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Some of the guests present were:— Mr and Mrs Tapper, Napier (bridegroom's parents), Mrs Dr Trotter and daughters (Riverton), Mrs and Mrs J. Trotter (Woodlands), Mr and Mrs Couser (Robin-hood), Mr Stewart Macpherson (Totara), Mr E. Tapper, Mrs Anderson, Miss Wolfe, Mrs Waldron, Mr and Mrs W. Brown, Mrs Earle, Mr Greenslade, Mr and Mrs Harvey, Mr Irving, Mr Douglas Trotter, Mr Sinclair Trotter, Mr Harold Brown, Mr E. M. Gilmour, Messrs Phillips senr. and junr., and Mr and Mrs Cooper.

THE SOUTHLAND PRISONERS AND PATIENTS AID SOCIETY.

LADIES' AUXILIARY.

On Monday afternoon the Ladies' Auxiliary of the above Society met in Lewis's tea-rooms for the purpose of saying farewell to Mrs Edward Howard who has been the Auxiliary secretary and treasurer since its formation nearly six years ago. She and her husband are returning to their home in England. The unusually large attendance of members proved the esteem in which she is held, and their appreciation of her services while in Invercargill. Afternoon tea gave opportunity for much pleasant conversation after which the special business of the meeting began.

The president, Mrs Baird, briefly traced the history of the Auxiliary which was begun, she said to assist the parent society when war conditions made the business of collecting the needed income too much for the time at the disposal of the members. Mrs Howard proved an enthusiastic, energetic and successful officer, and each year had seen an advance in the sum she was able to hand to Mr Bicknell, the general secretary. As the work makes an appeal to all Southland as well as to the city an effort has been made to secure collectors in the different country towns, a visit to Gore having resulted in the formation of a most efficient branch which has rendered substantial aid. Waikaka, Fortrose, Dipton, Mossburn, Tuturau and Oreti have all made a start with very satisfactory results. At the recent annual meeting it was stated that since the ladies came to its assistance the committee had had no financial anxiety. For that state of things much of the credit was doubtless due to Mrs Howard. The president concluded by wishing Mrs Howard and her husband a pleasant voyage and a glad welcome at its close, and assuring her that the good work she had done here would keep her memory ever green amongst us.

Mrs Howard made a reply marked by much modesty, sincerity and good feeling, which elicited hearty applause.

The resignation of Mrs Searell from the committee because of her coming departure from the town was accepted with much regret. The new secretary and treasurer, Mrs Thomas Hyde, was then introduced and much satisfaction was expressed at her ready acceptance of office. She acknowledged the honour done her and expressed fear of falling short of the attainments of her predecessor, but added that she would do what she could willingly.

Mrs J. Callender and Miss Margaret Hunter, two ladies well-known for their work in connection with the Red Cross Society were appointed to fill the vacancies on the committee, at which general satisfaction and pleasure was expressed.

A choice show of new and dainty laces and embroideries, etc. These goods are now on sale at prices 25 to 100 per cent. below the manufacturers' cost to day. See these specials. Chinese hand made laces and insertions, in many new designs, 1 to 6 inches wide, from 9d to 5/11 yard. A big selection in cotton Torchon, valances, Maltese, and Fillet laces and insertions, from 2d to 1/- yard. Dainty camisole embroideries in longcloth, muslin and organdie, from 2/11 to 5/6. Embroidery flouncing, 30 to 42 inches wide, 2/11 to 10/6 yard. Embroidery edgings and matchings from 8d to 5/11. Embroidery medallions, various shapes, from 1d each to 5/11 yard. Baskets of remnants at quick sale prices. See fancy department for lovely display of new goods. 1/- in £ discount on cash sales at H. and J. Smith, Ltd., Progressive Stores, Invercargill, and Gore.



THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Invercargill Returned Soldiers' Association will be held in the Lecture Room, Soldiers' Club, on FRIDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1920, at 7.30 p.m.

BUSINESS:

1. Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
2. Election of President and
3. Ten Members of Executive.
4. Election of R.S.A. Representative for Repatriation Board.
5. Election of Auditor.
6. Organisation of Club—proposal to elect Independent Club Committee.
7. Report on Digger Newspaper.
8. Election of Digger Board of Management (five members required).
9. General organisation — sub-associations, etc., and
10. General.

NOTE.—Members are requested to make a special endeavour to be present.

L. S. GRAHAM,

Secretary.

THE RETURNED SOLDIERS of DIPTON and District extend a hearty invitation to all to attend a BALL in the Dipton Public Hall on FRIDAY EVENING, April 23.

Grand March at 8.30 p.m.

W. CASSIN,

Hon. Secretary.

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Address to President, Southland Racing Club, Box 305, Invercargill, on or before WEDNESDAY, April 23, 1920.

SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

Election of two Representatives on the Bluff Harbour Board, to represent the Electors of Southland County, including those of Winton Borough, and Wyndham, and Lumsden Town Districts.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election of TWO REPRESENTATIVES on the Bluff Harbour Board will be held on—

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1920.

Candidates for the office must be nominated in the manner prescribed in "The Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908," and its amendments.

Nomination Papers in the form prescribed must be delivered to the Returning Officer or addressed to him and delivered at the Southland County Council Office, Clyde street, Invercargill, not later than noon on MONDAY, APRIL 19, 1920.

Nomination papers can be had on application to the undersigned.

A. J. SERVICE,

Returning Officer.

County Office, Invercargill, April 10, 1920.

LODGE SOUTHERN CROSS No. 9.
LODGE ST. JOHN No. 94.
LODGE VICTORIA No. 147.
LODGE WAIHOPAI No. 189.

MEMBERS of the above-named lodges are invited to attend a General Meeting in the Refectory, Freemasons' Hall, Forth street, Invercargill, on THURSDAY, 22nd instant, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS: To receive report of General Committee arranging for G. L. Communication.

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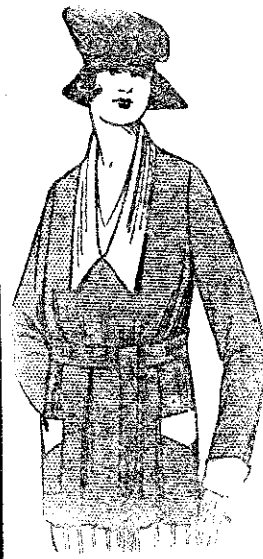
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ORDER OF PARADE :-

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