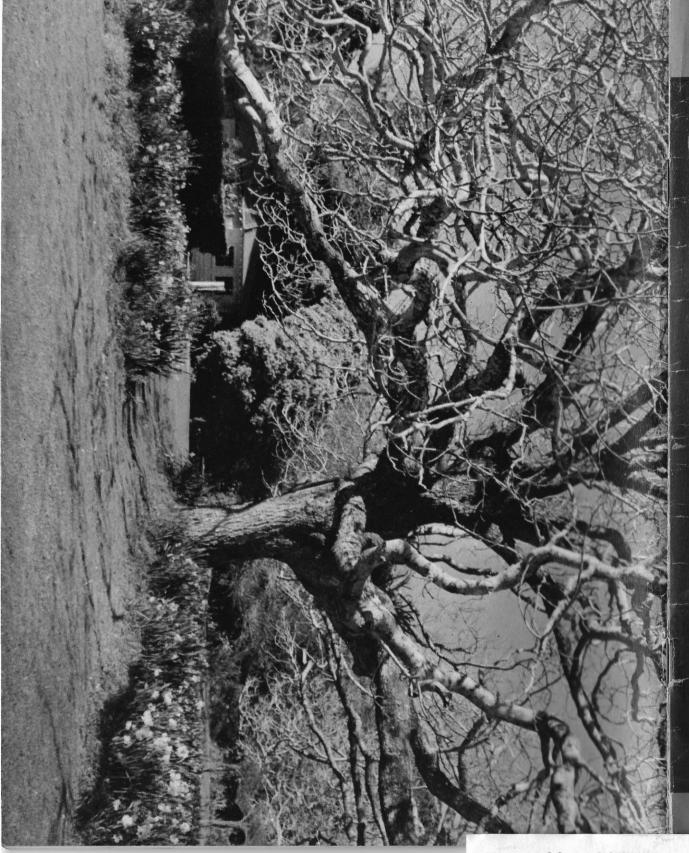


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We thought it only right that we should ask members of the fair sex to photograph the picture on the opposite page, but they considered it a hair-raising experience. We should have taken the picture ourselves, as we have no hair to raise! The girls (pretty, aren't they!) are Jillian Hurley and Shona Weir.

BACK COVER

Spring is only just around the corner, and after the atrocious weather that we have been having one wonders if spring will arrive on time. But if flowers are our yard-stick, then these colourful flowers in Brooklands park spell



Oh! But What A Tough **Game It Was!**

Let's be frank about it. Canterbury came to Rugby Park to take the shield, and never mind the game. We've seen every representative game at the park for the past six years, aid never have we seen a team play with tactics like Canterbury's. Nobody was ordered off, but many wondered why not. It was a credit to the Taranaki boys that they retained complete mastery of the game to win by 12 points to 9, holding the Ranfurly Shield against the roughest challenge vet.







Above, left: Barry O'Dowda, who we thought played a grand game, claims a mark as Canterbury's Graham lurches towards him.

Above, right: Again Barry O'Dowda stood his ground and claimed a mark near to his own goal line.

Below: Here's where an argument developed.
Below, right: Peter Mac played well and took plenty of ball in the line-outs.



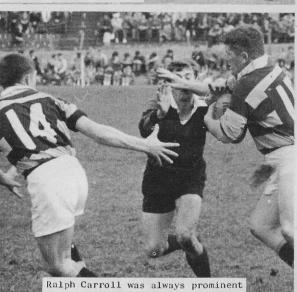




















Engaged

Above, left: FURZE-ALLEN. Lillian Joy, only daughter of Mr and Mrs P.J.Allen, Oakura, to Lawrence Graeme, second son of Mr and Mrs R.J. Furze, Warea. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Left: CARR-STEVENSON. Jean, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs J.F.Stevenson, NP, to John, younger son of Mrs E.M.Carr and Mr E.R.Brewster, NP.

Below, left: FOREMAN-REDDING. Selina Lillian, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs J.A.Redding, Okato, to Leo George, second son of Mr and Mrs E.C. Foreman, Tikorangi. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Foreman, Tikorangi. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Above: KLENNER-LICHTWARK. Olive Joyce Lichtwark, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs T.E.Muru,
Waitara, to Kenneth Rusden, youngest son of Mrs
L.Klenner, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Married

Below: GILL-PUTT. At a private ceremony, Edna May Putt, only daughter of Mr and Mrs E.Wilson, Stratford, to Leonard Thomas Stanley, eldest son of Mrs A.Gill, Wanganui, and the late Mr Gill. Mrs Ruth Putt, NP, was the matron of honour and Jack Gill, Inglewood, was the best man. Future home, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).





Instruction For Surf Members



Mr Ken Ferry, chief instructor to the NZSLSA from Wellington, recently gave a series of lectures and demonstrations to members of local surf clubs on the changing of rules and regulations for the coming season's championship events. Attending the lectures was a good muster of interested members, who derived much from this very useful course of instruction.

Above: Ken Ferry (left) watches as the representative team march on with the reel.

<u>Left:</u> Demonstration in the new method of lifting a patient.

<u>Right</u>: Minute instructions that will come in handy for next season's championship events.





Youth Club's Mountain Trip

Members of the Robe Street Gospel Hall Youth Club recently went up the mountain for a weekend climbing and fun. Though the weather was not at its best, the young people had plenty of both climbing and fun. As you can see on this page, this type of recreation breeds healthy appetites as all the youngsters did between climbing and fun was to eat.









and Lois Gundersen.

Outside in the fresh air, but still eating, are Elaine Langman, Margaret Barriball, Jan Cawthray and Lois Gundersen.



Children's Book Week

Two Very full weeks of activities is the programme for the annual children's book week, held in the New Plymouth Public Library. The programme includes talks by firemen, police and others, at which there have been record attendances. When our photographer called recently, there were at least a hundred children all sitting down listening intently to a story being read by Priscilla Wunsch, above. So many attended that the story-teller had to use amplifying equipment so that all could hear. Below: Part of the crowd of children listening to the story.





Changing Face Of New Plymouth

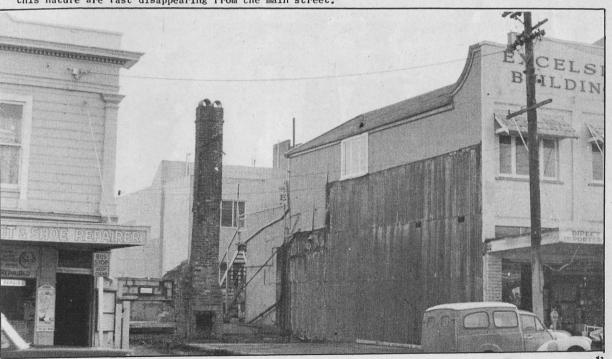
Work of major importance is proceeding apace around the city, with some buildings growing visibly every week. Two such buildings are the new radio station and administration offices of 2XP above, and the Government Life Insurance building, below, on the corner of Liardet and Gill streets. Both these buildings will be an asset to the city, as they will be modern in design and will relieve the pressure on accommodation of office space in the city.





Above: Here, preparations are in progress for the new Taranaki Newspapers building on the corner of Currie and Powderham streets. Here, for many years, stood the Sargood building, which was completely demolished in the matter of days.

Below: Another building pulled down to make way for new and ultra premises was the shop formerly used by Wright's Bakery, up Devon Street on the flat. This building was pulled down to make way for an arcade of shops, and is to be built by the Manchester Unity Oddfellows. Older buildings of this nature are fast disappearing from the main street.





Above: JACOBSEN-SHARP. At All Saints' Church, Eltham, Audrey May, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Ron Sharp, Te Roti, to Denis, eldest son of Mr and Mrs E.J. Jacobsen, Cardiff. The bridesmaids were Valerie and Keitha Sharp, sisters of the bride, Te Roti, Best man was Neville Jacobsen, brother of the groom, Cardiff, and the groomsman was Garry Hawills, Finnerty Road. Future home will be Cardiff.

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Below: WOOD-McEWEN. At the Knox Presbyterian Church, Eltham, Anne, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.G.McEwen, Eltham, to Leslie, third son of Mr and Mrs C.Wood, Auckland. The bridesmaids were Lesley Lindsay, Stratford, and Judith Ninie, Okaiawa. Bob Partridge, Stratford, was the best man and Paul Wood, Auckland, was the groomsman. Flower-girl was Joy McEwen, and the page boy was Lindsay Partridge, Stratford. Future home, Waitara.





H.M.S. Pinafore
At G.H.S

The famous Gilbert and Sullivan opera, HMS Pinafore, was produced at the Girls' High School as part of their annual music festival recently. Production was in the hands of Brian Clark, who also played a part in the show.

Right: Mr R. Goldsmith was in charge of make-up and is here

make-up and is here shown with some of his "customers".

<u>Below, left</u>: Miss R.

Ames makes an adjust-

ment to the costume of

ment to the costume of Barbara Higginson.

<u>Below, right</u>: Scene from the opera with Jennifer Jupp (Josephine) and Roger Ireland (Ralph).









Above: Mrs Hilda Veale, the musical director, made a fine job of the musical side of the show.

Above, right: Leading lady Jennifer Jupp on stage with Bob Shideler, who played Captain Corcoran.

Below: Sir Joseph Porter (Brian Clark) arrives with his aunts, cousins and sisters, with the remainder of the cast on stage. This was a fine show, well produced and acted.







Accountants Honour Teacher

Former students in accountancy at the New Plymouth Boys' High School, totalling over 200, recently attended a function to honour and pay tribute to their former teacher, Mr E.R.McKeon. Mac, as he is more intimately known, recently retired as senior tutor in accountancy at the NPBHS, after a spell dating back to 1924, when he first taught at the Technical College. A presentation of a silver tray, decanter and glasses was made by an old pupil, Mr B.Bradshawe, now a senior partner in a large Wellington firm of accountants.

Above: Official party, from left: Mr B.Brad-shawe, Mr L.G.Dickey, organiser of the function, Mr McKeon, Mrs McKeon, Mrs Bradshawe, and Mrs Dickey.

Right: Mr Bradshawe speaks while Mac makes a





Trial Post Office Evacuation

A secret exercise involving the fire brigade and post office staff was held recently. The fire alarm sounded at exactly 11am, and precisely 3 minutes and 14 seconds later all the staff were safely out and accounted for. The exercise, mainly to familiarise fire brigade and post office staff with proceedings in such an emergency, was considered satisfactory, and pleasing to those in authority in a case of emergency. Above: Firemen rush in, while staff and onlookers wait outside. Below, left: Chief postmaster Mr M.T. Dempsey confers with fire officers during the exercise. Below, right: Ladies selling health stamps took stamps and cash into the street, and







Above: BISHOP-WEST. At St.Andrew's Anglican Church, Inglewood, Mabeth Mary, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A.S.West, Inglewood, to Fred, only son of Mr and Mrs A.J.Bishop, London. The bridesmaids were Margaret and Jennifer West, sisters of the bride, Inglewood. Best man was David Pugh, Palmerston North. The flower-girl was Shelley O'Keefe, Stratford. Future home, London. (VOGUE). Below: HUTSON-PURDY. At St.Mary's Church, NP, Joan Marilyn, only daughter of Mr and Mrs V.S. Purdy, NP, to Roger Robert, only son of Mr and Mrs C.T.R.Hutson, Hastings. The bridesmaids were Julanne Taylor, NP, and Noeline Purdy, Hamilton. Brian Thompson, Linden, was the best man, and Leslie Purdy, brother of the bride, NP, was the groomsman. Future home, New Plymouth.







Life Boys Win Scripture Shield

Competed for by Life Boys from all parts of the province, the Scripture shield was this year won by the 5th (NP) Company. To celebrate the occasion, an activities evening was recently held when parents could see just what the boys had been trained in over the past few months. The winning of this shield is a very high honour and it is the first time that this company has won it.

Above, left: Rev R.J.Neals presents the Shield to Donald Ingram, who received the trophy because he attained the highest individual marks. Above, right: In this company there is a small cup presented to the best behaved boy. Here Ross Paton receives this coveted award from the Rev W.C.A. Kitto. Below: Here is the whole company, with assistant leader, Sharon Rowe, Captain Mrs D.Read,









2XP's "Have A Shot"

The New Plymouth War Memorial Hall has been fairly full for the local heats of the talent quest of 2XP. We went along one night and thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment offering. From this one show, it is demonstrated that there is much talent offering in this province. Above, left: Compere Brian Clark introduces Desna Sisarich. Above, centre: Cerryn Marsh (Waitara) with her accompanists. Above, right: Lloyd Whittaker. Right: Singer with a fine voice: Frank Effenham (NP). Below, left: Charles and Wayne Hoeta (Inglewood) were good on their electric guitars. Below, right: Guest star of the night was Bernie Brown and his family who gave a farewell performance.







Above: WILLIAMS-JEFFREY. At St.Mary's Church, NP, Dorothy Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.W. Jeffrey, Bell Block, to Arthur Frank, elder son of Mr and Mrs A.V.Williams, NP. Marie Jeffrey, sister of the bride, Bell Block, and Betty Sharrock, Waitara, were the bridesmaids. Brian Sharrock Bell Block, was the best man, and Eric Williams, brother of the groom, NP, was the groomsman. Future home, Waitara.

Below: PARRISH-SAMPSON. At St.Mary's Church, NP, Sandra Gae, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.H. Sampson, NP, to Neil John, eldest son of Mr and Mrs J.Parrish, NP. The bridesmaids were Pat Thorne NP, Diane Sampson, sister of the bride, NP, and Joy Parrish, sister of the groom, NP. The best man was Keith Parrish, brother of the groom, NP, and the groomsmen were Kevin Parrish, brother of the groom, NP, and Vaughan Temata, NP. Future home, NP.





Ross Brown's Century

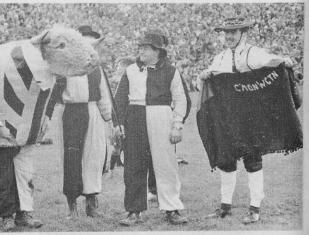
Above: This was the 100th time that captain Ross Brown had trotted out onto a paddock for an important game. He notched his century of first class games when he led his team to a 3-0 victory over Wellington. Shown here, Ross wears a worried frown, but not quite as worried as the Wellington captain Gray.

Below: Tenacious Ross hangs onto the ball, though brought down by a Wellington defender.

Above, right: Plenty of husky men to guard our Ferdie against the attentions of a Wellington matador.

Right: Here's a Wellington try that wasn't.
Below, right: These two Wellington players are









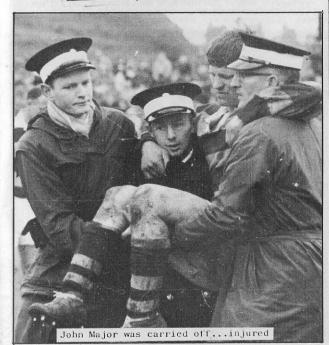


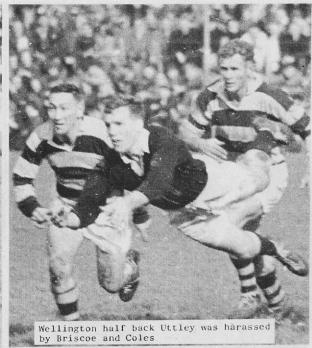
Briscoe and Major were tireless workers

WELLINGTON BEATEN...BUT ONLY JUST

Never has there been such a torrid forward battle as that witnessed on Rugby Park when the Wellington team made their bid for the shield. The crowd were kept on the edge of their seats for the full time, and Taranaki's 3-0 victory was well deserved.

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Engaged

Above, left: LONGSTAFF-CHARTERIS. Agnes Esther, second daughter of Mr and Mrs S.V.Charteris, NP,

second daughter of Mr and Mrs S.V.Charteris, NP, to Robert Lambess, youngest son of Mr and Mrs T. T.Longstaff, NP. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

Left: HUTCHINSON-DAVIES. Phyllis, only daughter of Mr and Mrs F.J.Davies, Whakamara, to Graeme, second son of Mrs A.Hutchinson, Hawera, and the late Mr W.Hutchinson. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)

Below, left: HURLEY-DOODY. Mary Charlotte, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs J.M.Doody, Pungarehu, to Michael James, second son of Mr and Mrs D.Hurley, Palmerston North.

Above: SOOTHILL-HEY. Enfys, eldest daughter of Mrs E.M.Hey, Hawera, and Mr J.Hey, Auckland, to John, only son of Mr and Mrs A.Soothill, Normanby. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: BROOKER-KNIGHT. Janet, second daughter of Mr and Mrs T.J.Knight, Awakino, to Donald, youngest son of Mr and Mrs H.G.Brooker, Wellington. (VOGUE STUDIOS).

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Roving Camera

NEW STRATFORD CHURCH. St.Andrew's Presbyterian Church at Stratford has been virtually re-built. The finishing touches are now being put to the grounds around the building and this will be one of the most modern churches in the district. As photographers, we like the idea of the covered entrance, so useful for weddings on a rainy day!

CRASH IN MANGOREI ROAD. Two cars were recently involved in a crash in Mangorei road. No one was injured, but one of the cars was extensively damaged. Both cars involved are shown below.







Bell Block Concert

A very successful concert was the result of a fine community effort on the part of the residents of Bell Block for the recent kindergarten show which produced a full hall and a good variety programme. Above: Members of the Mururaupatu concert party which contributed much to the programme. Below: Keith and Charlie Roebuck were two very talented performers. Right: Little Frances Pihama brought the house down with her quadruple poi.









BELL BLOCK PUPILS PERFORM FOR CHARITY

Children of the Bell Block school, in two groups, the ukeleles and recorders, provided part of a programme at Bell Block recently in a concert to raise funds for the proposed kindergarten. We liked both groups, and particularly the ukeleles as they strummed and sang.

CHRISTENED

Right: Michelle Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Magrath, is shown with her mother. Michelle was recently christened.





Wanganui's Lion Nearly Made It!

Whew! What a trial for the 20,000 spectators was this shield challenge against Wanganui! It was touch and go in the final minute, with the score level, and Wanganui's Colin Pierce trying to kick the conversion of his own last-minute try. It was so quiet that you could hear the rain falling! We certainly cannot recommend this shield football to any one with a weak heart. The lion of Wanganui, above, must have spurred the challengers on, and their supporters were nearly frantic during the final burst of the game, but still, the shield remained at home. Below: The home forwards played remarkably well, considering the state of the ground after so much liquid sunshine.





IT WAS A NEAR SHAVE!

Though Taranaki seemed winners all the way, the final burst by Wanganui nearly upset these

Above: Peter Mac played a sterling game in this defence.

Below: John Major, after charging down a kick, scored a brilliant try.

Above, right: Stoppage for a slight injury to a challenger's eye.

Below, right: Could be that these ardent fans from down south were as dry as anyone. They certainly looked drier than our photographer felt.









Johnny Cooper's Talent Quest

During the first week of the current Johnny Cooper Talent Quest, full houses have been reported from four centres of Taranaki. At the New Plymouth Opera House, where these pictures were shot, nearly every seat was taken. The performers, though not polished, were nevertheless entertaining. Above: The compere, Johnny Cooper. Above right: Popular group of New Plymouth: the Teen Beats. Right: Part of the audience. Below: Popular Poppers from Stratford, the Marksmen. Below, right: Resident boys with the show: the Blue Diamonds.











TALENT ON STAGE

Guest stars at the recent Johnny Cooper Talent Show were Lou and Simon, above, right. This is one of the slickest pairs of comedians that we have yet seen, and they kept the audience laughing for a long while. This is a type of entertainment which is so rare on the stage now that it is refreshing to sit back and have a real good laugh.











Taranaki Beats Manawatu

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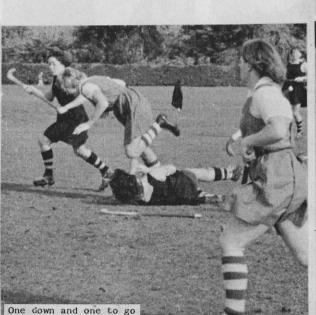
In a recent B grade representative fixture between Taranaki and Manawatu, the local side were

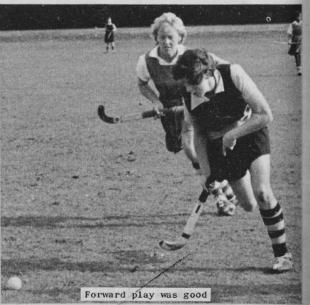
playing in top gear, and managed to beat this strong visiting side by 2-1. A soft and uneven ground didn't help the players, but Taranaki were a lot quicker to the ball, and played with more cohesion than their opposites. The game was

fairly fast at times, and but for the Manawatu goalkeeper the score could have been much

Hunting for the ball!









Sandra Syme hooks the ball away from her opponent

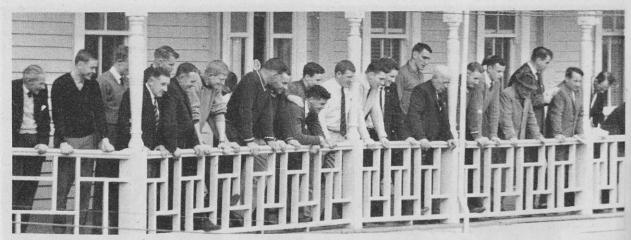
These senior girls sure do play fast and furious hockey. In their recent game against Manawatu, which they won 3-1, the girls played excellent hockey, and on a harder and more level ground they would have been a joy to watch. The forwards in particular played with the togetherness that is so important in this game. We are firmly convinced that this is a strenuous game for the fair sex, though they played with as much vitality as their opposites.











35,000 See Parade

The crowd which assembled to watch the parade prior to the shield game against Wellington was probably the biggest crowd ever to gather in Devon street. Since this was a hurriedly-organised parade, it is more to the credit of those who entered floats. And good floats they were too. Such was the enthusiasm of the challenging hoards, that there were two or three floats from the capital city.

Above: The Wellington team watched the parade from the balcony of the Imperial Hotel.

Below: Others had a balcony, but not a very large one.

Right: Wellington brought their own gladiator, drawn by beatles. This float was one of the best in the show for its originality.

Below, right: The city band has a knack of doing the right thing at the right time.











Northern division basketballers





Smith and Brown's Ferdie was a monster!



Guardian Angels?



PLENTY OF BULL IN PARADE







Like woman too.



City Council's Brown Road grass grub!

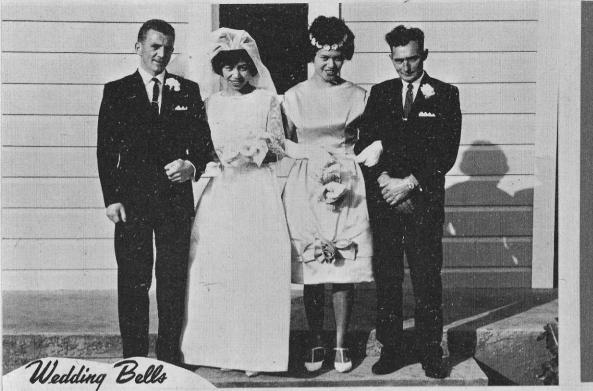












Above: HALLIDAY-ROBINSON. At the Manaia Methodist Church, Debbie, third daughter of Mr and Mrs T.Robinson, Kaupokonui, to Gwyn, second son of Mr and Mrs S.Halliday, Falkland Islands. The brides maid was Barbara Robinson, sister of the bride, Kaupokonui, and the best man was Laurie Poole, Wellington. Future home, Masterton. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).

Below: FOOKES-FOREMAN. At Holy Trinity Church, Fitzroy, Barbara Elizabeth, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs A.J.Foreman, NP, to Alister Saber, second son of Mr and Mrs K.S.Fookes, NP. The bridesmaids were Carol Davidson, Tikorangi, and Beth Honnor, Huirangi. The best man was Jim Carlson, Bell Block. Future home, England.





MARSLAND LEAGUE OF MOTHERS 13TH BIRTHDAY. A celebration evening was recently held at the CWI rooms for the 13th birthday of the Marsland branch of the League of Mothers. In the cutting-of-the-cake ceremony are, from left, Mrs J.R.Miller, Dominion secretary, Mrs D.Barraclough, president of the Marsland branch, Mrs T.H.Jagusch, Dominion president, and Mrs T.R.Bourke, provincial president. POPULAR FAMILY LEAVING NEW PLYMOUTH. A very great loss will be suffered, particularly by the entertainment world, with the departure from the city of Bernie Brown and his family. Bernie has been very prominent in the entertainment field over the past six years, and just recently has added the younger members of his family to his act, and they appear to be as talented as Bernie. Working for the Railways Department, Bernie and his family are moving to Wellington on transfer and promotion. Here's the family, and we wish them good luck. From left: Stefan, Mrs Brown, Jeffrey, Bernie, Virginia and Glenn.





Valerie Cleland just misses this interception

Wellington Beats Taranaki

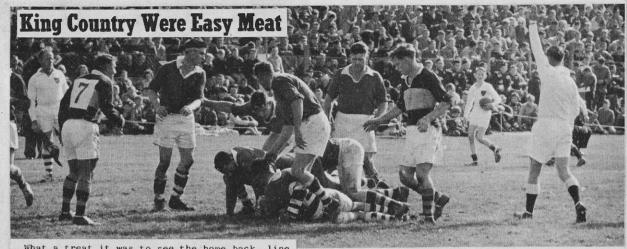
On the same day that the Wellington team was here in quest of the Ranfurly Shield, the senior basketball team from the capital came to do battle with the local reps. In this case the outcome was different in that Wellington beat the home province, 15-13, and so retained the Muir cup. Both teams were evenly matched, and any side could have won the trophy.







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What a treat it was to see the home back line working so well in the 21-0 win over King Country. This was perhaps the best match to watch so far in the shield series, probably because the opposition was not as tough as in previous games.

Above: Under this heap someone has scored a try, the first for Taranaki.

Below: King Country forwards in action.

Bottom, left: Another Wolfe try, down by the corner flag.

Right: The second of the Wolfe tries goes down.

Below, right: King Country half back passed this one to the "Photo News" photographer!









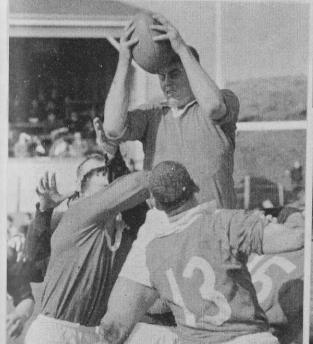


Above: Alan Smith was prominent in the rucks, and did sterling work with his boot; as he did in the line-outs, taking the ball very cleanly, shown in the picture below.

Above. right: J.Clark, playing in his first Shield game, scored a good try.

Right: Trevor Jenkins and Gary Hayes make to pounce on a King Country player.

Below, right: K.Hurley did his best to beat this King Country player to the touch down, but missed by a fraction.













Arbor Day In The City

Arbor day in New Plymouth was this year celebrated by the planting of trees and shrubs in the Wiremu reserve, on the corner of South and Seaview roads. This part of the city has long been in need of beautification, and with the planting a small corner of East New Plymouth will in time take on a different look. There didn't seem quite so much interest this year, with smaller helpers than in previous years, but they nevertheless planted all that was asked of them. Above, left: Mayor of New Plymouth, Mr A.G.Honnor, planted the first tree. Above, right: There was plenty of work for those who did turn up. Below: Short speeches preceded the celebration plantings.





Highlands Drama Festival

Drama in all its forms is an important part of school life and the presentation of four plays by pupils of the Highlands Intermediate School proved beyond doubt that acting is one of the favourite pastimes of a lot of the pupils. For two nights these four plays were presented to full houses, and were thoroughly enjoyed by all. Above: The cast of the play "The Silver Snuff Box", from left: Peter Lucas, Russell Herdson, John Paton, Elizabeth Mackay and Pamela Williamson. Below left: Teacher Freda Stinson makes up Queen Elizabeth, Michele Wagstaff. Below, right: Keith Olsen is fitted with his wig by Jill Campbell.







PERFORMERS AT HIGHLANDS

Above: The cast of the play "Roses for the Queen" is shown here grouped on stage for our camera. From left they are Keith Olsen, Gary Hutchinson, Michelle Wagstaff, Murray Lawrence, Susanne Sutton, Clifford Valentine, Robyn Baker and Gail Read.

Below: Four of the Indian women get their tan on before performing in a lively play "Pocahontas". This was a play in which the children excelled as they liked this Indian stuff, and certainly all tack their parts well. From left, the square are Lynette Holling. Marcelle Peid. The Copper and took their parts well. From left, the squaws are Lynette Hollins, Marcelle Reid, June Cooper and Barbara Symes.







HIGHLANDS PUPILS HAD FUN AT DRAMA FESTIVAL

Despite the fact that all the children who were participating in the Highlands Drama Festival had fun, what impressed us most was that they worked well together as a team, and for the two nights there was no hitch and everything went off just as it was planned.

Above: Looking after the switchboard was Gra-

ham Kindberg.

Above, right: Scene shifters were Neil Hodges, Ian Lanning, Lance Reid and Peter Allen.
Right: Making up Murray Lawrence is teacher

Jillian Aitken.

<u>Below: Pupil Lexine Cooper helps with the make-</u>

up of Keith Olsen.

<u>Below, right</u>: Quick run through of their lines by prompt Margaret Samuels for Robyn Baker and Gail Read.

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Savage Beatles At Waitara

Another Savage raid recently took place, when the New Plymouth club raided the Waitara club. It was a fair evening's entertainment which the raiders provided and here we produce some of the items. We'd like to tell you some of the tales, but are afraid that the censor might have the last say.













Taranaki Representatives

Above: SENIOR BASKETRALLERS. Here is the Senior Taranaki team which recently played Wellington in a representative fixture. From left, back row: Margaret Carlson (v-capt.), Marie Hall, Marji Manu, Lynn Aitken and Elizabeth Rangihaeta. Front row: Sandra Sheehan, Judy Cameron, Esther Robson (captain), Natalie Cleland and Eleanor Corlett.

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Below: SENIOR HOCKEY REPS. This is the team which recently beat Manawatu. From left, back row:
Joy Cadman, Diane Hamlin, Sandra Syme, Jo Morton, Jennifer MacRae, Alison Moorhead and manager Mrs
S.MacRae. Front row: Anne Hide, Valerie Spurdle, Tui Steele, Jane Fookes and Lorna Bell.





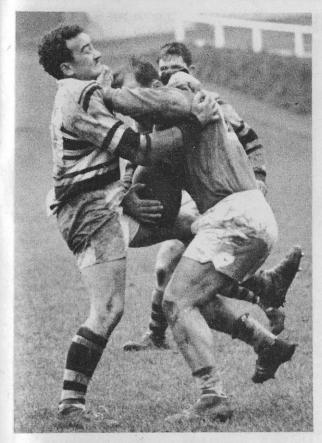
French League Team Here

Though downed by 22-4, the Taranaki team which played the touring French League team at Puke-kura Park recently acquitted themselves well under the circumstances. The excitable Frenchmen didn't get as much of the game as the score suggests, and home boys played a hard game. We pick the French boys would have quite a few bruises to mure after this torridge program. to nurse after this torrid'struggle.











HARD GAME THIS LEAGUE!

Above: Barry Christianson and a French player go head on in this hard-fought game.

Below: Here, Alan Marshall is about to tackle a French player, whilst Barry Christianson has done his best to bring the opponent down.

Above. right: Maurice Lewis and Joe Broughton literally tear into this Frenchman.

Below, right: Fred Nicholas missed this slip-







A particularly large crowd recently attended the North Taranaki branch of the NZ Camelia Society's show in the New Plymouth War Memorial Hall. The displays were magnificent, and mostly arranged by the NP Floral Art Club. The long tables of many varieties of camelias were a riot of colour and the star attraction of a beautiful display. Above: Main attraction of the show was this arrangement of large flowers. Below and above. right: Two more arrangements by the NP above, right: Two more arrangements by the NP Floral Art Club. Below, right: One of the long tables which featured hundreds of varieties of









Above: KERR-POTROZ. At the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Stratford, Frances Rose, second daughter of Mr and Mrs L.W.Potroz, Cardiff, to Michael James Samuel, eldest son of Mr and Mrs S.J. Kerr, Midhirst. The bridesmaids were Mary Potroz, sister of the bride and Kathleen Kerr, sister of the groom. Brian Gadsby, Manaia, was the best man, and John Kerr, brother of the groom, was the groomsman. The flower-girl was Patricia Potroz, sister of the bride, and the page boy was Kevin Frank, Waverley. Future home, Midhirst.

Below: HANCOCK-HOTTER. At St.Stephen's Church, Stratford, Betty Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs J.W.Hotter, Midhirst, to Neville Peter, second son of Mr and Mrs A.Hancock, Lepperton. The bridesmaids were Clenys Webb. Eltham, and Joan Hancock, sister of the groom. The best man was

The bridesmaids were Glenys Webb, Eltham, and Joan Hancock, sister of the groom. The best man was Douglas Hancock, brother of the groom, Christchurch, and the groomsman was Leonard Hotter, brother



CAKES BY THE TON

We recently enjoyed the privilege of a visit to Neville's Bakery in New Plymouth where hundreds of cakes of about thirty varieties are baked every day. Starting in the weighing room, where the ingredients are prepared prior to mixing, we were amazed at the accuracy with which the ingredients are weighed. In 501bs of cake mix, every in-gredient is right to within 20z. Below is Trevor Sommerton who is factory foreman and is also responsible for the weighing of the ingredients.

With about 30 carieties of cake to be made, each day, naturally Trevor is a busy man.

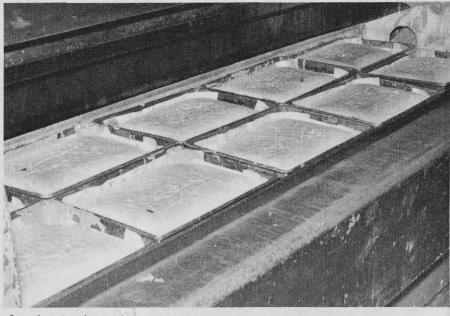
In the next stage, eggs and sugar are passed on to the giant whisk (below, right) operated by Ray Jury. This whisk gets the mixture to the right consistency before being added to the other ingredients in one of the many big mixing machines.

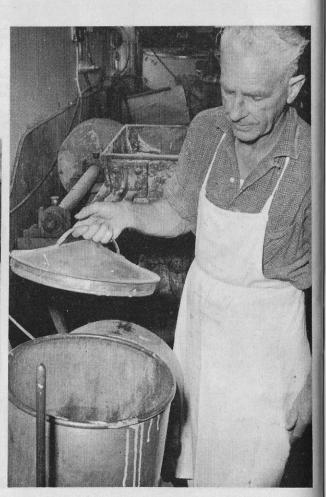
The thing that impressed us most was the accuracy with which each cake is made. The mixture is passed into the baking tins, but not before it is checked for weight, and here there is only 40z. tolerance. Shown at the top of this page are some of the block cakes in the process of being baked in the giant oven.

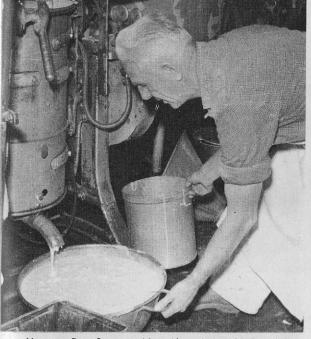


Are YOU a Bride-to-be?

If so, and you want to see your wedding photograph in "Photo News" then you'll have to let us know about it, or you might miss out, as our Saturdays are pretty full, and we can't be in three places at one time. It's first come, first served, especially when there are a lot of weddings....so you must (ell US, Phone number is 6101.







Above: Ray Jury empties the giant whisk, before adding this to the complete mix. Here, the consistency is made fluffy by the use of whisking under pressure.

Below: Nigel Stokell empties one of the many mixers into a bin which will feed the mixture to the automatic weighing machine.

Above, right: Operating the automatic weighing

Above, right: Operating the automatic weighing machine is Bill Walsh, who fills each tin with just the right amount of mixture.

Below, right: Also made in this factory is pastry, which the customer can buy frozen. Here, Eric Thornhill uses his giant roller. How useful would this be in your kitchen?









BY THE

Above: After baking, the cakes are brought into another department where the icing is added in just the right amount. Here again, accuracy in the amount used is of paramount importance. Spreading the icing is Irene Topless.

Below: Directly after icing, the cakes are individually wrapped by Peggy Chew and May Amon.

Above, right: After wrapping, Betty Thornhill puts the price tickets on.

Right: Another part of the factory is devoted

Right: Another part of the factory is devoted to the producing of frozen pastry. Here, Clara Heal and Earlena McKinnon wrap the pastry before

it is put into the freezer.

Below, right: So popular and interesting is this factory that many parties of women and children are conducted over it each week. Here are children from the YWCA inspecting some of the cake ingredients.











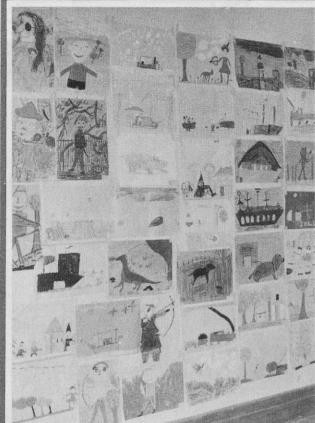
Above: Here is the finished product: stacked racks ready for delivery anywhere from Mahoenui down to Waverley.

Below: May Amon helps Graham Stevenson to load one of the company's four trucks for delivery.



LIBRARY WALL

Right: The wall of the NP Public Library is given over, during the school holidays, to a children's art section. Here we see a section of the wall which is covered with pictures of all types, produced by school children. Quite a sight, and colourful too.







Above, left: RICHARDS-NEALE. Joan, only daughter of Mr and Mrs T.Neale, NP, to Graeme, only son of Mr and Mrs J.G.Richards, Awakino.

Above, right: CAMERON-RANGI. Reilynn Doris, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.R.Rangi, Waharoa, to Bruce George, eldest.son of Mrs A.J.Cameron, Auckland, and Mr G.G.Cameron, Takanini.

Coming of Age

Below, left: Freda, daughter of Mr and Mrs F.C.Moody, Hawera, cuts her 21st birthday cake. Below centre: Fay, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.E.Griffin, Hawera, smiles for our camera. Below, right: Gordon, son of Mr and Mrs C.E.Hatchard, Hawera, recently celebrated his 21st birthday. (DAVID PAUL).







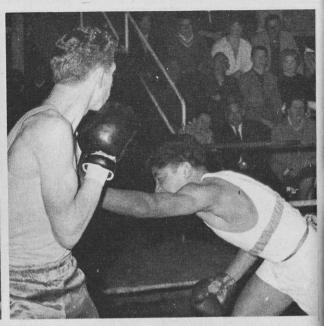


Above: BENTLEY-PAUL. At St.Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Nan, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R.L.Paul, Waitara, to Alan, second son of Mr and Mrs A.Bentley, Auckland. Sisters of the bride, Rae and Ila Paul, were the bridesmaids, Keith Bentley, brother of the groom, Wellington, was the best man, and Ian Cameron was the groomsman. Future home, Wellington.

Below: SHILCOCK-FRASER. At St.Martin's Catholic Church, Pungarehu, Marion Joan, third daughter of Mr and Mrs S.R.Fraser, Opunake, to Albert John, youngest son of Mr and Mrs W.Shilcock, Wanganui. The bridesmaids were Margaret O'Neil, NP, and Beverley Hall, Auckland. Best man was Ted Shilcock, brother of the groom, and the groomsman was Alan Fraser, brother of the bride. Flower-girls were Denise Fraser, sister of the bride, and Flaine Beer. Denise Fraser, sister of the bride, and Elaine Beer.

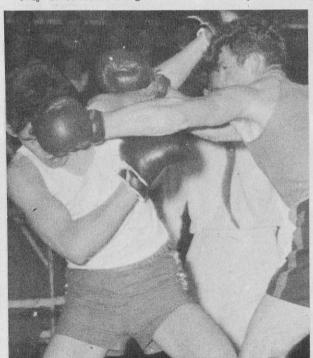


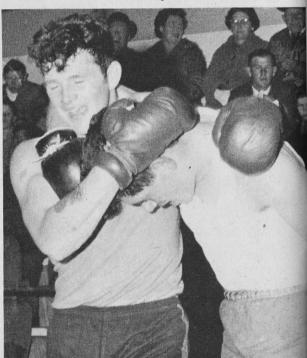


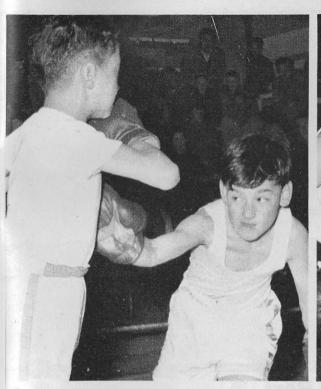


Taranaki Boxing Champs

The annual Taranaki boxing championships, recently held at Hawera, attracted entries from as far away as Wellington, Palmerston North and Wanganui. With these visitors in the championships, there was so much more added interest, and the finals proved exciting, with not one dull fight. Some of the lads had had two fights before the finals, but this didn't stop them from putting on a very good show. Above, left: In the Fleaweight final, W.Kelly (Stratford) stopped one on the chin from M.McEwan (Wanganui) but despite this he went on to win his division. Above, right: J.McGrory, left (Palmerston North), the winner, and W.Luke (Normanby) gave an active showing in their lightweight final. Below, left: H.Chadfield (Wanganui) was a clear winner from E.Carter (Manaia) seen here receiving a straight left, in the Ligh Welterweight final. Below, right: And after the contest they embraced as long-lost brothers...just the right spirit for this boxing game.



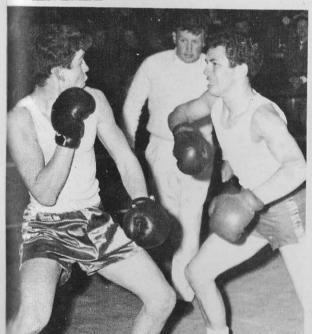


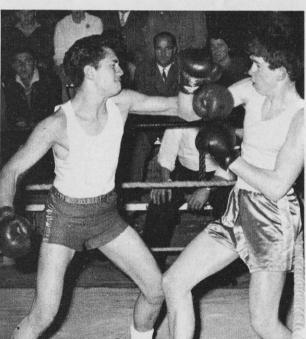


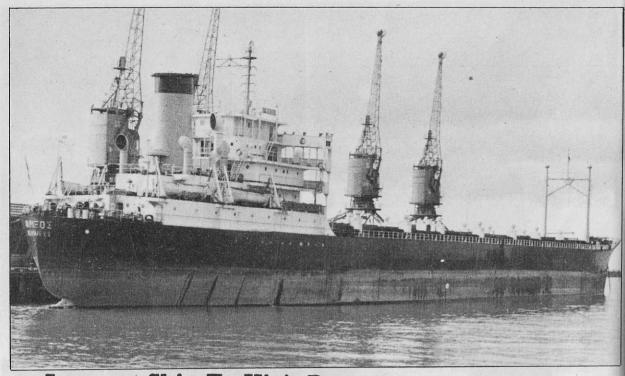


CHAMPS IN ACTION

Above, left: In the junior atomweight final, it was an all-action affair, which had the crowd cheering both boys on. Here is the winner, P.Cochrane (Manaia), leading with his right to P.Wehena (Patea). Above, right: Though he stopped a fairly good right early in the fight, L.Williams (Eltham) went on to win the paperweight final from M.Hetherington (Titahi Bay). Below, left: M. Carter (Manaia) had a hard fight with D.Neilson (Titahi Bay), but he ran out the winner on points. Below, right: Here comes a hay-maker from M.Carter, as D.Neilson covers up in anticipation.

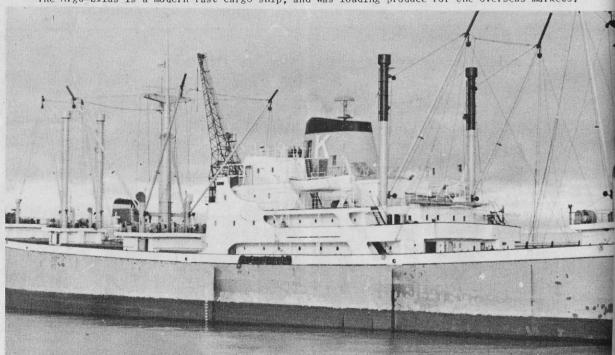






Longest Ship To Visit Port

The Greek freighter Frixos, above, recently paid a visit to Port Taranaki, and in doing so created a record, in that she was the longest ship ever to berth here. The Frixos is 587 feet long and is a converted tanker, now carrying phosphate. While in port, the Frixos was joined by another Greek ship, the Argo-Ellas, below. During one Sunday of her stay in port, those that visited the port area were "treated" to very loud pop music, a lot of which was of Greek origin. The Argo-Ellas is a modern fast cargo ship, and was loading produce for the overseas markets.





City Visitors

Above: Not often does the city get the chance of hearing such perfected singing as that provided by the boys of St.Peter's School, Cambridge, when they gave their concert in the city. The War Memorial Hall was filled for the concert which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The choir was about the most highly-trained group that we have heard in a long time.

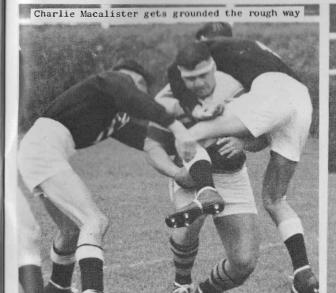
Below: New Plymouth was the venue recently for the annual conference of the NZACU. Among those at the conference was the Commissioner of Transport, Mr R.J.Polaschek. For the first time in the history of the NZACU, a New Plymouth man, Mr John Callender, was elected president for 1964-5. Photographed are the full complement of delegates, who came from all parts of the Dominion.





Above: HARVEY-HEISTAND. At St.Patrick's Catholic Church, Manaia, Ama Amelia, third daughter of Mr and Mrs J.A.Heistand, Awatuna, to Norman Albert, only son of Mr and Mrs S.E.Harvey, Auckland. The bridesmaids were sisters of the bride, Doreen and Linda Heistand, Awatuna. Best man was Allan Bacon, Auckland, and the groomsman was Ray Schultz, Auckland. Future home, Awatuna. (DAVID PAUL). Below: EDGAR-PARKER. At St.Mary's Anglican Church, Hawera, Thelma Mavis, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs E.Parker, Hawera, to Malcolm Thomas, son of Mr and Mrs J.Edgar, Birmingham, England. The bridesmaids were Beverley Parker, twin sister of the bride, Hawera, Judith Jeffs, Heretaunga, and Robyn Raynor, Normanby. Cecil Edgar, brother of the groom, Australia, was the best man. Flowergirl was Jillian Harper, Hawera, and the page boy was Peter Hurley, Hawera. Future home, Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIOS).



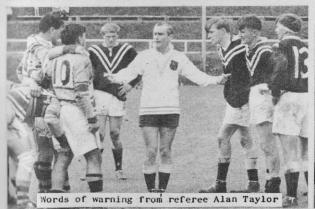


Waitara Lose Semi-Final

After a good run in the Rothman's Tournament, Waitara were well and truly beaten in the semi-final by Hornby (Christchurch), 26-4. The home team seemed to lack the sparkle of former games, and were over-run by a very formidable combination.



Maurie Lewis did his best to stop this try











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Above, left: Janis Sutherland of the Regency Beauty Salon who is this year's winner of the Bronwyn Cup in the Junior Hairdressing championships.

Above: The Mari Hi-Quins, formed in Wellington in 1960, are now on a tour of the U.K. after having had a successful time in Australia. They are so highly rated that they have been recommended by Sammy Davis jnr. to a season at the fabulous Sands Hotel at Las Vegas. Among the group is a boy from Taranaki, Eddie Nuku.

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Below, left: Neil, second son of Mr and Mrs
Harold Bailey, Inglewood, is shown with his
mother and father, and brothers Kevin, Ray and
Barry at his recent 21st party.

Below, right: Four generations here. Seated is
grandmother Mrs R.C. Scott and great-grandmother,
Mrs E.B. Candy holding Tania Neal. At back is the
mother, Mrs R. Neal

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Above: SPENCER-GASH, At St.Mary's Church, NP, Janet Mary, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs W.E. Gash, NP, to Alan Morton, only sbn of Mr and Mrs M.A.Spencer, Lowestoft, England. Susan Gash, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid, and Ashley Taylor, NP, was the best man. Flower-girl was Susan Blackie, NP. Future home, Invercargill.

Below: RICHARDSON-SIMPSON. At St.Chad's Anglican Church, Westown, NP, Patricia Fay, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H.H.Simpson, NP, to Ian Wilson, elder son of Mr and Mrs Bert Richardson, NP. Matrons of bosons were Heather Simpson, and Lexie Mayor Palmerston North, Best man was John Waller.

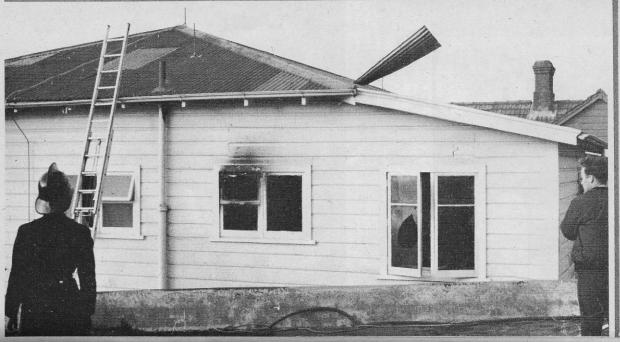
Matrons of honour were Heather Simpson, and Lexie Mayo, Palmerston North. Best man was John Waller NP, and the groomsman was Brian Hewer, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.











Silver Weddings

Above, left: Jack and Annie Walker, Mangorei Road, recently celebrated their silver wedding. Here they are on that occasion with their family. From left: Bruce, Sharron, Jack and Annie with Denise, and Raewyn.

Above: Harry and Daisy West, Norfolk Road, also celebrated their silver wedding. Here they are with the bridal party of 25 years ago. From left: June Ladbrook, Ketha West, Harry and Daisy, Alf West and Eddie Ladbrook.

Good Save!

The NP Fire Brigade recently made a good save when they were quickly on the scene of a house fire in Dawson street. Almost within minutes the fire was under control.

