

THE SETTLERS STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

Excursion to Waiwera, Orewa, Mahurangi Heads, Kawau Island, and Mullet Point every SATURDAY at 2 p.m., returning to arrive at Auckland 9 a.m. every MONDAY.

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S.S. KOTITI. Leaves Auckland: Mon., 5th, 5.30 p.m. Tues., 6th, 10 a.m. Wed., 7th, 10 a.m. Thurs., 8th, 10 a.m.

FOR WAIPU AND MAUNGATUROTO. Leaves Auckland: Mon., 5th, 8 p.m. Tues., 6th, 11 a.m. Wed., 7th, 11 p.m. Thurs., 8th, 11 p.m.

FOR WADE, ARKLE'S BAY, AND GRUTS ORBWA HOUSE. Leaves Auckland: Mon., 5th, 10 a.m. Tues., 6th, 1 p.m. Wed., 7th, 2 p.m. Thurs., 8th, 2 p.m.

FOR SALE—Two Pure Bred White Wyandotte roosters; one from Government Farm, the other from Toner Bros. Price 10s and 15s respectively.

ALL the bouquet and flavour of the finest lemon fruit is preserved in SHARLAND'S CLOUDY LEMON SQUASH.

ANT NOTICE. THE ZEALAND LOAN & MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAUNGATUROTO, WARKWORTH, Wed., Feb. 28th. All proceeds of sales are immediately lodged to a CONSIGNMENT TRUST ACCOUNT.

Clearance Sales can be arranged for as required. FRANK BODLE, Manager. H. O. NOLAN, Auctioneer.

AN ideal Summer Beverage—Tonic and tasty—SHARLAND'S CLOUDY LEMON SQUASH. It is made only from the finest lemons.

When the palate has become dull and unresponsive, when other drinks pall—try SHARLAND'S CLOUDY LEMON SQUASH. Connoisseurs are delighted with it.

That There's Money in BUTTER. Gno. Guetz & Sons are prepared to purchase an UNLIMITED SUPPLY OF BUTTER from settlers at current market rates.

KAIWAKA ANNUAL SPORTS

To be held in Mr CURTIS' Paddock, on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1906. Commencing 11 o'clock Sharp.

A FIRST CLASS PROGRAMME, A SPLENDID DAY'S OUTING FOR EVERYBODY.

ADMISSION IS. Grand Concert and Dance in the Evening. W.M. LESLIE, Hon. Sec.

BARTON'S ROYAL MAIL COACHES. As Old King Sol has been trying to get the best of the County Council all the winter and after a tough fight the honours rest with him.

CHEAP FARES AND FREIGHTS TO WAYBY AND WELLSFORD. J. BARTON, Mail Contractor.

J. MACKIEY, SADDLER, ETC. ALBERT-ST. AUCKLAND. First-Class Saddler & Harness Maker.

Riding Saddles a Speciality, Ease, and Durability. Mr Mackiey begs to thank his numerous customers in Warkworth and surrounding districts.

BARGAINS. BARGAINS. IN RATTAN FURNITURE. HAYING secured a job line of Rattan Furniture in all the latest designs.

CALL AND INSPECT. FIREWOOD. FIREWOOD. FRED CIVIL. BEGS to notify that he has started a firewood yard in Warkworth.

Orders may be left with Messrs Civil Bros. or Mr H. Southgate.

STOP! DON'T ARGUE BUT SMOKE DERBY TOBACCO. YOU CAN'T BEAT IT.

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NO Picnic basket is complete without a bottle of SHARLAND'S CLOUDY LEMON SQUASH. For Summer weather there is no drink to compare to it.

FORD FARM, WAYBY. 193 ACRES. All fenced and in grass, sub-divided into 7 paddocks and orchard of 2 1/2 acres.

AHUROA ROAD BOARD. STOPPING ROAD.

IN ACCORDANCE with Section 130 of the Public Works Act, 1905, notice is hereby given of the intention of this Board to close the road between Sections 48, 49, 51 and 52, Ahuroa Parish.

A meeting of ratepayers to approve or otherwise of the said closing will be held at the No. 1 school on Saturday, April 7th, at 7.30 p.m.

MATAKANA WEST ROAD BOARD. NOTICE is hereby given that the old road passing or adjoining 46 N.E. 59, 90, 100 and 109 Lots of Matakana Parish and the Pakiri Survey District, as particularly described in the Government Gazette No 56, page 1620 of 30th June, 1904, is closed.

WHANGATEAU DOMAIN BOARD. TENDERS will be received by the undersigned till Friday, February 16th, 1906, for lining and ceiling the Whangateau Domain Hall.

WANTED.—Situation by an elderly man. Has good knowledge of tinning and carpentry work.

WANTED TO SELL.—Good 2nd hand Henning bike. Free wheel. In first class condition. Price £5 cash.

HORSE-BREAKING. K. CAMPBELL desires to notify that he is prepared to break in horses at Warkworth.

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The cutting down of the Cemetery Hill, Matakana, has commenced and a goodly number are engaged on this important work.

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G. P. MURRAY, SURGEON DENTIST.

ALISON & ALISON. Solicitors. Wright's buildings, 17, Fort Street, AUCKLAND.

MAILS. SHABONE. Mails close 30 minutes before advertised time of departure of steamer.

ISLAND. For Taihoi, Waiwera, Orewa, Wade, Takapuna, Devonport, and Auckland, on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 7.30 a.m.

CHURCH SERVICES. SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5th. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. St. Columba, 11 a.m. Rev. E. G. Evans.

MAHURANGI PUBLIC LIBRARY. The annual meeting of members and subscribers took place on Tuesday, January 30th.

OFFICERS and committee for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Chairman, Mr A. Rayner; secretary and treasurer, Mr H. B. Moore.

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Rodney Agricultural Society.

There was a well attended meeting of the above Society at the Bridge House on Saturday evening last when a lot of important business was gone through relative to the forthcoming show.

THE FRUIT MARKET. Messrs Shiel and Co., Dunedin, report under date, January 24th:—The quantity of fruit directed to this market this past week has been enormous; some 5000 cases of fruit from the North Island as well as exceeding heavy consignments and the beginning of prices being easier all round.

STOCK SALE. The N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Agency Co. report as under:—At Maungaturoto on the 24th there was a large muster of cattle and mostly cleared at satisfactory prices.

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CABLEGRAMS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31. Serious disorders are reported in several Russian provincial centres. The Cossacks, maddened with drink, have attacked Jews at Gomel and killed several policemen.

MOROCCO. London, Jan. 31. In diplomatic circles all hope of the conference at Algiers resulting in the permanent reconciliation of France and Germany has been abandoned.

THE MARKETS. AUCKLAND, February 2. AUCKLAND PRODUCE MARKET. Butter: Factory 11d, separator or dairy 8d.

FRUIT MARKET. Apples: dessert 2s to 3s, cooking 1s 6d to 2s 6d, pears, Jargonelle 1s 6d, Chisel 1s to 2s, plums, English 3s to 3s 6d.

STOCK MARKET. Messrs Buckland and Sons report dairy cattle were well represented at Remuera on Thursday and met better competition than for some time past.

RECOGNITION. A certain American Lawyer says that many years ago he went to a Western State, but, as he got no clients and stood a good chance of starving to death, he decided to return eastward again.

WEDDING. A very pretty wedding eventuated on the 25th January at Pahi where the participants are well and favourably known.

TRAVELLER. The combined Sunday schools picnic to Snell's beach on Monday last was a decided success despite the threatening of rain in the early mornning.

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HANCOCK'S IMPERIAL DOUBLE STOUT Gold Medal St. Louis Exhibition.