



"The New Christianity, see? 100% Aryan!"

Cartoon from the London Daily Mirror.

TRENTHAM MILITARY BAND

Concert in Town Hall

The funds being raised to provide extras in the Christmas parcels to be sent to New Zealanders serving overseas were augmented considerably at the Trentham Military Band concert in the Wellington Town Hall recently. The Governor-General, Sir Cyril Newall, attended. The band, which was under the baton of Captain C. Pike, bandmaster, was supported by the Victory Troubadours.

The band presented the following items: "The President March" (German), a "Rose Marie" selection, with the Troubadours in the chorus; "The Tiger's Tail" (Thurban), March of the Mountain Gnomes" (Ellenberg), "Raymond" (Thomas), "Baa Baa Black Sheep," with the chorus, "The Jolly Coppersmith" (Peters) with the chorus, and "Impregnable March" (Rimmer).

Mr. Ray Trewern sang the solo "Lolita" (Buzzipecchia), Mrs. Wilfred Andrews "Angus Macdonald" (Roedel), Miss Merle Gamble "Indian Love Call" (Friml) and Mr. Ken Macauley "Gentlemen, the Toast is England" (Phillips), and "The Strong Go On" (Thayer). Humour was presented by Mr. A. L. Elston. Bandsman Lloyd Lee played the cornet solo "Hail Storm" (Rimmer), and Sergeant McPherson and Bandsman E. Jones the cornet duet "Two Little Fishes" (Kling). The Victory Troubadours sang the chorus "On the Road to Mandalay" (Speaks). The accompanist was Mr. Clement Howe.

CAPTURED NEW ZEALANDER

Experiences On Crete

To be wounded twice, to live in hiding for four days in a cave before being captured by Germans, and then to be flown from Crete to Greece, where in hospital he received treatment from a New Zealand doctor and New Zealand orderlies who, like himself, were prisoners of war, was the experience of Second-Lieutenant J. C. McPhail, Opapa, told in a letter to a friend.

Second-Lieutenant McPhail states that he first received a flesh wound, and an hour or so later was hit a second time, on this occasion receiving a fractured leg. He was carried to a cave and with other wounded men remained there for four days before being overtaken by Germans. The wounded were then dispatched by plane from Crete to Greece, and while in hospital he was agreeably surprised to find that he was being treated by a New Zealand doctor and that the orderlies were New Zealanders.

"I am being treated exceptionally well," he writes, "and others to whom I have spoken also say that they are being well treated."

A TARPAULIN MUSTER

A generous action by a party of troops is told by a Wellington soldier, writing home from "Somewhere." His ship, with about 4000 troops on board, met another which was carrying 5000 English soldiers. These men had been at sea for eight weeks, and in the last week had run rather short of supplies; in particular they were right out of tobacco.

The writer says that a "tarpaulin muster" of tobacco was organized, and produced about 4000 packets of cigarettes, 1000 tins of pipe tobacco, and more than 200 tins of cigarette tobacco, and the collection was sent across to the English ship.

"I believe the O.C. in charge of the troops was astonished to know that it was a gift and they didn't have to pay for it. We may be in a similar position one of these days and someone might help us out. One of the best things in the Army is unselfishness, and one is amazed to see to what extent it is carried out, and sorry that as civilians we didn't pull more together."

TOC H CLUB

Servicemen Entertained

The Toc H Servicemen's Club rooms, Wellington, were filled to capacity with men of the forces at the weekend. The Friday night dance was well attended and on Sunday there was a large number of men for meals. As this Sunday was a "guest night," the members of the ladies' auxiliary arranged an excellent programme, opening with an extravaganza entitled "The Toy Maker's Dream," which was much appreciated. Items were also given by Miss L. Allen, Miss F. Sadler, Miss G. Stewart, Miss D. Bissett and Peter Rowell. The accompanists were Miss Gobier and Mr. Harbord. Items were also given by members of the navy and merchant navy. Next Sunday, Mr. Roy Nelson's concert party will give a concert.

RACING FIXTURES

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September 18, 20—Geraldine R.C.
September 20—Marton J.C.
September 20, 22—Poverty Bay Turf Club (at Te Aroha).

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