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OUR COVER

Just in case you've still got the Budget blues, we thought you might like a picture of a pretty girl free of income tax, surtax, social security tax or land tax. And to get down to tin tacks, the girl with the bright smile is Loris Hill, of New Plymouth. Actually she popped up Mt Egmont with us with the intention of a ski-ing picture or too. Trouble was that the snow wasn't deep enough and she finished up heaving large and moist snowballs at the photographer. And that is something he did not budget for....

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Above left: The impressive Rahotu School jubilee cake is cut with due ceremony.

Above right: A proud smile and it's justified--she made the cake.

Below left: Behind every successful function a lot of people do a lot of work and very seldom do the people on the receiving end appreciate just how much they do. When the Rahotu School jubilee dinner was over and the diners were sitting back comfortable thinking back over a magnificent meal the galley slaves were slumped over a cup of tea, almost too weary to sip it. Spare 'em a thought. They deserve it.

Below right: "Blimey, am I glad that's over!"



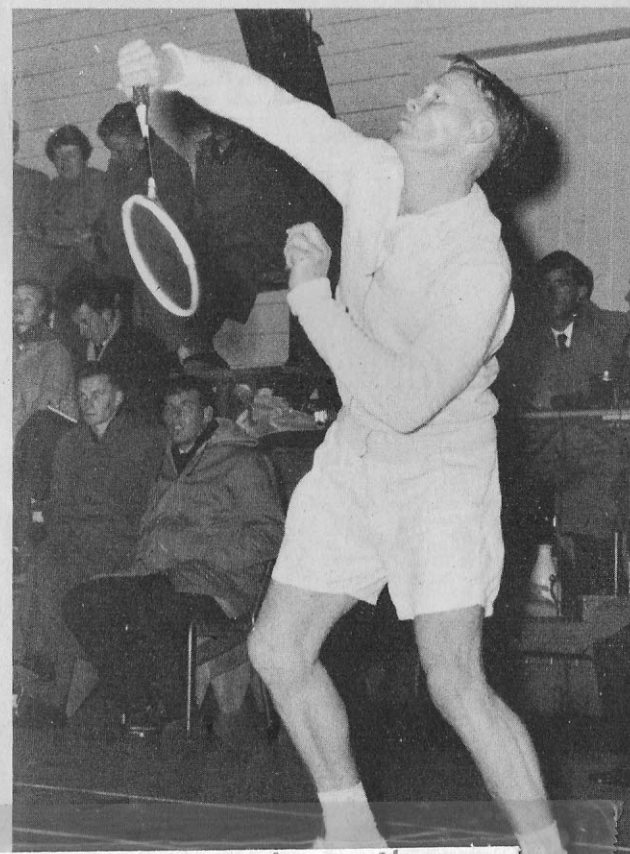
Australian Badminton Players

The touring Australian badminton team made a clean sweep of their match against Taranaki but not without a fight in some games.

Above: Australian and Taranaki players pose together. From left, Amy Pincott (Australia), Owen Clegg (Lepperton), Stephanie Fields (New Plymouth), Roy Brady (Australian manager), June Bevan (Australia), George Robotham (Australia), Audrey Harrison (New Plymouth), Richard Purser (New Plymouth), Alan Telfer (Ratapiko) and Ken Turner (Australia).

Below left: Ken Turner, one of Australia's top players.

Below right: Owen Clegg who gave Turner a good testing.





Taranaki Champions

Recently held at Waitara, the championships of the St. John Ambulance Cadet Division drew a good entry from all over the province. The team photographed here, from the New Plymouth Division, emerged victorious. The boys are from left, Graeme Edgecombe, Graeme Greedy, the leader of the team, and Allan McConnell. In front, Peter McConnell. Well done, boys.

ENGAGED:

Below, left: The engagement is announced between Jean Eliza, second daughter of Mr and Mrs F.P. Olsen, New Plymouth, and Barry Richard, youngest son of Mr and Mrs E.T. Pentecost, New Plymouth.

Below right: The engagement was recently announced of Beverley May, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs T.P. Banks, New Plymouth, to Robert Bruce, second son of Mr and Mrs N.G. Coxhead of Waitara.



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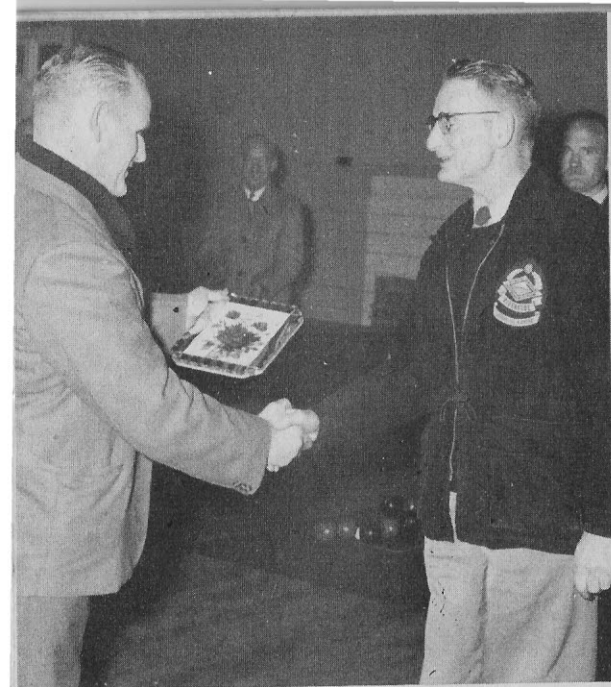


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Central Division Champions

Above: Les Harris, who has won the singles title three years in a row, receives his trophy from Charlie Robinson after the champion of champions event conducted by the Central Division of the Taranaki Indoor Bowls Centre.

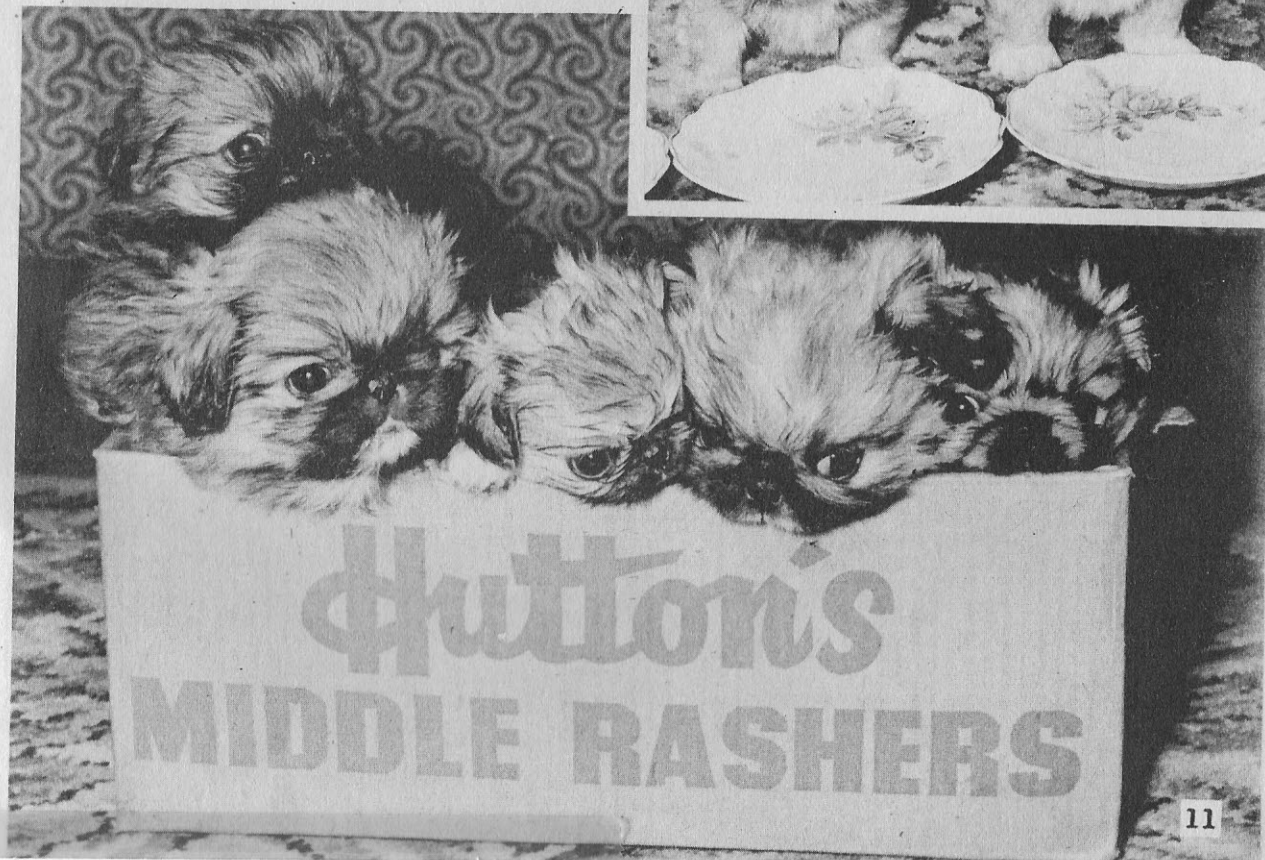
Right: Winners of the pairs title, Mrs Gwen Ellis and Wally Barclay (West End).

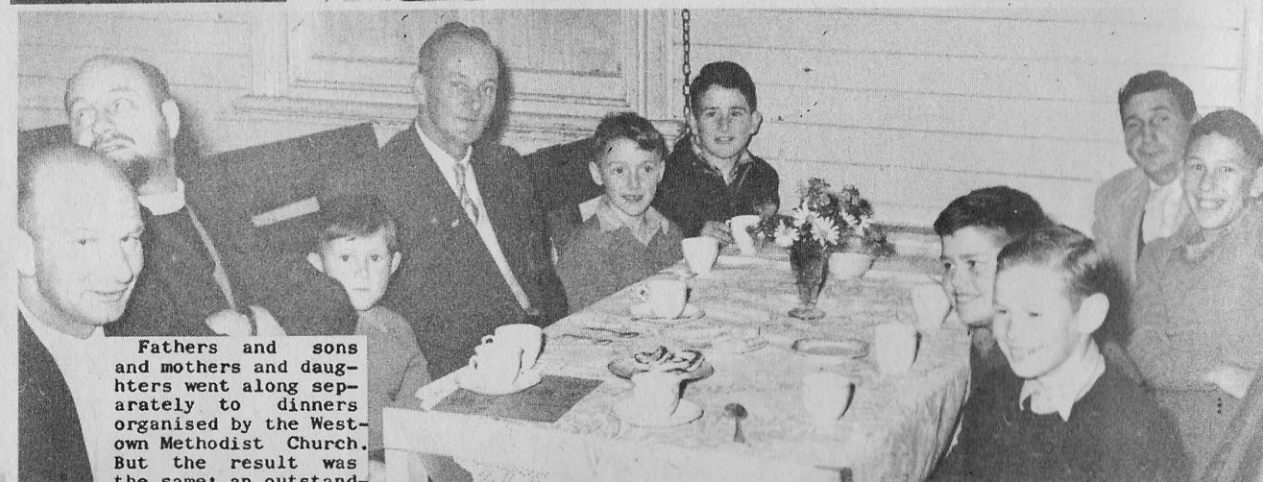
Below: The champion four from the Rotokare club, From left: Peter Paintier (lead), Don Clarke (second), Mrs May Callaghan (third) and Bob Mead (skip).



Perky Pekinese Pups

You'll go a long way before you see such a pretty pack of perky Pekinese pups as these, which were bred by Mrs T.W.Nagle of Burgess Park just out of New Plymouth. When the photographer called, they were busy with their saucers of milk, lined up like the Grenadier Guards, and lapping as fast as any lap dog. First to finish were the two on the right, who came up from the milk with moist beards. Like most puppies, after a tummy-full, they began to romp, and finished up in the rasher box (below), where they all fought to get a front seat, to see what that photographer fellow was doing.





Fathers and sons and mothers and daughters went along separately to dinners organised by the Westown Methodist Church. But the result was the same: an outstanding success.

Top: Dad and the lads have eaten. Now it's time to relax.

Centre: Satisfied smiles after the "inner man" has been satisfied.

Below: Mealtime for the ladies.....looks good too.

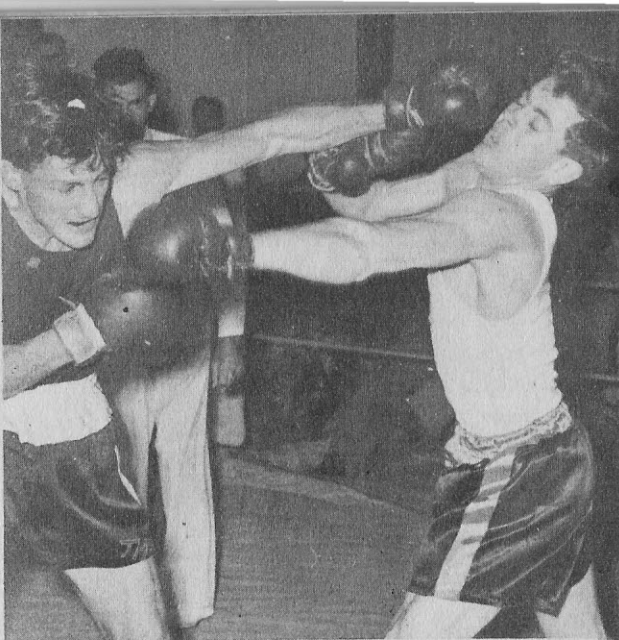


Westown Methodist Dinners

Top: Bearded, ex-navalman Minister, the Rev. F.H.Woodfield, enjoys his meal with the ladies.

Centre: Mum and the girls making just as good a job of demolishing a delicious meal as their male opposite numbers.

Bottom: Sweets coming up, almost certainly with many happy returns.



Boxing Tourney at Normanby

An interesting display of talent was on view at the Normanby Boxing Tournament, before a fair crowd. The programme of over 20 bouts did not conclude much before midnight, but the full programme assured patrons of a good night's sport.

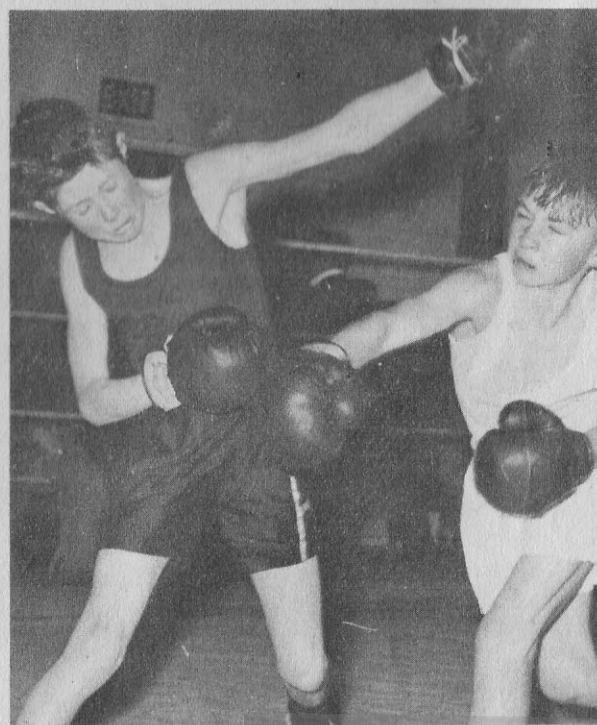
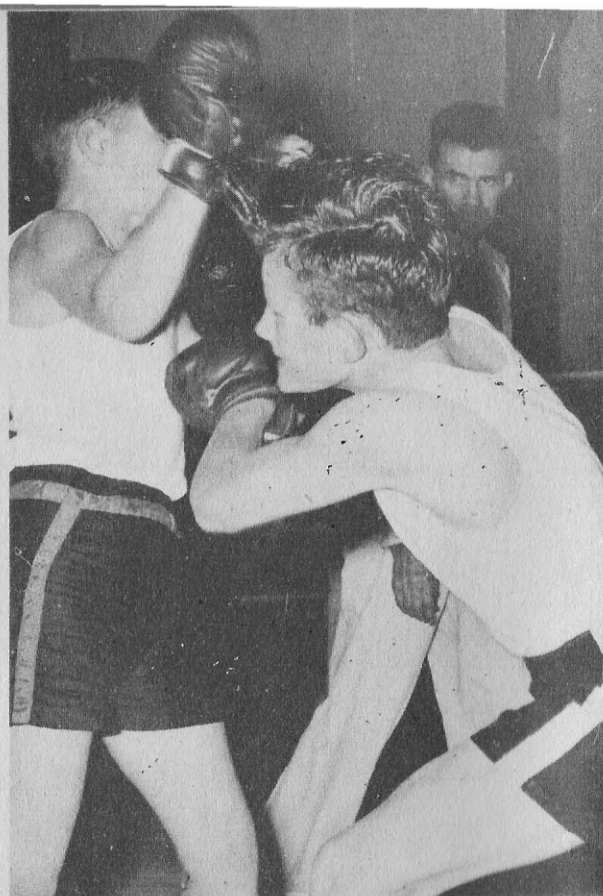
Above, left: T.Hartley (Eltham) dished out a straight left to L.Thomas (Fitzroy) in the main bout of the evening.

Below: J.Mankino (Eltham) in white, with his face covered in blood battles with M.Powell of Rangataua.

Below, right: Another fight that produced the fireworks was that between R.Hayward (Hawera) and R.Doidge (Normanby).



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Resolution Fulfilled

A long time ago a group of people, filled with the spirit of New Year, made a resolution: we will climb to the top of Mt Egmont. And, by jingo, they did too.

Above: The resolute group. Back row, standing: Charlie Coles, Ruth Corry, Arthur Ede, Norm Bowman (an Australian), Rex Vickers (guide) and Bradley Walter. Seated: Pam Stanford, Barry Keats, Joan Walter, Jim Reed, B.Reed, Bill Stanford, Jane Smith (Hamilton) and Colleen Reichardt. Incidentally, the picture was taken on the summit--proof that they got there.

Left: Going up through the snow.

Below: "On the Rocks"--or, "A Bottom near the Top."



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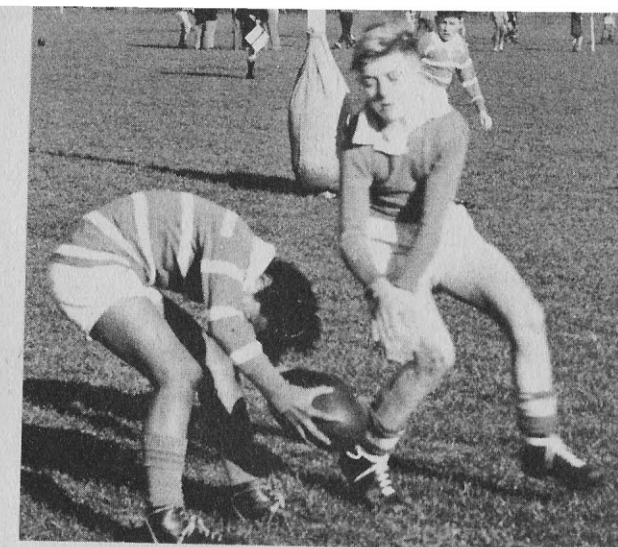
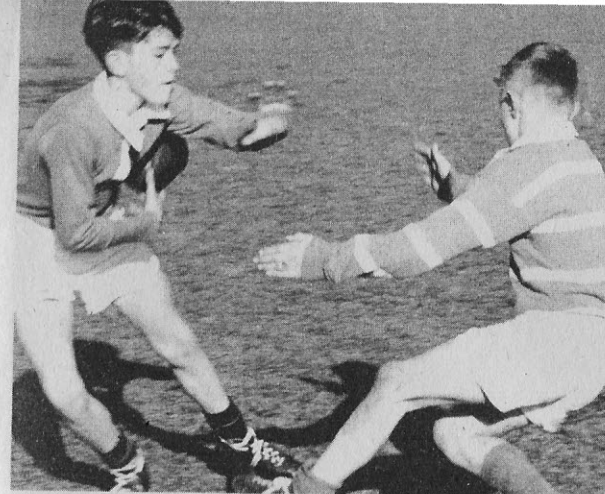
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Celebrations

Above left: Growing old so very gracefully is Mrs Annie Kyle, who recently celebrated her 101st birthday at the Rangimarie Home in New Plymouth. A truly wonderful woman.

Above right: Mr Ted Golding looks for a space between the 80 candles to cut the cake at his recent 80th birthday party. With him is his son, Haydn Golding, of Hamilton.

Left: The engagement has been announced between Jillian Ruth, only daughter of Mr and Mrs W.K.Hutchens, New Plymouth and Ian Gordon, only son of Mr and the late Mrs A.G.Lander.



Young Sports

Top left: Coming up: a classic fend in the Waitara v Devon Blue Rugby match.

Top right: An incident in the Devon Red v N. P. H. S. Carrington game.

Centre left: Richard Veitch (Hawera B) scores against Te Kiri B in the primary schools' hockey tourney at Stratford.

Centre right: Hawera A v Inglewood A.

Bottom: Te Kiri A get past the Inglewood B goalkeeper and a goal is scored.





Debutantes at Stratford

Some 43 debutantes, almost certainly a record for Taranaki, were presented to the auxiliary Bishop of Auckland, the Most Rev R.J. Delargy, at the Taranaki Roman Catholic Ball at the crowded Stratford Memorial Hall.

Above: Back, Margaret Harrington, Gail Herlihy, Valerie Wenzlick, and Gael Jones. Front, Audelle Mackie, Faye Flynn, Linda Kumeroa, Susan Norris, and Kathleen Uhlenberg.

Below: Back, Frances Hopson, Hilary Frost, Margaret Hewes, Helen Kavanagh. Front, Colleen O'Callaghan, Judith Stevenson, Ruth Gerschwiller, Maureen Stachurski and Patricia O'Neill.



Above: Back, Marilyn Butler, Maureen Newport, Joan Goodin, Mary Goodin. Front, Patricia Jarvis, Shona Slaterry, Noreen Dwyer, Colleen Douglas.

Below: Back, Valerie Coley, Ann Coleman, Margaret Mulholland, and Margaret Dudley. Front: Naomi Lane, Margaret Burke, Hannah Dwyer, Kathleen Dwyer, and Kathleen Walton.

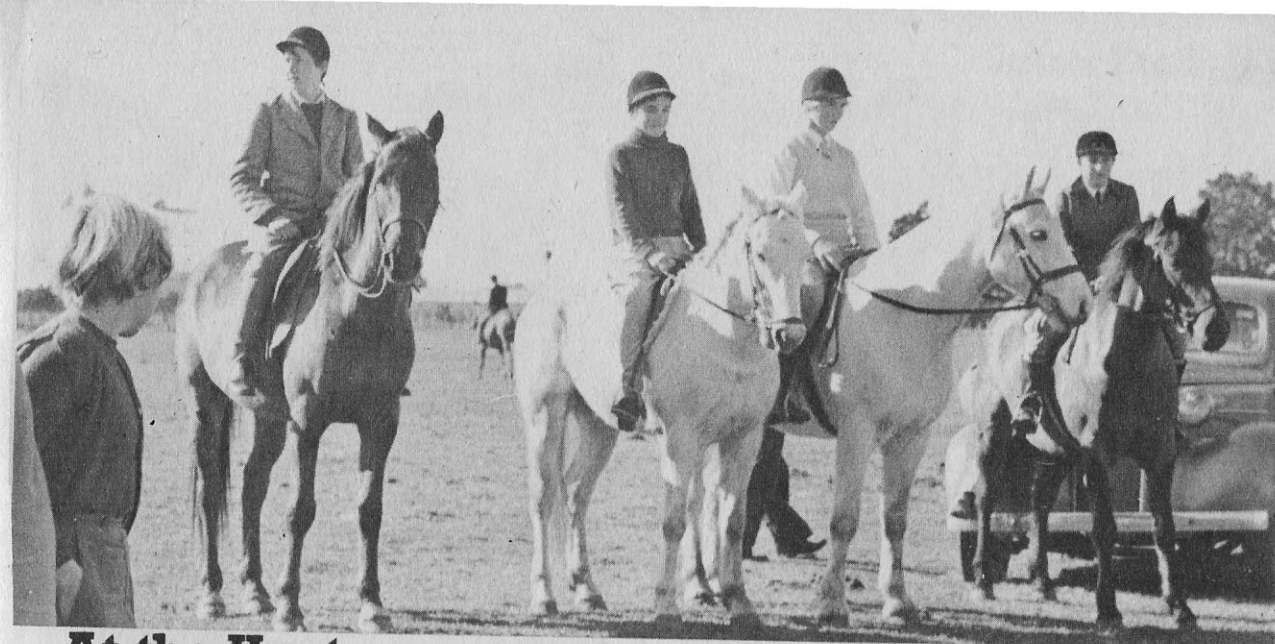




Above: Back, Jill Dravitski, Coleen Tobeck, Mary Leuthard, and Marianne Sheehan. Front, Pauline Cronin, Edith Potroz, Julie Raha.

Choral Society

Below: Celebrating the bicentenary of Handel, the New Plymouth Choral Society presented his magnificent Judas Maccabaeus in the Whitely Youth Centre recently. Conducted by Ian Menzies and featuring soloists of the calibre of Beryl Herbert, J. Dickson Tizard and Maurice Taylor, it was a memorable presentation. Our picture is a general view of the choir, orchestra and part of the large audience.



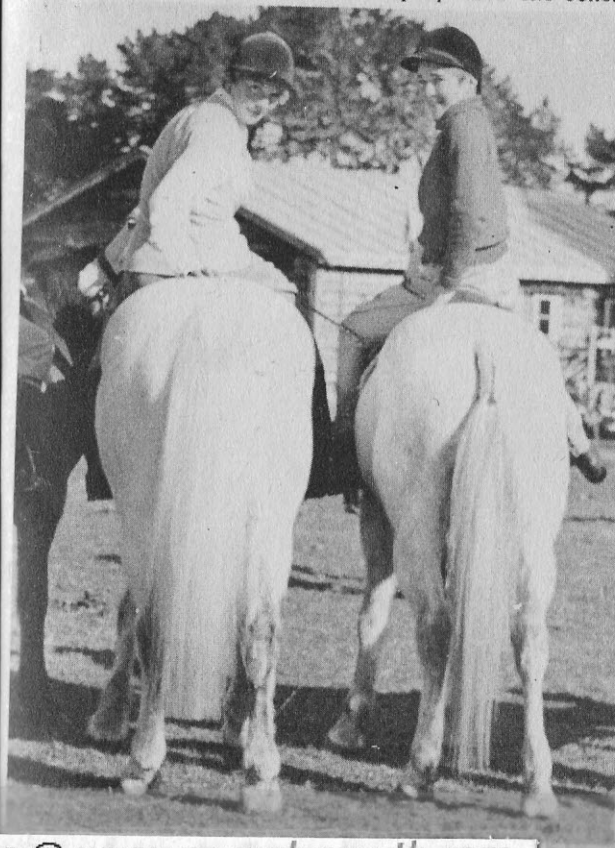
At the Hunt

All the thrills and spectacle of good horses well ridden were on show at Roy Sarten's hunt at Tikorangi recently. Despite the mechanical age there is nothing that can match the grace and splendour of a horse and its rider in perfect co-ordination.

Above: Some of the younger riders line up their mounts.

Below left: Thereby hangs a tail. Actually there are two tails and on the horses who own the tails are Bronwyn Rayward and Susan Thompson.

Below right: Talking about tails, Brian Houghton seems to be stretching things a bit too far. But even a horse has to keep up with the Joneses.



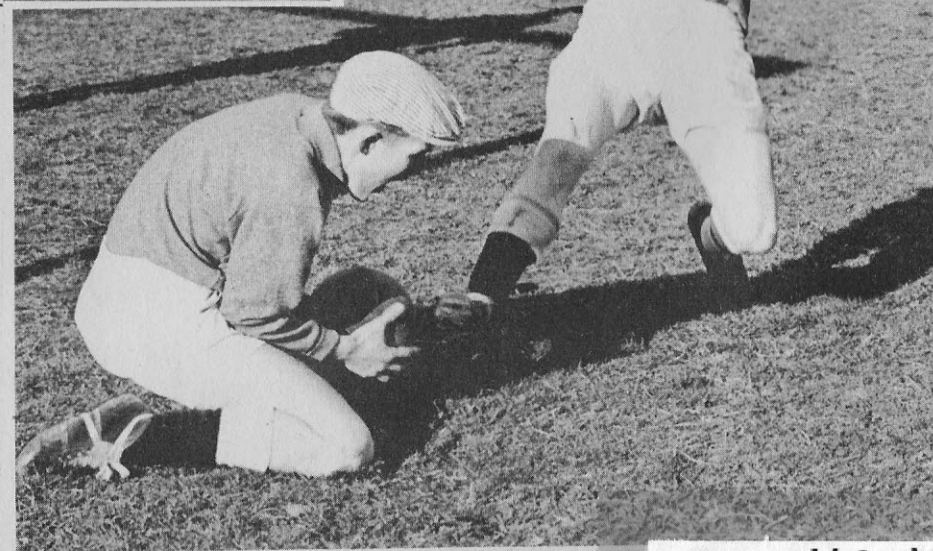


Moturoa Hits Top Form

Moturoa, previously the only Taranaki team to reach the North Island semi-finals of the Chatham Cup contest, repeated their earlier success by downing Athletic (Napier) at New Plymouth. It was a convincing win by a strong side.

Top: The team. Back row, from left: Les Humphries, Herbie Hutton, Alan Evans (capt.), Gerald Gregory, David Mayhead, Atila Vaga, Hans Halder (manager) and Johnny Rae (selector). Front row: Gavin Collett, Ted Meuli, Les Woolcott, Hans Speck, Theo Verbeet, Ray Hutton and Johnnie Marshall.

Above and right: Incidents from the play.



School Football

The New Plymouth Boys' High School 1st XV, one of the top school teams in the country, scored another good win against St. Pats College, Silverstream, recently.

Left: New Plymouth players Lloyd Bithell (right) and John Rumble about to smother a St. Pats attack.

Below left: Paul Crichton (17) gropes for the ball in a melee.

Centre right: Lance Knowles is taken in a high tackle—but where is the ball? Roy Johns is in support.

Bottom right: Michael Croxson goes in for a try.





Married

Above: ELIASON--WILLIAMSON: At the Kaponga Presbyterian Church, Joy Evelyn, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Williamson, Kaponga, to William Albert, eldest son of Mr and Mrs B.N. Eliason, Kaponga. The bridesmaids were June Eliason, Carol Williamson, Patricia Williamson (chief) and Janet Tocher. The best man was Roy Machray and groomsmen were Peter Leonard, Brian Eliason and Jim Williamson. The future home of the couple will be Kaponga.

Below: MOORHEAD--SCOTT: At St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, New Plymouth, Margaret Anne, youngest daughter of the late Mr and Mrs W. Scott, New Plymouth, to Brian Wilfrid, youngest son of Mr and Mrs J.W. Moorhead, New Plymouth. Nancy McIntyre and Elizabeth Grech, both of New Plymouth, were the bridesmaids. Best man was Bill Phillips and Colin Barclay was groomsman.

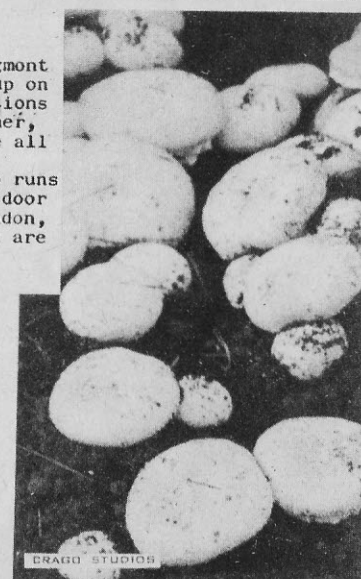


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Above: With the setting and atmosphere perfect, guests at the Egmont Chalet's dinner-dance evening couldn't help but enjoy themselves. High up on the slopes of Mt Egmont, the chalet has a unique attraction for functions such as these. Among the guests were, from left: Al Keating, Janet Mather, Margaret Froggatt, Bob Vince, Margaret Hendry, and John Young. They are all from Stratford.

Below: Meet the do-it-yourself mushroom man, Mr A. Pitt. Mr Pitt, who runs the Pilgrim Mushroom Gardens in Queens Road, produces mushrooms in outdoor plastic covers. He came to New Zealand from Henley on Thames, near London, three years ago and now he's growing mushrooms for hungry Kiwis. If you are planning on trying it yourself, be warned: it's a tricky business.

Right: Mouth-watering aren't they?



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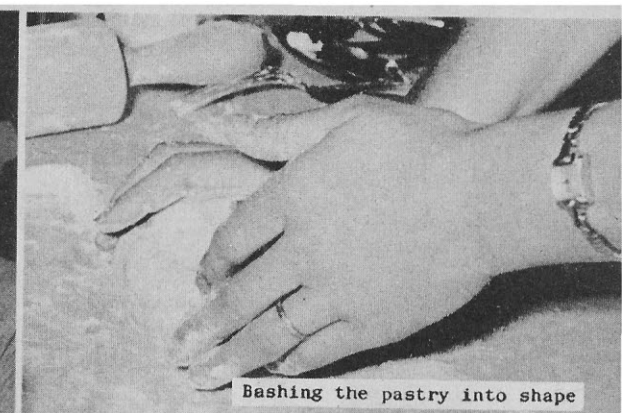
Apple Pie Contest

Everything was in apple pie order in a certain place in New Plymouth recently. Taranaki's top pie makers were battling out the provincial final of the Apple and Pear Marketing Board's apple pie contest. And what a battle it was!

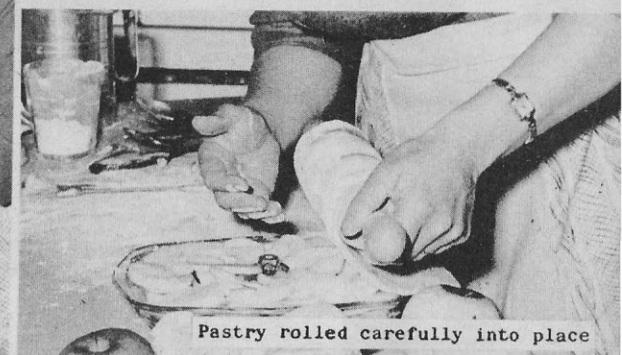
Top: The finalists line up.
Centre, from left: Champion Mrs A.J. Miers, runner-up Mrs C. Rowell and third place getter, Mrs F. Young. They are all from the Stratford district.
Bottom: A critical audience watches closely.



Choosing the right ingredients is a vital first stage.



Bashing the pastry into shape



Pastry rolled carefully into place



Skin--the apple's--flies



A quick check on flavour.

Although she failed to gain a place, Margaret Cardiff had the distinction of being by far the youngest finalist in the apple pie contest. She showed the technique of an expert in baking her pie from a super top-secret recipe. Here she is in action.

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Apple pie deluxe coming up.

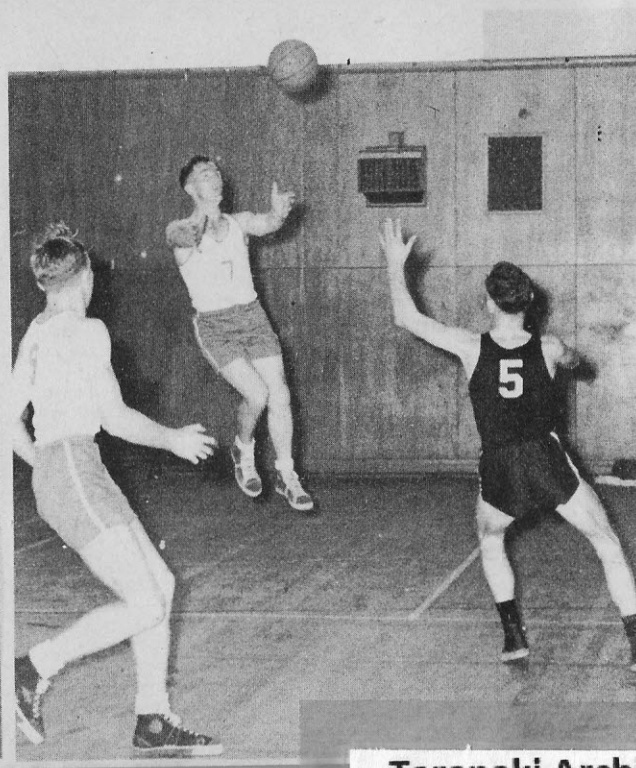
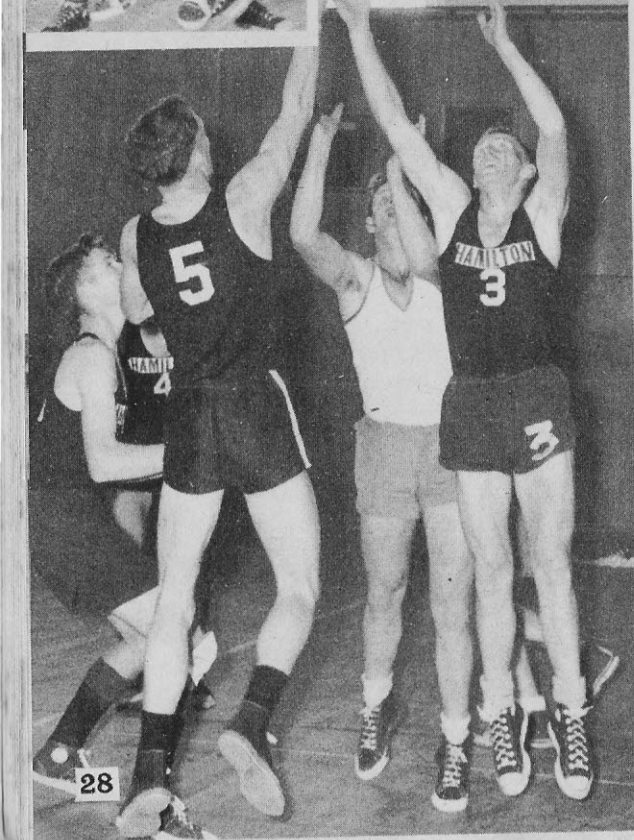
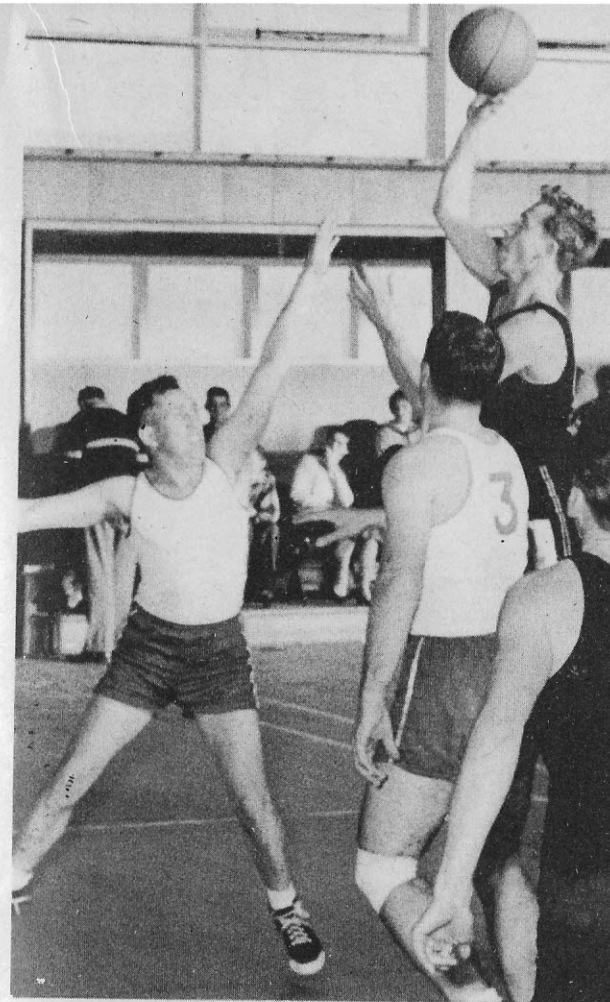
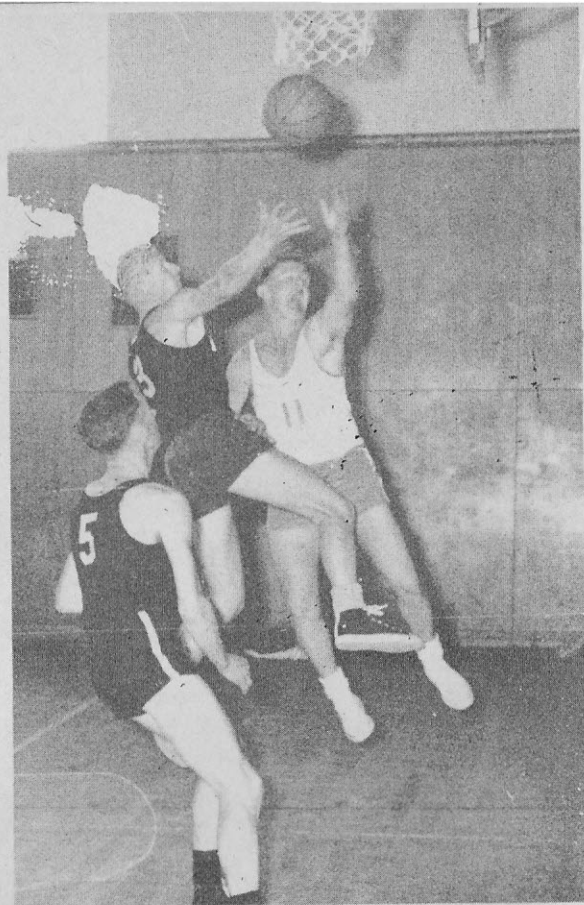
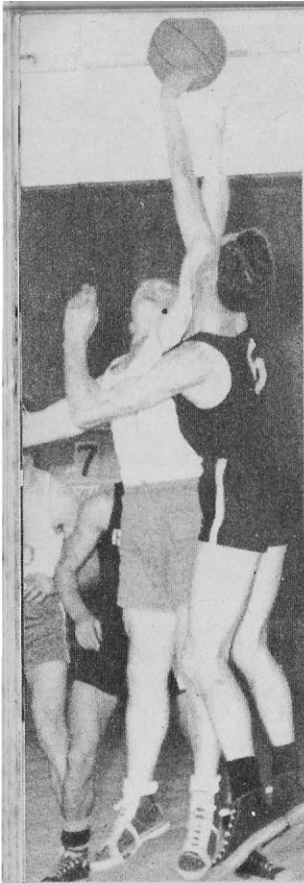
Indoor Basketball

Top left: Hamilton man, Walton Beanland (in black) beats a Waitara player for the ball during the North Island men's B grade championships at Stratford.

Top right: Waitara's Noel Graham defends as Beanland and Graham Martin attack.

Bottom left: Beanland and Martin in action, again.

Bottom right: Leo Young waits for the ball, Beanland moves in and Bruce Collins watches.



Above: Waitara defenders, Choc Eriwata (facing camera) and Dennis Yardley, fail to stop a Hamilton man shooting for goal.

Above right: Graham Martin goals for Hamilton. On his right is Waitara's Leo Young and on the extreme left is Beanland.

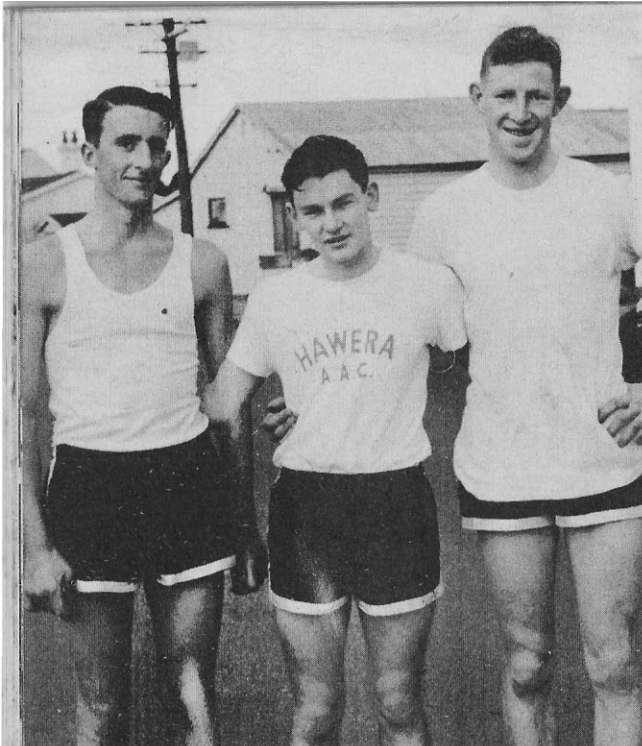


Seven-mile Walk

Centre right: Arnold Lloyd briefs the colts before the start of the Hawera Walking Club's seven-mile road walk. Boosted by the enthusiasm of men like Olympic champion Norman Read walking is a booming sport in Hawera.

Below: The seniors are on their way.





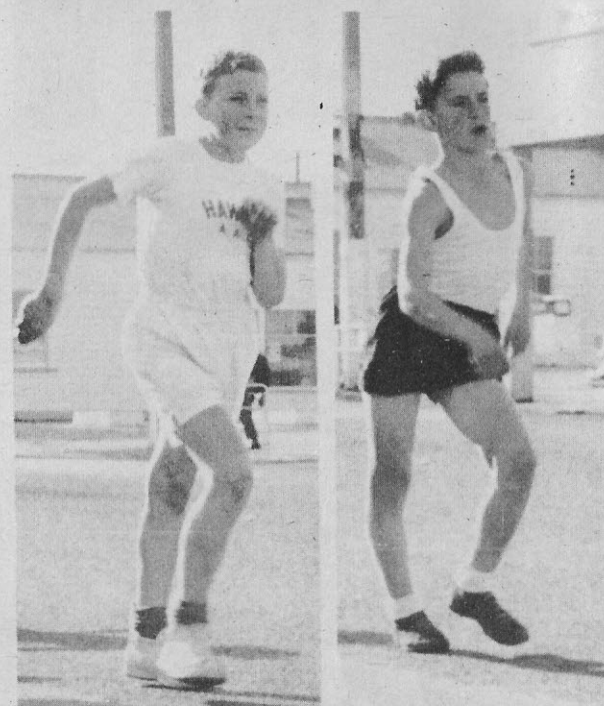
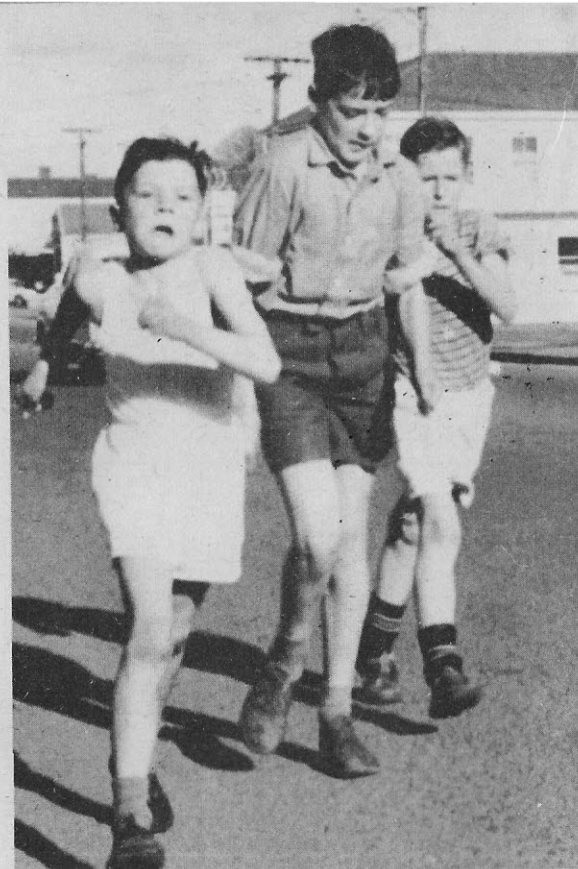
Above left: These three Hawera walkers filled the places in the recent seven mile road walk. From left: Paul Westfield (1st), Arnold Lloyd (2nd) and Frank Eustace (3rd).

Above right: Boy, this is hard work. And making hard work of the colts race are David McCready, who finished third, and Paul Butler, second.

Below left: Three colts demonstrate the walk that made Marilyn Monroe famous.

Below centre: Colt John Moody (Hawera) in action.

Below right: Swing and sway the Gary Marsh (Hawera) way.



Wedding Bells

Above: McCallum--FRASER. At St. Joseph's Church, Hawera, Judith Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.D. Fraser, Normanby, to Ian Campbell, son of Mr and Mrs E.W. McCallum, Inaha. The bridesmaids were Llanys Fraser, Normanby, and Janet McCallum, Inaha. Rod McCallum, Mangatoki, was best man and the groomsmen was Garry Hogan, Hawera. The couple will live at Inaha.

Below: RAYNOR--FREWIN. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, New Plymouth, Betty Margaret, second daughter of Mr and Mrs J.C. Frewin, New Plymouth, to Jerry, youngest son of Mrs and the late Mr L. Raynor, New Plymouth. Mrs Elaine Gyde was matron of honour and Valerie Frewin, a sister of the bride, was a bridesmaid. Best man was Owen Frewin, the bride's brother, and Valentine Frewin, a cousin of the bride, was groomsmen. The future home of the couple will be Bell Block.





Hope Gibbons Shield

Wanganui held off strong challenges by Taranaki teams to win the Hope Gibbons Shield elimination contest at New Plymouth. The strong Wanganui team later won the shield.

Top: The New Plymouth B team lines up. They are: R. Gordon Staples, B. Cook, M. Tamati, M. Joblin and G. Clark.

Centre: The New Plymouth C team: E. Scott, J. Cottam, D. Hill, J. Rowe and I. Roebuck.

Bottom: The winning Wanganui A team: G. Lan-kow, G. O'Neill, P. Goss, D. Healy and K. Allan.



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Above left: The New Plymouth A team: G. McLennan, G. King, R. Wilson, N. Adlam and R. Ireton.

Above right: The Stratford team: S. Ludlam, J. Allan, J. Reed, C. Reed and R. Dye.



Roving Camera

Left: A party of excited children from the Pungarehu School leave New Plymouth on a railcar on the start of a trip to Christchurch. The trip which was financed to a considerable degree by a variety of activities, took in most of the places of interest in Christchurch.

Above: Mrs J. Wellington pins a spray on Mrs R. D. Patchett at the Inglewood Methodist dinner.

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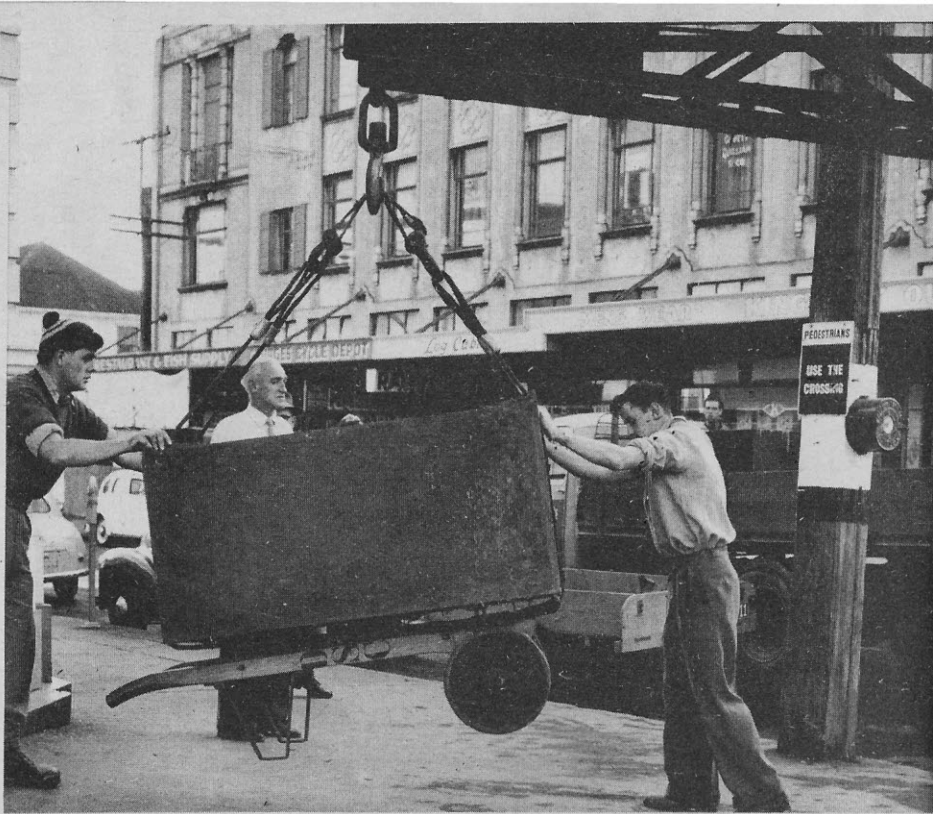
Bank Move

Over £500,000 in cash and securities moved across Devon Street one Saturday morning not long ago. But it was all fair, square and above board. It was, in fact, the big shift by the Bank of New Zealand from their old building, which is being pulled down to make way for a new building, to their temporary premises in the new building of Whites Ltd.

Right: A safe is airborne after being taken from the old building.

Below left: Contractors shifting a two-ton safe.

Below right: A truck loaded with bank records moves off. Hangers on are Joe Coad, Bruce Fenwick, Bob Packer and George Green.



Right: Nice work if you can get it. Manager Neville Marcroft and accountant John Chicken stack a cool £60,000 in notes away in a box.

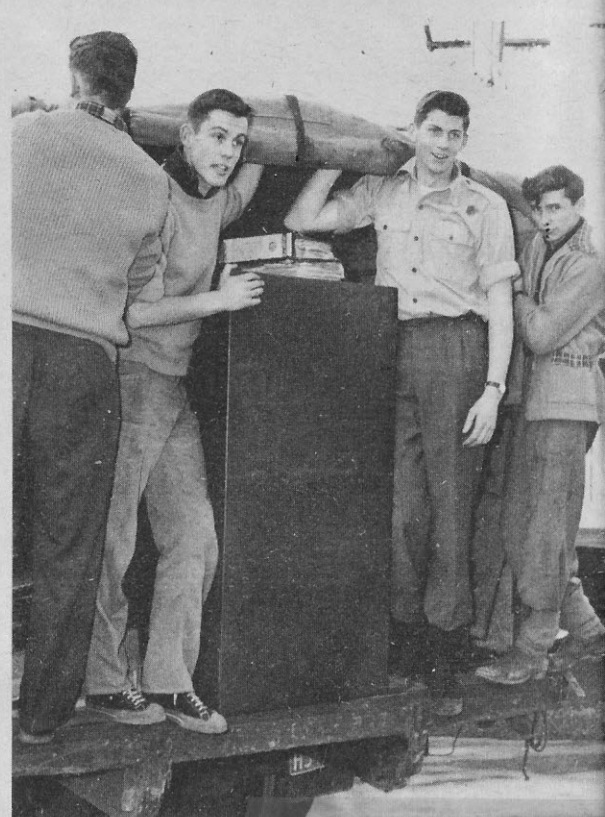
Left centre: Pardon, but your pistol's showing.

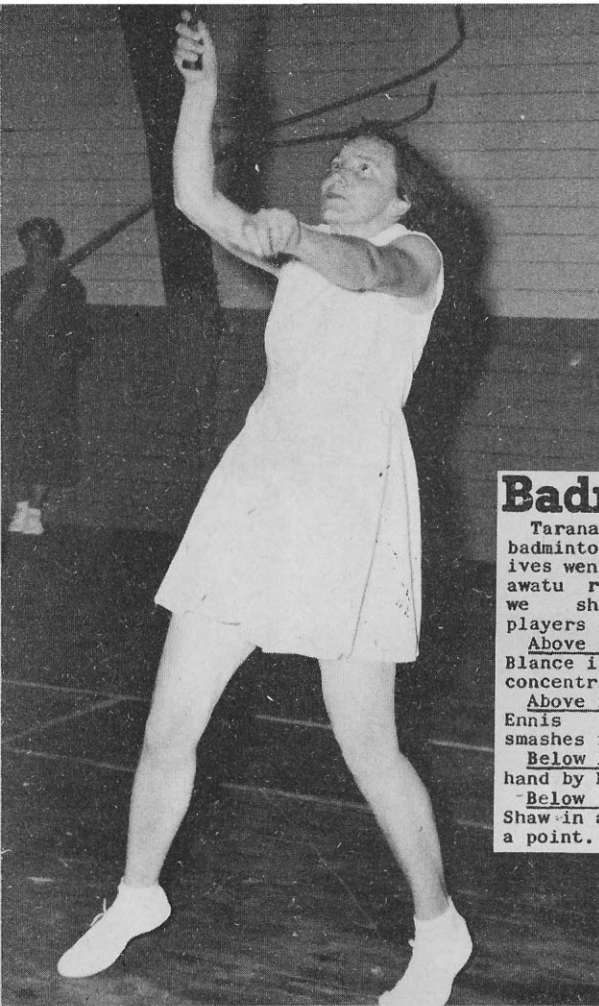
Bottom right: Frank O'Connell in the money.

Bottom left: The money and the bag... and a small but lethal revolver.



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Badminton

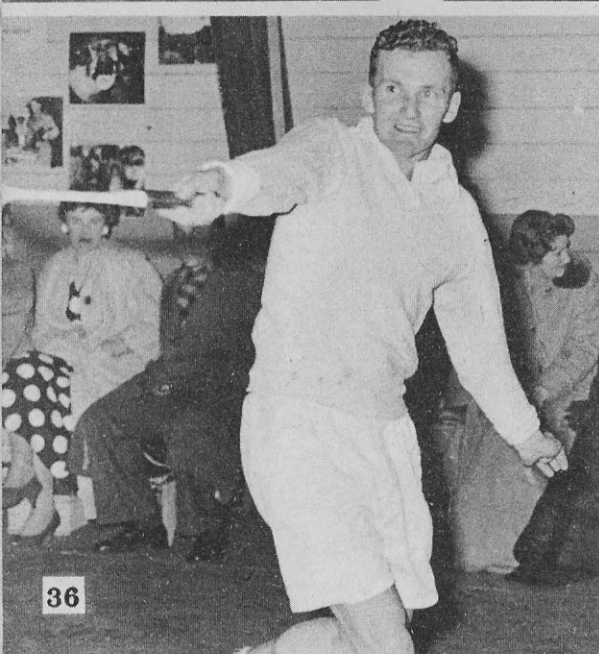
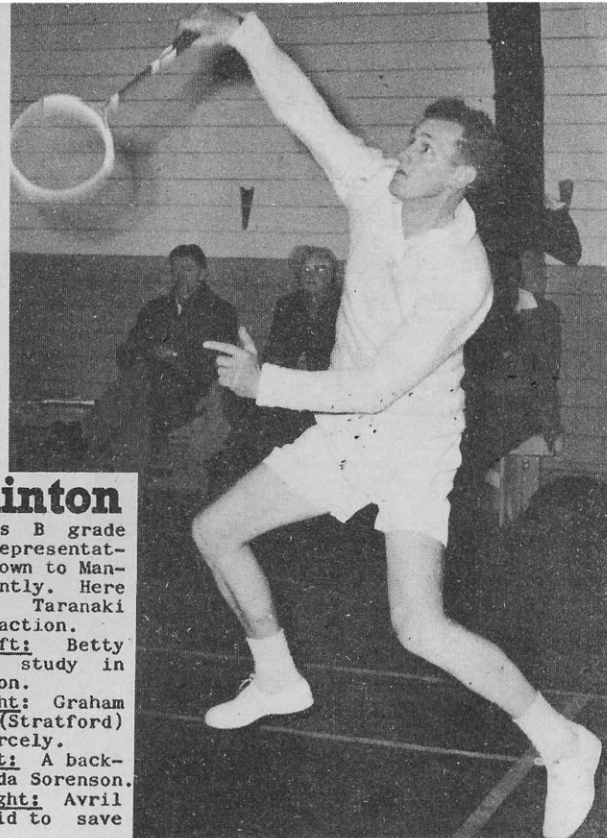
Taranaki's B grade badminton representatives went down to Manawatu recently. Here we show Taranaki players in action.

Above left: Betty Blance is a study in concentration.

Above right: Graham Ennis (Stratford) smashes fiercely.

Below left: A backhand by Halda Sorenson.

Below right: Avril Shaw in a bid to save a point.



Methodists at Dinner

The two pictures on this page show some of the 250 guests at the Inglewood Methodist Church's big annual dinner. As the dinner was going on so was a nice bit of inter-church co-operation. About 150 children were being entertained by Anglicans and Presbyterians.

Debutantes Presented at Masonic Ball



Above: Eleven debutantes were presented to the Wor. Bro. H. Mawson, Provincial Grand Master, Northland District, New Zealand Constitution, and Mrs. Mawson, at the recent Masonic Ball held at the Queen's Hall in New Plymouth. The debutantes were, Karen Holmes, Kathleen Holmes, Barbara Hoyle, Joan Baylis, Jeanette Foreman, Beverley Pretty, Jill Sando, Heather Sole, Jean Weir, Dianne Yates and Joan Allan.

Below, left: Sharing a crayfish at supper, at the recent Rural Aviation staff Cabaret, appears to be excellent sport for those lucky enough to get the choicer pieces.

Below, right: A break for refreshments for a merry party at the cabaret.

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Live Shoot

Right: The kids, and adults too, turned out in force to see the army's live shoot at the Rewa Rewa range. The trusty old Vickers gun was popular--- and noisy.

Left centre: Ears well blocked before bat booms off.

Below left: Duck, there's a shell down that mortar spout.

Below right: The Vickers go into action.

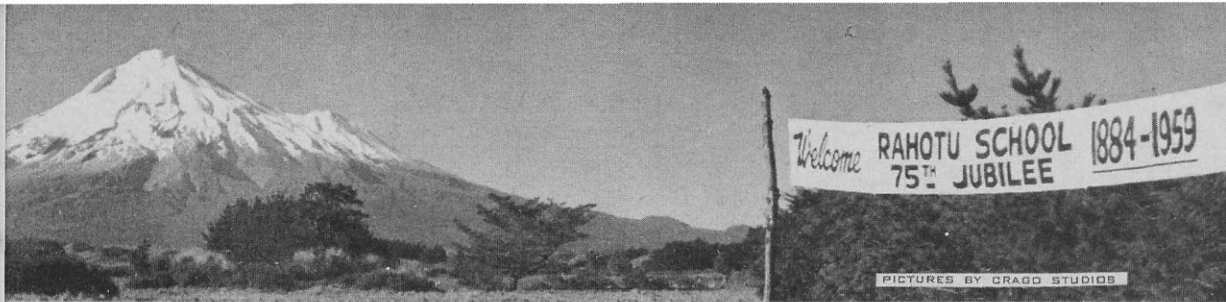


Above: Priming mortar shells are Corporal I. Johns (centre) and Sergeant R. Sharrock (right).

Right: A practical tip from Lieutenant Rudd and R.S.M. Bill Pearless for Vickers crew, Sergeant Neuman and Sergeant Te Ruki.

Below: Sleek but venomous is the Bat, an anti-tank weapon that really goes off with a hiss and a roar. The Bat, a recoil-less gun that sends a slim missile hurtling out of the barrel and smoke and flame belching from the back, is a powerful weapon for an infantry support group. Staff Sergeant Tom Worrell stands by. In the foreground are shells for the Bat.





Thousands Revisit Rahotu for School's 75th Jubilee

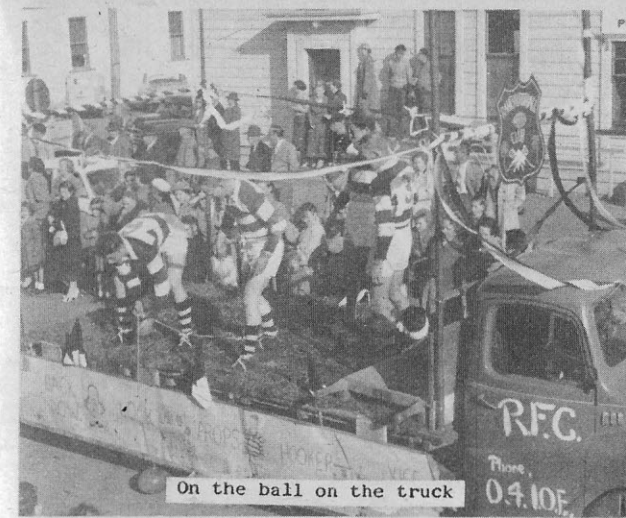
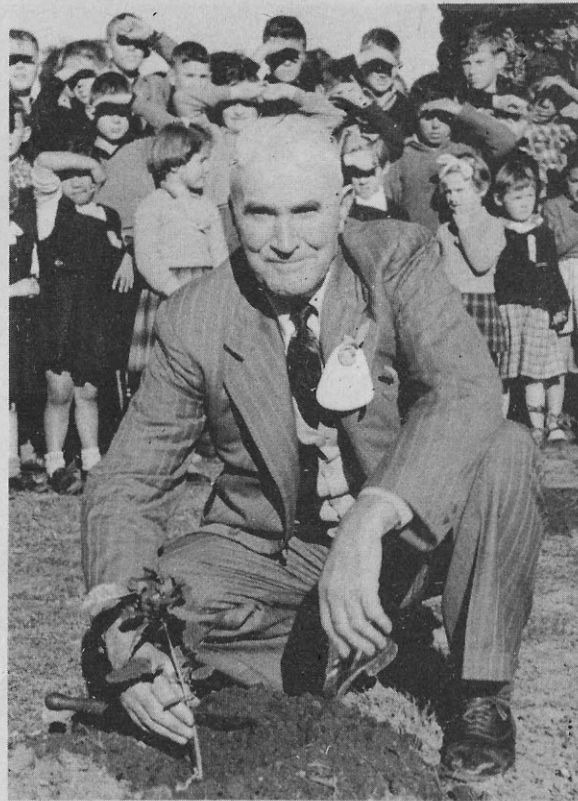
An eventful history stretching back to the days of the Maori wars was recalled when the Rahotu School celebrated its 75th jubilee. The school, a real symbol of the growth of its prosperous and growing district, drew back ex-pupils, young and not so young, to pay tribute to its part in moulding their futures. The celebrations featured a spectacular parade, a dinner ball and combined church service. But most of all it was a chance for people from widely scattered places to meet again and relive the days when they were at school together.

Above: Towering Egmont adds its snow-capped welcome.

Right: Oldest ex-pupil, Mr Barrett, plants a tree to mark the jubilee.

Below left: Present day pupils, Max Pennington and Lorraine Leatherby, plant their tree.

Below right: Spanning two decades: from left, Margaret Wells (1913), Joan Brown (1934), Edie Martin (1925), Joyce Larking (1906), Ethel Thomas (1913) and Myra Ashley (1917).





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Just the outfits for the shield season



Y.F.C. members ready for blast-off.



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One good churn deserves another



The young 'uns....bet they gave the teacher some hurry up!



...the next decade....



....and the decade after that.

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Above: Let battle commence....Diners at the Rahotu School jubilee dinner take time off to smile at the camera before attacking the first course of the magnificent meal they conquered in a one-sided encounter.

Below: We like this picture. Well-known musician Mr H.Temple-White, an ex-teacher and pupil puts the school choir through its paces. It was a musical treat for the big crowd at the jubilee.



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Some of the younger set having a ball at the ball.



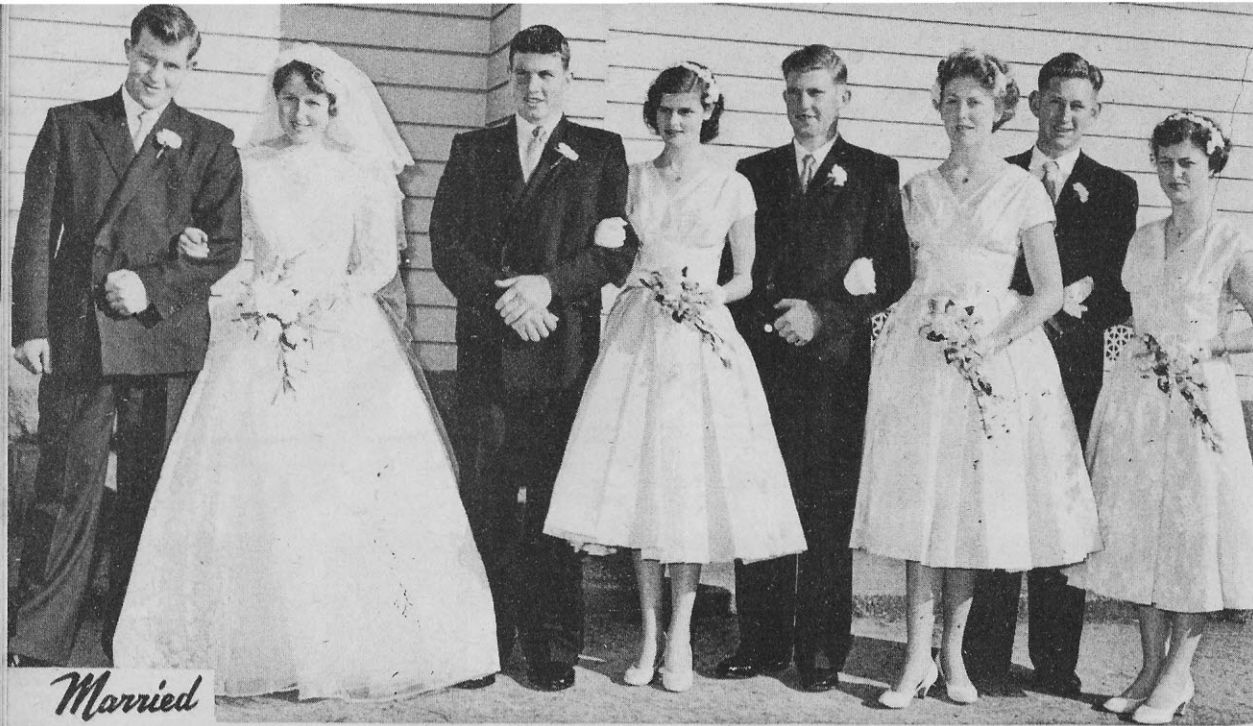
Not quite so young but having a ball just the same.



Schooldays were never like this!

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Married

Above: VANNER--DELIVERY: At St. Joseph's Church, Pungarehu, Lois Ann, only daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Delivery, New Plymouth, to Murray John, third son of Mr and Mrs R.J. Vanner, Pungarehu. The bridesmaids were Elenour Elliot and Norma Blanchard, of New Plymouth, and Mrs Noeline Lawless, Wellington. Patrick Vanner was best man and the groomsmen were Dick Vanner and Rex Lawless, of Wellington. The couple will make their home at Pungarehu.

New Store

Below left: Mr F. Parsons, chairman of directors of the Patea Freezing Company, speaking at the opening of the new Parsons Store -- named after him -- at the Taranaki Producers Freezing Works Company's Moturoa cool stores. The impressive new store was the Patea company's contribution towards a merger between the two companies.

Below right: The chairman of the New Zealand Dairy Board, Mr A. Linton, cuts the tape to open the new store.



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Women's Hockey

The Taranaki women's A hockey team recently scored a grand three goals to nil win over Wanganui at Stratford.

Above: The team: Top row, from left: Claire Hook, Elva Volzke, Janet Campbell, Jean Sinclair, Joy Urbahn (wife of Taranaki and All Black halfback Roger Urbahn) and Doreen Stent, not long back from a tour of Britain and the Continent with the New Zealand women's team which competed at the world tournament in Holland. Front row: Alison Collins, Dorothy Hastie, Alexa Simpson, Cushla Sullivan and Gwenda Sole.

Below left: Janet Campbell beats a Wanganui player.

Below right: Cushla Sullivan gets the ball between two Wanganui players as Joy Urbahn comes up in support.



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The Social Round

Above: Time for a rest and a chat at the W.R. Phillips Ltd., social in New Plymouth. The people doing just that are: Mr Vickers, Mrs Fookes, Miss Denton, Mr Phillips, Mrs Lobb, Mrs Phillips, Mrs Haughton, Mrs R. Phillips, Miss N. Blanchard, Mrs N. Phillips, Mrs Gilbert, Mr Haughton, Mr Gilbert, and, in the foreground Mr Lobb.

Left: The office girls turn from typing to performing at the W.R. Phillips social. They are: Miss B Lay, Miss P. Horne, Miss M. Gilmour and Miss J. Thrupp.

Below: The only policy with any show at the Insurance Ball was a have-fun policy. These revellers took out a fairly hefty cover on that.

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Married

Above: McDONALD--MUIR: At St. Mary's Anglican Church, New Plymouth, Delys Patricia, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.V. Muir, Burgess Road, Warea, to Terence Earl, son of Mr and Mrs J. McDonald, Spotswood, New Plymouth. The bridesmaids were Nola Muir, Warea, Valerie Riley, New Plymouth, and Joy McDonald, Spotswood. Peter McDonald, Spotswood, was the best man and the groomsmen were Terence Muir, Warea, and Barrie Duggan, Pungarehu. The future home of the couple will be Pungarehu.

On the Links

Below: The Taranaki-King Country golf team staged a brilliant comeback after a series of dismal performances by thrashing a strong Waikato team for the Mooloo Shield, symbol of golf supremacy between the provinces. The shadows were really lengthening when this photograph was taken on a green at the New Plymouth Golf Club's course during one of the foursomes.





Age v. Youth at League

The "Old Timers" of the Waitara Rugby League Club showed the present senior team a trick or two by beating them by 34 points to 29.

Above left: A present day player crouches ready to halt an Old Timers' movement.

Above right: An Old Timer shows the right way to go in for a tackle.

Below left: Referee Lyn Thompson points an accusing finger.

Below right: Get off my back.



Above: The vintage models of the Waitara Rugby League Club are: Top row from left: Bill Pirikah, Henry Matakau, Jimmy Matakau, Hura Noble, Scottie Leatherby, Eddie Bidous, Charlie Leatherby, George Matakau, Tiwa Preston, Harold Katene, Tipi Tamati and referee Lyn Thompson. Front row: Hori Kettle, Alan Martin, Jack Shepherd, Rangai Martin, Charlie Martin, Brian Lambert and Joe Harwood.

Below: The present senior team. Back row, from left: Lyle Ngati, Alan Marshall, Trev Isaacs, Peter Marshall, Dougan Te Awa, Pat Ngai and Ray Kearns. Front row: Tom Lewis, Harry Hirawani, Gan O'Carroll, Jack Nicholas, Bob Kearns and Ray Watson.





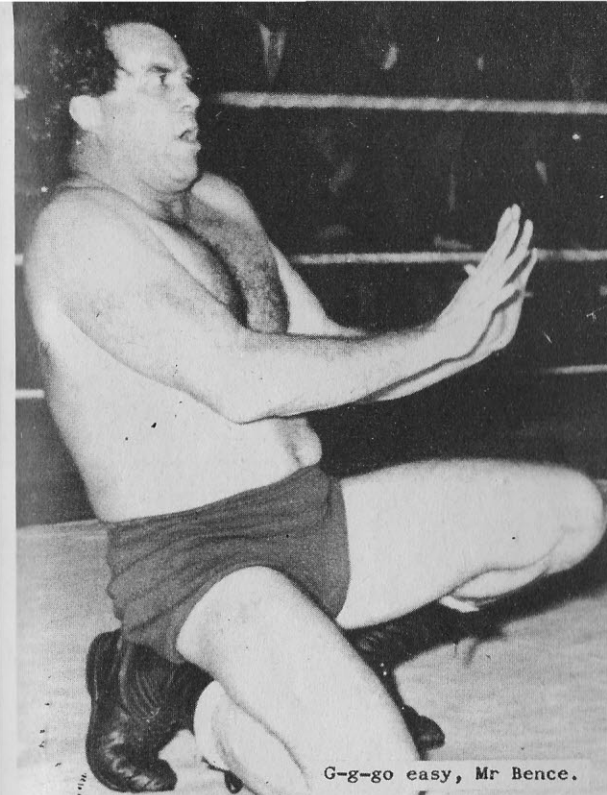
Indoor Bowls

Women bowlers had the mats to themselves (apart from umpires) at the recent Homeservice-men's Association tournament.

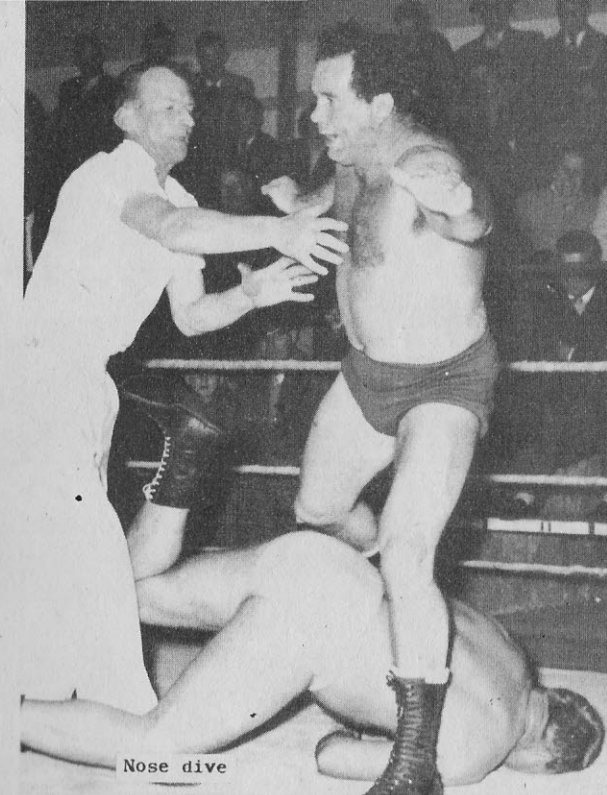
Above right: Mere male, umpire Bill Dwyer, measures a close one as the ladies hover ominously above him.

Above left: Sorry to interrupt ladies, but you can't argue all night about who's going to organise the kitty.

Below: The committee did a great job. So here they are, from left: Mesdames R.Hill, K.Bevan, Schumaker, Reid, and Tippet.



G-g-go easy, Mr Bence.



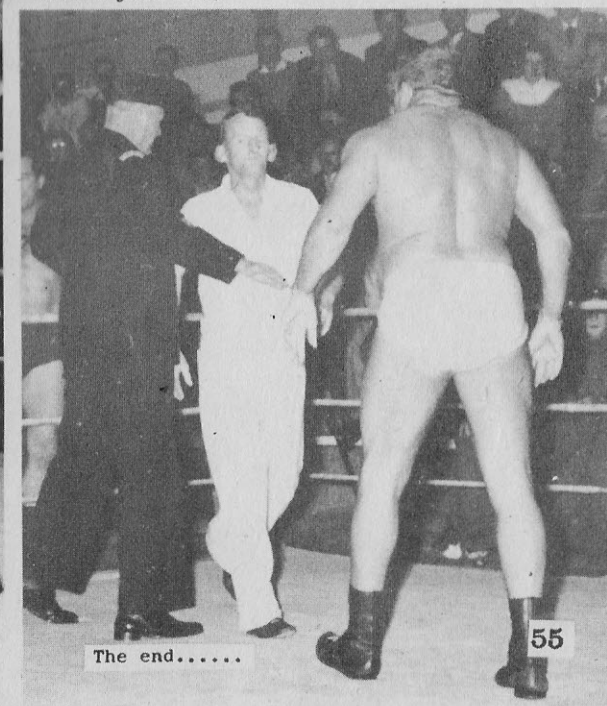
Nose dive

Rough House at Hawera

Firebrand American grappler Jack Bence tangled in a friendly little encounter at Hawera with Australian Frank Hurley, which ended with Bence using Hurley's head as a battering ram on the door and the police in the ring saying: "That's your lot."



Turn it up, Jack.



The end.....



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Start of Another Successful Season

Playing a dazzling brand of Rugby which produced 13 points in five minutes early in the second half, Taranaki came from behind to hold the Ranfurly Shield against a game Nelson team at Rugby Park. Taranaki certainly crushed Nelson's hopes in the second spell, after a dismal first half, but at no stage in their 31 points to 14 win did they look like the team which held off nine challenges in a magnificent performance last year.

Above: Tension is on as teams take field for first of season's seven challenges.

Below: Brendon O'Neill makes vain bid to charge down a Nelson clearing kick as Ralph Carrol (extreme left) moves up to take a hand in proceedings.



Above: Schoolboys whoop and holler Red Indian style as Taranaki score the try that put them in the lead.

Below: Nelson men gather round the ball and there's hardly a Taranaki player in sight.



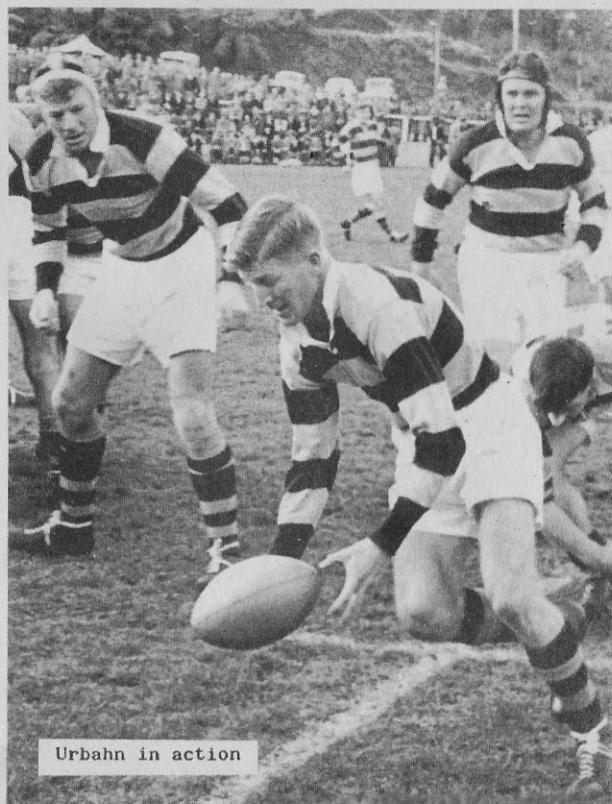
Green goes high in a lineout



Terry O'Sullivan (left) and Ross Brown (behind him) move in on a Nelson man making for the ball.



Bill Cameron stopped, but gets his kick away



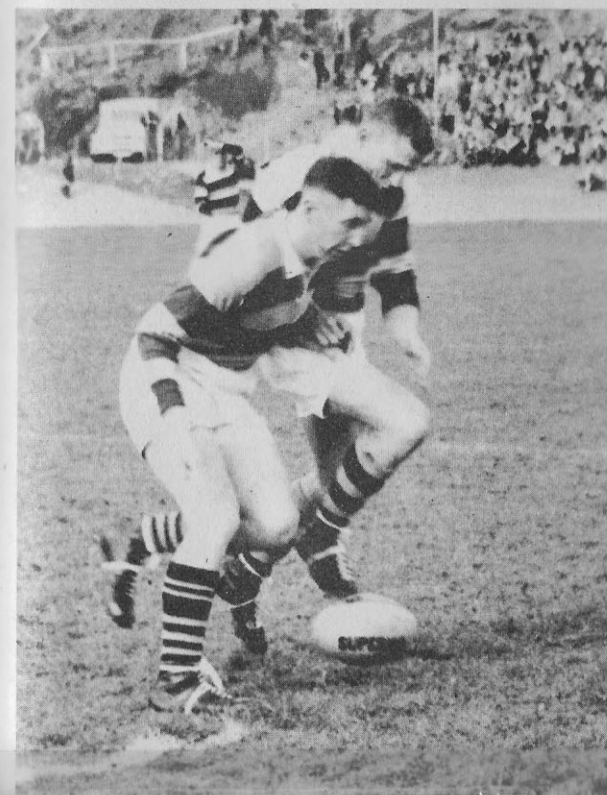
Urbahn in action

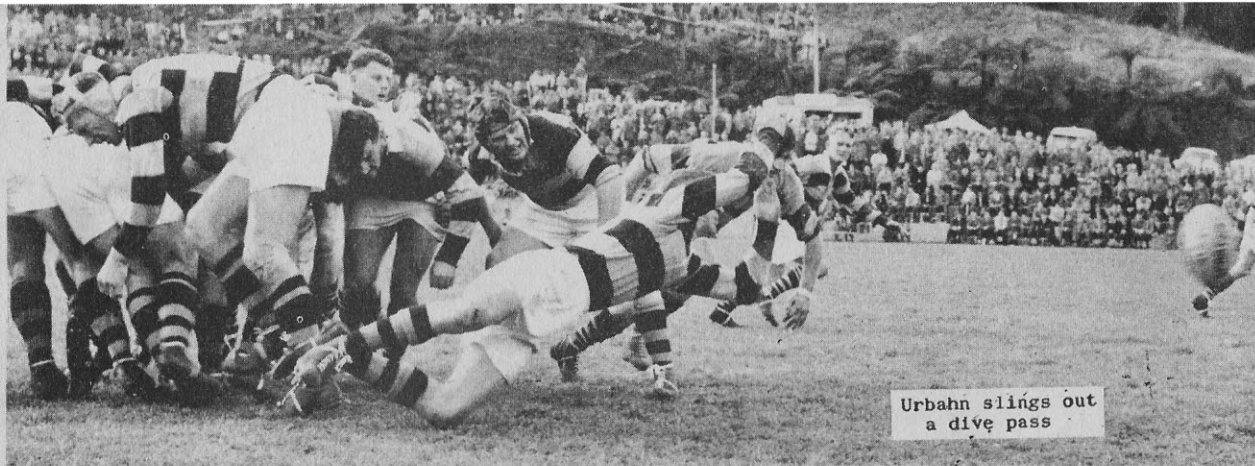


Above: Rugged Taranaki forward, Ike Flavell, has got the ball and five grim-faced Nelson men have got him. Flavell, an All Black triallist and one of Taranaki's most consistent forwards, played another grand game.

Below left: Taranaki winger Terry O'Sullivan tussles with a Nelson man in a bid to break away with the ball.

Below right: Fiery Taranaki flanker Ralph Carrol halted after a typical burst by a low tackle and a high push.





Urbahn slings out
a dive pass



Nelson man goes down
--without the ball



Taranaki forwards feed Urbahn.



Married

Above: TAYLOR--SHUTE. At St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, New Plymouth, Beryl Evelyn, third daughter of Mr and Mrs G.F. Shute, New Plymouth, to Adrian Morris, son of Mrs and the late Mr E. Taylor, New Plymouth. The bridesmaids were Beverly Shute and Carol Shute, sisters of the bride, and the flowergirls were Jennifer and Patricia Potts, nieces of the bride. Graham Telfer was best man and the groom's brother, Les Taylor. New Plymouth will be the future home of the couple.

Below: KEMP--TONG. At St. Andrews Anglican Church, Inglewood, Natalie Annette, only daughter of Mr and Mrs L.O. Tong, Inglewood, to Bruce Cyril, second son of Mr and Mrs Les Kemp, Stratford. The bridesmaids were Ailsa Pollett, Stratford, and Janice Wards, Hamilton. Barrie Kemp, the groom's brother, was best man and Terry Tobeck was groom'sman. The little flowergirl was Phillipa Clough, niece of the bride. The future home of the couple will be Mahoe.





Alpine Club Dinner

Above: One of the highlights of the recent Alpine Club dinner was the speech made by Ben Carr.

Top right: Members provided their own music.

Centre right: Three stalwarts of the club: Curly Burton, Jim Johnson and Darcy Williams.

Below: As you can see, it was a great show.



Yacht Club Presentation

Above left: Unrestricted class champions Eagan Amor and Chris Pegker display their trophies after receiving them at the New Plymouth Yacht Club's presentation evening.

Above right: Mrs Galvin, wife of the club commodore, presents a cup to Colin Harvey.

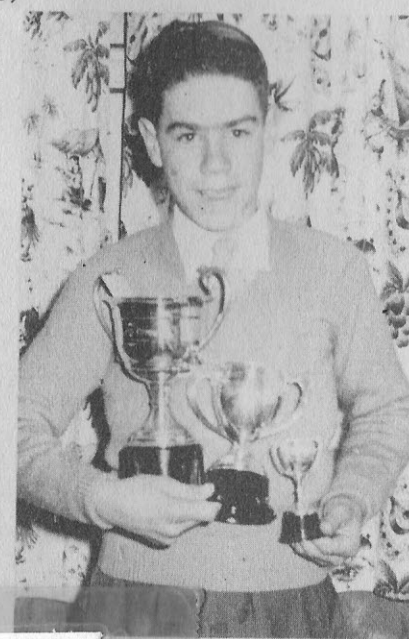
Right: 1959 Moffat Cup representatives, Graham Johns and Roy Holt, with the three trophies they received.

Below left: Gail Lobb's no blonde, but she won the trophy for aggregate points in the Blondie class.

Below centre: P.Class champion Neil Harvey set a club record and sailed in every race.

Below right: Attractive Marie Lobb serenades the yachties with a song and her old guitar.

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Taranaki Rep Basketballers

Above: The Taranaki Major Basketball team, which will represent the province at the New Zealand tournament to be held next month at Nelson. From left, Heather Ross (captain), Mrs Dorothy Waldon (manager), Sybil Clement, Linda Uttinger, Shirley Parker, Paula Bonifacio, Colleen Glengarry, Angela Bilski, Kay Dymond, Trixie Harvey and June Fraser.

Below: Whilst the Major team are away at Nelson, the Minors will be down at Invercargill for a tournament there. From left, they are Patricia Smith, Marlene Scott, Honey Taiaki, Phyllis Komene, Barbara Tairawhiti, Maureen Hill, Marion Crofskey, Betty Henderson, Velda Busby, Doris Ogle and manager Fialle Moore.



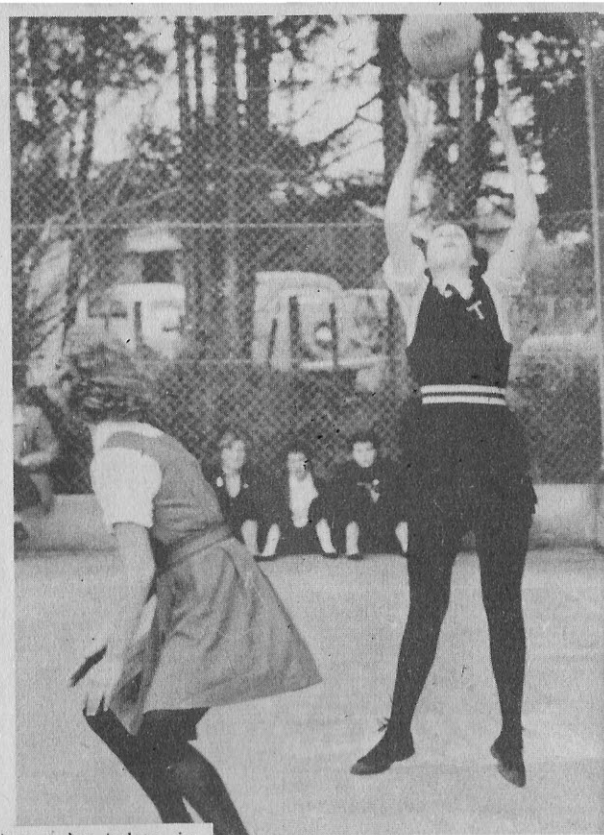
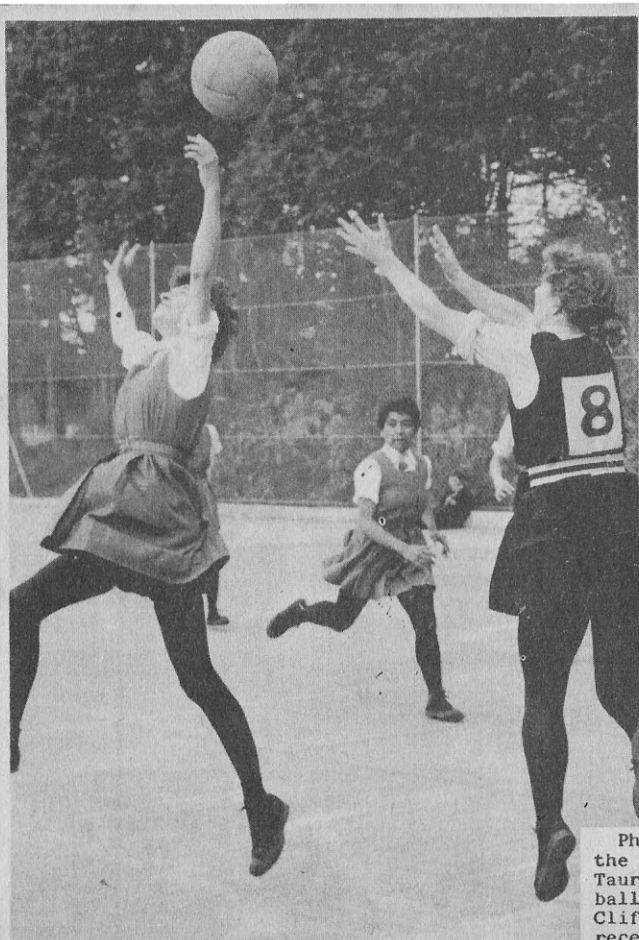
Patricia Smith gets the ball inside the circle

In the Minors match against a strong team from Tauranga, played at Waitara last month, some excellent basketball was seen, and the score 24-24 was a fitting result to hard-fought game.

Above and below: Phyllis Komene was a tower of strength in front of the net.



Patricia Smith...tireless worker



Photographs taken in the Taranaki Major v. Tauranga rep. basketball match played at Clifton Park, Waitara recently. The home team ran out winners by 27-24.



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Birthday Party

Above: You may not think that the Brooklands C.W.I. choir is the best dressed group of song birds you ever saw. But, boy, you ought to hear them sing! They burst forth into song at the institute's 18th birthday party. They are, from left: Peg Stewart, B. Walsham, D. Franklin, M. Clouston, D. Carmichael, B. Morris and M. Bridgeman.

Left: President, Mrs. A. Carmichael, cuts the birthday cake.

Right: That's that Mrs. J. ("Lulu") Clouston. She's so superior, you know. And, my dear, just look at that frock!

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Married

Right: RADICH--HIRSTICH: At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, New Plymouth, Stephanie, youngest daughter of Mrs H.Hirstich, New Plymouth, to Kevin Peter, third son of Mr and Mrs M.Radich, Inglewood. The bridesmaid was Shirley Andrews, of New Plymouth, and the best man was Brian Radich, of Inglewood. Future home of the couple will be New Plymouth.

Coming of Age

Below: Twins, celebrating their 21st birthday, work on the theory that two hands are better than one when it comes to cutting a birthday cake. They are Neville and Colin, sons of Mr and Mrs E.G.Wray, of Fitzroy.

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Engaged

Below: Dorothy Margaret, eldest daughter of the late Mr W.Franklyn and Mrs J.Loveridge, of New Plymouth, whose engagement has been announced to Robin Terry, only son of Mr J.A. and the late Mrs Schinkel, of New Plymouth.

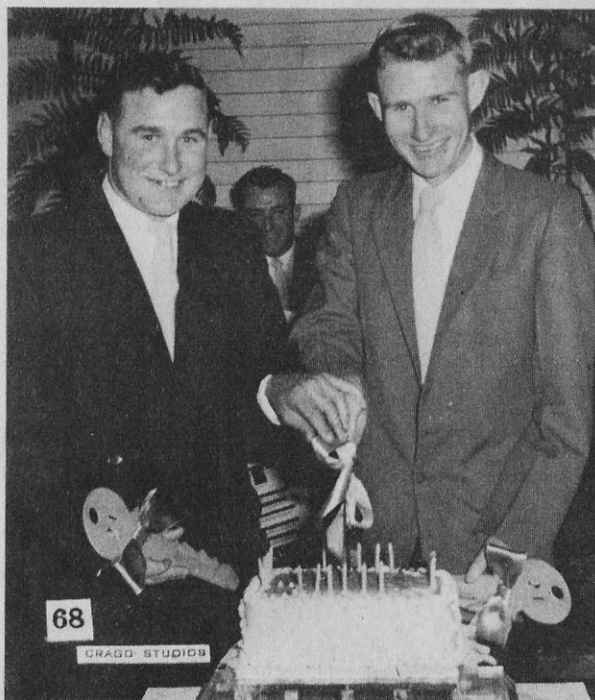


New Brownie Troop

Above: A new Brownie troop has recently been formed at Oakura. At the initial ceremony & enrolment, some twelve girls took the oath and became the first Brownies at Oakura. In the photograph above, are the new Brownies with the two pack leaders and the Tawny and Brown Owls. Those in the picture are, Brownies Gail Anderson, Jocelyn Cameron, Lynda Klenner, Ann Henchman, Glenice Christianson, Lyn Jans, Pam Evans, Lynette Priest, Pam Coates, Ngaire Sadler, Lynette Jury, and Adrienne Hamill; Pack leaders Glenis Coates and Sheryl Smith; Tawny Owl Pat Stovely and Mrs Anne Klenner.

Left: Florence Lawn, who was recently presented at the Catholic Ball, held at the Stratford Memorial Hall.

Right: Sonya Katherine, only daughter of Mr and Mrs W.Sisarich of New Plymouth, who recently celebrated her coming-of-age at a party held at the La Madone Lounge.





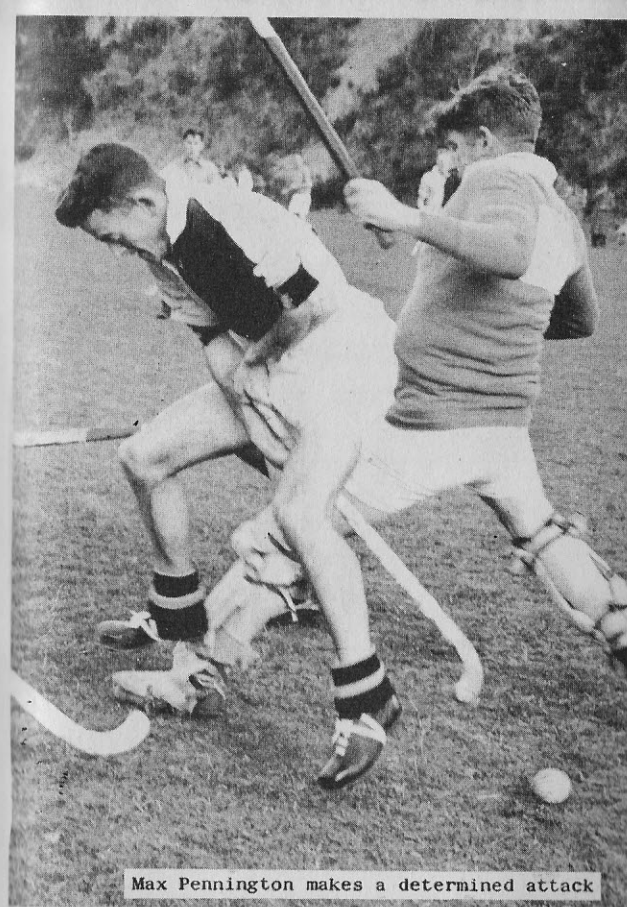
Hockey Representatives

Above: The Senior team, which beat King Contry 4-2 in a thrilling game. From left, back row, Graeme Downes, Lindsay Horgan, John Roberts, Cliff Perrett, Brian Litchfield, Bob Sutton and Alan Bayly. Front row, Elden Kehely, Ernie Kofoed, Max Pennington, Brian Woodhouse and Basil Newland.

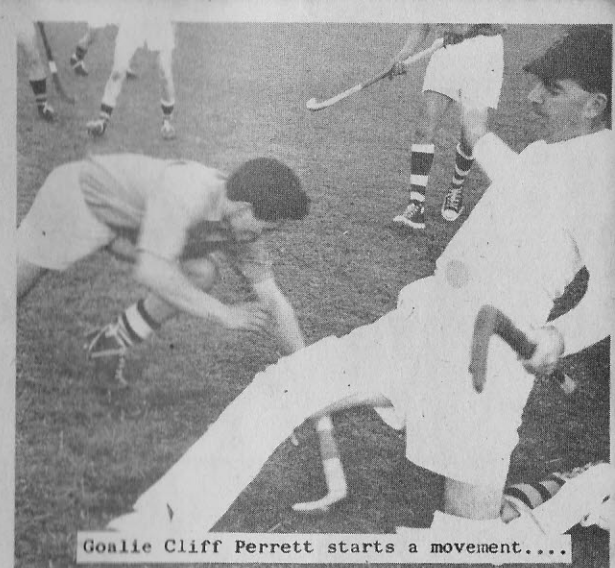
Below: The primary team, which played a good game against King Country. From left, back row, George Rowe, John Hihi, Paul Neale (capt), Darrell Simpson, Donald Stockwell and Garry Charteris. Front row, Richard McCracken, Ewan Chapman, Dale Currin, Murray McCandlish, David Hayman, Graham Schwartzfeger and Graham Boyd.



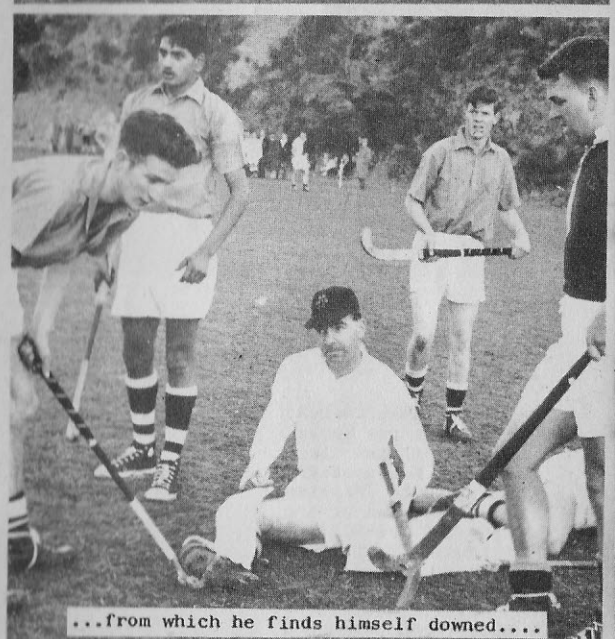
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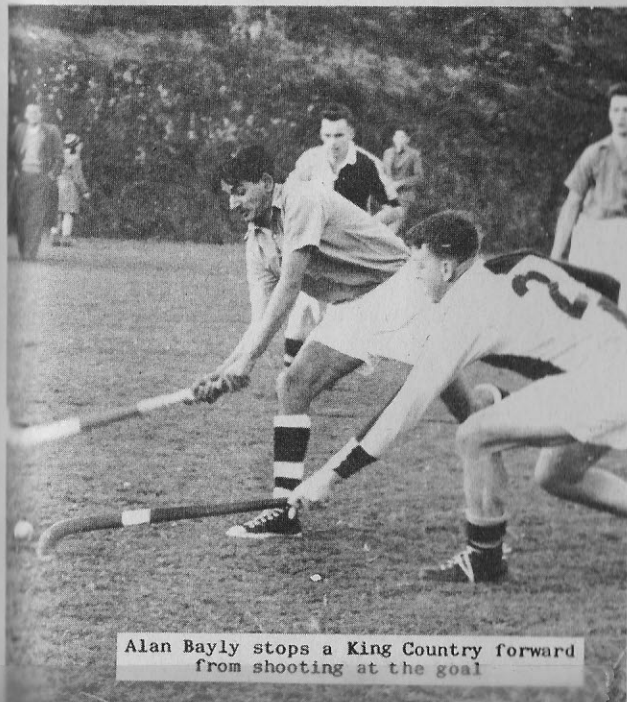
Max Pennington makes a determined attack



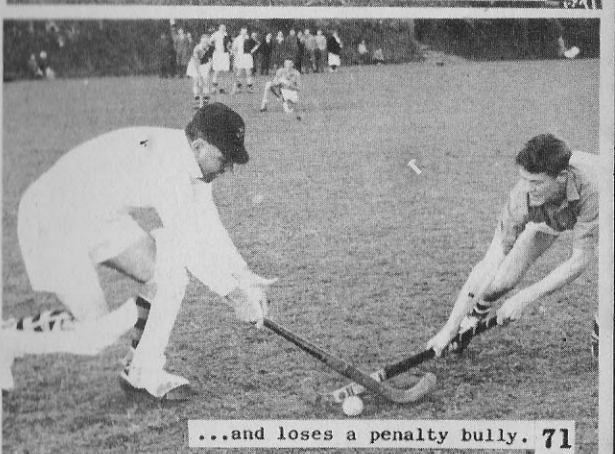
Goalie Cliff Perrett starts a movement....



...from which he finds himself downed....



Alan Bayly stops a King Country forward from shooting at the goal



...and loses a penalty bully. 71



Married

At the Knox Church, Fitzroy, Frances Merle, daughter of the late Mr and Mrs M. Longstaff, Inglewood, to William Henry Isaac, son of the late Mr and Mrs D. Pike, Masterton. The bridesmaids were Peggie Longstaff, Inglewood, Gertrude Pike, Masterton, Dorothy Longstaff and Pauline McCallum. The best man was John Pike and the groomsmen were Leslie Longstaff. The future home of the couple will be Masterton.

21st CELEBRATED

Graham, the son of Mr and Mrs C.M. Taylor, Skinner Street, New Plymouth, who recently celebrated his 21st birthday, is here shown cutting his cake, posed with mum and dad.

(Photos by Crago)



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June 21st 1959

New Church Hall at Eltham

The climax of a three-year-old plan came recently with the opening of the new All Saints Anglican Church Hall at Eltham. The impressive building, featuring the latest in hall design, will be a great asset both to the church and the district.

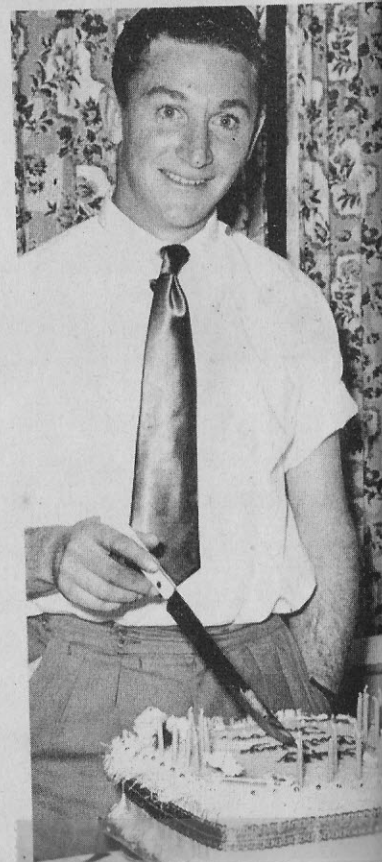
Above: The official opening. From left, the Rev. J.E. Jones, vicar of All Saints, Bishop E.J. Rich, Mr E. Sharp and Mr C. Cassels.

Left: The facts.

Below: A view of the spacious and modern hall.

(Photos by J.T. Gibson)





Social Activities

Above, left and right: McCallum-Bayly. At Holy Trinity Church, Stratford, Margaret Fay, daughter of Mr and Mrs V.E. Bayly, Toko, to Roderic James, son of Mr and Mrs J.M. McCallum, New Plymouth. The bridesmaids were Margaret Griffiths of Stratford, and Lynne McCallum. Mr L. Bowater, Matapu, was best man, and the groomsman was Mr B.M. McCallum, Hawera. The future home of the couple will be Mokoia.

Below, left: Mr Nelson Davies, a past president of the Taranaki Bowling Centre, who is now on the Dominion Council of the New Zealand Bowling Association.

Below, right: Trevor Melville, only son of Mrs G. Rothwell, New Plymouth, at his recent 21st birthday party.

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