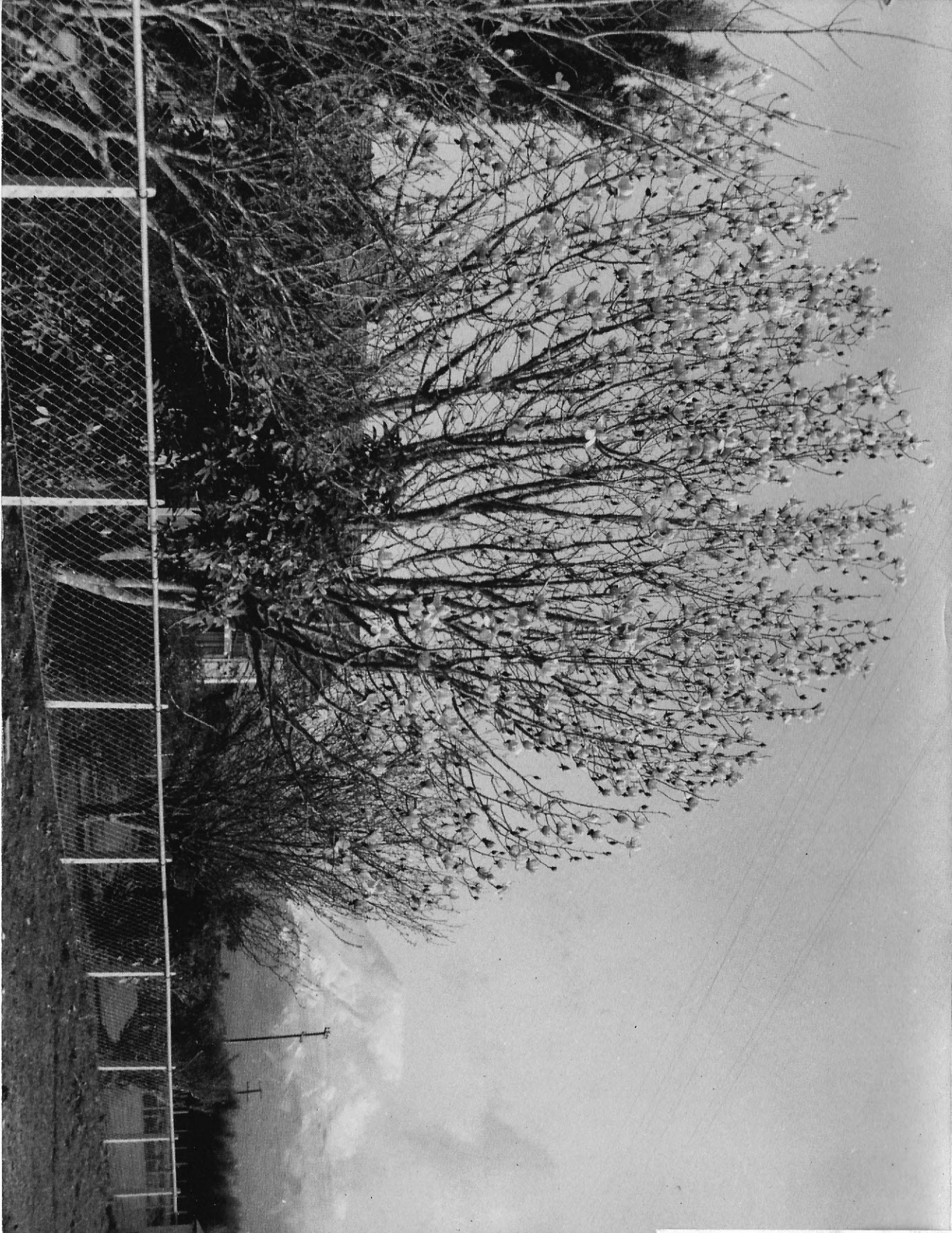


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**TARANAKI'S OWN PHOTO-MAGAZINE**

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## IT'S BACK AGAIN!

Yes, the Log of Wood is back again. And make no mistake about it, the boys thoroughly deserved to win the shield. The game at Athletic Park, Wellington, was one of the best seen there for many years. Our personal congratulations to Ross Brown and his team on a very fine achievement. Our picture on this page shows Ross jubilantly holding the Ranfurly shield aloft after the match, and Wellington Captain, Bill Williment, on the left.



## OUR COVER

We always think that children and animals make appealing pictures, and when the two are combined, so much nicer the picture. Here we have Ann St. George with one of the smallest lambs we have yet seen.

## BACK COVER

This magnolia tree, one of the best and earliest to bloom that we have seen, is in the grounds of the Norfolk Road School.

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## Coming of Age

Above, left: Valerie, shown here with her parents, Mr and Mrs Wenzlick, Awakino, on the occasion of her 21st birthday.

Below, left: Janet Thomson with Anne and Jill, her two sisters, on the occasion of her 21st birthday, which she recently celebrated.

Below, right: Cutting her 21st birthday cake is Lorna Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs D.R. Ross, Opunake.



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**New Catholic Church  
 Opened at Brooklands**



Another fine new church was opened recently in Brooklands Road, New Plymouth. This very modern and large church was dedicated by Archbishop McKeefry, and to witness this ceremony hundreds of local Catholics turned up. The building has been hastened in its completion by the hundreds of voluntary man-hours put into the work around the place.

Above: Foundation stone laid in 1962, and the building completed in 1963.

Above, right: Archbishop McKeefry walks from the Presbytery to the dedication service.

Below: Interior view gives an impression of simplicity and serenity.



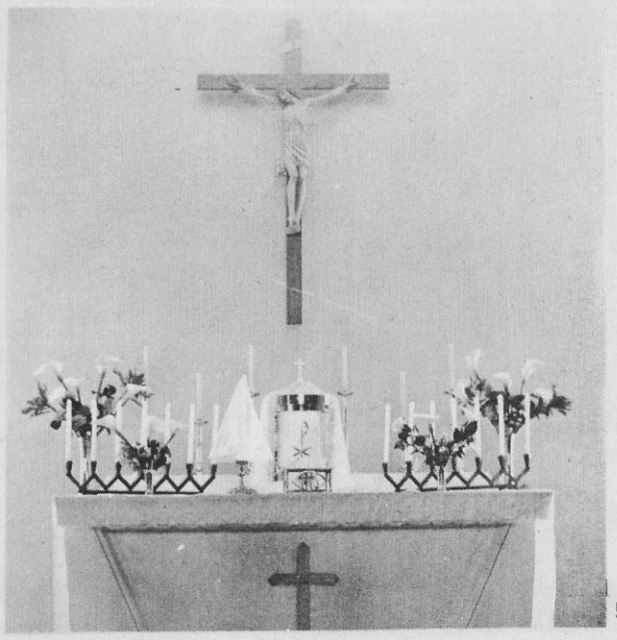
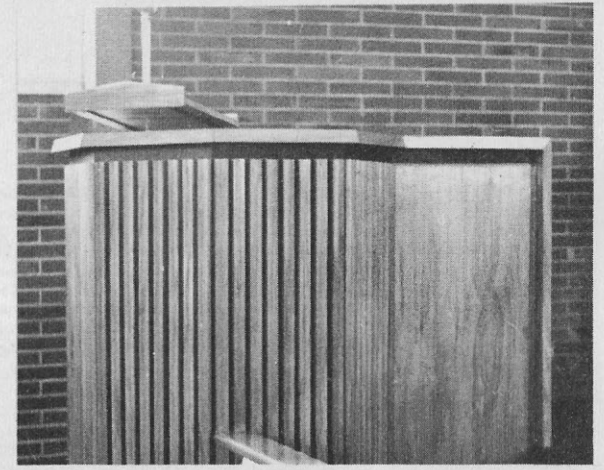
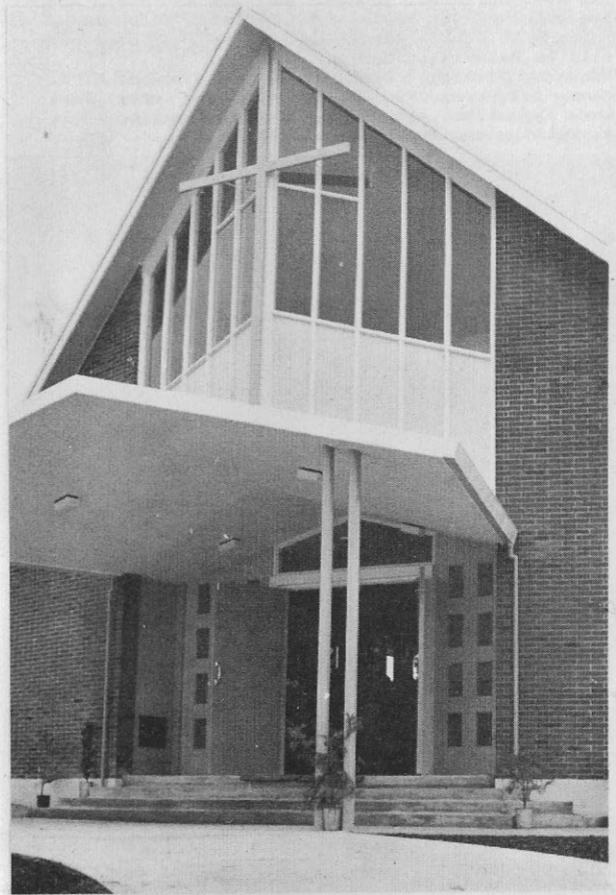
The new Catholic Church in Brooklands Road, St. Philomina's, recently opened by Archbishop McKeefry, has many fine features.

Above: Part of the crowd listened to speeches from outside the school, as so many turned up for this important occasion.

Below: Front of the church is most imposing.

Right: The pulpit was a masterpiece of craftsmanship with its highly polished woodwork.

Below, right: The altar, simple and dignified.





## Wedding Bells

Above: **BAINES-GADD.** At St. Mary's Anglican Church, NP., Margaret, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs R. Gadd, NP., to John, only son of Mr and Mrs J. Baines, Palmerston North. Diane Wilson, Waipukurau, was matron of honour and the bridesmaid was Adrian Bond, NP. Earl Baines, Dannevirke, was best man, and Reg Hill, Dannevirke, groomsmen. Future home will be Palmerston North.

Below: **HEVER-KNIGHT.** At the Knox Presbyterian Church, Fitzroy, Dawn, eldest daughter of Mr T. Knight, NP., to Kevin Edward, second son of Mr and Mrs E.S. Hewer, NP. The bridesmaids were Faye Knight, sister of the bride, Ella Tygielski, and Lucy Tygielski, all of NP. Robin Saywell, NP., was the best man, and the groomsmen were Tom Knight, Wellington. Future home will be NP.



Moon River



Orient Dawn



Tara

## "Gown of the Year" Contest

The recent Tam Cochran "Gown of the Year Show" proved absolutely fabulous in its presentation. Never before has the city seen anything as glamorous as this, with first-class models to show the first-class New Zealand designed, and made, gowns. Anyone who missed this has certainly missed a really excellent show. We present for your approval the thirteen model gowns.



Maoriana



Maritza



Aurora



Chantelle



Sapphire



Romance



Fantasia



Vienna Bonbon



Paris

**GOWN OF THE YEAR (CONTINUED)**

Not only was the gown of the year on show, but some other clothes were shown that could only be described as beautiful. Above, right, is one of five magnificent bridal gowns shown.

Above: The thirteenth gown of the year: Fiesta

**ST. MARY'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL**

Members of the St. Mary's Mothers' Union recently gathered in a week-long celebration at St. Mary's Church of the Patronal Festival.

Right: Mrs Pamela Watkins, Pio Pio, speaks to the gathering, with Mrs L.M.Nutt in the chair.

Below: The hall was packed for this festival, as our two pictures show.





There's some skulduggery going on here!

## Teachers v. Pupils

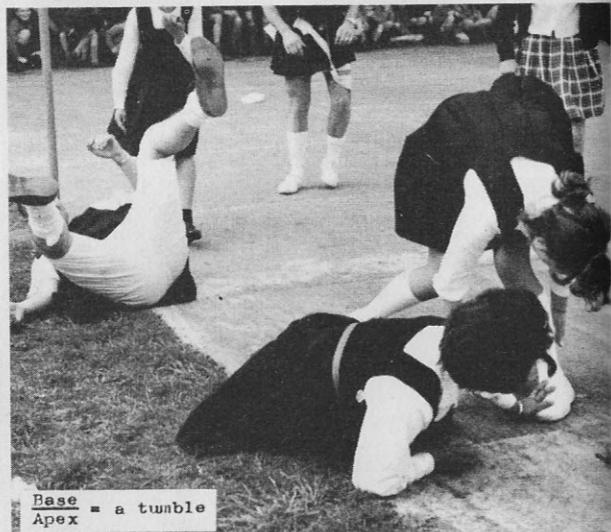
A battle-royal recently took place out at Bell Block, when the kids at school took the teachers on at basketball. It was a game enjoyed by all, but the kids seemed to know as many tricks as their teachers. We saw a bit of cheating on the part of the elders, but that made no difference, as youth had its fling, and soundly beat age. It was fun for all, and looks like becoming an annual affair. Needless to say, the youngsters won by 95 points to nil, despite the fact that the ref. was one of the teachers.



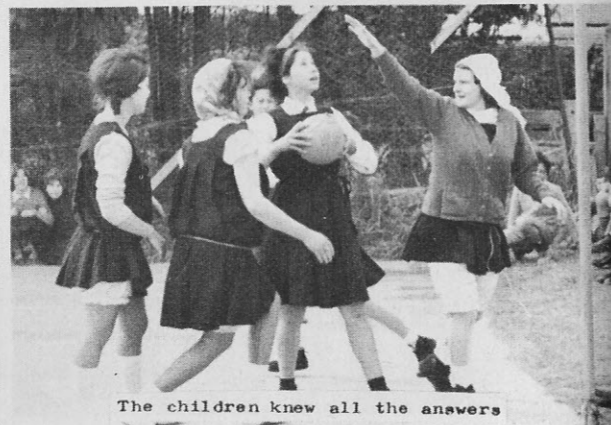
10 Which resulted in the ref. having his say



Hey, miss, something's slipping!



Base = a tumble  
Apex

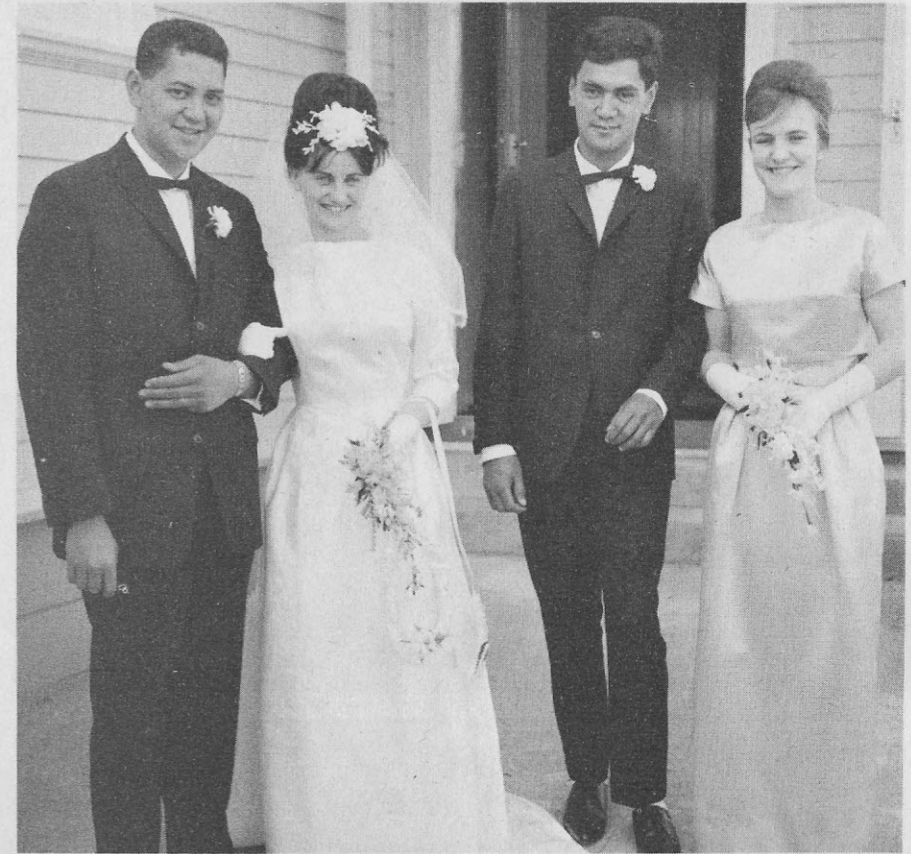


The children knew all the answers

## Wedding Bells

**Right: TAURANGA-PARKER.** At Fitzroy Methodist Church, Margaret Alene, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.A. Parker, NP, to Rana, eldest son of Mr and Mrs R.Tauranga, Pungarehu. The bridesmaid was Irene Tubby, Stratford, and the best man was Jeff Tawhiti, Hamilton. The future home will be in Hamilton.

**Below: SOOTHILL-YARROW.** At St. Cuthbert's Anglican Church, Maniaia, Elaine Margaret, second daughter of Mr and Mrs H.A. Yarrow, Maniaia, to Robert Harry, only son of Mr H.Soothill, Inglewood. The attendants were Janice Harrow, sister of the bride, Vivienne Anscombe, Alison Roch, bridesmaids, Rev. Michael Elliott, best man, William Harrison and Donald Burgess, groomsmen. Future home will be in Wanganui.



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Carol Harpham (Waverley) looked every bit an expert



Diane Booker (Waverley) kept her eye on the ball



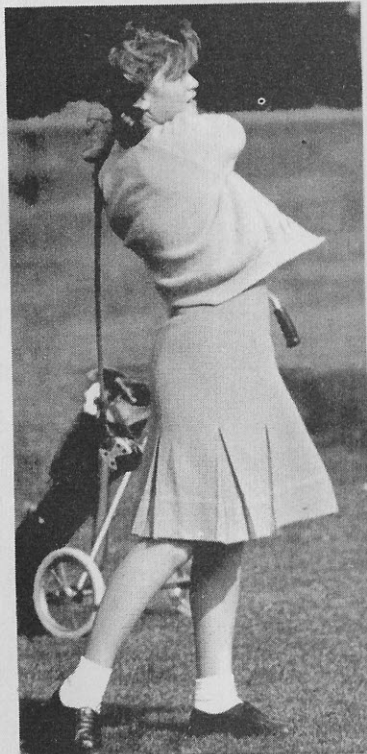
Justine Ovenden (NP) plays from the rough

## Schoolgirls' Golf Tournament

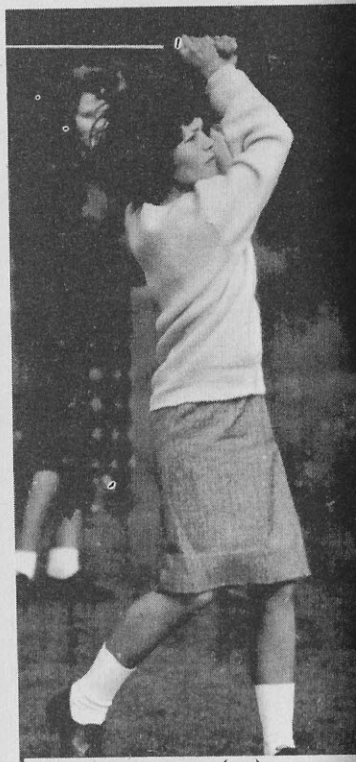
The annual schoolgirl golf tournament took place on the Stratford links during the school holidays, and attracted a large entry from girls of all parts of the province. The standard of play was high with these girls and this sort of competition brings out the quality of the future player.



Jill Strombom played her approach shots well



Jan Milne (NP) played perfect golf for one so young



Charlotte Allen (NP) gets in a good drive



Christine Parsons (Waverley) tees off

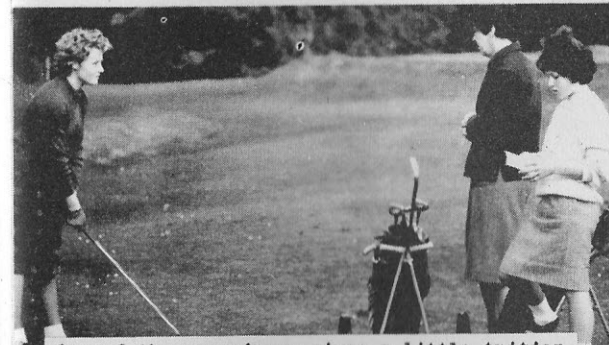
Here are some more photographs taken at the recent schoolgirls' golf tournament at Stratford during the school holidays.



Susan Kemp (Hawera)



Joy Downes (Okato)



One of the organisers gives a little tuition



Justine Ovenden (NP) lost a ball



Carol Harpham (Waverley)



Wendy Quail (NP)



## R.S.A. Women Celebrate 21st Birthday

To celebrate their 21st birthday, the present committee of the Women's section of the NP RSA entertained the first committee to dinner and an evening at the Fitzroy Hotel. We thought this a wonderful way of showing appreciation to those who had worked so hard for the women of the RSA. In our picture, above, we show members of the first committee. From left, back row, Mesdames W.E.Alexander, G.H.Thompson, E.D.Le Pine (treasurer), H.Weston and S.Hartnell; front row, Miss E. McAllum, Mesdames L.R.Curtis (president), H.W.Broad and L.Hedges. In the photograph below, we show the hosts for the evening, the present committee. From left, back row, Mesdames W.O'Meagher, R. Simpson, G.Loveridge, S.Devon, A.Dixon, H.Rowe, W.T.Vaughan, J.Radomski and G.Roberts; front row, Mesdames W.McCook, F.Wheeler (treasurer), J.G.Robertson (v-president), J.Henerey (president) J. Scanlan (v-president) and D.Linn (secretary).



Jill Crafar

## Okaiawa School Pantomime



Lynne Barclay



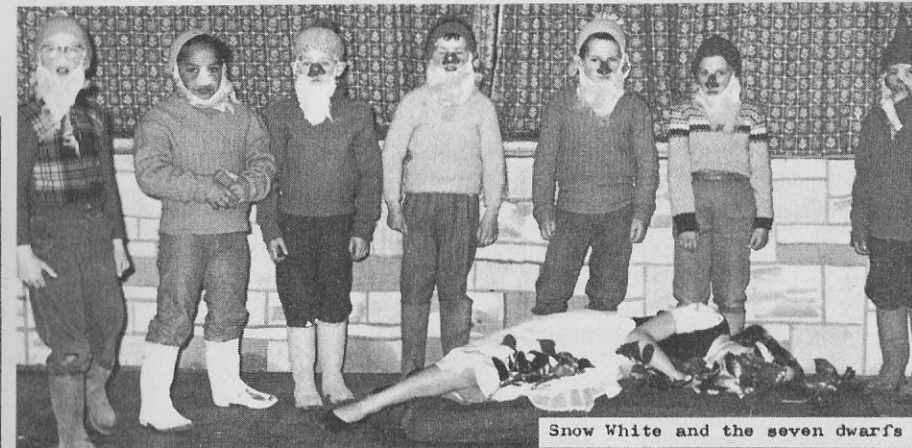
Penny Roseworne and Elizabeth Ngatai



Kristan Mailman and Marilyn Martin

What a wonderful idea these school pantomimes are! At the Okaiawa school, they recently presented "Snow White" which surely would be one of the most popular of shows with the children. The acting was superb as was the whole production. We lift our ancient lids to those responsible for this effort.

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Snow White and the seven dwarfs



The whole cast





Myradel Toy (Hawera) won the speech championship and a 10-guinea scholarship

## Hawera Competitions

The annual Competitions at Hawera during the school holidays attracted its usual quota of outside entries. These competitions are becoming increasingly popular, and are looked forward to by most competition enthusiasts in the province and beyond. The standard was this year far higher than it has been in the past, and the prize-winners showed talent of a very high class.



Watchers in the wings



Group dance winners from the Joan Nicholls' School of Dancing. From left, Peta Spooner, Wynne Ellington, Catherine Hall and Reyna Hayward



Sharyl and Shane West (NP) winners of the Tap Duo under 10 years



Above, left: Cheryl Hall (Hawera) who was recalled for the demi-character dance class, and gave a polished performance.

Above: Lads of Hawera who won the cup for group entertainment. From left, back row, Ian McCall, Noel Campbell, Neil Johnson and Douglas Kerrisk. Front row, Chris Reitsma, Bobbie Filbie, Malcolm Norton and Neville Lytt.

Below, left: Kim Pease (Hawera) won a cup for her ballet dancing.

Below: The Sharon Brabender Tap Troupe who won the tap troupe cup. From left, Carolyn Booth, Christine Wheeler, Caryll Honeyfield, Sharon Brabender and Lawrena Booth.

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# Hawera Competitions Prizewinners



Jennifer Horner



Catherine Gamlin



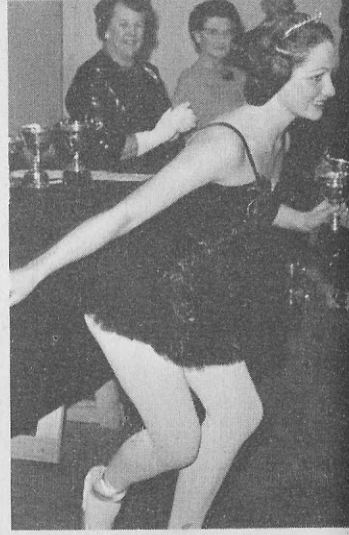
Wynne Ellingham



Maureen Pool



Suzanne Whitehead



Heather Lester



Carol Taylor



Myradel Toy



Caryll Honeyfield



Trevor Gibbs



## Wedding Bells

**Above: OKEY-SAUNDERS.** At St Mary's Anglican Church, NP., Marion, second daughter of Mr and Mrs C. Saunders, NP., to Keith, youngest son of Mrs and the late Mr A.Okey, NP. The bridesmaids were Wendy Marsh, Hamilton, and Colleen Jane, Papatoetoe. The best man was Ian Okey, brother of the groom, Tariki, and the groomsman was Trevor Okey, Eltham. Future home, NP.

**Below: CHAMBERS-WILLIAMSON.** At St Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Lynette, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs C.Williamson, NP., to James, eldest son of Mrs A.Chambers, England. The attendants were Pamela Williamson, sister of the bride, NP, and Pauline Price, NP, bridesmaids. Frank Mills, Palmerston North, was best man, and John Watson, NP, groomsman. Prudy Mills and Beth Angus were the flower-girls. Future home of the couple will be NP.





VOGUE STUDIO



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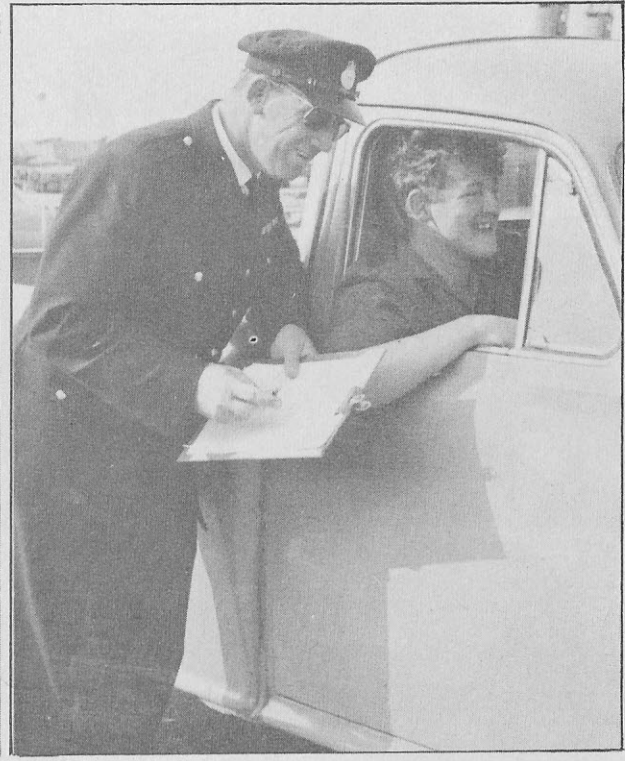
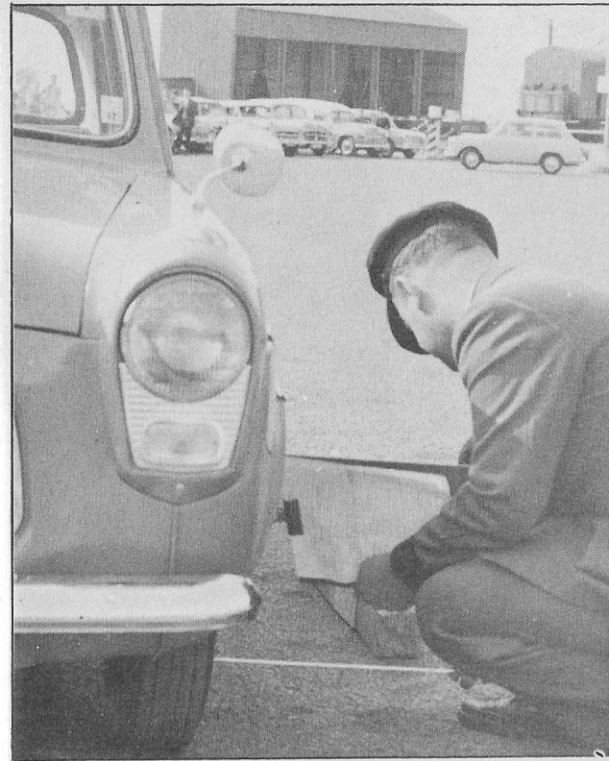
## Celebrations

Above: Mr and Mrs Tony Thorne, NP., recently celebrated their silver wedding anniversary when their original bridal party attended. This group is shown in our photograph, from left: Ted Jackson (Wellington), Monica Heard (Hamilton), Mr and Mrs Tony Thorne, Don Morris, (NP) and Margaret Belcher (NP). The party was given by Mr and Mrs Thorne's family.

Above, right: Eveline, daughter of Mr and Mrs M.A.Poingdestre, Hawera, who recently celebrated her 21st birthday.

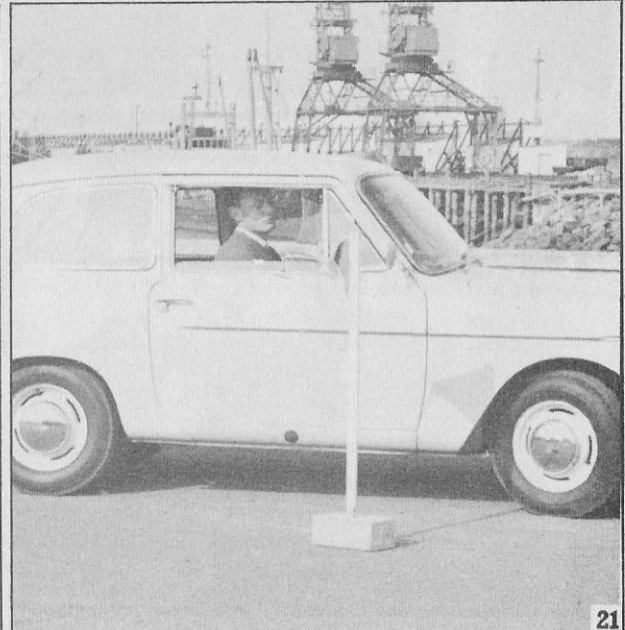
Below, left: Cutting her 21st birthday cake is Marcia Reid, daughter of Mr and Mrs M.F.Reid, NP, with her fiancé, Mr Brian Buckthought.

Below, right: Mr and Mrs R.C.Macks, NP., with their eldest daughter, Joy on the occasion of her coming-of-age.



## Driving Tests at Road-e-o

Organised by the New Plymouth Jaycees, a Road-e-o was recently conducted at Port Taranaki on a fine Sunday afternoon, when a large entry contested the right to appear in the North Island finals of this nation wide contest. Above, left: A.A. officer, Mr G.W.Garrett, measures the distance of a competitor's wheel from the kerb in a parking space. The driver is Gary Watts (Kaupokonui). Above, right: Peter Anderson (NP) discusses the next obstacle with Traffic Officer Adams. Below, left: It was no easy task to drive a car between a row of closely spaced tennis balls, and not many competitors succeeded in doing so. Here E.C.Bretherton (NP) runs over one of the balls. Below, right: Gavin Ballentine (Hawera) negotiates turns in that part of the difficult course.





### Engaged

Above, left: **GADSBY-MARSHALL**. Marie, daughter of Mrs F.G.Marshall, Wangamui, to Wayne, son of Mr and Mrs C.W.Gadsby, NP.

Below: **EDWARDS-SYMONS**. Marion Elsie, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs A.Symons, Rahotu, to Roy Douglas, elder son of Mr and Mrs J.T.Edwards, Stratford.

Above, left: **PETHERICK-MARTIN**. Janice Patricia, only daughter of Mr and Mrs R.Martin, NP., to James Robert Desmond, elder son of Mr and Mrs H. D.Petherick, NP.

Left: **KERR-POTROZ**. Frances Rose, second daughter of Mr and Mrs L.W.Petroz, Cardiff, to Michael James Samuel, eldest son of Mr and Mrs S.J. Kerr, Midhurst.

Below, left: **THOMAS-POWELL**. Dorothy Jeanette, youngest daughter of Mr A.A.Powell, Waitara, and Mrs J.T.Hartigan, Normanby, to Graham Hector, youngest son of Mr and Mrs H.P.Thomas, NP.



Fours winners: Urenui, R.Hart, Mrs R.Herbert, C.Lucas and Mrs E.Stubbing



Singles champion: M.Brookes, Selwyn



Runners-up: Norfolk Road, R.M.Burgess, A. Shirtcliffe, Mrs D.Collingwood and J.Huziff.



Runner-up was G. Clough, Waitoriki

## Nth. Taranaki Champions

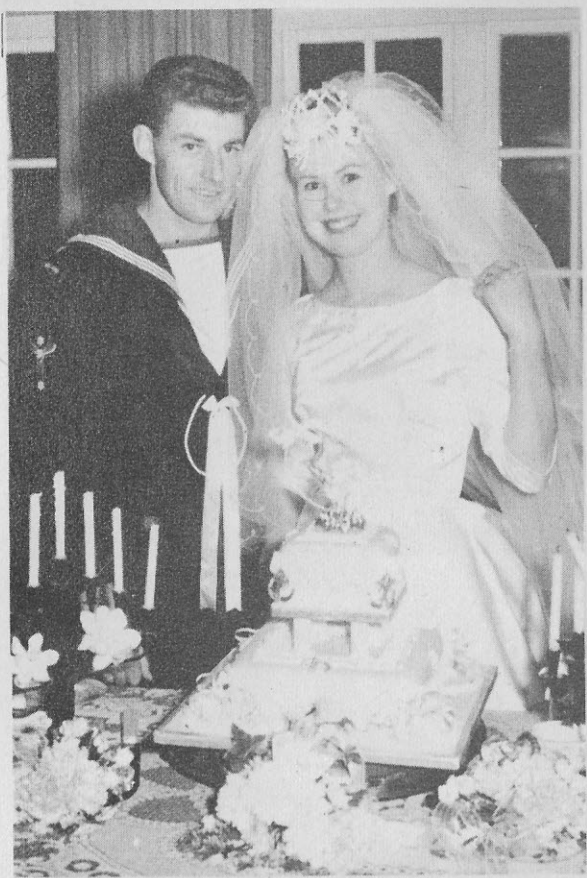
The North Taranaki Indoor Bowls Association has recently concluded their champion of champion competitions in fours, pairs and singles. Around two hundred people crowded the Central Hall to witness bowling by some of the district's best players. Most of the games were struggles until the final head, and a good evening's bowls was witnessed.



Pairs champions: Waitoriki club, N.Adiam and K.Clough



Runners-up: St. John's Waitara, B.Herbert and Mrs H.Longstaff



## Wedding Bells

**Above: DALRYMPLE-BURNS.** At St Mary's Church, Swansea, South Wales, John Walter, only son of Mr and Mrs W. Dalrymple, NP., to Vivienne Mary, daughter of Mrs and the late Mr T.J. Burns, Swansea, South Wales.

**Above, left: BOURN-TAYLOR.** At the Epsom Methodist Church, Auckland, Lynnette Anne, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L. Taylor, Epsom, to Hugh elder son of Mr and Mrs R. Bourn, Patea.

**Left: DORNANS-HOPSON.** At the Church of Holy Sceptre, Auckland, Ruth Elizabeth Hopson, Auckland, formerly of NP., to Thomas Eric Dornans, R.N.Z.N.

**CLUBS AND ORGANISATIONS—**  
THE EDITOR WILL BE PLEASED TO HEAR  
FROM YOU AT ANY TIME — IF THERE IS  
SOMETHING "COMING UP" CONTACT US!

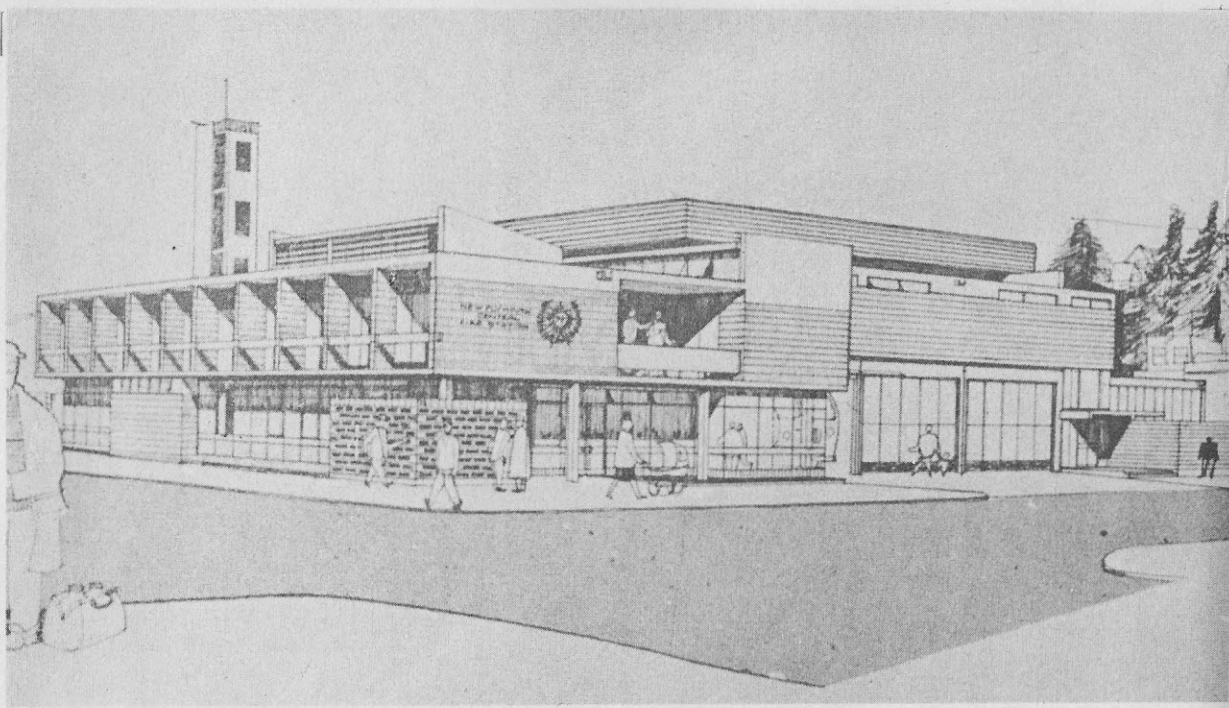


## A Fortnight To Remember

In only two weeks recently, a New Plymouth family celebrated (1) a 21st birthday, (2) a golden wedding, (3) a birthday, and (4) a wedding. A party at the Milano covered two birthdays and the golden wedding, and a fortnight later all were gathered together again for the wedding.

**Above, left:** Mr Jim Spindler, who celebrated his 74th birthday. **Above, centre:** Mr and Mrs Spindler cutting the cake at their golden wedding celebration. **Above, right:** Mr and Mrs H.N. Cavaney and their daughter Dawn on the occasion of her 21st birthday. Dawn was married two weeks later and the wedding picture appears below. **Clarke-Cavaney.** At the Kingdom Hall, South Road, Dawn Elaine, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs H.N. Cavaney, New Plymouth, to Robert Andrew, second son of Mr and Mrs F. Clarke, New Plymouth. The bridesmaids were Glenda Cavaney, sister of the bride, and Janice Alsweller. Jon Clarke, brother of the groom, Tauranga, was best man, and Robert Fergusson, Auckland, was groomsman. Karen Hills, New Plymouth, was flower girl. Future home, New Plymouth.





### CITY'S NEW FIRE STATION

Above: Tenders will shortly close for the erection of this fine, new fire station for New Plymouth. Our artist's impression gives some idea of how the building will look, viewed from the Whiteley Church corner. The very latest of equipment will be installed, which will boost the present high efficiency of the New Plymouth fire-fighting force.



### AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLBOYS BEAT OKATO

The touring Australian schoolboy football team recently played a match against the Okato District High School, and emerged winners after a titanic struggle. The two pictures below show parts of the play, with the Australians in striped jerseys.



### IT'S BACK HOME AGAIN!

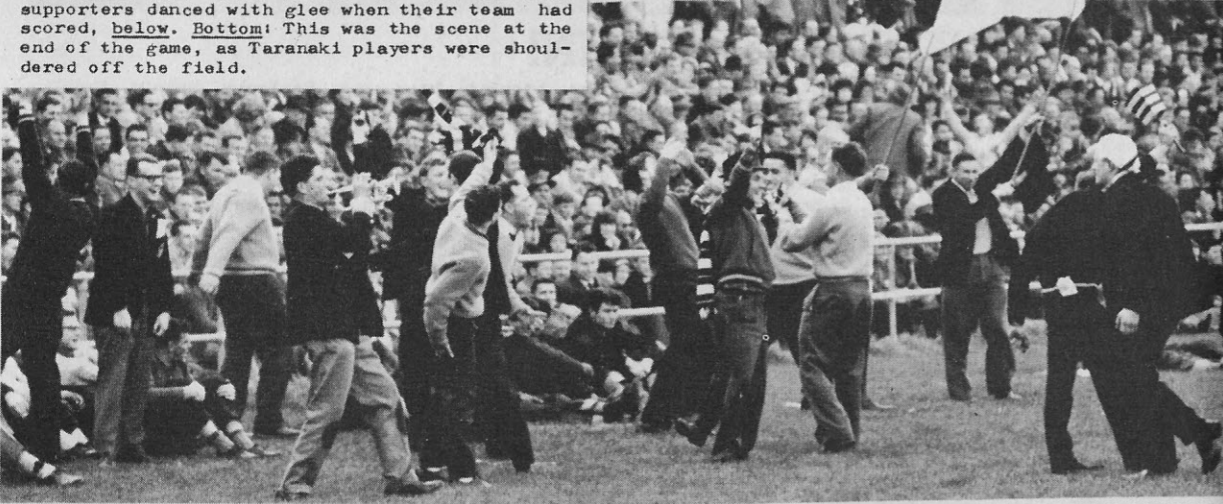
The province went wild with excitement when our boys brought back the Ranfurly Shield from Wellington, with cheers and warm greetings all the way. Crowds lined the route, and thousands were at New Plymouth for the civic reception on the Library steps. Nothing could dampen the joy, not even the heavy rain falling at the time, of the thousands who had turned out to welcome home the shield. Above: Captain Ross Brown holds the shield aloft for all to see at the Library. Others in the picture are Ritchie Coles, manager Mr Grace and full-back Barry O'Dowda. Below: The youngsters were like drowned rats, but that didn't dampen their enthusiasm to cheer Ross Brown and his men.





## Jubilation!

The scene at Athletic Park, Wellington, was one of jubilation when the future home of the shield was no further in doubt. It started with a bit of bull on the paddock before the game, above, but turned into wild scenes as the Taranaki supporters danced with glee when their team had scored, below. Bottom: This was the scene at the end of the game, as Taranaki players were shouldered off the field.

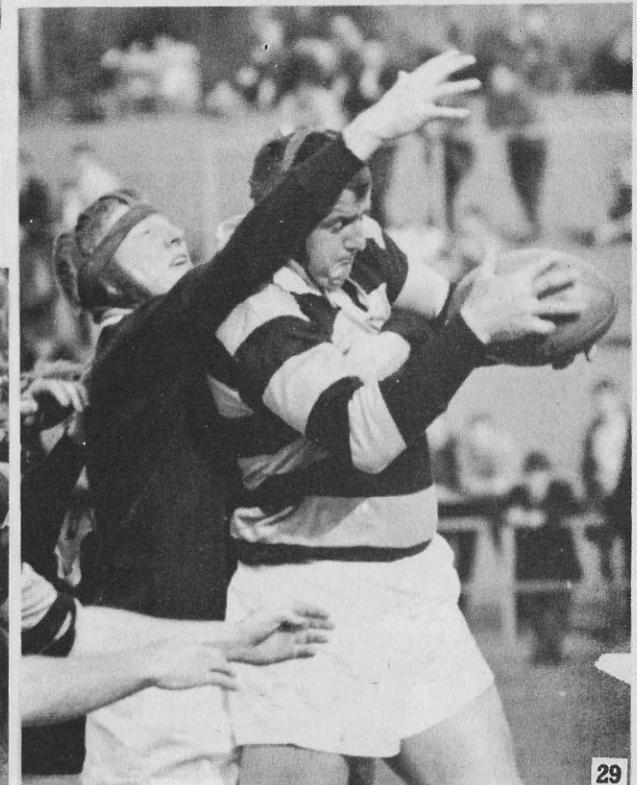


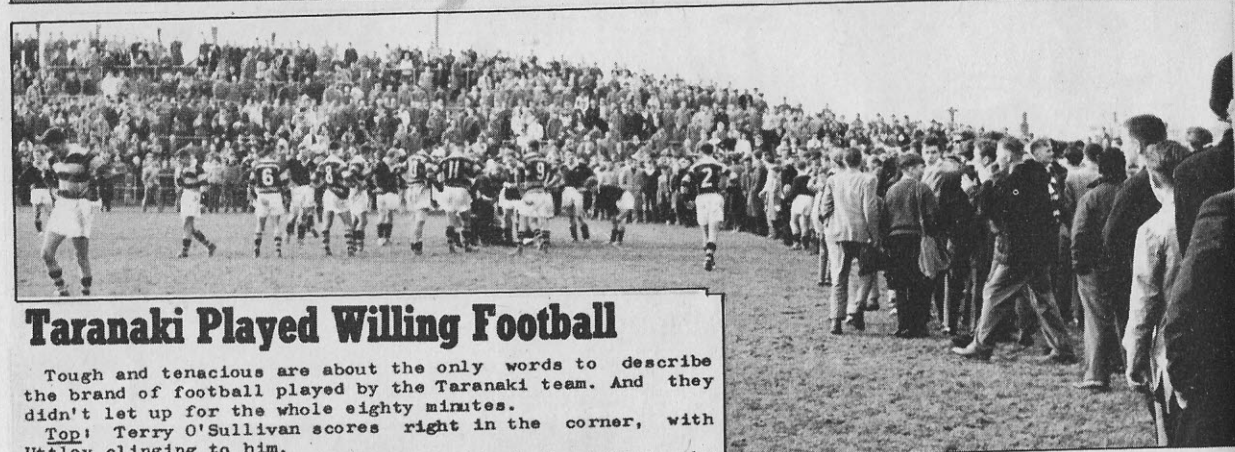
Above: Captains Ross Brown and Mick Williment lead their teams onto the field.

Below: One of the very few passes that Wellington half-back Cull got away during the match.

Above, right: Kevin Briscoe comes through with the ball, protected by a wall of Taranaki players.

Below, right: John Mackie did splendid work in the line-outs.





## Taranaki Played Willing Football

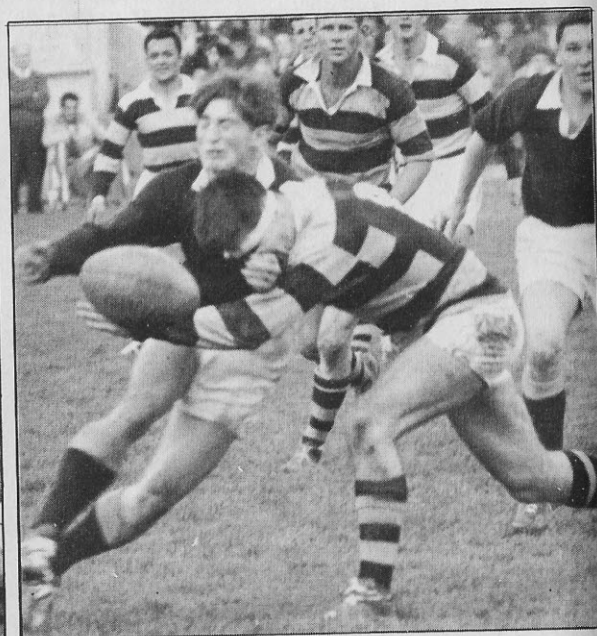
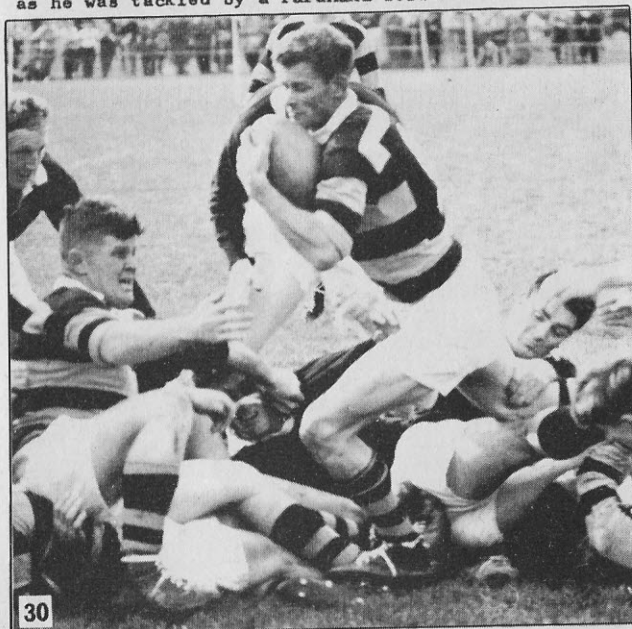
Tough and tenacious are about the only words to describe the brand of football played by the Taranaki team. And they didn't let up for the whole eighty minutes.

Top: Terry O'Sullivan scores right in the corner, with Uttley clinging to him.

Above: Spectators invaded the field of play before the match was over, so tense was this game.

Below, left: Ritchie Coles comes up from a tight head with the ball.

Below, right: Wellington half-back Cull dropped the ball as he was tackled by a Taranaki forward.



Above: Ralph Carroll is assisted from the field after being injured. He later had eight stitches in his head.

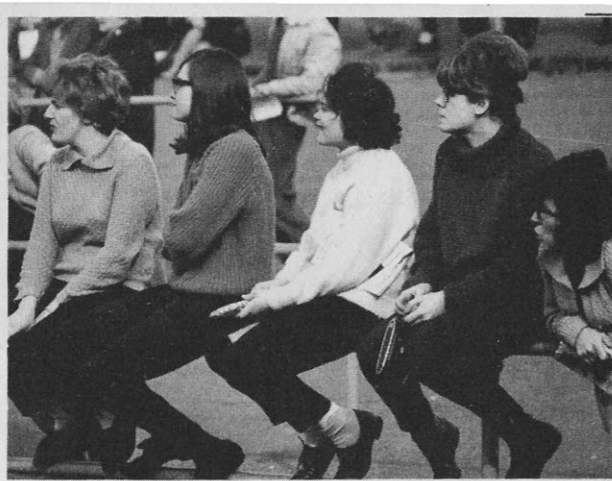
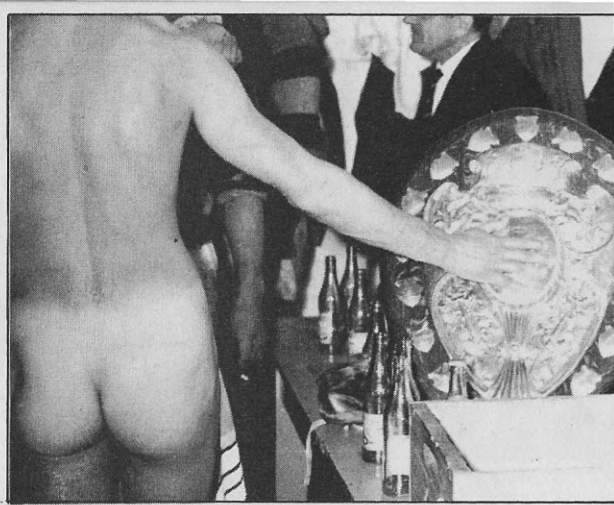
Below: Not a moment's peace for Mick Williment as he is forced out of play by Roy Johns.

Above, right: Wellington player caught in the vice-like grip of Ritchie Coles, Kevin Briscoe and Ike Flavell.

Below, right: Alan Smith played a leading role in the line-outs.







### In The Team's Dressing Room

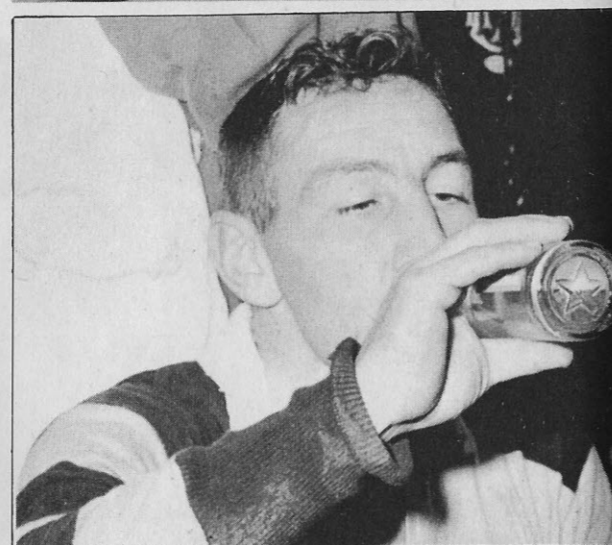
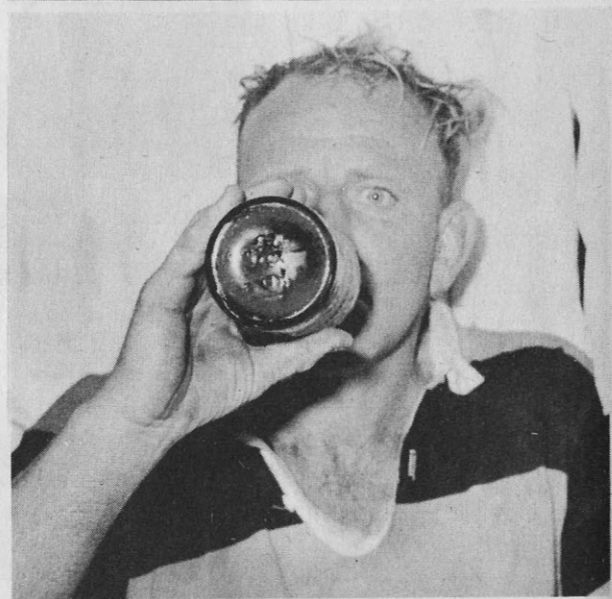
After the game, there were scenes of rejoicing in the Taranaki dressing room, with congratulations being showered on the boys from all sides.

Above: Symbolic of the feeling of the victorious team, one member had his shower and gave the shield a loving pat on his way to get dressed.

Below: Immediately after the game, the manager, Mr Grace, and captain Ross Brown posed for our camera.

Above, right: Beatnik Wellington supporters.  
Right: Bottoms up for Ike Flavell after the hard-fought game.

Below, right: Kevin Briscoe drained a couple of bottles too.



All the way home, the victorious team had been showered with congratulations, and the nearer they got to New Plymouth, the thicker were the crowds. We were at Stratford to see them arrive, when they were given a civic reception.

Above: The bus, with shield prominently displayed, arrives.

Above, right: All ages watched the arrival of this grand bunch of lads.

Below: An hour before the team was due, a large crowd had gathered.



## Thousands Welcome Victorious Team To New Plymouth

There weren't many people in their gardens on the afternoon that the victorious shield team arrived home in New Plymouth. The crowd would be hard to estimate, but our guess is about 10,000. This photograph was taken from the roof of the War Memorial Hall just before the teams arrived.





## Wedding Bells

**Above: MAXWELL-PETERS.** At the Inglewood Methodist Church, Beverley, third daughter of Mr G. and the late Mrs Peters, Inglewood, to Brian, third son of Mr and Mrs J.R.Maxwell, Inglewood. The bridesmaids were Lorraine Peters, sister of the bride, Inglewood, and Jean Petterson, Inglewood. Radley Clarke, NP., was best man, and the groomsman was Dennis Hitchcock, Wellington. The future home of the couple will be Inglewood.

**Below: WATERS-WALSH.** At St Joseph's Catholic Church, NP., Colleen Mary, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs P.Walsh, Opunake, to Dick, youngest son of Mrs and the late Mr R.G.Waters, NP. Jocelyn Walsh, sister of the bride, Opunake, was the bridesmaid, and John Waters, brother of the groom, NP, was best man. Future home of the couple will be Opunake.



## Junior Progressive Dance Club

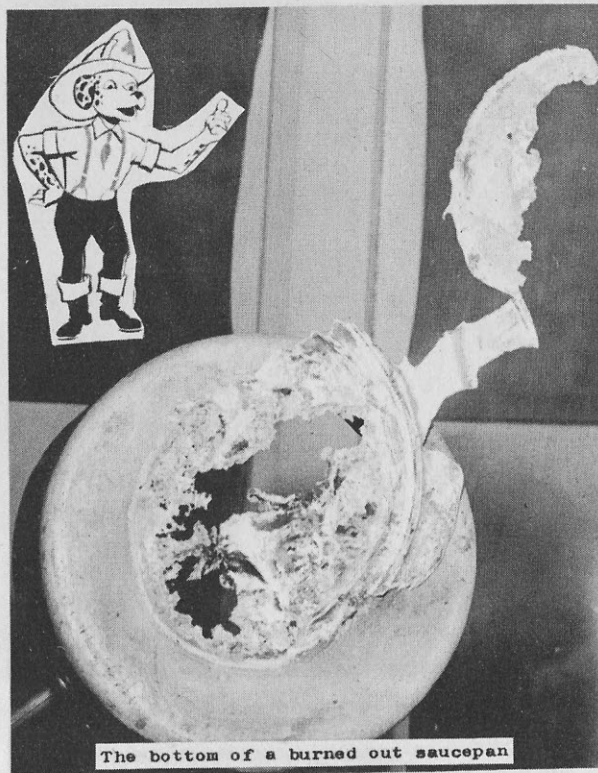
New Plymouth now has a junior progressive dance club which teaches the modern generation some of the more graceful old dances. Members of the Progressive Dance Club have been giving a lot of their time to teach these youngsters the art of dancing some of the old-fashioned dances. Weekly classes are held and the popularity of these is reflected in the increasing number attending.

**Above:** Mr Ian Tulloch is photographed in the course of instruction at one of the weekly classes.  
**Below:** A ball was recently held, when members of the Parents' Club attended and mixed with the young folk. It was a highly successful affair and will become a regular feature of the club.





The forgotten pot can often cause fire



The bottom of a burned out saucepan



Check Home Fire Hazards with a Fire Dept. Inspection

**FIRE PREVENTION WEEK Oct. 14-18**

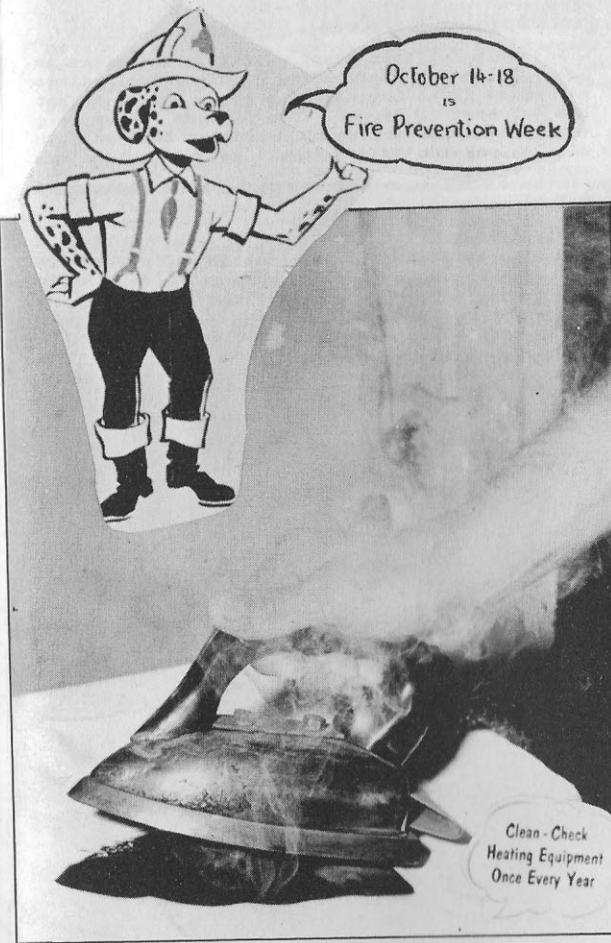
The pictures on this and the following two pages will, we hope, serve to show examples of just how easy it is to start a fire in your home. With the cooperation of New Plymouth Fire Officers, and Sparky, these photographs were taken to demonstrate the actual causes of fire in the home. So take heed, and never think that "This can't happen to us". Space heaters and electrical appliances are perhaps two of the major fire hazards in the home, so have that gear checked now.



38 NEVER dry clothes on kerosene heaters



Clothes in front of open fire are dangerous!



Above: Two electric blankets which would be most uncomfortable to sleep on or under. They can be the cause of a fire unless regularly checked for faults.  
 Below, left: That iron left on a board is another hazard every day.  
 Below: Smoking in bed is deadly. How right that is! If you must smoke in bed, never do it when you are drowsy.

