

Our 72nd Competition.

We offer a prize of £1 is. for the design adjudged the best for a

TENNIS PAVILION

an ideal pavilion for a club with about fifty members. The total floor area of the building is not to exceed 1000 square feet. No limit is made in respect to cost, but the elevations are to show refinement and restraint.

Drawings required:—Floor plan or plans, three elevations, one section—all to scale of $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch to 1 foot. Do not shade drawings nor use a wash of any kind.

Mr. Leslie D. Coombs, A.R.I.B.A., of Dunedin, has kindly set this subject.

Designs must be sent in finished as above under a nom-de-plume, addressed to the Editor "N.Z. Building Progress," 22, Wingfield Street, Wellington, and clearly marked "Seventy-second" Competition on outside, with a covering letter giving competitor's name, and address of employer. Designs must be sent in by March 27th, 1921.

Our 73rd Competition.

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BAND STAND

to accommodate 30 players. Materials of brick or stone or both. To be open on all sides, and situated in the middle of a park, or public gardens, of a large city. No amount of cost is specified, but the design is to be refined and in good taste. The style to be Italian Renaissance in general character, but of a free type. Provision to be made under the stand for the storage of music stands.

Drawings to be to $\frac{1}{4}$ scale. Plan, elevation, and section and perspective. Drawings inked in and shaded.

Mr. Basil Hooper, A.R.I.B.A., of Dunedin, has kindly set this subject.

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Our 74th Competition.

We offer a prize of £1 is. for the design adjudged the best for a

PANELLED LIVING ROOM.

Drawings Required.—(1) Plan of living room and elevations of all walls, showing fireplace, mantelpiece, doors and windows to $\frac{1}{4}$ in. scale. (2) Full size details of mouldings to panelling and mantelpiece. (3) $\frac{1}{16}$ inch scale plan of the house from which the living room is taken.

The $\frac{1}{16}$ scale plan of the house may be of any design known to the competitor, or from a published design, but the living room must have a floor area of not less than 250 sq. ft. or more than 450 sq. ft., and must contain a fireplace, beam ceiling and plaster frieze. The height of the room is left to the competitor's judgment.

It is not to be assumed that panels of any size are obtainable. Marks will be given for good proportioning of panels and fireplace, etc., design of doors, and good draughtsmanship. Drawings must be finished in ink.

Mr. Gerald E. Jones, A.R.I.B.A., of Auckland, has kindly set this subject.

Designs must be sent in under a nom-de-plume, addressed to the Editor, "N.Z. Building Progress," 22 Wingfield Street, Wellington, and clearly marked "Seventy-fourth" Competition on outside, with a covering letter giving competitor's name, and address of principal. Designs must be sent in on or before May 27th.

Building Notes.

AUCKLAND.

Messrs. McDonald, Mullions and Smith, architects, invite tenders for the erection of a ferro-concrete building for offices on the corner of Princes and Shortland Streets for the Waitemata and Manukau County Councils.

The New Zealand Government Railways tender for the erection of men's cottages of 3 and 6 rooms for railway employees, closed on the 2nd of this month.

The P.W. Department invited tenders for the erection of a Post Office at Henderson.

The tender of Mr. Douglas Jack for £1,663 for extensions to the engineering building of the University was accepted by the Board last month.

A campaign to raise £10,000 for a new mission house is about to be launched by the Grey Street Mission conducted by the Order of the Good Shepherd. The sum of £1,470 is in hand, and an organised effort is to be made to raise the balance.

The new Technical High School at Pukekohe was officially opened last month by the Prime Minister. The new school, which is situated within easy distance of the main street and the railway station, is substantially built of red brick. Attached to it are 15 acres of ground, giving ample room for expansion, playing areas, and agricultural plots. The buildings themselves, which cost some £9,000, provide four main class rooms, one large laboratory, library, and numerous other offices. They are lighted by electricity, to allow of night classes being held.

CHRISTCHURCH.

A new school at Opawa was opened by the Hon. C. J. Parr last month. It is a brick structure, with four class rooms fitted to accommodate 240 pupils. When it is possible to have the whole school for Opawa under one roof, the old building now reserved for the infants will be disposed of. The new school is well appointed, and stands in the centre of four and a-half acres of ground, which will be utilised for playing areas and for gardens. The building was erected by the Canterbury Education Board's staff of workmen, Mr. B. Riley acting as foreman of works.

The Hon. C. J. Parr said that he had great pleasure in officially opening the new school. It was originally proposed that £2,500 should be spent in building a school on the old site, but fortunately, he thought—wiser counsels had prevailed, and the advisability of having the new school on another site was stressed by the School Committee. He paid a tribute to the sagacity of the Committee in taking up the attitude it had, and now Opawa could be congratulated in that it had got in early and had obtained a new school on spacious grounds, before the Government's money became short. The new school was built on modern lines, and he would like to see every school in New Zealand like it. He congratulated the Canterbury Education Board on the modern method in which the building had been erected. He would like to see the new school completed as soon as possible, so that all the classes could be encompassed in the one building, and the old school building could be disposed of, but as there were so many claims for school buildings and additions being made, it might be some time before anything more could be done for Opawa.

The Christchurch City Council invite tenders for small additions in brick to the Public Baths.

HAMILTON.

The New Zealand Dairy Co-operative Co., Ltd., invited tenders for a six-roomed house, 2 five-roomed and 5 four-roomed houses.

MASTERTON.

The extensive alterations at St. Bride's Convent, Masterton, are now nearing completion. The additions to St. Patrick's School are also making steady progress. Both buildings are being considerably enlarged.