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**T H E Y ' R E O F F !**

The Egmont Greyhound Club have created a wonderful interest in racing on their new track at Inglewood. Crowds flock to the track on a Sunday afternoon to watch some of the country's best dogs in action. The picture on this page shows the start of a seven-dog race, with every muscle strained as the traps go up. These dogs travel at over 40 mph.

**90 Year**

**Above:** An  
beth Wright  
90th birthday  
cricket, and



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## 90 Years Young

**Above:** And that's precisely what Miss Elizabeth Wright looks. She recently celebrated her 90th birthday when we found her as lively as a cricket, and looking far younger than her years.



## Golden Wedding

**Left:** Mr and Mrs Henry Gundersen, Walsh Road, NP, who recently celebrated their golden wedding. This charming couple have lived all their married life in the province, and are shown here with their son and daughters, who gave them a hotel dinner and a party to celebrate the occasion.

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### OUR COVER

Once again Mount Egmont has got its winter coating of snow. This picture taken from the end of Newall Road, Okato, shows the mountain in all its winter glory, reflected in the lake.

### BACK COVER

Judith Moran (nee Gill) of Inglewood, recently married, chose Lake Mangamahoe for her wedding photographs, and a pretty picture she made too.

### STARTING **NEXT ISSUE**

With more and more people taking a keen interest in cars, we are starting a new feature next month in road testing of new cars which are now coming on the market. We have been promised support from most of the franchise dealers, and will test drive a different car each month. So if you are thinking of buying a new car, you can write us, and we will see if your choice can be test driven and commented upon. We cannot undertake to test secondhand cars, only new ones at the moment.



## Married

**Right: HAGEN-CLIMO.** At Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Sheila, second daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Climo, Waitara, to Brian, only son of Mr and Mrs R. J. Hagen, NP. The bridesmaids were Margaret Hagen, sister of the groom, NP, and Dawn and Carol Adlam, Waitara. Roy McKee, NP, was the best man, and Peter Climo, brother of the bride, Waitara, and Noel Henderson, Bell Block, were the groomsmen. The flower-girl was Sharon Blackstock, Stratford. The future home, NP.



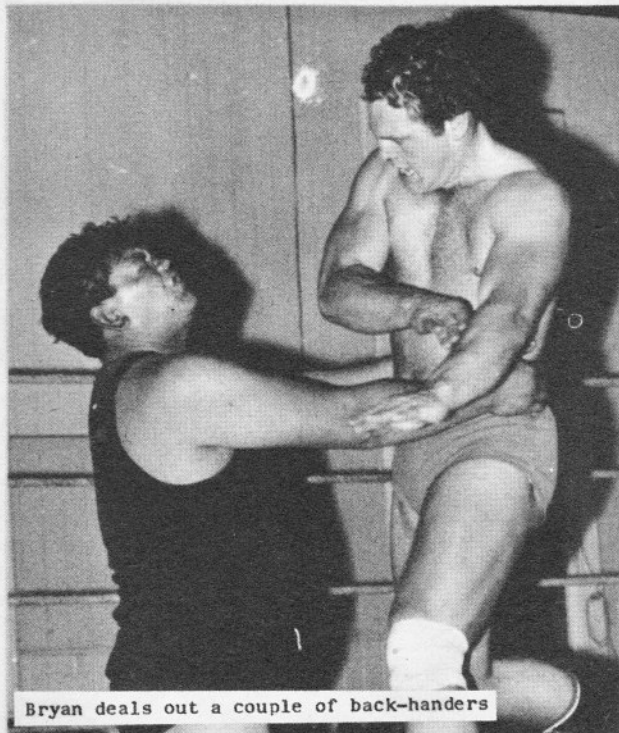
**Left: HAMMOND-JONES.** At St. Mary's Church, NP, Audrey Elma, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs E. P. Jones, NP, to David John, only son of Mr and Mrs Hammond, Timaru. Matron of honour was Irene Barrett, twin sister of the bride, Rahotu, and the bridesmaid was Lorraine Jones, sister of the bride, NP. Leonard Jury, Omata, was the best man and Evan Marsh, Wellington was the groomsmen. Future home, NP.

**Right: MEADS--BENEFIELD.** At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Alison Joy, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs H. E. Benefield, NP, to Allan Mervyn, youngest son of Mr and Mrs A. F. Meads, NP. Bridesmaids were Lorraine Proffit, and Loeline Washer, both NP. Best man was Grant Horner, NP, and the groomsmen was Ian Rothery, Auckland. The flower-girl was Carole Rhodes, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.

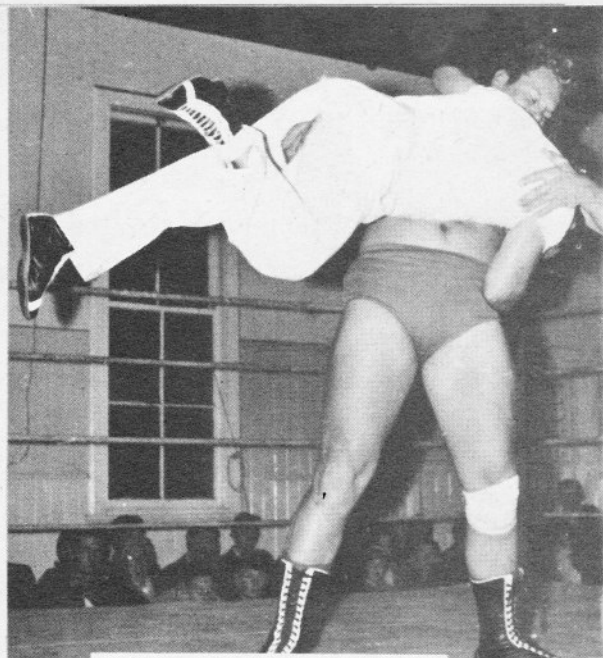


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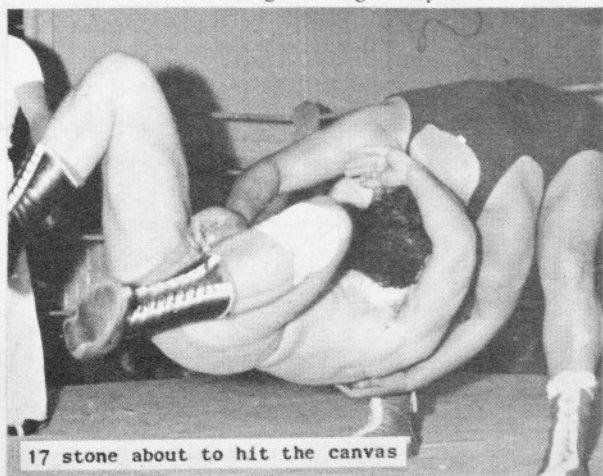
Bryan deals out a couple of back-handers



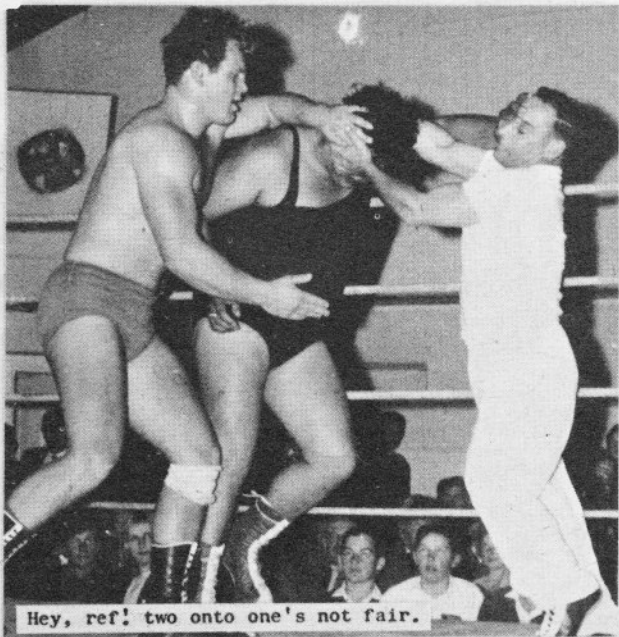
Referee Beale gets roughed up

## Pro Wrestling At Its Best

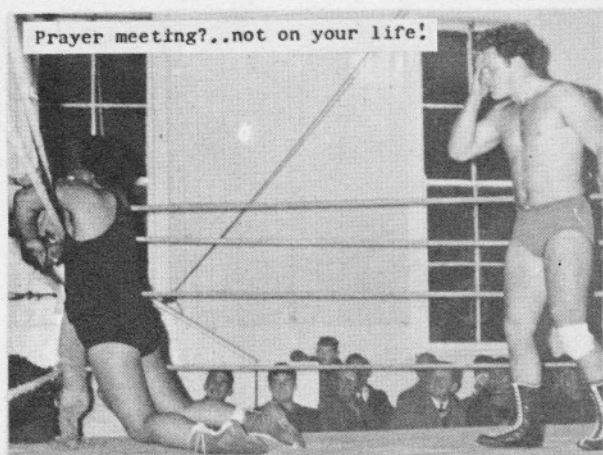
The full hall was not disappointed at the exhibition of wrestling put on recently by two top professionals, Taranaki-born Bryan Ashby and Aucklander Bunny Selwyn. It was a bout which had the crowd roaring from start to finish, as these two heavyweights provided action seldom seen in wrestling these days. More bouts of this calibre and wrestling will quickly revive in the province.



17 stone about to hit the canvas



Hey, ref! two onto one's not fair.



Prayer meeting?..not on your life!





## 100 m.p.h. Motor-Cyclists

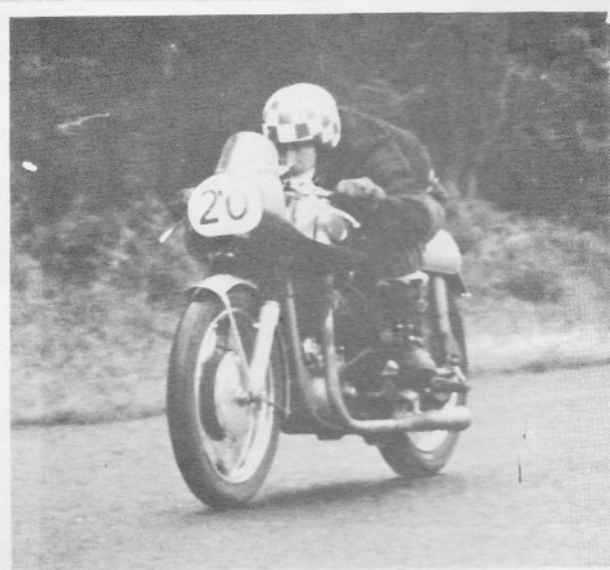
Misty rain and wet roads were the order of the day for the North Taranaki Motor Cycle Club's recent flying quarter-mile on the Waitara Road. There was a very good entry of men and machines and speeds well in excess of 100mph were obtained.

Above: J. Agnew gets off in the standing quarter.

Below: Starter Lionel Streeter gives instructions to W. Waller on a 500cc Matchless.

Right: Doing well over 100mph is George Blackwell on his Norton.

Below, right: J. Feaver (Opunake) on his FRM waits for the green light before setting off on his 100mph trip.



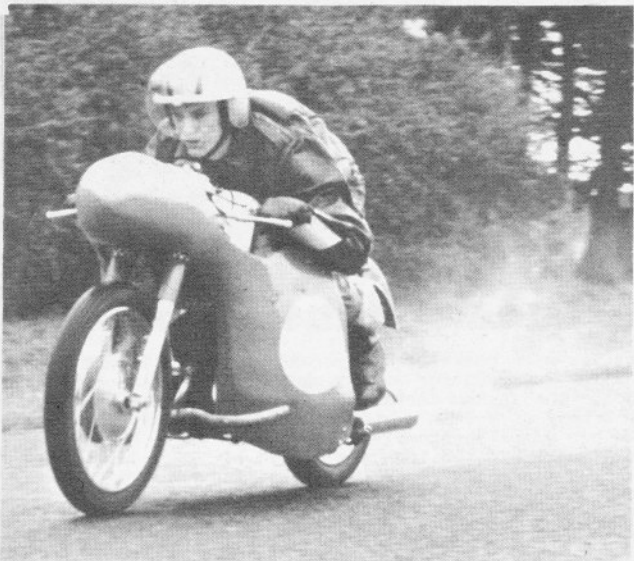


**Above:** C. Weir on a 650cc BSA starts the journey over the standing quarter. With about a mile to go, he will reach a top speed in excess of 100mph.

**Left:** B. Hastie on a Japanese Yamaha had the perfect streamlining on his machine.

**Below, left:** Rodney Short on a BSA caught by our camera as he was doing near to 100mph.

**Below:** Ash King, winner of the standing quarter mile event in a time of 14.3 secs.



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Sid Levy breaks the news to Ann as she sits in front of her class.



Congratulations!

## Rahotu Teacher Wins TV Set

In a recent nation-wide contest, the second prize, a TV set came to Taranaki. And the lucky winner was a young lady schoolteacher at the Rahotu school. She is Ann Corbett, and was surprised and delighted when Mr S. Levy of McEwan's went down from New Plymouth to present her with her magnificent prize. Ann, who is to be married in January, was no more excited than the pupils of her primer class, who were all generous in their congratulations.



Ann with her pupils and the TV set.



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Mr and  
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## Wedding Bells

**Above: LUDEMAN-BELLSHAW.** At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Maudie May, second daughter of Mr and Mrs F. Bellshaw, NP, to Geoffrey, eldest son of Mr and Mrs G. Ludeman, Tarata. Matrons of honour were Marjorie Robinson, NP, sister of the bride, and Doris Withers, Inglewood. Best man was Duncan Patterson, Tarata, and the groomsman was John Waite, Tarata. Future home, Tirau. (VOGUE).

**Below: GIBBON-STACHURSKI.** At the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Inglewood, Theresa Irene, second daughter of Mr and Mrs J.T. Stachurski, Inglewood, to Colin George, elder son of Mr and Mrs G. Gibbon, Inglewood. The bridesmaids were Margaret Stachurski, sister of the bride, Inglewood, Claire Kovaleski, Auckland, and Colleen Scott, Inglewood. Best man was Michael McCallum, NP, and the groomsman were Joseph Stachurski, brother of the bride, Inglewood, and Desmond Gibbon, brother of the groom, Inglewood. Future home, Ratapiko.





Best characterisation was won by Ross Wisnewski, Inglewood, shown here receiving his trophy from adjudicator Prof. K. Thomson.

## North Taranaki Drama Festival

Six excellent plays were recently presented at the third annual drama festival of the North Taranaki area. Some certainly caused controversy among the audience, while others delighted with their good acting and choice of play. It is of course a "drama" festival, but a bit more of the lighter playing would have been more acceptable to the audiences. Would it not be an idea to stage a comedy festival, with the accent of laughs? We feel that the festival would benefit from this venture, if perhaps only in audience quantity.



Oakura Drama players at make-up are Ross Priest, Jean Priest, Don Moore and Madge Rhodes.



Centre Woodleigh CWI cast enjoy a welcome cuppa during a break in the festival. From left, The prompt, Ella Mills, Grace Perry, Nenagh Gleeson, Eunice Park, Gwen Bell, Ella Patchett and Dot Williams.

### PLAYERS AT DRAMA FEST

Right:  
NP Repert  
production  
Play" are  
Christine  
Fred Jame  
Shirley  
Eileen  
Bob Thom  
Farguhar

Below:  
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