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TAINUI TRADING POST NOVEMBER 2015



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1	Su	1pm	2.pm	3.3	7.50am	0.5
2	Mo		3.pm	3.1	8.40am	0.7
3	Tu	1pm	4.pm	2.9	9.40am	1.0
4	We	1pm	5.05pm	2.8	10.40am	1.1
5	Th		6.10pm	2.8	11.50am	1.2
6	Fr	10am	6.40am	2.7	1.pm	1.1
7	Sa	10am	7.35am	2.8	1.55pm	1.0
8	Su		8.30am	3.0	2.40pm	0.9
9	Mo	10am	9.10am	3.1	3.20pm	0.8
10	Tu	10am	9.45am	3.2	4.pm	0.7
11	We	11am	10.20am	3.3	4.30pm	0.6
12	Th	11am	11am	3.4	5.05pm	0.5
13	Fr	11am	11.30am	3.4	5.40pm	0.5
14	Sa	11am	12.05pm	3.4	6.20pm	0.6
15	Su	1pm	12.40pm	3.3	6.40am	0.5
16	Mo	1pm	1.20pm	3.3	7.20am	0.6
17	Tu	1pm	2.10pm	3.2	8.am	0.7
18	We	1pm	3.05pm	3.1	8.55am	0.8
19	Th	1pm	4.10pm	3.0	9.50am	0.9
20	Fr	1pm	4.15pm	3.0	11am	0.9
21	Sa	11am	6.25pm	3.1	12.10pm	0.9
22	Su	11am	7.am	3.1	1.15pm	0.7
23	Mo	11am	8.05am	3.3	2.20pm	0.5
24	Tu	11am	9.am	3.5	3.10pm	0.4
25	We	11am	9.50am	3.6	4.05pm	0.2
26	Th	11am	10.40am	3.7	4.50pm	0.2
27	Fr	1pm	11.30am	3.7	5.40pm	0.2
28	Sa	1pm	12.10pm	3.7	6.30pm	0.3
29	Sun	1pm	1.pm	3.5	6.45am	0.3
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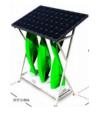


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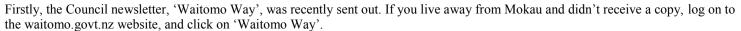
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From your Councillor



The recent valve and hydrant replacements on the Mokau water system resulted in extra valves being installed to help reduce supply disruption when future work on the system is required. It was also found that several other existing valves needed repair or replacement, and more importantly, that the pipes showed signs of severe deterioration. This information has been used to update the Asset Management Plan for this system.

Mokau is doing really well in the water conservation stakes in terms of meeting the national residential standard of 200l/person/day. Mokau is best in our district at 221l/person/day. Well done.

The mowing team are gearing up to meet the summer growth (sometime hopefully) and are confident there will not be a repeat of the problems of last year.

If you have any problems with Council services, don't hesitate to lodge a 'Service Request' on 07 878 0800, or the website, in the first instance, or contact me.

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TAINUI HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THREE IN CAR SURVIVE FALL OF 100 FEET

Sensational Accident on Awakau Road

(TDN 19TH December 1951)

After dropping 100 feet over the edge of the Awakau Road, a motor car lies smashed beyond redemption in the bottom of a narrow valley. Its three occupants, injured but extraordinarily slightly in the circumstances, are in the New Plymout6h hospital. They are:- Mr Peter Marshall, 21 years, driver of the car: severely cut forehead, bruises on face and back; his brother Alan Marshall, 17 years: deep cut above right ear, bruises on face, shoulder and chest; and Mr Robert Barrett, 21 years, cut forehead, bruises down right side.

All three live at Mokau. It was at first thought that Mt Peter Marshall's spine was fractured and that Mr Barrett had some broken ribs, but Mr D. Marshall, father of the former, stated last night that neither of these injuries was confirmed by medical examination. The hospital's report on the men's condition was "comfortable and satisfactory".

The accident occurred at five o'clock on Monday morning. In their two-seater sedan were on their way from a shearing contract at Mr David Sage's farm to another at Bexley station, nine miles from Awakino on the valley road main highway.

Torrential Rain

It was raining torrentially. Thirty yards from the summit of the Awakau Road on their way to the Awakino Valley Road, the motorists met trouble. At this point on the steep and tortuous descent there is a sharp narrow corner notorious as a highly dangerous hazard. Skidding in the wet papa surface fallen rubble, the car slithered over the edge.

Down a bar face not many degrees from the perpendicular, it fell 100 feet, hit the opposite wall of the valley, and bounced back against the near side. Still in it were Messrs Peter Marshall and Barrett.

Mr Alan Marshall had been thrown out about a chain from the bottom of the fall when a door was bumped from its fastenings. Although painfully injured and shaken, he set out almost immediately for help, but found the bank too steep and slippery at that point and had to find a place where he could climb with the assistance of bushes.

Reaching the road he walked back over the summit towards Mr Sage's house on the Mokau River side of the hill to inform Mr Marshall snr., "boss" of the shearing gang, who had not set out with the others. On the way he met Mr D. Ansell, who accompanied him to Mr Sage's.

Setting out at once for the scene of the accident, Messrs Marshall snr., and Ansell, found the two other men lying injured beside the broken car. They had to be carried to the road above, a task which, because of the exceptionally steep and slippery climb, was slow and arduous. In the meantime, Sister Key, district nurse at Mokau, had been called and she administered first aid to the three injured men, pending their removal to hospital when the ambulance arrived from New Plymouth.

The car, a 1929 model, had only been bought by Mr Peter Marshall on December 5. It is so badly smashed that the opinion was expressed yesterday that the wreckage is not worth recovering.



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