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LOYAL IRAQIS

British Envoy

SEVERANCE FROM

BAGHDAD

Expert On Arabia

British Official Wireless (Received May 23, 7.45 p.m.) RUGBY, May 22.

The appointment is announced of Mr Gerald de Gaury as Charge d' Affaires with the Emir Abdullillah, Regent of Iraq, pending the reestablishment of communications

establishment of communications with the British Ambassador at Baghdad.

Mr de Gaury started his career as a soldier and later joined the R.A.F. In 1936-37 he was political agent at Koweit and has spent the last few months serving as first secretary in the British Embassy at Tehran. He is an expert on Arab affairs.

CANADIAN TANKS

FOR BRITAIN

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MONTREAL, May 22.

GERMAN TROOPS MASS

May Be Forestalling Trouble If

Invasion Of Britain

Should Fail

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'The Times' Ankara correspondent says that information in Ankara confirms Rumanian reports of large German

"Two theories are being held about the reasons for these

'The second is that Hitler intends at all costs to attempt

The movement of German troops from the Balkans to

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troop concentrations in Moldavia (northern Rumania) which

apparently were completed at the beginning of May. "This concentration," says the correspondent, "is estimated to com-

concentrations. The first is that Hitler desires to bring

pressure on the Soviet in order to obtain economic concessions

an invasion of Britain and is therefore taking precautions

against a Russian attack in the event of failure of the

Belgium and France in addition to the Russian border has

and to secure Soviet collaboration in the Middle East.

prise 18 German and 11 Rumanian divisions.

been observed recently.

LONDON, May 23.

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PARATROOPS SHOT DEAD

Strangest Battle Ever Fought Continues In Crete

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LONDON, May 23. Military circles at Cairo point out that an exact estimate of the situation in Crete is extremely difficult because such things as lines of communication and rear and forward positions are practically non-existent. Staff Headquarters are in the front line and ancillary units are fighting equally with the

infantry.

"Every man for himself," is the order of the day since parachutists have been dropping like confetti from the clear skies, sometimes landing in the middle of our positions.

New Zealanders, British, Greeks

well in hand.

The "Daily Telegraph" says:
"Many Germans landed in Crete today under cover of smoke-bombs
previously dropped from dive-bombers to blind the defenders. Despite
this screen many of the paratroops
were shot dead as they dropped."

"The Times" Cairo correspondent
says: "It is believed that the original
German plan of attacking Crete
with parachutists and air-borne
troops in order to screen a determined attempt at a landing by sea
has failed. It is estimated that the
Germans dropped on the island lost
about half their effectives in
killed and wounded. Many Germans
were killed before even scenting the
battle, as heavily-laden troop-carriers crashed in attempting to land
on a crowded, bomb-pitted aerodrome at Malemi."

Good Concealment

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The military spokesman at Cairo, says: "The German attack was directed against Crete's most populated area, between Candia and Canea, which are connected by a good motor-road through wooded country, offering good concealment for parachutists. The main body of air-borne troops landed at Malemi, which is well-suited for an attack against the naval base at Suda Bay. The approaches to Suda Bay from the north and from the east are shielded by high hills, enabling enemy aircraft to get within striking distance of their objective before being spotted by the majority of the ground defences.

"The Germans are operating a 24-hour air-ferry service between

hour air-ferry service between Greece and Crete, which the R.A.F. is doing its best to upset by heavily bombing German air bases. "Some sections of the Allied forces have taken up positions in the mountains surrounding the aerodromes, from where they are in-flicting heavy casualties as the Ger-mans land.

Attempt By Sea "The German attempts to land by sea consisted of sending fairly small vessels containing landing parties across the comparatively narrow strip of sea without a strong naval escort."

The spokesman added that it was The spokesman added that it was impossible to give an accurate estimate of the casualties in the confusion of this—the strangest battle ever fought.

HUNDRED SHIPS WANTED

OFFER TO LATIN **AMERICANS**

BRITISH PURCHASES

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WASHINGTON, May 23. WASHINGTON, May 23.

It is authoritatively stated that Britain is negotiating with the Latin American nations for the purchase of 100 refugee foreign merchantmen in Latin American ports, Similar negotiations have been opened between the British Purchasing Mission and the United States Maritime Commission, whereby Britain hopes to obtain some merchant tonnage when the United States formally requisitions 84 foreign ships at present under surveillance.

FOREST FIRES RAGE IN CANADA

Lumberjacks Missing

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TORONTO, May 23.

One hundred lumberjacks are missing after fighting a fire that is sweeping the Nipgon, Ontario, district; 140 escaped by wading streams from the danger zone. A lumber camp at Fort Mickirdy was destroyed.

destroyed.

Forest fires are raging from the Laurentian Mountains almost to the foothills of the Rockies. Manitoba is the only province between Quebec and Alberta which does not report fires. Near Aylsham, north-east Saskatchewan, attempts are being made to move 15,000,000 feet of timber used for ammunition boxes.

Large detachments of soldiers have to be the same of the same ned rangers in fighting the

Millions Spent, But No Extravagance

Chancellor Says British Public Must Be Protected

Tax Incidence

Mr Churchill's Salary Gives Striking Example

British Official Wireless (Received May 23, 7.45 p.m.) RUGBY, May 22.

Moving the second reading of the Finance Bill in the House of Comons the Chancellor of the Exhequer (Sir Kingsley Wood), referred to the London War Weapons Week, announcing that the total had reached the magnificent figure of and Cretan hillsmen, however, have succeeded in keeping the situation No Fanfare From within striking distance of the tar-£70,250,000 so that already they were get of £100,000,000.

Regarding savings in the country generally, he noted with gratification that the figures of small savings showed a further advance over the earlier part of the year.

Growing Production Critics Say Britain Expects
Defeat

Sir Kingsley went on to point out that the rapid growth of expenditure was not in itself evidence of waste but rather of growing production. Britain had now reached a

duction. Britain had now reached a rate of expenditure double that of last year. The total number of persons who would pay income tax in Britain had now been raised to some 7,800,000 individuals and it was no more than bare justice to all of them that every step should be taken to prevent waste.

After dealing with the details of the Finance Bill, the Chancellor referred to the contribution the Dominions and Colonies were making to the war effort outside their own financial spheres. The British Government appreciated to the full the magnitude of the measures taken by Canada. The German news agency says that there is official German silence regarding the attack on Crete, which is unique as the first major military operation undertaken by the Ger-man High Command without official fanfare.

The news agency adds that the general opinion in Berlin is that the phraseology of the British military reports suggests that Britain is preparing for eventual military failure

Sir Kingsley Wood also paid a tribute to the help given by the Colonial Empire in direct financial contributions and many other ways.

Striking Illustration In the debate Sir Frank Sander-In the debate Sir Frank Sanderson strikingly showed the incidence of income tax and super-tax by pointing out that Mr Winston Churchill's salary of £10,000 became £3160 when deductions were made under those heads, and if it was desired that the Prime Minister should cally an actual calculation.

Is Warships

ROOSEVELT'S CALL

First Defence Of Nation's Shores

OLD-WORLD MENACE

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President Roosevelt, in a letter to the chairman of the Maritime Commission said: "If we are going to keep from our shores the forces which have convulsed the Old World and now menace the new, the job will be done largely by sailors."

world and now menace the new, the job will be done largely by sailors, warships, and the workers who build them.

"If they fail the whole effort fails. I know that the effort will not fail and that more and faster ships can be built and manned by trained American seamen, and that they will earry through the open waters. The first Canadian-produced heavy tank was completed to-day at the Canadian Pacific Railway shops.

The vice-president of the company (Mr Coleman) said that the new tank would be produced for Britain by hundreds and thousands.

I know that the effort will not fail and that more and faster ships can be built and manned by trained American seamen, and that they will carry through the open waters of the Seven Seas the implements which will help to destroy the menace to free peoples everywhere."

LONDON, May 22.

ON SOVIET FRONTIER

French In Syria Believed To Be Ready To Fight

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received May 23, 10.15 p.m.)

LONDON, May 22. It is reported from Beirut that French troops in Syria are on the move and that a French squadron that was trapped there when France collapsed has begun exercises.

It is stated in Berlin that General Bergeret has begun preparations to defend French possessions in the New Feet

preparations to defend French possessions in the Near East

against air attack.

The "Daily Express's" Ankara correspondent says that
French arms and ammunition are still pouring from Syria
into Iraq and trains returning to Syria are carrying oil and petrol for the German 'planes crossing Syria.

PROOF OF FRENCH

TREACHERY

ARMS SUPPLIED TO

GERMANY

TANKS REPAIRED

Rhone Used As Exit

For E-Boats

British Official Wireless (Received May 23, 7.45 p.m.)

RUGBY, May 22.

The German radio to-night claimed that Raschid Ali's air force had successfully bombed British positions at Amman. It described this raid as "the first operation by Iraqi forces outside their own territory." This contradicts earlier German reports that Iraqi troops had penetrated into Palestine.

It is officially denied in Beirut that Free French troops have entered Syria and have been joined by a French regiment.

Captain Roosevelt, the United States President's representative, has arrived at Habbaniyah by air.

No Ambitions In Martinique

AMERICA WATCHING

Scare Stories Branded As Propaganda

GERMAN ORIGIN

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received May 23, 9.10 p.m.) WASHINGTON, May 22. The Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull) described as pro-German inspired reports from France that Martinique officials had received

to prepare for an American He asserted that there had been no recent developments in Mar-tinique and no immediate concern was felt there. The United States had observers on the island who kept the Government informed closely regarding the conditions

sired that the Prime Minister should enjoy an actual salary of £10,000 the House would have to make him a grant of £160,960 a year.

Prime Necessity

Closely regarding the conditions there.

The Associated Press of America reports that the Administration appears to be waiting formal word from Vichy about the extent of German collaboration before taking definite steps regarding French possessions in the Western Hemisphere.

Intensification Of

ITALIAN DIVISIONS TRAPPED

BATTLE OF THE LAKES CONTINUES

ABYSSINIAN ATTACKS

Prisoners And Material Captured

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

In the Battle of the Lakes opera-tions are proceeding satisfactorily in Abyssinia against two Italian divi-sions which have now been trapped sions which have now been trapped between our forces advancing from the north and the south, says a British Headquarters communique. West of Sciascismanna our troops successfully attacked the main enemy positions. An Italian counterattack with tanks was repulsed with considerable damage inflicted by our attillary on the retreating enemy.

considerable damage inflicted by our artillery on the retreating enemy. In this action the enemy left more than 100 dead on the field of battle. Our captures include 600 prisoners, 10 guns, and five medium tanks. Our casualties are slight. Further to the south our advance guards overwhelmed the complete rearguard consisting of Brigade Headquarters and three colonial battalions. The captures in this area so far amount to 4400 prisoners, of whom a large proportion are Italians, together with 32 guns and 14 tanks.

At Amba Alagi all is quiet. In the Gondar area units of the Sudan defence force are closely engaged with the enemy in the vicinity of Chelga. So far more than 3000 Italian prisoners have been captured.

At Tobruk there is nothing of im-

portance to report.

In the Sollum area during the night of May 20-21 advance elements of our mechanised troops destroyed an enemy post on Sollum Hill, knocking out three German tanks.

NEAR SOLLUM United Press Association—Copyright, (Received May 23, 10.45 p.m.)
CAIRO, May 22.

SUCCESSFUL ACTION

It is announced from the Western Desert that a British patrol scuppered a small German force which established itself on May 20 at a point on the extreme north-western edge of the coastal plain near Sol-

AGAIN NO AIR **SUPPORT**

NO AERODROMES NEAR CRETE

GARRISON'S TASK

Magnificent Resistance Put Up

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LONDON, May 22.

An Air Ministry official in London disclosed to-day that in view of the pronounced disadvantages under which our fighters were operating in Crete when the German attack was launched the commanders on the spot decided to withdraw the remaining fighters because otherwise

the spot decided to withdraw the remaining fighters because otherwise it would be a waste of the Air Force personnel involved.

The official pointed out that Crete was ill-provided with aerodromes and was situated close to Greek and Italian islands and also close to the Greek mainland, where there is a large concentration of German large concentration of German 'planes. The distance of Crete from our concentration of German

The distance of Crete from our aerodromes in Egypt precluded the possibility of strong air support by the R.A.F.

Experience had already proved that it was impossible to develop a satisfactory fighter defence from a few comparatively ill-equipped aerodromes if these are subjected to heavy air attack.

Disturbing Situation

heavy air attack.

Disturbing Situation

"The Times," in a leader says: "It is most disturbing that our troops in Crete once again are fighting unsupported from the air for lack of aerodromes. Nevertheless, the defence is undoubtedly putting up a magnificent resistance. The enemy losses have been very heavy but the Germans can afford considerable losses and Crete is a prize worth sacrifices. RUGBY, May 22.

Prominence is given in the whole of the evening Press to the Foreign Minister's strong declaration of policy on British relations with the Vichy Government, and approval is warmly expressed of his statement. Added point is given to Mr Eden's declaration by information gained from authoritative circles in London that not only is clear evidence available that the lower passages of the Rhone have been used to pass out German E-boats into the Mediterranean but also the British Government has for a long time known that French industry has been working for the enemy on a considerable scale. sacrifices.
"While enemy artillery and tanks

can be kept out there is room for hope that the valour of the garrison will prevail in this ferocious struggle."

working for the enemy on a considerable scale.

Tanks and submarines are being repaired, while the French motorcar industry is turning out aircraft. At least 20 firms in unoccupied France are turning out aircraft components, motor boats, tank parts and munitions for the Germans.

At the same time, the Germans are taking considerable parts of the cargoes being unshipped at Marseilles, some of which include vital raw materials for war purposes.

NO NEW DANGER REVEALED IN CRETE

Tryout Of Air-Borne Troops Shows German Weaknesses

(British Official Wireless.) (Received May 23, 7.45 p.m.) RUGBY, May 22.

"The Germans are storming Crete and you will have heard the news that once again our air forces have been withdrawn," said Air Commodore Goddard in a broadcast speech. "I think you will have thought: "Is it not curious that we cannot keep our air forces in action because of insufficient aerodromes whereas the Germans have no such difficulty. That is merely a reflection of air superiority. The Germans can operate from relatively secure aerodromes and can fill them up with hundreds of aeroplanes. We cannot disperse to numerous aerodromes because they do not exist.

"Now, air-borne forces are on their greatest trial but they are unopposed by fighters. In spite of that they have had some costly failures, but they apparently also have had some substantial success.

island. There is more to it than that. Crete, as far as we are concerned, must be mostly a business of soldiers and sailors—and how splendidly they are doing it, too.

"The air force, meanwhile, is building up again in the Middle East, and will give all the help it can from there. Whatever the outcome of the invasion, Crete instead of Britain is in truth the measure of Nazi frustration. I will not deny that air-borne forces are a menace to us here but so is the Fighter Command constitutes, as you have reason to know, the most powerful defensive system in the world.

No New Danger

No New Danger "Please do not suppose that some new and unexpected danger to us has just emerged. The fact is that a great part of the known danger

"Grim it is and grim it must be but, never fear, air-borne forces by themselves will not capture that island. There is more to it than that. Crete, as far as we are concerned, must be mostly a business of soldiers and spilors and spil

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A great part of the line in this ferocious to us here is now lying wrecked in Crete.

"We are prepared for air-borne forces so do not let us make too much of the bogy of them.

"I expect you know why the Germans use gliders. Troop-carrying aeroplanes must have an aerodrome or country like an aerodrome to land on. If they do not they crash or are stranded and unable to get away again. Gliders, being low flyers, can get down in a smaller space miles in the Balkan campaign. This includes the Cyclades Islands and compact forces with their equipment ready for action.

"Paratroops are almost sure to get scattered if used in large numbers and they are greatly hampered"

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Blockade FRANCE'S BETRAYAL Great Help Rendered To Germany

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It is authoritatively stated that the Government has recently received clear evidence that German Eboats are using the lower passages of the Rhone as an outlet to the Mediterranean. This is merely one example of Vichy's collaboration with Germany. The Government has long known that French industry is working for the enemy on a considerable scale. French factories are repairing German tanks and submarines. The motor-car industry has largely been converted to aircraft production and a number of motor-car firms have subscribed to an agreement to collaborate in the German supply system. Britain learned in March that at least 20 firms in unoccupied France are turning out aircraft components, least 20 firms in unoccupied France are turning out aircraft components, motor-boats, tank parts and munitions for the Germans. One-quarter of the mechanical and electrical industry is working for the Germans. It is estimated that 80 per cent. of the cargoes arriving at Marseilles are passing on to Germany. Germany is receiving chiefly groundnuts through Marseilles, from which they derive fats.

they derive fats. Cargoes Detained

The "Daily Telegraph" asserts that as a result of these disclosures Britain will henceforth rigidly enforce the blockade against France. Britain hitherto has been technically blocked in the property of the blockading the whole of France but because of diplomatic considerations and naval limitations the blockade

Greece, in a 15-round match,

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Cargoes Detained

The French, moreover, have detained since the armistice 250,000 tons of British and Allied shipping, most of which is at Casablanca, Dakar and Marseilles. In a recent six-weeks period the following goods reached Germany from the unoccupied zone: Aluminium, 10,000 tons; magnesium, 8000 tons; bauxite, 38,000 tons; wool, 30,000 tons; fruit. 38,000 tons; wool, 30,000 tons; fruit, 60,000 tons.

is not complete. NEW LIGHT-HEAVY

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received May 24, 0.45 a.m.) NEW YORK, May 23. Lesnevich became lighteavyweight champion, gaining the ecision over Anton Cristoforidis,



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8 a.m.: Holy Communion. 11 a.m.: Matins. 12 noon: Holy Communion.

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Anthem: "Our Soul Waited for the Lord."
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4: 1.)

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Brokers' Realisations On Thursday

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The Hawke's Bay Farmers' Co-op. Association Ltd. report on the cattle fair held at Dannevirke on Thursday states:

They offered a big yarding of cattle and a good yarding of sheep to a large attendance of local and outside buyers representing Taranaki, Manawatu and Waikato districts. All classes of sheep and cattle were keenly competed for, enabling them to effect a total clearance at prices ranging as follows:—

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Fat ewes, 13/- to 14/-; fat wethers, £1 2/6 to £1 4/-; fat P.A. cows, £5 10/- to £7 10/-; fat Jersey cows, £4 to £5 10/-; P.A. bullocks, £8 10/- to £9 12/6; 2½-yr. P.A. steers, £6 10/- to £7 15/-; 20-mths. P.A. steers, £3 15/- to £5 5/-; yearling P.A. steers, £3 to £4 6/-; ½-yr. P.A. heifers, £3 15/- to £4 16/-; weaner P.A. heifers, £1 10/- to £2 2/-; P.A. cows, £3 to £5 17/-; yearling Jersey heifers, £2 10/- to £4.

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Fat wethers, 22/4 to 24/-; fat·b.f. lambs, 28/-; fat ewes, 12/8 to 14/-; good 2-th. ewes r.w. S.D. r., 29/-; medium 2-th. ewes r.w. S.D. r., 25/6; 6-th. ewes r.w. S.D. r., 25/6; 6-th. ewes r.w. S.D. r., 25/6; 6-th. ewes r.w. S.D. r., 22/6; m.a. ewes rw. S.D. r., 17/6 to 18/7; good wether lambs, 15/9; other sorts, 3/9 to 12/6; good ewe lambs, 21/6 to 21/7; 2-th. wethers, 18/-.

Fat P.A. bullocks, £11 to £11 12/6; lighter fat bullocks, £8 to £9 7/6; fat P.A. cows, £6 10/- to £7 7/6; lighter fat P.A. cows, £3 12/6 to £4 2/-; fat P.A. heifers, £7 to £7 2/6; fat Jersey cows and heifers, £4 2/6 to £4 17/6; big P.A. bullocks, £8 to £9 10/-; lighter P.A. bullocks, £7 10/- to £7 19/-; P.A. and Hereford bullocks, £8 10/-; 2½-yr. P.A. steers, £4 11/- to £7 6/-; 18-mths. P.A. heifers, £2 10/- to £4 4/-; empty P.A. cows, £3 11/- to £5 6/-; P.A. cows r.w.b., £4; 2½-yr. P.A. heifers r.w.b., £6; Jersey heifers, £4 1/-; springing dairy cows £5 to £7.

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many outsiders being present as well as some who were making well as some who were making their first appearance at a Danne-virke sale. Buyers soon showed they meant business and keen competi-

virke sale. Buyers soon showed they meant business and keen competition prevailed throughout the sale. Some good class P.A. bullocks were the first offered and these sold readily at £9 12/6. Other good lines of steers and heifers were wanted and were quickly snapped up. The offering of weaners was small and those who were lucky enough to have a pen or two entered received good prices, the best line of steers making up to £4 4/-, these being purchased for the Wairarapa. The following prices were obtained:

Forward 4½-yr bullocks £9 12/6; 3½-yr bullocks £8 5/- to £8 16/-; 2½-yr steers £6 12/- to £7 15/-; 18-months steers £5 5/- to £6; fat and forward empty cows £4 10/- to £5; empty 18-months heifers £3 4/- to £3 12/6; 2½-yr heifers running with bull £4 15/- to £5; breeding cows £3 15/- to £4 10/-; weaner steers (good) £3 16/- to £4; small weaner heifers 36/-.

Fat Cattle: The offering in this section was large and of very good quality. Good heavy P.A. cows £6 5/- to £7 16/-; others £5 10/- to £5 17/6; P.A. heifers, medium quality £6 10/- to £7; Jersey cows £5 5/- to £6; fat bullocks £8 15/- to £10.

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There was a fair inquiry for store lambs and for odd pens of breeding ewes. Fat cattle prices were easier, partly owing to the quality of the stock on offer; dairy cattle and run cattle pens were neglected.

A range of prices is as follows: Fat lambs, prime 23/1 to 23/10, good 20/7 to 21/1, light from 18/-; fat wethers, prime 22/- to 24/-, very prime and heavy 25/4, good 21/- to 21/10; prime two-tooths, 22/- to 23/10; prime maiden ewes, 20/1; prime ewes, heavy 12/7 to 13/4, fair 9/10 to 11/10.

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Store sheep: B.F. lambs in good condition to 16/6, fair to 14/2, others from 11/3; wether lambs, good 14/9 to 15/3, fair 13/1 to 14/-; two-tooth ewes, 36/- to 37/6.

Dairy springing heifers to £7; springing cows, £7; potter cows to £4 17/6; fat heifers, prime beef breeds, to £7 7/6; shorthorn heifers, £5 2/6; bullocks, prime and of good weights, £9 17/6; light heifers, exdairy, £4 12/6 to £5 7/6; vealers, £3 12/6. Run cattle: Two and a-half year P.A. steers and heifers, £5; 18-months heifers, £4.

Accidental Death At Wairoa

SHOT NEAR HEART Gun Knocked Against

Gate

Daily Mail Special Service.
WAIROA. That the deceased was accidentally killed when the gun he was carrying exploded when he was shutting the gate, was the verdict of the Coroner (Mr V. E. Winter) at the inquest into the death of Fredrick Thomas Reidy, aged 34, who was found dead at Morere, on Thursday.

Thursday. Robert Sutherland, farmer, Morere, said that the deceased was somployed on Brigg's estate as a labourer. On Thursday morning he went to look for the deceased but could not see him. Witness noticed that a gate, about 10 to 15 chains from the house where deceased lived, was open and he went to shut it and discovered the deceased lying.

said that the track beneath the gate was steep and slippery and in his opinion deceased slipped when attempting to shut the gate, knocked the gun against the gate and it discharged, the shot entering the body above the heart. The gun was defective, and in the opinion of the constable a small jar would cause the gun to discharge.

TABLE POULTRY STILL IN DEMAND

Market Sale Prices At Hastings

Messrs Harvey, Fulton & Hill report having held their weekly market sale it the mart, Russell Street, Hastings, yes terday before a large attendance of the public. There was another good entry of poultry for this season of the year whilst a good entry of tools, sundrie and timber went to auction.

The demand for table poultry in good condition was again very firm and good prices for this class are readily obtained. Quite a number of pullets again came forward but these, as has beet the case for some weeks past, were easier in value and only those on lay were sought after. Tools and sundrie were eagerly competed for and first rates ruled here right through.

Prices may be queted: W.L. hens 2/9 to 3/8, W.L. cockerels 4/- to 6/6, W.L. roosters 2/6 to 3/4, W.L. pullets 3/1 to 6/-, B.O. hens 3/3 to 4/8, B.O. cockerels 3/6 to 5/-, B.O. roosters 2/6 to 3/10, B.O. pullets 4/6 to 7/11, ducks 5/1 to 10/- pair.

Other sales were: Drums 5/-, axe 4/-hose 9/-, petrol tins at 1/1, plane 4/6 fork 6/-, sythe 11/-, 112 corn sacks al 10d, grate 5/6, shovel 4/6, sledge hammer 4/6, roller 11/6, tank £3, oll £1 wire netting 10/-, timber 15/-, 17/-, 15/-17/-, 15/-, 13/-, 17/-, £1 1/-, 10/-, bath 10/-, wall boarding 5/6, 6/-, 7/6, 12/-12/-, 10/-, 8/8, 4/6, 10/-, 1 quarter-horsd motor £4 5/-, chesterfield suite £13 10/-oak tables £4 16/6, £4 10/-, with sundries and vegetables at full market rates

Thursday's Sale

FEW BUYERS IN

(Dally Mail Special Service)

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At the North Clyde sale yards on Thursday, a small yarding of sheep mostly lambs, was offered to a limited attendance of local buyers.

Bidding was poor, but the prices were from par with late rates. The keenest demand was for lambs, which sold in advance of Hawke's Bay prices.

Brokers report as follows:

N.Z. Loan & Mercantile Agency Co. Ltd.—5 fat ewes 11/-, 1 S.D. ewe 14/1, 18 'ewe lambs 13/6 19 S.D. cross lambs 14/10, 21 two-tooth wethers 16/9, 24 2-th. ewes 17/-6 9 ewe lambs 15/10, 8 wether lambs 11/
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H.B. Farmers' Co-op. Assn. Ltd.—80 24/4/6-th. ewes (Rom. rams) 14/4, 11 wed. lambs 10/-. This was the whole of our offering, no cattle coming forward. Paigety & Co. Ltd.—59 ewe lambs /6, 3 2-th. ewes 14/-, 25 5-yr. ewes .w., S.D. rams 10/1, 18 2-th. wethers 4/-, 24 wether lambs 11/-, 61 wether ambs 5/1, 16 wether lambs 2/10, 1 tore cow £1 5/-, 1 store cow £1.

'Change

Transaction List

Following is a list of transactions on the New Zealand Stock Exchange: WELLINGTON-EXCHANGE Sales Late Thursday. V.Z. Refrigerating .

Sales Reported.
War Loan 1/10/53 (late yesterday)
Union Bank of Australia (late sale yesterday)
Gear Meat Christchurch Gas (2)
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STARR-BOWKETT SOCIETY

The Hastings Starr-Bowkett Building Society held another Appropriation meeting on Thursday evening and once again illustrated the advantages of belonging to this local institution. Two sums of £500 each were offered for sale by tender. In No. 5 Issue the price realised was £15 per £100, and in No. 7 Issue the highest bid was £20 per £100. These figures according to an actuary, are equivalent to 2½ per cent. and 2½ per cent. respectively and should appeal to anyone requiring to borrow

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TO-DAY'S RUGBY IN NAPIER

Prospects Of Bright Football

If M.B.O.B. forwards can repro duce the form they displayed last Saturday, Celtic will be hard put McLean Park, Napier, at 3 p.m. to-day. Both these teams registered wins in last week's series, and should provide a close contest, as they are very everly matched.

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Both these teams will be all-out for a win in the other game at Mc-lean Park at 3 p.m. Lean Park at 3 p.m.

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Regent

COMEDY, "MY LOVE CAME BACK"

A running chain of comedy situa-tions make up the fast-paced War-ner musical, "My Love Came Back," starring Olivia de Havilland and Jefstarring Olivia de Havilland and Jeffrey Lynn, which is now screening at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. "My Love Came Back" is cast with a list of dependable "laugh-jerkers" including Eddie Albert, Jane Wyman, Charles Winninger and Spring Byington. Continental flavour is added by the touch of Kurt Bernhardt. The wild chain of events starts with poor, pretty and provocative Amelia Cornell, played by Olivia de Havilland throwing a provocative Amelia Cornell, played by Olivia de Havilland throwing a book at her violin teacher. It's all because she isn't allowed to teach students, and she needs the money to support her mother and continue her education. To the rescue comes millionaire Julius Malette. The two strike a warm friendship and Julius to have more time to

The two strike a warm friendship and Julius, to have more time to devote to Amelia, turns over his factory to Tony Baldwin, played by Jeffrey Lynn. Two of Amelia's friends, Joy and Dusty, played by Jane Wyman and Eddie Albert, want to organise a band to swing classical music. They need money. Meanwhile, news of Julius's sponsorship leaks out and causes scandal Tony helps Amelia clear herdal. Tony helps Amelia clear herself when the band is a success and in the money. They fall very much in love and future prospects are cheerful for the two when the film comes to its delightful closing scenes.

Cosy

"BARNYARD FOLLIES," GAY MUSICAL

Given a modernised treatment, "Barnyard Follies," now screening at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, emerges as a delightful rural comedy-musical with a galaxy of comedy-musical with a galaxy of popular radio entertainers and specialty acts. Topped off by a bright story, the film is full of lively entertainment, quite apart from which it is significant for its featuring of Mary Lee, seen and heard recently in company with Gene Autry. This amazing little actress is definitely headed for screen prominence, as in "Barnyard Follies" she carried major singing and actshe carried major singing and act ing assignments with a thoroughly professional finish. Screenpla professional finish. Screenplay writers Dorrell and McGowan have interwoven plot and extraordinary talents of the principals into a fast and smooth production.

On the same programme will be seen "Behind the News," which has Lloyd Nolan and Doris Davenport in eading roles.

State

'BRIGHAM YOUNG," A FINE STORY

Set against the turbulent back-ground of the great Mormon trek in "Brigham Young," now show-ing at the State Theatre, Hast-ings, is one of the most appealing ove stories the screen has ever told that of Jonathan Kent Mormon that of Jonathan Kent, Mormon cout, and Zina Webb, "the outider." Tyrone Power is seen as the cout, and lovely Linda Darnell is ast as the young girl who, although ot of Mormon faith, flees with Ty-one's family after her father is illed in the massacre at Nauvoo. Deeply in love, they are forced to forego their romance during the harrowing trials of the trek. Even when the permanent Mormon com-munity is founded at Great Salt Lake and it seems that, at last, they can belong to each other, it is necessary for the leader to send his scout back to Council Bluffs to bring on the main body of Mormons. Only after the historic plague of crickets and the "mirragle of sea gulls" are and the "miracle of sea guils" are they able to plan on a home together. The story of "Brigham Young" was written especially for the screen by the famous Louis Bromfield, Tyrone Power is starred, and Linda Darnell heads the impressive featured cast, which includes Sive featured cast, which includes Dean Jagger as Brigham Young, Brian Donlevy, Jane Darwell, John Carradine, Mary Astor, Vincent Price, Jean Rogers and Ann Todd.

Municipal

"SKY MURDER" AND "HARDY" COMEDY

"Sky Murder" brings Walter Pidgeon to the screen in another of the popular Nick Carter mysteries, crammed with thrills, bewilderment and comedy. It is now showing at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings. Pidgeon, as Nick Carter, is assigned to the down down a band of international Pidgeon, as Nick Carter, is assigned to run down a band of international criminals plotting against the government. A man is murdered on a luxury airliner and a beautiful girl is suspected. Pidgeon, aided by a pretty but eccentric "lady detective" and Bartholomew, equally eccentric apiarist of former Carter pictures, clears up the mystery and catches clears up the mystery and catches the ringleader between hilarious ad-ventures in flirtation. Third of the increasingly popular series, the picture introduces to screen audiences a glamorous new personality in Karen Verne, blonde discovery from

England.

"The Hardys Ride High" is the second feature. The new picture is different in every respect from the others. Now they inherit 2,000,000 dollars and move to Detroit to claim it. On the 'plane, their changed status first affects Aunt Milly. In Detroit overcome by sudden wealth status first affects Aunt Milly. In Detroit, overcome by sudden wealth Mickey Rooney, in his role as Andy Hardy, steps out to a cabaret and falls desperately in love with a chorus girl, Virginia Grey. Likewise, swayed by her new position, Marian Hardy (Cecilia Parker) orders lavish gowns and charges them to Judge Hardy.

Basketball at Wairoa.-Following are the basketball games to be played at Wairoa to-day (Saturday): 2.15 p.m., Ex High 2 v. Kahungunu (Mrs P. Rhodes); 2.45 p.m. Ex High 1 v. Redwing (Miss B. Adsett); 3.15 p.m., High School 1 v. High School 2. North Clyde Redwing

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PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30 Breakfast session. 9.0: "Entertainers All." 10.0: Devotional service.

12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 2.0: "Rhythm in Relays." 3.0: Rugby football match. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. Children's session. 5.45: Dimerical Section of the B.B.C. 8.15: The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra. 8.21: Studio recital by Walter Brough (bartione). 5.35: Julian clifford and Symphony Orchestra. 8.37: Studio recital by Adele Taylor (soprano). 8.49: Debroy Somers Band. 8.57: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel., 9.15: B.B.C. news. commentary. 9.25: Warlety, featuring the potted pantare of the proof of the B.B.C. news. commentary. 9.25: Variety, featuring the potted pantare of the proof of the B.B.C. news. 10.0: B.B.C. news.

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning
variety. 10.10: Devotional service.
10.25: Popular mlodies. 10.40: "For
My Lady." 11.0: "A Few Minutes
with Women Novelists: Some Australians: Ethel Turner." 11.15:
Something for everybody.

12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C.
news. 1.15: Headline News and
Views. 2.0: Saturday matinee. 30.
Rugby football match. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music.
6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News.

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7.15; Empire Day programme from the B.B.C. 8.15; "Gulliver's Travels" 8.45; Arthur Askey (comedian), 8.51; The Debroy Somers Band. 8.58; Station notices. 9.0; N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15; B.B.C. news commentary 9.25; Dance programme, 11.0; B.B.C. news

3YA CHRISTCHURCH

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30:
Breakfast session. 9.0: Morning melodies. 10.0: The Kentucky Minstrels. 10.30: Devotional service. 10.45: "For Empire Day." 11.0: "A Few Minutes with Women Novelists: Some New England Writers." 11.10: Light orchestral session, 11.30: Popular tunes.

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12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C.
news. 1.15: Headline News and
Views. 2.0: Bright music. 2.30:
Happy memories. 3.0: Rugby football match. 4.30: Rhythm and
melody. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45:
Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news.
7.0: News.

7.15: Empire Day programme from the B.B.C. 8.15; "Jack Hylton's Jubilee Cavalcade." 8.24; "Exploits of the Black Moth." 8.49; Harry Horlick and his Orchestra. 8.58: Station notices. 9.0; N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15; B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25; Audrey Holdgate (soprano). 9.38; Some Recent Releases. 10.15; Dance music, 11.0; B.B.C. news.

4YA DUNEDIN

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 10,0: Musical programme. 10,40: "A Few Minutes with Women Novelists: Rose Macaulay." 11.0: "Ernest Maltrayers." 11.20: Melodious memories. Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.; B.B.C. news. 1.15; Headline News and Views. 1.30; senior Rugby matches, 5.0; Children's session. 5.45; Dinner music. 6.15; B.B.C. news, 7.0; News.

7.15: Empire Day programme from the B.B.C. 8.15: Light orchestras. Studio vocalist: Raymond Wentworth (baritone). 8.58: Station notices. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: An old-time dance programme. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 11.0: Light music. 12.0-2.0 p.m.: Lunch music. (12.15: B.B.C. news.) 1.15: Headline News and Views. 5.0: Dance music in stifet tempo. 5.30: For the children. 5.45: The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra and Revue Chorus. 5.53: "From the Welsh Hills." 6.0: Carson Robison and his Pioneers. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 6.45: Hawke's Bay Rugby results.

Rugby results.

After-dinner music. 7.15: Empire Day programme from the B.B.C. 8.15: Harold Williams (barttone). 8.24: The State Opena Orchestra. 8.30: From the Studio: Sylvia Nixon (contraito). 8.39: The Royal Opera Orchestra. 8.43: Sylvia Nixon (contraito). 8.49: Mischa Levitski (piano). 8.56: The Royal Albert Hall Orchestra. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 9.25: "Thrills." 9.40: Medleys from the shows.

SUNDAY

ers All." 10.0: Devotional service.

10.20: The legends of Maui and Rangi. 10.45: "A Few Minutes with Women Novelists: Virginia Woolf."

11.0: "Domestic Harmony." 11.15: Auckland Trotting Club's Meeting. Lunch music. 12.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.15: Headline News and Views. 2.0: "Rhythm in Relays."

3.0: Rugby football match. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News.

**Emails Day programme from the 8.20: Studio recital by Kenneth Neate,

service.

12.15 p.m.: These you have loved. 1.0: Dinner music. (1.15: Headline News and Views, followed by Wickham Steed "On World Affairs.") 2.0: Music by Schubert: "The Unfinished Symphony." 2.24: For the music lover. 2.48: In Quires and Places where they sing. 3.0: Remembered Trifles: Travel talk by Ngálo Marsh. 3.15: Songs without words. 3.30: Down among the Barltones and Basses. 4.0: Winifred Carter, New Zealand harpist. 4.12: Band music. 4.31: Something new. 4.46: Harry Horlick's Orchestra. 5.0: Children's Song Service. 5.45: Tunes you may remember. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: Anglican service.

Anglican service.
Toscanini and the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra, 8.17: "Passion for Emeralds": A radio comedy, 8.45: Reserved, 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel, 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary, 9.25: Station notices. 9.27: Concert by the Port Nicholson Silver Band. Vocalist: Madame Margaret Mercer (contratio), 10.0: Close of normal programme, 11.0: B.B.C. news.

3YA CHRISTCHURCH

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 9.0.

With the Boys Overseas." 10.0:
Morning programme, 11.0: Anglican service.

service.

12.15 p.m.: Recordings. 1.0: Dinner music. (1.15: Headline News and Views.) 2.0: "New Zealand Brains Abroad." 2.12: "Famous Artists": Florence Austral. 2.7: "For the Music Lover." 3.0: Music by Haydin. 3.30: Bands and their music. 4.0: The Music of the East. 4.30: Barnabas von Geczy's Orchestra and Stuart Robertson (bass-barltone). 5.0: Children's service. 5.45: Evening reverle. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: Presbyterian service. 8.15: Recordings. 8.38: Dora Labbette (soprano). 8.45: Reserved. 9.0: N.B.S. newsred. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary 9.25: Station notices. 9.28: Studio programme of English music by Len Barnes (barltone). Nancy Estall ('cellist). and H'G. Glaysher (harpist). 10.0: Close of normal programme. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

4YA DUNEDIN

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 9.0
"With the Boys-Overseas." 10.0
Feminine Artists: Orchestras an Chorus. 11.0: Presbyterian service Chorus, 11.0: Presbyterian service
12.15 p.m.: Concert celebrities. 1.15
Headline News and Views, 2.0
Lavender and Lace, 2.50: The Music
of Tchalkovski, 3.2: Classical music
3.30: "Knights of the Round Table."
3.56: Light orchestras and ballads
5.0: Big Brother Bill's Song Ser
vice, 6.15: B.B.C. news, 6.30: Bap
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8.20: Studio recital by Henri Penn, English planist. 8.45: Reserved. 9.0: N.B.S. newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. newscommentary. 9.25: Station notices. 9.28: Marie Wilson String Quartet. 9.52: Nancy Evans (contraito). 10.0: The Boyd Neel String Orchestra. 10.4: Close of normal programme. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

2YH NAPIER

8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 9.0: "With the Boys Overseas." 10.0: Morning programme.

gramme.

1.0 p.m.: Dinner music. (1.15: Headline News and Views.) 2.0-4.0: Afternoon Concert Session. 6.15: Relay of Evening Meeting from Salvation Army Citadel. 8.15: Recordings, station notices. 8.30: "British Music and Musicians":
The London Philharmonic Orchestra. 8.39: John McCormack (tenor)
8:41: The Boyd Neel String Orchestra. 8.45: Reserved. 9.0: N.B.S.
newsreel. 9.15: B.B.C. news commentary 9.25: Light Symphony Or-

Mayfair

eatured in the cast.

Regent

"DIAMOND FRONTIER" IS GRIPPING DRAMA

"ONE NIGHT IN THE

TROPICS"

America's greatest living composer, Jerome Kern, furnished the musical score of five original numbers in Universal's romantic comedy feature, "One Night In the Tropics," which is now screening at the Regent Theatre, Napier. "One Night In the Tropics" presents the story of a young insurance man who sells his best friend a million-dollar "love insurance" policy and thereby causes romantic complications among two couples. Starring roles are played by Allan Jones, Nancy Kelly, Bud Abbott and Lou Costello and Robert Cummings. Abbott and Costello, famous stage and radio comedy team, make their screen debut in the picture.

Mary Boland, Leo Carrillo, William Frawley, Nina Orla, Richard Carle and Don Alvarado are also featured in the cast.

Based on authentic incidents durig the discovery of diamonds in buth Africa, with the subsequent South Africa, with the subsequent lawlessness and disorder which followed in the wake of the rush to the diggings, "Diamond Frontier," which is now showing at the Mayfair Theatre, Napler, starring Victor McLagen, is announced as an action and thrill-packed drama. The discovery of a large rough diamond in the hands of a group of children is re-created, as are the scenes of the violent rush for claims which is re-created, as are the scenes of the violent rush for claims which followed when the news of the rich strike spread to neighbouring com-munities. Also featured in the cast are John Loder, the English actor, and Anne Nagel, who has the role of Loder's sweetheart. The asso-ciate feature, "Girl Loves Boy," is a love story set in a small town.

State

"THEY KNEW WHAT THEY WANTED"

The yearning of a discouraged waterfront waitress to escape her drab life of drudgery, and the unforseen complications which develop when a romantic solution presents itself, form the dual theme of the Carole Lombard-Charles Laughton starring vehicle, "They Knew What They Wanted," now at the State Theatre, Napier. This human drama shows Miss Lombard as the lonely rhearre, Napier. This fittinal drainal shows Miss Lombard as the lonely waitress who is seen by Tony Patucci (Charles Laughton) jovial Californian vintner, on holiday in San Francisco, and who immediately

How the two contrasting characters are brought together through an old correspondence courtship and how the vineyardist's romantic young foreman takes advantage of the loneliness of the would-be bride, are said to make for poignant heart-

COMBINED PRACTICE SHOOT

Miniature Rifles

Miniature Rifle Club took place on Wednesday night in the form of a combined practice shoot, when a good attendance of members turned out to test their skill with the rifle. A pleasing feature was the presence of new members, especially the younger ones who expressed keenness to become proficient marksmen. In this respect it is to be noted that the mastery of the small-bore rifle is a fitting prelude to the mastery of its counterpart—the service rifle.

Among the ladies new faces were seen and as the club is desirous of encouraging membership in this branch, it has again decided to devote Thursday night in each week

vote Thursday night in each week to their training and new members will be welcomed at the range at Thompson and Hills (late Apsey's) in Hastings Street.

Good Shooting Shooting generally was good and the honours of the evening go to S. L. Luxford with an excellent 69 of a possible of 70 under the new sevenshot match. In the B grade, J. McNeilly, R. Stevenson and J. Aldridge head the list with 62, which was bettered among the ladies by was bettered among the ladies by Mrs C. Pirie with a good score of

Following are the detailed results: A Grade: S. L. Luxford 69, R. Robinson 67, M. J. Lush 67, C. Denson 66, C. Eberhard 66, B. Denson 65, N. Livingston 64, J. M. Carmichael 63, C. Barclay 62, N. Pirie 59

B Grade: J. McNeilly 62, R. Stevenson 62, J. Aldridge 62, A. I. Rainbow 61, J. K. Moroney 60, P. Walden 56, H. Abbott 56, W. Gannaway 55, L. Walden 51, C. Page 49, J. Bennett 47, G. Griffiths 45, L. Zurcher 41, L. Baumfield 41, L. Ward 41, J. King 41, A. Sawyers 41, Women's Section: Mrs Pirie 64, Miss Robertson 62, Mrs Hooper 62, Mrss Satchell 42, Miss Atkins 41, Miss Pryor 41, Mrs Page 41.

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5.0 a.m.: News. 7.30: Religious service. 8.30: Music of Britain. 8.45: News. 10.45: News. 11.0: "Questions of the Hour."

12 noon: News. 12.45: Listening Post. and Views by J. B. McGeachy or Lindsay Fraser. 20: "Music of Brit. 1.15: Starlight. 1.45: Headline News ain. 2.45: "To-night We Present." 3.15: "At Your Request." 3.30: Newsreel. 4.30: News summary. 6.00 p.m.: Programme announcements. 6.15: News. 6.30: "Questions of the Hour." 6.45: Starlight. 7.45: "Music of Britain." 8.0: Headline News and News Commentary, Cyril Lakin or P. E. G. Bayley. 9.15: "To-day We Present." 9.30: Radio Newsreel (Pacific edition). 11.0: News.

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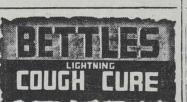
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Gossip

Mrs Max Speedy, Matamau, accompanied by Mrs Absolom, Waipawa, is visiting Wellington.

Miss Helen Parnell is a Wellington visitor to Matamau, being the guest of Miss Betty Speedy.

Mrs Lumley and her little grand-son, Wanganui, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Mathieson, Otawhao.

Mrs T. Carr, Matamau, is visiting

Masterton, where her sister is seriously ill in hospital.

Mrs David Willis, Feilding, is in Ormondville as the guest of her aunt, Mrs F. Hosking.

Mrs C. M. Pedder and Mrs A. L. Johnstone were Wellington visitors to Napier for the Nichol-Munro wed-

Mrs H. A. Fannin, Nelson Street, Hastings, who has been staying in Wellington with her daughter, Mrs Crawford, has returned home.

Mrs Castel and her small son, Paekakariki, are visiting Mrs Castel's parents, Mr and Mrs W. J. Edgecombe, Kopua.

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Organiser Comments

On Results

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are transferred here-

need for aluminium will be even greater.

Mr Weaver's organisation is assisted by most of the municipal

assisted by most of the municipal and shire councils. Brigades of boys with billycarts go round homes collecting; Red Cross branches, Boy Scouts, W.A.N.S. girls all help.

But, says Mr Weaver: "There are still thousands of citizens who could give valuable support but who do little or nothing." We are fighting a Germany, he points out, where a woman was sent to gaol for three months because she threw away three bones.

BULB GROWING IN

POTS AND BOWLS

Fascinating Hobby For Women

If bulbs are grown in ordinary red earthenware pots, wash the pots well and dry them before using, and

well and dry them before using, and place broken crocks or pebbles in the bottom for drainage. Use rich, friable, loamy soil, and plant the bulbs so that the crowns are about an inch below the surface. Do not let the bulbs touch each other. Water well and place in a shady, cool place till the tips of the foliage appear. They may then be removed gradually into the light, and later to a sunny position on the window ledge.

to a sunny position on the window ledge.

Any kind of receptacle in crockery, glass, or tin that will hold water may be used for growing bulbs indoors, and fibrous mixtures, such as coconut fibre or moss fibre, may be used as root medium. These fibres require no drainage, are obtainable from any seed store and are quite

require no drainage, are obtainable from any seed store, and are quite inexpensive. A few pieces of charcoal should be mixed with the fibre to prevent it from turning sour. Soak the fibre in water, then squeeze with the hand until it is just damp, but not saturated, then fill the bowls to within an inch of the top. Put the bulbs in and work the fibre in firmly with the fingers. Keep in shade till tips appear, then gradually bring into the light.

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THIS WEEK'S RECIPES

A Variety Of Correct Sauces Which Should Be Served With Game

THIS month game recipes have been featured because many housewives have requested assistance in the cooking of certain dishes which are only possible in the shooting season. In numerous recipes the correct sauces to serve with game have been named and probably a list of sauces to serve with game or poultry will be welcomed

ably a list of sauces to serve with game or poultry will be welcomed as well as the recipes.

These are as follow: Duck and Goose, roasted, apple sauce; Gosling, roasted, apple or gooseberry sauce; Guinea Fowl, roasted, bread or Espagnole sauce; Pigeons, grilled or roasted, brown, mushroom, piquante or tomato sauce; Turkey, boiled, celery, oyster or bechamel sauce; roasted, bread sauce; Hare, roasted, brown sauce with port wine; Partridge, roasted, bread sauce; grilled, mushroom sauce; Pheasant, boiled, celery or oyster sauce; grilled, mushroom sauce; fried, tartare or tomato sauce; roasted, Espagnole sauce; Venison, grilled, sauce made with equal quantities of melted butter, red wine and red currant jelly; roasted, brown sauce with wine.

Strain the sauce and serve.

CREAM BECHAMEL

BREAD SAUCE

Ingredients: 1oz. butter, 12oz.

to taste.

Method: Boil the onions, mace

CELERY SAUCE

APPLE SAUCE

Ingredients: ½lb. apples, 1 teacup water, 1 teaspoonful butter, a teaspoonful sugar.

Method: Peel and slice the apples, boil them with the water until soft, add the butter and sugar,

GOOSEBERRY SAUCE

Melt 1oz. butter in a saucepan

Ingredients: 1oz. butter, 1 onion and a piece each of carrot and turnip finely sliced, 1 oz, flour, ½ pint meat or vegetable stock, pepper and salt, port wine if desired.

Method: Fry the vegetables in butter till golden brown, add the flour and fry it lightly. Stir in the seasoning, boil for 5 minutes, then add as much port wine as desired

Melt loz. butter in a saucepan and sprinkle lightly in loz. cornflour and mix to a smooth paste. Add a pint milk, stir till it boils and boil 3 minutes. Add the well-cooked, strained gooseberries (bottled) and a dash of nutmeg and heat again.

TARTARE SAUCE

Ingredients: 4 yolks of eggs, 1 teaspoonful mustard, ½ teaspoonful salt, olive oil, tarragon vinegar, 2 shallots, cayenne pepper to taste.

Method: Put the salt, mustard and cayenne into a basin, break in the yolks of eggs, then stir in one table-spoonful of oil, the one teaspoonful of vinegar, alternately, until the sauce is the right consistency. Add the chopped pickled onions and eperkins.

ONION SAUCE

Ingredients: 1oz. butter, i pint milk, 1 teaspoonful flour, 1 large boiled onion.

Method: Melt the butter in a

Method: Melt the butter in a saucepan, stir in the flour and blend it thoroughly, then add the liquid a little at a time until the consistency of cream; add the remainder of the liquid, stirring all the time. Add the finely chopped onion and boil the sauce for 5 minutes.

OYSTER SAUCE

Ingredients: 12 oysters, 20z. but-ter, 20z. flour, 2 cup milk, salt and pepper, squeeze of lemon juice, 2 tablespoonfuls of cream.

Method. Remove the beards from

the oysters and keep the liquid. Make this up to half a pint with the milk; add the oyster beards and simmer for 7 minutes. Strain through muslin. Make the sauce in milk; add the oyster beards and simmer for 7 minutes. Strain through muslin. Make the sauce in the ordinary way from the butter, flour and flavoured milk, add the oysters, cream and seasoning and lemon juice. Re-heat but do not boil.

Quiet Wedding Ceremony

NICHOL-MUNRO

Bride Wears Burgundy Wool Crepe

ONE BRIDESMAID

A quiet wedding was solemnised at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Napier, when Barbara Jean, youngest daughter of Mrs E. J. Munro and the late Mr J. S. Munro, Cameron the late Mr J. S. Munro, Cameron Road, Napier, was married to James Bernard, eldest son of Mrs E. G. Nichol and the late Mr H. T. Nichol, Bay View. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Stuart Francis and Mr Pacey presided at the organ

the organ.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr R. S. Munro, was attired in a smartly fashioned frock of burgundy wool crepe de chine, smart felt hat and shoes to tone and she wore a shoulder spray of natural flowers.

Miss Jeanette Nichol, sister of the

add as much port wine as desired (usually about 1 small teacup).

Miss Jeanette Nichol, sister of the bridegroom, attended as bridesmaid and was wearing a pretty frock of du Barry rose wool sheer, with a smart brown hat and shoulder spray of natural flowers.

Mr W. Walker was the best man. Following the ceremony Mrs Munro entertained relatives and intimate friends to luncheon. Mrs Munro was wearing a smartly tailored suit of black with silver pin stripe, black hat and autumn-toned shoulder spray.

Mrs Nichol had chosen an ensemble of woodbark brown with brown Ingredients: 1 small head of cel-Ingredients: 1 small head of celery, 2 pint of milk, 1oz. flour, salt and pepper, 1oz. butter, 2 table-spoonfuls of cream.

Method: Wash the celery and blanch it and cut into small pieces. Stew very slowly in the seasoned milk until tender. Sieve, then melt the butter, add the flour and cook for a few minutes, stirring mean-

Mrs Nichol had chosen an ensemble of woodbark brown with brown hat and autumn flowers.

Later, when leaving for a honeymoon tour, the bride travelled in a green frock worn under a smartly checked brown coat brown hat and accessories. Mr and Mrs Nichol will make their future home at Bay for a few minutes, stirring meanwhile. Bring to the boil, and boil for 3 minutes. Stir in the cream, reheat and serve.

CURTAIN RINGS ARE **PRECIOUS**

flour, 1 pint chicken stock, pint of milk, 1 gill cream, 1 small onion, 2 blades mace, strip lemon rind, 6 white peppercorns, salt and pepper Curtain rings are among the many small things that are now difficult to obtain in New Zealand, so don't discard your old ones. Curtain rings that have become rusty lemon peel and peppercorns in the milk and stock. Fry the butter and flour together in a saucepan without browning, strain in the milk and stock gradually, stirring well all the time, add cream, boil a few minutes, stirring well, and season. through exposure to the air should be soaked for about twelve hours in parrafin oil, when they will be as good as new again.

If you have a bottle of lemon butter that has not much flavour the addition of a few drops of es-sence of lemon mixed in thoroughly will make all the difference in the

Ingredients: One onion, 2 cloves, 3 peppercorns, 1 blade mace, 1 breakfast cup milk, a teacupful breadcrumbs or soaked and squeezed bread, ½ teaspoonful salt, ½oz. butter.

Method: Simmer the onion, cloves, and mace in the liquid When making biscuits, it is possible to cook more in the oven at a time if shallow caketins are used instead of slides. These are placed one above another, longways and crossways on the two grid shelves. As many as eight tins can be fitted into a small oven.

LESSEN YOUR FIRING

Try These Hints For Economy

Every penny matters these days, both to you and to the nation. There are so many little ways in which waste can be avoided. Mrs A. L. Falls who has been visiting Auckland and Cambridge has returned to Napier.

Fires, of course, give good opportunity for saving. Bacon rinds make good "firelighters." Put them, and any bits of wood, near the front of Mrs R. Warburton, Wellington, is visiting Napier as the guest of her mother, Mrs F. W. Triggs, Mrs J. L. Gilmore, Tikitiki, is an inmate at Longsyde Private Hospithe grate so that they blaze through the coal as the flue draws the blaze

toward the chimney.
Coal dust will cake if it is damped, and will burn steadily when the fire is well alight. So will all sorts of peelings and scraps of fat, as well



Smoke Tree Grey is the color Frances Robinson, Columbia player, gives her trim frock of featherweight wool. The penell silhouette is broken by the 15-inch flounce of knife pleating, and the upper section is decorated with fabric-covered buttons. Herz accessories are navy blue.

as the contents of the dustpan. Cinders should be sifted daily and re-

tained.
Coal will last longer on the fire if
it has previously been sprinkled
with ordinary washing soda dissolved in water—a dessertspoon to
a quart of water. It is a good plan
to cake your coal dust with this
mixture, you can then shovel it into a paper bag and make a good
hefty lump to put on the back of
the fire. Salt sprinkled on coal has
the same beneficial effect.

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CURTAININGS

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Everyone turned out to see the Bride-of-the-Year (the Honourable's daughter) wed the Man-of-the-Hour. "M'deah, she had hundreds of beaux!"

"Here comes the bride!" The crowd presses forward; even disinterested passers-by stop to crane their heads and look.

"Who is she?"

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5 FIGURE TYPES AND THEIR THIRTEEN VARIATIONS



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Brazil Faces the Swastika

AFTER EIGHT YEARS OF NAZI PENETRATION, SOUTH AMERICA IS PREPARED

Dictatorship That Wants To Be On Winning Side

A MERICA fears that Germany's eight-year campaign of "penetration" in South America is about to bear fruit stamped with the swastika.

Brazil is to-day reported to be ready to align itself with the Axis. Brazil is the largest State in South America. We are apt to forget that it is bigger than the United States itself by more than 250,000 square miles. And it has a population of

It has vast mineral and children to all-German schools the Press. agricultural wealth, still meant that relatives still in Ger- It is that largely undeveloped. So have many would immediately be sent to Press which concentration agrees and all the press which is the press which concentration agrees and all the press. other South American countries. That is Reason 1 why Germany has, for years past, been casting covetous eyes on them. Reason 2 is that Latin-America affords a great market.

Meanwhile South America has been treasure-house and larder, too, for Britain and America. Britain's investments alone in South America total £1,000,000,000

More British capital is invested in Argentina than in any other foreign country. From Argentina Britain has been buying £20,000,000

£5,000,000 in 2,500,000 acres of wild organiser, sees to it that by radio, rubber trees up the Amazon basin. the printed word, and personal con-Reason: If Japan cut off America's tact, they are for ever in touch with present rubber sources. Malaya, the the Patherland.

present rubber sources, Malaya, the the Fatherland.

Dutch East Indies and Indo-China, This organisation is responsible city's boundaries. the handiest rubber trees would be for no fewer than 37 newspapers and Recorders time. those of Brazil. And America's is a weeklies outside Germany, and, in rubber-tyred civilisation.

The Nazis set to work immediately Hitler came into power to fur. Wing of articles, which supplies free a regular serately Hitler came into power to fur.

that there were hundreds of thous-

1918. played up. British successes are ing news, views, and propaganda by In the past 55 years 200,000 Ger-played down, distorted, or not menthe hour, cost £1,000,000. It has six high-power transmitsame period 1,375,000 immigrants arrived from Italy. The Italians have German "Colonial" become Brazilians—or at least South

German immigrants had, also,

Retaliation in

Germany

Failure to do so, failure to organisation

within a State.

There were at one time 87 Nazi
groups in Brazil alone until they
Youths

Suppression of the Nazi organisa-tions in Brazil came in 1938 with a change of front of Brazil's revolutionary President, Dr. Getulio Vargas. Vargas, backed by his own band of green-shirted Fascists, had seized power in 1930 and has been virtually a Dictator since.

In 1935 with cries of "Communist menace!" he imprisoned his opponents and Green-shirts and other Fascists had the widest liberty.

Vargas Wants to Be a Winner

By a coup d'etat of 1937, the Occasional dances had been held Brazilian Constitution, National at first, but they were banned "be-Socialist in mould, became dictacause accidents were always likely torial to the extent that the Presito happen to the Germans." dent could order arrests at his dis
"The English!" cretion and controlled the policy of

pretty good hints were given as to on his attitude of 1938, when he to England, and, rushing home, their likely fate. Do you wonder that the bulk of and Fascists, suppressed their org-the Latin-American Germans (many anisations and closed German Six of the civil and fascists and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and contact and closed German Six of the civil and closed of whom have never even set foot schools.

in Germany), paid up . . . and kept quiet about the extortion? But Hit understanding with the United ler had another plan to make sure that colonists never escaped the ed by German propaganda and betoils of the Third Reich.

German vessels research as the world seeking a better with the United assistants. German prisoners and "Quislings" captured during the raid of Lotofen Island, Norway, arrived at a London station.

German vessels—passenger car- the world. riers or cargo boats—had instruc- He want riers or cargo boats—had instruc-tions that whenever they called at Latin-American ports they were to reports, to jump aboard the Nazi ing to Narvik, 215 prisoners were Latin-American ports they were to reports, to j give free accommodation to all Ger. bandwaggon.

man women about to become mothers, so that their off-spring should be born under the German has succeeded is borne out by the were destroyed, fish-oil factories, the true story of the German-born child, power station and oil storage tanks worth of meat a year.

Germans in the Latin-American
Republics now number about 1,750,at the moment, the United States is most vitally interested in its rubber. Henry Ford has neested Bohle, craffy, cunning, but a great

Germans in the Latin-American
Republics now number about 1,750,spector in the Argentine school he ling 18,000 tons were sunk.

On arrival in London the Germans were mostly smiling broadly such as the Hitlerian salute!

German schools were hanned in the Cathar-Both and all of storage tanks who in 1938, when asked by the inspector in the Argentine school he ling 18,000 tons were sunk.

On arrival in London the Germans were mostly smiling broadly and smoking cigarettes given them by their British soldier guards.

ately Hitler came into power to further political and economic penetranews to all its foreign branches a godsend to the Nazis in their eftion into the country. Do not forget from the central office in Hamburg, forts to maintain control of their

According to these inspired news, kinsmen overseas. The Zeesen are compartment. They seemed According to these inspired news- kinsmen overseas. The Zeesen ands of Germans settled in Latin- sheets, Germany is winning the war station, which broadcasts regularly America before the war of 1914- hands down. German successes are on the short wave in German, giv-

> ters, with two in reserve, compared with Daventry's five. There are, in addition, German-owned stations in

Germany, of course, has no terriadopted the habits, the laws, and torial colony in Latin-America, but every device known to chicanery to the outlook of their new lands. But, with the coming of Hitler, all that through the Nazi overseas organisation the value of goods exchanged be though the Nazi overseas organisation. The war coop made abundants through the Offent of goods and the Nazi overseas organisation through the Nazi overseas organisation to trade, the Nazis have used their best weapons were straight every device known to chicanery to lefts.

A powerfully-built sergeant said: through the Nazi overseas organisation through the Nazi overseas organisation through the Nazi overseas organisation to the Nazis have used lefts. It was soon made abundantly there, has had the effect of creating ample, in 1936, had risen from 145,-clear to the settlers of German what are virtual German colonies in 000,000 marks to 264,000,000 marks,

in Germany is reproduced in order to keep the overseas German sheep in the party fold.

And all the time Nazi propaganda wherever British troops landed, German troops would be there. Where derground. America at last has wak-The Nazis, indeed, ever since ened to the danger of this potential There were stirring scenes when

The Nazi party funds must be 1933, have worked ceaselessly, un- foe on her very doorstep. That ex- King Haakon received the Norweg-supported, and supported gener- tiringly, and with all the genius for plains the recent loans of many mil- ians. Their leader, a tall, Viking-like attend party meetings, to send their one never yet defeated an enemy Uruguay.

WHAT LONDON IS READING IN WARTIME are fighting.

to-day of whom the world knows

merely because Dr Johnson knew

Tale Of A Convent: Journey In Wartime England: Death Of Elizabeth

Centres

(Special to the DAILY MAIL by CHARLES PILGRIM.)

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1941. Miss Kate O'Brien is one of those writers who treat their public with fastidious consideration. Her books have been few, because, clearly, everything she publishes enjoys careful polish. This is markedly so in her latest book, "The Land of Spices" (Heinemann 8/6). The scene is a convent in Ireland before 1914. The Order is a very strict and conservative one deriving from France.

One may be mistaken, but the subject and treatment suggest personal experience. The leading character is an English Mother Superior in her relations with a child, Anna Murphy, who had entered the convent school at the age of The novel has a somewhat loose construction and wanders in time. We are taken back to the Reverend Mother's early life with the father to whom she was devoted.

Death of Lady Russell

A Friend of Dr. Johnson

aroused in her a sense of vocation everyone no matter what maybe and turned her feet in the direction their assumptions about the political of the convent. Miss O'Brien has rights and wrongs of warfare, steered cleverly between the affairs

Death of Lady Russell of two worlds. She makes us fully conscious of the religious faith which guides and upholds the Order. Also she paints delicious pictures of daily happenings in the establishments and not infrequently displays ments and not infrequently displays mous author of "Elizabeth and her" other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are continued in the many negros have mous author of "Elizabeth and her" other parts of the world. One nears horrible stories of lynching and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to which many negros have mous author of "Elizabeth and her" of the world. One nears the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to which many negros have mous author of "Elizabeth and her" of the world. One nears the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the means of the world. One nears the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the means of the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the morning and almost equally unpleasant expressions of contempt. On the other hand one is aware of the high standard of culmulations are content to the morning and a of two worlds. She makes us fully conscious of the religious faith German Garden." Since then her

Vera Brittain's Journey

In "The Testament of Youth" Miss tained. She has been consistently Vera Brittain wrote one of the best something of a best-seller. The qualbooks about the last war. In "Eng. ity which distinguished her first land's Hour" (Macmillan 8/6) she book has never deserted her, and has written a book of less enduring time has added a facility of expresvalue but of no less sincerity. It is sion to her bright and somewhat in her nature to be subjective, to derisive wit. find the material of her writing in "Mr Skeffington," published only her own thoughts and emotions. a year ago, was as good and lively

But her intention was not to be as anything she had done. Those self-revelatory. It was to journey who 40 years ago thought they saw through England in wartime as Mr in "Elizabeth" a flash in the pan by through England in wartime as Mr in "Elizabeth" a flash in the pan by Priestley had journeyed through a gifted amateur were proved mis-England in the time of depression taken. Very few writers can have and unemployment. She wanted to maintained so high a level for so see what the people were doing in many years. Countess Russell's the hour of trial and to describe books will be missed by a large and the hour of trial and to describe books will be missed by a large and the hour of trial and to describe books will be missed by a large and what she saw. This she has done devoted public. with full measure of sympathy and

tacked provincial towns. She states stance of this is James Boswell him-book shows how thoroughly he designed by Experience, M.I.T. means her belief that greater wisdom and self. But there is at least one other serves his success. her belief that greater wisdom and self. But there is at least one other serves his success.

Thrale)" (Oxford University Press
18/-) by James L. Clifford may be accepted as the definite biography of a lady who has come down to us in the light of reflected splendour. No Of Deception a lady who has come down to us in other book about her need be writ-

fully prepared book we see her as a wife of the rich brewer and the mother of his 12 children. She is in!" fascinating Italian, Piozzi, caused a as footballs. first-class scandal, a scandal which The running waters are danger was the occasion of Johnson's fury ous—not a drop below the cultiva and Fanny Burney's tears. This book tion level may be drunk unboiled

A Negro Poet

one in the United States of America. then on that—malaria in its various Relatively little is known of it in forms is bred. other parts of the world. One hears

Tradition names the land around

literary career has been well sustained. She has been consistently by Langston Hughes, is by an A baby-faced Chinese soldier sits tained. She has been consistently American negro of culture. Still a by the driver of our wagon, rifle American negro of culture. young man, Mr Hughes is known in between knees, and fingers relaxed. America as a poet and as a poet he On his head is a German-type steel tells the story of his struggle for helmet; it his belt are a couple of recognition. His family has produced hand-grenades. awyers and journalists and at least On the last lap of the long, rough one member of Congress, but he journey to Kunming, a station-himself has had to struggle hard for wagon in our convoy wearily sheds a living. As a seaman he made his its main tank.

others, he believes firmly in the out of the way. Soon his improvised future of his race, and, as a negro, tank is ready, and he beckons them is proud that he has been able to into their seats and drives off. an understanding which has not lost

There have been some men and secure general recognition as a poet. It's true that each of his passen a grip of detail in a general horror women who have achieved immor- For in his case hard work and ample gers holds a diploma in aeronauti the vast tragedy.

She has seen the crowds shelteror control. Samuel Johnson seems poems for which he was not paid, setts Institute of Technology. It's ing from nightly air-raids in the to have had a way of immortalising but he has put that time behind him. true that the M.I.T. is world-famous. London tubes and those other his otherwise undistinguished Now, he is fully launched on "The But the driver is a veteran of the crowds of refugees in the less at- friends. The most remarkable in- Big Sea" of art and his well written Burma Road, and his diploma is

Girls Danced With Invaders: by belittling his qualities — to set up in Latin-America a State R. No. By Norwegian

With obvious satisfaction Norwegian girls taken to England by the ships in the British naval raid on Loto-fen Island tell how Norwegian youths cropped the hair of every girl who danced with the German invaders of Nor-

"Only bad girls had anything to do with the German soldiers," declared one girl.

"The English!"

One girl said she was in bed when she heard the shout, "The meant that relatives still in Ger- It is that pro-Nazi policy of the English are here!" Running out in many would immediately be sent to Press which has now been re-affirmher nightie to the edge of the flord, concentration camps, and some ed by Vargas. He has gone back she learned of the chance of getting

Six of the girls are to become

Narvik Again

bandwaggon. taken, 300 Norwegian patriots vol-In the Argentine the same "pene- untarily joined the British, the tration" went on, and how well it island's four principal fishing ports

One said that none of them had Koehn, opened them outside the been able to resist the Anglo-Norwegian landing force.

"Your soldiers and sailors just surrounded us and we could nothing," said one prisoner. "It was all over in 30 or 40 minutes. We

most depressed and refused to talk Another train brought the Norwegian patriots. Special buses and coaches took them to three London

They talked excitedly about their escape after 10 months under the Nazi yoke. British troops who participated in the raid declared that Buenos Aires, Lima and Bolivia. ticipated in the raid declared that In trade, the Nazis have used their best weapons were straight

Disappointment clear to the settlers of German what are virtual German colonies in 000,000 marks to 264,000,000 marks, one British private said that the and remember that these goods in the cluded motor cars, coal, cement, always a German, always a German, always a German," was to be the motto

Cone British private said that the troops, before destroying the radio cluded motor cars, coal, cement, always a groups, Winter Help Collections — paper, type-writers, and calculating indeed all the fun of the Nazi fair machines. One British private said that the troops, before destroying the radio station, broadcast the following wherever British troops landed, Ger-

British at Narvik, declared: vow our last drop of blood to the cause for which all the democracies

"Thousands of Norwegians are hoping to get the same opportunity that came to us."

"Hester Lynch Piozzi (Mrs Picturesque

be written. On the whole it may be said Mrs Thrale has enjoyed too much limelight.

As Mrs Thrale she roused the jealousy of Boswell and as Mrs Piozzi
He looks at soaring heights, at clear the fury of Johnson. In this care-

rather silly but not without interest But the country swarms with as a personality. Her second marpeople who are cursed with iodineriage with the much younger and starvation, and have goitres as big

A shock which she, as a girl of a fuller understanding of life could will be a treasure to the student of except at the risk of dysentery or eighteen, received in connection with have averted the piece of work and 18th century English life and letters. typhoid. In the charming valleys, and on those hillsides where the farmer lets the water down by slow The negro problem is an abiding stages—to lie first on this terrace,

"The Big Sea" (Hutchinson 10/6) getting to know it as it is.

way to Africa and back and as a The Chinese driver takes off his kitchen-boy he worked in a Paris smart leather jacket, lays aside his



The Letterbox

pleased indeed to welcome you to our Playtime Club, Friar Tuck, and I think your pen name is a splendid one. I am glad to see that like your sister, Rose Marie, who are going to send me nice neat letters and I hope you will write often. Thank you for your poem and verse and the limericks which I liked very much.

Rose Marie, Hastings: The competition you sent to me this week seems a splendid one, Rose Marie, and I hope to be able to use it very soon. I am so glad that your brother has decided to become a Playmate, too, and you will have fun considering the competitions together. Your limericks were good and I'm sure the Playmates will all enjoy them. I expect it will be quite fun to see all your school mates again.

Makel Hastings: I was most inter-

Mabel, Hastings: I was most interested to read in your letter this week about your trip out to Waimarama, Mabel, and it sounds to have been a good afternoon's pleasure. Just fancy having to help a lorry out of the gutter on the way and what a good job you could manage it all right. Yours was a good try with the general knowledge questions.

Clare, Hastings: 1 was a little late in getting the Playmates letters answered this week, Clare, so it was quite all right not receiving your searlier. I expect it will be easier for you to leave when school has begun again and you are passing more often. Thank you for your little verse and the competitions.

Robin Hood, D.S.O., Pakowhai: I had hoped for a very long letter this week with lots of holiday news in it, Robin Hood, and I was quite disappointed. However, when you don't write I always know that you must be more busy than usual and I am glad to receive just the competition answers rather than nothing at all.

Mexicali Rose, Mohaka: I shall be very pleased for your sister to join our Playtime Club, Mexicali Rose, so you help her to print me a little letter and then I will give her a special welcome. You are quite right about the marks for yourself and Regina and I will send you your badges at once. I am so pleased that you have both earned them. Your letter was most interesting.

teresting.

Tinkerbell, Hastings: I liked hearing about your Girl Guide laws, Tinkerbell, and shall look forward to hearing more of them next week. What fun to go for a hike and I think it was splendid to pick up walnuts for the Red Cross. Thank you for the contributions which you sent me for our page and I hope to use them very soon.

Wendy, Hastings: Thank you for your limericks and tongue twisters, Wendy, they were very good. I am so glad that you look forward to the "Daily Mail's" Playtime Page on Saturdays and hope the frosts won't stop you from hopping out of bed. Yes, the leaves dropping all over the lawns are a nuisance but they will soon be over now.

Rua, Napier: Yes, I think that you have chosen a very attractive and easily remembered pen name, Rua, and I was so pleased to receive your letter. What a simply lovely holiday you are having and with a girl friend to go walking with you couldn't be more fortunate. I am so glad your Mother kept the Playtime Page for your friend.

Hazel Lukey, Hastings: You cerhad an air of neglect and we began to realise it was completely empty.

Your friend.

Hazel Lukey, Hastings: You cerainly seem to have had great fun the lay you visited Napier, Hazel, and the lime must have passed very quickly with a visit to the Museum, afternoon

werses also and the little pen and ink drawing.

Daffodil, D.S.O., Hastings: Your letter was most interesting this week, Daffodil, and you certainly are right about the lovely weather for your holidays. I am so pleased that you enjoyed the wedding that you went to and also had that lovely drive right into the country. Thank you for the coloured drawings you sent me—they were very neatly done.

Bib, Hastings: Yes, I do like reading very much, Bib, and I am so pleased that you do too. Books are a very good way to spend the money that you won because they give you so much pleasure and if you buy good ones you have them to keep for ever. Your tongue twisters were very difficult to say and should make all the Playmates think hard.

Isla Read, Hastings: Would you remember not to write on both sides of your paper another time, Isla, because I had such difficulty reading your letter and I did so want to hear all about what you were doing. I am interested to hear that you write to a girl in America and if she ever tells you anything especially good we could include it in our page.

Shirley Hannah, D.S.O., Hastings: I, too was very sorry that time didn't

and am so pleased because you will be able to have another book.

Peter Pan, Clive: I was very interested to read all about your pets, Peter Pan, and shall include your story as soon as I possibly can, because I know all the Playmates will like to read it. I am glad you answered the general knowledge questions and I thought your song story was very good, also.

Busy Bee, D.S.O., Hastings: I am pleased that you have been enjoying your holidays so much, Busy Bee, and am sure it must have been great fun to have your little friend staying quite near you. I expect you did lots of things together. We have had the limerick you sent me some weeks ago but I allowed you a mark for it.

Inspector Scott, D.S.O., Hastings:

Inspector Scott, D.S.O., Hast

but I allowed you a mark for it.

Inspector Scott, D.S.O., Hastings:
How splendid for you to make a
little table for yourself, Inspector
Scott, and it will be so handy to have
somewhere to do your writing. It
would be great fun for you and your
friend to watch the football at Nelson Park and when you had your
game afterwards I expect you were
able to try out some of the special
tricks you had seen.

Chris. Austin, Whakatu: I think
that you are getting quite a clever

on the state of th for me, too, won't you?

Sailor Boy, D.S.O., Hastings: I think that I hardly need say how pleased I am to be able to put D.S.O. after your name, Sailor Boy. If you will ask when you bring in your next letter I will have your prize handy for you and will you remember that I am always most interested to hear what you do with it. Your letter this week was splendid and I did enjoy it. Thank you also for your other contributions.

PAM'S PAGE FOR PLAYMATES

Letter

Dear Girls and Boys:

This week I want to ask you specially to look very carefully at the general knowledge question answers because though you all made very good tries there were quite a number of answers not quite right. I feel sure that the Playmate who told me a cow had 16 toes on each foot must always have closed her eyes when a cow came near!

Then I want to remind you to write any little poems or stories that you send to me on a different piece of paper from your letter. They should be written as neatly as you can and only on one side of the paper. Your letter to me can be written on both sides so that you don't use any more

Quite a lot of Playmates make their own envelopes and that pleases me quite a lot. Those who have not yet tried this idea should do so because you are

This Week's

Honours

Wendy, Hastings
Hazel Lukey, Hastings
Joy, Napier
Daffodill, D.S.O., Hastings

Daffodill, D.S.O., Hastings
Bab, Hastings
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Shirley Hannah, D.S.O., Hastings
Peter Pan, Clive
Busy Bee, D.S.O., Hastings
Inspector Scott, D.S.O., Hastings
Chris, Austin, Whakatu
Professor, Whakatu
Genevieve, D.S.O., Hastings
Pauline Jones, Clive
Popeye, Hastings
Sailor Boy, D.S.O., Hastings

A WORD-BUILDING

COMPETITION

RIDDLES

When is a cherry like a book?

falling out.

Answer: When it is red (read).

What jam can never be eaten?

What takes you everywhere but oes not move?

-Margaret Ward, Ormondville.

What pudding should make a good cricketer?

Answer: A traffic jam.

Answer: A batter.

When is milk like a lemon? Answer: When it is sour.

What is the best thing out?

Answer: A bull in a china shop.

Pauline Jones, Clive: I think that that was a very clever little limerick that you made up for me, Pauline, and I liked reading it. Also I thought that you had planned your jumbled etter words very well and I think they would be quite tricky to guess.

Answer: A road.

when you use it?
Answer: Coal.

Why are bad friends like loose pages in a book?
Answer: Because they are always

rrl, Gisborne
Irganet Mackay, Hastings
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Irley Foote Hastings
Ick Silver Hastings
okin, Hastings
okin, Hastings
ncy Paulsen, D.S.O., Takapau
ppy, D.S.O., Otane

saving envelopes and doing something useful. I shall look forward to lots of homemade envelopes next week. ans. Love from:

Nerve-Wracking Experience

AN ORIGINAL STORY

We had been for a hike and on the way home it had started to rain. It pelted down in sheets and in no time we were soaked. We were about 4 miles from town and there were no houses or any place of shelter in sight. We trudged on feeling miserable and cold. Suddenly right back from the road the dark shape of a house loomed.

oonbeam, Marings
nowdrop, Hastings
slb, Hastings
Bub, Hastings
Garthowen, D.S.O., Hastings
Friar Tuck, Hastings
Rose Marie, Hastings
Glare, Hastings
Clare, Hastings
Clare, Hastings
Robin Hood, D.S.O., Pakowhal
Mexicali Rose, Mohaka
Tinkerbell, Hastings
Tinkerbell, Hastings
Napler "A house!" The four of us shouted. As we opened the iron gates we were too thankful for any sort of shelter to notice that they sort of shelter to notice that they creaked as though from long disuse or that the house was in absolute darkness. The long drive leading up to the front door, was overgrown with tall weeds, and by the light of a small torch which I had fortunately taken with me, we could see that where there had once been gardens, there was now only a forgardens, there was now only a for-est of weeds and overgrown shrubs. Dark trees lined the path and the Dark trees lined the path and the foliage formed grotesque shapes against the dark sky. Involuntarily we drew close together and I shuddered with something very like fear. It was very dark and the little pool of light from the torch, seemed to make the shadows deeper.

tainly seem to have had great fun the day you visited Napier, Hazel, and the time must have passed very quickly with a visit to the Museum, afternoon tea on the beach and some skating, and it is always so pretty in Napier, isn't it. Yours were very good competition answers, and I am glad you wrote a verse of poetry.

Joy, Napier: Yours was quite the best letter I received this week, Joy, and it was all so attractively set out and illustrated that it did seem a pity that I couldn't show it to all the Playmates. However, I showed it to some of the other members of the staff and they all admired it so much. I am so glad you sent me your verses also and the little pen and ink drawing.

Daffodil, D.S.O. Hastings: Your let

determined not to show it, so we began to explore. Into room after began to explore. Into room after room, where the little beam of light from the torch showed up thick coats of dust and enormous cob webs. Once, Nancy accidently brushed against one and a huge black spider ran onto her arm. We all screamed, and ran out of the room as if some spirit was chasing us. The weird sounds played on our convertill we were all thoroughly us. The weird sounds played on our nerve till we were all thoroughly frightened. The ragged blinds flapped against the windows and mice skuttled across the floors and ceilings. Once an owl hooted and we all clung to each other as if a ghost had appeared. I don't think we would have been surprised if some phantom had confronted us phantom had confronted us.

We were in a room upstairs, when Shirley who seemed to be the most nervous of the party, put her hand up and said "Listen." We listened and heard a creaking on the stairs. It seemed to come nearer. Then it stopped, and there was a terrible bang. We gave one horrified look at the door and expected any minute to see something horrible, we didn't Shirley Hannah, D.S.O., Hastings: I, too, was very sorry that time didn't permit you to tell me more about your holidays, Shirley, but I am so glad that you have been having such fun. I had you down as 299 marks so you have reached the 300 to-day and are the first Playmate to do so. I shall have your prize ready when you call and am so pleased because you will be able to have another book.

Peter Pan, Clive: I was very inter-

FOR LAST WEEK

These are the answers to last eek's general knowledge competi-

(1) A frog is distinguished from a toad because a toad has no teeth. (2) Ceylon is north of the Equaor.
(3) Tiffin is the East Indian name

for luncheon.

(4) Henry VIII. married six times.
(5) Holland is the European country that has an heir-apparent.
(6) 450 million people live in the British Empire.
(7) The crow's nest on a ship is

the look-out's platform on the mast.

(8) There are two toes on each foot of a cow.
(9) Belgium is the most densely populated country in Europe. (10) No, the whale is not a fish; it is a mammal.

The Letterbox

Bue Mask, D.S.O., Poroporo: I was tremendously pleased to receive your letter, Blue Mask, and to find that you still see the Playtime Page even if it does reach you a day or two late. What an excitement the show will be and I shall be very anxious to hear lots more about it. I was glad that you told me about your teachers—four is quite a large number isn't it? It is good for you to have your apples and malted milk and perhaps later on you might try your idea of hot soup. I do hope you will write again soon.

Little John, Pakowhai: I was inter-

again soon.

Little John, Pakowhai: I was interested to hear that you and Robin Hood attend the same school, Little John, even though you are not in the same standard. How lovely your dear little Persian kitten sounds and I think Cinderella is a lovely name. I was glad that you tried the general knowledge questions but do have a look at a cow's foot and you won't find 16 toes!

Diana, Clive: Yours was a very tricky tongue twister this week, Diana, and I found it quite fun to try. Also I liked your drawing of the three cats sitting upon a brick wall. I was so glad that you answered the general knowledge questions and yours was a splendid try. I do hope you are having lots of holiday fun.

Plain Jane, Clive: What lovely holidays you are having, Plain Jane—I was so pleased to read your letter and to hear that you had been skating and to the pictures but that you hadn't been forgetting to be helpful little daughters—I do like to hear that. I am sorry you broke the window and do hope you didn't hurt yourself. Thank you for your little verse.

Thank you for your little verse.

Terri, Gisborne: Yes, I shall most certainly return your stories. Terri, but I will keep them just a little while and see if I can't find space. One I have all ready for publication but it just couldn't be squeezed in last week. I am so glad you understand and I think you would find some magazines like descriptive pieces as well as stories. I am glad you have kept all your stories and shall be anxious to hear more from you. You have 77 marks so send me short contributions and try to win your 100 mark prize.

Margaret Mackay, Hastings: I was very pleased indeed to hear from you again, Margaret, and to receive your clever owl picture. I am so sorry that you have had an abscess in your ear, it must have been so painful and I do hope it is now quite gone. I am so pleased that you have been enjoying your holidays so much. What a fine time you are having.

Shirley Foote, Hastings: What a pity we couldn't really have some fun in the snow just like your little picture, Shirley. It was a good little drawing and I liked it. You and Margaret must be having a grand time and it must be fun for each of you to spend a holiday at the other one's home.

Quick Silver, Hastings: I am sorry that you didn't have any luck with, your drawing, Quick Silver, but I will hope to receive it next week. I think your date stamp is a great idea and would like to have one myself. I am so glad that you are keeping all your contributions in a book because I think that is a splendid idea. I hope to use your competition some time to use your competition some quite soon.

For this week's competition I have decided to follow the suggestion of one of the Playmates and give you a word-building competition. I have chosen a good, long, easy word, ACKNOWLEDGE.

Now in a word-building competition no proper names can be included and your answers should be set out under each letter of the word, that is firstly all words beginning with A, then with C, then with K, and so on. Pipkin, Hastings: I was pleased to hear again from you, Pipkin, and I think that the competition you sent me will set the Playmates thinking as soon as I can find a space for it. I thought you made a good try at the general knowledge answers and you will be able to see the right answers for those which you could not do.

Nancy Paulsen, D.S.O., Takapau: I hope you will look carefully at the general knowledge answers, Nancy, because you had several that were not quite correct. I discovered last week that you had just reached 100 marks and by now you will probably have received your prize money. You will see that I have added the letters after your name. I will give marks according to the number of words you have, and am hoping everyone will have nearly 50, and there will be an extra mark for

your name. Happy, D.S.O., Otane: I do not see why you shouldn't reach the 300 mark before September if you try very hard, Happy. I hardly need say write regularly because you are quite one of my most faithful Playmates. I wonder if I could help you with your wool. I would gladly look here-if you send me a pattern and the brand and so on. Your letter was long and interesting; I enjoyed it and wish I had more space to answer it. Thank you so much for the drawing.

Moonbeam, Napier: I thought your Cinderella drawing was splendid, Moonbeam, it was a good size. I am very, very sorry I am not able to include them but I do like receiving them. Your general knowledge answers were good and I thought your little verse quite worth including in our page as soon as I can possibly find a little bit of space.

Snowdrop, Hastings: I was very pleased to hear from you again, Snowdrop, and was so glad to find that you were too busy enjoying your holidays. I was just afraid that you might not have been well again. Thank you yery much for sending me your paintings. I thought that they were well done and were most certainly deserving of marks as you will see in the honours. What changes from black to red

Bub, Hastings: I cannot remember

Answer: Coal.

If a baker weighs 10 stone what would a butcher weigh?
Answer: Meat.

Why is it difficult to steal a pair of gloves?
Answer: Because one is always left.

How do you write to a fish?
Answer: Just drop it a line.

When is a bee like a criminal?
Answer: When it is in its cell.

Why is peppermint rock like a racehorse?
Answer: Because the faster you lick it the faster it goes.

What runs upstairs without making a noise?
Answer: A carpet.

Bub, Hastings: I cannot remember whether I have given you your badge or not, Bub, so will you please ask me for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it next time you call if I have for it whether I have enion you you rot. Yes, it as pity the holidays are nearly over, but you are lucky to have enjoyed them so much. I think the Girls' Brigade must be great fun and I hope you will tell me more about it. I feel sure that Frank Austin would call here for the eggs—I will ask him. Thank you for the story and poem.

Bab, Hastings: I was very sorry to hear that your father is ill, Bab, and I hope by now he is better again. It would be quite fun for you to help look after him. I am glad you have been reading and gardening a good deal because both would help to make your holidays enjoyable. I hope soon to find space for one of your stories or poems but I never have nearly enough 1 was so pleased to have them and will look after them for you get it in Hastings? Strangely enough I have that little Busyness sent to me each month and I read every word of it—even the advertisements are interesting.

Professor, Whakatu: It will be very nice for you to haveyes one silk worm

ments are interesting.

Professor, Whakatu: It will be very nice for you to have some silk worm eggs to hatch out, Professor, and most interesting to begin at the very beginning. I think it would be a good idea if you could arrange to have them put into a match box and they could be left here until you were able to come in and collect them.

Geneview Whakatu: I expect

they would be quite tricky to guess.

Popeye, Hastings: I read your letter with great interest this week, Popeye, and I think that you must have had a most interesting and exciting day when you visited Patoka. I expect you were very fired and hungry after climbing all over those hills and I expect you had to keep up with the men. Thank you for the poem you sent me. Genevieve, Whakatu: I expect Chris thoroughly enjoys his cooking experiments, Genevieve, I know I did when I was a little girl. To be allowed to cook was the greatest fun of all. I do hope you were lucky and had a nice clear night for your stargazing and I shall look forward to hearing more about it in your letter next week.

Shipping And Mails

PORT OF NAPIER May 24.

Sun rises at 7.28 a.m. and sets 5.06 p. High water at 3.56 a.m. and 4.18 p. Low water at 10.28 a.m. and 10.55 p. EXPECTED ARRIVALS

COASTWISE TRADE KAREPO: Left Westport on Thursday, ght for this port, and is due here this

night for this port, and is due here this afternoon.

KOPARA: Left Auckland on Thursday for Gisborne and Napier, and is due here this morning.

PAKURA: Will load at Wellington today for this port and Gisborne, and is due here on May 27.

KIWITEA: Will load at Bluff on May 26 for Wellington, Napier and Gisborne, via East Coast South Island ports, and is expected here on May 30.

WAINUI: Will load at Bluff on May 26 for Napier and Gisborne, via East Coast South Island ports, being expected here on June 1.

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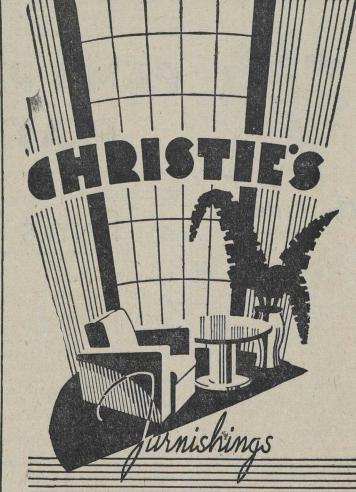
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Daily Mail

SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1941.

POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY

With the commendable object of being very bright and helpful, the Dominion president of the National Party (Mr A. Gordon) seems to have wrapped an aura of admonition about him before addressing the annual conference of the party at

According to the Press Association report published in yesterday's "Daily Mail," Mr Gordon unburdened himself of the rather staggering statement that the party's task was "to frame a philosophy based on purely moral and spiritual values which would assist in the development of character." This is the sort of thing that sounds well enough, but exactly what is meant is another matter, although Mr Gordon seems to hope for a political equivalent to the old-time religious "revivals." But it is only fair to point out that the National Party will have to produce something a little more tangible than Mr Gordon's spiritual and moral values if it is to weather a general election intended to give it the opportunity of putting the new philosophy into practice.

In his condemnation of the Labour Government Mr Gordon finds himself on surer ground. After all, that is the main part of his job. But here again there is a smokescreen of words. The Labour policy, he says, has brought about a dulling of enterprise and energy and has not been conducive to the building of greatness in the people. This would be very interesting if it could be proved, and no doubt many New Zealanders would like to know exactly how, in a matter of six years, any administration, in a demogratic country. of six years, any administration—in a democratic country—can wreak such havoc. Does Mr Gordon sincerely believe that the "moral and spiritual values" of the bulk of the people of New Zealand have slipped since 1935? Are the New Zealand soldiers, airmen, and sailors of 1941 less enterprising and energetic than the relief workers of the depression years? Is the Dominion less resolute in facing up to the war than it was in facing up to the economic storm of

Again, if the present Government has not produced a policy that "helps to build character and encourages people to stand on their own feet" it may be asked whether the National Party, or any other party, has succeeded in doing this. If Mr Gordon's argument is accepted one might logically condemn all the extensions of social services and other amenities of life in the past 20 years as being conducive to weakness of character.

No doubt there are many people, of all political parties, who would be much better off, morally and spiritually, if they had to work harder than they do. The old-time Scottish farmers who used to wrest a living from their holdings during the day and then spend half the night getting some sort of education were among the finest (and the grimmest) characters that modern civilisation has produced. But New Zealanders are not all Scottish farmers brought up on oatmeal and the Shorter Catechism, and if Mr Gordon wants them to be so, he will have to ensure that his scheme is universally

Taken as a whole, Mr Gordon's statements savour a little of the type of mentality which likes to tell other people what they ought to do. It is the sort of thing that crops up in agitations against the 40-hour week and similar measures. If everyone must work harder and longer, well and good; but there is no cell for any section of the people political or there is no call for any section of the people, political or otherwise, to set about imposing "new philosophies" on the

SECOND FALL OF FRANCE

It is a tragic but undeniable fact that the whole of France must now be regarded as enemy territory. The second fall of a proud nation has been inevitable for a long time, for there were only two paths open to the Vichy Government, and that usurping organisation has for months made it clear which

path would be followed. It is well to remember, however, that the ordinary people of France have had no voice in their country's fate. That has been decided by a group of self-seekers, many of whom are old men to whom a shameful subservience is preferable to a fight against odds.

LOCAL AND GENERAL Personal

Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P. for Hawke's Bay, will leave for Wellington early on Monday morning.

Major-General Sir Andrew Russell, Inspector-General of the New Zealand Forces, is on a visit to the North Auckland district.

Mr J. Reeves, Haumoana, is an inmate of the Hastings Memorial Hospital. He is suffering an attack of pneumonia, but is progressing satisfactorily.

Mr G. A. Maddison, chairman of the Hawke's Bay Manpower Com-mittee, has returned to Hastings after presiding over a sitting of the board at Wairoa.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Wilder, D.S.O., M.C., V.D., Wallingford, officer commanding the 25th (Wellington) Battalion, of whom nothing had been heard since the Greek campaign, is now reported to be safe.

Mr C. B. Ferguson, who has been manager of the Government Life Insurance office in Napier for the last five and a half years, has been advised of his appointment to the district managership at Dunedin, and will leave Napier early in June.

AT THE HOTELS

Mr and Mrs G. Davies (Gisborne), Mrs J. Russell, Miss Russell, Mr B. T. Claydon, Mr W. H. Martin, the Hon. J. G. Barclay and private secretary (Wellington) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mr Beswick (Auckland), Miss B. Smith, Mr H. K. Wade, Miss Moody, Miss F. Laird (Wellington), Mr and Mrs N. Quinn (Dunedin), Mr J. Carter (Putorino) are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mr R. Clare, Mr and Mrs J. Stout, Miss S. Stout (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs Payne, Miss Tucker, Mrs Burr, Mr Seale (Wellington), Mr and Mrs White (Timaru), Mr and Mrs Cor-bin (Sarawak) are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

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The Hon. Mr Justice Smith, Mr and Mrs J. Stone, Mr and Mrs Fitzherbert, Mrs H. McArthur, Mrs F. T. Okeby, Mr W. K. Lloyd, Mr A. Herman, Mr and Mrs W. J. Charteris, Lady Roberts (Wellington), Mrs A. S. Brewis (Auckland), Mrs M. E. Hamilton (Bournemouth), Mrs M. R. Rhodes (Woodville), Mr J. K. Lindley (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs J. W. Perry, Mr and Mrs R. D. Perry, Miss Barbara Perry (Masterton), Mr Crane (Suva), Mr and Mrs P. A. McHardy (Havelock North), Mrs Joyce (Hastings) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Major-General Sir Andrew Rus-

Major-General Sir Andrew Russell, Mr H. Redshaw (Hastings), Mr Griffin, Mrs Houghton, Mr Batchlor, Mr J. D. Bull (Auckland), Mr Alley (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs Bennett (Napier), Mr Orr (Wellington) are staying at the Clyde Hotel, Wairoa.

Letters To The Editor

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

Hours of Labour in New Zealand

Sir,— Your report, this morning (Friday) of a statement delivered in Napier last evening by the Hon. P. C. Webb falls short in one vital

respect.
When dealing with the agitation for the abolition of the 40-hour week the Minister stated that applications for an extension of work time were for an extension of work time were placed before a committee equally representative of employing and wage-earning interests, and in every case where that committee was convinced that the extension of hours was in line with public interest, the extension was granted—surely a democratic and wise procedure.

Unfortunately there are people

democratic and wise procedure.

Unfortunately there are people who fail utterly to realise that the privileges of democracy carry responsibilities and who use every opportunity to gain political advantage and thus constitute a real danger to democracy.

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In the Motherland the early days of the war saw a speeding-up of factory production planned upon extended working hours for the employees, but it was quickly found that inefficiency and accidents developed to such an alarming degree that the Government found it necessary to take drastic action to control and curtail, where the nature of the work was such that overstrain was found to be getting in its deadly work.

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The fact is that modern factory work, under the intense specialisation system, has become terribly destructive to the nerves of workers. The deadly monotony, often reinforced by frightful noise, can only be borne for limited periods without serious and progressive injury to workers.

workers.

I am a farmer and I ask nothing better than to put in every hour of daylight and, upon occasions, a few extra before or after Old Sol's period, but I love my job, whereas if I had to stand before a screeching machine doing nothing but watch an unending succession of the same mechanical movements for

watch an unending succession of the same mechanical movements for eight hours each day I am sure I would need the whole of two days each week to restore normality.

It is the fashion amongst certain people to point to a rise in the consumption of drink, the totalisator turnover, and picture-show attendance, to prove that the wage worker merely wastes his leisure harmfully. But have those same critics no eyes to see the tremendous increase in home and street gardening that has beautified our towns and villages; the record subscriptions to our libraries; the prosperity among music and elocution teachers, etc? These all show, surely, thet our boys going overseas are armed with something better even than longrange guns in the knowledge that they have homes worth fighting for. they have homes worth fighting for.

If some of our vociferous Farmers' Union officials and some others

ers' Union officials and some others could see their way to use the brains and energy that they expend to gain political party advantage in seeking the general national and Imperial well-being, then they would be doing something to vindicate democracy instead of, as now, making for the frustration and discredit of Democracy.—I am, etc. ALL-IN-DEMOCRAT.

Shortage of Steel Reinforcing steel in larger sizes is available in Hawke's Bay, but there is a shortage of rods of a smaller gauge. This material is shipped from Australia, and lack of advice of supplies arriving has delayed work in the construction of several large buildings.

Chance for Women

If a training school were established at Bridge Pa, the Hastings Women's War Service Auxiliary would have a wonderful opportunity to give service, said the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) yesterday. These volunteers were exceptionally keen to serve, and he would like to see them given the opportunity.

Girls on Farms

That there continues to be interest in the question of the employment of girls on farms is shown in a letter received by the State Placement Officer at Hastings. Another girl, this time from the Wanganui district, has applied for work on a sheep-farm in this province, and it is probable that at a more favourable time of the year this and similar requests will receive the attention of farmers in need of hands.

North Auckland Schools

The Minister of Education (the Hon. H. G. R. Mason) announced yesterday that North Auckland schools other than those in the Bay of Islands County, would reopen at the ordinary date of opening of the new term next week. There were still some indications that the Bay of Islands district was not yet entirely free of cerebro-spinal meningitis, said Mr Mason, but the rest of the Northland area appeared to be quite clear.—Press Association.

Appeals Against Service

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The Director of National Service (Mr J. S. Hunter) stated yesterday that under the amendments to the National Service Regulations an appellant who appealed against service on the grounds of conscientious objection and whose appeal has been heard and not allowed, may apply for a rehearing. Applications for such rehearings should be made and posted not later than June 27. The provision applies only to conscientious objectors' appeals which have actually been heard and disallowed before May 14.—Press Association.

Message to London

The following is the text of a message which the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) has dispatched to London for the city's War Weapons Week, now concluding: "The Government and people of New Zealand send greetings and admiration to London, the symbol of Britain's fortitude and the heart of the cause of demogracy. Her War Britain's fortitude and the heart of the cause of democracy. Her War Weapons Week expresses a calm resolution which we seek to emu-late. The senseless destruction of the capital's historic beauty and treas-ures of world, civilisation deepens our determination to work and fight beside the Motherland until the evil menace to man's liberties is ended. From your factories will come the weapons to win freedom anew and from this trial by fire an even nobler London will rise."—Press

Meat Marketing Position

MINISTERIAL VISIT

Hon. J. G. Barclay At Hastings

DISCUSSIONS TO-DAY

Some of the difficulties in the way of purchasing overweight ewes were outlined by the Minister of Marketing (the Hon. J. G. Barclay) in an interview at Hastings last night.

Mr Barclay said it was not generally realised that a 60lb. ewe provided only 10lb. or 12lb. of meat suitable for canning purposes, so that the Government would incur a heavy loss if it attempted to deal with all the meat offering.

The Government had purchased the normal output of produce this year, he added, but it was the abnormal supplies coming forward that had caused difficulties.

The Minister, who is accompanied by the chairman of the Meat Producers' Board (Mr H. M. Christie) will meet representatives of the industry at Hastings this morning, when it is expected that the position will be discussed in detail. Mr Barclay will also investigate certain points concerning the distribution of oranges and hangars. points concerning the distribution of oranges and bananas.

The party will leave this afternoon on its return to Wellington.

Breakfast

"Norah, how is it that the eggs are sometimes boiled soft and sometimes quite hard?"

"I'm sure I don't know, mum. I puts them in when the clock strucks eight, and I takes them out without fail when I hears the down train go by."

"Do you find it more economical to do your own cooking?"
"Oh, much! Since I have been cooking my husband only eats half what he used to."

"In New York," he said, "they have a company that does nothing but answer 'phone calls for other people."
"I've been doing that for years myself," said the man with three pretty daughters.

We are asked to-day to get the last ounce of service from our clothes. How can the retailer help? See "Parkers." They have warm woollies that will not shrink, a wonderful range of Cardigans, Pullovers, and Slipovers, in pure wool, Mohair, and the new Sharkskin fabric. The shades are most attractive. The longer life in Parkers goods will help you in the shortage created by war conditions.*

Bankrupt Agent Vivian Nesbitt Hawke, an agent, yesterday afternoon filed a petition in bankruptcy at the Napier Courthouse. The bankrupt's personal statement was not available.

Successful Rag Drive

Considerable success attended the Considerable success attended the house-to-house rag drive organised by the Girl Guides of Napier, judging by the number of busy workers engaged in sorting them in a vacant shop last night. The rags will be sold to the Government for use on the machines at Air Force stations, and the proceeds will be presented to patriotic funds.

Cheese for Export

"While the position does not affect Hawke's Bay as much as other districts, I would like to emphasise the need for increasing the production of cheese as much as possible," said the Minister of Marketing (the Hon. J. G. Barclay) in an interview at Hastings last night. "The demand from Britain is for more and more cheese from this country," he added.

More British Children?

The reported announcement that the evacuation of British children to Australia would probably be resumed about next September was referred to by the Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry) yesterday. The Minister said he had received no advice to this effect, nor had any dispatch come to hand any gesting the possibility of more British children being sent to New Zealand this year.—Press Associa-

Women Candidates

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A remit from the Auckland Division requesting the leader and the party to further the interests of women candidates at the Dominion conference of the National Party resulted in some discussion in which women delegates took the principal part. Dr Hilda Northcroft, Auckland, said it frequently happened that although women were very often elected on local bodies the tendency was to reject them when they were submitted for selection as Parliamentary candidates. Mrs A. Barrer, Masterton, said the laws were made by men for men and that the world was ruled by men for men. No country would ever go forward to a great future unless it gave women a chance to shape its destinies. The remit was carried unanimously.—Press Association.

Not Clear

"I have never thought that the Rating Act was a particularly clear statute, but this argument convinced me," said Mr Justice Smith in the Napier Supreme Court yesterday afternoon, after listening to lengthy argument in which counsel for the defendants alleged that two enactments of Parliament were bad law. The Minister of Lands (Mr L. W. Willis, instructed by the Crown Law Office), asked his Honour to determine whether demands necessary for rates in respect of Native lands and applications for charging orders were out of time. Mr E. J. W. Hallett, who appeared for the Native Trustee, argued that the measures were out of time and Mr W. E. Bate, who appeared for Mrs. M. Ellison, one of 150 Maoris similarly affected, supported Mr Hallett. His Honour announced that he would reserve his decision. The Court then adjourned announced that he would reserve his decision. The Court then adjourned until his Honour's return from Gis-

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To-day, May 24, is Empire Day, the anniversary of Queen Victoria's birthday. Although the occasion has been observed by patriotic organisations since the death of Queen Victoria, its significance has not been marked in recent years by any special ceremonies.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

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

The "Daily Mail's special forecast for Hawke's Bay is as follows:— Winds: Moderate north-westerly prevailing and freshening somewhat later.

Weather: Mainly fair and mild but some drizzle in the ranges and later in southern Hawke's Bay. Seas: Slight.

NAPIER WEATHER

Meteorological readings ta terday at 5.30 p.m. at Napie Government recorder (M Hutton) are as follows:—	r by the
Dry bulb temp. Wet bulb temp. Maximum temp. Minimum temp. 1ft. underground 3ft. underground Grass Sun	58.0deg. 54.0deg. 61.5deg. 40.0deg. 60.5deg. 53.5deg. 31.5deg.
Cloud Wind Rain Visibility	3hrs. 7 Calm Nil 6

HASTINGS WEATHER

Meteorological readings taken yes-terday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Mag-netic Observatory. Cornwall Park, were as follows:— Dry bulb temp.
Wet bulb temp.
Maximum temp.
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 Dry bulb temp.
 56.0deg.

 Wet bulb temp.
 54.0deg.

 Meximum temp.
 62.0deg.

 Minimum temp.
 28.0deg.

 Grass
 23.5deg.

 1ft. underground
 46.0deg.

 Rain
 Nil

 Wind
 S.1.

 Cloud
 8

 Rain for month
 2.29in.

DOMINION FORECAST Winds: Northerlies soon prevailing, force moderate over the northern half of the North Island but becoming fresh or strong elsewhere.

Seas—New Zealand waters: Rising o rough south of Cape Egmont; elsewhere moderate. Eastern Tasman Sea: Northerly winds, gradually becoming fresh or strong from the south. Sea rising to rough.

Weather: Unsettled in the central provinces and in Westland with rain or drizzle at times. Elsewhere fair to cloudy. Moderate to mild temperatures.

To-day's Diary

NAPIER Rugby Football, McLean Park.

The Theatres: "One Night in the Tropics," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m.
"They Knew What They Wanted," State, 2 and 8 p.m.
"Diamond Frontier," and "Girl Loves Boy," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

HASTINGS

Rugby Football, Nelson Park. The Theatres:

"My Love Came Back," Regent, 2.15, 5 and 8 p.m. "Brigham Young," State, 2.15, 5 and 8 p.m.

"Sky Murder" and "The Hardys
P.Ide High," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.
"Barnyard Follies," and "Behind
the News," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

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FAMOUS IN HAWKE'S BAY FOR VALUE!

ONE AERODROME SEIZED

HEAVY LOSSES FOR **GERMANS**

CRETE INVASION

Naval Forces May Decide Action

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LONDON, May 22. The British Navy has smashed two German attempts to land forces on Crete from the sea. Two large enemy convoys have been scattered

or sunk in the process.

Meanwhile, the fighting on land continues unabated. The Germans continue to land parachute and airborne troops and now hold one aerodrome at the western end of the island. The Allied forces made three counter-attacks yesterday and inflicted on the Germans losses even heavier than those inflicted on the first day of the attempted invasion.

Convoy Sunk An enemy convoy was sighted by British naval forces yesterday, and one destroyer, two transports, and some smaller vessels were sunk.

This morning, another enemy convoy of 30 vessels was seen and was attacked by British destroyers and other light naval units.

Mr Churchill stated in the House of Commons that he had no news yet of the result of this action, but he was optimistic of the outcome "in view of the naval forces at our disposal."

or the naval forces at our disposal."

The Imperial land forces were now fighting without any support from our fighter forces, Mr Church-ill added, as, owing to the intensity of the enemy attacks on the Crete aerodromes, it had been decided to withdraw our fighter 'planes. To do otherwise would have been to sacrifice them.

Our bombers were continually attacking the aerodrome which was in the hands of the enemy. This aerodrome was under constant fire from our artillery and other land forces.

Grim Struggle

Mr Churchill described the battle as a grim and strange struggle with no retreat for either side. While the Imperial troops were without fighter support, he pointed out, the Germans were without tanks and artillery.

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The Cairo correspondent of the British United Press says that Britons who have arrived from Crete declare that the German 'planes raiding Crete before the parachutist attack outnumbered the R.A.F. defenders by 20 to one. The Germans adopted their usual tactics of raiding the aerodrome, but the British pilots fought heroically.

A communique issued to-day by British General Headquarters at Cairo says: "Yesterday, further waves of German parachute troops and air-borne troops continued to land at various points in Crete throughout the day. British and New Zealand troops, assisted by Greeks and Cretans, all rendered a magnificent account of themselves. Fighting with splendid courage and dash, our Empire forces, with their gallant allies, delivered three successful counter-attacks. Enemy losses yesterday were even heavier than before, and by nightfall the situation was satisfactory in every area except Malemi, an inland town south-west of Canea, where the enemy secured a temporary footing. Operations to deal with this situation are now in progress.

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"Enemy landings by air are continuing," the communique adds, "but, as a result of determined action by the Royal Navy, attempts by the Germans to support their airborne troops by landings from the sea have so far been unsuccessful, as the convoys have been dispersed or sunk. The spirit of the defenders of Crete is higher than ever."

To-day's German communique does not mention Crete, but repeats the claim that the Luftwaffe attacked enemy naval units in the Eastern Mediterranean. A Berlin spokesman said that the operations at Crete were not regarded as a dress rehearsal for possible invasion of Britain. The spokesman challenged British reports of big German losses but made no specific refutation.

Hess Mystery Deepened

EARLY REPORTS DENIED Had No Former Meeting

With Duke

VISIT TO HOSPITAL

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RUGBY, May 22.

The Air Minister (Sir Archibald Sinclair) told the House of Commons to-day: "When Rudolf Hess, Hitler's deputy, came down with his aeroplane in Scotland on May 10, he gave a false name and asked to see the Duke of Hamilton. The Duke, on being apprised of this fact by the authorities, visited Hess in hospital. Hess then revealed for the first time his true identity, saying that he had seen the Duke when he was at the Olympic Games in Berlin in 1936.

Had Never Met Him

"The Duke," Sir Archibald added, "did not recognise the prisoner and had never met Hess. He had, however, visited Germany for the Olympic Games in 1936 and duving that of Hamilton has been in every recommendation of the seas," said the Secretary for War (Mr Henry Stimson) at a Press conference to-day. He urged that repeal of the Act should be carefully considered "in connection with the delivery of goods to Britain."

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had never met Hess. He had, however, visited Germany for the Olympic Games in 1936, and, during that
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"As soon as the interview was over," the Minister added, "the Duke of Hamilton flew to England and gave a full report of what had passed to Mr Churchill, who sent for him. Contrary to reports which have appeared, the Duke has never been in correspondence with Hess. None of the Duke's three brothers who, like himself, are serving in the R.A.F., has either met Hess or had correspondence with him. It will be geen that the conduct of the Duke is made and proper."

A Press Association cable comments that Sir Archibald Sinclair's statement that no letter from Hess reached the Duke of Hamilton or any responsible authority has further mystified the public.

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"RISK EVERYTHING FOR **VICTORY**"

Australian Prime Minister Makes Stirring Appeal To New Zealand

(By Telegraph—Press Association.)

AUCKLAND, May 23. A stirring exhortation to New Zealanders to emulate the self-sacrifice of the peoples of Great Britain and Greece by making the war their individual responsibility and risking their all for victory was given by the Prime Minister of Australia (the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies) in his speech at a civic reception in the Town Hall.

The speech, which was broadcast throughout the Dominion, was loudly applauded at frequent intervals.

The whole audience rose and gave him an ovation when

he began and he was tumultuously cheered when he

"The outstanding feeling I have had in the past few months is that our two countries are once more linked by an imperishable tradition," said Mr Menzies.

"The Anzac tradition has been revived in this generation. I feel that as the war goes on—and long and arduous as it will be—Australians and New Zealanders will make a contribution to the cause that will be worthy of themselves and their forefathers.

"Seemed to call for great concentration and the calmest of nerves, were not full of weeping, driven people, but were the most cheerful factories he had ever seen.

In these same towns the inhabitants had gone through cataclysmic experiences and the unidentifiable bodies of their nearest and dearest had been buried in common graves.

Indomitable Courage

Many of them had been poor and illefed ever in times of page.

forefathers.

"I have just made a remarkable journey and when I reach Australia again I shall have travelled over 44,000 miles.

Rulers and People

"I have seen many countries and talked to their rulers and people in authority and to the ordinary people—often a more important kind of

orten a more important kind of conversation.

"Everywhere I have been proud to realise that the name of the Australian and New Zealand soldiers stands unrivalled in the world. I say 'Australian and New Zealand' because I do not want to make any distinction.

"Out of all this evil good will come, and I hope one good thing will be that Australians and New Zealanders will think less than the Tasman is 1200 miles wide.

An Old Complaint "I am not unaware that Australians and New Zealanders do not
always admire each other, or that a
number of Australians occupy
profitable positions in this country.
However, that is a complaint which
Englishmen have had against the
Scots for hundreds of years.

"We want no political friction. We
need to get down to a foundation of
truth—that we are the same people.

and the same spirit."

Mr Menzies went on to speak of the war as a struggle the course or duration of which nobody could predict, and one in which the British Empire risked its whole structure and existence for the political future of the world.

Gravest Peril in History

"We are in the gravest peril that has ever confronted our people in the whole course of history," he continued. "These are not mere words. We are dealing with a foe who has immense resources and has at his disposal the skill of thousands of people in the countries he has conquered.

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"We face a people driven on by a diabolical spirit that has infested it for half a century. We have to match sacrifices with more sacrifices machines with more machines. In necessary, we must put ourselves in utter servitude for the next few years so that we may live in future not in servitude but in freedom." "We face a people driven on by a diabolical spirit that has infested it for half a century. We have to match sacrifices with more sacrifices machines with more machines. If necessary, we must put ourselves in utter servitude for the next few years so that we may live in future not in servitude but in freedom."

Spirit of Britons

Turning to the example shown by the rank-and-file of the people in Britain, Mr Menzies said that what amazed him most about them was that the factories in the bombed industrial towns, where the work is matter if we come out of the war broke or in the last stages of poverty?" asked the speaker, "provided it is honourable poverty and we share it together?" (applause).

"Don't worry about the sacrifices you have to make. There are things in life more important than possessions, fine homes, soft furniture, and a comfortable outlook. The most important thing in life is that we shall be prepared to accept the Crucifix in order that mankind may be saved." (Loud applause).

At Sea

AMERICAN PLAN

Pacific Fleet May Be

Split Up

SECRECY OBSERVED

Many of them had been poor and ill-fed, even in times of peace, but among them there was not the slightest hint of anything but indomitable courage.

domitable courage.

They were the greatest generation in the history of the race.

His own first responsibility on reaching London, Mr Menzies continued, was the far from pleasant one of sitting at the Cabinet table in Downing Street and considering whether the Greek adventure should be undertaken. be undertaken.

A Decision Made

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A decision in one direction meant
the loss of many lives in a righteous
cause. It was taken, and rightly.

A decade ago it had been usual to
think of the Greeks as an effete
people and of their country as just
another Balkan State. But this little
people had written in history the
most magnificent fighting chapter
the world had seen for many a long
day.

Whether Britain had gone to their assistance or not they would still have fought to the last. Now they lay broken at the feet of Germany, but not at the feet of history.

Only Thing Possible "Anyone who knows our own spirit knows we could have done only one thing," declared Mr Men-

need to get down to a foundation of truth—that we are the same people.

The Same Cause

"If we each think ourselves the more virtuous, that only goes to show that we are the same people. We are fighting for the same cause and the same future.

"That our sons are sleeping their last sleep together in the soil of Greece proves to the world that we are one nation with the same future and the same spirit."

Mr Menzies went on to speak of the war as a struggle the course or duration of which nobody could predict, and one in which the British Empire risked its whole structure and existence for the political future of the world.

"Individual Responsibility and to ask himself, "What am I doing?"

The blood of the British race, he

"Honourable Poverty"

DANUBE AGAIN OPEN Special Missions TO TRAFFIC

MR MENZIES HAS **BUSY DAY**

CIVIC RECEPTION AT **AUCKLAND**

WARM WELCOME

Ovation At Town Hall Ceremony

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, May 23.

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A busy day, during which he had a succession of appointments to keep, was experienced by the Prime Minister of Australia (the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies).

In addition to his public appearances, he had several private engagements and was fully occupied throughout the day.

Mr Menzies spent the morning in consultation with the acting-Prime Minister (the Hon. W. Nash) and the Minister of Supply (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan) discussing matters of mutual interest to Australia and New Zealand.

New Zealand.

He lunched with the two Ministers and later went with them to the Cenotaph, where he deposited a

Visit to Bastion Point A brief visit to the tomb of the late Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) at Bastion Point was also made by Mr Menzies, accompanied by the two New Zelaand Ministers and his brother, Mr J. L. Menzies. The Australian Prime Minister deposited a wreath at the entrance to the tomb.

No national leader could have had a much more tumultuous welcome

No national leader could have had a much more tumultuous welcome from a New Zealand gathering than was given late in the afternoon to Mr Menzies by nearly 3000 people at the civic reception in the Town Hall. Australian "coo-ees" mingled with cheers and applause which almost drowned the organ music as he entered with the Mayor (Sir Ernest Davis).

The official party included the acting-Prime Minister and the Minister of Supply.

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Leadership Praised Speaking on behalf of the citizens, the Mayor praised Mr Menzies's eadership of Australia's war effort. Mr Nash recalled that Mr Men-zies had shared the perils of the people of Britain in bombing raids. He had interpreted the mind of Aus-tralia and New Zealand to the War Cabinet as no one else could have done, and it was fortunate that he was in London when the momentous decision in regard to Greece had to be made.

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The remarks of the Mayor and
Mr Nash were endorsed by Mr Sullivan and the chairman of the Auckland Harbour Board (Mr Hendry

Maori Greetings

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Mr H. Tai Mitchell, Rotorua,
offered greetings on behalf of the
Maori people by singing "Haere Ra"
and reciting the well-known war
cry "Kamate, Kamate," which he
translated for the visitor's benefit.
Miss Mitchell then presented Mr
Menzies with two mementoes, an
ashtray on a tall carved stand, and
a vase turned from a tree-fern vase turned from a tree-fern

trunk.

Mr Menzies received an ovation when he rose to reply and at the close of his speech he was given

TANKER DETAINED BY BRITISH

Loss To France

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, May 22. British naval patrols "picked up" the French oil tanker Scheherazade in the Atlantic carrying a cargo of oil from a United States port to

Casa Blanca.

The British authorities granted the Scheherazade a navicert some time ago, but because of recent developments in Vichy's attitude decided to take action.

According to a Vichy announcement, a second French tanker has been detained by British naval patrols.

BOMBER SHOT DOWN BY MERCHANTMAN

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ISTANBUL, May 22.

A Hungarian merchantman arrived to-day from Budapest, indicating that the Danube has now been cleared of the hulks which the Yugoslavs sank to block the river during the German invasion.

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RUGBY, May 22.

An Admiralty communique states:
"A German aircraft which attacked a defensively-armed British merchantman off our west coast was shot down by the latter last Monday. The survivors from the aircraft have now been landed as prisoners of war."

Prime Minister As Host

CAIRO GARDEN PARTY

1000 N.Z. Officers And Men

PERSONAL GREETING

(N.Z.E.F. Official News Service.) CAIRO, May 22.

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Laying aside all formality the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) was host last evening to 1000 officers, n.c.o.'s and men of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

The gathering took the form of a garden party held in the grounds of the Gezira Sporting Club.

Mr Fraser met every man present. Pleasure at being able to express in some small manner the appreciation of the people of New Zealand for what the men had done and what they would do was voiced by Mr Fraser, who paid a tribute to what had been accomplished by the New Zealand Division in Greece.

He was pleased to have been able to meet so many soldiers, and he wished those to whom he had spoken to pass on his greetings to those he might perhaps not have been able to see.

Knew Many Friends

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He had found out, said Mr Fraser in his brief conversations with the men that he had known at least some of the friends of most of them. On such an occasion he desired to On such an occasion he desired to pay a tribute to the boys who had sacrificed their lives for the cause. To the wounded he extended sincere sympathy and for the missing he could say the thoughts of all were with them. To those who were still struggling back he wished the very best

"I can only express the sincere ad-miration of the people of New Zea-land for what has been accom-plished. May God speed and guard you in the task that lies ahead," he

Turks Still Feel Safe

LONE WARNING

Arms Continue Going To Syria

GERMAN AEROPLANES

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LONDON, May 22.

The latest news from Syria indi-cates that the position is substantialcates that the position is substantially unchanged, says the Ankara correspondent of "The Times." The French military material and ammunition is still reaching Iraq by railway. Some German officers are reported to have arrived at Beirut to organise this traffic. German aircraft have flown to Iraq across Syria, their passengers consisting of German officers and instructors. Shipping circles at Istanbul are

German officers and instructors.

Shipping circles at Istanbul are talking of the Germans attempting to charter Russian steamers to convey German arms and ammunition to Turkish ports, from which it is intended to send the cargoes to Iraq by rail. In view of Turkish feelings about the situation in the Middle East, it is difficult to imagine Turkey giving the Germans any transport facilities which she is not bound to give under the convention, as in the case of railway traffic be-

soon to send land forces against Syria.

Turkish security is not regarded as threatened while the Germans confine their activities to aerial hostilities with the British in Syria, but a section of Turkish opinion, represented by the publication "Yaltchin," strongly holds the view that full-scale German military occupation of Syria and Iraq would mean the death of Turkey by asphyxiation.

It is understood that the German arrisons in the Greek islands of Mytilene and Chios are now 6000 and 2000 respectively. Mytilene and Chios are both near the Turkish

coast.

It is officially announced in Sofia that Bulgarian troops are to replace the German garrisons on the islands of Samothrace and Thasos.

WERE TREATED LIKE ANY OTHER GERMANS

Enemy Paratroops In New Zealand Army's Uniforms

(N.Z.E.F. Official News Service)

CAIRO, May 22.

The reaction of the New Zealand Army to the artifice of wearing its uniform in order to make an attack upon the positions that it is holding is simply this:

"We know they are Germans, and their manner of dress is immaterial. They were treated the same as any other Germans."

The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. P. Fraser) who is visiting the New Zealand troops in the Middle East, commenting on the use of captured New Zealand uniforms by German air-borne troops, remarked that his Government considered that the action of the Nazis would do nothing but infuriate the New Zealand troops and encourage them to fight to the last breath to exterminate soldiers who would stoop to such a low trick. The New Zealand troops would do all in their power to drive the invader out of Greek territory.

Not a Novelty

Not a Novelty Parachutists are not exactly a novelty to the New Zealand troops, who have experienced them in Greece, where they were attacked by this means at Olympus and the Corinth Canal.

On the first occasion, several hungers On the first occasion, several hundred were dropped in the New Zealand lines dressed in shorts and

They were unfortunate, as the New Zealand troops were clad in battledress and there was no element of surprise. The Germans arrived at 9.30 on a bright, sunny morning and chose a place where our most seasoned troops were deployed

With the aid of automatic weapons, quite a few were picked off before they landed, and the renainder were rounded up without At Covints (1)

At Corinth the attack was more methodical and was carried out in greater force. Our troops were resting and had been dispersed, having just withdrawn across the canal. Suddenly a large number of bombers appeared in the sky and for nearly three hours systematically bombed the area.

Huge Troop 'Planes
Huge troop-carrying 'planes then
came down to within 200ft. and
dropped parachute troops, with a
red parachute here and there

Around these the men gathered in small units and they used the bomb small units and they used the bomb craters as cover.

Guns and ammunition had been dropped at the same time and, employing these, the Germans provided for the landing of carrier 'planes.

New Zealand small arms fire killed hundreds, but the men that were there could not cope with the sheer weight of the numbers they faced, and the armament that suddenly opposed them. They were forced to retreat.

The number of the enemy was estimated at possibly 1000, and they

estimated at possibly 1000, and they noped to block our withdrawal by eizing the bottleneck at Corinth. In his they were disappointed. In the flerce guerilla warfare that

Military Police

ensued we were able to retain the advantage for as long as was

soon have about 850 military police to guard it during the present United States defence emergency.

The guards are expected to occupy Camp Sibert, new military police cantonment in Boulder City about six miles from the dam, Whether the Government's pro-

tective programme will include any restrictions on the flow of sightseers to the famous water barrier, which now average 1500 to 2000 persons daily, has not been announced. But daily, has not been amounced. But the Army has made clear that it is throwing a chain of strong defences around the dam, and that the new Camp Sibert is one of the chief

links Another link is a recently completed, but so far unused, airplane hangar at Boulder City airport, constructed by the Marine Corps for military land 'planes.

SIGNIFICANCE OF **EMPIRE DAY**

LORD BLEDISLOE'S

STIRRING MESSAGE The Post-War World

Discussed

"Let us this year celebrate Empire Day as never before," writes the president of the Empire Day Movement (Viscount Bledisloe, P.C., G.C.M.G., K.B.E.), who is, perhaps, better known in New Zealand as a former Governor-General, in an Empire Day message to the honorary corresponding secretary of the Royal Empire Society at Napier (Mr A. E. Lawry).

"For the British Empire, aided by her valiant Allies and buttressed by the practical sympathy of the United States of America, is standing out as the stronghold of humanity against cruelty, injustice, tyranny and falsehood—an impregnable fortress based not upon hatred and selfish ambition but upon humanity and righteousness,"

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upon humanity and righteousness,"
the message continues.
"It is against the powers of
darkness that we are fighting, and
the fate of the Empire, and with it
that of civilisation, are at stake. We
must all courageously play our part must all courageously play our part, however humble, in achieving vic-tory, 'lest freedom should perish from the Earth.'

Empire Composition Those who planned the downfall

of the British Empire recked not of the unquenchable spirit of the British race, the staunch loyalty of peoples of different races and col-ours owing allegiance to the British Crown and the unshakable solidar-ity of the British Empire. It is above all this unity of the British peoples in the hour of crisis which has brought confident hope to all lovers of freedom and growing dismay to our enemies. Let us remember with pride the great exploits of our seamen soldiers and airmen drawn men, soldiers and airmen drawn from every part of the British Com-monwealth, as well as the steadfastmonwealth, as well as the steadfastness and courage of the civilian population in Great Britain, the heart
of the Empire. False to the gibes
of her enemies and faithful to her
own glorious traditions, she has demonstrated that the mettle of her
sons and daughters is as true as in
the days of yore.

"But the war is not yet over and
unflagging effort, self-sacrifice and
endurance are still demanded of us
in repelling the assault upon all
that makes the life of a free people
worth living.

key giving the German port facilities which she is not bound to give under the convention, as in the case of railway traffic between Syria and Iraq.

The expectations that the Germans would not long be content with transit facilities to Syria are speedily being realised. Already there are indications that the Germans are using the aerodromes at to against the British in Iraq.

Hydro-Electric Supply Watched

Turkish Security

The Turks expect that this development will compel the British soon to send land forces against to great hydro-electric projects, will soon to send land forces against United States defence emergency.

The expectations that the Germans are using the aerodromes at Already there are indications that the Germans are using the aerodromes at Will have been in vain, unless we are determined that when victory comes we will to the best of our power strive to remedy those inherent defects and social injustices which provoke strife both among nations and between their fellowing the present united States defence emergency.

Inited States defence emergency. ity and confident security whose only sure foundation is fair dealing between nation and nation and between man and man.

Appeal to Youth "I appeal to Youth
"I appeal especially to the young people of the Empire who, when the present upheaval is past, will be called upon to fashion a new world. Yours will be the task of winning peace. Do your bit, be it great or small, to ensure that the Empire shall ever be the symbol and example of all that makes for human happiness, peace and prohuman happiness, peace and progress. Steel your hearts and minds to the brave resolve that never again shall ruthless ambition and the cruel lust of power destroy the freedom of mankind, the peace of the home and the happiness and safety of its children

again shall ruthless ambition and the cruel lust of power destroy the freedom of mankind, the peace of the home and the happiness and safety of its children.

"We have no need to be ashamed of the story of the Empire, but its greatest chapter has yet to be written, and it is for the youth of the Empire, with their boundless opportunities, buoyant hope and unshaken faith in God to write it, for the benefit of the whole human race.

"The British Empire never had a graver responsibility thrust upon it than it has to-day. But never have there been grander opportunities for displaying those outstanding qualities which built it up and which alone can maintain it.

"Let us remember that it is refer to fine the course of his statement, Mr Eden said it was announced in Vichy on May 14 that Admiral Darlan's report on his visit to Hitler had been unanimously approved by the Vichy Government and that the effect of these deliberations would shortly be felt.

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"In the confused and uneasy explanations which have been put out i

SOME AUSTRALIANS

IN CRETE

MELBOURNE, May 22. The Minister for the Army (the Hon. P. C. Spender) stated to-day that a substantial number of Australian troops had landed at Crete after the evacuation from Greece. They were under the command of General Freyberg. Recent dispatches did not fully reveal the extent to which these troops had been relieved by British units.

MODERN WEAPONS **AVAILABLE**

TERRITORIALS TO BE MECHANISED

EFFICIENT ARMY

Chief Of Staff Is Confident

By Telegraph—Press Association CHRISTCHURCH, May 23.

"The New Zealand Territorial Force is to be equipped with the most modern weapons available as quickly as these can be obtained, and mechanisation is to be carried on in conformity with the latest demands of warfare."

These were the words of the Chief

mands of warfare."

These were the words of the Chief of the General Staff, Major-General Sir John Duigan, during an interview to-day, when he said that his successor, Lieutenant-General Sir Guy Williams, would not be taking over an unorganised Territorial Force.

over an unorganised Territorial Force.

Major-General Duigan will retire from his command on May 31, and intends to visit Australia for a holiday. His present visit to Christchurch is the last he will pay in an official capacity, and he said that he had made the trip to thank the staff of the Southern Military District, both permanent and temporary, for the excellent work they had done.

methods of engaging and fighting an enemy.

The clothing and equipping of the forces and the supply of modern weapons had been constantly under review, including the question of the mechanisation of the whole army as fast as possible with the latest types of weapons and other equipment available. In time this huge task would be completed.

A great deal had already been done to improve the efficiency of the forces, and they were now on a much better basis than they were at the outbreak of hostilities.

Started Behind Scratch

Started Behind Scratch New Zealand had started a long

way behind scratch, sharing that handicap with all the other nations of the Commonwealth, but by the exertion of energy and constant application to the needs of the day and hour, had made up a lot of ground. and nour, had made up a lot of ground.

Most of the Territorial Force had been given three months' intensive training, and the majority of the officers had had five months' training. This work was continuing, and the efficiency of the defence forces generally was steadily improving.

Sir John added that in addition to the training of a large force of terri-

Sir John added that in addition to the training of a large force of territorials, New Zealand had also reason to be satisfied with the state of efficiency in the Expeditionary Force. A large force had been sent overseas. These men had received their preliminary training in various camps built and equipped in the Dominion. Their training had been designed to meet the requirements of Major-General Freyberg, and there was every reason to believe that the commander overseas had been well satisfied.

LAST WARNING TO

ATTACK BY BRITAIN **POSSIBLE**

British Official Wireless RUGBY, May 22. Britain will attack the enemy in occupied and unoccupied France alike if the Vichy Government takes any action that interferes with Britain's war effort or assists the enemy, the British Foreign Minister (the Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden) told the House of Commons to-day. Mr Eden issued this warning in an important statement on British relations with the Vichy Government in the light of recent developments.

the light of recent developments. Vichy's "New Phase"

ties which built it up and which alone can maintain it.

"Let us remember that it is neither wealth nor might, but character, which has ever been the deciding factor in our hour of destiny, and make it crystal clear that it illumines and strengthens all our lives."

SOME AUSTRALIANS

"These explanations cannot conceal that Virby has embarked upon a course which must place the resources and territories of France and her Empire increasingly at the disposal of a Power which is the enemy not only of France's former ally but of France herself," Mr Eden declared. "The French people will, the British Government is sure, regard this policy as incompatible the British Government is sure, regard this policy as incompatible with the honour of France; nor will they believe that the future of France and her empire will be better served by surrendering them to Fittler's so-called new order than by resolutely maintaining and defending their independence until such time as the victorious Allies shall complete their liberation.

Free to Attack

They were under the command of General Freyberg. Recent dispatches did not fully reveal the extent to which these troops had been relieved by British units.

Mr Spender said that he had not received any report to indicate that Australians had arrived in Cyprus to reinforce the existing British and local garrisons, as reported from London.

Mr Spender said that 350 Australians sick and wounded soldiers had to be left behind in Greece. Some medical officers had remained with them.

Free to Attack

"Britain must, however, take account of the acts of Vichy," said Mr Eden. "If Vichy, in pursuance of its declared policy of collaboration with the enemy, takes action or permits action detrimental to our conduct of the war or designed to assist the enemy's effort, we shall naturally hold ourselves free to attack the enemy wherever he may be found, and, in so doing, we shall no longer feel bound to draw any distinction between occupied and unoccupied territory in the execution of our military plans."



LATE SPORTING

PAYMENTS FOR ELLERSLIE

AUCKLAND WINTER MEETING

DIVISION RACE

Streamline Tops The Double

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, May 23. The Jervois Handicap will be divided and run as first and third events with original stake for each division and treated as separate event.

Following are the acceptances:

GREENLANE STEEPLES, of £350; about two miles and a half.—Jewish Lad 11.2, Dark Rose 10.8, British Sovereign 10.7, Bright Idea 10.1, Beverley 10.1, Ruling Star 10.1, Selwyn 9.13, Pertinax 9.11, Agog 9.10, Lap Up 9.3, Comrie 9.2, Clansman 9.1, Lerida 9.0, Benighted 9.0, Wineberry 9.0, Sun Boy 9.0.

JERVOIS HANDICAP, of £357; seven furlongs.—Esquire 9.13. Trig Station 9.9, Biddy Girl 9.9, Etruscan 9.3, Radiant Vaals 9.2, Mayfair 9.2, Arctic Dawn 9.1, Classic 9.0, Calula Boy 8.11, Ohmaha 8.10, Foxwood 8.8, Miss Jose 8.7, Loch Acre 8.6, Stratford 8.5, Princess Val 8.5, Sea Law 8.5, Rara Avis 8.1, Expellant 8.1, Royal 50n 8.1, Bronze Emerald 8.0, Bambury 8.0, Sharmin 8.0, Bronze Ora 8.0, Radio Call 8.0, Airport 8.0, Sea Eaglet 8.0, Bronzo 8.0, Flylite 8.0, Hinkler 8.0, Pretty Model 8.0, Miss Eureka 8.0, Gold Bloom 8.0, Lady Acushla 8.0, Moordic Song 8.0, Boomps-a-Daisy 8.0, Maori Star 8.0, Golden Bonnet 8.0, Flying March 8.0, Auburn Lad 8.0.

PENROSE HURDLES, of £350; one mile and three-quarters.—All Irish 11.8, Night Hawk 10.8, Bisquit 9.12, Selwyn 9.12, Prival 9.11, Sebrof 9.7, Very Glad 9.7, Rival 9.4, General Riske 9.0, Tavern Song 9.0, Barrister 9.0, Hot Shot 9.0, Stokowski 9.0, Right Royal 9.0, Rajanya 9.0, Nithmount 9.0, Loyal Grant 9.0, Surpai 9.0.

GREAT NORTHERN HURDLES, of 1750; two miles and a half.—Streamne 11.5, Erination 10.9, King Rey old Spot 9.11, Limbohm 9.10, Diviend 9.9, Donegal 9.8, Esperance Bay 8, Master Appellant 9.5, Glen Abb 4, Saccone 9.4, Erlick 9.0.

CORNWALL HANDICAP, of £750; one mile and a quarter.—Foxsen 9.3, Kentucky 9.0, Clipper 8.13, Gladynev 8.8, Cornish 8.8, Te Kawiti 8.7, Our Jean 8.5, Gold Vaals 8.5, Royal Appellant 8.1, Sir Cameron 8.0, Bronze Moth 8.0, Greek Queen 7.13, Silver Quex 7.12, Tellsom 7.4, Tea Gong 7.4, The Cardinal 7.4, British Talent 7.1, Erlick 7.0, Valmint 7.0, Kilcash 7.0, Lovaals 7.0, Valley Maid 7.0, Philemup 7.0, Esquire 7.0, Hunting Bee 7.0, Lord Waltangi 7.0.

HUNT CLUB HURDLES, of £350; two miles.—British Sovereign 10.7, Bells of Bow 10.5, Hornpipe 10.1, Rey Lu 9.13, Wharemanea 9.11, Pertinax 9.11, Very Glad 9.9, Brandon Hall 9.0, Rod Mhor 9.0, Paint 9.0, Valorous 9.0, Sir Frank 9.0, Gay Sheen 9.0.

MEMBERS' HANDICAP, of £450; six furlongs.—Arvakur 9.9, Noble Fox 0.9, Merry Vaals 9.8, Marshall Hall 9.7, Circular Note 9.7, Erndale 9.6, Terakina 8.13, Gold Money Song 8.12, Llandaff 8.7, Brazilian 8.4, Aero King 8.2. Sure Pay 8.2, Trilliarch 8.0, Mysito 8.0, Cheval de Battaile 8.0, Veritable 8.0, Royal Message 8.0, Sunola 8.0, Happicoat 8.0.

GREAT NORTHERN STEEPLE-CHASE, of £2000; about three miles and three-quarters.—Streamline 10.10, Gar Vaals 10.6, Aussie Ra 10.4, Bridegroom 10.3, King Rey 10.1, En Tour 9.9, Baldric 9.2, Dozie Boy 9.0, Rey Lu 9.0, Kinkle 9.0, Jewish Lad 9.0, Smiling/Thru 9.0, Beverley 9.0, Dark Rose 9.0, Clansman 9.0, Bells of Bow

Tribute To N.Z. Commander

BATTLE FOR CRETE

Great Courage On Both Sides

MR NASH'S VIEW

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, May 23.

A tribute to Major-General B. C. Freyberg, commanding the New Zealand Division and the Allied garrison in Crete, was paid by the Acting Prime Minister (the Hon. W. ing Prime Minister (the Hon. W. Nash), in an address at the civic reception to the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies.

The battle for Crete, Mr Nash said, was one that called for the one could deny that the German airborne troops must be daring and courageous men to face the test of greatest courage on both sides. No dropping on to a strange country, where a redoubtable foe was waiting for them ing for them.

A Brilliant Soldier.

It was fortunate that the forces in the island had for their comman-der General Freyberg, a brilliant soldier with initiative and vision. No commanding officer was ever more concerned than General Freyberg about the life of the average soldier, his food, health and general welfare. New Zealand and the Em-pire were lucky to have him.

P. C. Wren, author of "Beau Geste" and other popular novels, is a great smoker. When hard at work on a masterpiece he will consume an ounce of tobacco a day. Strong stuff, too, and like most American stuff, too, and like most American brands, reeks with nicotine. How does he do it? It's certainly risky. Many a man "strong as a horse" has had to abandon his pipe because he smoked the wrong tobacco—that is, tobacco rich in nicotine. How comes it that the foreign tobaccos are like that? Our New Zealand brands (grown and manufactured by the National Tobacco Company Ltd., the pioneers of the New Zealand tobacco industry) contain so brands (grown and manufactured by the National Tobacco Company Ltd., the pioneers of the New Zealand tobacco industry) contain so little nicotine that you may indulge as freely as you please with impunity. You see, the leaf is toasted, which makes all the difference. These 'baccies don't bite the tongue, and they burn to the last shred. Ask any tobacconist for Riverhead Gold (mild and delicious), Desert Gold (mild and delicious), Desert Gold (mild and delicious), Desert Gold (mild and Cut Plug No. 10 (rich, dark and full-flavoured).*

The judicial committee of the South Canterbury Jockey Club has received notification that a gentleman rider's certificate has not yet been issued to G. H. Paul, rider of Norse in the Gloucester Cup. It was resolved that Norse, the winner of the Duke of Gloucester Cup, be disqualified for the race under rule 142, subsection 1 and rule 263 sections 1 and 2, and that Auctor be placed first, Taxpayer second, and Fundy Bay third. It is understood that an appeal to the district committee is likely

AIR BASE AT BRIDGE PA: HASTINGS PLAN

Mr E. L. Cullen Supports Claim Made By Deputation

A claim for an air training school to be established at Bridge Pa Aerodrome was made by a deputation of Hastings citizens which waited on Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P., yesterday.

Spokesmen said that the Hastings district was eminently suitable for a training school of considerable size. The climate and the location both favoured the prospect. It was emphasised that although most districts of the Dominion had some kind of military camp, none had been established in northern Hawke's Bay since the war began.

Mr Cullen promised full support the club offered the Government its for the deputation, expressing the opinion that the Hastings claim for a training base was second to none a training base was second to none in the Dominion.

opinion that the Hastings claim for a training base was second to none in the Dominion.

"This deputation is in regard to what we consider is Hastings's due, and should be established at an early date," said the Mayor (Mr G. A. Maddison). "We feel that this part of New Zealand has not been fairly treated; northern Hawke's Bay has no military camp of any kind."

facilities of the aerodrome.

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Works Department last year carried out further improvements, indicating that the Government wanted the ground maintained in good order."

kind."

Mr Maddison recalled how Mr Cullen and he had agitated for the establishment of a territorial camp two years ago. It was not that Hawke's Bay should have more consideration than any other part of the Dominion, but this province in every way offered all the facilities that were available at other camps. "I know that you have been pegging away at the Minister for some time on this business," said Mr Maddison to Mr Cullen. "I want to thank you, and I feel that you will achieve your end." The aerodrome was high and dry and ideally suited for a large camp, continued Mr Brown. There were already certain buildings that could be converted to the use of the Air Department without great expense. There was no North Island school for ground staff, and yet 75 per cent. of those men trained at Harewood came from the North Island. It was known that at Harewood parades were sometimes cancelled because of high wind and rain.

An air training centre in the district would act as an incentive for people to assist the patriotic funds,

A Fine Aerodrome A Fine Aerodrome
A tribute to the Hawke's Bay and
East Coast Aero Club was paid by
Mr Maddison. It was the second
club to be formed in the Dominion,
he said, and its pioneering work
was recognised throughout the
country. A great amount had been
spent in plant and the Public Works
Department also had gone to heavy
outlay to make Bridge Pa Aerodrome one of the finest in the Dominion.

minion.

"The air training scheme is growing rapidly and spreading throughout the Dominion," said Mr Maddison. "We feel that with the extra push of the public behind you, you will achieve your aim."

The Strategic Aspect The Strategic Aspect

From a strategic point of view this district's requirements should be taken into consideration, said the deputy-Mayor (Mr A. I. Rainbow). The present lighting restrictions made it obvious that the country was in some sort of danger, he said, and for this reason there should be an air base in the district. Situated as it was a short distance from the from a strategic point of view this district's requirements should be taken into consideration, said the deputy-Mayor (Mr A. I. Rainbow). The present lighting restrictions made it obvious that the country was in some sort of danger, he said, and for this reason there should be an air base in the district. Situated as it was a short distance from the coast, Hastings was in an ideal position for the establishment of a base.

"The attitude of the club to the Government has always been as helpful as possible," said the secretary of the Aero Club (Mr R. D. Brown). "On the outbreak of war made, if it is necessary."

NAPIER MOTOR-CAR

RAFFLE

Taranaki Man's Good

Fortune

A Taranaki resident was the for-

tunate holder of the winning ticket in the car raffle in aid of patriotic

NEW PLATES IN USE

TOO EARLY

By "getting in early" and affixing new number plates to their vehicles as much as a week too soon, quite a

number of Hastings motorists have, perhaps unwittingly, broken the

New plates may not legally be attached before the expiry of the current registration year at the end of this month.

The seriousness of the position

He suggested that if owners must

rent plates temporarily attached with string or wire. The inspector stated that the new plates, which

are black with white figures, had already appeared on several vehicle

whose owners he had to warn yes-

DISQUALIFICATION OF

WINNER

By Telegraph-Press Association

the district committee is likely

TIMARU, May 23.

was pointed out to a "Daily Mail" reporter last night by Traffic Inspec-

Dry Aerodrome

people to assist the patriotic funds, said Mr Brown. There was an abundance of food supplies in the district for use in a large training

Rekindling the Fire

camp.

JUDGE'S WARNING

Two Years' Reformative Detention

HASTINGS MAN

GAOLED

SUPREME COURT

SENTENCE

Advancing the medical opinion that the prisoner's health had been deteriorating during the past few years, Mr T. O'Dowd made a strong plea for leniency when George Matthew Spencer, 64, a Hastings builder, appeared before Mr Justice Smith

in the Napier Supreme Court for

"Maybe there are physiological reasons for your conduct and that if the whole truth were known the predominant feeling for you should be one of pity. On the other hand, you are a successful man of business and have shown that you have you are a successful man of business and have shown that you have your wits about you. You should have been able to resist any urgings of your nature. The actual consequence of your conduct is that you have degraded this girl's outlook on the relationship of man and woman and she may never recover a healthy view. Further, through you, she may herself affect the outlook of others to their detriment.

"I will be very pleased to rekindle the fire started two years ago," said Mr Cullen. The Government did consider establishing a ground training school at Bridge Pa and plans were made by the Public Works Department. Ministerial consent for a permanent school was given, pending a report by officials. In the meantime an agitation was raised in a certain quarter that the "Thoughtful Jury"

"The jury have put forward a thoughtful rider and, in my view, it deserves careful consideration. I propose to send it on to the Minister of Justice with a recommendation that it should be considered by the proper authorities. I certainly think that parents who are not vigilant should take heed and give more of their own time, in these days, to the care and supervision of their children. I think also that their vigilance should be supplemented by the power of the Court to impose sentences which may have a deterrent effect," said his Honour.

"In my view I must impose such "Thoughtful Jury" In the meantime an agricultural was raised in a certain quarter that the ground was not suitable for carrying heavy 'planes and while further negotiations were under way, war broke out and the matter was more or less shelved.

Many camps had been established

"In my view I must impose such a sentence in your case. Taking into account your age and your previous good reputation, the sentence of the Court is that you be detained in prison for reformative purposes for a period not exceeding two years. There you will receive medical attention.

Probation Report

Attacked

COUNSEL COMPLAINS

Builder Sent To Gaol

For Three Months

"Although undoubtedly the offence was committed in view of a public place, there was nothing to suggest

that the prisoner was endeavouring to entice children to his shop," said

Mr W. E. Bate when Frank Burge, 58, a retired builder, Hastings, ap-

peared before Mr Justice Smith in the Napier Supreme Court for sen-

tence.

The jury found Burge guilty of wilful and obscene exposure and the verdict was accompanied by a rider strongly recommending mercy. He

was sentenced to three months' hard

Counsel attacked the probation

officer's report on the grounds that it had been prepared when the prisoner's trial commenced and was in substantial ignorance of the jury's

recommendation. The probation of-ficer, who was the bailiff at the Hastings Magistrate's Court, did not

recommend probation and counsel alleged that he had failed to discharge his duty because he was required to state the reason for his

"Wife Remains Loyal" "The prisoner has a very loyal wife who still believes in him and I suggest that he should be admitted suggest that he should be admitted to whatevery the state of the state

to probation, subject to whatever conditions your Honour may see fit

conditions your Honour may see fit to impose, because it has not been shown that he is a man of depraved habits," said Mr Bate.

"There is no doubt whatever on the evidence that you were rightly convicted," said his Honour.

"The jury strongly recommended mercy but it is difficult to see on what grounds," he continued.

"At the same time, your act was one which may have corrupted chil-

one which may have corrupted children and the Court must take into consideration the fact that the offence occurred in full view of a public place frequented by children

DIVORCE ACTIONS

HEARD

Unhappy Marriages

Dissolved

Jules Winifried Sandtmann (Mr J.

proceeded with a cross-petition on the grounds of separation. She was granted a decree nisi to be moved

bsolute at the expiration of three

A decree nisi to be moved abso

"Plague Spot," Says Judge

MAN'S OFFENCES

Reformative Detention Imposed

DEPLORABLE CASE

in the car rathe in and of patriotic funds drawn in Napier yesterday in the presence of representatives of patriotic bodies and the police.

A small girl, Betty Allison, Wairoa, drew the winning ticket from the revolving barrel, and the holder was announced as "Siddells, Opunake, Taranaki," the ticket number being 8826 Describing the prisoner as "a plague spot in the community," Mr Justice Smith sentenced John McGregor, 62, a retired farmer, to a period of reformative detention not exceeding four years, when McGregor appeared before the Napier Supreme Court, after having pleaded guilty to seven charges of indecent assault on boys whose ages ranged from seven to 14.

"The evidence in this case is deplorable—so deplorable that it seems incredible that such conduct could occur at all," said Mr C. W. Nash in pleading for clemency.

"It is difficult to say how long the offences have been going on, but the children are agreed that they extend over the last 12 months," he continued. "It is amazing that such conduct should continue so openly without coming under the notice of some responsible person. The whole thing is travia not only for the how."

being 8826.

The chairman of the Napier Patriotic Zone Appeal Committee (Mr F. W. Browne) stated that the raffle had raised £620 12½ for the funds, and a suite of furniture presented by Rogers and Co., and their employees had resulted in a further £157 13/6 being added.

Mr Siddells is an Opunake businessman who was on holiday at Napier during Easter, when he bought the ticket that won him the car. When he purchased the ticket Mr Siddells jokingly remarked "I will come over and collect the prize."

prize."
Mr Siddells was delighted when informed of his good fortune by telephone last night. "Many a true word said in jest," he commented.

without coming under the notice of some responsible person. The whole thing is tragic, not only for the boys involved but also for the accused, who does not yet appreciate the seriousness of the offences.

"He tells me," said Mr Nash, "that the last few years of his life have been the happiest. There are some circumstances in this case which deserves the pity as well as the disserves the pity as well as the dis-gust which your Honour must feel." Children Seriously Affected

"The evidence discloses an appalling state of affairs," said his Honour, addressing the prisoner. "I suppose that some of these boys have been corrupted for life."

"Your conduct was no doubt, as your counsel said, the result of your posted condition. I am quite will.

mental condition. I am quite willing to treat the case on the basis that you have done this for certain tor H. A. Green, who explained that grave consequences could follow even a minor accident in which a vehicle travelling under the new plates before their use was permitted became involved. physiological reasons and I am quite willing that my main feeling should be one of pity. In your present condition, you are a plague spot in the community and you must be removed. put on the new plates in advance, they should attach these perman-ently and cover them with the cur-"Having regard to the ages of the

boys, I have no alternative but to send you to prison for reformative detention."

Memoranda

Must wars always continue? Hear the answer of the Bible in the United Hall, Lyndon Road, Hastings, at 7 p.m. to-morrow night. The subject is "The Cessation of Wars and the Introduction of Peace Through Christ Returned."

The weekly British Legion old-time dance will be held to-night in the Buffalo Hall, Hastings, at 8. The usual arrangements have been made for supper and music.

Jules Winifried Sandtmann (Mr J. Humphries), was granted a decree absolute by Mr Justice Smith in the Napier Supreme Court yesterday. Mr H. B. Lusk appeared for the guardians of the respondent, Muriel Strates and the grounds of adultery filed by Arthur Raymond Larkin (Mr C. W. Nash), was abandoned for the sake of the children and the respondent, Lily Rene Larkin (Mr C. G. E. Harker), proceeded with a cross-petition on A Home Guard dance will be held in the Clive Hall next Tuesday at 8 p.m. Details of free buses are advertised

The winner in the Hawke's Bay Provincial Patriotic Council's art union for a Hillman motor-car is announced by advertisement in this issue.

The Hastings Scots Society will hold its Ingleside on Monday night. May 26, at 8 o'clock in the Oddfellows' Hall, Market Street. There will be a good supper and splendid programme. A good attendance is looked for.

A decree nisi to be moved absolute after three months and interim custody of the child, was granted Aileen Alice McDonald (Mr C. W. Nash), on an undefended petition against Andrew McDonald on the grounds of separation. The respondanted attendance is looked for.

Imposed

'Not Drunk, But Under Influence"

TAKAPAU FATALITY

"You were not actually drunk at the time, but I think you were to some extent under the influence of liquor," said Mr Justice Smith, addressing John Laurence Mouat at the Napier Supreme Court yesterday. The prisoner appeared for sentence after being found guilty of negligent driving at Waipukurau on January 8, causing the death of Baden Powell Palmer.

sentence.

Spencer was found guilty of indecent assault on an 11-year-old girl at Hastings on February 8.

"The prisoner's intimacy with the children placed him in a position where his deteriorating health prompted the unfortunate impulse," said Mr O'Dowd. "His conviction has already disgraced him and his family. It seems to be a case for medical attention."

"You have been found guilty of

medical attention."

"You have been found guilty of an indecent assault on a girl of 11 years of age," commented his Honour, addressing Spencer.

"You are 64 years of age and have no previous convictions. It is strange that one with so good a record should have fallen in this way.

Victim Now Degraded

"Maybe there are physiological reasons for your conduct and that

Officer's Report Attacked Mr Harker criticised the probation officer's report, which stated that an action brought against the prisoner in the Waipukurau Magistrate's Court had been dismissed for lack of corroboration. Counsel submitted that this was grossly unfair and explained that the presiding Magistrate dismissed the information without gualification.

without qualification.

"This case is a serious one," said Mr Justice Smith. "It involves a breach of one of the fundamental driving rules that one vehicle should not attempt to pass another if the road ahead is not clear."

His Honour said that he would not be doing his duty if he admitted the be doing his duty if he admitted the prisoner to probation as his counsel

ORDNANCE ORDERS HELD UP

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received May 23, 8.35 p.m.) RAVENNA (Ohio), May 22.

A strike by approximately 6000 American Federation of Labour unionists to-day tied up construction work on 30.000.000 dollars' worth of orders at the Government's ordnance and shell-loading plant.

Hard Labour Is EDUCATION BOARD USES TERM "WAR PROFITEERS"

J. L. MOUAT SENTENCED Conscientious Objectors Who Apply For Vacated Positions

(By Telegraph-Press Association.)

CHRISTCHURCH, May 23. The term "war profiteers" was applied in a discussion by the Canterbury Education Board to-day on schoolteachers who are exempted from military service because they are pacifists or conscientious objectors

Such men, it was said, could apply for positions vacated temporarily by other teachers joining up to fight, get the jobs and get a higher salary with them.

MINIATURE RIFLES

AT HAUMOANA

Weekly Shoot

neir scores.

The report of a committee put be-fore the board suggested that the position could be met by asking the Education Department to add a clause to the regulations governing clause to the regulations governing these positions stipulating that conscientious objectors and pacifists exempted by the Armed Forces Appeal Board should not be eligible for appointment to positions carrying a higher salary and temporarily vacated by soldier teachers.

The committee's report was carried unanimously. Improved Scoring From There, was another good attendance at the weekly Haumoana Miniature Rifle Club's shoot, and there was every indication that shooters are beginning to settle down and do their best to increase their scores.

ried unanimously.

Publicity Opposed When the report of the Appointments Committee, containing this suggestion, was before the board in committee Mr R. Wild, chairman, suggested that it be given to the

down and do their best to increase their scores.

The winners of ladder badges were: Ladies: Mrs McCarthy, Mrs Olsen, Mrs W. Olsen. Juniors: H. Baker, F. J. Magnussen and L. Francis showed a big improvement to take the trophies.

The scores were: W. Olsen, 67—69.25; J. Rule, 66—69.33; Mrs McCarthy, 65—69.16; Mrs Olsen, 65—68.75; F. J. Magnussen, 65—69.61; L. Francis, 64—69.45; E. Chapman, 64—69.25; C. J. H. Baker, 63—68.83; H. Boaler jun., 61—68.87; Albert Manning, 60—69.56; H. Baker, 59—68.77; J. Walker, 59—68.90; R. Martin Smith, 58—68.99; J. McKeesick, 58—69.07; D. McLeod, 57—69.35; Miss M. Burden, 54—69.23; V. Manning, 53—67.57; Miss Dillon, 51—68.10; D. Cass, 51—69.29; F. Pulford, 50—69.00; B. Mick, 46—68.27; J. Chapman, 31—68.99; A. Manning, 28—65.77; Miss Magnussen, 28—68.99; A. Boyce, 27—68.99; K. McCarthy, 12—69.00; B. Douglas, 61—67.75. suggested that it be given to the newspapers.

Mr R. Smith opposed this on the ground that the position should not be made public until the department was advised.

"It should be made public," said Mr W. T. Langley. Men who were putting forward paltry excuses in appeals against war service could step into jobs vacated by men who were giving their lives for their country. Lower-Salaried Teachers Only teachers on a lower salary at

present could apply for the jobs vacated, said Mr Wild. Those exempted from service could thus become "war profiteers" and make more money than they had before. MAN WHO FAILED

TO REGISTER

Fine Of £12 And Costs Imposed

By Telegraph—Press Association WHANGAREI, May 23.

Failing to appear to answer a charge of neglecting, when a member of the First Division under the National Service Regulations, to apply for enrolment, Richard William Roberts, 27, single, was fined f12 and costs at the Whangarei Court to-day.

NEW BUILDING

Nurses Home At

Hastings

Early Completion Is Expected

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

A section of what will be one of the most modern nurses' homes in the Dominion will shortly be com-pleted by the contractor, Mr C. S. Palmer, fronting on to the Omahu Road at the Memorial Hospital, Hastings.

Road at the Memorial Hospital, Hastings.

The addition of the children's ward, which is also under construction, will make necessary a further number on the nursing staff and the new home will provide accommodation for them. The wing now being built will house between 30 and 40 nurses.

Shortage of Materials

The new home will contain 36 bedrooms, nurses' and sisters' sitting rooms, a small kitchen, ironing room and laundry. Despite shortages of certain building materials, good progress has been made with the job and providing part of the 60 tons of reinforcing steel in use in the structure arrives soon the home. tons of reinforcing steel in use in the structure arrives soon, the home should be ready for occupation within a reasonably short time.

The Hawke's Bay Hospital Board's building programme provides for a three-wing nurses' home at Hastings, to be erected to meet the growing demands of the hospital. When the present block is finished the first wing of the building will be completed.

In brick and concrete, with fab-

In brick and concrete, with fabric roof, the new building will be of an impressive appearance, in keeping with the remainder of the Memorial Hospital.

RECOUNT RESULTS IN ONE CHANGE

Mr M. J. Moodabe On Auckland Council

British Manufacture Of
Tanks And Guns

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(Received May '23, 6 p.m.)
LONDON, May 22.
Despite air-raids, the output of tanks and guns in the first quarter of 1941 was 50 per cent. higher than than of the December quarter, which was the best last year.

By Telegraph—Press Association
AUCKLAND, May 23.
Only one change has taken place in the personnel of the new City Council as a result of the completion of the official count of votes recorded at the Municipal election.
The declaration of the poll was made by the city Returning Officer, and this revealed that Mr W. B. L. Power, who was placed with the 21 members required on the figures of the provisional count, loses his place on the council and is replaced by Mr M. J. Moodabe.
As both were nominees of the Citizens' and Ratepayers' Association that organisation has still 20 representatives on the council.
Mrs Dreaver is the only Labour member.

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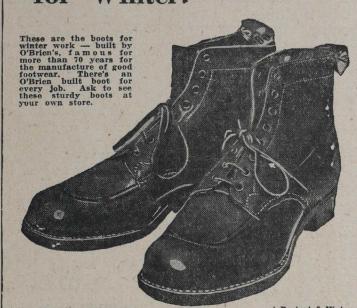
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Forthcoming Contest Is The Fifty-Seventh

By THE BARB

The third "leg," the Great Northern Steeplechase, of the big Auckland treble will be run on the second day of the big Auckland treble will be run on the second day of the Ellerslie fixture and is attracting attention. This race is one of the most picturesque in New Zealand and big crowds journey to the northern city to witness this cross-country event. The field this year is decidedly stronger than last year when the brilliant, but non-staying All Irish won from the hunter Mahala. Since the weights first appeared a few of the original entrants have either been withdrawn or their form has been so poor that their chances appear remote.

The Great Northern Hurdles and the Cornwall Handicap, run on the first day, June 2, have already been reviewed.

UP HILL AND DOWN DALE.

AUCKLAND TROTTING

MEETING

Opens To-day

DOUBLE PETER FOR

CORNWALL

Getaway Fancied

By The Barb The Auckland Trotting Club holds its winter meeting at Epsom to-day and Wednesday next with the pros-pects excellent. The win and place

totalisator will operate and the favourites may be as follows:—

Winter Handicap: Getaway, Wiri Bingen, Baby Triumph.

Mangere Handicap (first division)

Hobson Handicap: Davie Day, Kosha, Langdale.

Adams Cup: Josedale Grattan, Worthy Need, Toceetie.

Stewards Handicap: Worthy Belwin, Modest Maid, Modern Lady.

Marconi Handicap: Moko Direct,

Nawton Junior, Cam Derby.

Cornwall Handicap: Double Peter, Peter's Find, Handicapper.

The Acceptances

11.45—WINTER HANDICAP, of £200 (3.49 class); one mile and a half.—Alvis, Great Trust, Kalpaki Bill, Paul Parrish, Peter Cole, Range Finder, Rara Avis, Rolindo, Surprise Moko, Wharekawa, Worthy Parrish, scr.; Vera Worthy, Wirl Bingen, 36; Baby Triumph, Getawa, Mattie Herbilwyn, 48; Buncrana, Frontier Boy, Gold Kip, Redmond's Pride, 72.

2.50—STEWARDS' HANDICAP, of £285 (3.41 class), one mile and a half.—Bournemouth, Elliotvale, Frontier Boy, Nelson Carbine, scr.; Barney Bingen, Bon Haven, Esther, Silver Countess, Worthy Treasure, 12; Appomattox, Modest Maid, Silver Watch, Worthy Belwin, 24; Expensive Lady, 36; Dick Redmond, Modern Lady, 48; Sir Tony, 60; Vain Lad, 132.

3.35—MARCONI HANDICAP, of £250 (3.38 class); one mile and a half.—Ka-toomba, Magic Task, Moko Direct, Ox-ford, Torpedo King, ser.; Cam Derby, Ex-cel, Marina Rey, Mitaya, Parrish Lad.

Catella de Oro, Oxford, Sonja Henie. Second division: Flying Scot, Rockfel, Village Lass.

THIS YEAR'S RACE.

FOR THE DOUBLE.

Eills who won for Survoy in the Ellerslle race.

NOT MAKING GRADE.

Gar Vaals is not making the open
grade as well as expected. In the
lower class this gelding gave two or
three slashing displays and was selected as one that might win a big steeplechase, but on his two efforts at Te Rapa
this Vaals gelding is not recommended.
Kaiwaka is hardly a likely starter,
but at 10.4, if taken to Ellerslie, will
be a consideration.

Aussia Ra hit the second fence in the
Walkato Steeplechase and was immediately pulled up and returned very lame
to the birdcage. He is still lame, so is
not being thought of at the moment.
Black Musk is considered a stayer but,
as a steeplechaser, has had little experfence, Ellerslie country, however, is
not big, being more tricky than anything else. King Rey is another in the
same category as Black Musk, so he
might have a rough chance of pulling
off the double. Lapidarian is an unknown quantity but hardly weighs up to
the best engaged in this race.

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Bridegroom, despite his falling at Egmont, is a first-class jumper over big country and must be a serious consideration after his clear-cut victory in the Walkato steeplechase. Although he is by the stoutly-bred Mimetils dam is of unknown pedigree and it may be this faw that may prevent him going a solid three and a-half miles.

Chat has not recovered from her Hawer afall and will be missing. Innes the commended, is not disregarded, as he has stamina. En Tour is on the handy mark of 9.9, and

THE CUP FOXTON WINTER

MEETING

AUTOLITE FIT

Fixture Is Being Held At Levin

By The Barb

Very fair fields have accepted for the Foxton Cup meeting this afternoon. The fields are better than last year and, with the continued totalisator increases elsewhere, the Foxton Racing Club, which this year is holding its meeting at Levin on account of its own course being utilised by the military, should have a financially successful gathering.

The track is reported to be in great order and the betting will be win and place. Hastings stables will be represented by Sunny Knight and Arabic.

Up HILL AND DOWN DALE.
Up hill and down dale is said to be the track that suits horses that are not honest, and as Glen Abb has that reputation here is his chance to prove the adage. He can jump and should stay, but if not in the mood he may just as easily be last as first.

Baldric has twice, I think, baulked when raced over the Ellerslie country. At Waikato recently when Bridegroom won, Baldric was going well when he toppled over two fences from home. On that race this lean-fleshed gelding is a possibility.

The Main Open Races

A good stayer on heavy tracks is Saccone, but as a 'chaser he has no credentials, though he is said to jump ordered the profession of credentials, though he is said to jump ordered the profession of credentials, though he is said to jump ordered the profession of but two useful sorts from the hack ranks, Last Acre and Talenta, are going to be solidly backed. Trench Law is said to be coming back to form and may go best of the others, of whom Night Eruption is more likely to take on the Kebbell Mem-orial.

GOING NORTH.

Jewish Lad, so a Canterbury report says, is a certain starter in this race. He is to race in the minor steeplechase the first day and so will give a glimpse of his possibilities for the big race. He is held in fairly high esteem, at the weight, down south, but those who saw him race at Hastings last June would not put him among the probables. Kinkle and Floodlight are good fencers so have to be given a jumper's chance. Disturbed is not fancied, but Makol, on the minimum, is a possibility, the same applying to the plodder, Ruing Star, who has been four times in minor places in his last four starts over country.

Of the remainder Dark Rose, the surprise winner the second day at Te Rapa when he gave a fine exhibition of lepping, Beverley, Clansman and Fleur d'Or appeal the most of the lesser lights, particularly the former. The favourites at the present time appear to be

STREAMLINE,

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BRIDEGROOM.

Law is said to be coming back to for wand may go best of the others, of whom Night Eruption is more likely to take on the Kebbell Memorial.

This latter race is headed by that smart sprinter Autolite and, as she has proved herself up to Metropoliton class, 9.3 will not be excessive. Majority, at his best, would have a host of admirers but he does not enjoy the full confidence of all. Mittie is racing poorly and will shortly retire to the stud. Night Eruption and Black Robe appear the best of the lot, of which Grandora and Miss Te Koura, from Auckland, have come right down to the minimum. The lot, of which Grandora and Miss Te Koura, from Auckland, have come right down to the minimum.

The lack races have filled evenly while the field in the Trial Stakes is not very slick, as most have started more than once and failed to make an impression.

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The following may carry most monetary support:— Poroutawhao Hurdles: Great Quex, High Peer, Corroboree.

Trial Stakes: Salvation, Royal Vision, Te Oriko, Himatangi Hack: Sweet Anne, Sunny Knight, Desert Tide.

Foxton Cup: Last Acre, Talenta, Amigo. Motoa Hack: Pitmark, Sanction, Red

Kebbell Handicap: Autolite, Majority, Black Robe. Whirokino Hack: Sunny Knight, Sceptre, Kriemhild.

The Acceptances

POROUTAWHAO HURDLES, of £130; ne mile and a half.—High Peer 11.3; reat Quex 10.11, Gay Fox 10.4, Sunee 1.2, Ruatiti 10.2, Golden Memory 9.9, ingora 9.2, Selkirk 9.0, Dunmanway 9.0, bkumai 9.0, Corroboree 9.0, Royal Roance 9.0.

TRIAL STAKES, of f100; six furlongs (all 8.5).—Bonnie Bunsby, Eastern Sport, Fox Tower, Gallarda, Gothic, Kanul Te Pai, La Rosita, Magnifier, Midvance, Moderate, Royal Vision, Santa Lucia, Silver Ore, Tremolo, Te Orlko, The Hawker, The Rama. HIMATANGI HACK, of £120; six fur-longs.—Sunny Knight 9.11, Hasten 9.1, Defy 8.7, Sweet Anne 8.5, Desert Tide 7.10, Parchment 7.7, Leighon Rei 7.7, Dark Water 7.7, Caution 7.7, Tracto-neter 7.7, Victoire 7.7.

FOXTON CUP, of £275; one mile and a juarter.—Amigo 9.9, Gladynev 8.13, Au-ora's Star 8.2, The Monarch 7.12, Lady Montana 7.11, Gaelic Song 7.10, Gay Fox .8, Kena 7.8, Last Acre 7.4, Night Erupion 7.4, Trench Law 7.2, Talenta 7.2, Valerian 7.0, Filbert 7.0.

MOUTOA HACK, of £120; nine fur longs.—Sanction 9.0, Pitmark 8.4, Ret Dash 8.4, Arabic 8.3, Valpere 8.3, Courting 8.2, Tau-Uru 7.13, Kohika 7.12, Haile Selassie 7.11, Little Margot 7.11, Arachne 7.11.

KEBBELL MEMORIAL, of £175; six urlongs.—Autolite 9.3, Majority 8.11, little 8.2, Night Eruption 8.0, Black tobe 8.0, Screen Star 7.8, Lutanist 7.5, randora 7.0, Miss Te Koura 7.0, Wa-

WHIROKENO HACK, of £115; five fur-ongs.—Sunny Knight 9.13, Parlato 8.12, ceptre 8.9, Sweet Anne 8.5, Pretty Las, 3, Kriemhild 8.2, Barry Boy 7.9, Tris-an 7.7, Parchment 7.7, Kehurangi 7.7, coyal Vision 7.7, Trethella 7.7, Calllope

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—Foremost Junior, Hillcrest, Noble Prince, Toccetie, Pop Eye, scr.; Our Jewel, Our McKinney, Three Bells, Worthy Need, 12; Our Peggy, Uenuku, 24; Vosedale Grattan, 36.

2.50—STEWARDS' HANDICAP (11 class), one mile and a last class (12 class), one mile and a last class), one mile and a last class (13 class), one mile and a last class), one mile and a last class (13 class), one mile and a last class

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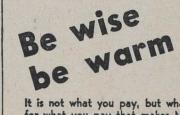
Junior, 36; Marcus, Star Guide, Winning Post, 48.

1 Lady, 48; Sir Tony, 60; Vain 32.

MARCONI HANDICAP, of £250 (2.53 class), one mile and a quarter.—Albertini, Axspear, Handicapper, Kitty's Choice, Narbada, Peter's Find, scr.: Bed-corpedo King, scr.; Cam Derby, Exarina Rey, Mitaya, Parrish Lad, Quarter, 21 Club King, Camberty, Camberty, Exarina Rey, Mitaya, Parrish Lad, Peter 4, 21; Sentiment, 24; Club King, Warwick, 24; Intrigue, Nawton 36; Walter Gay, 48.

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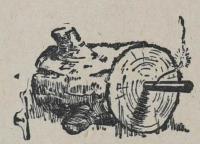
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For full timetable information see posters or enquire at stations.

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The Report and Balance Sheet. Election of Officers. General.

PUBLIC NOTICES RUGBY FOOTBALL. HASTINGS RUGBY McLEAN PARK, NAPIER, TO-DAY — SATURDAY — TO-DAY 24th MAY, 1941. M.B.O.B. v. Celtic, No. 1 Ground, 3 NELSON PARK, TO-DAY - SATURDAY. Two Napier Teams Appear. Hastings v. Pirates, 3 p.m. Havelock N. v. Clive, 3 p.m. Also Junior Games at 1.30 p.m. p.m. Hast. H.S.O.B. v. Tech-High, No 2 Ground, 3 p.m. LOWER GRADE Games at 1.30 p.m.

BRITISH LEGION Old-time Dance. TO-NIGHT, May 24th, at 8 p.m. Buffalo Hall, Hastings. McKay's Orchestra; 3 dance competitions; good supper. Subs., 2/- and 1/6. A.R.R.

MR. A. N. HAMMOND, Representative for Vincents, Truck Dealers, Newmarket, Auckland, CELTIC RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB. Will be in Hastings on Monday and Tuesday, 26 and 27 of this week. Any-one wishing to sell their truck please ringe 'phone 2171, Hastings.

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Oddfellows' Hall, Market Street,
MONDAY NIGHT, 26th MAY,
At 8 o'clock. Hawke's Bay County Council Office,

NAPIER, May 20th, 1941.

A PPLICANTS for Motor Drivers'
Licenses are hereby notified that
STAMPS WILL NOT be accepted as
payment for the license fee. Sixpenny
stamps may be affixed to a 5/- postal
note if 5/6d postal note is not pro-W. J. O'CONNELL,

Clerk, H.B. County Council

NEW ZEALAND FARMERS' UNION (Incorporated). A MEETING of Members will be held on WEDNESDAY, 28th MAY, 1941, at 2.30 p.m. in the Oddfellows' Hall, Hastings.

THE Annual General Meeting of the above Sub-Centre will be held in the rooms, Heretaunga Street, Hast-ings, on Monday, 26th May, 1941, at Mr A. P. O'Shea, Dominion Secreary, will speak on present day

General Public cordially invited.

K. H. BAYLISS, Provincial Secretary.

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TO DEERSTALKERS. TRESPASSERS with Dog or Gun on undermentioned properties will be Prosecuted — TIMAHANGA BLOCK, NGAMATIA BLOCK, TE KOAU BLOCK, POHUKURA BLOCK, OWHAOKO STATION, INLAND PATEA DISTRICT.

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NOTICE OF TRESPASS.

NDISCRIMINATE Shooting has been taking place on Omahaki, Cattle Hill and Ben Nevis, in the This must cease.

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BOROUGH OF HASTINGS.

ELECTION OF TWO REPRESENTA-TIVES OF THE BOROUGH OF HASTINGS ON THE NAPIER HARBOUR BOARD.

DECLARATION OF POLL.
PURSUANT to Section 32 of "The
Local Elections and Polls Act,
1925," I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that
the number of votes received by each
Candidate for the office of Representatives on the Napier Harbour Board
for the Borough of Hastings, is as
follows:—

RICHMOND, William
BROWN, Robert Douglas
Williams, John Henry
Kay, Harold
Informal And I hereby declare the said W. RICHMOND and R. D. BROWN to be duly elected to such office.

NOEL C. HARDING, Returning Officer. HASTINGS, 23rd May, 1941.

BOROUGH OF HASTINGS. ELECTION OF TWO REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BOROUGH OF HASTINGS ON THE HAWKES BAY ELECTRIC POWER BOARD DECLARATION OF POLL.

PURSUANT to Section 32 of "Th Local Elections and Polls Act, 1925," I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that the number of votes received by each Candidate for the office of Representatives on the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board for the Borough of Hastings, is as follows:—

HARVEY, Leonard James 3,546
ASHCROFT, Septimus 3,266
Barley, Raiph Ewart 1,320
Smith, Francis Edgar 714
Informal 98

And I hereby declare the said L. J. HARVEY and S. ASHCROFT to be duly elected to such office. NOEL C. HARDING, Returning Officer.

HASTINGS, 23rd May, 1941.

BOROUGH OF HASTINGS ELECTION OF TWO REPRESENTA.
TIVES OF THE BOROUGH OF
HASTINGS ON THE HAWKE'S
BAY HOSPITAL BOARD.
DECLARATION OF POLL.

PURSUANT to Section 32 of "The Local Elections and Polls 1925," I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

he number of votes received by each andidate for the office of Representatives on the Hawke's Bay Hospital loard for the Borough of Hastings is follows:— GRIFFITHS, Charles BATE, Walter Edwin Foddy, John Percy Fargher, Leslie Charles Informal

Informal 90
And I hereby declare the said C.
GRIFFITHS and W. E. BATE to be
duly elected to such office. NOEL C. HARDING, Returning Officer.

HASTINGS, 23rd May, 1941.

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At 1.30 p.m.

MESSRS HARVEY, FULTON AND HILL, under instructions from MRS L. J. BOWEN (who is leaving Hastings), will sell:— Hastings), will sell:—

One Colombus 5-valve Broadcast Radio, pfactically new, 1 mantle model 6-valve All-wave Atwater Kent Radio, 1 Fire Side Suite consisting of Chesterfield and two Chairs, Electric Singer Sewing Machine, Morris Chair, Fire Side Chair, Picnic Set, Cushions, Rimu Waiter, Occ. Tables, Books, Carpet 10ft 6in x 9ft, Runner Rugs, Curtains, Dolls Pram, Ornaments, Bedroom Suite, consisting of Wardrobe, with Double Mirror, Double Bedstead, Duchesse and Pedestal, two Single Rimu Beds, Double and Single Mattresses, Kitchen Table, 5 Kitchen Chairs, Clothes Basket, Tallboy, Electric Iron, Crockery, Cutlery, Pots and Pans, Congoleum, Clock, Coir Mat, Mops and Brooms, Masport Lawnmower, Spade, Saws, Hoe, Hose, and Sundries.

ALSO One V-8 Ford Coupe, done 23,000 niles, tyres good, and car in perfect order and had only one driver. NOTE.—We have pleasure in advising clients to attend the above sale. We specially recommend any one on the look out for a practically new motor car to inspect the Ford V-8 which the owner is disposing of at this sale.

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Auctioneer SALE OF FURNISHINGS AND EFFECTS,

12 KARAMU ROAD S., HASTINGS THURSDAY, 29th MAY, 1941, At 1.30 p.m.

MESSRS HARVEY, FULTON AND HILL under instructions from MRS. F. M. MORSE (who is leaving Hastings) will sell:— MRS. F. M. MORSE (who is leaving Hastings) will sell:—
One Carpet 12 x 15, pick toning, 1 British Empire Electric Carpet. Sweeper, 2 Single Rimu Bedsteads, 2 Duchesses, Congoleum Square, 12 x 12, Rimu Tea Waggon, Curtains, Mirror in Frame, Oak Drop Side Table, 4 Seagrass Chairs, Chesterfield, 1 Radion All Wave Radio, Carved Table, Carved Lamp Stand, Díning Chairs, Ornaments, Pictures, Book Shelf, Sonoro Cabinet Gramophone, 21 feet Hall Runher, Brass Ware, Scottish Kilt and Costume complete with Shawl, Double, Oak Bed, Oak Duchesse, Oak Wardrobe, Oak Pedestal, Lino Square, 2 Electric Irons, Pots and Pans, Crockery, Settee, Glass Case of Stuffed Australian Birds, Brooms, and Mops, 72 Teaspoons (new), 21 Salad Dishes, Linoleum, Buckets, Mincer, Wireless Poles, Odd Iron, Wire Netting, Hose, Lawn Mower and Catcher, Gardening Tools, Brace and Bit, Sundry Tools, Clothes Line, Single Iron Bedstead, 2 Bird Cages on stands, 7 Hanging Plants with Wire Frames, and sundries.

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STORTFORD LODGE YARDS

WEDNESDAY, 28th MAY, 1941. 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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WAIROA SALE YARDS.

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1941. All Sheep should be dipped before being offered for sale. SHEEP— 100 M.S. Lambs. 30 Weaner Steers.

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MONDAY, 26th MAY, 1941,

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