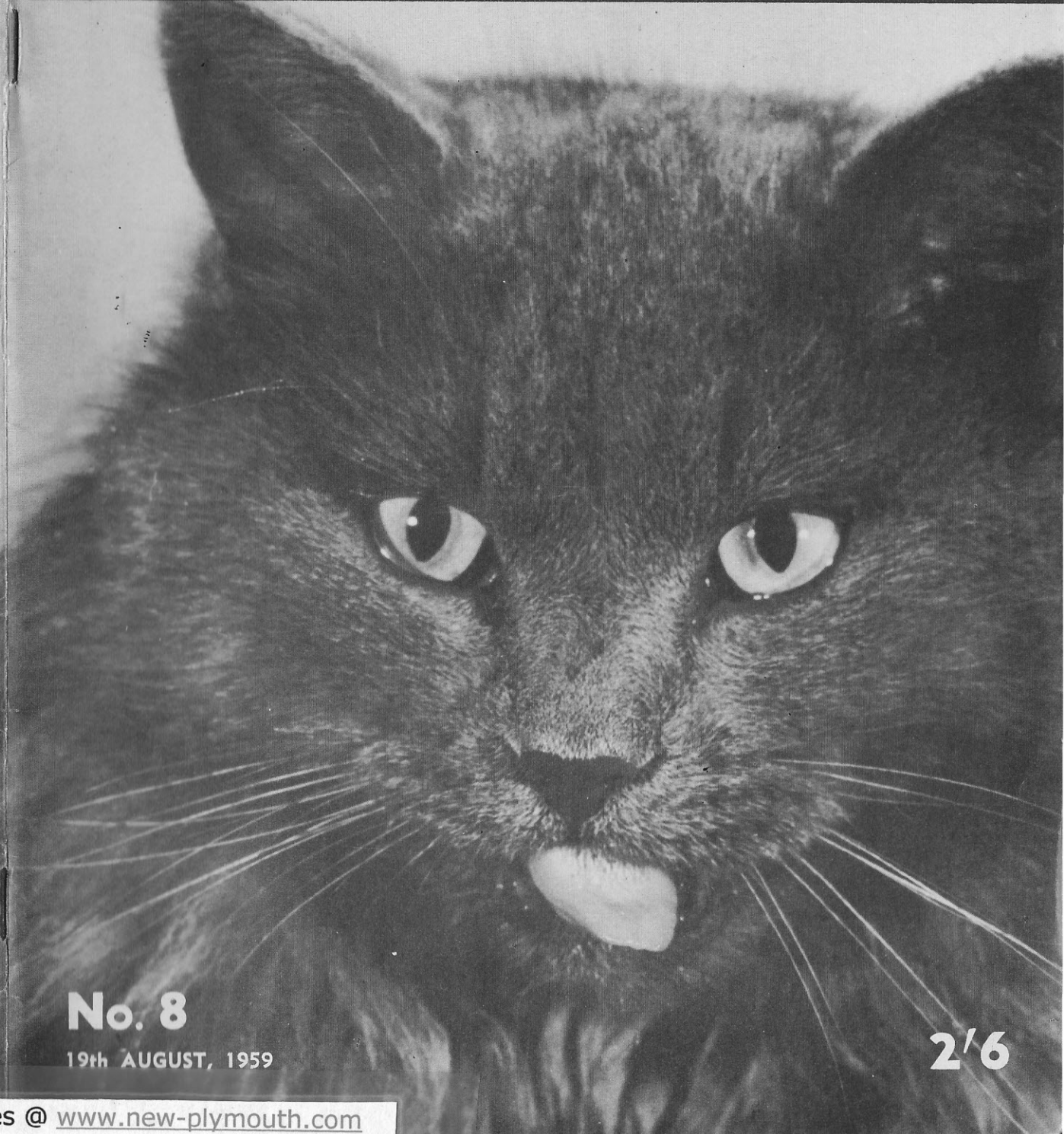


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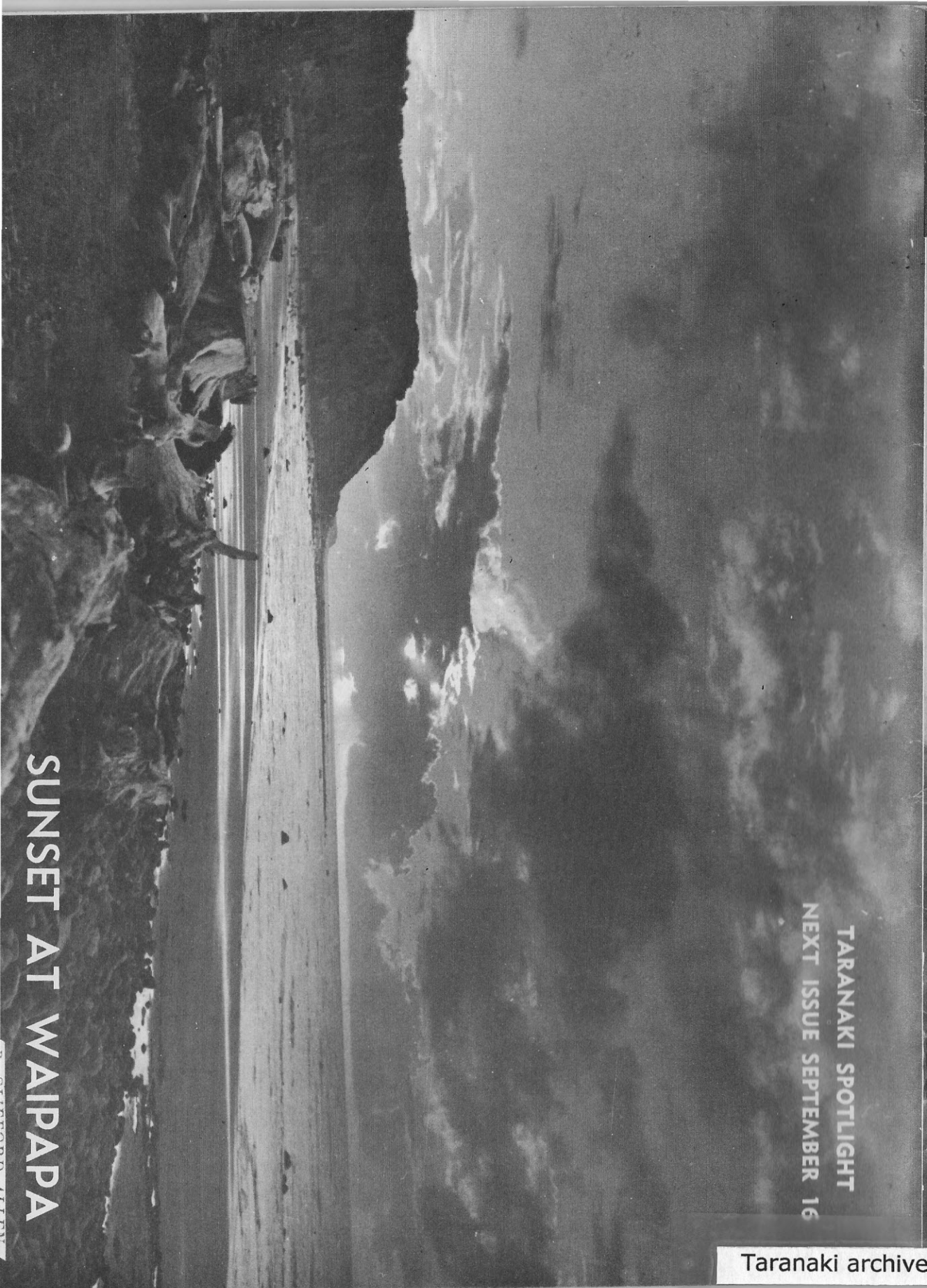
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The engagement of your local photographer, listed on this page, will ensure that your wedding, 21st birthday party, or any function or event of interest, will appear in this magazine.

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St Mary's troop of Girl Guides received the swimming shield from Miss Lysaght, provincial camp adviser, recently and here left she makes the presentation to Loretta McRae. Below left; and right Wendy Aitken and Loretta who both received first class badges and all round cords, with the provincial commissioner Mrs Rutherford.

Below left: Mr Rex Adamson and Miss Nancy Reid whose engagement was announced at a party recently. The happy couple with Nancy's parents.





DEBS AT PATEA

These nine pretty maids were presented to Brigadier and Mrs D. S. Thomson at the Patea Returned Services Association ball.

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Above: the official party with the debs Mrs A. Crawley, president womens' section, G. P. Pettigrew, patron, Kevin Bourke, president, Mrs Bourke and Brigadier and Mrs Thomson.
Left: The group of debs.



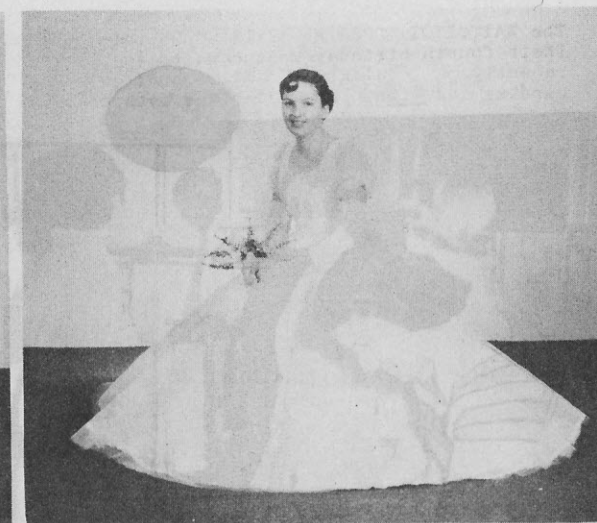
Robyn Petersen



Marita Johnson



Peggy Julian



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Top left: Janette Scobie. Top right: Fay Tovell-Saundy. Centre left: Pauline Hockley. Above: Julia Barron. Left: Valerie Newall.



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DEBUTANTES

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The WAITOITOI COUNTRY GIRLS' CLUB celebrated their fourth birthday in the Waitoitoi Hall recently. Below:- M. Willison lights the candles and Right D. Godderidge cuts the cake



BELOW:- The Waitoitoi G.C.C. Standing:- V. King, C. Fabish, A. Loveridge, B. Rattenbury, J. Watt, L. Jury, S. Riddle. Seated: J. Fuller, C. Lee, N. Jury (secretary) E. Lange, President) J. Rumbal, M. Willison (Advisory member)



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JENNINGS CAMERON:
Janice, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. J. Cameron, Patea, married Edward, son of Mr and Mrs R. Jennings, Inaha, at St Mary's Anglican Church, Hawera. Jill Cameron of Hastings, and John Sandford, of Mania were the attendants.



Married at St Mary's Hawera

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BLESS THE BRIDE



SATTLER Leonie Rachel, daughter of Mr and Mrs N. V. Jones, Brixton, Waitara, married Vivian
JONES Charles, son of Mr and Mrs J. J. Sattler, Waitui, at Knox Presbyterian Church,
 Waitara, with Rachel Fussell and Newton Duerden as attendants, and Karen Jones as flowergirl.

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 KENNETH TAYLOR STUDIOS



MORRESEY - KING: Judith Diane, daughter of Mrs J. E. King, Stratford, married Patrick Brian, son of Mr and Mrs P. J. Morresey, Cardiff, at the Church of The Immaculate Conception, Stratford, with Valerie Wellington and Barbara Downs as bridesmaids and Noel and John Morresey attending the groom.

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 A. KILMISTER.





*They will live
at Ratapiko
Taranaki*



BOWER-STOPPARD: Patricia Anne, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R. H. Stoppard, Paraparaumu, married Hugh, son of Mr and Mrs D. Bower, Ratapiko, at the Methodist Church, Paraparaumu. Maurice Herlihey, Jan Martin and Jill Corbett were the attendants. They will live at Ratapiko, Taranaki.

SOUTH TARANAKI SENIOR A. BASKETBALL TEAM



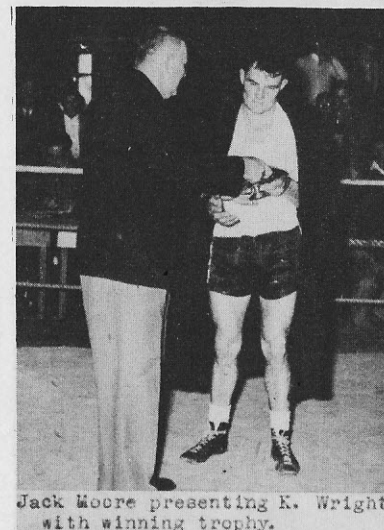
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Taranaki Boxing Assoc. Tournament at Eltham



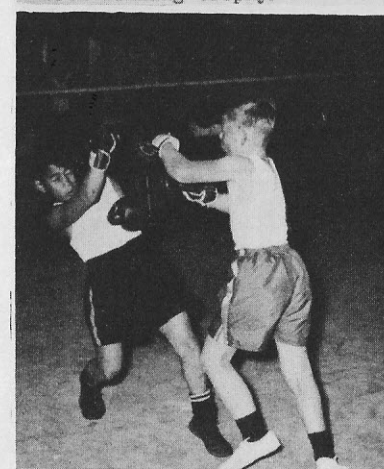
Jack Moore presenting K. Wright with winning trophy.



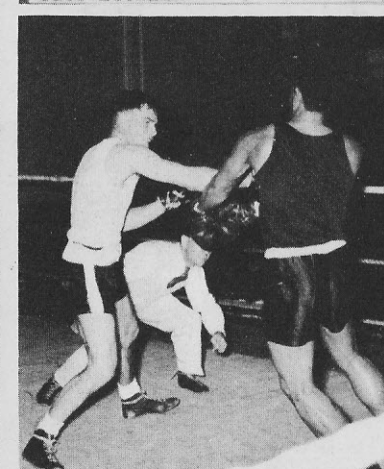
Thomas (N.P.) connects with a straight left to T. Hadley's face Eltham.



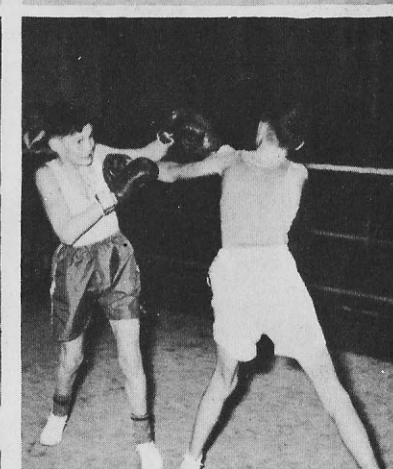
R. Hopkinson (Waterside) connects with a straight left to L. Hill (Stratford)



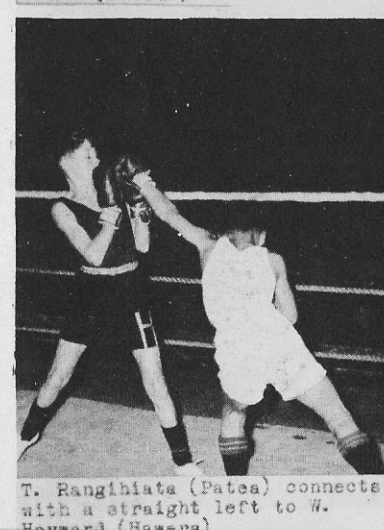
C. Kurth (Stratford) throws a flurry of punches to B. Rangihia (Patea.)



An exchange of straight lefts between M. Doidge (R) Normanby and D. Wisniewski (L) Stratford.



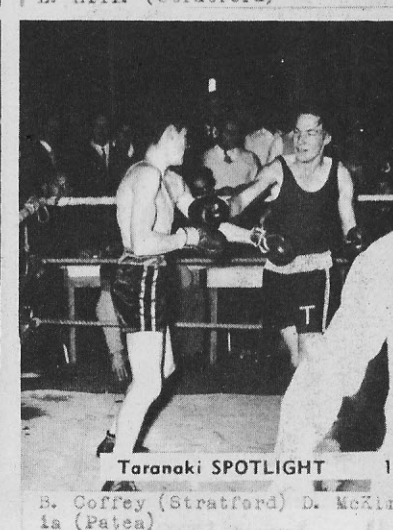
T. Rangihia (Patea) connects with a straight left to W. Hayward (Hawera)



C. Clements connects with a straight left to the body of Ibbotson.

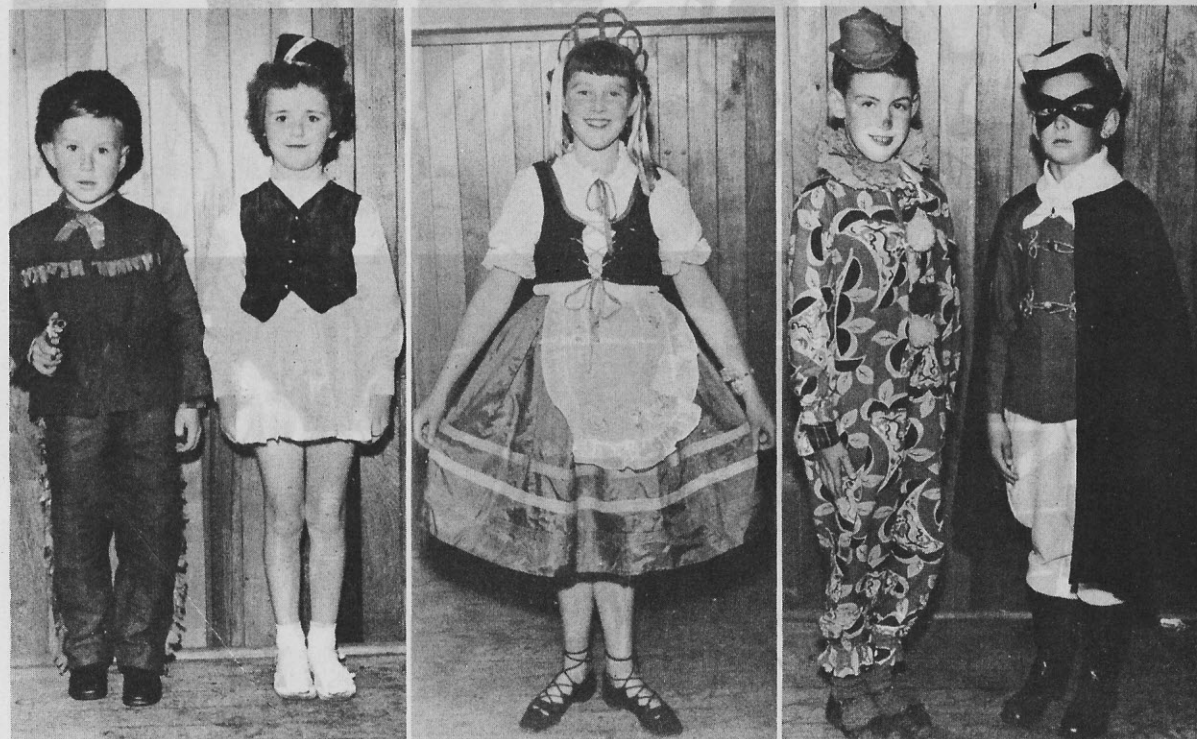


B. Coffey (Stratford) D. McKim (Patea)



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B. Coffey (Stratford) D. McKim (Patea)

MORFOLK RD. SCHOOL FANCY DRESS



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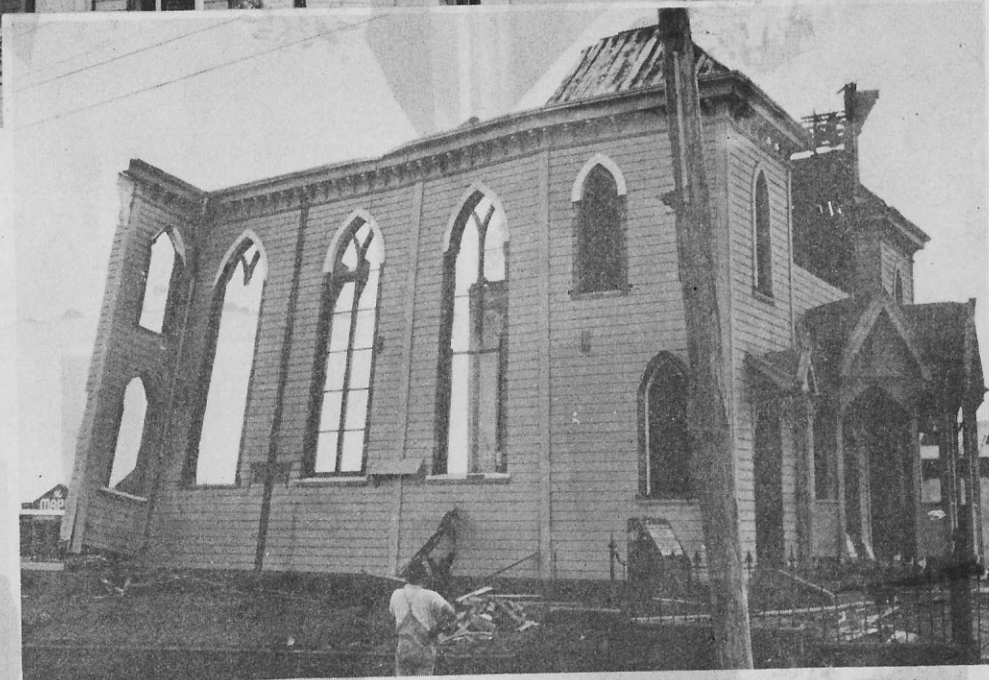


THE END OF WHITELEY

Significant moments in the last minutes of life of New Plymouth's historic Methodist church. Guttered by fire earlier in the year, the remains were

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SOUTH WALL GOING
pulled down recently and the timber auctioned. A new Whiteley



SOUTH WALL GONE

will rise again on the site of the old church named after the great missionary slain at White Cliffs in the Maori Wars.



ABEL - HUNT: Beverley, daughter of Mr and Mrs O. Hunt, Campbell Street, Hawera, married Rodrick, son of Mr and Mrs A. J. Abel, Ohawe Beach, at the Methodist Church, Hawera. Aurea Ord, Ann Frampton, M. D. Abel and R. I. Hunt were the attendants.



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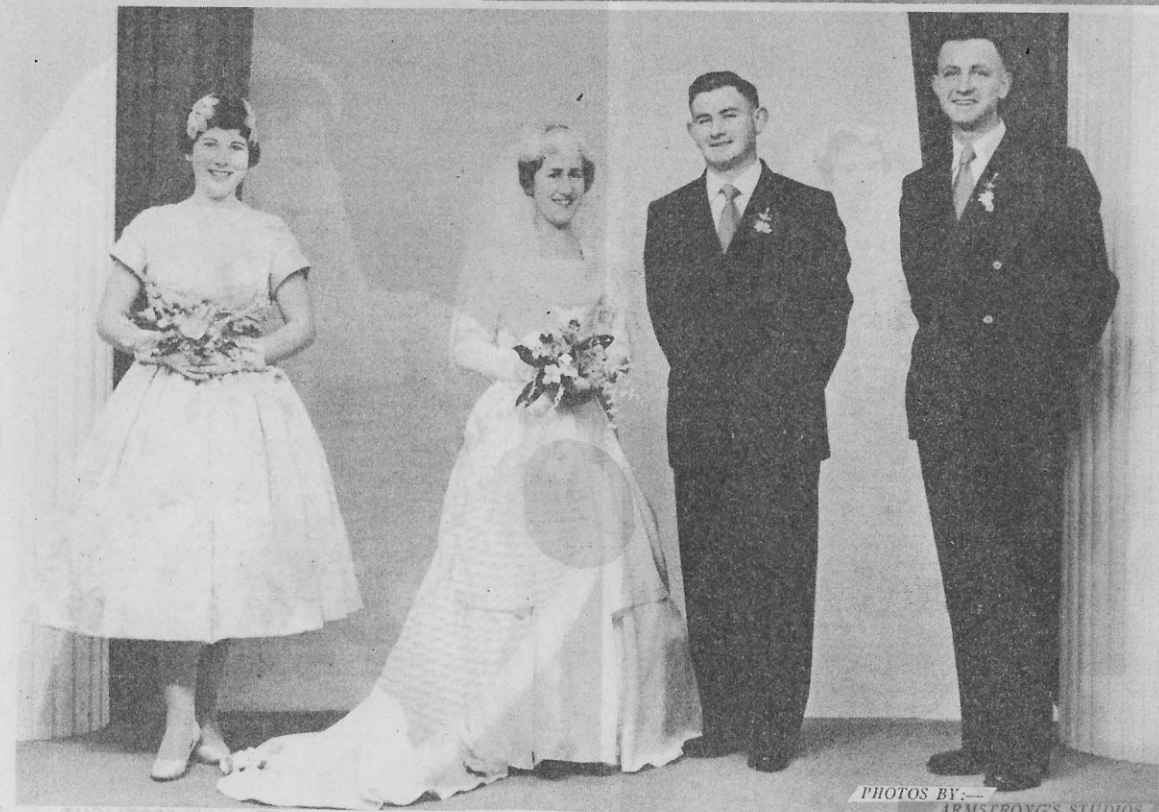
KEMP - BROWNRIGG: Sanchia Lois Brownrigg, married Allan Neil Kemp, at St Andrew's, New Plymouth, with Linley Rose and Margaret Kemp, Geoffrey May and Brian Kemp as the attendants.

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MOUAT - FREYNE Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Freyne, Ohawe Road, Tokaora, married Colin, son of Mr and Mrs D. Mouat, Leach Street, New Plymouth at St Joseph's Hawera. Mary Schicker and Gerald Mouat were the attendants.



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*Lovely
Bride*

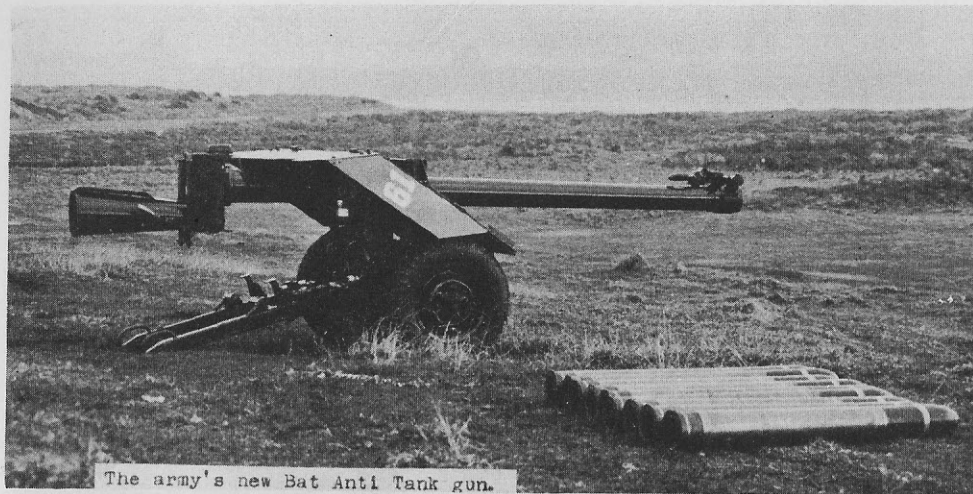


WATTS - BUSBY

Janice Marlene, daughter of Mr and Mrs L. Busby, Waihi Road, Normanby, married Gordon Clarence, son of Mr and Mrs C. Watts, Okaiawa, at St John's Hawera. Beth Pollock and Marlene Phipps were bridesmaids, Ian Bishop and Royden Johns attended the groom.

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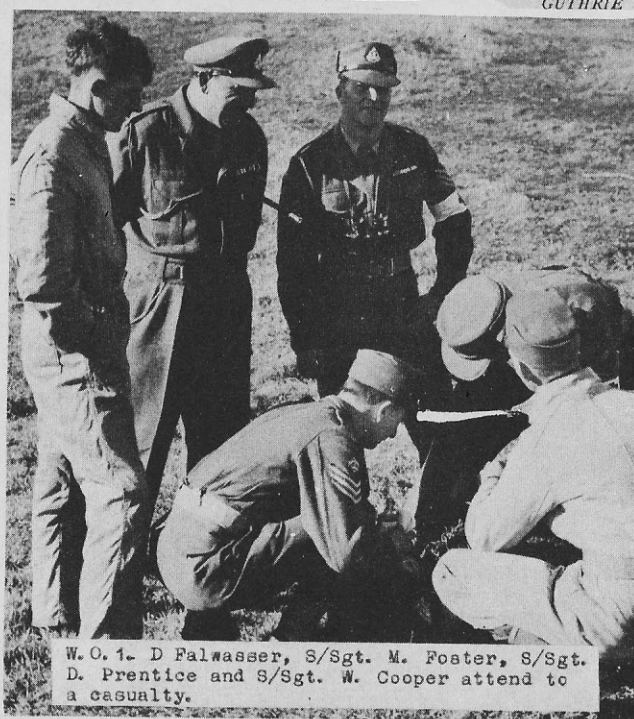
The army's new Bat Anti Tank gun.

Left: Don't ask us to get too technical but this is what the infantry knock tanks out with. It's not cheap - those shells cost £55 each, and they're only practice ones.

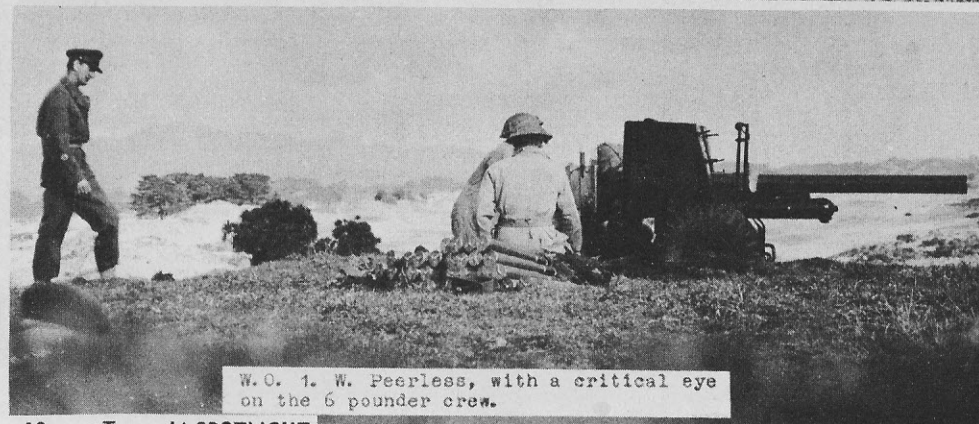
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Sgt. Bob Sharrock is king of his castle



W.O. 1. D Falwasser, S/Sgt. M. Foster, S/Sgt. D. Prentice and S/Sgt. W. Cooper attend to a casualty.



W.O. 1. W. Peerless, with a critical eye on the 6 pounder crew.

Left: this is what used to be the thing for tanks, a six pounder, dug in. Above left: the older soldier calls it a Bren, the new generation, a universal carrier.



Lieut. B. Rudd supervises the vickers.

ON TARGET

Left: The old Vickers, still the best machine gun of them all.

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To show the people what the Territorials have to offer the 1st Battalion W. W. C. T. Regiment put on a display of the latest and the best weapons that the infantry have in these days of atomic rockets. Small boys, pretty girls and quizzical parents all came.



Interested spectators inspecting the rangefinder normally used with the vickers.



Communications between guns and base.



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ALL ON WHEELS

Here on left are the members of the New Plymouth Amateur Roller Skating Club. Below:middle the birthday tea, attended by Mr E. P. Aderman M. P. and bottom a "snake" formed as members skate their way around the rink.

FECK - LOBB:

Peggy, daughter of Mrs Z. M. Lobb, Wrantage Street, New Plymouth, married Ross, son of Mr and Mrs C. Feck, New Plymouth, at St Mary's. Mrs Annette Vincent was matron of honour, Robyn Loveridge flowergirl, and the groom's brother Max was best man.



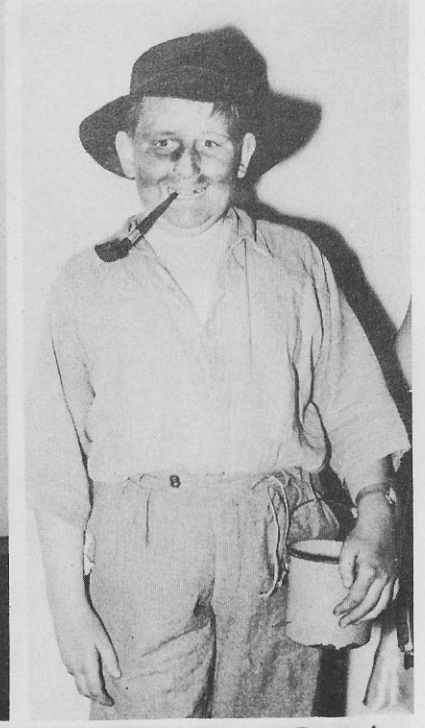
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AT THE BALL

Some of the costumes seen at the Bell Block school's fancy dress ball.

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FUN AT HURFORD RD. CONCERT



Fashion was the theme at the Hurford Road variety concert. See the glamorous ballet Top left and top right with teacher Mrs Smallman looking anxious. Know any of them. In case you're not up with the latest "lines" here's Spot Light's preview. Centre left: the "Lines" with their compere Mrs Joyce Gudopp. Above: Mrs Gudopp. Bottom left: Laundry line (Mrs Joy Falconer) and bottom centre "Night Line" (Yvonne Smith).

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More "lines" that Paris doesn't know. Top left: "Salad line" (Mrs Nell Wood). Top centre: "Pasture Line" (Mrs Bessie Berridge). Top right: "Pumpkin line" (Mrs Doreen Bayly). Centre left: "Lamp line" (Mrs Nita Brett). Centre: "Poultry line" (Pat Spence). Above: "Milk line" (Mrs Dorothy Parkes).

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GARCIA - HEAD: Jocelyn, daughter of Mr and Mrs C. W. Head, Oakura, married Barry, son of the late Mr and Mrs J. Garcia, at St Andrew's New Plymouth. Mrs Phyllis Wood was matron of honour, Joan Boulter and Hilaire Hammonds bridesmaids and Denis Garcia best man.

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*they will live at
Wellington*



MEREDITH-MITCHELL: Dora, daughter of Mr and Mrs T. G. Mitchell, Tannahill Street, Hawera, married Brian, son of Mr and Mrs F. O. Meredith, Southport, Lancashire, England, at St Mary's, Hawera. Robin Mitchell and Dennis Patullo were the attendants, with Paul Huffin as page boy. They will live at Wellington.

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WED AT ST. MARY'S

left and below

HILLS - LIDDALL:

Rosemary, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Liddall, Govett Avenue, New Plymouth, married Dudley, son of Mr and Mrs E. Hills, of the same street, at St Mary's. Lorraine Wheeler and Ailsa McCrone were bridesmaids, Trevor Coleman best man and Rodney Duncan groom's man.

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Above and right LOCK - TUNNICLIFF: Fay, daughter of Mr and Mrs P. L. Tunnicliff, Inglewood, married Colin Lock, at the Anglican Church, Inglewood. Doreen Tunnicliff, Coreen Lock, Robert Holyoake and Leslie Tunnicliff were the attendants.



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a happy group for that lovely day

DOHERTY - KRUK: Maria Kruk, married John Rolston, son of Mr and Mrs E. M. Doherty, 77 Wallath Road, at St Joseph's New Plymouth, with Beverley Bateman and Elizabeth Ott as bridesmaids, and Herbert O'Donnell and Patrick Doherty attending the groom. Christine Byers was the flowergirl.



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Wed at Hawera

RAYNER

SKIPPER

Miriama, daughter of Mr D. and the late Mrs Skipper, Okaiawa, married Barry Alan, son of Mr and Mrs J. C. Rayner, Mt. Eden, Auckland, at the Methodist Church, Hawera. Margaret Skipper and Joy Moeahu, John Rayner and Warren Brice were the attendants and Huia Ranui was the flowergirl. They will live at Hawera.

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BIG SMILES
FOR THE
BIG DAY

Smiles at the church



ELGAR - EDWARDS:
Jocelyn,
daughter of Mr and
Mrs B. D. Edwards,
Mangawhero Road,
Eltham, married
Neil, son of Mr
and Mrs K. Elgar,
Rosalind Street,
Stratford, at the
Methodist Church,
Eltham. Shona
Charteris (chief)
and Joy Edwards
were the brides-
maids, Kaye Elgar
flowergirl, Kerry
O'Sullivan and
Graeme Vivien
attended the
groom.

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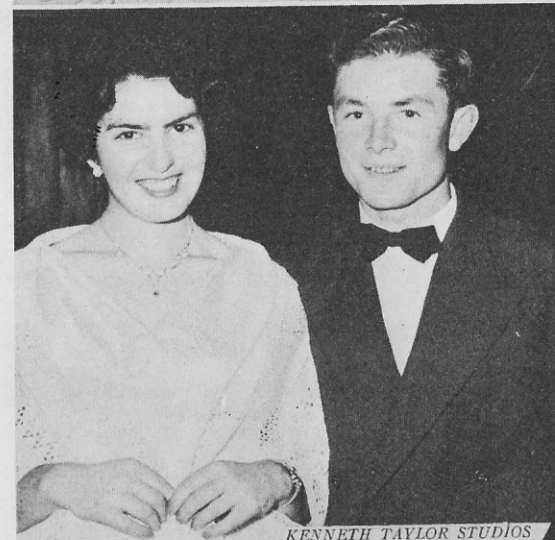


YOUNG FARMERS BALL

Just to prove that life is not all work with no play the Oakura Young Farmers' Club staged a ball. If these lasses are in the district then farming should become popular.



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Above: More reasons why young men should take up farming at Oakura, and join the Young Farmer's Club there, and so go to this ball. Below and right: No wonder Colleen Stewart is smiling. She's 21, below: with family and engaged to Dick Watkins right.



21ST
BIRTHDAY



AN ARRESTING MOMENT!

Anything went - to court on the final day of the Eltham Football Club's Carnival. Here the Mayor Mr E. J. Taylor, who sells cycles is going to be charged with trying to sell penny farthing cycles.



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Top right: "Cop" Roy Jones says "No smoke, no fire", but gets fined too. Right: "Judge" Haycock delivers a stern sentence. Lower left: It's no use Mr C. Cassels, manager of the N. Z. Rennet Co, trying to say that Gruyere cheese is a holy cheese for eating on Sundays. He gets fined too.



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Below and right: Patricia Dolly McKay, fourth daughter of Mr and Mrs G. McKay, Barrett Road, New Plymouth had her 21st birthday supper cooked in hangi style.



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CHAMPION FOURS



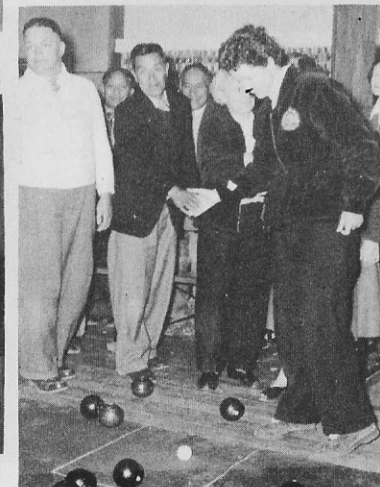
Runners - up



Third place. L. to r. Mesdames Hoskins, Walker, Eriwata and Mr B. Martin (skip).



Fourth L. to r. J. and Mrs Dryden, Mr and Mrs A. Davies (Kaponga).



DREW THE SHOT

Below left: the winning shot, and above D. Davis sends it away. Far left: the Taranaki president and secretary with their wives.

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CONNELL STUDIOS

Married at Opunake

FROST - MUNDT: Doreen Mundt, married Bryce, son of Mr and Mrs A. L. Frost, Eltham Rd, Te Kiri, at Our Lady Star of The Sea, Opunake. Waveney Frost, Brenda Beer, Garry Beer and Robert Mundt were the attendants.

Below: Woodleigh Womens' Institute gained second place at the recent drama festival at New Plymouth, with "On A Spring Morning" L. to r. back, Mesdames D. Rogers, Betty Black, Edith Enderby. Front: Misses Janette Ross, Rei Vendenberg, Mesdames Judith Stenhouse, Ella Patchett.



CONNELL STUDIOS



HENRY MCGEE CANDIDS



WISNEWSKI-POTROZ: Barbara, daughter of Mr and Mrs M. L. Potroz, Everett Road, married Brian, son of Mr and Mrs B. J. Wisniewski, at the Sacred Heart Church, Inglewood, with Misses V. Lamb, T. Wisniewski, Ted Potroz and M. Potroz as attendants.



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REEVE - KEYSTONE
Denise Keystone, married Eric Lewis Reeve, at The Inglewood Methodist Church, with Marlene Roberts and Wallace Reeve as bridesmaid and best man respectively. They will live at Inglewood.



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BISHOP - BUTLER: Shona Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. P. Butler, Toko, married David Ross, son of Mr and Mrs N. J. Bishop, Te Popo, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception Stratford, with Norah Boyle, Teresa Keegan and Delia Butler as bridesmaids and George Bishop and Desmond Butler attending the groom.

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Married at St. John's Hawera

SNOWDEN

SOOTHILL

Lorna, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. Soothill, Okaiawa, married Rex, son of Mr and Mrs P.W. Snowden, Carrington Street, New Plymouth, at St John's, Hawera. Mrs Mildred Nagel as matron of honour Barbara Snowden as bridesmaid and Annette Nagel as flowergirl, Trevor and Bob Snowden attended the groom.

DAVID PAUL STUDIOS



HENRY McGEE CANDIDS

Above: Barry Peterson, who lives at Tataraimaka, celebrated his 21st birthday with his parents at the Tataraimaka Hall.



DAVID PAUL STUDIOS



A KILMISTER

GOLD STAR FOR SERVICE
25 years faithful service brought Sub Officer G. G. Buckley the coveted Gold Star award at Stratford recently. Left: United Fire Brigades Secretary, Mr H. L. Warner presents the gold star. Below: 1. to r. Mr D. S. Butcher, past president U. F. B. A., Stratford's Chief Fire Officer, W. J. Brocklebank, Messrs Warner and Buckley. Below: businessmen' and Brigades' gifts and Mr and Mrs Buckley.



A KILMISTER



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Right: Dorothy Hendry, who celebrated her 21st birthday at a party at the Excelsior Hall, seen with her mother.

21ST. BIRTHDAY



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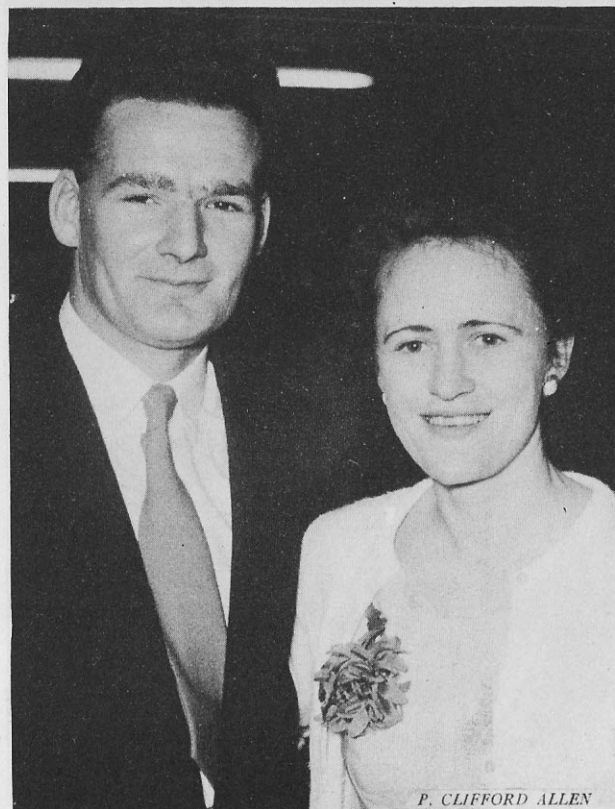


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STEIGER-MOORE: Valerie Jean, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. G. Moore, Manaia Road, Kaponga, married Louis Bernard, son of Mr and Mrs Steiger, Rotokare Road, Eltham, at St Joseph's, Eltham. Betty Neil, Doris and Ann Moore and Joe Steiger were the attendants.

Left: Jenee Josephine, youngest daughter of Mrs and the late Mr C. C. Limmer, Domett Street, Waitara, whose engagement has been announced to Sydney James, son of Mr and Mrs S. P. Roberts, Gasson Street, Christchurch.

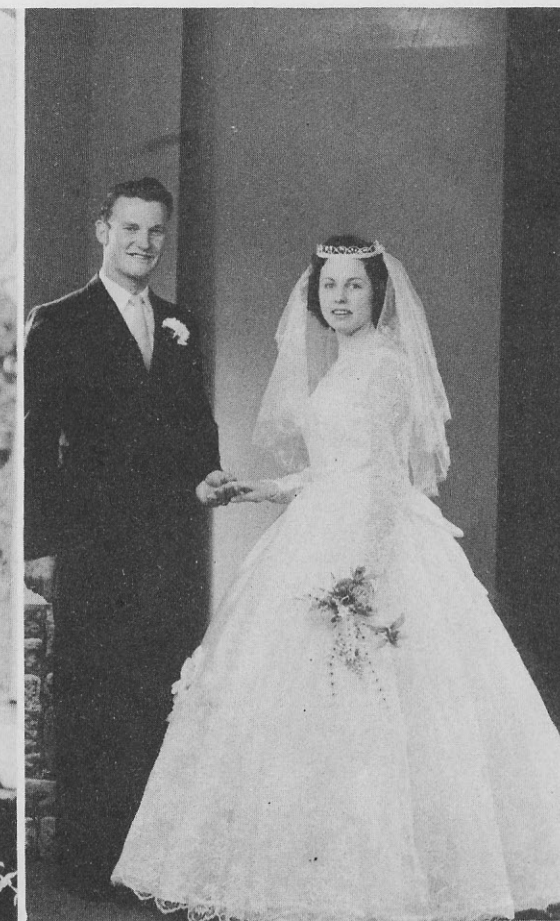
Below: Bernard, son of Mr and Mrs P. R. Coleman South Road, Inaha, celebrated his 21st, birthday at a party in the Tokaora Hall.



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DAVID PAUL STUDIOS



WALSH - KEMP Annette, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. N. Kemp, New Plymouth, married Anthony, son of Mr and Mrs Walsh, New Plymouth at St Andrew's. Joan Gomez and Noeline Kemp, Andrew Haldane and Peter Savage were the attendants.



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Karen, Dianne and Wendy Armstrong watch eagerly while Christine tries to blow out her three candles.



CARLYLE STUDIOS



COLLINSON STUDIOS

CRAWFORD
HANDLEY
Rita May,
daughter of Mrs
M. Handley, 14
Suffolk Street,
Patea, married
Patrick Edward,
son of Mr T.
Crawford,
Whenuakura, at
St Patrick's
Patea. Mrs N.
Fisher and Don
Williams were
the attendants.
They will live
at Patea.



SMILES AND CONFETTI ALL COME AT ONCE



RAYNER - FREWIN:
Betty Margaret,
daughter of Mr and
Mrs Frewin, New
Plymouth, married
Shirley, son of
Mr and Mrs Rayner,
New Plymouth, at
St Andrew's.
Elaine Gyde and
Valerie Frewin
were bridesmaids,
Owen and Valentine
Frewin best man
and groomsman
respectively.

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Left and middle:
AGNEW - HAIGH:

Monica Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs G. Haigh, Kahui Road, Rahotu married Raymond Kevin, son of Mr and Mrs L. Agnew, Warea Rd, Okato, at the Methodist Church, Okato. Jeanette Pentelow, Patricia Haigh, George Haigh and Murray Agnew were the attendants.

KENYON - CRABBE: Jeannine Adeline, daughter of Mr and Mrs C. Crabbe, Anderson St, Morrinsville, married Kebbel James, son of Mrs J. Kenyon, Dunedin, at Knox Church Morrinsville. They will live at Stratford.

KENNETH TAYLOR STUDIOS



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BRIGHT-SPARKES:

Judith May, daughter of Mr and Mrs L. E. Sparkes, Te Awamutu, married David Leslie, son of Mr and Mrs J. Bright, Pungarehu at St Joseph's, Pungarehu, with Marion and Dorothy Sparkes and Evan and Ian Bright as the attendants.



KENNETH TAYLOR STUDIOS



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HAWERA MARRIAGE



IRENE ROTA STUDIOS



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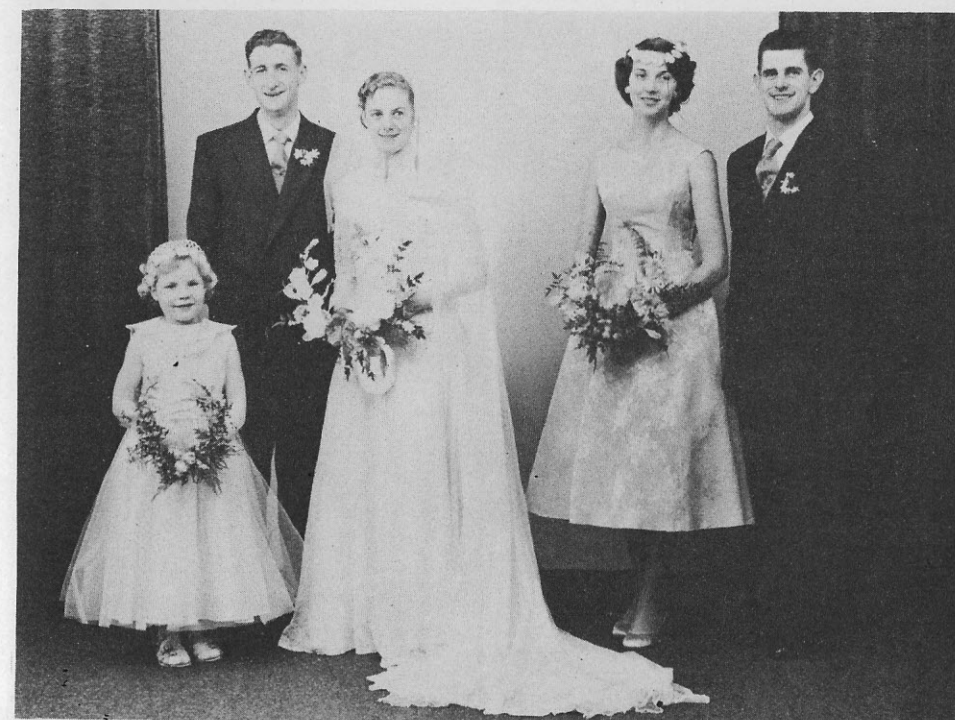
Jennifer Helen, daughter of Mrs A. Tobeck, Dixon Avenue, married John Stuart, son of Mr and Mrs J. Grieve, Gore, at St John's Hawera. Mrs Dorothy Dee was matron of honour, Alison Muir bridesmaid and Jill Knightbridge flowergirl. Duncan Brockett and Keith Ashby attended the groom.

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DUFFY - SCOWN: Shirley, daughter of Mr and Mrs G. R. Scown, Manutahi, married Brian, son of Mr and Mrs E. J. Duffy, 63 Union Street, Hawera at St John's Hawera. Miss J. Scown was bridesmaid and Gail Scown flowergirl and Tony Smith best man. The bride's brothers Harvey and Russell have both played Rugby for Taranaki as has the groom who played for Taranaki in 1958.



Right: Patricia, daughter of Mr and the late Mrs A. D. Cargo, who had her 21st and announced her engagement to Donald, son of Mr and Mrs C. A. Sanson, Huntly, at New Plymouth.



Wedding Bells

SUTTON

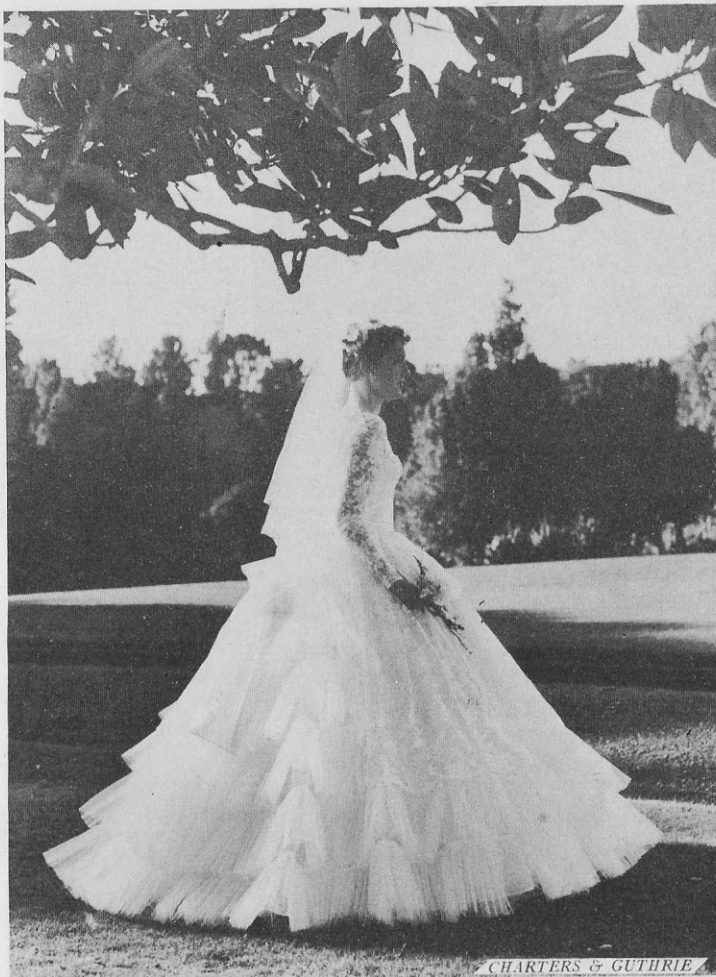
JUDD

Lorna, daughter of Mr and Mrs I. W. V. Judd, Disraeli Street, Hawera, married Raymond, son of Mr and Mrs A. H. Sutton, South Road, at St Joseph's Hawera. Val Cuaby and Jack Cameron were the attendants and Gwenda Judd, the flowergirl.

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Married at
St. Joseph's



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MCDONALD - MUIR: Delys, daughter of Mr and Mrs C. V. Muir, Okato, married Terence, son of Mr and Mrs J. McDonald, Spotswood, at St Mary's, New Plymouth. Nola Muir, Val Rielly, Joy McDonald, were maids, Peter McDonald, Terry Muir and Barry Duggan attended the groom.

Below: Joan McKeown, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. W. McKeown, 219 Tukapo Street, was the guest at a surprise party at her home, on her 21st. She is the eldest daughter.



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MEETING AT ELTHAM

Left: At this meeting a womens' section of the National Party was formed at Eltham.

Below: Manni King at his 21st birthday party at Manala.

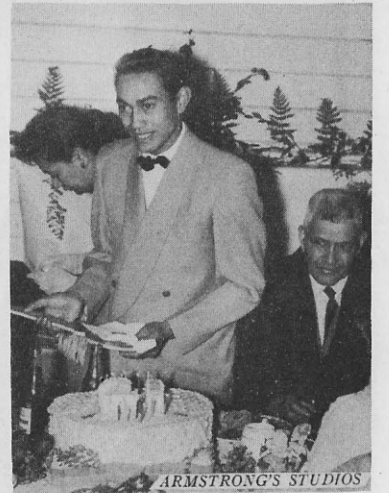
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Left: Mhyre, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Collins, Seymour Street, Waitara, who celebrated her 21st birthday party at the Tikorangi Hall.

Below: Mr and Mrs G. Avery, of Tututawa, who celebrated their silver wedding at Mrs J. Reith's home Strathmore.



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MARRIED AT OKATO



JONES - GOODWIN: Molly, daughter of Mrs M. Goodwin, Okato, married Brian, son of Mrs G. B. Jones, Sewall Road, Okato, at St Joseph's Okato. Margaret Rook and Russell Moore were the attendants.

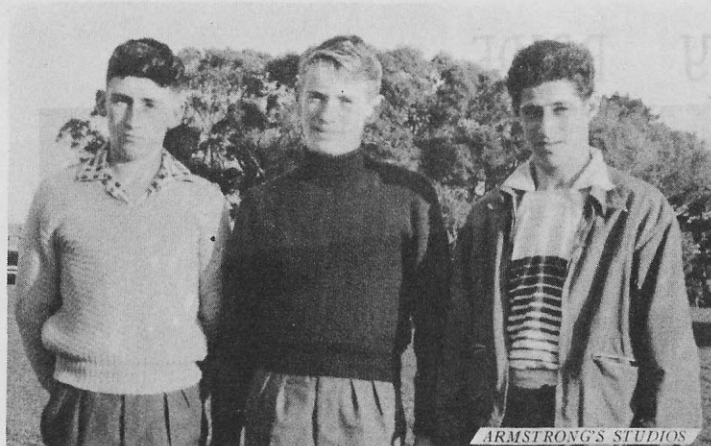
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ARMY BRIDE



FERRY - DREWERY: Pamela Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs L. G. Drewery, St Hill Street, Wanganui, married Peter son of Mr and Mrs F. Ferry, at Holy Trinity, Fitzroy. Wendy Drewery and Ronald Perigo were attendants.

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TARAMAKI CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPS

Below: the seniors. L. to r. T. Verney (N.P.) 2nd, E. O'Keefe (Hawera) 1st, C. Humphries (N.P.) 3rd. left: Colts, P. Enright (Hawera) 2nd, R. Sexton (N.P.) 1st, J. Winter (Western Districts) 3rd. Juniors: R. Simpson (Hawera) 2nd, B. Rose (N.P.) 1st - a nephew of Randolph Rose - T. Davies (Hawera) 3rd.



Above: Roger Urbahn, Eltham's All Black is presented with a suitcase by Sam Jones and Raewyn Moore on behalf of the Eltham primary school pupils. He is a teacher there.

Right: Marion, daughter of Mr and Mrs N. J. Burnett, cuts her 21st birthday cake at her Waitui home.

Something to Celebrate



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GOLDEN WEDDING

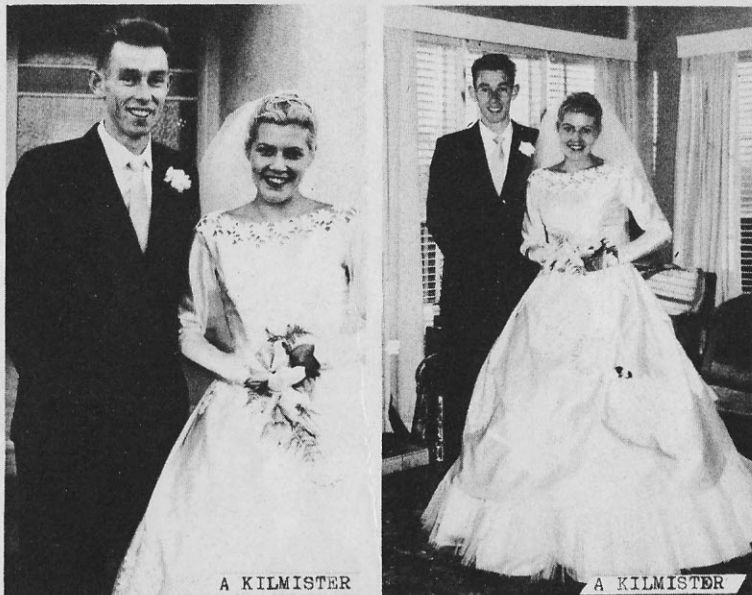
Mr and Mrs W. Walker, of Mania, celebrated their 50 years of marriage at the Kapuni Hall with friends and relatives. Right: Mr Walker with his two brothers, Gordon of Waverley, and L. Walker of Gisborne. Above left: Mr and Mrs Walker cut their cake.

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Glennie Richards and Allan Bridgeman, announced their engagement at a party at the Buffalo Hall, Fitzroy and are seen with their parents and Glennie's brothers and sisters.

Engagement Party



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They will live in Tauranga

BUTCHER - MERSON:

Fay, daughter of Mr and Mrs D. S. Butcher, Stratford, married Neil son of Mr and Mrs C. Merson, Auckland, at the Methodist Church, Stratford. Irene Nikolai and Peter Dunn were the attendants, and Tena Collier the flowergirl. They will live at Tauranga.



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SHEARD CHAPMAN:

Unice Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. C. Chapman, Princess Street, Waitara, married Ira John Blackley, son of Mrs C. and the late Mr Sheard, Urenui, at St Andrew's New Plymouth. Mrs Elsie Grainger was matron of honour and Mr Mick Jackson best man. Jeanette Haigh flowergirl and Roger Grainger page boy.

HERE ARE THE 'BE-BOPS'

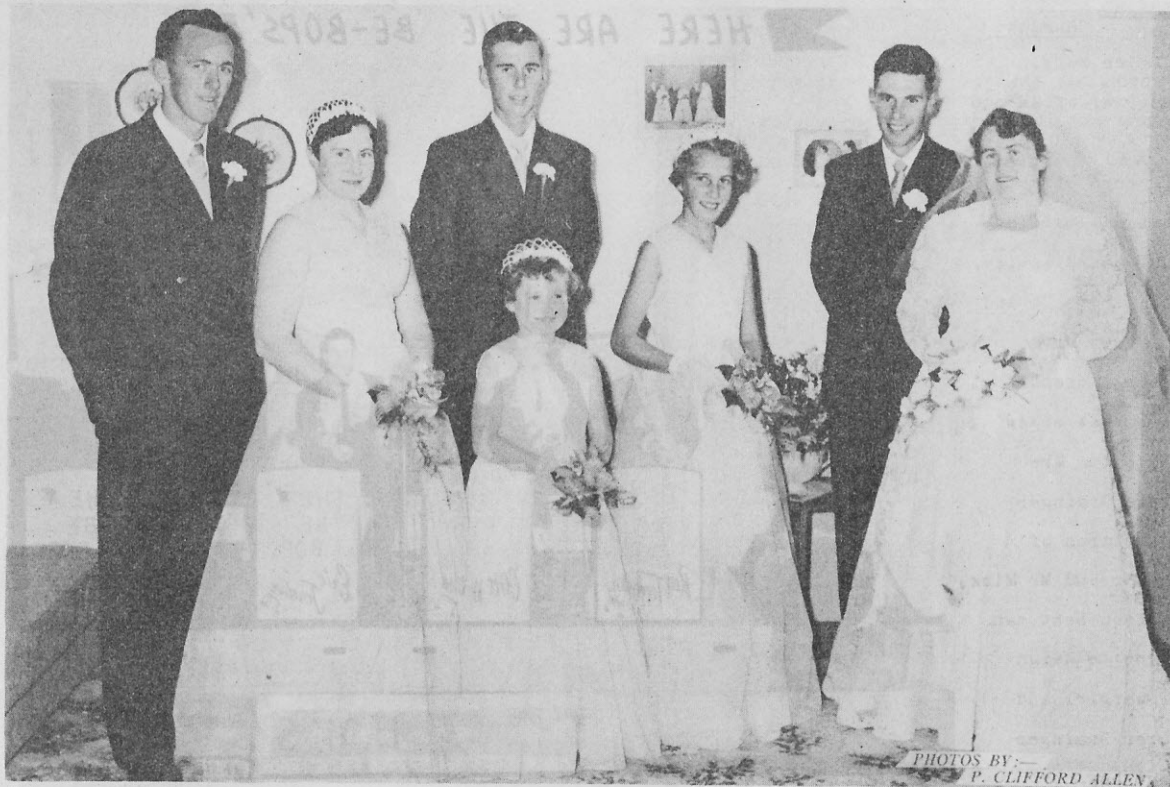


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MORATTI-VERY: Gracie Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. I. Phillips, Pukearohu, married George Henry, son of Mr and Mrs J. W. Moratti, Motonui, at Calvin Presbyterian Church, Urenui. Marion Weeden and Marion Moratti were bridesmaids, Don Jury, best man and Peter Moratti groomsmen. Suzanne Chard flowergirl.



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Married at New Plymouth

VANNER

DEVERY:

Lois Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Devery, Doone Street New Plymouth, married John Murry, son of Mr and Mrs Vanner, Pungarehu, at St Joseph's New Plymouth. Elenor Elliot, Norma Blanchard, Noelene Lawless were the bridesmaids, with Pat and Dick Vanner and Rex Lawless attending the groom. They will live at Pungarehu.

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SAYWELL-GIBSON: Sylvia Jean, daughter of Mr and Mrs Bilski, Bristol Road, married Colin George, son of Mr and Mrs W. Saywell, Douglas, at Knox Church, Inglewood. Jean Gammon, Tui Nicholls, Neil Saywell and Rob Gibson were the attendants, and one small girl held up proceedings somewhat.



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Married at Stratford

MCCOARD

HINTZ:

Noeline Winifred, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. R. Hintz, Kioore, married John Henry, son of Mr and Mrs E. McCoard, Stratford, at the Presbyterian Church, Stratford. Beryl Hughson was matron of honour and Vivienne Hintz bridesmaid. Ernest Moody and Peter McCoard attended the groom. They will live at Kaponga.

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Waitara Golf Club



Some years ago, there formed in the minds of several Waitara people, the idea of starting a golf.. club handy to the town. An area of land thought suitable for this purpose was found at the end of Mouatt Street, Waitara East, and a rather formidable task of clearing 76 acres of lupin was.....



.....undertaken by consent of an initial meeting in July 1951. The photographs on this page, give some idea of the undertaking. The land running along the sea coast, was by nature, sandy loam and the preservation of the top soil of considerable importance. A tractor equipped.....



....with a scrub cutting attachment, was purchased in January 1952, and the work began in earnest. The lupin was cut and allowed to rot, thus providing further rich soil. 6 short holes were played on in the 1953 season, and at that time a caravan was used as a club house. It is to..



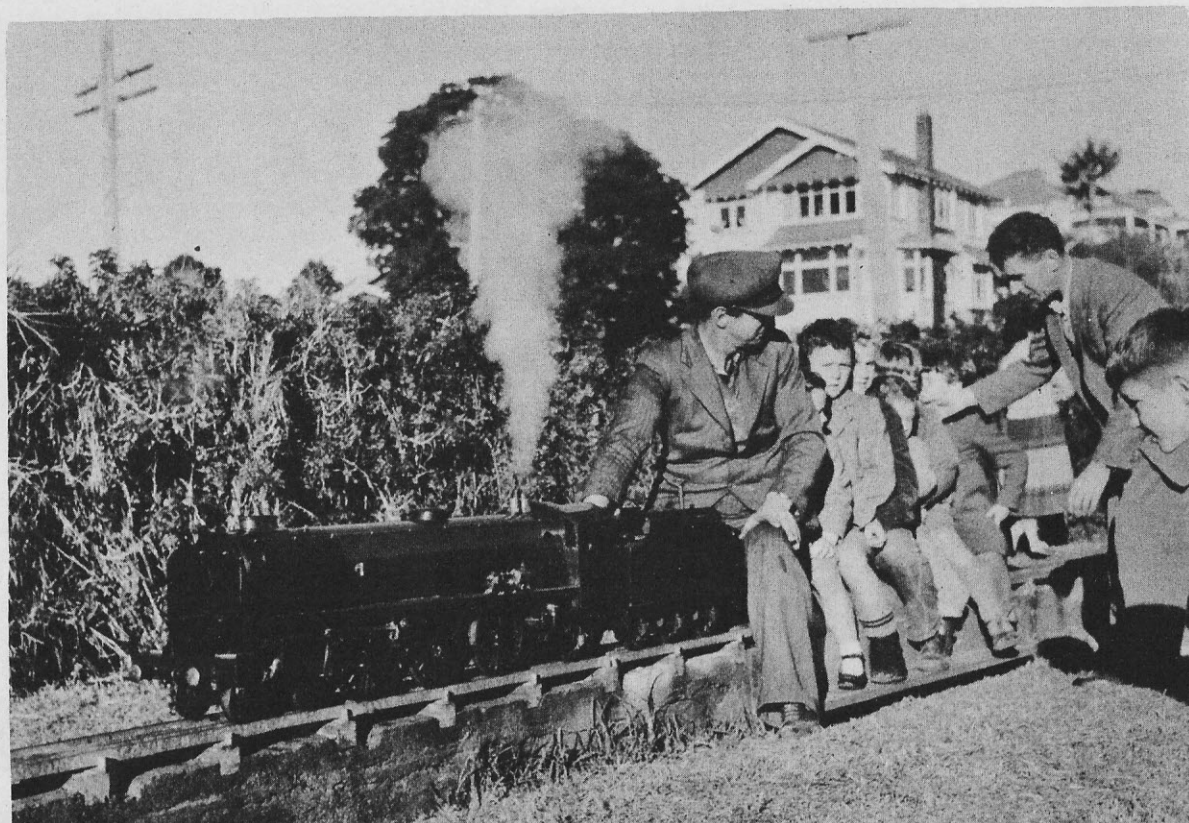
.....the great credit of the members, who provided most, if not all labour on a purely voluntary basis. The many hours of work and sweat produced a nine hole course which was opened in June of...



....1955. As further clearances were made and as more of the area was brought in, this nine hole course was extended, and the present nine holes have been played on since 1956. In the next year water to the greens was installed. It is to the great credit of the Waitara Golf Club that..



.....from lupin, some of which stood 10 feet high, there has emerged a course catering for 90 members.



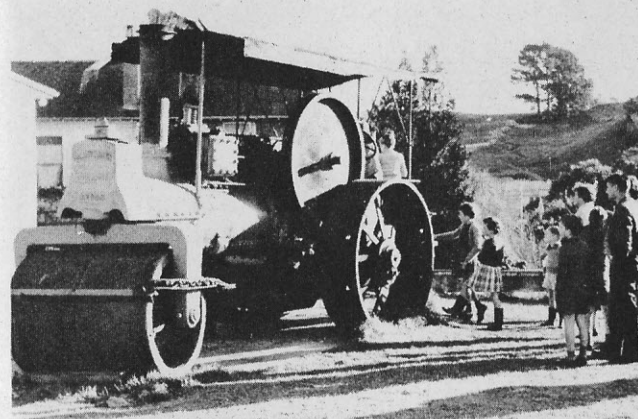
Its all-aboard and off we go. - A very popular feature for young and old is the New Plymouth Model Engineers Club, whose premises may be found on the corner of Gilbert and Liardet Street.

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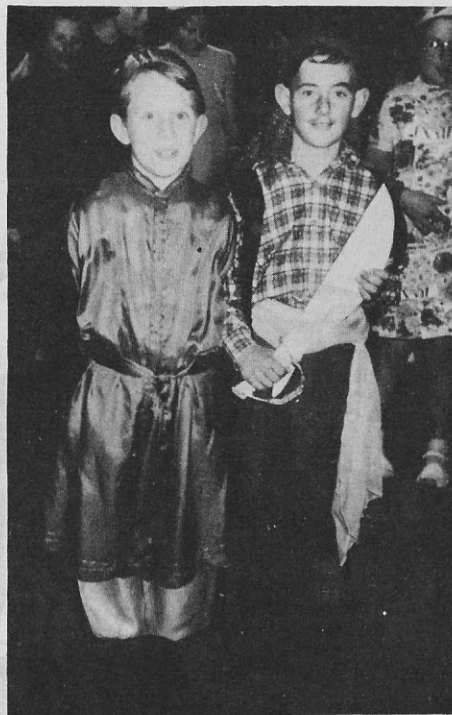


Above: Minor repairs done on the spot. Above right: a queue of children awaiting their turn. Below: Probably responsible for many good roads in the past this traction engine finds repose and good fun for children.

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At the primary schools' 7 aside at Waitara Mervyn Preston of Waitara East School, scores a beauty.



Some tough guys and pretty dolls at MATAPU SCHOOL ANNUAL FANCY DRESS

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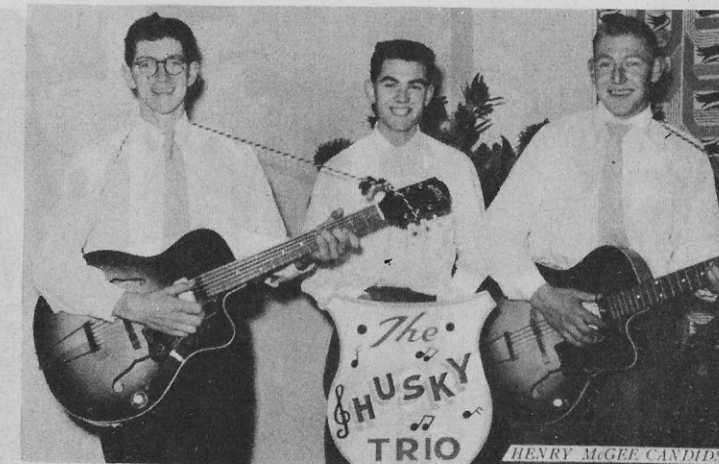
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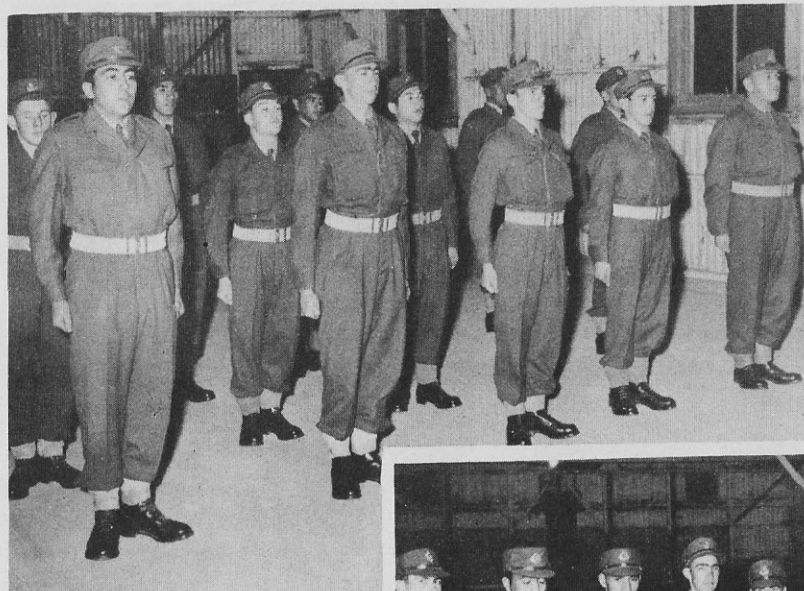
Above: David, son of Mr and Mrs W. E. Black, Alton, who celebrated his 21st, birthday at his parents home. David is a well known and successful member of the Hawera Amature Cycling Club. Above left: David's mother presents him with the key. Left: With the family.

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Above: The popular Husky Trio Vocal Group. Messrs Robert Bradshaw, Malchom Bunyon, who plays with drum brushes on a callendar, and Len Jones.



WAITARA UNIT 2nd Field Ambulance

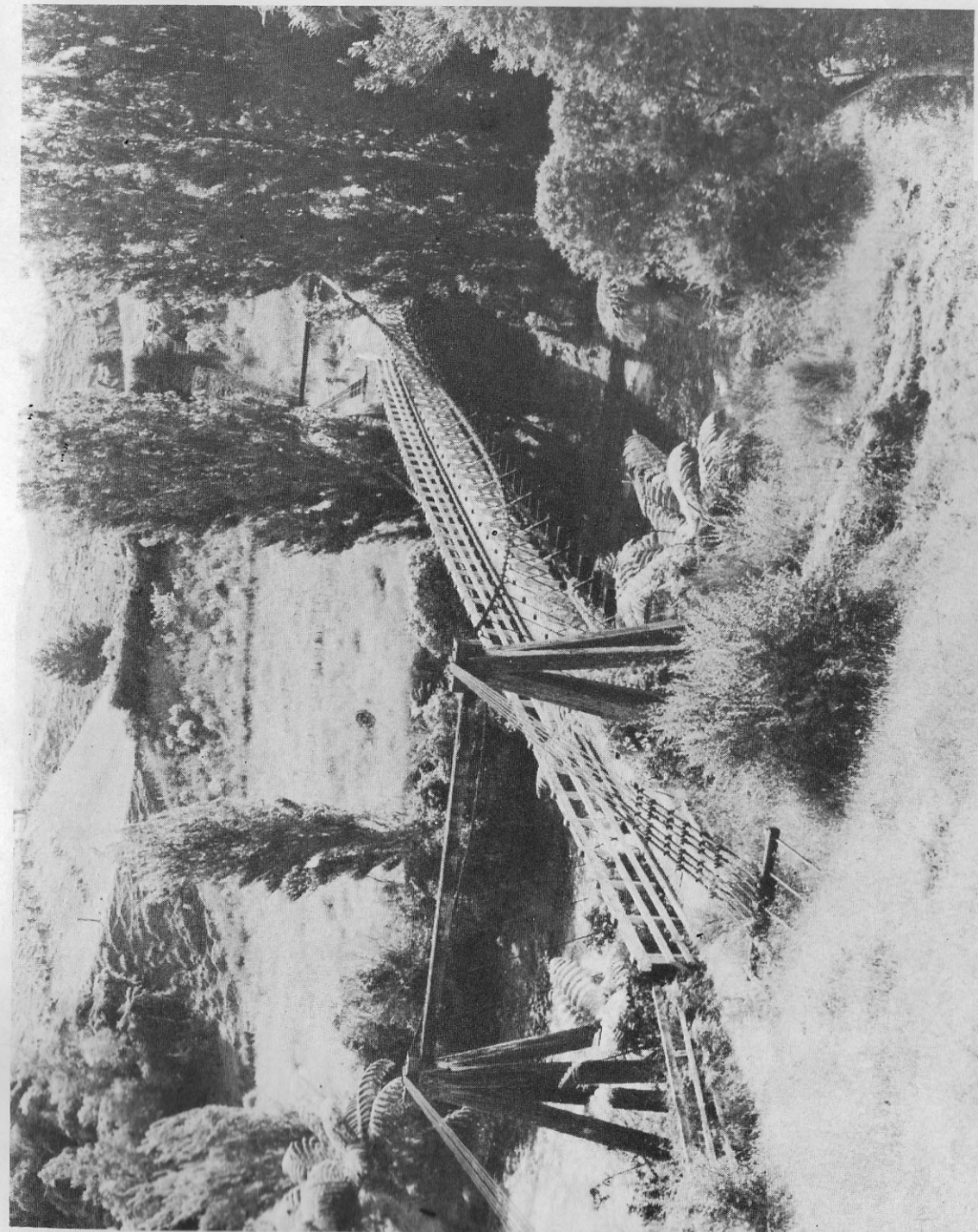
Recently in Waitara the Army held its first parade for over 20 years. This unit was formed after the recent introduction of the new Volunteer Territorials, and a very pleasing response has been obtained. In command of this Waitara Unit is W. O. 1 D. Falwasser, who will welcome enquiries from Waitara boys 17 years and over. Top: On parade- Centre: some of the volunteers. Below left: S/Sgt. W. Cooper, briefing recruits. Below right: L. to r. R. Sgt. Lawrence, S/Sgt. W. Cooper and W. O. 1 D. Falwasser.



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This picturesque swing bridge, of which few of its kind remain, still provides a well used link between Tikerangi and Hui-sangi, inland from Waitara.



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