

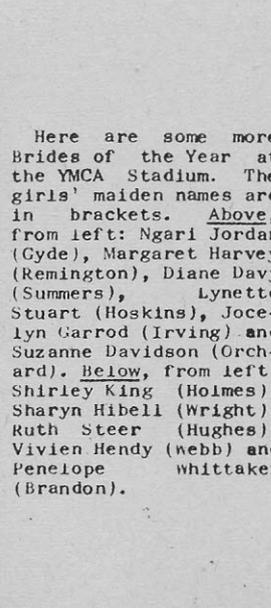


Left: Bride of the Year, 1967, is Donna Crow, nee Wade. Shown here, Donna has a charming smile for our photographer. Other entrants were, above, from left: Lynne Legge, Jeanne Emmett and Marice McGrath. Below, right: Alison Riley, and, far right, Ann Kalin.



**AN APOLOGY.**

During the evening and in the process of photographing these lovely brides, our flash played a few tricks and we didn't get the pictures of Denise Cottam, Lorraine Chard, Pamela Decke and Jean Pierce.



Here are some more Brides of the Year at the YMCA Stadium. The girls' maiden names are in brackets. Above, from left: Ngari Jordan (Cyde), Margaret Harvey (Remington), Diane Davy (Summers), Lynette Stuart (Hoskins), Jocelyn Garrod (Irving) and Suzanne Davidson (Orchard). Below, from left: Shirley King (Holmes), Sharyn Hibell (Wright), Ruth Steer (Hughes), Vivien Hendy (Webb) and Penelope Whittaker (Brandon).



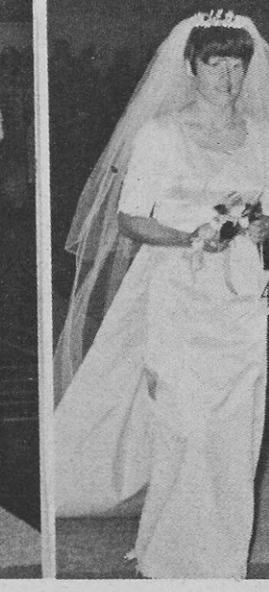
More brides of the year. Above, from left: June Butt (White), Beth Martin (Wellington), Adrienne Gorrie (Moles), Kaewyn Roberts (Budden), Carol Stevenson (Balsom), and Lynette Wood (Broadmore). Below, from left: Gaye Julian (Sutherland), Myra Tavior (Maindonald), Margarethe Blackmore (Hansen), Alison Sowman (Tilly) and Janine Honeyfield (Pool).



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And yet more brides of the year. Above, from left: Gail Wright (Pepperell), Elaine Hodge (Green), Cassie Dunick (Boyle), Annette Rowe (Lock), Bronwyn Denne (Jones), and Josephine Ludeman (Mason). Below, from left: Lindy Dobson (Berry), Lynette Wilms-hurst (Eva), Jennifer Langman (MacRae), Diane Climo (Turner) and Janice Soffe (Sole).





Here are the last of the fifty brides who entered for the Bride of the Year competition at the YMCA Stadium. Above, from left: Raewyn Robinson (Barnett), Valerie Walker (McLeod), Ellen Ansley (Bruning) and Joan Sargent (Watson). Below: Winner of the contest, Donna Crow, and her husband walk arm in arm down the centre carpet. Right: One of the best items on this fabulous night was the Mini-Minstrels organised by George Ryan, a well-drilled group if ever we heard one. Below, right: Waiting their turn at the back of the stadium were the junior gymnast girls of the YMCA.



## REPRESENTING TARANAKI

About forty-six young people recently received their first aid certificates at a social evening at the SJA Rooms. This augurs well for the future of the brigade, but they are still in desperate need of more recruits, so if you have any children just itching to do service for the public, send them along to the SJA where they will learn something useful, besides being fitted out with valuable knowledge which will serve them in good stead for the future. Above: The boys' team demonstrated the removal of an injured person. The boys were Kevin Wipiti, Graham Wild, Ray McLeod and Des Cameron. Below: Association secretary Mr E.W. Frank presents a certificate to Linda Williams. Above, right: These girls represented Taranaki in the recent NZ championship events. They are Lesley Spence, Pauline Loader, Roseanne Avenell and Rosalind Fitzpatrick. Below, right: Parents were interested in the work of the girls.

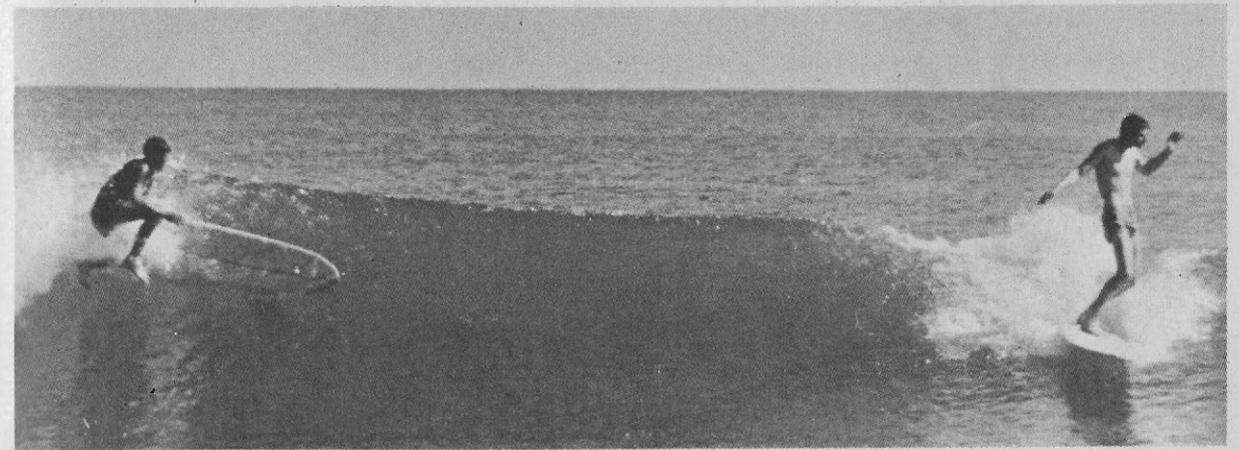




*Married*

Above: JOHNSON-BELCHER. At the whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Lynne, only daughter of Mr and Mrs R.K. Belcher, NP, to Allan, only son of Mr and Mrs E. Johnson, Wellington. The bridesmaids were Nancy Dixon, NP, and Robyn Benton, NP. The best man was Peter Fox, NP, and the groomsmen was Nigel McNeil, NP. Future home, Blenheim.

Below: BRUCE-KENDALL. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Irene Joy, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs E.C. Kendall, NP, to Stephen Ross, second son of Mr and Mrs B.S. Bruce, Bell Block. The matron of honour was Barbara Hills, sister of the bride, Kapuni, and the bridesmaid was Oia Roiston, NP. The best man was Rowan Bruce, brother of the groom, Hawera, and the groomsmen was Peter Crawford, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.



## WINTER SURFING

Cripes! Fancy this for a winter sport. We thought we were tough in doing 18 holes at golf, but to slide down those cold, uninviting waves takes a bit of doing. Must be a good thing to have cold blood for this sort of sport. The winter water even LOOKS darned cold to us.

Above: One rider gets in safe, but the one on the left is due for a ducking. Below, left: Beats us how you can come in backwards, girlie! Right: Surfie comes in when the Fitzroy surf canoe goes out for a bit of training. Bottom: Here's a chap who only got his feet wet!





*Engaged*

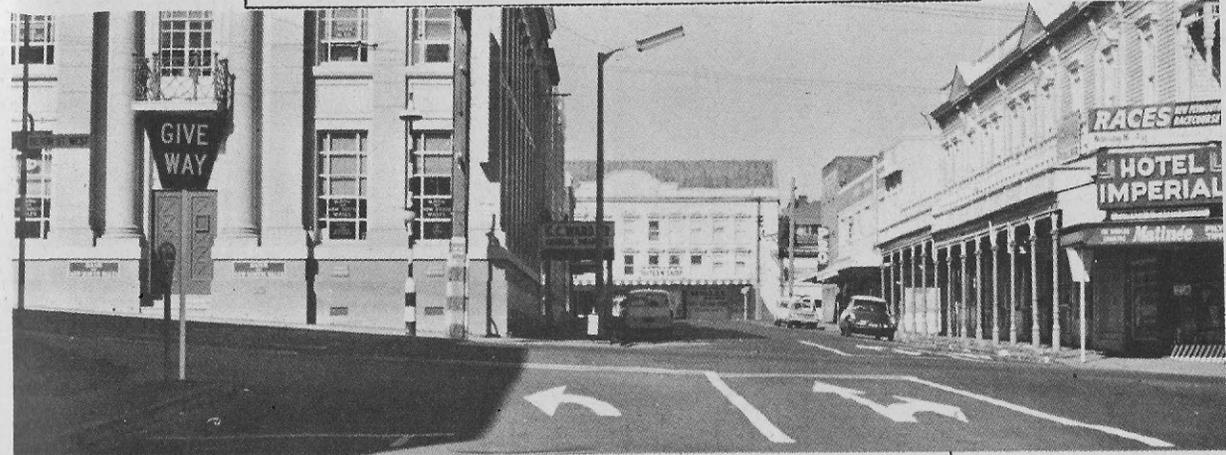
Above, left: MILLER-TWINING. Pamela Jean, only daughter of Mr and Mrs B. Twining, Hertfordshire, England, to Ross Shepley, only son of Mr and Mrs F. W. Miller, Hawera.

Left: RILEY-STITES. Jacqueline Marion, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs T. W. Stites, Auckland, to Ross James, third son of Mr and Mrs W. S. Riley, New Plymouth.

Below, left: SHEARER-NEWTON. Kay Margaret, only daughter of Mrs L. M. Newton, Brisbane, and the late Mr H. W. Newton, to Warwick Gilbert, the youngest son of Mr and Mrs F. J. Shearer, Oakura.

Above: WISHNOWSKY-MARSHALL. Edna, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs E. G. Marshall, Oeo, to Stanley, only son of Mr and Mrs M. H. Wishnowsky, Lower Hutt. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: LOWEN-BIGNAL. Thelma Marjorie, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. P. Bignal, NP, to John Francis, only son of Mr and Mrs M. W. J. Lowen, Otago.



Noticed any additions to the traffic signs within the city lately? There are plenty, and not before time!

We've been advocating for some time now for the erection of Give Way or Stop signs on ALL crossings. This, we feel sure, will cut down the number of accidents in the city, many which need never happen because people get confused over the right-hand rule, a very loose, yet complicated piece of legislation.

Experience in the past has shown that these signs can help to cut down the accident rate. For example, take the Powderham Street and Morley Street cross-road. In the past, there have been numerous accidents on this crossing, but since the erection of signs, there has not been one accident. We're prepared to wager that now that these signs are erected, the number of accidents within the city will decrease.

Most of the streets crossing Devon Street have now been signed, but not Brougham Street. WHY? Surely this crossing is just as dangerous as any other on Devon Street.

Of course, the time has come when traffic lights will have to be placed on Brougham and Gover Street crossings...ever seen the hold-up of cars in the main street at 5 o'clock? It's getting to the stage now where the transport men on point duty just can't handle the volume, with cars and trucks coming at them in a never ending stream.

## Traffic Signs Were Long Overdue

The city has a pretty clean record in many other directions, but if the traffic volume keeps on increasing as it is, then we'll have a record that will do the city no good.

There's an ever-increasing number of cars coming onto our roads, which will demand more and more road space, plus more parking space. The trend is for industry to go out of the city. Good thing too, but what will happen to the city retailers if driving becomes such a nightmare?

The crossing of Devon and Currie Streets with the new Give Way sign should help a bit, but perhaps not as much as the sign below, on the crossing of Gover and Gill Streets.

So Mr Motorist, beware! There's a lot of signs around the city which are new, and if you keep your eyes open, then the accident rate will surely diminish.





#### CAUSE OF HAWERA'S EMERGENCY

Above: After days of heavy rain, the Waingongoro River rose something like 15 feet in no time at all, and brought down tons of debris and timber from the back country, which eventually caused the collapse of the 66-year-old bridge carrying the water mains into Hawera and the Ohawe beach settlement. This was the scene soon after the bridge collapsed.

#### NEW BRIDGE AT AWANUI STREET

Below: Now completed, the new road bridge in Awanui Street was recently opened by the Mayor, Mr A. G. Honnor. The bridge now links two suburbs of the city, i.e. Coronation Avenue and Mangorei Road. Watching the ceremony are children from Welbourn and Merrilands schools.





## HAWERA ROSE TO THE OCCASION

Normally, when a state of emergency is declared in a town, people run hither and thither and get nowhere at all. Not so with the residents of Hawera, who recently suffered a blow of fate when their main water pipe was broken and the residents were without water for a number of days. This picture shows the unruffled appearance of some of the population, as they calmly wait their turn to collect water.

# Social Candid's

BY HENRY MCGEE

NEW PLYMOUTH OLD BOYS' THIRDS SOCIAL. The NPOB thirds recently entertained their parents to a social evening. We think this a good way to hold a social gathering where the boys mixed freely with their own and other parents. Good idea, and the enjoyment is shown on the faces of both boys and parents.



## TEENAGE PHOTO CONTEST

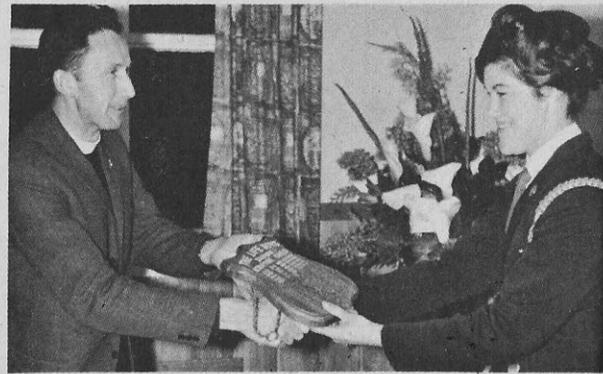
A recent very successful teenage photo contest was conducted by the Stratford kindy, with the result that they are now nearer, by over \$1500, to their building target. The event was finalised with a cabaret at the Old Folks' Hall, and believe it or not, there were about four young lasses for every young man in the hall, a state of affairs not very often seen these days. Above, left: These are the finalists of the contest and include Hazel Mattock, Joy Leatham, Carol Smith, Janice Shute, Raewyn Aspinall, Gail Nesbitt and Judith Hasler. Above, eventual winner of the contest being presented with her prize of 100 dollars by Mrs Rita Moss, the patroness, is Gail Nesbitt. Below: Second prize went to Janice Shute. Below, left: Mrs Joy Kendrick, secretary of the contest, presents Mrs Moss with a bouquet.





## LIFE BOYS' ANNUAL DINNER

The annual dinner for the 5th NP Life Boys and church elders recently took place at the hall at St. Margaret's. It was a happy evening for the boys, who were obviously putting on their best behaviour. **Above:** Rev W. C. A. Kitton presents the best behaviour. **Above right:** Leader of the team, Cathie Moore cup for the Boy of the Team, to Gregory Oliver. **Above right:** Leader of the team, Mrs D. Reid, receives the scripture shield for the fourth year in succession from the Rev. A. Hight. **Right:** Gregory Oliver got another cup, this one, the Best behaved Boy cup, from Mrs M. Thomas, the area supervisor. **Below:** Smiles for our camera, with food on the table.



## Married

**Above:** WICKS-WOOD. Married at the Holy Cross Church, Basildon, Essex, England, Shirley Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs W. J. Wood, New Plymouth to Leonard Wicks, Basildon, Essex, England. The bridesmaids were Lyn McLachlan and Cheryl Whiting, New Plymouth. Best man was Terry Cripps. Their home is now in Sydney, Australia.

**Below:** BELLAMY-DOWELL. At the Holy Trinity Church, Stratford, Janice May, eldest daughter of Mrs L. E. Dowell, Stratford, to Rion Samuel, only son of Mr and Mrs G. Bellamy, Stratford. The bridesmaids were Anne Moore, Stratford, Fay Dowell, sister of the bride, Stratford. Best man was Len Pretty, Midhurst and the groomsman was Edward Lanceley, Midhurst. The flower-girl was Sharron Dowell, sister of the bride, Stratford. Future home, Toko.





## AROUND AND ABOUT

**Above:** FOUR GENERATIONS. And don't they look alike? Mother, Mrs Shela Barrett stands at back, great-grandmother at left is Mrs E. Walker, and at right is grandmother Mrs E. Patrick with granddaughter Karen Barrett.

**Below:** Championship trophies for the senior Taranaki women's hockey were recently presented by Mrs S. MacRae, Waitara, president of the T.W.H.A. At left, Jan Velvin receives the championship shield, on behalf of her team, NP Combined, while, at right, Barbara Todd of the Stratford Old Girls' Club receives the runners-up trophy.



## SENIOR CITIZEN

**Above:** How's this for a 90-year-old? It's true too--Mrs Elizabeth King, NP, recently celebrated her 90th birthday with a family party which filled the Kawaroa Bungalow. Elizabeth was born in this city and has lived here for the whole of her life.



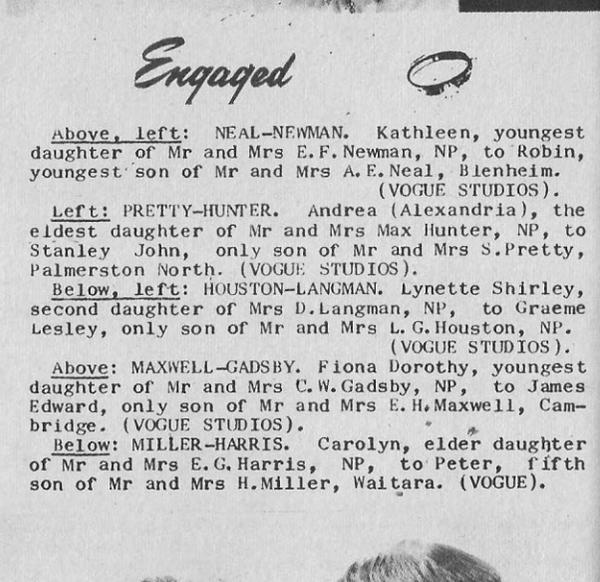
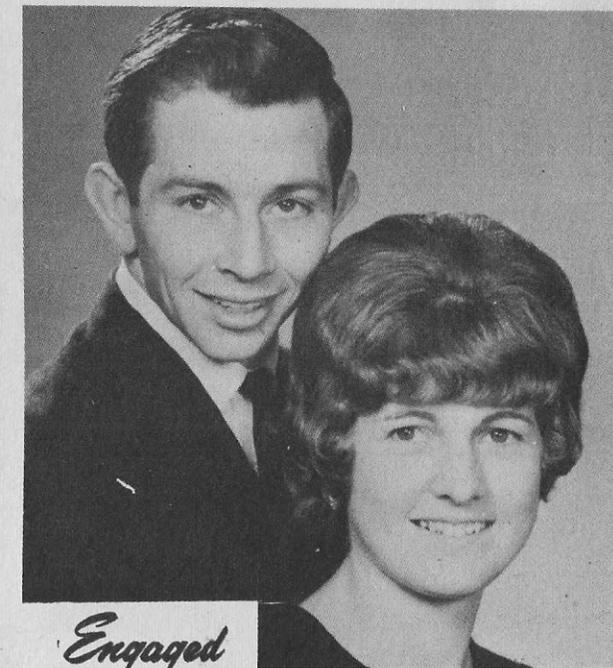
## SILVER AWARD TO N.P. GIRLS

These are the first girls in Taranaki to win the Duke of Edinburgh's Silver Award, and they were presented with their certificates at a function at the NP YWCA by the Mayor of NP, Mr A.G. Honnor. **Left:** Jocelyn Burkitt. **Centre:** Mr Honnor presents the certificate to Beatrice Wilkinshaw. **Right:** Smiling for our camera is Wendy Saggars. They all used their spare time to win these awards and are all of the same opinion, their goal now is the gold award...and good luck to you all!

## CAR SALES NOVELTY

Don't know how long this will last, or if the car dealers of this town are going bung, but someone came up with a new idea for NP. Anyone can take their car down to Moturoa on a Saturday morning and park it for a nominal charge, there to await a buyer. Don't know how many were sold, but there did seem to be a few good buys there. Wonder how long this will last?





*Engaged*

Above, left: COMBER-ROSS. Dulcie Katrina, the daughter of Mrs L.Ross, Hawera, and the late Mr J.Ross, to Patrick Sidney Mark, son of Mr and Mrs C.Comber, Hawera.

Above: JELLYMAN-LEIGH. Diane Emily, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs S.J.Leigh, Alton, to John Edward (Jock), younger son of Mr R.Jellyman, NP, and the late Mrs Jellyman.

MARRIED

Left: STOLPER-HORSFALL. At a private ceremony, Glenys, younger daughter of Mr L. Horsfall, NP, and the late Mrs Horsfall, to Claus, only son of Mr and Mrs J.F.C.Stolper, Amsterdam. The flower-girl was Heather Fisher, NP. Future home, Auckland. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

AMPUTEE TROPHY WINNERS

Below: Champion team of indoor bowlers representing the Civilian Amputees Association who won the Hinks trophy at Foxton recently. They are, from left, Alec Davies, Ray Marshall, Gordon Rowe and George Sandford (skip).



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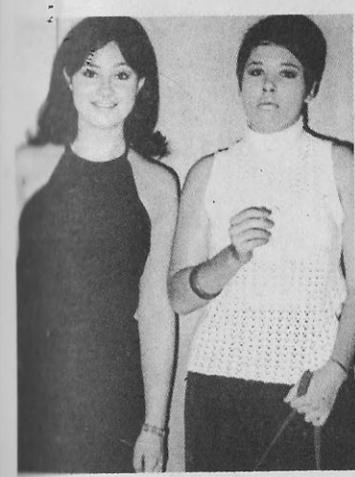
**COMBINED TARANAKI BANKS BALL.** The Star Gym was filled to capacity for this popular social event. They certainly spared nothing for the event—let's hope they didn't spend any of our overdraft! It was a great evening for staff from all the banks in the province, and enjoyed by both young and old alike.



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**COMBINED BANKS BALL.** Here are some more pictures taken of the merrymakers at the annual Banks Ball held at the Star Gym.





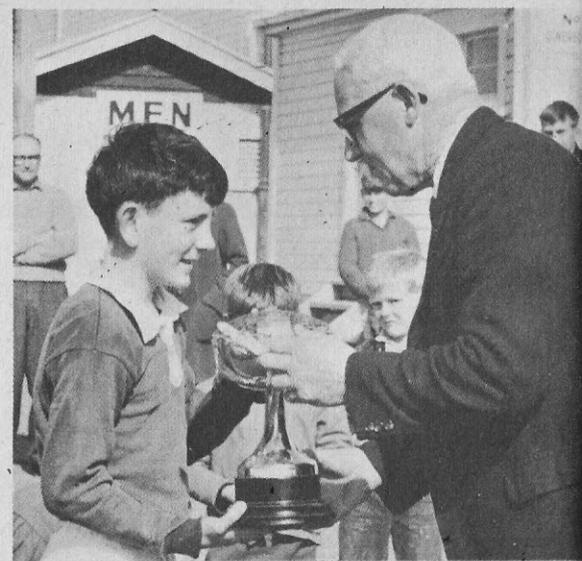
## MIDGET COMPETITION WINNERS

The midget tournament for the Claringbold cup was recently held at Rugby Park, when some very close games were witnessed. The lads from four clubs were battling as though for a place in the All Blacks.

Above: Here, the competitors stand at the presentation of prizes at the end of the tournament.

Right: The Claringbold cup, a magnificent trophy, was presented by Mark Comber to Ross Scrivener, captain of the Star team which won the event.

Below: Here's the victorious team, with their manager Charlie Tanner at left, and coach Laurie Scrivener on the right. Well done, boys!

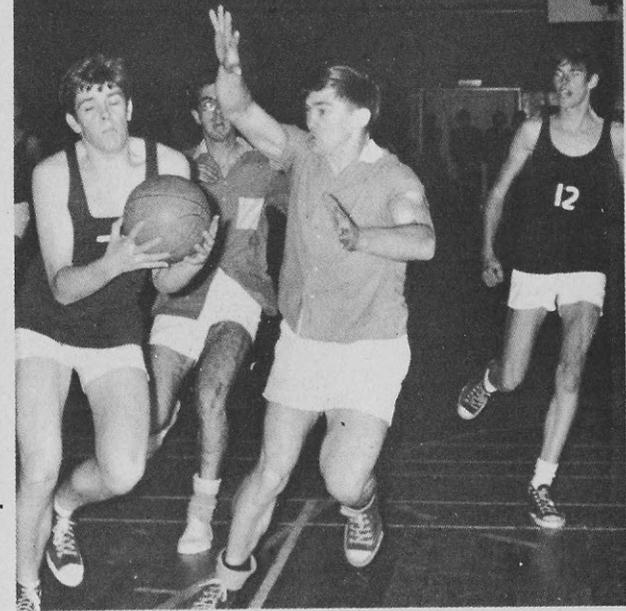
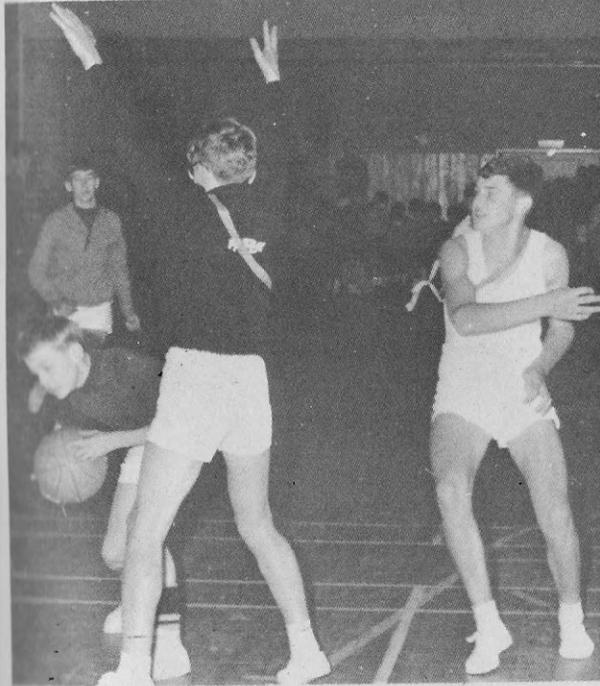


## Married

Above: MCNAB-IRESON. At St. Mary's Anglican Church, NP, Yvonne, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs H. Ireson, NP, to Ira Lawrence, younger son of Mr and Mrs A.D. McNab, Cheviot. The matron of honour was Bernice Powell, sister of the bride, NP, and the bridesmaid was Heather McNab, sister of the groom, Cheviot. The best man was Neil McNab, brother of the groom, Henderson, and the groomsmen were Ken Taylor, Cheviot. Future home, Cheviot.

Below: ALLENDE-VINCE. At the Knox Presbyterian Church, Eltham, Judith Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.W.H. Vince, Matapu, to William George, eldest son of Mr and Mrs E.W. Allenden, Stratford. The bridesmaids were Beverly Vince, Stratford, Helen Bailey, Matapu, and Christine Peters, Okaiawa. The best man was Brian Allenden, brother of the groom, Stratford, and the groomsmen were Brian Vince, brother of the bride, Matapu. The flower-girl was Susan Vince, sister of the bride. Matapu. Future home, Cardiff.

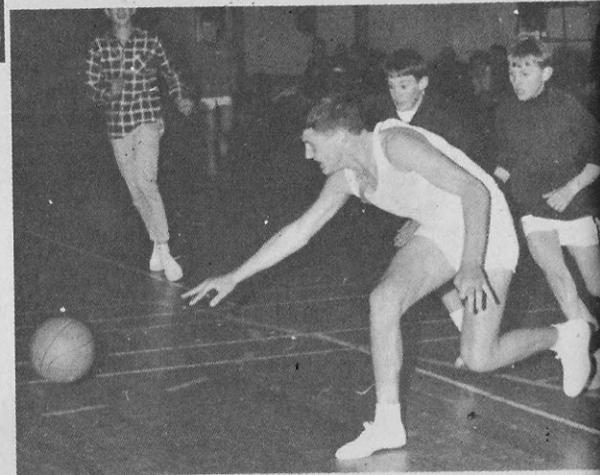




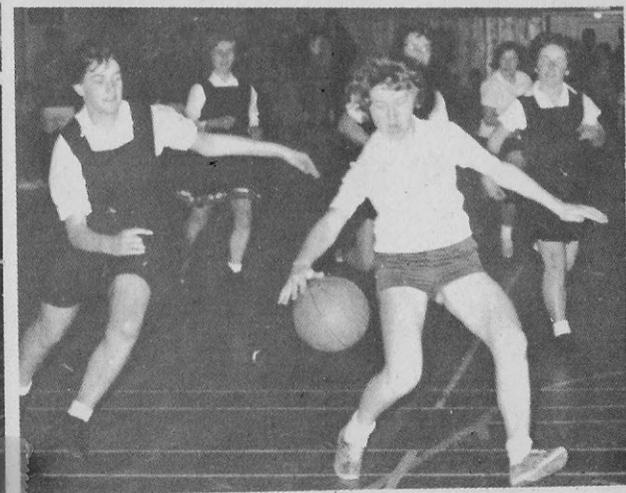
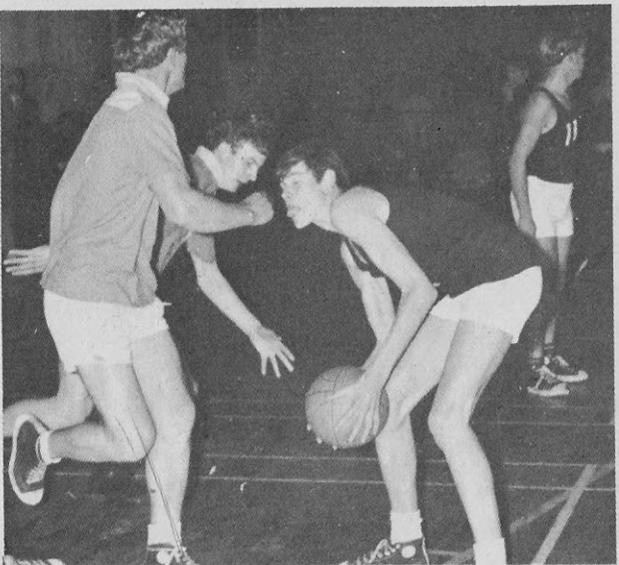
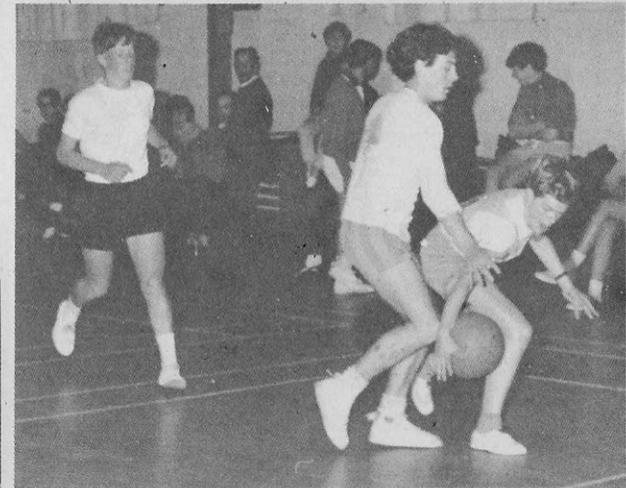
## PRESBYTERIAN BASKETBALLERS

The Waitara War Memorial Hall was filled recently for the annual Presbyterian Bible Class basketball competitions. Teams from all parts of Taranaki, from Patea to Waitara, competed in what has become a very popular tournament. Mind you, the players don't know much about the rules of the game, but they lacked nothing in spirit.

Above: Patea and Knox fought a great duel in the junior girls' division. Below: Now fancy that Knox, NP lad putting his tongue out at his Waitara opponent! Above, right: Waitara and Stratford had a similar battle in the senior ladies' competition. Right: Go, man, there's two opponents on your tail! Below, right: Much energy here in the junior girls' game, waitara v. Inglewood.

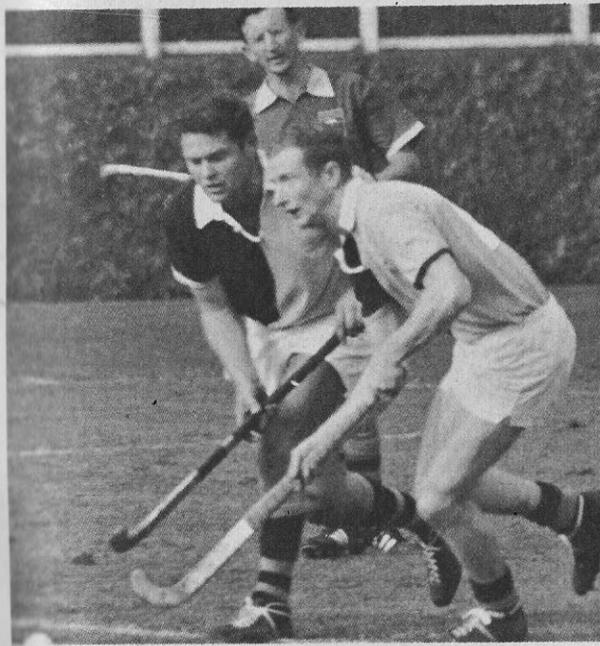
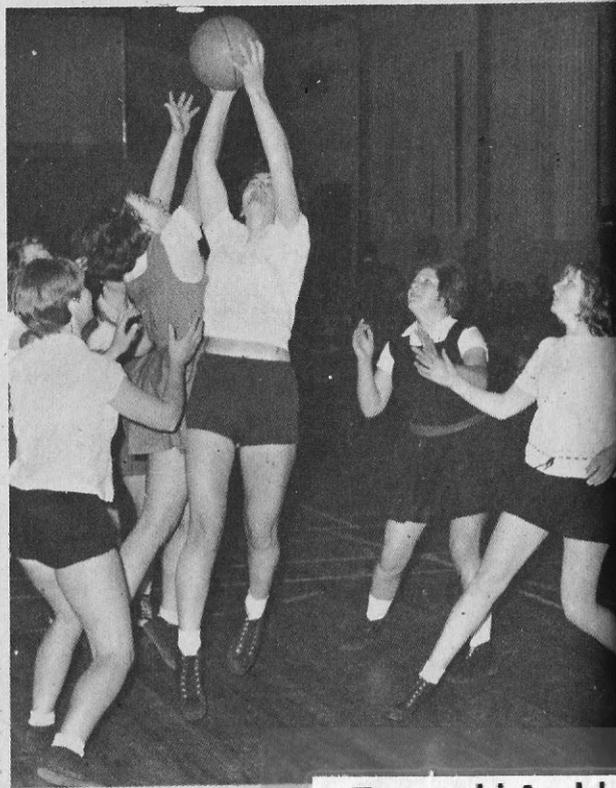


Above: Patea and Hawera juniors had a real hard tussle, the game going to extra time in the Presbyterian basketball competition. Below: One pair of eyes on the basket, and two pairs of eyes on the ball. Above, right: Senior men, Waitara v. Knox, NP, was a sterling battle before NP emerged the winners. Right: The boys of Waitara and Stratford do battle. Below, right: Just look at that girl go with the ball!



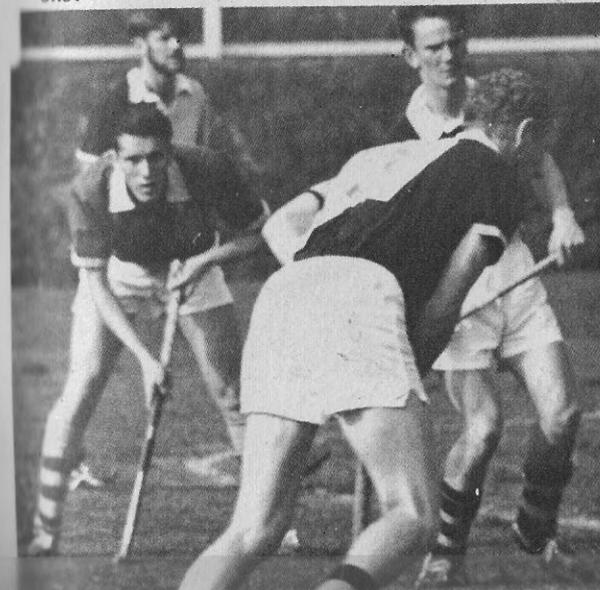


**Above:** No team at the Presbyterian Bible Class basketball competitions was without its supporters. When the seniors played, the juniors yelled and vice versa. **Left:** The Waitara-Inglewood battle was a great one. **Below, left:** There was a lot of reaching, but no ball. **Below:** Looks as though some of the girls were experts at the art of the game.



## TARANAKI UNLUCKY TO LOSE

The home province was very unlucky to lose its game against the touring Australian Hockey team when they recently met at Pukekura Park. It was a great game to watch, and it was only a slight misunderstanding which cost the home team two goals..so the winning margin of 4-2 could have been reduced had there been just that bit more cohesion. **Above:** John Budd and Alan Phillips go together. **Below:** Terry Holland waits for a pass from John Budd. **Above, right:** Terry Holland beats his opposition. **Right:** Aussie defender gets this one clear. **Below, right:** Ray Osman waits while goalie Max Sayer clears this one.





## AFTER THIS PERFORMANCE IS SHIELD HEADED HERE?

What a drubbing our lads gave the Bay of Plenty in the recent rep game! Our forward pack is, undoubtedly one of the best in the country, and worked on this occasion like a well-oiled bulldozer, successfully crushing the opposition. If this form is maintained, then the shield is on its way back to the province...nothing surer!

**Above:** It wasn't always like this in the game. When the Bay forwards managed to hold ours following a line-out, mostly our forwards broke through to upset the opponents' pattern of play.

**Right:** Murray Will's brings down the Bay half-back, while Ross Brown, playing in his 200th rep game, waits for the pass that could bring another 3 points with a drop goal.

**Bottom:** This was a very near try, as Irving runs with the ball. He passed to Clarke who was bowled out only a yard short of the line.



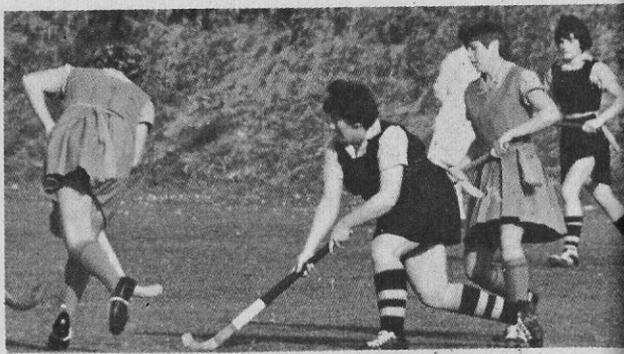
  
**Married**  
**Left: WRIGHT-FOUGERE.**  
 At St. David's Presbyterian Church, Westown, Constance Ruth, only daughter of Mr F. J. Fougere, NP, to Alan, son of Mr Clement Wright, Thames. The bridesmaid was Penny Wright, Tokoroa, and the best man was Brian Bell, Wellington. Future home, Haast.  
**Below: CRAWFORD-ANDERSON.** At St. Paul's Catholic Church, Spotswood, Gail, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs R. H. Anderson, NP, to Robert James, the elder son of Mr and Mrs J. Crawford, Tikorangi. The bridesmaids were Patty Flynn, NP, and Diane Anderson, sister of the bride, NP. Best man was John Anderson, brother of the bride, NP, and the groomsmen were Gary Crawford, brother of the groom, Tikorangi. The flower-girl was Carolyn Taylor, NP. Future home, Strathmore.





## SENIOR WOMEN v. WAIKATO

The seniors in their game against Waikato didn't fair much better than the juniors. They were beaten 8-2, but once again the score does not reflect the run of the game. Above: Dale Tubby and Dorothy Andrews against one Waikato player. Below: Dorothy Andrews eludes her opponent. Above, right: Chris Nixon fails to stop this forward rush. Right: Goalie Joy Cadman was a stout last line of defence, playing a sterling game in goal. Below, right: Joy is ready as Dale Tubby comes in to stop a goal.

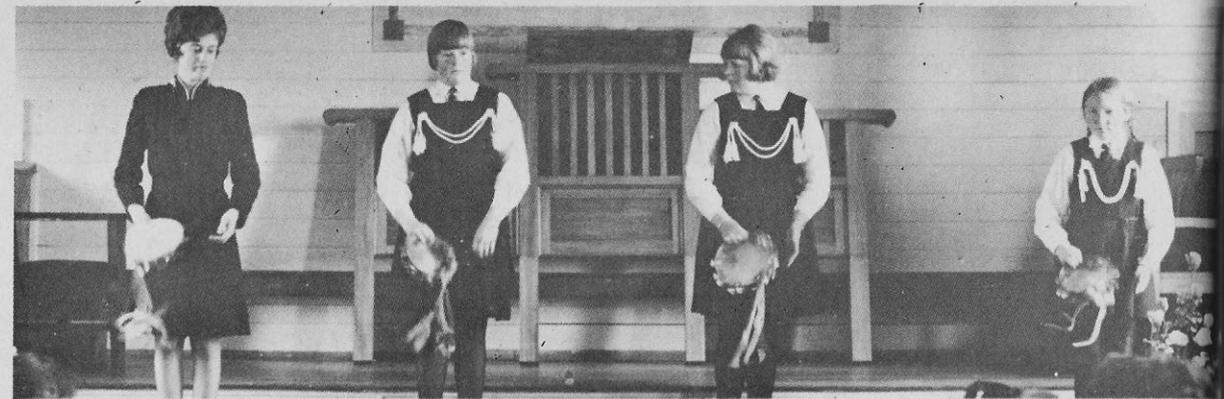


## ARBOR PLANTING AT WELBOURN SCHOOL

To mark Arbor Day at Welbourn school, flowering trees and shrubs were planted at the entrance, where they will provide a bright and colourful show for passers-by on the new motorway. The position was selected with this in mind and is worthy of praise on this account.

Top left: Headmaster Ken Bruce shows the school council how the job is to be done. Above: Mr Bruce addresses the school assembly prior to the planting. Each class, as shown in the remaining pictures, was responsible for the planting of a tree or shrub.

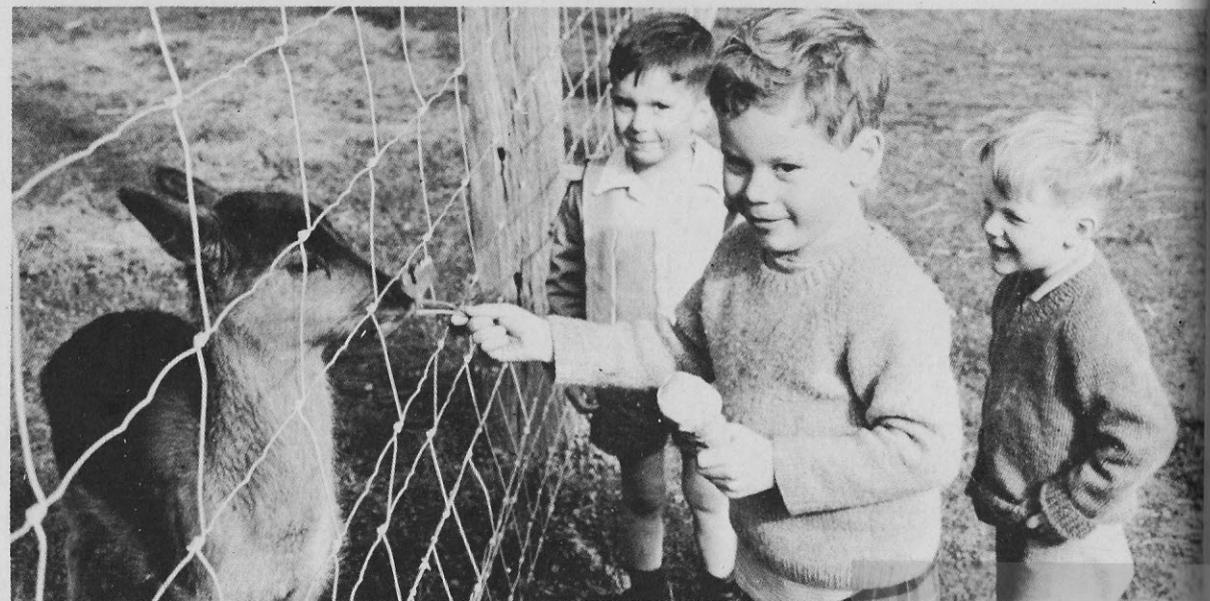




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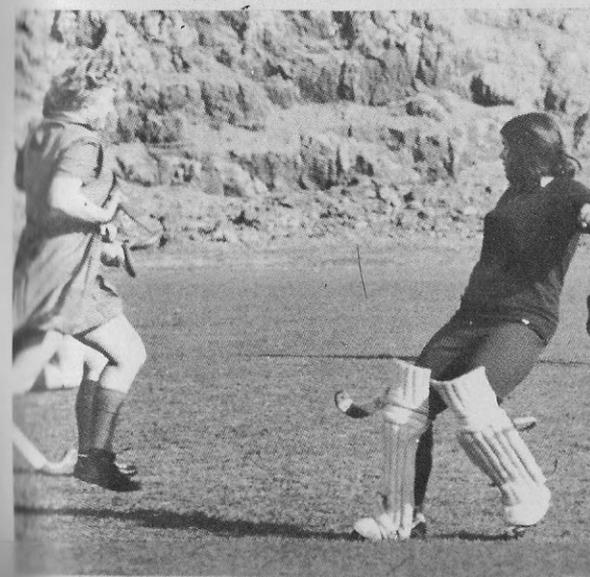
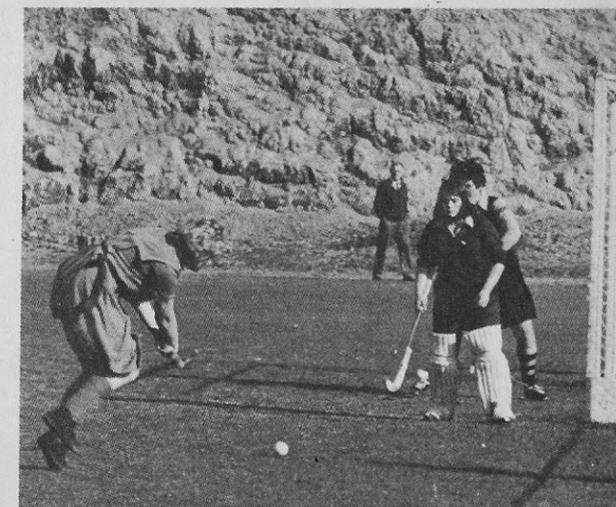
A Taranaki-wide talent quest, organised by the Salvation Army was recently held at Stratford. A large and appreciative crowd attended for this popular and highly successful day's activities. Top: The Waitara timbrel brigade was a credit to their instructor. Above: The Eltham Brigade concentrates hard on their playing.

Below: Children of parents who recently attended the NP City Council's Arbor Day planting at Brooklands Park took time out from their labours to feed the young deer in the park zoo. The boy's ice-cream was the main attraction for the deer, but the children had other ideas.



## Taranaki Juniors Played Fast Hockey

Though losing 6-1, the Taranaki junior women's hockey team played fast and dogged hockey against their more experienced opponents, Waikato. With a little more luck in the roll of the ball, the home side could have kept the margin down—it did seem that any luck that was going went to the visiting team. Above: Waikato winger centres the ball, with home players coming up just that bit too late. Below: Taranaki goalie C. Gower saved many more shots than she let past. Above, right: Ready for this one is C. Gower. Right: Only Taranaki player in view is Barbara Todd. Below, right: Goalie Gower displayed no fear in breaking up repeated attacks.





## Rangiatea Hostel Girls' Competitions

What an enjoyable evening it was at the Spotswood College hall for the annual competitions of the Rangiatea Girls' Hostel competitions. We don't know who trains these girls, but they certainly know how to sing, and, more important, they know the type of items to please. We feel sure that the judges, Mr and Mrs George Koea and Rev. L.Schroeder, had a hard time finding the eventual winner. We are equally sure that the large audience would have thoroughly enjoyed the programme. Above: Winners of the competitions was the Tainui house, led by D. Ropata. Right: The Tainui house choir performing their ballad. Below, left: Te Arawa house choir, leader P. Tahu. Below, right: Matatua House whose ballad, "Silence is Golden", brought plenty of applause.

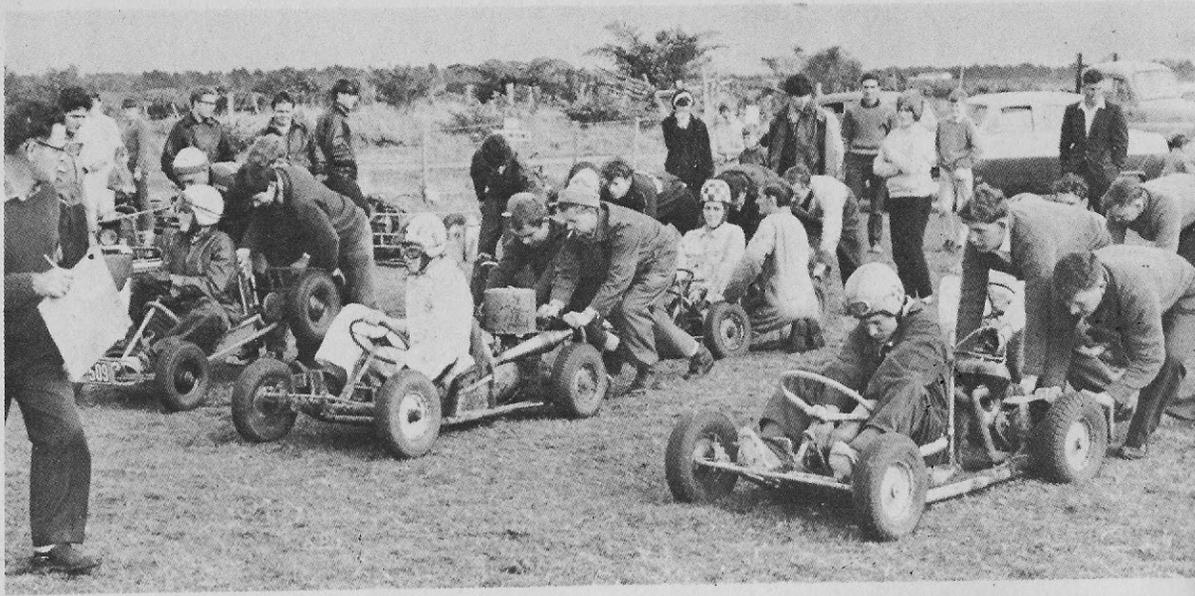


Above: Colourful is hardly a strong enough word to describe the costumes of the Island Girls at the Rangiatea Hostel. They recently performed at the competitions at the Spotswood College Hall, and rated the highest applause from the very large audience. Below, left: The Takitimu house action song team led by G. Te Huiia. Below, right: Aotea team performed well, but not quite well enough to win the competitions.

## Is This the Right Way?

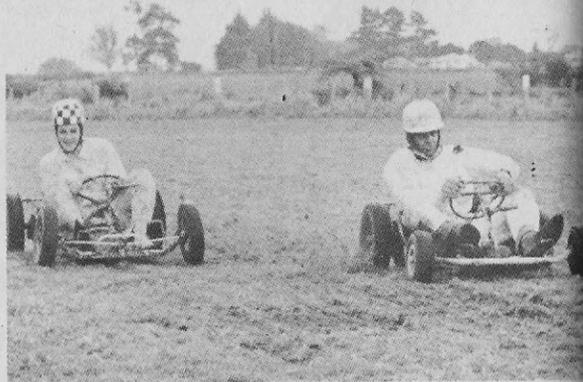
Below: Some dabster got loose with a pot of paint and a brush recently on the concrete wall in Devon street in front of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. We don't condone war in any form, but neither do we condone this type of stupid action. People who use these cloak and dagger methods of making their opinions known usually haven't the courage of their convictions.





## TEAM MATCH v. TAUMARUNUI

The N. Taranaki GO-Kart Club recently entertained a team of speedsters from Taumarunui in a match at the old airport at Bell Block. It was a good weekend with many karts taking part in a series of over thirty races. **Above:** Starter and busy official Doug Pascoe gets the karts under way for one of the races. **Left:** Mrs Pat Sutton, NP, had a particularly successful weekend. **Below:** Pat is flat stick here trying, but unsuccessfully, to beat Merv Kibby, **Bottom:** Some of these little whizzers were motoring at over 50 miles an hour.



### EVER BEEN FAR FROM HOME?

Have you ever lived in Alaska, Peru, or Borneo?  
London, New York, or Tallahassee?  
Sydney, Suva, or Cunnamulla?  
Wellington, Waimate or West Eyreton?

### YOU HAVEN'T?

Well, lots of people do, especially young people. They move away from the old home town and you find them all over New Zealand, all over the world.

And they have a common occupational hazard. Homesickness.

Here's a good cure.....send them "Photo News" each month. Then no matter where they are ..... hitchhiking across the Steppes or through the Black Forest, teaching in Folkestone or typing letters in Sydney, banking in Blenheim or timber-felling in Tokoroa, or being a good wife anywhere.....there will be a certain bright spot each month.

### The day "PHOTO NEWS" comes in the mail.

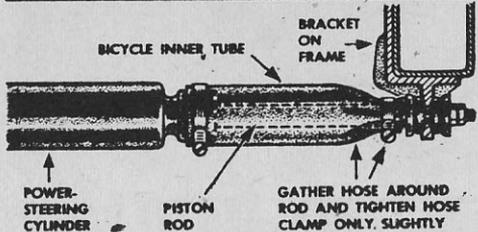
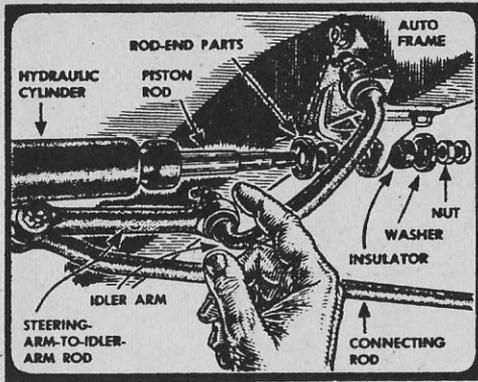
There's no doubt about this.....you should see the letters we get from far places.

Send your own copy, or buy an extra one, or give us the name and address and we will mail "Photo News" every month for a year postpaid to anywhere in the world for \$3.80.

You couldn't send anything nicer.

THE PICTURE SHOWS DON HATCHER OF WANGANUI READING PHOTO NEWS WITH HEAD-HUNTING TRIBESMEN IN THE WILDS OF NEW GUINEA.

# MOTORING WITH ROBBIE



EXPOSED power-steering pistons, found on some cars and trucks, pick up dirt and grit that ruin the hydraulic seal. You can stop this by covering the pistons with sleeves cut from a plastic bag or bicycle inner tube. Fasten the sleeves on with hose clamps.

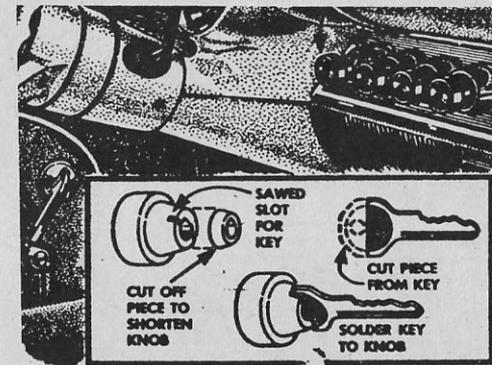


## HANDY HINTS

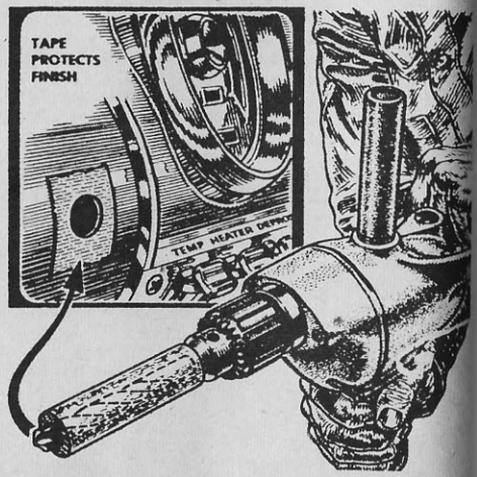
When draining the engine, gear box and differential oils, it is better to do so after the car has been for a run. Then the oil will be hot and will drain out completely.

YOU CAN quieten rattles in a spare wheel cover this way. Cut a slip around the inside diameter of an old bicycle inner tube and slip the tube over the rim of the cover. The cover will still fit over its opening—but snugly and quietly.

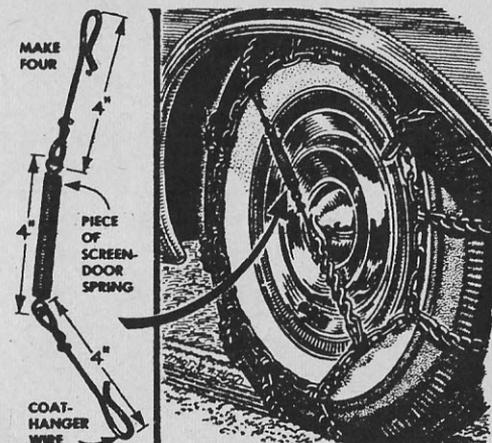
Spring breakages can be caused by shock absorbers not operating satisfactorily.



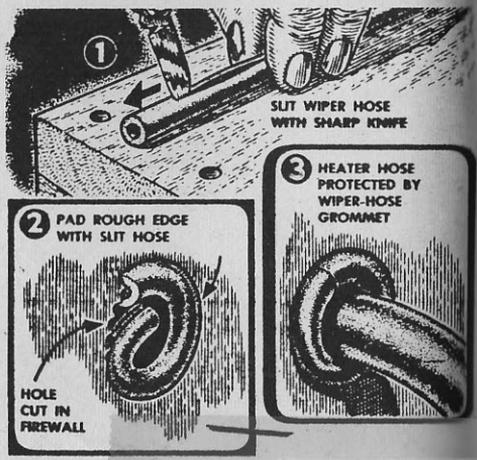
Left: A CAR THIEF would not think of starting your car by turning a knob on the dashboard. That's why you can leave this key in the ignition when making brief, frequent stops. Get a matching knob and solder the shank of a spare key to it. Remove for longer stops.



Right: WHEN making a hole in the dash or the fire-wall, avoid the danger of drilling into the wiring equipment by slipping a dowell over the drill bit to limit its penetration. Masking tape will keep the dowell end from chafing the finish.



Left: STOP those broken chains from clanking by carrying along a few of these spring clips. Cut 4" pieces from a screen door spring and bend hooks from coathanger wire. They are faster to use than repair links and they hold the chains under tension.



Right: A HEATER HOSE won't fray where it passes through the fire-wall if you make a grommet like this. Slit a length of windscreen wiper hose down the middle and slip the hose over the rough edges of the drilled-out hole in the fire-wall.

## Senior Citizen Sisters

This is the first photograph taken of these four sisters in fifty years--in fact it is the first time that they have all been gathered together for this length of time. And the occasion was the 80th birthday of Mrs Ethel James, third from left. They must be very busy women not to have met on other occasions as they are all Taranaki women. From left: Mrs Alice Berridge, Omata, aged 73, Mrs Minnie Lander, the senior member of the family, aged 82, and a citizen of NP, Mrs Ethel James, Opunake, a mere 80, and Mrs Nellie Sole, NP, the baby of the quartet at 73.

