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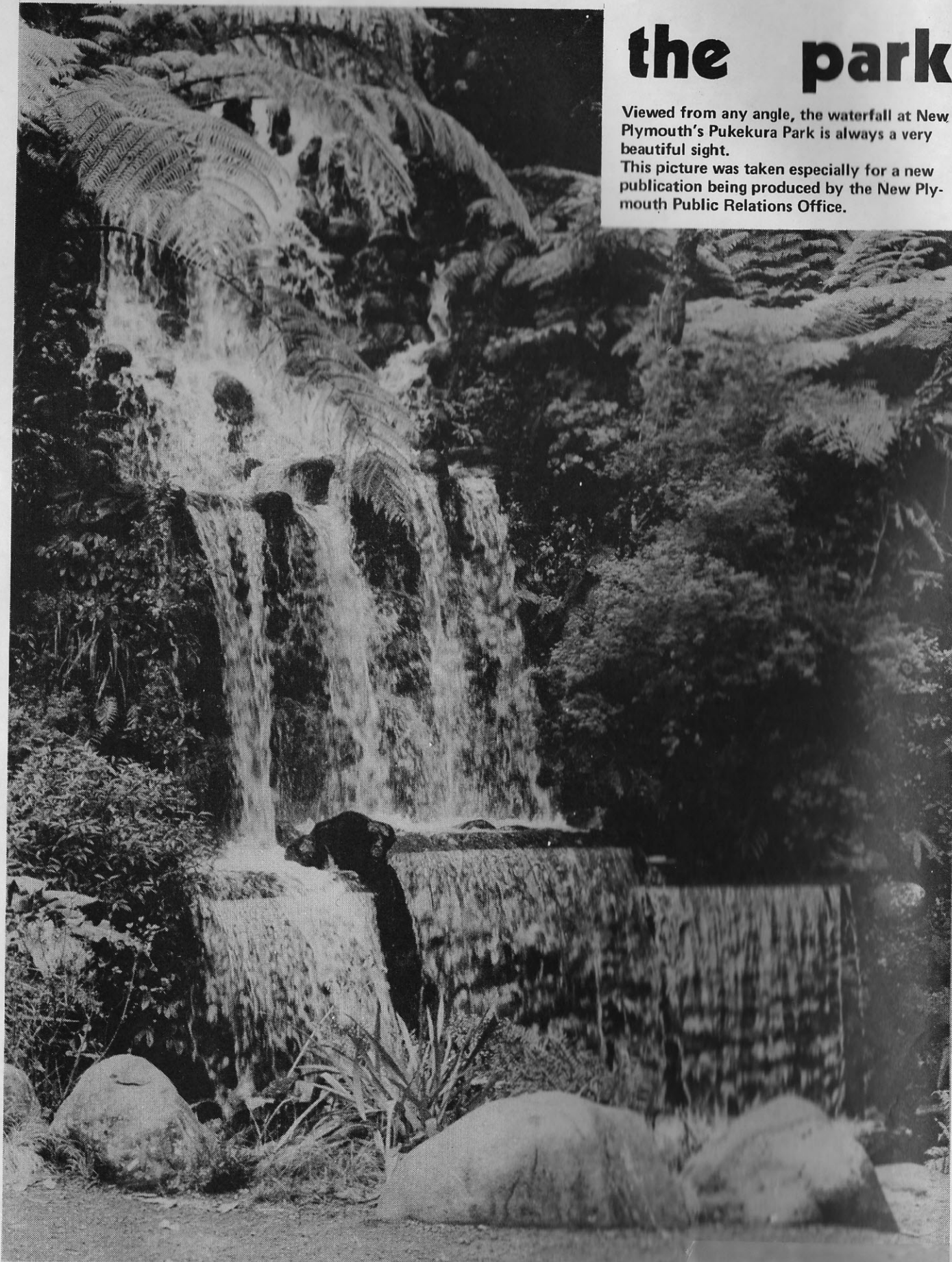
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# the park

Viewed from any angle, the waterfall at New Plymouth's Pukekura Park is always a very beautiful sight. This picture was taken especially for a new publication being produced by the New Plymouth Public Relations Office.

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Two weeks to go until this year's Photo News Ball. Tickets are getting scarce, we have almost sold out so if you plan to go, you'd better get your tickets now while there are still some available.

Don't forget the attractions — Top of the bill is Lou Clauson. He will be remembered with affection from those frantic days of LOU and SIMON and his 40 minute floor show will feature loads of comedy plus give-aways of wine and food products.

Then of course there is 'Trev' Dagg who is always good for a laugh or two and that ever popular band Kount Five, who will supply the music till well after bewitching hour.

Finally the Ball will feature a special guest in Trevor Crabtree. Trevor has become known as New Zeal and's Bush Balladeer and is just about to have his first book released which is appropriately called BUY ME A BEER.

Trev has a few good yarns to relate at the Ball which are guaranteed to 'bring the house down'.

Photo News Awards will be presented at the Ball. These awards come in various categories including Valour, Citizenship, Citations and Arts and Sciences plus Gold Star. Most of these awards will be presented on the night to recipients from all over the province. Waitara residents will be especially interested in the fact that there are several Waitara people who will be receiving Photo News Awards.

It's going to be a great night, in fact, the Ball of the Year, so get your ticket today and we'll see you AT THE BALL.

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Spring is here and with it warmer weather, out in the sunshine feeding last year's foals Judy White and Brenda Laursen.

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## Charley Pride's Show

The Charley Pride Show came to town last month playing at the Opera House in New Plymouth. Country and Western fans in their hundreds flocked to the show to hear Pride sing a collection of songs that have made him famous the world over in the country-western field.



Pride brought his own backing group and support act.



With or without guitar, Charley Pride was a hit. The crowd had come to see him alone and accordingly the applause was saved for him alone. Undoubtedly a most successful show.

## SOCCER

### COMBINED LADIES v. MOTUROA LADIES

One of the curtain raiser soccer matches that we witnessed recently was the ladies soccer match pictured on this page.

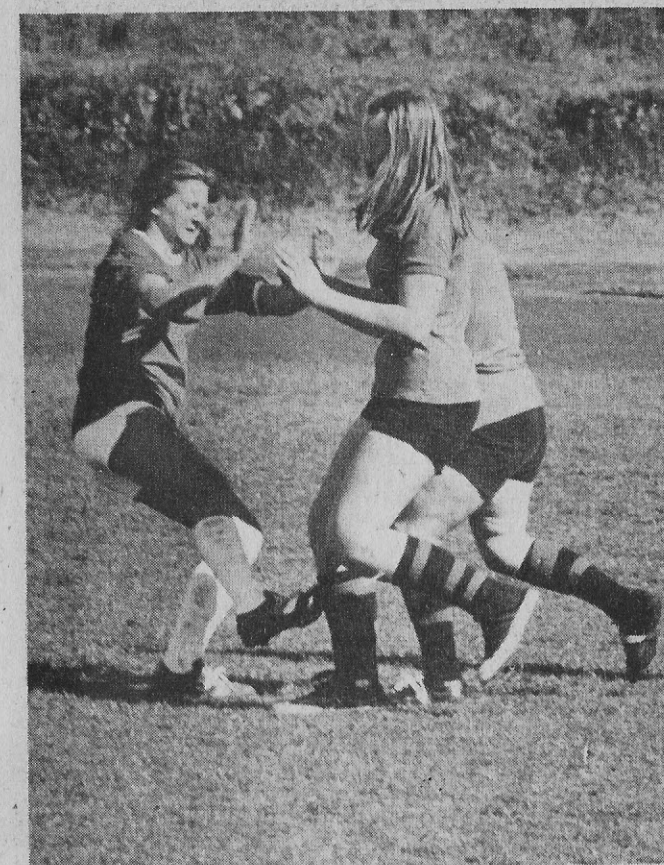
In reality the girls played a tough game, but our camera-man went looking for something a little different as these pictures show.



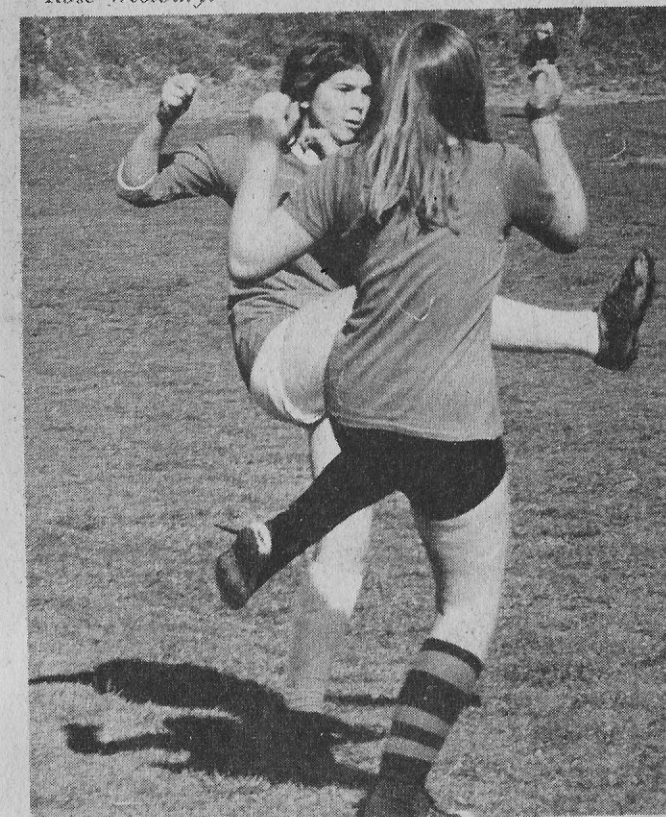
"Swing you partners" — Shona Emile makes her move.



In reality some tough soccer was played. Pictured is Jeannette Jordan moving in for the ball.



"May I have this dane please?" — Janet Adlam and Rose Westbury.



"Gee, Great band eh?"





## Wrist wrestling FINALS

Taranaki Wrist Wrestling Provincial Finals were held at the Westown Hotel in New Plymouth, a few weeks ago.

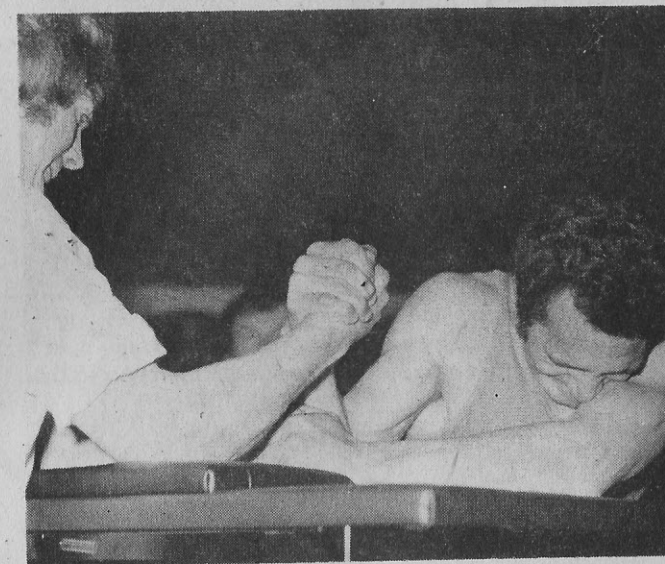
Winners of these eliminations went on to represent Taranaki at the National event. A big crowd was in attendance at these Finals and one of the most popular events was the womens match between Lyn Joyce and Dixie Sullivan.



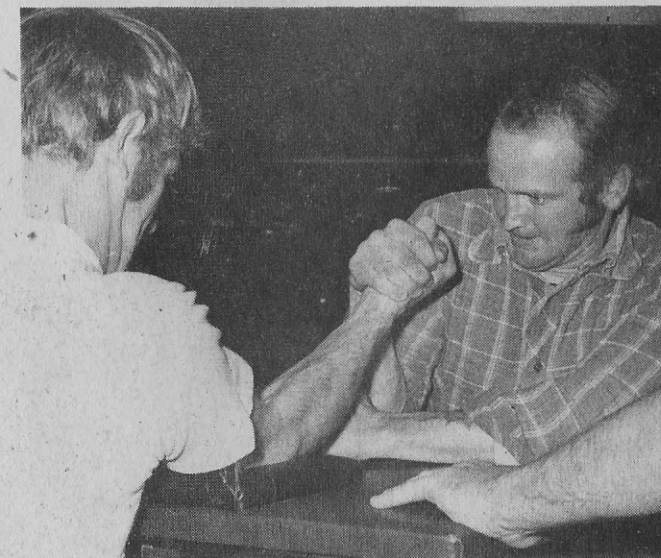
*Faces reflect a mixture of both concentration and the flexing of muscles.*



*A popular contest between \* Lyn Joyce and Dixie Sullivan*



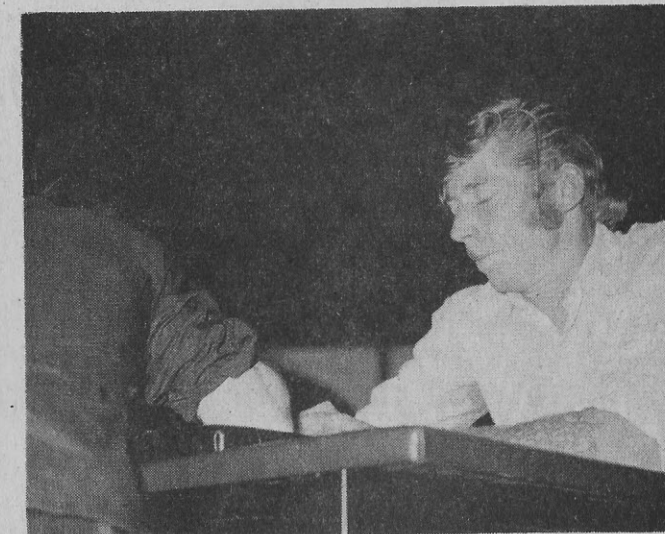
*Muscles stretch to breaking point, but the match is far from finished.*



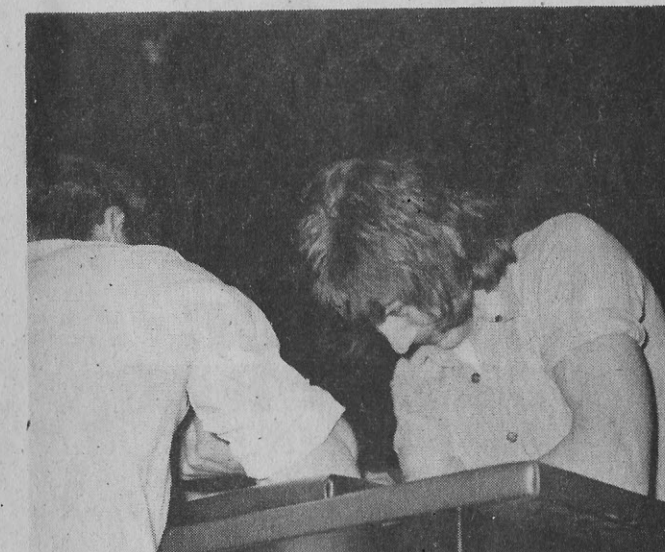
*Barry Stewart v. John Standish.*



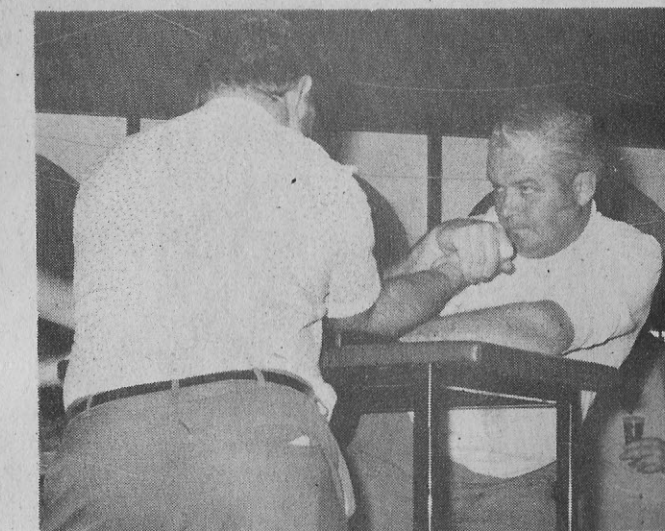
*Len Harley (Patea) v. Peter O'Leary.*



*Bob Stevenson v. Kevin Bird.*



*Rex Schweiters V. Neil Parkes.*



*Brian Hunter v. Colin Burge*



# COME TO THE BALL

The Photo News Awards Ball is only a couple of weeks away now — September 27th to be precise.

There's a great line-up of talent so.....

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW

The 1975 PHOTO NEWS BALL  
features

**LOU CLAUSON**  
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**'TREV' DAGG**  
**TREVOR**  
**CRABTREE**

WAR MEMORIAL HALL — WAITARA

\$15-00 double    \$8-00 single



Guest artist LOU CLAUSON

To make it easy for those wishing to purchase tickets to the Photo News Ball, we have arranged for agents right throughout Taranaki, where you can pick up and pay for your ticket.

At \$15-00 a double and \$8-00 a single it is not an expensive night out by any means and the entertainment that is offered is more than value for money.

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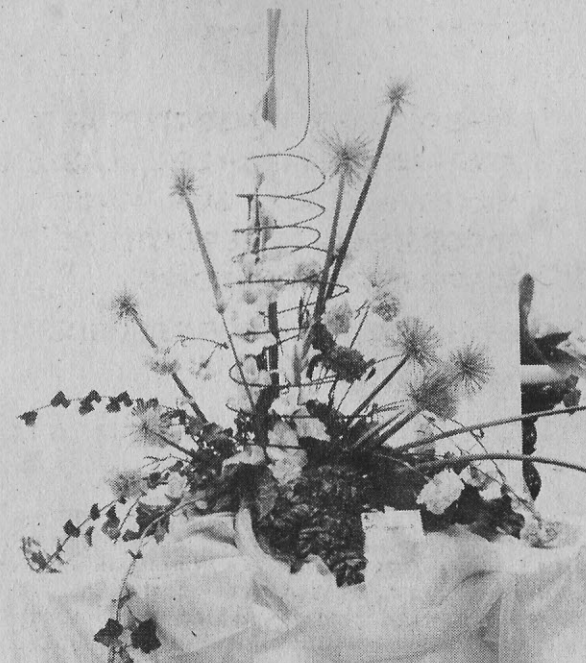
The Mayor of Waitara, Mr Dick Wilson, will be presenting this years Photo News Awards at the Ball and there will be recipients from throughout the province. Awards are made in the following categories... Valour, Citizenship Citation and Arts & Sciences.

## Flower Show

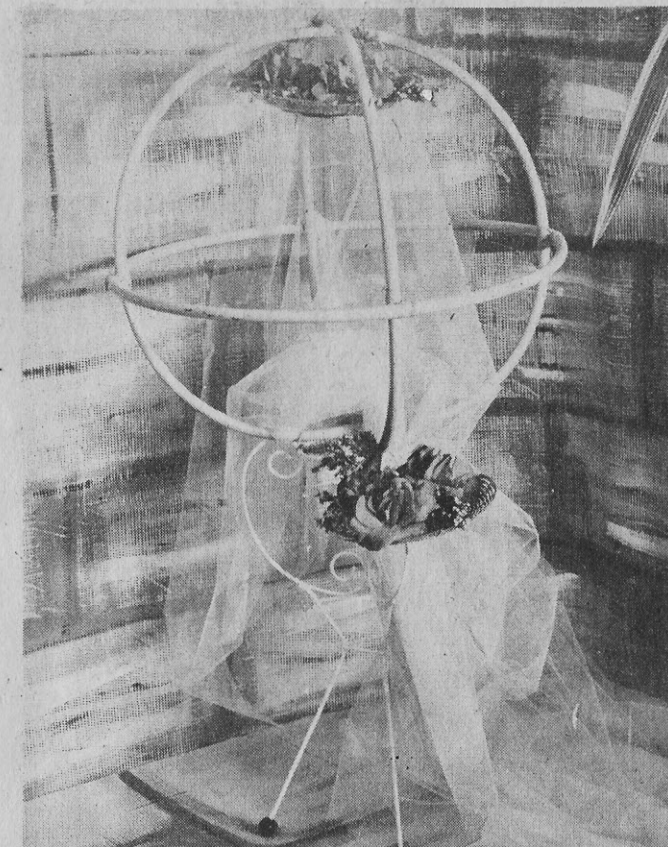
A Floral Art Display was exhibited in New Plymouth's St Joseph's Youth Centre last month. The Display was called 'A Nun's Prayer' and was staged by the New Plymouth Floral Art Club.



D. Collin's entry 'I May Be a Mistake'



'Glorious Lesson' from Mrs Yandle



B. Elliott's entry was called 'International Women's Year.'



'Silver Wedding' by Mrs Wells and 'Golden Wedding' from Mrs E. Jarvis.



# SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS



*A fast run down to the finish line.*

North Island Skiing Championships were held on Mount Egmont last month. The weather was absolutely appalling with rain falling most of the time during the two days that the event was held. Unfortunately our photographer was not equipped with skis so our coverage of the event is limited as only the top fields were used.



*Whoops! A skier bites the snow as he almost completes his run.*



*A general view of the marshalling area and the end of the ski run.*



*Well equipped. Those goggles are essential in driving rain and sleet.*



*Finishing in great style, despite the rain.*



*Snow flies as two skiers near the end of the course, almost neck and neck.*





*The Sorcerer arrives, making a promise that he will give the King a fish-head and make the Princess sleep for a hundred years.*

## School show

The annual stage production by Westown School in New Plymouth took place recently. This year the production was the 'Prince and the Sorcerer', a musical show with intrigue and counter intrigue.



*The Sorcerer has his say to a captive audience.*



*The Sorcerer keeps his promise and the King's head becomes that of a fish.*



*The Queen (left) greets her daughter.*



*The Prince views the King's Fish-head.*



*The Prince celebrates before departing to rescue the Princess.*





*Personal instruction to each member was of great value and showed results.*

## Dog Training

Members of five Dog Obedience clubs took part in a training programme held at Waitara recently. The event was held on a Sunday at the Waitara Cricket grounds and a reasonable attendance was noted. The morning was devoted to beginners classes and in the afternoon those in the more advanced category had their turn. A barbeque lunch was one of the highlights of the day.



*Mrs Matangi instructs the class.*



*Members of the beginner's class follow instruction. Much improvement was noted on the day.*



*"You must hold the lead on this side"*



*"Well you did tell me to sit"*



*A pocket sized poodle puppy*



*Retrieving the "bone"*



*This Shepherd pup was the scene stealer of the day.*

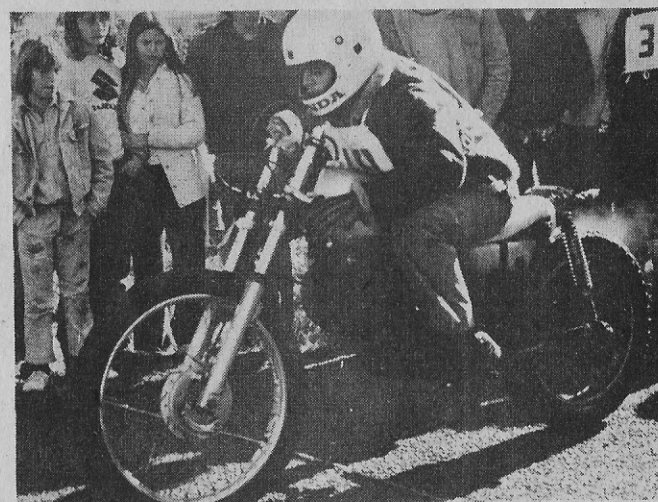


*Every dog has his moment and this one decided to show off and chase sheep, much to his master's distress.*





*a fast time along the straight*



*Starting time and this competitor applies everything*



*A cloud of smoke and we're away.*

# Bike Trials

Time Trial were held near New Plymouth last month for members of the North Taranaki Motorcycle Club. As can be seen in the photographs, a large field of entries were obtained and there was also quite a number of spectators present.



*A wheel stand, as this competitor moves off.*



*Relaxing before starting time*

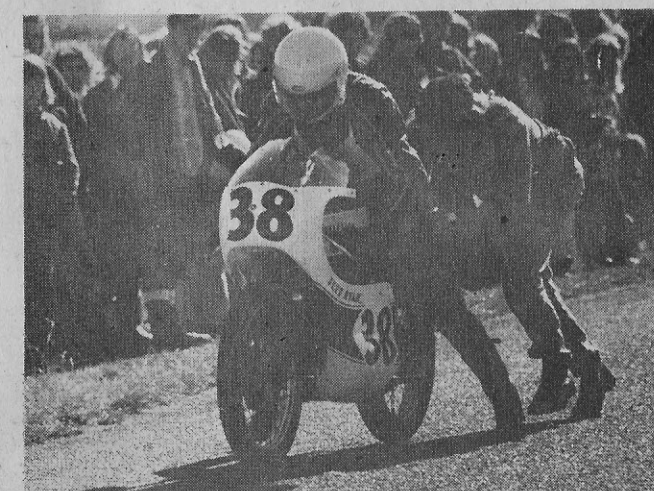


*Matthew Connor on a Suzuki 550.*

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*a little trouble was encountered*



*Time is on him and he opens up the throttle*



*Grant Hildred on his Honda 350*





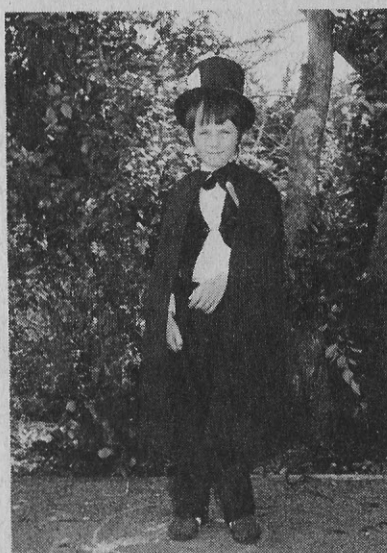
Vicki Vaughan



Darren Bates

## Fancy Dress

Inglewood Primary School held their annual Fancy Dress last month. The event was staged over a two day period and featured many colourful and exotic costumes. Most important of all, the kids really had "a ball".



Paul Taylor.



Advertising man, Shane Hatcher.



Judy Evetts



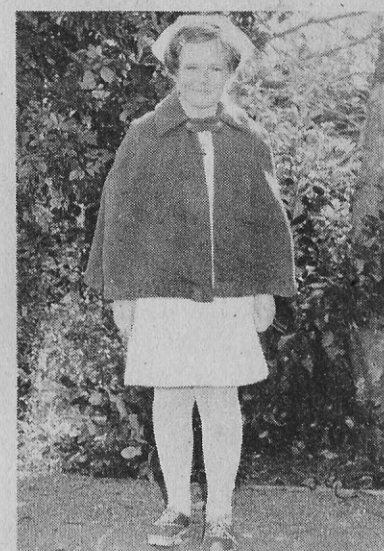
Helen Cheyne



Robyn Macbie



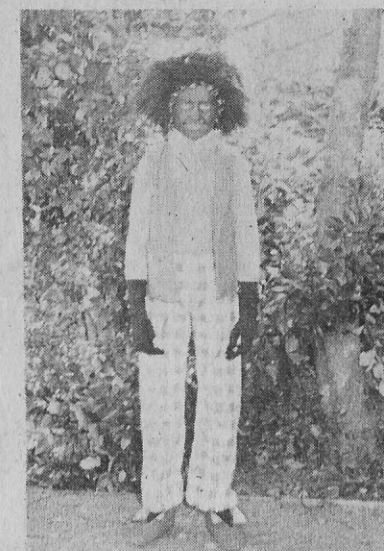
Patricia Atkinson



Jane Mathews



Bryan Hatcher



Alister Codd.



Angela Prouse



Annette Rogers



Vicki Butler



Cowboy Raymond Hill



Pauline Wisnewski



Paul Dodds





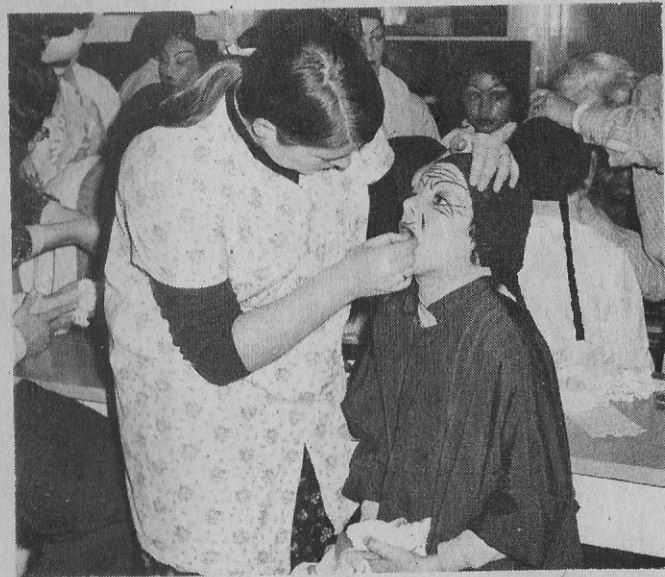
*A back stage scene*

## Devon Intermediate stage's Show

Devon Intermediate School staged 'Aladdin and the Lamp' last month. The School Hall was literally packed for the show which was highly spectacular. Luminous paint was used on members of the cast and when this was lit by stage lighting and by ultra violet lights, the effect was quite superb.



*Make up time for members of the cast. Sharon Rambal applies the make up.*



*Aladdin and his mother have words while Uncle (far left) takes it all in.*



*The show was well produced and the audience loved it.*



*Aladdin and his Uncle have a disagreement.*



*A scene from the Dream Sequence.*



*"My My, those Arabian girls sure look great".*





*"Move over mate, Me Tarzan"*



*An excellent try for goal.*



*Excellent high jumping for ball control.*

# SOCCER

MOTUROA v. MANUREWA

Once again Manurewa (Auckland) beat Moturoa at the semi-final level in the National Junior Cup Under 18 event.

With a final score of 2 Nil, Manurewa were well and truly the victors. However the final score did not reflect the play, much of which went Moturoa's way during the first half. It would be fair to say that Moturoa did well during their numerous attacks yet always seemed to fail at the last moment when right at the goal mouth.



*a last minute hassle over the ball, at goal mouth*



*Close to the goal mouth again and pressure for control builds up.*



*Good fast footwork, and the ball is sent flying.*



*This was the sort of action that kept the match something more than just lively.*



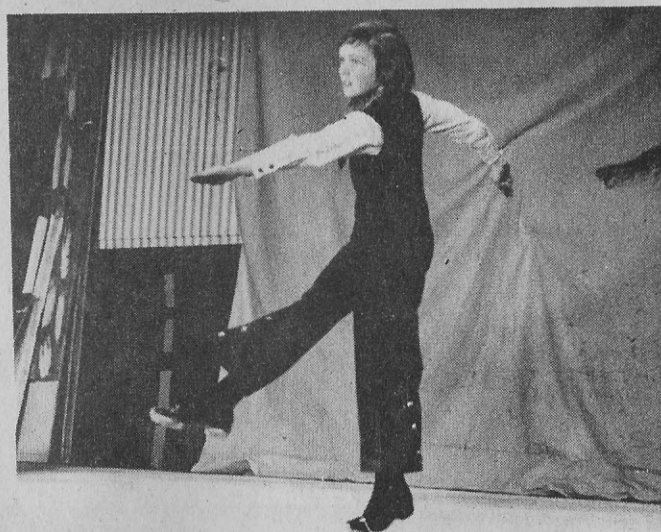


*Davina Moffitt*

## **DANCING COMPS.**

Championship Dancing competitions were organised by the Inglewood Fancy Dancing Association last month, and staged in the Inglewood High School Assembly Hall.

Competitors were all in the Under 12 bracket, while we attended, and consequently only photos from this group are reproduced on these pages.



*Brett Jury of New Plymouth*



*Julie Murray*



*Stephanie Jane of New Plymouth*



*Maree Hutchinson*



*Suzanne Major.*



*Paula Hopkins of Hawera*

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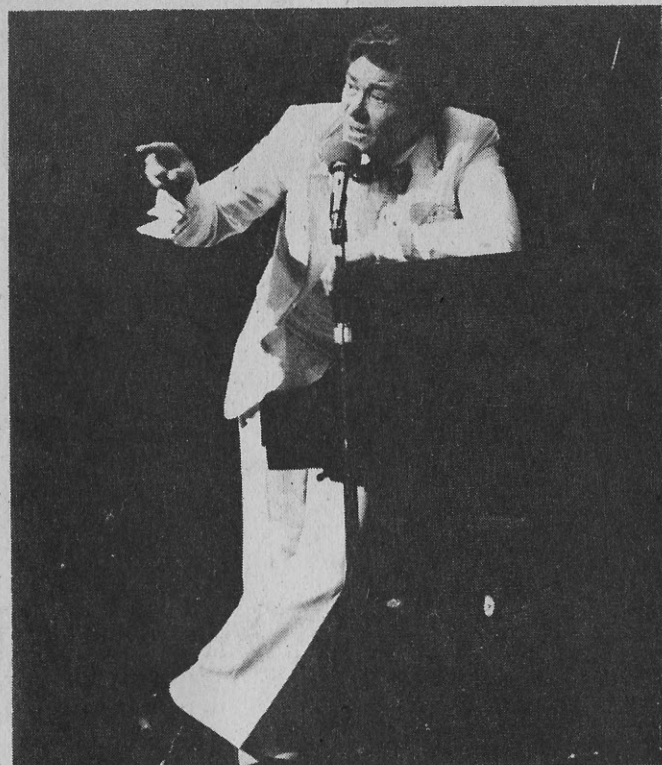
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## REG VARNEY SHOW

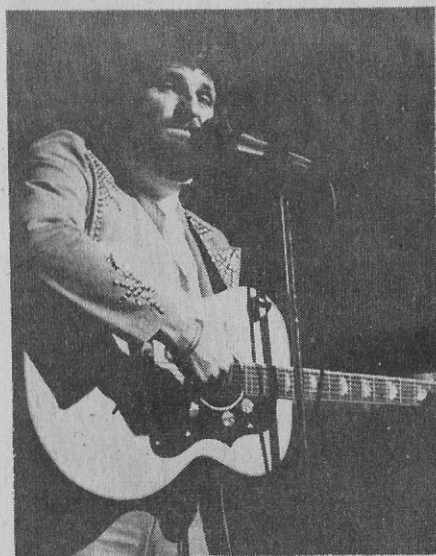
The Reg Varney Show came to New Plymouth's Opera House last month. The building was packed with people flocking to see the show and an extra 6-opm show was added to accommodate the crowd.



*Always the funny man.*



*Varney's act consisted of humour, yarns and skits.*



*Supporting acts who appeared during the first half, before Varney made his bow.*

# 1975 PHOTO NEWS AWARDS BALL

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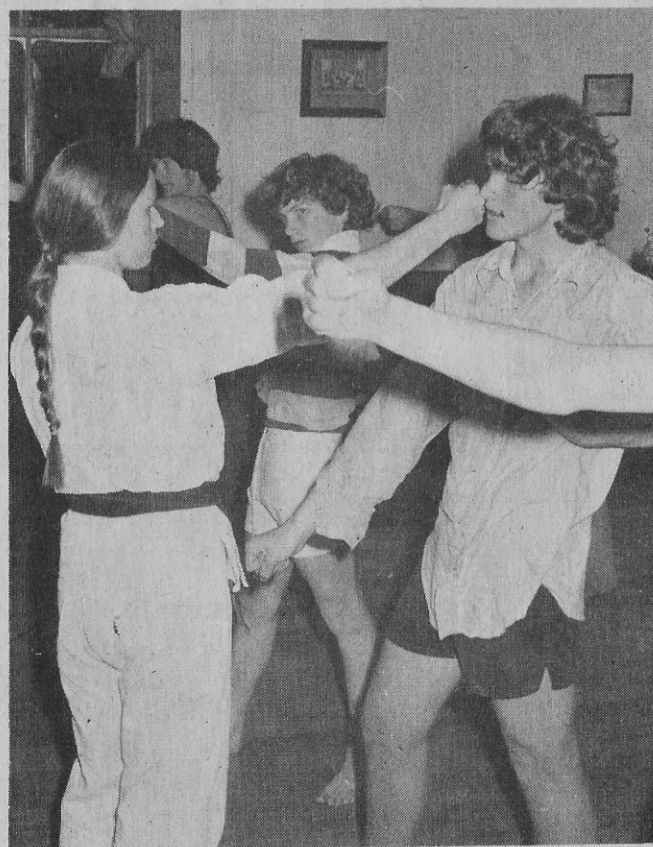




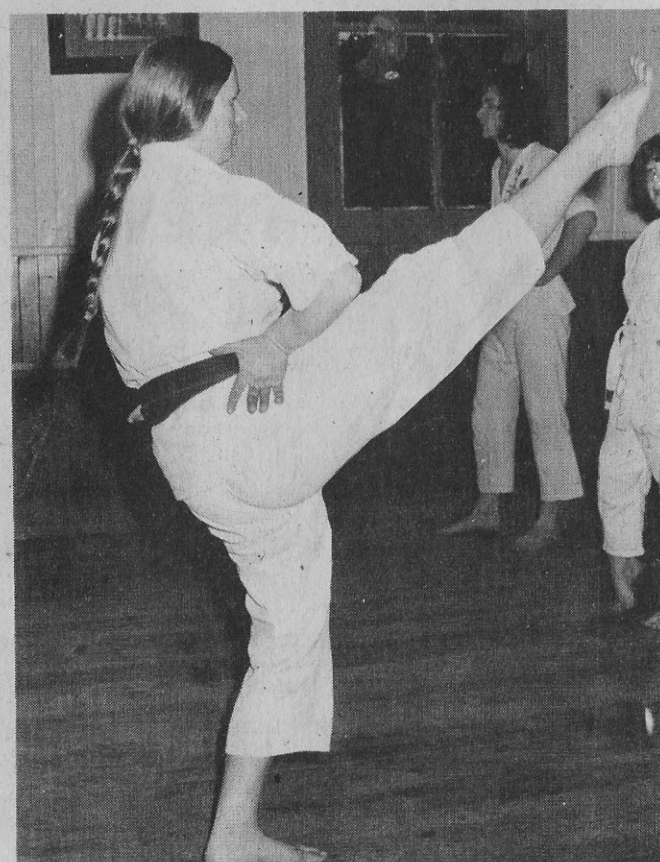
*Practising the first basic kick, the front kick or Mae Geri.*

# KARATE CLUB OPENS AT INGLEWOOD

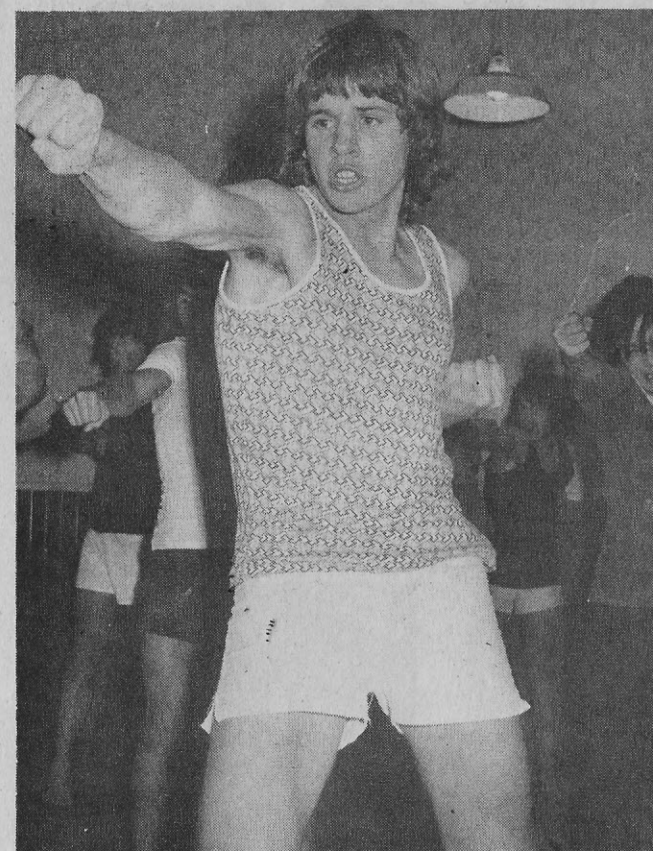
A new Karate Club has been started in Inglewood. The club is a Sub-Branch of the New Plymouth branch of Rembuden, which teaches the Kyokushinkai style of karate, one of the major styles in the world today. Helen Upson, a 1st Dan Black Belt, is the new club's instructor and on the first night, when these pictures were taken, there was an attendance of some 17 pupils. This number has now risen to over forty and the club has shifted to the Inglewood Gym, practising on Monday nights and on Sunday afternoons.



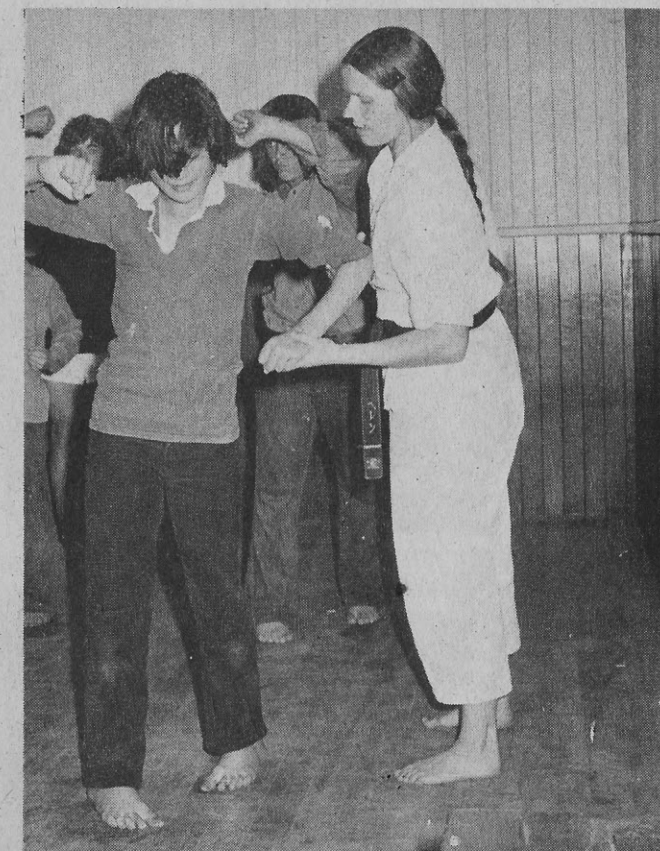
*The Instructor demonstrates what happens if the 'upper block' is not performed correctly.*



*Instructor demonstrates to class the correct way.*



*A forward punch.*



*Help from the Instructor — keep your fist here.*



*Classes always start and finish with a short period of meditation — 'Mokuso'.*





St Josephs and West End were equal first in the Championship Division, 9th grade.

# SOCCER TROPHIES

The Finals of the North Taranaki Primary Schools Soccer Tournament were played at Lynmouth Park last month. The last matches were almost immediately followed by presentations of trophies and cups to the winning teams. These presentations are pictured on this page.



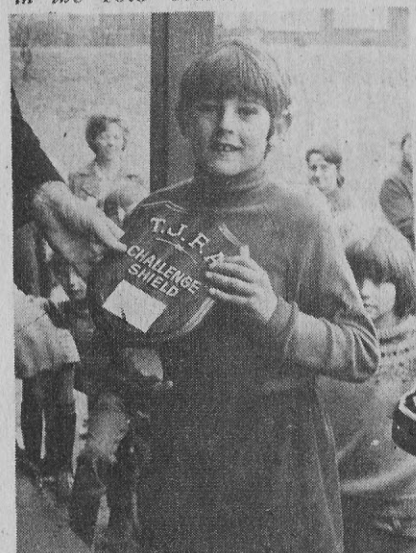
West End won the Championship in the 10th Grade.



Woodleigh Rovers won the Challenge Division in the 8th Grade.



St Josephs won the Championship in the 7th Grade.



St Josephs won the Challenge Division, 7th Grade.



Central and Moturoa were equal first, in the Challenge Division, 7th grade.



St Josephs won the Challenge Division in 9th grade.



Marfell won the seven-a-side in the 8th Grade.



Woodleigh Rangers won the seven-a-side in the 10th grade.



St Josephs Black, won the Challenge Division in the 8th Grade.



Spotswood won the seven-a-side in the 9th grade.



Marfell won the Challenge Division in the 10th grade.



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Two of the teams that played on the final day of the tournament.





# The Beach in Winter

We decided to take a look at the beach one cold winter's day, about four weeks back. To our surprise we found that the beach was a hive of activity — well almost. What we did see was a fine display of surfing along with one lone girl swimmer (she actually appeared to be enjoying her dip) and a few who were happily lazing in the sand. It wasn't long before we trained our cameras to bring you this coverage of 'The Beach in Winter'



*Some were content to lie in the sun, oblivious to all and sundry.*



*And one lone bikini clad girl swimmer.*



*Cutting across a good sized wave before she breaks.*



*Gliding in to shore*



*Catching a small wave this board rider gets a good ride.*



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## CELEBRATIONS



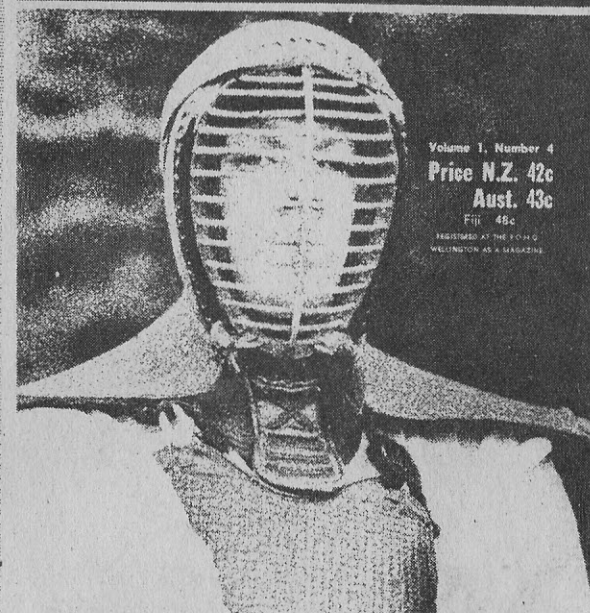
Mrs T. Paul of Waitara, celebrated her 70th Birthday with a party at the Waitara Bowling Club. Friends and relatives came from near and far, including a busload from Hastings.



Alana Grubner of Waitara celebrated her 20th Birthday with a small party in the Waitara War Memorial Hall. She is pictured above with her parents.

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## CABARET

Moturoa School's Cabaret was held last month in the Westown Hall, New Plymouth.

It was by no means a huge crowd who attended the event, but they were certainly a very happy crowd who were obviously enjoying the night out.



K Boughton and friend.



H. Knuckey.



M. Nicholas and her friend.



B. Williams, M. Webber and M. Williams



R. Knuckey, J. Smith and B. Smith



Mr and Mrs McCready.



Mr and Mrs Eynon





current President, Mrs Fay Knowles delivers her celebration speech.



Mrs Cardiff draws the lucky number.



Past Presidents of Benedicts (front row) pose for the camera with their escorts.

## 40th BIRTHDAY

New Plymouth Benedicts celebrated their fortieth birthday in St Josephs Hall in New Plymouth, last month.

For the Benedicts it was a night to really remember with ceremony, splendour and speeches to mark the occasion.



Clarice Chivers cuts the celebration cake.

## JUBILEE ROSES

To celebrate the Golden Jubilee in New Zealand of the W.D. F. F. movement a rose has been purchased and named 'Madame President'.

The North Taranaki Provincial W.D.F.F. has purchased twenty of these roses and donated them to the New Plymouth City Council.

The planting of these roses outside Richmond Cottage took place at the end of last month on a wet Saturday morning.



Mrs Colson holds a rose upright while the soil is placed around it.



Mesdames Langman and McQueen watch the planting despite the rain.



Mr Jellyman from Parks and Reserves Dept, and Mrs Austin, carry out planting procedure.



Helping with the planting are, left to right, Mesdames Gale, Roberts, Martin and Nichols.



# Children's Corner

With Grace.



## RIDDLES

Question... Why did a man buy fifty tons of seaweed?

Answer.... Because he had a notion (ocean) for it.

Question... Which is right — the yolk of an egg is white, or, the yolk of an egg are white?

Answer... Neither — because an egg yolk is yellow.

Question... What did mother ghost say to baby ghost?

Answer... Don't SPOOK until SPOOKEN to.

Question... If Ireland sank, which city would float?

Answer... CORK

Question... What four letters of the alphabet frightened the thief?

Answer... O-I-C-U.

Question... Why is it important for a doctor to keep his temper?

Answer... He would lose his patients (patience) otherwise.

Dot-to-Dot.



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## Now Sound

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### PATRICK CARGILL IS COMING HERE

Thursday 16th of October will see yet another well known British actor, Patrick Cargill, in the Opera House at New Plymouth.

The appearance is part of an extensive New Zealand tour by Cargill which starts in Invercargill on September 24th and winds up in Auckland on November 3rd.

Patrick Cargill will be very well remembered by New Zealand Television viewers. He will of course be best remembered for his role in 'Father Dear Father' which achieved considerable popularity here.

Supporting acts on the show include Bridgette Allen, Steve Allen and Gray Bartlett.

The surprise of the show will undoubtedly be that of 'H.G. Wells' — an enormous St Bernard dog who is associated with Patrick Cargill in the 'Father Dear Father' series.

It goes almost without saying that the promoters can expect a Full House in New Plymouth for this show and in fact at most venues throughout New Zealand. Cargill is at present on an extended tour of Australia at which the 'Full House' sign is almost always displayed.



Patrick Cargill

## TWO GOOD SINGLES

Two new singles have been released this month by local singers.

The first is by Laurie Dee whom we have seen on many teenage music shows over the past twelve months. This started with Free Ride, led to Sing and now he is about to host a new Musical program called 'Goodtime Show'. Laurie's new single is in the big ballad field for which his voice is so suited. It is called 'My Love and I'.

Erana Clark also has released a new single. Erana will first be remembered for her appearance on a touring overseas show a couple of years ago. Since then she has blossomed into a first rate entertainer who is often seen on television, as a support act on tours and as feature singer at many functions. Like we said two years back... "She has a very big future ahead of her"... We think that she has only started and that much more will be heard from Erana in the future. Her new single is called 'Angel Eyes' and is my fave single of the month.

## NEW ALBUMS

JOHN HANLON....Higher Trails.....Family 226

Album of the month is definitely John Hanlon's new one. The Hanlon magic is evident on almost all of the tracks. It can only be described as a great album and while I found that it didn't have the instant appeal of his previous work, it certainly grows on you the more you hear of it. More kudos to John.

CHARLEY PRIDE.....Charley.....RCA 1-1038

After the tremendous New Zealand tour by Pride, it is reasonable to expect a big upswing in his record sales. To cater for this, RCA have just released a new album. The fare offered is well up to the Pride standard and those who enjoy his material will not be disappointed. A good LP for country fans.

THE GUESS WHO.....Power in the Music.....RCA 1-0995

It seems to happen in the career of most successful groups and Guess Who are now, no exception. There has been a change of membership. What we have left is the singer and drummer. The others have left and with them has gone the power of their sound. What is left is at this stage a weak imitation of the original.

RAGANOK.....Revolution 1002

Solid rocking sounds from a very competent New Zealand group who make their record debut with this album.

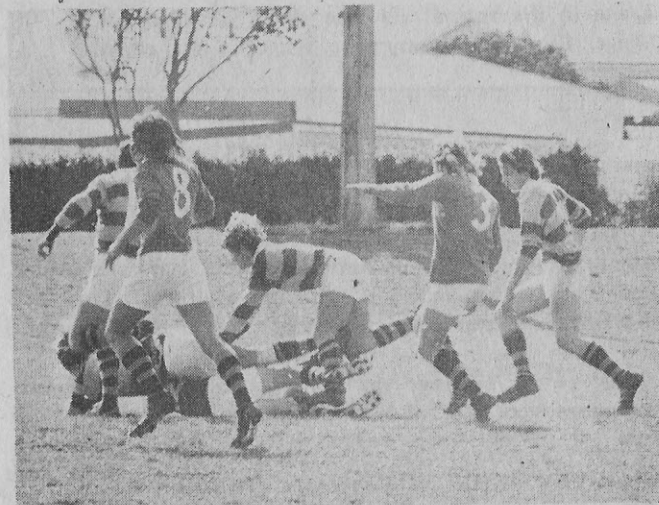
The group consists of four guys and a chick whom it can be honestly said, make good music in a solid rocking bag which certainly sets the listener on side with the band.

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*a little discussion between teams here, but the ball is free.*



*Fighting abrough the pack for a try.*



*Running out the ball and some excellent passing.*

## RUGBY

Two matches between Taranaki and the King Country were played at Waitara last month. The first match of the day is pictured on this page and was between Under 16 teams.



*"My ball" and it was, from a line-out.*

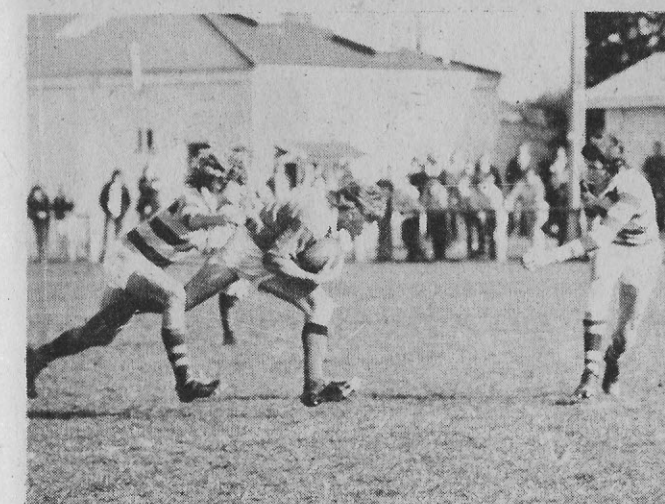
## RUGBY

The second match of the day between King Country and Taranaki, played at Waitara, was between Under 18 years, teams.

Pictures from this match appear on this page while the earlier match is pictured on the facing page.



*High jumping for the ball.*



*An excellent run, but he is well marked.*



*Good line out work by both teams.*



*Kicking on to gain space.*



*The ball comes free from a scrum and the pressure is on.*





*Make Up Department. Hugh Wilson receives the treatment.*



*'Katisba' makes a dramatic exit*



*Costuming was excellent and credit in large quantity was heaped in that department.*

# Mikado

Every second year the Inglewood High School stage a musical production.

This year the School's production was Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado". The show ran for a three night season and was staged at the School's Assembly Hall. A good attendance (predominantly parents) was noted.



*'Ko-Ko' (Malcolm McEwen) the Lord High Executioner of Japan.*



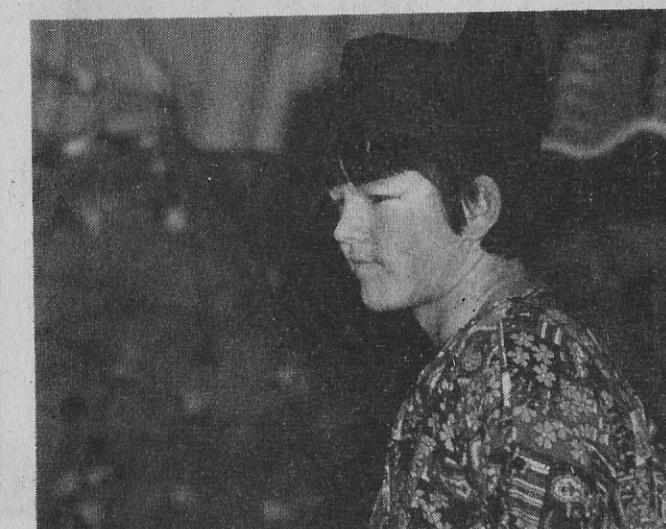
*Three wards of 'Ko-Ko'— Yum Yum, Pitti Sing and Peep Bo.*



*Raewyn Chinty took the part of 'Katisba'.*



*'Poo-Bah' — the Lord High Everything Else.*



*'Pish Tush' was acted by Hugh Wilson*



*With most of the cast on stage it was indeed a colourful sight.*





*a flying pass, but Clifton move in to take the ball from the player for whom it was intended.*



*A Patea player falls and the ball is all Clifton's.*



*One of the most dramatic trys we've seen this season. The Clifton player scores despite one Patea player holding around the shoulders and another spreadeagled underneath him.*

# RUGBY

PATEA v. CLIFTON

One of the most exciting Rugby games at a club level, that we have witnessed this season was a match between Patea and Clifton at Rugby Park in New Plymouth.

The match was one of fast action all the time with plenty of loose play and many determined attacks by both sides. While Clifton won the match 16 to 13, they were lucky to do so.



*Two players fall, but the ball falls free and into the waiting arms of a Patea player.*

# Dinner

Members of the New Plymouth Aero Club, together with friends, attended the club's annual dinner at the Bell Block Hotel a few weeks ago. Later in the evening the club's trophies were presented, but unfortunately we were unable to stay for that part of the function.



*Alan and Jan Clarke*



*Barry and Yvonne Tucker*



*Wayne and Jill Harrison*



*Lloyd and Barbara Martin*



*Eddie and Jenny Westbury*



*Sue and Neil O'Connor*

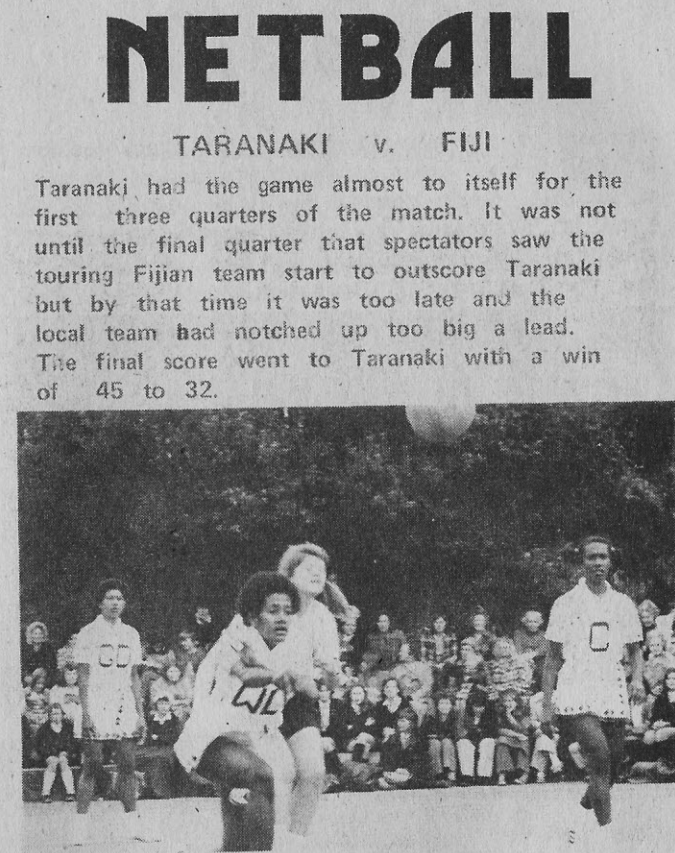


*Aileen and Bruce Nairn*

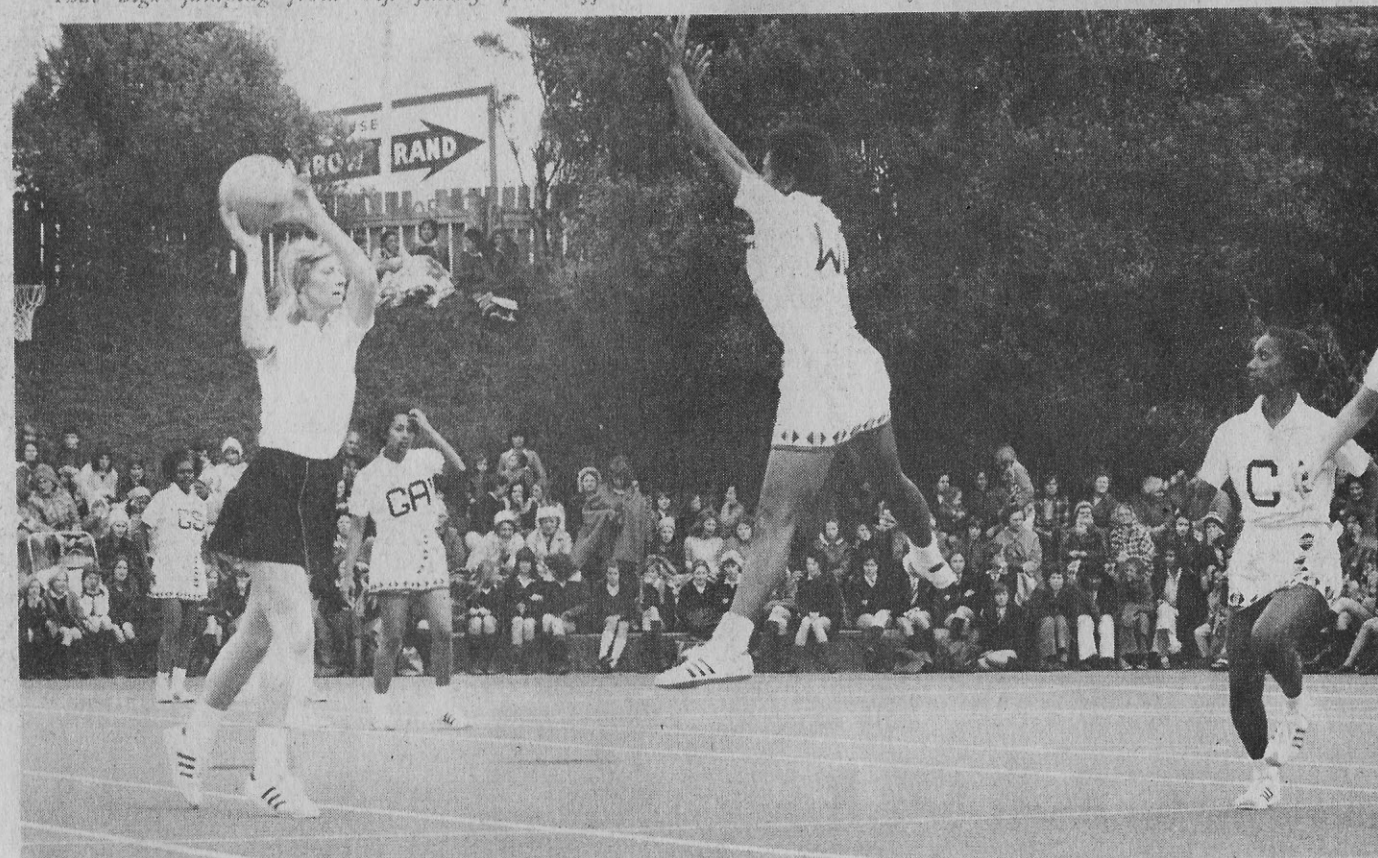




*That high jumping from Fiji finally paid off*



*Fiji in control of the ball*



*Pat Cunningham (with ball) is effectively blocked by a high jumping Fijian.*

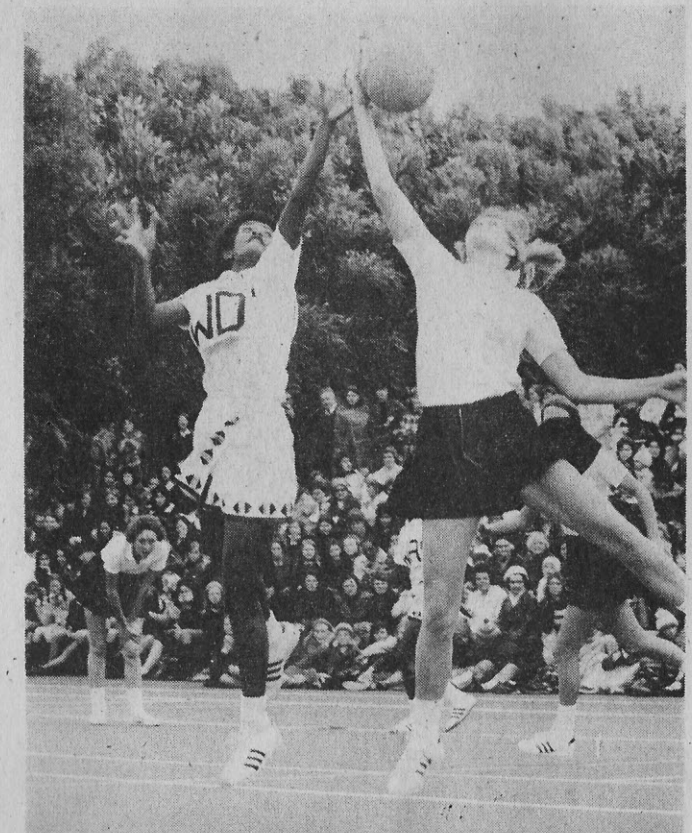
# NETBALL

TARANAKI v. FIJI

Taranaki had the game almost to itself for the first three quarters of the match. It was not until the final quarter that spectators saw the touring Fijian team start to outscore Taranaki but by that time it was too late and the local team had notched up too big a lead. The final score went to Taranaki with a win of 45 to 32.



*Karen O'Keefe shoots for goal.*



*A tussle for the ball, but it comes to Taranaki*



*Denise Smith and Karen O'Keefe block a Fiji attacking move*



*Pat Cunningham avoids a high jumping Fijian blocking move.*





*Prior to the show — Sally Hughes and Michelle Hicks.*



*Plenty of grease paint and colour — W. Caldwell.*



*Conversation before curtain call — Rhonda Mischewski and Alan Harris.*

# Gondoliers

Stratford High School's annual production this year was Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Gondoliers". The show was staged for three nights in the school's Assembly Hall and for two nights at the Civic Theatre in Eltham. It was at the latter venue that we caught up with the show and took these pictures.



*Make up time with Ruth Morrison and Shelly-Anne Webby.*



*Members of the cast fool around before curtain call*



*The production was full of song.*



*One of the solo spots of the show*



*This was an excellent show with good continuity and a colourful wardrobe.*



## on trip to fiji

Members of the New Plymouth Judo Club recently flew to Fiji on a club trip. The club arranged with the Suva Judo Club to visit them and a friendly tournament was also to be arranged between the two clubs. In addition a sightseeing trip around the area was planned. Pictured are members of the club who took part in the trip to Fiji.



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## 'TUN WAITE'

from the paperback BUY ME A BEER written by TREVOR CRABTREE and soon to be published by Annabel Publications.

Bracken fern and dead Manuka hardly impeded the downward rush of the Ford utility truck. The left mudguard crumpled against an inoffensive Cabbage Tree. Underneath a rock tore the sump free of the motor block. Lurching into another the vehicle slewed sideways and came to a stop inches from a sheer drop above a watercourse. A fat round face appeared above the dashboard.

"I was only trying to stop you getting the bun I dropped," the owner muttered to the dog entangled among various pieces of this and that now reposing on the cab floor. Tun Waite had arrived in the Patoka district of Hawkes Bay. 'Tun', so named because as one man put it, "He not only looks like a huge barrel, his head is just as empty."

Fifty metres above on the Hawkeston road a car pulled up as Tun clambered out of the wreck followed by a very relieved retriever.

"Hey are you alright?" called a voice from above.

"I'm O.K. wait till I get my pack and I'll come up, you can give us a ride."

He pulled a pack which must have weighed at least a cwt. from the truck deck and started through the fern to the road.

"Isn't that the rabbits truck mate?"

"Yer I'm the new man. Would you give us a lift to the house?"

"Sure but if that's where you're going what are you doing on this road? You should have turned left six miles back."

Tun shrugged his shoulders. "Was going to but this road looked better to ride on. I hate rough roads."

The car owner blinked once or twice then carefully changed the subject. "Hop in and we'll get going. You will want to ring your boss about the wreck."

It's a sad fact of life that rabbits are often looked upon as nothing more than born killers. Tun was to be no exception. In the first week he was rung twice to put down as polite people request, pets. Then came the third enquiry.

"Bill Stotter speaking. I've got a diseased cow to finish off. Could you come over in the morning and shoot it for me?"

Tun shifted his mouthful of dinner to a more equitable position and glared at the mouthpiece. "Orrite run it inna yard an' I'll be over at 9 o'clock."

Next morning he arrived with his 22 calibre rifle and a few rounds of ammunition. The farmer nervously asked if a higher calibre weapon might not be more efficient. Tun looked at him and slowly said, swallowing his peppermint to do so. "If you're fast enough and know where to hit it will drop bigger than you've got. Which is it?"

Pointing through the rails to where a number of cattle beasts stood the farmer said, "the one with the white...; Crack! went the rifle and his \$4,000 white faced bull sank slowly to the ground. The most expensive dog tucker the area had ever seen.....spot on it's side." finished the farmer lamely. Tun Waite had done it again.



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NEW BURNSIDE B v. HEARTS B.

Pictured here is the New Burnside Club's Schoolboy B grade team. They pictured during a match against Hearts B at the Hawera Showgrounds.

There was a new soccer team making a debut this season in Hawera and the debut was for a new club.

*An attacking move is saved by goalie.*



*Manuel Wilson comes in to support during a fight for control in which his team mate kicks clear.*



Team consists of BACK— Glen Milne, Murray West, Gary Mills, David Penman, John Porteous., John Cadwallader, FRONT— Barry Vickers, Andrew Bryant, Manuel Wilson, David Milne, Michael Roodbeen, Craig Coombes.

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The Hawera Municipal Band has achieved a notable success at the National Brass Band Championships. The event was held in Auckland some time ago and the Hawera band is rightly proud of their fine win in the B Grade event. Pictured are members of the band during rehearsal.



*Typical of the youthfulness of the band is this member*



*Whether its guys or girls playing, the band makes really sweet music.*



*The trombone section of the band blow up a storm*



*Conductor is Mr H. Farrington.*





## RUGBY TEAMS



The Eltham Senior First Division Rugby team....Left to right....Back...B Muller, D McSweeney, R Mason, J Young, K Crowe, B Ru, G Turabui, B Payne, W Thomas, P Sheehy. Front.... M Maaka, R Makawe, B Shook, T Ngata, W Kydd, B Campbell, D Brogden.



The Hawera Rugby Club's Senior team. left to right....Back.....W Batchelor (coach), P Burgess, C Te Aawe, M Gibbons, B Clement, M O'Shea, G Graham, P Raill, M Gudgeon, P Harper, T Hardy. Front....P. Whareboka, R Dymond, D Rowlands, T Leach, B Whareboka, P Bryant, G Broughton, and P Frost.

## rugby

ATHLETIC v. N.P.O.B.

The Athletic Rugby Football Club's team played against New Plymouth Old Boys in a match at Hawera's Hicks Park recently. Pictured is the fast action of the game.



Old Boys McBride and Athletic's Johnstone in the thick of the



An Old Boys player kicks on, just before he is 'clobbered' by W. Dombroski.

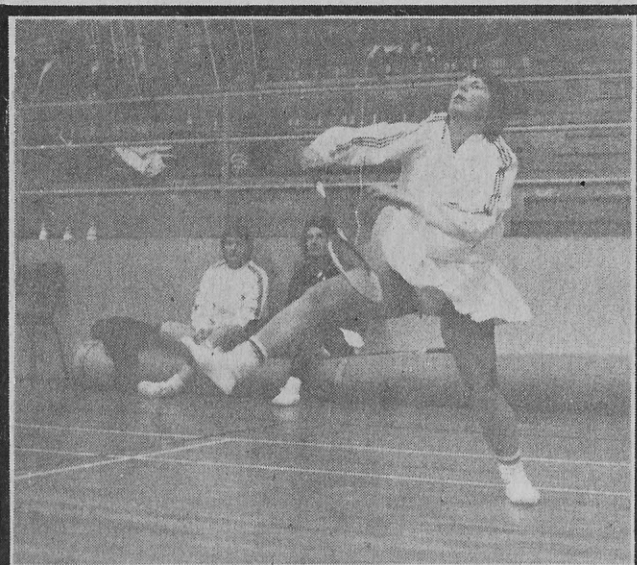


W. Dombroski fells a Old Boys player in a neat manouvre.

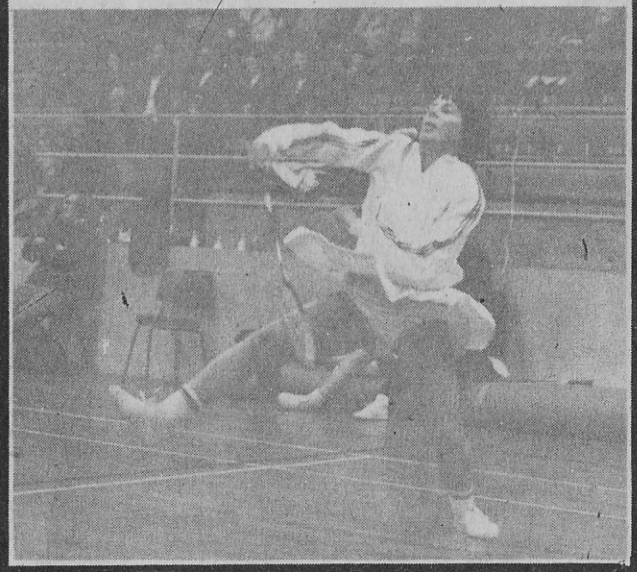
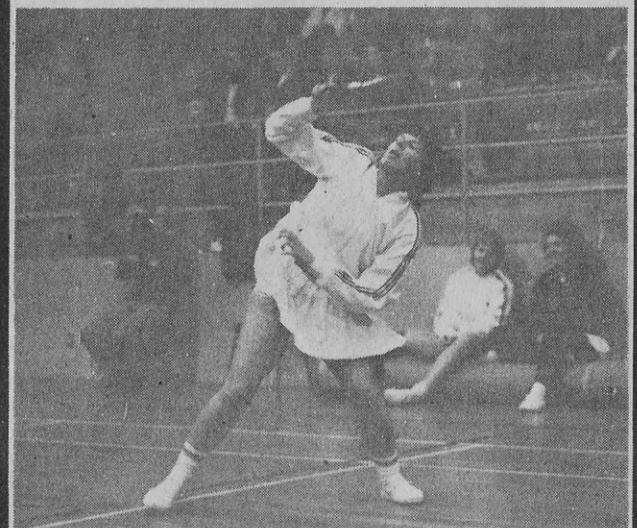


The Athletic team, before the start of play...left to right....Back...K Patterson, J Dallinger, T Ngeru, E Werder, G Fraser, M Johnston, F Rang, M O'Driscoll, N Bushby, A McCully, M Deatb, G O'Dea. Front...D Lance, W Dombroski, N Williamson, W Tamaka, R Tantrum, O McBride, I Holdem, C Wills, C Jones, B McKinnon.





*In this series of pictures the action and style of this female player is well illustrated.*



## BADMINTON

The Badminton match of the year, at least for Taranaki, was played at the YMCA in New Plymouth a few weeks ago, when Australia met Taranaki. While Australia won the match, it was certainly very exciting for the spectators as these pictures will illustrate;



*The camera catches the action and it appears as if the player is temporary blinded by light.*



*A fast reply.*

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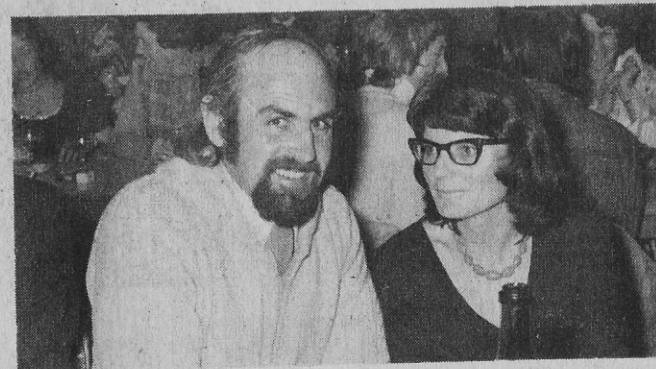
*Coral Simkin and Steve Wiltsbire.*



*Donald Bricknell and May.*



*Annette Sbotter and Gordon Lyford*



*Ross and Rae Jenkins*

## CABARET

The Taranaki Naturists Club held their annual cabaret a few weeks back in the Tukapa Gym. As is usual with this event, it was again attended by members of other Naturists clubs from many parts of the North Island. Pictured are a very few of those who enjoyed the event.



*Joan and Bruce Harding.*



*Slavko and Joy Petkovski*



*Rod and Lee Batten*



COOPER-REARDON.....At Wesley Methodist Church, Hawera, Christine, daughter of Mr and Mrs Reardon of Opunake, to Warren, son of Mr and Mrs S.J. Cooper of Hawera. The attendants were Carol Morgan of Rahotu, Ann Cooper of Hawera, and Paul Cooper and Michael Hokopoura both of Hawera. The couple will make their home in Hawera.  
(Paul Connell Studios)



WELLS-PHILP.....At Knox Presbyterian Church, Fitzroy, Dianne, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. S. Philp of Fitzroy, to Kevin Norman, son of Mr and Mrs D.V. Wells of Oakura. The attendants were Margaret Klenner, Joanne Philp, Chip Rangit and Allen Jacobs. The couple will live in New Plymouth.  
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**HART-WAITERE.....**At Fitzroy Catholic Church, Josephine Piki Huia, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.J. Waitere of Bell Block, to David Ronald, son of Mr and Mrs F. Hart of New Plymouth. The attendants were Daisy Phillips of New Plymouth, Joanne Rangitonga of Inglewood, John Peters and Raymond Waitere of New Plymouth. The couple will make their home in New Plymouth. (Fitzroy Studios)



**SMITH-WHITEHEAD.....**At Waitara Methodist Church, Denise Judy, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.S. Whitehead of Tikorangi, to Steven Murray, son of Mr and Mrs R.C. P. Smith of Waitara. The attendants were Amber Soffe of Waitara, Odette Whitehead and John Thobald, both of Waitara, Tony Whitehead of Okato, Sonia Caske of Palmerston North and Toni Walsh of New Plymouth. The couple will make their home at Waitara. (Fitzroy Studios)



**GOODIN-TERRY.....**At Kaponga Catholic Church, Rosemary Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. A Terry of Opunake, to Patrick Richard, son of Mr and Mrs H. B. Goodin of New Plymouth. The attendants were Ann Walsh and Judith Terry, both of Opunake, and Brian Goodin of Auroa. The couple will live at Opunake. (Paul Connell Studios)



**SIMMONS-FARMER.....**At St. Marys, New Plymouth, Gayle Maree, daughter of Mr and Mrs B. Farmer, of New Plymouth, to Paul Lawrence, son of Mrs L.E. Smith, also of New Plymouth. The attendants were Kaye Medway of Palmerston North, Pamela Simmons of New Plymouth, John Wyke of New Plymouth and Chris Smith of Auckland. The couple will make their home in Auckland. (Fitzroy Studios)





Heather Taylor



Wendy Mumby



Tracey Pearce



Kathy, Maree & Michael Gyde



Warren Bassett



Brent and Jenny Dodunski

## FANCY DRESS

Dudley School in Inglewood held their annual Fancy Dress last month. Costumes were imaginative and very colourful and it was quite obvious that those wearing them were really enjoying the event.



Ross, Adrian & Vicki Foster



Karryn, Deborah & Paul Clark



Barbara & Donna Cash



Christine, Graeme, Carolyn, Annette & Anthony Joyce



Patrick, Brian, Erin, Bridgette & Maree Hogan



Michael & Shane Bassett



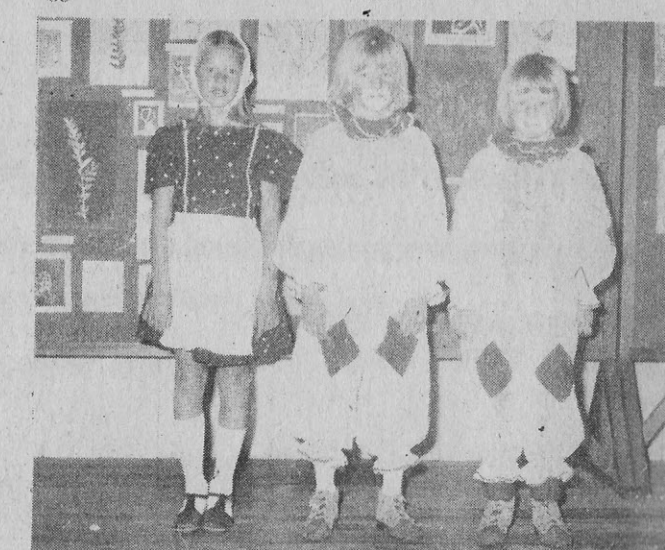
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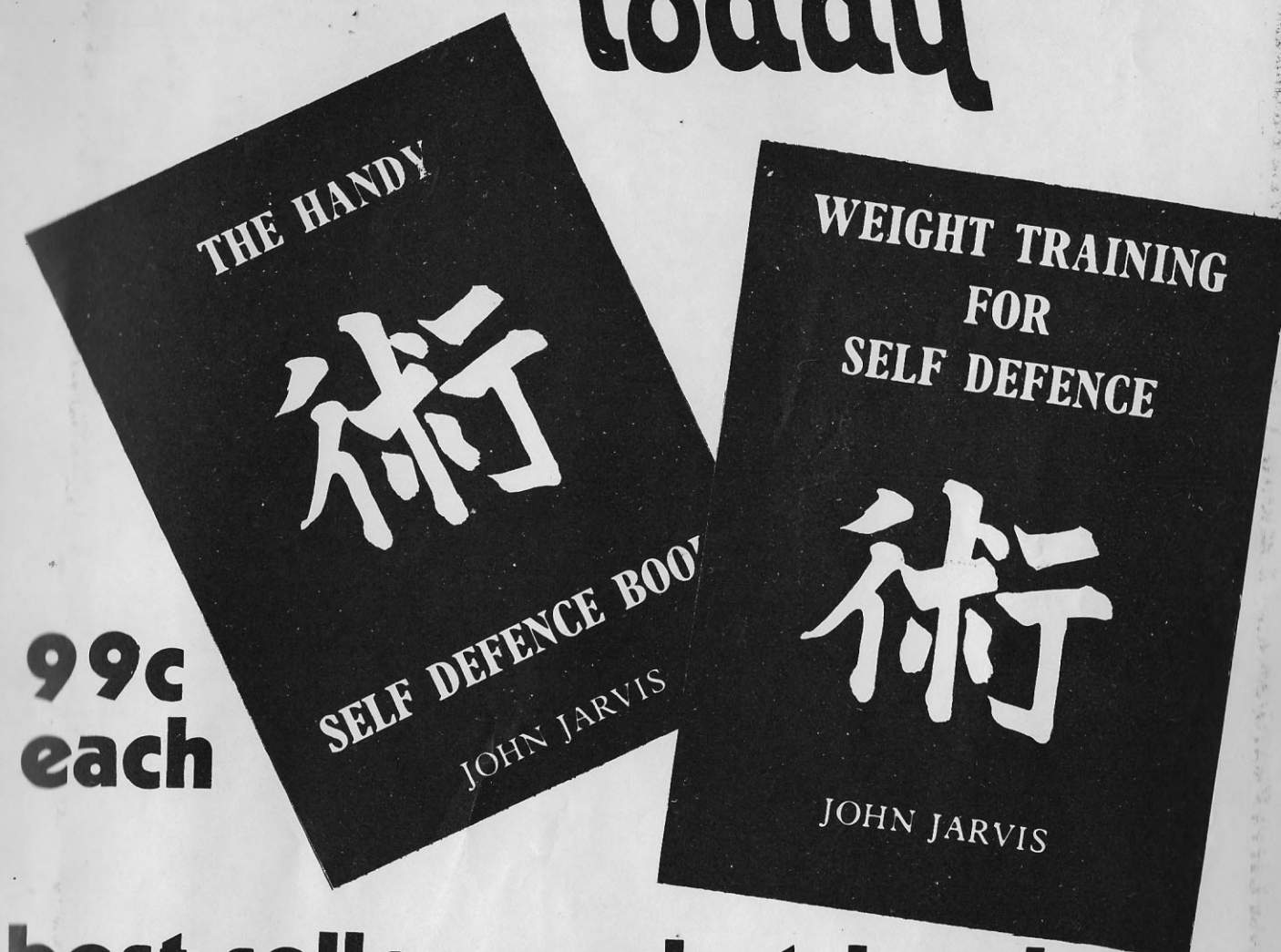
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