



FRIVOLITY MINSTRELS

Inaugurated 1898.



OPERA HOUSE - GISBORNE

SATURDAY & MONDAY

OCTOBER 23RD & 25TH.

1937.

PRICE 3D.

PROGRAMME

INTERLOCUTOR :

BONES :

PERCY SPILLER
JACK ATKINSON

GEORGE BULLIVANT

TAMBOS :

VERNON McCUTCHEON
JACK HAWKE

CIRCLE :

WALLY IRELAND, CECIL NEAL, ERIC POYNTER, GORDON AMNER,
JACK BURGESS, BILL CLOTHIER, HERBERT MARSHALL,
WILL KEEN, RUSSELL SPILLER.

Stage Manager : JIM BAKER.

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1. **Overture**— "Passing of the Regiments" —Orchestra
 2. **Opening Chorus**—"Let's keep the Party Bright" —Company
 3. **Song**— "Back Again" —Bill Clothier
 4. **Comic**— "And so do all my Pals"—Vernon McCutcheon
 5. **Song**— "Goodbye" —Will Keen
 6. **Sextette**— "Bingo Farm" —Company
 7. **Military**— "St. James's Park" —George Bullivant
 8. **Ballad**— "Granny's Song at Twilight" —Eric Poynter
 9. **Comic**—"Let's have a basinful of the Briny"—Jack Atkinson
 10. **Patriotic**— "Gentlemen, the King" —Herbert Marshall
 11. **Sextette**— "The Gag Song" —Happiness Boys
 12. **English Success**—"Bathing in the Sunshine"—Gordon Amner
 13. **Comic**—"Nobody loves a Fairy when she's Forty"
—Wally Ireland
 14. **Finale**— —Company

INTERVAL.

15. **Overture**— Frivolity Minstrels' Orchestra will play the March,
"Ma Creole Belle"
16. The Harmony Boys appear in Vocal and Instrumental Melodies
17. Miss Peggy Black presents a Spanish Dance.
18. Admiral George Bullivant and Ship's Company in—
"Meet the Navy."
19. Wally Ireland and Percy Spiller present "A Lesson in Courtesy."
20. Herbert Marshall, sings "The Gay Highway."
21. Miss Peggy Black and her N.Z. Ballet of Sun Kissed Beauties
22. Wally Ireland, comedian, introduces "Raspberry the Cow."
23. George Bullivant and Vernon McCutcheon appear in an old-time
number—"I Love that dear old Home of Mine."
24. Cecil Neal and his £150 Piano-Accordian will entertain.
25. Jack Hawke in a dramatic interpretation of "The last of the Moas."
26. Will Keen presents the N.Z. Success—"The Old Sundowner."
27. Miss Peggy Black will appear in a "Skirt Dance."
28. Erico & Jerico present a Mexican Serenade.
29. W. P. Mitchell, baritone, sings "Here is My Song."
30. The Frivolity Minstrels' Orchestra plays a March—
"Philo Senate."
31. Grand Finale—"The Honeymoon Hotel." —Company

"NATIONAL ANTHEM."

ORCHESTRA.

Piano: MRS. BROMLEY HILL, (Musical Directress).
Violins: N. Etheridge and W. P. Mitchell. **Flute:** A. Clarke.
Clarinet: F. Lloyd. **Saxophone:** R. P. McKenzie. **Cello:** J. McCarthy.
Trumpet: A. Boston. **Trombone:** P. S. George. **Drums:** Vic. Viggers.

During the 39 years of their existence, the "FRIVS." have given performances in the following places:—

Bay View	Meeanee	Ruataniwha
Cambridge	Napier	Sherenden
Clive	New Plymouth	Stratford
Dannevirke	Omakere	Taihape
Elsthorpe	Onga Onga	Taradale
Eltham	Opotiki	Taumarunui
Eskdale	Otane	Taupo
Featherston	Paki Paki	Tauranga
Feilding	Palmerston N.	Te Aute
Fernhill	Pakowhai	Te Pohue
Greenmeadows	Papakura	Tikokino
Greytown	Porangahau	Wanganui
Gisborne	Port Ahuriri	Waikoau
Hamilton	Pukahu	Waipawa
Hastings	Puketapu	Waipukurau
Haumoana	Puketitiri	Wairoa
Havelock	Putorino	Westshore
Martinborough	Rissington	Whakatane
Masterton	Rotorua	Whakatu