



Inglewood Jersey Cattle Show

The Inglewood Jersey Cattle Club recently held its annual show. With entries higher than last year, plus Highland Dancing, marching girls and other entertainment, the show proved a popular success.

Above: Spectators use the bonnet of dad's car as a grandstand. They are Shirley, Gregory and Margaret Burnand who came from Alton for the day's fun.

Right: John Dobson of Lepperton with Ashvale Little Dreamer, the champion cow at the show. We must admit that Little Ashvale didn't seem much of a dreamer to us, as she was wide-eyed and looking her best when we photographed her.

Below: These cattle club days are the places to meet friends. Our picture shows families from New Plymouth and Waitara enjoying an alfresco luncheon.



Roving Camera

Above: The exciting final of the Taranaki Women's Bowling Tournament was watched with unusually keen interest by the unsuccessful players, who were joined by quite a few of the men-folk. Perhaps they learned a thing or two from watching the ladies in action!

Right: The Taranaki Home Servicemen's Association recently held their annual picnic at Burgess Park, when over 200 members and their families turned up for some fun in the sun. Our picture shows Mr Sharp rationing out the ice cream to the kiddies.

Below: The older types didn't want ice cream, so kept on with the competition, ably run by Cran Gilmour. That's him holding the auction list. He is what is called incognito almost.



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Married

Right: WILLIAMS--WESTON. At St. Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Alice Louise, daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Weston, New Plymouth, to Michael Forbes, son of Mr and Mrs J.R.J. Williams, Kent, England. The bridesmaid was Cushla Weston of Wellington and Dr. Geoffrey Weston of Wellington was the best man. The future home will be Wellington.

Below: LUKE--LEATHERBY. At the Methodist Church, Rahotu, Marama, daughter of Mr and Mrs D. Leatherby, Rahotu, to Campbell, son of Mr and Mrs P. Luke of Manaia. The bridesmaids were, Mona Leatherby, Queenie Tanati, of Wellington, and Maria Luke, sister of the groom. The flower-girls were Lorraine and Irene Leatherby. The best man was Boyce Luke, brother of the groom, and John and Peter Leatherby were the groomsmen. The future home of the couple will be Woburn, Lower Hutt.



Four Generations... Doubled

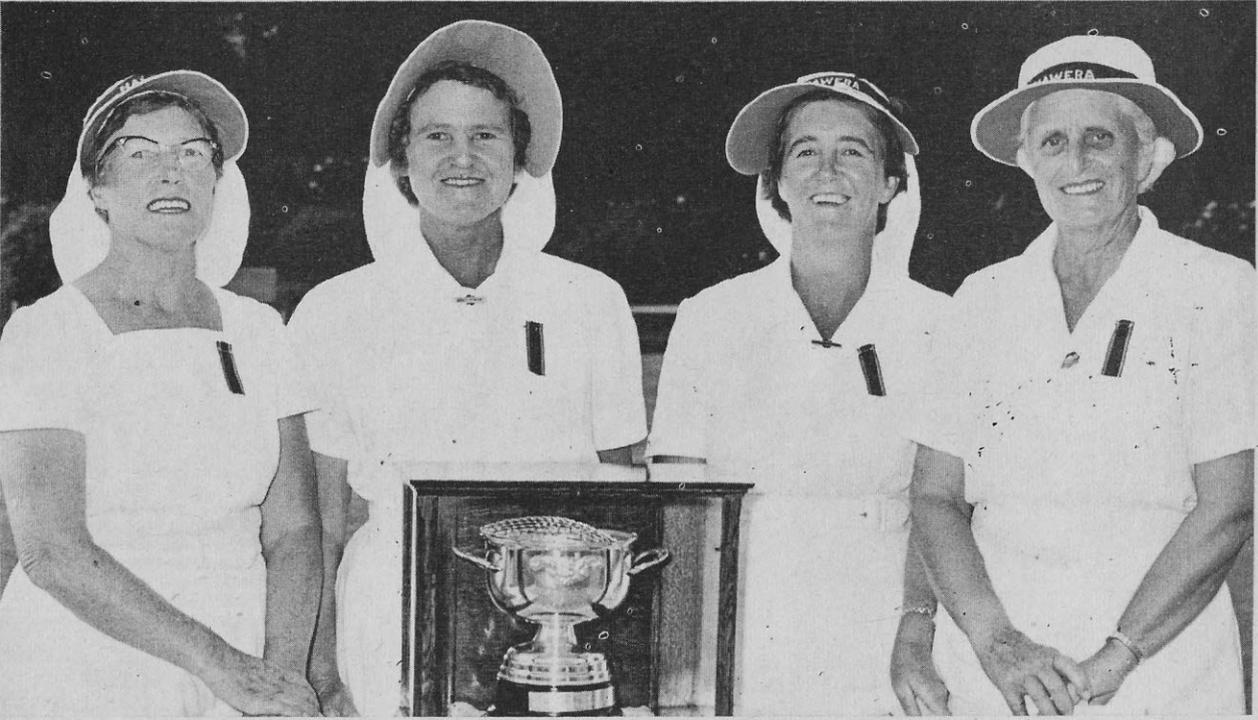
At a recent gathering two sets of four generations were present. In our group are, Mr and Mrs A. Cardiff, Mr W. Cardiff (grandfather), Mrs I.M. Walker (great grandmother), Mrs M. Hamill (great grandmother), Mr and Mrs W. Hamill (grandparents), Mr and Mrs R. Cardiff with Suzanne and Peter.

Ladies' Bowling Champions

Left: Mrs Jean Gillespie member of the New Plymouth Ladies' Bowling Club has good reason to look pleased with herself, as she has won the senior singles champion of champions of Taranaki. Congratulations Jean, our best wishes go with you to the National finals.

Below: Our congratulations go to the Waimea Women's Bowling Club who for the first time in their history have won the Egmont Shield. This can be considered a notable achievement as Waimea is one of the smallest clubs in the Northern Division. All the members photographed here have taken part in the competition during the season.





Hawera In Bowling Limelight

Teams from many parts of the North Island were attracted to the highly-successful open tournament run by the women bowlers of Taranaki. The weather was excellent, and the final, fought out on the Riverside green, was a grand game to watch. The honours finally went to Mrs Molly Moncur's Hawera four who played consistently good bowls throughout the tournament.

Above: The winners, Hawera's four, from left, Miss Kath Reid (lead), Molly Moncur (skip), Marnie Cochran (third) and Tory Bayley (second).

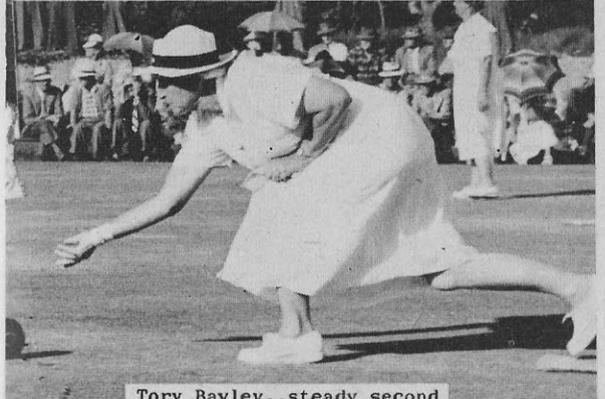
Below: The runners-up, a team skipped by Mrs Thelma Kirkham of Otahuhu, being presented with their trophies by the centre president Mrs Edith Gibbes (right). The runners-up are from left: Olive Hookway (lead), Tinnie Arlington (second), Hess Shaw (third) and Thelma Kirkham (skip).



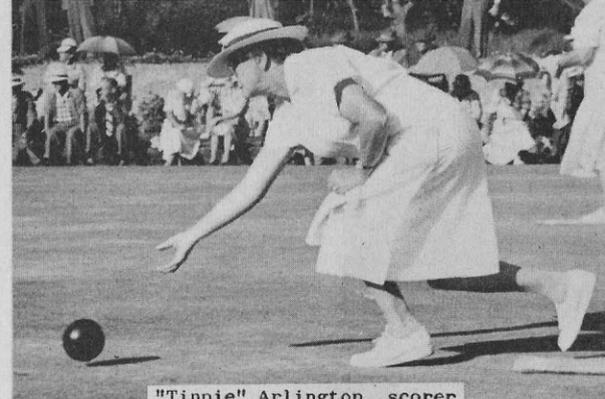
Kath Reid..neat delivery



Olive Hookway..bumper lead



Tory Bayley..steady second



"Tinnie" Arlington..scorer



Marnie Cochran...third



Hess Shaw...smart third



Mollie Moncur...super skip



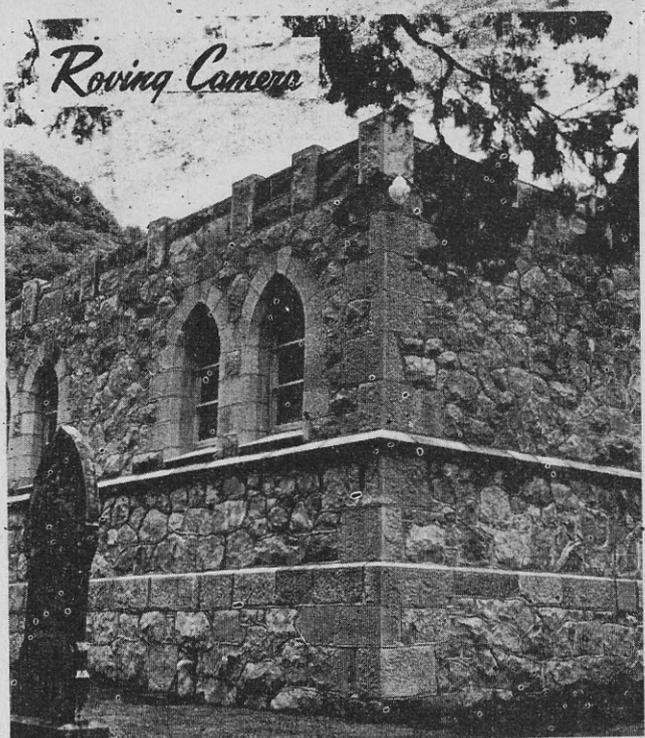
Thelma Kirkham..sporty skip

Below: This is a reproduction of the charter of the freedom of the city of New Plymouth, granted to the Wellington, West Coast, Taranaki Regiment recently.

Right: A new addition to St. Mary's Church, New Plymouth which was dedicated recently by the Bishop of Waikato, the Rt. Rev J.T.Holland. This addition was built to match the church, and is indeed a tribute to the stonemasons who completed the job.

Below, centre: High diver? No, it is Noel Lynch, a master at the New Plymouth Boys' High School, keeping an eagle eye on the competitors as they turned, in the recent school swimming sports.

Below, right: John McLean (N.P.O.B.) comes out of the water quite fresh, after gaining second place in the Flannagan Cup Harbour race of 2 1/2 miles. With two other team mates, N.P.O.B. filled the first three places.



City of New Plymouth
The Wellington West Coast Taranaki Regiment

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Whereas the Mayor, Councillors and Citizens of the CITY OF NEW PLYMOUTH are fully realising and appreciating the honourable record and traditions of the Wellington West Coast and Taranaki Regiment and being desirous of recognising, cementing and fostering the intimate association which is now and has for so long been enjoyed between the City and the Regiment in which so many of its sons have been proud to serve -

Now, therefore, do by these presents confer upon the said Wellington West Coast and Taranaki Regiment the right and privilege without any further permission being obtained of marching with drums beating, band playing, bayonets fixed, colours flying and swords drawn through the streets of the City of New Plymouth -

And do hereby accept the honour of viewing the Wellington West Coast and Taranaki Regiment once in each year for the purpose of an inspection by His Worship the Mayor -

And do hereby accept the further honour of having two officers of the said Wellington West Coast and Taranaki Regiment in uniform in attendance upon His Worship the Mayor on important official occasions.

The Councils of the body corporate called the Mayor, Councillors and Citizens of the City of New Plymouth, do hereby solemnly certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Charter of Freedom of the said City of New Plymouth, as granted to the Wellington West Coast and Taranaki Regiment in the presence of His Honour the Mayor.

H. Johnson Tom Clark



**Taraki C.W.I.
 28th Birthday**

Above: Mrs Queenie Tobeck, president of the Tariki C.W.I., proudly displays the birthday cake.

Above right: Five members who played a sketch are, from left, Bette Butler, Myrtle Rumball, Kay Dwyer, Eva Goodwin and Myrtle Smith.

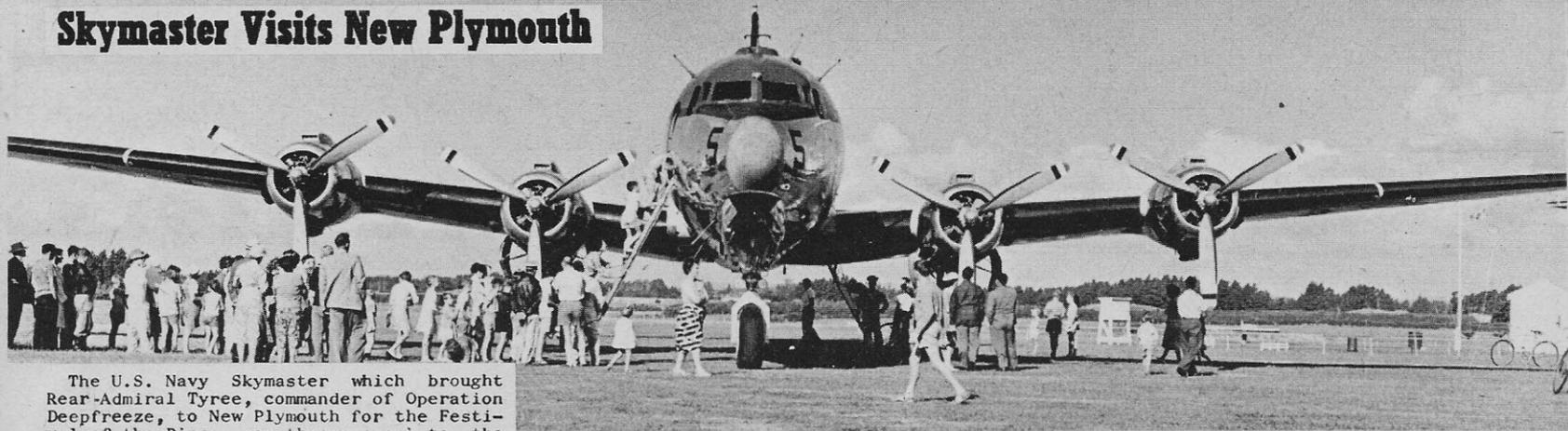
Right: Mrs Wheals, the secretary of the N.T.Federation of C.W.I., speaks at the official ceremony.

Below: Tom and Len Hopper of Midhurst who entertained the gathering with some excellent items.

Below, right: President Queenie Tobeck pins a spray on foundation member Mrs Kath Letts.



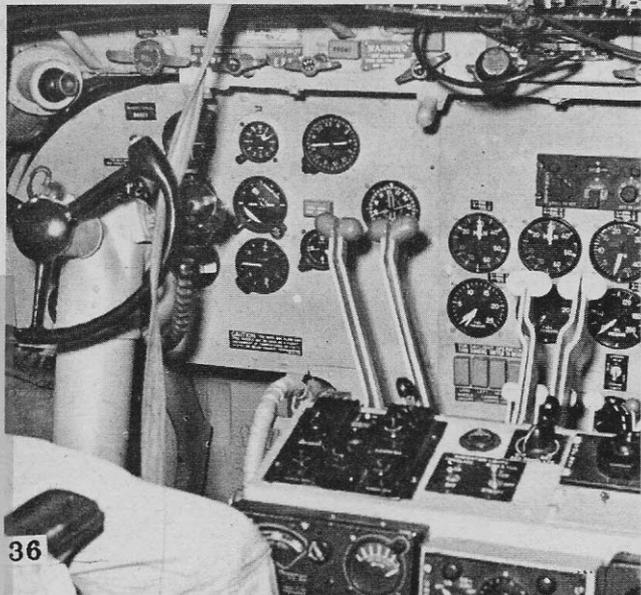
Skymaster Visits New Plymouth



The U.S. Navy Skymaster which brought Rear-Admiral Tyree, commander of Operation Deepfreeze, to New Plymouth for the Festival of the Pines, was thrown open to the public and attracted hundreds of people to look over the giant at Bell Block.

Above: Big plane dwarfs onlookers.

Below, left: This view is of part of the control panel. Below, right: The highly-polished fuselage gives unusual reflection picture of queue.





Above, left: This picture, taken from the entrance to the plane, shows the queue that had formed, awaiting turns to view the interior of the monster.

Above: Crewman Art Littrill shows Mrs Helen King some of the modern equipment in the kitchen. **Below, left:** Lorna Crow and Shirley Lyles had a look-see at the kitchen themselves, trying their hands with the inevitable coffee pots.

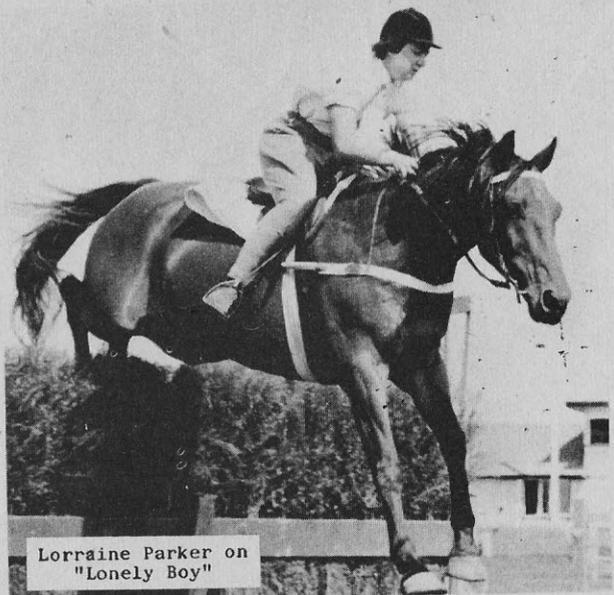
Below, right: And while their mum's were in the kitchen, Gavin Crow and Raymond Lyles were taking things easy in the lounge.



Hawera Pony Club's Gymkhana



Margaret Thompson on Jimmy



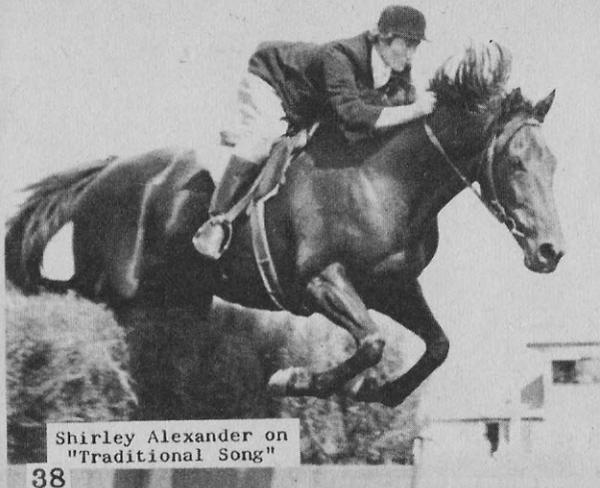
Lorraine Parker on "Lonely Boy"



Ray Gamlin on "Dixie"



Diane Schumanski on "Honey"

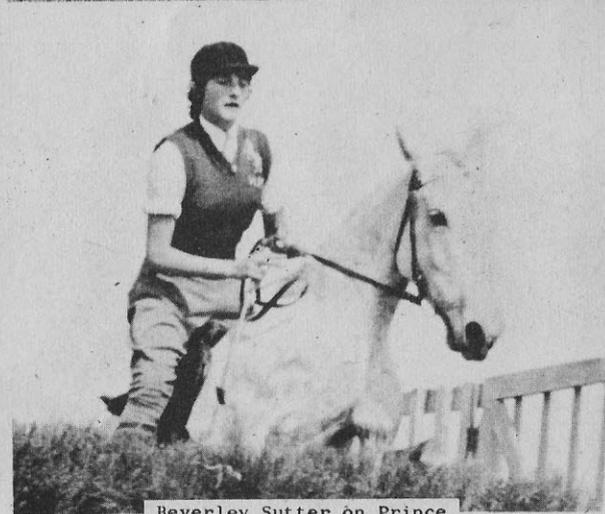


Shirley Alexander on "Traditional Song"

While the rest of the family were enjoying themselves at the Hawera Pony Club's Gymkhana, those who didn't have horses to ride made friends with the donkeys provided for their amusement.

Right: Brian and Lynda Gadd sit in the buggy while Bruce Piccard leads them round.

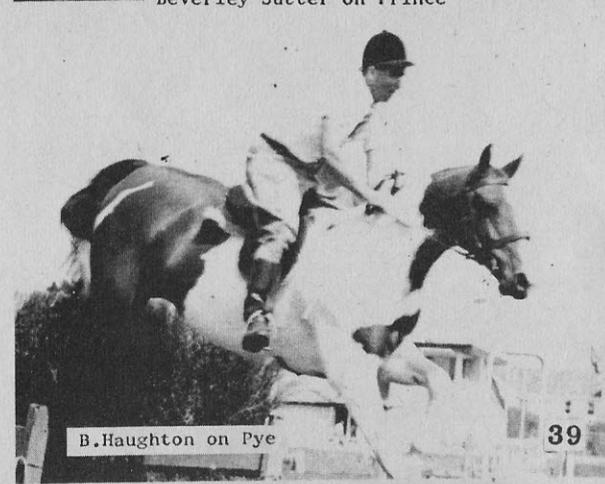
Below: Annette and David Gadd and Colin Gilbey prefer the back of a moke to the comfort of a buggy.



Beverly Sutter on Prince



Basil Southcombe on Royal Event



B.Haughton on Pye



Joyce Taunt



Val Smith



Gail Andrioli



Joy Mickilson



Elwyn Evans



Valda Clarke



41 Nola Ashley



Cleta Cleaver



Brenda Webby



Daphne Smith



Naomi Churchill



Lorraine Eliason



Country Girls Entertain

The Otakeho Country Girls Club recently entertained Anne Collins, an exchange Young Farmer from the U.K., at a mannequin parade and bazaar at the Otakeho Hall.

Above: Four young farmers, with a lot of things in common to talk about. From left, they are Elwyn Evans (secretary), Joyce Taunt (President of the Otakeho CGC), Anne Collins, the guest of the evening and Heather Alexander (Elt-ham), South Taranaki district chairman of the C.G.C., who was hostess to the distinguished visitor.

Left: President Joyce Taunt presents a trophy to Cleta Cleaver.

Below: Fashions past and present were presented in a colourful parade. Beats us where the girls dig up all the old-fashioned clothes.



On the next page, we present all the mannequins who took part in the parade. A feature of this parade, was that the girls had made all the clothes themselves, some of which were very lovely indeed. We compliment these models on the excellence of their display and for the professional way in which they paraded them.

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Above, left: The ceremony of "Breaking the Flag" after a rally at the Rawhitiroa reserve for the boys of the Central Taranaki Scout District recently was a colourful affair. The rally was a complete success, and graced by the presence of the Chief Commissioner of Scouts, Major-General L.H. Lockhart.

Above, right: Before the camp was broken, a demonstration of how to clean up a camp area was given by the scouts and cubs. They went over the paddock and picked up every piece of paper and litter, leaving the place as clean as a new pin.

Below, left: The children's pool, colourful and safe, at the newly opened Rawhitiroa memorial baths, just 3 1/2 miles from Eltham, in a delightful setting.

Below, right: Another old New Plymouth building which will soon disappear, is the one shown here on the corner of Devon and Currie streets. It is being demolished to make way for the new ANZ bank.



Wedding Bells

Above: SYKES-COLLINS. At St. Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Maureen, daughter of Mr and Mrs M.B. Collins, New Plymouth, to Barry, only son of the late Mr and Mrs Sykes, New Plymouth. The matron of honour was Norma Hodder, sister of the groom; Josephine Dalzell of Palmerston North was the bridesmaid; and Kerry Collins was flowergirl. The best man was Alec Greenbank and Rion Collins was the groomsman. The future home of the couple will be New Plymouth.

Below: HONEYFIELD-BRACEGIRDLE. At St. Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Alison Joan, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs E.G.L. Bracegirdle, New Plymouth, to John, son of Mr and Mrs K. Honeyfield, Tataramaika. The bridesmaids were Valda Bracegirdle, sister of the bride, and Melva Neilson. The flowergirl was Jennifer Roberts. Jim Fox was the best man and Claude Rowan was the groomsman. The future home of the couple will be New Plymouth.



Local Teams in Surf Champs at Gisborne

In weather that didn't do justice to the East Coast, with cold, windy and wet days, the New Zealand Surf Champs were held recently at Waikanae Beach, Gisborne. Plenty of the Taranaki teams made the journey for the competition, and though none returned triumphant, a thoroughly good time was had by all.

Right: New Plymouth Old Boys resuscitator.

Extreme right: East End team lined up while the judge awards his marks.

Below: Opunake put up good displays, but didn't win a title.

Below, right: New Plymouth Old Boys six-man team in action.

Bottom: Opunake in the colourful march past.



Perhaps the most colourful part of any surf champs is the march past. This was no exception at Waikanae Beach, Gisborne, where the N.Z. Surf champs were recently held.

Above: New Plymouth Old Boys in the march past followed by Wanganui's Castlecliff.

Right: Supporters of the East End boys show mixed expressions.

Below: East End march past, to the accompaniment of a fairly strong wind from the sea.





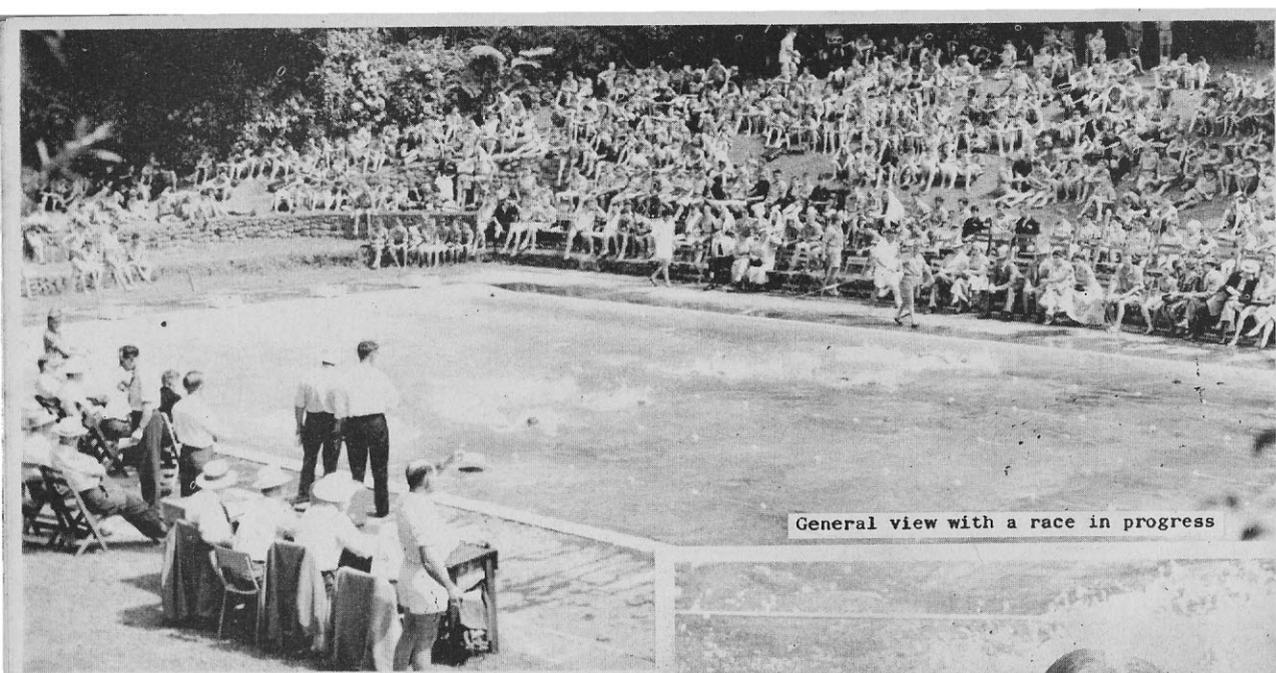
Left: Bob Fowles, a member of the East End team, had one of the warmer jobs on the reel.
 Above: Mark Saxton looks remarkably fresh immediately after winning second place in a junior surf race.
 Below, left: New Plymouth Old Boys women's six-man team stand for inspection by the judge.
 Below, right: Perhaps the only time the sun shone was when the New Plymouth Old Boys ladies were bringing their patient out of the surf.



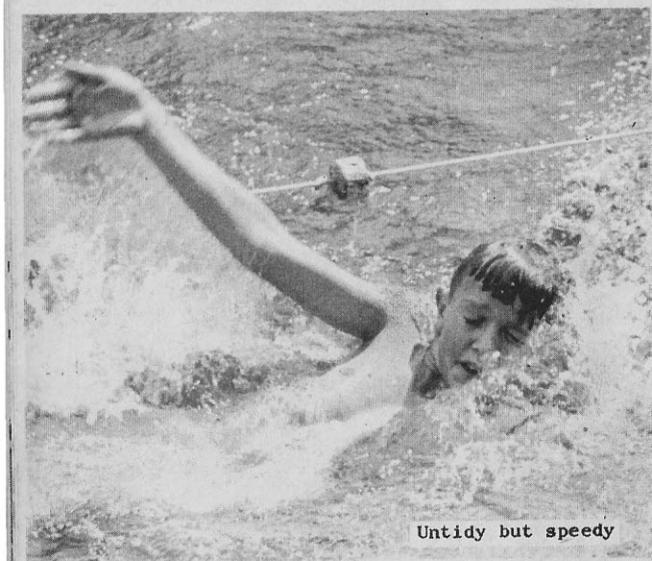
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Above: Here's a team that can well be proud of itself. They are the champion of champion fours of Taranaki. These proud bowlers belong to the Warea Club, one of the smallest clubs in Taranaki for numbers of members but one of the best for playing strength. From left, they are E.Chapman (lead), D.R. Wells (second), J.L. Cran (third) and J.A. Sole (skip).
 Right: With all the new building going on in Devon Street, it is not surprising that one of the older but enduring ones should get a facelift. Photograph shows the A.M.P. Building on the corner of Egmont and Devon streets, completely covered in scaffolding whilst in the process of a facelift that will give the building a more modern appearance. (This building, by the way, is also the home of "Photo News".)





General view with a race in progress



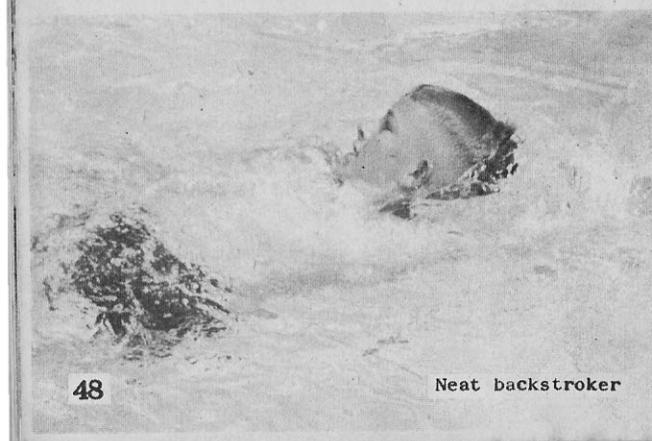
Untidy but speedy



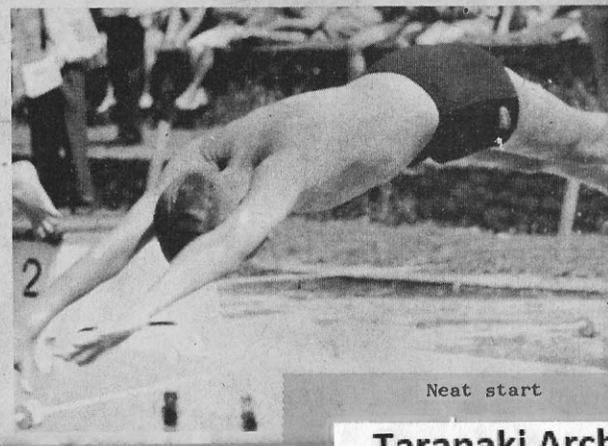
Asleep on the job?

Boys' High Swimming Sports

Records tumbled in some of the most competitive swimming seen for a long time when the New Plymouth Boys' High School annual sports were held recently. The weather was perfect, and with hundreds of parents and friends present, and the sound of a thousand lusty voices urging competitors on to greater things, the occasion took on a festival air which everybody enjoyed.



Neat backstroker



Neat start



Left and above: Two sequence pictures of Simcock making a speedy start in the senior final of the 100 yards backstroke.

Below, left: M.Legg does a perfect handstand dive from the 3 metre board.

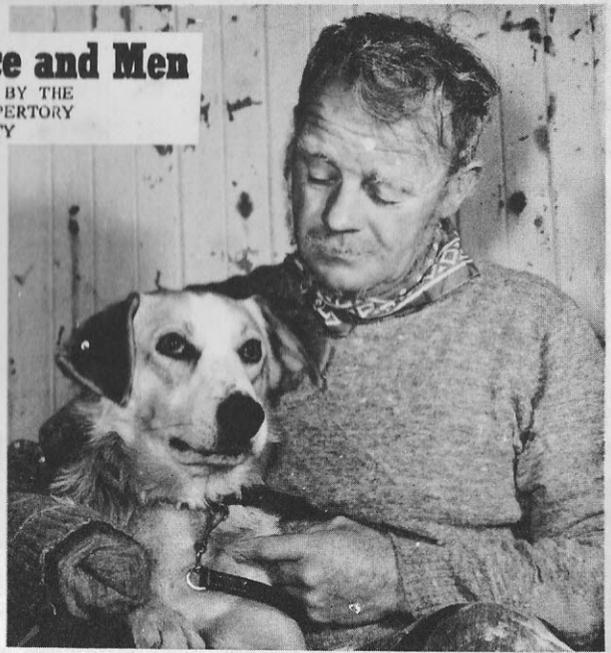
Below, centre, R.W.Green goes into a half twist.

Below, right: G.Charters performs an intricate dive.



Of Mice and Men

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Produced by Nancy Leatham. At the Hawera Memorial Theatre, April 4th to 9th, 1960.

THE CAST: John Brough as Lennie; Frank Walker as George; Graham Lamb as Slim; Ernie Abraham as Crooks; Ron England as Candy; Margaret Lester as Curly's wife; Rudi Milesi as Curly; Ivan Pipplet as Boss; Arthur Dorman as Carlsen; and Fred Lethbridge as Whit.





Go-Karts Prove Popular

The New Plymouth Go-Kart Club recently held a highly successful meeting at Hillsborough. There were over 500 cars parked for an official attendance of over 1000. A feature of the meeting was a Ladies' Race which caused excitement to run high, with competitors hitting hay bales on the turns and nosing their way under the parked cars.

Above: The line-up for the ladies' race and their pushers pose for the "Photo News" camera-man.

Left: Putting back a go-kart that had been tipped.

Below: These women contestants certainly didn't lack any speed when it came to hoofing around the bends in the shortest time possible.

