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AIR FORCE RECRUITS

Men To Report At Levin

The following recruits have been instructed to report to the Royal New Zealand Air Force station, Levin, for preliminary training:—

Pilots.—Burns, R. H. M., Wellington; Cheyne, I. McD., Woodville; Cook, A. R., Wellington; Dacent, J. G., Hastings; Duncley, R. H., Blenheim; Elliot, F. J., Karori; Falconer, J. E., Wellington; Forge, F. B., Gisborne; Garnett, E. J., Hastings; Gibson, J. C. McK., Wellington; Gilbert, M. S., Wellington; Gray, T. H., New Plymouth; Hanlon, J. H., Palmerston North; Haydon, E. L., Palmerston North; Hoare, B. P., Palmerston North; Hooper, P. J., Mania; Hunt, J. H. M., Wanganui; Jones, E. R., Levin; Joyce, F. W., Wanganui; King, D. G., Palmerston North; Lewis, J., Blenheim; Liken, J. R., Hastings; Morse, N. P., Karori; McClure, F., Miramar; McGill, H. M., Eastbourne; McKay Lachlan, Waipawa; MacKenzie, A. C., Wanganui; McKillop, R. H., Wanganui; McLachlan, I. J., Hataitai; McNabb, R. P., Hunterville; Newton, H. B., Urenui; Palmer, J. J., Havelock North; Pavish, K., Wellington; Peters, R. A., Linton; Schaw, F. A., Palmerston North; Scott, B. C., Nelson; Smith, G. W. W., Karori; Sole, H. V., Mania; Steel, S. D., Te Puke; St. John, A. G., Wellington; Taylor, R. C. C., Gisborne; Viles, H. G., Ashurst; Volzke, L. G., Stratford; Willis, A., Napier; Wright, C. W. N., Taumarunui.

Air Observers.—Abbott, A. B., Wellington; Andrews, R. T., Ward; Beatson, R., Wellington; Billing, K. C., New Plymouth; Burnham, W. H., Hastings; Clark, W. L., Levin; Cookson, D. G., Opawa; Davis, R. C., Taumarunui; Doggett, R. B., Masterton; Emerson, J. S., Wellington; Fawcner, J. McL., Stratford; Garner, C. L., Wellington; Grehan, F. D., Wellington; Hayes, P. S., Wellington; Jones, R. R. A., Napier; Kemp, R. A., Eltham; King, G. M., Wellington; Lukey, E. M., Nelson; McKenzie, K. G., Pukehou; McKenzie, R. A., Wellington; Mandy, A. E. S., Napier; Marshall, H. D., Napier; Reddell, J. I., Napier; Robertson, E. B. I., Levin; Russell, H. H., Wellington; Starley, N. W., Wellington; Thane, D. W., Wellington; Veysey, W. J., Nelson; Katson, H. A. T., Wellington; Webby, G. A. L., Wanganui East; Wiggins, H., Waipukurau.

Air Gunners.—Anderson, John, Gisborne; Axten, R. C., Waitara; Brailey, C. R., Lower Hutt; Cook, R. H., Ormond; Eria, R. T., Wairoa; Fowler, J. A., Feilding; Franklin, G. B., Opunake; Garfath, A. F., Wanganui; Guthrie, L. K., Ohakune; Horton, H. G., Wellington; Hurley, E. A., New Plymouth; Jones, R. J. I., Wellington; Jones, W., Tauranga; McCarthy, G. C. M., Waipukurau; McCarty, L. H. R., New Plymouth; McGregor, K. C., Masterton; O'Keefe, R. F., Carterton; Robinson, J. N., Taumarunui; Small, C. E. L., Hastings; Stewart, I. G., Wellington; Wastney W., Wakapuaka.

N.Z.E.F. CASUALTIES

Death From Sickness

The following casualties to the 2nd N.Z.E.F. have been reported:—

Private John Joseph Williams, 6th Field Ambulance, died of sickness. Father: A. E. Williams, 38 Marlborough Street, Riccarton.

Private Landon Frederick Stringer, Reserve Motor Transport, wounded, shock, result of bombing, Egypt. Wife: Mrs. I. O. Stringer, 94 Elizabeth Street, Wellington.

Sapper Adrian James Brady, died of sickness, November 18, 1940. Wife: Mrs. A. J. Brady, C/o Mrs. Raison, McMaster Street, Greytown.

Everyman's Hut

"The cry of man's anguish went up to God,

Lord, take away pain:
The shadow that darkens the world
Thou has made

The close-coiling chain
That strangles the heart, the burden
that weighs

On the wings that would soar,
Lord, take away pain from the world
Thou hast made

That it love Thee the more,
Then answered the Lord to the cry of
His world:

'Shall I take away pain,
And with it the power of the soul to
endure,

Made strong by the strain?
Shall I take away pity, that knits
heart to heart

And sacrifice high?
Will ye lose all your heroes that left
from the fire

White brows to the sky?
Shall I take away love that redeems
with a price

And smiles at its loss?
Can ye spare from your lives that
would climb into Me

The Christ on His Cross?"

In times of stress and danger it is natural for the human heart to cry for deliverance, to seek to be spared from pain and suffering. We all like to choose the easy way, forgetting that fire is needed to temper the steel and refine the gold. God's purposes are too high and lofty for natural man to understand, and we hesitate to accept that which we do not comprehend, to walk where we cannot see and to do what is not in accordance with our own will. But God asks us to accept His word even if we do not understand, to walk in the dark where He leads, to do what He wills and not what we will. It may mean suffering and pain, but it gives the wonderful blessing and peace which follows obedience. In the darkness of Gethsemane's midnight the prayer of our Lord was: "If it be possible, let this cup pass from me, nevertheless, not as I will but as Thou will. . . Thy will be done," and though God's will took Him to Calvary, it also took Him through the tomb and back to Heaven's highest place, with a name above every name. God's honour was vindicated and glory brought to His name through the obedience of His Son. May our prayers on behalf of the world at this time be not just to be spared the horrors of war, but that God's will may be done in purifying and refining those who have neglected and despised Him and His Son."

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Hitler's Serfs

The traitors who sold France in the hope of saving their skins, power and money, are beginning to learn the meaning of Hitlerism.

Growing apprehension—a whimpering, whispering fear that the Nazis seek to destroy France—is the keynote of the French Press.

France failed to learn by the example of other nations trampled on by Hitler.

Did she imagine that she would be spared?

Once more, let us say that Hitler's idea of peace is a world of slaves toiling for the greater glory and comfort of the Nazi gangsters and the German people.

It is a return to the worst days of feudalism, a feudalism without hope of religion, without a ray of cultural light, without any opportunity whatever for progress.

Indeed, Nazism triumphant would be the darkest age of all. Supported by the weapons of science in the hands of an essentially cruel people it would wipe out the very soul of mankind.

ADVANCED TRAINING

New Zealand Soldiers In Egypt

LIFE IN WESTERN DESERT

(From the Official War Correspondent with the N.Z.E.F. in the Middle East)

CAIRO, November 18.

With its own hospitals, post office, transport services, workshops and even bathing beaches, the New Zealand Contingent in the Western Desert has many characteristics of a self-sufficient community. While the enemy keeps his distance, battle stations in the New Zealand sector do not need to be continuously occupied, and units in the field lead comparatively normal lives. The daily routine of the troops varies according to their roles in warfare.

With the latest major digging task over, the infantry and artillery units are able to concentrate on advanced training. Engineers have 101 jobs to keep them busy, machinery to look after, heavy repairs to make, and constructional work of many kinds. Transport companies are constantly on the move with truck loads of foodstuffs and supplies. Signallers maintain the vital telephone and telegraph systems linking unit with unit, and keeping the whole force in close touch with the outside world.

Most troops live under canvas, but there the similarity with camp life in early training days begins and ends.

Security is now more important than appearance, and tents, sunk deep into the ground, are well separated and sited out of line so that bursting bombs may cause the minimum of damage. Parades, in the ordinary sense, have no place in the daily routine, one excellent reason being the necessity for avoiding concentrations of men. Moreover, military life has reached a phase where the men usually have definite daily jobs and go to them almost as in civilian life.

Organization of recreation and entertainments presents many difficulties in the field. All-wave wireless sets given by the New Zealand public are proving a great boon, and some units have been able to play football and hockey, challenging other Empire troops in friendly matches on dusty fields. Transport to Mediterranean beaches is provided almost daily for swimming parties.

"Fighting fit" were the words used by Mr. Anthony Eden to describe First Contingent men after seeing some of them during his recent tour. One need not go far to realize the aptness of this phrase. Deeply tanned and hard as nails, New Zealanders look veritable sons of the desert.

Astrologers predict Hitler's death early in 1940. It's going to go hard with those astrologers if they don't deliver the goods.

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"Even to-day there are people who regard long hair as a sign of genius," we read. If we remember rightly, our Sergeant-Major never laboured under that particular delusion.

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DOMINION AIRMEN

Distinguished Flying Crosses

Information concerning the latest awards of Distinguished Flying Crosses to six more New Zealanders was received by Air Headquarters, Wellington, yesterday. The recipients are:

Acting Flight Lieutenant Cecil Dunn Milne, R.A.F., Auckland.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Frederick John Lucas, R.N.Z.A.F., Tuapeka Mouth, Otago.

Flying Officer William Maxwell Nixon, R.A.F., Pukerau, Otago.

Flying Officer Wilfred Maurice Chalk Williams, R.N.Z.A.F., Napier.

Pilot Officer Donald Joseph Harkness, R.A.F., Midhurst, Taranaki.

Pilot Officer Peter Wynn Mason West, R.A.F., Palmerston North.

Careers Of Recipients.

Flight Lieutenant Milne was educated at the Seddon Memorial Technical College, Auckland, and is 24 years old. He was nominated by the New Zealand Defence Department in 1931 for entry into the R.A.F. as an aircraft apprentice, and in January, 1932, he entered the No. 1 School of Technical Training, Halton, England, for a three years' course. Flight Lieutenant Milne was awarded a cadetship and entered the Royal Air Force College, Cranwell, for training as a pilot officer. He also took first prizes for the grand aggregate and educational subjects, and was awarded the Lord Wakefield scholarship. Flight Lieutenant Milne is married, and his mother, Mrs. F. Milne, lives in Papakura, Auckland.

Flight Lieutenant Lucas was born in Dunedin, and is 25 years old. He was educated at the Tuapeka Mouth School and the Otago Boys' High School, and spent some years farming. He joined the Otago Aero Club during this period and gained his A licence in 1935. In the next year he left for England to join the R.A.F. and last year he was selected for appointment to the R.N.Z.A.F., and posting to the New Zealand Squadron. According to an official citation, Flight Lieutenant Lucas, has, since the beginning of this year, completed 18 reconnaissance and pamphlet raids over Germany and 35 major bombing attacks on enemy and enemy-occupied territory. His consistently good work has been marked by a very definite devotion to duty and his capabilities as captain of aircraft have produced excellent results. He has shown marked ability to find and bomb his primary target. Flight Lieutenant Lucas is married and has a young daughter.

Flying Officer Nixon was born in Auckland and is 27 years old. He was educated at the Gore High School and the Pukekohe Technical School. He joined the R.N.Z.A.F. in 1934 in the ground staff section, and later, in 1936, gained his flying A licence with the Canterbury Aero Club. In 1937 he resigned from the R.N.Z.A.F. to go to England, where

he was granted a short service commission with the R.A.F. He is married, and his wife lives in Yorkshire, England.

Flying Officer Williams is the son of the Rev. Canon W. G. Williams, Napier, and was serving with the R.A.F. before the outbreak of war. About the middle of 1939 he was transferred to the R.N.Z.A.F. for posting to the New Zealand Squadron. Since the beginning of his year, states an official citation, Flying Officer Williams has completed reconnaissance and pamphlet raids over Germany and 30 major bombing attacks on enemy and enemy-occupied territory. As captain of aircraft he has carried out his duties with courage and a high devotion to duty. Flying Officer Williams is married, his wife and son being in New Zealand.

Pilot Officer Harkness was born at Midhurst and is 24 years old. He was educated at the Stratford Technical High School, matriculating in 1932. For a period he was engaged in clerical work and in 1937 he joined the R.N.Z.A.F. clerical staff. He became a member of the Canterbury Aero Club, and in 1938 was selected for a short service commission in the R.A.F. His father is Mr. G. P. Harkness, Midhurst, Taranaki.

Pilot Officer West was born in Palmerston North and is 23 years old. He was educated at the Palmerston North Boys' High School and the Palmerston North Technical School, matriculating in 1934. After leaving school he was employed as a clerk by the Palmerston North City Council. He gained his pilot's A licence with the Middle Districts Aero Club in 1937, when he was also selected for a short service commission in the R.A.F. His father is Mr. E. V. West, Palmerston North.

A builder's labourer was recently charged with stealing an army lorry. On being taken into custody, he stated that he had not the slightest objection to being searched.

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FEILDING MEETING

Acceptors For First Day

Acceptances for the first day of the Feilding Jockey Club's meeting, to be held on Saturday, are:-

12.30- WAITUNA HACK HURDLES, of £150. One mile and a half and 130 yards. Dorado 10 12 Collodian 9 4 War Lap 10 10 Prinhia 9 0 Segra 10 9 Selkirk 9 0 Good Sun 10 3 Advance 9 0 Hokumai 9 0 Gold Nut 9 0

1.10- AORANGI TRIAL PLATE, of £130. Seven furlongs. Battle Gain 8 7 Oratti 8 7 Goldburn 8 7 Pillory 8 7 Glen Donal 8 7 Prattler 8 7 Jumna 8 7 Ra Houhou 8 7 Lady Motava 8 7 Star Zone 8 7 Luath 8 7 Tuauru 8 7 Moymell 8 7 Vin Rouge 8 7 Martene 8 7

1.50- MANCHESTER HANDICAP, of £300. One mile and a quarter. Friesland 8 9 Kilometre 7 3 Meamea 8 4 Charles 7 1 Aurora's Star 8 1 Edward 7 2 Du Maarier 8 1 Hunting Cat 7 1 Homily 7 13 Siglow 7 0 Rollicker 7 11 Cherry Bay 7 0 Arcas 7 7 Defy 7 0 Ruatiti 7 7

2.30- FEILDING STAKES HANDICAP, of £130. Five furlongs. Premature 8 3 Valcony 7 6 Golden Moon 8 3 Gay Genet 7 6 Drake's Drum 7 11 Mymarta 7 6 Trekalong 7 11 Greek Step 7 4 Acora Lady 7 6 Royce 7 4 Fleche d'Or 7 6 Greenock 7 0

3.10- FLYING HANDICAP, of £200. Six furlongs. Sir Crusoe 9 4 Black Robe 7 8 Old Bill 9 1 Wings of Song 7 5 Rakahanga 8 6 Tuatara 7 3 Lord Cavendish 8 1 Airlight 7 2 Kentucky 7 11 Sea Link 7 0 Red Cat 7 11

3.50- KOWHAI HACK HANDICAP, of £150. One mile and a distance. Dynasty 9 4 Royal Sign 7 10 Hasten 9 1 Laughing 7 8 Chief Lord 8 13 Song 7 8 Auto Sweep 8 8 Rose Acre 7 7 Social Credit 7 12 Te Ore 7 7

4.32- FITZROY HACK HANDICAP, of £140. Six furlongs. Grand Chase 8 12 Centennial 7 12 Defv 8 10 Newbery 7 12 Veldette 8 8 Queen 7 12 Silver Shekel 8 7 Colerica 7 12 Myarion 8 6 Waimutu 7 11 Sunny Knight 8 6 Talenta 7 11 Val Pere 8 5 Pretty Lass 7 8 Dainty Dell 8 5 Ringcraft 7 7

5.14- KIWITEA HANDICAP, of £170. Seven furlongs. Rollicker 8 13 Kaiwaka 8 3 Notium 8 11 Lindrum 8 1 Harina 8 8 Colossal Chief 8 0 Old Surrey 8 7 Hasten 7 13

RACING FIXTURES.

- Nov. 30—Ashburton C.R.C.
Nov. 30, Dec. 2—Feilding J.C.
Dec. 6, 7—Whangarei R.C.
Dec. 7, 9—Woodville D.R.C.
Dec. 14—Otaki Maori R.C.

TROTTING FIXTURES.

- Nov. 30, Dec. 7—Waikato T.C.
Dec. 7—New Brighton T.C.
Dec. 21—Reefton T.C.
Dec. 26—Ashburton T.C.
Dec. 26—Gore T.C.
Dec. 26, 27—Westport T.C.
Dec. 27, 28, 31—Auckland T.C.
Dec. 28—Winton T.C.
Jan. 1—Canterbury Park T.C.

ASHBURTON ACCEPTORS

Following are the acceptances for the Ashburton Racing Club's meeting, to be held next Saturday:-

12.20- APPRENTICES' HACK HANDICAP, of £125. Seven furlongs.—King's Toast, 9.1; Airline, 8.6; Pleading, 8.2; Eulogist, 8.1; Scarteen, 8.0; Rue, 7.13; Ryetown, 7.9; Stylist, 7.8; Alias, Nightshift, Sweet Mystery, Lawford Lass, Rangemore, Jacksonville, Royal Refrain 7.7.

1.0- LAGMHOR PLATE, of £100. Five furlongs.—Bibot, Box On, Citizen, Omapo, Pink Gauntlet, Palo Alto, Sham Raid, Star Wink, 8.7; Confidant, Gold Nugget, Master Flash, Nisi Prius, Rawhamai, Urge, Divorced, Good Scout, 7.7.

1.40- MELROSE TROT HANDICAP, of £120. 3.43 class. One mile and a half.—Banford, Battle Colours, Catalpa, Courier, Cracka Jack, Harold Jinks, Hoyden, Indian Clipper, Joan Potts, Lillimani, Lone Worthly, Loyal Lady, Nationalist, Narvik, Ordnance, Princess Maritza, Robinette, Ronaki, Rosie Bond, Silver Flash, Solicitor, Swagger Jack, Turret, scr.

2.20- TINWALD HANDICAP, of £200. One mile and a quarter.—Sovereign Lady, 9.0; Wardress, 8.12; Dictate, 8.2; Trench Fight, 8.1; Roy Bun, 7.10; Mungatoot, 7.8; Knight Commander, 7.4.

3.0- HIGHWEIGHT HACK HANDICAP, of £125. One mile.—Gay Parade, 10.13; Dranoel, 10.0; Arabic, Prince Ruenalf, 9.8; Elmarch, 9.6; Blue Abbey, 9.3; Gay Thread, Ageratum, 9.1; Princess Minerva, Safelight, Lockheed, Foxette, 9.0.

3.40- WAKANUI HANDICAP, of £150. Seven furlongs.—Silver Streak, 9.0; Schoolgirl, 7.8; Skyrena, 7.7; Symbol, 7.4; Great Night, 7.2.

4.20- WINCHMORE HACK HANDICAP, of £125. Six furlongs.—King's Toast, 9.2; Great Night, 9.1; Midgard, 8.13; Raceaway, 8.12; Nightglass, 8.10; Queen Beth, 8.8; King Gustavo, 8.6; Grey Night, 8.5; Synthetic, 8.2; Gold Don, 8.1; Retrogression, Phillibun, 8.0; Lord Midas, 7.9; Big Joe 7.8; Jolly Time, Miss Tosta, Eky Wink, 7.7.

5.0- MAYFIELD TROT HANDICAP, of £130. 3.38 class. One mile and a half.—Baytax, Four Square, Great Joy, Inquisition, Joan Potts, Loyal Rufine, Marfax, Nationalist, Ngarimu, Swift Lady, Titus, Wainoni Jack, scr.; Latest Edition, Shadow Maid, Silver Grattan, 24yds. behind; Star Ace, 36yds. behind.

BOXING MATCHES

Ron Richards May Visit Dominion

Mr. C. Lucas, who is acting as agent for the Manawatu Boxing Association, said recently that an effort was being made to induce Ron Richards, Australia's champion heavy weight boxer, to meet the winner of the Maurice Strickland-Alabama Kid contest in Palmerston North on Boxing night. Mr. Lucas said that the Manawatu association had received a cablegram from Australia asking what terms could be offered to Ron Richards. What Mr. Lucas regarded as a sufficiently attractive offer had been sent in reply, and there was every reason to believe that Richards would be prepared to make the trip.

SIGNAL COMPANIES

Inspection Of Camp At Trentham

The First and Second Signal Companies of the New Zealand Companies of the New Zealand Corps of Signals were "At Home" to relatives and friends at their camp on the Sommerville Range Trentham, recently. In the morning a full dress church parade was held and the march past was taken by Major G. J. Robertshaw, E.D., C.C., First Signal Coy. Camp Commandant, and Captain G. H. J. Underwood, O.C., Second Signal Coy.

In the afternoon the camp was open to a very large number of visitors, which included the Minister of Defence, Mr. Jones, Colonel J. G. Young, Director of Signals, Major E. H. R. Green, Assistant Director of Signals, Captain E. Horwood, G.S.O., Signals, Mr. W. R. Newall, Deputy Director, Post and Telegraph Department, Mr. Madden, the president, and Mr. Elwin, secretary, and numerous committee members of the active Regimental Association were also present.

The many items of technical equipment used in army communications were displayed and demonstrated by members of the units and much interest was displayed by the visitors in the camp quarters. Rain in the latter part of the afternoon curtailed the demonstrations and an early adjournment was made for afternoon tea provided by the Corp of Signals.

It was evident from the great interest displayed by the visitors that the effort was well worth while and the high state of efficiency both Signal Companies have attained during their period in camp was frequently commented on. It is hoped to hold another "At Home" early in 1941 when the balance of the First and Second and the newly formed Fourth Signals Companies are undergoing their next intensive training period.

YULE SMILE

OH, YE OF LITTLE FAITH

The old negro parson had called his flock together during a drought to pray for rain. Entering the pulpit he gazed sadly down upon his congregation.

"De faith ob you niggahs is deplorable," his began. "Here we are gathered together to ask the good Lawd to send us rain—and not one of you has brought an umbrella."

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Hitler, Stalin and Musso were fighting verbally for the dictatorship of the world.

Joe's claim was: "I have most subjects, so it's me."

Musso retorted: "No, it's not. God told me in a dream that I was to rule the world."

Said Hitler with a scowl: "When did I tell you that?"

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RAISING THE WIND.

Clerk: "I came to ask you could you raise my salary."

Boss: "This isn't pay day."

Clerk: "I know that, but I thought I would speak about it to-day."

Boss: "Go back to your work and don't worry. I've managed to raise it every week so far, haven't I?"



Conscientious Sentry: I'll have tomake enquiries to-morrow if a sentry can do this sort of thing on duty!

—Courtesy "The Newzeaford Campaigner."

Today's Great Drink

WAITEMATA

"That's the stuff to give the troops!"

APPOINTMENTS TO AND PROMOTIONS IN THE SECOND NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

HEADQUARTERS, 8th INFANTRY BRIGADE GROUP.

Major G. T. Kellaway, M.C. (Retired List).

Major J. H. Irving, E.D. (The Hawke's Bay Regiment).

Lieutenant O. A. Gillespie, M.M. (Retired List).

Lieutenant C. A. Voss (The Waikato Regiment).

Honorary Lieutenant William Hughes Craven, Bandmaster.

Lieutenant Arthur Leonard Downes, Provost Section.

Lieutenant George Arthur Royden Johnstone, Records Section.

35th FIELD BATTERY, N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Captain J. F. G. Stark (6th Battery, N.Z. Artillery).

Captain C. H. Loughnan, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Major.

Lieutenant F. J. Cook is granted the temporary rank of Captain.

Lieutenant R. A. Payne is granted the temporary rank of Captain.

20th FIELD COMPANY, N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Captain R. J. Black, M.C. (Reserve of Officers).

29th INFANTRY (MIXED) BATTALION.

Major H. J. Thompson, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is appointed Commanding Officer, 29th Infantry (Mixed) Battalion tempo(rarily).

Captain H. A. Pattullo, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Major.

Captain G. H. Tomline, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Major.

Captain F. M. Price (The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own)).

Captain S. C. Reid, M.C. (Auckland (East Coast) Mounted Rifles).

Captain L. R. Cutforth (Reserve of Officers).

Lieutenant G. A. Spink is granted the temporary rank of Captain.

Lieutenant J. K. Collins, N.Z. Staff Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 29th Infantry (Mixed) Battalion.

Lieutenant S. S. Pennefather, D.C.M., M.C. (Reserve of Officers).

Lieutenant James Osborn (late N.Z. Expeditionary Force).

Lieutenant L. A. Joseph is granted the temporary rank of Captain.

30th INFANTRY (MIXED) BATTALION.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Mawson, M.C., V.D. (N.Z. Scottish Regiment).

Major F. W. Voelcker, M.C. (Reserve of Officers).

Captain M. Steel is granted the temporary rank of Major.

Captain E. J. Anderson, M.C. (Reserve of Officers, The Otago Regiment).

Captain S. S. H. Berkeley (The Otago Regiment).

Lieutenant G. Morpeth is granted the temporary rank of Captain.

Lieutenant C. G. Stewart, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Captain.

Lieutenant F. N. Armstrong, N.Z. Staff Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 30th Infantry (Mixed) Battalion.

2nd Lieutenant Oliver Graham Rodger Edwards (ex Fiji Defence Force).

N.Z. ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Captain A. Craig, E.D., is granted the temporary rank of Major.

Captain R. C. Aley (N.Z. Army Service Corps).

2nd Lieutenant Roland Gapes (ex-Officer Cadet Training Unit).

2nd Lieutenant William Holmes (ex-Officer Cadet Training Unit).

2nd Lieutenant Gordon Roxford Weir (ex Officer Cadet Training Unit).

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain Frederick Edward Webster, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S., F.R.A.C.S., 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Captain J. M. Coutts, L.R.C.P., L.R.F.P. (N.Z. Medical Corps), 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Captain A. G. Couston, L.R.C.P., L.R.F.P. and S. (N.Z. Medical Corps), 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Lieutenant Alexander MacKay Trotter Dickie, M.B., Ch.B., attached 29th Infantry (Mixed) Battalion.

Lieutenant Douglas Peter Kennedy, M.B., Ch.B., 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Lieutenant Harold Edward Martyn Williams, M.B., Ch.B., 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Lieutenant C. K. Swallow, M.B., Ch.B. (N.Z. Medical Corps), 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Lieutenant Bruce Walton Grieve, M.B., Ch.B., 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps.

Captain R. F. Wilson, 7th Field Ambulance, N.Z. Medical Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Major.

N.Z. ORDNANCE CORPS.

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Lieutenant Frank Dupree McWha (N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps).

Lieutenant William Saul Keegan.

2nd Lieutenant Edward James Signal.

2nd Lieutenant Arthur Ernest Tilley.

2nd Lieutenant Henry Bertram New.

2nd Lieutenant Bertie Augustus McConnell.

INFANTRY REINFORCEMENTS:

4th REINFORCEMENTS. 4

2nd Lieutenant Herbert Richard Churton Wild (ex Advanced Training Company).

8th FIELD COMPANY, N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Captain A. R. Currie (N.Z. Staff Corps).

N.Z. ENGINEERS: 4th REINFORCEMENTS.

(Ex Officer Cadet Training Unit.)

2nd Lieutenant Colin Alleyne Mackersey.

2nd Lieutenant John Patrick Arthurs.

2nd Lieutenant Clarence Farrington Skinner.

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Captain H. a'C. G. Fitzgerald (N.Z. Dental Corps).

Captain R. N. Cox (N.Z. Dental Corps).

N.Z. ARMY PAY CORPS.

Lieutenant William Parker McGowan.

Lieutenant Ian Hamilton Galbraith.

28th (MAORI) BATTALION.

Lieutenant H. te K. Ferris ceases to be seconded to the 2nd N.Z. Expeditionary Force.

MAORI BATTALION REINFORCEMENTS.

2nd Lieutenant Te K. Karaitiana is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant.



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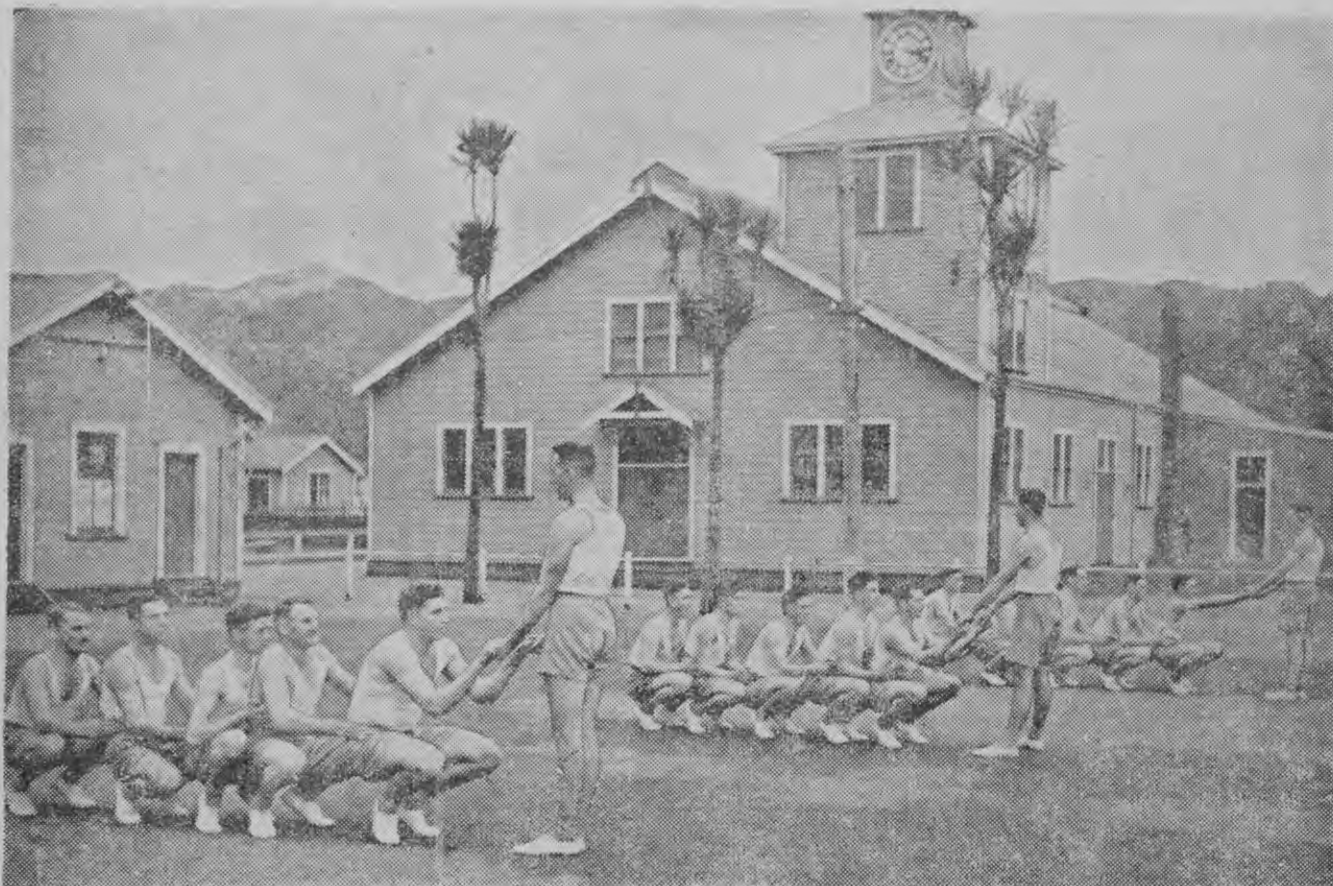
"I wish I could roll 'em like you blokes," he snorted.

"Then try 'PRIVATE SEAL'," we politely retorted.

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By One of the Boys

1. Why did Alf wake so early in the morning? And what does Joe know about it?

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3. Who went to sleep standing up?

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2. Who says "I shouldn't be doing this?"

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4. Why did everybody use room 18 for their party—and sometimes room 24?

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5. What made G's penny turn green?

A Naval officer says there is nothing like brandy as a cure for seasickness. Unless it's port.

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This weather makes us feel like a lot of mugs.

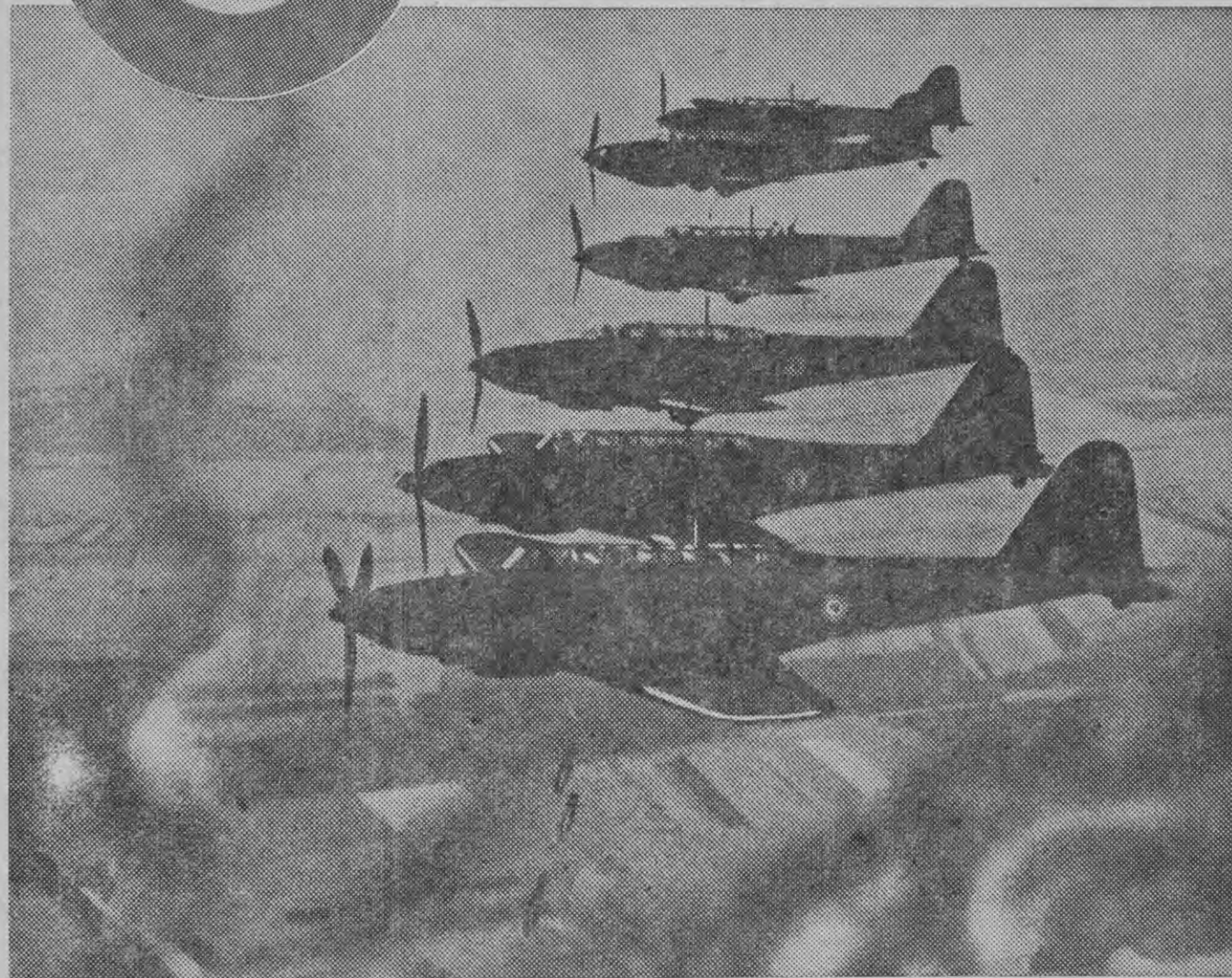
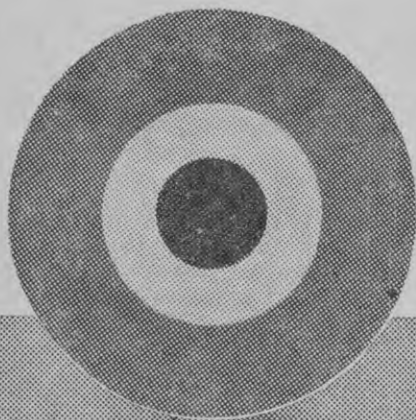
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The germ in Germany—Hitler.

RHYMES FOR THE AIR FORCE NURSERY — No. 2

Ethelbert Muffit

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He said, bombing Essen,
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