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Bride Of The Month



Mrs Christine Fiffeld (nee Dally) is our bride this month. Christine was recently married at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, to Rex Fiffeld. (VOGUE STUDIOS).



Coming of Age

Above: Kevin Collins, NP, with his fiancée, Sherryl Price, at his 21st party.

Below, left: Lynette Bell, NP, with fiancé Errol Gill at her 21st party. (VOGUE).

Below, centre: Dennis Joll, Hawera.

(DAVID PAUL).

Below, right: Pauline Ann Hayman, NP, cuts her 21st birthday cake.



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OUR COVER

Soaking up the last rays of sunshine before the winter proper sets in is Winneke Mendes da Costa, 19-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Mendes da Costa, NP. Winneke was born in Indonesia and has been in NZ for only two years.

BACK COVER

By the time this issue is on sale, the winner of the Miss NZ contest will have been announced. Here, we show them all. In the next issue we will publish the winners of our PICK MISS NZ contest.

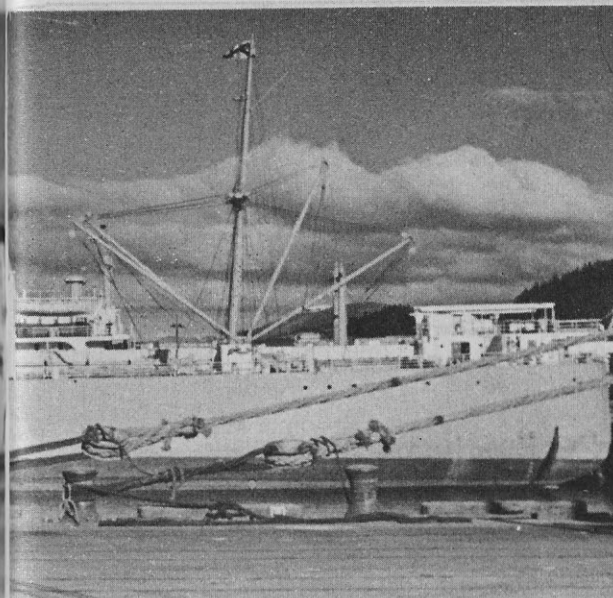
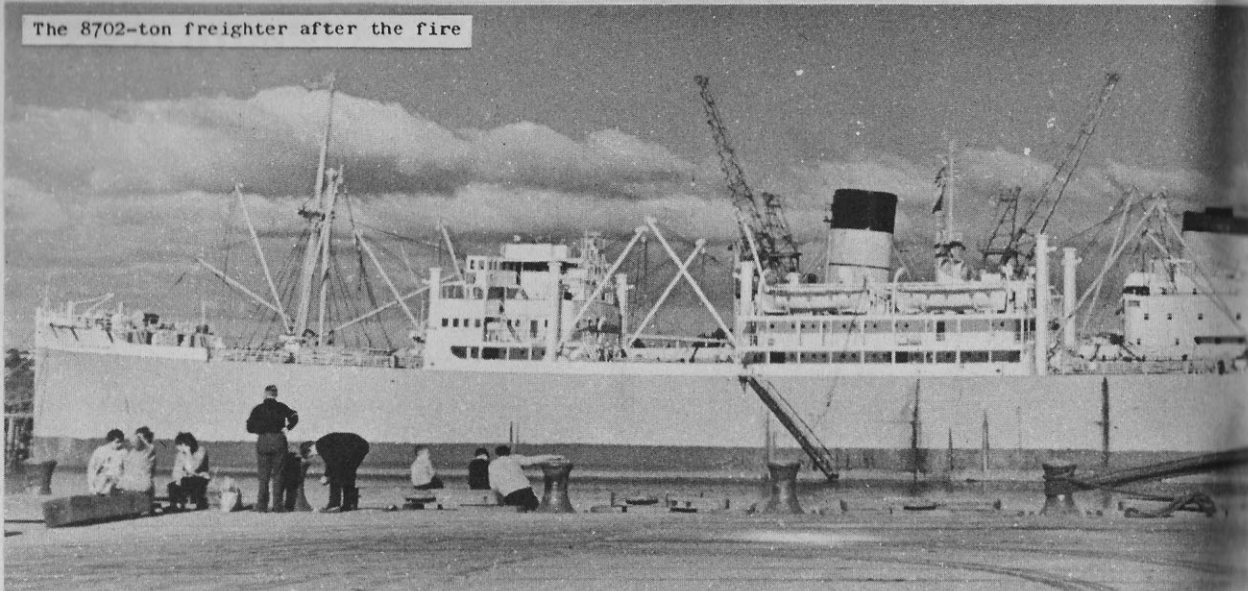
An Apology

In our last month's cover picture caption, we said that the Opai twins were the daughters of Mrs E. Opai. Unfortunately we forgot to mention their father. Sorry Mr Opai, hope we didn't embarrass you!

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The 8702-ton freighter after the fire



Firemen throw empty foam cans overboard

Firemen Make Another Good Save

As press photographers, every time we hear the general alarm go, our minds turn to good fire pictures, but time and again we are thwarted by the efficiency of the New Plymouth Fire Brigade. Time after time, they have made saves that could have resulted in major fires, as was the case with the Port Line's Port Wyndham. The fire in the engine room of the ship burned out of control for more than four hours before it was contained by the NP brigade. They attacked the blaze with foam, carbon dioxide gas and flooded it with sea water pumped from the harbour in their attempts to quell the fire. Only after about four hours did the brigade make the breakthrough after a long, worrying time. Then it was just a matter of minutes before the blaze was out, and our cameras were put back in their cases. Well done, lads, you certainly are an efficient mob.



Hundreds of gallons of foam, ready for use on the ship



Crew abandoned ship...

...to help with the carting of foam



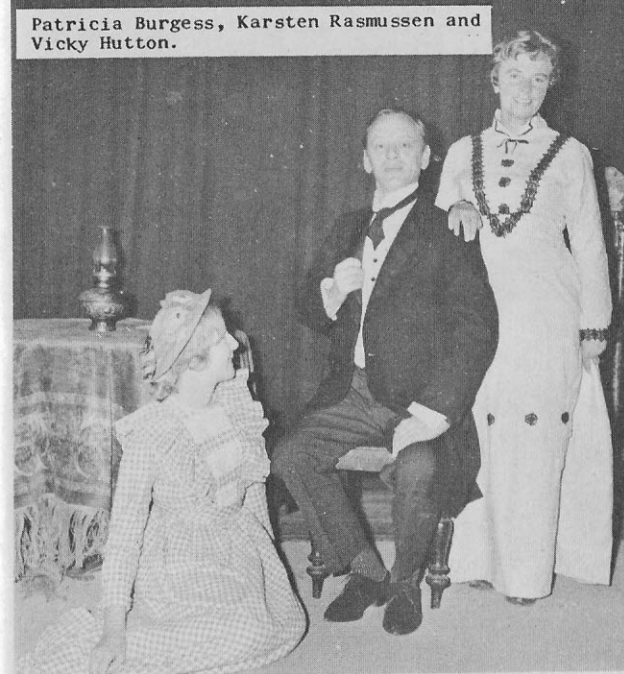
Wedding Bells

Above: BRUCE-FARQUHAR. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Gloria, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs G.C. Farquhar, NP, to Charles, second son of Mr and Mrs J. Bruce, Scotland. The bridesmaids were Janice Matlock, Omata, Mavis Farquhar, Douglas and Suzanne Murphy, NP. Best man was Owen Farquhar, brother of the bride, NP, and the groomsman was Royce Schrider, Omata.

Below: EKDAHL-SIMPSON. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Dawn, only daughter of Mr and Mrs C.E. Simpson, Inglewood, to Bruce, eldest son of Mr and Mrs C.J. Ekdahl, NP. Matron of honour was Jan Goile, NP, and the bridesmaid was Bronwyn Jones. Ian Wickham, NP, was the best man and Paul Ekdahl, brother of the groom, NP, was the groomsman. Future home, New Plymouth.



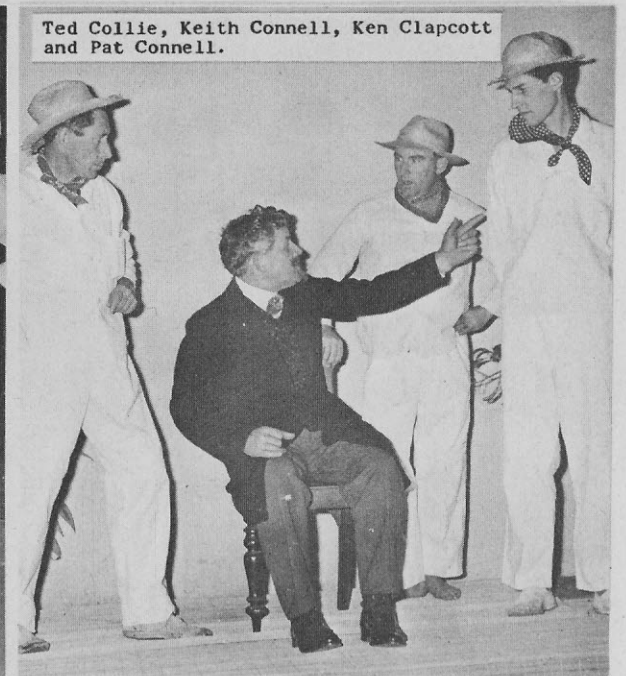
Gary Holswich, Patricia Burgess and Ted Collie



Patricia Burgess, Karsten Rasmussen and Vicky Hutton.

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(It will be appreciated.)

Ted Collie, Keith Connell, Ken Clapcott and Pat Connell.



"My Three Angels"

Next production at the New Plymouth Little Theatre, in Aubrey Street is to be the hilarious French comedy, "My Three Angels". With production in the hands of Cydie Strang and a cast of talented players, this promises well for the six-night season from June 20-25th. What we saw of the rehearsals, it appears that the audience is in for more laughs than is usual. Our advice is be sure not to miss this comedy.



Karsten Rasmussen, Noelene Blackman and Vicky Burgess.



Debs At Catholic Parish Ball

Thirty-one debutantes were recently presented at the St. Joseph's Parish Ball at Hawera Community Centre. Above, back row, from left: Anne Chamberlain, Mary Werder, Sandra Sheehan, Lesley O'Connell, Janine Albon, Erin Hurley, Anne Uhlenberg, Norine Jordan, Pauline Milham and Frances McBride. Front row: Faye Milham, Bernadette Oldfield, Jeanette Wyss, Doreen Kelly, Elaine Jordan, Victoria Preller, and Carolyn Hiestand. Below, from left, back row: Marie Butler, Helena Kalin, Darrylin O'Dea, Susan McCarten, Carolyn Daly, Mary Kavanagh and Jennifer McCarten. Front row: Margaret Coyne, Karen Maddern, Margaret Leahy, Dianne King, Lynn Fredericks, Pauline King and Johannah Andrews.



Edward Tamati, winner of the Bledisloe cup and Mrs I. M. Ratana.

Taranaki Maori Farmer Wins Bledisloe Cup

For the first time since its inception, the Bledisloe cup for the best Maori farmer in the country has been won by a Taranaki farmer, Mr Edward Tamati. Not only did a local farmer win the major award, but another Maori farmer from Oeo won third prize in the contest. The presentation recently took place at Bell Block and they were made by the Member for Western Maori, Mrs I. M. Ratana.



Third place to Warwick Manu, Oeo.



Traditional Maori greeting for Warwick




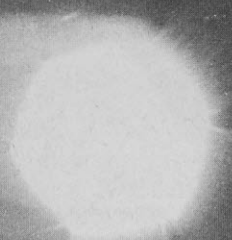
A large gathering witnessed the presentations



More Flying Objects?

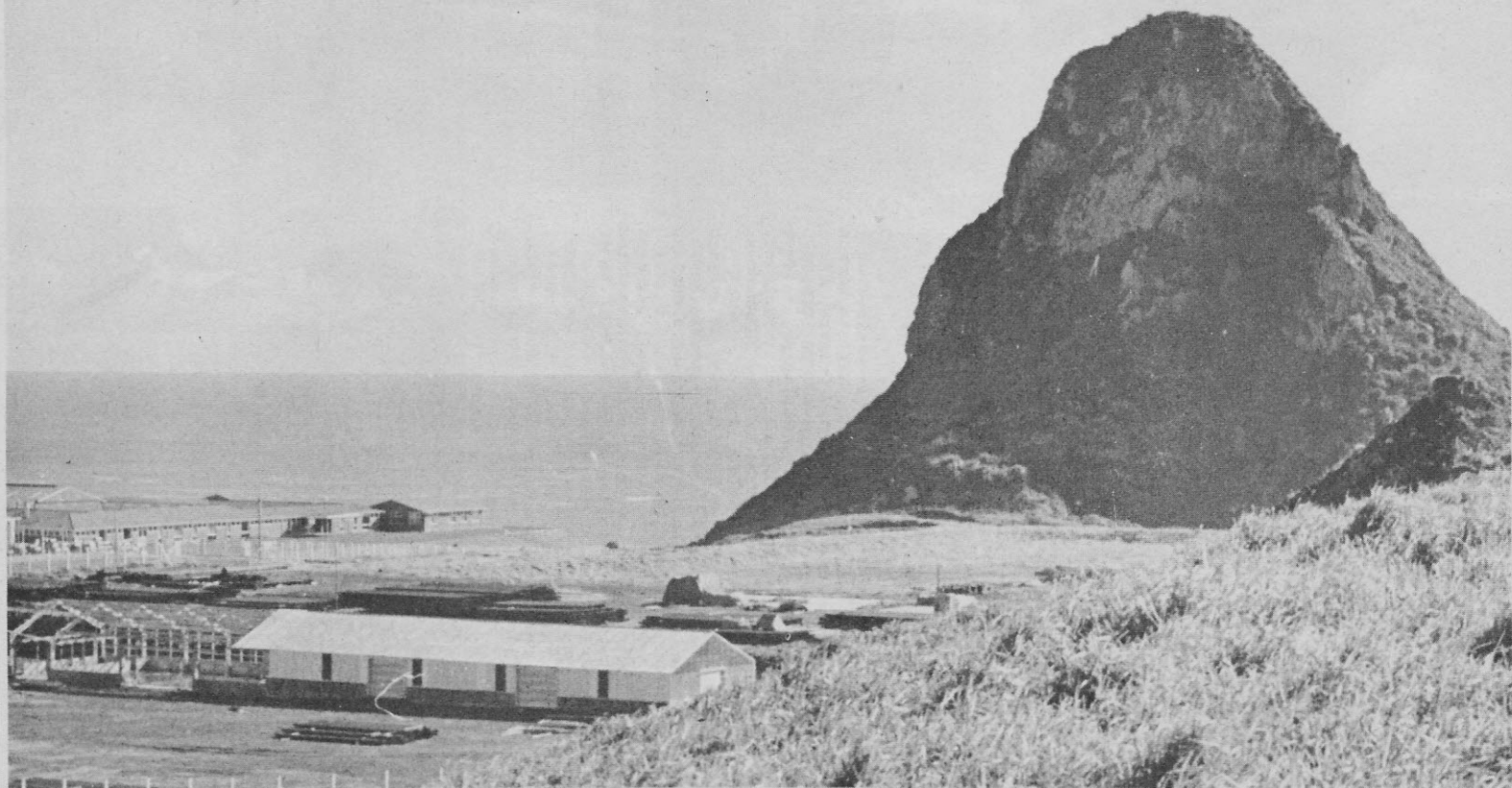
Quite recently we read about flying objects spotted around the town. We could hardly believe it real, so decided to try and capture photographs of these objects ourselves. It was reported that they came in with a hiss and roar, and at night. So we rigged up an ultra sensitive microphone so that we could pick up any strange noise.

One night we got the message, quietly slipped out of bed, grabbed the camera and tripod, pointed the lens heavenwards, and lo and behold there were the objects. The first picture, at right, made the objects appear like huge flying saucers, but as they went away they changed shape, left. Makes you wonder who and what it is that might be invading our planet.



Flying Saucer Over New Plymouth

We were out recently photographing scenics and were at the Mt. Moturoa lookout. The photograph produced here was what we got from that area. Now we're not prone to boasting, but are prepared to bet this is the only photograph of a flying object ever taken over New Plymouth. Looking through the viewfinder, we could hardly believe our old eyes as this fast-flying saucer-shaped object sped across our path. In fact it flew so fast that by the time we had gathered our equilibrium it had gone into thin air. Having captured this photographic evidence we would advise that a sharp look-out is kept by all.





Engaged

Above: GRIGSON-HOLLAND. Pamela Faye, only daughter of Mr and Mrs L.Holland, NP, to Vernon Charles, younger son of Mrs M.J.W.Grigson, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: MORRIS-THOMPSON. Christine, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs C.J.Thompson, Stratford, to Trevor, eldest son of Mr and Mrs V.K.Morris, New Plymouth. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above, right: DUNICK-BOYLE. Cassie, only daughter of Mr F.Boyle, NP, and the late Mrs Boyle, to Raymond, third son of Mr and Mrs J.J.Dunick, Te Puke. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Right: HOSKING-COWAN. Carol Mae, third daughter of Mrs A.L.Cowan, Palmerston North, and the late Mr H.K.Cowan, to Neil Lloyd, eldest son of Mr and Mrs L.V.Hosking, Stratford. (VOGUE).

Below, right: ALSOP-FAWCETT. Nancy Gwendoline, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.G.Fawcett, Midhurst, to John, youngest son of Mrs C.Alsop, Stratford, and the late Mr Alsop. (VOGUE).

FORUM



AND AGINUM



Above: Mr and Mrs Ron Harris, until now president and secretary of the St.Mary's Competitions Society, who have now severed their connections with the society after a long and faithful service. Ron has been transferred down to the deep south, Dunedin, and we feel that the society will miss both him and his wife for the amount of work they did for the society. At the recent competitions, they were presented with a clock for their services. Good luck to you both!



Above: Funny how little thought some motorists have for either pedestrians or traffic on the right. This photograph was taken in Devon Street recently and clearly illustrates the thoughtlessness some drivers can display. Black mark for you, boy.

Below: We went along to see the much publicised NZ Theatre production "Oh What A Lovely War". So much good publicity had been given to it that we thought we were in for a really good, lively show. Frankly we thought little of it. It was advertised as a family show, which is just about what it is not. Some of the filthy... and there's no other word for it....language was not the type of talk I or any decent person would like to hear from their sons or daughters. If we printed in "Photo News" some of these lewd expressions, we would soon find ourselves in a court facing charges, so why use such language on a stage? We have come to accept some swear words, but this was too much for us. As one ardent theatre-goer said, "I'm glad I only went in the cheaper seats".





St. Mary's competitions

Once again, the St. Mary's Competitions held during the May school holidays were a great success. Competitors come from many parts of the North Island, and according to the judges the standard is higher than most.

Above: The troupe from the White Swan School performed a lively tap dance at the demonstration concert.

Above, right: Christine Wheeler and Nancy Brown are a couple of seasoned performers.

Below, left: Christine Wheeler, winner of the under-14 Scottish dancing cup.

Below, centre: Vicky Hale performs a spirited Irish Jig at the demonstration concert.

Below, right: Dale Whittaker caught in the air by our camera as she performs a skipping dance.



Above: Conference during the comps....between Neil Harris, Mary Anderson, the accompanist and April Bannister.

Above, right: Karen Love receives her trophy from the judge.

Below: Real live elves in the Memorial Hall.

Below, right: Mrs Ward and Mrs Brown, two committee members, get the trophies in order.





Above: Interested spectators and mothers back stage watch their children on stage.

Above, right: Sandra Paul in a Russian dance at the demonstration concert.

Left: Christine Wheeler helps with the costume of fellow competitor Judy Clark.

Below, left: Merv White, president of the society makes a presentation to Mr and Mrs Ron Harris, the past president and secretary.

Below, right: Patricia Smith receives a certificate from the judge.



Above: General view of the stage at the New Plymouth War Memorial Hall at the presentation of prizes for the St. Mary's Competitions.

Right: Large cup for a small girl. Judy Clark looks with amazement at her large trophy won for Scottish dancing.

Below, left: Patricia Smith performed an eastern dance at the final concert.

Below, centre: Joleen Cornwall won a scholarship in the ballet section of the comps.

Below, right: Alison Lander and Kathleen Bradford perform a duet.





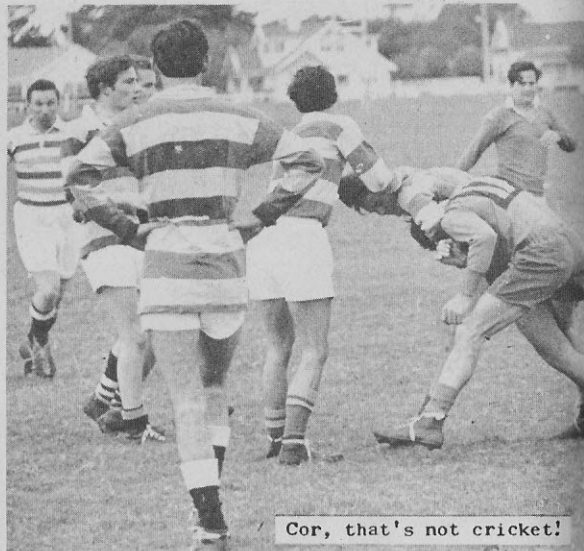
The BF's didn't give the ASP's much of a chance

Burgess Frazer v. Patterson

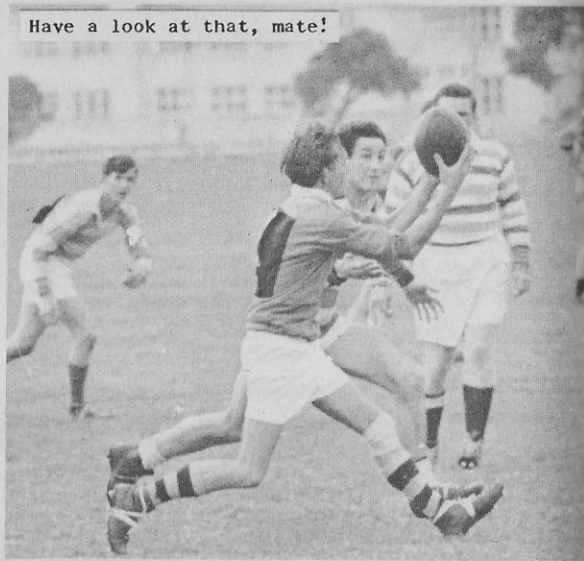
We were invited along to the first rugby game between Burgess Fraser's and A.S. Patterson. The young fry on the staff got together and between them provided some fast and exciting football. But animosity ran high. The BF team won by 17-6, but there is a protest still being considered about the referee. The ASP crowd reckon that the ref was paid by the BF mob. Looks as though the ref will have the pea from his whistle confiscated!



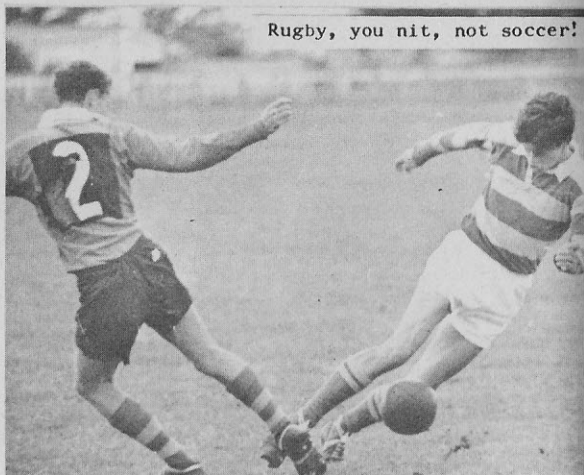
BF about to come down



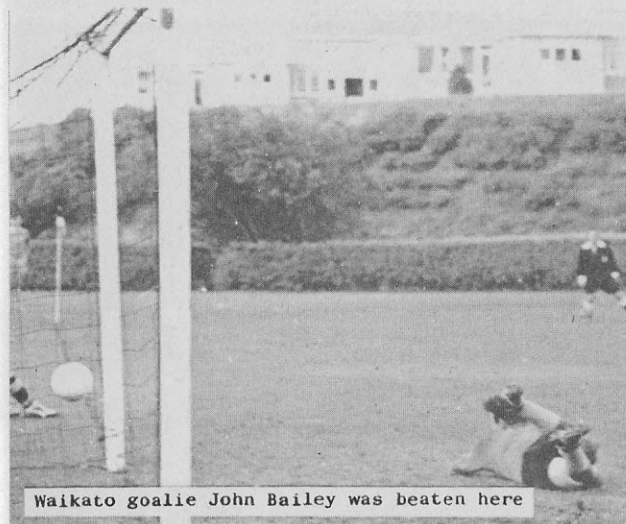
Cor, that's not cricket!



Have a look at that, mate!



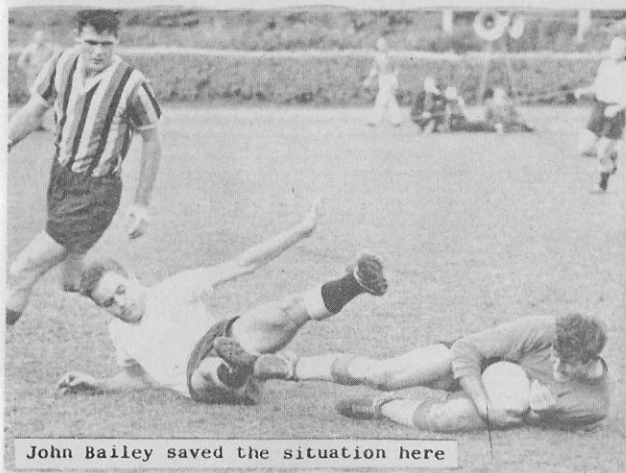
Rugby, you nit, not soccer!



Waikato goalie John Bailey was beaten here



Centre forward B.Horsfall gets his kick in



John Bailey saved the situation here

CLUBS AND ORGANISATIONS—
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FROM YOU AT ANY TIME — IF THERE IS
SOMETHING "COMING UP" CONTACT US!



Taranaki keeper K.Henderson in action

Taranaki Beats Fancied Waikato Soccer Team

Dominating play practically throughout the game, Taranaki beat the fancied Waikato team by 6-2 in a fast and exciting game at Western Park recently. After an even first half, the home team settled down to some fine football in the second spell to look every bit the victorious team it was.



Taranaki centre half, A.Williamson, clears.

Fire Engineers' Conference

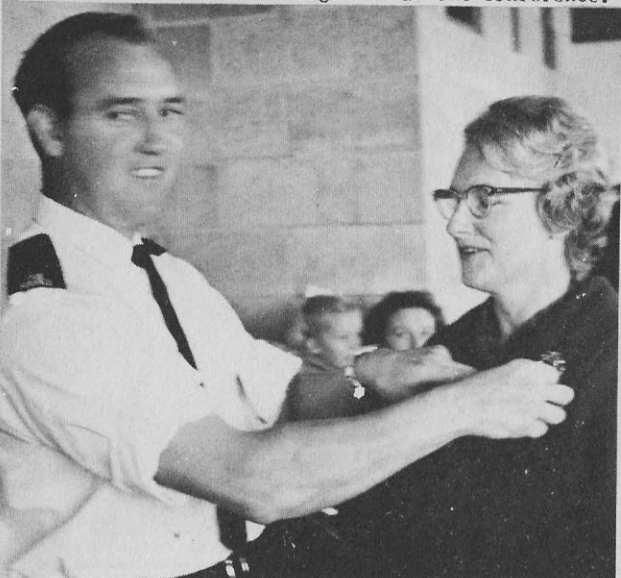


The annual conference of the Institution of Fire Engineers was recently held in the City's new Fire Headquarters. Delegates and their wives came from all parts of the country, and all were generous in their praise for the efficiency of the organisation.

Top: Opening the conference and welcoming the delegates to our city was the Mayor, Mr. A.G. Honnor.

Above: Recreation hall of the new fire station was filled with delegates.

Below, left: Mrs. Evy Corry gets her name sticker from John Cameron. Below, right: Barry Hartley watches as Mr. B. Weston signs in at the conference.



Okato Y.F.C. Concert

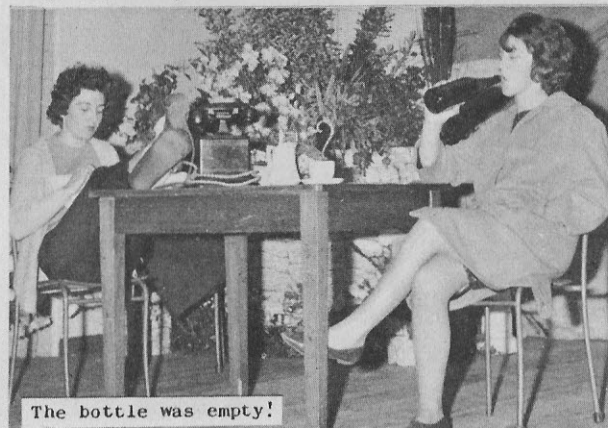


Singing farmers: C. Riordan, I. Trim, R. Neilson, P. Coxhead, N. Coxhead and B. McFetridge.



The company on stage

Two performances of the Okato YFC concert, "Wouldn't It Be Lovely", drew fairly full houses to the Hempton Hall. The show was not quite up to the usual high standard, but it was enjoyed by all who saw it. Perhaps a few more musical items would have moved the show along at a faster pace. Nevertheless, a good effort on the part of the Young Farmers.



The bottle was empty!



Wedding anniversary with H. Ashkey and P. Furze.



Wedding Bells

Above: MOFFETT-HOLDEN. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Diane, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.S. Holden, NP, to Harold, fourth son of Mr and Mrs J. Moffett, Puniho. The bridesmaids were Shirley Dawson, NP, and Jan Holden, sister of the bride, NP. The groom's attendants were his brothers Will and Lindsay Moffett, Puniho, Future home, Puniho.

Below: HARRIS-ALBRECHTSEN. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Lynne Christine, youngest daughter of Mrs O. Albrechtsen, NP, and the late Mr Albrechtsen, to Donald Gordon, twin son of Mr and Mrs I. Harris, NP. The bridesmaids were Janet Slater, Hawera, Diane McAulay, Whangarei, and Lynn Morris, NP. The best man was Kevin Wood, NP, and the groomsmen were David Harris, twin brother of the groom, and Danny Parker, both NP. Future home, New Plymouth.



Gary Beavan makes a sale



Lynda Thompson and Mark Johnston were in charge of the magazine stall



Ivy Evans did some brisk business

Bring And Buy For Starving Indians

Organised by the Salvation Army Bible Class, a Bring and Buy was recently held in the Marfell Block to raise funds for the starving in India. It was a successful day for the young people who ran the stall, and over £17 was raised. We think this a fine effort and congratulate those concerned.



General view of the trading stall and its many customers

Music Festival

Over 1,000 people recently crowded into the Francis Douglas College Assembly Hall for the annual Post-Primary Schools' Music Festival. It was a delightful evening's entertainment, with choirs from most of the schools in Taranaki providing good singing and entertainment in a varied programme.

Right: Stratford THS Choir in action.

Below: The Inglewood High School's Choir and Orchestra.

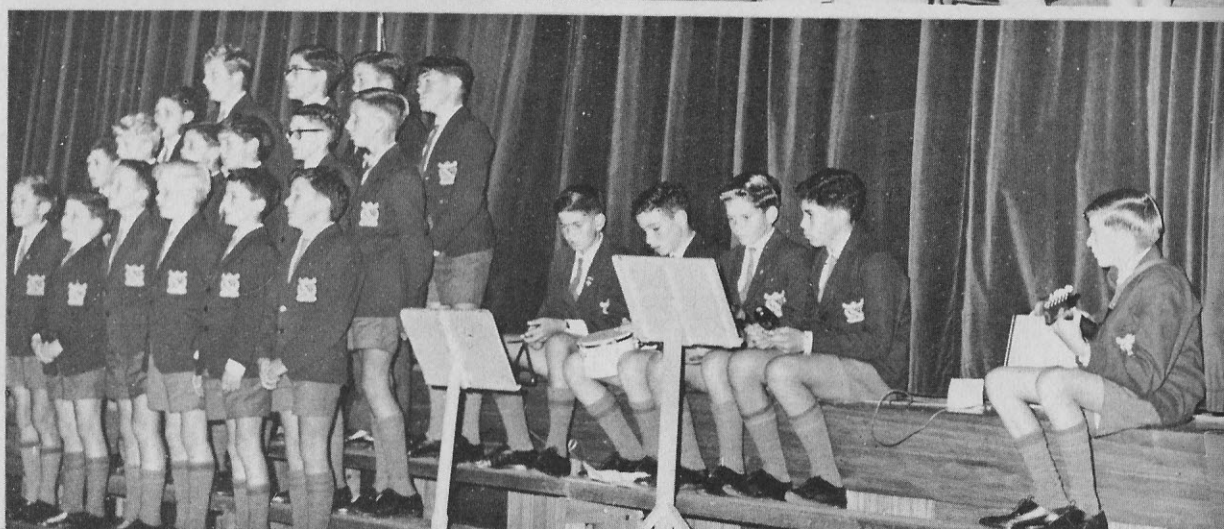
Bottom: Francis Douglas third formers complete with instruments.



Sacred Heart Girls' College, NP, choir was both neat in appearance and song.



Maori group from the Waitara High School



Massed choir from the Spotswood College was the largest choir of the evening

New Plymouth Girls' High School choir



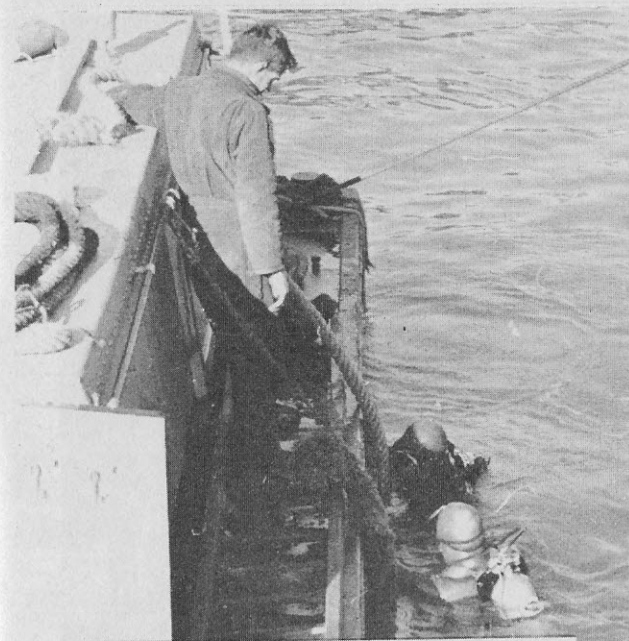
St.Mary's School, Stratford, was a well-trained group.



Hawera High School's band is the best in the province

Victim Of Rough Seas

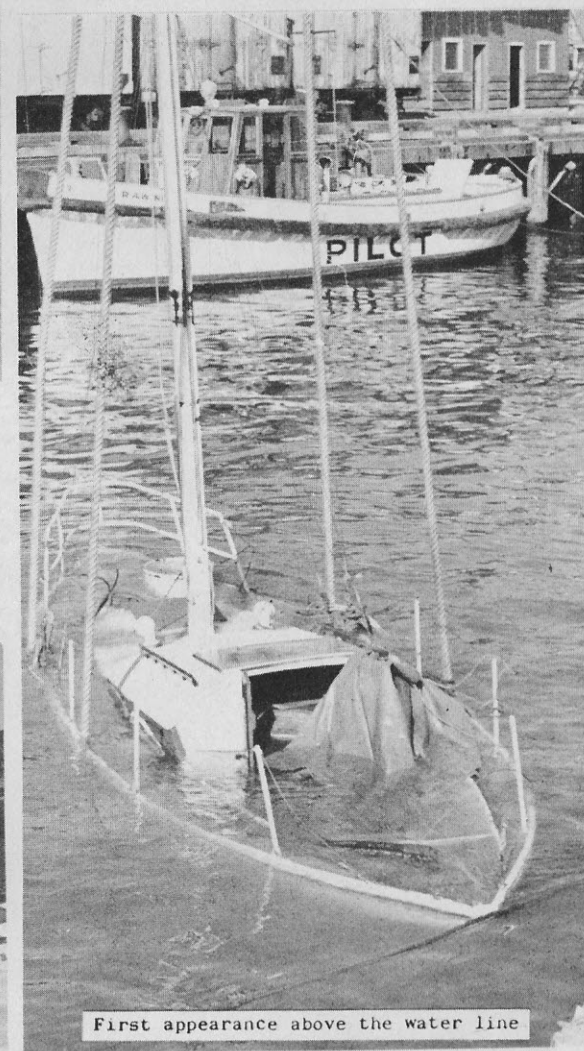
Rough seas at Ngamotu recently had the disastrous effect of sinking one of the keelers moored off the beach. The 28-foot boat, the "Lady Yvonne" sank at its moorings, and was later salvaged by Harbour Board workmen. Owner of the vessel, Mr M.R.Candy, Stratford, spent some anxious moments when the keeler was hauled clear of the water and finally reflated.



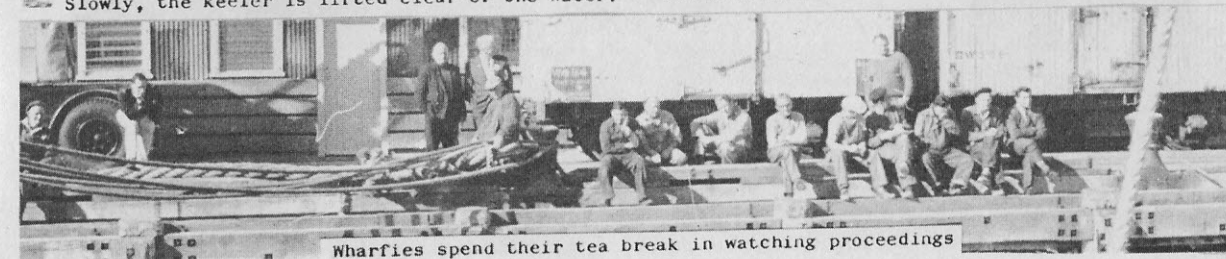
Harbour Board divers W.Sharpe and B.Jones prepare to go down to put a rope cradle around the sunken keeler.



Slowly, the keeler is lifted clear of the water.



First appearance above the water line



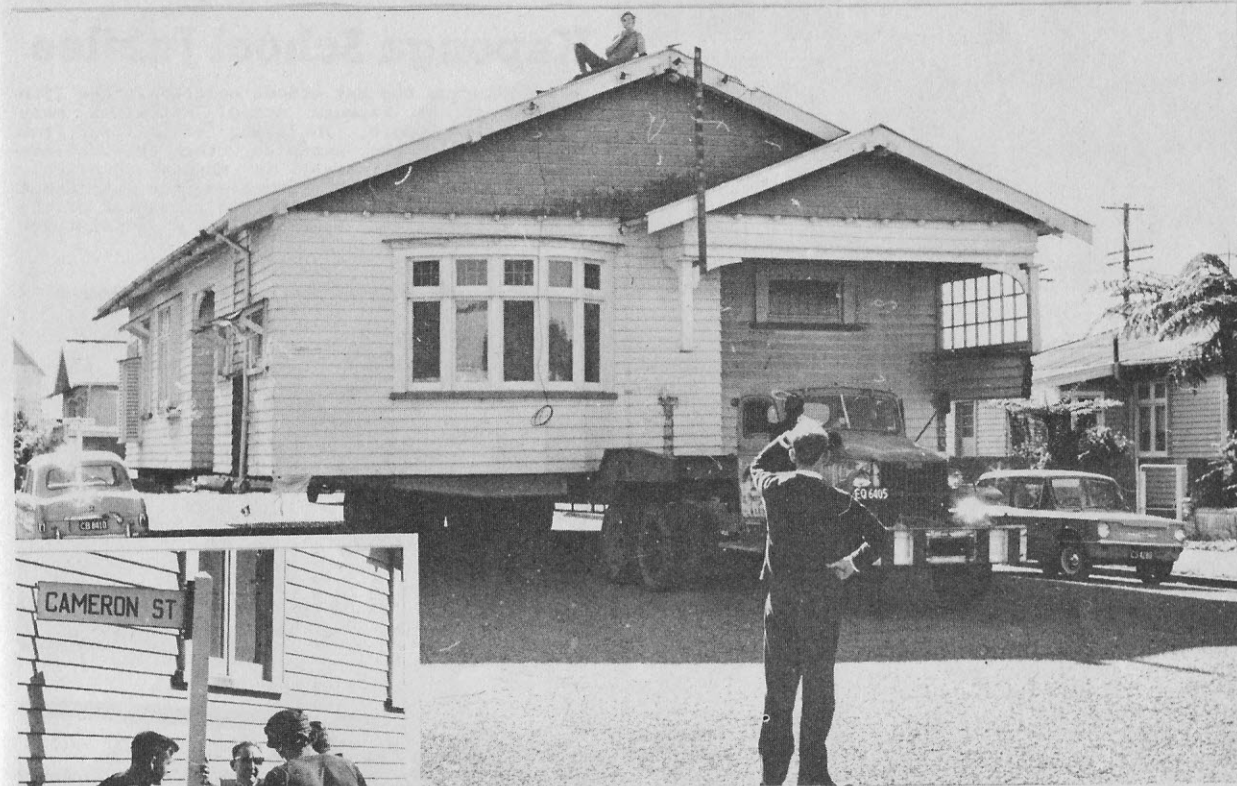
Wharfies spend their tea break in watching proceedings



Wedding Bells

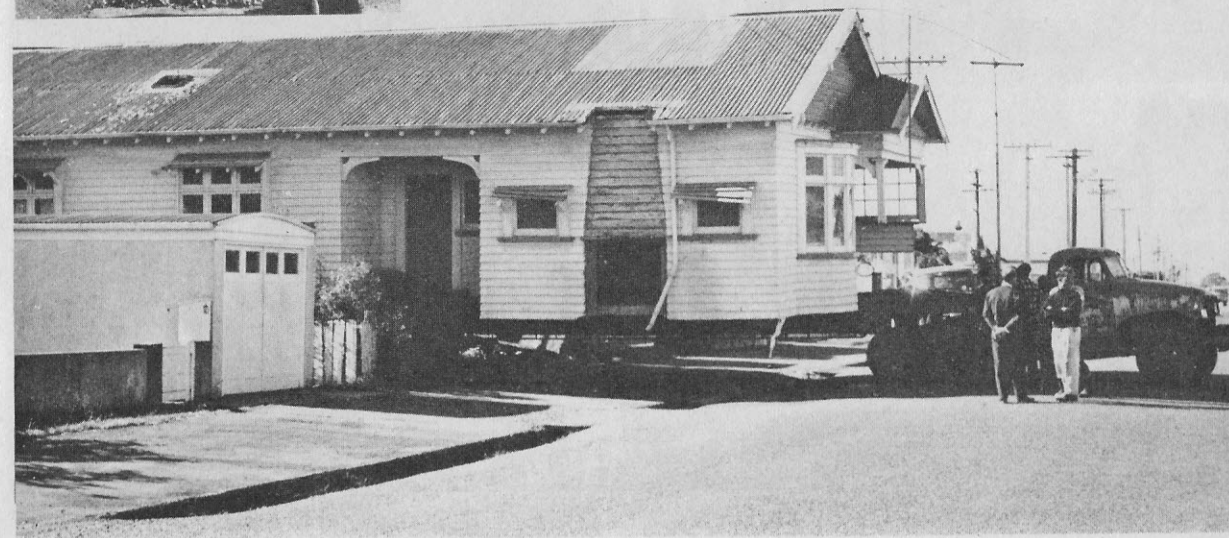
Above: WHITISKIE-CAMPBELL. At St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Patea, Laura, second daughter of Mrs G.H. Campbell, Manutahi, to William George, only son of Mr and Mrs L. Whitiskie, Hokitika. The bridesmaids were Jillian Bourke, Patea, and Linda and Judith Campbell, sisters of the bride, Manutahi. Robert Anderson, Ohakea, was the best man and Gordon Heron, Ohakea, was the groomsman. Future home, Bulls. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: DAVIES-BEALE. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Hawera, Patricia, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.H. Beale, Normanby, to Noel, second son of Mr and Mrs J.H.K. Davies, Pukekohe. The bridesmaid was Linda Beale, sister of the bride, Normanby, and the best man was Ken Armstrong, Pukekohe. The flower-girl was Margaret Brown, Stratford. Future home, Pukekohe. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).



Housemoving Problems

A fairly large house was recently removed from Courtney Street to a new site. There appeared to be lots of things in the way, as the movers progressed. In our photograph above, Cameron Street was only just about wide enough to accommodate the load. Some of the parked cars were very near to the moving house. **Left:** On the corner of Cameron Street, the signpost was in the way, so it had to be removed to allow the truck to get round the corner. **Below:** The start of the move presented problems, with the narrow gap it had to negotiate. Despite all these obstacles, the house was duly transported in one piece, with no damage done anywhere.





Kaponga School Jubilee

Held during the May school holidays, the 75th jubilee of the Kaponga school attracted many hundreds of people, including ex-pupils, from all parts of the Dominion. The celebrations lasted from Friday night to Monday afternoon, and concluded with a street parade of about fifty floats. **Left:** Leo Abbott, president of the jubilee committee, speaks at the official function and roll call.



Still plenty left in the first decade



Even more from the third decade attended



And more still in the fourth decade

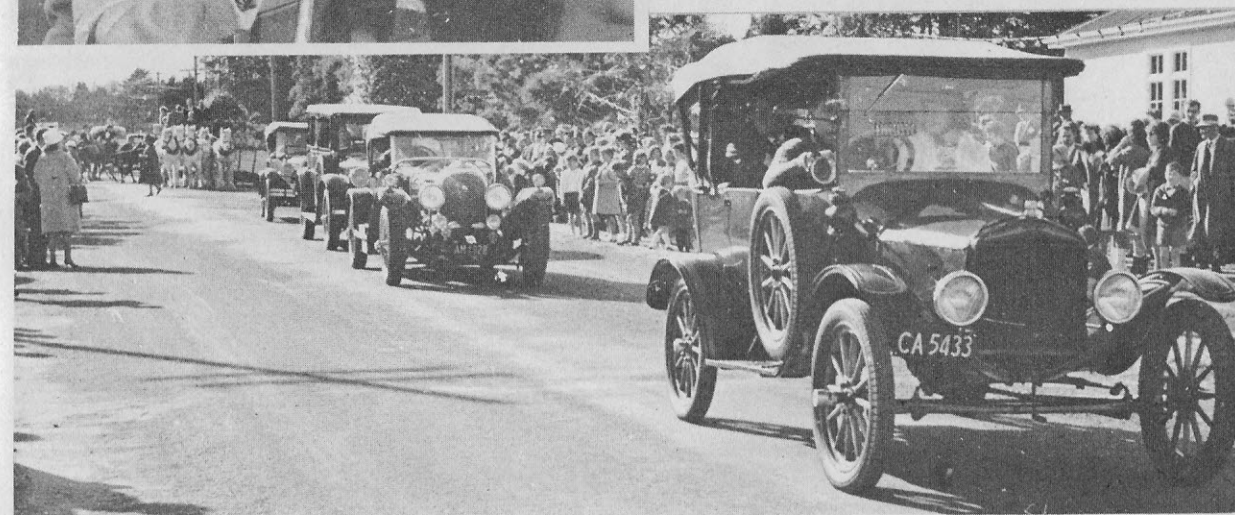


Above, left: Norman Hollard, a first-day pupil, had the honour of cutting the celebration cake.

Above: Norman Hollard and Leo Abbott watch as George Dixon, another first-day pupil, gets a kiss from Wendy Mallard, a present-day pupil.

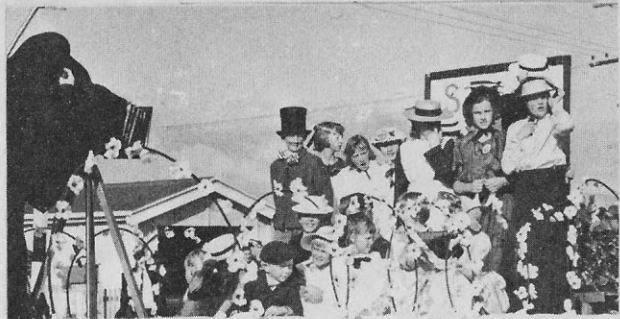
Left: Old-timers had plenty to talk about at the jubilee.

Below: Some really old cars paraded in the parade.





Looks like they ran out of horses!



Photography in the old days



Red Cross float was colourful



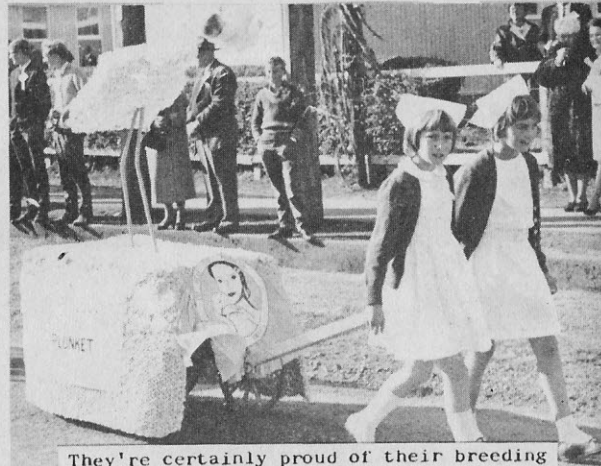
All horses come out of retirement for a parade



We can't contradict that!



Takes one back a bit, eh?



They're certainly proud of their breeding capabilities in Kaponga



Wedding Bells

Above: CREAGH-BROSAN. At the Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Heather Ellen, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs M.A.Voullaire, NP, to Trevor Leslie, third son of Mr and Mrs A.R.Creagh, Hawera. The bridesmaids were Faye Brosnan, sister of the bride, NP, and Gaylene Thompson, Wanganui. The best man was John Ramsay, NP, and the groomsman was David Brosnan, brother of the bride, NP. Future home will be New Plymouth. (VOGUE STUDIOS)

Below: COURTNEY-MANNING. At St.Mary's Church, NP, Diane Mary, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.A. Manning, NP, to Dennis Lesley, youngest son of Mr and Mrs G.Courtney, Cambridge. The bridesmaids were Diane Fensom, Hamilton, and Raewyn Jury, NP. John Parsons, Roto Rangi, was the best man and John Jury, NP, was the groomsman. The flower-girls were Sheryl and Maree Williams, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.





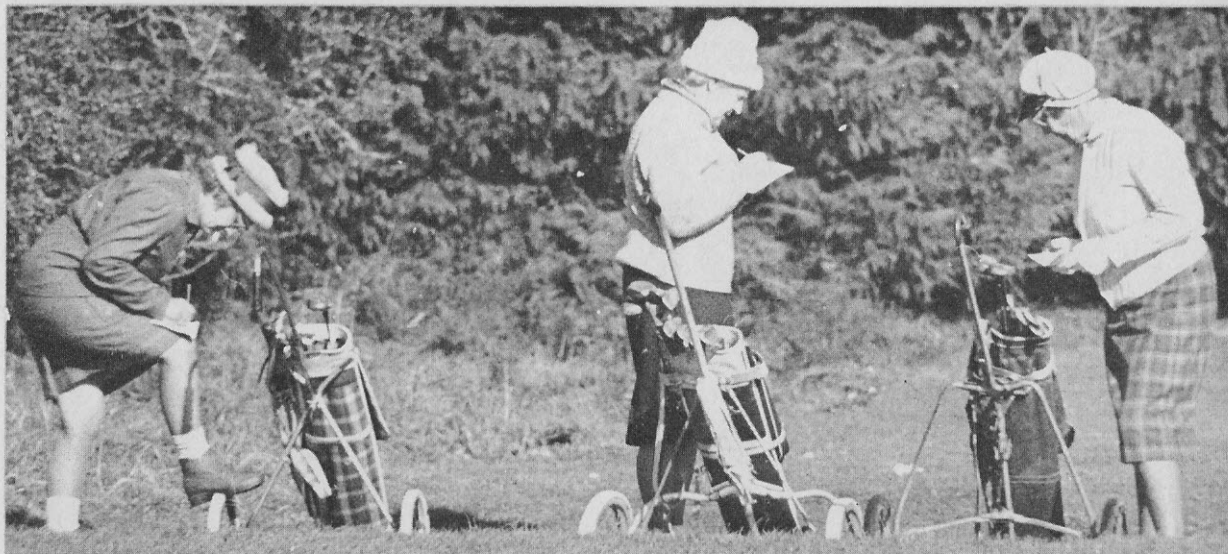
Veteran Golfers

Stratford was the venue for the annual women's veteran golf tournament. The contest attracted over ninety players from all the clubs in the province. It was a cold, though bright, day at Stratford, yet not one of these oldies complained about the weather. Of course, they were all well wrapped against the elements; in fact most had more wool on than some of our sheep! But who could blame them, even our photographer complained about the bitter weather.

Above: A four on the green watch as one player attempts to sink a long putt.

Right: Some of the clothing was quite distinctive, with a trend towards the "mod".

Below: Hallo, someone cooking the scorecards?





GOLFING STYLES

Here are some of the golfing styles photographed at the recent veteran women's tournament at Stratford.

Above, from left: Mrs. G. Pennington, Waitara, lines up her putt. Centre: Mrs. B. Hunger Te Ngutu, driving off the tee. Right: Mrs. I. Spedding, Stratford.

Below, from left: Mrs. L. Maull, Patea, Mrs. R. Davies, NP, Mrs. M. Johnstone, Stratford, Mrs. W. Middleton, NP, on the tee.

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Lighting the candles on the birthday cake is Mrs A.M. Asquith, assisted by the president, Mrs F.M. Gower.



Fanning the candles out is Mrs. E. Humphrey



Moturoa C.W.I. 21st Birthday

A pleasant afternoon, with representatives from branches throughout the province, was recently enjoyed at the 21st birthday celebrations of the Moturoa C.W.I. An afternoon's programme of sketches and items marked the occasion. **Above:** Over a hundred women were present at this social function.

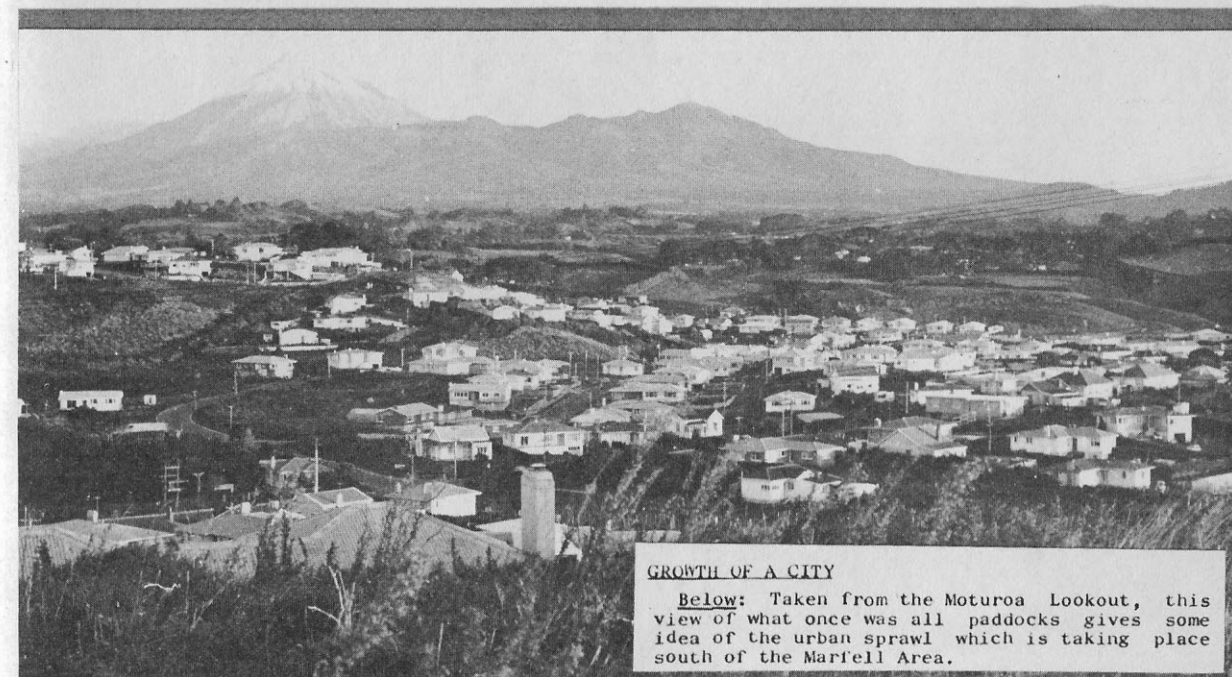


Cutting the cake is Mrs E. Christmas



Children Raise Over £15 For Charity

We've published pictures of these kids before, but feel that what they are doing is a credit to them and their parents. The two Callender children, Laurie and Janet, along with Violet Flaszynski, all of Clemow Road, recently ran a street stall, and raised over £15 for the St. John Ambulance fund. Well done, kids! **Above:** Here the three start business, which was brisk to say the least. **Right:** There were plenty of discriminating buyers like these.



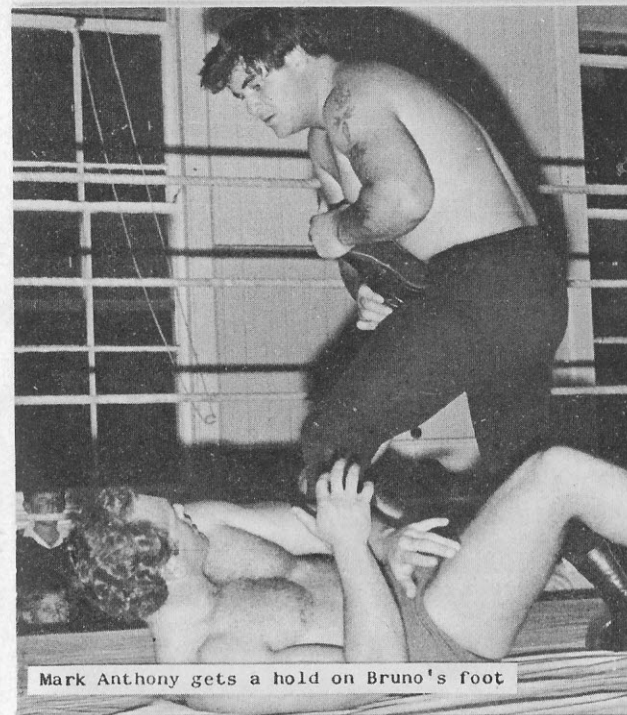
GROWTH OF A CITY

Below: Taken from the Moturoa Lookout, this view of what once was all paddocks gives some idea of the urban sprawl which is taking place south of the Marfell Area.

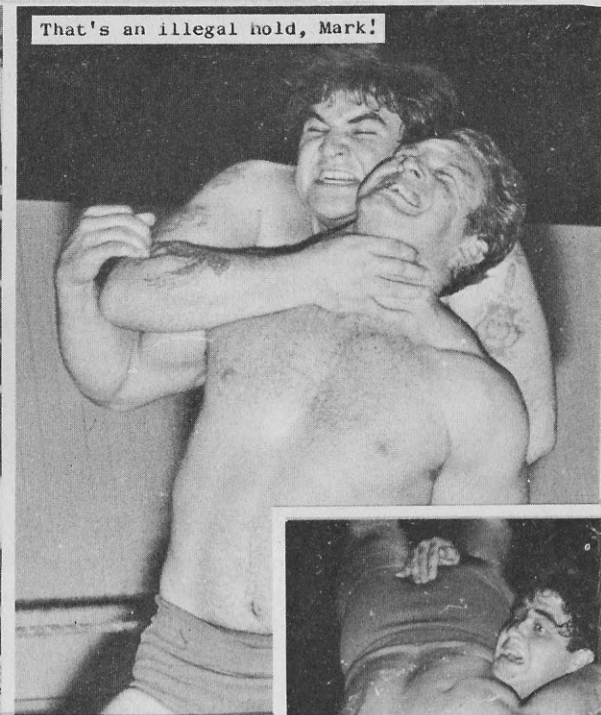
Married

Right: WATKINS-BLACK-STOCK. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Jean Margaret, only daughter of Mrs D.Blackstock, NP, to Brian Richard, eldest son of Mr R. Blackstock, Waitara, and the late Mrs Blackstock. The bridesmaid was Marina Blackstock, Stratford, and the best man was David Watkins, brother of the groom, Waitara. Future home, Hamilton. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: HARRIS-SUTHERLAND. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Adrienne, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs G.E.Sutherland, NP, to Graham, only son of Mr and Mrs L.W. Harris, Inglewood. The bridesmaids were Denise Sutherland, Barbara Walker, Suzanne Orr and Marie Sutherland. Best man was John Burwell, and the groomsman was Alan Beadle. Future home, Waitara. (VOGUE).



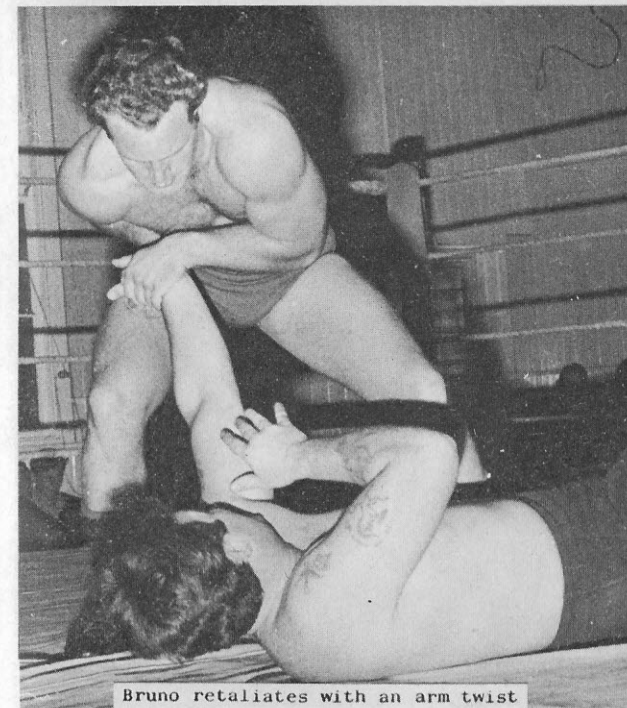
Mark Anthony gets a hold on Bruno's foot



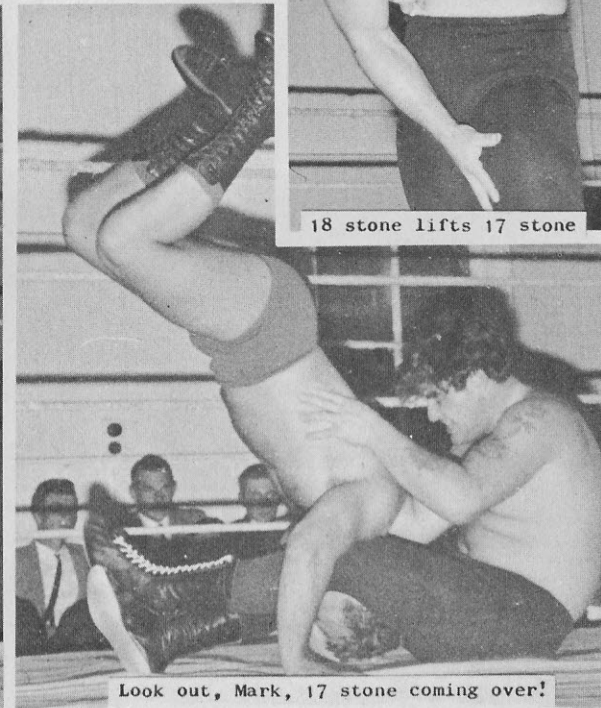
That's an illegal hold, Mark!

Popular Win For Bruno Ashby

First big bout of the season for the Taranaki Wrestling Association was a lively affair between Bruno Ashby and Australian Mark Anthony. It was a torrid affair, with Ashby winning by two falls to one, after some very rough and exciting wrestling. The hall was filled to capacity for this bout and with more bouts of this nature coming up, the association will have to find a larger hall.

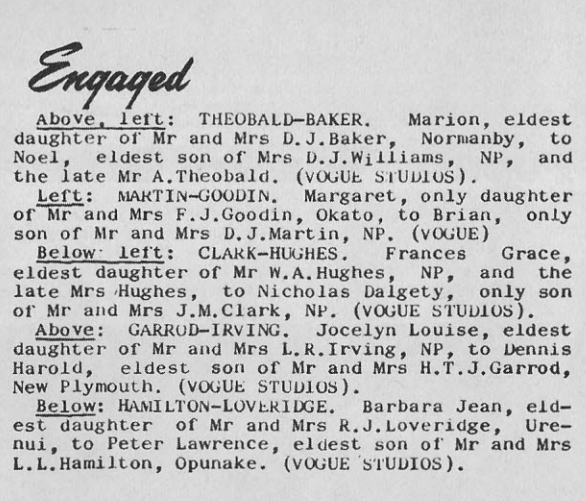


Bruno retaliates with an arm twist



18 stone lifts 17 stone

Look out, Mark, 17 stone coming over!



Engaged

Above, left: THEOBALD-BAKER. Marion, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs D.J.Baker, Normanby, to Noel, eldest son of Mrs D.J.Williams, NP, and the late Mr A.Theobald. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Left: MARTIN-GOODIN. Margaret, only daughter of Mr and Mrs F.J.Goodin, Okato, to Brian, only son of Mr and Mrs D.J.Martin, NP. (VOGUE)

Below left: CLARK-HUGHES. Frances Grace, eldest daughter of Mr W.A.Hughes, NP, and the late Mrs Hughes, to Nicholas Dalgety, only son of Mr and Mrs J.M.Clark, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above: GARROD-IRVING. Jocelyn Louise, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.R.Irving, NP, to Dennis Harold, eldest son of Mr and Mrs H.T.J.Garrod, New Plymouth. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: HAMILTON-LOVERIDGE. Barbara Jean, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.J.Loveridge, Urenui, to Peter Lawrence, eldest son of Mr and Mrs L.L.Hamilton, Opunake. (VOGUE STUDIOS).



Richie Nikorima gets stuck in



Some Taranaki tackles were certainly determined

Taranaki's League Team Beaten

Playing its first representative fixture of the season against Wellington, the Taranaki League team was soundly thrashed by 50-7 points at Pukekura Park recently. There was a good crowd present to witness some thrilling football by Wellington who completely overshadowed the home team. Right from the start they dominated the play and never let up right to the end.



Rex Isaacs made quite a few good runs



J.O'Sullivan disputes possession



Tamati, Baldwin and O'Sullivan on the attack

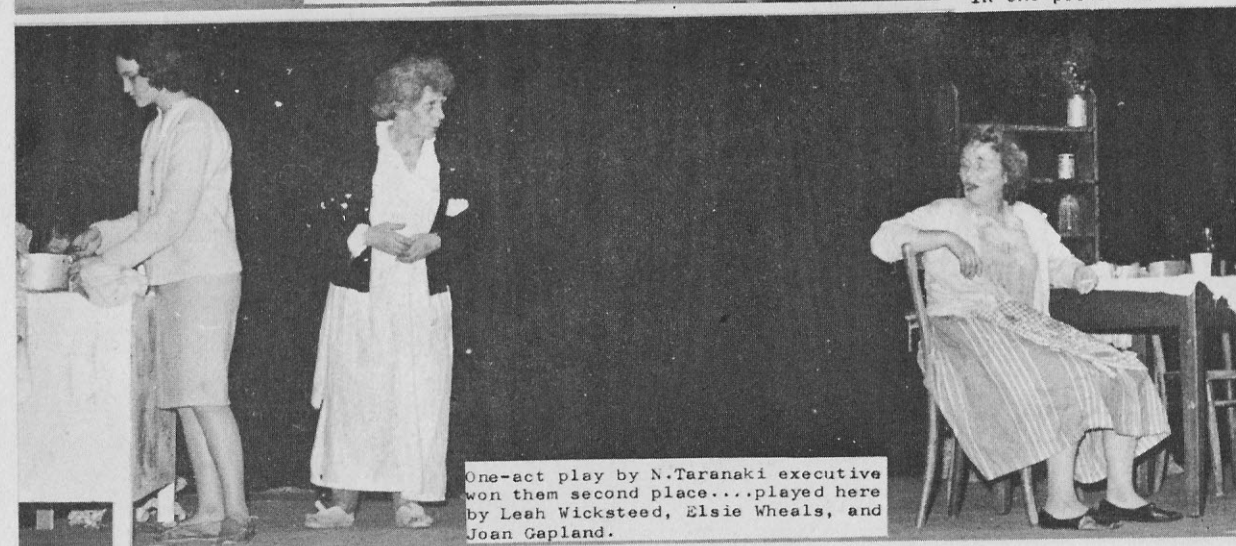


Huiranga CWI play their set piece in the drama festival

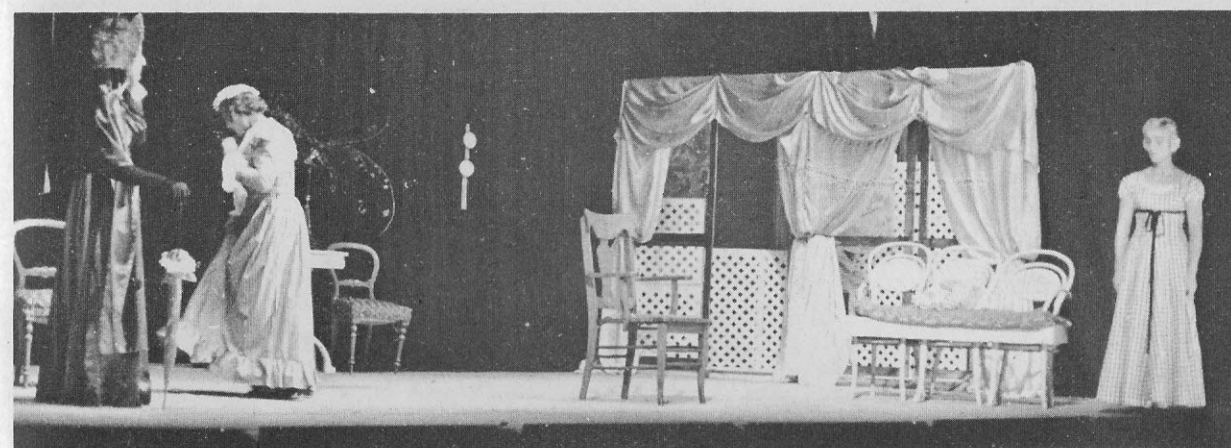
C.W.I. Festival

The CWI recently organised an Arts Festival at the NP War Memorial Hall. Among the arts on show was sewing, crafts, cooking, woolcraft, floral art, photography and art. The festival was an outstanding success, and looks like becoming an annual event.

Above: Official party at the opening of the festival, showing Mrs K.Wicksteed, the president of CWI in the province.



One-act play by N.Taranaki executive won them second place....played here by Leah Wicksteed, Elsie Wheals, and Joan Gapland.



Top: Eltham CWI in the set piece of the CWI Drama Festival, "L a d y Catherine's Visit".

Above: Players of the Westown CWI, winners of the one-act play section with its "Dangerous Twilight". In the play were Vicky Riordan, May Tullett, Dorothy Wharehoka and Mary Ballantyne.

Right: Third formers of the NP Boys' High School performing in the recent post-primary schools' Music Festival.



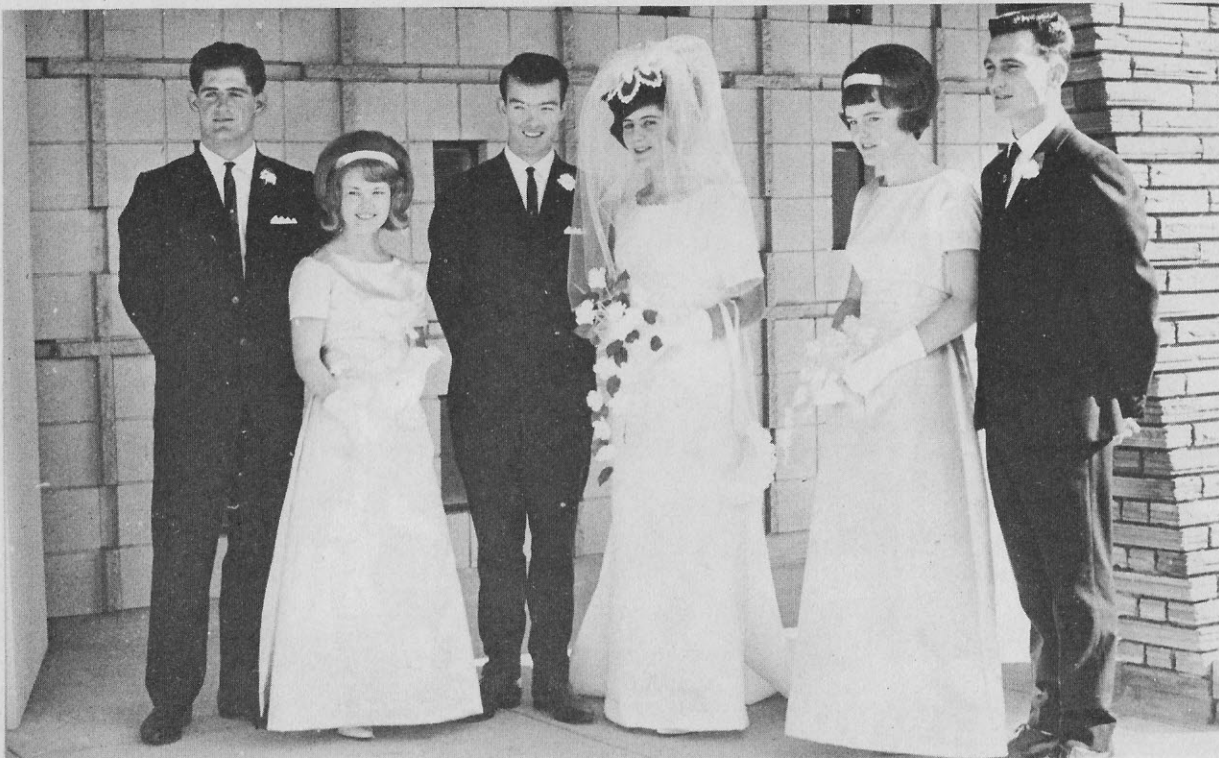
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Wedding Bells

Above: FIFIELD-DALLY. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Christine, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A.E. Dally, NP, to Rex, second son of Mr and Mrs L.G. Fifield, NP. The bridesmaids were Pauline Honeyfield, NP, and Brenda Dally, sister of the bride, NP. Colin Cutforth, NP, was the best man, and Kieth Fifield, brother of the groom, NP, was the groomsman. Future home, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: OLLEY-READER. At the Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Doreen Joyce, only daughter of Mr and Mrs E.H. Reader, Pungarehu, to Dawson William, second son of Mr and Mrs W.D. Olley, Okato. The bridesmaids were Marilyn Olley, sister of the groom, NP, and Merie Stott, NP. Ivan Reader, brother of the bride, Petone, was the best man, and Ray Roberts, NP, was the groomsman. Future home, Auroa.

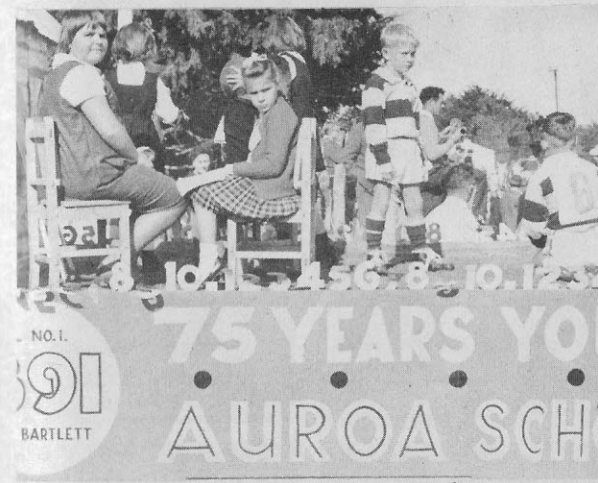


The school's own float

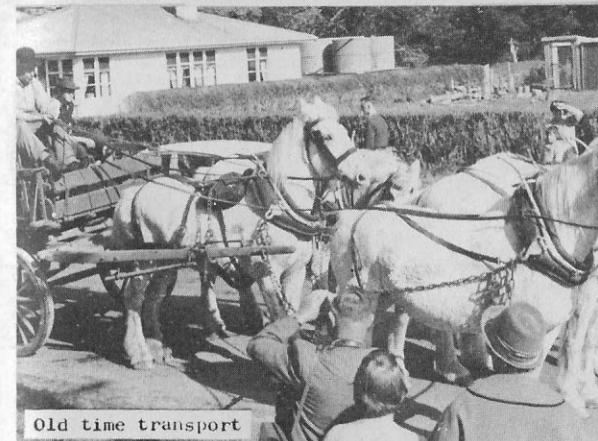


Auroa School Jubilee

Nearly five hundred people attended the recent Auroa school's 75th jubilee, which began with a dinner in the Kaponga Hall and concluded with the official roll call and decade photographs three days later. Prior to the roll call, a parade of floats was held, which included some forty floats representing every organisation in the district.



Some kids looked bored!



Old time transport



Modern transport...decorated



Out for a Sunday afternoon drive



Cricket Club's "claims"



This takes one back a bit



Jocelyn Black won
Tiny Tots section



Elaine Fergusson



Clare Williams



Karen Saxton



Dawn Ogle



Jennifer Livingstone



Beverley Ogle



Cheryl Butler

Wool Night at Hawera

More than 800 people attended a wool night organised by the South Taranaki branch of the WDF, and held in the Memorial Hall. The evening took the form of a mannequin parade of woollen fashion clothes made by members of the WDF, and this parade proved to be a big success, as clothes were paraded by tiny tots, right up to the mature women's styles. An interesting talk was given by Miss Joan Young, the Wool Board's education officer. Below: This photograph shows part of the well-filled hall.



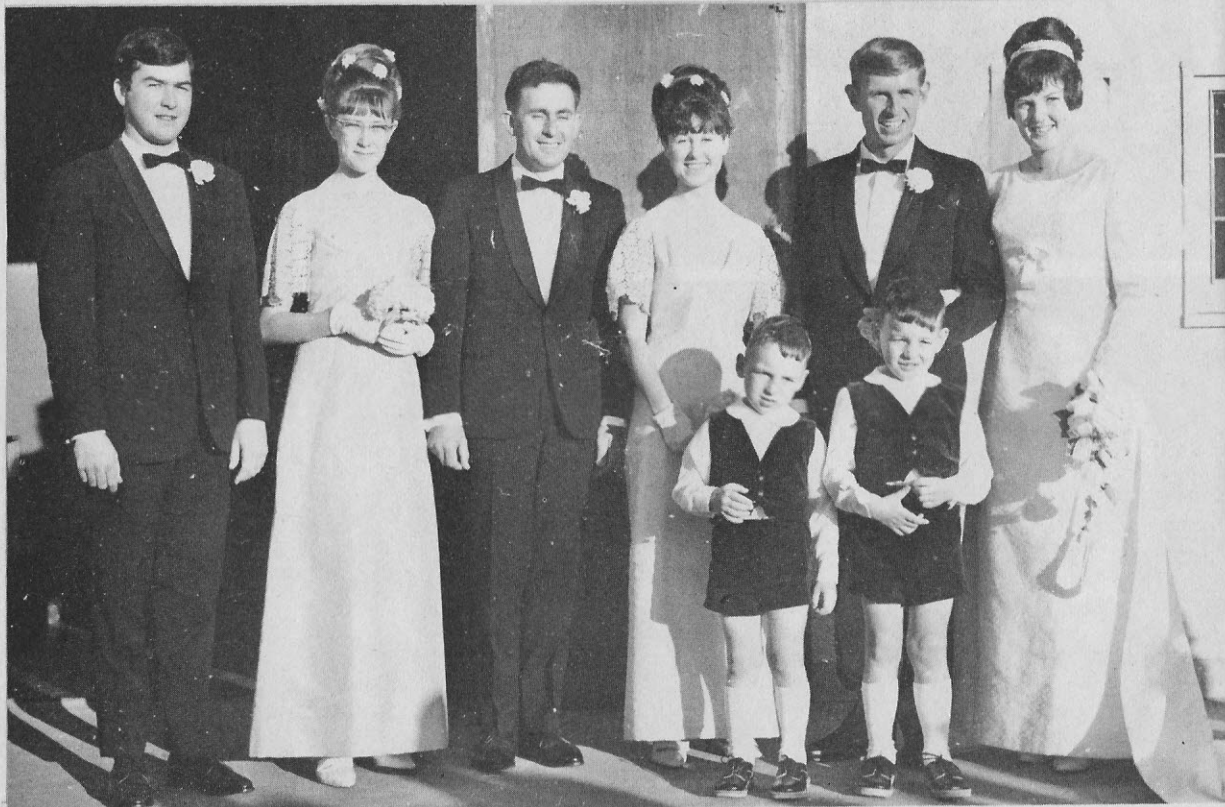
Above, from left: Alison McNeil Adams, winner of the High School girls' section, Mrs June Ogle, Mrs Jean Huckstep, and Mrs Joyce Butler. Far left: Mrs Irene Fergusson, second in the open class, and left: Mrs Doreen Barnes, winner of the open section. Below, from left: Alison Livingstone, Margaret Fowler, Mrs D. Wallace and Mrs Barbara Cocker, third in the open section.



Married

Right: DYE-PATRICK. At St. Luke's Methodist Church, Westown, Valerie, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs A. E. Patrick, NP, to Peter only son of Mr and Mrs S. I. Dye, Palmerston North. The bridesmaids were sisters of the bride, Marion and Christine Patrick, NP. The best man was Jim Higgins, Palmerston North. Future home, NP.

Below: ZIELTJES-CROWLEY. At the Fitzroy Catholic Church, Pauline, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs D.B. Crowley, Bell Block, to Tony, youngest son of Mr and Mrs J. Zieltjes, Whangarei. The bridesmaids were Ann James and Jill Crowley, sister of the bride. Best man was Fred Salisbury, and the groomsmen were Selwyn Maynard. Page boys were Roger and John Zieltjes. The future home, Whangarei.



Wyn Sheard won a number of trophies



Don Blackburn



Certificate for Jack Harwood from Clem Lawson.

Car Club Presentations

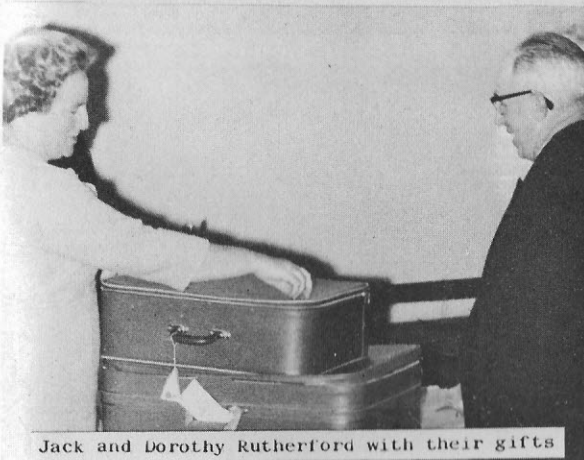
The Taranaki Car Club recently held its annual social and presentation of trophies won during the season. Also on the agenda was a presentation to Mr and Mrs Jack Rutherford, who were to leave for overseas. Jack had been the secretary of the club for a number of years.



Another trophy for Don Blackburn



Past president Keith Hughes and Mrs and Mr Jack Rutherford



Jack and Dorothy Rutherford with their gifts



Helen Blackburn got a trophy too



Masonic Debutantes Presented

Here are four of the pretty debutantes who were presented at the recent Masonic Ball in New Plymouth. Far left: Lynette, only daughter of Mr and Mrs J.J. Priest, NP. Left: Cheryl, only daughter of Mr and Mrs M.L. Eddlestone, NP. Right, and far right: Gail, the eldest and Christine, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Les Houston, New Plymouth. (VOGUE STUDIOS).



N.Z. Champion

New Plymouth's Errol Mason, who recently won the NZ Open Cornet Championship for the third successive year at the NZ Brass Band Championships held at Dunedin. He also came second in the Champion of Champions. Probably the top cornetist in New Zealand, he is a member of the NP City Band.

Litter Bugs In Town

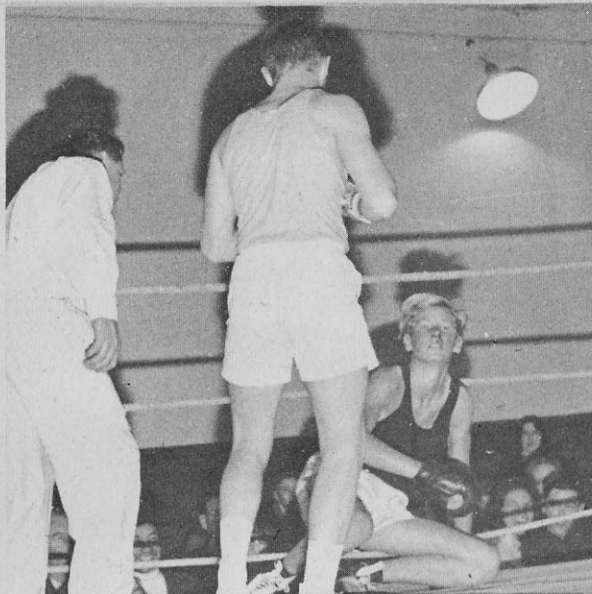
One of our readers rang us one Sunday morning because he objected to some of the litter that was on view in our city. We took out our camera and recorded his complaint, and a very justifiable one it was too. Just think what visitors to our city would think if they saw such a mess! Both these photographs, Arikī Street, left, and Devon Street East, right, are areas where there is a shop open over the week-end which specialises in "Take-away" meals. Something should be done about this, as we don't want this scene as part of our "Scenic City".



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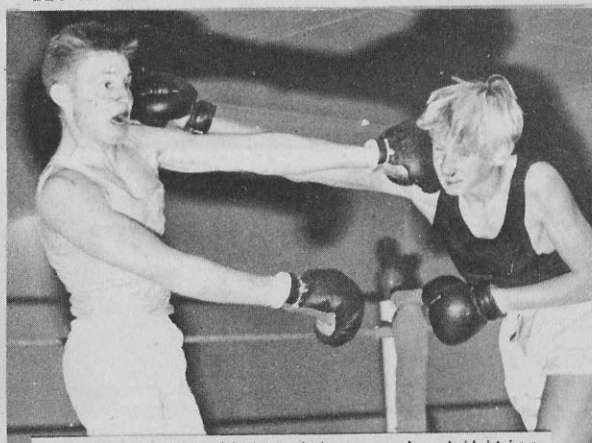
D. Hamilton, Opunake, floored R. Parrent, Oakura, but he came back.....

Packed House For Oakura Boxing

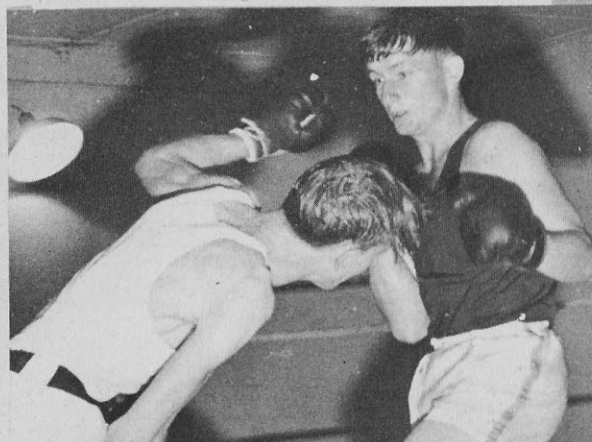
Boxing seems to have taken a shot in the arm at Oakura. The local club now has quite a few promising youngsters, and the first tournament of the season was recently held there, with a packed hall of enthusiasts from all parts of the province. And what was more, they were treated to a good night of boxing with some excellent bouts on the programme.



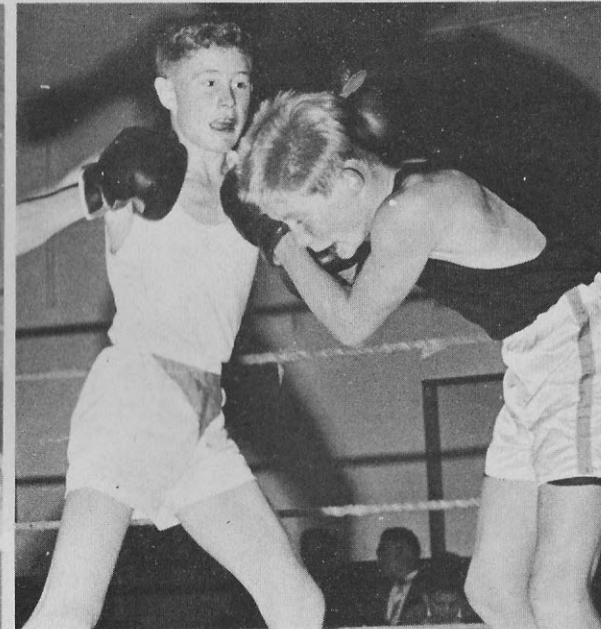
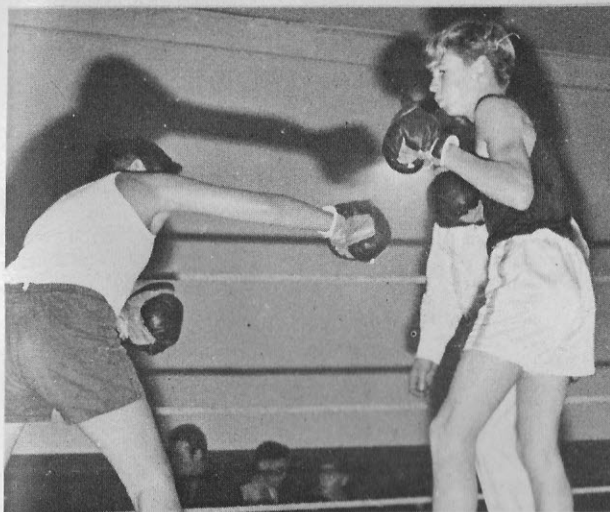
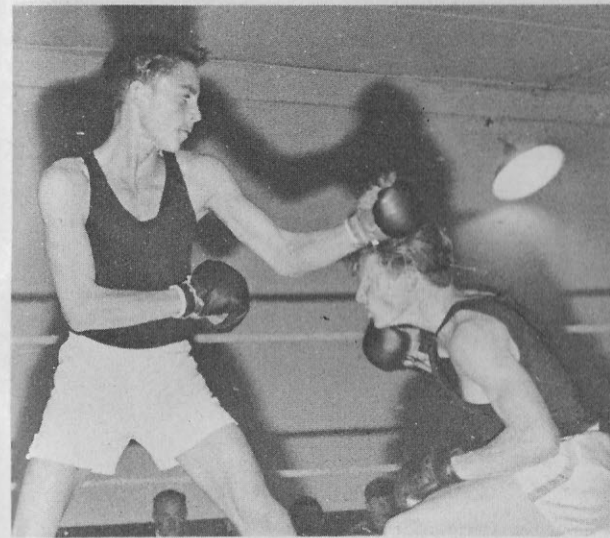
Advice from the ringside



....to win the fight with a good exhibition



Shorty Clements, Waitara, left, fights Martin Ryan, Oakura, who was making his last appearance before turning to training.



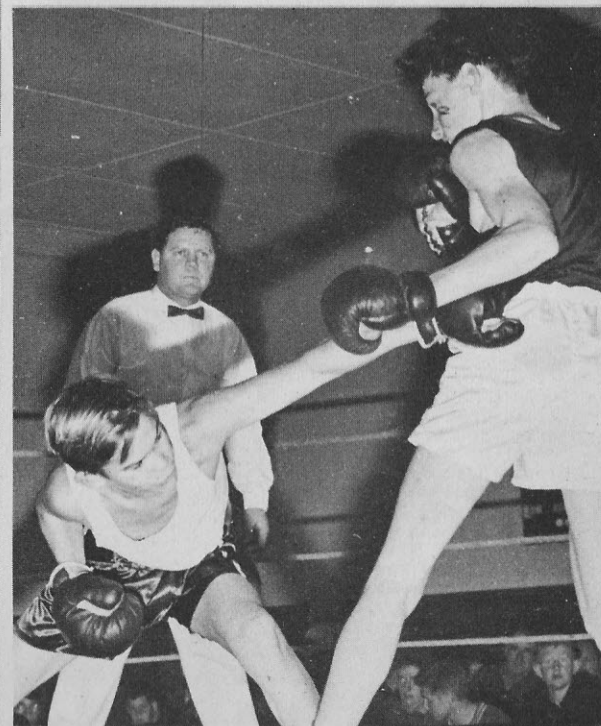
Above, left: Dong on the head for J. Drury, Oakura, from A. Boilan, Manaia.

Left: Drury came back with a smart attack that had Boilan wondering.

Below, left: N. Clarence, Oakura, steps out of range of this body attack from W. Constable, Hawera.

Above: D. Crow, Waitara, lands a two-handed attack to his opponent.

Below: P. Williams, Eltham, tries a long left, but P. Ryan, Oakura, slips out of its way.



Married

Right: NEWMAN-LOVERIDGE. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Heather Alexis, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs R. J. Loveridge, Urenui, to Peter John, youngest son of Mr and Mrs E. F. Newman, NP. The bridesmaids were Kathleen Newman, Margaret and Barbara Loveridge. Bryan Rose was best man and Roger Newman and Robert Loveridge were the groomsmen. Future home, Waitara.



Left: AINSWORTH-ROBINSON. At the Salvation Army Citadel, NP, Pamela Ann, only daughter of Mr and Mrs J. A. Robinson, Wellington, to John, youngest son of Mrs F. Ainsworth, NP, and the late Mr Ainsworth. Sheryl Hensman was the bridesmaid and Douglas Smith, NP, was the best man. The wedding flower-girls were Joy Beggs and Glenys Smith. Future home, NP.

Right: LILE-NICKSON. At St. Joseph's Church, NP, Glenice Merle, the youngest daughter of Mrs E. Nickson, NP, to Addie Bernard, elder son of Mr and Mrs A. B. Lile, Huirangi. The bridesmaids were Pamela Hart, NP, Suzanne Yates, NP, and Christine Martin, NP. Best man was Bryan Rose, NP, and the groomsmen were Michael Crofsky, Inglewood. Future home, NP.



Girls' High School orchestra and choir entertain



Operation 21 Gets Under Way

Operation 21, an organisation that has a goal the alleviation of hunger throughout the world, recently launched its campaign in New Plymouth with a Sing-along in the Whiteley Methodist Church. A good crowd of something like 250 attended to hear some good music from the NPGHS Choir and orchestra, and a folk-singing group from St. Mary's Church. This would be the first time that music of this kind has been played in a church, and it was done as an experiment. As far as we could judge, the experiment was a complete success. This would be the first time in our lives that we have heard applause in a church, and it is to be hoped that this experiment will be repeated. We feel that it would help in filling the church more often.



Folk-singing group from St. Mary's Church, complete with guitars.



Inglewood Convent Jubilee

Just two weeks ago, the Inglewood convent celebrated its 60th jubilee. Nearly five hundred ex-pupils from many parts of the country attended the three days of celebrations, which began with a dinner, and ended with a ball. Here we show the first three decades of this get-together. Above: The first decade of pupils who attended the school between 1906 and 1916. Below: The second decade, larger than the first, of pupils in the 1917-1926 decade. Bottom: Larger still is the 1927-1936 group decade.



Part of the large crowd at the Inglewood convent jubilee



Sister-teachers of the convent received a brand new car from the parishioners, marking the jubilee.



Pat Julian, chairman of the jubilee committee, makes a speech of welcome to all the ex-pupils.



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450 ATTENDED INGLEWOOD CONVENT JUBILEE DINNER

Above, left: Cutting the jubilee cake are the oldest teacher and two of the oldest pupils. From left: Mr Heathcott Innes, Sister Pancracius and Miss Myra Priest.

Above: To build the Inglewood convent, a queen carnival was held in 1925, which raised enough money to do the job. At the jubilee was the winner of the queen carnival and the runner-up. Left: Valda Henderson, nee Burke, of Auckland, runner-up in the contest, and right, Dolly Mahon, nee Dodunski, who won the contest.

Below: Scene at the Inglewood High School's assembly hall for the dinner which followed the roll call and official opening of the jubilee.



Engaged

Above: **WRIGHT-ZIMMERMAN.** Margaret Jessie, the fourth daughter of Mr E.J. Zimmerman, Waitoitoi, and the late Mrs Zimmerman, to David Edward, youngest son of Mr and Mrs E.J. Wright, Pukearuhe. (VOGUE).

Below: **PORTER-GREEN.** Pamela Muriel, second daughter of Mr and Mrs C.H. Green, Toko, to Leslie Allan, only son of Mr and Mrs G.A. Porter, Inglewood.

Above, right: **KELLY-McELROY.** Judith, second daughter of Mr and Mrs G.D. McElroy, Kaponga, to John, only son of Mr and Mrs T. Kelly, Kaponga. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Right: **FRANCIS-DOBROSKI.** Susanne Raye, second daughter of Mr and Mrs W.F. Dobroski, Kakaramaea, to John Alexander, only son of Mr and Mrs H.A. Francis, Paraparaumu.

Below, right: **KNAPP-HAUPAPA.** Karewai Yvonne, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs Haupapa, Manunui, to Milton Warren, second son of Mr and Mrs Knapp, Taumarunui.





Newall Road Farmers Honoured By Neighbours

Farmers of Newall Road, Okato, and those who had farmed there in the past were guests at a function honouring the retirement of brother and sister Ralph and May Cassie who had farmed in the Newall road since 1905. This is a long span to be connected with one farm, but high praise indeed was handed out to the Cassie's by the friends and neighbours who gathered for this function, some coming from as far as Christchurch and Hawkes Bay.

Above: Doug Fox, another with a long record in the district, who made a presentation on behalf of all the neighbours, is shown here between Ralph and May Cassie.

Below, left: There was even a celebration cake to be cut.

Below: Four of the older ones with Ralph and May. From left: May Cassie, Mrs W.H. Corkhill (the first teacher at Newall Road School), Alec and Ralph Cassie, Jessie Lancaster (another Cassie) and brother Stuart Cassie.



Hawera Anglican Ball Debs

Above: The nine debutantes who were presented at the St. Mary's Anglican Parish Ball at Hawera, and made their curtsies to the Ven.F.O. Ball, Archdeacon of Waitotara. Back row, from left: Ann Jones, Dianne Baker, Kay Minton, Jillian Laird and Irene Hooper. Front row: Shona Maclean, Lesley Ross, Gwendolyn Glentworth and Annette Jaspers.

Br-r-r-r!



Above: This is the cause of our recent cold spell. It appears that every day old Mount Egmont is getting a thicker coating of snow. This picture, taken from the racecourse, shows a thin sprinkling of snow, but by the time this issue of "Photo News" is published, the coating will be much thicker, and the weather will be a lot colder. Still, it's only four months to the next season of summer sports.....comforting thought!



Married

Above: CORLETT-HODGE. At St. Andrew's Church, NP, Shirley June, the daughter of Mrs J.L. Hodge, NP, to Peter William, youngest son of Mr and Mrs L.T. Corlett, Waitara. The bridesmaid was Colleen Hurley, Okoiawa, and the best man was Trevor Gore, Te Poi. The flower-girls were Pamela Young and Christine Kerr. Future home, Ratapiko. (VOGUE).

Right: TONG-TAYLOR. At St. John's Presbyterian Church, Hawera, Lesley, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs J.R. Taylor, Hawera, to Alistair, elder son of Mr and Mrs I. Tong, Okoiawa. The bridesmaid was Bernice Taylor, sister of the bride, Wellington, and the best man was Lloyd Tong, brother of the groom, Okoiawa. Future home, Rotorua. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO).



Engaged

Above, left: FAIRWEATHER-CALDWELL. Beverley, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.E. Caldwell, Hawera, to Kevin, twin son of Mr and Mrs E.J. Fairweather, Patea. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

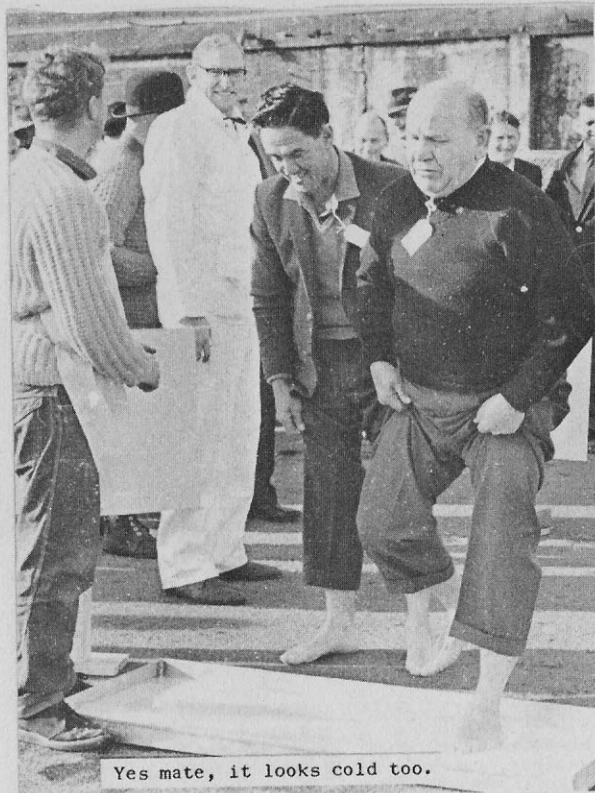
Left: GWERDER-LUOND. Rose, second daughter of Mr and Mrs D. Luond, Auroa, to Alexander, eldest son of Mr and Mrs F. Gwerder, Eltham. (DAVID PAUL)

Below, left: HAMILTON-GOODWIN. Margaret, the second daughter of Mrs A.P. Goodwin, Ohawe, to Walter, second son of Mrs E.J. Hamilton, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Above: KING-FULLER. Anne, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs A.V. Fuller, Mangakino, to Graham, younger son of Mr R.W. King, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL).

Below: SCHNAUER-FRYDAY. Joan, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.S. Fryday, Mokau, to Stuart, second son of Mrs C.J. Schnauer, Titirangi.

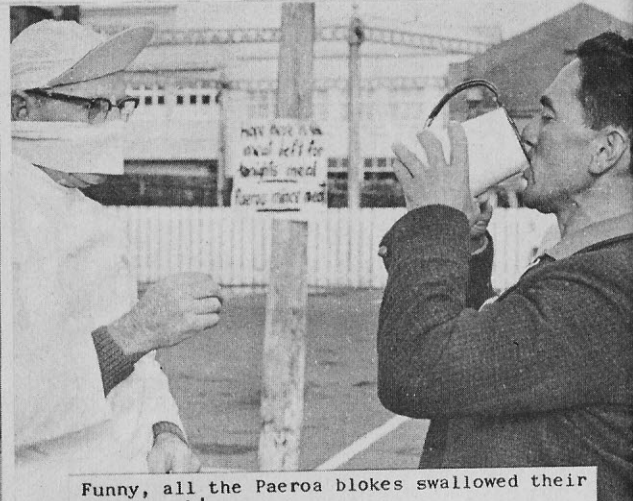




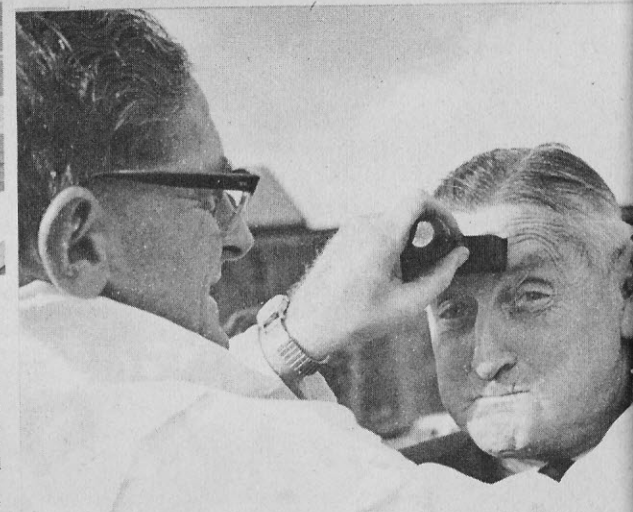
Yes mate, it looks cold too.

Welcome To Paeroa Orphans

And Welcome is the operative word. Can't think why the Paeroa Orphans bothered to come down here when the local Savages treated them so roughly at the welcome. First of all, they made them take off their shoes and socks to be dipped for foot rot, then they gave them a mouth-wash, and finally stamped them "PAST". Lord help the NP Savages if they ever pay a visit to Paeroa.



Funny, all the Paeroa blokes swallowed their mouth wash!



Chief stamper Ted Bedford hard at work!



Parade of Paeroa Orphans to the old Folks' Hall

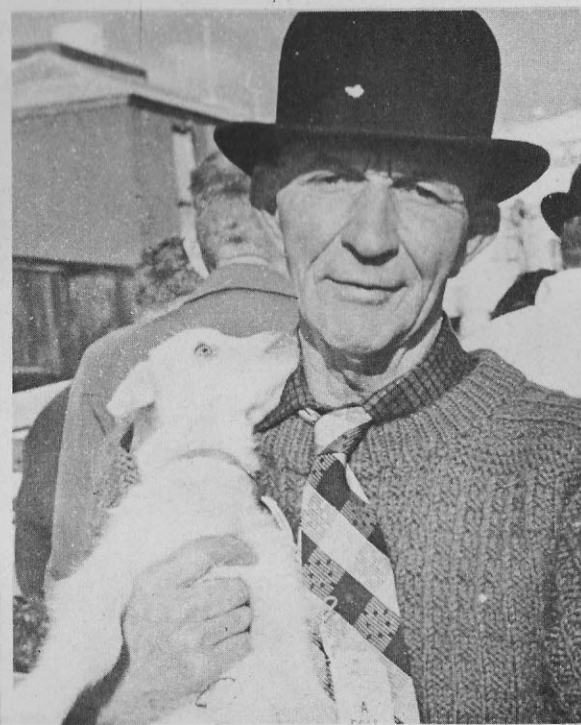
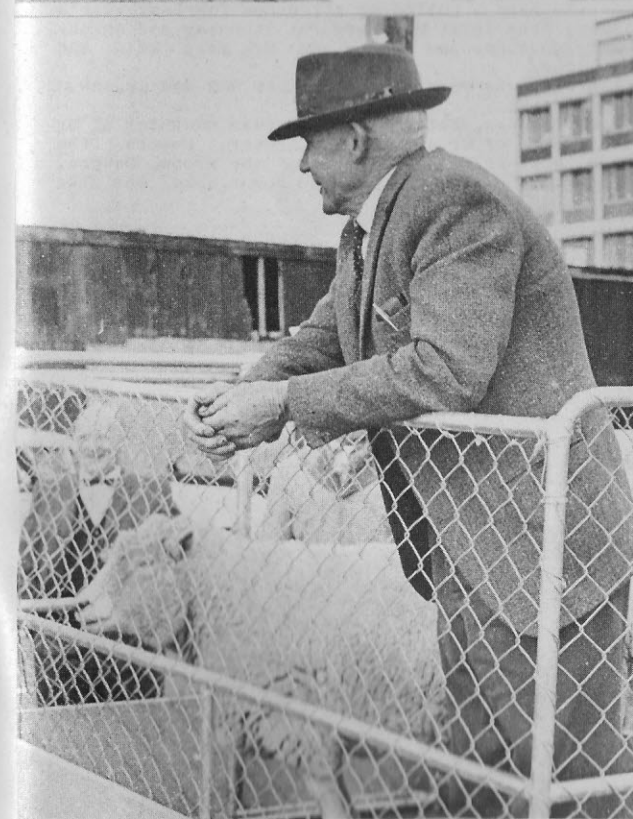


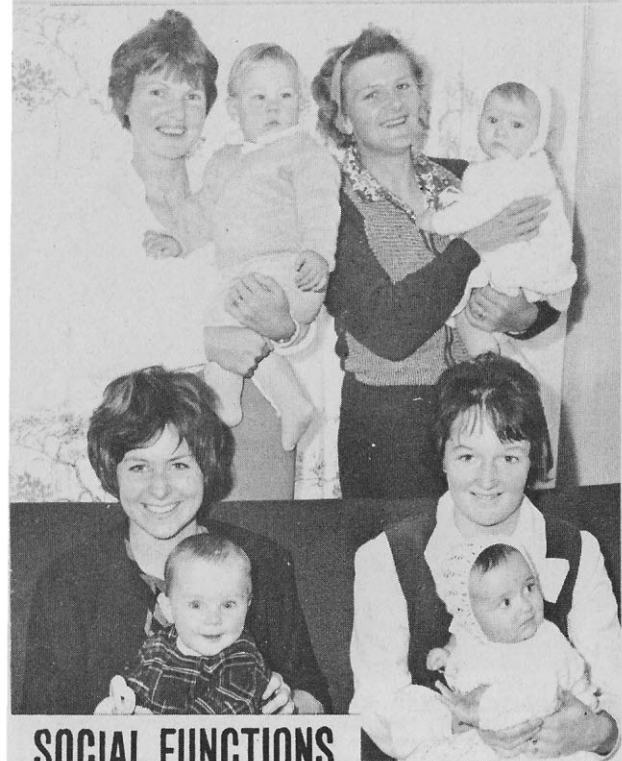
Above, left: Rangitira of the Paeroa Orphans goes through the dip, with Lou Vinsen making sure that he put in both feet.

Below, left: Rangitira Cliff Jackson suffered more humiliation, penned with an old ram. We'd have thought they would have known better.

Above: Two of the Paeroa chaps put on a good sketch at the evening concert.

Below: Which goat is which? Here's Glen Thompson, truly labelled with his pet goat.





SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Above, left: The New Plymouth Parents' Centre recently held a follow-up afternoon for last year's mothers. Here are four who attended the afternoon. Back, from left: Mrs Margaret Stenning and Antony, Mrs Joan Sole and Denise. Front, from left: Mrs Carolyn Jones and Tracey and Mrs Mary Reid and Sharon.

Above, right: Mrs Ann Preibee, nee Wickham, Stratford, who recently gained her SRN and is now at the Whakatane hospital.

Below: HAWKINS-LESTER. At St. John's Methodist Church, Kaponga, Betty Carolynn, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs S.E. Hawkins, Kaponga, to Howard Neil, eldest son of Mr and Mrs M.C. Lester, Hawera. The bridesmaids were Judy Spring, twin sister of the bride, Heather Lester, sister of the groom, Hawera, and Delwynn Parker. Wayne Lester, brother of the groom, was the best man and Angus Nuku was the groomsman. Future home, Patea.



AUTUMN IN THE BACK COUNTRY

Here is a typical scene in the Taranaki back country, where sheep take command on the farms. This autumn scene was taken between Kaimata and Tarata, and shows the type of country in that area, with rolling hills and small valleys, usually the site of the homestead.

