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£456,930 WORTH OF ESTATES Administered by Public Trustee Last Month Estates of a value of £456,930 were reported and accepted for administration by the Public Trustee during the month of February, 1940.

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State YOUTHFUL SKATING CHAMPION "Everything's On Ice" Stars Irene Dare The glamorous atmosphere of Palm Beach, Florida, is the background for "Everything's On Ice," rollicking comedy romance now showing at the State Theatre, Napier, with little Irene Dare in the leading role.

Regent STARK DRAMA IN "POISON PEN" Story Of An English Village Flora Robson and Robert Newton head the cast of "Poison Pen," which is now showing at the Regent. A vivid portrayal of small-town life in England, "Poison Pen" relates the attempts of a misguided resident to attack and blacken the characters of the inhabitants of the village.

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HASTINGS PATRIOTIC DEPOT

Committee Meets

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Appeal For Contributions

The first meeting of the Hastings Patriotic Depot Committee was held yesterday...

The business of the meeting was the appointment of officers, and Mrs A. I. Rainbow was elected chairman...

It was decided to open the depot from Monday to Friday, inclusive, from 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

As the cause is for the welfare and comfort of our soldiers, the committee appeal for any donations of parcels, knitting and reading matter.

Before you bake potatoes in the oven, scrub them clean, then brush lightly with olive oil.

To remove tea stains from china tea cups, make a mixture of powdered whiting and crushed salt...

Napier Bride In Empire Gown Of White Satin

KERSEY—JONES

Very Pretty Wedding At The Trinity Methodist Church

The Trinity Methodist Church, Napier, was the scene of a pretty wedding when Edna Ruth, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs S. H. Jones...

The Rev. S. Werren was the officiating minister. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a frock of white bridal satin...

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs A. J. McCarthy, who was gowned in green tulle featuring a square neckline finished with tulle pleating...

Mr G. S. Cockerill acted as best man and Mr G. Sim as groomsmen. After the ceremony the guests were received at the Regal tea-rooms by the parents of the bride and bridegroom.

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LOOKING BACKWARD: Looking back into the future's fashion we see this lovely evening gown reminiscent of grandmother's day.

Miss Jull was appointed a New Zealand delegate to the World Congress in London and sailed in April.

The following officers were elected: President, Miss A. Bibby; secretary, Mrs Strang; committee, Mesdames Harris, J. Towers, E. Bond, Adeane, J. Logan, F. Wheeler, Preston, Grenaide, Dalton and Miss Dailey.

The programme for the day comprised items from Dickens and the Golden Thread talk for the day was on Women of India and was given by Mrs Wheeler.

The results of the competitions were as follows: Date loaf, Mrs Kingston 1, Mrs F. Mitchell 2, Lamp shade, Mrs Thompson. Best bloom, Mrs Buckridge.

The hostesses for the day were Mesdames Rathbone, Bishop, Buckridge, Adeane, Misses Buckridge and Scrimgeour.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr Gamby and Miss Cable who acted as scrutineers for the election of officers.

WAIPAWA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Annual Meeting

ELECTION OF YEAR'S OFFICERS

There was an excellent attendance of members at the annual meeting of the Waipawa Women's Institute held in the Municipal Concert Hall...

A letter was received re the S. A. Rhodes Fellowship Box Scheme, and advising of a visit in June to the Federation of Miss Johnson under the same scheme.

The annual report was presented by Miss Bibby, who spoke appreciatively of the good fellowship existing in the Institute throughout 1940.

Miss Bibby thanked all members for their co-operation during the year and urged each member to do her part towards a continuation of that spirit of friendship and mutual help through the coming year.

The report read as follows: "March 1940 sees the end of a successful year for the Waipawa Women's Institute and although the Empire is at war we hope to carry on with our ordinary meetings and know that all members will do their share towards bringing the peace that women the world over are praying for.

Two of our members have passed away during the year Mrs J. Logan (sen.) and Mrs J. Barker.

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The financial statement presented by the secretary disclosed a very satisfactory condition and the report and balance sheet were adopted. The Mayor, Mr Eagle, briefly addressed the meeting in connection with the house to house collection for the Fighting Services Welfare Fund appeal under the Patriotic Committee of the S.A. and the Y.M.C.A.

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A JOOLY PARTY AT PUKAHU

Gift Evening For Miss E. Marshall, Bride-Elect

A very enjoyable gift evening was given in the Pukahu Hall recently by Mrs Britten and her two daughters, Mrs R. West and Mrs W. Walton, in honour of Miss Ethel Marshall and Mr Fred Lamont, who are to be married shortly.

The evening was spent mostly in dancing to music supplied by Tom Moloney's Orchestra, and extras were played by Mr A. Waterhouse (piano accordion) and Mr Britten (accordion).

A Monte Carlo waltz was won by Miss R. W. Eaton and Musical Arms by Miss R. Marshall and Mr H. Marshall.

After supper the guest of honour opened her parcels, assisted by Miss M. Lay, who is to be one of her bridesmaids.

Mr Lamont thanked everyone for their gifts, after which dancing continued till midnight, and the evening was brought to a close by singing 'Auld Lang Syne.'

Among those present were: Mesdames Marshall, Eaton, Crombie, Lean, Walford, R. West and Britten. Misses I. and J. Joll, R. and E. Marshall, A. Samson, M. Mitchell, L. Orchard, Roll (4).

Messrs F. Lamont, Loy, Marshall (4), L. Jones, N. Walford, R. West, D. and C. Britten, A. Waterhouse, D. Crombie, A. Britten, Eaton (3).

WEEK-END DANCE AT HAUMOANA

A large attendance of dancers enjoyed the weekly dance at Haumoana on Saturday evening. Mr C. MacCormack was M.C., and McKay's Orchestra gave a good programme of dance music.

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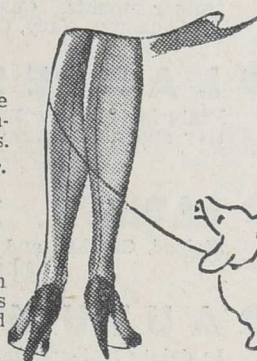
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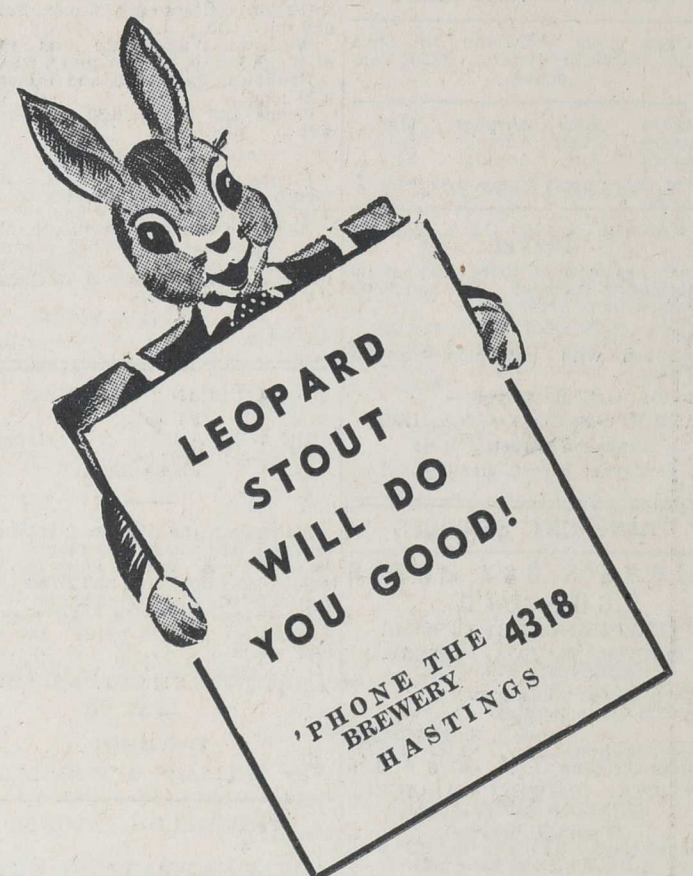
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