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Crete Evacuation Worse Than Dunkirk

TROOPS REACH CAIRO

More Than Half Of British Defenders Saved

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LONDON, June 2.

It is officially announced that 15,000 British and Imperial troops have been evacuated from Crete by the British Navy, with the co-operation of the R.A.F.

"General Freyberg took the decision to evacuate Crete on May 29," says the Associated Press Cairo correspondent, "because it was apparent that air supremacy would enable the Germans to land endless reinforcements and prevent the British from landing adequate reinforcements and supplies. Ten thousand troops left for Egypt by night on May 31, mainly British and Anzacs, but there were some Greek and Cretan soldiers and civilians. The Luftwaffe unceasingly attacked the streams of ships from Crete to Egypt."



AUSTRALIAN PILOTS ON THE WAY.—A contingent of Australian airmen sail for Canada under the Empire Air-training Scheme.

High Mass Amid The Ruins

LONDON SERVICE

Celebrated By Aged Bishop Amigo

CATHEDRAL GUTTED

British Official Wireless
(Received June 2, 7.45 p.m.)
RUGBY, June 1.

Archbishop Amigo, the 77-year-old Roman Catholic Bishop of Southwark, London, celebrated Pontifical High Mass in the ruins of St. George's Cathedral, Southwark, this morning.

The cathedral was gutted by fire in a recent air raid and only the shell remains. On a temporary altar which had been erected for the service lay a crucifix and six candlesticks which had been saved from the building.

The densely packed congregation stood throughout the service in the devastated building.

CAPTAIN ROOSEVELT TO REPORT

Britain's War Needs In Middle East

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CAIRO, June 2.

Captain Roosevelt has left for America. It is understood that he is reporting on British specific needs of war materials in the Middle East and recommending measures for speedy delivery.

BRITANNIC BERTHS AT NEW YORK

First British Liner In Two Months

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NEW YORK, June 2.

The Britannic arrived to-day with 220 passengers. She is the first British liner to reach New York in almost two months.

"WARSHIPS HAD TO DEPART"

BERLIN GLOATS OVER EVACUATION

WILD FLIGHT

Small Boats Pressed Into Service

(Received June 3, 0.45 a.m.)
LONDON, June 2.

The Berlin Radio stated to-day that mopping up operations were continuing in Crete according to plan. "The remnants of British units under pressure from Italian and German troops are trying to leave the island by any available means," said the broadcast.

"German troops operating on the south coast are witnessing dramatic scenes. British, Australian and New Zealand troops in their wild flight are trying to get away in small schooners, fishing boats and rowing boats. Only a small number could be taken aboard the British warships, which were forced to leave the waters around the island because of incessant bombing attacks.

"Numerous fishing boats carrying British soldiers had to return to Crete and give themselves up."

Regent Welcomed To Baghdad

NEW GOVERNMENT

Terms Of Armistice Revealed

QUISLINGS OUSTED

LONDON, June 1.

Following the signing of the armistice in Iraq, the Regent, Emir Abdul Ilah, to-day returned to his palace at Baghdad. All Baghdad welcomed the Regent home. He is now forming a new Government in place of the Quisling regime set up by the rebel leader Rashid Ali, who has fled the country.

The terms of the armistice include provision for the return of Iraqi troops to their usual occupations, the release of British prisoners, and the handing over to the Regent of Iraqi prisoners.

MR MENZIES SAYS ENEMY PLAN HAS BEEN HELD UP

Timetable Upset By Allied Defence Of Crete, It Is Said

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MELBOURNE, June 2.

The Commonwealth Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. R. G. Menzies) said to-day that our defeat in Crete undoubtedly was a serious blow, although once again the proportion of men got off was higher than might have been expected.

"It is within my knowledge that every conceivable step for a long time past has been taken by the Home authorities to reinforce the Middle East with men, weapons, tanks and aircraft.

"In making such reinforcement, great risks on occasions have been accepted by the naval forces," Mr Menzies said.

"Every week has strengthened our capacity to defend the vital zone of Egypt and Suez."

"From this viewpoint the holding up of the enemy in Crete and the heavy losses inflicted have been of great value. By upsetting the German timetable the operation has enabled the British forces to clear up the situation in Iraq.

"The great disability of Crete was the shortage and then the absence of suitable air bases. In future we will not suffer such a disability, but will meet the enemy with growing forces and aircraft bases in areas under our own control."

"While the peril is admitted there is no reason for pessimism. All the time I sat with the War Cabinet in London I found the utmost readiness to accept risks in sending every possible tank, gun and aeroplane to the Middle East."

Anzacs Watch Invasion Fleet Sunk Off Crete

(From the Official War Correspondent with the N.Z.E.F. in Crete.)
CAIRO, June 2.

As if we had grandstand seats in the huge battle arena, hundreds of New Zealanders watched the gripping midnight drama in which the British Navy sent the best part of the German invasion fleet to the bottom of the sea off the north coast of Crete, states a dispatch from Crete dated May 23.

The fruits of brilliant intelligence work were used to the full by the warships, which cruised outside the point where a landing was known to have been intended, and so for us it was like awaiting the curtain to rise in a theatre.

It was near midnight when heavy shellfire awakened me from a doze and I hurried to a hilltop overlooking the shore positions held by a New Zealand force.

A red inferno on the horizon showed that the Navy had already found a target at what seemed no more than 10 miles out. Then suddenly the silver beam of a searchlight was flung across the water. It caught perhaps a dozen small ships in line, each gleaming in the light as if coated with luminous paint. Naval gunners took their cue from the revelations of the searchlight and a terrific battle raged. Big guns flashed and roared and incendiary shells chased one another across the sky in strings of glowing red balls.

Two Burning Ships
Again the searchlight threw a brilliant beam over an enemy flotilla and again the big guns boomed until at last, when the light had swung through a complete circle, it seemed to us that the sea had been clear save for two burning ships, one which was convulsed spasmodically by fierce explosions.

The calm sea next morning held no signs of life. I had another grandstand view last night of a scene which also told its own story of the tremendous cost of the German invasion. In a battle-reddened sunset I looked down across the coastal plain on whose seaward fringe lies Maleme aerodrome, now being used by the Germans to land infantry supplies.

Luftwaffe Junkyard
The checkered quilt of cultivated fields had become a Luftwaffe junkyard since the wrecked hulks of transport planes and gliders lay at odd angles along it as far as the eye could see. Every 200 yards down the shingle beach was the broken shape of a crashed machine and many more littered the groves and riverbeds. The wreckage was thick round the aerodrome, where British anti-aircraft guns and our own field artillery made German landing operations a costly and wasteful affair.

Even as I watched big carrier planes were dropping in from the sea as they had done almost continuously for two days. Skimming the water, they reached the aerodrome one by one and landed in a flurry of dust, and then took off again after discharging their loads and possibly embarking fatigued and wounded paratroops, but our guns were still firing too and those wreckage heaps must have been growing.

Another Raid On Dublin

PROTEST LODGED

Compensation Claimed From Germany

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DUBLIN, June 2.

It is officially stated that as a result of bombs dropped on Dublin early on Saturday morning at least 27 were killed and 80 injured. There was considerable damage to property. A further bomb was dropped near Arklow on Sunday morning. There were no casualties but some damage to property.

Investigations show that the bombs were of German origin, therefore Eire is protesting in the strongest terms to Germany against this violation of Irish territory. Eire will claim compensation and reparation and seek definite assurance that German planes will be instructed not to fly over Irish territory or territorial waters.

HEAVY RAID ON MANCHESTER

TWO BOMBERS SHOT DOWN

LONDON, June 1.

The biggest force of German bombers over England for some time to-night raided Manchester, where considerable damage was done. Cinemas, theatres, hospitals and homes were wrecked. A nurses' home suffered a direct hit and many of the nurses were buried in the debris. One was killed.

Two of the German bombers were shot down. London had its first alert for 16 nights, but no bombs were dropped.

WHAT BIG BOMBS CAN DO

HAMBURG FACTORIES IN RUINS

TERRIBLE EFFECTS

British Official Wireless
(Received June 2, 8.10 p.m.)
RUGBY, June 1.

The German people are having the war brought home to them in Hamburg, Kiel and Wilhelmshaven, states the Air Ministry News Service. In particular, reports of the terrible effect of the latest British bombing are spreading. In Hamburg one of these new bombs fell into the Steinwerder industrial area and industrial buildings covering 20,000 square yards were completely demolished. Over an area of 75,000 square yards there was severe damage from the blast and at two points more than 1100 feet apart the effects of the blast were very obvious.

Reports from within Germany describe Hamburg as a tragic picture and it is said that there is scarcely a district which has not suffered.

A photographic reconnaissance of Hamburg has already shown 36 very large industrial buildings completely demolished or very seriously damaged and many other less seriously damaged.

BOEING FACTORY ON FIRE

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VANCOUVER, June 2.

Five destroyed the administration buildings and the centre section of the assembly plant at the Boeing aircraft factory, which was scheduled to begin the production of R.A.F. Avenger boats next month.

Anzacs Print Paper In Crete Blitz

Four Issues With Sharply Declining Circulation

Plant Ablaze

Canea Rocked By Bombs As Newsheet Went To Press

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LONDON, June 1.

"This is one of the world's greatest newspaper stories and it comes from Crete," says the "Daily Mail's" Cairo correspondent. "The paper was a one-page newsheet called the 'Crete News' and it had only four numbers, but the final edition made history.

"The New Zealanders started the paper two days before the invasion began. Five Anzac soldier-journalists in a little back room at Canea wrestled with a primitive press and a collection of type lacking certain letters. They could not use H's in the headlines because they had none.

"The first two numbers came out with a circulation of about 3000, then the German blitz started, but the paper produced a third number, although the circulation had fallen to 2000. The Germans started to wipe out Canea as the fourth number was being set up and the work went on with bombs rocking the building.

Blazing Houses.
"The blitz continued all afternoon and the officer responsible for the paper tried to reach the office, but could not because a blazing house had spilled across the street.

"It seemed that the 'Crete News' had gone out of circulation, but at one a.m. the next day three blackened and dust-caked men staggered to headquarters with 600 copies of the paper.

"We couldn't print any more," they said, "the plant has been burned down."

"Their two companions had been detached for urgent duties, but the three men paused only twice in their work—to rescue civilians from beneath wrecked buildings."

GERMANS IN CONTROL OF FRENCH SHIPS

Darlan's Protests To Britain Obviously Dictated From Berlin

(British Official Wireless.)
(Received June 2, 8.15 p.m.)

RUGBY, June 1.

Telling comment is made by the Ministry of Economic Warfare on Admiral Darlan's recent accusation that Britain had illegally detained 792,000 tons of French shipping valued at 120,000,000,000 francs. "Why does Admiral Darlan choose this moment to launch his attack?" it is asked. "The Axis is facing a shipping crisis. Since the beginning of the war to May 13 almost 3,000,000 tons of Axis shipping has been captured, seized or sunk. It needs every ship it can lay hands on in an attempt to solve the acute transport problem.

The sinkings by bombers of the Coastal Command in the North Sea and the Channel have been particularly heavy recently and Germany is finding it increasingly difficult in pressing the seamen of the occupied territories into her service.

"In addition, the problem of Mediterranean shipping is of vital importance to her. Our action against Axis-controlled shipping in the Mediterranean is, from the Axis point of view, a battle of the Mediterranean comparable to the Battle of the Atlantic. Is it surprising that this moment should have been chosen for Admiral Darlan to launch his complaint?"

"Admiral Darlan admits 36,000 tons out of 792,000 is controlled by the Free French. He also admits that 142,000 tons are immobilised in United States ports by order of President Roosevelt. He also admits that 86,000 tons has been sunk—that is coastal traffic in the direct service of Germany.

Ships 'Mislabelled'
"In a Vichy survey of French shipping, broadcast by the German transoceanic service on May 21, it was officially announced that 43,000 tons were under the Free French flag. Seven thousand tons would seem to have conveniently been mislabelled by the Admiral. Thus 271,000 tons must be subtracted from 792,000 before Vichy can begin to talk of 'British piracy.'

Axis In Control
"We know that no French ship may be transferred from one route to another without permission from the Armistice Commission. We know that all French cargo manifests must be submitted to that Commission to enable the Axis to control shipping space for her own war needs and to take the lion's share even of imports into unoccupied France. We know that orders for scuttling have been issued by the French Admiralty by order of the Armistice Commission.

"It can clearly be seen that the free disposal of France's ports and communication routes by Admiral Darlan or Vichy is as illusory as freedom of Vichy from German control in other fields."

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Te Awa Women's Basketball At Hastings

HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Hawke's Bay Event At Hastings

16 TEAMS TAKE PART

For the ninth time since 1923, Te Awa women's section of the Hawke's Bay Hockey Association's King's Birthday tournament which was played at Hastings yesterday. Although the advent of war has had a serious effect on hockey, Napier fielded 11 teams and Hastings a considerable decrease when compared with previous years.

Another outstanding feature of this year's tournament was the success of Karori in the senior men's grade. For many seasons past, Karori has emerged as runner-up, but on this occasion lead Kiwi A with a margin of three games.

Results:

SENIOR MEN—Kiwi A 3, Kiwi B nil; Kahurangi 1, Scinde nil; Kiwi A 3, Kahurangi nil; Karori 4, Kiwi B nil; Karori 3, Kiwi A 1; Scinde 4, Kiwi B nil; Kiwi A 1, Scinde 1; Karori 1, Kahurangi nil; Kahurangi 2, Kiwi B nil; Karori 1, Scinde Black nil; Karori nil, United nil; Karori nil, Kiwi nil; United 1, Karori nil; Scinde Black nil; United 3, Scinde White nil; United 3, Scinde White nil; Scinde Black 2, Karori nil; Kiwi 4, Scinde Black 2; Karori 4, Scinde White nil.

WOMEN—Kahurangi nil, Maraenui nil; Hastings 3, Karori nil; Tuil, Te Awa nil; Te Awa 4, Maraenui nil; Tuil 2, Karori nil; Hastings nil, Kahurangi nil; Te Awa 1, Hastings nil; Hastings 1, Tuil nil; Te Awa 2, Kahurangi nil; Maraenui 2, Karori nil; Hastings 2, Karori nil; Karori nil, Hastings 2, Karori nil.

JUNIOR MEN—United nil, Kiwi nil; Scinde Black 1, Scinde White nil; United 2, Scinde Black nil; Karori nil, Kiwi nil; United 1, Karori nil; Scinde White nil; Scinde Black 1, Karori nil; Kiwi 4, Scinde Black 2; Karori 4, Scinde White nil.

Summary of Games

SENIOR MEN—Karori 8, Kiwi 4, Kahurangi 4, Scinde 3, Kiwi B none.

JUNIOR MEN—United 7, Kiwi 6, Scinde Black 4, Karori 3, Scinde White none.

WOMEN—Te Awa 9, Hastings 7, Tuil 7, Kahurangi 4, Maraenui 3, Karori none.

Basketball At Hastings

REVIEW OF GAMES

Comment On The Matches

TWO DAYS' PLAY

Results in the Hastings Basketball Association's Saturday tournament were as follows:—

Senior A—Havelock 36, High School A 15; Convent O.G. 23, H.S. Old Girls 9; West End 16, Woolworths 9.

Senior B—Wattles 18, Havelock 9; High School B 17, Clive O.G. 8; High School O.G. 18, Convent O.G. 8.

Intermediate—H.S. Cl. 11, Juvenile League 10; Convent O.G. 17, H.S. D4 15; H.S. D1 12, H.S. D3 10.

Senior A—Havelock North and High School A—Both teams played very well, Havelock having the best of the game. High School played really good basketball, and their attack on the rules is very noteworthy. Havelock, H.S. forward, played very well, especially T. Eves, played brilliantly, and had the advantage of being in the key position. H.S. Old Girls—H.S. Old Girls played well in the first half, while Convent O.G. were off their feet. The half-time score was 9-11, but in the second half the only scored four goals, and the final score was 23-9.

Senior B—Wattles and West End—Both teams played well, and although West End were short they had the best of the game. Both teams were inclined to play a defensive game, and the referees were inclined to block when the centre pass was being taken. The half-time score was 12-10, and the final score 16-9 to West End.

Senior A—Convent and Havelock North—For a team that was raised from intermediate to senior B, Convent played an excellent game. Havelock North, on the other hand, need more practice in their defence. The half-time score was 8-9, and the final score was 14-9 to Convent.

Senior B—Wattles and Havelock North—Both teams played well, Wattles forwards being outstanding. Wattles and Havelock played well, although the latter is inclined to get too much behind her defence. Havelock North, played well for Havelock North, but is inclined to get over-keen. The final score was 13-9 to Havelock North.

High School and Clive School O.G.—This was quite a good game, but both teams must remember to walk straight in after a throw-in. M. de Montalk, C. Thompson, and C. Somers played very well for H.S. and Z. Kennerley and G. Lister for Clive School O.G. The final score was 14-9 to Havelock North.

High School O.G. and Convent O.G.—H.S. O.G. had the whole game, and played very well. They kept their opponents well covered and intercepted well. Convent O.G. is practically a new team, but they threw many wild passes. Wattles were again very well. The final score was 13-8 to H.S. Old Girls.

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Five o'Clock Gossip

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Lady Sargood is a Dunedin visitor to Napier.

Mr and Mrs J. E. Svenson, Wairoa, are the guests of Mrs White-Farson, Seapoint Road, Napier.

Mr and Mrs Clark, Corry's Avenue, Napier, have returned from a short visit to Palmerston North.

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Miss Barbara Cox, Wellington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr and Mrs V. Cox, Thompson Road, Napier.

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Hawke's Bay Daily Mail Your Own Morning Paper TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 1941. THE MEDITERRANEAN BATTLE

No useful purpose would be served by any attempt to minimise or to explain away the loss of Crete to the Allies in the Mediterranean. It is a grievous blow, and the fact that it was expected does not materially lessen the inevitable disappointment that one of the most heroic defences in history should have ended in withdrawal.

The German attack on Crete has proved—if any proof were necessary after the campaigns in Poland, France, and Greece—that the Nazi war-machine is the most utterly soulless and ruthless military organisation which has ever been loosed on humanity. Nazism will stop at nothing; it will squander the lives of its own people as remorselessly as it will massacre its opponents; the claim that Hitler would readily sacrifice 1,000,000 Germans if by that sacrifice he could secure a foothold on the shores of Great Britain is not now only believable; it has become a certainty.

It is clear that the British and Allied forces in Crete must have suffered heavily. Probably their losses are very much smaller than those of the enemy, but such battles are not fought with impunity. Nevertheless, the fact that emerges most clearly from the struggle is that the defenders of Crete bewildered the Germans by their epic fight and wiped out any chance of the walk-over victory on which the Germans were counting. If the Germans regarded the invasion and occupation of Crete as a preliminary to the immeasurably greater task of invading and conquering Great Britain they have learned a bitter lesson.

In view of the conditions under which the Crete campaign was fought, the successful withdrawal of 15,000 troops is perhaps the greatest achievement of its kind in the present war. Just as the evacuation of Greece was more difficult than the evacuation of Dunkirk, so was the withdrawal from the isolated Greek island, only 70 miles from the enemy mainland, a still greater undertaking. For the success of this withdrawal, the highest praise and gratitude must go to the Navy and the R.A.F. Once again the British genius for saving a seemingly desperate situation has resulted in the baulking of the Germans when they were in sight of complete victory.

The Battle for Crete has emphasised what was learned in Greece. Individually, the British soldier is a finer and more resourceful fighter than the German. But in these days when battles are won and lost in the air and by means of mechanical equipment, the British advantage will be neutralised until our mechanised forces and the R.A.F. can meet the Germans on equal terms. The war will be won in the air, but the campaigns in the Balkans and in Crete have been lost because of the overwhelming weight of German air power.

FIASCO IN IRAQ. While the crushing of the German-inspired rebellion in Iraq cannot be regarded as a major campaign, the failure of the forces of Rashid Ali to achieve any success, political, strategic, or diplomatic, after the first fare-up, has resulted in an important German failure at a critical time. It is now generally accepted that Rashid Ali lit the fuse at the wrong moment and gave the British Government ample time to take counter-measures. It cannot be doubted that the Germans expected to conquer Greece and to occupy Crete in a much shorter time than the campaign has taken. An early victory here would immediately have opened the way to Cyprus and Syria, thus permitting the passage of a great stream of German reinforcements from the Mediterranean to northern Iraq. Certain forces, including aircraft, have reached Iraq with the connivance of the French authorities in Syria, and Germans are still holding the famous pipeline which runs across the desert from the Mosul oilfields, but whatever forces the enemy may have in Iraq, they have been impotent to prevent the collapse of the revolt, from which Berlin expected a great deal.

The capture of Crete means that the next move in the German campaign to encircle Egypt and the Suez Canal will be towards the east. We do not know what British forces are in Cyprus, but it has been pointed out in London that a German attack on Cyprus would be much more difficult than the attack on Crete for the simple geographical reason that Cyprus is "under the umbrella of Palestine" and is thus afforded air protection to a degree which was out of the question in Crete. The broadening of the campaign will not be altogether to the disadvantage of Britain.

Personal

Mr A. J. Runciman returned to Hastings yesterday after spending the week-end at Dannevirke. Mr T. Byrne, Wairoa, is visiting Napier and is the guest of Mr and Mrs J. W. Callaghan, Corry Avenue. Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P., left Hastings early this morning for Wellington. He expects to return about the end of the week. Mr G. T. London, Mayor of Petone, who was previously reported missing, is now safe, according to advice received by relatives. Mrs L. Griffiths, Meaneze, has received word that her son, Gunner W. J. Griffiths, is safe and well. He was previously reported missing. Mr R. C. Barnett, district manager of the Government Life Insurance Department, Invercargill, has been promoted to a similar position in Hamilton.

The Rev. Father Vincent Callaghan, Foxton Military Camp, is spending a few days in Napier and is the guest of his parents, Mr and Mrs J. W. Callaghan, Corry Avenue. Captain W. J. Smeeton, M.C., N.Z.S.C., who was recently appointed commandant of the Northern Military District School, has been promoted to the rank of major. Governor-General Richard Brunton, special envoy of General de Gaulle to French possessions in the Pacific and Madame Brunton, accompanied by Captain L. Fatoux, aide-de-camp, have left for Tahiti. Mr J. F. Cousins, who has occupied the position of general secretary to the New Zealand Garage Proprietors' Association, has announced his retirement after nearly 24 years' service. Dr. Gordon Cook, formerly of the Auckland Hospital staff, has been appointed to the R.A.M.C. as a specialist in pathology, with the rank of major, to the Pacific Command. Major Cook was lecturer in pathology at the University of Liverpool. He is the elder son of Mrs and the late Lieutenant-Colonel P. R. Cook, V.D., C.B.E., of Masterton.

AT THE HOTELS. Mr and Mrs Wood, Mr G. Stott (Wellington), Mr and Mrs H. G. (Wellington), Miss L. M. (Camberley), Mr E. Lumsden (Hastings) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings. Mr E. Davis, Mr H. Coyle, Mr C. Mufford, Mr D. F. Ross (Wellington), Mr and Mrs M. Cook (Hawera), Mr and Mrs E. A. Douglas (Gisborne), Constable and Mrs T. Twinbull (Auckland), Miss J. Bretherton (Wairoa), Mr S. Harvey (Wai-pawa), Mr A. L. Midford (Christchurch) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings. Mr and Mrs H. G. Stott (Wellington), Mr and Mrs H. G. (Wellington), Miss L. M. (Camberley), Mr E. Lumsden (Hastings) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings. Mr E. Davis, Mr H. Coyle, Mr C. Mufford, Mr D. F. Ross (Wellington), Mr and Mrs M. Cook (Hawera), Mr and Mrs E. A. Douglas (Gisborne), Constable and Mrs T. Twinbull (Auckland), Miss J. Bretherton (Wairoa), Mr S. Harvey (Wai-pawa), Mr A. L. Midford (Christchurch) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings. Mr and Mrs H. G. Stott (Wellington), Mr and Mrs H. G. (Wellington), Miss L. M. (Camberley), Mr E. Lumsden (Hastings) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings. Mr E. Davis, Mr H. Coyle, Mr C. Mufford, Mr D. F. Ross (Wellington), Mr and Mrs M. Cook (Hawera), Mr and Mrs E. A. Douglas (Gisborne), Constable and Mrs T. Twinbull (Auckland), Miss J. Bretherton (Wairoa), Mr S. Harvey (Wai-pawa), Mr A. L. Midford (Christchurch) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings.

STILL GRIMMER DAYS AHEAD. The consumption of 11.18 gallons of petrol for 1940, which has alarmed the Alliance, shows no great increase since the war broke out. Mr Milner's comparison of the figure of 1933 with that of 1940 was misleading. As already stated, the purchasing power of the public was greatly curtailed in 1933, owing to the depression.—Editor, "Daily Mail."

Federal Union. Sir—May I correct a slight error in a letter from a correspondent concerning Federal Union? The name of the American sponsor of the movement is "Street," not "Street"—I am, etc., H. W. MILNER, General Superintendent, New Zealand Alliance, Wellington, C.I., May 30, 1941.

Breakfast Table. Wife: "It's strange, but Helen and I can hardly understand each other over the telephone." Husband: "Did you ever try talking one to a time?" Mistress: "Have you finished cleaning the brass ornaments yet?" Maid (fed up): "Yes, ma'am, all except your rings and bracelets."

MEN INVADLED FROM FIJI. The following invalid soldiers have returned from Fiji, the first six being admitted to hospital, while the others are walking cases:—Driver C. Fraser (Paeroa), Gunner H. C. L. Christchurch (Christchurch), Sapper A. E. Whitten (Auckland), Lance Corporal C. H. Walsh (Christchurch), Privates A. W. E. Watson (Auckland), F. C. B. Wilson (Auckland), A. C. Andrews (Ngaruawahia), A. T. Bay (Dunedin), G. R. Aitken (Dunedin), D. G. Lynch (Dunedin), C. G. Falcon (Christchurch), O. C. Storr (Ngaruawahia), R. Spark (Christchurch), A. E. Williams (Auckland), A. O. Harbott (Dunedin), C. E. Timmins (Bulls), Corporal E. L. Murray (Nelson), Driver C. S. Lein (Te Awamutu), Sapper J. R. Toomer (Lower Hutt), Warrant Officer T. H. C. Cooper (Heretaunga), Corporal A. W. Coates (Dunedin).

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.

The Drink Bill In Wartime. Sir—Unintentionally, the opening sentence of your footnote to my letter may give a very wrong impression. Unfortunately, also, there is some mistake in your figures which rather confuses the issue. You quote, from page 888 of the Year Book the 1926-1932 figures for the beer consumption a head, and then you swing to the total gallons of liquor a head which you give as less than your figure for the beer alone.

Reading your figures in conjunction with your statement: "The correspondent selects his statistics to suit his argument..." readers may infer that there are statistics which do not suit or support my argument, which, of course, is not so. What you call my argument is my reply to your statement that "it does not follow that the gallonage consumed a head has increased proportionately to the huge Drink Bill argument which states that the gallonage a head had increased in even greater proportions and I quoted the 1940 Drink Bill increase over 1933 as 90 per cent, and 1940 consumption increase a head over 1933 as 93 per cent.

Now, sir, I could have taken any year in contrast with 1940 and they would support my argument, and many of them more so. In your footnote you also stress that the rise and fall of consumption is due to abundance or lack of funds rather than increase or decrease of desire or taste. There are many contributing factors, not the least of which your stress in your leading article, namely "that the flagrant disregard of the Licensing Laws regarding after-hour and Sunday trading. Both are responsible for much unnecessary drinking and if they are stopped there would be less drunkenness and fewer motor accidents." The average yearly convictions of licensees or employees in five yearly periods, commencing 1914-1918 up to 1934-1938 are, respectively: 194, 253, 297, 348, 416. For 1939 they were 525, and last year 600.

Many magistrates have expressed themselves very much as Mr E. D. Mosley, S.M., who said:— "Indications point to a very considerable amount of illegal business being done by licensees. I am certain that they could put a stop to it if they desired to do so. I am rather afraid that some licensees encourage after-hour trading. It is against the law, and meets with the condemnation of every member of the Licensing Committee and of the magistrates who have the honour of occupying the Bench of this Court. Of course, one has to blame the public as well as the licensees; but I blame the licensees because, without them, the public could not commit these offences. The time will come when it will be looked upon as a more serious offence than it is at present."

May I quote words from the 1939 Police Report:— "In connection with offences of intoxication which are in charge of motor vehicles, we have evidence where serious accidents have occurred—and in one case fatalities—that intoxication was the cause and the liquor was purchased from the hotel after hours; there is strong suspicion that this is so in many cases. I suggest that, during closing hours in hotels, there be a total prohibition of the supply of liquor."

You will note that the Alliance has, after very careful consideration and wide consultation, embodied that in its suggested reforms. Thanking you, sir, for your generosity and courtesy in giving space to this very important matter—I am, etc., H. W. MILNER, General Superintendent, New Zealand Alliance, Wellington, C.I., May 30, 1941.

Wear and Tear. Jerseys and football shorts were in high demand at McLean Park, Napier yesterday during the representative match Wairarapa v. Hawke's Bay, and the curtain-raiser. In the curtain-raiser one player parted company with his pants and needed a slight of his fellow players to effect a change. A Wairarapa player lost the neck of his jersey, but was fortunate in comparison to one of his team mates who suffered a severe laceration of his forehead. He lost the sleeve of his jersey but did not have time to change, and in a few minutes the remnants of his jersey had further suffered, being practically non-existent by half time.

Heavy Rail Traffic. Holiday-makers returning home after the long week-end filled ordinary and special trains between Napier and Wellington and Napier and Wairoa, yesterday. The special excursion which returned to Wellington last night was a long train, and together with passengers on the ordinary train the number travelling south last night was not fewer than 700.

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

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Local & General HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

Horseman Injured. Thrown from a horse in the Iron-gate district yesterday afternoon, Albert Percy, 25, received a fracture of the right leg and was admitted to the hospital at Hastings. His condition last night was not serious.

Fire in Hospital. A fire in the Raetihi Public Hospital on Saturday night made necessary the temporary transfer of patients to the Nurses' Home, the nurses going to the home of the medical superintendent. The fire, which started in a corridor in the middle of the main building, burnt through the ceiling of the ground floor into the maids' quarters and through the roof.—Press Association.

The Motor Trade. During recent months a complete reorganisation of the retail motor trade organisations in New Zealand has been carried out, and a new organisation has been formed under the name of the New Zealand Retail Motor Trade Association, which incorporates the following sections of the motor trade—Garage proprietors, petrol retailers, tyre retailers, automotive engineers, automotive electricians and battery dealers, and body traders.

Waiukurau Man's D.F.C. Advice has been received by Air Headquarters that the distinguished Flying Cross has been awarded to acting-Flight Lieutenant Cuthbert Raymond, Flight Lieutenant Raymond was born in Waiukurau in 1916, and was educated at Christ's College, Christchurch, where he took a prominent part in sporting activities. He was selected for a short-service commission in June, 1939, but at the outbreak of the war commenced training at Rongotapu, and left New Zealand in April 1940. His father is Dr C. Raymond, Waiukurau.—Press Association.

Napier Supreme Court. The quarterly sessions of the Napier Supreme Court, which were adjourned on May 22 to permit his Honour Mr Justice Smith to conduct the Gisborne sessions of the Court, will resume to-day. It is understood that the Court will rise to-morrow night as the result of one of the civil actions being adjourned until the 1939 sessions. To-day his Honour will hear a number of undefended divorce petitions, bankrupt applications and other matters. On Wednesday, Arthur William Laing (Mr W. E. Bate), the bankrupt proprietor of the Sunbeam Milk Bar, Hastings, will be publicly examined by the Crown Solicitor (Mr L. W. Willis).

The Theatres: "The Great Dictator," State, 2 and 8 p.m. "Night of Introduction," Regent, 2 and 8 p.m. "Bank Dick" and "Enemy Agent," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

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SOBER CONFIDENCE IN VICTORY

FIRST LORD SPEAKS TO THE FLEET NAVY'S SHARE

Hood's Last Effort Not Wasted

British Official Wireless (Received June 2, 8.15 p.m.) RUGBY, June 1. In a broadcast on Sunday entitled "The First Lord Speaks to the Fleet," the Hon. A. V. Alexander said he believed it was the first occasion on which a First Lord had broadcast to the Navy.

Mr Alexander drew a comparison between the battle of the Glorious First of June, in 1797, and the recent action against the Bismarck in the same waters.

"On June 1, 1797, Admiral Howe sunk the French battleship Vengeur 400 miles west of Ushant. On May 27, 1941, in the same waters British naval forces operating under Admiral Tovey sank the Bismarck, thus taking vengeance for the loss of the Hood.

"During this war, the Hood showed herself ready to answer every call. In her last action a great feat of tactical navigation was performed in locating the Bismarck. The fortune of war decided that the Hood should be lost to us in one fierce explosion. We grieve for the loss of a gallant ship's company but it is a fact that the contact the Hood established with the enemy was taken over by other ships and led in the end to the sinking of the Bismarck.

"The last duty the Hood carried out was not in vain for there can be no doubt that the victory of last Tuesday frustrated important enemy designs and, on the balance, it improves our ratio of capital-ship strength."

Bonds of Comradeship After recounting the victories won by the Navy in the present war, Mr Alexander said: "At Dunkirk, in North Africa, in Greece, in Crete, new bonds of comradeship have been cemented between the Navy and the Army."

Reviewing the war prospects, Mr Alexander said: "I am not going to speak in terms of easy optimism about a speedy victory. The enemy is resolute, well-armed and well led. But, weighing up all that is involved and studying and forming my own conclusions on the information which comes before me, I tell you that we can feel steady and sober confidence in the outcome."

Bad Start Overcome "It is true that we got off to a bad start, and were badly prepared against an enemy who had been plotting, planning and preparing for six years, in addition to which we were suddenly deprived of the assistance of our principal ally. It is not surprising in such circumstances that reverses had to be faced, but the enemy has been forced to pay dearly for them and to accept delay and alteration in his plans for an early victory. Now this nation is settling down into the organisation of its resources, which are very great. Our workshops are humming with the great rhythm of production, daily our armaments grow and our nation is united in the solid determination to win."

Dominion's Part "Man for man we have shown ourselves to be better than the Germans. On land, in the air, on the sea, we have defeated the Italians over and over again.

"In all this we are profoundly grateful to the Dominions, whose navies have served so magnificently with you and who are bringing to us immense reinforcements of men like those who fought so gallantly in Libya and Greece, as well as ever-increasing columns of arms and materials."

"After All, He Was A King"

COAT TAKEN OFF

Young N.Z. Officer's Request

A ROYAL TARGET

SYDNEY, June 1. Because the brilliant uniform worn by King George of Greece in his trek across Crete made him a conspicuous target for German aeroplanes, a junior New Zealand officer mustered up courage and asked the King to take his coat off—which he did without demur, cables John Hetherington, in the war correspondent of the "Sun" in Egypt.

The 16 New Zealand infantrymen who escorted the King of the Hellenes on his three-day journey think that the King is a "No. 1 good bloke."

Auckland's Comment An Auckland officer, Lieutenant Winton Ryan, who headed the party, told me: "The King was splendid. You just had to say to him, 'Things are a bit tough. Get in a corner, will you?', and he would obey quite simply."

Lieutenant Ryan said that the King gave the party a few uneasy moments when they first set out, after the vanguard of German parachutists had landed in Crete on May 20.

"The King was dressed in the full uniform of a Greek general, covered with brilliant braid and with four rows of brilliant ribbons on his chest.

Took a Chance "After all, he was a King, and we did not like to ask him to take off his coat, although we were afraid it would attract one of the German aeroplanes which were prowling overhead.

DOMINION'S WAR EFFORT RECEIVES WARM PRAISE

People Realise Implications Of The Conflict, Says Mr W. Holmes

(By Telegraph—Press Association.)

UCKLAND, June 2. In a message to New Zealand, Mr W. Holmes, the British trade union delegate, says: "First of all, I should say that the comparative quietness is the main feature in New Zealand to an English visitor with recent experience of the violent war in the air over London.

"One hears a great deal in New Zealand about a majority of the people failing to realise that the most crucial war in British history is being fought day and night in the Old World.

"I think such comment is much too sweeping in its range. "The young men of New Zealand are playing a full part in the terrible battles overseas. Surely the measure of their valiant service and sacrifice must make the war a stark reality to the whole community. There are hearts that mourn for loved ones in New Zealand now.

"It is not more words that the British Commonwealth needs to win the war. It is more work, more helpful effort in every practicable way, and great deeds that are required, and great deeds that are required."

"Will Accept Sacrifices" "I venture to say that if the citizens of New Zealand in the full measure of welfare think with justifiable pride about the magnificent achievements of their armed forces, they will work and accept a sacrifice in order to be worthy of their young men.

"I have had the privilege of seeing thousands of New Zealanders at work and at play. Many of your people themselves say with the candour of friends that the old English adage, 'All work and no play makes jack a dull boy,' has been somewhat reversed in New Zealand, even in the time of a fatal war.

"Criticism Exaggerated" "That criticism is, I think, exaggerated. A great deal of vital work is being done, and in spite of the evidence of pastimes and pleasures, I feel sure much more work would be done if certain essential materials were available in abundance.

"I can't make munitions from vegetables as far as I've seen, and my observation hasn't been limited. There has been no slackening of effort on your farmlands, and primary production is remarkable for its yields.

Food For Britain "I wish that the bulging stores of meat, and fish, and cheese could be transferred to Britain where a man-

Expressions Of Gratitude Bulgaria Resents Exploitation

DOMINION'S THANKS SHARING THE SPOILS

Messages To Army And Navy President Forced To Resign

BATTLE OF CRETE

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, June 2. Messages expressing New Zealand's admiration for their enterprise and courage were despatched by the acting-Prime Minister (the Hon. W. Nash) to-night to Major-General Freyberg at Cairo and to Admiral Cunningham, Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet at Alexandria.

They were asked to convey the thanks of the Dominion to the men under their commands, and the message to Major-General Freyberg is as follows: "On behalf of the Government and people of New Zealand, I extend sincere thanks for your magnificent work in Crete.

"Your initiative, courage and enterprise have won you a place in our hearts for ever. Please convey to all officers and men under your command the admiration, thanks and good wishes of all the people in the Dominion."

Message to the Fleet. Mr Nash sent the following message to Admiral Cunningham: "We have read and our Prime Minister has told us of the wonderful work of yourself and the men under your command in sustaining, succouring and relieving our men in Crete. Your courage inspired the people of New Zealand to continue to give all they have to free the world from the menace of Nazi domination.

"Will please accept yourself and convey to your officers and men the heartfelt thanks of the Government and people of New Zealand for your magnificent enterprise and courage during the past 12 days."

No Concessions For Actors

CLOTHES RATIONING

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, June 1. The Board of Trade has ruled that, under the rationing of clothing, no extra coupons will be available for outside persons, who must surrender more coupons than small persons.

No concessions are being made for film or stage artists, no extra coupons will be available for weddings or funerals or other special occasions, and nurses, domestic servants, and factory workers must surrender coupons for uniforms and overalls except in a few special circumstances.

£832,100 Now In Hand

PATRIOTIC APPEAL £27,000 Received In Ten Days

PROVINCIAL TOTALS

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, June 2. The total sum received to date for the £1,000,000 Patriotic Appeal is £832,100, according to the honorary Dominion Organiser of the appeal (Mr J. Abel) in a statement issued to-night.

In the last 10 days the fund had increased by approximately £27,000. Mr Abel said, the main sources being Southern (£10,000), Otago (£30,000), Auckland (£4000) and the waste products collection (£3000).

In the Wellington province Feilding and Wanganui were the two largest zones which were still working to raise their quotas.

Auckland Carnival The Auckland metropolitan carnival was well into its stride and many thousands of pounds were already in hand but not yet shown in the provincial total. The metropolitan objective was £127,000.

Canterbury, Southland, Westland and Otago were still conducting their appeals, and Wairarapa was nearly 50 per cent over its quota, with £29,210 in hand.

The figures were: Wellington £ 205,000 Auckland 174,000 Canterbury 109,000 Otago 88,000 Taranaki 69,500 Hawke's Bay 54,200 Nelson 37,500 Southland 30,500 East Coast 27,000 Marlborough 18,900 Westland 14,200 Miscellaneous 5,000 Total £832,100

Missing Scow Found

SEARCH BY 'PLANE Muttonbird Islands Discovery

OVERDUE VESSEL

By Telegraph—Press Association INVERCARGILL, June 3. The scow Haurouka which, with its captain and crew of three, was overdue at Bluff, was located this afternoon at Big South Cape Island by an aeroplane from Invercargill.

The scow was taking muttonbirders off the island. The weather was ideal, and Mr A. McIntosh, Invercargill, decided to pilot his own plane to the muttonbird islands in an endeavour to locate the scow. He left at 3 p.m. and was accompanied by Mr W. B. Dixon, captain of the schooner Britannia, who has a thorough knowledge of the island and the muttonbird islands.

About 4 o'clock the scow was sighted in Puwal Harbour at Big South Cape Island. After circling the scow, Mr McIntosh began the return trip soon after 4 o'clock.

MESSAGE TO N.Z. COMMANDER

Vice-Regal Greeting To Troops

By Telegraph—Press Association AUCKLAND, June 2. The Governor-General has despatched the following message to Major-General B. C. Freyberg: "Your inspiring leadership and the gallantry and valour of the New Zealand troops, both pakeha and Maori, together with your British and Australian comrades under your command in Crete, have been magnificent and are a constant source of pride and inspiration to us all.

"Please convey to all ranks my most profound admiration for their heroic part in the desperate struggle which has earned an immortal place in the pages of history.—C. L. N. Newall, Governor-General."

"I AM SURE THAT NOT EVEN FIVE PER CENT OF THE PEOPLE OF NEW ZEALAND REALISE WHAT IS AT STAKE IN THE PRESENT WAR"

or, 'NEVER IN THE FIELD OF HUMAN CONFLICT DID SO MANY KNOW SO LITTLE ABOUT SO MUCH'



AS WINSTON MIGHT HAVE SAID

GRIM WARNING TO GERMANY

CHANCES OF INVASION OF BRITAIN 50 TIMES DEARER

British Air Arm Would Be There

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 2, 6 p.m.) LONDON, June 1. "The Times," in a leader, says: "It was apparent for some days that the odds against us in Crete were too heavy and that no hope remained of holding the island. Incomparable valour did not suffice to withstand the immense material superiority of the enemy. That is, alas, an old story, though on this occasion it was the air arm alone, unaided by armoured fighting vehicles, which provided the superiority.

"Undoubtedly," adds "The Times," "there will be some questioning of the conduct of this brief campaign, but it is highly important that it should be reviewed without passion or hasty jumping to conclusions."

Britain's Prospects "Some people will be saying: 'If we could not defend Crete, what are our prospects of defending Britain against a similar attack?' "Let us consider some of the things the Germans learnt from the Battle of Crete. The Germans learned that to take an island possessing even limited resources for defence, such as Crete, there must be a colossal effort. They set out to take Crete and deliberately sacrificed as many men as were needed for the task. The waste of life was prodigious, but the German war machine never faltered. It became an adding machine, making calculations for an ultimate attack against Britain.

"The Germans know that, for every life sacrificed in Crete, they must sacrifice at least 50 lives to gain a foothold in Britain. The same applies to troop-carriers and bombers, and the Germans do not need the example of Crete to teach them that, no matter how far east they go, they must come west to win."

Cyprus Will Not Be Easy

AIR BASES NEAR Parachutists Failed In Crete

LANDINGS INEFFECTIVE

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 2, 6 p.m.) LONDON, June 1. The R.A.F. spokesman at Cairo said to-day that the air supremacy which swept the Germans through Yugoslavia and Greece and into Crete could not continue beyond Crete. "If the Germans carry the Luftwaffe to the mainland of Africa or Asia Minor," he said, "the situation will be largely reversed. Ever if the Germans attempt the invasion of Cyprus, they will not have the same vantage positions for bases."

The spokesman added that the two main reasons why the Germans were able to get innumerable airfields in Greece and the Greek islands were the improvement in the weather and their ruthless labour policy, under which they conscripted all males under the age of 50 for the construction of landing-grounds.

Neither the parachute troops nor the dive-bombers were as effective in Crete as the Germans had apparently hoped. The more important factors were the landing of troops by plane and machine-gunning by fighters from low altitudes. The tide turned when the Germans were able to land troops by plane.

Attacks from the air rather than the parachute ground operations opened the way for such landings.

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Mr Nash said it was clear from Mr Fraser's account that complete air superiority was the chief factor in bringing about the present result.

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RACEHORSE LOST AT AUCKLAND

ALL IRISH MISSING FROM PADDOCK

FUTILE SEARCH

WELLINGTON, June 2. The police are looking for the well-known steeplechase racehorse All Irish, which has been missing from a paddock at Ellerslie since Sunday night.

Mr A. Smales, the owner, said the paddock gate was securely fastened.

All widespread search all day yielded no result.

A Irish was being trained by M. O'Connor. A stable lad saw the horse at 9 o'clock on Sunday night, but when he went out at daybreak he found the gate open and the horse gone.

Frantic Search Since All Irish was to have run in the Penrose Hurdles at Ellerslie this morning a frantic search was made of all the neighbouring roads, and as nobody had seen the gelding it had to be scratched from the race.

"We scoured the countryside all day," Mr Smales said. "He seems to have vanished in thin air."

After running second in the Great Northern Hurdles to Streamline a year ago, All Irish won the Great Northern Steeplechase. He was a consistently good performer throughout the season.

Training After Spell Since the Great Northern meeting in June last year he was given a spell and it was only two months ago that he returned to training. He ran unplaced in the Waikato Hurdles race at Te Rapa in May and in the Waikato Steeplechase in the same meeting. These were his only races since last year.

MIDDLE DAY AT DUNEDIN

ISLAY DOWNS WINS PLATE

GOOD RACING

June Hurdles To Half And Half

By Telegraph—Press Association. DUNEDIN, June 2. The winter meeting of the Dunedin Jockey Club was continued in fine weather before a very large attendance. The track was heavy and the total prize fund £29,021 10s against £14,040 the second day last year, which was not a holiday.

Results: ROSLIN STEEPLES. Of £150; about two miles. 7-5-GOLDEN GLOW, 9.7 (A. Stone). 1-4-PANARA, 10.5 (A. Leach). 1-2-PRIDE CENTRAL, 10.11 (P. J. Boyle). Also started: 4-6 Austral Flame 10.9, 5-4 Night Scout 10.4, 2-1 Lochcorrib 10.9, 3-2 R. H. W. 10.9, 10 Young Squatter 9.4, 11-11 Polar Star 9.2, 3-3 Stromboli 9.0, 6-7 Prince Fleaneur 9.0. Four lengths; length, Time, 4.51.

NOVICE HANDICAP. Of £120; six furlongs. 2-1-BASHFUL LADY, 8.11 (B. Gibson). 6-8-RONONEX, 8.7 (J. W. Jennings). 1-2-MILTON ABBAS, 9.0 (L. Hare). Also started: 3-3 Janefield 10.0, 5-6 Gentility 8.9, 11-9 Subscription 8.8, 7-5 CHERRY WIND, 8.7, Hop Thonal 8.7, 8.10 Very Happy 8.7, 9-11 Flippant 8.7, 4-4 Invincible 8.7. Three lengths; head, Time, 1.22.

JUNE HURDLES. Of £200; one and a-half miles. 5-4-HALF AND HALF, 9.1 (A. Ingram). 1-6-WAKA, 9.0 (M. Billington). 1-2-MUNGATONG, 10.0 (H. Hibberd). Also started: 2-3 Combat 10.11, 3-2 Fundy Bay 9.11, 7-9 Mad Money 9.5, 9-7 Sir Hugh 9.1, 8-7 Monpere 9.0, 10-10 Princess Ruenaif 9.0, 4-5 Roseane Dhu 9.0. Four lengths; one, Time, 2.51 4-5.

ACHILLES PLATE. Of £200; one mile and two and a-half furlongs. 3-4-ISLAY DOWNS, 11.9 (Mr E. R. Curtis). 1-1-TAXPAYER, 11.8 (Mr E. M. White). 2-2-STRIP, 11.5 (Mr W. T. Boyle). Also started: 5-5 Safelight 10.10, 4-3 Parlane 10.9. Five lengths each way. Time, 2.30 4-5.

WINGATUI STEEPLES. Of £300; about two and a-quarter miles. 3-3-WHERR, 10.0 (D. Hamill). 1-2-SPENDTHRIFT, 10.11 (T. J. Tait). 5-5-GAY BOA, 9.5 (H. Preston). Also started: 2-1 Surcoat 10.10, 6-6 Trisop 9.11, 4-4 La Boca 9.4. Eight lengths; 20 lengths. Time, 5.11.

PROVINCIAL HANDICAP. Of £300; one mile and two and a-half furlongs. 7-7-ROYAL MONEY, 7.7 (K. Wilson). 1-1-HEROIC 8.1 (W. F. Ellis). 4-4-PEONY ROSE, 8.4 (K. Ford). Also started: 2-3 Royal Lancer 10.5, 3-2 Prudent Prince 8.3, 6-6 Straight-tail 7.5, 5-5 Heidelberg 7.8. Length and a-half; neck, Time, 2.29 1-5.

MEMBERS HANDICAP. Of £200; seven furlongs. 3-3-BOSWELL, 9.2 (R. J. Mackie). 4-4-STRIP, 9.3 (A. E. Diddam). 2-2-CLLOUD, 8.13 (H. Hibberd). Also started: 5-5 Lazbyones 8.11, 1-1 Secret Flight 8.11, 8-9 Waitoru 8.10, 9-3 Phalanx 8.8, 10-7 Boastful 8.3, 6-6 R. H. W. 8.1, 12-11 Avon 8.0, 11-10 Flame Queen 8.0, 11-12 Adina 8.0, 13-13 Liane 8.0. Three lengths. Time, 1.34 3-5.

SOUTHERN HANDICAP. Of £175; seven furlongs. 5-4-THENEYBY, 8.5 (C. T. Wilson). 12-12-TISSUE, 8.7 (M. Billington). 7-7-BIG JOE, 8.9 (R. J. Mackie). Also started: 4-6 Moggie 9.5, 3-3 Gnohill 9.1, 6-5 Gay Lancer 9.0, 8-10 Sheery 8.2, A. H. 8.2, 8-3 Con-ident 8.8, 14-14 Lights Out 8.5, 10-8 Lady Don 8.4, 11-11 Shantymen 8.4, 2-1 Ackema 8.2, 13-13 Rose Ileana 8.0. Half a length each way. Time, 1.37 4-5.

WANGANUI MEETING CONCLUDES

Travail Scores

BLACK ROBE WINS AGAIN

By Telegraph—Press Association. PALMERSTON N., June 2. The Wanganui winter meeting was concluded in brilliantly fine weather before a large attendance. The total prize fund £14,624 10s. For the meeting the total was £56,063, compared with £32,021. Results: OF £150; seven furlongs. 8-MODERATE, 8.0 (M. Caddy). 7-OCEAN BREEZE, 8.0 (L. Albrighton). 1-SALVATION, 8.8 (W. J. Broughton). Also started: 13 Henry of Huntingdon 8.9, 2-2 Orko 8.1, 5 Colerica 8.10, 4 Kohika 8.0, 3 Eluis 8.7, 10 Courting 8.2, 6 La Rosta 8.0, 11 Arachne 8.0, 9 Swell Change 8.0, 12 Gothic 8.1, 8.15 Rangitikei 8.0, 16 Gaily 8.0, 17 Muggins 8.0. Half a length; length and a-half. To Orko was fourth. Time, 1.29 4-5. JUNE HURDLES. Of £200; one and three-quarter miles. 2-TRAVAIL, 10.0 (L. Jarvis). 1-GREAT QUX, 9.5 (P. Burgess). 3-SEGMENT, 9.4 (P. Burgess). Also started: 4 Golden Memory 9.10, 7 Ruatiri 9.9, 8 Sekirko 9.6, 6 Colibri 9.0, 5 Corroboroe 9.0, 9 Kincoira 9.0. Half length. Time, 2.13 2-5. HURRICANE HANDICAP. Of £150; six furlongs. 3-SCENTRE, 9.0 (P. Burgess). 2-STAB ZONE, 9.8 (M. Caddy). 1-KRIEMHILD, 8.4 (W. J. Broughton). Also started: 4 Hasten 9.7, 6 Pitmate 8.9, 5 Lutianit 8.0, 5 Night Ray 8.0, 8 Victorie 8.0. Length and a-half; length. Pitmate was fourth. Time, 1.14 2-5. BALGOWNIE HACK. Of £150; nine furlongs. 3-YOUNG CHARLES, 9.8 (P. Atkins). 2-MOUNTAIN FOX, 9.8 (W. J. Broughton). Also started: 3 Junction 8.1, 6 Ra Holi Holi 8.7, 7 Renascor 8.1, 8 Newbury Queen 8.0, 9 Gaily 8.0, 4 Little Margot 8.0. Two lengths each way. Renascor was fourth. Time, 1.54 4-5. GRANDSTAND STEEPLES. Of £250; about two and a-half miles. 7-KARENULI, 9.0 (W. Grindlay). 1-LAY CALLAGHAN, 10.1 (T. Tait). 5-MANTEAU, 9.4 (J. O. Toki). Also started: 3 Kaiwaka 11.2, 2 Ruling Star 9.13 (ran off), 8 Car Leaf 9.4, 4 Puffing Billie 9.0, 6 Tigretter 9.0. Two lengths; ten. Tigretter was fourth. Time, 4.44 8-5. EMPIRE HANDICAP. Of £225; nine furlongs. 4-GAY FOX, 9.8 (A. Midwood). 2-TRENCH LAW, 8.1 (M. Caddy). Also started: 3 Royal Star II 8.11, 1-1 Lark 8.1, 7 Gaelic Song 8.1, Alexella 8.1, 9 Fern 7.10, 10 Nodum 7.9, 10 Aurora 7.8, 7 Davilla 7.7, 13 Pearl of Asia 7.7, 15 Fibert 7.7, 14 Ned cut 7.9. Length and a-half; three-quarters. Talenta was fourth. Time, 1.53 2-5. BELMONT HANDICAP. Of £200; five furlongs. 1-BLACK ROBE, 9.7 (W. J. Broughton). 4-SCREEN STAR, 8.7 (G. R. Tait). 2-TITO, 8.7 (W. J. Broughton). 6-COLINCAMPS, 8.1 (S. Anderson). Also started: 3 Grandora 8.4, 2 Veldette 8.9, 5 Lutianit 8.0. Head; two lengths. Grandora was fourth. Time, 1.13 4-5. SPITFIRE SCURRY. Two lot £130; five furlongs. 3-SWEET ANNE, 8.6 (W. J. Broughton). 1-PALATO, 9.5 (P. Burgess). 5-SCENTRE, 8.9 (A. Midwood). Also started: 7 Miss Leighton 9.3, 4 Squeers 8.11, 9 Deflation 8.8, 2 Fly-by-Night 8.8, 6 Chestnut 8.0, 8 Barry Boy 8.0. Length and a-half; half. Miss Leighton was fourth. Time, 1.1 3-5.

More Dominion Losses Reported

LATEST OFFICIAL N.Z.E.F. CASUALTY LIST

Hawke's Bay And Gisborne Names Included

(By Telegraph-Press Association.)

WELLINGTON, June 2.

The following N.Z.E.F. casualty list was issued to-day.

MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED
Austin, Private James Stewart.
Mother: Mrs M. A. Austin, Wellington.

Carter, Private John Charles.
Father: Mr J. W. Carter, Colingwood.

Crothers, Private Alexander Pattison Mackie.
Mother: Mrs C. Crothers, Gisborne.

Delaney, Corporal Robert Hector.
Wife: Mrs M. Delaney, Wellington.

Hook, Driver Frederick Norman Leslie.
Father: Mr J. G. Hook, Cambridge.

Patrick, Driver Geoffrey William.
Father: Mr D. M. Patrick, Wellington.

Potter, Driver Sydney.
Wife: Mrs M. G. Potter, Wellington.

Theobald, Private Rudolf Manuel.
Mother: Mrs C. E. Theobald, Ngaruawahia.

Tomlinson, Temporary Corporal William Douglas.
Mother: Mrs A. J. Tomlinson, Frankton Junction.

Turnbull, Driver Stephen Henry Joseph.
Father: Mr H. A. Turnbull, Gore.

Waters, Lance Corporal Evan Augustus.
Mother: Mrs E. L. Waters, Temuka.

PRISONERS DEAD
The British Red Cross Society advises that headquarters of the Red Cross at Geneva reports the death of the following prisoner of war:

Blair, Private Daniel Maybin.
Sister: Miss R. Blair, Napier.

WOUNDED, BELIEVED PRISONERS OF WAR
Knox, Private Robert Cecil.
Mother: Mrs A. Knox, Auckland.

Ruffell, Driver Ronald Leslie.
Mother: Mrs D. Crockford, Wellington.

Hennessey, Private John Watson.
Father: Mr J. M. Hennessey, Taihape.

Frost, Sergeant Edward.
Mother: Mrs E. Frost, Kaiti.

Greenfield, Private Ernest.
Father: Mr W. E. Greenfield, Palmerston North.

Greig, Lance Corporal Douglas.
Wife: Mrs E. T. Greig, Timaru (relationship not stated).

Hale, Allan Norman.
Mother: Mrs J. H. Williams, Auckland.

Harvey, Gunner Harold George.
Wife: Mrs W. Harvey, Onehanga.

Hennessy, Maurice.
Sister: Mrs A. Calder, Wellington.

Hirst, Lance Corporal Leonard Trevor.
Brother: Mr C. H. Hirst, Hamilton.

Hoare, Sergeant Ernest Allan.
Wife: Mrs G. Hoare, Palmerston North.

Housham, Daniel Otene.
Wife: Mrs N. O. Housham, Wellington.

Hudson, Private Norman Bernard.
Wife: Mrs A. Hudson, Wellington.

Hull, John Spurgeon.
Father: Mr J. S. Hull, Nelson.

Jackman, Staff Sergeant Cecil Frederick.
Mother: Mrs F. W. Jackman, Avondale.

Vette, Denys Henry. Sister: Miss R. G. Vette, Te Awamutu.
Ward, James John. Wife: Mrs J. J. Ward, Auckland.
Whitham, Roy Clarence. Mother: Mrs C. Whitham, Wellington.

Williams, Henry George. Mother: Mrs C. Whitham, Wellington.
Wingham, William Heath. Father: Mr W. H. Wingham, Christchurch.
Winstanley, Sergeant Les James. Wife: Mrs M. Winstanley, Wellington.

Winter, Allan McLean. Father: Mr V. E. Winter, Wairoa.
Winter, Leo Desmond. Father: Mr A. L. Winter, Whangarei.
Woods, Frank Edward. Father: Mr W. W. Woods, Dunsandel.

WOUNDED (Privates unless otherwise stated)
Brown, Henry Whiston Pringle. Wife: Mrs M. A. Brown, Mosgiel.
Conning, Joseph Vivian. Mother: Mrs M. Conning, Huttika.
Johnstone, Thomas Whiteside. Wife: Mrs B. Johnstone, Marshlands.
McDowell, Thomas. Wife: Mrs W. D. McDowell, Dunedin.

Shaw, William James. Wife: Mrs G. H. Shaw, Timaru.
Wright, Trooper Charles Albert. Mother: Mrs M. Wright, Wanganui.
Mather, Hikoi. Mother and Father Mr and Mrs H. Mather, Kaitiaki.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING NOW REPORTED NOT MISSING (Gunners unless otherwise stated)
Walton, Captain John William. Father: Mr W. H. Walton, Patea.
Wright, Major Cecil Leonard. Mother: Mrs M. R. Wright, Whangarei.

Archibald, Driver Thomas Alfred. Father: Mr T. C. Archibald, Ward Brunette, Private. Mother: Mrs E. M. Brunette, Wellington.
Cleaver, James Clevely. Wife: Mrs L. B. Cleaver, Dargaville.

Cochran, Temporary Bombardier Ronald Austin. Father: Mr P. Cochran, Runciman.
Cooper, Second-Lieutenant Edward Frank. Wife: Mrs E. F. Cooper, Auckland.

Dry, Private Robert George. Father: Mr R. G. Dry, Taihape.
Foote, Henry James. Mother: Mrs E. Foote, Whakatane.
Foote, William. Mother: Mrs E. Foote, Whakatane.

Frater, Wilfred Vernon Reid. Father: Mr T. Frater, Nelson.
Fullan, Roy Arnold. Mother: Mrs G. Fullan, Otahuhu.
Gaskin, Herbert Arthur. Mother: Mrs M. Gaskin, Wanganui.

Gay, Corporal Ronald. Friend: Miss E. M. English, Christchurch.
Geeves, Russell Charles. Father: Mr John William Geeves, Dunedin.
Gordon, John Macdonnell. Mother: Mrs M. E. Gordon, Wanganui.

Gover, Robert Adrian. Father: Mr R. H. Gover, Eltham.
Graves, John Gordon. Father: Mr H. Graves, Dunedin.
Griffiths, William John. Father: Mr M. G. Griffiths, Napier.

Hooker, Bryan Hugh. Mother: Mrs Claire Hooker, Auckland.
Jones, John Charles. Father: Mr W. T. Jones, England.
Khull, Ernest Meikham. Wife: Mrs I. Khull, Wellington.

Kimbell, William Clifford. Francis Kimbell, Wairoa (relationship not stated).
Leach, John James. Wife: Mrs M. Leach, England.
Malvon, Rowley Tennant. Mother: Mrs Minnie Malvon, Auckland.

Matterson, Bombardier John Kitching. Wife: Mrs G. M. Matterson, England.
Mitchell, James. Wife: Mrs E. Mitchell, Auckland.
Mitchell, William Norrie. Father: Mr W. N. Mitchell, Dunedin.

Nicoll, Christian George. Father: Mr W. H. Nicoll, Otorohanga.
Robertson, Private Neil Charles. Mother: Mrs M. R. Robertson, Auckland.
Roy, Driver Alfred John Louis. Wife: Mrs A. J. L. Roy, Dunedin.

Sayer, Leonard Charles. Father: Mr L. O. Saver, Masterton.
Smith, Lance Bombardier George Guise. Mother: Mrs E. E. Smith, Auckland.
Thompson, Private Douglas Alexander Leonard. Mother: Mrs B. Hall, England.

MISSING
Lawrie, Private James Roy Johnston. Sister: Mrs I. Johnston, Dunedin. (This soldier's name was previously shown as James Roy Johnston).

AIR FORCE CASUALTY LIST
By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 2.
The following Air Force casualties are announced:
Pilot Officer Patrick Stewart McBride. Injured in an aircraft accident and admitted to hospital. His father is Mr C. McBride, Auckland.

HAWKE'S BAY-WAIRARAPA MATCH ENDS IN A DRAW

First Representative Rugby Of The Season At Napier: Score 9-9

Hawke's Bay and Wairarapa drew nine-all in the first representative rugby match of the season played at McLean Park, Napier, yesterday.

The game was fast and even, and although the Bay back-line showed clear superiority in the early stages it later failed to keep form.

Begley, Hawke's Bay's new first five-eighths, should retain his position, but the best back on the field was Fitzgerald, the visiting first five-eighths.

There was nothing between the two forward packs. Although Hawke's Bay were superior in set scrums the Wairarapa forwards were a rangy, fast-breaking pack.

The teams were:
WAIRARAPA: G. Brown, J. Brown, Fitzgerald, Mahupuka, Stringfellow, Sugrue.
HAWKE'S BAY: P. Reid, Clothier, Begley, S. T. Reid (captain).

Wairarapa 3, Hawke's Bay 0.
Hawke's Bay backs were going cleanly and speedily but the defence was solid, some decisive tackling being shown by the rangy Wairarapa backs.

Hawke's Bay equalised with a free kick by Brownie from mid-way between the Wairarapa twenty-five and the halfway line.

Wairarapa 3, Hawke's Bay 3.
Strong forward efforts by Wairarapa with Stringfellow showing up in the loose stung Hawke's Bay.

Wairarapa again succeeded when Brownie, Fitzgerald and Mahupuka handled in a very bright move which badly beat the Hawke's Bay defence.

Wairarapa 6, Hawke's Bay 3.
The visitors at this stage were clearly on top and further success nearly came for the Greens when Fitzgerald, easily the best back on the field on the day, out-bisisted Begley and Reid but after making a great run he was forced through lack of support to kick ahead and Moss narrowly beat him for the ball as it rolled over the goal-line.

Hawke's Bay Attack
Hawke's Bay now took a turn at attack the forwards Callaghan, Frazer, Reid and Hardgrave going well, and after a nice cut through by Phil Reid had taken play again into the Green's twenty-five half-time came with the score still Wairarapa 6, Hawke's Bay 3.

After the change-over Wairarapa began dangerously for the Bay with a number of fast loose rucks, moves that held every promise of scores had the handling of the Greens been anything like reasonable.

Hawke's Bay were rather busted by this stage but when Palmer recovered from one of these sallies and drove a long kick to the flag in the corner, Tori Reid went close to scoring from the ensuing line-out.

The situation was soon reversed when, following a further bright loose rush by Wairarapa, Fitzgerald again received to penetrate cleverly before sending on to J. Brown, the winger streaking over in a nice run. Fitzgerald's kick failed.

Wairarapa 9, Hawke's Bay 3.
Changed Tactics
The Bay backs now returned to their early tactics of more passing and less kicking. These were successful and from a move begun by Clothier, Reid and Palmer handled for the latter to send on to Bligh easily the better of the Bay wingers.

He just failed to go over, but a brilliant try followed when from a scrum before the posts about 15 yards out from the goal-line Clothier received to make straight for the corner-flag and send on to Bligh who crashed over in a great run. Brownie's kick missed.

Wairarapa 9, Hawke's Bay 6.
Hawke's Bay were now securing an advantage territorially and were using strong efforts to make up the leeway. Play still alternated up and down field with Callaghan, Reid, Hardgrave best of the Hawke's Bay forwards with Brownie conspicuous in a dashing loose game.

Time was very short when Hawke's Bay pressed down into the Green's territory and Begley made a sensational attempt at a field goal, a smart kick striking the cross-bar and bouncing infield. A further attempt by the same player also failed and a penalty by Brownie missed.

Hawke's Bay were going hard now, the backs trying desperately to penetrate. They were rewarded when Bligh made a determined run, sending infield to Tori Reid, who burst his way over to score. Hardgrave failed to convert and after a few minutes play ended with the score:
WAIRARAPA 9
HAWKE'S BAY 9
Mr W. Scott was referee.

NEWSPAPERS IN WARTIME

DOMINION-WIDE PLAN FOR RATIONING CHANGE OUTLINED

Revision Of Rates For Advertising

As from yesterday the rationing scheme for newspapers, ordered by the Government and formulated by the Newspaper Proprietors' Association, took effect.

Smaller newspapers will now be general throughout New Zealand. In the case of the "Daily Mail," smaller papers were introduced voluntarily when the necessity for rationing newsprint was made known some months ago, but of necessity this rationing in general means that considerably less space is available for advertising.

In order to maintain the quality and quantity of news appearing daily certain condensation of advertising, where possible, will be necessary, and a revision of the present advertising rates in many sections must be made.

Readers and advertisers may, however, rely upon the continuance of the present complete "Daily Mail" service in all respects.

Free Medicine This Week

SCHEME ACCEPTED

Pharmaceutical Benefits In Hawke's Bay

OFFICIAL TARIFF

With certain exceptions, medical prescriptions signed by doctors will be dispensed free by Hawke's Bay chemists under the pharmaceutical benefits scheme which comes into operation in the province this week.

The terms prescribed must be included in the original prescription. Proprietaries, specialties and specified brands must be paid for by the patient. These will be costed in accordance with the Government's prescription price schedule but the Government will pay the dispensary fee and poison fees and cost of containers.

The written prescription, countersigned by the person presenting it, becomes the chemist's voucher and cannot be returned to the patient unless the patient elects to pay in full for the medicine. Prescriptions ordered by telephone are not covered by the regulations and the patient must pay in full. No refunds will be given if a written prescription confirming the telephone one is produced later.

Repeated Prescriptions
A doctor may order that the prescription can be twice repeated and the customer will sign for each repeat as it is received. After receiving the second repeat the customer must return to the doctor for another prescription.

A maximum of 10 days' supply has been fixed by the regulations. If two repeats are authorised the aggregate quantities supplied shall not exceed supplies sufficient for 30 days' treatment extending over a period not exceeding four months, from the date of presentation of the prescription. In special cases the Medical Officer of Health on the recommendation of the doctor, may authorise the supply of larger quantities for longer periods.

After-hour fees remain unchanged at 6d each prescription. The patient must pay this fee on each prescription made up outside regular business hours. Where the chemist is called from his home he may make reasonable arrangements with his customer for the provision of transport. The chemist cannot be compelled to work overtime but is usually very obliging in this respect considering the fact that he is not allowed to charge time and a half or double time rates.

Postages and freights on social security medicines must be paid by the patient. In certain cases the post office will collect postage from the customer. Freight on medicines supplied by cream lorries, gas cars and buses will have to be collected by the chemist. Prompt payment of these will be necessary if the chemist is to continue this service.

LADY McLEAN CUP GOLF

Maraenui Club Plays Medal Rounds

HARRIER CLUB'S ROAD RACE

Napier Boy Secures A Win

FAMOUS HEALTH REMEDY "WORTH £10 A PACKET"

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Mr. Stanley was broken in health with terrible pains in his legs day and night, and did not care what came next. He had often wished to drop dead because of his cruel plight and had no nerves left. R.U.R., he says, made him a new man by curing his pains, and he is quite anxious that all sufferers from ill-health should hear of his case.

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Te Aute's Good Win
8-POINT MARGIN
Napier-Hastings Team Beaten
MARKED SUPERIORITY

Playing the traditional Te Aute game, the Maori team decisively defeated a Napier-Hastings junior team in the curtain-raiser at McLean Park. The first spell was very even, the sole points coming from a penalty to Te Aute.

After the change-over, play brightened greatly, and Napier-Hastings went close to scoring on several occasions, before Surgenor finally went over from a back movement starting in the loose. Te Aute 3, Napier-Hastings 3.

Te Aute began a series of attacks, and tight play on the Napier-Hastings line saw a forward cross under the posts. The try was converted. Te Aute 8, Napier-Hastings 3.

Te Aute succeeded again shortly after, when a back snapped up in a race for the ball with the Napier-Hastings fullback and went over. The kick succeeded. Te Aute 13, Napier-Hastings 3.

Napier-Hastings then went on attack and following a break by Surgenor, Cummings went through fast to beat the Te Aute fullback to touch down. Te Aute 13, Napier-Hastings 8.

In spite of efforts by Napier-Hastings to prevent further scoring, Te Aute increased their tally when the half back went away round the blind side to hand in to the forwards who went over. Te Aute 16, Napier-Hastings 8. Full time sounded soon after the attempt at conversion had failed.

The teams lined out as follows:
Napier-Hastings: Horton, Armstrong, Surgenor, Cummings, Taylor, Goodwin, Dyer, Wedd, Campbell, Wiig, Howse, Joll, Ross Hill, Sandtmann, Williams.

Te Aute: Shuster, Stafford, Mataira, Moana, Mihinihi, Parere, Turei, Heteri, McIlroy, Wahi, Bryan, Kea, Anderson, Bains, Karawia.

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Substantial Increase In All Receipts

NAPIER PARK MEETING

Birkology And Diana Tetrix Win Chief Events

(By THE BARB) The Napier Park Racing Club has enjoyed a successful winter meeting, with an increase in all the receipts. The totalisator yesterday handled £8,563 against £5,789/10/- for the corresponding day last year making the total for the two days £17,272/10/- against £12,480 (single pool) last year and an increase of £4,792/10/-.

The racing throughout the day was very interesting, with better and closer finishes than on Saturday. The chief event of the day went to Birkology, who won the Park Steeplechase in solid style, making it three on end. The principal flat race, the Winter Oats, saw that consistent Wairoa-owned mare, Diana Tetrix, silencing the opposition in decisive manner.

The chief event of the day, the Park Steeplechase, saw five go to the post but at the second fence Dal Bando fell. Birkology, the winner, was in the rear for the best part of a mile and three-quarters, when he gradually made up ground to jump the last fence just in behind Anini, but in the run home Birkology was too solid and won by half length. Anini went to the front with seven furlongs to go and was proclaimed the winner to go and was proclaimed the winner half a mile from home, but her jump was not as good as that of the winner. However, Anini put up a fair performance and will win second-grade cross-country events. Son and Heir did not race as well as he did on the first day, but Royal Stuart, after leading most of the way, cried enough seven furlongs from the final post.

THE WINTER OATS. This event was one of the best of the meeting. From the word go the pace was on solidly, when Flying Spy was the leader, but she was never far ahead of the last bunch. This mare looked like winning with a neck only to be covered, and when Diana Tetrix came with a terrific run to pass the leaders as though they were standing still and win going away by a length and a-half from Flying Spy, who was a long way ahead of the top weight, Lindrum was fourth, just ahead of Centrepole and Gay Mimic.

THE MINOR RACES. Birkology was made favourite for the Hack Hurdles, but after leading for about three-quarters of a mile he gradually began to weaken. He eventually finished seventh in a one-mile race. The winner, Whetu, was always well placed over the last half-mile although he won by a neck. The Jungle King was going very easily. Vengeance showed promise to run, but he was outside the winner's company was poor.

KHURJA GIVES A THRILL. Backed down to below even money, Khurja, in the four-horse Greenmeadows Hack Race, gave his many supporters a thrill. Making this his first race, the winner, Whetu, was always well placed over the last half-mile although he won by a neck. The Jungle King was going very easily. Vengeance showed promise to run, but he was outside the winner's company was poor.

THE FAVORITE SCORES. Tea Lord, who was second on Saturday, was always well placed in the Trial and at the final canny away confidently to win going away by a neck from Ruling Moments, who was squeezed in on the rails for most of the way. The other favorites, Vengeance, Sun, and Skye, were all well placed.

HERETAUNGA HANDICAP. Of £100; six furlongs and 200 yards. Black 10 2 Pimark 8 4 Lauching 10 2 Tea Lord 8 4 Pretty Song 9 4 Support 8 0 Sanction 8 0 Indian Sun 8 0 Stella Lix 8 0 Skye 8 0

GREYHOUND RACING AT HASTINGS. Championships Held At Week-End. Dogs from Auckland, Dannevirke, Gisborne, Wanganui, in addition to the local dogs, competed at the Hawke's Bay greyhound racing championships held in Hastings during the week-end.

ALBERT MAIDEN STAKE—First heat: Flash Lady 1, Young Desire 2, Jewel Stand 3. Second heat: Sovereign Lass 1, Black Majesty 2, Foreign Queen 3. Final: F. Tierney's Jewel Stand 1, Wallace's Flash Lady 2, G. and R. Wall's Young Desire 3.

GREENMEADOWS HACK HANDICAP. Of £100; six furlongs. 1-KHURJA, Mr. A. B. Williams's b g 4yrs, by Bulandhaas-Sym-batic 8.5 (N. Nicholson) 2-HALLEY, Mr. F. Ormond's ch g 3yrs, by S. (N. Nicholson) 3-DARK WATER, Mr. P. Hereford's b r 4yrs, by S. (N. Nicholson) 4-SILVER BAT, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 5-ARABIC 8.4 (F. Power) 6-TEA LORD, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 7-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 8-VALMINT, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 9-VALMINT, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 10-VALMINT, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson)

PARKE STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP. Of £150; about two miles and a half. 1-BIRKOLOGY, Mr. T. Fraser's ch g, aged, by Psychology-Birkology 8.5 (N. Nicholson) 2-ANINI, Mr. A. L. McCormick's b m, 4yrs, by S. (N. Nicholson) 3-SON AND HEIR, Mr. T. W. Willis's b g 6yrs, by S. (N. Nicholson) 4-ROYAL STUART, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 5-DAL BANDO, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 6-FLYING SPY, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 7-LINDRUM, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 8-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 9-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 10-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson)

TRIAL HANDICAP. Of £85; six furlongs. 1-TEA LORD, Mrs. J. Clements's b g 4yrs, by Lord Quex-Vic-tory 8.5 (N. Nicholson) 2-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 3-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 4-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 5-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 6-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 7-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 8-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 9-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson) 10-VALENTINE, Mr. S. (N. Nicholson)

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OPENING DAY AT ELLERSLIE

ESPERANCE BAY WINS HURDLES

KING REY FALLS Very Large Betting Increase

By Telegraph-Press Association AUCKLAND, June 2. The weather was fine and the track firm for the first day of the Auckland Racing Club's winter meeting. The totalisator handled £106,283 10/-, against £69,543 10/- last year, an increase of £36,740.

JERVOIS HANDICAP. Of £350; seven furlongs. (First Division) 2-2-RADIANT VALS, 9.2 (G. Cameron) 3-3-BRONZO, 8.0 (R. W. Mc-Tavish) 4-4-ROSWOOD, 8.5 (N. R. McKenzie)

Also started: 5-5 Biddy Girl 9.8, 1-1 Arctic Dawn 9.1, 8-9 Calula Boy 8.11, 9-8 Loch Ard 8.6, 13-14 Princess Val 8.5, 7-6 Rara Avis car. 8.2, 6-7 Bronze Ora car. 8.5, 10-10 Air Port 8.0, 15-15 Miss Gaudin 8.1, 14-13 Lady Acushla 8.0, 17-16 Booms-a-Daisy 8.0, 11-11 Golden Bonnet 8.0, 16-17 Aurora Lea 8.0, 12-13 Hinkley 8.5, 12-12 Neck; a length and a-half. Time, 1.26 2-5.

GREENLANE STEEPLECHASE. Of £350; about two and a-half miles. 7-6-CLANSMAN, 9.1 (Chapman) 5-4-VINE BERRY, 9.0 (J. Fern-ley) 2-3-JEWISH LAD, 11.2 (Baker) 3 Also started: 3-2 British Sovereign 10.7, 1-1 Beverley 10.1, 6-7 Boy 8.10, 4-5 Lap Up 9.3, 8-8 Sun 8.9, 10-10 Three and a-half lengths; two. Time, 5.4 3-5.

JERVOIS HANDICAP. Of £350; seven furlongs. (Second Division) 1-1-SEA LAW, 8.5 (Hooton) 2-2-CLASSIC, 9.0 (R. W. Mc-Tavish) 3-3-CLASSIC, 9.0 (R. W. Mc-Tavish)

Also started: 3-4 Etruscan 9.3, 4-3 Mayfair 9.2, 9-9 Ohmaha 8.10, 8-8 Miss Jose 8.0, 12-11 Bristler 8.0, 10-10 Stokowski 9.0, 11-12 Right Royal 9.0. Four lengths; two and a-half. Time, 3.11 2-5.

PENROSE HURDLES. Of £350; one and three-quarter miles. 6-7-HOT SHOT, 9.0 (Coom) 7-6-SURPAL, 9.0 (Walters) 8-9-TAVERN SONG, 9.0 (Chap-pan)

Also started: 1-2 Night Hawk 10.8, 9-8 Bisquit 9.12, 2-1 Prival 9.11, 3-4 Sebrot 9.7, 5-5 Rival 9.4, 4-3 General Alaska 9.0, 12-11 Bristler 8.0, 10-10 Stokowski 9.0, 11-12 Right Royal 9.0. Four lengths; two and a-half. Time, 3.11 2-5.

GREAT NORTHERN HURDLES. Of £1750; two and a-half miles. 4-5-ESPERANCE BAY, 9.8 (R. W. Mc-Tavish) 1-1-STREAMLINE, 11.5 (Ridge-way) 10-1-MASTER, 11.5 (Ridge-way) 9.5 (H. Maria)

Also started: 9-9 Erination 10.9, 3-3 King Rey 10.3, 5-4 Tidewater 9.12, 2-2 Gold Spot 9.1, 7-8 Glen Abb 9.4, 6-6 Saconne 9.4, 8-7 Divert 9.9. King Rey was always in the lead until he fell at the last fence, leaving Esperance Bay who was always handy, to fight out the issue with the each-way favourite, Streamline, and win by a nose. Handily placed throughout, Master Appellant was six lengths away third. Time, 4.37 a pace record.

Tidewater fell at the first fence; Erination, Glen Abb and Gold Spot also fell.

CORNWALL HANDICAP. Of £750; one and a-quarter miles. 3-3-TEA LORD, 9.4 (Dye) 1-1-LOVALS, 9.3 (E. G. King) 1-1-VALMINT, 7.0 (H. N. Wig-gins)

Also started: 8-8 Foxen 9.3, 13-12 Clipper 8.13, 7-7 Gladney 8.5, 6-5 Cornish 8.8, 11-14 Te Kawiti 8.7, 15-16 Our Jean car. 8.7, 14-13 Gold Vails 8.5, 9-10 Royal Appellant 8.1, 2-2-Sir Cameron 8.0, 17-17 Bronze Moth 8.0, 5-2 Greek Queen 7.12 and Esquire 7.0 (bracketed), 10-11 Silver Quex 7.12, 16-18 Telsom 7.4, 4-6 British Talent 7.1, 19-19 Erick 7.0, 18-14 Kil-cash 7.0, 20-20 Valley Maid 7.0, 21-22 Philenup 7.0, 22-21 Hunting Bee car. 7.8, 12-9 Lord Waitangi 7.0. Head; neck. Time, 2.6 3-5.

HUNT CLUB HURDLES. Of £350; two miles. 2-2-WHAREMANEA, 9.11 (Clea-ve) 3-3-REY LU, 9.13 (Baker) 7-7-REY LU, 9.13 (Baker)

Also started: 1-1 Hornpipe 10.1, 4-4 Very Glad 9.9, 2-2 Brandon 10.1, 6-6 Rod-Mhor 9.0, 8-8 Valorous 9.0, 9-9 Sir Frank 9.0. Sir Frank was the favorite of a length; eight. Time, 3.42.

MEMBERS' HANDICAP. Of £450; six furlongs. 3-2-GOLD MONEY SONG, 8.12 (G. Smith) 4-7-TE TAKINA, 8.13 (R. E. Hor-ner) 2-3-AERO KING, 8.2 (R. W. Mc-Tavish)

Also started: 1-1 Circular Note 9.7, 11-12 Endeavour 8.4, 5-5 Landaff 8.7, 10-10 Brazilian 8.4, 6-4 Sure Pay 8.2, 15-15 Trilliar car. 8.1, 9-8 Myrtle 8.0, 8-0 Chival de Bataille 8.0, 7-5 Ver-ifiable 8.0, 13-13 Royal Message 8.0, 14-14 Sunola 8.0, 12-11 Happicot 8.0. Head each way. Time, 1.14.

GOLF ON PARKVALE LINKS

Kessell Cup Match L. WALDEN HEADS SCORES

Yesterday's Play

The following were the best scores returned for the Kessell Cup played on the Parkvale Club's links yesterday. The cup was won by L. Walden, a junior player, with the excellent score of 122. Results:— L. Walden (21) 122, A. Patmore (20) 124, J. Barr (23) 130, A. Lean (16) 132, V. C. Unverricht (21) 133, L. H. Ross (11) 134, D. Lean (13) 137, R. Galbraith (22) 137, Rex Davis (9) 138, Ray Davis (8) 140, I. Smart (11) 141, N. Moriarty (21) 141, W. Borck (24) 141.

The bogey match played in conjunction with the morning round was won by A. Lean with a score of 2 up, and the stableford played in conjunction with the afternoon round was won by A. Patmore with a score of 35.

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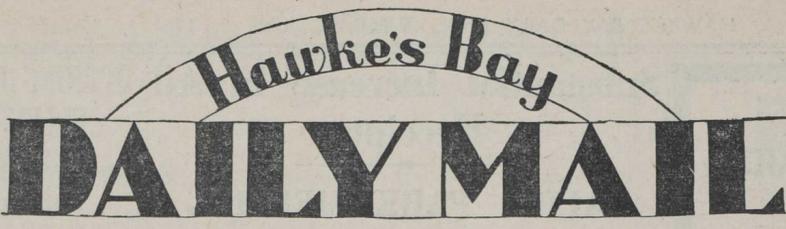
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