

treat these lines in your sly way. Many have ceased reading your weekly on account of your doctored correspondence page. Of course, you doctor the letters unfavourable, as a rule, to the board, which board is notoriously incapable of anything excepting annoying clients.—I am, etc.

FREE LANCE DISGUSTED.
Upper Hutt.

[This letter has been abridged.—Ed.]

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

E. G. Dreaever (Dunedin): Your complaint has been referred to the New Zealand Broadcasting Board, which has promised to attend to the matter.

H. J. Vickery (Tauranga): The New Zealand Broadcasting Board is in touch with the entrepreneurs regarding a broadcast.

"Chu Chin Chow" Breaks Records In New York

"CHU CHIN CHOW," the first of the pictures with which the Gaumont-British Corporation opened their attack on the American market, had an enthusiastic reception at the Roxy Theatre, New York, recently, according to a cable message from Mr. Jeffrey Bernard, general manager of the company, says an English exchange.

The "Film Daily" regards "Chu Chin Chow" as "the biggest thing in its class that has yet come from England." The "Motion Picture Daily" says it "marks a definite challenge by Great Britain to

American producers." Public interest in the event was proved by the fact that only once in the four years' history of the theatre has so much money been taken in one night.

Bright Christmas Fare For Wellington

AMONG the Christmas attractions to be seen in Wellington, two of the most outstanding are from the studios of Fox Film Corporation; Janet Gaynor in "Servant's Entrance," which opens at the State Theatre on Friday, December 21, and Jan Kiepura in "My Song for You," which starts at the Plaza Theatre on the same day.



Can You Solve This Simple Puzzle?

Don't miss this splendid one-week competition! It is just a short and easily worded paragraph about water which appeared in a New Zealand newspaper some time ago, and has now been put into puzzle form by our artist. The opening words, "The Water . . ." will tell you what it is all about—and for the rest, the wording is simple and the sense of the sentence will help you. Each picture or sign may mean part of a word, one, two or three words, but not more than three. Errors are calculated on the basis of the number of words wrong.

Solve the puzzle carefully and write your solution IN INK on one side of a sheet of paper. Add your name and residential address and post the entry to:—

"PUZZLE PIE" No. 72.
Box 950, G.P.O., CHRISTCHURCH.
READ THESE RULES CAREFULLY.

All entries must be postmarked not later than TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18.

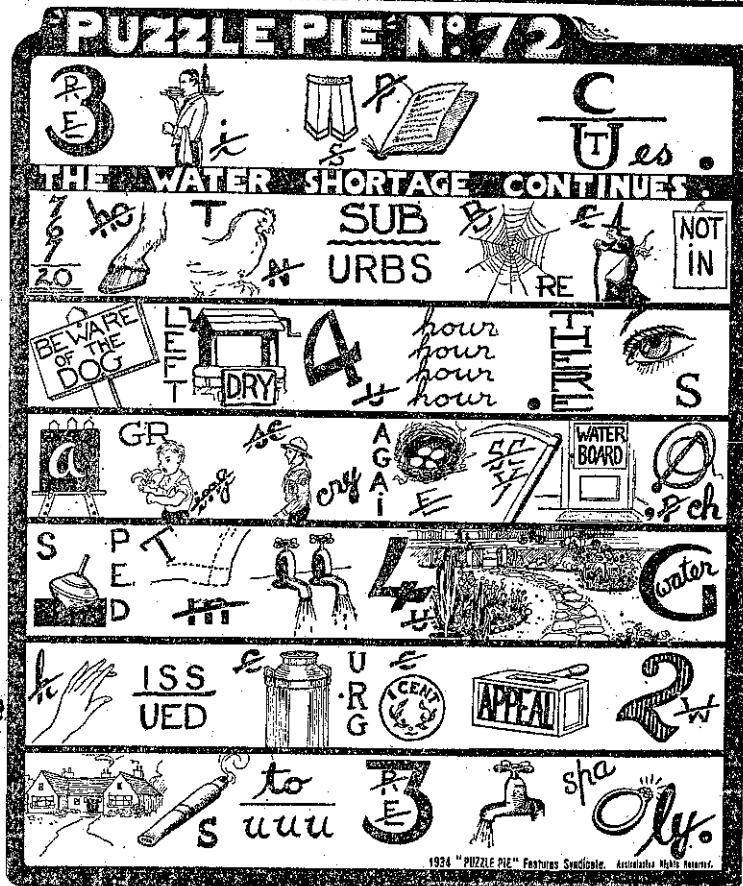
The First Prize of £50 will be awarded to the competitor whose solution of the paragraph is correct, or most nearly correct. In case of ties, the prize money will be divided, but the full amount will be paid.

Sealed Solution and £50 Prize Money is deposited with "Truth" (N.Z.) Ltd. A postal note for 1/- must accompany each initial entry and 6d. each additional entry. Stamps not accepted. Any number of attempts may be sent on plain paper. Alternatives in single entries will be disqualified. Post Office addresses not accepted. Results will be published on Friday, December 28.

SOLUTION TO "PUZZLE PIE" No. 70.

"There was a choppy wind and the machine apparently sideslipped while making a nose dive. It plunged straight to earth about a hundred yards from the entrance to the Aero Club's ground. One of the planes struck the ground first and the machine turned a somersault and was completely wrecked."

£50 WON



RESULT OF "PUZZLE PIE" NO. 70.

The winning competitor in this contest is—

MRS. C. HARRISON,
Park Road, Papakura.

Her solution, containing only two errors, was the most nearly correct one received, and the PRIZE OF £50 IN CASH is therefore awarded to her.

Prize money will be posted on Monday, December 24.