

NEW ZEALAND LEADS THE WORLD IN SOCIAL SECURITY

Labour replaced a £2,000,000 Pensions scheme with a £17,000,000 Social Security scheme that removed fear of want from the aged, the widowed, the invalided and the sick. They added health benefits that provided free doctor, hospital, maternity care and medicine. To-day the U.S.A. and Great Britain are planning for the Social Security scheme that is already ours. To-day, not one political opponent of Labour opposes the scheme or seeks to remove it.

LABOUR'S HOUSING RECORD IS UNEQUALLED

In 1934 the number of Government housing loans was 11. Labour has granted nearly 8,000 loans and built 15,000 State homes. Labour was building houses at three times the previous rate until the war. During the war accommodation for 170,000 men has been built—enough to house the whole population of Wellington! Houses or camps? But critics of Labour's housing policy never mention the war. When peace comes, the Labour Government will build 16,000 homes a year till the housing problem is solved.

Labour administration has had but one goal—"the greatest good for the greatest number." Judged by that standard Labour has succeeded magnificently—by bringing to everyone in New Zealand a prosperity and security undreamed of in the past.

REHABILITATION IS ALREADY IN ACTION

Already 10,000 men have returned to New Zealand and for them £300,000 has been paid out in loans for houses, £280,000 in finance for farms, £71,000 in furniture loans, £40,000 in trade training, £3,000 in education. For purchase of tools of trade alone £1,300 has been made available in free-of-interest loans. Nearly three-quarters of a million pounds have been spent already in order to give these men the opportunities they so well deserve. Labour's Rehabilitation plans are not mere hopeful schemes—they work!

PLANNED PRODUCTION MEANS PROSPERITY!

Advocates of "competitive private enterprise" fail to mention that under Labour's planned production factories have increased at the rate of three a week, industrial output has doubled, employees (despite the war) increased by nearly 50%. They evidently forget that farm production reaches new all-time records and farmer's income likewise. And breadwinners know, if the critics don't, that the annual wages and salary bill has increased by £90,000,000 under Labour!

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