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**BRIDE OF
THE MONTH**

Each month we will publish a "Bride of the Month". Our first is Mrs Gayleen Buchanan (nee Harland), who was recently married at St. Mary's Church. (Photo: VOGUE STUDIOS).



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OUR COVER

Fun on the beach over the holidays is the theme for our front cover this month. Here Karen Putt gets the treatment as her cobbles toss her high in the air. Good fun, eh?

BACK COVER

View of Lake Mangamahoe, taken from the southern end of the lake. This is the scene as one enters the reserve.

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New Catholic Church Opened

Over three hundred people attended the opening of the new £12,000 St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church at Spotswood recently. The church was opened and blessed by the Most Rev Owen Sneddon, auxiliary Bishop of Wellington.

Below: Interior of the new church is simple, yet dignified.

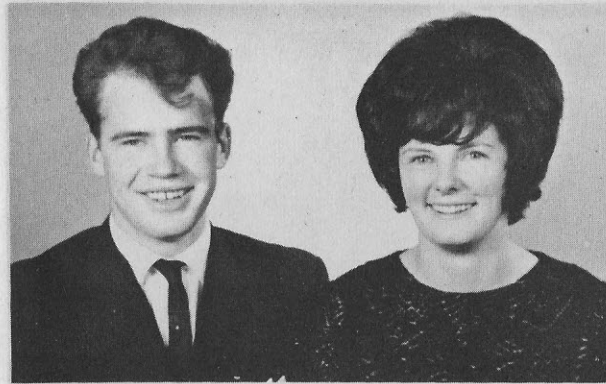
Left: The Most Rev Owen Sneddon speaks to the large gathering at the opening.





Above: Officials at the opening of the new Catholic Church, St. Paul's, Spotswood, included the Mayor of New Plymouth, Mr A. G. Honnor, shown here addressing the gathering, the MP for New Plymouth, Mr E. P. Aderman, Mr M. Powell, on behalf of the district, Mr L. Charteris, chairman, and Dr Doogan.

Below: Part of the crowd of three hundred which attended the opening, held in brilliant sunshine on a Sunday afternoon. The new church will fill a need in the Spotswood area of the city.



Engaged

Above, left: LANGTON-RODERICK. Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R. G. Roderick, Patea, to Samuel Allenson, only son of Mr and Mrs F. J. Langton, Opunake. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

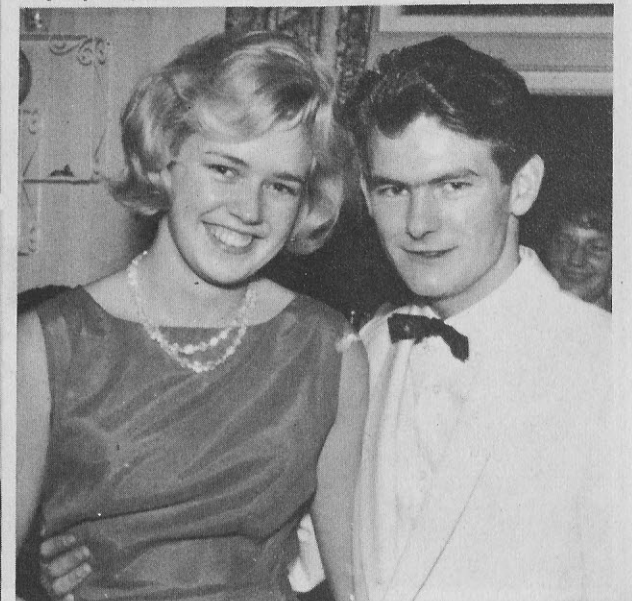
Left: BAKER-HAWKES. Rosemarie, only daughter of Mr and Mrs G. E. Hawkes, Te Roti, to John, elder son of Mr and Mrs D. J. Baker, Normanby.

Below, left: HIESTAND-BOYD. Vivienne, second daughter of Mr and Mrs M. S. Boyd, Awatuna, to Brian, eldest son of Mr and Mrs D. Hiestand, Awatuna. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Bottom, left: McDONALD-JENNINGS. Beverley, second daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Jennings, Mokoio, to Kevin, second son of Mr and Mrs H. McDonald, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Above: DOWMAN-ROSE. Dianne Cynthia, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs C. C. Rose, Omata, to Gary David, eldest son of Mr and Mrs D. P. Dowman, Te Kuiti.

Below: GYDE-HOLTSLAG. Martini Hendrika, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H. J. Holtslag, Wellington, to Neil Herbert, elder son of Mr and Mrs D. B. Gyde, Inglewood.



Colour At The Bowl

Over six thousand people witnessed the best night at the Bowl so far this season, that of Miss Brooklands Night. It was a night to remember with all the colour and splendour of the occasion, plus top-line artists to entertain. On top of this, the weather for this evening was as near to perfect as one could wish, not the breath of a breeze, a full watermelon moon, and a balmy temperature. This was the scene on stage as Miss Brooklands 1965, Jeanine Williams, installed the new Miss Brooklands, Judith Phillips.





6000 SEE MISS BROOKLANDS CONCERT

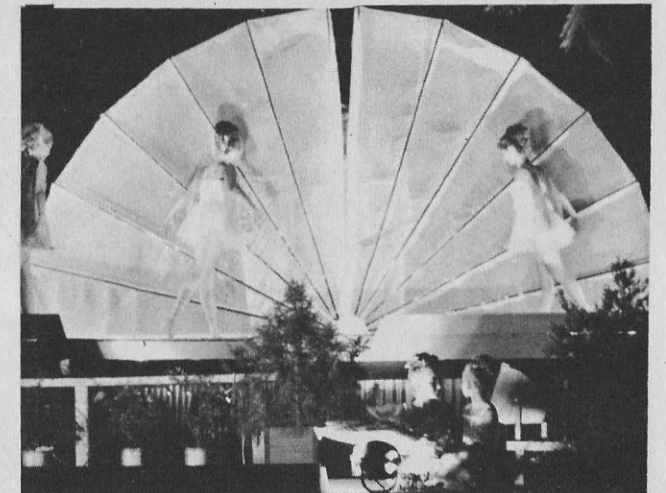
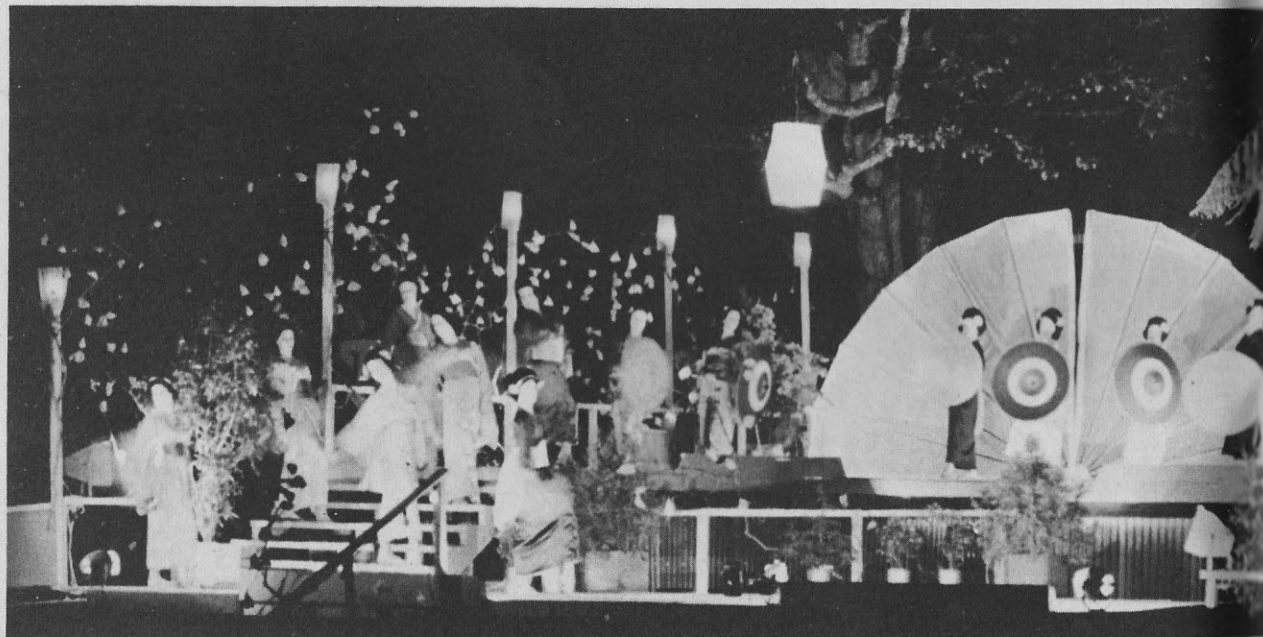
This was the night, to our minds, which proved that spectacle is the only presentation likely to attract the crowds. Colour and beauty were breathtaking as Miss Brooklands was proclaimed, with not a ripple on the lake, nor a breath of wind in the air. Added to this was a programme of popular and talented artists. Above, left: The Southerners from Christchurch with their close harmony were a real delight. Above, right: Silvio de Pro, an Italian with a charming voice and an accordion which does everything but talk. Below: Perhaps the most popular was the Ossie Cheesman quartet which rendered items from near-pop to classic. A wonderful evening!





Miss Brooklands Proclaimed

Above, left: Miss Brooklands 1965, Jeanine Williams, presents the Wills Trophy to Miss Brooklands 1966, Judith Phillips. Above: Entry of the Hastings Blossom Queen with her maids was colourful in the extreme. Below, left: Japanese ballet on the woodland stage. Below: Entry of Miss Brooklands was made between this fan, a novel and colourful idea.



Married

Right: REIHAMA-WHAKANEKE. At Ketemarie Pa, Lorraine, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Whakaneke, Mania, to William Reihama, son of Mr W. Laison, Hawera. Matron of honour was Gloria Kerahoka, Normanby, and the best man was Angus Nuku, Hawera. Future home, Okaiawa. (DAVID PAUL).

Below: SCHOLLUM-LETHBRIDGE. At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Eltham, Jennifer, younger daughter of Mr F.A. Lethbridge, Hawera, to Graeme, younger son of Mr C.F. Schollum, Hawera, and the late Mrs Schollum. The bridesmaids were Cheryl Lethbridge, sister of the bride, Hawera, and Vivienne Schollum, sister of the groom, Hawera. Best man was Warwick Schollum, brother of the groom, Hawera, and the groomsmen were Bernard Dwyer, Kakaramea. Future home, Normanby. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).



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Mayoral Garden Party

Part of the enjoyment of being a Miss Brooklands contestant is a garden party and afternoon tea with the Mayor and Mayoress of New Plymouth, Mr and Mrs A.G. Honnor. This took place at the Pukekura Park kiosk, when the girls met Mr and Mrs Honnor and the panel of judges. **Above:** Mrs Honnor talks to Robyn McLeod, Sheryl Lafferty and Verena O'Brien. **Below:** His Worship with Claire Piper, Cynthia Eales, Maureen Sears and Marion Sharpe. **Above, right:** Judging panel and chairman of the sponsoring association. **Right:** Julie Ekdahl and Penelope Brandon with Mr and Mrs Lynch. Local MP, Mr and Mrs E.P. Aderman, with Barbara Lilley, Jeanine Williams (Miss Brooklands 1965) and Betty Winterburn.



Preparing for the fancy dress race are nurses in the foreground, but a cheating doc got a flying start from the diving board.



Belly flop coming up



Hi-Jinks At Nurses' Swimming Sports

The nurses' swimming pool at the New Plymouth hospital was the venue for high jinks when they recently held their annual sports. The events for the nurses were of a serious nature, but present were some of the young doctors who did their best to help the proceedings along. In all, it was a lot of fun for everyone.



This diver didn't wait to disrobe

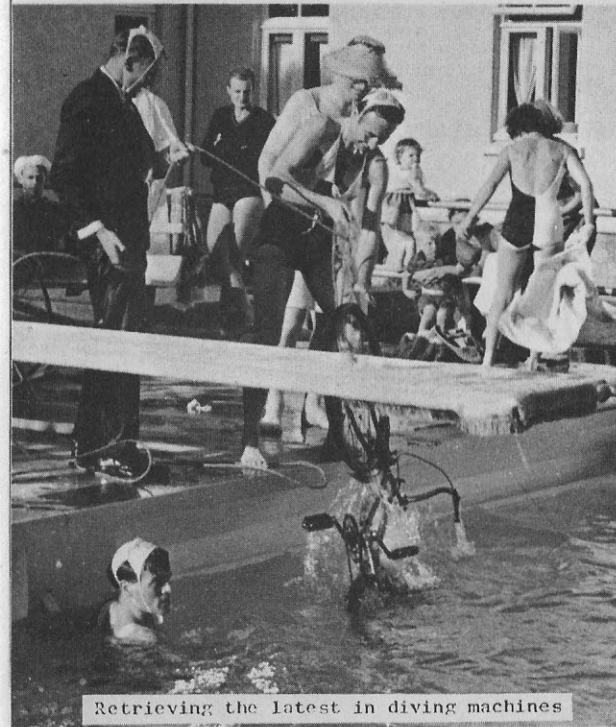


Diving nurses were graceful

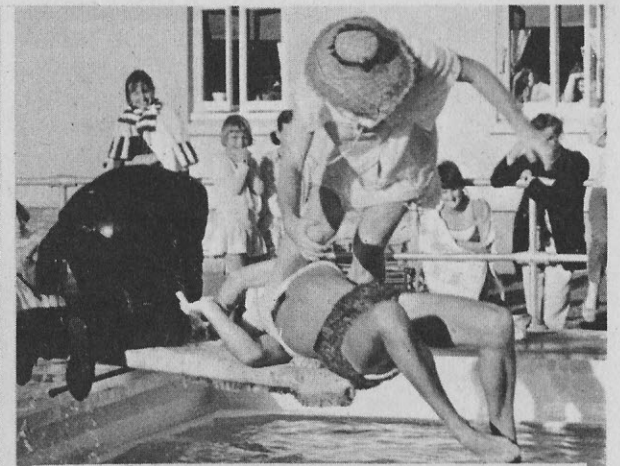


A little help for a comrade to get out of the pool

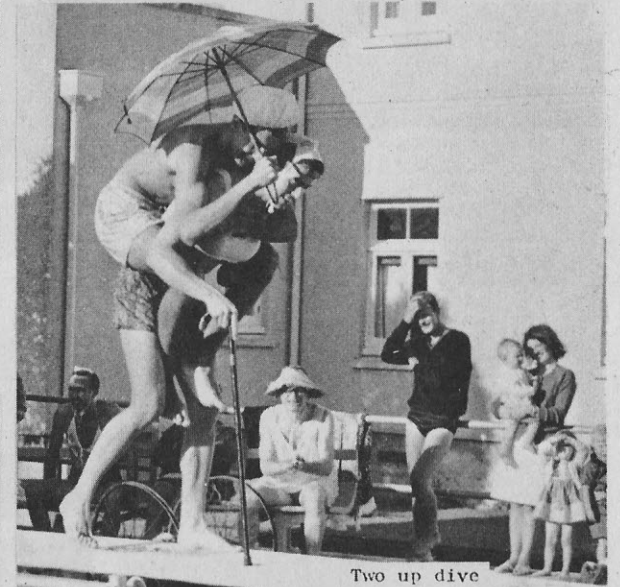
At the NP Hospital nurses' swim sports, nothing was forgotten by the male members of the staff. They had rescue lines always at the ready, and even a boat for a mid-pool rescue. The boat was used once, but before reaching the victim, it slowly sank to the bottom.



Retrieving the latest in diving machines



...and help from the other end to get back in!



Two up dive



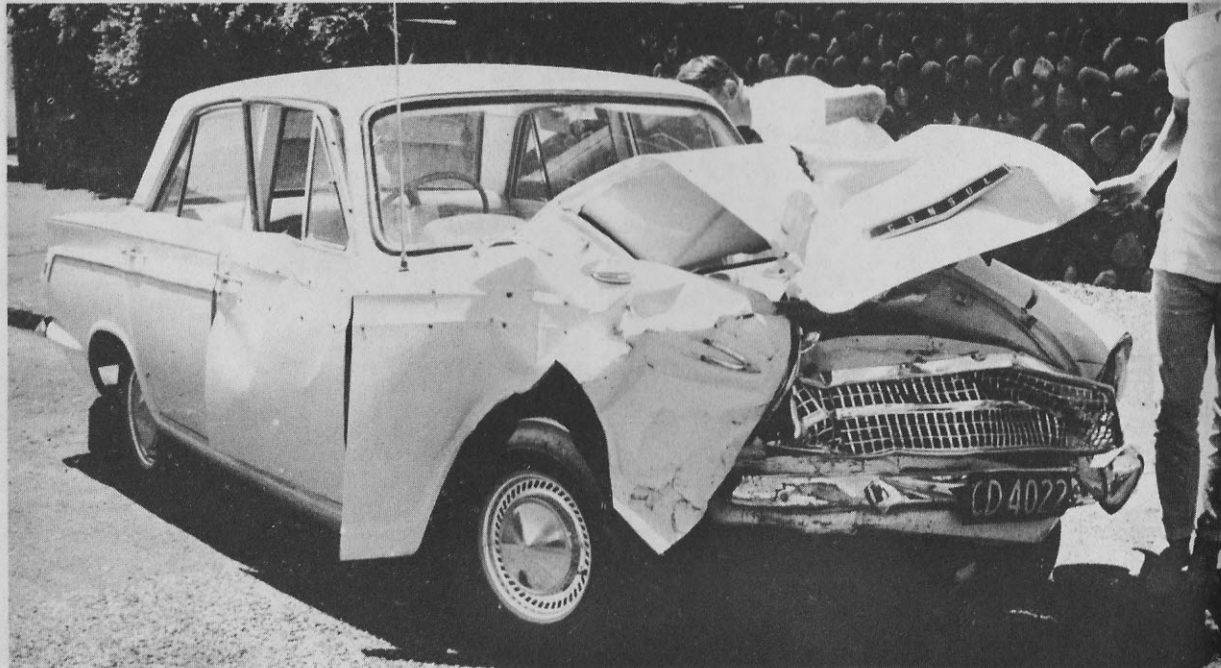
Even the rescue boat got water-logged





Early Morning Crash

The two cars shown on this page were involved in a collision on the intersection of Leach and Elliot streets in the early hours of a recent Saturday morning. The amazing fact is that there were four people in these two cars, three in one, and one in the other, yet none was seriously injured. The driver of the Zephyr, above, had to be cut out of the wrecked car with blow torches, yet he came out of it very luckily. This won't always happen, and wrecks like this should be a lesson to every driver. There's really only one thing that will stop or diminish the number of accidents, and that is courtesy and carefulness. Practise them: you MIGHT save a life that could be YOURS!



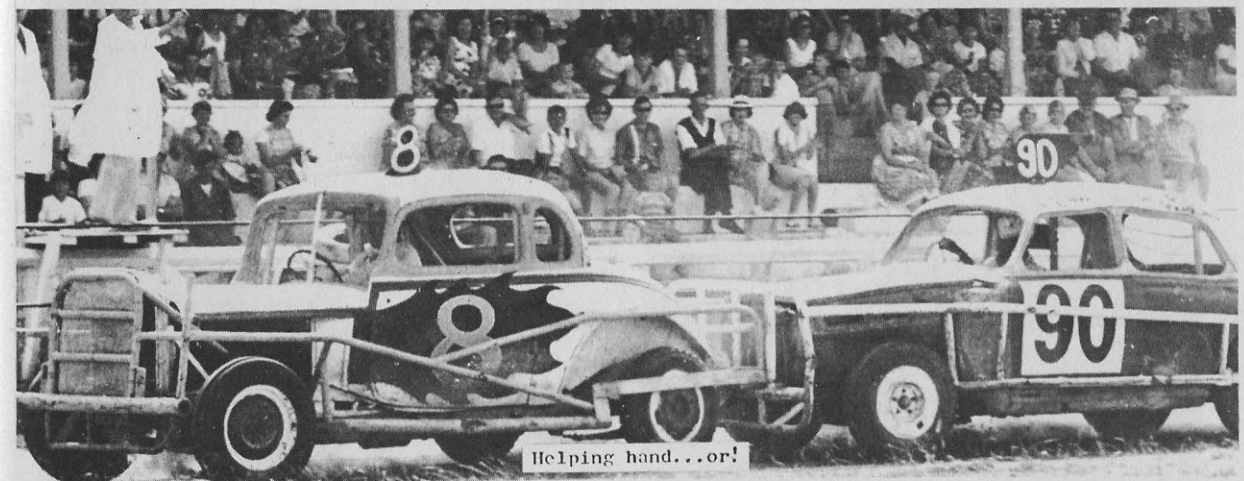
One in the rear for this racer

This Is The Place To Have A Crash

If you want to experience a crash, get yourself an old jalopy and join the stock car boys at Stratford. Here you'll see dozens of crashes during an afternoon's racing, so many in fact that one wonders if the object is to win a race or smash up your opponents, eliminating them from the race, one by one. Whatever it is, the sport seems to be attracting good crowds, and is assured of a good future. We think it a spectacle well worth watching...if your heart will stand it!



Ouch, man, I bet that jolted him.



Helping hand...or!



Wedding Bells

Above: HUNT-BAUNTON. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Hawera, Judith Mary, only daughter of Mr and Mrs C. E. Baunton, Hawera, to Anthony Neal, elder son of Mr and Mrs D. N. Hunt, Foxton. The bridesmaid was Annette Goldsmith, Waikeria, and the best man was Kevin Hunt, brother of the groom, Foxton. Future home, Palmerston North. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: McNAB-FRENCH. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Hawera, Clarissa Grace, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs E. T. French, Hawera, to Ian Bruce, younger son of Mr and Mrs J. F. McNab, Eltham. The bridesmaids were Anne Nessider, Hawera, Sonia Evenoff, Eltham, and Gail Bland, NP. Billie French, brother of the bride, Hawera, was the best man and Forbes McNab, brother of the groom, Eltham, was the groomsman. Future home, Eltham. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).



Engaged

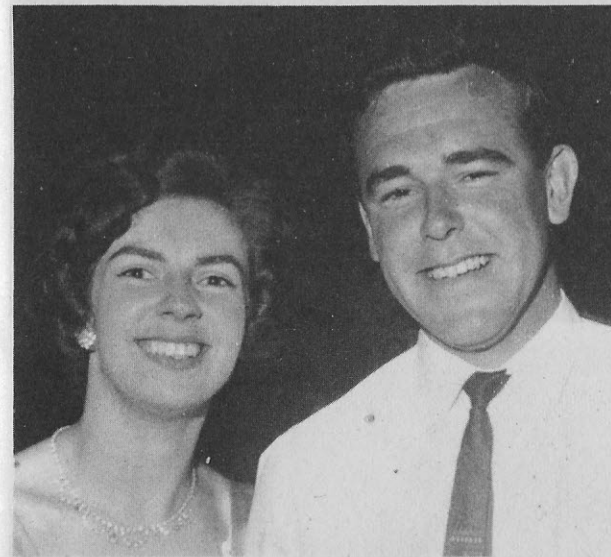
Above, left: MORRELL-HARDY. Denyse, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs F. W. Hardy, Patea, to Cecil, youngest son of Mr and Mrs C. T. Morrell, Pahiatua. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Left: JURY-PUTT. Marlene Ruth, daughter of Mrs D. Putt, Wanganui, and the late Mr R. G. Putt, to Bruce James, only son of Mr and Mrs N. Jury, Bell Block.

Below, left: WOODS-SCHWEITERS. Sandra Anne, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L. J. Schweiters, Hawera, to Graeme Maurice, son of Mr and Mrs M. J. A. Woods, Normanby.

Above: PHILLIPS-LOVERIDGE. Doreen Jean, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J. M. Loveridge, Manutahi, to Barry James, third son of Mrs J. N. Phillips, Patea, and the late Mr Les Scown.

Below: BRUNTON-JORDAN. Betty Eileen, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A. D. Jordan, Inglewood, to David Robert, eldest son of Mr and Mrs D. W. Brunton, Stratford.





Roving Camera

Above: Vivienne Attrill, a nurse at the NP Hospital, is shown on the occasion of her 21st birthday with her parents, Mr and Mrs G.D. Attrill and sister Dianne. All are of Taumarunui.

Right: Four generations. At back, grandmother Mrs C. J. Simmonds, NP, mother, Mrs R. W. Rowe, NP, and in front, great-grandmother, Mrs A. M. King, Levin, with baby Tony William Rowe.

Below: Fire at the beach at Pungarehu recently provided some fun for these young boys who helped to fight the blaze. Fortunately no damage was reported.



Married

Right: EVATT-BIRD. At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, NP, Leonie Anne, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs J. S. Bird, NP, to Christopher Gordon, younger son of Mr and Mrs R. H. Evatt, Dunedin. The bridesmaids were Lynette Bird, sister of the bride, NP, Margaret Mackintosh, Southland, and Elizabeth Evatt, sister of the groom, Dunedin. Best man was Philip Evatt, brother of the groom, Timaru, and the groomsmen were Wilfred Layburn, Chch, and John Lanham, Palmerston North. Future home, Dunedin.



Left: HOSKINS-FRETHEY. At the Whiteley Methodist Church, Colleen Margaret, second daughter of Mr and Mrs F. Frethey, Waitara, to John Michael, third son of Mr and Mrs L. Hoskins, Waitara. The bridesmaid was Joy Frethey, sister of the bride, Waitara, and the best man was Bill Hoskins, brother of the groom, Waitara. Future home, Waitara.

Right: MITCHELL-CORBETT. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Ann, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs A. R. Corbett, Okato, to Douglas, only son of Mr and Mrs J. Mitchell, Auckland. The bridesmaids were Joy and Thelma Corbett, sister of the bride, and Karen Sisarich, NP. Best man was Brian Cavey, Manaia, and the groomsmen were Donald Smith, Okato, and John McKee, Auckland. The flower-girl was Helene Miles, NP. Future home, Okato.



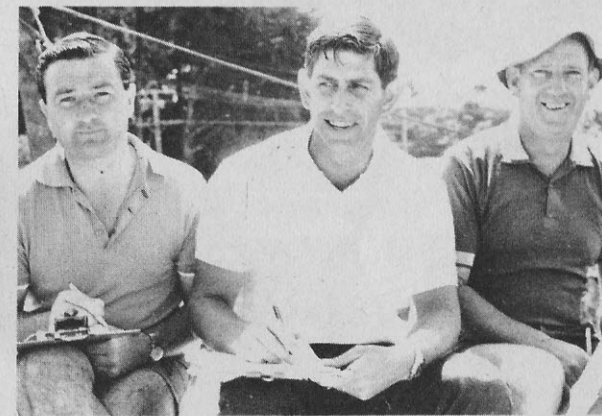


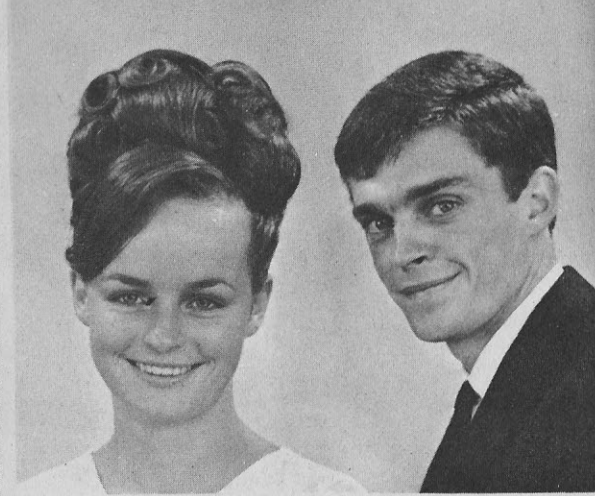
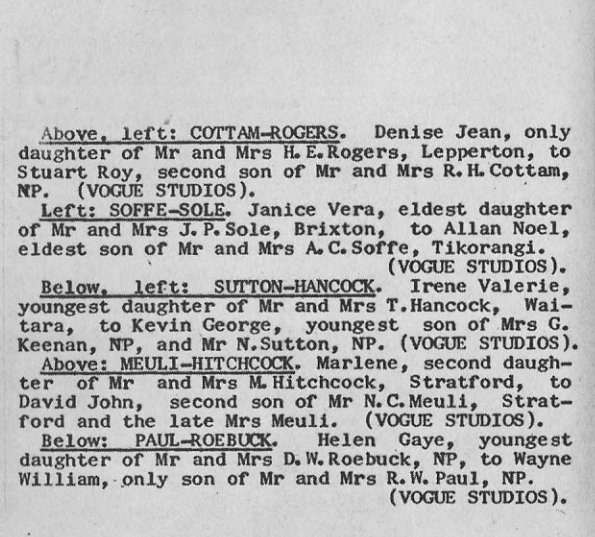
Big Crowd At Urenui Carnival

A crowd estimated at 8000 recently attended the one-day carnival at Urenui beach. There was just about everything to keep the crowd amused, with plenty of entertainment for both young and old, including beauty competitions, pet parades, doll parades, river swimming races and a host of other attractions. It was, in fact, another fine effort by the organiser, Laurie Petty, who never fails to draw large crowds. **Above:** Contestants in the Miss North Taranaki Beauty Contest, won by Miss Christine Bone, No. 8. **Below:** Part of the huge crowd around the stage watch some of the competitions. ★



Above: Carnival organiser, Laurie Petty, had a hard day at the Urenui beach, but his efforts were not unrewarded. Here he interviews some of the doll competition entrants. **Below:** Picking out the tiny tots beauty parade winner was no easy task with over fifty entries. **Above, right:** Winners in the dolls section were, Believe it or not, these two young men! **Right:** Judges in the beauty parade: Nev Dixon, Murray Mitchell and Alex Draper. **Below, right:** Swim race winners were Ian Domney, Steven Domney and Beth Sulzberger.





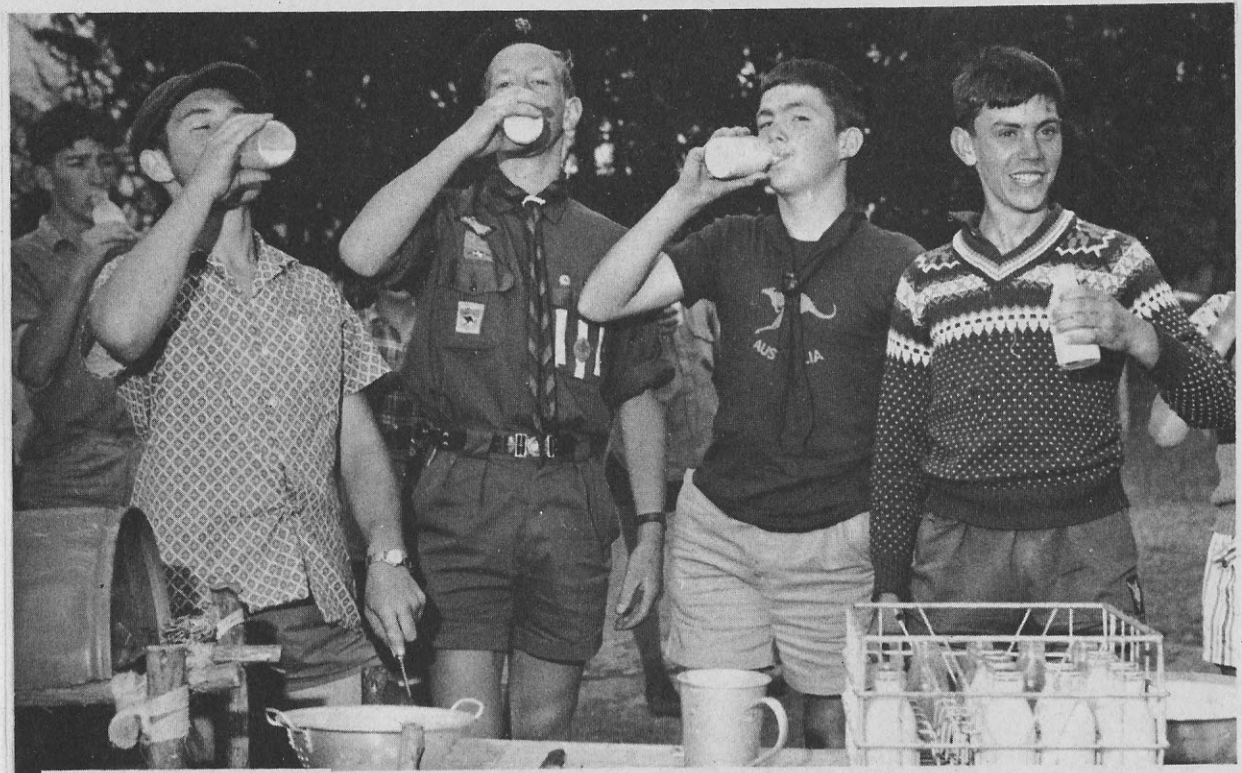
Above, left: COTTAM-ROGERS. Denise Jean, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H.E.Rogers, Lepperton, to Stuart Roy, second son of Mr and Mrs R.H.Cottam, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Left: SOFFE-SOLE. Janice Vera, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.P.Sole, Brixton, to Allan Noel, eldest son of Mr and Mrs A.C.Soffe, Tikorangi. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below, left: SUTTON-HANCOCK. Irene Valerie, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs T.Hancock, Waitara, to Kevin George, youngest son of Mrs G.Keenan, NP, and Mr N.Sutton, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above: MEULI-HITCHCOCK. Marlene, second daughter of Mr and Mrs M.Hitchcock, Stratford, to David John, second son of Mr N.C.Meuli, Stratford and the late Mrs Meuli. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: PAUL-ROEBUCK. Helen Gaye, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs D.W.Roebuck, NP, to Wayne William, only son of Mr and Mrs R.W.Paul, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

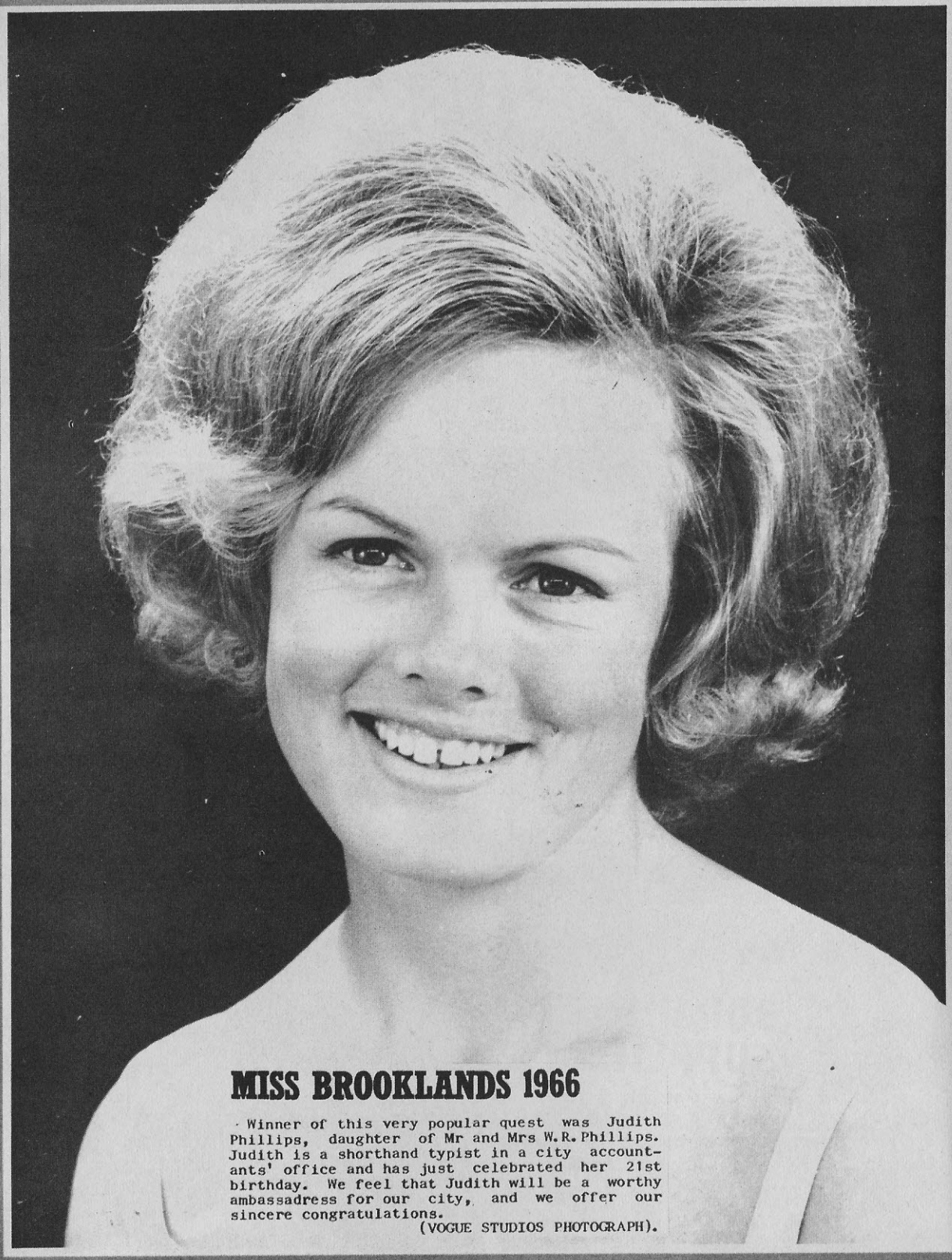


Roving Camera

Above: At the recent National Scout Jamboree at Trentham, a kitchen fatigue pauses to enjoy a refreshing bottle of milk. Here Dennis Payne (NP), John Cooper (Waimate), Gary Beckley (Melbourne) and Jim McAlpine (NP) enjoy a well-earned break from preparing meals for their comrades.

Below: One of the two major fires in the city at the start of the holiday season was at the bulk store of Hughson's Hardware in St.Aubyn street. To us, it looked as though the building and its contents were due for destruction, but the efficiency of our fire brigade is such that they made yet another magnificent save.





MISS BROOKLANDS 1966

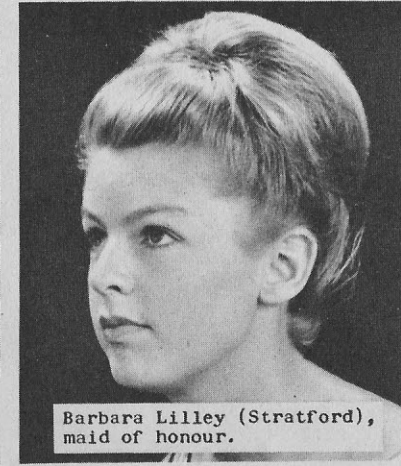
Winner of this very popular quest was Judith Phillips, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.R. Phillips. Judith is a shorthand typist in a city accountants' office and has just celebrated her 21st birthday. We feel that Judith will be a worthy ambassador for our city, and we offer our sincere congratulations.

(VOGUE STUDIOS PHOTOGRAPH).

**MISS BROOKLANDS CONTESTANTS
(Vogue Studios)**



Janice Barkley (NP),
maid of honour.



Barbara Lilley (Stratford),
maid of honour.



Bronwyn Freeman (NP)



Betty Winterburn (Waitara)



Sheryl Lafferty (NP)



Judith Kurta (NP)



Julie Ekdahl (Hawera)



Lesley Cleland (NP)

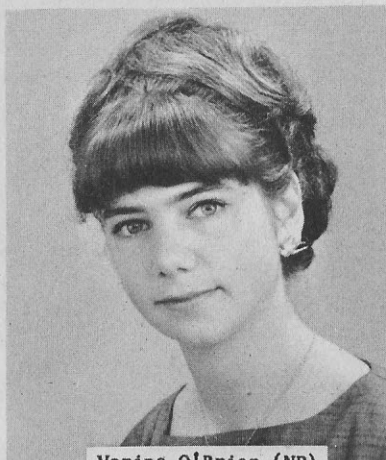


Marion Sharpe (NP)

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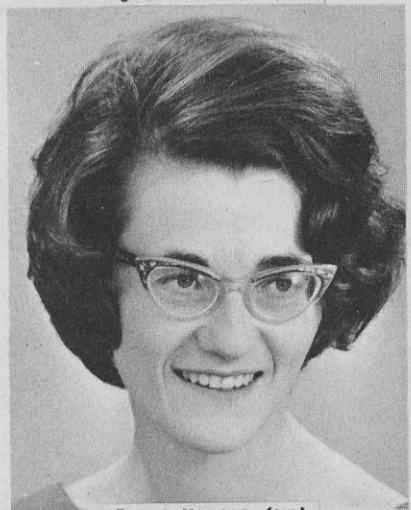
Cynthia Eales (NP)



Verina O'Brien (NP)



Robyn McLeod



Carol Havill (NP)



Claire Piper (NP)



Judith Stevens (NP)



Jocelyn Irving (NP)



Penelope Brandon (NP)



Maureen Sears (Okato)

Married

Right: PILSBURY-DARWELL. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Janice Marie, only daughter of Mr and Mrs E.L. Darwell, NP, to John Charles, eldest son of Mrs S.J. Forsyth, Melbourne, and the late Mr A.J. Pilsbury. Matron of honour was Raylee Clark, Auckland, and the bridesmaid was Janice Alsweller, NP. Don Sharp, Melbourne, was the best man and John Wright, Melbourne, was the groomsman. Future home, Melbourne.



Left: BATY-LLOYD. At St. Mary's Church, NP, Christine, only daughter of Mr and Mrs W.R. Lloyd, NP, to Spencer, younger son of Mr and Mrs N.J. Baty, NP. Pat Gunn, NP, and Raewyn Coldwell, NP, were the bridesmaids. Max Baty, brother of the groom, NP, was the best man and Russell Rothwell, NP, was the groomsman. Future home, NP.



Right: BERGE-TOFTS. At the Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Carol, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.G. Tofts, NP, to John, third son of Mr and Mrs G. Berge, NP. The bridesmaids were Christine Brill, Pauline Berge, sister of the groom, and Mary Tofts, sister of the bride, all of NP. The best man was Peter Berge, brother of the groom, NP, and the groomsmen were John Tofts, brother of the bride, NP, and Trevor Berge, brother of the groom, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.

