

A new Cadet takes the Oath of Allegiance.



Fg/Off J, Dallas (The Squadron ADJ.) explains to new cadets the objectives of the ATC Unit and what it expects of cadets and in turn what it offers to cadets.



Pilot Officer B. Moffett is the Squadron's Equipment Officer. In the above pictures, he 'Kits out' two new cadets. 34



And after the Oath is taken, the Cadet is welcomed to the



A complete training programme for a full twelve month period is worked out in advance for the Cadets. Here Plt/Olf G. Robins makes a couple of minor adjustments to the schedule.





Rifle training is an important part of a Cadet's training. Both the new M16 and the older type rifles are used in this area of instruction.



Cadets F/Sgt Kent and Cpl Reardon strap an "injured" leg during First Aid instruction.



Flt/Lt R.W. Brown explains a point during classroom aviation studies.



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Sgt Rose is seen making model aircraft. Modeeling is now part of the cirriculum of the ATC and a personal interest of Sgt. Rose, who is going for his Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award.



Cadets also learn the operation of the aircraft engine. In the above picture F/Off P, Dobson instructs a cadet class on the operation of the motor.



Flt/Lt Brown helps explain a finer point to a worried cadet.



the attack again. West is brought to bay Hamilton



Tumoana gets his pass away in time as he is felled.



Referee West signals a try.



After eluding a tackle the run is comparatively clear.

LEAGUE A Grade - Taranaki v. Hamilton

Taranaki League players rounded off their 1974 season with a great morale boosting win against Hamilton. The local-side won the match, which was held at Waitara, 29 to 6. Some excellent play was seen by the Taranaki side and their win truly reflected their superiority over the visiting team



Another piece of attacking work leads to a well deserved



A good tackle, but unfortunately for the player he was eluded.



Bryant hits the dirt after a Hamilton tackle.

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## LEAGUE TARANAKI V. HAMILTON

Taranaki and Hamilton B teams drew their match at Waitara, nineteen all. It was exciting League, played by keen players who made the most of their opportunities and although each team did their best to gain an advant-age, meither found themselves able to find a really weak link in the others defences.



A Taranaki player is surrounded by opponents as he passes through the goal posts. The ball is by his right foot.



A Hamilton player attempts to stop G. Carr from passing the ball.



Taranaki players (in dark jerseys) find a break. W. Dakin makes the break watched carefully by C. Hancock and Dave Low.





Taranaki's B. Walker performs an excellent tackle.



Fred Nicholas gets his pass away to D. Christiansen.



The player of the day was undoubtedly Charlie Kemp. He is held here by two Hamilton players.



A scuffle for the ball with Taranaki well tackled.



Frances Southorn and Maureen Jenkins.



Marge Guilossan and Mavis Banks.



... Mr. & Mrs R. Carter.



W. Martin and friend L. Green.



The Taranaki Darts Association held their annual cabaret and Prizegiving at the Queens Hall in New Plymouth a short while ago.

There was quite a crowd at the event and a very long list of prizes all of which were no doubt won with a lot of hard fought competition.



Peter and Geoff Reilly.



MA. R. Mrs G. ROSIE



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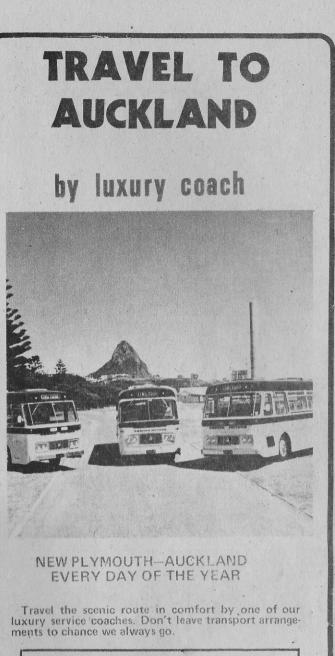
It is impossible for us to feature all of the prizewinners so we have merely selected four at random. These four are featured on this page.







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Auckland break close to the scrum.



A visiting player charges down a Taranaki kick ahead.



A Taranaki defender looses the ball as he is tackled.



A try to Auckland right in the corner.

#### RUGBY TARANAKI UNDER 16 v.

AUCKLAND UNDER 16.

The Auckland Under 16 side completely demolished the Taranaki Under 16 side with a final score of 22 to 4. The Auckland team had too much power and they out-performed the local side at every turn.



A good covering tackle by a local defender.

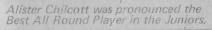


Auckland on the attack - but caught in possession. 40

### **Soccer Presentations**

The Fitzroy Soccer Club held their end of season Junior Presentations in the Glen Avon Hall on a Sunday afternoon earlier this month. The presentations came after a final series of games that were played earlier in the day and which were followed immediately by a Hangi for children, their parents and friends.









Bruce Maechler was announced as the Junior Club Captain for 1975.A title the shares jointly with.





Van Tahere and Archie Hinga prepared the Hang



Michael Hopkins won Most Improved



Leigh Chadwick won the Best All Round Player award in intermediate Grades.



David Miller won the 'Most Improved Player' in 10th Grade.



Grant Maechler won Most Improved Player in 8th Grade.

Steven Cronin and Stephen Hadland were equal for 'Most Improved Player' award in the 9th Grade.

William Clark,



Mrs Betty Street.

# Schools Donations

A total of sixteen schools from New Plymouth made contributions to the 'Save the Children Fund' at a ceremony held in the Library in New Plymouth recently. The New Plymouth Mayor, Mr D.V. Sutherland collected the donations from children representing the various schools. Also present was the Acting President of Save the Children, Mrs Betty Street.

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Mr Sutherland.



These two pupils from Highlands held the bank bags.



West End School make their contribution.



Mangorei School deliver their donation.



Woodleigh School make their donation.



Frankley Road School deliver their donation.



Moturoa School add their contribution to swell the fund a bit further.

#### WEIGHT WATCHE CABARET

The Weight-Watchers held their Annual Cabaret in the Devon Intermediate School Assembly Hall a couple of weeks ago. Unfortunately the event got off to a bad start for one member of the band had been involved in an accident. However, all was soon forgotten when shortly after 9.00 p.m. the band started the music and kept on getting better as the night progressed. Nobody knew that it was the first time the group had played together since a major change of membership.



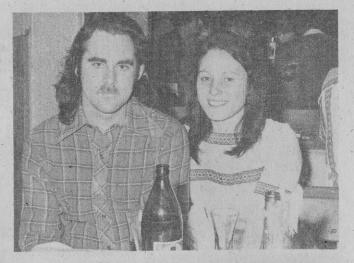
Mr & Mrs I. D. Simons.



B. Barns and H. Honnor,



P. Harvey and C. McDowell.



Mr and Mrs Bruce King.

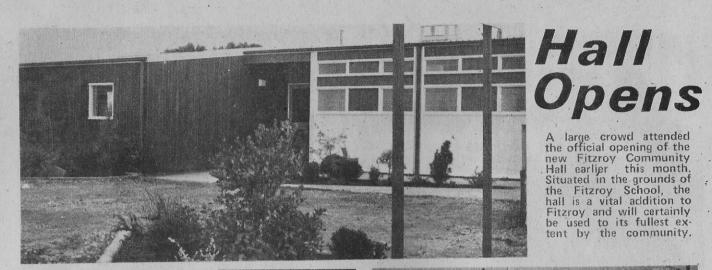


Mr and Mrs J. Fahey.



W. Ward and C. McCormack.

II. Harvey and L. McDowell.



## OPENING CELEBRATIONS

In the evening, after the new Fitzroy Community Hall had been officially opened, a Cabaret was held to celebrate the occasion.

A good crowd of local residents as well as quite a few from further afield, attended the cabaret and all seemed to be thoroughly delighted with the new Community Hall.



Jim Cattley was there and so was Mrs Giddy.



Ruby and Herbert Old were there.

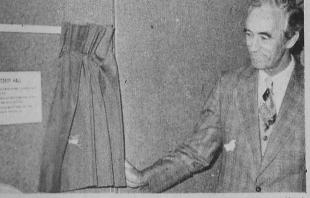


Val and Edgen Prentice.



Mr D.N. Ouickfall (who is Chairman of the Hall Committee) welcomed those present.





The Mayor of New Plymouth, Mr D.V. Sutherland unveiled he plaque which marks the opening of the hall.



Standard One and Two of Fitzroy School sang a bracket of songs.



The infant group from the Fitzroy School entertained those who attended as part of the opening celebrations, 44



Heather and Davy Chisholm were in a happy mood.



Mrs J. Cattley, John Putt and E. Duxfield were there too.



... so were B. Putt and T. Duxfield.



Betty and Beau Murray.



Mr & Mrs J. Honeyfield.



Bob and Thelma Clarke.



Mr & Mrs H. Blackman.



Dennis Wilson and Mr Karaitiana.

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A well publicised Polynesian Banquet was held in the New Plymouth War Memorial Hall last month. A sumptious spread of many types of delicious food, plus displays of Maori and Tahitian dancing were features of the evenings festivities.



Gail Stevenson, Sylvia Goldfinch and Teresa Stevenson.



Mr & Mrs. Adlam.



Mana Tewhatu and Kath Remihana.

# Gymnastics competitions

An Invitation Inter-Club Modern Gymnastics One Day Competition was held at the YMCA in New Plymouth earlier this month.

Competing clubs were, New Plymouth, Hawera, Levin, and Hawkes Bay and the competitions were held as a pre-lude to the National Championships.





Heather Batchelor works out with the hoops.



Jane Tuson with the rope.



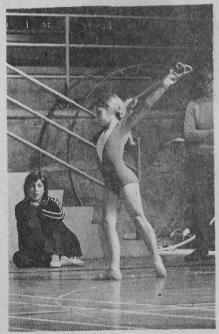
Judges confer in the centre of the arena.

a graceful Debbie Humphries.



Jenny Knapman makes her streamer move in a float-ing motion.





Julie Anne Waite caught by our camera with her rope in micl air.



North Auckland's Joe Morgan about to clear from close to his own goal line.



Gwerder is taken in an excellent tackle.



Scown (Taranaki) about to throw a one handed pass as he is tackled.

## RUGBY TARANAKI v. NORTH AUCKLAND

Nearly five and a half thousand people went to Rugby Park in New Plymouth to watch the Taranaki – North Auckland match which was narrowly lost by the home side, 13 to 14. The match was somewhat disappointing for Taranaki fans for the local team should have played better. Perhaps it, was an off day for no matter how hard the team tried they just couldn't show the form that they had displayed in previous matches.



Vic Gwerder (Taranaki) gets his pass away before being tackled.



Waaka (North Auckland) just manages to get the ball into touch as he is challenged by Taranaki's Matt Cooper.



Bevan Grant out jumps everybody at this line-out.



A North Auckland defender well caught by Taranaki play-ers, Loveridge and Fraser.



A break by Taranaki's Paul Martin.







Taranaki Captain Ash Gardner is eluded by North Auck-land Captain Sid Going.



Matt Cooper gets his pass in - field as he is tackled, but it is intercepted by a North Auckland player.

### FUND STARTED -



Richard Edwards (secretary) and Brian Velvin (Building Committe Chairman) bring out the goodies.



Jill Johns, Jill Cleland, and Lesley Hunter.



Maurice Cleland and Errol Velvin.



Gail Clow, Helen Velvin, Linda Edwards, Moira O'Connor, Marie Kaitoa and Lyn Clow.

To commence the Fitzroy Surf Club's "Building Project Fund", the club held a Wine and Cheese evening at their clubrooms earlier this month.

Several cheques were presented on the night, these being private donations and a cheque for \$1,000 from t<sup>+</sup> club's Ladies Committee. A total of almost \$1,40° placed into the Building Fund on the night.



Mrs M. Velvin hands over a cheque for \$1,000 from the Ladies Committee. The money was raised by the committee at various fund raising activities over the past two years.



Gary Johns makes a personal contribution to the fund. Life member Frank Clow receives the donation.



Mr E. Velvin makes a personal donationReceiving the donation is Mr Barry Garcia.



Jill Johns hands over her personal donation to the fund.

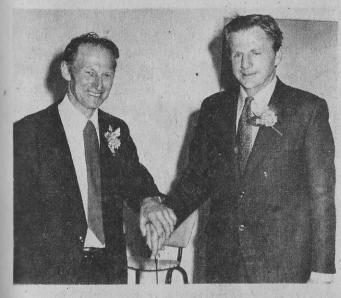
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KELLY-BENTON......Rhonda Marion, daughter of Mr & Mrs C. G. Benton of Tahora, to Robert James, son of Mr & Mrs G. L. Kelly of New Plymouth. (*Fitzroy Studios*)

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# birthday

Messrs. Snow Reave and Colin Dodunski both celebrated their 50th birthdays with a combined celebration at the Hillsborough Hall a few weeks ago. The combined celebration was appropriate as both men were born in the same hospital on the same day.

with Bryce McPherson



It's the trout fishing season and several good catches have been reported. But, as with all sport, and Kiwis being Kiwis there's always a side bet of some sort on all sporting occasions. Take this one.....



Two anglers standing on the river bank casting lines at likely rise points, made a bet as to who would catch the first fish. One got a bite and became so excited that he fell off the bank into the river. "If you're going to dive for them, the bet is off", said the other.

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The dollar doesn't go very far these days. But what it lacks in distance it sure makes up for in speed.

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We (Taranaki) are to be on show at Palmerston North for three days at the end of October and, in association with 'Wonderland' for a further ten days. Another exposure to create awareness of Taranaki and its many attractions.

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More recognition for the region; a series of three educational tours from Auckland will be in Taranaki next monthand there are more to come. One we know of is from the Deep South. Taranaki is an educationalist's dream. In Captain Cook's words .' This place has it all''.

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The best way to douse the old torch is to kindle a new flame.

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A teacher noticed one boy in her class who always came to school very dirty and she decided to write a note to the lad's mother asking her to do something about it. A few days later the boy came to school just as dirty and carrying a letter from his mother, which read: "Dear Teacher, I know my boy ain't exactly violets, but I send him to school to learn not for you to smell him".





## Model School Graduation

The Le Fillette Model Agency's Charm and Model School division held a Graduation at the end of last month. The class that graduated was the advanced class and they were tutored by Naomi George. The Graduation was held at the Braemar and the girls modelled a variety of clothing before receiving their Graduation Certificates. Anyone interested in taking a course in the future should contact Naomi George on 80-060.



Naomi congratulates the girls.



Susan Read graduates.



Leonie Martin (last months Photo News cover girl) grad-



Diane Keast receives her certificate.



Diana Gordon Stables graduates.



Carolyn Marple receives her certificate.



Dana Alcock receives her graduation certificate. 52



Susan models a 'Paris Pink' two piece, new-look peplum, which features a knee length skirt.



Carolyn wears a flowered knitshirt in multi-colours, paired with a new shade of polyester viscose green slacks.





Susan, this time in a brown and white two piece seersucker with white trim and a long flared matching skirt. Leonie models a navy poly/cotton knit shirt. This is paired with a flared cord skirt which features two narrow belts. 53

Dana models a calico two piece with lace yoke, shirred waist and long skirt with hem flounce.



Diahe wears red slacks teamed with a 'Sweet Sixteen' Guru overblouse with a tie belt.







Lorraine and John Maiden enjoyed the night too.



Eric Ekdahl and Nancy Hamilton.



Barry Bint reckoned the food was great and Wayne Mackay nodded in agreement.



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**Club's Dinner** 

The third grade team of the Tikorangi Rugby Football Club celebrated the end of their season with a Dinner at the Bell Block Hotel. Team members and friends made the most of the even-ing and from the way they were talking, it seemed that they are already looking forward to next year's dinner.



Russell Davidson and Murray Peterson.



ad the meal



Greg Baker and Mrs Peterson.

# Marching Club Cabaret

The Inglewood Marching Club recently held their pre-season cabaret in the Inglewood Gym. A combination of good lively music and a crowd that were in high spirits made for a really enjoyable night.



Loreen Lahood and John Moore



Sharon Curtis and David Frederickson.



Margaret Underwood and Janice Elmes enjoyed the event too.

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K. Looney and D. Ritchie were having a ball.



Valerie and David Crowe were in high spirits too.



Helen Ritchie and Lynette Blackbourne share a joke.



A happy Susan Woods and Robert Hussis.



The folk-rock trio consisted of Tom Mutch, Ian Loveridge and Brant Page.

#### Rock Concert

A few weeks ago, several local bands got together and staged a Sunday evening concert in New Plymouth's Opera House. Three bands performed together with a folk-rock trio. It was extremely disappointing that only a very few bothered to attend the concert and this is surprising in view of the fact that there has recently been a great deal of comment on the fact that there is no entertainment for our younger citizens. Those who did attend showed their appreciation of the music performed and thoroughly enjoyed the concert.



Chinchilla were a most entertaining band.

Grant Houston, lead guitarist with Chinchilla.



Maranatha are a Jesus rock band who have a good tight rocking sound.



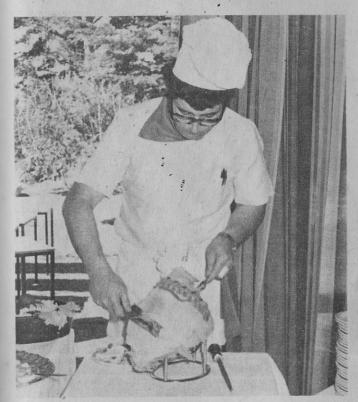
Shaft had the most professional sound by far, of the three groups who performed.

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CONFERENCE

The New Zealand Hotelliers Association held their annual Conference last month, at the Westown Hotel in New Plymouth.

Pictured on this page are a few of those who attended the conference and some of those responsible for the fantastic spread of food at the event.



Jim Kaatre, the Australian Chief Chef at the Westown whose job it was to supervise and prepare the food.



Discussing a part of the conference agenda are Mr. T.J. Willlams (Chief Executive of H.A.N.Z.) and Mr. W. Thomas (President of H.A.N.Z.).



Mario Granolf from Switzerland, Mario also worked hard on the preparation of the food.



Jim Kaatre, The team of waitresses and the Dining Room Manager and Assistant Manager.



Attending the conference were Alan Reddiford (Canterbur Jim Thompson (Wellington), and Steve Beck (Wellington)



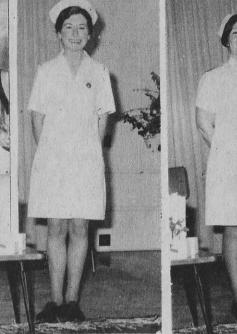


COOKING CONTEST......The South T aranaki Scouts annual Cooking contest was held a few weeks ago at the Turuturu Scout Hall. Winners are pictured above. Gordon Buchan and Jeremy Jones (front) and Keith Tecofsky and Michael Henry (background).

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NURSES GRADUATE

Hawera Hospital Nurses graduated at the end of their training term, a few weeks ago. A few of those who received prizes and graduation certificates are pictured on this page



Community Nurse S.A. Simpson.

The Corkill Trophy went to Staff Nurse T.V. Keegan.



Community Nurse S.J. Oakes won the Bromley Trophy.



Community Nurse H. Button.

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Community Nurse M.K. Tuck.



UNBEATEN.....The Normanby School netball team w as this year unbeaten in all the games it played during the past season. The team won the Bhana Cup. Front...Kim Archibald, Wendy Manaia, Ellen Mitchell and Margaret Murray. Back...Sharon McDonald, Karen Robinson, Lea Winter, Melanie Luke.



SUCCESSFUL FIGHTERS.....Hawera wrestlers were the most successful of all Taranaki wrestlers who journeyed to Hamilton to compete in the recent North Island Senior Championships. Pictured above are Tasman Tantrum, Kevin Kawana and Steve White. Tantrum won the 52 kilo class from nine other entries, and Kevin Kawana won the 100 kilo class. Steve White was Runner-up in the 62 kilo class.



line in the Waingongoro River a few weeks ago. It sure is some catch.





The Governor-General is greeted at the Yiwi Factory by County Chairman, Mr I. McCallum.

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#### Governor General's Visit

The Governor-General, Sir Denis Blundell, recently visited Manaia. During his visit he opened the new Kiwi Dairy Complex and met various sections of the Manaia population.

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Lady Blundell receives flowers at the Manaia welcome.



Speech over, Sir Denis is about to cut the ribbon and declare the Complex officially open.



Local children turned on a great welcome for Sir Denis Blundell and everyone was keen to shake his hand.



Being shown the workings of the new Kiwi Complex. At left is laboratory manager Mr. G Bennett and far left is Linda Kerrisk.



Old folks of the Manaia district met the Governor-General at the Manaia War Memorial Hall.



The Governor-General's Rolls-Royce. This is believed to be the only vehicle in New Zealand that legally is not required to display a number plate. The crown (visible on the roof of the vehicle) is instead displayed.



The Governor-General meets, and has a drink with members of the RSA in Hawera.

## BEL AIRS Cabaret

The Bel Airs Netball Club held their annual cabaret at the Westown Hall this year. The event was ocassioned by the usual mirth and bilarity

The event was ocassioned by the usual mining that one associates with this fabulous group people, but we were sorry to find that there was a show this year. Oh well, perhaps next year will again stage their "Go-Go" act.



Meanwhile in the kitchen Val Comer and Elaine Sheehy were cooking up quite a storm.



Mr & Mrs Rodnev Kinera.



Much laughter came from this table...Pam and Donald Hodge, Fileen & Alec Jefferys and Jim and Judy Young.



Louie Goodin and 'Sticks' Wara swap yarns.



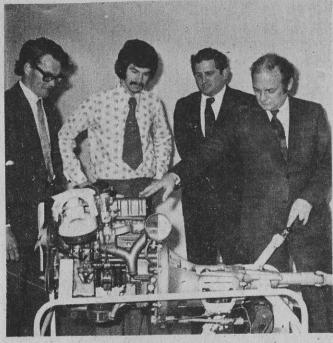
Brian and Kathy Davy were content to sit-quietly.



Pat Healey and Kathy Yandle were found dancing in their sox



Sharing a private joke were Debbie Gush and Daryl Balantine.



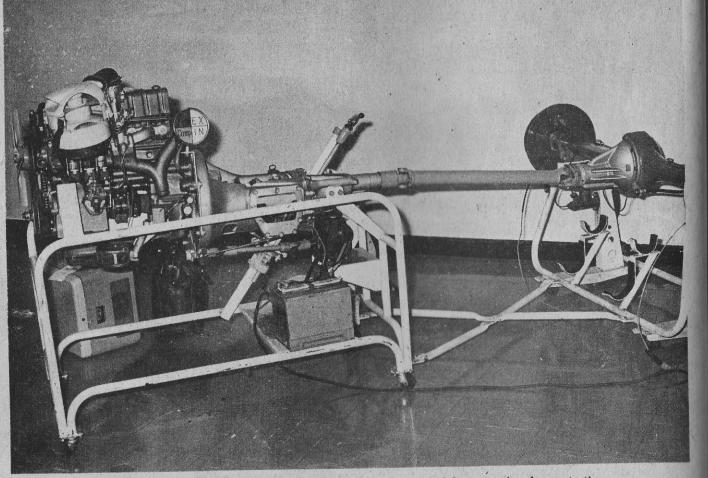
Barry Malcolm (Mobil), Warren Brown (Mobil), D. Marais (Mobil) and John Death (Johnson Motors) with an engine bared to show its operation.

#### KNOW YOUR CAR

A 'Know Your Car' lecture was held a couple of weeks ago at Johnson Motors in New Plymouth. It was organised by N.P. Rotary and was conducted and sponsored by the by N.P. Rotary and was conducted and sponsored by the Vocational Service Committee. 85 people attended the lec-tures and all proceeds were given to charity. There were five lectures, by representatives of General Motors, Mobil Oil, Dunlop, Lucas', Wormalds and Johnson Motors. The objective of the event was to give a basic knowledge of the operation of a car.



Barry Malcolm gave one of the lectures.



This motor, connected to drive shaft and diff, was arranged for a running demonstration. 62







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## NEW COMPETITION

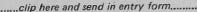
#### WIN THE NEW RAY COLUMBUS ALBUM

To celebrate the release of a new Ray Columbus Album and his appearance as Special Guest Artist at the Photo News Awards Ball, his record company, Pye Records Ltd, have made available several copies of the new Ray Col-umbus Album for promotion in this area. The album is called 'Ray Columbus' Greatest Hits' and features 14 of his best known recordings from 1964 to 1974.

Tracks include 'Till We Kissed', the song that won Ray the very first Gold Disc Award, 'Singing the Blues', 'She's a Mod', 'People are People', and 'Jangles Spangles and Banners'

Two copies of this album can be won in this competition, the first two correct entries received will each win a copy of the album and several other copies will be won on the night of the Photo News Awards Ball as spot prizes. What we want you to do to enter this competition is fill in the enclosed entry form and answer the listed questions

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Address

Answer following questions on attached sheet of paper. Question 1....Name the original band that backed Ray Columbus. Question 2....What city does Ray Columbus live in? Question 3....Is Ray Columbus maried? Question 4....Name the last Album released by Ray Columbus. Question 5....Did Ray Columbus ever perform in Australia? Question 6....Name the TV Show Ray hosted this year.

Post your entry to Ray Columbus Competition, Box 427, New Ply-mouth. Results in next issue of Photo News.

#### APOLOGY

The gremlins attacked our keyboard last

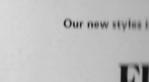
issue it seems. On page 28 we named the couple at the top left as Mr & Mrs Drader. This was incorrect. They are in fact J W Drader and Mr E. Shramka. On page 37, top left of page, we named the couple John Edhouse and friend Jill. This was not John Edhouse, or Jill.

We apologise sincerely to those concerned.



# SOMETHING OLD..... something new







Our ELABBIEAL styles are old: Our new styles include, FARTARY, MIRTY and CANDLELIGHT studies.



