 26gns., to Jo. Webb. Taihape; 1 at 5gns., 1 at 24gns., to J. Ogilvie, Masterton; 1 at 24gns., 1 at 7gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 27gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 6gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at 12gns., to Laing Bros., Masterton; 1 at 36gns., 1 at 53gns., 1 at 12gns., to F. Handley, Mangamaku; 1 at 164gns. to F. Handley, Mangamaku; 1 at 164gns. to Relson, 1 at 16gns., to Dalgety and Co. Ltd., Nelson, 1 or W. S. Booth; 1 at 8gns., 1 at 10gns., 1

ch. Napler; 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 113gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 113gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 10gns., 1 9gns., to H. W. Kilsby, Fitzherbert; t 12gns., to L. Lopdell, Napler; 1 at ns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at ns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 12gns., 1 at ns., 1 at 10gns., 1 at 7gns., 1

erton; 1 at 17gns, 1 at 25gns, to W. leech, Napler.
Rising two-year heifers (empty): 1 at 0gns, 1 at 11gns, 1 at 75gns, to L. topdell, Napler; 3 at 10gns, to F. Handey, Mangamaku; 1 at 7gns, to J. Ogilee, Masterton; 1 at 17gns, to J. Ogilee, Masterton; 1 at 17gns, to Dalgety nd Co. Ltd., Nelson, for W. S. Booth; at 14gns, to E. Jefferson, Wairoa; 1 t 28gns, to A. McGaffin, Waipukurau. Cows and calves bred by W. H. Meech: cow at 7gns, 1 calf at 4gns, 1 cow at 8gns, and 1 calf at 13 ns, 1 cow at 11gns, and 1 calf at 13 ns, 1 c. L. Lopdell, Napler; 1 cow at 6 ns. to L. A. P. Sherriff, Taihape; 1 calf t 10gns, 1 calf at 13gns, to E. Jefferon, Wairoa; 1 cow at 6 gns, to Laing tros, Masterton

GOOD YARDING AT

Mart Report
There was only a small yarding of pigs and poultry at R. Roake and Son's sale. Prices were on a par with previous sales.

Backward slips, 4/-, 8/-; weaners backwaru siips, 4/-, 8/-; weatlers, 5/-, 9/-; light porkers, 16/-, 20/-. Poultry: B.O. hens, 2/-, 3/-; ducks, 2/6, 3/-; cockerels, 2/6, 3/9; W.L. hens, 1/6, 2/6.

Yesterday On 'Change

Transaction List Following is a list of transactions on he New Zealand Stock Exchange:-WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

Sale Late Wednesday Standard Insurance
Sales Yesterday
War Loan, 1/10/53 . (2)
Bank of N.S.W.

Sales Reported Dunlop Rubber ..... ROUTE MARKED ON MAP

Hess's Precautions

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LONDON, May 13.

When Hess landed in Scotland, he carried a number of photographs of himself and one of his four-year-old

ager (Mr G. E. Fowler) paid tribute to his conscientious service and expressed the hope that he would soon return to the Dominion. The engineer (Mr G. L. Beer) endorsed the foregoing remarks, while all other members spoke in a similar strain. Mr Crocker briefly acknowledged the gift and the remarks made and stated that his associations with the board had always been happy,

ROYAL LANCER SUCCEEDS

MEETING

OPENING DAY

Gloucester Cup To Norse

By Telegraph—Press Association
TIMARU, May 15.
The first day of the South Canterbury Jockey Club's winter meeting attracted a good crowd. The track was in good order. The totalisator handled £12,749, against £8702 on the corresponding day last year.
Results:

Also started: 1-1 Dividend 11.6, 3-4 Flagman 10.5, 4-3 Mungatoon 9.2, 6-5 Rosaleen Dhu 9.0, 8-8 Red Dragon 9.0. Three lengths; two. Flagman was

Also started: 13-12 Sheeny car. 8.6, Donroy car. 7.4, bracketed with 1-1 Lady Derby 8.1, 3-6 Guilder 8.7, 7-7 Nightglass 8.4, 8.10 On Call car. 7.9, 10-11 Retrogression 8.1, 17-15 Tissue 8.1, 11-12 Irish Lass car. 8.5, 2-2 Roman Son 7.12, 16-16 Dispense car. 7.5, 14-14 Jolly Time car. 7.0, 18-18 Haughty Lad 7.7, 19-19 Decamp car. 7.12, 15-17 Enticing car. 7.2, 20-19 Irvington car. 8.0.

Two lengths both ways. On Call was fourth. Time, 1.13.

OPIHI TROT.
Of £140; one mile and a half. 4-4—CATALPA, 12yds. (Mc-Tigue)
2-2—SWAGGER JACK, scr. (R. Townley)
3-3—SPECIAL AGENT, scr.

ELLOUGHTON HANDICAP. Of £300; one mile and a-quarter.

2-1—ROYAL LANCER, 9.5 (W.

CRAIGMORE STEEPLECHASE. Of £150; about two miles. 2-2-ASTRAL FLAME, 9.0

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BEACONSFIELD TROT. Of £155; one mile and a half. 1-2-LOYAL FRIEND, scr. (Mc-10-10—BRAW LASS, 48yds. (F. 

SEADOWN HANDICAP. Of £170; six furlongs. 4-8-GOLD FLIGHT, car. 7.2 

car. 7.6.
Length; neck. Secret Flight was fourth. Time, 1.11 2-5.

Horsemen Booked For

Following are some of the riders ooked for the Otaki-Maori meet-

booked for the Otaki-Maori meeting:—
W. J. Broughton.—Ringless, Pitmark, Sweet Anne, Surveyor-General, Sanction.
G. R. Tattersall.—Renascor.
D. W. Redstone.—Newbury Queen.
E. Temperton.—Colibri, High Peer (2nd day).
S. Waddell.—Myarion, Endorsement, L. Lewis.—Master Cyklon.
T. Winiata.—Katesbridge.
B. H. Morris.—Sir Crusoe.

New Headmaster.—Mr and Mrs Harrison and family, late of Pov-erty Bay, have taken up residence at Norsewood. Mr Harrison has been appointed headmaster and will com-mence duties after the term holi-

RIDING ENGAGEMENTS AT OTAKI To-morrow

### HASTINGS THEATRES

TO-DAY-AT 2.15 P.M. & 8 P.M.

Regent

"THIRD FINGER, LEFT

HAND"

Miss Loy, a fashion magazine editor, invents a fictitious husband for business reasons, and Douglas, a landscape painter, arrives on the scene posing as the mythical spouse. She can't expose her deception, so takes it out by plunging the debonair Douglas into every comical trouble she can think of, even embarrassing him by scandalising his home-town folks with assumed vulgarity on their honeymoon.

home-town folks with assumed vulgarity on their honeymoon.

Her attorney, Lee Bowman, conspires to get her divorced so that he can marry her himself, and amid the laughable mix-up she and Douglas suddenly discover they've been in love with each other all along. Lee Bowman is a romantic figure as Suitor No. Two. Donald Meek as an eccentric art dealer adds to the comicalities, as does Felix Bressart, the elongated commissar of

comicalities, as does Felix Bressart, the elongated commissar of "Ninotchka," as Myrna's art editor and co-conspirator. Bonita Granville scores in a sub-deb role. Raymond Walburn, Halliwell Hobbes and Ann Morriss are also effective. On the same programme will be seen the latest of the "March of Time" series, "On Foreign News Fronts," which deals in striking fashion with the exploits of journalists in Europe's trouble-centres.

'THE BANK DICK" AND

"DARK COMMAND"

Filled with Fieldsian whimsicali

fles, "The Bank Dick" is now showing at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. For years the star, W. C. Fields, has been acclaimed one of

Fields, has been acclaimed one of the greatest comedians on the American stage or screen. If any proof were needed, it is here in his latest picture. More typically Fields's material than any of the star's more recent productions, Fields appears as a special guard in a bank, a role he has long wanted to play. Fields is starred solo—which means he has the bulk of the comedy business to carry. Aiding and abetting Fields in "The Bank and setting Fields in "The Bank

comedy business to carry. Aiding and abetting Fields in "The Bank Dick" is a cast which includes Una Merkel, Richard Purcell, Shemp Howard, Franklin Pangborn, Grady Sutten Legis Palek Care Withen

Sutton, Jessie Ralph, Cora Witherspoon, Dave Oliver, Harlan Briggs and scores of others who appear in the numerous comedy sequences with which the picture is crammed

THEY WANTED"

inning to bitingly dramatic end; and it advances the art of screen tory-telling a significantly long

and it advances the art of screen story-telling a significantly long way in doing so. Laughton, a happy go-lucky Latin rancher, of Napa Valley, who has grown rich on his grapes, goes to San Francisco for a

vacation and falls in love with a blonde waitress (Miss Lombard). Through his restless foreman, Wil-

inrough his restless forefliah, will liam Gargan, Laughton finally per suades her to come to Napa and marry him. But on the eve of the wedding the rancher breaks both

legs in an accident and the mar-riage has to be postponed, while the girl stays on to nurse him. She, lonely and dissatisfied, finds herself attracted to the moody foreman and

attracted to the moody foreman and yields herself to him.

As soon as the rancher is well enough to walk he demands an immediate wedding—but the girl, compromised, plans to run away secretly. What happens as the three find their lives disrupted through this para missten makes up the emotion-

one mis-step makes up the emotional conclusion of this truly greatfilm. The two stars turn in super-

ative performances in their respective roles—roles that are exception

"ELEPHANT BOY" IS

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●--W. C. FIELDS --UNA MERKEL FRANKLIN PANGBORN

"THE BANK DICK"

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### NAPIER THEATRES

Myrna Loy, "perfect wife" of the screen, and Melvyn Douglas, the man who made Garbo laugh in "Ninotchka," prove a brilliant team in "Third Finger, Left Hand," which is now screening at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. The new comedy provides Miss Loy with a rampageous wife role and gives Douglas as many hilarious troubles as William Powell had in "I Love You Again." Miss Loy, a fashion magazine editor, invents a fictitious husband for

DAILY at 2 & 8 p.m. Plans at Lockyer's - 'Phone 3029

TO-DAY /

"TRAIL OF THE VIGILANTES" FRANCHOT TONE IAM — BRODERICK CRAWFORD — PEGGY MORAN ANDY DEVINE (Approved for Universal Exhibition.)

- ALSO SCREENING -"MARCH OF TIME" "Nazis in Mexico"

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DAILY at 2 & 7.45 p.m.

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EXCELLENT SUPPORTS-

## with which the picture is crammed. A plan to assassinate President Abraham Lincoln led indirectly to the end of the infamous career of one of America's land-pirates, the treacherous William Cantrell, border guerilla, whose life serves as the basis for the second feature, "Dark Command." Cantrell's gang of cutthroats raided and looted North and South alike along the Kansas-Missouri border before and during the Civil War, although Cantrell posed as a Southern sympathiser with a **PROGRAMMES** ON THE AIR

1YA AUCKLAND

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30
Breakfast session. 9.0: "With a Smile and a Song." 10.0: Devotional service. 10.20: "For My Lady." 10.45: "Shoes and Ships and Sealing Wax." 11.0: "To Lighten the Takek." as a Southern sympathiser with a violent hate for Kansas. John Wayne plays the part of Cantrell, and Claire Trevor as his wife, totally unsuspecting of her husband's

ing Wax." 11.0; "To Lighten the Tašk."

b: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headdine News and Views. 2.0: "From Our Library." 2.30: Classical music. 3.30: "In Varied Mood." 4.0: Light music. 5.0: Children's session. 5. Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: Sports talk by Gordon Hutter. 7.50: Symphonic programme by Sir Henry Wood and the Queen's Hall Orchestra. 7.9: Symphony in B Minor. 8.5: Studio Recital by Leo Foster (barttone). S17: The Orchestra. 8.37: Dora Labbette (soprano). 8.45: The Orchestra. 8.57: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Gerhard Husch THEY KNEW WHAT "They Knew What They Wanted, which is now showing at the State Theatre, Hastings, co-stars Carole Lombard and Charles Laughton in a poignant romantic screen drama of the California grapelands. The story, told in forthright fashion, marches from heart-warming be conservatoire. 10.0: Music, in and melody. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

2YA WELLINGTON

In the event of Parliament being broadcast, this programme will be transmitted by 2YC.

5.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.; B.B.C. news. 7.30; Breakfast session. 9.0; Devotional service. 10.25; Favourite melodies. 10.40; "For My Lady." 11.0; "Shoes and Ships and Sealing Wax." 11.15; Versatile artists.

2.0; Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.; B.B.C. news. 1.15; Headline News and Views. 2.0; Classical hour. 3.0; A.C.E. talk. 3.15; Ballroom successes of the past. 3.32; Popular tunes. 4.0; Celebrity session. 4.15; Afternoon vaudeville. 5.0; Children's session.

45; Dinner music. 6.15; B.B.C. news. 7.0; News. 7.15; "Britain Speaks." 7.30; Reserved. 7.45; Melody Masters: The Rosario Bourdon Symphony. 7.48; Henri Penn (planist), and Winifred Carter (harpist). 8.5; Lives of the Poets: Thomas Moore. 8.26; Yehudi Menuhin (violinist). 8.30; "I Know What I Like." 8.58; Station notices. 9.0; N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15; B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25; Songs for the Bandsman. 9.24; Sleffani and his Silver Songsters. 11a; From Australia: The Cairns Citizen's Band. From New Zealand; The Woolston Band. 10.0; Rhythm on Record: This week's new releases. 11.0; B.B.C. news.

3YA CHRISTCHURCH ally sympathetic and ideally suited to them. Laughton will be long remembered for his portrayal of the ebullient Tony Patucci, as will Miss Lombard for her artistry in her

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning
melodies. 10.0: "For My Lady."
10.30: Devotional service. 10.45:
Light music. 11.0: "Shoes and Ships
and Sealing Wax." 11.15: "Help for
the Home Cook."

tunes:
Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C.
news. 1.15: Headline News and
Views. 1.30: Organ recital by C.
Foster Browne. 2.0: Music on
strings. 2.30: Rhythm Parade. 3.0:
Classical hour. 4.0: Variety programme. 4.30: Light orchestral and
ballad programme. 5.0: Children's
session.

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Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: "Hiking with the Camera." 7.30: The 3YA Orchestra. 7.36: Wilhelm Backhaus (planist). 8.0: From the studio: Group of folk songs sung by Alice Chapman (soprano). 8.13: The Orchestra. 8.34: From the studio: R. O. Clark (bartone). 8.47: The Orchestra. 8.58: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. news. reel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: Recent releases. 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

4YA DUNEDIN

Indian boy and his elephant friend has been graphically brought to the screen as a vehicle for Sabu in "Elephant Boy," which gives the young star a fine role as Kipling's "Toomai," son of a mahout. The story relates how little Toomai's father is killed, and the boy mourns with Kala Nag, his favourite elephant, a giant tusker. Kala Nag attacks his new driver and runs riot. 4YA DUNEDIN

5.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 10.15: Devotional service. 10.40: "Shoes and Ships and Sealing Wax." 11.0: "For My Lady." 11.20: "Cooking by Lady." 11.25: In my garden.

12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 2.0: Music of the Celts. 3.15: A.C.E. talk. 3.30: Classical music. 5.0: Children's session.

5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: "When the European Speaks Maori." 7.30: The New Mayfair Orchestra. 7.40: "Dad and Dave." 7.53: "Rhumba, Rhythms and Tango Tunes." 8.8: "The Dark Horse." 8.21: "Vesta Victoria Old-Time Medley." 8.29: "Bundles." 8.58: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news. commentary. 9.25: Philadelphia Orchestra. 9.30: Professor T. D. Adams: Readings on American Life. 10.0: Dance music. 11.0: B.B.C. news. phant, a giant tusker. Kala Nag attacks his new driver and runs riot. Fearing disaster Petersen Sahib, the white hunter, decides to shoot the huge beast. But little Toomai boldly approaches his elephant friend and soothes him.

Owing to a misunderstanding Toomai runs away with Kala Nag into the jungle that night. Petersen leads a party in search of them. Toomai is found utterly exhausted but he bears news of an enormous herd of elephants in the vicinity. A stockade is built, beaters are hastily assembled and there follows an exciting roundup in which more elephants are caught than have ever

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0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 11.0: Light music. 12.0-2.0 p.m.: Lunch music. (12.15:

DRAW FOR RUGBY ON SATURDAY

Games Arranged At Dannevirke

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GERMAN BUSINESSMAN DEFIED HITLER

United States Treasury Holds His Fortune

The United States Treasury, it has een learned, is the guardian of a ecret cache of American money beonging to Fritz Thyssen, Germandustrialist who broke with Adol Hitler at the beginning of the war. Unverified reports have come from Europe that French authorities had handed Herr Thyssen over to the Germans and that the Nazis were holding him for 6,000,000 dollars ransom out of his American

The only way Herr Hitler could get the money would be to ask the United States Treasury for it. Herr Thyssen was a refugee in Herr Thyssen was a retugee in France last summer when the United States froze all French funds in this country. Under the order signed by President Roosevelt, anyone living in France at that time was technically a Frenchman, and the freezing order thus applied to the freezing order thus applied to

B.B.C. news.) 1.15; Headline News and Views. 5.0: For the children: Hukarere School Choir. 6.0: "The Old-Time The-Ayter" 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.45: "The Hunchback of Notre Dame." 7.0: After dinner music. Crooks (tenor). 9.45: "Tales the Pen of Edgar Allen Poe.

Drake."

12 noon: News. 12.45: Listening Post.
1.15: Starlight, 1.45: Headline News.
and Views by J. B. McGeachy or
Lindsay Fraser. 20: "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.

RADIO REPAIRS



VOTE Labour-Barry for Napier VOTE Labour-Robh for Napier Council.

Franchot Tone, in the first West-

FRANCHOT TONE IN

WESTERN ROLE

Franchot Tone, in the first Western role of his career, stars at the head of an imposing cast in the new Universal frontier epic, "Trail of the Vigilantes," at the Regent Theatre, Napier. In the picture with Tone are Warren William, Broderick Crawford, Andy Devine, Mischa Auer, Porter Hall, Peggy Moran, Samuel S. Hinds, and other well-known players. Tone portrays an undercover agent sent by a newspaper to the frontier in quest of the murderer of a reporter, and his adventures lead him into conflict with a gang of cattle rustlers. Some of the scenes are said to have the most spectacular backgrounds ever transferred to the screen.

Mayfair

Regent

'MURDER IN THE AIR," FLYING DRAMA

"Murder in the Air," now show-ing at the Mayfair Theatre, Na-pier, will be to the liking of lovers of movie thrills. Hero of the new film is played by Ronald Reagan. Eddie Foy jun. and John Litel are also familiar figures; beth have appeared in previous pictures as Reagan's assistant and his chief,

as Reagan's assistant and his chief, respectively.

The plot starts off with an investigation by a special committee on "un-American activities" in the U.S.A.—spying and sabotage. The committee is suspicious of the head of an organisation known as the "Loyal Naturalised Americans." How the operatives uncover his treachery is the exciting climax to this film. The associate feature is a thrilling Western drama, "Frontier Town," starring Tex Ritter.

State

WILL HAY IN HILARIOUS COMEDY

"Where's That Fire," now showing at the State Theatre, Napler, comprises some really funny detail work, bright dialogue, repartee, and hearty slapstick. Will Hay plays an excellent part as Captain Viking, head of a village fire brigade, and is ably supported by Moore Marriott and Graham Moffatt. The best sequence is when Viking decides to install a pole in the station, like the one he had seen in London, down which the men slide. He gets it wedged across the street, causing great traffic confusion. It is an hilarious sequence. The petrol store blaze lends itself to much wild slapstick and fooling, and finally leads to the capture of the villains of the piece in the Tower of London.

ST. JOHN'S TEAMS FOR TO-MORROW

The following Rugby players will epresent St. John's High School tomorrow:
Third grade v. H.H.S.O.B., School
No. 2, 1.30 p.m.: McIvor, Hutton,
Devoy, Christensen, Sullivan (capt.)
Addis, Davis, Percival, K. Munroe,
Lahood, Stone, Roberts, Barrett,
Priest, Aldridge, A. Oulaghan
(capergraps)

(emergency).

Fourth grade v. School A, Nelson Park, No. 2, 1.30 p.m.: Hanley, Grigg, Marriott, Tacon, O'Rourke, Buck, Stinson, A. Foley, Goldfinch, M. Foley, Dooney, P. Munroe, O'Connor, Houlahan, B. Barry, Emergencies: Arbuckle, Burns, Timms, K. Oulaghan.

Aliens Admitted More Freely

"RED TAPE" IS CUT

United States Aids Refugees

NEW REGULATION

The red tape tangling up the en-rance into the United States of housands of alien refugees fleeing thousands of alien refugees neeing the totalitarian advance in Europe has been scissored away by a new regulation which the Federal Department of Justice has put into practice. The system hastening the change of alien status from visitor to immigrant has been effective since early in the year but its

to immigrant has been effective since early in the year, but its operation had first public description by Stanley Diana, assistant Chief of the Law Division of the United States Immigration service at Ellis Island, before the New York County Lawyers Association. By agreement with Canadian authorities, aliens may now apply to the Immigration and Naturalisation Bureau in America for a "preexamination," Mr Diana said, If they are approved, he added, they can make a quick trip to Canada and re-enter this country as immigrants under their national quota. 7.0: After dinner music.
7.30: Variety hour. 8.30: Dance session.
9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C.
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Canadian Procedure

6.0 a.m.; News. 7.30; Religious service. 8.30; Music of Britain. 8.45; News. 10.46; News. 11.0; "Questions of the Hour."
9.0; N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15; B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25; "Francis Drake."
12 noon: News. 12.45; Listening Post. 1.15; Starlight. 1.45; Headline News and Views by J. B. McGeachy or Lindsay Fraser. 20; "Music of Brit." 3.15; "At Your Request." 3.30; Newsreel. 4.30; News summary.
6.00 p.m.; Programme announcements. The Canada, the procedure for the candidate for United States entry is application to the United States consul for a visa, Mr Diana explained. If granted, he continued, the applicant may immediately return to the United States. Should the prospective immigrant not be able to meet all the terms of the prospective immigrant not be able to meet all the terms of the mew regulation, Dr. Diana added, his right to return here under his former status is guaranteed. ner status is guaranteed.

Under previous rules it would have been necessary for the alien to return to his own country and obtain the necessary documents—a procedure which is impossible for most European nationals to-day,

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### A PLUNKET SOCIETY MEETING

quite a good age when given to her grandmother on her ninth birthday

grandmother on her ninth birthday. She had also a miniature dinner service which had belonged to her mother and several little china animals and very old books. All were viewed with very great interest.

Before the afternoon concluded Mrs Deans thanked Miss Strang for arranging the programme and also

arranging the programme and also all those who had helped her.

Waipukurau Branch

OFFICERS FOR YEAR ELECTED

Good Work Reported

At the annual meeting of the Waipukurau branch of the Plunket Society the Mayor (Mr R. W. Car-Society the Mayor (Mr R. W. Carpenter) presided, those present being Mesdames W. A. Chambers, I. W. N. Mackie, F. S. Hopkinson, H. S. Hooper, V. Stratford, J. W. Harding, J. Hobson, F. R. McWilliam, B. J. McCormick, A. H. Barnaby, J. C. Mills, L. G. Harker, E. Broad, T. H. Groome, J. H. Walker, D. Thorburn, J. Russell, H. Winlove, and F. Gore. Apologies for absence were received Apologies for absence were received from Mesdames T. Hobson, A. S. Wilder and M. J. Joblin.

The annual reports submitted by the Waipukurau branch and the Takapau sub-branch disclosed a most active year and showed that the organisation had made excellent

the organisation had made excellent progress.

Mrs J. D. Ormond was unanimously re-elected president on the motion of Mesdames Hobson and Broad, while vice-presidents appointed were Mesdames J. H. Walker, H. S. Hooper, B. J. McCormick, R. W. Carpenter, E. Broad, J. Hobson, N. M. Paulsen (Takapau) F. R. McWilliam, V. Stratford and D. Thorburn.

Mesdames I. W. N. Mackie and

F. R. McWilliam, V. Stratford and D. Thorburn.

Mesdames I. W. N. Mackie and A. S. Wilder resigned from the position of vice-presidents but they were elected to the committee, others being as follows: Mesdames P. Hunter, J. Hobson, L. G. Harker, W. A. Chambers, M. Joblin, F. S. Hopkinson, A. S. Wilder, I. W. N. Mackie, C. Pattison, F. R. McWilliam, T. Hobson, T. H. Groome, A. H. Barnaby, D. Thorburn, J. Russell, H. Winlove, V. Strafford, F. Gore, J. C. Mills and J. H. Coleman. Mr B. L. Wallis was re-elected treasurer, other positions being filled by auditor, Mr F. A. G. Dunn; hon. solicitor, Mr I. W. N. Mackie; secretary, Mrs A. L. Pendray.

During the afternoon, Dr G. MacLean, Wellington, and late of the Pukeora Sanatorium, Waipukurau, delivered an address on the preven.

Pukeora Sanatorium, Waipukurau, delivered an address on the preven-tion of tuberculosis and this proved

tion of tuberculosis and this proved highly instructive to those present. He dealt with the subject comprehensively, right from the pre-natal period and evidence of the interest taken was the number of questions he answered later. Votes of thanks were accorded the speaker and the Mayor for presiding and the meeting terminated with afternoon taken the speaker and the magnetic states of the speaker and the magnetic states of the speaker and the meeting terminated with afternoon taken. Mayor for presiding and the meeting terminated with afternoon tea.

Before members dispersed, regret was expressed at the illness of Mrs Percy Hunter and it was decided to forward to her a letter of sympathy and a posy of flowers.

When peeling onions place them in a bowl of water, with a slice of stale bread or potato. This will prevent them making the eyes smart or causing tears.

VOTE Labour—Nash for Napier Council

### NAPIER REPERTORY **PLAYERS**

Noel Coward Play Read GOOD PROGRAMME At Studio Evening

Last evening members of the Napier Repertory Society held their studio evening when "Private Lives," a play in three acts by Noel MANY CONTRIBUTIONS

Coward, was read,
This happy combination of play reading and an hour or so of social chat is very popular with members and there was quite a good attendance with a number of visitors present.

Literature appropriate to mothers was featured with success at the monthly meeting of the Literary Circle of the Hastings Townswomen's Guild, yesterday afternoon. The circle leader, Mrs A. F. Deans, presided and with her was the secretary, Mrs W. A. Bryant. In the business part of the programme plans were discussed for the circle's contribution to the entertainment at the Guild birthday party in July. It was decided to leave decisions to the executive.

Mrs Deans announced that Mrs Edwards would take charge of the circle's July programme. She then called upon any members with anything of interest to tell to do so, this being a monthly feature and the contributions mainly on books and articles read.

Mrs W. A. Bryant read the verse.

Misses W. Murphy, Nicholson, P. and N. Raven, N. Mackie, Z. Apperley, S. Kettle, R. Hammond, D. Burgess, K. Price, M. Daniell; Messrs. G. C. Tyler, P. Tonkin, Mitchell, W. Larrington, L. Bull, J. Fairclough, C. Cross.

# contributions mainly on books and articles read. Mrs W. A. Bryant read the verse from a Mother's Day card which had been received by a guild member from her son in the forces in Egypt. the card having arrived in Hastings only one day after Mother's Day. This was followed by a talk by Miss Strang and an extract from the book "Memory Hold the Door" (John Buchan) read by Mrs J. Taylor. Mrs J. Doole also spoke and Mrs Deans read an extract from a recent "Sunday Express," the writer having had no difficulty in purchasing over eleven shillings worth of penny articles in London. Mrs Deans reminded members of the card afternoon in the guild room on May 29 to raise funds for the Children's Homes. She also asked that mothers, wives and sisters of men in the forces leave their names at the H. & G., Hastings, in order that they be invited to the social afternoons to be arranged by the Overseas Relations League on the first Tuesday of each month. Five o'Clock Jossip

Mrs C. Rosacker, Norsewood, is a patient in the Waipukurau Hospital. Mr and Mrs James, Otawhao, are

Mrs W. Morrison and her small daughters, Noeline and Margaret, Makotuku, are on holiday in Napier.

Miss F. Duff, Wanganui, is staying in Hastings with her mother, Mrs C. Duff.

that they be invited to the social afternoons to be arranged by the Overseas Relations League on the first Tuesday of each month.

After tea Miss E. J. Strang took charge of the programme. Mrs J. Taylor read John Buchan's tribute to his mother from his last book, "Memory Hold the Door," and following this Mrs Apperley gave a recitation, "Cuddle Doon." Mrs Deans and Miss McLean gave a reading "Supper at the Mill" and Miss Strang gave a recitation, "Mother." followed by a newspaper article "Granny Visits Royalty."

A most interesting talk was given by Mrs Bennett, who showed and described toys which had belonged to her grandmother and mother. She told that her grandparents had lived for a time in Egypt, where her grandfather was engaged in Egyptology and Mrs Bennett showed a doll which had been given to her grandmother some 90 years ago and which was a French doll beautifully dressed in Egyptian clothes.

Mrs Bennett showed also some beautiful old dolls' clothes which had belonged to her mother and a miniature tea set of English Spode china about 175 years old which was quite a good age when given to her grandmother on her ninth birthday. Miss Gladys Kershaw and Miss Sybil Thorburn, are Matamau visiors to Auckland.

Mrs J. Honeybun, Havelock North, accompanied by Miss Patricia Major and Master Basil Oliver, is visiting Mrs Carr, Matamau.

Mrs I. Murray, Norsewood, has been spending a few days at Hast-ings as the guest of Mrs B. Adam-

The Rev. W. T. Drake and Mrs Drake, and their family, who have been staying in Taupo, have returned to the Vicarage, Hastings.

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Allow this to remain on the skin while you are dressing. Just before you are going to make up your face remove the cream with a benzoin

Made This Change

A number of famous public schools in Britain now have women teachers on their staffs, writes a

teachers on their staffs, writes a London correspondent.

The calling up of younger masters for the forces, and the "seconding" by the Government of many schoolmasters (among the many of the older men who might have been the "Mr Chips" of this war) for skilled mathematical and scientific work, has made it difficult for public schools to find masters to fill

lic schools to find masters to fill their vacancies. The headmaster of Harrow, Mr Churchill's old school, has already engaged one woman, and intends to take on others as more masters are

called up. Eton and Oundle also have women teaching now. More women, too, are teaching in secondary schools, and local education authorities have no hesitation in bringing in women to replace the masters who have gone,

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Public Accountant.

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# Daily Mail

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1941.

### THE FAITHFUL SERVANT

The enigmatic character of Rudolf Hess continues to occupy the centre of the world stage. Nothing in the lurid course of the present war has aroused so much interest as the deputy Fuhrer's flight to Scotland—an incident which belongs by rights in a John Buchan romance instead of in the sequence of events which began in September, 1939.

At the moment there is a strong tendency to stress the career of Rudolf Hess as a Nazi leader, with all that that implies in the way of ruthlessness and cold-blooded brutality. This is a logical reaction from the hope, which came to light when Hess was found injured in a Scottish field, that this escapee from the inner circle of Nazism might make some world-shaking revelation which would lead to the early fall of the Third Reich.

Herr Hess could probably make a great many revelations which would be welcomed by the British Government, and he may do so, but this does not alter the fact that until a few days ago he was what the B.B.C. calls "Germany's No. 3," or that he is anything more than "a Nazi who saw the writing on the wall and got out while the going was good."

Hess has always been one of Hitler's attendant shadows. "When Goering after the murder of Schleicher underwent a temporary period of severe unpopularity, Hess-had he been bold and assertive enough-might have taken his position, wrote John Gunther, describing the "other little Hitlers" in "Inside Europe." "But the talents of Hess lie otherwise. He is a private secretary par excellence, the watchdog, the faithful servant, and little more. Hess, like so many others, was converted to Hitlerism on first hearing the leader speak; like Goering and Ley, he was a flying officer in the war. He was the first 'gentleman' to join the Nazi Party. . .

At the outbreak of the present war, Hitler named Hess, after Goering, as his successor. The German Government now asks the world to believe that Hitler chose as a possible supreme leader of the Reich a man whom he knew to be suffering from a progressive mental disease, but one of the principal reasons why the outside world has rejected the insanity theory as an explanation for Hess's flight from Germany is the fact that his utterances have invariably been calmer and more reasonable than those of the other Nazi leaders. They have never been marked by the neurotic strain which has become increasingly noticeable in any speech made by Hitler himself, and it is this which, perhaps more than anything else, must be bewildering the German people to-day.

The best that can be said of Rudolf Hess is that he is the only Nazi leader who has not sought personal advantages and that his advancement has been due to a selfless, if inexplicable, devotion to the Fuhrer. None of the many stories now in circulation about the vast private fortunes accumulated abroad by the chiefs of the Nazi State have touched him; nor has his private life ever given rise to scandal. As a prominent Nazi he offers little scope for whitewashing, but at least it can be said that he is the only member of the inner circle of the gangsters who might have appealed to the saner elements of German society in the event of a party split threatening ultimate disintegration. The most encouraging feature of the Hess episode is the hint it gives—as yet, unfortunately, it is no more than a hint-that that split is under

way.

The Nazis have two great forces to contend with inside the structure of Germany. The first is made up of the ordinary German citizens who, after years of regimentation, are feeling the pinch of war. The German victories of the Continent, spectacular as they have been on paper, have brought only limited and temporary benefits to the German people. Blind acceptance of the Nazi creed and implicit belief in the infallibility of the Fuhrer and his officers have so far carried the German nation along a thorny path, but the defection of Hess, if it has done nothing else, has revealed a fault in the structure of Nazism.

The second great force in German life is the Army which accepted the Nazi dictatorship only because nothing better was offering. It was Nazism and not the German Army, which precipitated the present war, but now it is the Army which keeps Nazism in its place. Whatever his motives, Hess has given the Nazis, the

people and the Armyoa pretty problem to settle among

### Personal

Mr R. Peers, Hastings, left yester-day for service with the Fleet Air

Mr N. P. Thacker, manager of the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, has resum-ed duties after relieving for a fort-night at the Mayfair and Regent Theatres, Napier.

Mr Leo Nathan, Invercargill, has arrived in Napler on a short visit to the district. He will leave Hastings this morning for Trentham Military Camp. Mr A. T. Carroll, chairman of the

Wairoa County Council, was appointed the council's representative on the No. 5 District Highways Council, at the monthly meeting of

Dr. J. K. O'Dea, medical superintendent of the Pukeora Sanatorium, was drawn in the last ballot for overseas army service, but the Waipawa Hospital Board, at its monthly meeting, decided to lodge an appeal.

### AT THE HOTELS

Mr and Mrs W. Smeaton (Devonport), Mr A. Mitchell, Mr J. Dynes, Mr and Mrs W. Jones, Mr Clayden (Wellington), Mr A. C. Randerson, Miss E. Robinson (Rotorua), Mr C. R. Sainsbury, Mr and Mrs Robinson (Wairoa), Mr and Mrs Coleman, Miss J. Musgrave (Gisborne), Mr J. Cuthbertson (Takapau) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mrs Price, Mr and Mrs Nearn, Mr and Mrs Lamb, Mr Taylor, Mr Campbell, Mr Washe, Mr Renny (Wellington) are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

Mr R. Hislop, Mr Tansley, Mr and Mrs N. Lawn, Mr W. W. Percival, Mr H. W. Duncan, Mrs Bruce Rennie, Miss Joan Watson (Wellington), Mr A. L. McLean, Mr V. Godward, Mr and Mrs J. Johnson (Auckland), Mr A. R. Perry, Mr H. Solomon (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs H. D. Reid, Mrs H. Butcher (Masterton), Mrs M. E. Hamilton (Bournemouth), Lieutenant Colonel J. G. Nolan (Gisborne), Mr M. A. Conway, Mrs Thompson (Feilding), Mr G. Stevens (Palmerston North), Mrs David Walker (Hastings), Miss N. Butler, Miss E. Butler (Waipawa) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier. Masonic Hotel, Napier.

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F. H. Statham, Mr R. Hepburn Dick,
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These measures are being undertaken purely as a precautionary

Since the blackout regulations

Since the blackout regulations were introduced some weeks ago, the hospital authorities have done much in order to conform with the measure and the blaze of lights which formerly indicated the institution has almost vanished.

It is understood that the proposals were discussed at conference at the hospital yesterday, which was attended by the Area Staff Officer (Major A. N. Oakey), the District Engineer of the Public Works Department (Mr A. Dinnie), Medical Officer of Health (Dr. Duncan Cook), and the Medical Superintendent (Dr. J. J. Foley).

### Still In Good Spirits

DOMINION TROOPS

Detachment Back In Egypt

By Telegraph—Press Association
WELLINGTON, May 15.
The following message to the people of New Zealand from the brigadier commanding the divisional troops in Egypt has been received by the Director of Publicity from the N.Z.E.F. official news service in Cairo dated Tuesday:—
"The New Zealand Division has returned from the brief campaign in Greece with their heads held high and their honour untarnished. Throughout the days of fighting rearguard actions, the division on every occasion held its position for the time stipulated, inflicting hard knocks on the enemy.

Difficult Withdrawal

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of valuable equipment.

"Now they are hard at work, cheerful and confident and preparing for whatever further tasks they

### Local & General Easing Scarcity HAWKE'S BAY

Grave Support

"There are 4000 electors on the Hastings roll, including 400 dead ones," declared Mr H. Ian Simson addressing electors last night. "I am sure that if the dead ones were able they would vote for me."

### "Painted" Street Lights

First steps in the renewed effort to reduce the sky glow over Hastings were taken yesterday when light bulbs in some streets in the town were replaced with the black-painted variety desired to painted variety designed to direct a beam of light downwards only.

### Tribute Paid

A fitting tribute to the work of the late Mr Cecil Duff was that the outpatients' block at the Memorial Hospital should be named after him, said Mr H. V. Hoadley, Hospital Board member, at a meeting in Hastings last night. He described Mr Duff as "the man who got the Memorial Hospital established for Hastings."

Large Land Sale The Langdon Estate on the Tuki Tuki road, Haumoana, has changed hands in one of the biggest land hands in one of the biggest land transactions in recent years. The price paid has not been revealed, but it is understood that it was satisfactory to both parties. The property is 370 acres of good lambfattening hill country combined with rich river flats for dairying, and was sold through the land department of Messrs. McGlashan, Ltd., Napier.

### Lodge Meeting

N.G. Brother J. W. Laws presided over a good attendance of members of the Napier Lodge of the Man-chester Unity Independent Order of chester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows at the fortnightly meeting. Degrees were conferred upon several of the members by Lecture Master Brother J. S. Tonkin, who was congratulated by the members of the Lodge for the manner in which he carried out his duties. The election of officers for the ensuing term will be held next lodge night, which is the half-yearly summoned meeting. The following have been meeting. The following have been nominated: N.G., Sister I. M. Bonnor; V.G., P.G. Sister Hesp, P.G.'s Brothers F. Payne and H. Pottle; E.S., Brother L. Sweeney.

### Home Guard Feat

Ever since the Home Guard was formed in Napier under the direction of its Area Commander (Lieutenant J. W. Snaddon) toward the end of last year, it has steadily followed a course which will soon make it a valuable adjunct to the regular forces defending the Dominion. This is instanced by the success of an ambitious night signalling experiment carried out by the Napier and Mohaka units over a distance of 31 miles. Messages were freely exchanged by both units and the Napier men had little difficulty in reading the signals flashed from Morea in the Marian of the Morea of the signals flashed from Morea of the Marian of the State of the signals flashed from Morea of the Marian of the State of the signals flashed from Morea of the signal flashed fl Ever since the Home Guard was reading the signals flashed from Mohaka. The officer in charge of the operation (Lieutenant C. J. Bagley) has expressed himself as being well satisfied with the results.

### U.S. 'Planes in N.Z.

The Minister of Defence (the Hon. F. Jones) states that during the past month a number of Harvards and Hudsons have arrived in the Dominion from the United States. The Visitors to the Napier Public Hospital may soon be confronted with a spectacle that is witnessed daily by the people of London. It is reliably understood that the Government has formulated plans for the defence of the institution which include sandbagging.

Dainty gold models in exquisite designs, complete with bracelets, each watch so perfectly made that it will give years of satisfaction, these are features of McClurgs latest display of Ladies Watches. Why not make that promised gift a watch, why not visit McClurgs to-day? McClurgs Ltd., the oldest established jewellers in Hawke's Bay. A call at McClurgs is always an investment.\*

# Breakfast Table

A punctual woman is one who arrives twenty minutes late to meet another woman who is half an hour

Teacher: "Robert, what are you going to do when you grow up?"
Robert: "I'm going to be a grand-father and just sit around telling everybody how cold the winters were when I was a boy."

Boss: "You are twenty minutes late again. Don't you know what time we start work at this factory?"

New Employee: "No, sir, they're always at it when I get here."

Struck by the notice "Iron Sinks" in a shop window, a wag went inside and said he was perfectly aware of the fact that "iron sinks."

Alive to the occasion, the smart shopkeeper retaliated.

"Yes, and times flies, but wine vaults, sulphur springs, jelly rolls, grass slopes, music stands, Niagara Falls, moonlight walks, sheep run, Kent hops and holiday trips, bed spreads, standard weights, India rubber tyres, organ stops, trade returns and—"

But the visitor had bolted. After collecting his thoughts he returned and, showing his head at the doorway, shouted:

"Yes, I know, and marble busts."

The "West of England" has faced

"Breaking off actions at nightfall when ordered to do so, it completed long and arduous withdrawals under cover of darkness to fresh positions, from where they fought once more.

"Finally, the men reached the embarkation beaches in orderly, disciplined units, retaining all their arms and equipment except the heavy guns, which perforce had to be destroyed, every man carrying, in addition to his arms, some item of valuable equipment.

The "West of England" has faced up to fierce bombardment. There has been much damage, but the mills producing those wonderful suitings, for which England is world famous, are still pouring from their looms an unabated flood. Parkers always imported direct, and are therefore, in these times of restrictions, one of the few firms still able to do so. Ladies will be particularly interested as tailored controlled to the co

To Correspondent ing for whatever further tasks toy may be called upon to undertake."

"B.B.: The "Daily Mail" cannot publish letters referring to correspondence in another newspaper.

# Of Tyres

ADDITIONAL IMPORTS

Government Permission Granted

### SCHEDULE AMENDED

In the endeavour to overcome the carcity of motor tyres and tubes, further importations are to be permitted by the Government. There are also to be increases in respect of chassis of large trucks and buses. of chassis of large trucks and buses.

When the import schedule for 1941 was first announced there was a 25 per cent. cut on supplies of motor tyres and tubes from the United Kingdom, based on 1938 imports from Britain. A ban was imposed on other sources of supply, but it was stipulated that licences to import from the United Kingdom might be granted to the extent of 75 per cent. of 1938 imports from other British countries.

Additional Allocation

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Subsequently it was directed that 25 per cent. of the United Kingdom allocation might be spread to other British sources. At the end of last month importers were advised that an additional allocation would be granted to the extent of 25 per cent. of the value from all sources in 1938. Imports under this concession would be granted from the United Kingdom or other British countries at the importer's discretion.

The further concession announced is for an additional 25 per cent, of the 1938 imports from all sources, such allocations to be available for imports from the United Kingdom and Australia only at the discretion of importers.

Chassis Importations. Hitherto licences were granted for the importation of unassembled chassis of 30cwt. or over for trucks and motor buses, according to allocations unspecified in the importation of the carries of the car cations unspecified in the import schedule and at the discretion of the Customs Department. It is announced that, inclusive of any allocation already made, licences will be granted up to the 1938 values of imports. The licences will be available to importers from any source, but if chassis are obtainable from Can-

### CONFIDENCE IN MR SEMPLE

ada they must be purchased there rather than from the United States.

Resolution By Labour Branch

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, May 15. WELLINGTON, May 15.

Following an address at a recent meeting, the Wellington East branch of the New Zealand Labour Party unanimously expressed satisfaction at the stewardship of the Minister of National Service (the Hon. R. Semple) and reaffirmed undivided confidence in him as member for the district and a member of Cabthe district and a member of Cab-inet to carry on in the future what-ever it might bring.

### MR SEMPLE TO GO TO AUSTRALIA

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 15. A brief announcement concerning a projected visit to Australia by the Minister of National Service and Transport (the Hon. R. Semple) was made to-day by the acting Prime Minister (the Hon. W. Nash).

The Government, said Mr Nash, was making arrangements for a visit by Mr Semple to Australia in connection with the supply of munitions.

The first wet hose drill was carried out at the Hastings Fire Station last night by the recently-formed Auxiliary Fire Service. The men soon mastered the art of handing the heavy hoses.

# WEATHER

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

Following is the Daily Mail's special precast for the Hawke's Bay area: Winds: Moderate westerly. Weather: Fair with moderate tem-

### NAPIER WEATHER

Seas: Moderate.

Meteorological readings taken ves-terday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the

Hutton) are as follows:-	3
Wet bulb temp.  Maximum temp.  Minimum temp.  6  1ft. underground  5  3ft. underground  5  Sun  Cloud  Wind  Rain  Visibility	7.5deg. 9.8deg. 8.5deg. 1.2deg. 7.5deg. 5.0deg. 8.5hrs. 6 N.E.3. Nil 5

Meteorological readings taken yes-terday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Mag-netic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:— | Dry bulb temp. | 55.0deg | Wet bulb temp. | 55.0deg | Maximum temp. | 67.0deg | Minimum temp. | 39.0deg | Ift. underground | 54.0deg | Grass | 33.0deg | Rain | Wind | S.W.2 | Cloud | 5 | Rain for month | 2.29in.

### DOMINION FORECAST

Seas—New Zealand waters: Rough at times south of Nugget Point. Elsewhere slight or moderate. Eastern Tasman Sea: Moderate and variable winds in the northern portion with moderate seas. Fresh to strong winds from a westerly quarter in the south with rather rough seas.

Wether: Scattered showers develop-ing in Westland and Southland and later in Otago. Elsewhere fair to fine. Cool to moderate temperatures.

### To-day's Diary

"Bank Dick," and "The Dark Command," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.
"They Knew What they Wanted."
State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Third Finger, Left Hand," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Elephant Boy," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

The Theatres:

"The Trail of the Vigilantes,"
Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Where's That Fire," State, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Murder in the Air," and "Frontier Town," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

### WARMTH & COMFORT ENJOY THEM THIS WINTER AT WESTERMAN'S FAMOUS LOW PRICES!

Stout tickings, damask and striped designs. Scientificially built with finest Samarang and Prime Estate Kapok. Strongly tufted and finished with firm square machine-rolled edge.

Price: Single Bed 45/6, 49/6, 59/6 to 87/6

Prices: Single Bed 35/6 Double Bed 55/6

Double Bed 39/6 Replacement Value 55/-

Prices: Single Bed 49/6, 57/6, 69/6, 75/- to £6/10/-Double Bed 49/6, 67/6, 79/6, 89/6, 97/6 to £8/19/6

Soft and downy. Covered in brocade, damask and striped tickings. Prices: 2/11, 3/11, 4/6 to 8/6 each



### HASTINGS WEATHER

Winds: Moderate southerlies over the northern half of the North Island. Elsewhere moderate to fresh westerlies predominating at first but a change to strong south-westerlies still possible in the far south after about 12 hours.

HASTINGS

NAPIER

UNRIVALLED VALUES

MATTRESSES

Double Bed 55/6, 67/6, 79/6 to £6/10/-OVERLAY MATTRESSES Covered in strong suede-finished tickings.

SPECIAL "COMFELT" MATTRESSES Limited number only. Sanitary dustproof striped ticking. Prices: Single Bed 29/6 Replacement Value 45/-

BLANKETS

All pure N.Z. Wool. Wide range of makes and qualities.

Prices: Single Bed 35/6, 45/6, 49/6, 67/6 pair

Double Bed 42/6, 45/6, 47/6, 63/-, 76/- pair BEAUTIFUL DOWN QUILTS Light and cosy. A wonderful range. Lovely designs and coverings; brocades, taffetas, crepe satins and poults. Warmth without

PAISLEY DOWN QUILTS Fine English Paisley cambric and sateen coverings. Light and healthy and most serviceable.

Prices: Single Bed 39/6, 45/6 and 49/6 Double Bed 45/6, 49/6 to 79/6



### HESS'S HOPE OF PEACE

## ATTEMPT TO CONTACT

PLANNED LANDING

"Actuated By Humane Principles"

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It is now known that Hess had made plans to land on the estate of the Duke of Hamilton, whom he hoped to meet. The duke, is, however, on active service with the Royal Air Force.

The duke's estate is ringed in blue percil on the map which Hess had in his possession. When he landed, he immediately asked the way to Dungavel, the duke's estate, and he seemed most anxious to get there

Documents Left

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The German version of the Hess episode has undergone further modifications (says a British Official Wireless message). The latest version of the incident declares that documents left by Hess revealed the real motives of his escapade. He is now stated to have embarked on his flight with the intention of effecting a meeting with the Duke of Hamilton, an eminent sportsman, with whom he made an acquaintance during the 1936 Olympic Games in Berlin, with the purpose of preparing the ground for a German-British understanding.

This newly-authorised German version of Hess's intentions affords further circumstantial evidence that the escape was carefully premeditated. It is to be remembered that Hess was leaving Germany under very extraordinary circumstances and admittedly contrary to authority. By so doing he was clearly running a grave personal peril. It should therefore have been a perfectly understandable course for him to leave behind letters which would have put an innocent construction on his action.

Return to Fatherland

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In the German account, it is stated that Hess entertained the idea that he could return again to Germany after a short time when he had fulfilled his mission of rapprochement. Even the German report characterises such an idea as rapprochement. Even the German report characterises such an idea as absurd. As a prisoner of war, he would have known that such liberty would have been out of the question. Indeed, if any such idea had been entertained, it would indicate a certain lack of mental balance entirely contrary to the now established fact that Hess is sane. Meanwhile, Hess remains in hospital, where he has had several interviews with a representative of the British Foreign Office, and reports of these conversations have been referred to the appropriate authorities.

Hess is reported to have said, while in hospital, that he was fed up with the war and with conditions in Germany, and he described the great distress there following the bombing by the Royal Air Force. He is re-

by the Royal Air Force. He is re-ported to have said that he had in-formation in his possession which would help to overthrow the tyran-nical Nazi vogiment.

### Saw No Hope Of Victory

BRITISH BROADCAST Hess Used As Bait For Listeners

MANY TUNE IN

LONDON, May 14.

News bulletins using Hess as "bait" are being broadcast in German from London every hour. The bulletins emphasise the fact that Hess five months ago promised the Germans peace in 1941 and went to England because he saw no hope of a German victory. The bulletins also point out that the extra petrol tank fitted to Hess's 'plane proves that he must have had ready helpers in his escape.

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Frontier reports tell of the great interest being taken in the occupied territories in the British broadcasts. The local residents pass on the British news to the bewildered German convicions.

arrisons.

A decree has been issued in Germany that all sothsayers, crystalgazers, fortune-tellers, and palmists shall be forbidden to appear on any German stage. This recalls the statement made yesterday by the German radio that Hess had lately been consulting astrologers and fortune-tellers.

### REFUGEE WHO KNEW HESS

Early Difficulties

By Telegraph—Press Association
DUNEDIN, May 15.

A German refugee living in Dunedin who knew Rudolf Hess states that the latter was very poor after the last war, and lived with his fiancee's father, Herr Horn, this perhaps accounting for the name he gave when he landed in Scotland.

With the growth of the Nazi Party, Hess became a very rich man and built a great castle high in the mountains, stating to Hiller that his desire was to live and die in such a peaceful scene, to which Hitler redesire was to live and die in such a peaceful scene, to which Hitler replied: "No, my friend, you and I are not destined to die like other men in their beds. We cannot tell how or when we will die, but our deaths won't be peaceful."

The refugee also said that Hess and not Goering coined the phrase "guns before butter."

### **NEILING SENTENCED** TO GAOL FOR LIFE

### Manslaughter Verdict In Horton Murder Charge

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) WELLINGTON, May 15.

After a retirement of four hours and a half, including a tea adjournment of an hour, the jury in the Supreme Court, Wellington, to-night, returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter against Leonard Neiling, 29, a brushmaker, whose trial for the murder of Marjorie Livingstone Horton was commenced on Monday.

The Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers) sentenced Neiling

to imprisonment for life.

seemed most anxious to get there quickly.

Though the Germans had stated previously that papers left behind by Hess would not be made public, they are now saying that these papers show that he set out to see the Duke of Hamilton, whom he had met before the war, his object being to bring about a peace settlement between Germany and Britain.

It appears that Hess wrote to the duke some months ago, but the duke some mediately placed the letter in the hands of the Government, and no reply was received by Hess.

The Germans say that Hess was actuated by humane principles. He was still a good German and Nationalist Socialist.

Documents Left

Thave this to say, I am innocent of the charge."

"I feel," said the prisoner's senior counsel (Mr W. E. Leicester) "that though the prisoner has made that observation, as counsel for the defence I should say this: The defe

Previous Conviction
Upon his Honour's asking for information about the conviction for assault on a female recorded against the prisoner in 1938, Mr T. P. McCarthy, junior counsel for the prisoner, who had also appeared for the prisoner on that occasion, said that a drunken brawl took place in Petone and during the struggle Miss Rangiwhetu, who had given evidence on the murder charge, was hit.

When the jury announced its verdict at 9.8 p.m. and the prisoner was asked if he had anything to say as to why the sentence should not be passed, he said:

"I have this to say. I am innocent of the charge."

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"Brutal Crime" "The way in which you knocked this woman about and then raped her—knocked her about in such a way as to cause her death—these acts, as I say, constitute a vile, brutal crime

brutal crime.

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"The sentence of the court is that you be imprisoned and kept at hard labour for life."

After the prisoner had left the dock his Honour explained to the jury that the sentence did not mean that the prisoner would remain in prison for life. It would depend on himself. If he could, after a certain period, satisfy the Prisons Board that he was safe to be at large they would act accordingly, but in the meantime he had a duty to protect the public from men of that kind.

Jury's Retirement

the prisoner on that occasion, said that a drunken brawl took place in Petone and during the struggle Miss Rangiwhetu, who had given evidence on the murder charge, was hit.

"You have been found guilty of a vile, sordid, brutal offence," said his Honour to the prisoner, "and you have been convicted upon evidence which the jury have regarded as conclusive, and I share that view. They have taken a merciful view of the prisoner of the offence at Oriental Bay. They retired to consider the verdict at 4.28 p.m. and returned at 8.24 p.m. to ask the Chief Justice a question about the legal definitions of murder and manslaughter. They returned again at 9 p.m. and received a further direction, and eight minutes later delivered their verdict. Jury's Retirement

Appointment Is

Explained

TRANSPORT APPEALS

Sir Francis Frazer's

Position

ADVISER TO MINISTER

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, May 15. The Minister of Transport (the

understanding concerning the ap-

pointment of Sir Francis Frazer as

adviser to the Minister in dealing

with appeals under the transport

"The present arrangement is purely temporary, pending consideration of the necessary amending legislation by Parliament. I feel also that I should make it clear that when I stated my intention of relinquishing my duties as appeal authority, the road transport industry went out of its way to express

ry went out of its way to express ts confidence in me and urged me

### Appeal Routine Altered

OBJECTORS' CASES

Medical Examination First

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, May 15.

The Minister of National Service (the Hon. R. Semple) in a statement to-day regarding conscientious objectors said that in future it was understanding concerning the apintended to call these men in for medical examination in the ordinary course without waiting, as in the past, until after the hearing of their

past, until after the hearing of their appeals.

The Minister pointed out that where a man is found permanently medically unfit (Grade IV.) appeals are struck out as the man is then transferred to the third division; and that where a man's grading is C3 appeals are adjourned sine die, as no requirement is at present imposed on such men in respect either of military service.

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On the Neghelli-Dale road, the pursuit of the enemy is continuing. In an action on May 12 with the enemy rearguard, which was driven by the enemy rearguard which was driven by the enemy rearguard which was driven by the enemy rearguard which was driven by the enemy is continuing. In an action on May 12 with the enemy rearguard, which was driven by the enemy is continuing. In an action on May 12 with the enemy rearguard, which was driven by the enemy rearguard, which was driven by the enemy is continuing. In an action on May 12 with the enemy rearguard, which was driven by the enemy is co

the Minister explained that nevspect of conscientious objectors.

Saving Preparation

The Minister added that attendance for medical examination will in no way prejudice the hearing of appeals, but will save many men the necessity for preparing their cases and of attendance before the boards. It is intended that this procedure will be adopted in respect of men called in the recent overseas ballot gazetted on May 7 and in all subsequent ballots.

The Minister explained that nevertheless he still proposed to take the first opportunity of introducing into intended that nevertheless he still proposed to take the first opportunity of introducing the necessary legislation and in the meantime would give the very greatest weight to the advice tendered him by Sir Francis Frazer on any appeal.

"I want to make this clear," said Mr Semple, "because certain pections of the Press seem to have the impression that I intend to carry on permanently as the appeal authority. I have no such intention.

"Purely Temporary"

"The present arrangement is purely temporary, pending consid-

### Army Of Nile On The Initiative

THRUST AT SOLLUM

Mechanised Forces Press Attack

BLAZING HEAT

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LONDON, May 15.

The British have taken the initiative in the Western Desert after the failure of the Germans' five-pronged thrust. Our mechanised forces are pressing home attacks in the Sollum area, harassing enemy columns around Tobruk.

The opinion is expressed in Cairo that the German thrust was designed to disorganise the growing British armoured patrol tactics.

The blazing heat is still increasing and is likely to militate against

and is likely to militate against widespread operations.

WANGANUI WOMAN'S OTH BIRTHDAY

Congratulatory Cable

From King

She received a congratulatory cable from King George, telegrams from the Governor-General (Sir Cyril Newall) and Lady Newall, the acting-Prime Minister (the Hon. W. Nash), also from the mayor, City Council, and citizens of Wanganui. She has four children, 25 grand-children and several great grand-children. She enjoyed the best of health till an accident confined her to a nursing home some months ago.

### SOUP ANZAC PRISONERS

OF WAR

DIET OF RICE AND

CAMP AT CORINTH

Soon To Be Moved To Germany

United Press Association—Copyright (Received May 15, 10.45 p.m.) LONDON, May 15. The British United Press learns

from a neutral correspondent that British and Anzac prisoners of war at Corinth are not getting enough to eat. The group stated that within four days they had received only a little rice and soup.

The camp commandant admitted that the food conditions are bad because of a shortage throughout Peloponnesus, but this, he said, was emporary and the prisoners would oon be transferred to Germany. In addition to British and Anzacs, the Corinth camp accommodates 1000 Jewish labour battalion members, some refugees from Germany, four Yugoslav generals and 1000 Yugoslav officers and men,

### HARRIED BY BRITISH **PATROLS**

Germans At Sollum

PUSHED BACK TO OLD **POSITIONS** 

Limited Offensive

British omcial Wireless (Received May 15, 6 p.m.) RUGBY, May 14. In the Sollum area on the Egyp-

In the Sollum area on the Egyptian frontier, where the Axis forces early this week were repulsed by British tank forces while attempting a reconnaissance in force, the enemy have again withdrawn to their original positions south and west of Sollum. Here they are being continuously harried by British mechanised patrols.

This fact is related in to-day's communique from British General Headquarters at Cairo.

Tanks Destroyed

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The communique also says that during a limited offensive operation carried out by British troops from Tobruk, two German medium tanks were destroyed and many casualties were inflicted on the enemy. In Abyssinia, despite road obstructions and other physical difficulties, the two British forces converging on the Italian stronghold of Amba Alagi are making satisfactory Amba Alagi are making satisfactory

progress.

In the Lakes area south of Addis Ababa, further success has been gained by the capture of a stronglydefended enemy position. The pris-oners taken number 500, together with two batteries of artillery, five light tanks, and one anti-tank gun. British troops have also occupied

"I was unable to agree with this, as my position in holding the office of Minister of Railways would have been an invidious one and untenable."

### Only Smaller Prizes

HAWKE'S BAY AREA "Put And Take" Art

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 15. The following is the result of the Put and Take" Art Union:

First prize, £2000, 165,662, "Veteran," Mount Roskill, Auckland. Second prize, £500, 31892, Wayne, 29 Nelson Street, Wanganui. Third prize, £250, 178,577, "Air

Raid," Dunedin. Fourth prize, £150, '173,600' Wouldn't Mind It," Christchurch.

"Wouldn't Mind It," Christchurch.
Fifth prize, £100, 176,828, "Our
Nest Egg," Caversham, Dunedin.
The following smaller prizes went
to Hawke's Bay:
£10 prizes—96,617, Two Mugs, 410
Hastings Street, Hastings; 17,444,
Take All, Napier; 158,693, Put and
Take, Hastings; 159,761, Put and
Take, Hastings; 159,761, Put and
Take All, Napier.
£5 prizes.—158,992, Dad, 313 Prospect Road, Hastings; 156,116 Mohakite, Mohaka; 157,389, Blue Moon,
Hastings; 159,690, Beer, Hastings;
159,576, Lucky Last, Napier.

### Octogenarian's Luck

ART UNION WINNER

Inmate Of Veterans' Home

NO PLANS YET

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, May 15. The winner of the first prize of £2000 in the "Put and Take" art union is Mr R. H. Brown, 82, who has no relatives in New Zealand and lives at the Veterans' Home, Mount

Giving a false age, he enlisted with the Royal Army Ordnance Corps in the Great War and served

for three years.

Mr Brown did not realise his Mr Brown did not realise his good fortune until some time after he had read that the pseudonym "Veteran" was on the winning ticket. All the inmates of the home had decided that it must be one of their number who had drawn the first prize, but it was not until they had aliminated everywhody but one had eliminated everybody but one of the veterans who was out that Mr Brown suddenly realised that

the winning ticket was his.

Greatly delighted with his luck, and firmly expressing the intention of "shouting" for his companions in the home, Mr Brown said he had still to decide what he was going to do with the money.

One of his hopes was that he might be able to find his son, whom he had last heard of as being in a ship on the Indian run, and bring him to New Zealand.

### Trained Defence Workers

AUSTRALIA'S NEED

next Christmas. Unless the bottlenot more than 6000 skilled or semi-skilled men can be trained in that period. Existing methods of training would require over four years to make available 40,000 newly-trained men with semi-skilled qualifications.

The question was raised by Mr W. C. Dalley, who said that soon the Home Guard would be in uniform, and that eventually very few persons would be eligible to pay the admission charges.

Not Arm Bands

Although the war has been in pro-Although the war has been in progress for almost 20 months, the Department of Labour only now has "under discussion" a plan to speed up training by specialisation. Until and unless the new plan is put into effect, trainees can be made available only at the rate of 400 to 420 a month. Specialised training of men for war industries will cut by 50 per cent, the time required for men to

(Received May 15, 6 p.m.)
LONDON, May 14.

Mr Churchill is expected to make a statement to-morrow which will throw some light on the flight of Rudolf Hess, Hitler's deputy, to Scotland.

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### FATAL AIR COLLISION AT SEA NEAR CAPE CAMPBELL

### One R.N.Z.A.F. Pilot Killed: Machine Virtually Cut In Half

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) WELLINGTON, May 15.

It was officially announced at Wellington to-night that a collision had occurred about 3 p.m. to-day between two aircraft of the R.N.Z.A.F. station at Blenheim while practising

formation flying. The collision occurred a little distance out to sea between White Bluff and the Awatere River mouth, northwest of Cape

One 'plane, piloted by Leading Aircraftman Alec Haigh, whose father is Mr Arthur Haigh, Greytown, fell into the sea, but no trace could be found of the pilot and it must be presumed that he is dead, although floating wreckage was located shortly afterwards by an R.N.Z.A.F. launch which happened to be proceeding through Cook Strait.

The other machine, piloted by Leading Aircraftman John Joseph Fox, whose wife is Mrs Patricia Fox, Wellington, made a forced landing on the beach.

The pilot was admitted to the Wairau Hospital suffering from slight wounds and abrasions. His condition is not serious.

No details are yet available, but it appears that two of three 'planes flying in formation collided, and that the aircraft piloted by Leading Aircraftman Haigh was practically cut in half.

cut in half.

A court of inquiry will be held.

### TIME BOMB IN FLEET STREET

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LONDON, May 15.

It can now be revealed that a big time-bomb came down in Fleet Street in a recent raid a few yards from the Australian Associated Press Office which, with the neighbouring buildings, was temporarily evacuated

It was stated in Canberra that the Commonwealth requires a further 40,000 men for war industries before 40,000 men for war industries before

question was raised by Mr V

Not Arm Bands "You don't mean arm bands?" asked Mr A. E. McPhail, amid

Another member remarked that many members of the Air Force ground staff, who would not be going overseas, were earning better

wages than they would in civil life.
Mr J. N. Clarke: They are doing
their bit, nevertheless.
Members of the National Reserve
and the Home Guard were forbidden to use their uniforms to get into sports meetings and entertainments free, said Mr R. W. Blazey.
"I don't think many men will abuse the use of the uniform," said

another member.

### Latest Casualty List

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N.Z.E.F. And Air

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, May 15. The following additional casualties among members of the Second N.Z.E.F. are reported (rank private unless otherwise indicated):— Killed in Action

Laurence Brian Bosworth. Father:
Mr L. A. Bosworth, Opunake.
Herbert Henry Burgess. Mother:
Mrs L. Burgess, Mangamaire,

wife: Mrs A. D. Dring, Master-

ton.

Sergeant Thomas Logie. Wife: Mrs
C. D. Logie, Lower Hutt.
John O'Brien, Mother: Mrs Putu
O'Brien, Te Puke.

Lance-Corporal Allen Edward
O'Neill. Father: Mr E. H.
O'Neill, Temuka.

Lance-Corporal George Murray
Sandiford. Father: Mr G, V, H.
Sandiford, Waitotara.
John Ross Tustin. Mother: Mrs A.
M. Tustin, Wellington.

Douglas Wilson. Wife: Mrs M.
Wilson, Wellington.

Prisoner of War

land.

Sergeant Douglas Gordon Dillon.

Mother: Mrs E. A. Dillon, Otane.

Douglas Lloyd George. Father: Mr

A. George, Moturoa.

Driver Arthur William Hearn.

Mother: Mrs Eliza Hearn,

Waihi.

William Arthur Johnson Driver

Charles Stewart Lovett. Brother:
Mr W. J. Lovett, Aramoho.
Corporal Christopher John McCarthy. Wife: Mrs A. E. McCarthy, Auckland. Carthy, Auckland.
Corporal Harold Marshall. Wife:
Mrs H. M. Marshall, Auckland.
Lance-Sergeant Ian Brown Munro.
Brother: Captain A. Munro,
North Head, Auckland.

North Head, Auckland.

George Henry Peacock. Brother:
Mr E. Peacock, Hihitahi.

Charles Adair Pistor. Mother: Mrs
E. Pistor, Gisborne.

Sapper Stanley Barrington, Reitman. Father, Mr A. Reitman,
Thames.

David George William South

David George William Smyth. Mother: Mrs I. K. Smyth, Dunedin.

John James Tregea. Wife: Mrs E.
C. Tregea, Tahuna, Dunedin.

Sapper Roger William Turner. Mrs
N. J. Patrick, Christchurch (relationship not stated).

Sydney Alexander Wright. Father:
Mr W. C. Wright, Mangere.

Mr W. C. Wright, Mangere.

Air Force List

Pilot Officer Norman Mervyn Kebbel Kirkcaldie, R.N.Z.A.F., missing on air operations. Mother:

Mrs N. Kirkcaldie, Wellington.

Sergeant James Clark Cattell,
R.N.Z.A.F., now reclassified missing, believed killed. Mother:

Mrs M. E. Cattell, Karori.

Sergeant Basil Alexander Walker,
R.N.Z.A.F., killed on air operations. Mother: Mrs K. Walker,
39 Cameron Road, Napier.

Sergeant Norman Franklin Dixon,

Sergeant Norman Franklin Dixon, R.N.Z.A.F., killed on air opera-tions. Father: Mr C. Dixon, Invercargill.

PERSONS ENTITLED TO VOTE

To-morrow's Elections

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, May 15. Voting in each case in the municipal elections will be done by marking crosses opposite the names of the candidates selected, states an official explanation just issued.

Those entitled to vote are:— Cities, boroughs and town dis-Cities, boroughs and town districts.—Ratepayers, occupiers, free-holders, State tenants, and those with residential qualifications (husband or wife) or any of these.

Counties.—Ratepayers in their own right, State tenants and holders of miners' rights.

Road, Drainage and River Boards.

Ratepayers and State tenants.

Rabbit Boards.—Ratepayers or stock owners, according to the franchise adopted by the individual boards.

### VICHY DECIDES TO **COLLABORATE**

RETURN FOR GERMAN CONCESSIONS

**UNANIMOUS MOVE** 

Attempt To Forestall U.S. Action

United Press Association—Copyright (Received May 15, 6 p.m.) LONDON, May 14,

France has agreed to further col-aboration with Germany in return or the recent concessions made by for the recent concessions made by Hitler. According to a report issued by the Vichy News Agency, the German demands have been accepted, but the terms have not been disclosed. It is stated, however, that "the effect of the latest negotiations will soon be felt."

It is officially announced in Vichy that the Cabinet decision approving Hitler's requirements was unanimous.

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This decision by the Vichy Government follows a visit paid to Hitler by Admiral Darlan, the French Vice-Premier, earlier this week. General Keitel, head of the Supreme Command of the German armed forces, is stated to have been present at the meeting. ent at the meeting. Avoiding U.S. Action

Avoiding U.S. Action

The Vichy correspondent of the Associated Press says that the French Cabinet's decision will prove a fateful act. Details of Hitler's terms are still not revealed, but some quarters are of the opinion that they amount to co-operation with the Axis in a plan designed to keep the United States out of the war.

war.

It is reported that Admiral Leahy, the United States Ambassador, yesterday warned Marshal Petain against supplying Germany with any military aid. The report says that the warning was given during a 60-minute conference before Admiral Darlan returned from his visit to Hitler.

Diplomatic circles in Vichy be-

Diplomatic circles in Vichy be-lieve that Darlan secured from Hitleve that Darlah secured from Hit-ler an arrangement replacing the armistice, which would liberate Paris and give the Vichy Govern-ment four-fifths of France, but would retain for Germany the coal and iron mines and all the ports of the north and west coasts and all the river-mouths.

IN UNIFORM

Overseas And Home
Guard

Wilson, Wellington.

Douglas Wilson. Wife: Mrs M.
Wilson, Wellington.

Prisoner of War

Reginald Henry Powell. Wife: Mrs M.
Wilson, Wellington.

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E. M. Powell, Hawera.

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Carruth. Wainui, Whangarei.
Captain William Richard Kinmitt

Morrison, Pather: Mr William

Morrison, Auckland.

The authorities are doing their

utmost to break down any distinctions between territorials and men
for overseas," said Captain C. A.
Rattray at the meeting of the management committee of the Cather
bury Rugby Union, when the suggestion was made that only Expeditionary Force men should be admittied free to Rugby matches.

He said Burnham was the only
carritorials and Expeditions

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Commons to-day regarding the
French Government's policy, the
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Willson, Wellington.

Prisoner of War

Reginald Henry Powell. Wife: Mrs M.
E. M. Powell, Hawera.

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Carruth. Mother: Mrs M.
E. A. Pather: Mr William
Morrison, Auckland.

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Mr G. W. Johnson, Lumsden.

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Mrs M. Lambert, or these so-called concessions," the Minister pointed out, "but the agreement was described in Vichy as a ew step along the path of collab-

oration.

"Whatever concessions Admiral Darlan may have agreed to, I find it hard to believe that the French people, helpless though they may be to prevent the systematic spoliation of their resources, will be so false to their noble traditions as to work actively, of their own free will, for the German cause and thus prelong the German cause and thus prolong the period of their own sufferings and postpone the day of their own liberation."

### New Air Service Reports

TRANSTASMAN ROUTE

Excellent Record Of Service

STATISTICS QUOTED

Tasman Empire Airways can point to a very fine record of ser-vice on their activities for the year point to a very line record of service on their activities for the year ended on March 31. Of 134 scheduled trips from Auckland to Sydney and return, they completed 130, averaging 97.01 per cent., which is considered remarkable for an ocean route. The company would have been well satisfied to have recorded 90 per cent. of scheduled runs.

The Aotearoa and the Awarua between them carried a total of 1461 passengers, or 11 a trip on the average. A total of 1180,48 hours were flown, or an average trip of 9.08 hours, with a record trip on March 23 of 6 hours 57 minutes.

The aggregate of miles flown was 174,200, computed on the air-line distance of 1340 miles between Auckland and Sydney, the mile in this calculation being the standard statute mile (1760 yards).

Wide Appreciation

Wide Appreciation That the service is being appreciated by the travelling public is amply demonstrated by the many letters of appreciation received from passengers. A common feature of the letters is the tribute that a flight which was expected to be uncomfortable turned out to be there

Road, Drainage and River Boards.
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Harbour Boards.—Electors with clty, borough, town district or county franchise.

Hospital Boards.—Ditto.
In certain special cases, Road Board electors also have a hospital franchise.

Electric Power Boards.—Electors to recounty franchise.

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The following is a summary of the figures for the year: Passengers carried, 1461; freight carried, 14,448 lb.; mails carried, 77,571lb.; baggage carried, 6139lb.; passenger miles, 1,957,740; freight ton miles, 8644; mail ton miles, 46,402; miles flown, 174,200; trips scheduled, 134; trips completed, 130 or 97.01 per cent.; hours flown, 1180.48,

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RETURN OF BONNY PRINCE RUDOLF

# Outlined

CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS

Hawke's Bay Local Body Elections

CANDIDATES' VIEWS

Details of progress in the county during his period of chairmanship were the subject of an address by Mr C. Lassen, who is again a Hawke's Bay County Council candidate, at a meeting at Stortford Lodge last night. Mr E. Wall was in

Dealing with the policy statement of his opponent in the coming election, Mr Lassen claimed that the County Council was more open in its meetings than any other local body.

Referring to his opponent's move for greater economy, he said that he had striven for this economy through the carrying out of permanent work, such as tar-sealing, bridge construction and drainage work. In this connection, he said, bridge maintenance had been reduced from £300 to £50 annually.

The speaker said that the rates in The speaker said that the rates in his riding had always been amongst the lowest in the county. Rates had increased, he admitted, but this was attributed to increased costs in such directions as award wages. If the directions are award wages. directions as award wages. If re-elected, Mr Lassen said, he was in a position to give back to the rate-payers in lean times his riding's present credit of £5000.

Rivers Board Work

Speaking on Rivers Board work he said that the diversion schemes which had been carried out had proved their worth, and at the same time he gave an assurance that the interests of Hastings in regard to

flood protection were being watched.
Of Hospital Board business, Mr
Lassen said that during his term of
office as chairman he had always
considered hospital accommodation
from the angle of the needs of the from the angle of the needs of the whole area, and not of any particular area. The board, he considered, had done very well both for Napier and Hastings in consolidating the position for future extension.

When the Social Security allowance of 6/- a day was first made for patients the actual cost had been 12/-, and had since increased to 15/-. Mr Lassen expressed the hope that more might be granted from the fund to ease the ratepayers' burden. Quoting figures to prove that

Quoting figures to prove that wages and costs had gone up, he was challenged by a member of the audience on the allegation that increases in staff had contributed to the inverse of the contributed to The speaker concluded by appealing for the return of the board members who had done so much for the sick and needy.

Good Co-operation

In a brief following address the deputy-chairman of the Hospital Board (Mr R. Harding) said that the district was to be congratulated on its representation on the board. buring his term of service he could be the c

on of the main addresses were essrs H. V. Hoadley and J. B. Campbell, both of whom praised the work of Mr Lassen as chairman of the board and urged ratepayers to do their duty by voting at the poll

> TRADES COUNCIL MEETS

E.P.S. Discussion

Considerable discussion on the constitution of the E.P.S. committees in the various districts of the the constitution of the E.P.S. committees in the various districts of the the constitution of the E.P.S. committees in the various districts of the theorem of the implementation of this policy; the conference urges the immediate anouncement of the implementation of this policy; the conference urges the immediate anouncement of the implementation of this policy; the conference urges the immediate anouncement of the implementation of this policy; the connection with the disposal of primary produces decided to a posal of primary produces and Hastings to recommend that the Trades Council be granted present connection with the disposal of primary produces of the council process of the council proces

Latest Wellington Prices

Daily Mail Special Service.
WELLINGTON, May 13.
Messrs Laery and Co., Ltd., Townsend and Paul, Ltd., G. Thomas and Co., Ltd., D. Bowie and Co., Ltd., A. Pope and Co., Ltd., and Turners and Growers (Wellington) Ltd., report Tuesday's values as follows:— (Wellington) Ltd., report Tuesday's values as follows:—
Quinces—4/- to 7/- \frac{2}{-}case.
Grapes—H.H., 1/11 to 3/3 per lb.
Passion Fruit—5/- to 12/6-\frac{1}{2}{-}case.
Grapefruit—N.Z., 16/- to 21/- bushel

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Mr Simson was accorded a unanimous vote of thanks at the conclusion of his address. Mr Duncan McKay was in the chair. Telery—4/- to 7/- case. Rhubarb—3/- to 11/- doz. bunches.

### County Progress N.Z. PRIMARY PRODUCERS' CONFERENCE CONCLUDES

### Representative Gathering At Wellington: Detailed Report

(By Telegraph-Press Association.)

WELLINGTON, May 15.

No Shooting Of

Pukeko

HAWKE'S BAY AREA

Tribute By Late Mr

Guthrie-Smith

INTEREST IN BIRD

Golf On Napier

Links

DRAWS ANNOUNCED

At Waiohiki And

Maraenui

TUI HOCKEY TEAMS

What was probably one of the most important and most representative conferences of primary producers held in New Zealand has concluded its sittings in Wellington.

It was attended by representatives of the New Zealand Meat Producers' Board, the New Zealand Dairy Board, the New Zealand Sheepowners' Federation, the New Zealand Dairy Federation, the Pig Industry Council, the New Zealand Fruitgrowers' Federation, the bobby calf pools, and the New Zealand Farmers' Union.

The conference represented the whole export producing interests of New Zealand and their marketing

The reason for the gathering was a general apprehension in regard to the marketing of primary produce

Information placed before the con-Information placed before the conference indicated that while the position appeared to be somewhat easier than a little while ago, there was still little prospect of being able to market and ship overseas the whole of our production in the 1941-1942 season. 1942 season.

Decisions Wanted

The conference made a close and detailed examination of the stock and storage position and considerand storage position and considerable uneasiness was expressed at the obscurity surrounding the Government's intentions and particularly at its failure to make the important key policy decisions which, it was urged, were absolutely necessary in order to enable producers to make their plans and carry on their normal activities with their farming operations.

"Too Nebulous"

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"Too Nebulous"

The Government statement that if any section of the producers suffered severe loss they would not be required to carry it alone was appreciated, but representatives of all types of production agreed in pointing out that this statement was too nebulous to enable them to make any practical plans in dealing with their production, and they strongly urged that the Government should immediately reduce its general statement to positive terms.

It was stated that if this were not done it would be impossible for farmers to make the necessary provision for the maintenance of their production.

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At Tutira

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Points For Minister

"(1) This conference strongly affirms its adherence to the principle of producer control of the market-

is a Hastings or country member of voted against any proposal for Napier hospital.

Others who spoke at the conclusion of the main addresses were essrs H. V. Hoadley and J. B. Government's taking full responsibility for the payment to primary producers of a price which will maintain the productive capacity of the farms in the interests of the

the farms in the anterior pation;
"(3) The conference recognises that an economic crisis confronts
New Zealand by reason of the expectation that large quantities of exportable produce will be delayed in shipment or may only be disposed of at beauty loss: of at heavy loss;

RIVERS BOARD POLICY CONDEMNED

Mr H. Ian Simson Speaks At Hastings

An audience of about 250 gave an attentive hearing to Mr H. Ian Simson, Hastings mayoralty and Rivers Board candidate, when he gave an address in the Assembly Hall last night. Mr Simson's address was on similar lines to those given at previous meetings, and was well received by the audience

at previous meetings, and was well received by the audience.
The policy of the present Rivers Board was condemned by Mr Simson as being entirely opposed to the interests of the people of the Heretaunga Plains, and he urged that a complete revision of policy be effected immediately.

Mr Simson was accorded a unni-

VOTE Labour-Steel for Napier

# CAMP

MOVEMENT ORDER FOR JUNE 1

> NO. 7 AREA MEN Intensive Training Period

The following lists released by the Area Staff Officer (Major A. N. Oakey) comprise the names of members of the general reserve who are required to proceed to camp for intensive territorial training on June 1:— NAPIER

Banks, O. A.; Barry, D. K.; Bickertaff, G. L.; Derry, E. J. C.; Duignan, E. R.; Edwards, R.; Grice, H. W.; Greenway, B. B.; Hansen, P. F.; Hatwell, C. S.; Hodgetts, R. A.; Hunter, I. L.; ames, I. M.; Jeffares, M. R.; Kay, P.; ancaster, I. J.; Larrington, E. T.; Lavin, A.; Marsh, P. H.; McKay, J. A.; McKin-Ley, M. M. W.; Mooney, R. P.; Mulligan, D.; Neison, W. T.; Nicholas, G. H.; Richards, R. A.; Riddell, A.; Roberts, S. F.; Coberts, F. H.; Robson, W. T.; Savage, G. G.; Simmonds, C. H.; Smith, F.; Smith, A. C.; Stevens, H. L.; Sweeney, W. J. T.; Turnbull, A. D.; Wishart, D. H.; Villiams, J. C.; Wheeler, J.

HASTINGS

Altchlson, B.; Anderson, G. P.; Avery, S.; Bartlett, F. F.; Beswick, R. S.; rady, J. A.; Brittin, A. E.; Brittin, D.; rooker, K. B.; Brunton, D.; Butt, E. B. J.; Clarkson, D. C.; Corby, A. H.; Coughun, T.; Chattaway, W.; Davis, L. C. C.; ewar, A. M.; Duncan, J. L.; Flowers, ; Galyer, C. J.; Guthrie, I. J.; Gibson, ; Gerbes, B. R.; Hislop, J.; Hill, A. K.; Ope, J. A.; Hutton, L. J.; Henderson, J.; itt, R. S.; Lang, L. W.; McCracken, J.; itt, R. S.; Murcock, A.; Msos, D. H.; iurphy, J. E.; Murphy, J. P.; Marshall, J. O'Kane, T. M.; O'Leary, L. N.; Page, J. C. W.; Place, K. R.; Rawlings, C. H.; ussell, J. S.; Rowe, J. C.; Schofield, B.; Short, T. McD.; Smith, S. D.; Shute, O.; Sanders, T. D. R.; Stanley, D. E.; hompson, C.; Weaver, L. L.; Woods, A. HASTINGS

DANNEVIRKE

Shooting of the pukeko, which was permitted in Hawke's Bay last season, is totally prohibited this DANNEVIRKE

Anderson, B. D.; Alquist, G. B.; Adams, W. H.; Adrian, J. F.; Benbow, L.; aker, L. T.; Barton, O. A.; Bentley, D.; Benbow, L. Espanigan, K. L.; aker, L. T.; Barton, O. A.; Bentley, D.; Benbow, L. L.; Brannigan, K. L.; yron, C. B.; Buchanan, R. D.; Cavanagh, H.; Castles, B. J.; Clark, A. M.; Oombs, A. B.; Davis, W.; De Latour, W.; Ilison, E. S.; Farley, J. W.; Fairnie, M.; Fergus, J. N.; Floyd, R. H.; Groves, L.; Groves, G. C.; Gunn, D. J.; Hall, R.; Hansen, B. J.; Howes, H. R. G.; ames, B.; Jensen, N. E.; Jensen, N. E.; Johnson, B.; Lambert, H. L.; Lash, N. L.; Lemberg, H. B.; McIntyre, H. W.; Clntyre, J. B.; McCarthy, J. J.; Meech, A.; Mangin, R. K.; Morris, E. A. C.; Organs, W. E. G.; Murphy, P. D.; Nelm, A. S.; Pedersen, S.; Rasmussen, M.; Ritchie, E. J.; Robertshawe, N. J.; Obinson, T. R.; Ruthven, R. C.; Reid, C.; Riddell, B. G.; Seymour, C. H.; Mith, E. J.; Smith, K. A.; Ouness, V. H.; Stone, D. O.; Swanney, T.; Stewart, R. J.; Thomson, J.; Turer, W. W.; Walsh, P. S. T.; Walker, J.; Willton, R. D.; Wright, L. A.; Wallace, J. A. G. Members of the Forest and Bird Protection Society have for some time asked for a stoppage of the persecution of the pukeko, the beautiful bird which is also known as the swamp-hen. It is claimed, with good reason, that the pukeko has the right to live in its native country.

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Allen, J.; Bell, D. S.; Chatterton, P.; Copley, T.; Carrick, A. W.; Cooper, H.; Deacon, S. O. H.; Dunbar, A.; Belnny, J. S.; Galbraith, L.; Hawkins, W.; Hill, C. T.; Lambert, J.; Low, J.; Civelis, C.; McIntyre, R. D.; McNaughon, J. S.; Moloney, V. W.; Neal, S.; Patrson, O.; Reynolds, Wi; Sainsbury, E.; Shaw, G. A.; Shelton, W. P.; Smith, Shaw, G. A.; Shelton, W. P.; Smith, GISBORNE

Mr H. Guthrie-Smith, was a warm admirer of the pukeko, to which he paid worthy tribute in his book, Birds of the Water, Wood, and Waste." At Tutira he reared one named "Budget," which had been spilt from a nest when it was about two days old.

When "Budget" was about eleven weeks, three new pukeko chicks when "Budget" was about eleven weeks, three new pukeko chicks were brought in by one of the station children, and were given to a broody hen, which took a helpful interest in them. However, the chicks were really adopted by "Budget" which fed them regularly and generously.

Renner, L. J.; Sayers, P. J.

Napier Police Court, on a charge of indecent assault on a male.

Mr C. W. Nash, who appeared for the accused, consented to the remand and asked for bail. He said that his client was well known about the town and was certainly not a "bird of passage."

"There will be a total of seven similar charges preferred against the accused when he is finally dealt with," said Detective Mills. "They are all of a serious nature and I would ask that bail be substantial,"

A candidate for the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board is Mr H. M. Thomp-son, a Main Body returned soldier. Mr Thompson's announcement ap-pears elsewhere in this issue.

The following members have been drawn to play in a stableford competition on the Maraenui links tomorrow; P. K. Peters and F. R. Ashton; C. Sigvertsen and A. W. Gunson; W. Somerset Smith and A. Champion; E. C. Boyes and W. T. Dobson; H. J. Templeton and L. Anderson; R. Duthie and M. Hannan; J. Ritchie and E. H. Carew; T. J. Simmonds and D. McErlich; H. T. Fearn and M. A. Mackenzie; K. O'Halloran and B. A. Franklin; A. Wright and J. McLennan; C. Mangleson and E. J. Gelling; E. N. H. Stewart and C. D. Cox; J. Pegram and F. McParland; H. R. Gasson and J. M. Graham; N. R. Rolls and E. C. Hall; F. J. Bowler and E. K. Lomas; F. I. Faram and H. R. Horsnell; K. McLennan and G. C. Breen; F. R. Watters and H. Jackson; C. Danderson and J. Lothian; F. W. Browne and F. D. Logan; S. Stokes and L. Lord; T. H. Russell and A. Swailes; J. O. Wake and H. B. Lotham. "When tobacco has a very pro-nounced 'bite,' " remarked the cor-oner at a Chicago inquest (or "autopsy," as the Americans say), "It is obvious that it contains too much nicotine, and the habitual use much nicotine, and the habitual use of such tobacco is certainly unwise. It appears that in this case deceased (a house decorator who died while smoking his pipe), was a heavy smoker, sometimes using as much as two ounces of tobacco a day. This tobacco, a sample of which I have analysed, was unusually strong. Its nicotine content was three times as great as it should have been. It gradually affected the heart, and its cumulative effect was undoubtedly the cause of death." Happily New Zealanders run no such risk. Our beautiful New Zealand tobacco is toasted, and this process, necessitating the employment of elaborate machinery and skilled labour) safeguards the mok-The following players will represent Tui Women's Hockey Club to morrow. Teams are requested to be on the ground at 2.15 p.m.:

Green: C. Thompson, T. Smith, O. Christie, G. Smith, J. Eddy, T. Josephs, D. Single, B. Lister, T. Lister, I. Neels, N. Oliver. Red: M. Webster, Robson, N. Eddy, C. Beale, T. Culshaw, I. Williamson, M. Blewman, A. Aplin, U. Smith, N. Johnston, R. Smith, P. Aplin.

### TERRITORIALS FOR Theft Of Dog At Waipukurau

FINE IMPOSED

Magistrate's Court Cases

JUDGMENTS ENTERED

Daily Mail Special Service.
WAIPUKURAU

The monthly sitting of the Waipukurau Magistrate's Court took place in Waipukurau yesterday, before Mr J. Miller, S.M. Only one police case was heard, this being the lightest list for some time.

William Watson, Wakarara, was charged with the theft of a fox terrier dog, the property of Leonard

rier dog, the property of Leonard Beachen, Waipukurau.
Constable D. H. Sutton, who prosecuted, stated that on March 26, 1940, complainant left his dog outside a tea room, and later the dog was missing. He immediately made inquiries and learned that some men had picked up the dog and placed it on a lorry marked "Pahiatua." Some time ago the police received information that the dog was at Wakarara, at the defendant's place, and on being approached the defenand on being approached the defen-dant admitted taking the animal, but said that his action was influenced

by liquor.

The Magistrate imposed a penalty of £3 and costs, allowing one month in which to pay.

Civil Cases

Judgment for plaintiff by default was entered in the following:—Central Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board v. Eda Marea Talbot, 10/-, costs 10/-; Porangahau Transport Co. Ltd. v. Rangi Rupuha, £4 10/-, costs 15/-; same v. Martin Ropiha, £3 19/1, costs 18/-; Wharmby and Williams Ltd. v. V. A. Patterson, £7 2/-, costs 15/-; same v. V. A. Doria, £5 18/-, costs 16/-.

Judgment summonses:—G. F. Sidwell was ordered to pay Nestle and

Judgment summonses:—G. F. Sidwell was ordered to pay Nestle and Anglo Swiss Condensed Milk Co. £18 4/5 forthwith, in default 20 days. Pine Anderson was ordered to pay J. Kuzmich £1 11/-, in default two days. Pucky Simon was ordered to pay C. C. Hales £7 15/-, in default nine days.

### Silver Cup For Competition

WAIPAWA BOWLERS

Trophies For Past Season Presented

ANNUAL MEETING

(Daily Mail Special Service)
WAIPAWA

At the annual general meeting of the Waipawa Bowling Club Mr H. T. Limbrick was elected president for Limbrick was elected president for the ensuing twelve months. Mr Limbrick expressed appreciation of the honour which members had con-

the honour which members had conferred upon him.

The other officers elected were:—
Vice-president, Mr A. V. Fleet; secretary, Mr E. C. Kingston; selector, Mr J. McIntosh; delegate to centre, left in hands of committee; green superintendent, Mr E. Dunkin, townsament controller. Mr P. kin; tournament controller, Mr R. Jopson; committee, Messrs. W. M. Murray, Ron. Petherick and Angus; Brewer Buttons, Mr W. Murray; Cossar Pins, Mr R. Peth-erick; reclassification committee, Messrs. F. Eagle, R. Jopson and J.

McIntosh.

A handsome silver cup donated by
Mr O. Upton for competition in the
club's championship singles, was
handed over at the meeting, and it was decided that he be elected a life member.

It was decided that the club competition be on the same lines as last season, that the Cossar Pins be open only to leads and threes and the Brewer Buttons to twos and skips, and that it be a recommendation to the incoming committee that the handicap pairs be deleted from the competition list and that a championships pairs competition be sub-

Trophy List At the conclusion of the business of the evening a social was held at which the trophies won during the season were presented. The prize ist was as follows:-

Singles championship, Mr F. Eagle (O. Upton Cup); junior championship, Mr J. Hodge (Newson Cup); handicap pairs, Messrs. F. Holt and L. McDonell; Brewer Buttons, Messrs. E. Dunkin and J. Angus; Cossar Pins, Messrs. J. Angus and B. Gamby.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE DUTIES

> Hastings Sporting Events

The following members of the Hastings Division of St. John Ambulance Brigade will be on duty at the sports grounds to-morrow: the sports grounds to-morrow:—
Ebbett Park: Ambulance Sisters
Howell, Compton, Adams.
Cornwall Park: Private Cooper;
Cadets K. Lomas, M. McKay; Ambulance Sister Thompson.
Nelson Park: Cadet Superintendent D. Milne; Privates E. Dutton, G. Howard, G. Passey; Cadets O. Sinclair, K. Lambert.
High School: Privates G. Murphy, A. Ferguson, B. Bewley, W. Toi; Cadets R. Hay, R. McKay.
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### Cornwall Handicap Weights Reviewed

### GOOD FORM OFFERING

### **Present Indications Make Race** Very Open

The writer has already reviewed the weights of the Great Northern Hurdles and will now deal with the Cornwall Handicap, one mile and a quarter, the second of the three big races to be contested at the coming Auckland winter meeting. This event was once at a 9st. minimum, then 8st. and to-day it is at 7st., the lowest allowed under the New Zealand Pules of Pacing. Rules of Racing.

The Cornwall Handicap has seen many splendid races and some high class horses have won this ten furlong event. This year's field is very strong and, writing from memory, it is the first time that "The Barb" can recollect a threeyear-old being at the top of the handicap, although a number of that age have won, including Mr T. H. Lowry's black champion, Bobrikoff.

The Cornwall Handicap is one of the very few important races of its kind in which Hawke's Bay has not played a very big part as regards the supplying of the winner, only because horses from this district have not gone north very frequently to contest it, although the hurdles and steeplechase have always been very popular with sportsmen from here.

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Weighed at 10.5 (9st. minimum) the services of S. G. ("Tyke") Lindsay, who only two weeks ago died in Auckland, were obtained and Hawke's Bay sportsmen threw in for a good win, as they had the utmost confidence in the trainer's judgment. She won by over a length but was disqualified for accidentally boring the late Mr Jervois George's Durable (Sylvia Park-Durus) and the race was awarded to Durable with the second and third places going to Putty (Mobberly) and Rosella (Gallagher) respectively, while Float was placed nowhere. Under the present Rules of Racing the first and second finishing positions would have been shing positions would have been

BOBRIKOFF'S YEAR

When Bobrikoff went up for the Cornwall his reputation was fairly well known up north and had it not been for the Aucklanders' believing that this three-year-old could not win, his dividend would have been a

been for the Aucklanders' believing that this three-year-old could not win, his dividend would have been a "Gloaming" one,

Fred Davis trained the black gelding and also took the seat on him that day. He was well away but soon drifted and then when endeavouring to make a run was punched right back to last. Recovering, he came again only to suffer another skittling. This happened a third time when "Bob" went down on his nose. Turning for home, Mr Lowry's three-year-old, who had 9.4 on his back( the minimum that year was 8st.), was in anything but a good running position. Later he received an opening half way down the straight. He shot through, and in a twinkle of an eye had the race won by a length from the late Charlie Coleman's Leonater and M. McLean's Celtic. Bobrikoff pulled up as fresh as a daisy and on the way home to his stable played about like a kitten. The writer remembers it as he was entrusted with his care back to Mr Tooman's racing establishment.

Never was a Cornwall winner more deserving of victory than Mr Lowry's Bobrikoff, as any ordinary handicap horse on the run Bob received that day would not have been first, second or third.

THIS YEAR'S FIELD

Lou Rosa, for a three-year-old, the the straight. Without possibilities. Next on the list is Sir Cameron. In the spring he won the Auckland Gulneas and from then on until the autumn was a most disappointing three-year-old. At the A.R.C. Easter meeting he came out to win the entume at tumn was a most disappointing three-year-old. At the A.R.C. Easter meeting he came out to win the nile autumn was a most disappointing three-year-old. At the A.R.C. Easter meeting he came out to win the autumn was a most disappointing three-year-old. At the A.R.C. Easter meeting he came out to win the autumn was a most disappointing three-year-old. At the A.R.C. Easter meeting he came out to win the autumn was a most disappointing three-year-old. At the A.R.C. Easter meeting he came out to win the Alex Cornwall say and a half H. O. Nolan Handicap say as a hid the Nolan,

THIS YEAR'S FIELD

consideration now but that is not to say that the Surveyor gelding is being recommended.

Silver Quex, the full sister to Round Up, is a fair miler but the absence of recent form is against her, although Takanini notes say she is galloping particularly well.

Bronwen is reported to have retired and has gone to the matron's paddock. However, she has yet to win any sort of a race over a middle distance. Lou Rosa, for a three-year-old, has been set a very stiff proposition to win with 9.6 in a seven-stone minimum race. Undoubtedly this Foxbridge colt is of good class as many good judges are of the opinion that he is second only to Kindergarten this season in the Dominion among those of his age. At this weight it is not likely that his trainer will send his charge to the starting post although the writer has nothing to base this assumption on. However, if the track is soft he certainly should not start.

Foxsen, another of the Foxbridge tribe, is second on the list at 9.3, a weight that will find her out, too. Both are good performers, but in the meantime, looking for the most likely, these two are passed over.

The Bronze Eagle four-year-old, Monte Cristo, is not long out of the "hack" ranks, yet he has been handicapped at 8.13 and has yet to win over a middle distance. He may justify the handicapper's opinion.

Three likely sorts, all handicapped on about the same mark, are Tea Gong, Tellsom and The Cardinal. Tea Gong recently was confidently backed in a mile race at Avondale which he won. Since then he has run fair races and so comes over a middle distance. He may justify the handicapper's opinion, but as regards winning a race of this description he hardly foots the bill as possessing the right credentials. he has run fair races and so comes into the picture as a possibility. Tellsom has won over the distance

THREE LIKELY SORTS

and comes into the same category as

AMONG THE LIGHTWEIGHTS

Kentucky.
Gamos in all his starts this sea-

son was once fourth-form that he can hardly be recommended on

A very likely sort is British Talent, who has shown the right promise. In his last start he was in the

money, and close up at that, so with 7.1 he is another that must be con-

Cheval de Volee has a Cornwall and two Auckland Cups to his credit but running down his list this

season does not impress as a likely winner. However, on a wet track this gelding at 7st. would be given a lightweight's chance.

ON THE MINIMUM

On the same mark is Clipper, who On the same mark is Clipper, who has won over a mile and a-quarter and on his recent form must be given a fair show, although he has not yet accomplished anything to make one confident.

Tea Gong.

The Cardinal appeared to be coming back to earlier promise when he won the Avondale Cup. He was third at Franklin in the handicap but was very unlucky at the start and throughout the race. He races

A DOUBTFUL SORT

but was very unlucky at the start and throughout the race. He races to-morrow at Te Rapa and that form will be closely watched. This Night Raid gelding requires a big track, such as Ellerslie, and can go on any going (preferably soft). Even if he wins at Te Rapa his rehandicap will still see him fairly lightly weighted. Without Waikato form to guide, The Cardinal at the moment looks as though he will be one of the fancied candidates in the Cornwall. A doubtful sort to select as a likely winner is Gladynev, but on his three-year-old form and his unlucky second in the last V.R.C. Caulfield Cup, he certainly would be the first choice. He is to race this Saturday and Monday at Otaki and it will depend on his form they whether here. pend on his form there whether he will be taken up north. This Musketoon gelding's admirers are not as

ketoon gelding's admirers are not as many as they were.

Cornish is nicely weighted and it was only a little whole ago that he had to concede weight to Foxsen but now there is a difference in Cornish's favour of 9ib. Both fit and well on the day, Foxsen could not give Cornish 1ib. As the handicapper adjusts Foxsen at 9.3, Cornish has only to be produced at his best to go very close in leading the field home early hext month.

PROMISING HANDICAPPER

A very promising young handicap horse is the three-year-old Vermeer-Lady Lois colt, Kentucky. This meer-Lady Lois colt, Kentucky. This autumn he has proved himself an accomplished sprinter and is a winner of the seven furlong C.J.C. Great Easter. He has not been tried so far over a middle distance but his sire, Vermeer (Solario from Pilgrim's Rest by Chaucer from a Sainfoin mare) should get better stayers than sprinters. Kentucky should not find the distance too great. He is to race in the President's Haridicap, one mile and aquarter to-morrow at Waikato, so it

VOTE Labour-Brock for Napier Hospital Board

MATCHES ARRANGED AT WEEK-END Daily Mail Special Service.
ORMONDVILLE

GOLF DRAWS FOR

**ORMONDVILLE** 

Men And Women

The first round of the aggregate stroke competition for the Primrose Challenge Cup will be played over the Ormondville District golf links this week-end. The draw is as fol-

this week-end. The draw is as lol-lows:—
C. Andersen v. K. Simm, R. An-dersen v. H. K. Sands, H. O. Baines v. F. E. Sands, D. L. Edgecombe v. E. G. Port, F. B. Ellingham v. C. C. Newling, N. Forward v. A. Nichol, J. Gasson v. W. M. Kane, C. Hall v. W. Hamilton, E. W. Hyde v. part-ner to be arranged.

Women's Match

A women's medal round and silver button match is to be played on Saturday, for which the draw is as Mrs H. O. Baines v. Miss N. Wil-

Mrs H. O. Baines v. Miss N. Wilson, Miss E. Bennett v. Mrs H. K. Sands, Mrs D. Dew v. Miss M. Sampson, Mrs E. W. Hyde v. Mrs E. B. Pedersen, Mrs A. Munro v. partner to be arranged. Play is to begin at 1.15 p.m.

Officers for the women's club have been elected as follows:—Captain, Mrs H. O. Baines; secretary, Miss M. Sampson: trustees. Mrs E. B.

M. Sampson; trustees, Mrs E. B. Pedersen and Miss Sampson; committee, Mrs H. O. Baines, Mrs E. B. Pedersen, Mrs E. W. Hyde, Mrs H. K. Sands, Miss N. Wilson.

### SPEEDY MEMORIAL CUP

First-Round Draw

### SATURDAY GOLF AT MAHARAKEKE

Daily Mail Special Service.
WAIPUKURAU

The draw for the first round of the Speedy Memorial Cup (medal) to be played on the Maharakeke links on Saturday by members of the Waipukurau Golf Club is as fol-

Royal Appellant, a previous winner of this race, is gradually coming down in the weights and is now handicapped at 8.1. On this it looks as if he is on the toboggan, an opinion apparently shared by the handicapper. However, one must have respect for the judgment of trainer Jimmie Buchanan and if Jimmie says he is to accept it will mean that this nine-year-old gelding is not without possibilities.

Next on the list is Sir Cameron. In the spring he won the Auckland lows:—
A Grade, No. 11 Tee.—A. Rathbone v. I. McCaskill, J. Tarrant v. G. T. Brebner, L. A. Reid v. S. Peacock, W. Rickey v. V. Bradley, P. L. Peacock v. C. A. Rickey, G. W. Bryce v. C. Plimmer, E. T. Haldane v. G. E. Wilson, C. Webb v. R. Clarke, C. Riddell v. H. E. Coats, N. Bird v. N. Jamieson, L. Scott v. I. W. N. Mackie, F. A. G. Dunn v. R. Inglis.

Inglis.

B Grade, No. 1 Tee.—C. Cassidy v. S. Train, C. J. Hay v. J. Buchanan, E. G. Stiles v. J. Pocklington, A. Barnaby v. H. Stovell, E. Hurdsfield v. R. McLean, J. Windle v. H. B. Roach, H. Butler v. J. Stewart, G. Forbes v. N. McQueen, A. O. Williams v. J. C. Mills, C. Foote v. R. Hansard, E. Elliott v. E. Botherway, A. Livingston v. E. Rivers, C. Peterson v. J. Turtle, J. Paton v. J. McCormick.

Matamau Social. — Leading-Air-craftman R. Parish and Private J. Speedy were entertained at a social evening at the Matamau Public Hall

On May 26

Nominations for all events at the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's winter meeting at which the 100 guinea challenge cup will be run for, to be

South Canterbury Results appear on

held on June 7 and 14, close with the secretary, Mr A. E. Wishart, Hastings, on Monday, May 26 at

High Delight is only ordinary but not so Brahman, who recently was returned a winner. This full brother to Indian Sun, with only 6lb. over the minimum, is just the sort to cause a surprise. He has run some very solid mile races and is well commented upon at the present NAPIER PARK RACING CLUB

### Nominations For All Events On Monday

Owners and trainers are reminded that nominations for all events at the Napier Park winter meeting to be held on May 31 and June 2 close with the secretary, Miss I. I. Fip-pard, Bowman Building, Market Street, Napier, on Monday, May 19.

but his showings this season have not been very illuminating.
Golden Tom is a four-year-old by Lysander from Hylysian and that is all the writer can tell about him.
Venture has failed to make the grade since placed among the opens but that is not to say he will not do better. A good hack that was successful with high weights on his back, he is not disregarded altogether as a possibility.

A GOOD RECORD

Valmint has been in the money three times in succession in the Cornwall Handicap. Three years ago he was narrowly defeated into second place by Cheval de Volee and second place by Cheval de Volee and the next season was similarly treated by Royal Appellant. Twelve months back he was rewarded with a straight-out win. At Avondale recently he ran a fair race for third in a mile race, so is no back humber yet. Should the track be holding on June 2 this aged son of Vaals and Lomint would prove a hard horse to beat. Trench Law in the autumn of 1940 gave every indication of developing into a first class handicap performer. This season, in the few races he has had, he has shown nothing like that form, so in all probability he will not be taken to Auckland, with the stable relying on Kentucky.

Kilcash will be one of the out-Kilcash will be one of the outsiders if started but not so Lovaals who might prove a surprise packet. It is hardly likely that any of the others not mentioned would win a race of this description with the exception of Young Charles, who may be classed as possessing a rough suitside charge more so if the rough outside chance, more so if the track is soft.

Final payments will be this day week which should clarify matters to some extent. On present prospects the favourites appear to be

CORNISH KENTUCKY GREEK QUEEN THE CARDINAL

Erlick has won in open company VOTE Labour—Craven for Napier at Ellerslie at this time of the year Hospital Board.

### Hastings Track Notes

GOOD SCHOOLING

Master Cyklon Very

Impressive THREE FOR TE RAPA

(By THE BARB) There was nothing outstanding in the way of times in yesterday's gallops on the Hastings tracks, although the work was quite interesting. The conditions were perfect both before and after breakfast.

### On the Plough.

Diana Tetrix (L. Barnett) was the first to gallop, doing a half-mile very comfortably in 51sec. It was surprising to see her name missing from the list of entrants for the Connolly Handicap, but trainer Wallace Young believes in patronising our own meetings, so she will be racing at Napier, although the distance is not as suitable as Wanganui.

nui.

Kinkajou, who has accepted for Otaki, ran five furlongs comfortably in 66sec, with S. Pell in the saddle.

Endorsement, who will accompany

Endorsement, who will accompany the above mare away this week-end, came home the last three of her work nicely in a shade under 39sec., but was never off the bit.

Limbohm (W. L. Aitken) and Centrepoise (L. Lewis) worked steadily together for a mile and a half and then brushed home the last four furlongs at a hand gallop in 54½. Both worked exceptionally well.

Gayest Son (S. Pell), who has no engagements until Napier Park at the end of this month was never doing better than even time in his exercise. He is being given every opportunity.

Astrite (S. Dockery) moved with freedom when running from the three furlong to the winning post in 40½sec. at the conclusion of her

ace work. Cherry Hunter (W. J. Mudford) Cherry Hunter (W. J. Mudford), heavily shod, impressed by the manner in which he ran five in 664sec., as he was never allowed his head. Nelumbo (L. S. Deeley) put plenty of ginger into her three furlongs in 39sec. and could have done decidedly better if allowed. Cherry Plum (J. Forsyth) and Solaria (L. Deeley) were associated in a strong working gallop when recofding 1.22½ for three-quarters of a mile.

On the Inside Grass.

Proven (W. L. Aitken) and Condole (G. Phelps) executed a fairly impressive half-mile when registering 51sec. for that distance, as both these two-year-old fillies were by no means at top. Condole may be raced at either Hastings or Napier in the maiden events, as she has had little racing experience so far

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Burma (G. Stowe) and Recompense (L. Cullen) were mates in an easy run over half a mile which occupied 52½sec. The latter is gradually but plainly on the improve.

Parvita (S. Dockery) and Tashi Lama (G. Phelps) were another pair not out to burn up the grass when allowed to race over half a mile in 52½sec. Tashi Lama finished strongly and impressed as one likely to be at home over a middle distance.

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Siegall (J. Rae) was also sent over a round of the schooling hundles and she too never laid a foot wrong. Siegall may commence her hundling career at Napier Park.

On Wednesday morning Master Cyklon (L. Lewis) was very impressive in a round of the hundles with the speed at racing pace throughout, the speed at racing pace throughout, but unfortunately was not timed. Judging by the manner in which he skipped round this track he must have broken 1.40. He will have his first race over hurdles at Otaki this week and although it is a big thing to ask a horse to win first time out, it would occasion no surprise if Master Cyklon was first past the post on Saturday.

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A question being asked in racing circles here at the present time is: Should apprentice riders be allowed to ride in hurdle races? It appears safe to say that they should not, but there are exceptions, and the exceptions are when a lad is over the average apprentice weight or has done a fair amount of schooling work on the tracks, or who has had experience in the hunting field. Then again there are occasions where a lad, before entering a racing stable, has done show riding, including the jumping classes. A law in the Rules of Racing bearing on this question may not be out of the way.

Last Monday at Gisborne young Stan Paramore rode Royal Stuart in the hurdles to finish a close second and then later in the day was on the

and then later in the day was on the big chestnut when he ran in the steeplechase, but when winning by half a furlong, fell at the last fence. At present he is in the Gisborne Public Hospital, but fortunately is not carrierly hurt

not seriously hurt.

The writer is not suggesting for a The writer is not suggesting for a moment that Paramore did not acquit himself well. In fact, astute judges declare that he rode a perfect race for a beginner, but it was lack of riding experience that causded Forence Coming to this obstacle, there was a gap caused by Queen's Dream falling there the first time, and it was the gap that Paramore made for, instead of taking on the brush where it was sound, which Royal Stuart, tired as he was, could have negotiated safely. A tired horse will always make an endeavour to jump a fence, but at a gap will throw himself at it or take any other chance leap. ther chance leap.
Trainer W. D. Young, Paramore

Trainer W. D. Young, Paramore's employer, was not present and he told the writer that had he been there he would not have allowed young Paramore to ride Royal Stuart, whom he trains, as Paramore has not ridden over half a dozen fences in his life. The question arises: "Who was responsible for putting this lad up?"

Newcomers in Work

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When A. W. Quinlivan returned
from Gisborne on Monday he
brought back the three-year-old
chestnut filly Callcardine (Kincardine-Call Bird). This filly, when
winning a double at the last Wairoa
County race meeting, impressed as
one that would develop into a very
useful galloper but her subsequent
form failed to measure up to her
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change of climate may make an imone that would develop into a very useful galloper but her subsequent form failed to measure up to her Wairoa showings. She, judging by her present appearances, has not done well of late and perhaps a change of climate may make an improvement. She was previously trained by W. D. Turnbull, a most conscientious and successful trainer. The Man's Pal filly purchased at the more will have another half-mile to go and bigger fences to nego-be in the same heat as Ever Eng favour. Hastings folk are quite confident that Mr Rathbone's nominee will not let them down.

Battle Gain has gone up 4lb for his Egmont win, a mere bagatelle to him. This bay four year-old is so fit and well that he will be expected to make it three on end this Satur-labout.

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Racing at Waikato.

Racing at the Waikato Winter meeting this Saturday and Monday are three from Hastings—Dozie Boy, Battle Gain and Black Majesty. Dozie Boy ran as well as expected at Egmont in his one race and the race was of great benefit to the little race was of great benefit to the little Lucullus gelding. At Te Rapa to-morrow he will have another half-

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May 17, 19—Waikato R.C.
May 24—Foxton R.C. (at Levin),
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Tutira.

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Yours faithfully JNO. WILLIAMSON.

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(3) Regarding the doubling of rates, Mr Stewart bases his remarks on the 1932 rates; this was just after the earthquake and the Council struck a low rate, which they knew would not cover costs, and made up the deficit from their then credit balance. The road rate struck being approximately 1/3 of the preceding year's rate. Recently the County General Fund granted Waikare Riding \$1000 to help that Riding's Account in this connection.

These points have been explained to Mr Stewart by the county staff consequently his statement, although technically true, may be misleading. F. K. WILKIE.

ADIES AND GENTLEMEN,-Having had wide experience with local bodies in Hawke's Bay, am offering my services, and in soliciting your support I will, if elected fully co-operate in safeguarding and promoting the welfare of the whole district recently enlarged by the merger with Greenmeadows.

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300 SHEEP, Comprising-300 Woolly Ewe & Wether Lambs. 252 CATTLE, Comprising-TENNYSON STREET : NAPIER

11 Fat Cows and Heifers, 12 1/2-yr. Steers. 152 Weaner Steers (P.A.), 50 Breeding Cows and Heifers, 3 Fat and Forward Bullocks, 24 Empty Cows and Heifers.

WAIPUKURAU VARDS.

TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1941. Sale will commence at 10.30 a.m. with cattle followed by fat and store sheep. Sale of sheep will commence not later than 12 noon.

910 SHEEP, Comprising-360 Woolly Ewe & Wether Lambs, 500 Wether Lambs, 50 Fat Ewes.

STORTFORD LODGE VARDS

WEDNESDAY, 21st MAY, 1941. TENNYSON STREET : NAPIER The sale will commence at 10 a.m., with fat cattle.

No stock will be yarded before 5.30 a.m. until further notice.

The times for commencing selling will be as follows: Beef Cattle 10 a.m., Store Sheep 11 a.m., Fat Sheep at 30 minutes after completion of fat cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are finished before that hour. Store Cattle not earlier than 12 noon.

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SALES FOR MAY: Ongaonga: 19. Waipukurau: 20, 27. Stortford Lodge: 21, 28. SALES FOR JUNE: Waipukurau: 3, 10, 17, 24. Stortford Lodge: 4, 11, 18, 25.

Ongaonga: 16. Takapau: 13. Horse Fair, Stortford Lodge: 6. A.A. Breeders' Sale, S.L.: 19. WAIROA SALE VARDS.

THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1941.

All Sheep should be dipped before being offered for sale. SHEEP-WAIROA SALE VARDS. CATTLE FAIR.

FRIDAY, MAY 16. 1941. 125 M.S. P.A. Weaners.
20 2½-yr. P.A. Heifers.
60 2-yr. Heifers.
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MRS RIGGIR.

FIRST: It appears obvious that a coman should be included on any committee which deals with the care f women and children.

TO THE ELECTORS OR NAPIER.

three sitting members) at the Hospital Board Election on Saturday:—

(3) BECAUSE this programme is well advanced and requires seeing through to finalisation. (4) BECAUSE your sitting members are working to a definite plan for administering these increased facilities.

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We, the undersigned, for many years members of the Board, again fifer our services, advocating, as in the past, a policy of advancement on a strictly economic basis.

WAIKARE RIDING. SOME Real Information seems called for in reply to Mr D. D. Stewart's article in your issue of yesterday.

TARADALE TOWN BOARD ELECTION.

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