



Above: The attraction was magnetic at the paradedettes staged at the Winter Show by a local store. Twice a day the crowds flocked to see the latest in fashionable accessories, so well shown by some local mannequins. Men were dragged away from the milking machines to give their humble opinion on what would and what would not suit mother or daughter. Shown in the picture is Berrice Broome displaying the latest in casual wear.

Left: Kaye Young shows a neat two-piece with matching accessories.

Commentator was Mrs. Olga Archer, a fashion expert from London.

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The youngsters seemed to enjoy themselves as much as anyone in the fun fair at the show—the girls getting more fun out of it than the boys. The Big Wheel, the Merry-Go-Rounds and the Ghost Train did the busiest trade. **Left:** A natural unposed picture of three young girls who registered surprise and shock when they emerged out into the open; they are Rae and Margaret Birdling and Maxine Laneaster. **Below left:** Beryl Sampson and Rosemarie Sewell of Tataraimaka appear quite calm after a trip on the Big Wheel. **Below right:** Sisters Yvonne and Georgina Newton get ready for a thrilling trip on the Merry-Go-Round.



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QUIZ
QUEEN

Mrs J.W.Murtagh, of Hawera, being presented with the major Quiz prize by George Tollerton.



Mr. and Mrs. Russell and daughter show interest in a new 'fridge

FAMILY DAY

Saturday, the final day of the Winter Show could well be called "family day" as the number of families present surely constituted a record. Whether it was refrigerators washing machines or sewing machines, the families showed a very keen interest in the display of all modern household appliances.



Sewing machines proved popular



Mr. and Mrs. Colclough and baby Katrina up from Eltham cast envious eyes on a new washing machine

Children at the show did their best to have a good time, and judging by the looks on the faces of some of the youngsters, their efforts were rewarded, with a lot of fun. Some of the boys could be seen parading around the show with armfuls of literature. Perhaps they were on their way to build an armada of paper aeroplanes....

The Mirror Maze caused a lot of laughs for those who were "lost" inside, but for the outsiders looking in, it was perhaps even funnier. **Right:** The Johns family get their share of the fun.

Below: Visitors from Stratford, Diane and Barry Lister, enjoy the thrill of a "free" ride on an auto-cycle.

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WRONG WAY FOOLS WINDOW



Married

Right:

REEVES--FOOKES.

At St. Joseph's Church, Ann the only daughter of Mrs. G. and the late Mr. T. C. Fookes, Brooklands Road, to Manning, second son of Mr. and Mrs. St. Leger Reeves, Standish Hill. The bride was attended by bridesmaids Barbara Brown and Margaret Insull. Groomsman was Dr. Campbell Barrett and the best man was Lawrence Croxson. The couple will make their home in New Plymouth.

Below:

McPHAIL--BLOXAM.

At St. Mary's Anglican Church, New Plymouth, Katharine Ann Lawrence, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bloxam, Hori Street, to William Edward, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McPhail, King Street, Feilding. The bride's sister Brenda was the charming bridesmaid and the best man was Mr. Murray Simpson of Feilding. The future home of the happy couple will be in Wellington.



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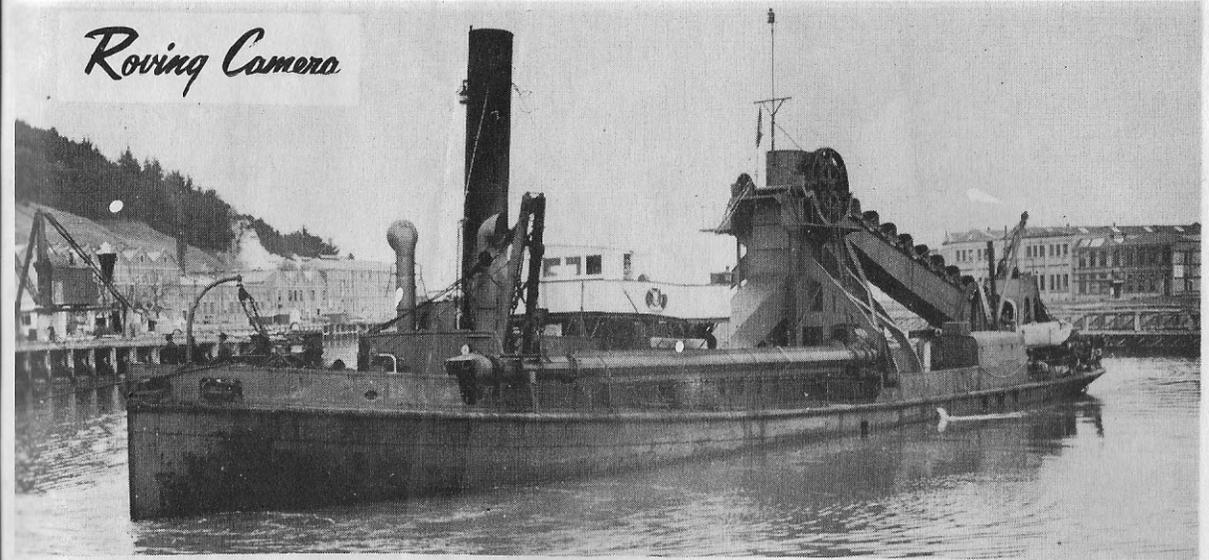
Right: The Rev. Keith Elliot, V.C. conducting the service at the Cenotaph when the 22nd Battalion recently held their reunion in New Plymouth.

Below: Progress has been at a steady pace on the building of the new bridge on the Main South Road at Patea. The photograph shows the bridge which is now three parts of the way across the river.



Left: Winners of the Queen's Birthday Weekend golf tourney held on the Westown links for the last time. Winners are from left, R. A. Jackson, senior B; R. Parker, intermediate and J. Meier, junior.

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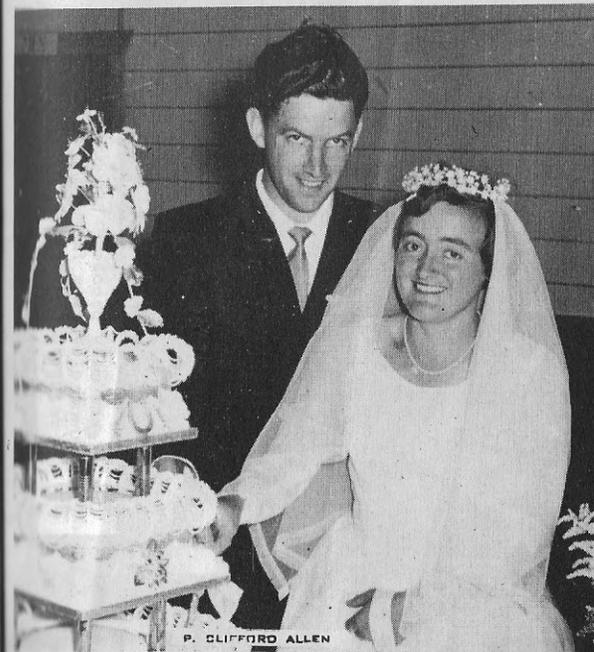
From West to East

Above: New Plymouth's dredge, the Paritutu, successfully made the long voyage to Auckland, via Wellington and East Coast ports. Here she is seen entering Gisborne Harbour for refuelling, before proceeding round the East Cape to Tauranga and from there to Auckland.

Married

Below, left: ABURN--McMURRAY. At the Knox Presbyterian church, Inglewood, Nancy, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs V.S. McMurray, Inglewood, to Gerald Stephen, elder son of Mr and Mrs A.A. Aburn, Wellington. The bride's twin sister, Mrs E.W. Thorby, was matron of honour and the flower girl was Jeanette Coad, of Tauranga. The bridegroom's brother ably carried out the duties of best man. The couple are now living in Wellington.

Below, right: REYNOLDS--FREAKLEY. At St. John's Anglican Church, Waitara, Eveleen Ann, only daughter of Mr and Mrs T.G. Freakley, Donnett Street, Waitara, to Neville Edward, only son of Mr and Mrs E. Reynolds, Huirangi. Marleen Hunt was bridesmaid and Bruce Selwyn the best man.



Coming of Age

Right: Alan Madgewick with his parents at his party in Brixton Hall.

Below: Malcolm Wingrove cutting his cake, while friends look on in Brixton Hall.

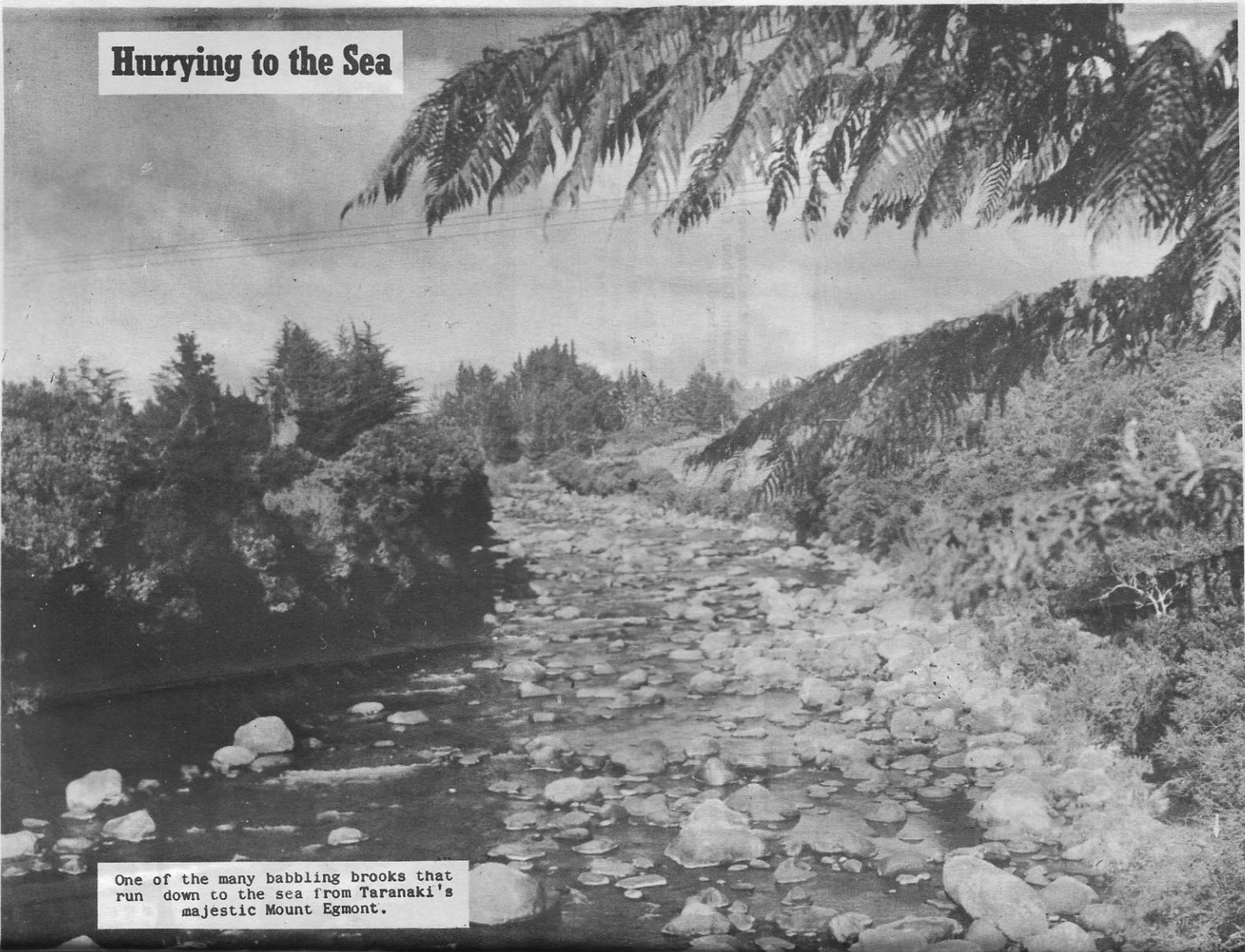
Below, right: Miss Beverley Flavell eldest daughter of Mrs Flavell, Blackmore Street, New Plymouth.



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Hurrying to the Sea

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One of the many babbling brooks that run down to the sea from Taranaki's majestic Mount Egmont.



Wedding Bells

Above: ADLAM-SALISBURY. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Betty May, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Salisbury, Junction Road, New Plymouth, to Ernest Francis, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Adlam, Mangorei Road, New Plymouth. The attendants were Lily Adlam and Beverley Salisbury (bridesmaids), Henry Adlam (best man), Stanley Adlam (groomsman) and Lynette Pickett was the flower girl. The couple will make their home in New Plymouth.

Below: At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Evelyn Grace, youngest daughter of Mr. S. I. Old, Record St., New Plymouth, to Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Murray, England. The bride's sister Mavis King was the matron of honour and niece Irene Rowan was the bridesmaid. The two flower girls were Carolyn Lind and Janice Giddy, another niece.



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Married

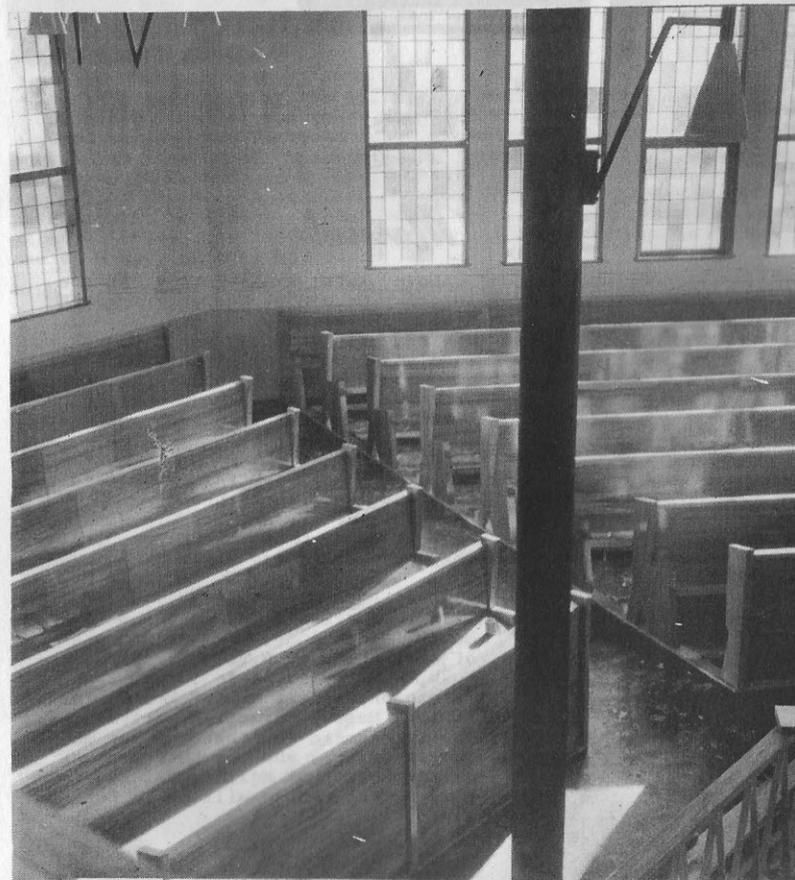
Above, left: RYAN--TAYLOR. At the Whiteley Methodist Church, Margaret Lydia, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.B. Taylor, Bayly Road, New Plymouth, to Glen Martin, only son of Mrs J. and the late Mr J. Ryan, Tariki. Pam Prentice and Raewyn McKay were the bridesmaids and Les Swanson was the best man. Future home, Tariki.

Above: HARDING--MCKAY. At a local ceremony, Ruby Lorraine, the third daughter of Mr and Mrs G.J. McKay, Barrett Road, Omata, to Derek Harding, who hails from England.

Left: PARKINSON--VERNEY. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, New Plymouth, Janet Anne, second daughter of Mr and Mrs T.W. Verney, Saxton Road, New Plymouth, to Selwyn Bruce Parkinson, eldest son of Mrs G. Parkinson, Massey Street, New Plymouth. The bridesmaid for the occasion was Pamela Francis and the best man was Walter Loader of Wellington. Future home of the couple will be in Dunedin.



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NEW CHURCH

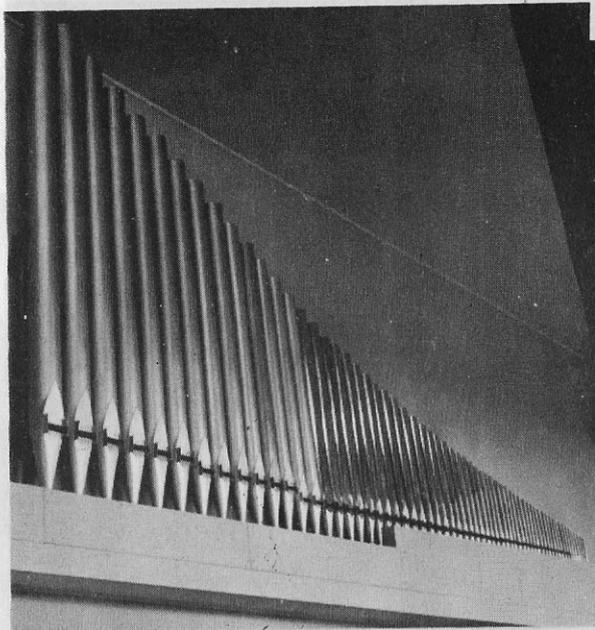
The only Catholic church of its kind in New Zealand has just been completed at Fitzroy. Built at a cost of £24,000 it has a warm and cosy atmosphere, and a design which, though unconventional, is very pleasing to the eye. Into the building went German windows, an organ from Holland, marble from Italy, English lino and timber from Taranaki. It is the first building in Taranaki which employs Pyrotenax cable heating, the cable being buried in the concrete floor: there will of course be no cold feet in this church.

Above: The exterior of the church, which has an imposing front, that clearly shows the hexagonal shape.

Left: An interior photograph which gives some idea of the seating converging on the altar steps. The seat ends are angled to conform to the design.



The church interior appears warm and dignified, though ultra-modern in design.



From deep bass to high treble

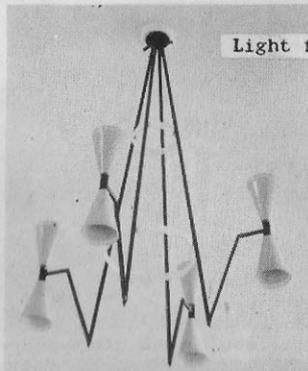


Most modern keyboard in New Zealand

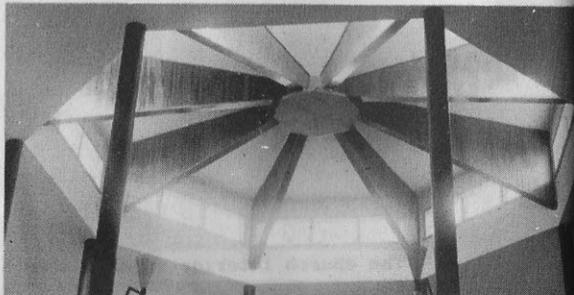
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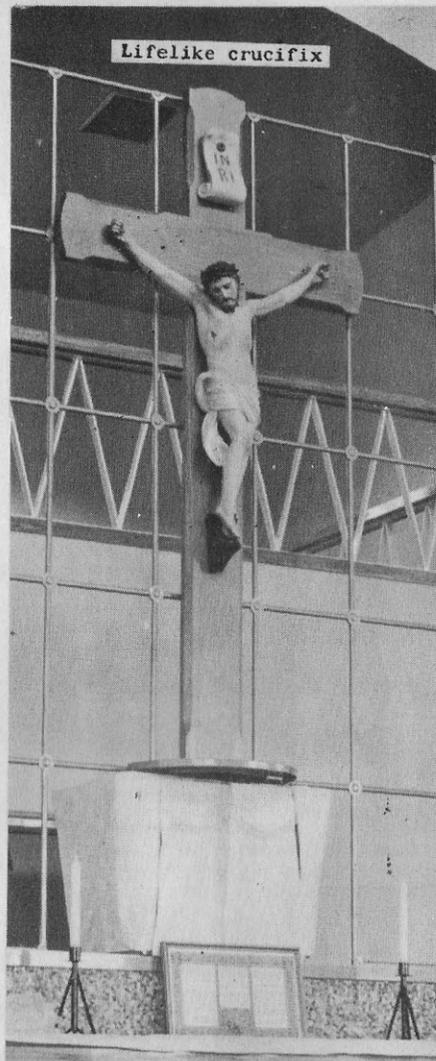


Light fitting



Pleasantly designed skylight

MODERN YET
DIGNIFIED FITTINGS



Lifelike crucifix

New Church Blessed

After the dedication of Fitzroy's new Church of our Lady, Solemn Pontifical Benediction was celebrated by the Archbishop, the Most Rev. P. T. B. McKeefry.

Right: The group at the altar from left are, Rev. Father D.G. Bourke, the deacon, Rev. Father J. Austin of New Plymouth, Archbishop McKeefry, and the sub-deacon, Rev. Father J. Ryan, of Waitara, with two of the acolytes.

Below: A congregation of nearly 1200 people came from far and wide to attend the official blessing of the building. The picture shows part of the gathering listening to the speeches.



Enough To Make a Cat Laugh

Some folks have the kind of dog that will let children do anything to it....this chap is one of those animals. The boy of the house decided to dress his pet in Dad's party hat and Mum's sun glasses. Well now doesn't he look cute. But his playmate the kitten thought it was a huge joke, and all it could do was lie on its back and meow with laughter.



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North Island Championship Winners

The Stratford representative ladies basketball team which gained another honour for Taranaki when they won the North Island "B" grade championship at Masterton last month, beating strong opposition to do so, after having been runners-up for the past two years. From left to right, back row, Tui Gernhoefer, Kath Davis (capt.), Beryl Hann, Janet Robinson and Val Chapman; front row, Ivy Worsley, Kay Mullally, Eileen Shepherd and Jeannine Crabb. Congratulations, girls!

A Letter to our Readers...

Dear Readers,

In an effort to make "Photo News" even more interesting, we ask you to let us know of the happenings in your town or community. Many events take place which are of interest to our readers, events of which we know nothing, unless informed. At present, "Photo News" covers a very large territory, but it is our aim to cover as many sports meetings, social gatherings etc. as we possibly can. Though, of course, many things take place at the same time, we will endeavour to attend any function that is photogenic. To secretaries and heads of associations we ask you to ring 6101 and tell us of your activities. If you have a printed programme of events throughout the year, please send us one—Box 427, New Plymouth.

—THE EDITOR.



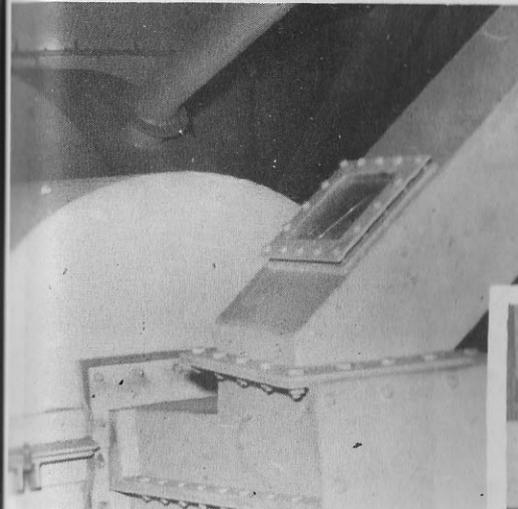
Company's flag atop the silo.

Cement by the Shipload

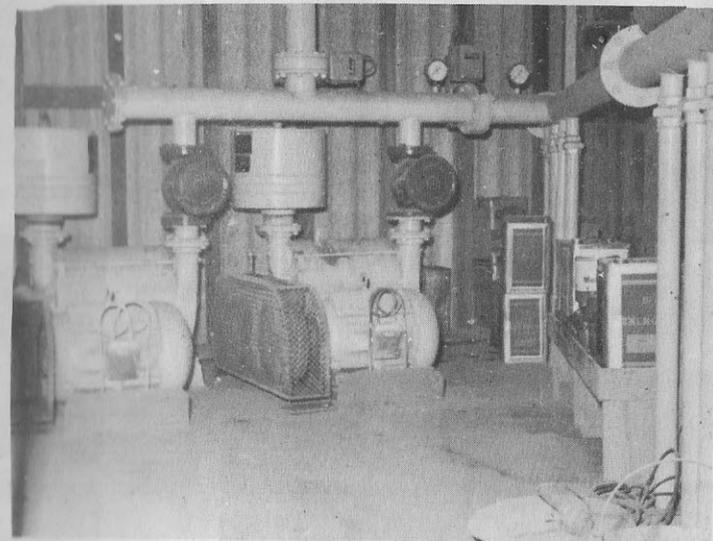
Cement is dusty, commonplace, unromantic stuff, but if the story of advancement of the industry were better known, it would have about it a glamour hardly less than that of any other modern New Zealand enterprise. Cement is a basic need in Taranaki's economy, and with the building of the silos at the port, another welcome industry was brought to the province by the Golden Bay Cement Company. There is no doubt that with the increase in the rate of building in the area, this industry should be a boon to the builder, large or small. Cement is made and comes to the builder from Tarakohe, an isolated bay on the northern tip of the South Island, by the company's own modern ship, the "Golden Bay." On arrival in Taranaki, cement is sucked out of the ship's hold by compressed air, into the two large silos on the wharfside. This bulk cement is then bagged as it is ordered by the builders' merchants of Taranaki.



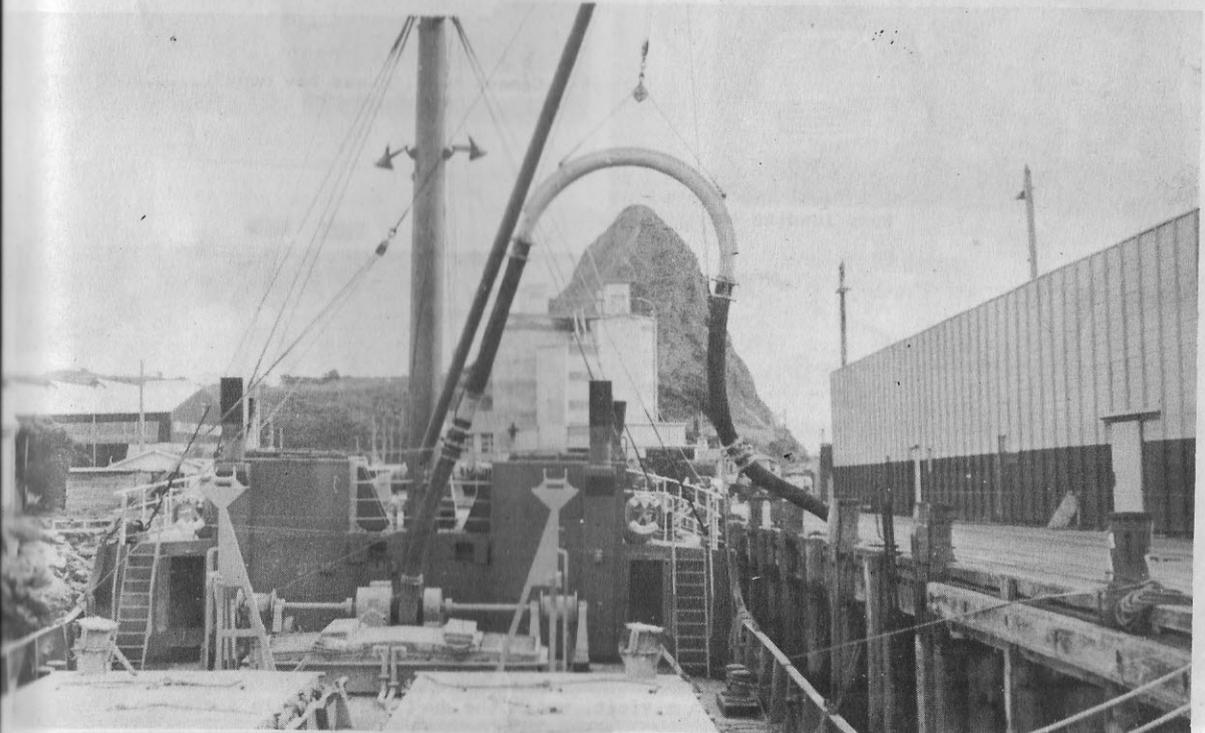
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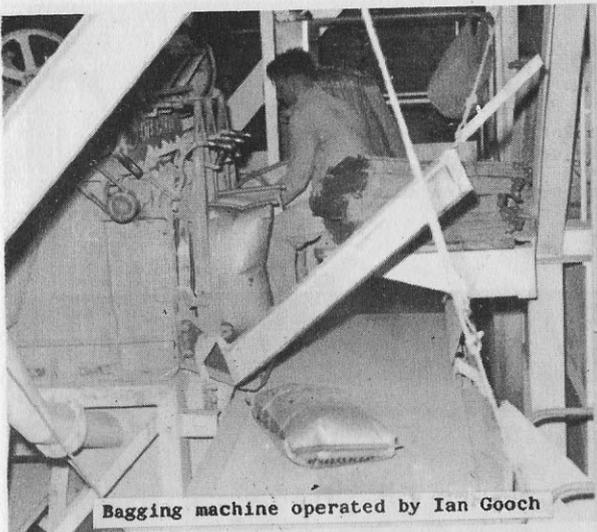


Left: Rotary screen eliminates larger lumps from the cement.
Below: These are the air compressors which make the cement flow smoothly.

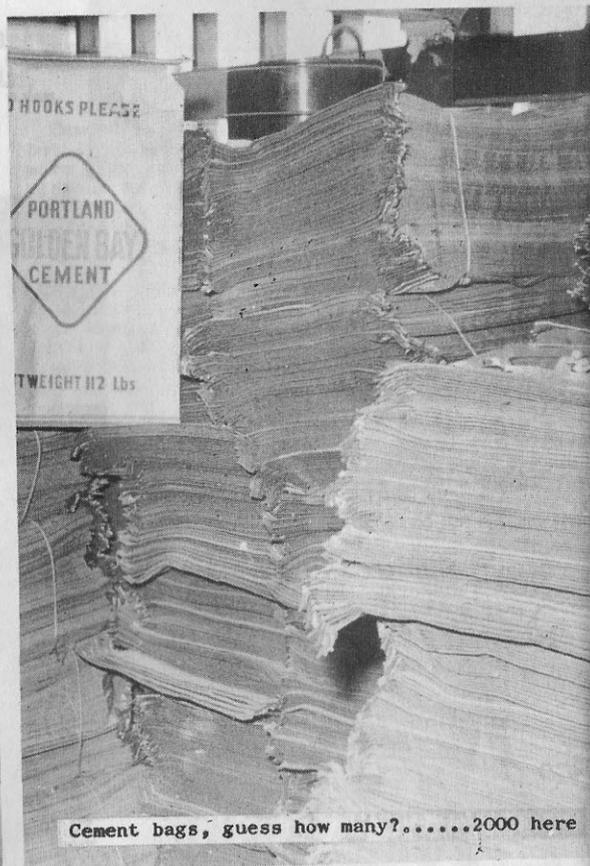


Below: A perfect frame for a perfect landmark. In foreground, the ship's two holds.





Bagging machine operated by Ian Gooch



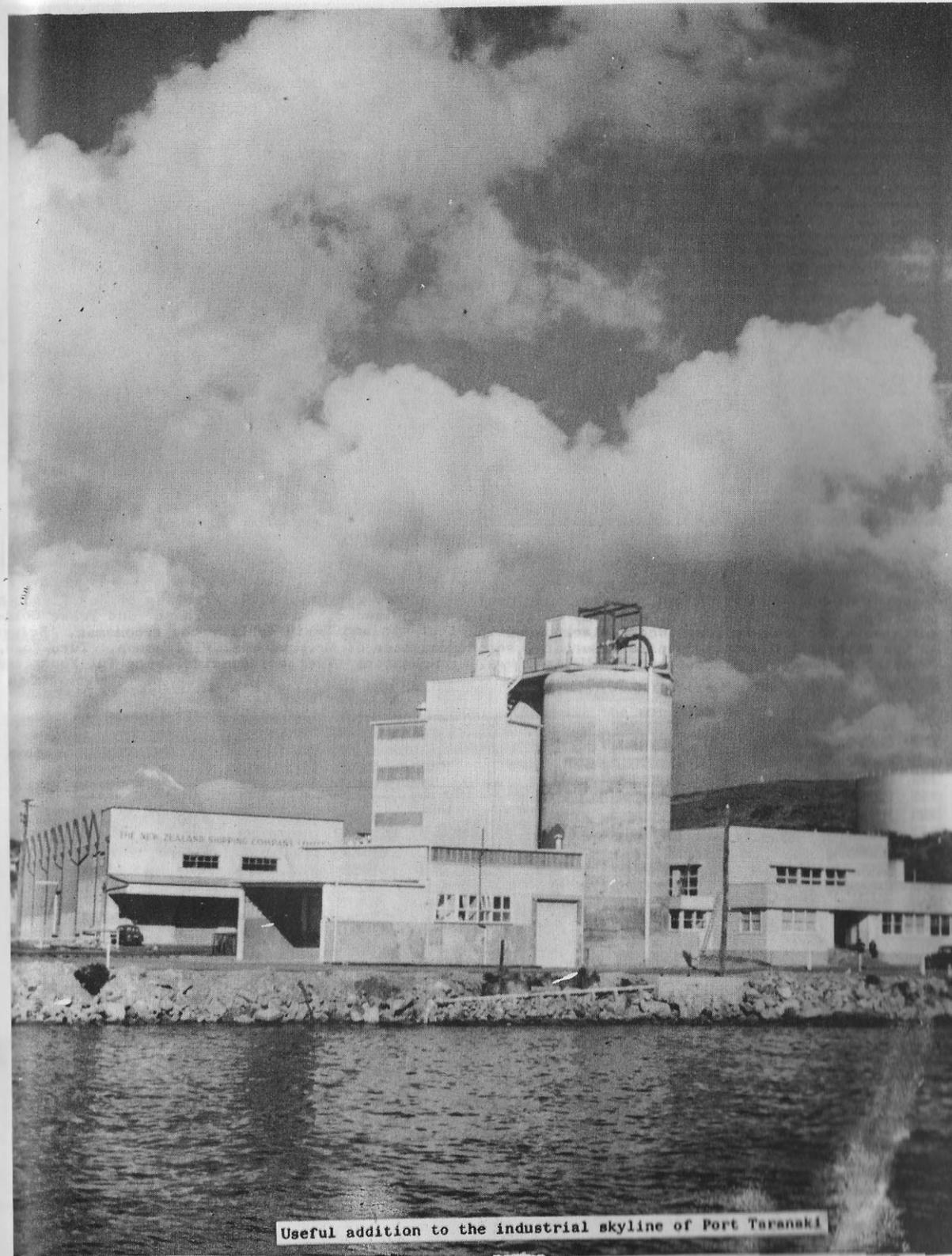
Cement bags, guess how many?.....2000 here



Busy loading bay



Kaponga Young Farmers Club on a visit, watch the dust collector in operation



Useful addition to the industrial skyline of Port Taranaki



HENRY MAGEE CANDID

Married

Above: At St. Andrews Church, Lenore, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Prentice of New Plymouth to George, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Robinson of Inglewood. Maureen Robinson and Tesse Goldsmith were the bridesmaids; Geoff Blackbourne the best man and David Buhlity the groomsman. **Below:** At the Methodist Church, Opunake, Barbara, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, Turu Road, Oaonui, to Ronald, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnston. The bridesmaids were Tui Young and Marjorie Williamson.



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Pupils of the Beryl Quay School of Dancing who gave a polished performance of song and dance at the grand variety concert held at the Bell Block hall, by the Young Farmers of Mangaoraka. Judging by their standard, some of these girls should go a long way in the world of entertainment. They are from left, Beth Penwarden, Susan Moriarty, Diane Old, Kathleen Coyne and Christine Bruce.

Roving Camera

"This could be your car", says the notice. These two old wrecks were put on the side of the road, to remind road users what could happen. They were put there during a Road Safety period which started in May. They served a useful purpose up to the middle of June, when three cars were involved in a collision right by the wrecks. Perhaps the drivers involved took their eyes off the road to look at the battered cars?





Roving Camera

Major-General L.K. Lockhart, New Plymouth, Dominion Chief Scout Commissioner, presents Robert Pitcairn of the Bell Block troop with the Queen's Scout Certificate at the annual meeting of the North Taranaki Local Scout Association at Inglewood. The other three Scouts who won these coveted certificates were John Hoskin (obscured), Peter Hancock, whose father was a King's Scout, and Ian Benton.



Professor Matia, a Dutchman, now domiciled in Christchurch, plays the organ which he built for the new church, Our Lady Help of Christians, recently opened at Fitzroy.



ENGAGED. The engagement is announced between Joan Marie, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Whitmore, Mere Mere, Hawera, and Kenneth Thomas, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sundry, Malone Place, Hawera.



Married

At a quiet ceremony, Beverley Ann, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Mana of New Plymouth to Charles, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Lamb of Windsor, England. Future home of the couple will be New Plymouth.

DEBUTANTES . . .

COMING-OF-AGE. Noelene, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooper, Egmont Road, New Plymouth, who celebrated this most important date in the La Madone Lounge recently.

Six pretty debutantes were presented at the Naval Ball in the Queen's Hall, New Plymouth, last month. From left they are Pauline Wilson, Jean Bishop, Elsie Ham, Commodore P. Phipps and Mrs Phipps (guests of honour), Irene Ham, Barbara Birkly, and Pamela Brooks.





CRAGO STUDIOS

NINTH BIRTHDAY.

Above: Members of the Westown Country Women's Institute gather round for the cutting of their ninth birthday cake. Cutting the cake is Mrs. Laurie Smith, president of the North Taranaki Federation of the C. W. I. The celebration took the form of a fancy dress party, in which there were some very fine costumes and characters.

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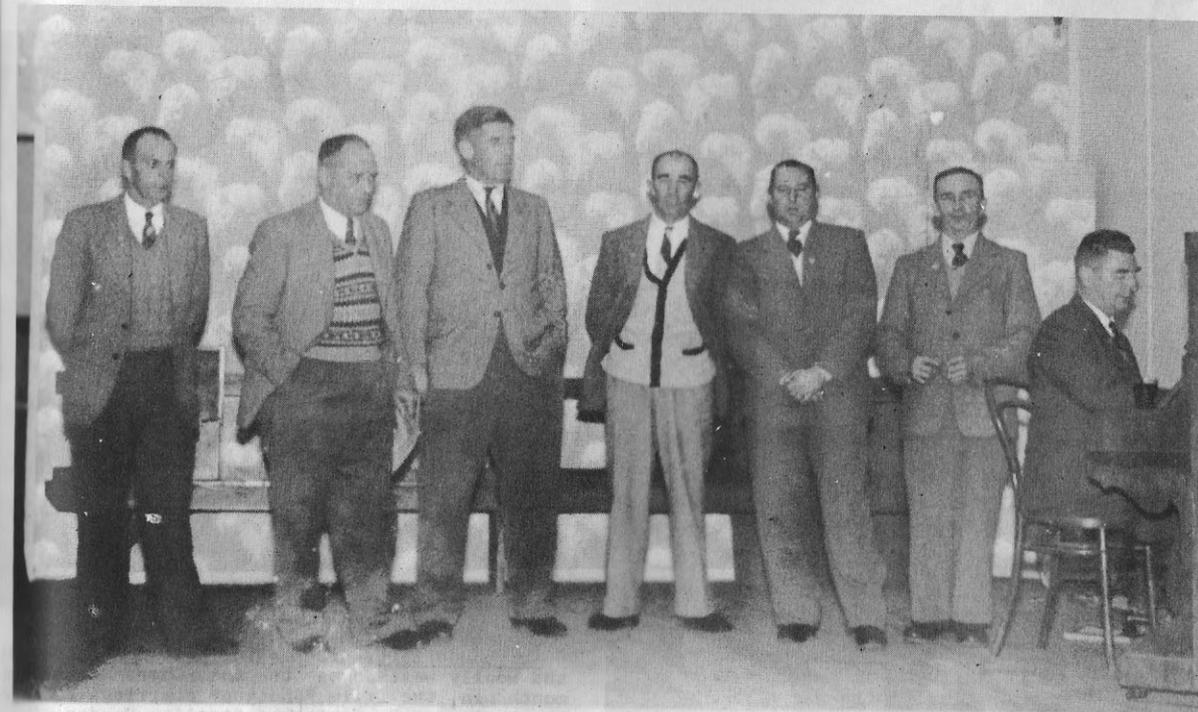
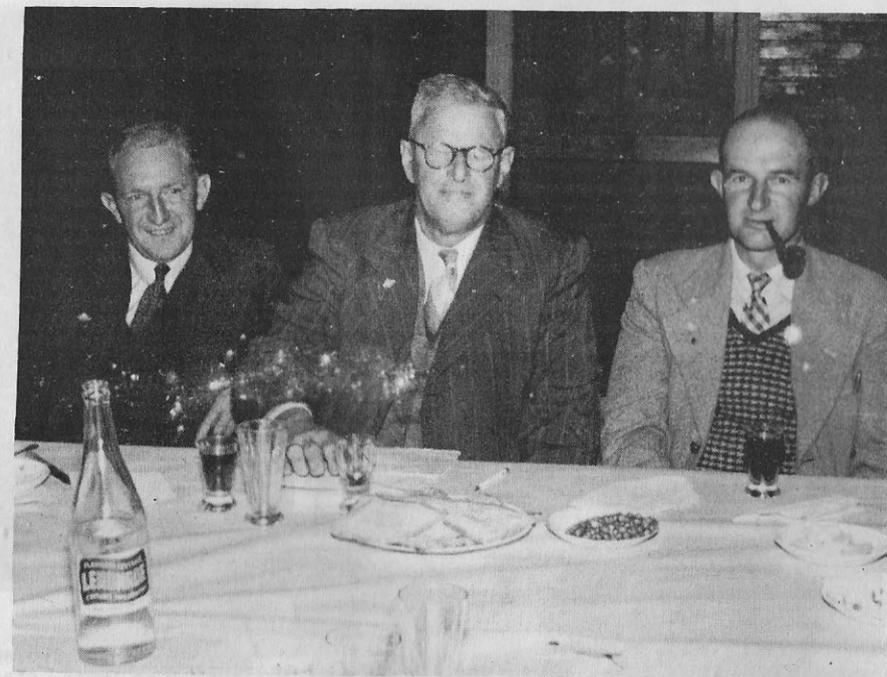
Below: **RICHARDS-LONGSTAFF.** At Knox Presbyterian Church, Inglewood, Letha Ellen, eldest daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. F. Longstaff of Inglewood to Raymond Francis Richards of Featherston. The bride's sister Francis and Dorothy Dash acted as bridesmaids, Kevin Brown of Featherston was best man and the bride's brother Leslie was groomsman. Flower girl Josephine Barrett was accompanied by Stephan O'Shane as the page boy. The couple's future home will be in Masterton.



CRAGO STUDIOS

**R.S.A.
RE-UNION**

The Urenui R.S.A., sub-branch of the New Plymouth association, held its annual re-union last month and enjoyed a good attendance of members and friends. **Right:** Three comrades enjoy a wee natter after a repast fit for a king. **Below** are members of the Sankey Singers who amused the gathering with some good singing to round off the evening.



THIS MONTH'S
Film News



Above and left: Two shots from the film "Bridge on the River Kwai", starring Academy Award Winner Alec Guinness, playing the part of an Army officer in the hands of the Japanese during World War II. Co-starring are William Holden and Jack Hawkins. This grand entertainment picture comes to the Mayfair this month.



Above and left: Rip-roaring action in the wild and woolly west comes to the Opera House this month in the film "Shotgun" starring Zachary Scott, Yvonne De Carlo and Sterling Hayden.



Sorry but I couldn't resist a 3mm picture of Tommy Steele. The top stars, Rita Hayworth, Robert Mitchum and Jack Lemmon appear in "Fire Down Below," at the Mayfair in the near future.

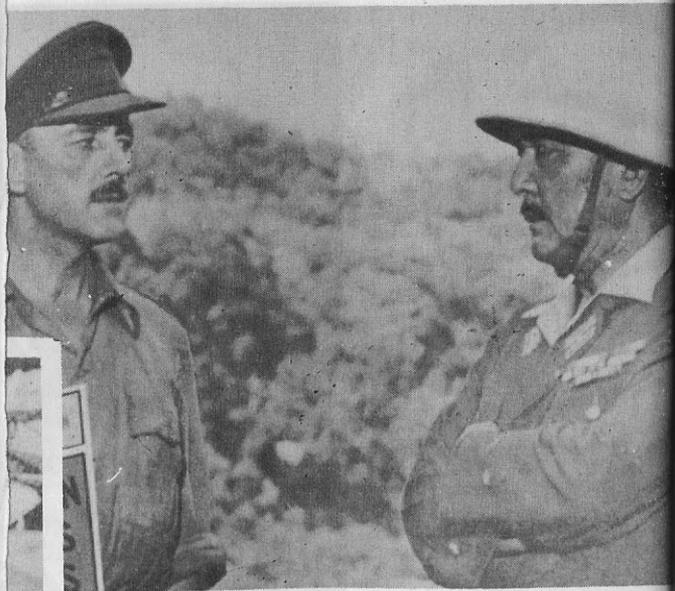
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Howard Duff and Mona Freeman in a scene from the film "The Lady from Texas" which will be screening at the Regent, New Plymouth, during this month.



"Rumble on the Docks" is the title of a two-fisted, fast-moving film showing at the Opera House, New Plymouth, soon.



Above and left: Two shots from the film "Bridge" showing...



A gay musical treat is in store for the patrons of the Regent this month when "About Face" starring Gordon MacRae and Eddie Bracken is screened in technicolor.



The School and the Mountain

Bright colours and the flawless surface of the playing fields of the Inglewood High School make a perfect setting for the mountain with its drape of winter clouds. Painted in reds, yellows and other bright and eye-appealing colours, the High School contrasts perfectly with the brightness of the winter sunshine and the green surroundings, made even more attractive by the ridge of low clouds.