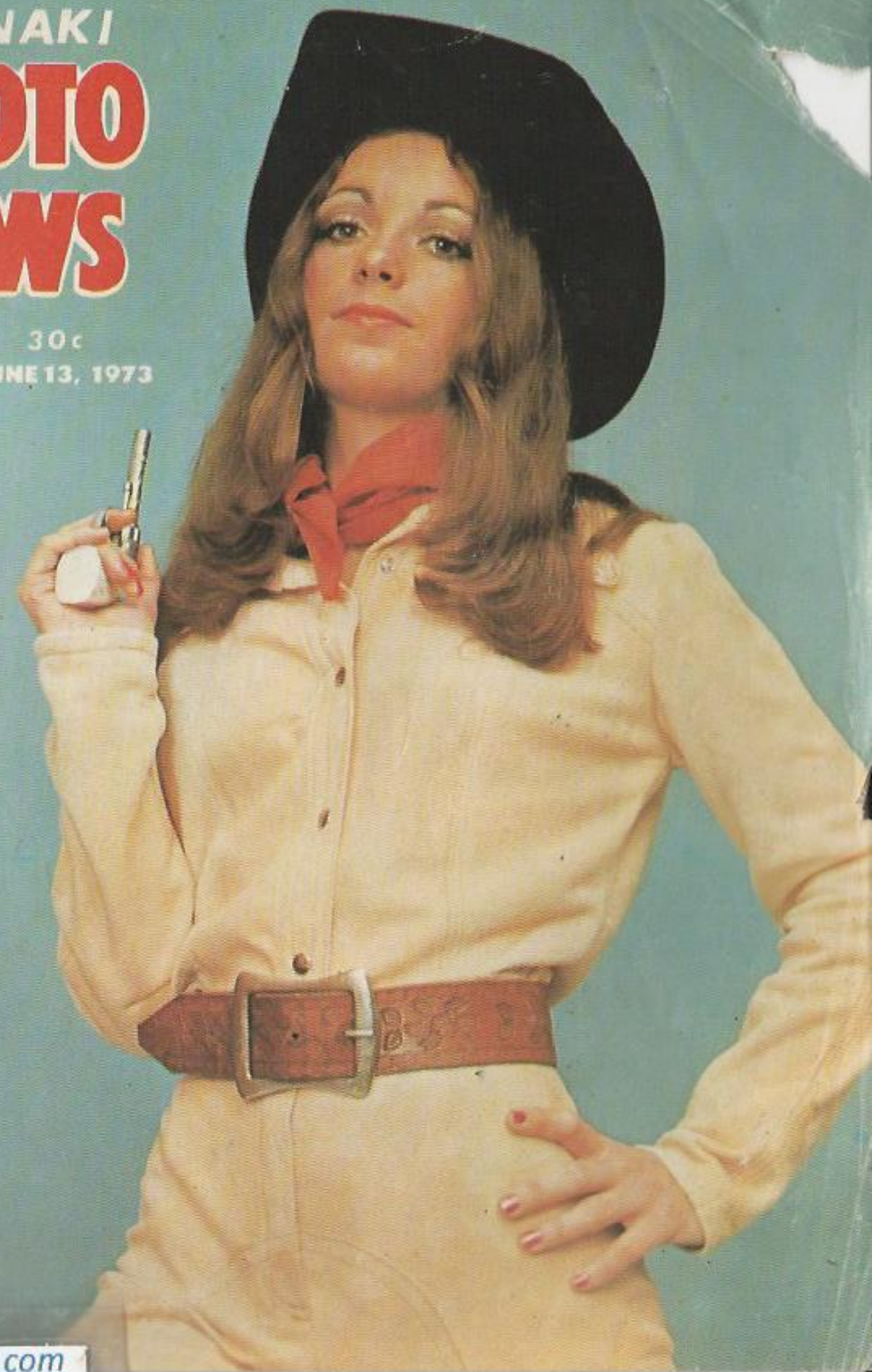


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THE CHIEF LIVES ON

In the mid 1850s this Chief was a well known leader in the Hawke's Bay district. Though he is, of course, long departed his image lives on in this painting by the late Joseph Annabell. The painting has deteriorated and run into lumps in some places, as can be seen in this copy of the original.



WHAT'S INSIDE?



Fire rages through a woolstore at Waitara



Living nursery rhymes



Exciting play in N.S.W. v. New Plymouth basketball



"Taming of the Shrew" at Hawera



IS THIS YOU?



Are you the girl pictured dancing at the Waitara Beer Festival? If so, come into "Photo News" and claim a prize of a new L.P. album.



PLEASE NOTE

We regret to advise that in future we will be unable to publish pictures of any functions or celebrations held at La Scala.

The reason for this ruling is due to the policy of the management of La Scala.

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OUR COVER

Miss June Photo News is Sally Blackman. Sally looks absolutely stunning in this chamois trouser suit from Champions and, though the pistol may have a dangerous sheen to it, we can't find any dangerous look in Sally's eyes.

BACK COVER. One of the many picturesque scenes in Pukekura Park. Here, the bright red of the footbridge contrasts delightfully with the many shades of greenery.

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DANCING COMPETITIONS

Dancing competitions were held at the Inglewood High School Assembly Hall a couple of weeks ago. Sections included tap dancing, skipping, song and dance, operatic and character. The competitions attracted over 300 entries.



Lynne Peters



Megan Revell



Kathy Gillespie



Kaye Vogt



Julie Sammut, who won the tap dance section, 8-10 years



Nicola Royce



Wendy Bishop



Richard Tito



Amanda Clements



Karen Clare



Karen Julian

Dancing Competitions



Raye Purdie



Tania Nickleson



Sherryl Limmer



Brett Jury



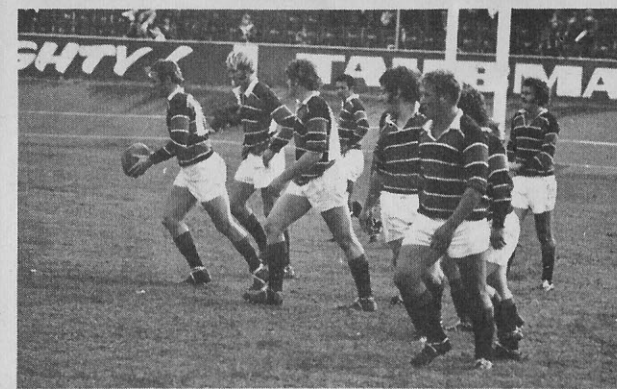
Helen Ramsey



Tina Stockman

WANGANUI THRASHES TARANAKI AT RUGBY

In the first representative rugby match of the season, the Wanganui team literally thrashed Taranaki. There really were no excuses for the local side, even if it was the first match of the season, and we hope that over the next few weeks the Taranaki side will gain form and stage something of a comeback.



FARM-A-RAMA

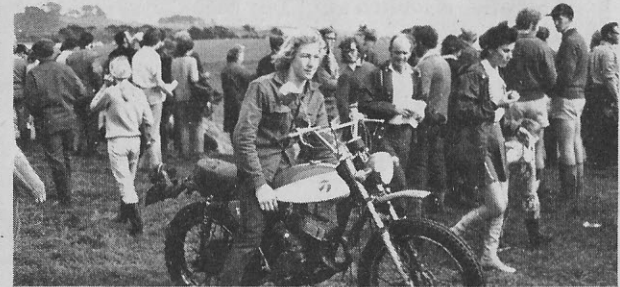
The N.Z.B.C., in association with local Young Farmers' Clubs throughout Taranaki, organised a massive demonstration of new farm equipment and methods. Called 'Farm-A-Rama,' the event was staged one recent weekend at Beach Road, Omata,



Burkitts demonstrated new machinery in a ploughing display



Jeff Marsden shows the power and hill climbing ability of a farm-bike



Jeff Marsden rests after his demonstration run



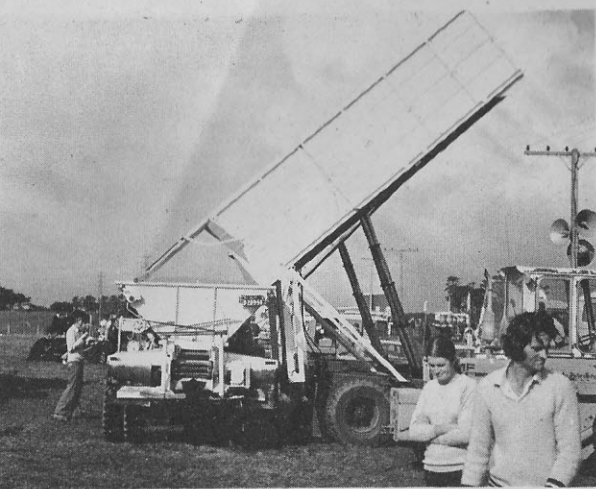
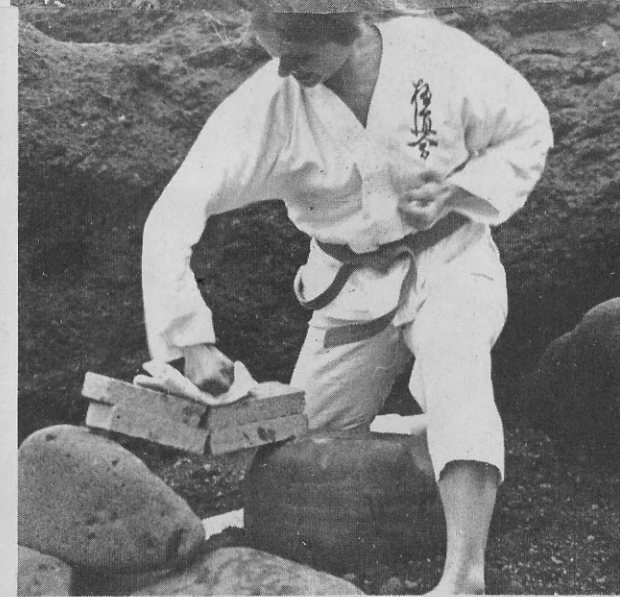
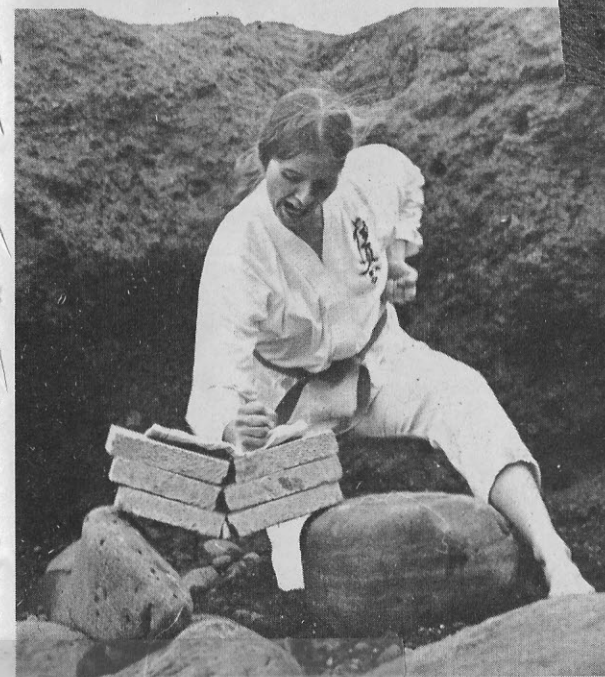
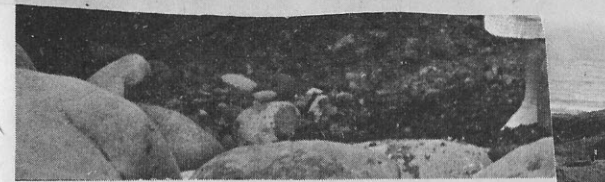
A new all-powerful farm horse – the Honda farm-bike



A display of methods used in artificial breeding



Waverley farmer Les Hone tries out a saw for himself



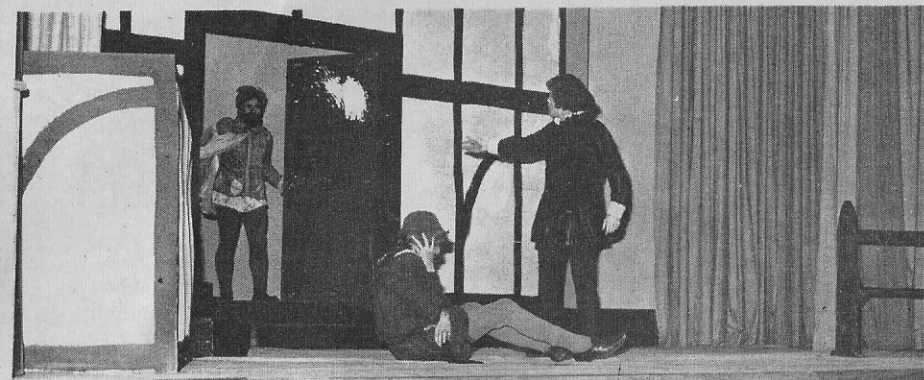
This display showed the manner in which spreader trucks are loaded . . .



Local children rode to Farm-a-rama on horseback



A demonstration of chainsaws and their operation



Hortensio (Richard Neale), Gremio (Greg Hughson) and Petruchio (Brian Mullins)

"TAMING OF THE SHREW"

Hawera Repertory staged its production of the play "Taming of the Shrew" recently. The show was well received and the standard of acting was quite high. Overall, a most enjoyable production.



Lucentio (Richard Kennedy-Moffat) and Tranio (John Dent)



Players who entertained the 'New Lord'



Christopher Sly (Russ Standing) and Margaret Thompson



Russ Standing, John Brough, Peter Jones and Geoffrey Blake



Russ Standing meets his "wife"



Russ, Peter and Geoffrey



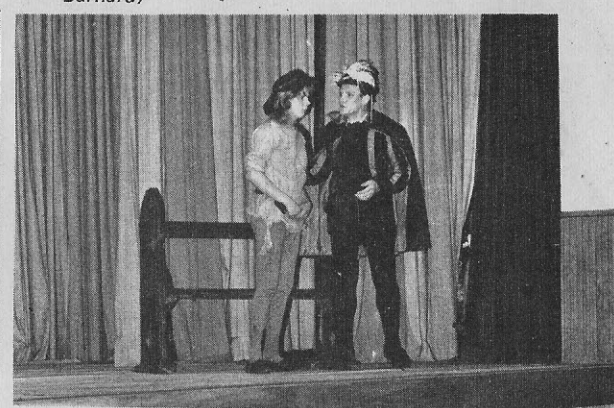
Bianca (G. Bequely), Katherine (Ruth Lyster), Gremio (John Chapman), Hortensio (Richard Neale) and Baptista (Martin Wilson)



Lucentio (Richard Kennedy-Moffat) and Biondello (Ian Barnard)



Hortensio and Petruchio



Ian Barnard and John Dent

RESULTS OF CAMERA COMPETITION

We had literally hundreds and hundreds of entries in our camera competition and, in fact, there were so many entries that our Editor spent no less than six solid hours reading through them all. The judging was extremely difficult.

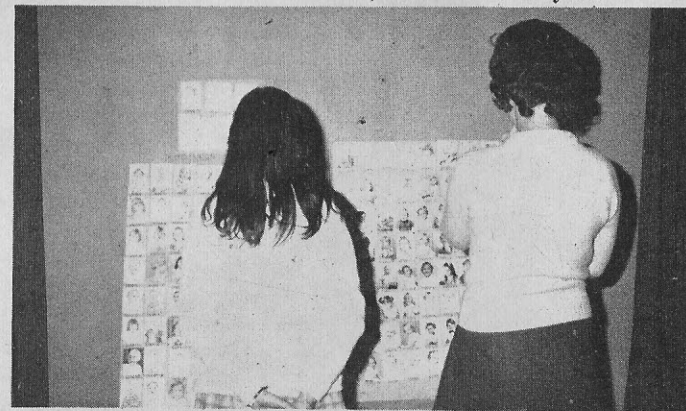
Eventually it was a choice between four entries, all of which were extremely good. In the end the choice was made because of simplicity and honesty in the winning entry, which simply stated "I want to win the camera for Mum and Dad because they borrow mine."

We are happy to announce Wendy Dew of Marama Crescent, New Plymouth, as the winner and look forward to her coming in to "Photo News" to claim her prize.

THE BABY PHOTO CONTEST

As most of you are aware, the Bank of New South Wales-Photo News Baby Photo Contest has now closed. We have been so swamped with entries that we are almost embarrassed. Because of the large number of entries that we have to make prints of, attach to a board and deliver to the judges, it has become necessary to delay the judging of the contest.

This now means that the contest results will be announced in the next issue of "Photo News," due out on July 11.



Two members of the "Photo News" staff examine some of the entries that have been printed and counted, ready for judging. There are many more yet to be completed



This competitor takes a jump in classic style

N.Z. PONY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

The New Zealand Pony Club championships were held this year at New Plymouth over a three-day period. There were three sections — dressage, cross-country and show jumping.



Alister Robinson of King Country won the A.I. Cup on 'Spider'



Sue Rainford receives help with her son Richard



The cross-country section in progress



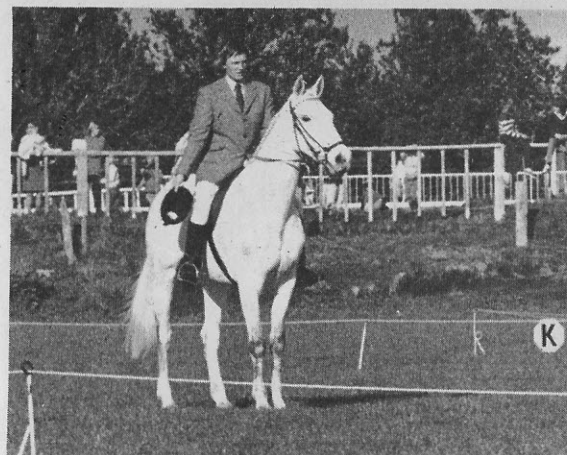
This was the team representing Taranaki



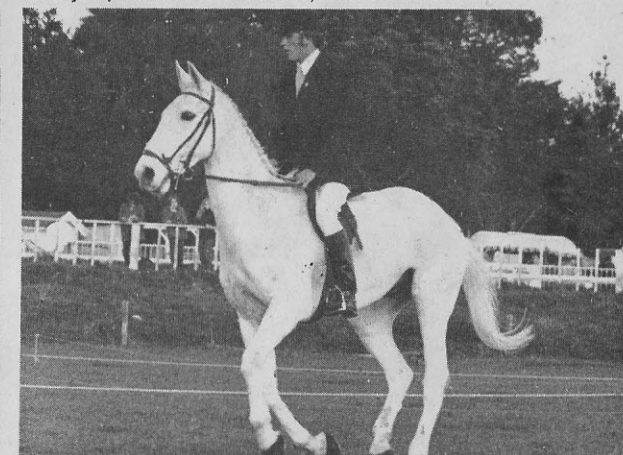
Course builder Roger Lane tests one of the jumps



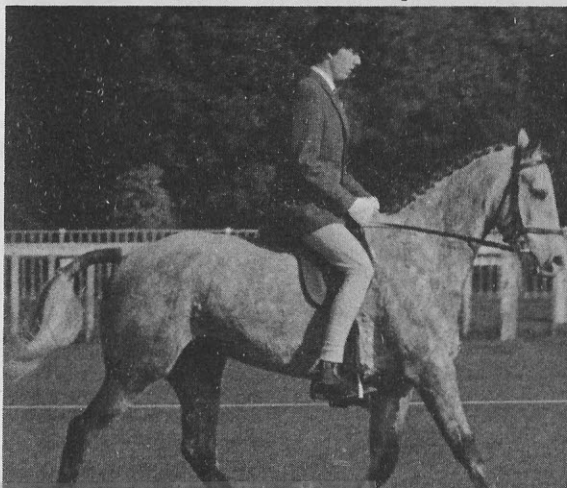
A member of the victorious Waikato team jumps in the cross-country section



The final salute in a dressage test



'The Rock' and his rider from South Canterbury



Lance Milward of Hawkes Bay on 'Polka'

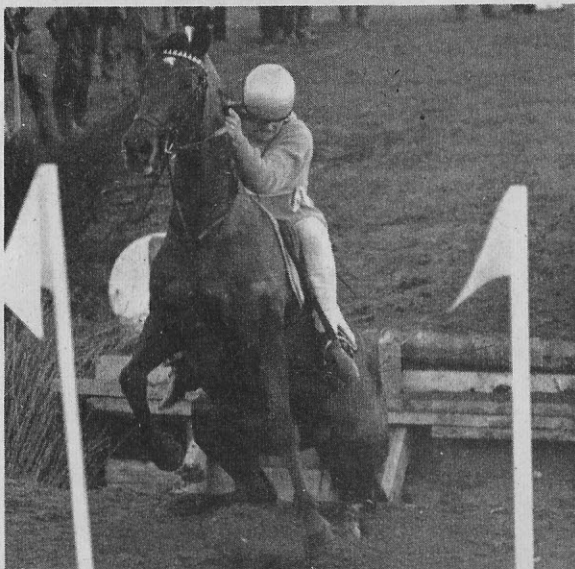


A T.V. cameraman covered the events

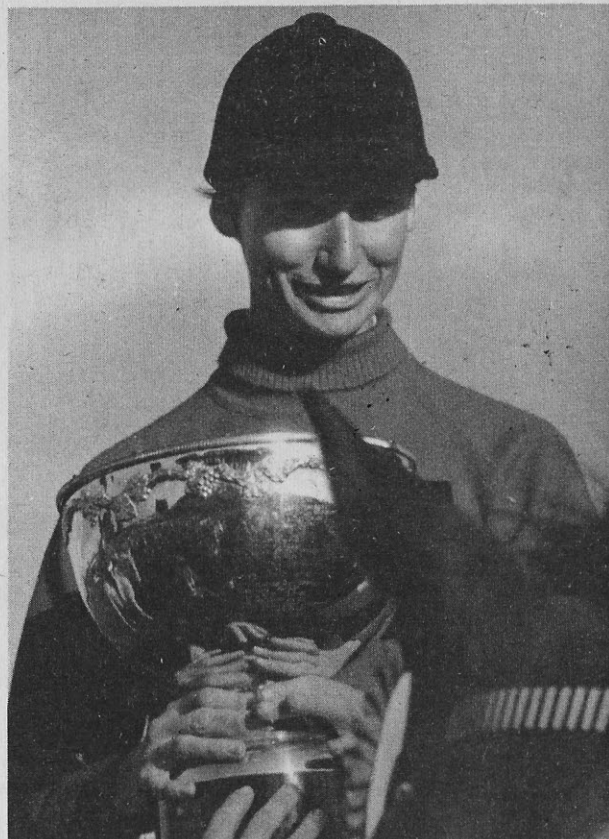
At the Pony Club Champs



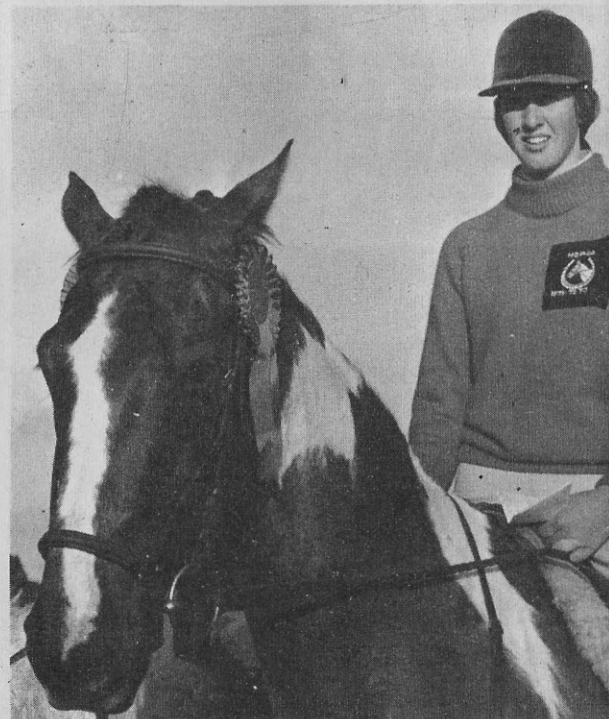
A Christchurch rider demonstrates (ABOVE, BELOW and BOTTOM) how to take the three stages of the Elephant Trap



And he nearly comes to grief doing so



The captain of the Waikato team with the cup which was won



Miss Fythe, on 'Mexico', winner of the Dorothy Campbell Cup, for riders 16 years and under

WINIFRED ATWELL SHOW

Winifred Atwell performed to a near packed house in New Plymouth's Opera House and proved that she was still the master entertainer.



That world renowned smile still beams forth but, oh my, has Miss Atwell been slimming!



Justin Osborne and Phillip Place in a tussle at the scoring end



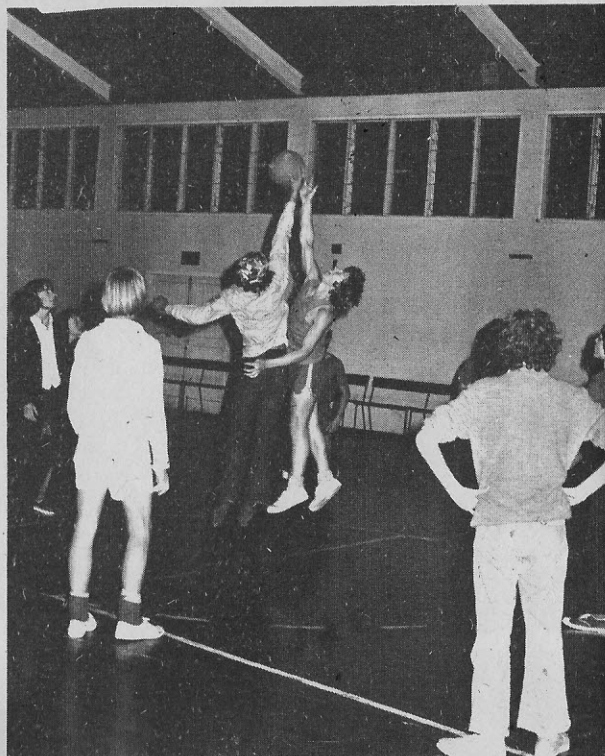
Phillip Byers is nearly cornered



Keeping the score were Mrs Phillipson, Father Kerridge and Paul Phillipson

BASKETBALL RECORD SHATTERED

Francis Douglas College boys were sponsored in an attempt on the indoor basketball record in the May holidays. The boys not only broke the record by two hours, but they raised over \$1000, plus a tractor. The money will be sent to assist the De La Salle School in New Guinea.



Michael Quayle and Phillip Byers fight for control of the ball



Although tired and blistered, the boys' determination paid off with a new record of 101 hours

WAITARA BEER FESTIVAL

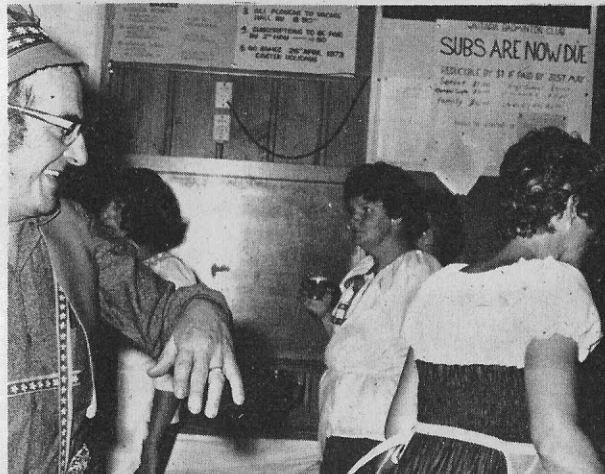
This year's Waitara Beer Festival, while a thoroughly enjoyable affair, was not as well attended as last year's festival. However, those who did attend set out to have a good time, and that is precisely what they did.



Telling a yarn is Terry Prentice, and listening intently are Les Hyland and Teresa



Nigel Pepperill made short work of the chicken served to him for supper



Rev. Mould sends maid Josephine scurrying for another jug



Basil Harnott, from a major record company, came all the way from Auckland to attend the festival



The maids who served supper could well have been the genuine article from Heidelberg, Germany



Nigel, Jan, Fred and Judy really got into the beer drinking thing



The twelve contestants for the title of Miss New Zealand

MISS N.Z. SHOW

The Miss New Zealand Show visited Taranaki recently with a line-up of the latest batch of lovelies from all over the country, one of who will represent the nation as the new Miss New Zealand. The show also included a spattering of good entertainers.



Belinda Green, the current Miss World, was a guest on the show



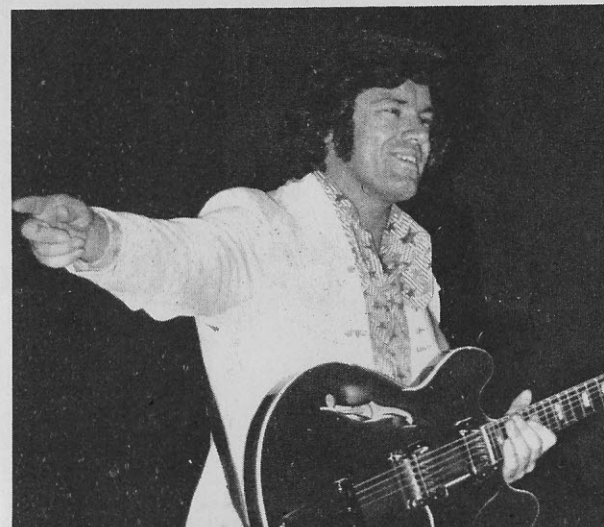
Miss Auckland had winning ways, or so we thought



Eddie Lowe gave his usual strong performance



Gary Buck, from Canada, didn't come across as well as he might have



ABOVE and ABOVE RIGHT—As far as we were concerned, the undoubted 'star' of the show was guitarist Gray Bartlett. His performance was smooth and very professional and he proved to the audience the reasons why he has been doing so well overseas.

RIGHT—Our own Miss Taranaki received a big warm round of applause from the audience. In the background cheerleader and compere Jim McNaught holds the floor.



Marcia Dallas proved to be a popular performer with the audience. She belted out some hard hitting songs and also crooned a few, soft and low





Above: JAMIESON—SARTEN. At Holy Trinity Church, Fitzroy, June, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs E. G. Sarten of New Plymouth, to Ian, youngest son of Mr and Mrs W. Jamieson, also of New Plymouth. The attendants were Cathy Lake of Hawera, Sonja Jamieson, Maitland Candy, John Thomason and Lee Horne, all of New Plymouth, and Nichole Sarten of Eltham. The couple will make their home in New Plymouth. (Fitzroy Studios).

NEWLY WED

Below: SUTHERLAND—LEWIS. At the Robe Street Gospel Chapel, Naomi, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Lewis of New Plymouth, to Ian, second son of Mr and Mrs E. Sutherland of Christchurch. The attendants were Valerie Sutherland of Christchurch, and Hugh Lewis, Karla Nichol and Wendy Lewis, all of New Plymouth. The couple will make their home in Christchurch. (Fitzroy Studios).



Above: DAVY—COLDRIK. At St Philomena's Church, New Plymouth, Lorraine Patricia, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. T. Coldrick of New Plymouth, to Louis Neil, son of Mrs A. E. Davy, also of New Plymouth, and the late Mr F. R. Davy. The attendants were Karen Coldrick, Aileen Eliason and Denise MacDonald, all of New Plymouth, Kay Davy of Wanganui, and Patrick Coldrick and Allan Williams, both of New Plymouth. The couple will make their home in New Plymouth. (Fitzroy Studios).

Below: MARSHALL—CLEAVER. At St John's Church, Waitara, Sharlaine Dorothy, second daughter of Mr and Mrs C. C. Cleaver of Onaero, to Kevin Thomas, twin son of Mr and Mrs T. I. Marshall of Aria. The attendants were Maxine Marshall and Phillip Marshall, both of Aria. The couple will make their home at Onaero. (Fitzroy Studios).



HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

An inter-School hockey tournament was held at Stratford during the May holidays, which climaxed with a North Island versus South Island match in which South won 2 goals to 1.

The tournament was played by primary school girls from throughout New Zealand and lasted a week.

North and South Island teams battle for the ball



Debbie Julian and Sue Cadman in a minor battle



Sue Cadman on the attack



Brigid Conaglen drives away, with Gail Amber backing her up



South Island heads in for its first goal



Referee Mrs Birdhar, from Tauranga, with Debbie Julian in the foreground



Taking a bully



Lyn Needham chasing Ash Burton



Gail Amber has a short sharp drive for goal



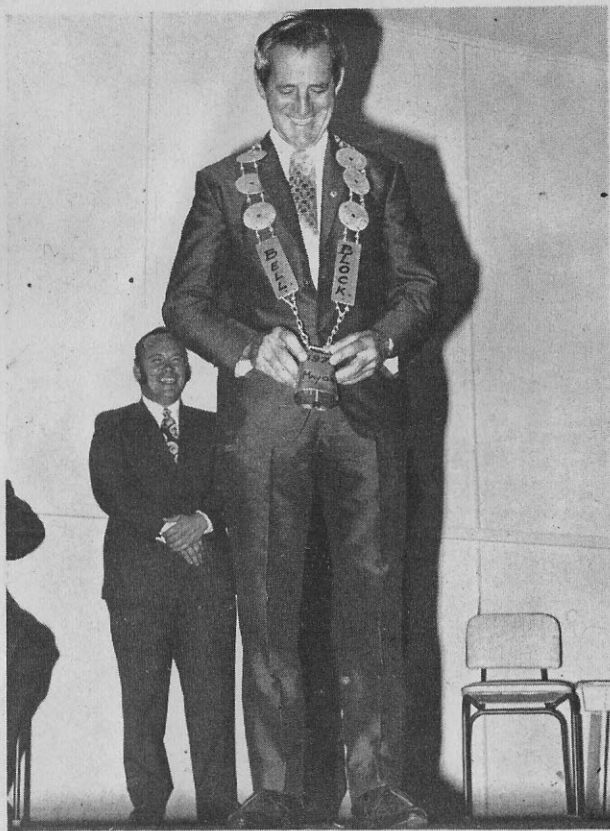
Out from a short corner



Bridget Conaglen in with a swing



In a tight corner, but Lyn Needham breaks through



"MAYOR" OF BELL BLOCK

The Bell Block "Mayoral Campaign" was organised to raise money for the new Bell Block Hall, now nearing completion. The winner of the campaign was Roy Benton (BELOW and LEFT), who raised a total of \$1713.64. A total of \$4673.51 was raised by the campaign for the project.



Karen Stonnell helped provide the entertainment on the night of the announcement



Second was Graeme Phillips, who raised \$1633.87



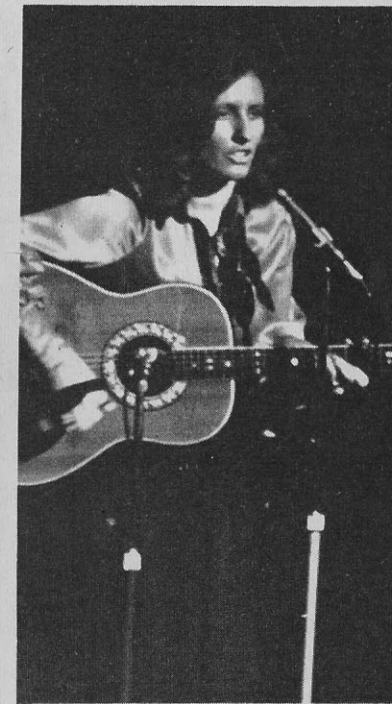
Third was Ken Stevens, who raised \$1326



This Maori group also entertained



Support act Jerry Mason



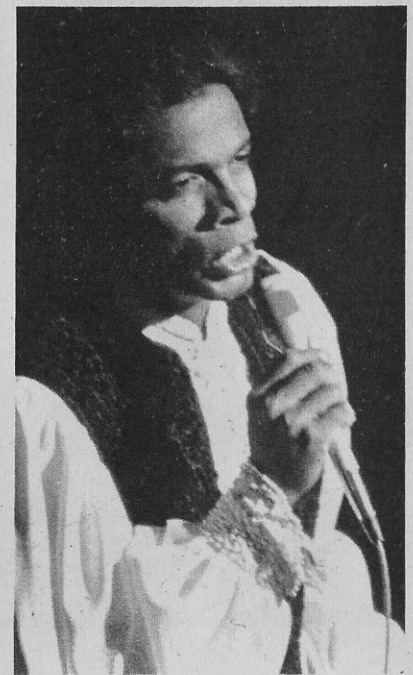
Support act Rosemary Smith, from Christchurch



The many moods of Kamahl
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THE KAMAHL SHOW

Originally from Malaya, but now domiciled in Australia, Kamahl is an extremely talented cabaret performer. This talent he demonstrated when he performed recently in New Plymouth.

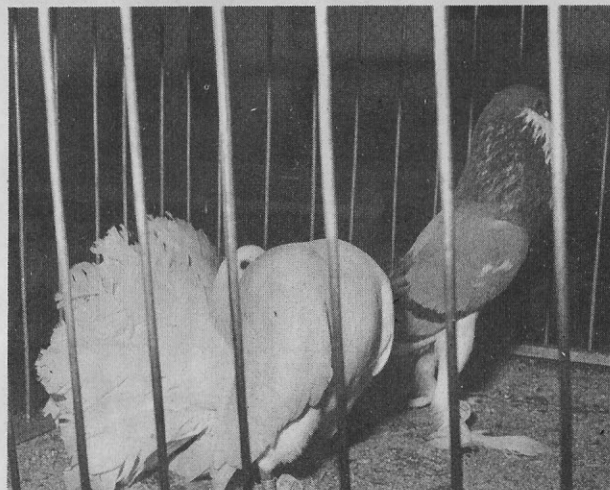




This young couple really enjoyed their trip to the show

AT THE WINTER SHOW

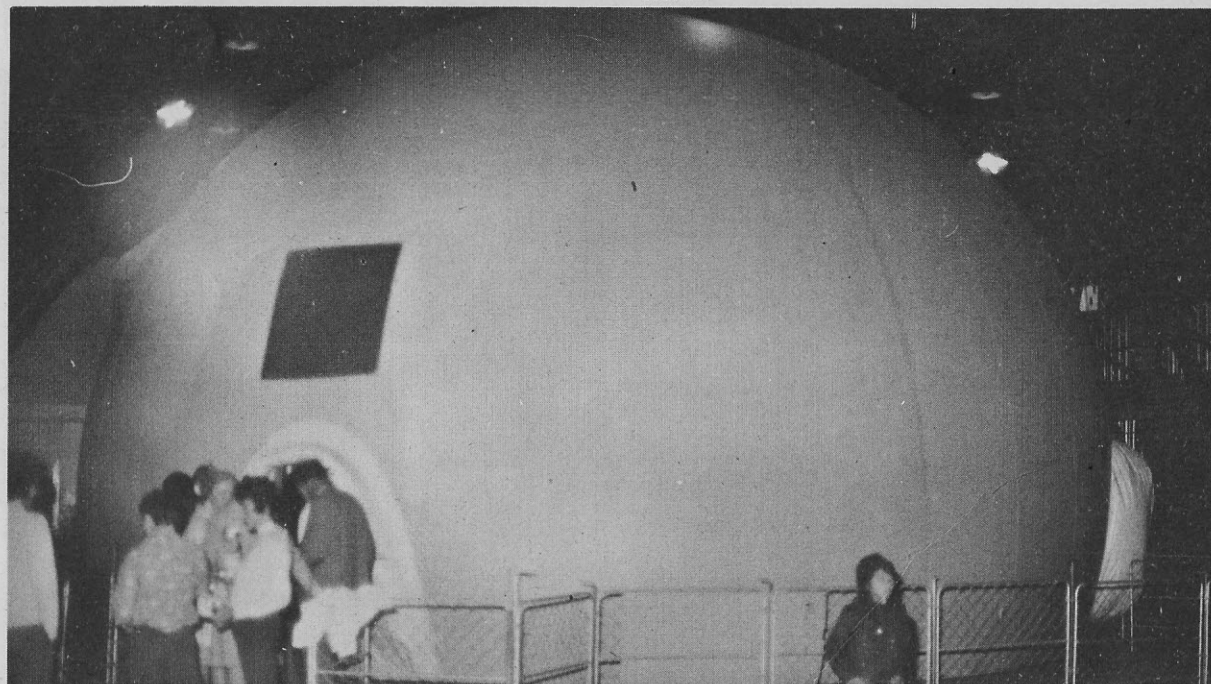
Heavy rain fell during the week but it didn't lessen the crowds who attended this year's Winter show. There were a great number of displays (plus the inevitable side-shows) and activities were run under the very able hand of John Maybury.



The two champion pigeons



Clive and Maureen Ritchie showed interest in the poultry section



The Moon Bounce attracted a great deal of attention



Nash Chase got Mrs Reilly onto the stage



And then he burst into song



Jim Mulland and John Burgen at a machinery display



Dean Kelly and Darryl Wagwin at the Ngaere Gardens display

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Three members of the rock group "Summer Bird," who entertained prior to the Miss Personality final



My, how the 'fairies' (D. Butterini and P. Brophy) danced



"And now folks, lets take a look at our version of South Pacific"
... The compere



This was called "The Castaway" and featured A. & R. Barron



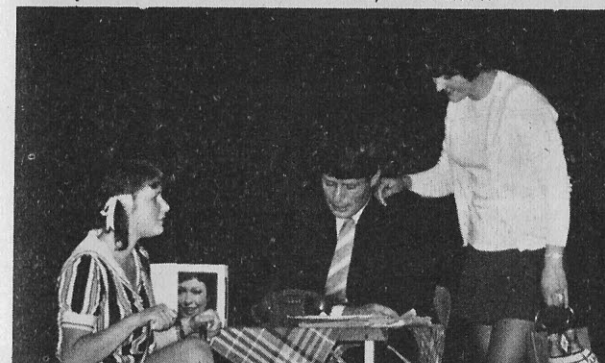
These guys have really got the milk-cow blues. Onstage are R. Hopkins, K. Barron, T. Doyle and B. Billing

CONCERT AT RAHOTU

The Y.F.C. and C.G.C. Clubs combined to stage a hilarious concert for two nights at Rahotu recently. To say that the show was a success would be an understatement, for the crowd was in laughter from beginning to end and several went back again on the second night's performance for another dose of the 'fun pill.'



"Miss Bartlett" interrupts the show



R. Barr, D. Jarman and T. Kuriger in a sketch called "Put Men On The Job"



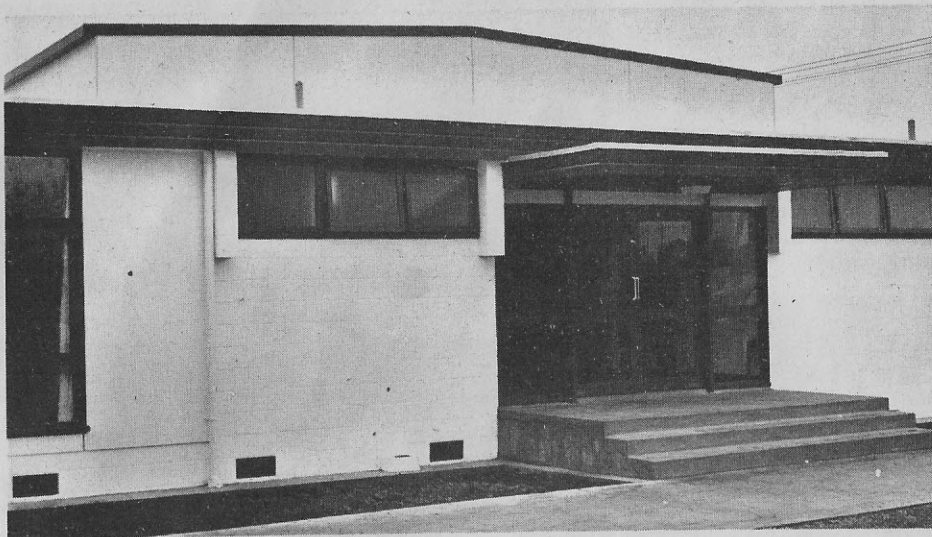
The "School Room"



M. Vercoe was a first rate clown



The whole cast takes a final bow at the show's end



NEW HALL OPENED

A new church hall was opened recently in Okato by the Rev. W. R. Francis. The hall will be used jointly by the Methodist and Anglican Churches.

The main entrance to the new hall



Official guests at the opening



General view of the interior



Weddings

Above: TYSON—FLETCHER. At St Joseph's Church, Waitara, Brenda Evelyn, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. A. Fletcher, of Waitara, to Frederick Henry, son of Mr F. C. Tyson, also of Waitara, and the late Mrs M. I. Tyson. The attendants were Katherine Fletcher, of Waitara, Judith Thompson, of New Plymouth, David Crofskey, of Waitara, and Alan Fletcher, also of Waitara. The couple will live in Waitara. (Fitzroy Studios).

Below: SATTLER—GARDNER. At St Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Lillie, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs P. W. Gardner, of New Plymouth, to Maurice, only son of Mr and Mrs S. H. Sattler, also of New Plymouth. The attendants were Beverley Smith and Ross Scrivener, both of New Plymouth. The couple will live in New Plymouth. (Fitzroy Studios).





Rosemary Collins

GET-TOGETHER BY MISS PERSONALITY ENTRANTS

As a prelude to the Miss Personality contest, the entrants had an informal get-together at the home of one of the organisers.



Shirley Jones, Liz Houston and Dianne McIvor



Barbara Hedditch, Sue Law and Gail Henwood



Sandra McArthur and Shelly Hall



Raewyn Anderson, Marion Coombe and Christine Davidson



Shirlene Snell and Kay Smith



Gay Pruden

Miss Personality Final

The Miss Personality Contest final was held on the last night of the Winter Show. It consisted of a parade by the girls, a few quick (and mostly witty) questions by compere John Maybury and then the announcement.



Second and third placegetters
Christine Davidson and Liz Houston



Liz Houston, of Stratford



John Maybury declares Sandra McArthur the winner



Sandra with her flowers and sash



Marion Coombe, of New Plymouth



Christine Davidson



Sue Law, of Inglewood



Pamela Smith, of New Plymouth



Gaye Pruden, of New Plymouth



Shirley Tonks, of Stratford



Above: BISHELL-RITCHIE. At St Andrew's Church, Inglewood, Sheryn Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs W. S. Ritchie of Inglewood, to Gary Edward, son of Mr and Mrs E. A. Bishell of New Plymouth. The attendants were Eva Davidson of Hamilton, Helen Ritchie of Inglewood, Lynette Bishell of New Plymouth, Paul O'Neil, Neville Bishell and Bryna Hocken, all of New Plymouth, and Janice Ritchie of Inglewood. The couple will live in New Plymouth. (*Charters & Guthrie*).



Weddings



Below: INSTONE-JENSEN. At St Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Audrey, daughter of Mr and Mrs M. Jensen of New Plymouth, to Murray, son of Mr and Mrs J. Instone of Stratford. The attendants were Heather Wallace of Dunedin, Janet Jensen of New Plymouth, and Judy Instone, Cleve Reed, Graham Kelly and John Cameron, all of Stratford. The couple will make their home in Stratford. (*Charters and Guthrie*).



Above: LISTER-STONE. At St Andrew's Church, New Plymouth, Brenda Dawn, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. J. Stone of New Plymouth, to Barry Gordon, son of Mr and Mrs J. H. Lister, also of New Plymouth. The attendants were Judy Axten, Valda Stone and Dianne Lister, all of New Plymouth, and John Hine of Toko. The couple will live in New Plymouth. (*Charters & Guthrie*).

Below: KUKLINSKI-LONG. At St Joseph's Church, New Plymouth, Joanne Phillipa, daughter of Mr and Mrs G. Long of Ratapiko, to Kevin James, son of Mr and Mrs John Kuklinski of Inglewood. The attendants were Christine Long of Wellington, Geraldine and Helen Long of Ratapiko, Urban Broadmore of New Plymouth, John Seabright of Wellington, and Gabrielle Smith of Wanganui. The couple will live in Inglewood. (*Charters & Guthrie*).





Beryl and William Paris



District Scout Master Barney Bennett

SCOUT LEADERS' DINNER

North Taranaki Scout Masters and their wives held their second annual dinner a few weeks ago. This year the dinner was held in Lepperton and this was followed by entertainment from the Savage Club.



Colin and Val Payne



Dulcie and Don Martin



Maisie and Laurie Ashley



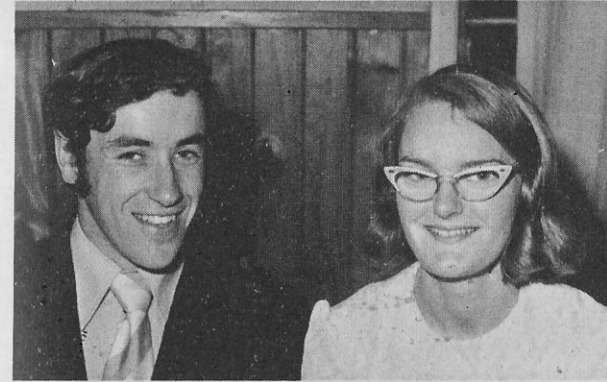
Marion and David May



District Commissioner A. Armstrong



Ann Armstrong and Mavis Hunt



Graham and Robyn Drake



Des and Gay Whitehead



Peter and Pat Davis



Willie and Val Lyford



Ray and Joan Mundt



Janet and Kevin Henderson



Topsy Honeyfield had the honour of cutting the cake



And Mrs Norma Samson got to blow out the candles



Owen and Mrs Goodwin . . .

BOWLING CLUB'S 21st BIRTHDAY

The Tatarimaka Indoor Bowling Club has just celebrated its 21st birthday. The event was marked with a dinner at Tatarimaka, complete with the traditional birthday cake.



New Plymouth Mayor Denny Sutherland



Some of those attending the dinner were Joe Whitton and Florence Gilmer . . .



and Olive and Les Stronge



Ron de Ridder has just parted the wool from a sheep's back



Joan Erb demonstrates the age old art of hand spinning



And Mrs Southam shows the finer points of weaving

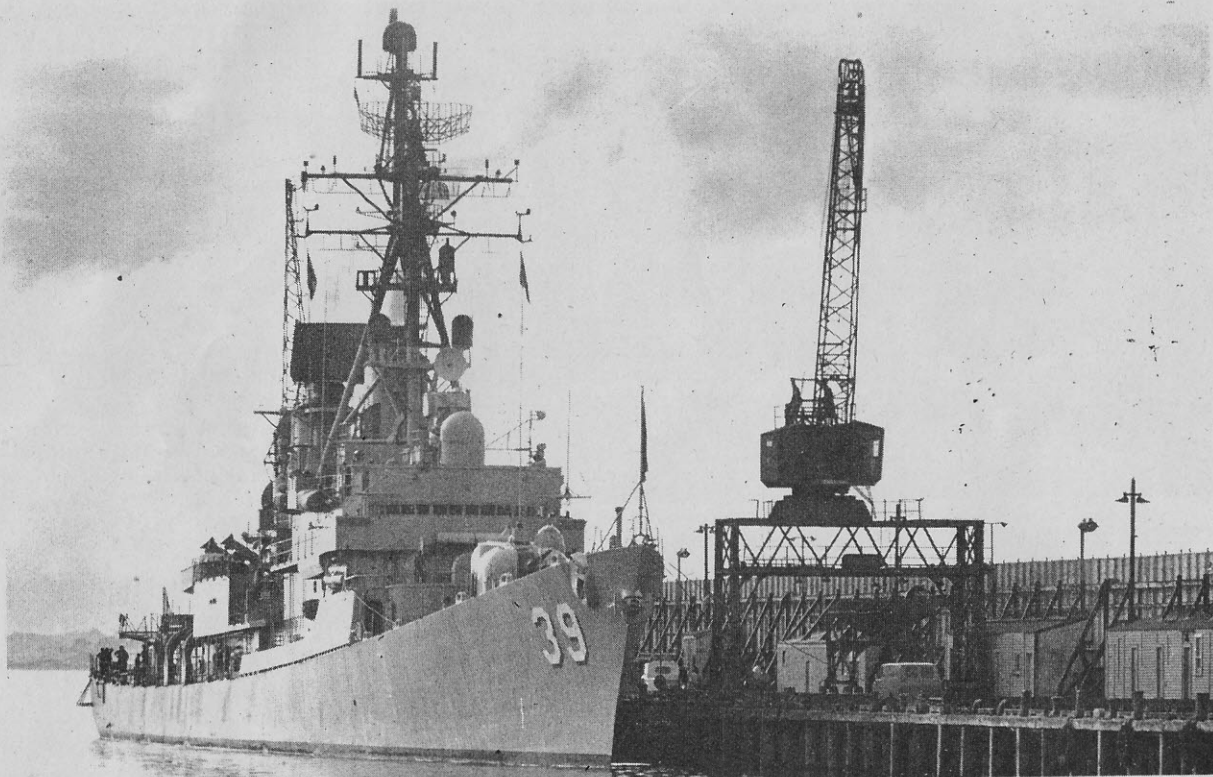
THE STORY OF WOOL

During children's week at the library a variety of activities were staged, including the story of wool, as illustrated on this page. It was indeed a rather strange sight to enter the library, usually a place of silence, to be greeted by the whirr of a shearing machine and the murmur of a hundred or so child-ish voices.

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A hundred attentive faces



The H.M.A.S. Hobart berthed at Port Taranaki

JUST MARRIED

Below: WHITE—RUDOLPH. At Rangiatea Maori Church, Eileen, daughter of the late Mr and Mrs Broughton, of New Plymouth, to Brian, son of the late Mr and Mrs White, of New Plymouth. The attendants were Kath Bell, of Auckland, Patricia Rudolph, of New Plymouth, Watson Pratt, of Bell Block, and Phillip Rudolph, Pania Kinera and Darrell Tiplady, all of New Plymouth. The couple will live in New Plymouth. (Fitzroy Studios).

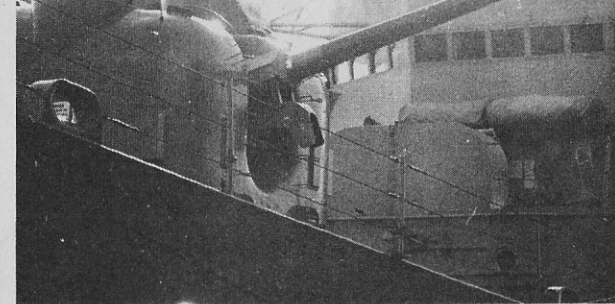


DESTROYER'S VISIT

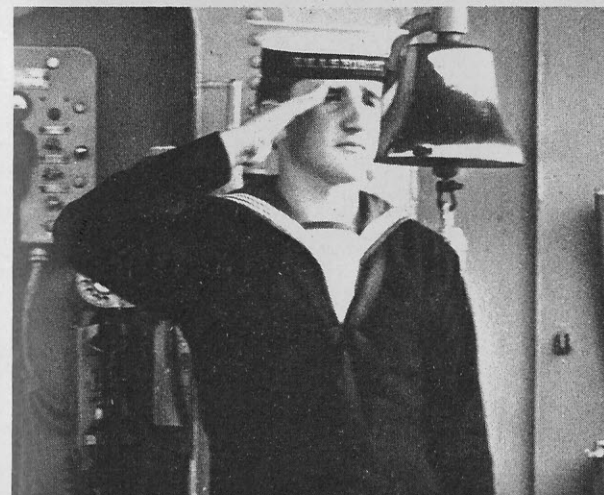
The Australian Guided Missile Destroyer H.M.A.S. Hobart called in at Port Taranaki recently, for just 3½ hours. The call was a refuelling stop, but in that short time the destroyer attracted considerable attention from local people.



Naval men take a look at our city through the ship's binoculars



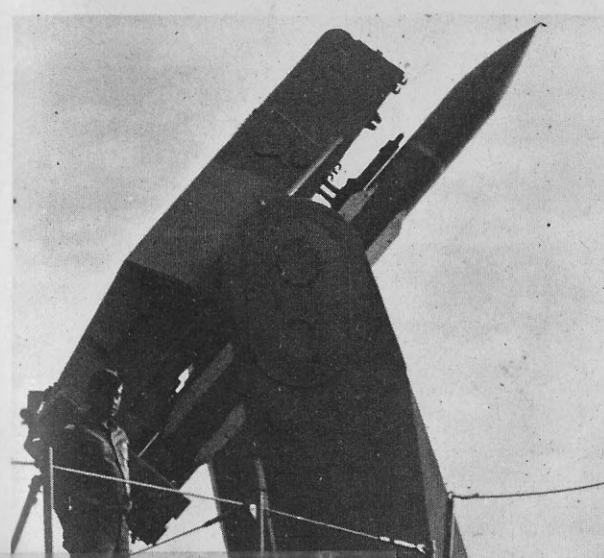
One of the ship's two 5 inch guns



"Sah!"



Sophisticated tracking equipment



The Tartar anti-aircraft missile



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PRESENTED AT STRATFORD



Eight debutantes were presented recently at Stratford. The girls were presented to Jack Lucas, commissioner for Scout Leader training, at a Scout ball.

The debutantes are, from left, at back: Bernice Hokopura, Wendy Glasier, Denise Leach, Karen Oakes and Sharon Boyd. In front: Imogene Willetts, Marie French and Patricia Willetts.

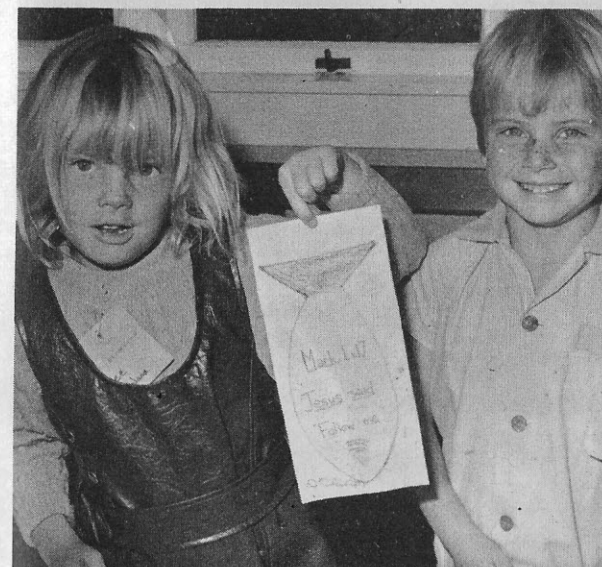
WHO SAYS BANANAS?



A dairy in Inglewood has for some time displayed the above sign for bananas spelt 'BANANANAS.' The previous owner of the dairy, Ray Peters, purposely mis-spelt the word just to see how many people noticed. Only a few commented on the spelling. The dairy was recently sold but the new owner has decided to let the sign remain.

HOLIDAY CLUB

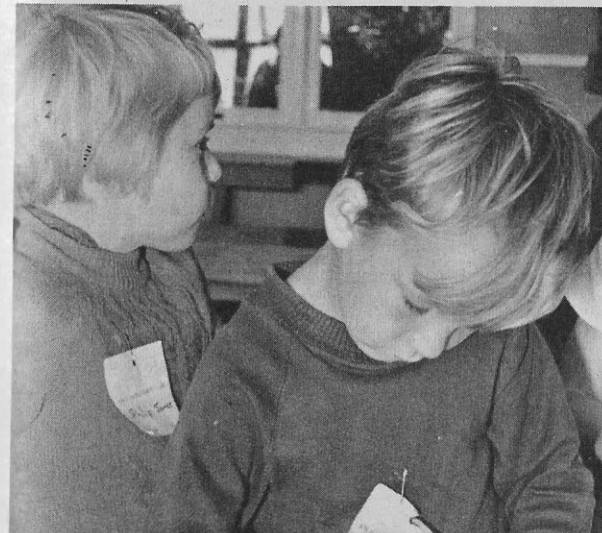
The Knox Presbyterian Church at Fitzroy formed a holiday club for children during the May school holidays. Over 160 children attended each day and activities included painting, drawing, cut-outs and singing.



Lee Cleland and Cameron McBride hold their work aloft



Michelle Walsh, Warrick Walsh and Grant Spedding



Phillip James and Darren Bartle



Maryanne Tahere celebrated her 8th birthday at the club. She is seen here with Myla Easthope



Julian Mitchell, Gareth Warner and Kathryn Jacob involved in paper cut-outs



Sean Joyce, Shane Mackey and Grant Spedding



Above: GUEST—WHITEHEAD. At the Waitara Methodist Church, Beth, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs W. S. Whitehead, of Tikorangi, to Ronald, only son of Mr and Mrs E. Guest, of Rotorua. The attendants were Sylvia and Denise Whitehead, both of Tikorangi, Michael Sweetlove, of Auckland, and Peter Burton, of Ohakea. The couple will live at Hobsonville. (Fitzroy Studios).

Below: JUPP—LINES. At Holy Trinity Church, Fitzroy, Beverley, eldest daughter of Mrs D. C. Lines, of Fitzroy, and the late Mr J. Lines, to Rodney, only son of Mr and Mrs N. F. Jupp, of Tikorangi. The attendants were Sandra Lines, of Fitzroy, Marie Melville, of Taupo, Lynne Barleyman, of Bell Block, George Jupp, of Tikorangi, Terry Moratti, of New Plymouth, and Kevin Sarten, of Tikorangi. The couple will make their home at Tikorangi. (Fitzroy Studios).

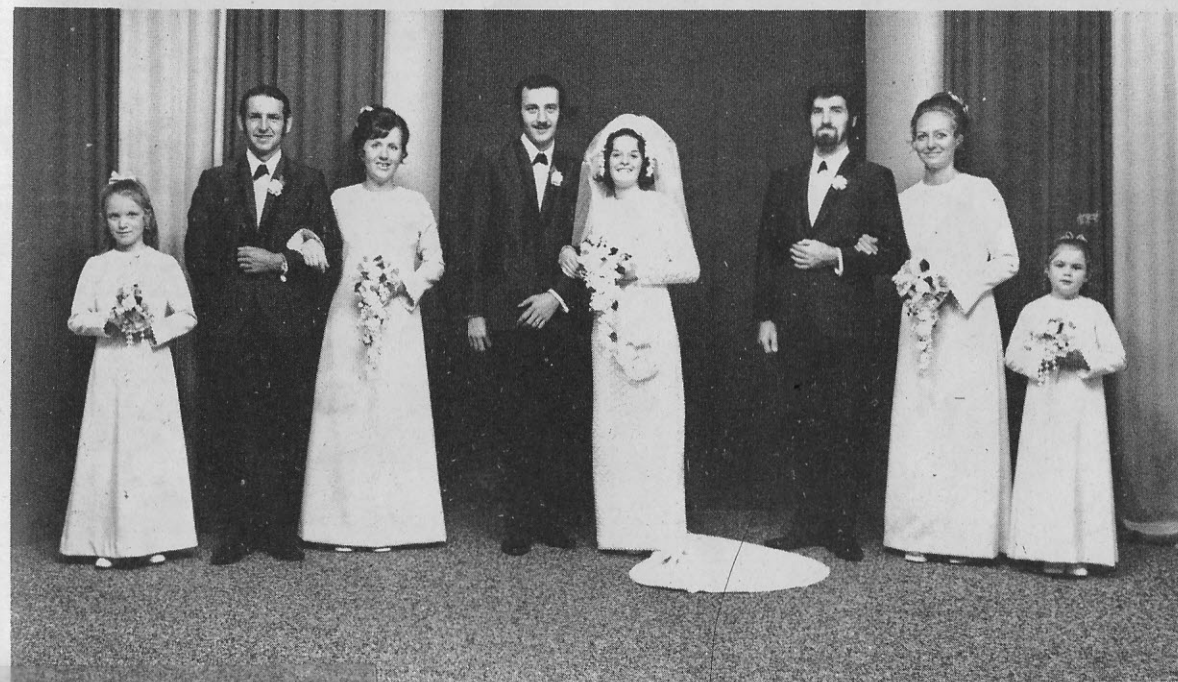


RECENTLY MARRIED



Above: HERBERT—JACKSON. At the Whiteley Church, New Plymouth, Belinda, second daughter of Mr and Mrs R. H. Jackson, of New Plymouth, to Kevin, eldest son of Mr and Mrs E. A. Herbert, also of New Plymouth. The attendants were Ngaire Herbert, of New Plymouth, Wendy Jackson, also of New Plymouth, and Philip Herbert, of Auckland. The couple will make their home in New Plymouth. (Fitzroy Studios).

Below: TREWEEK—WASWO. At St Mary's Church, New Plymouth, Jillian Lynette Waswo, daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Turner, of New Plymouth, to John Elwyn, son of Mr and Mrs J. C. Treweek, of Bell Block. The attendants were Sheryn Bishell, of New Plymouth, Phillipa Richardson, also of New Plymouth, Katherine Treweek, of Invercargill, Michelle Spence, of New Plymouth, David Paynter, of Bell Block, and Larry O'Byrne, of New Plymouth. The couple will live at Lepperton. (Fitzroy Studios).



DANCING COMPETITIONS

Dancing competitions were held at the Opera House and the Memorial Hall during the May school holidays. Entrants from dancing schools all over the province attended and the standard was very high.



Linda Tecofsky



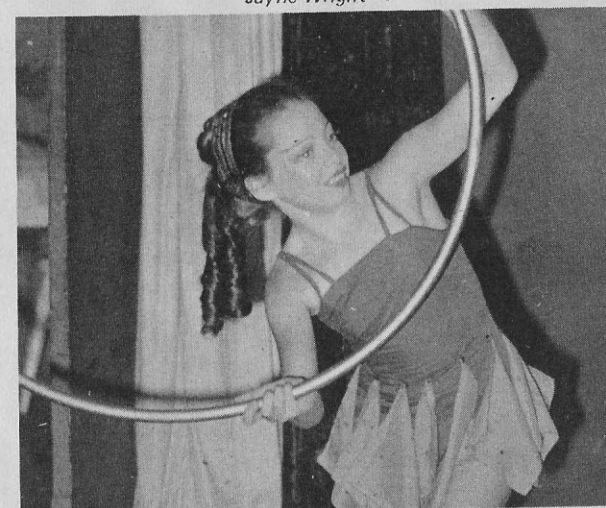
Tania Nicholson



Jayne Wright



Janice Duncan



Leola Wright



Allison Jones

MODEL EXHIBITION

A display of models was staged at the Camera and Hobby Centre recently. The models were provided by the New Plymouth Plastic Modelling Club.



Some of the many and varied models in the display



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RIFLE CLUB'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Taranaki Small-Bore Rifle Club championships were held a couple of weeks ago at the East End Rifle Range, in New Plymouth. There were quite a number of competitors from other centres and, in fact, the Masters grade championship was won by an entrant from Levin.



"Don't shoot!" the photographer cried, as Stan Gargen, J. Farley and F. Eufic lined up their sights on him



Stan Gargen finished his shoot with a good count



George Hann had the job of marking the targets



Fourteen-year-old Greg Birch of New Plymouth won the C and D grade championships



Les Stewart won the Masters grade championship

NEW CHARTER

The newly formed Pukekura Toastmasters Club received its charter at a function in New Plymouth, a short time ago. Pukekura's president, J. Mulder, accepted the charter (right) from Clive Pryme, the N.Z. administrative Lieutenant-General.



Sel Palmer, president-elect of N.Z. Toastmasters



Mayor Denny Sutherland



J. Mulder, Pukekura Club president



Mr and Mrs Ron Barclay



Don and Coralie Robbins



Mr and Mrs Denny Sutherland



Mr and Mrs Joe Mulder





Pauline Hitchcock as Humpty Dumpty



Iris Jordan and Val Hitchcock as the Queen and the Knave of Hearts



Dolly Loveridge as Ching Chong Chinaman



Margaret Jordan is the story-teller



Joan Hitchcock as the Frog who went a courting



Nola Kock as Old King Cole

LIVING NURSERY RHYMES

The Norfolk Road Women's Institute recently staged a play in which they acted out nursery rhymes. "Photo News" attended a dress rehearsal of the play and had as much fun taking pictures of the characters as did the women who played out the fantasy roles.



Jessie Brown as the Fox



Maureen Martin as Little Miss Muffett



Elsie Dodunski as Wee Willie Winkie



The complete cast, all gaily attired in their appropriate costumes

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JOHNNY FARNHAM MARRIES

Australia's Johnny Farnham, who is well remembered in New Zealand for his hit song "Sadie, the Cleaning Lady" and for his several trips here for concerts and stage shows, has married.

The new bride is Jillian (Farnham of course) and the couple were married late in April. Their honeymoon was spent on the holiday resort, Brampton Island.

Although there is at this stage no confirmation, there is some talk that Johnny Farnham will leave for London later this year to appear in a West End musical stage production.



TO TOUR

More names have been announced for Australian tours this year. At this point nothing definite for New Zealand.

These artists are Diana Ross, in June, The Jackson Five, in June (as announced by Now Sound a while back), Rod Stewart and The Faces, also in June, and the Hollies are at present on an Australian tour. (See next article).

Also this month is Don McLean (who will be appearing in Auckland). Then, last weekend, the British group Flash (which includes two ex-members of 'Yes' in the present line-up) and Canadian group Cherri performed in concert only, before flying out again. This was at Melbourne.

RECORD COMPANY MOVES INTO TOUR PROMOTION

The giant recording organisation, E.M.I., has moved into the promotion of tours in Australia.

The company's first venture is underway at the present time with a national tour headlined by the Hollies. Local artist Ross Ryan is support act.

E.M.I. has stated that it will tour other overseas

artists in Australia and will also promote Australian tours by Australian artists, as well as attempting to tour Australian acts overseas.

With this move in Australia, one cannot help but wonder if the move will also spread to New Zealand. E.M.I. is an extremely large international organisation and, if its branches in the various countries of the world were to set up a separate division for the promotion of tours, then unlimited possibilities could be opened up for the artists who record for the company. E.M.I. has stated that it will also work artists not necessarily tied to their labels, so this in turn opens up a great new field.

Such a move by E.M.I. in New Zealand could only benefit the industry and all performers in general and I personally would like to see it happen.

TOURING NEW ZEALAND

Kamahl is a name that New Zealanders are now hearing for the first time. He is at present on a tour of this country and is visiting us from Australia. But Kamahl is no native Australian. He was born in Malaya.

However, his success as an entertainer is an all-Australian success story and he has risen through pure hard work (helped along with the natural warm magic and resonance of his beautiful voice) to become one of the most acclaimed and highest paid entertainers in that country. He is also becoming well known in England, where his records and live appearances have been very well received.



RADIO TARANAKI ALBUM CHART

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| 1. Guitar Man | Bread. |
| 2. Made In Japan | Deep Purple. |
| 3. Man Who Sold The World | David Bowie. |
| 4. Godspell | Original Cast. |
| 5. Billion Dollar Babies | Alice Cooper. |
| 6. Creedance Clearwater Gold | Creedance Clearwater Revival. |
| 7. 26 Rock & Roll Hits | Various. |
| 8. Hot August Night | Neil Diamond. |
| 9. Phoenix | Grand Funk Railroad. |
| 10. My Best To You | Donny Osmond. |

FOR "AT HOME" CHILD PHOTOGRAPHY

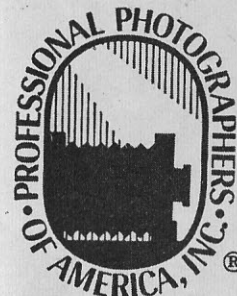


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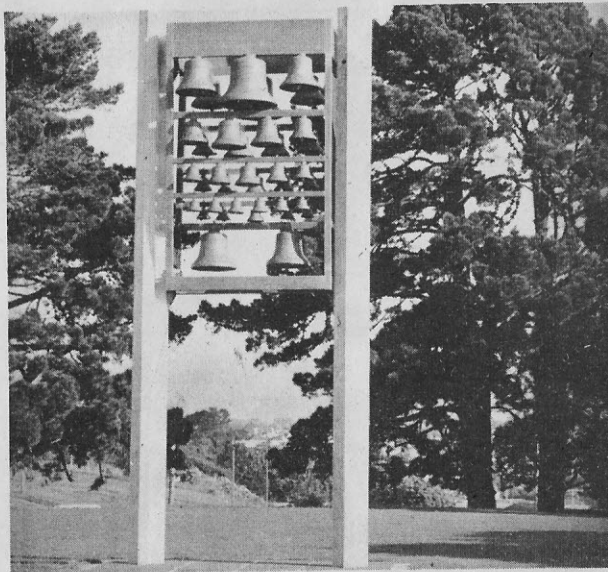
with BRYCE McPHERSON



There is, among the legends of New Zealand's colourful past, a story that one of the first adventurers from the Old World to come upon New Zealand looked through his spy glass and solemnly told his crew, "This place has it all."

His verdict was very close to the truth — New Zealand does have much to offer. Because of its beautiful scenery, its pleasant people, its many other interesting aspects, the country reaches the finals for the title of "Paradise on Earth."

Taranaki, as a paradise within a paradise, has a leading role to play in the exploitation of the abundance of attractions with which nature has endowed it.



A great way to get rid of fleas is to take a bath in sand, then rub down with alcohol. The fleas get drunk and kill each other throwing rocks.



I know I'm always on about driving offences, but this one takes the prize. I was stationary, indicator denoting a right turn, as I waited for oncoming traffic to allow access to a city parking area. Oldish vehicle approaching from behind me paused momentarily, then pulled out and overtook on my right, into the oncoming traffic. It made it, but . . . !



As he felt his way around the lamp-post he said, "Sno use, I'm walled in."



Teacher, patiently: "If one and one makes two and two and two makes four, how much does four and four make?" Hill-billy pupil: "That ain't fair, teacher, you answer the two easy questions and leave the hard one for me."



I lent a young lady my golf urhbrella as she watched a girlfriend playing in a sporting fixture on a damp Saturday afternoon. The rain stopped and the spectator lowered the umbrella, slipping a hand down inside the folds of the deflated implement. There was a squeal of anguish, when the rain resumed, as she re-deployed the umbrella. A piece of wire had pierced a finger and there she was, affixed. A quick visit to a doctor, umbrella attached to finger, was required to free the young lady who will in future, she told me, rather get wet than spiked.



Bachelors know more about women than married men. If they didn't they'd be married too.

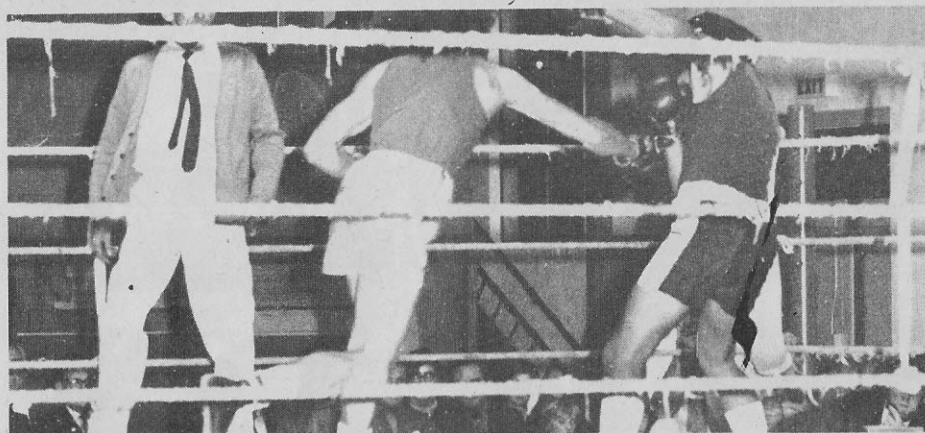


Each visitor will enhance our image if he goes home feeling he has received good value for money plus the small items of friendly personal service which will make him want to come again.

TENNIS TEAM DEPARTS

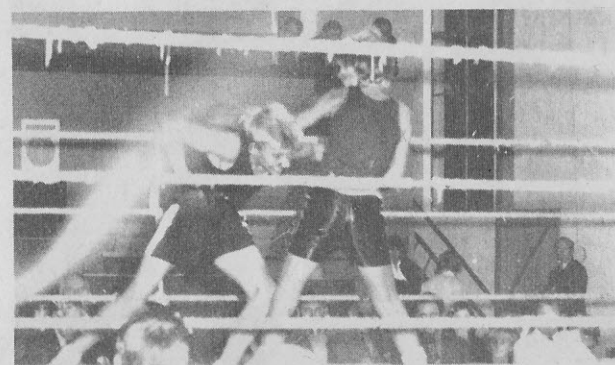
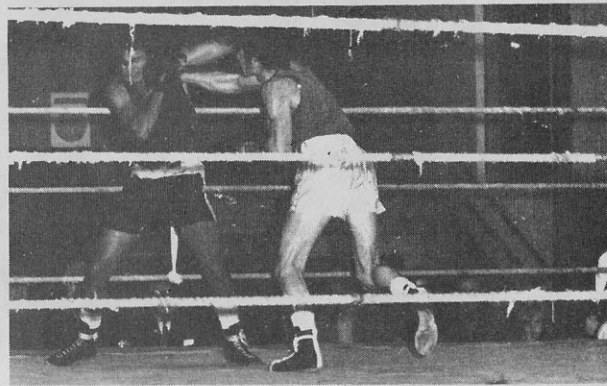
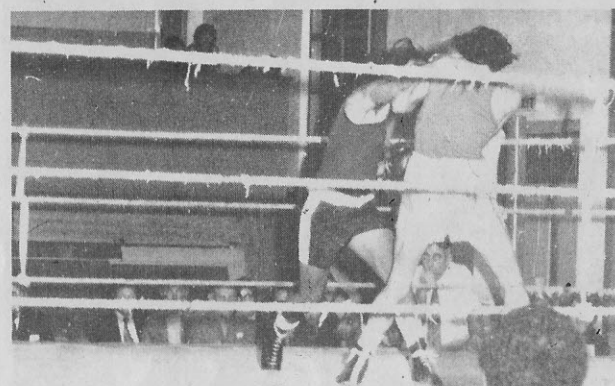
Thirty-four young tennis players left recently for Adelaide, Australia, to play several different tennis teams there. Their stay in Adelaide was for a two-week period and the players had been picked from clubs all over Taranaki.



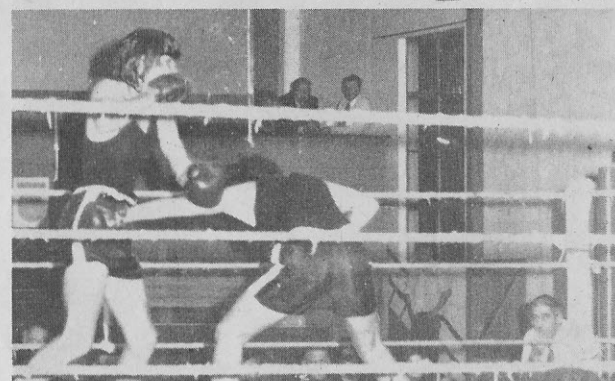


BOXING AT WAITARA

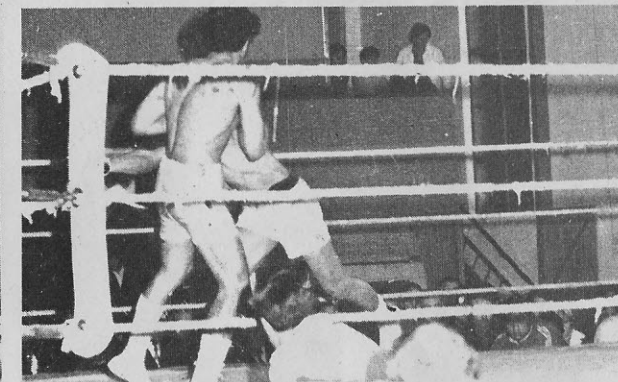
The Waitara Boxing Club recently organised an evening of bouts, at the Memorial Hall, which included both amateur and professional fights. In the match at LEFT is the amateur fight between Chaple and O'Donnell. The two pictures BELOW are also of the same match.



In this match, J. Rattenbury (Fitzroy) beat B. O'Hanlon (Waitara)



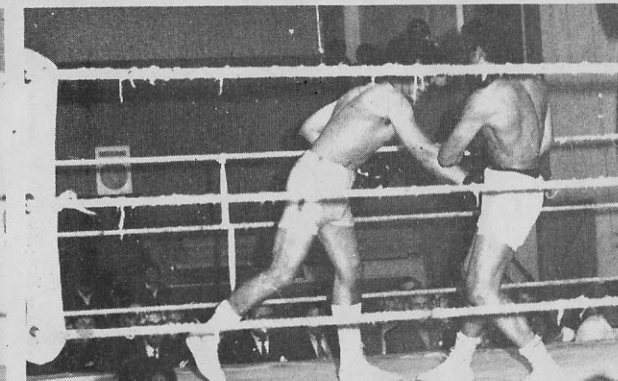
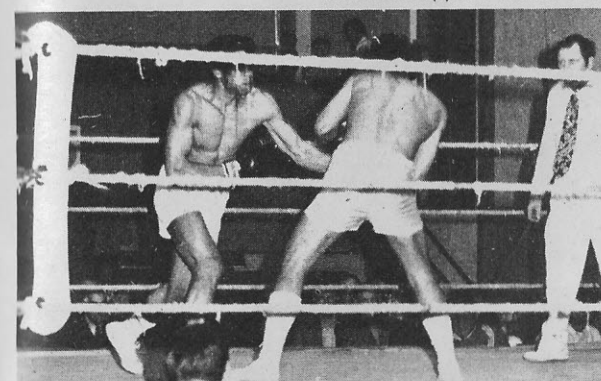
G. Anstis (Fitzroy) beat A. Turner (Waitara) on points



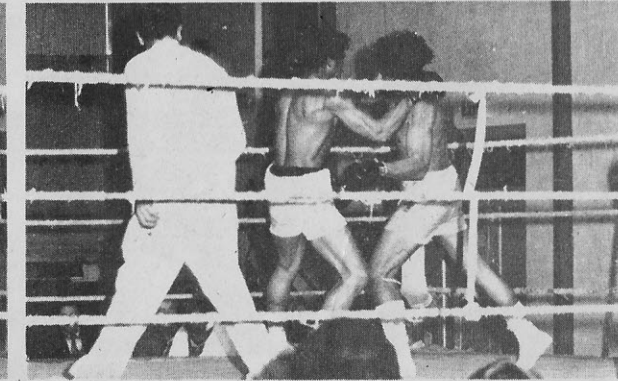
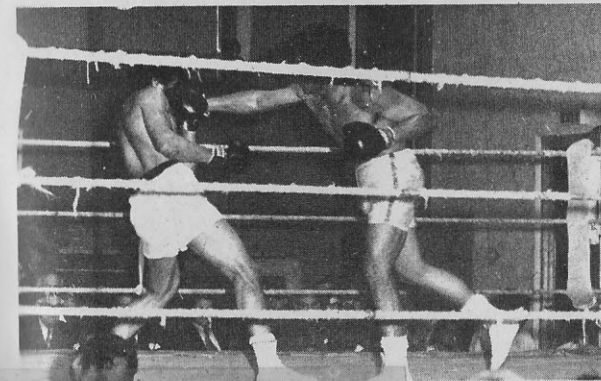
This preliminary professional match was between two Aucklanders, B. Ascama and B. Fuerene



Ascama dropped Fuerene three times in this welterweight match



Scheduled for six rounds, the match was stopped in the fifth and the decision went to Ascama



DANCE DATE

"Photo News" attended the end-of-term dance at Sacred Heart.

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Watching a funny story is Carol Burne and Patricia Hogan



Providing the music was local band 'Copperstone'



Dance on — Gerard Winter and Brigid Moriarty



Claire Penrice, Marie Fleming and Susan Feavet



Margaret Riordan, Ann Copestake, Mary Carmine and Gail Dodunski



Denise Moran, Maureen Brophy, Corine O'Neal and Barbara Fox



Mary Regan and Fiona Vossen

KINDY MOTHERS' MEETING

At a recent meeting of the Brooklands Kindy Mothers' Club, Faye Looney, of Teeds Chemists, gave a demonstration on make-up.



Faye ... "I recommend this"



Faye used Eileen Collins as a model for her demonstration



And these are some of the mothers who watched



Denise Fraser and Karen Beckett provided the entertainment with some examples of dancing



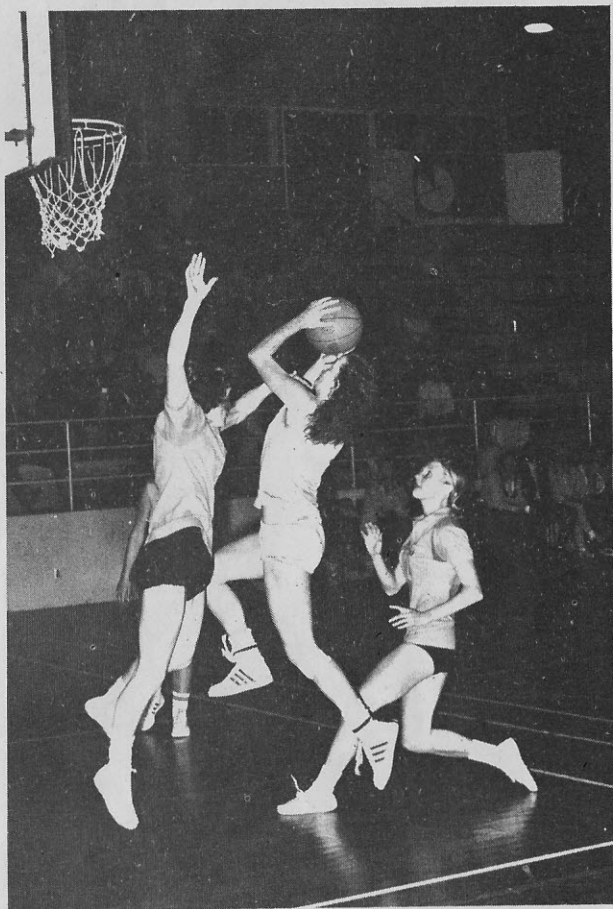
Don and his 'welcome home' cake

WELCOME HOME PARTY

A surprise 'welcome home' party was held at the Okato Hall for Donald Putt when he returned home for a short stay after working in Canada and U.S.A.



Don poses for a picture with his family. From left, Patricia, Joe, Dianne, Fred, Don, Jean, Margaret, Jeannette and Colin



Janet Green (N.S.W.) about to shoot for goal



Another goal for New South Wales



A score for N.S.W. vice-captain Janet Green



New Plymouth girls Pam Mudie and Vicky McLod were unsuccessful in their attempt to block New South Wales's Janet Green



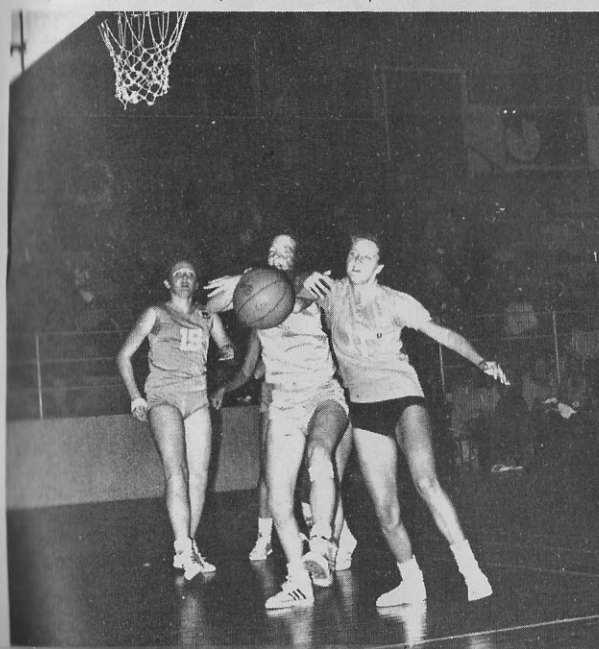
Kerry Gazzard (N.S.W.) adds another goal to the Australian score

BASKETBALL— New South Wales v. New Plymouth

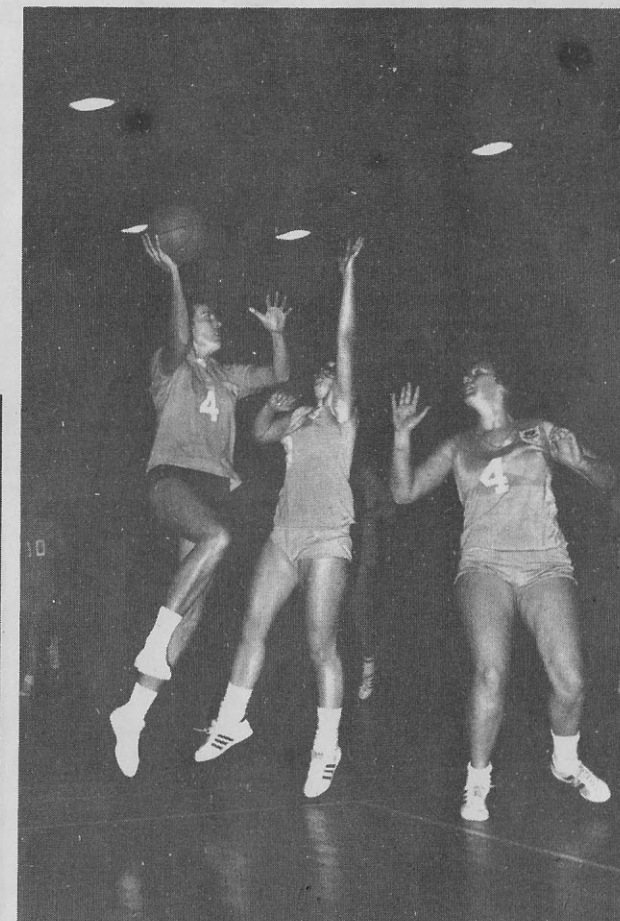
A visiting New South Wales basketball team played a fast and exciting match against New Plymouth at the Y.M.C.A. Stadium recently. The New South Wales team clocked up a magnificent score against the local team and showed us some really first class play.



Vicky McLean (New Plymouth) in hot pursuit of Chris Weatherby



Megan Donnelly (N.S.W.), Janet Green (N.S.W.) and Denise Smith (New Plymouth) in a tussle for possession



Beryl Mackey (New Plymouth captain) shoots a goal



Julie Ryan (N.S.W.), Sue Hannett (N.S.W.) and Pam Mudie (New Plymouth) were always in the action

G.H.B. CONFERENCE

G.H.B. held its annual conference in New Plymouth this year. The function was held at Devon Lodge and was attended by representatives from all over New Zealand. Pictured here are a very few of them.



B. Hellyer, W. Liley, J. McKeown, R. Gorf, T. Archer and M. Smith



Messrs Ben O'Brien, Murdock Frazer, D. Pool and Denny Sutherland



F. Kelly, Mrs J. Hart, J. Marfell and Bert Cameron



Eddy Bennett, Gerry Arber and Jim Copeman



Ivan Kennedy and John Stephens



THE 'PAMIR' AT NEW PLYMOUTH

This photo of the 'Pamir', off Port Taranaki, was taken in the early 1920s. It will be noted that the breakwater on the left hand side of the photograph does not extend a great distance as compared to the present day breakwater.