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Bride of the Month

The mini bridal dress seems to be the rage these days, and we are not averse to them, since they must be far more economical and practical. The wearer of this dress and the bride of the month is Glenys, younger daughter of Mr L.Horsfall, NP, and the late Mrs Horsfall. Glenys's flower-girl is Heather Fisher, NP. Glenys is now Mrs Claus Stolper, whose husband hails from Holland. (VOGUE STUDIOS)



Above: Mr and Mrs Mick Novac, NP, who recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a family dinner at the Fitzroy hotel. (VOGUE)



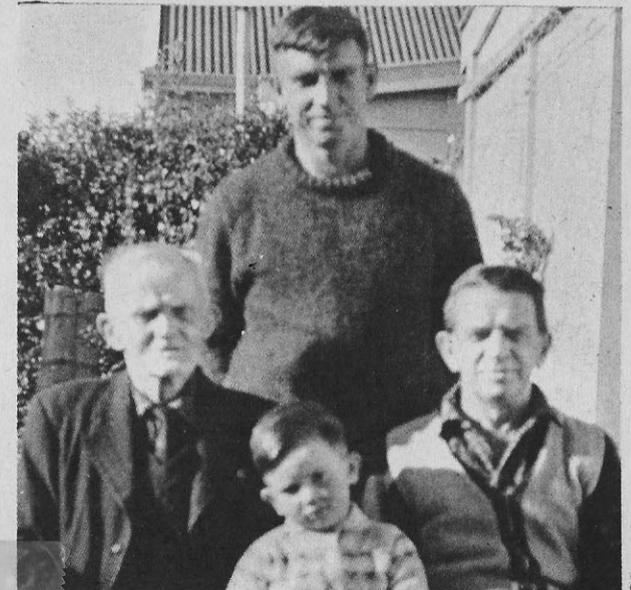
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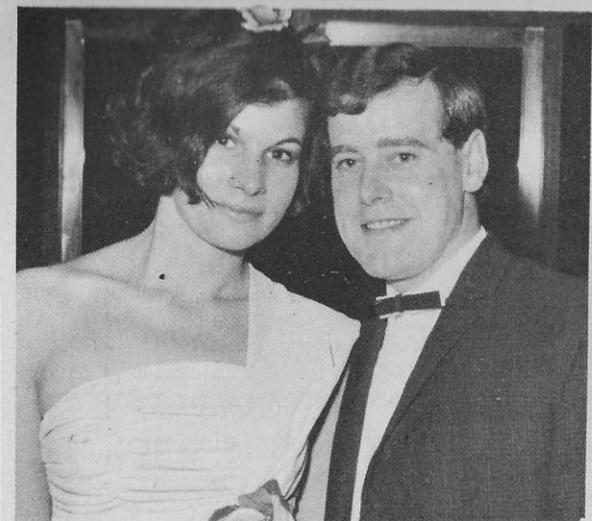
Something different this month, in that Lee Thomas is wearing something we've heard a lot about but never seen. It is a paper dress. It certainly looks smart, but we do hear that Lee won't go near a boy who is smoking! Nice to have a dress that goes into the WPB after wearing.... what price the dry-cleaners?

BACK COVER
Above: Scene at the New Plymouth Golf Course, reputed to be one of the best in NZ. Our shot looks back down the second fairway to the clubhouse and mountain.
Below: Start of the new breakwater, from just below the Belt Road Motor Camp.

Below, left: Mr and Mrs S.V. Washer, Inaha, who recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).
Below: FOUR GENERATIONS. Standing, is father Jim Hotter, Stratford, and seated is great-grandfather Bill Hotter, Hawera, with son Kevin and grandfather James Hotter, NP.



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Engaged

Above, left: McINDOE-CARRYER. Mary Lyn, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs J.D. Carryer, Hawera, to Alan Gerard, younger son of Mr and Mrs H. McIndoe, Lancashire, England.

Left: YOUNG-LAMB. Gail Catherine, fourth daughter of Mr and Mrs R.Lamb, Inglewood, to David George, younger son of Mr and Mrs A. Young, Opunake.

Below, left: COX-LITTLE. The engagement is announced of Rose Little, Stratford, to Jeffrey, youngest son of Mr and Mrs J.G.Cox, Stratford.

Above: HANCOCK-BUNNING. Lorraine, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs J.R.Bunning, Inglewood, to Trent, elder son of Mr and Mrs S.Hancock, Stratford.

Below: EWART-BROWN. Jennifer, younger daughter of Mrs C.Brown, NP, and the late Mr N.Brown, to John, elder son of Mr and Mrs E.Ewart, Christchurch.



IT WAS A NEAR THING AT WAITARA

There were many householders at Waitara watching the river as it began to rise after the rainy period we have recently experienced. As the top picture shows, it came dangerously near to being another flooding of the town, as the water crept ever higher under the town bridge. At one stage, it was almost touching the decking. Lucky for Waitara that the weather man decided to stop the rain when he did. But not all the district was as lucky as that. The flat south of the town was under water, below, just like it was in the big flood of a couple of years ago.

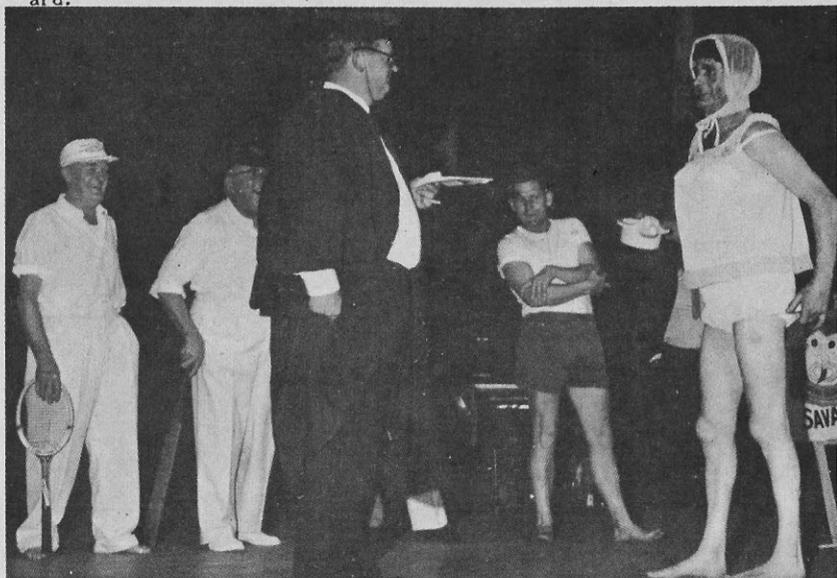


GREAT COMBINED SAVAGE KORERO

The NP War Memorial Hall was filled to capacity for the first ever western Districts combined korero in the city. Savages and kindred clubs provided a concert which was very enjoyable, clean and clever. It always surprises us that there is so much talent about. Right: Rangitira's for the evening were, from left, Tom Burbridge, NP, Max Grace, president of the Western Division, and Les Askew, Masterton, the NZ president of Savages. Below: Sketch by the Hawera Savages. Middle right: Two more Hawera members provided some laughter. Bottom, left: The choir of the Stratford Club was a well-trained group. Bottom, right: The same club provided an accordion band of high standard.



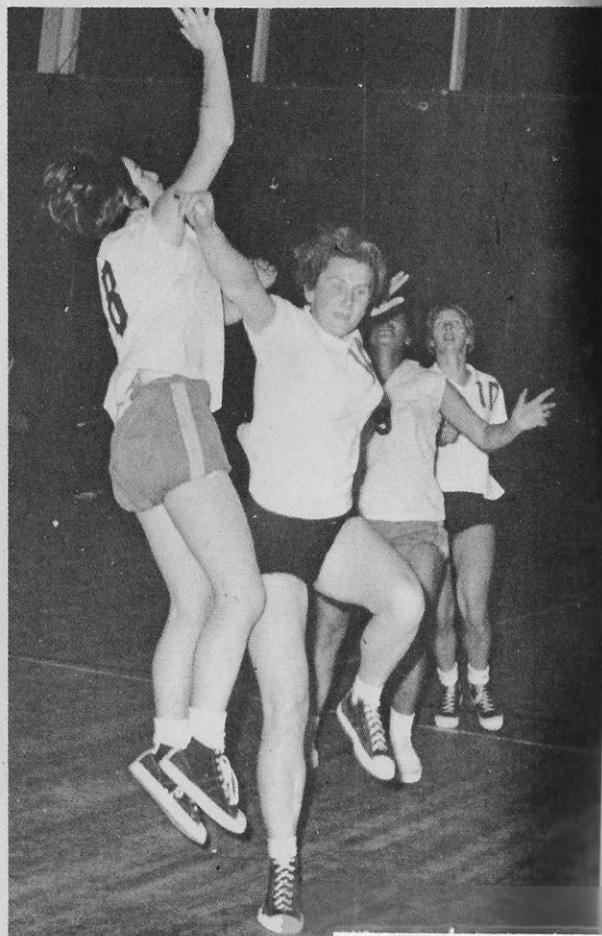
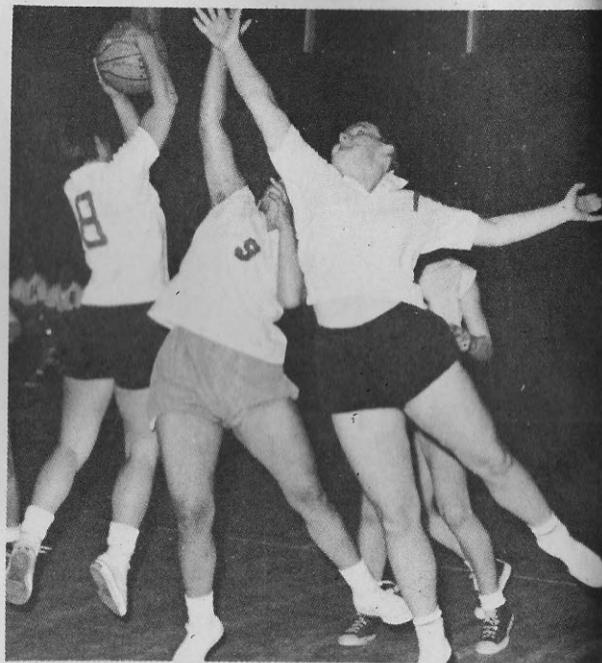
Above: Included in the audience at the recent Western Division savage korero was the Mayor of NP, Mr A.G. Honnor, and the member of NP, Mr Ron Barclay, besides a large number of top Savage brass from as far afield as Manawatu. Middle, right: Opunake members provided some good guitar playing. Below: Opunake also has its share of minstrels. Bottom, right: Two lads from the Eltham club in one of many hilarious sketches. Bottom, left: Tap troupe of the Hawera club.





TOUGH BASKETBALL

Tough? Well these girls from North Taranaki and Hawera certainly seemed to put everything into their game at Stratford. We felt that they must have been very fit. And it was a ding dong struggle until the girls from the north applied the pressure. Above: Robyn Knight tries to get at the ball. Below: Hand, knees and everything as Tui Gernhoefer (no.9) leaps for the ball. Above, right: Pity the poor girl in the middle of this sandwich. Below, right: Ronwyn Hagan gets just that big higher than Robin King.



Married

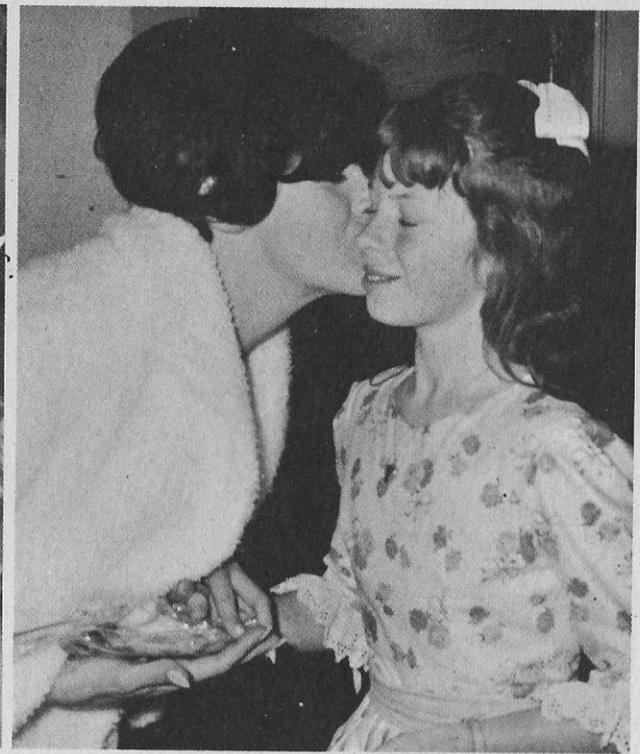
Left: COOKE-TAYLOR. At St. James's, Presbyterian Church, NP, Patricia, third daughter of Mr and Mrs R.B. Taylor, NP, to Ewen, only son of Mr and Mrs H.L. Cooke, London, England. The bridesmaid was Betty Moss, Wellington, and the best man was John Rock-Evens, Wellington. Future home, Wellington. (VOGUE)

Below: STEINER-DETT-LING. At the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Stratford, Pauline Louise, second daughter of Mr and Mrs J.L. Dettling, Midhurst, to Brian Martin, eldest son of Mr and Mrs M.J. Steiner, NP. The bridesmaids were Monica Meyer, Manaia, and Trudi Dettling, sister of the bride, Midhurst. Maurice Steiner, brother of the groom, Rotorua, was the best man, and the groomsman was Graham Busby, Normanby. The flower-girl was Leonie Robinson, Midhurst. Future home, Inglewood.



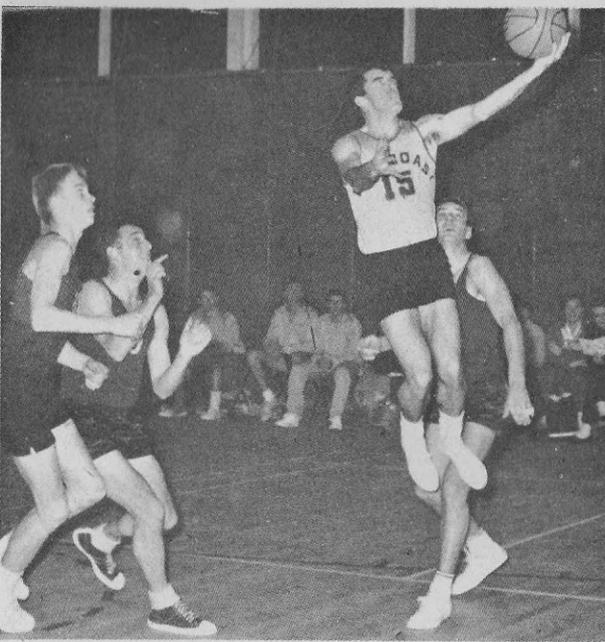
MILLIE SHOW FILLS HOUSE

The NP Opera House was filled to the doors for the recent visit of "My boy Lollipop" Millie Small. Millie, the mini girl in a mini dress was the highlight of the show with songs which have made her famous the world over. She had the audience almost spellbound by her charm and vivacity. Left: Here she is, the mini girl with a mighty personality. Right: Australian Maggie Jodreil is all set for a great career on stage. Far right: New Zealand singer Maria Dallas was full of life. Below, from left: Eden Kane provided pop songs for many. David Whitfield, man with a golden voice. Maria Dallas performing. Eden Kane and Maria Dallas on stage together.



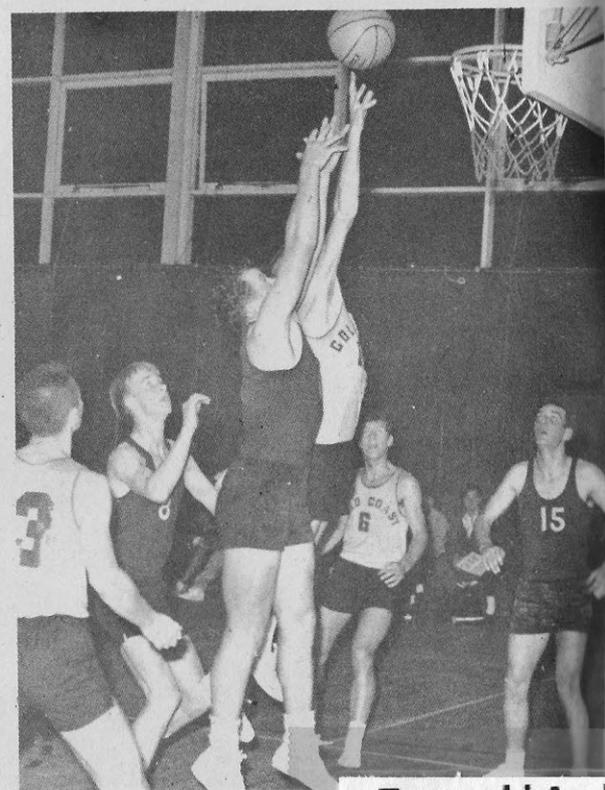
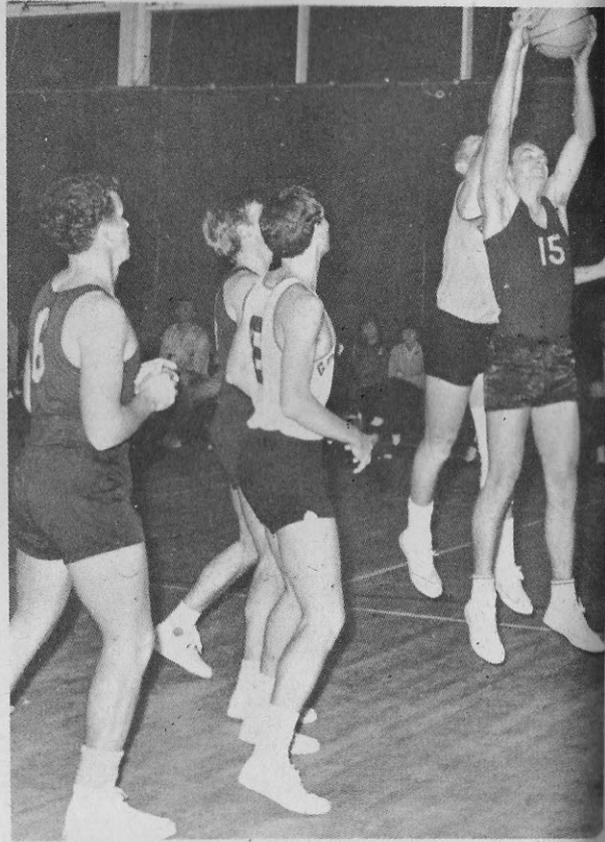
Above, left: Yep, it's that girl Millie Small, down in the audience at her show at the NP Opera House, and making herself at home on the knees of Bill Laurent, Waitara, as she sings, ironically, "Sweet William". Above, right: A kiss from Maria Dallas, after she was presented with an orchid spray backstage by Cheryl Bingley. Below: David Whitfield also went down into the audience, and is here shown dancing with one of the front row patrons, while hubby enjoys the joke.





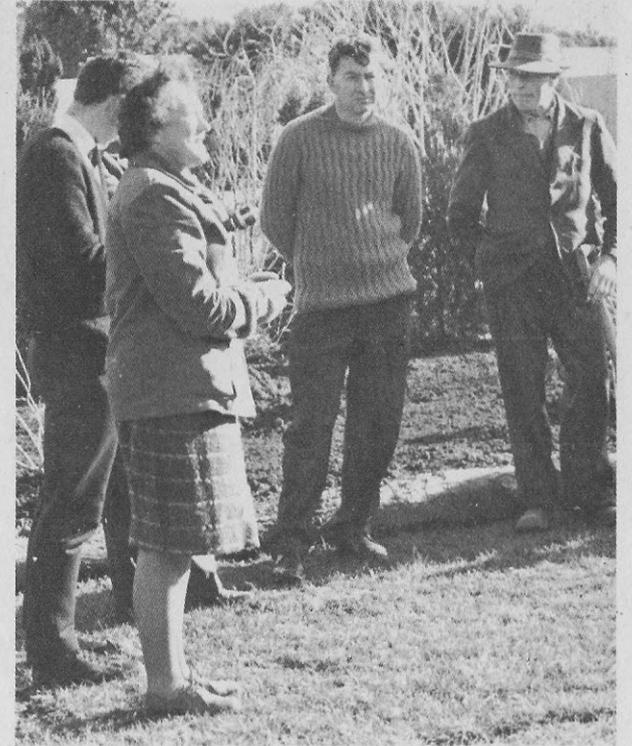
AUSSIES BEAT TARANAKI

The touring Australian Gold Coast team recently visited Stratford where they played a Taranaki team. There was little doubt of the Aussies' supremacy, particularly in their ability in finding the basket. Above: Three home players surround a lone Aussie. Below: Bob Filbee juggles with the ball in the centre of the court. Above, right: Terry Hogan out-jumped his opponent. Below, right: Dennis Willis just wasn't tall enough to keep this shot out of the net.



ARBOR DAY IN NEW PLYMOUTH

The response to Arbor Day planting in NP was not exactly overwhelming, though there was a reasonable muster at Brooklands for this annual event. When the City Council parks staff is making such a fine job in tidying up the scruffy corners of the city, they deserve much more support from the public than they get. Just look at some of the places they have beautified and you'll see what we mean. Above: This will be a pretty area in a couple of years' time, right on Brooklands road too. Right: Councillor Mrs A. Gale speaks to the gathering. Below: The Mayor, Mr A.G. Honnor, complete with gardening cap, had the honour of planting the first tree. Below, right: These children were there to help their civic-minded parents.





BELL BLOCK W.D.F.F. RALLY

Once again the Bell Block Rally was a complete success with over 600 WDFW members present for a concert organised by the Waitara Division, in the Waitara War Memorial Hall. Above: The Tikorangi choir entertained the large audience. Above, right: A costumed duet was given by Evelyn Telfer and Annie Thurlow. Centre, right: These ladies gave an enjoyable comedy sketch. Below, right: Mrs Cleland, the North Taranaki provincial president, presents the Bell Block banner, for the second best decorated table, to Mrs Gray, Tarururangi. Below: Mrs Bennett, Inglewood, receives first prize in the decorated tables section, from Mrs Cleland.



PRIZEWINNERS

Shown on this page are the first three prize-winners of the WDFW Rally, held at the War Memorial Hall, Waitara. Entries for the competition, which grow each year, numbered about 20, the largest number of entries ever. Above: Inglewood Division won first prize with this exhibit, and Tarururangi, above, right, were second. Right: The special prize was won by the NP Division. A very impressive display.

FASHION PARADE

Below: The Westown-Moturoa Plunket Society recently held a very successful fashion parade at the RSA Club rooms. An interested audience views the latest in coats, displayed by mannequin Del Hine.





Married

Left: TAYLOR-PENWARDEN. At the Methodist Church, Hawera, Valmae, second daughter of Mr and Mrs D.W. Penwarden, Normanby, to Garry, youngest son of Mrs A.M. Taylor, Tauranga, and the late Mr Taylor. The bridesmaid was Joan Rookes, NP, and the best man was Robert Jones, Hamilton. Future home, Perth, Australia. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO).

Below: MORI-FORDE. At Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Fitzroy, Christine Adele, second daughter of Mrs B. M. Forde, England, and the late Mr Forde, to Francis Roger, eldest son of Mr and Mrs F.J. Mori, Wellington. The bridesmaid was Valerie Forde, sister of the bride, England, the best man was Brian Coley, Wellington, and the groomsmen was James Mori, brother of the groom, Wellington. The flower-girl was Anna Mitchell, Auckland. Future home, New Plymouth. (VOGUE)



HOSPITAL CLOSURES DOWN

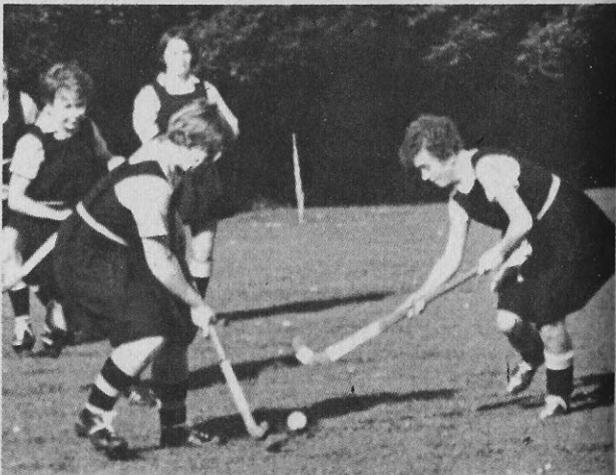
All ex-staff of the Inglewood Maternity Hospital recently attended a gathering at the hospital when long-service members of the staff were honoured. **Above:** This was the group of all the ex-staff at the hospital which gathered on this occasion. **Right:** Sister R.N. Squire, at right, who was with the hospital for 20 years, making a presentation to Miss A. Taylor, who has been the cook at the hospital for the past 22 years. **Below:** Sister Squire also made a presentation to Eric Newbold, who has been the gardener at the hospital for 14 years. **Below, right:** Eric shows his gift to some of the ex-staff members who had attended this function.



Social Candid's

BY HENRY McGEE

The one night of the year for the New Plymouth Girls' High School boarders is the night of their dance held in the school Assembly Hall. Here we show what a nice type gather at this annual function, and the happy faces of the young people.



SENIOR REPS v. SCHOOL REPS

In a recent ladies' hockey match at the NPGHS the school reps took on the senior Taranaki reps and lost by only 8-4. This augurs well for the future of ladies' hockey in the province. It was a fast game and the schoolgirls played fast and open hockey. Above: Schoolgirl has a tussle with Joy Cadman, the senior goalie. Below: The young girls showed no fear in their tackling. Above, right: They tried every trick in the book. Right: Diane Hamlin, left, didn't get it all her own way. Below, right: Joy Cadman in the senior goal had a tough time with some of the young players.



"PIRATES OF PENZANCE" BY INGLEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

Certainly an ambitious production for such a small high school, but, to say the least, those responsible provided a show that was equal to any amateur production that we have seen for a long time. Thing that struck us most forcibly was the quality of the singing voices in the show. They were of the highest quality, and we feel sure that they were as much appreciated by the large audiences which saw the show as they were by us. Top marks to a fine production despite the overcrowding on stage, with the large cast of pupils. Amateur theatricals in the Inglewood district has a wealth of talent for the future with school shows like this.

Above: Frederic, the pirate apprentice (Alan Stevenson), is caught between the guns of Ruth (Molly Harkness) and the pirate king (Kevin Koch). Below: The police force, a comedy team which helped to make the show a very colourful affair. Bottom: The pirates, of course, put their all into the acting of scenes.



Above: Leading characters in the "Pirates of Penzance" at the Inglewood High School were Molly Harkness and Alan Stevenson. Above, right: Major General Stanley was played, and well-played, by Robin Sant, shown here with the pirate King, Kevin Koch. Below: Ladies of the chorus made the show a very colourful affair. Bottom: The pirates, of course, put their all into the acting of scenes.





Engaged

Above, left: COX-RICHARDSON. Faye Emily, only daughter of Mr and Mrs C.F. Richardson, NP, to Graham Vaughan, only son of Mr and Mrs A.M. Cox, New Plymouth. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Left: COLLINS-PRICE. Sheryn June Price, second daughter of Mr and Mrs T.S.A. Marsh, Urenui, to Kevin Vernon, eldest son of Mr V. Collins, Omata, and the late Mrs Collins. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below, left: ROBERTS-FISHER. Sandra Erin, youngest daughter of Mrs E. Fisher, Stratford, and the late Mr A. Fisher, to Llewellyn Miles, twin son of Mrs D.I. West, Stratford, and the late Mr J.B. Roberts. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above: RAVEN-ROWE. Marise, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs K.V. Rowe, NP, to John, eldest son of Mr and Mrs H.A. Raven, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Below: DODUNSKI-WYLIE. Mary Cathrine, elder daughter of Mrs M.J. Wylie, Palmerston North, and the late Mr G.W. Wylie, to Robert John, eldest son of Mr and Mrs N.P. Dodunski, NP. (VOGUE).



Married

Above: HARVEY-LUCAS. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Marie Lucas, only daughter of Mrs D. Harvey, NP, to Colin David, youngest son of Mr Dave Harvey, NP. The bridesmaids were Jocelyn Vercoe, NP, and Shirley Harvey, sister of the groom, NP. Best man was Colin Patterson, Wellington, and the groomsmen were Roger Nodwell, Wellington. Flower-girl was Rosemary Lucas, Wellington, and the page boy was Gary Wells. Future home, NP.

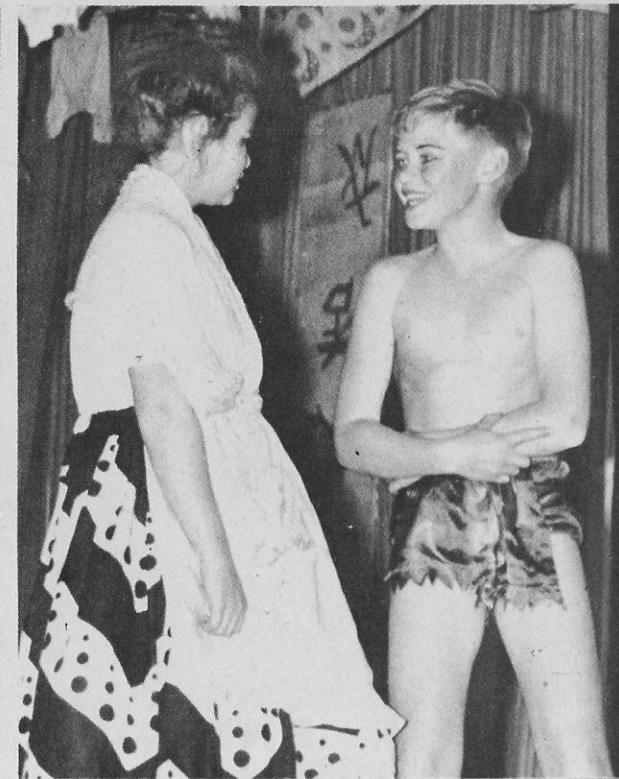
Below: LANGTON-McINTYRE. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, NP, Glenys, only daughter of Mr and Mrs B.J. McIntyre, NP, to Fred, fourth son of Mr and Mrs F. Langton, Opunake. The bridesmaids were Colleen Bell, NP, and Diane Jones, NP. Best man was Gibb Baxter, Manaia, and the groomsmen were Donald McIntyre, brother of the bride, NP. The flower-girl was Glenys Langton, sister of the groom, Opunake. Future home, Otakeho.



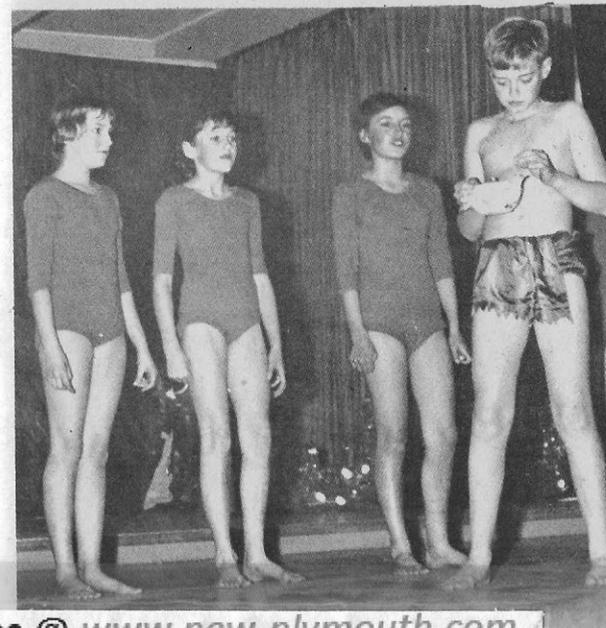


"ALADDIN" AT HAWERA

The Hawera Intermediate School festival this year took the form of a pantomime "Aladdin in the Underworld". And right from the curtain, it was a success. Much hard work and thought had gone into the production which was both clever and colourful. Settings, of course, done by the art department, were excellent. We always feel that our journey to Hawera is a worth-while trip for this annual festival. Above: Aladdin, Philip Stevens, with his hand made genie Roseanne Currin. Right: Aladdin and the princess, Julie Jensen, pleased the audience. Below: The Princess, Julie Jensen, and her maid S. Williams. Below, right: The school choir opened the programme with a bracket of songs.



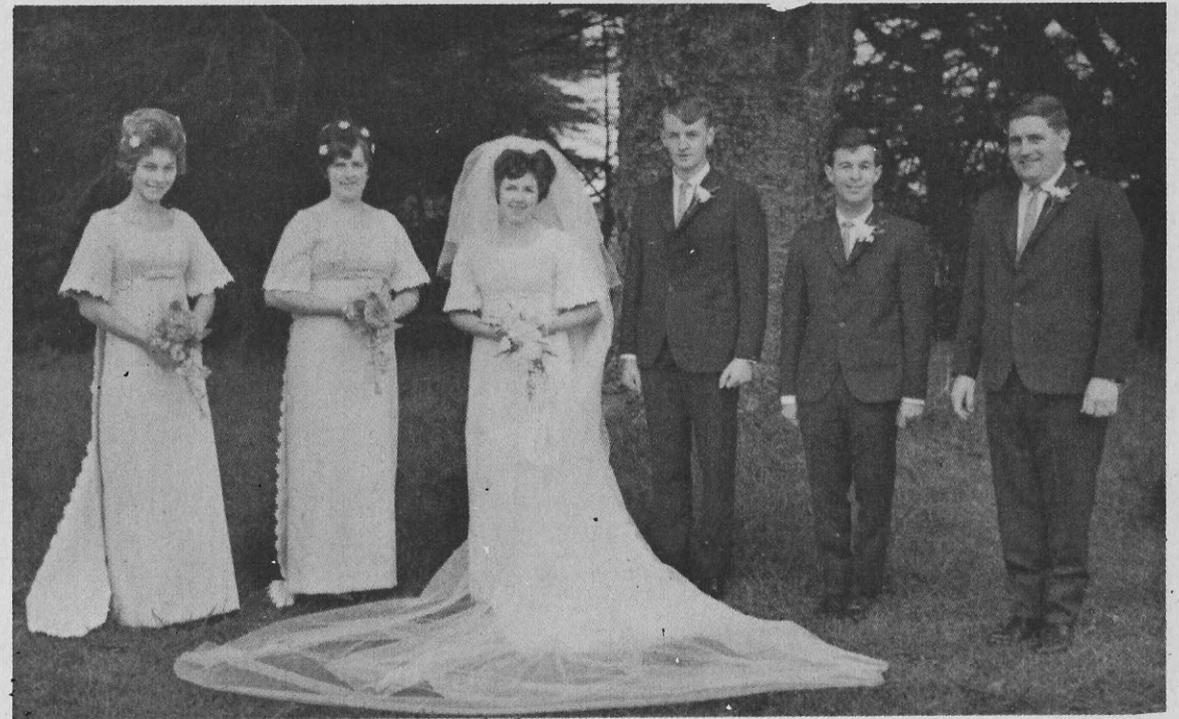
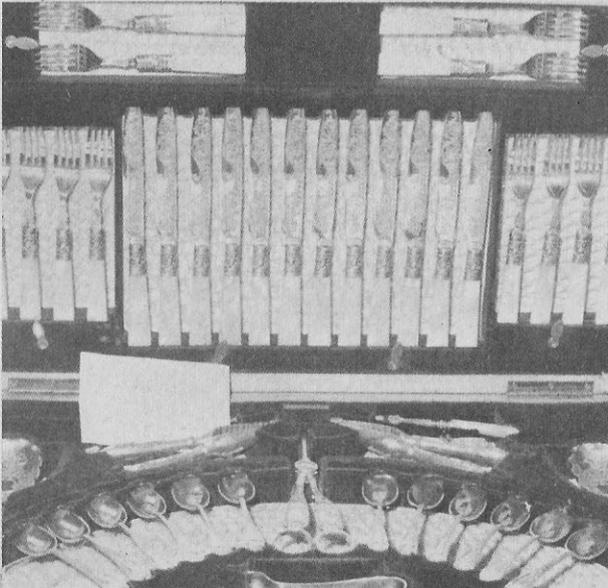
Above: Widow Twankey, Robin Dibble, played her part well. Above, right: Aladdin, Philip Stevens and his mother, Widow Twankey, Robin Dibble, were the principal actors in a fine cast. Below: Aladdin and the spirits who were Robyn Riley, Mandy Riley, Lorraine Carlson and Raina Nyman. Below, right: Widow Twankey and Abanazar played by Colin Price.





W.D.F.F. ANTIQUE DISPLAY

The Smart Road WDFF recently held an antique display in the Buffalo Hall in Fitzroy, which was a worth-while effort and proved most interesting to those who saw it. **Above:** Laura Allen and Eileen Cleland view some of the old papers and magazines. **Above, right:** Mrs M. Crane stops to read some very old letters. **Below:** One of the treasures of the exhibition was this trophy won for running in Scotland in 1902. **Below, right:** Mrs Phil Engebretsen takes a look at Mr Carrington's diary.



Married

Above: PRENTICE-PODJURSKI. At St. Andrew's Church, Waverley, Verna Margaret, daughter of Mrs H.T. McConachie, Waitotara, and the late Mr J.D. Podjurski, to Graeme Dudley, son of Mr and Mrs D. Prentice, NP. The bridesmaids were Barbara Humphrey, Wanganui, and Carol Watson, NP. Best man was Brian Healy, NP, and the groomsmen were Neil Coates, Masterton. Future home, New Plymouth.

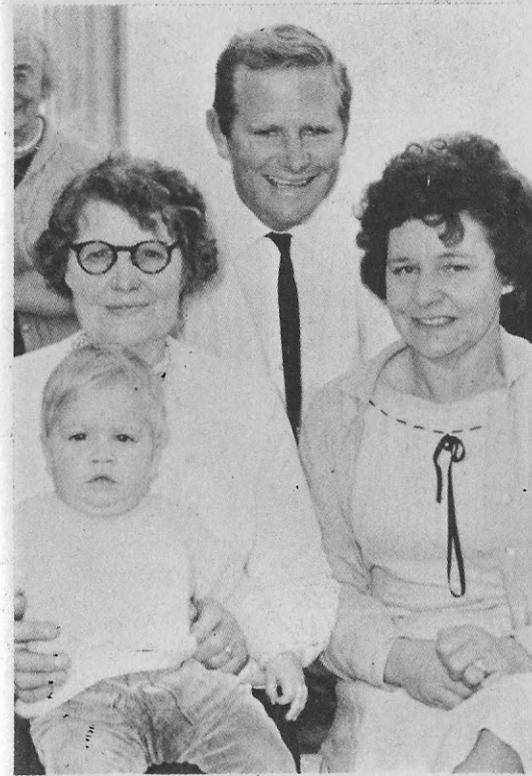
Below: PAAPE-WELLS: At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Judy, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs W. J. Wells, NP, to Digby, eldest son of Mr and Mrs G.F. Paape, Dunedin. Matron of honour was Lorraine Wilkinson, twin sister of the bride, Feilding, and the bridesmaids were Pauline Wells, sister of the bride, NP, Carolyn Chainey, NP, and Devon Paape, sister of the groom, Dunedin. Best man was Ashley Muir, Dunedin, and the groomsmen were Garth Neville, Alexandria, Keith Anderson and Jim Mitchell, Dunedin. Future home, Wellington.



Social Candid

BY HENRY MCGEE

DENTAL NURSES' BALL. This function was recently held at the Tasman Hotel, when a good muster of Dental Nurses and their friends enjoyed one of their most successful dances. Here, in these candid by Henry McGee are some of those who attended.

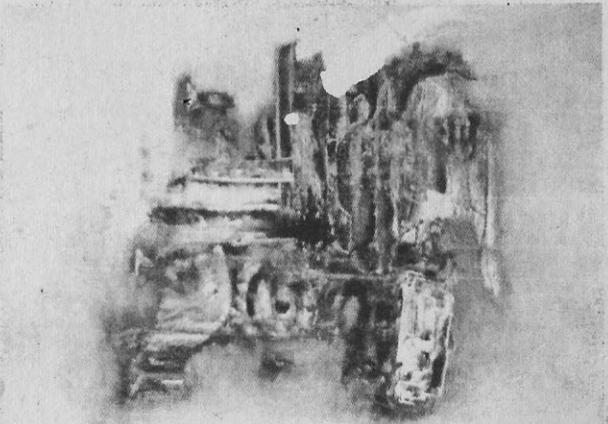
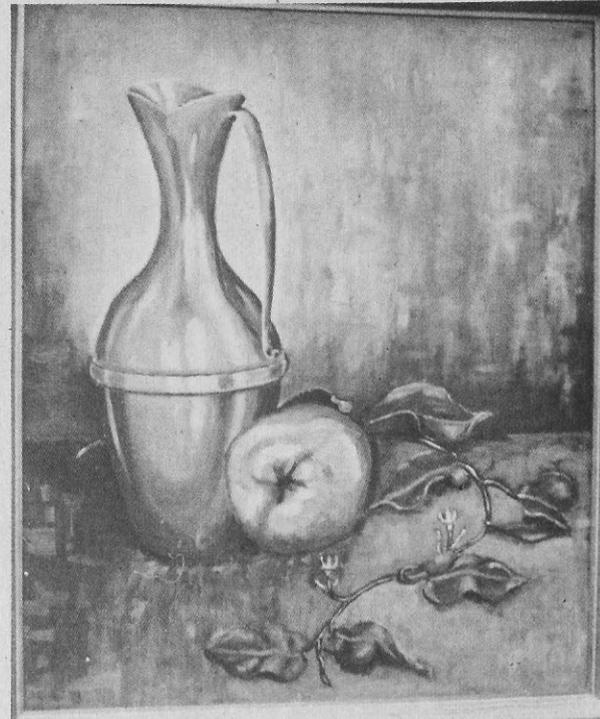


CELEBRATIONS

Above, left: FOUR GENERATIONS. Standing at back is father Gary Young, seated is great-grandmother Mrs W. J. Yearbury, NP, and grandmother Mrs G. F. Young, Huirangi. The babe is Michael Young. (VOGUE). **Above, centre:** 21st BIRTHDAY. Kevin Prestidge, son of Mrs E. S. P. Cullinan, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL). **Above, right:**

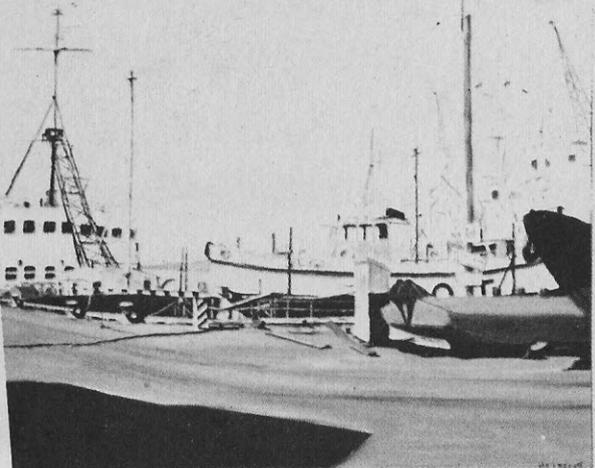
John, son of Mr and Mrs A. W. Moody, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL). **Far, left:** Mrs Ethel James, Opunake, who recently celebrated her 80th birthday. **Below, centre:** Celebrating her 21st birthday in London is Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs G. H. Sharp, NP. **Below:** Anthony, son of Mr and Mrs V. J. Walsh, NP, who recently attained his majority.





Art Exhibition

We had a look at the recent art exhibition of local painters held at the museum, and were impressed with what we saw, though we must comment here that there were some very good paintings ruined with cheap framing. Most of the works had price tags, some reasonable, while others were a bit on the high side. Above: The Flax Weaver by Lois Connell, 40 dollars. Below: Port Taranaki by J. Leggett, 21 dollars. Above, right: Mother and Child, by R.E. Smithers, 14 dollars. Right: Cliffs, Tongaparutu, by Colyn Nicholls, 50 dollars. Below, right: Still Life by Mrs D.DeAbaitua, 21 dollars.



Here are some more works from the recent exhibition by Taranaki artists at the museum. Above: Still Life by Barbara Belcher priced at 8 dollars, one of the cheapest on show. Below: Copper Bowl by Noelene Robinson, 18 dollars. Above, right: Still Life--Autumn Colours by M.F. Bond and priced at 14 dollars. Right: Basket of Camellias by Mary Ashwell had a ticket of 24 dollars on it. Below, right: Rust and Mind by Dorothy Sprattley had a price tag of 20 dollars.

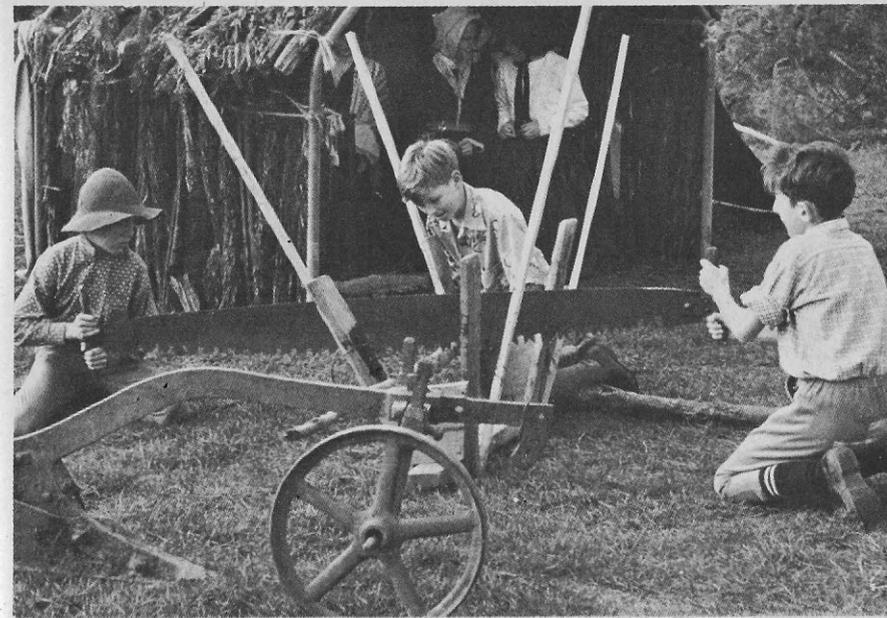
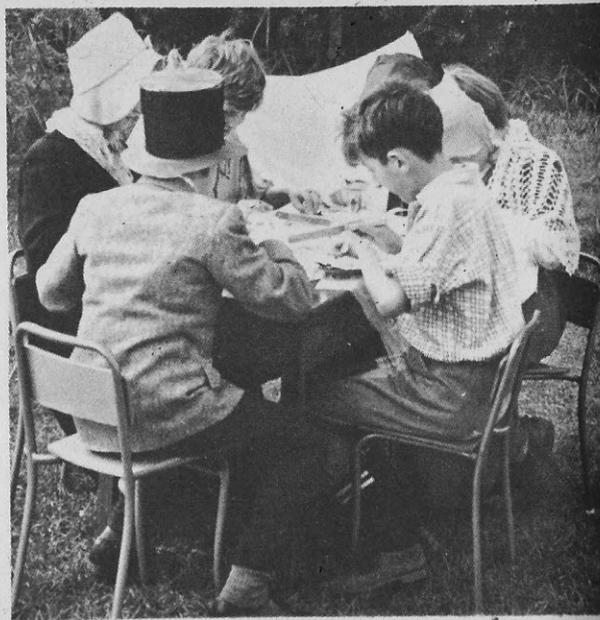




Early Settlers

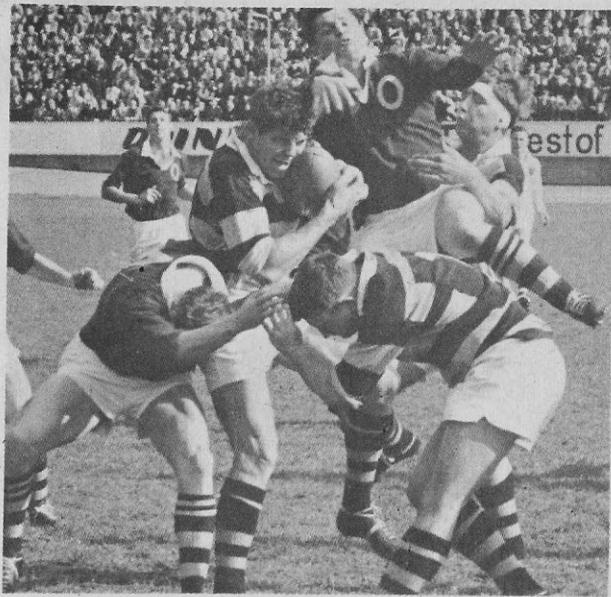
Merrilands School Style

The Standard 4 project at Merrilands school was the studying of pioneering in New Plymouth. Not only did the kids learn a lot from this project, but they enjoyed doing it, with acting of the arrival of the early settlers and the setting up of homes. **Above:** On board ship, and the cry goes up, "Land Ho" with Nigel Raynore, Dennis Batty, Virginia Adams, Karen Erikson, Dale Cosford, Malcolm Smith, Andrew Fox and Christopher Grange. **Right:** The first meal was taken without a roof over their heads. **Below:** Carrying the first passenger, Virginia Adams, ashore is Dennis Batty. **Below, right:** Man overboard episode was faithfully acted.



Above: Cutting forest timber to make their first homes are the young "settlers" of Standard 4 of Merrilands school. The saw might have been a bit too large for them, but the demonstration was a good one. Shown are Bruce Sutton, Malcolm Smith and Andrew Fox. **Right:** Lawn-mowing the old-fashioned way with a scythe was Robert England, shown here in his demonstration of clearing the bush. **Below, left:** Here's a group of happy boys and girls who had the fun of dressing up for their project. **Below, right:** Trevor Richardson with one of the very early phonographs. Goodness knows where the children had got their props for this demonstration, but they certainly managed to scrounge some authentic ones.





Last-Minute Try Beats Otago

Big thrill on the park recently when Taranaki with one or two changes met and defeated Otago by the slimmest of margins, 12-11. It was a last minute try by Murray Wills which gave the home team the winning points. Above: Alan Smith was awarded a fair catch for this one. Below: Winger Curry was in the thick of it for most of the game. Above, right: Two pair of shorts were needed at the same time. Right: Smith again, this time bringing down the flying Otago winger. Below, right: Murray Wills, with Curry in support, stifles this run.



WOODLEIGH SCHOOL FANCY DRESS

There's nothing more certain than that the Queen's Hall is getting too small for this annual function of the Woodleigh school. Talk about a population explosion! But one thing that is good about this crowd, is that the parents are interested in what their children are doing. There seemed to be as many parents as children at the show. Above: Here are the senior pupils in their march, and you can easily see what we mean about crowding. Below, left: Costumes are getting nearer to space age each year. Below, right: But the girls still retain their charm and prettiness as they dance for their parents.





MARRIED

Left: HERMON-SCOTT.
At St. Paul's Catholic Church, Spotswood, Jeanette, only daughter of Mr and Mrs J.E.Scott, NP, to John, eldest son of Mr and Mrs T. Hermon, Holland. The bridesmaid was Glenyss Philpott, NP, and the best man was Harry Nauss, Egmont Village. Future home, NP.

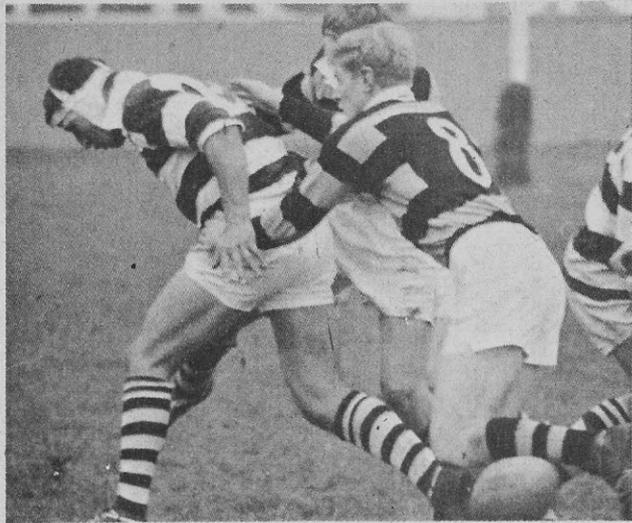
Below: CHARD-WALLIS.
At St. Aidan's Anglican Church, Okaiawa, Raewyn, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs R.A.Wallis, Okaiawa, to Brian, only son of Mr and Mrs M.B.Chard, NP. The bridesmaids were Janette McEwan, Hawera, and Beverley Chard, sister of the groom, NP. The best man was Murray Lilley, Warea, and the groomsmen were John Barribal, Wellington. The flower-girls were Glenda Wallis and Clare Richardson. Future home, Inglewood (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)



FOR SERVICES RENDERED

-And wonderful services they were too. It was a festive evening at the St. John Ambulance Rooms recently when two of the association's stalwarts were honoured for their services to the brigade. Between them, they had 58 years of service to the public. First of the recipients, **above**, Mrs Esther Williamson, a member for 31 years, and superintendent for 26, has a record of which she can be justly proud. Also honoured was her husband, Arthur Williamson, who had devoted much of his time and effort towards helping the SJA. Making the presentation is Mrs McAuliffe. **Above, right:** Second of these recipients was Superintendent Basil Wood, who was more interested in the photographer than anything, while John Ryan makes a presentation to his wife. Basil has been in the SJA for 27 years, fifteen of them as superintendent. **Right:** Basil was presented with a fine new SJA blazer, with which he had to be helped. **Below, right:** Mr and Mrs A. Williamson admire Basil's fine new blazer.





TARANAKI SWAMPED AUCKLAND

We're going to make a forecast...the shield will be back in Taranaki this year if the boys play as well as they did in their games against Auckland and Bay of Plenty. They were right back to shield form, with the forwards going great guns. Pictures on this page are from the Auckland game. Above: Trevor Jenkins collars his man, Below: Smith, Eliason and Muller were a formidable combination. Above, right: Clarke scores a try from a kick by Neil Wolfe. Right: And down came the Auckland half back. Below, right: John Major missed, but Ward comes in to tackle.



CERTIFICATES FOR CIVIL DEFENCE VOLUNTEERS

With a year's training behind them, and another two years in front, it makes one realise just what the civic-minded people of Civil Defence are giving to the community at large. An outstanding example of their usefulness was the recent emergency at Hawera, where these trained personnel did a remarkable job for the town. Shown here are the CD police, who recently attended a presentation of first aid certificates. Above: Inspector Anderson made the presentations to Miss Janice Goodall, above, right: to Paul Mendes da Costa; below, left: to Ian Rodgers and below, right: to John Priest. Bottom: These are the Area Commanders of the city and surrounding districts who will have responsible tasks in cases of emergency.





Spotswood Scout and Cub Pack Fourth Birthday

Looks as though the Scout movement in the Spotswood area is in a very healthy state right now, with a roll of well over forty boys. Nothing pleases us more than to see large numbers of young chaps in organisations like this. They usually make the best type of citizen as they mature. The fourth birthday party of the troop was recently held in the Ngamotu Domain Hall, when Scout and Cub officials honoured them with their presence. Above: District Cub Commissioner Mrs Coleman cuts the birthday cake watched by the Spotswood Group Scoutmaster Mr B. Bowdry. Pictured at right are groups of Cubs who soon cleared the tables....now we know why they are called Wolf Cubs. Below: The Scouts weren't far behind when it came to clearing the tables of the good things provided by the parents.




Wedding Bells

Left: GLOVER-KNAPMAN. At the Ratana Church, Opunake, Peggy Knapman, sister of Mrs E. Tantrum, Hawera, to Brian Glover, eldest son of Mr and Mrs F. Daunt, Hawera. The matron of honour was Maureen Smith, Porirua, and the best man was Charles Smith, Porirua. Future home, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)

Below: HUMPHRIES-SALT. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, NP, Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Salt, NP, to Allan, son of Mr and Mrs C. W. Humphries, Bell Block. The bridesmaids were Janice Putt, NP, and Janice Salt, sister of the bride, NP. The best man was Allan Ballantyne, NP, and the groomsmen was Brian Hill, NP. Future home, NP.





The Bride of the Year

Fabulous is the only word to describe the annual and now very popular Bride of the Year show organised by the NP Soroptomist club. The producer, Erica Lagore, had done a wonderful job and provided a spectacle second to none. Above: Here brides and maids parade before the audience at the YMCA stadium, an excellent venue for such a show. Below: 2XP's John McCormick, backed by a very efficient trio, sings to the capacity audience. Above, middle: Third place-getter Lynette Rowe receives congratulations from Mrs Allen, president of the Soroptomist club. Above, far right: Winner of the bridesmaids' section was Barbara Burd. Right: Winner Donna Crow with the victory smile. Below, centre: Second placegetter was Molly Nagel. Bottom, right: Counting the votes was a tough job.

