

OMIHI.

A social was held in the Omihi goods shed to bid farewell to Privates C. D. Harris and A. W. Stackhouse, of the 21st Reinforcements, and to welcome home Trooper D. A. Little, who went away with the Main Body. Canon

Purchas presented the departing soldiers with a Maltese cross as a mark of the esteem in which they were held by the residents. The soldiers suitably replied. Songs were given by Mrs Doyle and Miss Stackhouse, Messrs Doyle, R. Dalton, and J. R. Dalton. Mrs Cole and Mrs Davies supplied the music for the dancing.

~~haven't often knelt down~~

Sir James Allen received advice yesterday that the third portion of the Twentieth New Zealand Reinforcement, and the whole of the Twenty-first Reinforcement, had reached their destination.

March 30th

"... you ride down Koutou now in one of my Salvation bonnets?"

... for his country.

HARRIS—Killed in action in France, October 4th, Private C. D. Harris, eldest son of C. and E. Harris, Omihai; in his 28th year.