

GORDON BROWN.

HOSE in search of houses and farm lands cannot do better than consult I shall at all times do my best to suit properties that are fair value and give your finance at lowest current of interest.

100.—Very superior seven-roomed; slab-tile grates, art mantels, picture and wide freizes; commodious room. Full 1-acre freehold in handy on. Terms: £300 down, balance

10.—Comfortable six-roomed house; d.c. water; one-eighth acre freehold by area. A handy home. Terms: cash, balance 6 per cent.

175.—Twelve acres freehold land; new five-roomed house, cowbyre, trap shed, etc. Close to factory and road and only 3½ miles from Invercargill Post Office.

1800.—Special new five-roomed Bungalow, with porcelain bath and panelled hall; half-acre freehold land with ample room for another house. Real good buying. See it.

GORDON BROWN.

UNION BANK CHAMBERS,
TAY STREET, INVERCARGILL.

H. D. PRESTON.

BUILDING CONTRACTOR,

WINDOW FITTER AND SHOW-CASE
MAKER,

TAY STREET, INVERCARGILL.

If you require anything in the way of
woodwork please call and have your
wants attended to.

I have the staff and material to do any
work required—and do it well.

H. D. PRESTON,

TAY STREET, INVERCARGILL.

Phone—472.

Private—507.

CONSIGN OR BRING YOUR

CALFSKINS

TO

ANDREW WILSON,

Corner DEE and LEET STREETS,

INVERCARGILL.

Also—

TALLOW, HORSEHAIR AND

RABBITSKINS.

Tags on Application to—

BOX 143.

PHONE 1148

TRAMP! Tramp! Tramp! Hear their
ceaseless beat:

Hear the Town Council bleat,

What on earth is that they have upon
their feet,

Why! Boots repaired at Hawthorne's
shop!

Repairs that can't be beat.



J. A. HAWTHORNE.

BOOT REPAIRER,

TAY STREET.



SPORTING.

Trix Pointer is the ruling favourite for
the N.Z. Trotting Cup.

The principal race on the second day
of the Winton Jockey Club's programme
has been re-named: Soldier Members'
Memorial Handicap.

Bill James has asked the Wyndham
Racing Club to increase the totalisator
accommodation, and in the meantime the
request is held over.

Gibb McLean has Carbine looking well,
but sprinting him along the North Road
is cheaper than trying to win races with
him. And Gibb knows it too!

Jockey Rowlands has made a good re-
covery from the injury he received by a
kick some weeks ago, and is riding work
again.

The Winton programme contains an
open steeplechase each day. £200 for
three miles the first day, and £175 for
2½ miles on the concluding afternoon.

Mr. W. A. H. Oliver, secretary to the
Southland Racing Club, has been laid up
with a sprained ankle for a month, but
expects to be about again in a fortnight
or so.

Bill Cowie, a steward of the Winton
Jockey and Trotting Clubs, is going down
to Riverton to spell after several years'
strenuous work in the hotel trade. The
clubs mentioned will miss his services on
the several sub-committees who make the
final arrangements for race meetings.

The Winton Jockey Club has now ap-
pointed four time-keepers to clock the
horses running at their meeting. A very
good move, for not nearly enough atten-
tion is paid to this important part of the
sport.

The Winton programme has been issued,
and £300 is to be given in stakes. The
Winton Cup, £400, and a cup is the best
endowed, and the Final Handicap with
£130 prize money is the cheapest race.
A very evenly balanced programme which
does the committee credit.

Swanny Smith is getting a big team
of untried pacers round him now. A geld-
ing by Harold Rotchild and a Four
Chimes filly are the late additions to this
stable. If either of them can go as
fast as Papeete or Last Vue, Swanny is
in for a good season.

Dick McDonald, who trained Killowen
for the late Dave Morton, has purchased
the son of Kilbroney, and he will race
in the blue and black bands at Wingatui
this week. And he might win too.

It is reported that one of our local
trainers has come in for a wad of notes
through a rich aunt or uncle or cousin
going west. Good luck to you, old boy,
you have experience enough now to pro-
vide for a wet day!

It is said that Tommy Taylor is going
to make a hurdle racer out of Rorke's
Drift's son. Mettle Drift looks like the
makings of a hurdler, and it is a pity the
Southland clubs are not catering for this
class of horse now.

The Wairio, Otautau and Tapanui
Clubs' one day meetings in January next
are going to make a nice circuit for local
stables and between the three meetings
the heavy end of three thousand quid will
be hung up in stakes.

W. Stone has purchased Clean Sweep,
an aged black gelding by Advance. He has
been run over short distances in the
past, and should prove himself a useful
horse in Southland. According to a
Christchurch correspondent his present
owner-trainer J. Pearson, will look after
him until after the N.Z. Cup meeting.

The following condition on the Winton
programme will interest owners and train-
ers of trotting horses:—Trotting horses
nominated at this meeting, and being
placed at this or any other meeting, will
be eligible to nominate for either of the
class trots. Such nominations to be made
not later than six p.m. on November 3,
for the Hokonui Trot, and by seven p.m.
on the night of the first day's racing for
the Oreti Trot.

Bill Stone sold Checkmate to go to
Australia, and if the Johnny at the corner
is to be trusted "Rough but Homely"
made quite a nice little stake out of the
profit on Sir George's cast off.

Gore handicaps were published smartly
up to time, and as usual Mr Gibbs has
been accused of throwing some of the
noddies in, and crueling others. The
Dig. is always ready to bet that more
outsiders will pay dividends than first
favourites. The running at Wingatui
to-day and to-morrow will throw some
light on the form, and Southland trained
horses that run well at the Metropolitan
meeting always show up well at the Gore
Spring Meeting. The strong opposition
from the Canterbury stables is missing at
the later fixture!

Secretary Young is a busy man just now
with a big racing meeting coming off, two
or three dairy factories to run and the
Electric Power Board duties. Frank
Young is a master of method, otherwise
he could not get through the work he has
on hand.

The Winton Jockey Club is going to
make one change only onto their course
next November. Surely this is an old-
fashioned idea, but no doubt the com-
mittee has thought the matter well out,
and it will be interesting to see how the
gate returns compare with last year's re-
turns from that source.

The "Winton Record" ran amuck some
in fixing the dates of the handicaps and
acceptances for the first day of the Winton
Jockey's Club's meeting in printing off
the sheet programme. It says, "Handi-
caps for first day's races will be declared
on Monday, November 4." The Mondays
in Nov. 1920, are 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, and
29th. I wonder which date it really does
mean? Then again it says, "Acceptances
for first day's races close Thursday,
November 11, at 8 p.m., The Thursdays
in the same month are 4th, 11th, 18th and
25th. Another argument against six
o'clock closing.

BRAY BROS. REPORT.

Messrs Bray Bros., Auctioneers and
Fruit Salesmen, Dee street, Invercargill,
report as follows:—

PRODUCE.—Potatoes (table): The
market is over-stocked, prices for prime
quality, 5s 6d cwt; other quality from 4s
to 5s 6d bag. Potatoes (seed): There
is a fair demand for hand-picked guar-
anteed. Onions (Victorian), to 35s cwt.
Oats 16s to 22s 6d. Chaff, 5s 6d to 6s
6d per bag. Straw Shaff, 3s 6d to 4s per
bag. Baled Straw, arriving. Meggitt's
Calf Food, 27s 6d per bag. Oatdust,
6s bag. Bran, 11s 6d bag. Pollard,
13s bag. Farro Food, 12s bag. Molasses
21s cwt, 12s 6d per tin. Mutton Birds,
1s 1d per bird.

FRUIT—Large quantities received.
Apples (dessert), choice quality 10s to 12s
6d per case; other quality from 7s 6d to
9s per case according to variety. Cooking
apples, prime quality from 7s 6d to 9s
per case; other quality from 6s to 7s
case. Pears (dessert), to 16s 6d per case;
cooking to 3½d per lb.

VEGETABLES.—Swedes, 4s 6d per
bag; carrots, 4s per bag; parsnips, to 2d
per lb; asparagus, to 1s bundle; cucum-
bers, to 1s 6d each.

GENERAL.—Lepp Salt Lick 2s 3d per
brick. Cow Covers 22s 6d to 30s each.
Horse Covers £2 15s to £3. Honey 11s
for 10lb. Boots to 35s pair. No. 8
black wire 38s cwt. One set Booth
Macdonald's 8ft discs, £20. Posts and
stakes.—We have supplies.

FURNITURE.—We are now showing
some magnificent lines of high-grade fur-
niture including a nine piece full sprung
suite in pre-war saddle bag, a fumed oak
sideboard with double pedestal and
bevel mirror and a 4ft roll top oak desk,
with nine drawers. We also have a few
Axminster, Wilton Pile, and Brussels,
pre-war carpets in assorted sizes. Inspec-
tion invited.

LAND DEPARTMENT.—We have in-
structions to sell a six-roomed house situ-
ated in Liddel street. The house and ¼
acre leasehold section will be sold by
auction at our rooms Dee street, Satur-
day at 7.30 p.m. Bray Bros., Ltd.,
Auctioneers, Dee street.

LAND!

240 ACRES; new six-roomed Bungalow and splendid range of new outbuild-
ings, with milking machines installed; subdivided into eleven paddocks with
good fences. All heavy flat land carrying at present 30 cows, 200 sheep, and
young cattle, but capable of great improvement. Price £19 per acre, with
easy terms, or would exchange for small farm handy to town.

260 ACRES, close to rail, school, and factory; four-roomed cottage, cowbyre,
stable etc., ring fenced; all felled bush, burnt and sown in grass. Price £5
per acre. £200 deposit.

If the above Farms do not appeal to you we have about 500 other propo-
sitions on our books, and would be pleased to submit them for inspection.

CARSWELL & CO., LTD.,

LAND AGENTS, WOOD ST., INVERCARGILL.

Lewis's
ESTD 1862 LIMITED

SOUTHLAND'S SHOPPING CENTRE.

DEE & ESK STREETS.

INVERCARGILL.

BRANCHES

GORE and WYNDHAM.

Tea Rooms — Top Floor by Elevator.

Quality - Value- Variety - Service.

Finest in the World.

WATSON'S No. 10
WHISKY.

FOR PLEASURE AND PROFIT

PLANT

COULING'S
SEEDS

VEGETABLE AND FLOWER.

Toma and Vegetable Marrow Plants.

ANNUALS.—Stock (ten week), Brompton, and East Lothian.

ASTER Plants now ready.

SEED POTATOES.—Early Puritan; Spark's Victoria, and King Edward.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.—Every-thing in Season Fresh.

WREATHS.—Artificial and Floral.

BRIDAL BOUQUETS, etc. made at shortest notice.

GEO. COULING,

DEE STREET, INVERCARGILL.

EXTRA SPECIAL!

Just arrived! Samples for 26 only
gent's suits-to-measure for delivery
before 24th December or earlier
The material is of the finest woven
New Zealand worsteds in Browns,
College Greys, Dark Grey and Fox's
Navy. Shades are guaranteed fast.
The quality of these rare, high-grade
suitings is beyond question. Prices
are very reasonable—£7 10/-, £8 10/-
£9 9s/-.

MCNEIL AND CLARK

94 DEE STREET

CALF SKINS:

CALF SKINS:

SEND YOUR CONSIGNMENTS TO US.

HIGHEST PRICES GIVEN,

WE ALSO BUY:—

WOOL

HIDES

RABBIT SKINS

SHEEPSKINS

HORSEHAIR

TALLOW.

Brown Bros.

SPEY STREET,

INVERCARGILL.

Telephone—192.

P.O. Box—36.

LABELS ON APPLICATION