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LIST OF NORTHERN COUNTRY SALES FOR MARCH, 1913. PAHI, Wednesday 12. Clearing Sale Property, House, Live and Dead Stock, Implements, Household Furniture, etc., in estate late Hon. H. Scotland.

MAUNGATUROTO, Friday 21. KAIWAKA, Saturday 22. WARKWORTH, Tuesday, 25. ENTRIES SOLICITED.

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WAIPU, Wednesday 26th. NOTICE. SHEEP FAIRS. Clients are particularly requested to have all sheep entered for the sales dipped and branded in accordance with the Act.

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Dr. Percy W. Menzies. LATE of Stratford, having been elected by the Warkworth United Friendly Societies Council Surgeon to the various lodges, begs to inform the public of Warkworth and surrounding districts that he has commenced the practice of his profession in Warkworth. Scott Memorial Day Thursday, March 20. Gathering of school children in the afternoon. A GRAND CONCERT will be held in the Town Hall at 8 o'clock. Admission 1s 6d. Proceeds will be devoted to the Scott Memorial Fund.

Impounding Notices.

IMPOUNDED by Neil Williams on February 22nd, at Public Pound, Warkworth, one Bay Pony Gelding, right hind foot all white, two front feet partly white, small white splash on forehead. If not released and all expenses paid, will be sold on March 8th, 1913, to defray expenses. WILLIAM WILSON, Poundkeeper. February 26-1913.

Impounded by William Wilson, February 27th, at Public Pound, Warkworth, one Light Bay Gelding, white blaze on face, white grid mark both sides, no visible brand or mark. If not released and all expenses paid, will be sold at above Pound, March 22nd, at 2 p.m., by Poundkeeper, to defray expenses. WILLIAM WILSON, Poundkeeper. March 5, 1913.

SPORTS. WARKWORTH'S LABOUR DAY. On the Show Ground. Easter Saturday March 22. A good day's fun for all. Refreshment on Ground. Band in attendance.

FIRST RACE 10.30 A.M. Programme of Events on application. Entries close 1.5th inst., with the T. H. GRANT, Hon. Secretary.

Confirmation Service. THE RIGHT REVEREND DR. O'LEARY, Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland will hold Confirmation Service at the Church of the Holy Name, Warkworth, on Sunday, March 9th, at 8 a.m.

Lecture. BISHOP O'LEARY will lecture on BIBLE IN SCHOOLS on Monday evening, March 10th, in the Warkworth Town Hall, at 8 p.m. Nathaniel Wilson, Esq., will act as chairman.

Lost. GOLD BRACELET, between Matakana and Warkworth, on Saturday last, March 1st, name and date engraved on tablet. Reward of 10s at TIMES OFFICE, Warkworth.

CHURCH SERVICES. SUNDAY, MARCH 9th. ANGLICAN CHURCH. Warkworth 10.30 a.m., H.C. Warkworth 7 p.m. Pukeapa 2.30 p.m. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. St. Columba 11 a.m. St. Columba 7 p.m. Mahurangi 10.30 a.m. Mullet Point 2.45 p.m. Pakiri 10.30 a.m. Leigh 2.30 p.m. Decree Claim 7 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH. Warkworth 11 a.m. Dome Valley 7 p.m. Matakana 2.30 p.m. Whangapoi 11 a.m. Port Albert 2.30 p.m. Wellsford 11 a.m. Wharehina 2.30 p.m. CHURCHES OF CHRIST. Dome Valley 11 a.m. Wellsford 11 a.m. Whangapoi 10.30 a.m. Hotoe North 11 a.m. Hotoe North 2.30 p.m. Nth. Albertland 10.30 a.m. Te Arai 2.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1913. LOCAL AND GENERAL. The Government steamer Hinemoa was in at Whangateau, recently loading cattle for Little Barrier.

The Whangateau Hall was filled to overflowing on Sunday afternoon, week when a church parade was held by the Chaplain, Rev P. R. Paris. Lieutenant C. Ashton's section paraded and only three men residing at a distance were absent.

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The word 'secular' was first applied in connection with education by Sir Henry Parkes many years ago. said Canon Garland at Chirchur last week, "as the antithesis of a State aided system of education under ecclesiastical control, to define a system of education which was supported by the State, but not under ecclesiastical control; but that he never meant it to be applied in the sense of 'atheistic' or 'anti-religious' education is shown by the fact that the introduction of the word as applied for the first time to education was co-incident with a careful provision for the regular reading of Scripture lessons, and definite teaching by ministers of religion."

Something like 700 guests were expected at Puhoi this morning to join in celebrating the golden wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs John Schollum. Mr Robert Ross of Kaiwaka was recently married in Auckland to Miss sister of Mrs T. Hartnell of Port Albert.

Blasting is still proceeding in the deepening of the Maitangi river. We are pleased to hear that Mr Ramsay has passed second class in the first section of the B.A. and L.L.B. degrees.

The Rev. C. A. Sims, who is to succeed Mr Paris as Methodist minister here, entered the ministry in 1902. Mr Sims spent three years in the field of primitive Methodist circuit, four years in Wellington city, proceeding thence to Dunedin. His present charge is at Millerton near to Westport. Mr and Mrs Sims' daughter expect to arrive on the 18th of April.

The Statistical tables relating to the local governing bodies for the year 1911-12 are just to hand. Of the 57 Town Districts in the Dominion only seven exceeded the £2,278 13s 6d which was spent on public works by the local Board. When the ratio of management expenses to the expenditure on public works is examined, Warkworth is easily the lowest in the Dominion. It works out the mere fraction over 13 per cent.

There is bound to be a good attendance at the Town Hall on Monday evening next to listen to Bishop Cleary on the Bible in Schools Question. Mr Nathaniel Wilson is to take the chair. Mr McCosham, the Wellsford station master, has received promotion, and is to remove to Frankton Junction station to the clerical division. Our experience is that there are station masters and station masters and the general regret at the removal of Mr McCosham indicates his position. We tender our congratulations on the promotion.

The tightness of the money market has imposed what we believe is a temporary lull on the development of public works, and in consequence the Cement Works is working two shifts. Despite all teaching to the contrary, the workers as well as every other class in the community, are dependent upon steady and safe financing, and the keenest foresight cannot overcome all the problems of trade fluctuations. The third prize in the essay competition inaugurated by the Victoria League was won by Elsie Reed of the Warkworth school.

As the band was playing "God save the Queen," at the conclusion of the Omaha show, Mr J. May one of the judges, had the misfortune to put his wrist out. Enquiries for Dr. Menzies, who had been present, ascertained that the Doctor had left some time before. Mr May went back to Auckland by the steamer.

Mr Laird, watchmaker and jeweller, will be in Warkworth to-morrow and Friday. Bruce Grant, who had the misfortune to injure his hand by inadvertently doubling charged a pistol using for starting races, has been under the care of Dr. Menzies and is just about well again.

Mr Pearman of Wellsford and Mr Peterson of Tauhara have both undergone operations at Helensville, and by the last report were doing as well as could be expected.

Mr C. S. Clarke who takes a prominent part in flower growing at Leigh, expressed pleasure at the proposal to hold a flower show at Warkworth next spring. We are sure good "Old Ebury" will be glad to advise flower growers on any difficulty they may experience, if the advice be asked for.

Mr H. W. C. Phillips sends the following weather notes for this year:— January 331 pts of rain on 10 days, February 131 pts of rain on 15 days. The rainfall for 1912 was 5955 points, rain falling on 242 days. Each point of rain is equal to 2.25 gallons per acre and 100 points make an inch. A message received in Calcutta from Ceylon gives an account of an attack made by an elephant on the Mullaiton Mankulam mail coach. The attack was quite unexpected. With one blow of the animal's trunk the driver of the coach was felled to the ground dead; then the conveyance itself was smashed against a telegraph post, and its occupants who were thrown out, hid themselves under a culvert. The elephant next attacked the culvert, but without success, and it afterwards made off, the scared passengers climbing a tree and remaining there until the morning. BRONCHITIS is more quickly cured if NAZOL OINTMENT is rubbed well into the chest and back, between the shoulders, and NAZOL taken at the same time. This has been proved.

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Bicycle Road Race. The following are the handicaps for the Warkworth to Matakana and back road-race to be run on Saturday:— G. S. Sankey, jr., scratch. S. Adams, 2 minutes. Leo Buckton, 5 minutes. Charles Gathercole, 5 minutes. Roland Buckton, 5 minutes. Thos. Ramsbottom, 5 minutes. George Buttons, 7 minutes. Alf Gough, 8 minutes. T. Buckton, senr., 10 minutes.

G. Craig. H. R. Collier. Handicappers. S. Stringer.

The Omaha Show. The weather is said one of the worst of the winter. The weather to go show continued dryness lessened, exhibits in field produce. Still good, and with a ment the bareness covered. The large laden with a Samples of Bon especially fine. Mr Clarke had a the best collect usual the ladies obtained their display of jams and cookery. In the afternoon were the open handicap scratch man proved finish. The contests was keenly fought. The Native band stayed over from the "Hui," and provided the music. Taking it by and large it was a homely enjoyable gathering and Secretary D. A. Matheson and the workers may rest satisfied from their labours.

CONCERT. The usual concert following the show was evidently fully appreciated, as the audience which filled the hall, like Oliver Twist "kept asking for more." The Maori Band opened with a selection, when the individual performers, few in numbers but with variety in their repertoires responded to the requests made upon them. Among the items rendered were the following:—Sings by Mrs P. Laycock, "Roses" and "Memory"; Duet by the Misses Dunning; by Mr T. Harris were the recitations, "The Little Yellow God," "The Girl on the Stairs," and "Lassar." Songs, "Son of Mine," "Uncle Jeff," "When Richard 1st sat on the Throne," and Dickens Character Sketches, "Sairey Gamp" (in costume) and "Ebenezer Scroogee." Mr Owens sang "In the Gloaming," "Mid the Hush of the Corn," and "The Sea and the Moon," and the Misses Dunning gave a pianoforte duet. After the usual votes of thanks dancing was proceeded with, the music being provided by members of the Band and others.

HOUSES. Judges: Mr Jos. May, Mr Andrew Craig. Best Agricultural Horse, W. Neeley 1st and 2nd. Roadster Colt or Filly, 3 entries, A. Dunning 1st, A. Neeley 2nd. Roadster Foal, 5 entries, W. Croker 1st, W. Neeley 2nd. Draught Foal, 3 entries, B. Williams 1st, E. W. Meiklejohn 2nd. Draught Colt or Filly, under 2 years, H. A. Mathews 1st. Draught Colt or Filly, under 3 years, T. Houlst 1st, D. M. Kemp 2nd. Pony, 4 entries, Guest and Son 1st, J. B. Birdsall 2nd. Gentleman's Hack to carry 12 stone, C. Anderson 1st, L.

Ramsbottom 2nd. Gentleman's Hack to carry 10 stone, 6 entries, T. Houlst 1st, F. Trotter 2nd. Lady's Hack, Frank Trotter 1st. Lady Rider, Mrs L. Ramsbottom 1st. Miss Thomson 2nd. Gentleman Rider, L. Ramsbottom 1st, H. A. Matheson 2nd. Boy Rider under 15 years, 6 entries, D. Christian 1st, J. Christian 2nd.

CATTLE. Judges: Messrs May and Craig. Best Bull of any age, P. H. Greenwood 1st, B. Birdsall 2nd. Bull under 2 years, J. C. Wyatt 1st, John Greenwood 2nd. Bull under 12 months, 6 entries, J. W. Darroch 1st, J. C. Wyatt 1st. Cow for dairy purposes, 8 entries, W. Clarke 1st and 2nd. Cow for general purposes, 4 entries, P. H. Greenwood 1st, W. Dunning 2nd. Heifer under 2 1/2 years, 9 entries, W. Dunning 1st, J. W. Darroch 2nd. Heifer under 18 months, 11 entries, J. W. Darroch 1st, James Dunning 2nd. Heifer under 9 months, 8 entries, P. H. Greenwood 1st, A. H. Neeley 2nd, John Greenwood h.c.

SHEEP. Rain any other breed, 3 entries, A. L. Greenwood 1st, John Greenwood 2nd. Longwool Ram Lamb, W. Neeley 2nd. Three Lincoln Ewes, 3 entries, A. L. Greenwood 1st, John Greenwood 2nd. Three Crossbred Ewes, 4 entries, A. L. Greenwood 1st, W. Neeley 2nd. Three Crossbred Two-tooth Ewes, 5 entries, John Greenwood 1st, W. Neeley 2nd, A. L. Greenwood h.c. Three Longwool two-tooth Ewes, John Greenwood 1st. Three Longwool Ewe Lambs, W. Neeley 1st, John Greenwood 2nd. Three Crossbred Ewe Lambs, 3 entries, A. L. Greenwood 1st, W. Neeley 2nd. Three Wethers (greatest money value), J. B. Birdsall 1st and 2nd, W. Neeley h.c. Five Wethers for freezing purposes, J. B. Birdsall 1st and 2nd, W. Neeley h.c.

FIELD AND GARDEN PRODUCE. Judge: Mr T. H. Scandrett. Rye Grass Seed, John Greenwood 1st. Cocksfoot Grass Seed, S. Rhodes 1st, John Greenwood 2nd. Paspalum Seed, W. Dunning 1st. Danthonia Seed, W. Dunning 1st, John Greenwood 2nd. Six cobs old Maize, A. Christian 1st. Two Mangol Wurzels (long), J. C. Wyatt 1st, D. M. Kemp 2nd. Two Mangol Wurzels (globe), J. C. Wyatt 1st and 2nd. Two Swede Turnips, J. C. Wyatt 1st and 2nd. Twelve Up-to-date Potatoes, J. Greenwood 1st and 2nd. Twelve Potatoes of other sort, Te Kao Native school John Greenwood 2nd. Collection of Te Kao Native school 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

MISCELLANEOUS. Judge: Mrs Craig and Mrs Reid. Collection of Jams, 4 entries, Mrs W. Neeley 1st, Mrs John Greenwood 2nd. Collection of Jollies, Mrs John Greenwood 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Collection of Jams, made by girl under 20 years, Miss D. Greenwood 1st, Miss W. Neeley 2nd. Collection of Jollies, Miss D. Greenwood 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Best Sample Strawberry Jam, Mrs W. Neeley 1st, Mrs John Greenwood 2nd. Best Sample Gooseberry Jam, 7 entries, Miss Dunning 1st, Mrs W. Clarke 2nd. Best Sample Peach Jam, 8 entries, Mrs D.A. Matheson 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Best Sample Lemon Marmalade, Mrs John Greenwood 1st. Best sample Damson Jam, 5 entries, Miss Dunning 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Best sample Apple Jam, Mrs John Greenwood 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Best sample Apple Jelly, 5 entries, Mrs John Greenwood 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Best sample Orange Marmalade, Mrs A. Haskell 1st, Mrs D. A. Matheson 2nd. Collection of Bottled Fruits, Mrs W. Dunning 1st, Mrs D. A. Matheson 2nd. Loaf White Bread, 11 entries, Mrs Neeley 1st, Mrs T. H. Scandrett 2nd, Mrs C. Gravatt 3rd. Loaf Wheatmeal Bread, 5 entries, Mrs T. H. Scandrett 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Loaf White Bread, made by girl under 20 years, Miss Ella Matheson 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Half-dozen Scones, plain, 7 entries, Mrs J. Greenwood 1st, Mrs C. Dunning 2nd. Pound Plum Cake, Mrs John Greenwood 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Plain Currant Yeast Cakes, Mrs W. Neeley 1st, Mrs C. Gravatt 2nd. Sponge Cake, Miss May Greenwood 1st, Mrs J. C. Wyatt 2nd. Sponge Cake, Mrs John Greenwood 1st, Mrs W. Neeley 2nd. Best Apple Pie, puff paste, Mrs W. Neeley 1st, Miss Aspin 2nd. Best Apple Pie, short paste, Mrs John Greenwood 1st, Miss Ashton 2nd. Honey in comb, 6 entries, D. Matheson 1st and 2nd, S. Rhodes h.c. Honey, extracted, 18 entries, J. C. Ashworth 1st, C. Dunning 2nd, John Greenwood 3rd. Best sample Tomato Sauce, 9 entries, Miss Mc Devitt 1st, Miss Dunning 2nd. Half-dozen plain Scones, made by school child, Alma Torkington 1st. One bottle Pickled Onions, Miss May Greenwood 1st, Miss Mc Devitt 2nd. Chopping Competition, 6 entries, A. Armour 1st, W. Armour 2nd, C. Wilson 3rd. Chopping Competition, boys under 19, 5 entries, W. Birkland (scratch), 1st, N. Hastie 2nd, J. Birdsall 3rd. Best light Horse on Ground 4 entries, C. Anderson 1st. Hack showing best paces, 5 entries, L. Ramsbottom 1st, L. Phillips 2nd, Walking horse, 4 entries, N. A. Mathews 1st, L. Phillips 2nd.

Mullet Point. (Own Correspondent). Our monthly meeting of the Band of Hope was held on Tuesday February 25th. There was a fair number present and the proceedings started with hymn 135. Mr T. H. Scandrett occupied the chair and called on Miss F. Phillips for an organ solo, then followed, Song, Mrs S. Algie; Duet, Mr C. and Miss Moore; Song, Miss Annie Phillips, Reading, Mr Scandrett; Song, Miss Myrtle Moore; Duet, Misses J. and G. Phillips; Mouth Organ Solo, Mr W. Whiseman; Song, Mr L. Thompson; Song, Miss J. Phillips; Song, Mr C. Moore.

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