



Wedding Bells

Above: HONNOR-GREEN. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Nancy Doris, only daughter of Mr and Mrs G.K.Green, New Plymouth, to Charles Rex, youngest son of Mr and Mrs C.H.Honnor, Auckland. The bridesmaids were Faith Gordon-Glassford, New Plymouth, and Dawn Fryer, New Plymouth. The groom's niece, Jennifer Kemp, was the flowergirl. Brother of the groom, John Honnor, was best man, and the brother of the bride, George Green, was the groomsman. The future home of the couple will be New Plymouth.

Below: DUFF-KELLY. At the Methodist Church, Waitara, Joy Marshall, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs N.Kelly, Waitara, to Bevin Morton, only son of Mr and Mrs M.Duff, Stratford. Matron of honour was Maureen Hoar, New Plymouth and the bridesmaid was Glenys Kelly, Waitara. Royce Gordon was the best man, and Brian Waite, Stratford, was the groomsman. The future home of the couple will be Stratford.



Fitzroy Golf Club Champs

At the close of the 1960 season, the Fitzroy Golf Club ran a day tournament and concluded it with the presentation of trophies won during the year.

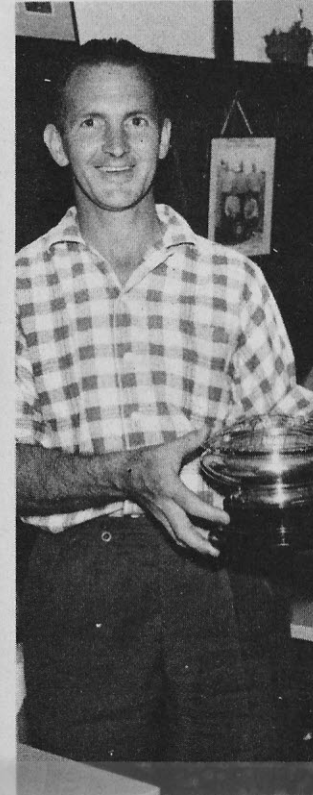
Left: Mrs M. Robertson, the junior champion.

Right: Senior champ, Mrs Joy Wheeler.

Extreme right: Men's junior champion, Vic Bennett.

Below, from left: Senior champ runner-up was Charlie Stewart. Owen Zumbach won the Green Band Rosebowl in a Stableford. The senior champion was R. Skipper. Junior champ runner up was Don Graham.

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Record Crowds at the Stratford Show

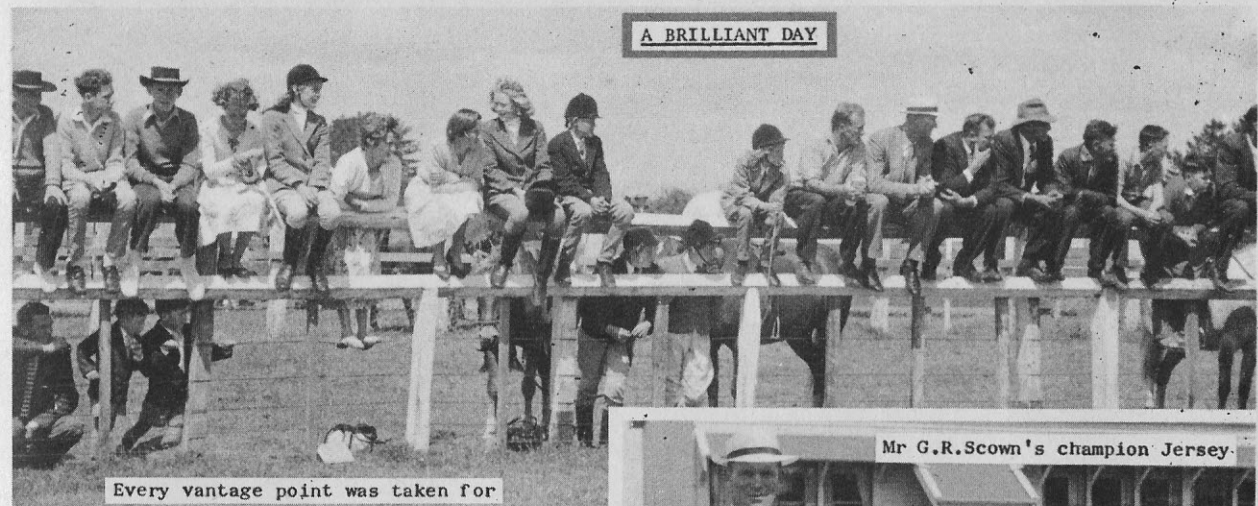
Sixteen hundred cars parked in the showgrounds and a similar number on the road outside were an indication of the record crowd which attended the annual show at Stratford. Entries in all sections were up on last year's figures, and in many cases were a record. All this went to make the Stratford show one of the best ever, and a major attraction for the people of all Taranaki.

Above: Not only was competition keen in the ring and cattle sections, there was also keen competition on the sideshows. With crowds like those shown in our photograph, the sideshows were well patronised during the whole of the show.

Below: A view of the ring during the grand parade, when hundreds of animals were led round the ring, lined with hundreds of cars and thousands of interested spectators.



The trotting events proved both thrilling and popular.

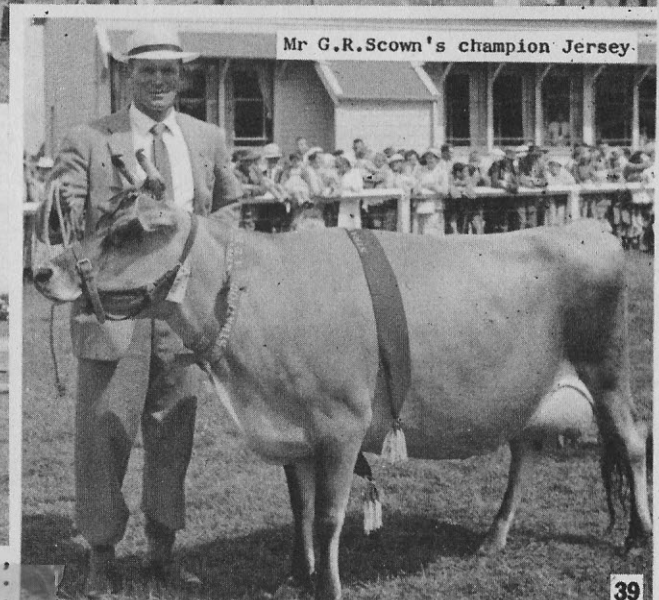


A BRILLIANT DAY

Every vantage point was taken for the trotting races



Open Hunters winners, from left, Miss M. Duncan (1), Miss C.S. Besley (2) and Ann Mullally (3).



Mr G.R.Scown's champion Jersey.



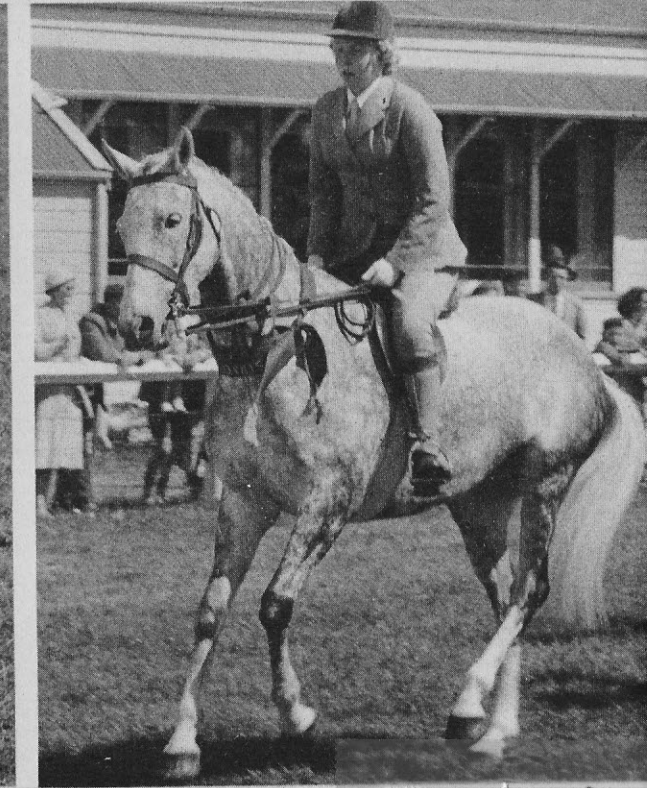
RIBBON WINNERS AT STRATFORD SHOW

Above, left: Christine Blackburn (Normanby), grand champion in the calf section. Christine was decked out in her party dress for the grand parade, and she made a pretty picture for our camera.

Above, right: Gwen Halford (Pihama) was a proud girl leading her charge, which won many ribbons including that of reserve champion.

Below, left: Little Patricia Potroz had a difficult time leading her lamb round the ring, but after several speedy recoveries, when her pet got away from her, she set off demurely for the rest of the parade.

Below, right: Grand champion pony, and a fine looking animal he was, belongs to I.Elliott (Kai Iwi).

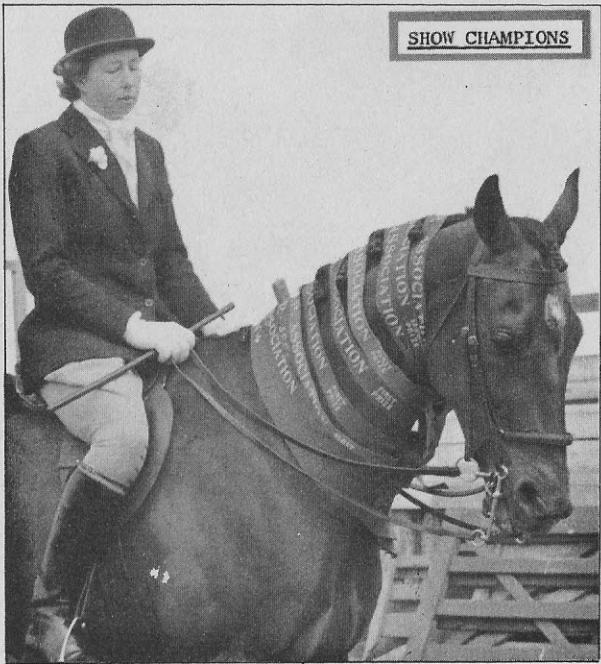


STRATFORD SHOW SIDELIGHTS

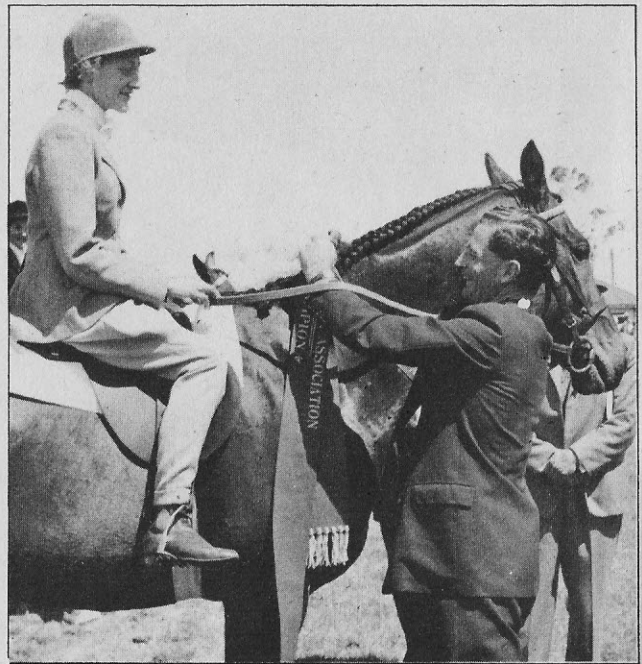
So wide was the variety at the Stratford Show, that interest never flagged. Not only was there plenty to see and do around the show ring itself, but in every other section there were interesting things to see and do. If the desire was there, you could buy a new carpet sweeper, **above, left**, or a new sewing machine, **above**. For the children there were the merry-go-rounds, **below, left**, or a free swing at one of the trade exhibits, **below**.



SHOW CHAMPIONS



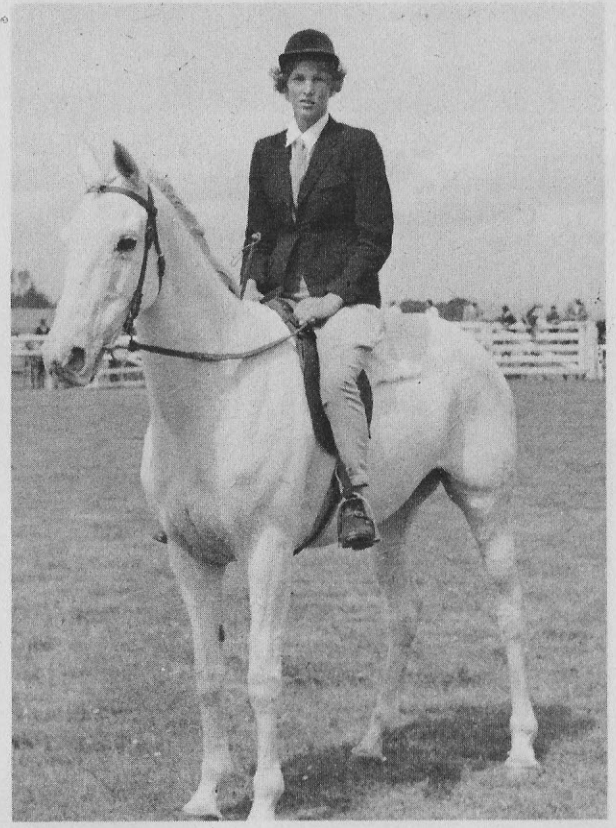
Above: The champion hack, bedecked in his many winners' ribbons.



Above, right: The principal of Massey Agricultural College, Dr.A.Stewart, after officially declaring the show open, presents the winner's ribbon to Miss M.Duncan who scored her success in the Open Hunters Competition.

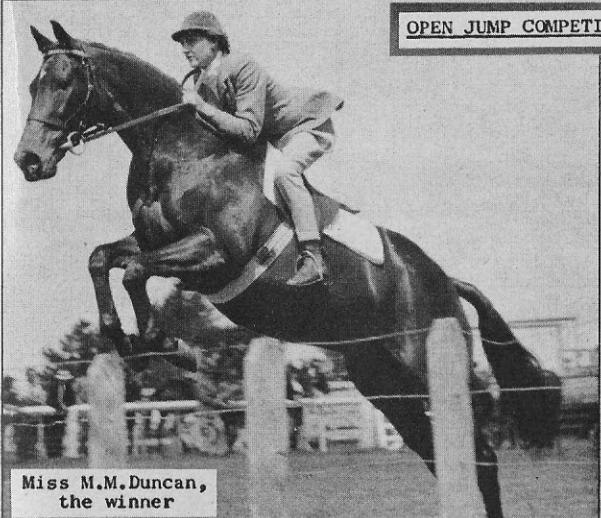
Below: Mrs R.H.Loveridge (Tariki) wears a winner's smile after defeating an all-male field in one of the trotting events.

Below, right: Miss Heather Blackwell (Te Popo) on Miss Worth, winner of the Olympic Jumping competition.



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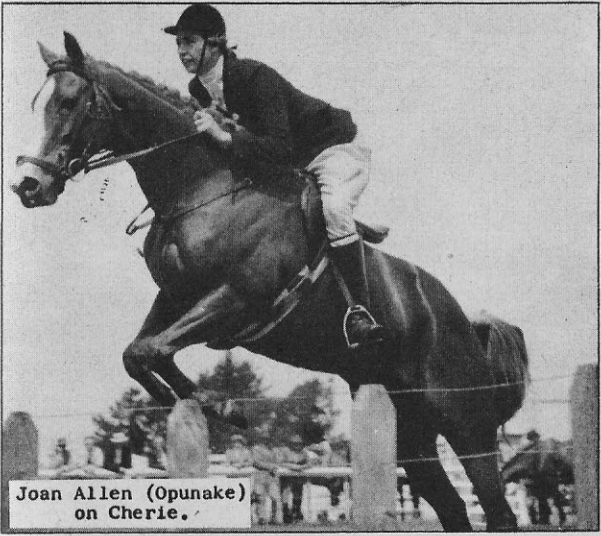
OPEN JUMP COMPETITORS



Miss M.M.Duncan, the winner



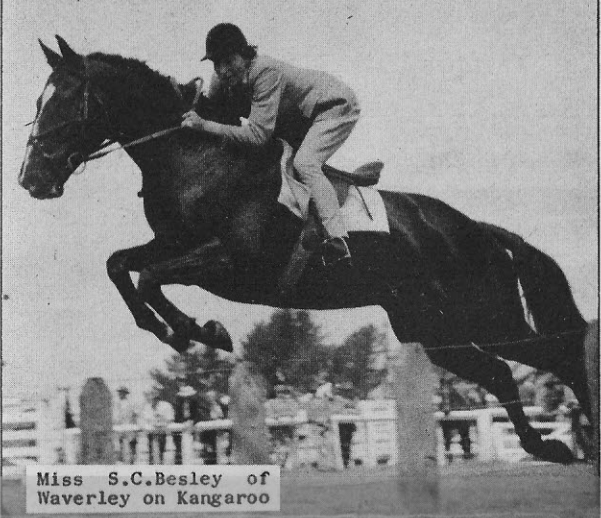
Anne Mullally (Stratford) on Artful.



Joan Allen (Opunake) on Cherie.



Ken Lupton (Waverley) on Fly Away.



Miss S.C.Besley of Waverley on Kangaroo



Val Crowe (Inglewood) on Mr Chips.



Luscious linkster
Mavis Roebuck



Mesdames Lou Lewis, Gwen Morgan, Molly Miller,
Nel Allen, Myra Nowell and Joan Gunn

Westown Golfers' Fancy Dress

After a visit to the Westown Ladies' Golf Club's fancy dress day, a man could lie down and die after saying he had seen everything. It wasn't just the antics, but the get-ups that combined to make the day one long round of laughs. Surely there have never been such comical goings-on on a golf course before. Every rule in the book was broken, and the sheep on the course ran and hid behind the bushes. The sum total was, of course, a happy day's golf and much hilarity, so often lacking on the links.



Marie Rowe, Eileen Grace, Phoebe
Kruse and Lorna Taylor



Barbara Fairbrother...no
wonder there's a shortage
of schoolteachers!



Pearl O'Neil takes
things easy.



...and out of the bunker came the three old maids



Wedding Bells

Above: KEENE-SANGER. At St. Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Nola Joy, third daughter of Mr R.J. and the late Mrs Sanger, New Plymouth, to Kevin Earl, youngest son of Mr and Mrs T.Keene, Waitara. The bridesmaids were Gwen Brundson, New Plymouth, and Jessie Sanger, New Plymouth, sister of the bride. The best man was Stewart Keene, Hamilton, brother of the groom, the groomsman was Clive Keene, New Plymouth, also a brother of the groom, and the page boy was Stephen Wicks, Waverley, the groom's nephew. The future home of the couple will be Spotswood.

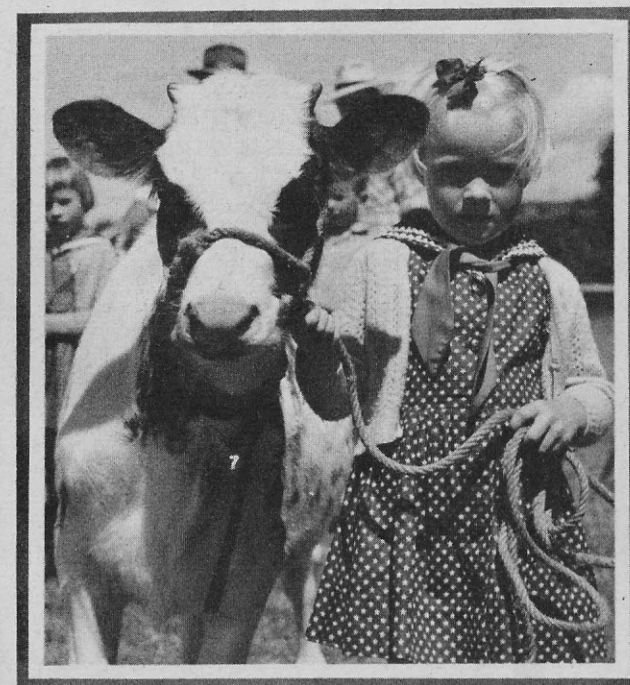
Below: RANDELL-GORDON-GLASSFORD. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, New Plymouth, Daphne May, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs A.M.Gordon-Glassford, Pukearuhe, to Brian Donald, only son of Mr and Mrs A.J.Randell, Waitara. The bridesmaids were Margaret Kebble, Bell Block, Faith Gordon-Glassford, sister of the bride, New Plymouth, and Jan Simmons, New Plymouth. The best man was Eric Keith, Waitara, and the groomsmen were Val Adlam, Waitara, and Noel Liddal, Urenui. The two little flowergirls were Marion and Carol Gordon-Glassford, Pukearuhe, both sisters of the bride. The future home of the couple will be Waitara.





C.W.I. International Day Competitions

At the CWI Rooms, New Plymouth, women from branches from all parts of the province gathered and exhibited tables and trinkets of an international flavour. So highly successful was this competition that it is likely to be repeated. The winning table was that exhibited by the Puketotara-Fitzroy branch, above, left. Second prize went to the Brooklands CWI whose table is shown below, left, and third place was won by Woodleigh CWI, whose table was arranged by mostly over-70 women. It is shown below, centre. Very highly commended was the exhibit of the Durham CWI, shown below, right. A table with a Dutch flavour was displayed by the Woodleigh CWI, and our picture above, right shows Mrs Rei Van Den Bergh arranging the many fine exhibits.



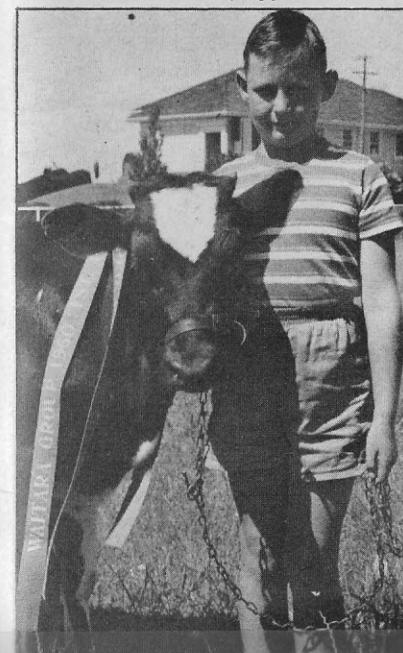
Waitara Group Calf Judging

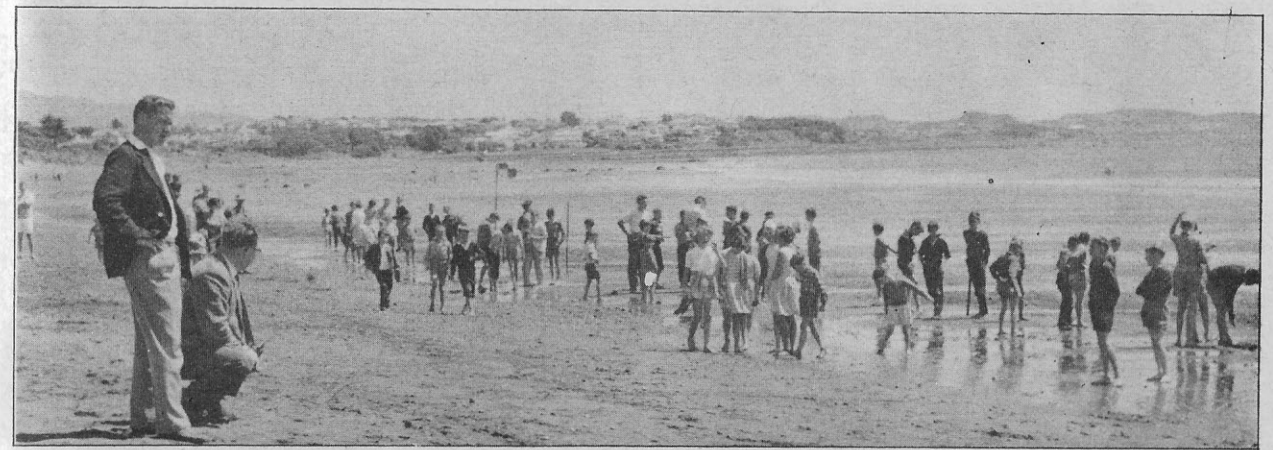
The Waitara Group Calf Judging recently took place at the Huirangi school, where a good muster of calves provided the judges with a hard task in picking the eventual winners. The Lepperton school seemed to lift most of the major prizes with their herd of very fine cattle.

Above, left: Brother and sister competitors, Frank, who gained two first prize ribbons, and his sister Eileen Murphy, who was runner-up to Frank on both occasions.

Above, right: Robyn Hall (Lepperton), one of the smallest competitors, won the Junior Pedigree Condition.

Below, from left: Brian Cloke (Lepperton), first in both type and condition of the junior heavy breeds. Centre: Julie Gray (Lepperton) gained a first in the junior heavy breeds class. Right: Marlene Cloke (Lepperton) with her champion lamb.





The young fry gather on the course, while waiting for the next race

Fitzroy Beach Races

Something new for Fitzroy beach were the recent beach races, promoted to raise funds for the Fitzroy Surf Club. The events proved popular in that there were at least 800 people who went despite the windy conditions. The weather was fine and the track in good order.

Above: Winner of the ladies' race, Janice Sewell with her horse, Freelance and trainer I. Munroe.

Above, right: Margaret-Ann Roulston and Perspective make a good picture.

Below: Oliver French and R.P.Nolan wander down to the start line.

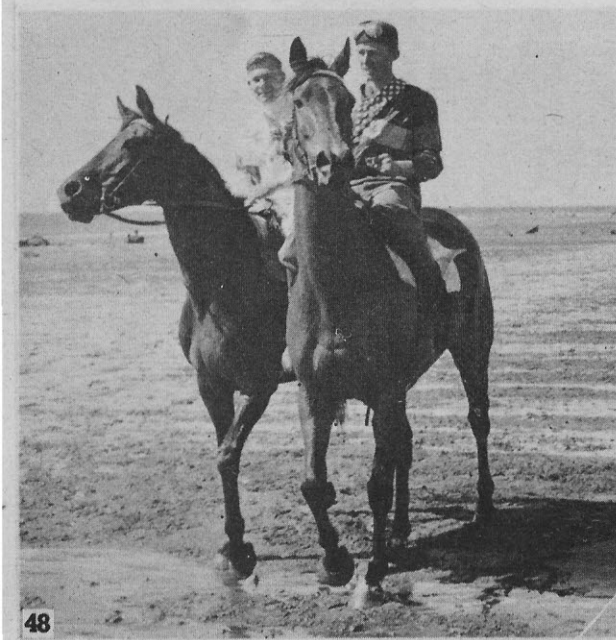
Below, right: Guess the weight...of the sheep, not the man who hopped into the picture.



They've heard about oil at Tikorangi, and are making sure that there's none at Fitzroy, despite the attraction of beach racing



The bar did a bigger trade than the "tote"





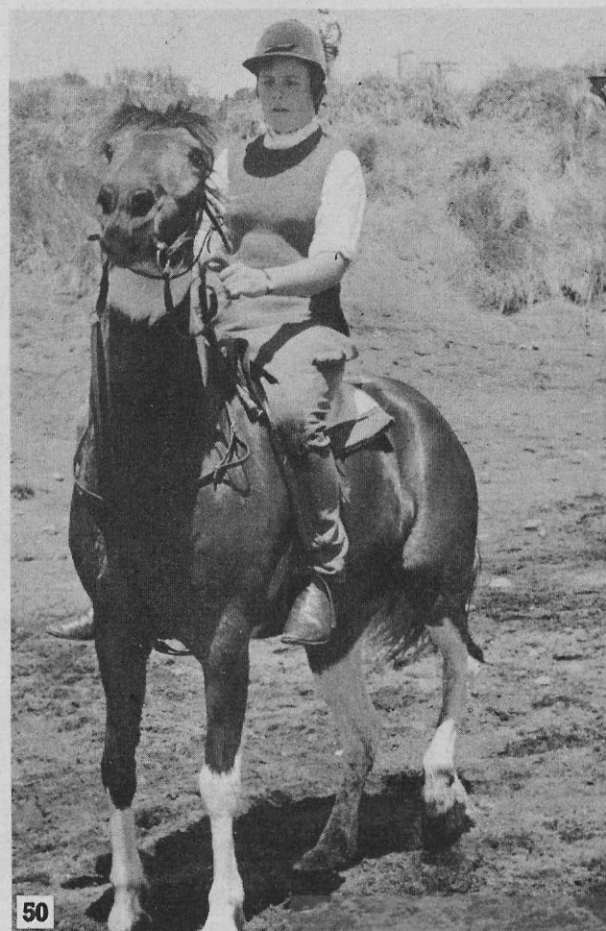
BEACH RACING SNAPSHOTS

Above: Contrast in dress at the pay-out window of the Equalisator.

Below: Fezenda and Nutrola, winner of the Fitzroy Cup, take it easy between races.

Above, right: Judges, Messrs McGuire, Christensen, Mace and Stainton, and their youthful assistants, pose for our camera.

Below, right: Katherine Nolan on her horse Skipper, who unfortunately was an also-ran.



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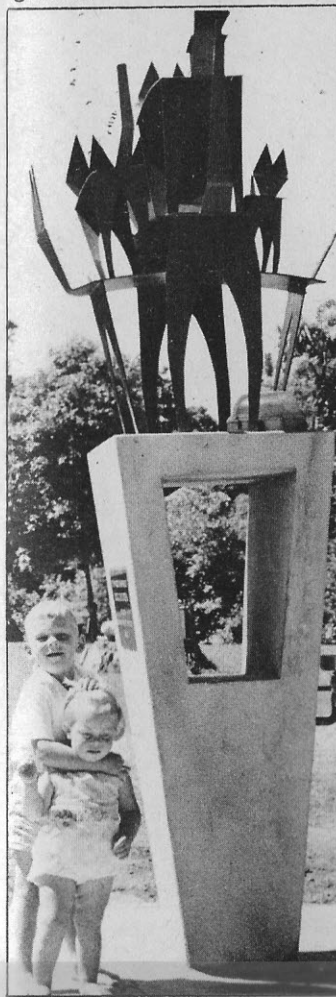
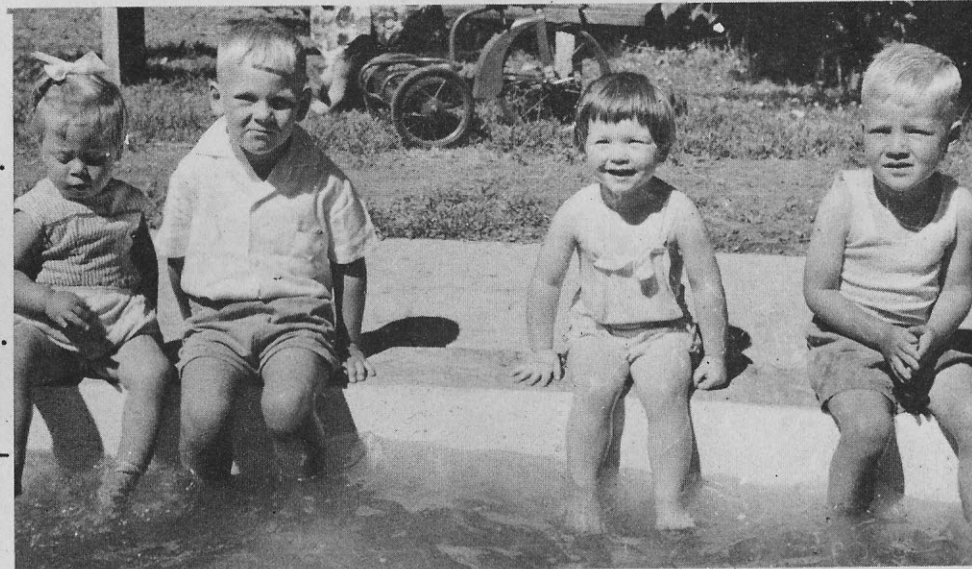
NEW PADDLING POOL AND DRINKING FOUNTAIN OPENED

A project of the N.P. Jaycees that has now reached fruition, is the new paddling pool recently opened in Pukekura Park. Along with a drinking fountain, it provides a fine amenity for the children of our city.

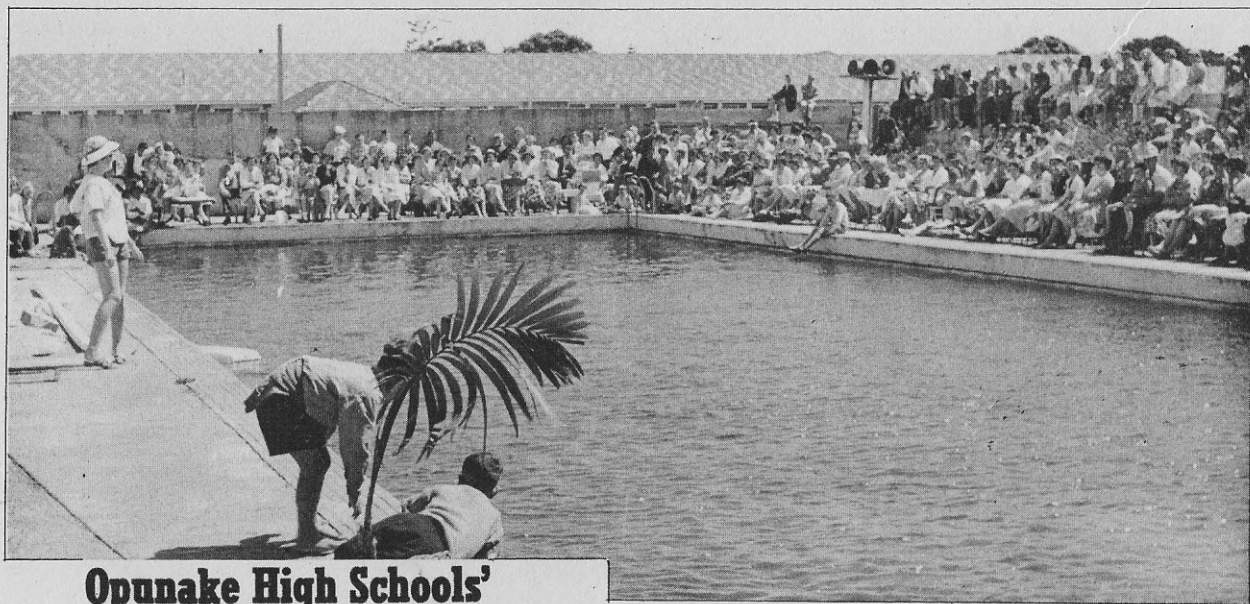
Right: Sandra and Kevin Cole, Mary Dauke and Gary Cornachan dip their toes in the new paddling pool.

Below: The new drinking fountain that will quench many a summer thirst.

Below, right: The new pool makes a fine addition ideally situated in a corner of the children's playground.



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Opunake High Schools' Successful Gala Day

When the Opunake District High School hold a gala, it is a gala day for the whole of the town who turn up in their hundreds to support their local school. This is perhaps one of the best-organised school galas that we have the good fortune to attend. The items and stalls are so varied that interest never flags.

Above: Part of the crowd who watched some of the entertainment that took place around the schools' swimming pool.

Right: Members of the Hawera Judo Club who provided the spectators with a skilful exhibition of their chosen sport.

Below, right: Archers in the making. From left, Margaret Harvey, Sandra Caverhill, Gallis Caverhill, Barbara Whyte, Beryl Barraclough and Elsa Leatherbarrow.

Below, left: Mum was busy getting the hangi ready, so junior decided to go on the bottle.

(Pictures by Frank Antill).

