

BALLOON ASCENT TO-MORROW.

The Suratura Tea Balloon Carnival will be held on the New Plymouth Sports Ground to-morrow afternoon, when a sensational balloon ascent and thrilling folded parachute descent will be made by Mr. Christopher Sebpe, of the Beebe Balloon Company. The public are reminded that the ballooning exhibitions given by the Beebe Company are entirely different from anything of the kind previously seen in New Zealand. These people have a world-wide reputation, backed up by twenty-five years' experience, and to watch them preparing for an ascent is about as exciting and interesting an entertainment as one could possibly wish for, to say nothing of the scientific and educational features of these preparations. Mr. Beebe wishes it to be distinctly understood that the ascent and folded parachute descent will positively take place, as balloons, apparatus and appliances used by his company are manufactured on the most modern lines, and nothing but a storm of the most violent character could prevent the exhibition. The charge for admission is one shilling for adults, and sixpence for children, but free admission is offered to all those who present at the gates a 1lb. empty Suratura "D" tea packet.

A BIG ILLNESS PREVENTED.