Mr C. Hay, as secretary of the Club, deserves great credit for his management, etc. A most delightful evening was spent by all who were fortunate enough to be present.

The first

PONSONBY 'AT HOME'

of the season and the twenty-first anniversary of these favourite winter dances on Friday proved a great success. In the absence of the popular secretary, Mr Jackson Palmer, Mr J. H. Hanna acted as M.C., and was indefatigable in his efforts to minister to the enjoyment of the company. The supper, which had been provided under the supervision of the ladies' committee, was, as usual, set out on a prettily decorated table on the stage. Mrs Devore looked *distinguee* in a soft grey corded silk, square corsage trimmed with jet, bouffant sleeves of grey lisse; Mrs J. H. Hanna, rich black satin with a deep flounce of black spotted chiffon, Egypt red satin ribbon sash and straps over shoulders; Mrs (Dr.) Bedford was gowned in black crepon, black spotted net fichu trimmed with yellow *bebe* ribbon; Mrs Littler, chrysanthemum yellow crepon, pretty soft white chiffon fichu; Mrs Crawshaw, pale yellow with white velvet revers and lapels; Mrs Williams, black merveilleux; Mrs Edgar, white silk veiled with black lace; Mrs E. Buchanan, black lace, bodice full sleeves of gold plush, finished with accordion-pleated chiffon; Mrs Ralph, pink silk veiled with black lace; Miss Devore was very graceful in sea-green Liberty silk; Miss Bertha Devore, black velvet, epaulettes edged with jet; Miss Brett, white Liberty silk and soft yellow chiffon; Miss Peacock, white figured silk, zouave edged with pearls; Miss V. Dacre was much admired in a sea-foam blue crepon, "Trilby" sleeves and fichu of white embossed silk crepon, pretty butterfly in her hair; Miss Leila Langsford (*debutante*) looked pretty in white silk, the bodice trimmed with festoons of pearls; Miss Langsford, becoming gown of cream canvas over gold, gold satin sleeves and long ribbon Victoria bows and ends edge with pearls; Mrs Watt, electric white satin sleeves, full box-pleated chiffon on low bodice; Mrs Oxley, pale pink; Miss Vaile, very effective cream Liberty silk, spray of pale pink roses; Miss Eva Leighton, pretty azure blue silk trimmed with silver passementerie; Miss Lena Butters, pure white; Miss Caldwell, pale yellow with full sleeves of pea-green silk; Miss Kennedy, white, white satin sleeves, low bodice trimmed with white swansdown; Miss Clarice Morris, blue chine material with pink flowers, finished with pink chiffon and ribbon; Miss Braithwaite, black velvet with sash and straps over shoulder of Sultan red satin ribbon; Miss Ethel Atkinson, cream embossed crepon, frill of cream chiffon; Miss Preece, pink shower muslin; Miss — Preece, sapphire blue nun's veiling; Miss Cousins, white; etc., etc.

Mrs Edmund Mahony gave a delightful

'NAP PARTY

at her charming residence, 'Rare Maunga,' Epsom, on Saturday evening. The avenue was daintily lighted up with fairy lights suspended from the fronds of the tree ferns. The fascinating game of nap is becoming very popular, and promises to take the place of progressive euchre. Play was kept up with spirit till nearly eleven o'clock, when an adjournment was made for supper, which was arranged in the breakfast-room. The supper-table was prettily decorated with yellow crinkley paper intermingled with flowers. Mrs Mahony received her guests in a soft white semi-low corsage veiled with white chiffon, black satin skirt; Mrs Nicol, claret silk blouse, dark skirt; Mrs Ernest Burton, large plaid silk blouse, light skirt; Miss Rita Tole, black surah with sleeves and yoke of pink silk veiled with black lace; Miss Hill, black crepon; Miss C. Walnutt, turquoise blue embossed crepon blouse, grey skirt; Miss White, Gobelin blue crepon, white silk frills over shoulders to form fichu; Miss Savage, grey, grey brocaded silk sleeves; Mrs Oxley, grey; Messrs Howard, Gilbert, Hill, Mahony, Nicol, etc.

Mrs Ware gave a most

ENJOYABLE DANCE

at her pretty residence, 'Stadacona' last Thursday. Though it rained very heavily during the prior part of the evening, it cleared up just before the time for arrival of the guests, and kept fine during the night. Mrs Ware was ably assisted to entertain the guests by her eldest son and daughter. The last mentioned was very energetic, determining to have no wallflowers to grace their rooms. The landing on the dance hall, as well as their ballroom was prepared for dancing and decorated with greenery, flowers, and Chinese lanterns. Mr Ware, who had been at the dinner at the Northern Club as a farewell to Mr Rose before he is married, returned home later on, bringing with him Messrs Rose, McMillan, W. Bloomfield, and Williamson. Light refreshments were served during the early part of the evening. A supper of a substantial character was prepared in the dining room, the table being prettily decorated with red and white azalias. Some of the officers of the Squadron were present. Mrs Ware looked very nice in a handsome black silk with white silk chemisette; Miss Ware looked pretty in white mirror silk with ribbons and lace; Miss Shuttleworth, stylish buttercup silk trimmed with brocade; Miss — Wilson looked charming in a white cashmere creponette; Mrs McMillan, striking rich canary brocade finished with black velvet zouave and trimmings; Miss McMillan looked *chic* in white merveilleux; Mrs James Russell, blue satin flowered in pink rosebuds; Mr and Mrs Edward Russell, the lady gowned in an ochre brocade finished with sprays of roses; Miss Carr, pretty white silk with maize-coloured sash; Miss Stevenson, pink satin; her sister wore pink; Miss Isaacs, rich black silk with heavy bead trimming; Miss Murray, spuice silk; Miss Kerr-Taylor, pale pink; Miss Buckland, soft pink Liberty silk; Mrs J. M. Dargaville, handsome black silk with lemon-coloured yoke and sleeves; Mrs Dargaville black lace costume; Miss Dargaville, nil green silk; Miss Thorpe, pink silk; Mr and Mrs Noakes the lady wearing a white silk; Miss Thompson, white; Miss Hammer, black; Miss B. Hull, white silk with silver belt; Miss McLaughlin, pretty shimmering white silk; Miss Moss-Davis, cream silk profusely trimmed with white lace; Mr and Mrs Willie Bloomfield the lady wearing a stylish blue brocade; Miss Baber, black with pink velvet sleeves; Miss Wilkins, white Liberty silk; Miss Firth, pink cashmere; Miss Mildred Purchas, white silk with lace, etc.; Messrs Purchas, Lecky, Dawson, Mill, Cuff, Kerr-Taylor, Fenwick, McLaughlin, Dargaville (two), Moss-Davis, Ernest and Harry Bloomfield, Ridings, Thompson, etc., etc.

Mr Baume, President of the Auckland University College Students Association, and Mrs Baume gave a delightful

'AT HOME'

on Thursday evening in Mrs Sowerby's hall, Symonds-street, for the students and friends. The accommodation of the hall was taxed to its fullest capacity. The President of the Association and Mrs Baume received the guests so cordially and ministered so assiduously to their comfort, that the gathering was pervaded by a feeling of friendly geniality, which contributed not a little to its success. The supper-table, abundantly provided, was arranged on the stage within a bower of flags, evergreens, and South Sea Island tapa cloth. The table decorations consisted of chrysanthemums set in a bed of fancy yellow paper. Dancing was maintained with unflagging energy to the strains of Burke's band till the 'sma' hours.' Mrs Baume wore a handsome black merveilleux with foll collar and vest of heliotrope silk. Black chiffon and a potagerie ribbon over vest; Mrs Nathan, effective gown of Duchesse silk, V of silver passementerie on low corsage, white chiffon puffed over sleeves; Mrs (Professor) Thomas, elegant gown of olive green satin with full sleeves and panels of pink satin; Mrs Holland, rich black silk, sleeves of brocade, bodice finished with gold trimming; Mrs Myers, black merveilleux; Mrs Coleman, white Liberty silk gown, with a deep flounce inserted with Torchon lace, epaulettes of moss green plush; Miss Nathan looked winsome in a pink Empire frock; Miss Holland looked graceful in rose pink crepon; Miss Brett, *chic* ivory Liberty silk, chrysanthemum yellow chiffon draped on the corsage; Miss Emily Brett looked pretty in white Liberty semi-trained gown, spray of white flowers on her low bodice; Miss Gorrie, charming cream shimmering satin; Miss M. Gorrie, white silk, deep white lace falling over the sleeves; Miss Whitson, topaz silk, straps on skirt and bodice of gold passementerie; Miss Bush, yellow skirt, cream satin square cut bodice; Miss — Bush, white embossed crepon finished with lace; Miss Whyte looked pretty in pink silk; Miss Rainforth was much admired in sea-green gown with full white silk sleeves; Miss Reliard looked very nice in white Liberty silk with poppies; Miss Jones, white silk, buttercup silk sash; Mrs Sharland, grey crepon, aigrette in her hair; Miss Berry, white gauzy chiffon with satin bands; Miss Ettie Berry looked pretty in white chiffon, white satin bodice, wreath of flowers round her throat and on her hair; Miss Myers, cream satin; Miss Shirley Baker, orange silk; Miss Anderson, cream bengaline, silver trimming round square-cut corsage; Miss Choyce (*debutante*), white crepon with bodice and sleeves veiled in chiffon, wreath of flowers round her throat; Miss Johnson, turquoise blue bengaline, bodice of dark blue velvet, spray of pale pink roses; Miss Mabel Hay, black satin with a deep frill of cream lace on low corsage; Miss — Hay, forget-me-not blue frock; Miss De Montalk, white shower muslin, black sash; Miss Ruth Runciman looked pretty in gold crepon veiled with cream gauze, cream net fichu with rows of gold bébé ribbon; Miss Thornfeldt wore a striking gown of black silk with a panel of embossed roses; Miss Blades, becoming black and white striped silk blouse, black velvet skirt; Mrs Oxley, pink; Miss Kennedy, white nun's veiling trimmed with swansdown; Mrs McCartney (Brisbane), handsome Oriental satin shot with amethyst, white satin bodice with twine lace over; Miss Picken, cream; Miss Kean, violet silk trained gown, white lace on sleeves; Miss McPherson, pink; Miss Priestly, cream bodice trimmed with lace, black velvet skirt; etc., etc.

PHYLLIS BROUNE.

WELLINGTON.

DEAR BEE, MAY 22.

I am glad to say that there is more news for you this week. I will begin with the

RARUKORE DANCE,

which was held last Friday night at Thomas' Hall. The ballroom was most effectively decorated with flags and greenery. The supper table looked very pretty, and was arranged with sky-blue crinkled paper and vases of rich dark chrysanthemums. The badge of the Club (two blues) was worn by each of our hosts across his shirt, and looked very well against the whites. Among those present I noticed Mrs Fitchett, who wore a handsome black and yellow silk English gown; Mrs Findlay, black silk trimmed with black lace and red flowers; Mrs Miles, handsome black satin gown trimmed with jet; Mrs Stafford, rich claret velvet gown trimmed with jet embroidery and lace; Mrs Hales, black satin, the bodice being veiled with the new sequin trimming; Miss Moe, pretty white brocade trimmed with lace and lilies of the valley; Miss Luckie, pale pink silk with frills of chiffon to match; Miss Barbor, pale blue satin with bertha of deep white lace; her sister were amber silk; Miss Seed, white satin veiled with black spotted net and trimmed with white flowers; Miss M. Seed, pale blue silk trimmed with black; Miss Pownall, pale green silk; Miss Holt, cream gown of some soft material trimmed with scarlet bows; Miss Tringham, handsome cream brocade gown trimmed with chiffon; Miss Simpson wore a pretty cerise velvet gown trimmed with chiffon to match; Miss Widdop, black velvet; Miss Seddon, pale pink silk trimmed with bronze passementerie; Miss Tuckey, black; Miss Stringer, cream satin and lace; Miss Edwards, bottle-green satin gown trimmed with velvet and passementerie; Miss Blundell, grey silk relieved with fine black lace; her sister wore black velvet brightened with red; Miss Williams, black velvet with bertha of white lace; Miss E. Williams, sea-green silk; Miss Cohen black net with sleeves of yellow silk and trimmed with black sequins and violets; Miss Lalsbley, ivory white satin trimmed with deep soft lace; Miss Bishop, yellow silk the bodice trimmed with black lace; Miss Hughes, black silk with frills of pink chiffon; Miss Ling, handsome old gold silk, corsage bodice trimmed with bead trimming; Miss Reeves, pale yellow silk; Miss Gibson, pale blue silk. Among the gentlemen I noticed the Messrs Reid, Tuckey, Rose, C. Cooper, Harcourt, Ross, Wood, Pownall, Higginson, Didsbury, Stafford, Hales, Luckie, Hume, Burnes, and many others.

THE PERMANENT ARTILLERY BALL,

given in aid of the Brunnerton Relief Fund is the next on my list. It was held in the Drill-Shed on the same night. The decorations on this occasion were also splendid, consisting of bunting and greenery. The Premier and Mrs Seddon were present, also Mr Fisher (Mayor) and Mrs Fisher, Sir Arthur and Lady Douglas, Colonel and Mrs Fox, Captain and Mrs Paterson, and many others.

Mrs Friend was

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to her friends on Thursday. Afternoon teas are greatly appreciated in this cold weather. It is always so nice to be able to turn into somebody's cosy rooms and have the usual delicious hot tea and cakes. Mrs Friend received her guests in a handsome black silk crepon gown trimmed with jet; Miss Friend wore a fringy pale blue silk blouse, dark crepon skirt. A few guests I noticed were Mrs Grace, who wore a black cloth jacket and skirt, silk waistcoat, gold bonnet trimmed with violets; Miss Grace, black cloth tailor-made costume, sailor hat; Miss Alice Grace, violet cloth gown braided with black, large black velvet hat with high plumes and ecru lace; Mrs Tolhurst, dark cloth costume, pretty bronze sequin bonnet trimmed with flowered ribbon to match; Miss Tolhurst, brown crepon with front of pompadour silk, stylish toque to match; Lady Stout, black crepon dress, toque to match trimmed with scarlet velvet; Mrs H. D. Bell, tabac brown tailor-made costume, jet toque trimmed with violets; Miss Chapman, blue cloth jacket and skirt, large Leghorn hat trimmed with black feathers; Miss L. Chapman, similar costume, large black hat with plumes; Miss MacLaren, fawn gown trimmed with black ribbon, white sailor hat; the Misses Rose, black crepon skirts, check silk blouses, black hats trimmed with cornflowers; Miss A. Gore, fawn cloth skirt, silk blouse to match with lace collar, black velvet hat trimmed with tips; Mrs Beddard, black crepon skirt, flowered silk blouse, pretty black velvet hat trimmed with white flowers and black feathers; Mrs Higginson, black costume, silver bonnet trimmed with pink roses; Lady Douglas, black silk gown with white fichu, bonnet trimmed with lilac; Mrs Barron, slate grey jacket and skirt, check waistcoat, black bonnet brightened with bright pink flowers; the Misses Barron wore neat jackets and skirts, toques to match; Miss Brandon, peacock blue costume trimmed with flowered brocade, black hat trimmed with ribbon to match; Mrs Quick, Miss Quick, brown tweed gown, straw hat to match trimmed with brown feathers; Miss Holmes, Mrs Goring, Mrs and the Misses Stowe, Mrs A. Brandon, Mrs Rhind, and the Messrs Minnett, Johnston, Duncan, Williams, Higginson, Gore, Pearce, Hartman, Hodson, etc.

Mrs Hales, of Oriental Bay, also gave a

SMALL EVENING PARTY

on Thursday, when euchre and music were kept going merrily. Mrs Hales wore a handsome black satin gown effectively trimmed with black and white satin. A few of her guests were the Misses Simpson, Fairchild, Bendall, Higgie, Wilson, and Tringham.

A very enjoyable social was given by the Government Insurance Literary Social Club last Saturday night in the Insurance buildings. The Premier and Mrs Seddon were present, the latter wearing a handsome black silk, with bertha of white lace; Miss Seddon, soft white silk and lace; Miss M. Seddon, also wore white. Others present were Mrs Fox, Mrs and Miss Luckie, Mrs and Miss Richardson, etc.

OPHELIA

DEAR BEE, MAY 22

On Thursday afternoon Mrs Newman and Mrs Friend both gave afternoon teas, many of the guests being present at both functions, so that a description of one party will almost do for the other. Mrs Newman's

AFTERNOON TEA

was given in honour of Mrs Saunders, of Wanganui. Mrs Newman was very stylishly dressed in dark blue alpaca coat and skirt with vest and revers of white satin. She was assisted by Misses E. Johnston, and Una and Githa Williams, who presided over the refreshments. Mrs Abbot wore a black dress, short black velvet cape with white throat ruffle and gold bonnet; Mrs Barron, dark blue gown; the Misses Barron, in smart tailor costumes; Mrs Baldwin, blue costume edged with astrachan; Mrs Brandon, electric blue coat and skirt, silk vest, bonnet to match; Mrs Geo. Campbell, brown dress, velvet cloak edged with fur, and brown bonnet; Lady Douglas wore a handsome crepon with full white fichu, jet bonnet; Mrs Ferguson, grey tailor costume, black velvet hat; Mrs Grace, dark blue gown, and small gold bonnet; Mrs Goring, electric blue cloth costume, small toque with two upstanding green birds; Mrs Higginson, black, and violet-covered bonnet; Mrs Hood (Masterton), brown dress, hat to match with orange wings; Mrs Johnston, blue tailor gown, braided in black, small black and yellow bonnet; Miss Nunnely, dark green costume, black velvet hat; Mrs Moorhouse, black; Mrs O'Connor, Mrs A. Pearce, Mrs Pynsent, handsome black brocaded dress, white and gold bonnet; Mrs Rhind, black coat and skirt, white vest with bars of black passementerie, black bonnet with red bows; Mrs Saunders, bronzy-brown dress, fur cape and brown bonnet with red roses; etc.

Mrs Davy gave a very pleasant

AFTERNOON TEA

in honour of the Misses Richmond and Baber, two ladies who attach the distinctive letters M.A. to their names, and have come here with the intention of establishing classes for 'coaching' students in all branches of education. Mrs Davy's invitations to meet these two guests were accepted with much eagerness, and a very pleasant two hours were spent. Mrs Davy wore a handsome black cloth dress trimmed with silk; Miss Davy dark skirt, and soft cream silk blouse; Miss E. Davy, black skirt, pretty blouse of white silk with red stripes; Miss L. Davy, black crepon, and crimson shot with brown blouse; Miss Baber wore a dark blue costume and sailor hat; Miss Richmond, in a black cloth costume with large smoke buttons, and black hat. Among the guests were Miss Kebbell, Mrs C. Knight, who wore a dark brown dress with Gobelin blue silk trimmings under lace insertion, brown hat; Mrs M. Richmond, in black cloth, small jet bonnet with coffee lace; Mrs Tregear, black silk dress trimmed with jet; Misses Tuckey, Young, etc.

MEYE.

DUNEDIN.

DEAR BEE, MAY 23.

On Friday, 22nd, the

ANNUAL TENNIS DANCE

of the Otago Lawn Tennis Club, was held at St. Paul's schoolroom. The hall and stage were most beautifully decorated with greenery, racquets, flags, etc. From the roof were suspended innumerable Japanese umbrellas and flags, which had an extremely pretty effect. The supper-table was most artistically arranged. High vases with yellow and terracotta chrysanthemums were placed alternately with silver candlesticks shaded with yellow and terracotta shades, and large lamps of a yellow shade, placed in the centre of the table, completed the decorations. All the Committee, both ladies and gentlemen, wore yellow and red ribbon badges, the colours of the Club. The music was excellent, and the floor all that could be desired. Those I remember wearing pretty dresses were Mrs Hart, in a handsome yellow brocade, bodice beautifully trimmed with lace; Mrs Jackson, black velvet with pink chiffon trimmings; Mrs Finch, white merveilleux lavishly trimmed with white accordion pleated chiffon and pearl passementerie; Mrs Ramsay, stylish black brocade; Mrs Cameron, heavy buttercup yellow corded silk handsomely ornamented with jet pendants; Mrs Moss (Ashburton), simple white surah; Mrs Fergus, steel grey chiné silk, daintily trimmed with rose pink silk; Mrs Richardson, stylish white brocade; Mrs MacNeil, white surah trimmed with black velvet, handsome green plush opera cloak; Miss MacKerras, pale pink surah prettily trimmed with pearl passementerie; Miss Shaw, pale blue silk covered with rainbow chiffon; Miss Macdonald, rose pink crepon, moss-green velvet bodice; Miss Graham, black brocade, sleeveless bodice of white silk with jet; Miss Haggitt, yellow corded silk with pearl trimming; Miss Reynolds, handsome pink chiné silk; Miss Roberts, black silk trimmed with cardinal velvet and shot silk; Miss E. Ulrich, heliotrope crepon, large epaulettes and other trimmings of pale green; Miss S. Roberts, sky blue Liberty silk; Miss Fergus, white merveilleux; Miss Macassey, grey silk, large epaulettes of white satin, the front of the bodice veiled in white chiffon; Miss Moodie, white surah handsomely trimmed with pearl passementerie; Miss Buller (Wellington), bright pink chiné silk, sleeveless bodice of swathed moss green velvet; Miss Stephenson, black silk, black velvet bodice trimmed with pink roses; Miss — Stephenson, white merveilleux, sprays of lily of the valley down the skirt and round the bodice; Miss Moss-Davis (Auckland), white crepon; Miss Mobray (Sydney), white striped silk; Miss Rutherford, sky blue crepon; Miss MacNeil, heliotrope pompadour silk, fichu of real lace; Miss Gates (Ashburton), pink crepon, large puffed sleeves and epaulettes of white satin; Miss Grierson, pale pink silk trimmed with real lace; Miss Ramsay, white nun's veiling trimmed with swansdown; and many others whom space will not permit me to mention. Messrs Finch, Hallenstein, Mitchell, Branson, Hannon, Hughes, F. Hughes, Gully, Cutten, Haggitt, D. Haggitt, E. Haggitt, Wright, Menlove, Taple, Monkman, Reid, (Oamaru), Blacklock, Sleigh, Chaffy, Cook, Greig, Harris, Gibson, Sise, Payne, Brees, Richardson, and a great many strangers were present.

The same evening Mrs Jas. Allen (Arawa) gave a juvenile dance for Miss Ina Master. Mrs Allen received her young guests attired in blue silk covered with beautiful black lace; Mrs Richardson, handsome black silk; Miss Ina Allen, pale pink merveilleux. Some I remember present were Misses Sale, R. Neill, Shand, A. Shand, Denniston, Williams, G. Williams, C. Williams, M. Turton, K. Bell, L. Sise, Neill, F. Butterworth, Salmon, L. Ramsay, A. Roberts, D. Bartleman, V. Simpson, T. Neill, D. Bathgate, Messrs Ormsby (Timaru), Parker, Sale, J. Sale, Ulrich, F. Ulrich, D. Ulrich, Shand, Neill, B. Macassey, D. Neill, R. Dennison, Rattray, Haggitt, L. Haggitt, and many others.

On Tuesday, 19th, Mrs Boot (Royal Terrace) gave a large 'At Home' in honour of her eldest daughter, who is to be married shortly to Mr Gresham (Invercargill).

AILEEN.

CAMBRIDGE.

DEAR BEE, MAY 20.

Again I have to chronicle a very pleasant

SOCIAL,

which was held in 'Waterside,' the present residence of Mrs Gibbons, of Onehunga, who I hear intends to spend the winter amongst us. The large dancing room was well filled, and the floor was in splendid order; indeed, there were one or two spills which only seemed to add to the enjoyment. Refreshments were handed round at 10 p.m., and dancing was kept up with unabated vigour till 2 a.m. As I know you like to hear how your absent friends looked on such occasions, I must try to remember some dresses of the ladies. As to the gentlemen, they were not completely out in the cold, having only the regulation black to wear. Mrs Gibbons presided at the piano most of the evening, being relieved occasionally by some of the ladies. Mrs Ward wore a handsome black silk dress; Mrs Souter, black; Mrs Hally, also black silk; Miss Buckland, pretty grey dress with white trimmings; Miss Sandeman, blue blouse and black skirt; Miss Gwyneth, black; Miss L. Short looked pretty in pink silk dress; Miss Giffeney, black, with sleeves of old gold under black lace; Miss Vercoe, pretty blouse, dark skirt; Miss Ward looked charming in a cream dress with gold braided bodice; Miss Honan also looked nice in cream cashmere; Miss Kripper, blue blouse; Miss Storey, pale blue; Miss B. Taylor, becoming red frock; Miss E. Willis looked well in pink, and her sister in cream colour; Miss Garrett (North Shore), handsome brown silk; Miss Hicks, black velvet; Miss Comer, cream; Miss Roskruge and her sister, both wore light blouses and dark skirts; Miss Brennan, brown; Miss Howard looked well in a pink evening blouse; Miss Roberts wore red; Miss Linda Gibbons maize with cardinal sash; Miss E. G. Reid, pink and cream; Miss Wells, white blouse, dark skirt; Miss Souter looked well in blue evening dress with gauze sleeves; Miss Broome, pretty blouse; Messrs Taylor, Ward (two), Wallace, (two) Hicks, Lusk, Didsbury, Comer, J. Taylor, Kingsford, Brennan, Cooper, Chitty, Watts (two), Hooper, Howard, A. Souter, Deverll, etc.

SENEX.

NOTE—The Christchurch, Napier, Nelson, Picton, Blenheim, and a Cambridge Letter have been unavoidably held over, and the Wellington Letters somewhat cut down.