### **BOXING NOTES**

OMMY HANSEN, Wellington lightweight, was a surprise when he fought out the distance with Clarrie Rayner at Nelson. Hansen was having his first try-out in high-class boxing. His display, even though he lost on points, must give him a lift up the ladder.

Many others, including V. Borcovsky, Jackie Sharpe. Harry Summers, and even light-weight champion Jack Jarvis, have been stopped by Rayner. Hansen's performance must be considered creditable.

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one second after the clock struck. He must have one second after the clock struck. He must have then been 1,100 feet on the other side of the bridge. The total distance covered is 2,640 feet, which is half a mile. This distance was covered in 28 4/5 seconds, the time between 1 2/5 seconds and 30 1/5 seconds past 5 o'clock. The engine passed under the bridge 12 seconds after the guard heard the bell first, covering 1,100 feet. Therefore the difference between 1,100 feet and 1,540 feet, must be the length of the train = 440 feet." And now, who quarrels with that?

For general interest, H.G.L.'s latest query to S.G.E. is printed "without prejudice":

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"It three isoceles triangles of different sizes, each having an angle of 120 degrees at the spex, are placed so that the three bases form a triangle, prove that their spices are then equidistant from one another."

Mother of Taro (Ferral)

Mother of Two (Frankton): Thank you for your encouraging letter. We shall certainly make

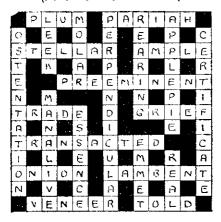
your encouraging letter. We shall certainly make use of those problems.

R.G. (Waihi): Sends correct answers to four of the September 13 puzzles, states 1,238 feet as length of the train, and becomes entangled with Move the Money. He complains of this problem that the wording was ambiguous, so that he could do it in two moves: shifting 7 and 8 to put one on each side of No. 1, and 5 and 6 to each side of number 3. Not so, R.G.! You cannot put 7 and 8 on either side of 1, without shifting 2 out of the way, which does not comply with the conditions. You will find if you watch them closely they are very find if you watch them closely they are very

strict.

Lillian (Hawera): "Batik" is in the addenda
to the Third Edition of "The Concise Oxford
Dictionary." It is defined there as a "method
of printing coloured designs on textiles by waxing the parts not to be dyed." The word comes
from the Javanese. All correct for September
13. Glad you are managing to get to the post

## THE LISTENER CROSSWORD (Answer to No. 25)



#### CRIBBAGE COMPETITION No. 3

The winning re-arrangement, reading from left to right, was as follows:—9S, JH, 10H, JC, 9D; 3D, 8S, 2H, 6C, 4D; 3C, 2S, 9H, 2C, AD; KS, 6H, KH, 7C, KD; 9C, 7S, 8H, 8C, 8D.
The following twenty competitors tied with a scare of 144 points:—M. F. Price, R. J. Pearce, Te Awamutu; Mr. A. McGarva, Hastings; Mrs. R. Willis, Waitrara; Mr. W. Irving, Mrs. L. Irvine, Mrs. G. McKay, Wanganui; Miss D. Fisher, Mr. J. and Mrs. M. Millard, Kaiopoi; Mr. J. E. and Mrs. F. M. Burke, C. & O. Tregonning, E. and L. G. Taylor, Oamaru; Mrs. C. Whiting, Misses J. and B. Whiting, and Mr. C. O'Brien, Nelson.

Jimmy Hanley, who beat Harold Foote at Petone last year, and was to have returned to the Dominion after a short visit to his home town in Australia, is not coming back.

That amateur boxing still has good prospects is clear from the comment of a ringsider who watched the Greymouth preliminaries at the recent tournament held on the Coast, "There is some very fine material in that district," he said.

In "Tot" Hoggarth, the new Brunner professional, who fought Harold Foote in his first long-distance bout, Greymouth has a coming feather-weight who will make a name for himself if he is not shelved through lack of opponents. He weighs 8st. 51b.

Although he gave away nine pounds, Hoggarth had Foote in a bad way at the end of the ninth round, but in the tenth Hoggarth was all but out. Foote was ahead on points and took Frank O'Neill's decision. This was the first professional contest in Greymouth for three

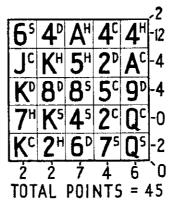
Excuses from a beaten fighter are always wearisome, and it is a happy characteristic of most of the New Zealand professionals that they can take a beating and congratulate their opponents after a fight. Vic. Caltaux is one who never tries to excuse a defeat. After his bout with Hanham he said that, on the night, Hanham was just too good.

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