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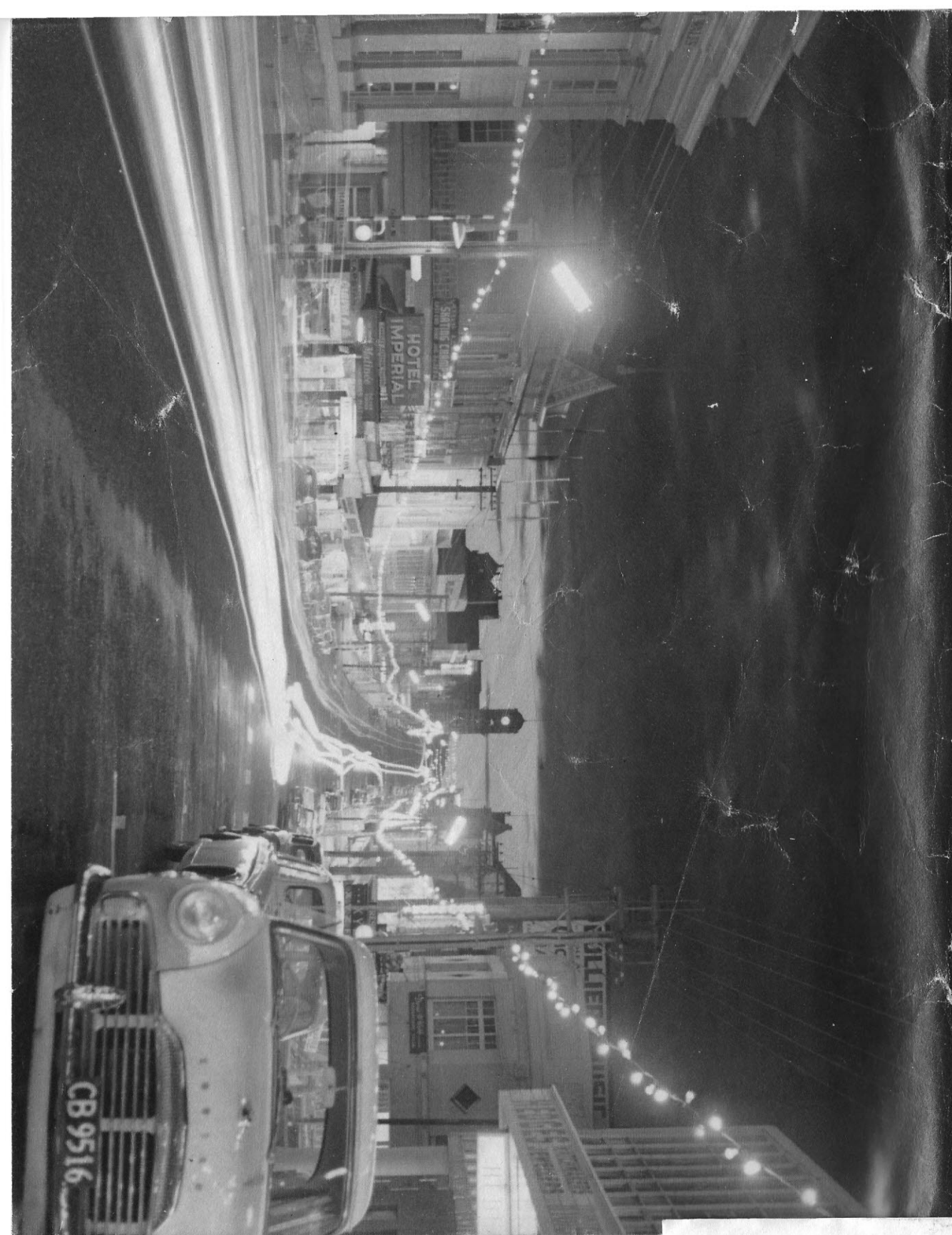
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Miss Ngamotu Beach, 1965

Winner and runner-up of the 1965 Ngamotu Beach beauty contest held on New Year's Day were Janice Barkley, left, of New Plymouth, the winner, and on the right the runner-up, Daisy Mendes Da Costa, an Indonesian-born girl who has only been in New Zealand for six months.



Married

Above, left: SHADBOLT-EDGEcombe. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Anita, only daughter of Mrs L. Edgecombe, NP, to Bruce, only son of Mr and Mrs A. Shadbolt, Christchurch. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: WILLIAMS-CAMBIE. At St. John's Presbyterian Church, Hawera, Maetel, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs T. Cambie, Hawera, to Ian David, younger son of Mr and Mrs W. Williams, Auckland. The attendants were Heather Cambie, Sylvia Oxenham, John Williams and Jim Craig. Future home, Christchurch. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

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OUR COVER

Cover girl for this issue is Sheryn McKoy taking things easy during the hot spell we had over the holiday period. Pretty as both a photographer and model isn't she?

BACK COVER

Scene is Devon Street, with all the coloured lights used during the holiday season.

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Miss Brooklands Pageant Best Bowl Show Yet

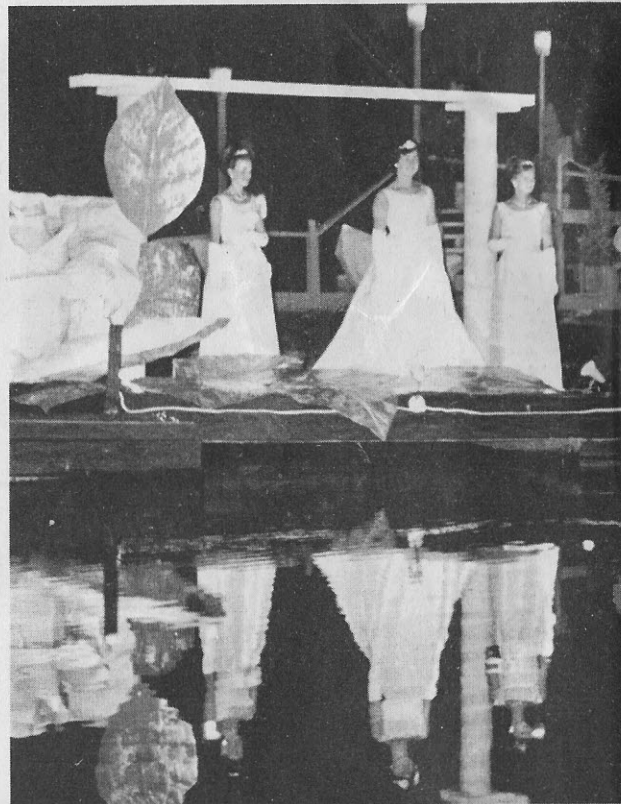
Six thousand people left the Bowl at the end of the Miss Brooklands Pageant firmly convinced that this was the best presentation yet seen at the Bowl. The sheer spectacle was well worth the money, and in addition there were some very talented artists to add to the enjoyment of an evening to be remembered. Vast improvement has been made at the Bowl, especially with some of the lighting effects. The presentation of each item left nothing to be desired, and the artists themselves were of a very high standard. Add to this magnificent programme a handful of fireworks and you have the ingredients of a wonderful evening, the best yet seen at the Bowl. Producer D.V. Sutherland had done a terrific job and had proved the potential of the Bowl with the right type of entertainment. From this year on, with perhaps the first-ever financially successful Festival, and the magnificence of the setting, the Bowl will be the attraction that it was meant to be by the wise men who first envisaged the beauty of the place. Our hearty congratulations to all concerned.

Right: Miss Brooklands, Jeanine Williams, and her two maids, Lyn McKeon and Irene Campbell, arrived on a colourful float.

Below: Misses Brooklands 1964 and 1965, with the maids, stand on the front of the stage in a setting that could only be called a fairyland.

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PAGEANTRY AND COLOUR AT THE BOWL



Mayoress Mrs A.G. Honnor places the sash of office around Miss Brooklands 1965, Miss Jeanine Williams.



A jewel of a singer from an oyster shell on stage was Auckland's Ann Stott



Nymphs in this colourful presentation and proclamation walked across the waters of the lake at the bowl.



Polished performers: the Cambridge quartette on stage with the Miss Brooklands girls.

LAVISH BOWL PRODUCTION



As the barge carrying Miss Brooklands bumped into the landing stage, one of the maids was nearly shaken off her feet, but managed to steady herself before a catastrophe occurred.



Hastings Blossom Queen Nicky Herne emerges from gigantic tulip petals



Mrs Honnor gets a posy from Peggy George

Mayoral Garden Party For Miss Brooklands Contestants

A garden party at Pukekura Park, attended by the Miss Brooklands contestants, was recently given by the Mayor and Mayoress of NP, Mr and Mrs A.C.Honnor. Official guests included the member for NP, Mr and Mrs E.P.Aderman, and the chaperones and judges of the entrants.



Mr Aderman has a chat to Lyn McKeon and Irene Campbell, Miss Brookland's maids.



Raewyn Murray gets smiles from Mrs Honnor and Mrs Aderman.



Not so exacting as parliamentary business..... Mr Aderman talks to Lyn McKeon, Irene Campbell, Raewyn Vincent and Patricia Thorne.



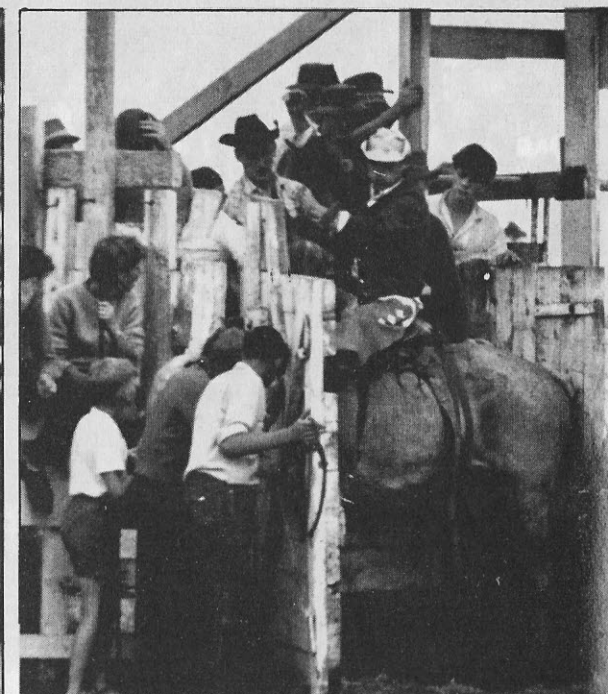
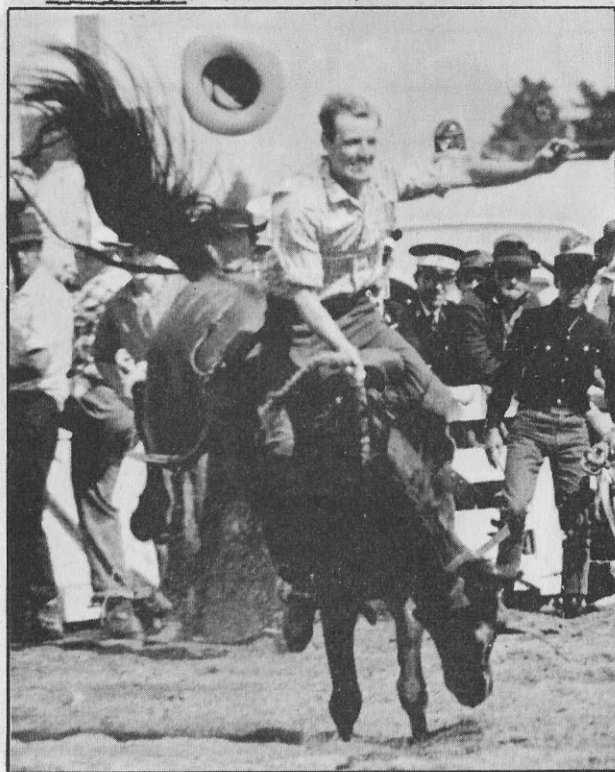
Rodeo Drew Large Crowd

With riders from all over New Zealand attending, the annual rodeo at Stratford drew a large crowd, with gate takings well up on last year. This year, they had some particularly mean horses to ride, and thrills and spills were the order of the day.

Above: Nobody seemed to worry about these bucking broncs. This one buried its nose into the ground, but the rider stayed on.

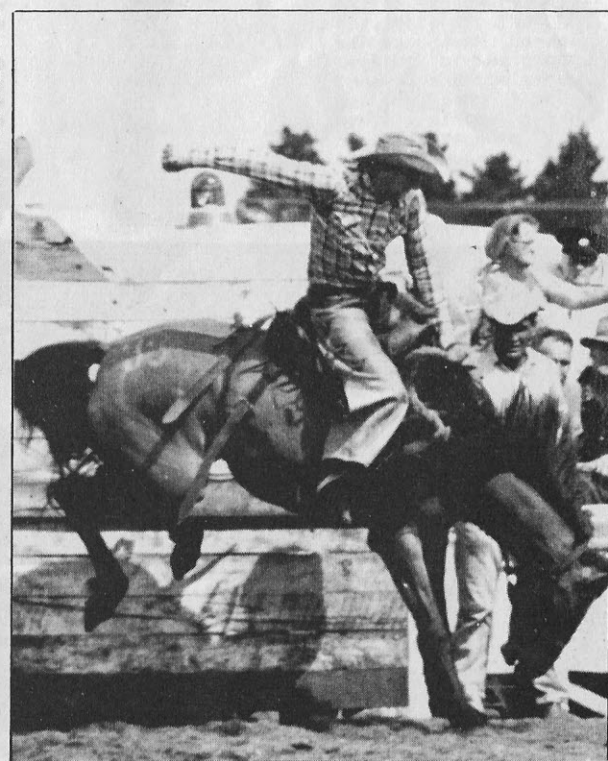
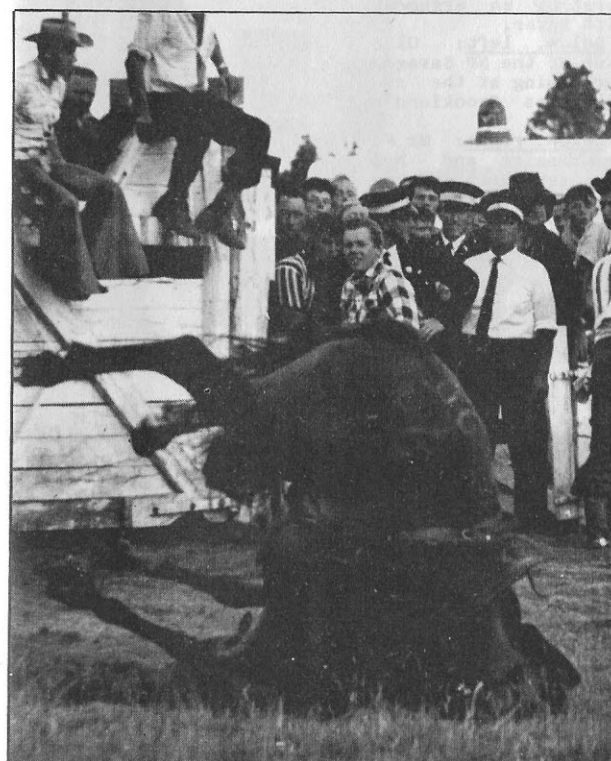
Below, left: E. Raynor (Wanganui) loses his hat but not his saddle, as he grits his teeth to stay on the rolling back.

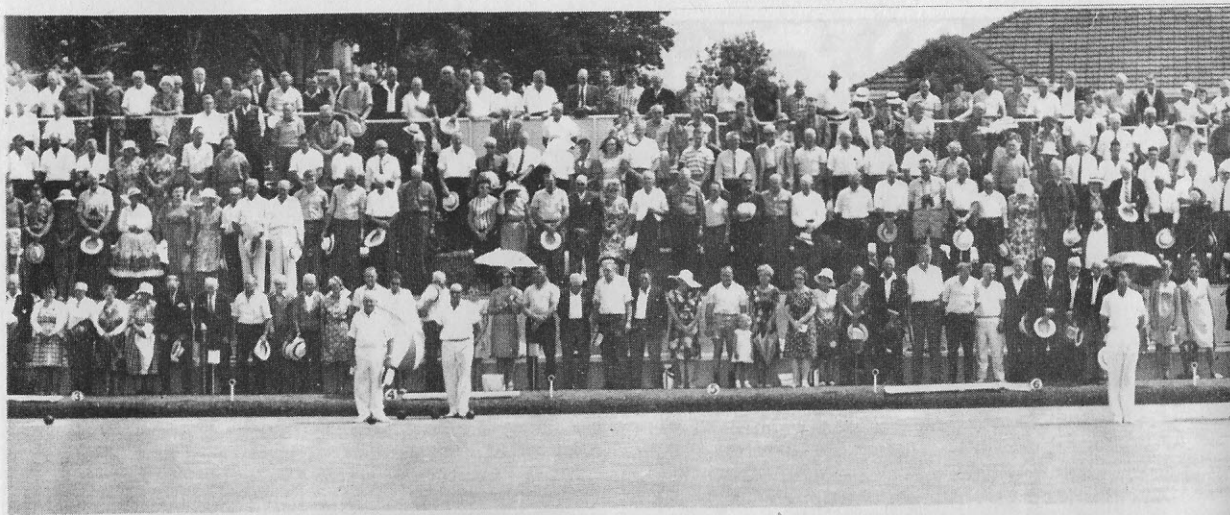
Below, right: M.D. Kendall (Tokorimu) gets a high ride, but stayed on for the required time.



RODEO (continued)

The rodeo at Stratford provided plenty of action for the large crowd of spectators. Above, left: Roger O'Neill (Wanganui) only got outside the chute gates and his mount started with some fine bucking. Above, right: Some didn't get outside the chute. This one refused to move and had to be freed. Below, right: The feature horse was another which wouldn't be ridden. He got out of the chute and put on a display of his own. Below, right: J. Griffiths (NP) had a good ride on his mount, and lasted the time out.





Roving Camera

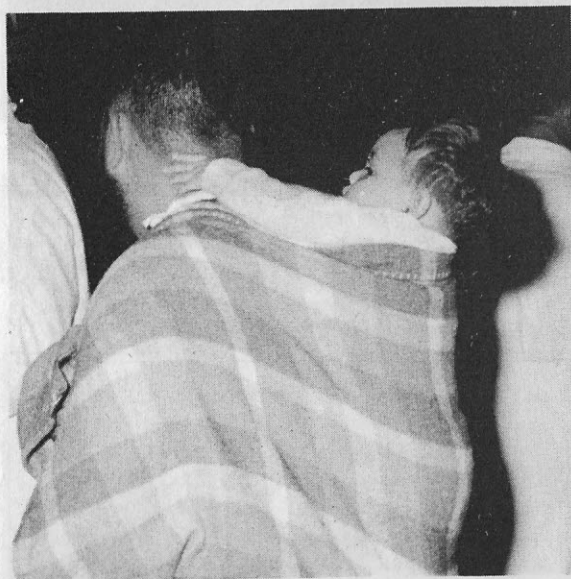
Above: A mark of respect for the late Sir Winston Churchill, as spectators and players stand silent for two minutes during the recent Open tournament.

Left: Back to by-gone days. Caught by our camera at Okato recently.

Right: Dog with a broken leg. Glen of Eltham recently got the worst of an argument with a car.

Below, left: Glee club of the NP Savages performing at the recent Miss Brookland's concert.

Below, right: Mr F. Beaurepaire and his daughter performed on the xylophone at the same concert.



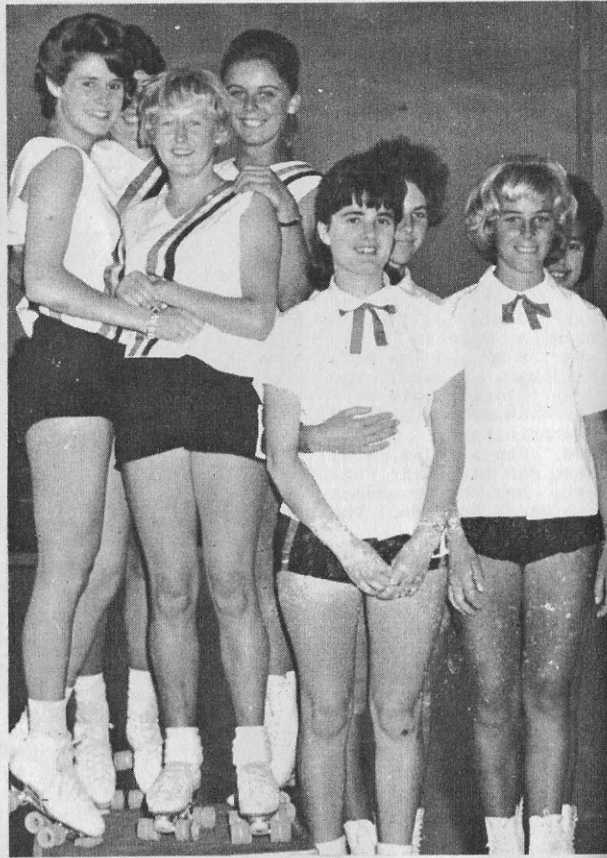
Right: HEAYSMAN-JAMIESON. At Holy Trinity, Fitzroy, Wendy June, 2nd daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Jamieson, NP, to Kenneth Malcolm, 2nd son of Mr and Mrs G.V. Heaysman, England. The bride's attendants were her three sisters, Heather Horn, Sheila and Sonja Jamieson. Best man was Mike Fugget, and the groomsmen were Stein Johnson. The future home, N.P.



Left: HARPUR-PARKER. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Helen Mary, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs C. R. Parker, NP, to Robert William, youngest son of Mrs R. Harpur, Hangatiki, and the late Mr Harpur. Matron of honour was Allison Johnston, Opunake, and the bridesmaids were Anne Dravitzki and Rosemary Parker, both NP. The best man was Jack Harpur, brother of the groom, Thames, and the groomsmen were John Parker, brother of the bride, NP. Future home will be Te Awamutu.

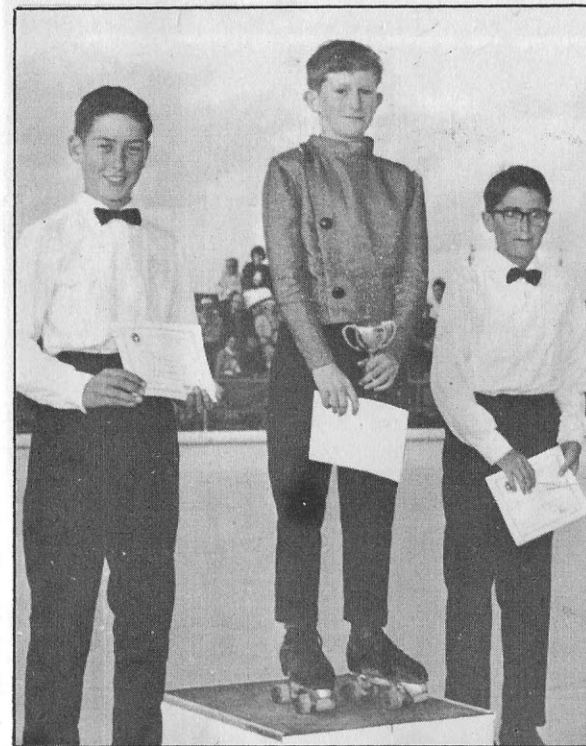
Right: VARGA-LISTER. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Gloria Lorraine, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs D. Lister, NP, to Attila Anthony, the youngest son of Mr and Mrs J. Varga, Wellington. Matron of honour was Judy Marshall, NP, and the bridesmaid was Robyn Lister, sister of the bride, NP. John Varga, brother of the groom, Wellington, was the best man, and Lotzie Varga, NP, was the groomsmen. Debbie Lister, sister of the bride, was the flower-girl. Future home, Wellington.



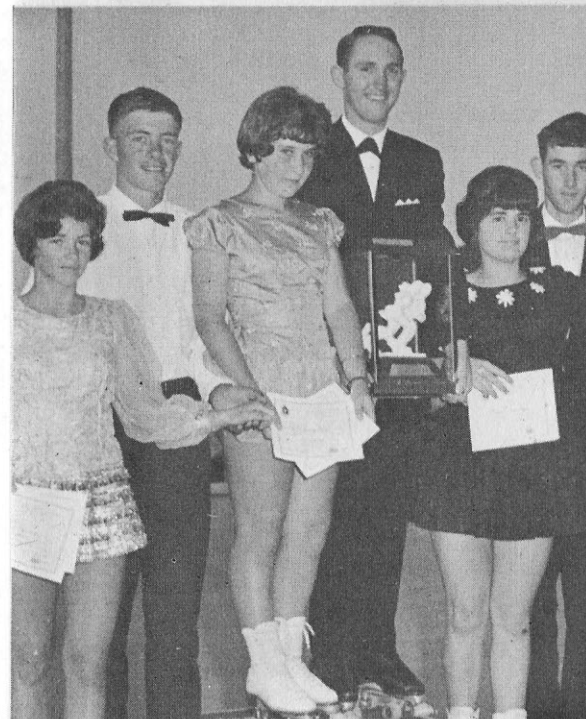


Skating Championships In N.P.

The holiday period saw over 250 competitors from all parts of New Zealand invade the East End skating rink for the national championships. Blessed with fine weather, the champs were the most successful yet held, with much praise from visitors regarding the fine rink at East End. Above, left: Winners of the junior dance pair were Janet and Laurie Callender, left, with Kevin Barriball and Jannette Morris in second place. Above, right: Girls' relay teams, with Hastings first and the New Plymouth team in second place. Below: At the official opening ceremony when a flight of pigeons was released. (VOGUE STUDIOS PHOTOS).



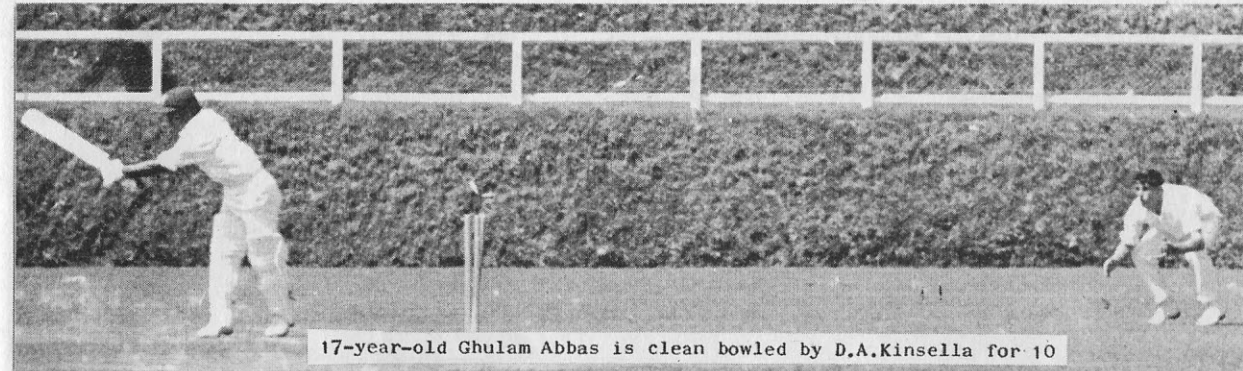
Local youngsters did very well in the recent NZARSA championships at East End. Here are some of them. Above, left: Robert Loader won the junior novice boys' solo and is shown on the winners dais. Above, right: New Plymouth skaters took first and third place in the junior dance pairs. The winners were John Hollins and Christine Walker, with Peter Signall and Jill Christensen in third place. Below, left: Third in the senior novice dance pairs were Kerryn Downey and Dorene Bigger, shown at right. Below, right: First in the junior dance pairs were Christopher Loader and Beverley Ward, centre.





SKATING (continued)

Above, left: Winner of the senior ladies' novice solo event was Denise Lovett, shown here receiving her cup and certificate. Above, right: Another honour fell to New Plymouth, when the local team was adjudged the best-dressed team at the champs. Here Walter Grey, captain of the local team, receives the trophy from Mr F.K.Bromley, president of the association. Below: Scene at the official opening when all the teams paraded before the official party. (VOGUE STUDIOS).



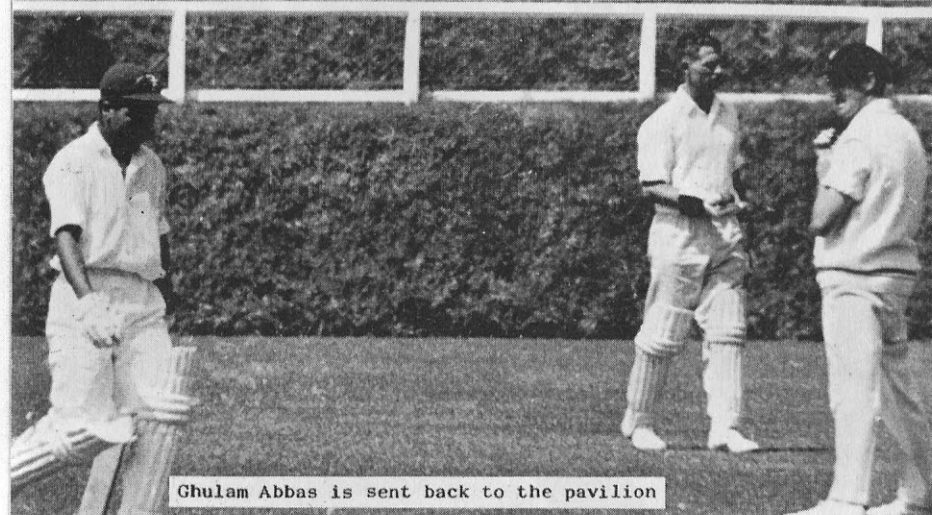
17-year-old Ghulam Abbas is clean bowled by D.A.Kinsella for 10

Pakistan v. Central Districts

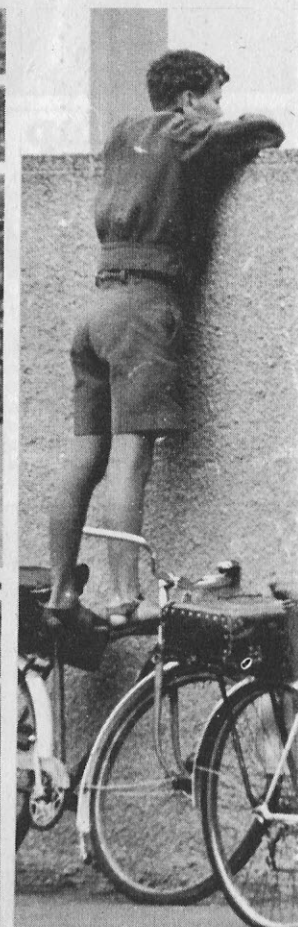
At the time of going to press, this interesting cricket match was being played at Pukekura Park and, by what we saw, the outcome looked bright for the Central Districts team, which was playing keen bright cricket. A good showing in this game could mean a trip overseas with the NZ team in the near future.



Intikhab Alam slashes a ball to the boundary in his bright knock of 33



Ghulam Abbas is sent back to the pavilion



There were about 1100 spectators in the ground, and a few outside after school came out.



Cub Camp Was Fun

Eighty North Taranaki Cubs recently spent a holiday under canvas at Lepperton, where they had a wonderful time. It is not the practice for Cubs to camp, but this will surely be a fore-runner of many more, since both Cub masters and Cubs had such a whale of a time.

With the Cub masters dreaming up all sorts of activities for the boys, the camp was voted a complete success.

Above: When the chow bell sounded, the boys came running and settled in the dining tent for a meal prepared camp style.

Right: Chief cook for the camp, Scoutmaster George Bartlett samples the victuals watched by cook's assistant, Murray Hunter.

Below: Chow time was the most popular, as the strenuous activities promoted healthy appetites.



CUB CAMP AT LEPPERTON

Above: Senior Scouts and Cub masters organised this very successful Cub camp at Lepperton. Shown here are the groups lined up ready for further activities, most of which were competitions, stimulating keep interest.

Below: Before each meal, the Cub commissioner, Mrs Coleman, led the boys in singing their grace.

Bottom: The most patient queues of the day were the meal queues.





Miss Brooklands Winner Announced At Concert



The New Plymouth War Memorial Hall was filled to capacity for the concert evening when the winner of the Miss Brooklands quest was announced. The concert, with entertainment by the New Plymouth Savage Club was highlighted by the appearance on stage of the Miss Brooklands contestants, above.

Below, left: Miss Brooklands 1964, Sharon Johns, right, presents a bouquet to Miss Brooklands 1965, Jeanine Williams. Below, right: Judges for the contest were, from left, Mr E.Linden, Mrs D.Stark, Joyce Campbell, Mr W.Charman and Sue Nolan.





Engaged

Above, left: KUKLINSKI-HERLIHY. Patsy Anne, youngest daughter of the late Mr and Mrs Gordon Herlihy, Inglewood, to Patrick John, youngest son of Mr and Mrs J.Kuklinski, Inglewood.

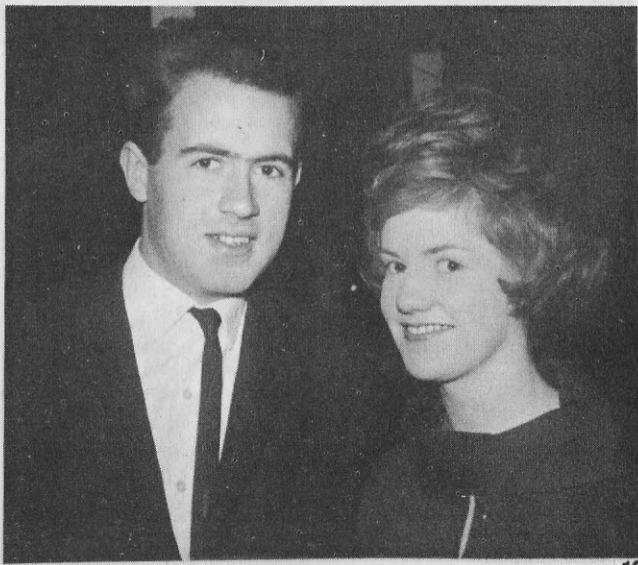
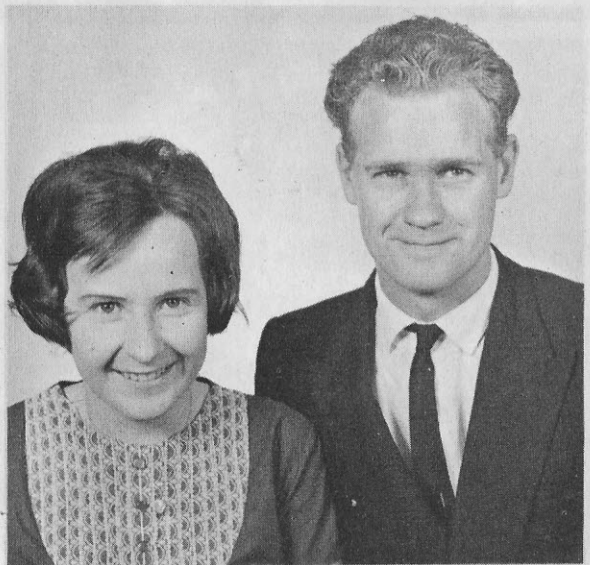
Left: HUNT-BURKE. Gail, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H.C.Burke, Hawera, to Don, youngest son of Mrs A.Hunt, Hawera, and the late Mr Hunt.

(DAVID PAUL).

Below, left: HATCHARD-MILLAR. Carol, second daughter of Mr and Mrs J.Millar, Hawera, to Robert, eldest son of Mr and Mrs C.E.Hatchard, Normanby. (DAVID PAUL).

Above: COLLIER-MANSON. Heather, youngest daughter of Mrs E.Manson, Manaia, to Kelvin, eldest son of Mr and Mrs J.Collier, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL).

Below: AYLWARD-COTTINGHAM. Gwendoline Mary, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs W.J.Cottingham, Levin, to David Richard, only son of Mr and Mrs R.W.Aylward, Stratford.



Fields were tightly packed for this hazardous course



Moto-Cross A Thriller

An international Moto-Cross held recently at Beach Road, Omata, attracted thousands who were treated to some of the best motor-cycle riding ever witnessed in the province. With riders from overseas setting a cracking pace of an international standard, it was to the credit of the local riders that they kept close to the tails of the acknowledged world experts. Spills were very few, witness to the excellence of the riding.



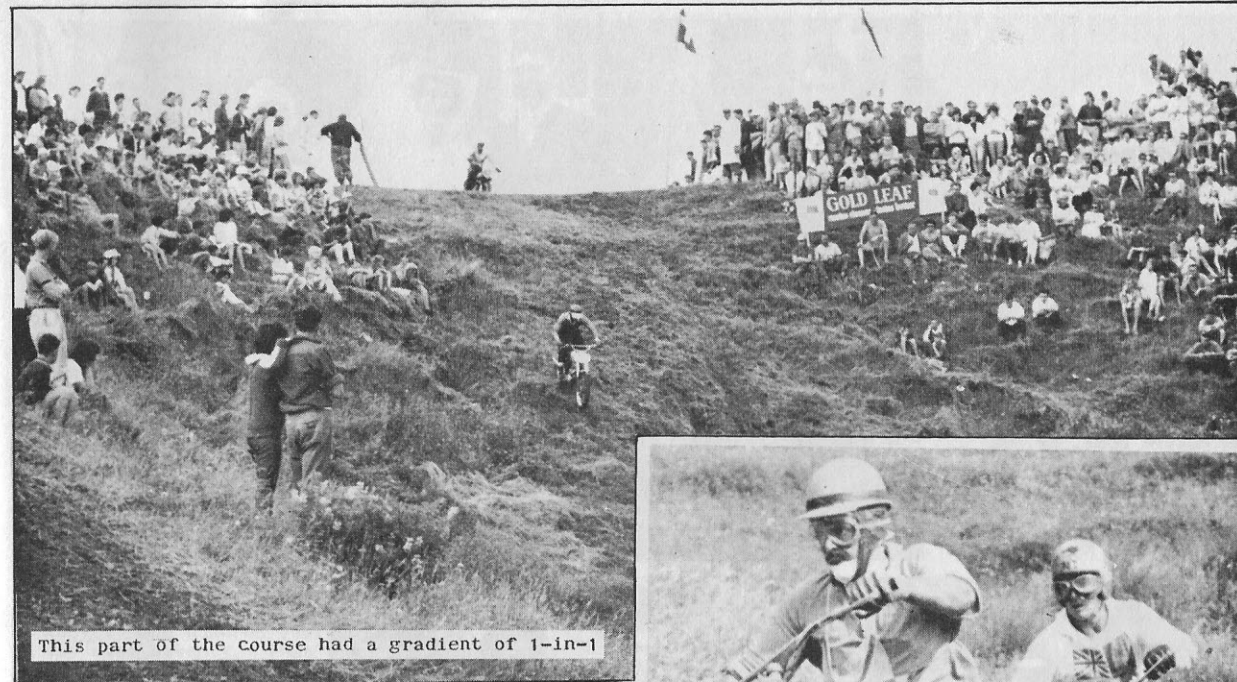
Arthur Harris (England) handled his machine well



Tim Gibbes (Australia) leads Swiss champion Max Morf.



I.G. Manderson (Stratford) gets slight assistance



This part of the course had a gradient of 1-in-1

INTERNATIONAL RIDERS AT MOTO-CROSS

Thousands of spectators lined the hazardous course at Beach Road to watch some of the best riders, including world champions, negotiate this twisting, hilly course at speeds that seemed almost impossible. It was a feast of scramble riding and a joy to watch.



This rider came to grief but received quick assistance to be on his way again.



Arthur Harris (England) leads New Zealand's Ken Cleghorn (Palmerston North)



D. Slater (Lower Hutt) slides in the tricky loose dirt on one of the many corners

Married

Right: MACKINTOSH---
JURY. At St. Andrew's Church, NP, Josephine Rosalie, third daughter of Mrs I.F. Mackintosh, NP, and the late Mr Mackintosh, to Graeme Victor, eldest son of Mr and Mrs R.V. Jury, NP. The attendants were Fiona Tait, Mary McIntyre, Gilbert Elliott and Bryan Jury. Future home, NP.



Left: MACKENZIE-AUT-
RIDGE. At St. Mary's, NP, Lynette Fay, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs N.J. Autridge, NP, to Warren James, elder son of Mr and Mrs J.C. Mackenzie, Hamilton. Bridesmaids were Jocelyn Autridge, sister of the bride, and Lynette Mackenzie, sister of the groom. Chris Thorne was best man and Len Fishlock was the groomsman. Future home, Hamilton.



Right: LASH-RICHARDS.
At St. Mary's Church, NP, Barbara Jean, only daughter of the late Mrs B. Richards, Kent, England, to Rodney John, only son of Mr and Mrs R.D. Lash, NP. Nan Payne was the matron of honour and the junior bridesmaids were Lorraine Farrow and Lesley Farrow. The best man was Alex McKenzie. Future home, Manurewa.



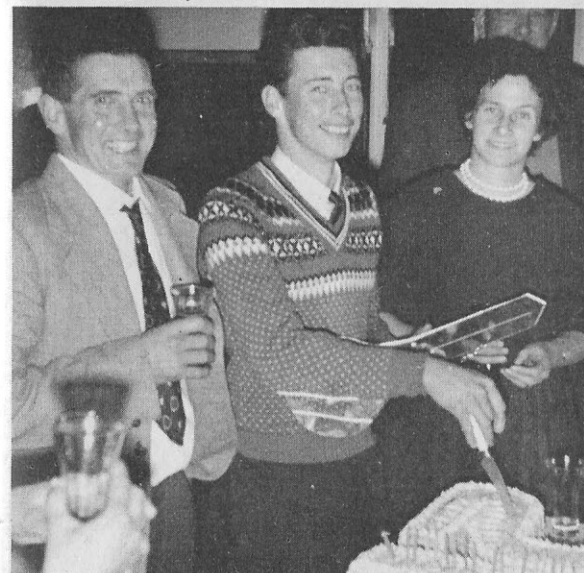
Centenarian

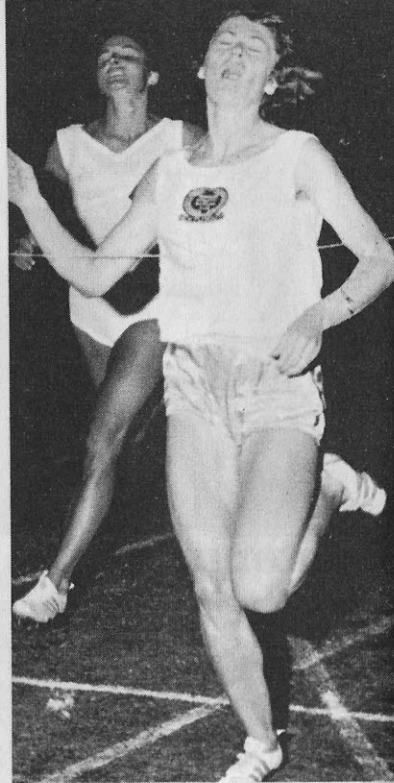
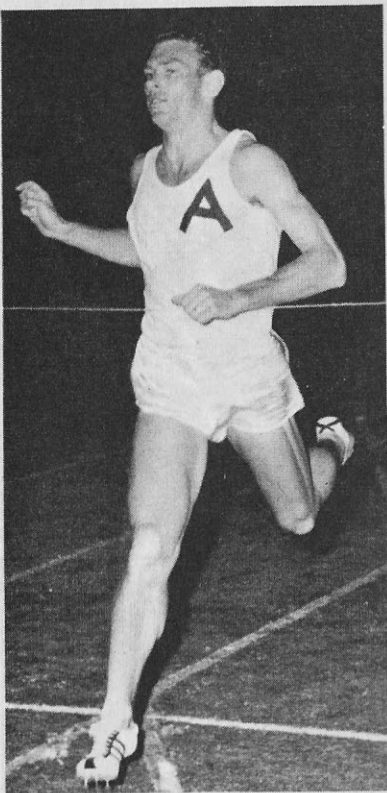
Above: One hundred years old and not looking a day over seventy. That's Mr Ted Henn. He has spent the last 80 years of his life in and around Eltham. At his celebration party, held in NP, the Mayor of Eltham, Mr F.J. Taylor, presented Ted with a framed photograph of the kauri tree that Ted planted at Tamauta Park at the Eltham 75th jubilee. Our picture, **above, right**, shows the presentation. Also in the picture is Mrs Taylor.

Right: FOUR GENERATIONS. Here's a four generation photograph taken at the christening of Barbara Christine Young. From left are father, Jim Young, great-grandmother Mrs A. Russell, Waitoitoi, with Barbara and grandmother Mrs M. Young, Stratford.

Below: 21st BIRTHDAY. Peter Tanner, shown with his parents, Mr and Mrs D.J. Tanner, NP.

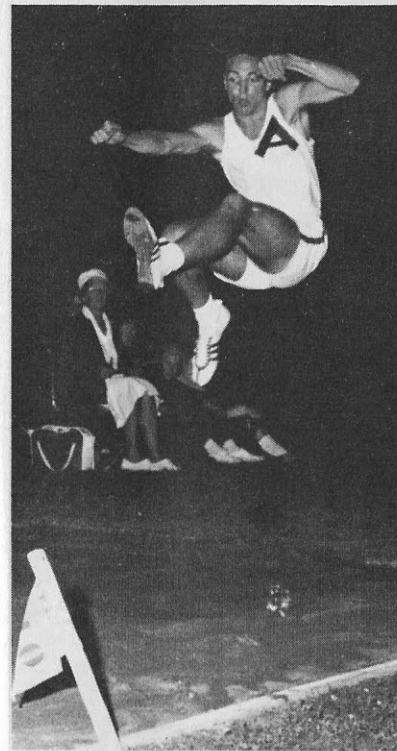
Below, right: SILVER WEDDING. Mr and Mrs H.N. Cavaney, NP, who recently celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at a party given by their daughter, Mrs Clarke.





Peter Snell At Pukekura Park

Eight thousand people crammed Pukekura Park to see the one and only visit to this city of the master athlete, Peter Snell. Peter ran in an invitation 880 yards event and proved himself a great man by trotting home to a great victory. Above, left: Peter breasts the tape at the finish of the race, yards ahead of his nearest rival. Centre: Placegetters in this momentous race. From left: N.Launders (Waitara) 2nd, Peter Snell and K.McDell (Auckland), third. Above, right: Finish of the women's 100-yards race with New Plymouth's Yvonne Cowan first, followed by Olympic runner, Avis McIntosh (Auckland). Below, left: Peter is congratulated after the race. Below, right: On finishing, Peter Snell tripped and fell, and was soon much sought after by small autograph hunters.



Above, left: W.Overend (Auckland) competing in the junior men's long jump.

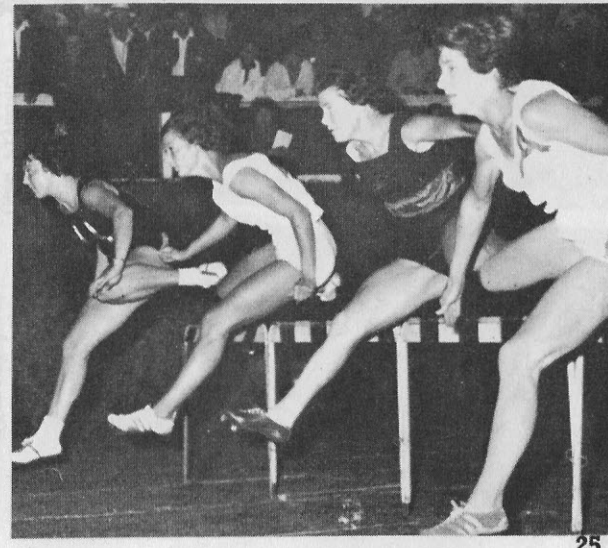
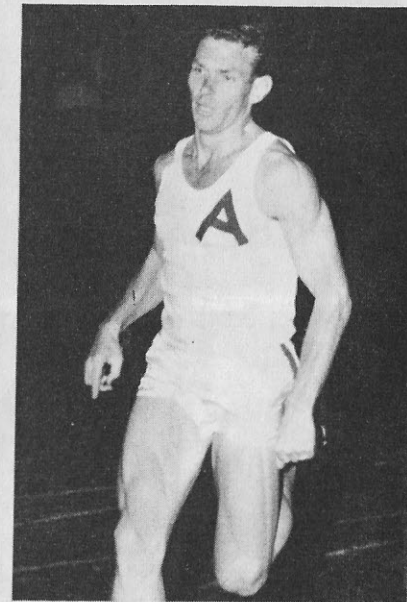
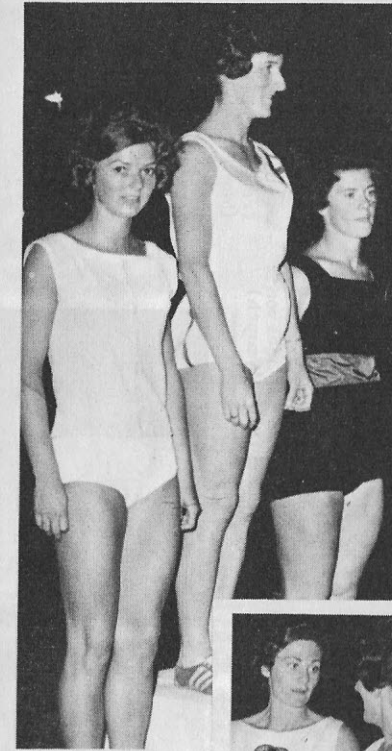
Above, centre: Placegetters in the 80-metres hurdles. From left: A.Brunskill (Cambridge) 2nd, Avis McIntosh (Auckland) 1st and A.Coleman (Hawera) 3rd.

Above, right: Peter Snell runs his lap of victory after winning the 880 yards race.

Right: Congratulations all round after the final of the senior women's 100 yards race.

Below: W.Overend and J.Catmull, both of Auckland, fight for a place at the finish of the junior men's 220 yards race.

Below, right: Over the first hurdle in the 80 metres hurdles, won by Avis McIntosh (nearest camera).





Gail Harvey
(Kaponga)



Patricia Thorne
(New Plymouth)



Lorraine Sheridan
(New Plymouth)



Alison Jackson
(New Plymouth)



Irene Campbell
(New Plymouth)

Miss Brooklands Entrants



Peggy George
(New Plymouth)



Meryl Carmichael
(New Plymouth)



Raewyn Murray
(New Plymouth)



Jocelyn Cloke
(Oakura)



Lyn McKeon
(New Plymouth)



Barbara Cave
(New Plymouth)



Jeanine Williams
(New Plymouth)



Marie Cronin
(New Plymouth)



Diane Baddiley
(New Plymouth)



Alison Bruning
(New Plymouth)

Miss Brooklands Entrants



Bethne Bint
(Waitara)



Raewyn Vincent
(New Plymouth)



Judith Wells
(New Plymouth)



Sheryn McKoy
(New Plymouth)



Geraldine Miller
(Uruti)



Wedding Bells

Above: BAUNTON-CHAMPION. At St.Cuthbert's Anglican Church, Manaia, Beverley Joyce, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A.Champion, Manaia, to Douglas William, eldest son of Mr and Mrs C.E.Baunton, Matapu. The bridesmaids were Jennifer Whalen and Kathleen Champion, sister of the bride, both of Manaia. Selwyn Prince, Hawera, was the best man, and Allan Julian, Hawera, was the groomsman. Future home, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: PEDLEY-NEEDHAM. At St.George's Anglican Church, Patea, Judith Valmai, daughter of Mr and Mrs T.A.Needham, Patea, to Gary Charles, son of Mr and Mrs W.G.Pedley, Feilding. The bridesmaids were Maxine and Joanne Needham, sisters of the bride, Patea, and Fern Green, Feilding. Trevor Dalzell, Feilding, was the best man, and the groomsmen were Michael Needham, brother of the bride, Patea, and Russell Pedley, brother of the groom, Feilding. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).



Queen's Badge For Okato Guide

For the first time in the history of the 1st Okato Guide Company, one of its members, Diane Gray, was awarded the Queen's Badge for her work in Guiding. An evening in her honour, and attended by Guides from other companies around the coast, was held in the Okato High School Hall, with a good attendance also of parents and friends.

Above: Girls of the host and visiting companies form a camp fire to entertain the visiting parents with camp fire songs.

Right: Presentation to Queen's Guide Diane Gray by her captain, Lorraine Whittle.

Below: The 1st Okato Company, surprisingly strong for such a small community, photographed on this important occasion.



New Year's Day At Ngamotu

To us, it seems a shame that our Ngamotu Beach wasn't used for carnival purposes this year. Just look at the picture below. That is the sort of crowd that CAN be attracted to any sort of a show, yet this year the beach committee decided to make it a one-day affair. Surely only a little bit of professional organising is necessary to attract the thousands of NP holiday-makers to this delightful beach. Pictured at right are the girls entered for the Miss NZ Beach Girl contest. Won by Jan Barklay of NP, number 13.



CASTLE-BUILDERS AND SCAVENGERS

Above: Barry Ruakere, Ken Parkes and Graeme Loveridge, winners of the sandcastle building contest at Ngamotu beach.

Below: Michael and Bruce Eccles (Stratford), enjoyed themselves in the scavenger hunt.

Right: Tons and tons of sand were shifted in the scavenger hunt, enjoyed by hundreds of eager children.



RUNNING REPAIRS

Above: Graham Smith and Ross Seddon (Chch) do some running repairs in the recent NZARSA championships at the East End Rink.

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Engaged

Above, left: FOWLES-SCHMIDT. Rose, second daughter of Mr and Mrs L.Schmidt, NP, to Gary, second son of Mr and Mrs R.Fowles, NP. (VOGUE).

Left: CARTWRIGHT-SINCLAIR. Judith Rae, only daughter of Mr R.H.Sinclair, NP, and the late Mrs Sinclair, to Richard Wayne, only son of Mr and Mrs R.K.Cartwright, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below, left: MARSDEN-GAUSTED. Dorothy, youngest daughter of Mrs P.Gausted, NP, to Bill, eldest son of Mrs G.W.Marsden, NP, and the late Mr Marsden. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above: SUMMERS-PRENTICE. Dorothy June, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs I.R.Prentice, NP, to William John, only son of Mr S.A.C.Summers, Waitara. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: HOLLINGSWORTH-MERCER. Fiona Jessie, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs D.M.Mercer, NP, to William Alfred Hollingsworth, Papatoetoe. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

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Family Items



Above, left: Here are four generations. At the back is mother, Mrs M.D.Lloyd, and in front are, from left, grandmother, Mrs R.Webb, great-grandmother Mrs F.Hurdle with baby Sherryn Lloyd.

Below, left: Yet another four generations. From left: grandmother, Mrs Mavis Bourke, great-grandfather, Mr Frank Wheeler with baby Kim Maree and mother Mrs Judy Marshall.

Above: In this family photograph are about four groups of four generations. Back, from left: Mrs M.Hamill, Mrs I.Walker, Mrs Giddy and Mr H. Sampson. Centre row: Mr and Mrs Hugh Hamill and Mr and Mrs Stan Giddy. Front: Mr and Mrs Ross Giddy with baby Diana. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: Mr and Mrs Rex Mack, NP, with the latest addition to their family, baby Brenda Lea, taken on the occasion of Brenda's christening. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

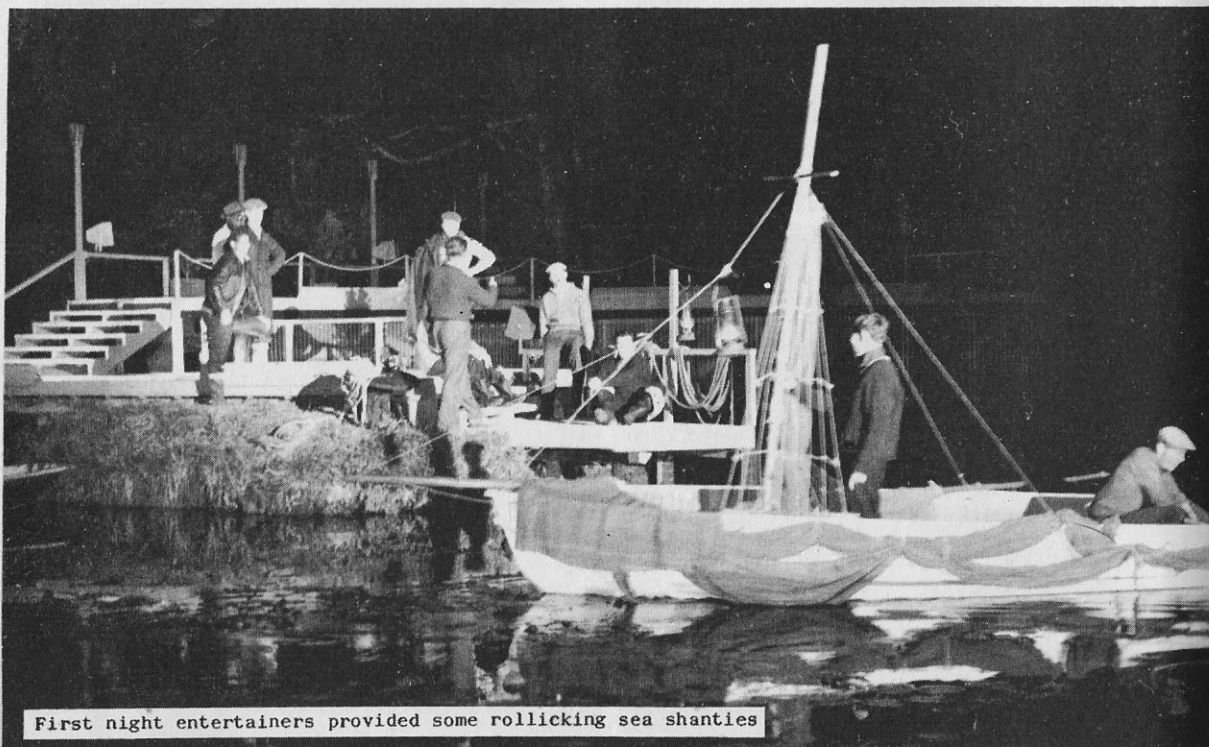




The Ngaruawahia Civic Choir reflected in the lake for its finale

Festival's Successful Opening

The Festival got off to a good start with an attendance of 6000 on the opening night for a variety show which proved popular. The second night, with performers from the Ngaruawahia Civic Choir in the first half, then a rather drab show called "Accent on Colour" in the second half, attracted only 2000 people. More entertainers of national and international standard must be brought to the Festival to ensure its success in future years. A much greater effort has been made this year to make the Festival more attractive, and the success depends entirely on the type of entertainment offered. New Plymouth's greatest attraction seems at last to be coming into its own.



First night entertainers provided some rollicking sea shanties



Song and colour from members of the Ngaruawahia Civic Choir



Peter Wood on his Vibraphone



Performers in "Accent on Colour"



The wonderful setting for the performance



Wedding Bells

Above: TAPUKE-RICHMOND. At the Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Muriwai, fifth daughter of Mr and Mrs T. Richmond, Te Kaha, to Lt. Tori, youngest son of the late Mr and Mrs R. Tapuke, Bell Block. The bridesmaids were Lena Richmond, sister of the bride, Te Kaha, and Valda Johnson, Rotorua. Lt. David Mason was the best man. Future home, Linton. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: RIORDAN-FITZGERALD. At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, NP, Marie Patricia, elder daughter of Mrs B. Fitzgerald, NP, to Anthony John, son of Mr and Mrs P.J. Riordan, NP. The bridesmaids were Lois Ross, Upper Hutt, and Bettina Fitzgerald, sister of the bride, NP. The best man was Brendan Riordan, NP, and the groomsman was Tim McVerry, Wellington. Future home, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).



Canine Obedience Winners

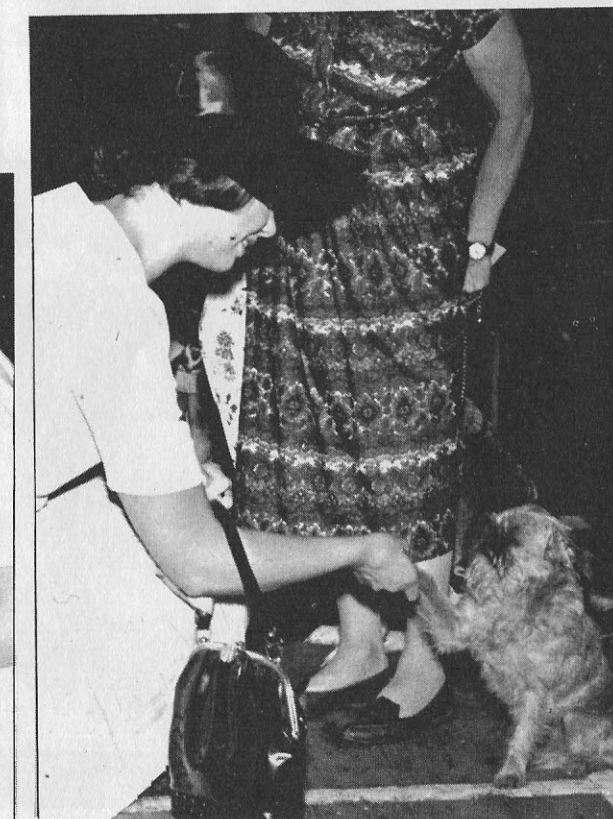
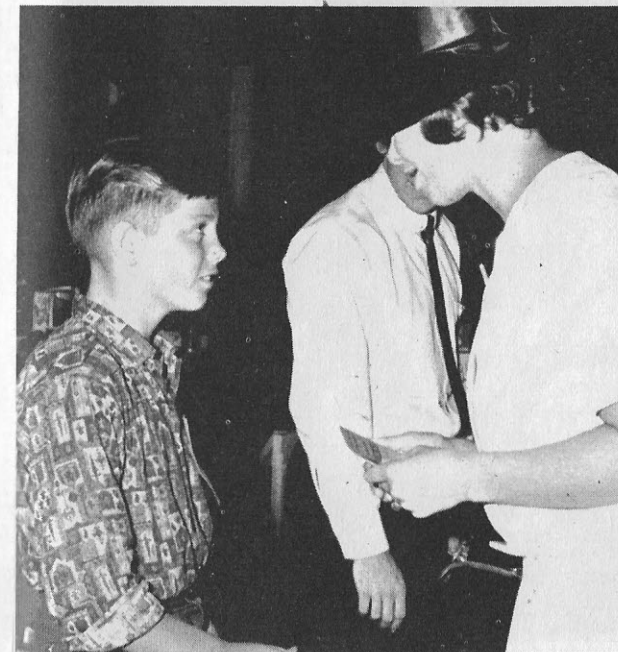
The Canine Obedience Club recently held a festival parade in the Army Hall, and had Miss Brooklands 1964, Miss Sharon Johns, along to present the trophies.

Above: First prize in the special beginners' class went to Mrs P. Matenga, Waitara.

Below: Miss Johns stops to speak to a young prizewinner.

Above, right: Sharon pats Hugh McLaughlin's Golden Labrador.

Below, right: A friendly handshake from Mrs M. Carthew's Griffin, which gained third place in the novice section.





Rosemarie Insull
(New Plymouth)



Valerie McLeod
(New Plymouth)



Karen Hollands
(Stratford)



Carol Tong
(Hawera)

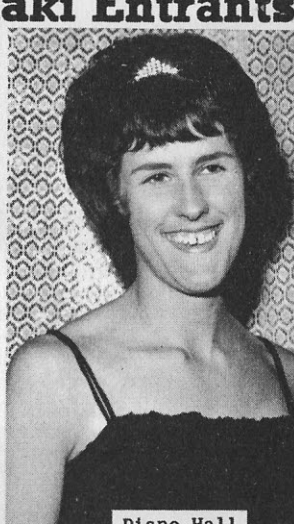
Miss Taranaki Entrants



Rosalin Potroz
(Stratford)



Sandra Morgan
(New Plymouth)



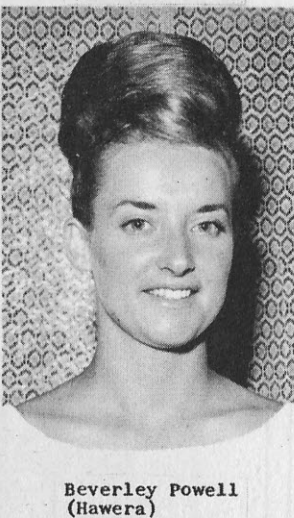
Diane Hall
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Betty Hawkins
(Kaponga)



Jan Barklay
(New Plymouth)



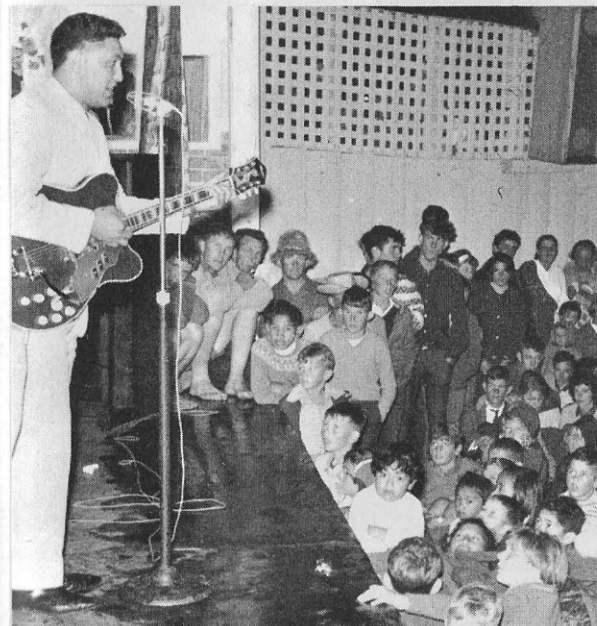
Beverley Powell
(Hawera)



Glenys Sewell
(Hawera)



Pamela Hollands
(Stratford)



6000 AT OPUNAKE CARNIVAL

With a good variety of top NZ entertainers and the final of the Miss Taranaki Beauty Contest, this would be a night to remember for Opunake. A record crowd of 6000 turned out for this wonderful evening of entertainment.

Above: Robin Ruakure entertains with his guitar, singing one of the songs which earned him second place in the recent TV "Have a Shot" programme.

Right: Jan Barklay (NP), was crowned Miss Taranaki and is here shown being presented with her sash by Miss NZ, Lyndal Cruickshank, who made a special trip from Invercargill.

Below: The twelve lovely contestants for the Miss Taranaki quest line up on stage.





Coming of Age

Above, from left: Valerie, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.H. Hayman, Okaiawa. (DAVID PAUL). David, son of Mr and Mrs E.W. Wright, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL). Peter Roguski, son of Mrs M. Avery, and the late Mr Roguski, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL). Neville, only son of Mr and Mrs A.A. Jordan, NP.

Below, left: Alistair, son of Mr and Mrs Mark Cameron, New Plymouth.

Below, right: Morton, adopted son of Mr T. Manu. His engagement to Miss L. Shortcliffe, Te Puke, was also announced at his 21st birthday party. (DAVID PAUL).



Civic Welcome For Winner

Below: The Mayor of NP, Mr A.G. Honnor, and PRO Fraser Stevenson welcome back to New Plymouth Jan Barklay, winner of the recent Miss NZ Beach Girl competition at Mt. Maunganui.

Below, right: Mum and Dad were at the airport too, to welcome back their daughter.



STRATFORD PARTY

Above, left: Plenty of smiles for our cameraman at the recent Stratford Racing Club's cocktail party.

Above: At the same party was Mr Charlie Casey, owner and trainer of Super Time, with Mrs K. Oliver.





Wedding Bells

Above: HUTCHINSON-DAVIES. At St. Mary's Church, Hawera, Phyllis Lesley, daughter of Mr and Mrs F.J. Davies, Hawera, to Graeme Robert, son of Mrs A. Hutchinson, Hawera, and the late Mr W. Hutchinson. Matron of honour was Elsie Robinson, Hawera, and the bridesmaids were Nyla Manning, Inglewood Judith Jeffs, Wellington, and Annette Davies, Whakamara. Best man was Doug Hutchinson, brother of the groom, Hawera, and the groomsmen was Bill Davies, brother of the bride, Whakamara. The flower-girl was Dierdre Dunlop, Whakamara. Future home, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: SPRING-ROBINSON. At St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Manaia, Letitia Faith, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs S. Robinson, Manaia, to Michael Maurice, second son of Mr and Mrs M. Spring, Rotorua. The bridesmaids were Joy Oliver, Masterton, and Betty Robinson, sister of the bride, Manaia. The best man was Dryden Spring, brother of the groom, Walton, and the groomsmen was John Wilson, Rotorua. Future home, Christchurch. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).



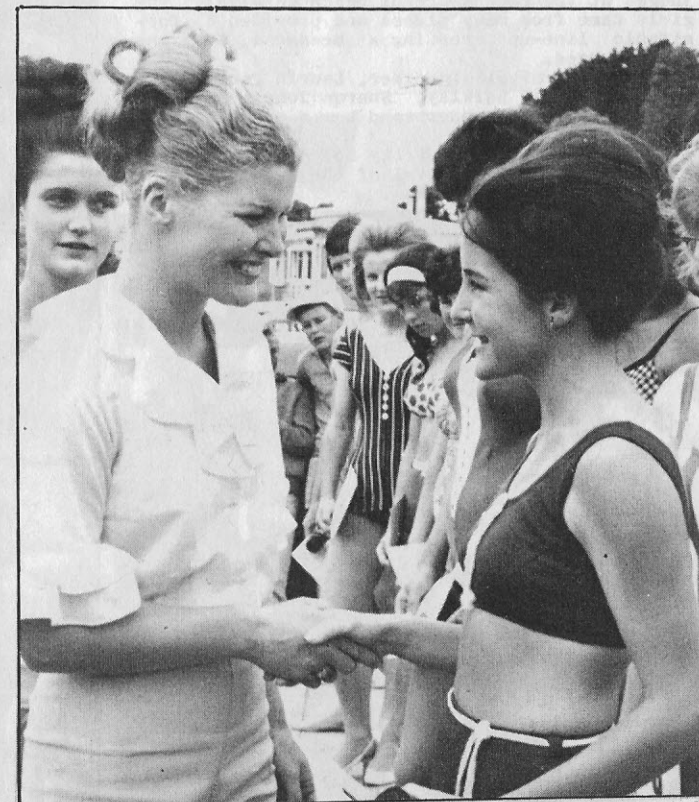
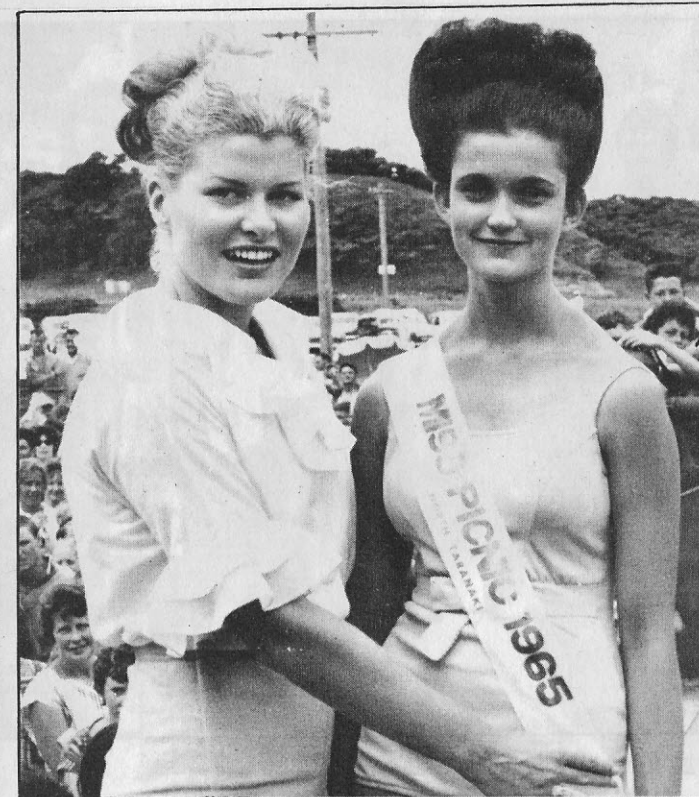
Urenui Carnival

Urenui beach was all a-hum recently for a carnival day organised by Laurie Petty, with funds going to the local Scout troop. It was a most successful day and attracted hundreds to this popular area.

Below: Valerie McLeod (NP) winner of the Miss Picnic beauty parade.

Right: Miss NZ Beach Girl, Jan Barklay, puts the winner's sash on Valerie.

Below, right: Second place went to Lee Thomas, also of New Plymouth.





BEAUTY AT URENUI CARNIVAL

Above: Bevy of beauties which lined up for the judges at the recent Urenui beach carnival. The girls came from many places and provided a formidable line-up creating a headache for the three judges.

Below: Carnival organiser, Laurie Petty, with the judges, Jan Barklay, Sharon Johns and Alec Draper.....can't understand how a man got in on this!

Below, right: Laurie Petty holds up one of the tiny tots for the approval of the crowd in the parade for the little ones.



CARNIVAL CANDIDS

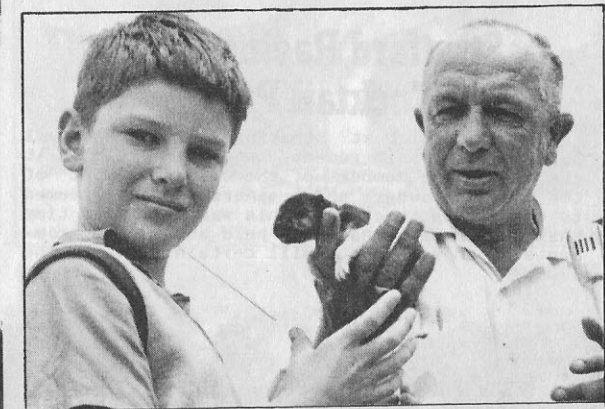
Above: The young people of Waitara gave a fine display of Maori singing at the Urenui beach carnival.

Below: All kinds of pets were on stage for judging, some of which were not too friendly.

Above, right: This little Maori girl got in on the Maori items, to the amusement of the crowd.

Right: Smallest pet in the parade was a new-born pup, examined by Laurie Petty.

Below, right: Making friends with some of the pets was a hazardous task for the organiser.

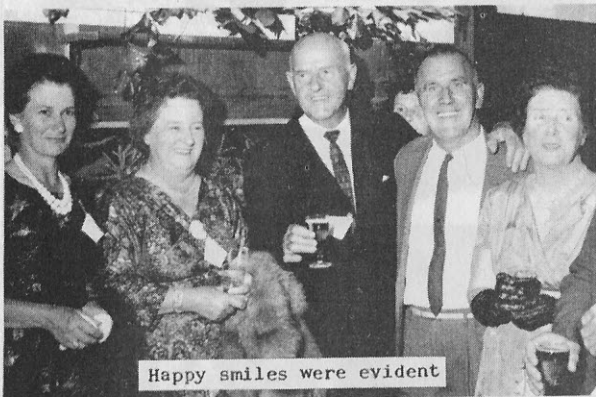




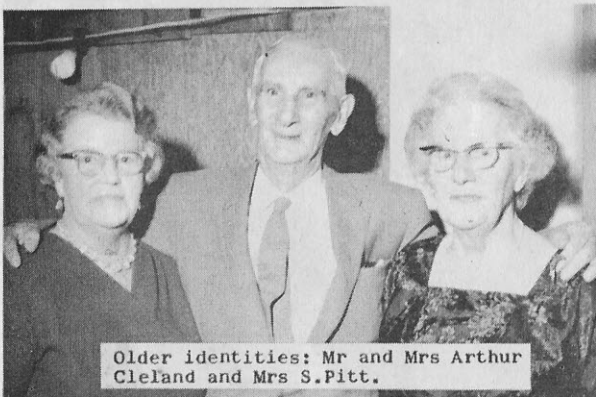
Mr and Mrs Colin Macdonald, club president.

Stratford Racing Club's Cocktail Party

The Racing Club at Stratford held a cocktail party during their recent two-day meeting. At the party were members of the Club plus most of the visiting owners and trainers who all seemed to enjoy this function. This was the first time that such a party had been held and by the comments of those present will certainly not be the last.



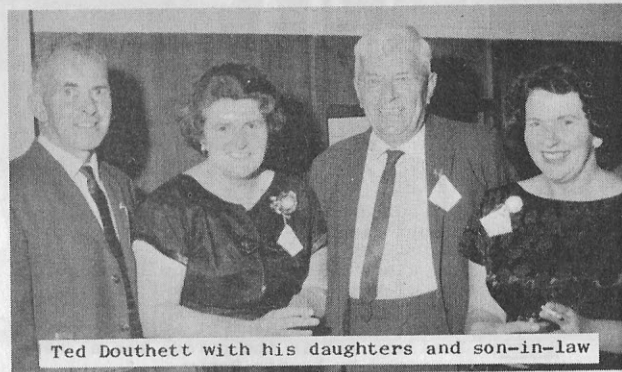
Happy smiles were evident



Older identities: Mr and Mrs Arthur Cleland and Mrs S. Pitt.



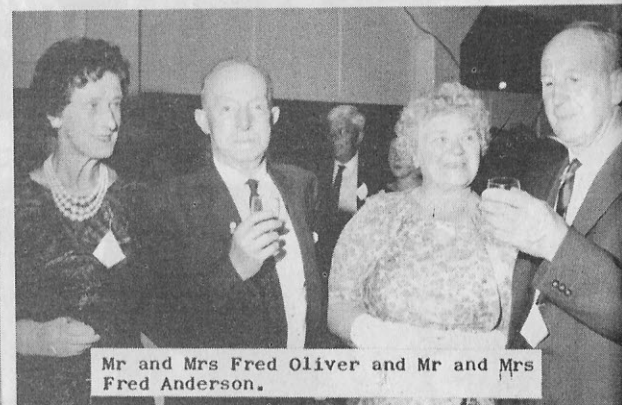
Happy-looking party of friends



Ted Douthett with his daughters and son-in-law



Malcolm and Mrs Smith, Marlene Russ and Ian Whittle.



Mr and Mrs Fred Oliver and Mr and Mrs Fred Anderson.

Celebrations

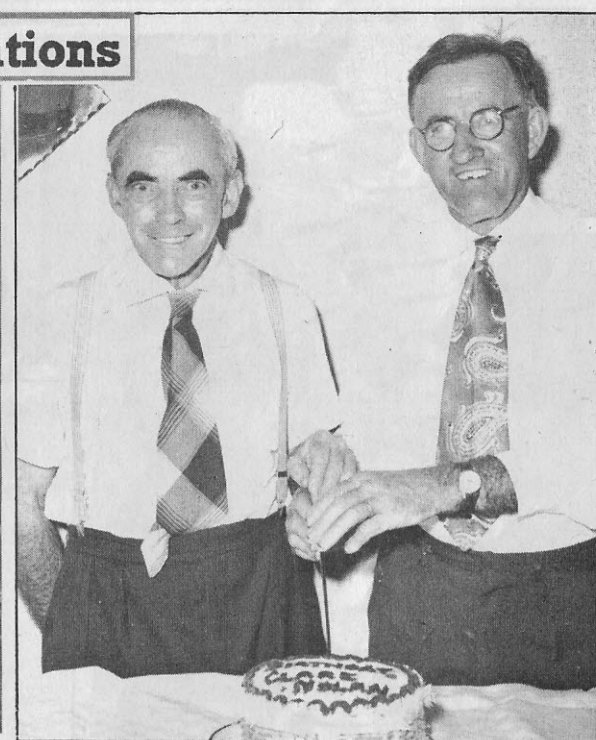


Above: Mr and Mrs Henry G. Brokke, New Plymouth, who recently celebrated their golden wedding, are photographed in their garden. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: Mr and Mrs Walter Jones, New Plymouth, celebrated sixty years of married life recently. They are shown here cutting their celebration cake. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above, right: Twins Nolan (NP) and Clare Trye (Clevedon) recently celebrated a double birthday in the city. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below, right: Mr and Mrs Jack Keenan with their younger daughter Elizabeth are photographed on the occasion of their silver wedding, held in New Plymouth recently. (VOGUE STUDIOS).





Roving Camera

Above: The Taranaki representative brass band, which recently performed at the Bowl of Brooklands in the Wills Band Festival.

(DAVID PAUL).

Left: Alex Peebles of Bell Block shows a crop of maize, half of which has been treated with soil-balancing minerals and the other half with normal fertiliser. Alex stands with this crop showing comparison in size of growth. The taller maize was treated with the right minerals. All the seed was sown at the same time.

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Wills Band Festival

With doubtful weather at 7 p.m. and a not too bright forecast the attendance at this very fine programme was down to only 1500. It was a shame that this was the case, as this was perhaps the best performance of bands ever in the province. With every taste catered for, it was an evening (though chilly) to remember. Here we show a composite photograph of the massed band on stage and the fireworks that concluded the performance.





Engaged

Above: SEXTON-SHERIDAN. Lorraine Mae, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs H.M.Sheridan, NP, to Stewart James, youngest son of Mr and Mrs L.J. Sexton, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: CREAGH-BROSNAN. Heather Ellen Brosnan, elder daughter of Mrs M.A.Voullaire, NP, to Trevor Leslie, third son of Mr and Mrs A.R. Creagh, Hawera. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above, right: JOHNSTONE-OLIVER. Shirley, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.Oliver, Inglewood, to Barry, youngest son of Mr and Mrs J.Johnstone, Inglewood. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Right: YEATES-HUGHES. Kareyn, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.H.Hughes, Inglewood, to Arthur, youngest son of Mr and Mrs M.N.D.Yeates, Inglewood. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

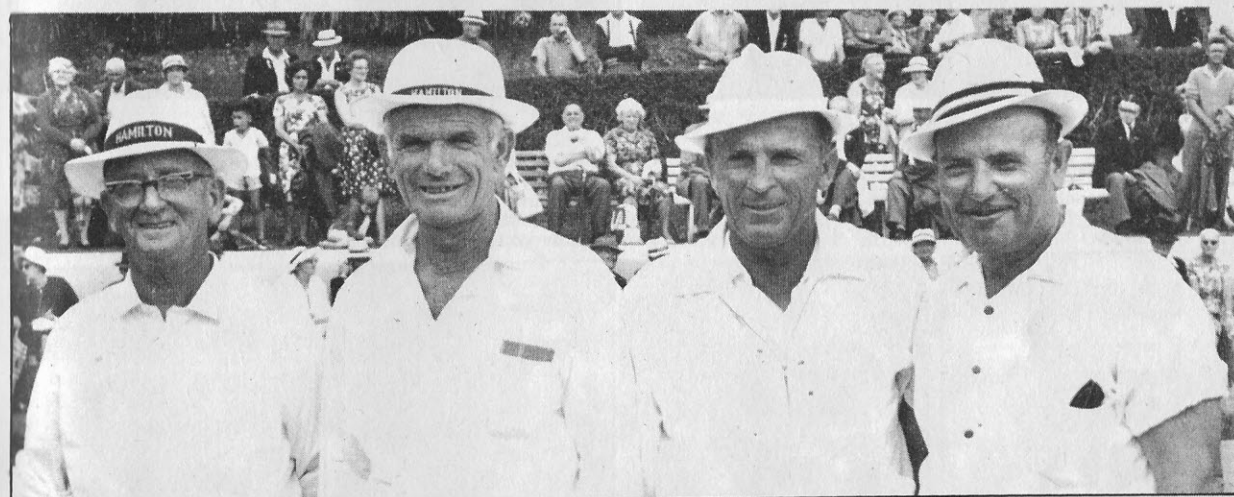
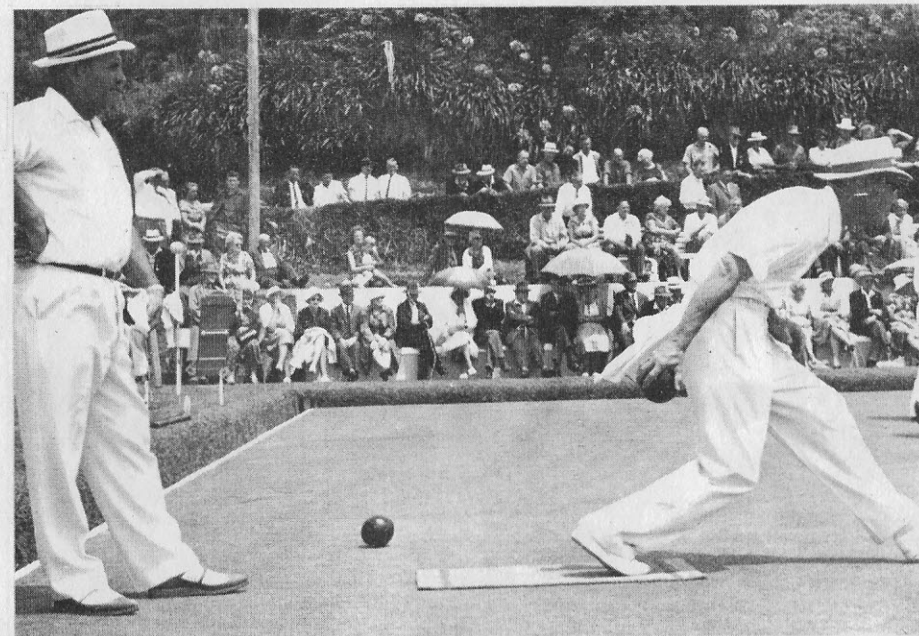
Below, right: HANSEN-MERCER. Vida Joan, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs D.M.Mercer, NP, to Michael Morton, elder son of Mr and Mrs M.T.Hansen, South Auckland. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

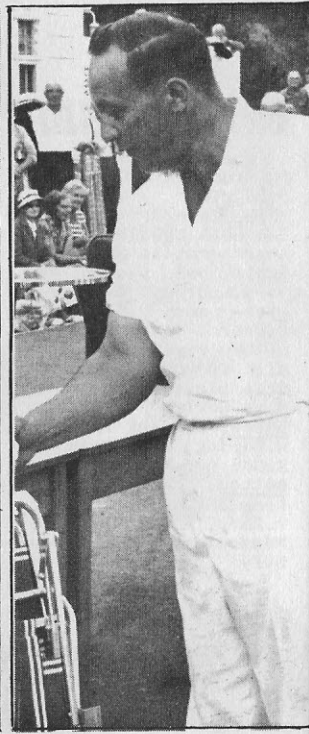
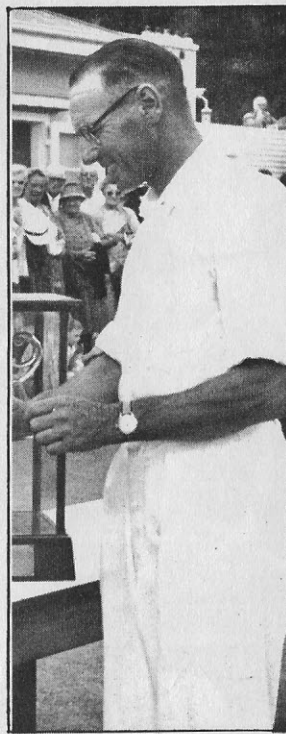
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"OPEN" FINALS

After an unsuccessful run of 23 years, colourful Hamilton skip, Mate Borich, won the 60th Jubilee 'Open' Tournament at NP. This again has proved a hard tourney to win, with many of the favoured teams falling by the wayside. **Right:** Bill Greenbury, losing skip plays a shot with Mate Borich watching. **Below:** Winning four of W.Waring, G.Nichol, A. Sunde and Mate Borich. **Bottom:** Runners-up from Mt. Albert were V.Hart, M.Begovich, A. Woodall and Bill Greenbury.

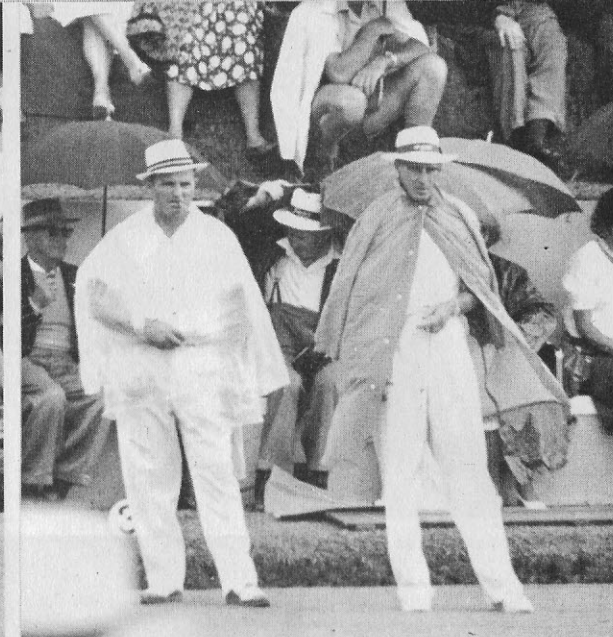
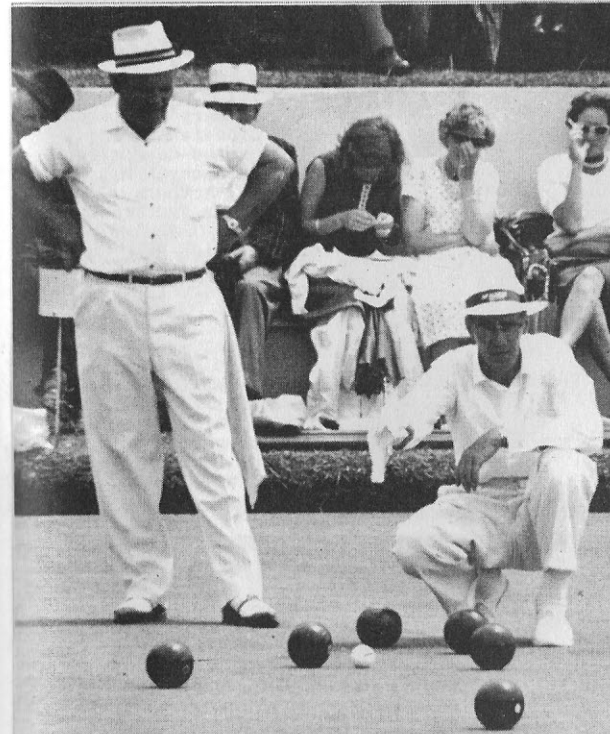




'OPEN' WINNERS....FOURS AND PAIRS

Above, left: Mrs Grace Guy, wife of the centre president, presented the trophies at the recent jubilee 'Open' tournament to Mate Borich, winner of the fours. Centre: Runner up in the fours, Bill Greenbury of Mt. Albert. Right: Ray Stockman, Paritutu, third in the fours.

Below, from left: Howard Andrews, Okato, fourth in the fours. W. Kuhtz, Matamata, winner of the consolation pairs. Bob Boyd, Paritutu, runner-up in the pairs, and his lead Hori Johns.



There was rain and sunshine for the final of the 60th jubilee 'Open' tournament final at the Paritutu green when Mate Borich, Hamilton, defeated Bill Greenbury, Mt. Albert. Shown above are the two skips in the extremes of the weather elements, bathed in warm sunshine, left, and covered from fine rain, right.

RAIN AND SHINE FOR 'OPEN' FINAL

Below: There were sufficient umbrellas to cover all the large gallery.





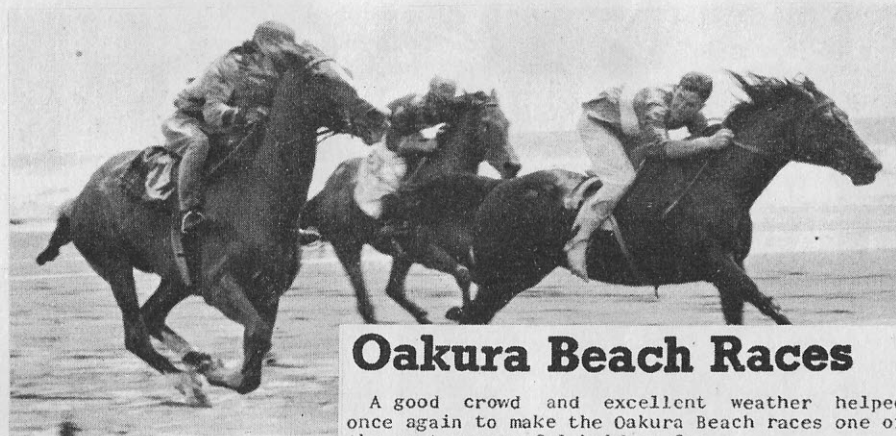
Wedding Bells

Left: POOLE-SMILLIE. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Claudia Anne Smillie, grand-daughter of Mrs E. Lacey, NP, to Russell Arthur, eldest son of Mr and Mrs O.F. A. Poole, Gisborne. The bridesmaids were Gaylyn Wallis, NP, Eleanor Lander, NP, and Margaret Mandeno, Te Awamutu. Bill Page, Trentham, was the best man, and the groomsmen were Warwick Mills, Rotorua, and Allan Davies, Gisborne. The flower-girl was Lorraine Poole. Future home, Wellington.

Right: TANATI-SCHWEITERS. At Holy Trinity Church, Fitzroy, Isabel Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs P.A. Schweiters, NP, to Cyril, 4th son of Mr and Mrs T. Tamati, Leperton. The bridesmaids were Yvonne Pryme, Taihape, and Peggy Schweiters, NP. Best man was David Whitehead, Masterton, and the groomsmen were Ray Tamati, brother of the groom. Future home, Wanganui.



Left: STAFFORD-BUSH-MOORHEAD. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Margaret Jeanne, only daughter of Mr and Mrs G. Moorhead, NP, to Ian Garth youngest son of the late Mr and Mrs R.H. Stafford-Bush, Auckland. The bridesmaids were Gilda Tompkins, Wellington, Carol Herdson and Bronwyn Andrews, both NP. Bill Stern, Palmerston North, was the best man, and Brian Bush, Auckland, was the groomsmen. Future home, Wellington.



Oakura Beach Races

A good crowd and excellent weather helped once again to make the Oakura Beach races one of the most successful held so far.

Above, left: Two race judges watch the horses pounding down the sands: Messrs R. Bell and L. Thompson.

Above: Small field in the New Year Handicap nearing the finishing line.

Left: One of the contestants returns to the birdcage after a race.

Below, left: Anne Mullally, a regular visiting rider from Stratford, on her mount.

Below: Clerk of the scales B.A. Purcell weighs in jockey K. Parrish.





Engaged



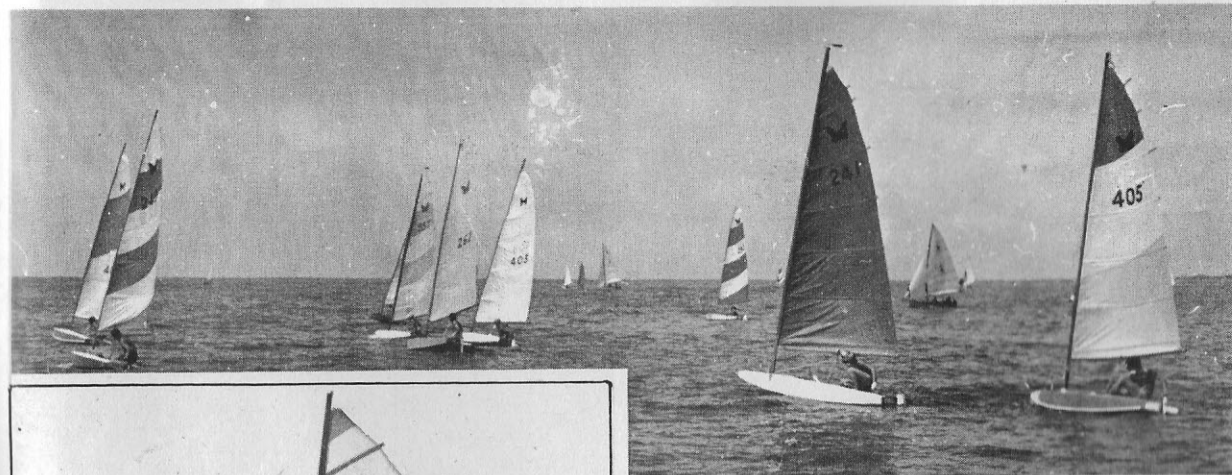
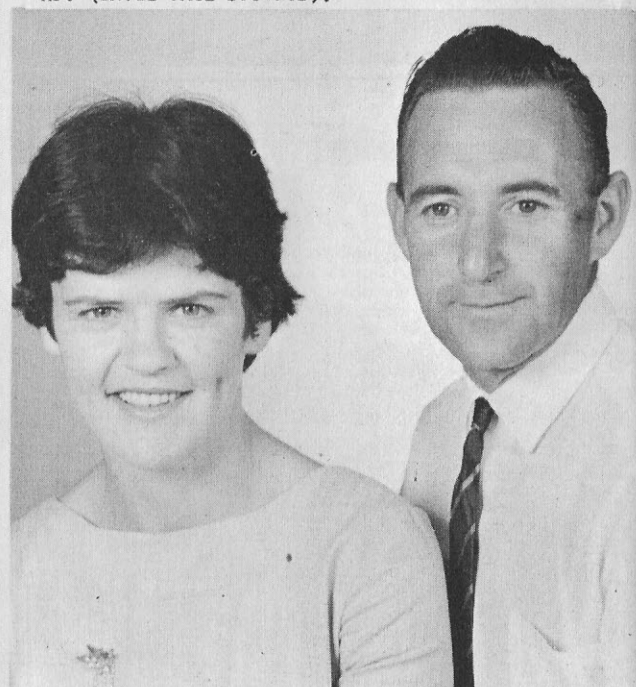
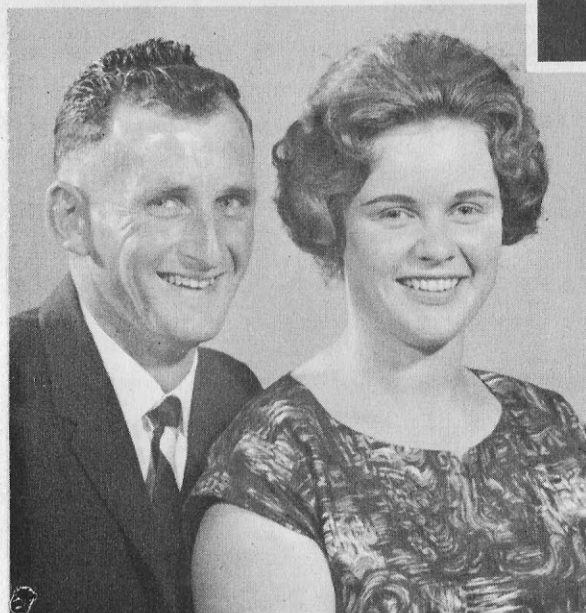
Above, left: **TODD-TIPLER**. Theresa, second daughter of Mr and Mrs F.G.Tipler, Eltham, to David Blair, second son of Mr and Mrs E.A.D.Todd, Rawhitiroa. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Left: **SORENSEN-PARTON**. Jennifer Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs F.Parton, NP, to Gilbert George, son of the late Mr and Mrs J.A.Sorensen, Stratford. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below, left: **OLDFIELD-CAPPER**. Lesley Muriel Capper, Westmere, Auckland, to Bruce Lawrence Oldfield, Norfolk Island, formerly of Waitara.

Above: **CROWE-LOVERIDGE**. Helen, second daughter of Mr and Mrs E.H.Loveridge, Eltham, to Ian, second son of Mrs W.E.Wills, Eltham, and Mr E.W.Crowe, Stratford. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

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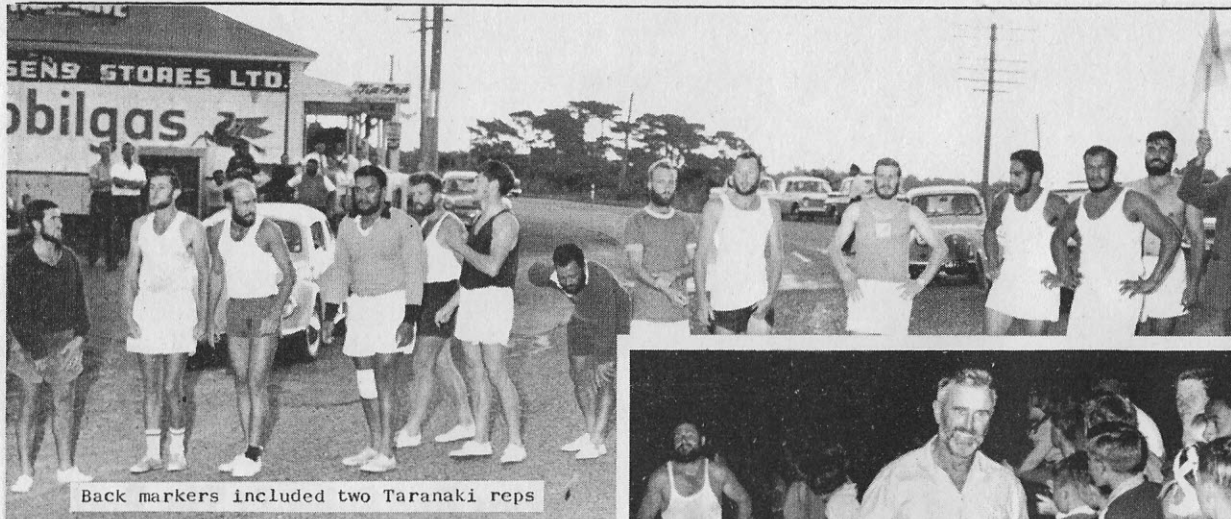


Yachts And Ships At The Port

The holiday season has seen much activity in the waters off Ngamotu beach. With a North Island yachting contest over the holidays, many craft from all over the North Island came to race and enjoy the hospitality of the local club and city. Above: Butterfly class craft line up at the start of a race. Left: One of the visiting X class yachts. Below: Temptation (R.Saunders, NP) and Zephyr (M.White) jockey for starting position.

Below, left: Atys, a large tanker which recently discharged her cargo of fuel at Port Taranaki leaves port with her screw churning up the blue waters of the harbour.





Back markers included two Taranaki reps

Beardies' Marathon

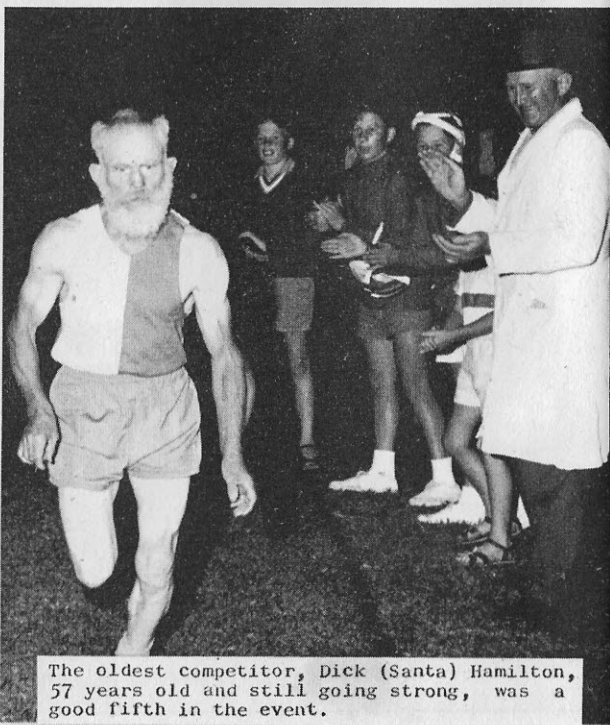
Forty-four bearded men of Okato recently ran in a marathon from Puniho to the Okato domain, and what a race it was! The handicapper could use only his judgment on age and not performance, consequently putting the younger fry well back on the limit mark. What a shock the capacity crowd at the domain had when the first dozen home were the old uns! Just shows who's got all the stamina!



Winner Sid Balsom receives his trophy and a kiss from Miss Taranaki, Janice Barkley.



Sid Balsom finishes, smiling, just in front of Rex Bridgeman.

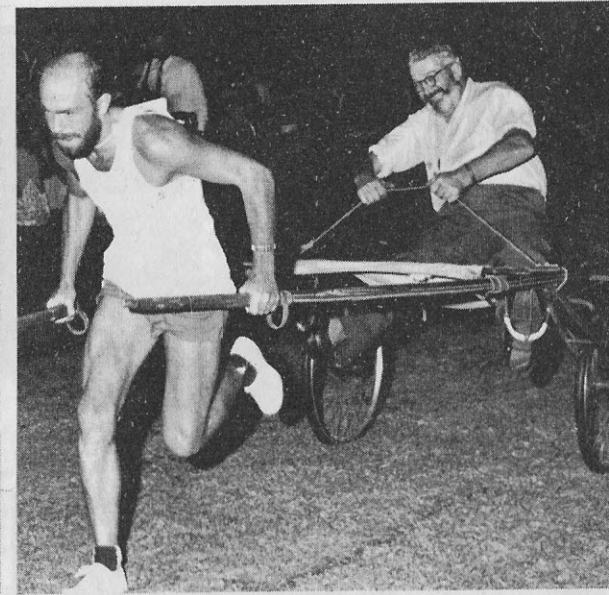
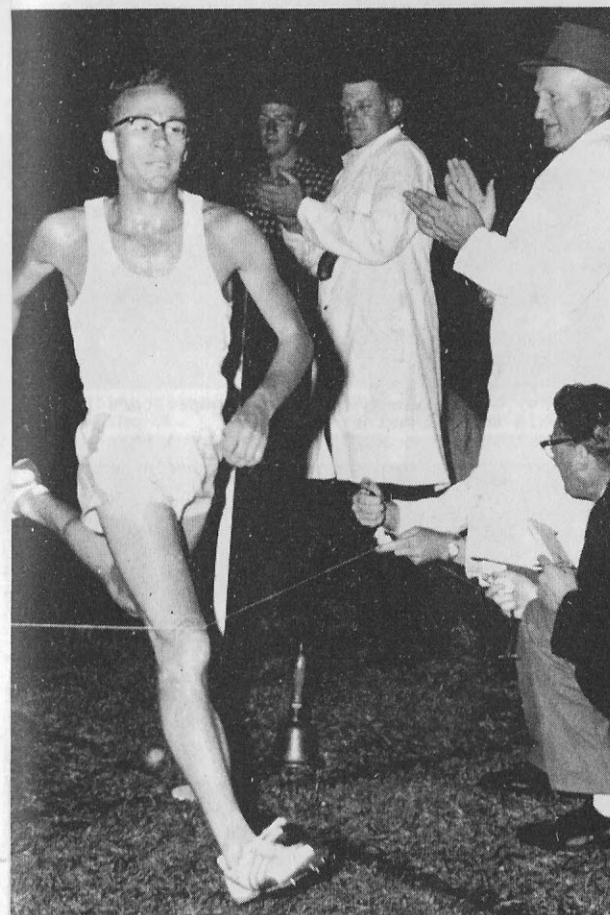


The oldest competitor, Dick (Santa) Hamilton, 57 years old and still going strong, was a good fifth in the event.



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RECORD BREAKER--SULKIE BREAKER

A packed domain enjoyed a good night's entertainment at Okato recently, when the local athletic club staged a beardie marathon and sulkie race for those not taking part in the marathon.

Above, Left: It will be a long time before a sulkie is asked to carry as much weight as it did for this event. 25-stone Hona Ruakare is pulled by Harold Moffitt.

Above: Off to a flying start, this sulkie should have been put back on the limit mark. He won, below, only with the help of half the inhabitants of Okato.

Below, left: Brian Rose broke a long-standing record when he won the 2-mile invitation race.



Thrills At Speedway



Midget driver Bill Jarden takes the inside to pass another car

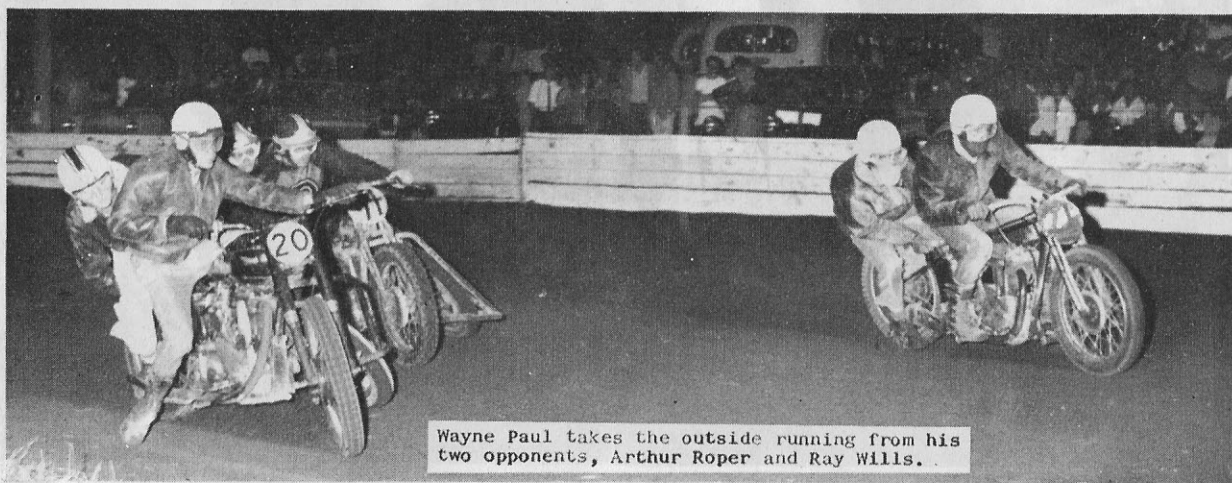


Merv Neil (Auckland) was one of the fastest on the track and a skilful driver

With visiting riders and drivers, the recent series of speedway meetings has been exciting for the large crowds which have been attending. With large fields in every event, some spectacular racing has been witnessed. Perhaps this could be the most successful season that the TMCRC has had. New riders and drivers are coming to the fore and giving the older hands a run for their money.



Ray Christianson leads two competitors in his three-quarter midget



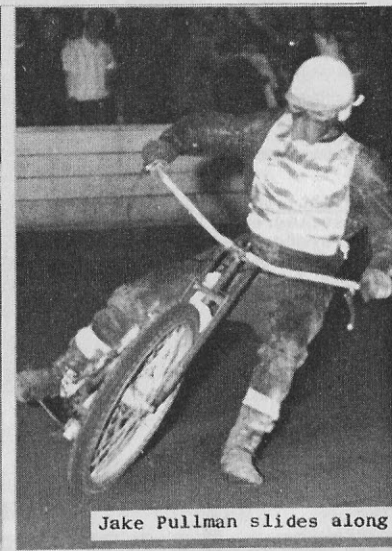
Wayne Paul takes the outside running from his two opponents, Arthur Roper and Ray Wills.

Bryce Subritzsky passes Rim Malskaitis after the latter had spilled



DIRT TRACKERS

Dirt trackers at the speedway have been at their best recently with opposition from Auckland and overseas riders. The competition has been keen, and our local boys have been putting the hurry-up on the visiting riders.



Jake Pullman slides along



Visiting rider, Bob Andrews from the UK.



Local boy Bill Dixon



Bryce Subritzsky again



Ron Schultz (Hawera)



Arthur Roper and passenger John Henderson



Wayne Paul and passenger Philip Bretherton.

Married

Right: BROWN-RIDDLE. At St. Andrew's Church, NP, Brenda Mary, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs T.J. Riddle, NP, to Frank James Brown, Hamilton. The bridesmaid was Maureen Hopkinson, NP, Bob Meredith, Hamilton, was the best man and Allison Deane, Inglewood, was the flower-girl. Future home, Hamilton.



Left: PRICE-BROWN. At St. Luke's Methodist Church, Westown, Joy Lyvonne, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs H. J. Brown, NP, to Neville Laurence, second son of Mr and Mrs C.K. Price, Oakura. The bridesmaid was Janet Brown, sister of the bride, NP, and the best man was Trevor Green, Omata. Future home, NP.



Right: HARVEY-LAMBERT. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Betty Anne, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs T.A. Lambert, Blenheim, to Gordon, 4th son of Mr and Mrs G.W. Harvey, NP. The bridesmaids were Betty Hannaford and Jeanette Taylor, both NP. Best man was Colin Harvey, brother of the groom, and the groomsman was Paul Lambert, brother of the bride, both NP. Future home, NP.



£165 Prize Won By Boy

In a recent nation-wide art competition, a New Plymouth boy, Paul de Abaitua, Moana Crescent won for himself a cheque for £25, a further cheque for his school, Spotswood Primary, for £50, study den valued at £85 for himself and a parcel of the sponsor's products for his mother, valued at £5.

Above: A presentation ceremony was held at the Farmers' Co-operative in New Plymouth and our picture shows, at left, Paul with his parents, Mr and Mrs M. de Abaitua and sister, Mr R. Lyndon, Farmers' branch manager, Mr Phil Medlands, sponsor's representative and Mr V. Purdy, headmaster of Spotswood school, and Mrs Purdy.



Paul receives his £25 cheque from Mr R. Lyndon.



Mrs de Abaitua gets her groceries from Gordon Lander.



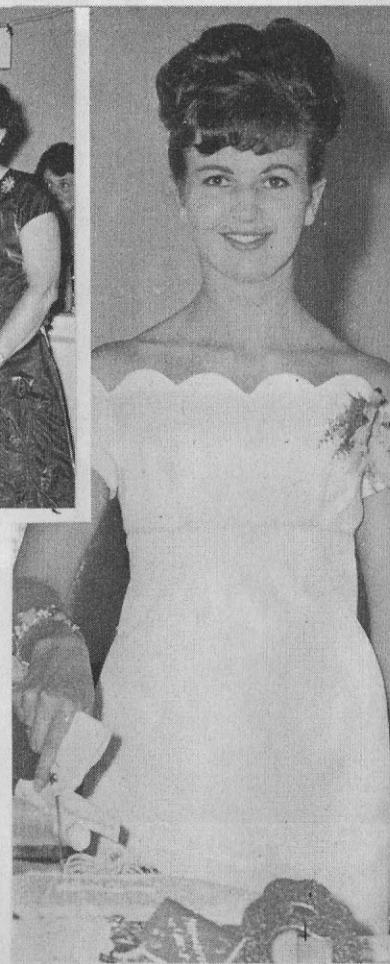
Coming of Age

Above: Mr and Mrs S.Way, NP, with their family on the occasion of the 21st birthday of their son Gavin, shown in the centre with Joan Pettit.

Above, right: Wendy Miscall, daughter of Mrs G.Crawford, NP, cuts her birthday cake.

Below, left: Eris Kathleen, elder daughter of Mrs C.Brown, NP. Below, centre: Mrs Phyllis Higgins, daughter of Mrs M.Keith, poses with her key of the door on the occasion of her 21st birthday celebration.

Below, right: Anne, only daughter of Mr and Mrs N.Hale, poses with her mother and father. The family are now living in Palmerston North.



Right: SHEPHERD-FROST. At St. Andrew's Church, NP, Marilyn, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A.L.Frost, Manaia, to Robert, second son of Mr and Mrs G.R.Shepherd, NP. The bridesmaids were Lynette Klenner, Linda Frost, and Janeane Frost. The best man was Stuart Kidd and the groomsmen were Don Shepherd. The future home, Hamilton.



Left: McLAUCHLAN--SEARANCKE. At Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Ira Moerangi, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs T.Searancke, Waitara, to John Burgess, youngest son of Mrs F.McLauchlan, Lower Hutt. The bridesmaids were Ann Thomas and Juli Whittaker. Edward Biss-dee was the best man and Ken Morley was the groomsmen. Future home, Lower Hutt.

Right: HEFFERNAN--GEORGE. At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, NP, Marie, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs A.George, NP, to Frank, third son of Mr J.Heffernan, Ireland, and the late Mrs Heffernan. Sister of the bride, Suzanne George, NP, was the bridesmaid, and Terry Maunsell, Wellington, was the best man. The future home, Palmerston North.





Dominion W.D.F.F. President's Visit

Dominion president of the W.D.F.F. recently paid a visit to the district. Shown in this photograph are members of the North Taranaki provincial executive with Dominion president, Mrs Mary Irwin, seated centre. On her left is a past president and life member of the North Taranaki provincial, Mrs Mary Parker. On her right is the N.T. president, Mrs Eileen Clelland.



Wedding Bells

McELDOWNEY-BUCHANAN. At St. Augustine's Anglican Church, Napier, Patricia, only daughter of Mr and Mrs R. Buchanan, Napier, to Dennis, fourth son of Mrs J. McEldowney, New Plymouth, and the late Mr McEldowney. The bridesmaids were Margaret Gower, Hawera, and Elizabeth Pinder, Hastings. The best man was Lance McEldowney, and the groomsman was Donald McEldowney, both brothers of the groom. Future home, Wellington.



1965 National Band Of New Zealand

The 1965 National Band of New Zealand was recently formed in New Plymouth, and with only one week of training together, gave two very fine displays of their talents. The concert at the GHS proved that this was a band that would equal or better the best ever to go on a world tour from this country. The following day the band gave a display at Pukekura Park before a delighted audience of over 5000. They were a credit to their instructors and will no doubt be a credit to this country on their forthcoming world tour.