

CAMP BAND NEWS

A presentation was made recently to Bandsman Len Giles, who is the proud father of a fine big son, probably a young bandsman.

Capt. Pike, in a few well chosen words, congratulated both Len and Mrs. Giles and wished them all happiness in their future career and presented on behalf of the band boys a beautiful shawl. Bandsman Giles thanks one and all for the kind words spoken and said he would convey to Mrs. Giles their kind wishes.

* * * *

The weather has been most boisterous recently for outside band drill, so Sgt.-Major Smith decided on a course of indoor drill. Good work has been achieved and needless to mention Sgt.-Major Smith is proud of his men.

* * * *

The Band is practising assiduously for the forth-coming great band night to be held in the Town Hall on 9th August, assisted by the leading talent of Wellington. As this is in aid of the Overseas Soldiers Xmas Parcels Fund a capacity house is assured.

Capt. Pike has selected a very fine programme, including the following:

March, "Impregnable," Rimmer; Selection, "Rose Marie," Ord. Hume; Cornet Solo, "Hail Storm," Rimmer; Overture, "Raymond," Ambrose Thomas; March "President"; Fantasia, "Sunrise to Sunset," Hawkins.

The Selection "Rose Marie" is to be assisted with 50 voices and should add effectively to this grand selection.

* * * *

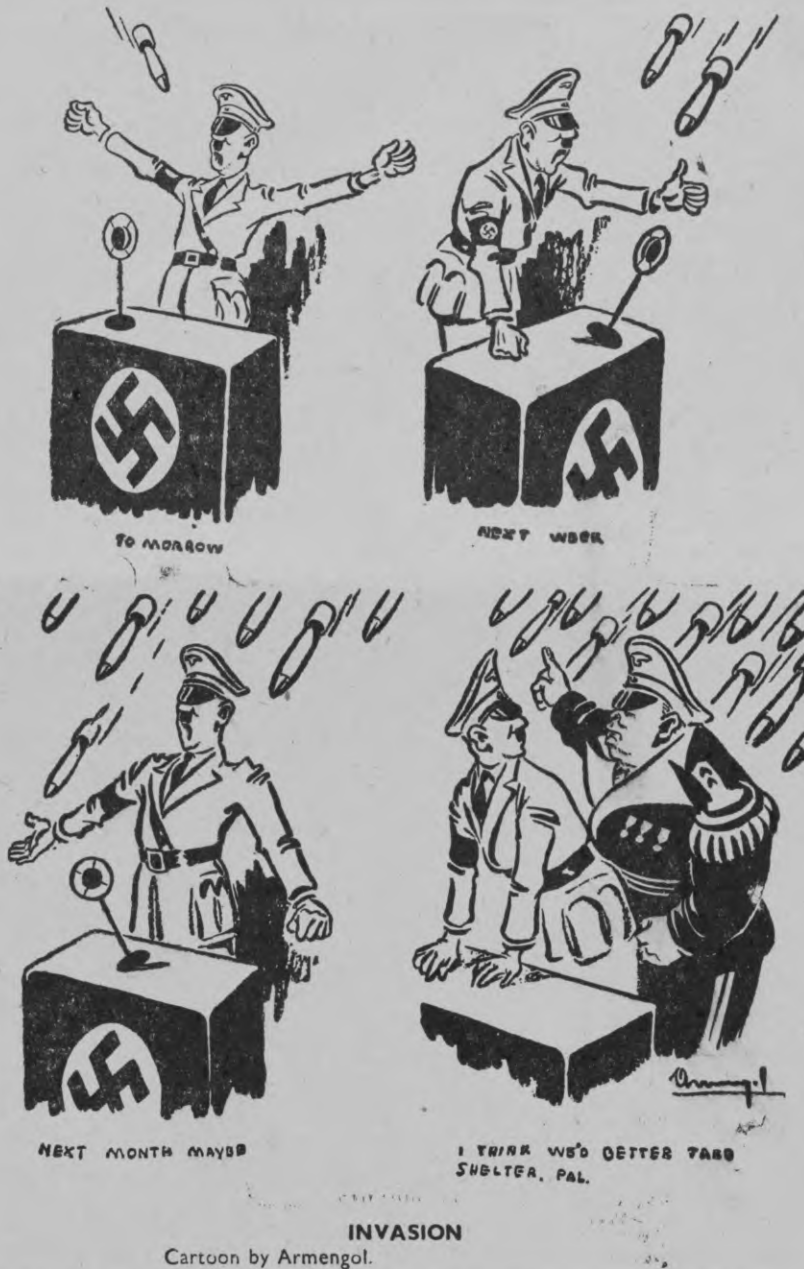
Messages of congratulations have been received from numerous musicians out side the district since the last broadcast by the band. An unfortunate occurrence happened through a misunderstanding prior to to the cornet duet, "Two Little Finches." The announcement was not clear on account of the bands opening. However this cornet duet was arranged by Sgt. McPherson, of the Trentham Band. By all accounts this item was well received, great credit is due to the two young cornetists, Bandsmen Lee and Jones.

* * * *

PRESENTATION TO LANCE CORP. BOOKER.

A presentation was made to Lance Corp. Booker in the Camp Band Hut on Wednesday last, on his departure from the Trentham Camp Band, for private reasons. Capt. Pike made the presentation of a Loewe Pipe and in doing so dwelt on the valuable services rendered by Lance Corp. Booker. These services, according to the Master, have been 100 per cent. which speaks volumes to our departing friend and Bandsman. Capt. Pike's tributes to Herb. were not over-estimated, for not only was he a 100 per cent. Bandsman, he was a 100 per cent. soldier and was held in the highest esteem by all that made his acquaintance. As a BB flat Bass player he is unsurpassed and his vacancy will be hard to fill.

Lance Corp. Booker, on receiving the presentation expressed his sorrow on having to leave the Trentham Band



Cartoon by Armengol.

WHAT GERMANS ALLOW

A list of the articles which the German authorities permit to be included in parcels sent to prisoners of war in Germany has been received by the parents of Second-Lieutenant D. C. Bailey, Otahuhu, who advised them in a letter received last week that he is now in a German camp. The list also gives notes on how prisoners' relatives should conduct their correspondence.

The information is contained in a typewritten sheet issued by the camp commandant and is headed: "Notes for P.O.W., for transmission to relatives." The circular is for enclosure with letters sent by prisoners, and is dated June 24. Lieutenant Bailey's letter was written on June 25.

The notes instruct relatives not to mention "forbidden subjects," to keep letters short, and not to put them in parcels. Parcels are permitted to contain clothing and underwear distinctive from civilian clothing, footwear, food, and "similar things"; to hacco, cigarettes, cigars, pipe tobacco, toilet requisites (excepting hair lotion, mouth wash, tooth paste, and perfumes), games, cards and books.

Among the articles prohibited are torches, cigarette lighters, candles, medicaments of any kind, vaseline, ammonia, boot polish, fruit juices, cigarette tips and papers, note books, writing paper, postcards and newspapers.

and thanked one and all for their kind words and presentation. The good times spent with the band boys would ever remain in his memory. "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" terminated the proceedings.

The Band in full strength marched our departing and popular Bandsman to the railway station playing his favourite march "Gill Bridge." This is the first occasion of the Band's procedure to play a retiring Bandsman out of camp.

SOLDIER SAFE

N.Z. Amateur Boxing Champion

Advice has been received by Senior-Sergeant A. G. McHugh, Hamilton, that his son, Lance-Corporal Maurice James McHugh, who was reported missing in Crete, has escaped from the enemy and is now safe in Egypt. Senior Sergeant McHugh had been advised privately that his son had been fatally wounded and he had given up hope.

Lance-Corporal McHugh, who is 24 years of age, was educated at Sacred Heart College, Auckland, where he was open boxing champion for three years, and the Auckland University College. He was employed by the Customs Department before enlisting.

From 1936 to 1938 Lance Corporal McHugh was Auckland University and open amateur heavyweight champion in 1937 and 1938 New Zealand University champion, and in 1938 New Zealand open heavyweight boxing champion. He won the New Zealand troop championship in Egypt last year and again this year. Last year he won the Australian and New Zealand heavy weight championship in Egypt.

Te Aro
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 50-548

Terminus
Courtenay Place, C3. Tel. 52-655

Thistle Inn
Mulgrave St., N1. Tel. 41-648

Tramway
Adelaide Rd., S1. Tel. 24-403

Victoria
Abel Smith Street, C2. Tel. 50-902

Wellington
Molesworth Street, N1. Tel. 41-262

Western Park
Tinakori Road, N1. Tel. 40-600

Wakefield
Cuba Street, C2. Tel. 54-649

HOTELS, PUBLIC:

- Albion**
Courtenay Place, C3. Tel. 51-808
- Alhambra**
Cuba Street, C1. Tel. 45-846
- Barrett's**
Lambton Quay, C1. Tel. 41-525
- Britannia,**
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 40-661
- Brunswick**
Willis Street, C2. Tel. 52-658
- Caledonian**
Sussex Square, S1. Tel. 52-230
- Cambridge**
Cambridge Ter., C3. Tel. 50-792
- Carlton**
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 41-331
- City,**
Oriental Parade, C3. Tel. 50-734
- Clarendon**
Courtenay Place, C3. 52-678
- Clyde Quay**
Oriental Parade, E1. Tel. 50-913
- Cricketers' Arms**
Tory Street, C3. Tel. 52-153
- Dominion**
Tory Street, C3. Tel. 51-340
- Duke of Edinburgh**
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 40-068.
- Empire**
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 42-050
- Foresters' Arms**
20 Ghuznee Street, C2. Tel. 52-724
- Grand**
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 41-020
- Gresham**
230-232 Lambton Quay C1. 40-497
- Hotel Cecil**
Lambton Quay, C1., Tel. 42-190
- Hotel Regent**
Manners Street, C1. Tel. 42-302
- Hotel St. George**
Willis Street, C1. Tel. 45-000
- Hotel Waterloo**
Waterloo Quay, C1. Tel. 46-406
- Imperial**
Cuba Street, C2. Tel. 52-297
- Masonic**
Cuba Street, C2. Tel. 52-685
- Metropolitan**
Molesworth St., N1. Tel. 41-509
- Midland**
Lambton Quay, C1. Tel. 44-090
- National**
Lambton Quay, C1. Tel. 41-686
- New Commercial**
Lambton Quay, C1. Tel. 42-651
- Occidental**
Lambton Quay, C1. Tel. 40-305
- Panama**
Vivian Street, C3. Tel. 50-996
- Pier**
Grey Street, C1. Tel. 41-404
- Post Office**
Grey Street, C1. Tel. 43-569
- Prince of Wales**
Tory Street, C3. Tel. 53-644
- Princess Ltd.**
Molesworth Street, N1. Tel. 42-422
- Railway**
Thorndon Quay, N1. Tel. 41-344
- Royal**
Lambton Quay, C1. Tel. 41-701.
- Royal Oak**
Cuba Street, C1. Tel. 44-134
- Royal Tiger**
Taranaki Street, C3. Tel. 50-698
- Shamrock**
Molesworth Street, N1. Tel. 41-280