last week-end with her parents, Mr and Mrs R. K. Reed. Her marriage to Mr H. Riley, of Wellington, is to take place some time in November. Mr and Mrs King Reed, Gisborne, who

ar and ares King reed, Gastorne, who are on their wedding trip, spent a few days last week with Mr Reed's parents, Alr and Mrs R. K. Reed.

SOUTH TARANAKI,

HAWERA, Sept. 7.

Quite the most successful of the small dances held this winter was the one given by Mrs Wafter Powdrell at her pretty residence tast Friday evening. The dance was given in honour of Mrs Powdrell's niece. Miss Coutis, who has been visiting friends in Hawera for some weeks. The drawing and during rooms connected with the folding doors made an ideal room for dancing. The decorations of bulbs and other oping flowers, were much admired. Excellent music was supplied by Mrs Bowen and Miss Comell, extras by Mrs Bowen and Miss Reilly. Messers Treweck and Whitchora. Mrs. Powdrelf was werring a prefly frock of blue and gold shot effect, frimmed with crean bace and touches of gold: Miss Contts, muss green velvet, with gold beaded trimming: Mrs O'Cablaghan, black silk, skirl draped with a flounce of cream lare; Mrs Page, black crepe de chine, corsage trimmed with flue embroidery; Mrs Wifframs, pink charmense with Brussels net tunic, edged with fringe; Miss Cherilly, white charmense with Brussels net tunic, edged with fringe; Miss C. Beilly, white charmense with Brussels net tunic, edged with fringe; Miss C. Beilly, white spotded mediali, trimmed net (unic, edged with fringe; Miss C. Reilly, white spotted muslin, trimmed with sinsertion; Miss Williamson, white Reilly, white spotted muslin, trimmed with dissection; Miss Williamson, white met frock, tunic edged with green fringe; Miss Williamson, tunic of a deeper slade; black headed ninon over-dress over white saftin; Miss Williams, heliotrope charmense, with ninon lunic of a deeper slade; Miss Stringer, white crepe, with figures of silver; Miss W. Stringer, save blue chilon taffola; Miss Grem, black taffeta, relieved with pearl embruidery; Miss Q. Glean, can-de nil ninon over sithi; Miss B. Nolan, black (repe, trimmed with blue and gold embraidery; Miss L. Nolan, black velvet, white bace berthe; Miss Revell, black silk, cursage trimmed with shated blue embroidery; Miss Hay, pale blue ninon; Miss E. Caplen, grey tolienne; Miss E. Caplen, pink satin, with tunic of grey ninon; Miss Caplen, grey tolienne; Miss E. Caplen, pink satin, with tunic of grey ninon; Miss Caplen, grey tolienne; Miss E. Caplen, pink satin, with tunic of grey ninon; (Christehurch), pink silk; Miss Dolsson (Christehurch), pink silk; Miss Dolsson (Christehurch), pink silk; Miss Weatt (Feilding), blue, trimmed with lace; Miss Raine, sapphine-blue celvet, corsage trimmed with blue beaded net; Miss Poung, black velvet trimmed with white for; Miss P. Young, white silk.

"The Dandies.".

"The Dandies" played to a large and appreciative audience on Thursday even ing. Amongst some of those preent were: Dr and Mrs McDiarni4, Dr and Mrs Thouson, Mr and Mrs C. Hawken, Mr and Mrs Graves, Mr P. Graves, Mr and Mrs Webster and Miss Koch, Mr, and Mrs Webster and Miss Koch, Mr. Mrs and Miss Tonks, Mr and Mrs, Powdrell, Mrs and Misses Glein, Mr M. and Mrs Pairington, Mrs Websh, Mrs and Mrs Fairington, Mrs Websh, Mrs and Mrs Lennon, Mr and Mrs Lennon, Mr and Mrs Lysaight (Tauranga), Mrs am Misses Nolan, Misses Reilly, Mrs Renefit, Mrs Wyarl (Feilding), Mrs and Miss Kimbell, Miss Pratt, and many others.

Personal.

Miss Wyatt (Feilding) is staying with the Misses Reilly.

Mr and Mrs Lysaght (Tancanga) are the guests of Mrs Moure.

Miss Ward a Auddlands is the guest of - Barton. Mile

is and Miss Fonks (Christelmreh) on a visit to Mr and Mrs Astron

Tonk... Miss Glasgow (Dunedin) is steying with her sister, Mrs (Di) Thomson. The nerve friends of Mrs Gilles will be pleased to hear she is making a good terovery after her recent serious operation.

STRATFORD.

Dr. Truby King's Mission.

A mucher of lettes axia bel themselves of the opportunity to most the Traily king in Monday morning at Nove structured in the test to the project of the project of forming a society for the project bounded North to visit the town as Trailed North to visit the town as frequently as convenient. The project was warmly taken up by the

ladies present, and Mrs. Budge was selected president of the society and Miss Stronach secretary. Mrs. King was also present at the gathering.

On Thesday evening at the Town Hall Dr. Truby King gave a becure to an attentive and interested andience, chiefly with the control of the control o

on the care and feeding of infants.

At the Theatre.

The Dandies" appeared at the Town "The Dandies" appeared at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening to a crowded audience. Among those present I noticed: Mr. and Mrs. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Wake, Dr. and Mrs. Makenes, Dr. and Mrs. Wiske, Dr. and Mrs. Wisken, Mr. and Mrs. Wisken, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Wisken, Mr. and Mrs. Budge, Mr. and Mrs. Remell, Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs, Mrs. Crawshaw, Captain and Mrs. Lampin, Mr. and Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Bond, Mrs.

Mrs. Budd intertained a few friends bridge on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clinchin entertained the mem-bers of the Bridge Club on Friday evening.

WANGANUL.

September 7

College Function.

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On Friday evening a very good enter-tainment was given at the College for the visiting football teams. Amongst the andience were: Rev. II. and Mrs. Dove, Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Peck, Mrs. and Miss Asheroft, Mr. and Mrs. Catham, Miss Fitzherhert (Wellington). Mrs. Earth Mrs. D. Bitchio, Mrs. Ars. Peck, Mrs. and Miss Asheroff, Mr. and Mrs. Latham, Miss Elizherhert (Wellington), Mr. Land, Mrs. D. Ritchie, Mrs. and Miss Hogg, Mr. and Mrs. Turnbul, Mrs. and Miss Bayly, Mr. and Miss Bretlangh, Mrs. and Miss Bretlangh, Mrs. and Miss Farburn, Miss M. Anderson, Miss A. Nixon, Miss C. Nixon, Mrs. Sherriff, Miss Maling, Mrs. Atkinson, Miss Watson, Miss Clere, Miss R. Nixon, Miss Jones, Miss A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stevenson, Mrs. and Miss Dodgshim (Gisborne), Miss Chrystal (Christchurch), Miss Bristow (Wellington), Miss Anderson (Christchurch), Miss Robinson (Christchurch), Miss Montgomery Moore, Miss L. Barnard Browne, Miss Taylor (Feilding), Miss Hewett (Palmerston North), Mr. and Miss O. Williams, Mr. and Miss Noeffee, Mr. and Mrs. Haughton, Mrs. James Watt.

At Golf.

There were a large number at the Golf Links on Wednesday, when a longey match was played for a prize presented by Mr. H. F. Christie. Mrs. D'Arey, Mrs. Tewsley, and Miss Laumert fied with a score of four up. Mrs. D'Arey was the fortunate winner. Afternoon tea was given by the Misses Christie (2) and L. Williams. Amongst those present were: Mrs. Christie, Mrs. Cowper, Miss Mexander, Mrs. D'Arey, Miss G. Christie, Miss Laumbert, Miss R. Fairburn, Aliss Instance, Mrs. Wellington), Mrs. Wanklyn (Christehurch), Mrs. Tewsley, Mrs. Wanklyn (Christehurch), Mrs. Revee, Miss A. Cowper, Miss Spenser, Miss M. Allen, Miss Copper, Miss Darley, Miss Copper, Mrs. Merton (Christehurch), Mrs. Revee, Miss A. Cowper, Miss Spenser, Miss M. Milne, Miss Cave, Miss M. Lambert, Miss Harper, Miss D, Grettargh, Miss W. Bayly, Miss Moss (Wellington), Miss Uarsons, and others.

Orchestral Society's Concert.

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On Wednesday evening the Orchestral Society gave a very enjoyable concert in the Opera House. There was a very large and appreciative audience. Mrs. Cowper wore a beautiful black charmense, rohe, with cream ainout on her corsage; Miss Mexauler, black silk, with errors and pabe blue cloth opera coat, with coroner in her coiffure; Mrs. For long, black silk, with chilfon on her corsage, and cream opera coat; Mrs. A. E. Kitchen, snarr pade blue charmense robe, with blue and silver controllered design on her corsage, white feather boa; Mrs. Willis wore a pretty white silk gown, with face, and spray of pink roses on her despitet; Mrs. J. Alton, black silk, with berthe of white lite, land tucker of same; Mrs. Peck, black satio, with fonds of white on it, and least, black velvet gown, with lare and cream shoulder scarf; Mrs. D. Melitron; black evening gown, and becoming pale tose pink opera coat. Wrs. C. Gibbons, pale cream foods, with lare. coming pale rose pink opera coat: Mrs. A. Gibbons, pale cream frock, with tree, and beautiful pale blue opera coat, combroidered in silk the same kone; Mrs. P'Arcy, black velvel, with touch of white; Mrs. Wanktyn (Christelmreh), black silk, and cream on her corsage;

Miss Hawken wore a pale pink gown, and rose pink opera coat, with the same shaded ribbons in her coiffure: Miss Hardcastle, black silk with lace; Mrs. Seaward, black silk frock and lace, black and silver sequin shoulder seart; Mrs. F. Jones, black silk, with cream loce, pretty pale pink cloth opera coat: Mrs. John Stevenson, black charmenise, with lands of cresm lace, errain satin opera coat; Miss Bristow (Wellington), black silk, with chiffon, nink satin opera crat with black and silver sequin shoulder senic; Mrs. Jones, black silk, with cream bee, pretty pale pink cloth opera coat; Mrs. John Stevenson, black charmense, with jands of cream lace, cream satin opera coat; Miss Bristow (Wellington), black silk, with chiffon, pink satin opera coat with black satin recers and culfs; Mrs. Durley, black velvet, with black jed ornaments; Miss Durley, which cream not on her correage, cream opera coat; Miss Morton Jones, black silk, and long emerall green velvetopera coat, with a rever of gold tussore and sailor vollar of the same; Miss Hadnes, white Silk, with pule pink opera coat; Miss Brewett, black satin, and bandrome black solin opera coat; Miss Brewett, black satin, and bandrome black solin opera coat; Mrs. C. Jones, black silk, with touch of white; Mrs. C. Jones, black silk, with touch of white; Mrs. C. Jones, black silk, with touch of white; Mrs. C. Jones, black silk, with touch of white; Mrs. C. Jones, black silk, with touch of white; Mrs. C. Jones, black silk, with touch of white; Mrs. C. Krull, black gown and sky-blue opera coat, with black silk killings; Mrs. Houghton wore a cream frock with dace, long cream opera coat, with fracher boa; Mrs. Name, black silk, and pretty pale blue solk, and blue cloth opera coat, with touch of black on it; Miss Mrs. Houghton wore a cream frock with dace, long cream opera coat, with fracher boa; Mrs. Sanders, black silk, and pretty pale blue solk, pale grey solin, blue in her coiffure; Miss Levlie Williams, black stin gown, with back and silver sequin choulder scarf, encented green in her coiffure; Mrs. G. Palmer wore a black silk gown, with chiffon, pretty pale grey satin opera coat; Miss Gresson (Christelmen); pretty cvening robe, with golden brown satin opera coat; Miss Gresson (Christelmen); pretty white silk frock, with clother opera coat; Miss Gresson (Christelmen); pretty, white silk frock, with lace diged with boar of gold embroidered band in her coiffure; Mrs. C. Wray wore a black is completed to the coiffure; Mrs. C. Cream-wood balaic was tunic edged with blue and gold embroid-ery and long gold girdle: Mess Price, cream sutin frack with chiffon, and pearls in her coffure; Mes, J. C. Green-wood, heliotrope velvet with chiffon, and cream shoulder scarf; Mrs. dlughes-Johnston were a leund-one black sodin, with over-dress of black net and jet.

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton, of Christehurch, are staying in Wangamii with Rev. H. and Mrs. Reeves.

Mrs. Wanklyn, of Christoliuch, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D'Avey, in Wangami.

Miss Gresson, of Christelaureh, staying in Wanganni with Mrs. S. Gor-

don.

Mrs. Mackay, of Wanganni, is staying

Auckland. Mrs. and Miss Bodg-dun, who have en staying in Wang unit, have left for

Decorate Systems of Fellding, who has been the guest of Mrs. Barnerd Browne, in Wangami, less returned home.

Miss Chrystal, of Christehurch, has been staying in Wonganni,

"Miss K. Fitzherbert, of Wellington, is be guest of her sister, Mrs. Latham, in-Weinganni.

A. Maffug, of Christohauch, who has been in Wingami for some years, has gone to Christhurch, where she intends to reside.

PICTON.

September 7.

Hockey Social.

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The combined hockey social was held last Wednesday in the Albert Half There was a very good attendance, the male sex prediminating. The music was supplied by the local orchestra, and extras played by Misses Sheen, Chimbers, and Messis Cook, Bush, and Mellitosh, The supper supplied by residents was one of the very best ever placed on the fables. The secretaries of the social, Miss Whealley, and Mr. H. Simmonds, with the committee, are to be

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