

BAND NEWS

TRENTHAM

During a lull in Band proceedings on Thursday, Bandsman Jeffries, of whom has been gifted with a fine young kettle-drum player by Mrs. Jeffries.

A shower of congratulations were bestowed on Jeff on his grand achievement and was presented by the members of the Trentham Camp Band with a suitable present to himself and Mrs. Jeffries. Captain Pike, in making the presentation gave some fatherly advice and on behalf of the Band boys wished both Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries future happiness.

Bandsman Jeffries, on rising to respond, was greeted with much applause, thanked Captain Pike for his advice and for the kind words spoken also for the very nice present and would convey to Mrs. Jeffries the good wishes from the various members of the Band.

Another congratulatory message was bestowed to Bandsman Denne on his 21st birthday from his Band associates. Bandsman Dennes' promise for an ice-cream supper was met with acclamation. "For They are Jolly Good Fellows" terminated an interesting half hour.

The military display given by the Trentham Military Band at the General Review on the occasion of the Governor's visit was most favourably commented on by the various officers present, including Captain Cronin, a returned officer from abroad.

Captain Cronin's remarks that the display of the Trentham Military Band was the best he had witnessed from any Military Band in New Zealand was very complimentary indeed and reflects the greatest of credit to Captain Pike and Staff-Sgt.-Major Smith, the officers in charge.

Very favourable comments have been received from far and near on the recent broadcast by the Band.

The next broadcast will take place on the 28th November. The following items will be played.

"Martial Moments" by A. Winter; Cornet Solo, "Yvonne," by B. Setchfield; soloist, Bandsman Lloyd Lee. Concert piece, "Liebestraum, Dream of Love," Trombone Solo, Corp. J. H. Patterson. Descriptive Fantasy, "The Hp eder"tnunrdeb y"Dq9i ngB "The Hunt," rendered by Sgt. McPherson (Post Horn).

WAIOURU

The occasion of the Governor General's visit to the Waiouru Military Camp on Tuesday, November 4th, marked a memorable day for the newly formed Camp Band, which is under the conductorship of Lieut. F. Kirkby.

This official visit was the occasion of the largest Ceremonial Parade to be held under the lee of Ruapehu and it necessitated many strenuous hours of rehearsal.

The local weather lived up to its reputation during the preceding days but decidedly improved as the Vice-Regal car approached the dais.

As the Governor took up his position the Royal Salute was given and was followed by the Ceremonial March Past, the Band playing stirring marches.

After changing the Guard the Band gave an exhibition march which

SERVICEMEN'S CLUBS

Heavy Demands Or. A.N.A. Cafeteria

The popularity of the A.N.A. Club continues. Last weekend and during the week, crowds of men availed themselves of the many club facilities. Heavy demands were made on the voluntary cafeteria staffs, but thanks to generous hampers from the Tinui, Lansdowne branch of the W.D.F.U., through Mrs. J. Andrews, the Dannevirke Patriotic Society, the Martinborough Mayoress' Committee, through Mr. H. Hardy, and from Carterton and Featherston, all demands were met.

Among those who assisted in the cafeteria during the week were members of the English-Speaking Union, convened by Mrs. J. S. Vinsen, Air Force Relations and A.N.A. committee women and helpers.

As an expression of their appreciation of the club's hospitality, the canteen committee of a naval vessel gave a substantial donation, and this has been expended on a useful and much-needed large wall clock in the cafeteria to be known by the name of the donors' ships.

METHODIST GUILD WOMEN AS HOSTESSES

Members of the Methodist Church ladies' guilds, at Northland, Thorndon and Karori, were hostesses at the soldiers' Sunday tea at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday. Mrs. Bramwell Scott was convener. The chairman for the evening was Mr. R. M. Brasted, national secretary of the Y.M.C.A., and associated with him was Mr. R. T. Wright. Vocal solos and duets were given by Mrs. Glover and Mr. Bryant, and Sergeant R. G. Stevenson sang. The accompanists were Miss Finlay and Mr. J. Mann. Mr. J. White led community singing, with Mr. Mann at the piano. The usual one minute's silent prayer for those on active service was observed.

REAL COUNTRY PRODUCE

Real country produce was contained in the large hamper of foodstuffs received from the Martinborough National Party at the National Club. Men on leave were served with lamb, bacon and egg pies, cream, cakes and ham and many other delectable goods. National Club members were in charge yesterday, with Mrs. Guy Johnston as convener. Saturday's hostesses at the National Union tea dance were the Misses Shirley Spears and Margaret Cooper.

WELCOME DONATIONS FOR Y.W.C.A.

Welcome donations for the Y.W.C.A. to assist them in catering for men of the forces at the weekend, were received from several sources. Mrs. Rickard, Taumaranui, gave 28lb. of fruit cake, there was the usual donation of fresh vegetables from the W.W.S.A. girls in Wellington, and a large assortment of vegetables from the Pahautanui branch of the W.D.F.U. Supper was provided by the Wellington branch of the Victoria League.

Helpers included girls of the Land and Income Tax Department, and of

included the Slow March "Scipio" and to conclude a busy day, played the following programme at the official dinner.

PROGRAMME:

March, "Sandhurst," Greenwood; Overture "Lonely Mill," Lancaster; Valse, "Allerednic," Raymond; Selection, "Saxonhurst," LeClare; Fox Trot, "Good Morning Sgt.-Major," McAnally; Medley, "1914," MacKenzie; March, "Liverpool," Greenwood.

NGARUAWAHIA CAMP

Just north of Ngaruawahia Stands Hopu Hopu camp, In the summer time it's very hot In the winter very damp.

There's rows and rows of army tents And marquees that are brown, Regularly they put them up But the wind just blows them down.

To stay in camp in the winter time You must have what it takes From Records to the Y.M.C.A. You travel via the lakes.

On cold bleak days the Sgt's mess Is as draughty as a stable, And when it rains so help me bob You can paddle on the table.

Just recently we had a storm And havoc it did play, It whistled round our poor old mess Then blew it clean away.

Each moment it grew stronger As though eager for the fray It levelled Records to the ground Then did the same to Pay.

Still once again our marquee's up Although it's jerry built It's covered with a well-worn fly That's like a patchwork quilt.

The Q.M. wired Trentham Camp To procure this work of art, They say it was the mainsail That propelled old Noah's Ark.

So really we are satisfied There is no cause to squeak, Perhaps it isn't serviceable But at least it is antique.

—J.P., Ngaruawahia Camp.

the A.M.P. Society. Members of the Y.W.C.A. Progressive Women's Club were in charge of the girls' cloakroom.

There was a record crowd at the Saturday night dance, and the usual W.A.F. dance; girls of the medical and dental sections were in charge of arrangements. The gathering was well attended, and the hall brightly decorated. Yesterday a service was conducted by the Rev. F. Bateup.

CINDERELLA CLUB

Greenery and flowers artistically decorated the Cinderella Club rooms on Friday and Sunday evenings, when large numbers of servicemen were entertained by the popular "Cinderellas." Table tennis was played between dances and a savoury supper was served on Friday as well as the usual Sunday tea.

Girls on duty were M. Nicholls, B. Adamson, L. Atkinson, B. Crighton, W. Delaney, G. Draper, W. Ede, A. McConchie.

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