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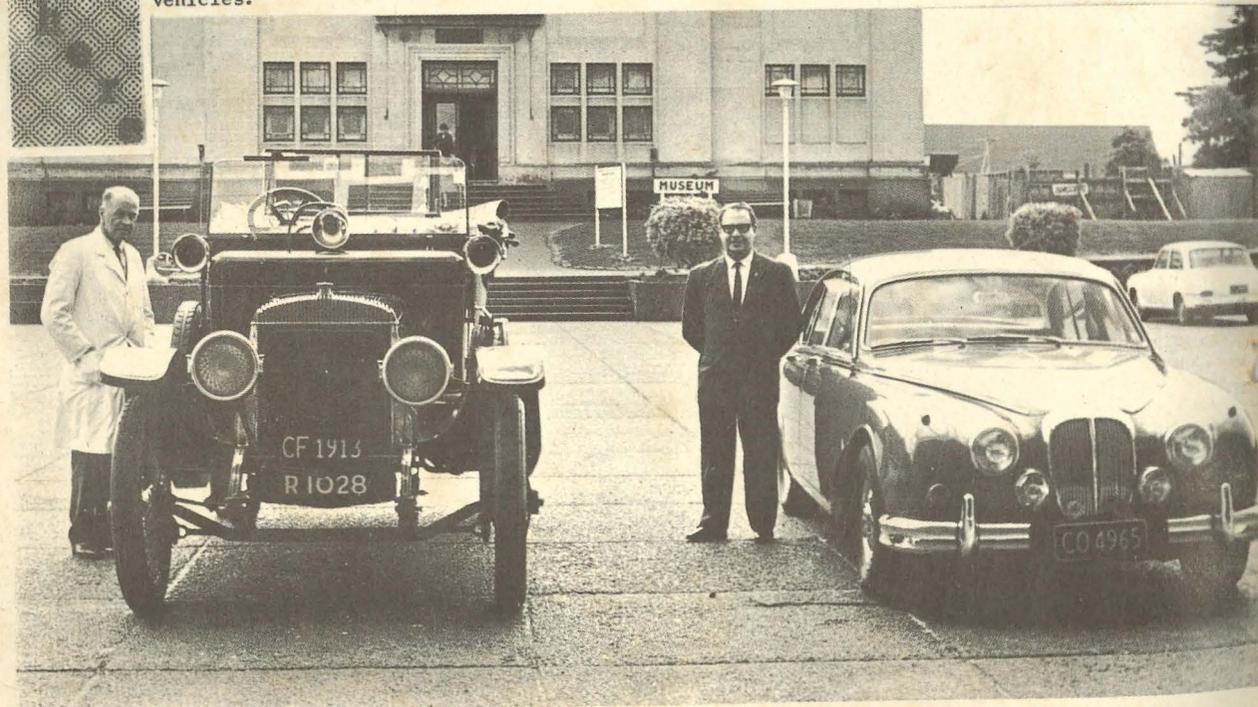


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COMING OF AGE: A 21st birthday party at the Sailing Club's headquarters, Beach Road, officially marked the coming of age of James Llewellyn, son of Mr and Mrs L. (Snow) Perry, Rest-A-While Dairy, Heads Road. Jim is pictured with his parents as he cuts into his birthday cake.

THE OLD AND THE NEW: Insurance-man Bruce Gibb is mighty proud of his gleaming Daimler car...just the latest. Equally as proud of his Daimler is panel-beater Bert Tonks...and his car is 1913 vintage. There must be plenty of folk around who'd give their eye teeth for either of these luxury vehicles.



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OUR COVER

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OUR COVER: Keith Andrew (as Bill) and Lucille Coker (Sally) pose for our camera. They are the leads of "Me and my Girl", starting next week at the Andram Theatre.

BACK COVER: Top: And the sun sinks slowly in the west...we shot this pic from the Cobham Bridge some short time ago.

Bottom: A regular visitor to Wanganui during the holidays is Wellington schoolgirl Jane Handscomb (aged 16). We photographed Jane during the August holidays while she was staying here with Fay and Tony Wells, Anzac Parade.

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Birthday Party

Ronald Coleman contributed these pix of the Marie McFarlane Kindergarten Mothers' Club 12th birthday party.

Above: Representing TV characters were Pat Smith, Toni Walkley, Joyce Hucker, Margaret Sarginson, Charlie Chaplin, Denise Payne, Olwyn Findlayson, Mrs Dickason, Elizabeth Travers, Christine Cleave and Marilyn Gerrie.

Left: "Hats Galore" starred Jeanette Steele, Elizabeth Travers and Marilyn Gerrie.

Bottom left: Mrs Dickason with Winnie Witch and Charlie Chaplin, prize winners.

Below: Cutting the cake...Mrs Colville, Marie McFarlane and Elizabeth Travers.





Married

ABOVE. WOLLAND--MILLAN: At the Presbyterian Church, Marton, Patricia Ellen Catherine, daughter of Mrs. N.H. Millan, 91 Wicksteed Street, Wanganui, to Trevor Rex, son of Mr and Mrs Wolland, 34 Princess Street, Marton. The attendants are Mary Millan, chief bridesmaid (sister of the bride), Wanganui, Kathleen Rhodes, Marton, John Goodall, best man, Napier, Gary Wolland, brother of the groom, Marton, Mandy Mills, Marton, flower-girl, and Trevor Millan, brother of the bride, Wanganui, page-boy. Future home, Marton. (RICHARDS).

BELOW. COWAN--SOUTHCOMBE: At St Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Dawn Irene, daughter of Mr and Mrs H.B. Southcombe, Stewart Road, Waverley, to Ronald Bruce, son of Mr and Mrs D.G. Cowan, 315 Prospect Road, Hastings. The attendants, from left, are John Lax, Australia, Louise Southcombe, sister of the bride (chief bridesmaid), Waverley, Teresa Cowan, sister of the groom, Hastings, and John Blane, best man, Hastings. Future home, Mangaweka. (RICHARDS).



HERE AND THERE

ABOVE. SILVER JUBILEE: Pictured at the 21st jubilee social of the St. John's Indoor Bowling Club are, back, Messrs G. Brider, R. Holman, R. McGinnity and N. Grant. Front: Mrs Brider, Mr P. Swan, Mr R. Doyle, Mrs J. Ansley, Mr E. Ansley, Mrs S. Grant and Mr K. Slight. (RICHARDS).

BELOW. JUNIOR CHAMPIONS: The Pirates Junior Rugby team this year won the Wanganui Junior Rugby championship. They played 18 games, winning 16 and losing only two. They scored 213 points with just 85 points against them. From left, back: R. Allan, W. Kapea, B. Keenan, J. Davenport, P. Shepherd, W. Seelen, R. Roebuck and D. Ngeru. Middle: R. Box, A. Allan, M. Benson, B. Haami, D. Koro, B. Edmonds, J. Hemi and G. Papworth. Front: V. Tapa, B. Staines (vice-club capt), D. Collins (coach), R. Spittal (capt), H. Dicker (club president), D. Mathews and G. Haami. Absent: R. Hall and M. Pedder. (TESLA).





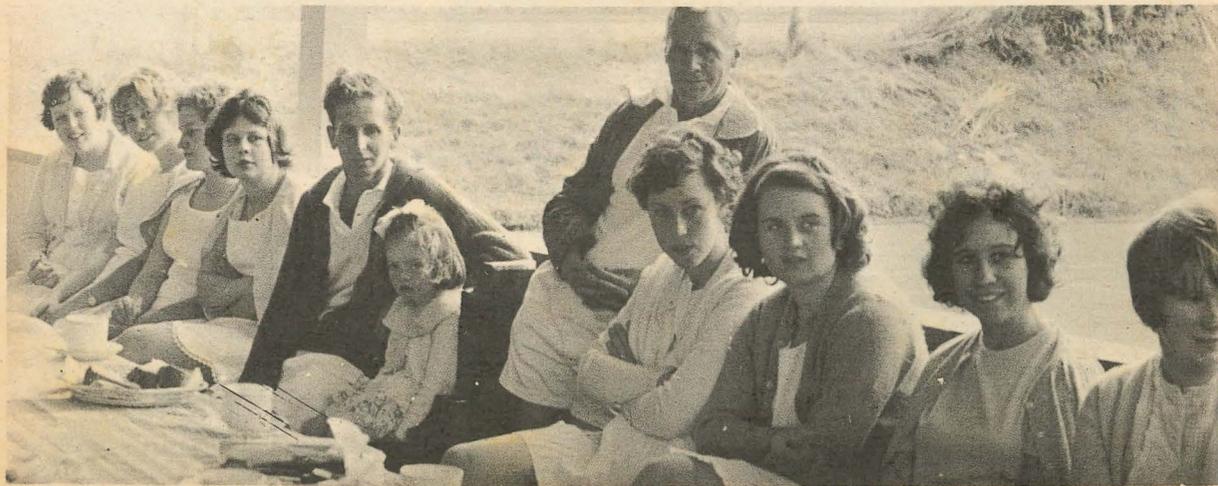
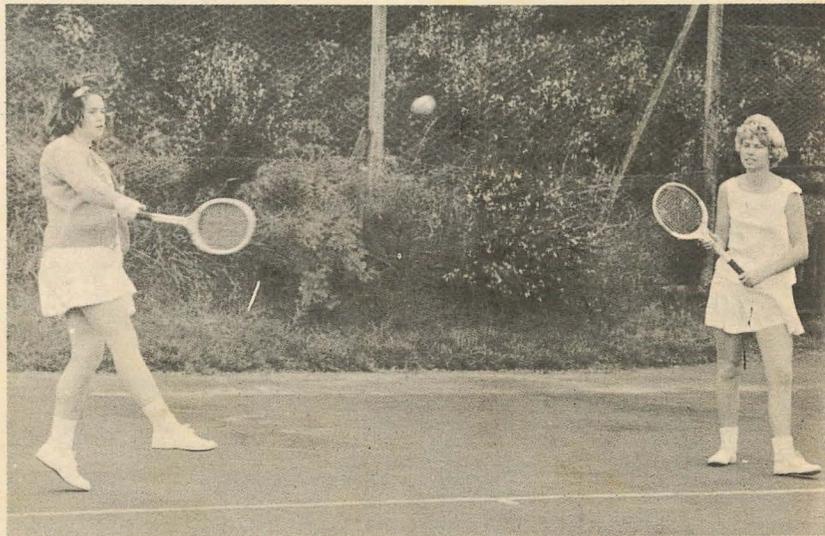
TENNIS OPENING

The Gonville Tennis Club had its 58th season opened officially by the patron (Mr Mark Lampe) after a yankee tournament warm-up.

Pictured above are the club officers for the 1967-68 season. From left: Paul Mitchell, club capt., Mr Lampe, patron, Ron Davidson, secretary, and Jack Ford, president.

Right: Pamela Gudsell and Margaret Cook were two of the opening day players.

Below: Some of the members pictured during the tea break.



The oldest competitor, Neil Hay-Campbell, chats with John Vine on the court.



Richard Purser...three titles.



Alison Lee...Waiouru



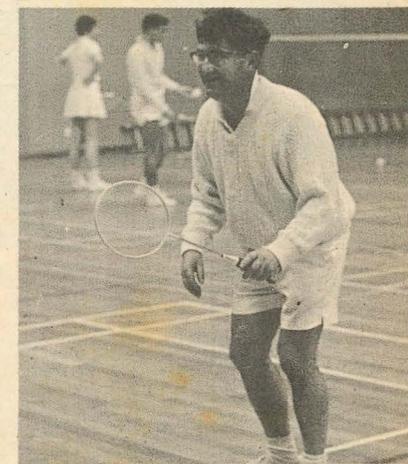
Cecelia Jenner-Wigton, takes a photograph of the players.

BADMINTON CHAMPS

Three A grade titles fell to N.Z. champion Richard Purser at the Wanganui open badminton championships. These pix were taken at the Stadium during play.



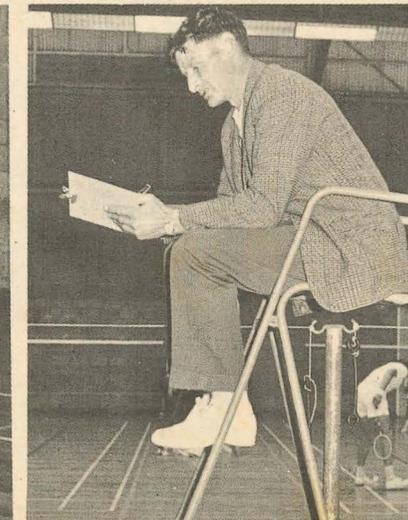
Bill Tolhurst in wild action



Barry Sawyer waits for the shuttle.



Neil Simpson, Wanganui.



Arnold Bismark, Feilding, umpires a game.



Wanganui's Don Stevens.

Our Expatriates

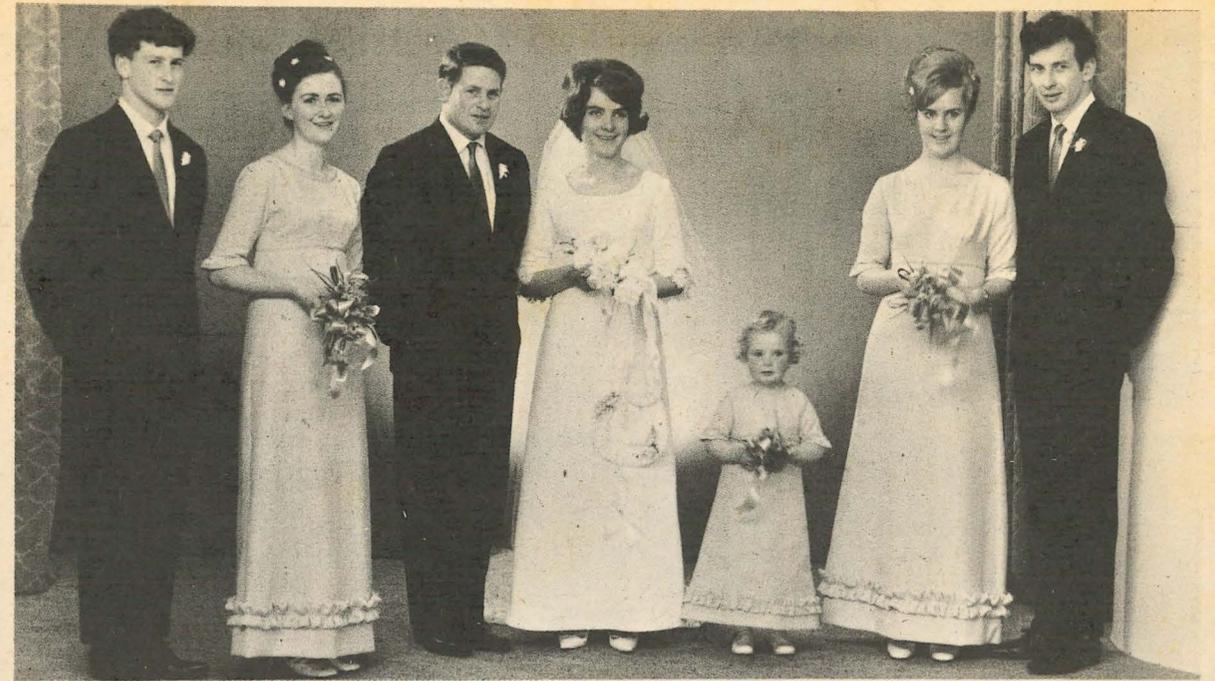


IN BARCELONA. Top left: About two and a half years ago Mike and Josephine O'Leary left their Durie Hill home to go and live in Spain. Mike sends this photograph that he took of Josephine and kiddies (Daniel, Louise and Irene—Stephen was camera shy) in Barcelona.

IN NEW PLYMOUTH. Ready for a fancy dress party are Michael and Gerald Hogan, Brois Street, New Plymouth. Mike and Ged are the children of former Wanganui-ites Alex Hogan and Jackie (formerly Leahy).

IN GISBORNE. Bottom left: Now living at 24 Cambridge Terrace, Gisborne, are Dorothy and Sherryl Cantwell, formerly of Wanganui. Both girls recently holidayed in Australia.

IN THAILAND. Captain Bruce and Judy (nee McIntyre) Hayhow are now living in Thailand. With the R. N. Z. Engineers, VSA., Bruce is working on a "feeder" road for the Colombo Plan.



Married

ABOVE. GILBANKS--EAMES: At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Hunterville, Helen Margaret, younger daughter of Mr and the late Mrs G.T.Eames, "Livingstone", Hunterville, to Barry William, elder son of Mr and Mrs J.Gilbanks, 9 Delhi Avenue, Wanganui. The attendants are Jan Evans, chief bridesmaid (Wanganui), Lindsay McDonald (Tawa), Lindsay Watt, best man (Wanganui), Darcy Gillbanks, brother of the groom (Wanganui), and Lynley Fitzgerald, flower-girl (Huntly), Future home, Rangiora. (RICHARDS).

BELOW. TYSON--ENGLEBRETSSEN: At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Aramoho, Elaine Mary Linda, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs G.G.Englebretsen, 3 Lewis Avenue, Aramoho, to Michael Eric, eldest son of Mr and Mrs M.Tyson, No.1 Line, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Paul Fletcher, Susan Morgan, Shirley Benbrook, chief bridesmaid, and Les Scott, best man. Future home, Wanganui. (RICHARDS).





R.S.A. Bowls Wind-up

The Savage Club was the scene of the combined social of the R. S. A. Ladies' and Men's Indoor Bowling Clubs. The trophies were presented at this, the end-of-season function. Photos by ROBUCK STUDIO.

Top left: Ladies' Club fours winners. From left: Amy McArthur, Greta Dowman, Kitty Piddock and Mary Pollard.

Top right: Trevor Lewis and Fred Holloway won the jnr pairs.

Upper left: Kitty Piddock presents the senior singles trophy to Belle Goldsbury.

Above: Alma Head won the jnr. singles.

Upper right: Indra Homes was one of the jnr. pairs winners.



Eric Pollard... jnr singles.



Ivy Sell and Elsie Seaton won the snr. pairs.



Skip of the club fours winners, Jim Wallace, receives his team's trophy from Bill Simpson.



Stan Osborne and Bill Anderson, snr pairs winners.



Teeming rain drenched the seats so the Governor General and his party stood during the proceedings.



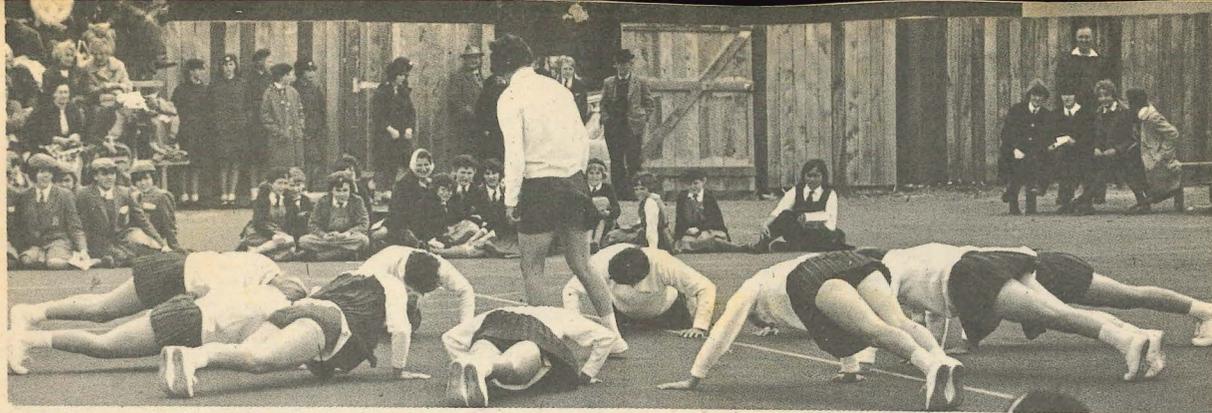
Delighted applause from Sir Bernard after he had unveiled the magnificent figure of Peter Pan.

Peter and the Governor

A handsome gift to the city was given a very fine introduction to the public. Mr and Mrs F.W. Burnet, donated to Wanganui a handsome bronze statue of Peter Pan, duly positioned on the lawn at the Virginia Lake reserve. The statue was unveiled by Sir Bernard Fergusson during his farewell visit to Wanganui as Governor General.



Spectators sheltered under trees and umbrellas as the rain teemed down during the ceremony.



Supremely fit, the England side was put through a series of warm-up exercises prior to the game.

GOOD PERFORMANCES AGAINST ENGLAND

The Wanganui representative basketball team turned on one of their best games of the season to hold the touring team to a 38-21 win. The visitors are greatly experienced and nobody expected our side to beat them. The final score spoke volumes for the standard of play by the Wanganui side.



12 England's Joyce Wheeler shoots as Maureen Moore leaps to try and block the goal



With 22 goals, England's Pat Green was top scorer in the game



The Wanganui team, from left: J. Ahern, S. Fitzgerald, A. Pudsey, M. Fahey, M. Moore, A. Anderson, W. Osborne, L. Glasgow and M. O'Leary (captain).



England's captain, Marion Lofthouse, leaps for the ball.



Joyce Wheeler has Maureen Moore covered as she prepares to pass the ball.



Wanganui in possession



Captain of the Wanganui team, M. O'Leary, took a couple of spills.





Pat Green has Lois Glasgow going the wrong way.



Quite a large crowd watched the mid-week game at the Laird Park courts



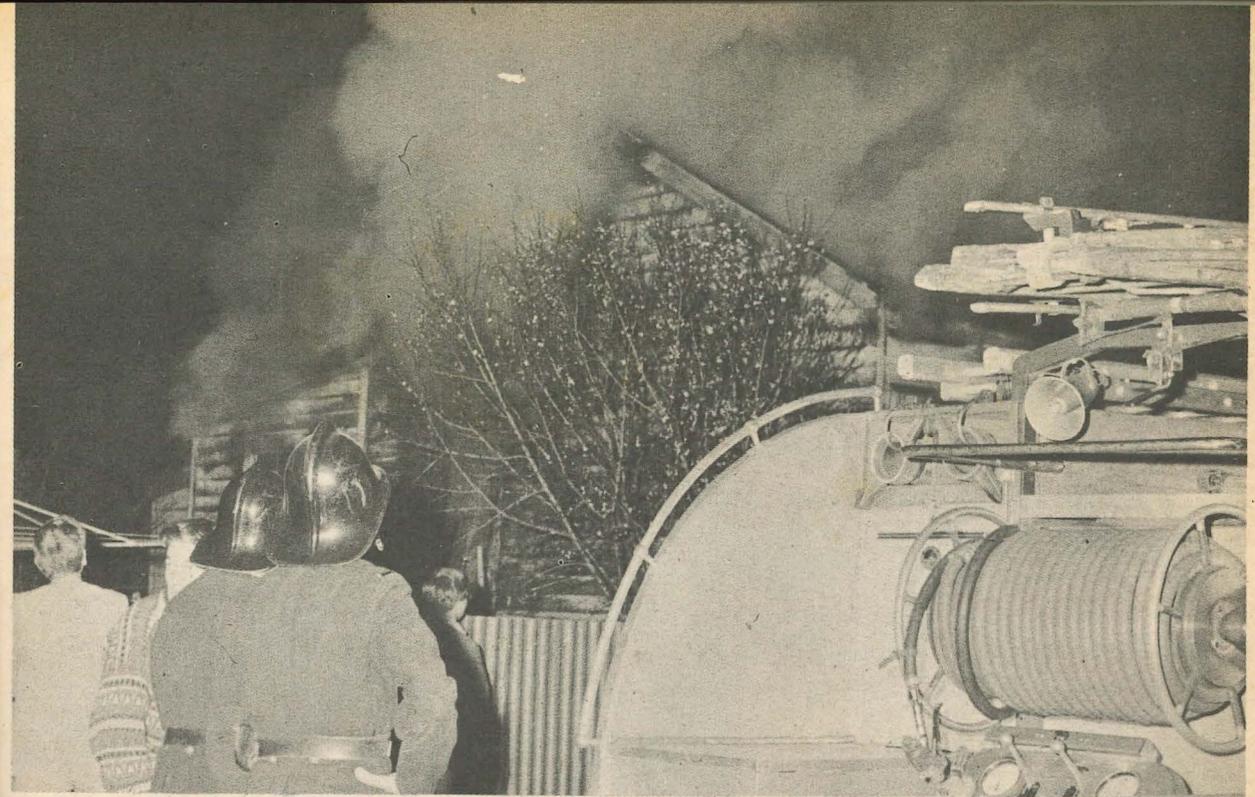
In deadly form, Pat Green sinks another goal for England



Anybody's ball but Anne Miles and Margaret O'Leary both have the aim of getting possession



Marion Lofthouse tries to intercept a pass between Marie Fahey and Margaret O'Leary



FIRE GUTS FACTORY

After years of struggling to get himself established in the electronics business, Jim Coyle (the guitarist) suffered a very severe set-back when fire gutted the old building which he used as a factory in Copeland Street. Among the stock that Jim lost in the blaze was a huge consignment of jewel-box-type radios made out of Sovereign Woodworkers native timbers. These were all packed and ready for delivery to retailers. Jim's recording sideline also suffered. He lost a huge ex-broadcasting tape recording machine (which he had just finished reconditioning) and his best recording guitar. These pix by Earl Buck.

Above: The Fire Brigade was soon on the scene. Below: A small crowd of fire-watchers. Right: A very upset Jim Coyle assists the firemen with their hoses.





CENTENNIAL SHOW

The Wanganui Horticultural Society celebrated its 100th year with a gay spring show at the Memorial Hall last month. Mayor Andrews entered into the spirit of the occasion and arrived for the official opening ceremony (in a 1913 Daimler) dressed in topper and tails.

Above: Mr G. A. Amundsen, president of the Society, shows Mr Andrews a fine vase of daffs.

Right: Taranaki visitors casting their eyes over some of the exhibits are Mr A. Gamlin, Manaia, Mr and Mrs Felix Jury and Chris Jury, Waitara.

Below: The Memorial Hall was packed with beautiful fragrant blooms and people.



Above: Taking in the beauty of prize daffodils is Miss V. Scott.

Right: Many, and varied were the floral arrangements. This must surely have been one of the best shows of its type here for many years. Artistic displays in their own little booths attracted the attention here of Mr and Mrs E.R. Nicholson.

Below: Pretty little girls, all with flowers in their hair. The Carlton School Choir sang at the opening ceremony.



**OLD-TIMERS'
DAY
ST. JOHN'S
CLUB**



Every year the management and members of St. John's Workingmen's Club turn on an afternoon for their senior members. Pictured on these pages are some of the oldtimers who enjoyed their treat.

Above: Bert Longstaff, Arthur Reid and Robert Duke.

Left: Will Ruscoe, Ted Anderson, Herbert Davey and Charlie Duggan.

Below: Ted Persson, Fred Littlejohn, John Dick,



William McGuinness, Roy Smyth, Syd Sangster and Joe Cantwell.



Jack Peterson, Ernie Lawson and Frank Bramford



22 Claude Taylor and Lofty Cleveland entertain



Dick Lynch, Garney Spooner, Bill Mair and Eric Ansley teamed up together



Ted Wallace, Bill Ramsay and Bert Adams



George, Gary and Eric Broome made it a family outing



Fred Palmer played his squeeze-box.



Committee members...and one of them is caught winking at our lady photographer. At back are Ron Glentworth (v. pres), Alby Wiggins and Dave Gray (pres). Front: George Dixon (past pres) Ben White (oldest member, aged 89) and Peter Swan (sec).



Harry Cann and Bill Hogan



Ron Hesketh and John Clark



Fred Palmer and Jack Peterson



Fred Willoughby, Joe Prout, and Bill Baxter



Les Munro, P. Boswell, Tony Koorey, J. Morris and George Tasker had the afternoon out



A good crew here: Dave Young, Peter Peterson, Reg Green, Ray Austin, Tom McKenna and Ern Simonson.



Jim Shaw, Bert Hall and Bob Robertson



Percy Wood, Arthur Leach, A. Austin and F. J. Alexander

FAREWELLED BY SCHOOLMATES



After 18 months as a pupil at the Castlecliff School, seven-year-old Steven Cvitanovich had made a lot of friends. All of his classmates and his teacher, Miss S. J. Newcombe, turned up at the airport to bid a fond farewell to Steven as he embarked on a Friendship aircraft for Auckland. Steven has suffered a sight affliction since birth and his parents were taking him to the Homai School for the Blind, Manurewa. Above left: Frances and Ivan Cvitanovich take Steven out to the aircraft. Above right: Steven left with his friends waving a fond goodbye. Below: Miss Newcombe and her class pictured with Steven.





Royalistic and Bostock lead the way in the Springvale Handicap

CANDIDS AT THE TROTS



Mrs Colleen Dudley had the look of a winner



A keen fan: Terrence Ryan came from Auckland



Bob Hancock looks as if he's still waiting for his horse to come home.



Mr Lawrence Clapham, Hawera, and Miss M. Nicholas



"Now what shall I have this time?" ponders Betty Head.



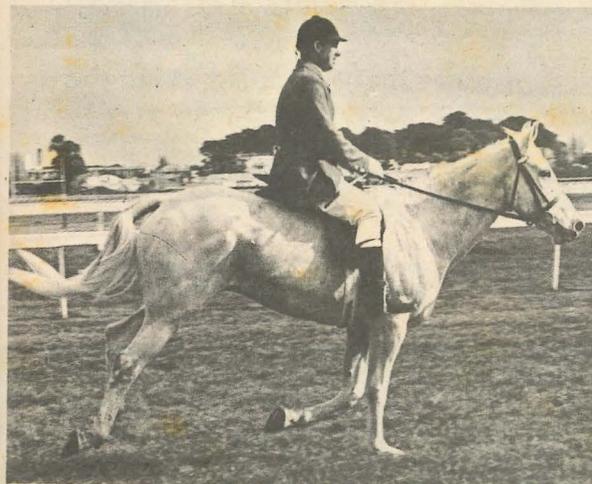
Merv Wright, P.Nth., gets down to picking them out.



Mesdames Daphne and Margaret Kinane came through from Palmerston North for the meeting.



They like the trots'.. Mrs F.Roberts and Mrs L.Whyte, Wanganui.



Clerk of the course, Basil Southcombe, had the only horse not dragging a sulky.



Looking for the winners were Mrs E.M. Thrush and Mrs Gladys Marshall-Wallace.



Enjoying the sunshine: Lesley Lindsay and Ola Smyth were trying their luck.



Norm and Dick Lynch knew all the answers.



With only eight holes to play, burly Colin Jacobsen was seven strokes behind the leader in the final round of the Wanganui open golf championships. Then the leader (Neil Gaskin) started to pack up and Jacobsen started to come right, with the result that Tawhero schoolteacher Colin Jacobsen won the title with a score of 223. Gaskin was runner-up on 224. In third place on 226 was young (16) Simon Owen. Defending champion, Murray Osman, and nine-times-champion did not play in the tournament.

Left: 1967 Wanganui open champion...Colin Jacobsen.

Right: Neil Gaskin...pipped at the post.

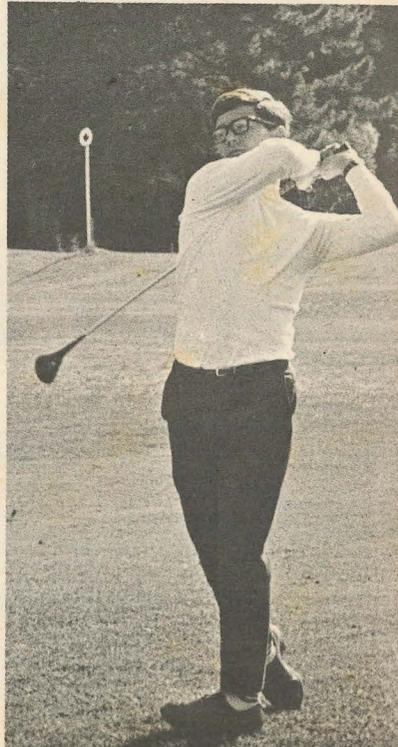
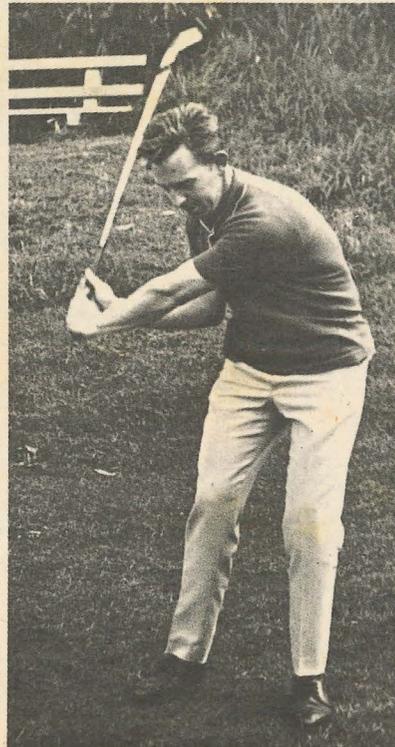
Bottom left: John Farley...4th.

Below: John Means...6th.

Bottom right: Bob Styles tees off.



WANGANUI GOLF CHAMPS.



Vic Dennison, vice-president of the Wanganui Golf Club



Alan Wilkins finished up on 245



Nelson golfer Doug Newey



Bernie Banks drags his trundler up to the third green



Max Marr looks as if he means business



John Sowerby in the rough 29



Denis Hawes, Greymouth



Alf Richdale strides out



N. N. Carnell "on the beach". He finished with 251.



Betty Goldsbury caddies....



....and Max Goldsbury swings.



Frank Respinger notched 251 for the three rounds



SCHOOL'S DONATION

The pupils of the Wanganui East School became the first to assist the Wanganui Museum building appeal when they presented Mayor R.P. Andrews with a cheque for \$143. The money raised was the proceeds from a shop day at the school.

Top left: Head boy Wiremu Rewiti and head girl Carolyn Tipper (both 11) handed the money over to Mr Andrews. Top right: A couple of youngsters obviously didn't like the speeches. Below: The hand-over of the cheque was made at a full assembly of the school.



A Woman's Touch

In these days of men's hair becoming longer with the fashion it seems a bit harder for the lads to keep their mops looking nice. Two Wanganui boys have found the answer...they now go to a ladies' hairdressing salon.

We photographed Max Guild and Paul Flegg having their locks washed and dried at Paulane Kilmore's La Paree Salon, Ingestre Street.

Right: Max (left) and Paul take it easy under the hair driers.

Below: Paulane combs and fashions Max's hair while Paul waits for his net to be lifted.



Club president, Mr Harold Parnell, examines the handsome trophy for "The best in Show".



Robyn Simpson, N.Ply., with her Maltese Terrier Champion Prince Ling of May Forest.



Wanganui's Mrs Slight with her peke, Troubador.



Mrs Amy Loudon, Te Awamutu, exhibited chihuahuas Pedro and Lisa of Wenderholm.



TOY-DOG 'SHOW

The Wanganui Toy Dog Club recently staged its annual open show at the racecourse. The judge was Mr M.Glover of Auckland. He is pictured examining a dog above.



Miss Eleanor Matthews, Wanganui, and her King Charles spaniel, Little Pitcher.



From Lower Hutt came another Cavalier King Charles spaniel, Miss Mysie of Gavrie, and Mrs Dorothy Knott.



Among the 62 entries were Mrs I.Martin's chihuahuas Chiquita Carlos and El Pancho...from Wellington.



Marie Larkin, Whangaehu, with her pom, Nero.



Married

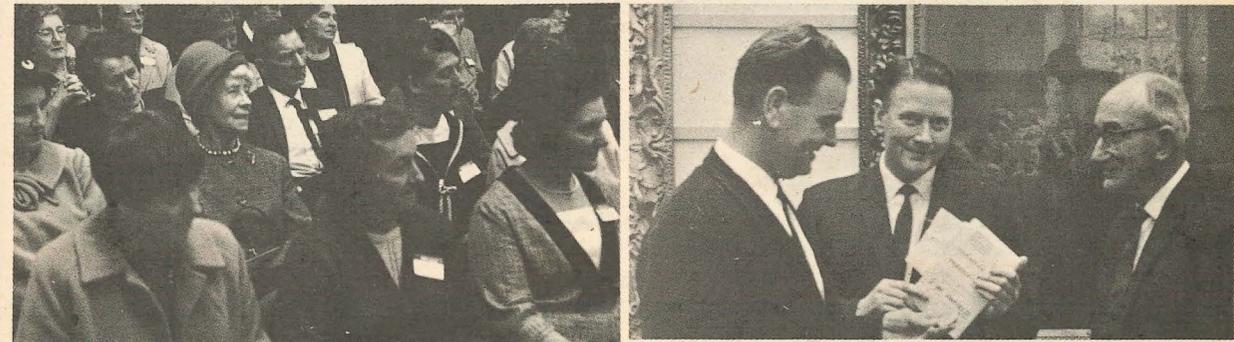
ABOVE. KIDD--WILLS: At St. Barnabas's Church, Durie Hill, Margaret Anne, daughter of Mrs S. Wills, 43 Maxwell Avenue, Durie Hill, to Guy Robert Kidd, son of Mrs I. Emanuel, 6 Haig Street, Wairoa (H. Bay). The attendants are Wendy Emanuel, sister of the groom, Wairoa, chief bridesmaid, Nell Willemsen, Auckland, Michael Ramsay, best man, Auckland, Donald Ramsay, Auckland, and flower-girls Patricia and Marion Wills, Wanganui, and Raewyn Gilroy, Auckland. Future home, Auckland. (TESLA).

BELOW. JONES--FORD: At St. Lawrence's Church, Aramoho, Patricia Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Ford, 4 Murray Street, Aramoho, to Raymond Phillip, son of Mrs V. Jones, Hastings, and Mr L. Jones, Marton. The attendants are Betty Klenner, chief bridesmaid, Mokau, Frances Quirk, Wanganui, John Duncan, best man, Wanganui, and Barry Ross, Wanganui. Future home, Wanganui. (RICHARDS).



CAMERA BEAT

SCHOOL 41: Pilots training at the No 41 class of the Wanganui Commercial Pilots School are, from left, back, Chris Bonythom, Adelaide, Peter Pollard, Hamilton, Hayden Ryan, Sydney, Barry Kane, Southend, England. **Middle:** Graeme Brough, ChCh., Les Shutte, Auck., Phil Standing, ChCh., Alan McClintock, Hastings, Peter Mayne, Albury, N.S.W., Lindsay Flatt, Tauranga, Don Barclay, Raetihi, Clive Northcott, Raglan. **Front:** John Kitson, ChCh., Roger Ellery, Geraldine, Tony Marshall, ChCh., Dick Vuleta, Timaru, Garrick Andrew, Rotorua and Andrew Redfern, United Kingdom.



PHOTOGRAPHIC SALON: The Wanganui Camera Club's 11th Salon of Photography was officially opened at the Sarjeant Gallery by Mayor R. P. Andrews earlier this month. Of the 558 prints and slides submitted by 157 New Zealand photographers, 203 were accepted for exhibition by the judges. Top award, the Metcalfe Medal, was awarded to J. F. Wilkinson, A.R.P.S., Auckland. **Top left:** Some of the exhibitors and friends at the opening. **Top right:** Mr Metcalfe, right, and WCC president Derek Endersby, centre, congratulate the winner of the Wanganui Medal for nature slides, Mr J. E. Van Udon, N. Ply. **Below:** Officials at the opening. From left: Derek Endersby, Mr Metcalfe, Mrs Metcalfe, Mrs Andrews, Mr R. P. Andrews, Mrs J. Thomas, Mr Joe Thomas (president Photographic Society of New Zealand), Mrs Bentley and salon director, Roy Bentley.





Robyn and Gary Hope-Johnston, Dawn Davies and Toddy Sollitt enjoyed themselves



Naval Engagement

A dinner and cabaret at the Palm Lounge was enjoyed by a large group of merrymakers recently. The function was organised by the Wanganui branch of the ex-Navalmen's Association. These pictures by Robuck Studio.

Above: Some of the night-outers.



The Don Andersons on the dance floor



Roy and Lucy McIntyre were among the guests



Brian and Jenny McGrail look happy with things



Beryl Eden and hubby go for a whirl



Mark (Robinson) Morris and his girl Friday, Eleanor Moran ...two castaways.



S.S. Kaierau Scuttled

Just about everybody was on deck when coach Chick Watt pulled the plug out for the senior crew of the good ship Kaierau. Being a shipwreck party, everyone was suitably attired (or dis-attired).

Above: Marie Fahey and Brian Watson were two of the survivors.



Up from the engine room came Jill Aitchison and stoker John Lockett



S.S. Kaierau mates and their mates: Colin and Shirley Pearce, Chic and Eileen Watt, Budge and Marlene Lockett.



Captain of the lugger...Bryce (Toes) Foote pours a tot of something for Eileen Watt.



Kevin Smith, John Nolan and Pat Windelburn make the most of their predicament



Softball at Stadium

Wanganui softballers ran onto the diamonds at the Stadium playing fields this season instead of their old home, the Gonville Domain. Some players and officials have mixed feelings about the switch of venue. The Stadium offers excellent changing and toilet amenities but some folk are a bit concerned about the fields being slushy in the wet and the winds that can whistle across the vast area. These photographs were taken during a pre-start-of-season game between Braves and Railways women's teams.

Top left: Braves' pitcher Colleen Farrell has a strong delivery. **Top right:** The girls at play with the Stadium as a background. **Below:** Braves' players await their turn at bat.



Rainy Cousins

BRIDE OF THE YEAR: There were 32 contestants for this year's "Bride Of The Year" contest staged at the Opera House. Proceeds from the full house (\$550) will be used for kindergarten work. Place-getters pictured above, from left, are Mrs Betty Adams, Mrs Jennifer Scott and Mrs Robin Hancock.

SCHOOLS' FESTIVAL: The Opera House was filled with young voices when Wanganui school choirs and musical groups appeared for their annual choral festival recently. Pictured here are some of the youngsters from district primary schools who sang at the festival.





Married

ABOVE. FEICKERT--CHESSWAS: At the Wanganui Baptist Church, Merylyn May, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. E. Chesswas, 24 Virginia Road, Wanganui, to Peter John, son of Mr and Mrs H. J. Feickert, Karori, Wellington. The attendants are Lois Chesswas, sister of the bride, chief bridesmaid, Wanganui, Colleen Lock, Wanganui, sister of the bride, Allison Feickert, sister of the groom, Wellington, David Feickert, brother of the groom, best man, Wellington, David Pennefather, Brunswick, and John Newton, Wanganui. Future home, Upper Papaiti. (TESLA)

BELOW. LYNAM--ANDERSEN: At St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Irene Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. T. Andersen, 88 Harrison Street, Wanganui, to Michael David, son of Mr and Mrs R. Lynam, 20 Mahoe Avenue, Palmerston North. The attendants are Carol Andersen, chief bridesmaid, Sheryl Andersen (both sisters of the bride), Gail Andersen (cousin of the bride), Bruce Brownlie, best man, Feilding, and Terry Healy, Palmerston North. Future home, Dunedin. 9 (TESLA)



The swimmers have already taken to the sea this season...and so have some types with their horses and dogs. Perhaps one day they will get the message that they are NOT WELCOME where folk are in the water.



We're all for us here. Photo News has opened up a shop in conjunction with ROBUCK STUDIO. You will find us right opposite the Post Office in Ridgway Street. Come in and have your photos taken, especially if you have something of interest for Photo News.

GOOD SCHEME: The Jaycee's "Who's Who" scheme deserves commendation. For \$1.50 they delivered householders with a plate engraved with name and initials to be placed on letterboxes. Makes things easier for busy taxi drivers, etc. Jaycee president Brian Masters is pictured at left preparing some nameplates for delivery.

WINNING GROUP: Congratulations to the Aotea Kurahaupo Putiki Junior Club who won five trophies at the recent Wellington Hui Aroha. Photo contributed.





Pot Pourri

Water skiers are back at Wiritoa Lake again now. Some of you youngsters have a go—you could become as good as Barry Fowler (16) with a host of titles and trophies including three N.Z. titles (jnr) last season.

Top right: Mrs K. J. Angus cuts the Wang. East C.W.I. 4th birthday cake as president Mrs Holford watches.

Right: Mrs E. M. Gray, 101 St. Hill Street, had a most beautiful garden in flower, admired by many, last month.

Below: The Queen Alex. Band has spent \$560 on a new-look uniform. Main differences are the white gaiters, white hat-tops, lanyards and s/b jackets.



Happy Couples



GOLDEN WEDDING:

Above: Charles and Adelaide Martin, 42 Clapham Street, Wanganui East, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. (ROBUCK)

ENGAGED:

Above left. HAWKINS—HOPE: Suzanne Lillian May, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Hope, 8 Kotuku Street, to Anthony William, second son of Mr and Mrs R. Williams, Francis Road, Westmere. (ROBUCK).

Left: MAUNSELL—TERRY—SCURR: Marlene, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Scurr, 40 Harrison Street, to Mark Tremaine Maunsell-Terry, youngest son of Mr and Mrs I. C. Webster, Sussex Farm, St. John's Hill. (TESLA CANDID).

Bottom left: BUCHAN—DELLOW: Heather Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs W. S. Dellow, 38 Field Street, Aramoho, to Edward Thomas, son of Mr and Mrs A. Buchan, 57 Bamber Street, C/Cliff.

Below. WRIGHT—RUSH: Julia, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Rush, Johnston Road, Marton, to Ian, eldest son of Mrs M. J. Wright, Seddon Street, Feilding. (R. J. LUFF).





Soccer Presentations

The United Soccer Club recently held their end-of-season social and presentation of trophies at the Palm Lounge.

Above: Stan Armstrong presents the 7th grade championship and knock-out cup to captain Tony Smith.

Top right: Morrie McGrail was in for a trophy.

Right: Mick Remfrey (right) and Irvine Marr shared a cup for the most consistent seniors.

Below left: Most consistent player John Chapman received the Dunn Cup.

Below centre: John Watson, most consistent 8th grade player.

Below right: Charlie Lowrie, most improved player in second division.



Married

ABOVE. STEWART--HIRD: At St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Wanganui, Bonnie Jill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hird, 19 Fitzherbert Avenue, to Gary Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Stewart, 4 Eden Place, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Wayne Davidson, best man, Cynthia Hutchins, chief bridesmaid, Brian Stewart, brother of the groom, and Shirley Hird, sister of the bride. Future home, Wanganui. (TESLA)

BELOW. OGILWY--LOVERIDGE: At the Church of Christ, Wanganui, Valerie Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Loveridge, Main Road, Waitotara, to Brian Frederick John, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. J. Ogilwy, Mount View Dairy, Hawera. The attendants, from left, are Donald Williamson, Hawera, best man, Heather Loveridge, sister of the bride, Waitotara, chief bridesmaid, Bob Loveridge, brother of the bride, Waitotara, and Gloria Ogilwy, sister of the groom, Hawera. Future home, Feilding. (TESLA).





Michael John, eldest son of Mr and Mrs J.D. Ball, 166 Great North Road. ROBUCK



Coming of Age

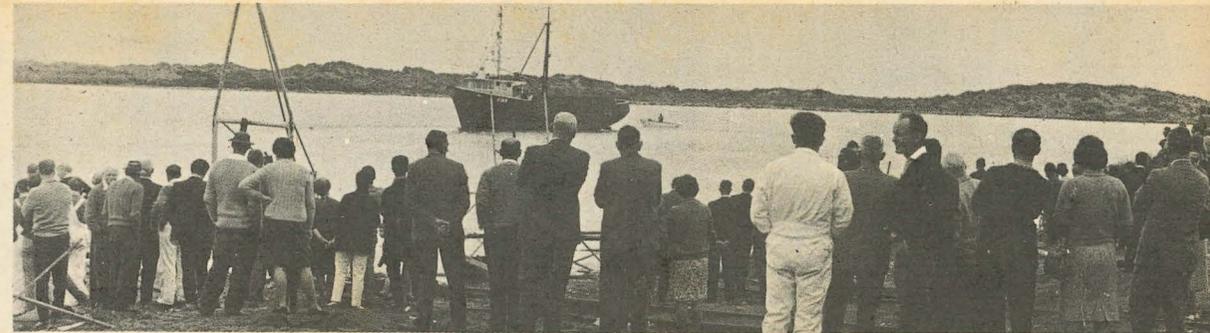
Above: Jack, son of Mr and Mrs B. McCurdy, 33 Milne Street, Marton, pictured with his parents, brothers and sister and Mrs Agnew. (RICHARDS).

Right: Bill, son of Mr and Mrs W.H. Skelsey, Grey Street, with his parents and sisters, Barbara and June.

Bottom right: Brian Joseph, elder son of Mr and Mrs G.J. Coe, 30 Wakefield Street.



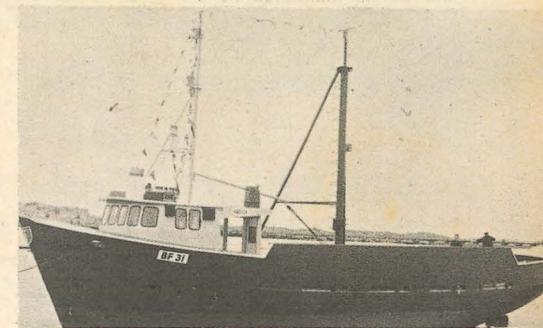
80th BIRTHDAY: Mr G.W. Caird, Durie Hill, recently celebrated his 80th birthday. He is pictured with Mrs Caird and his grandchildren. (RICHARDS).



Roving Camera

Wanganui Steelboats saw the culmination of just about a year's work with the recent launching of the 80 ton oyster boat "Argosy". Built for Mr W.E. Johnson, the Argosy will join the oyster fleet operating from Bluff. This was the largest boat to be built at Steelboats. Above: Quite a large crowd gathered to watch the Argosy slide into the Wanganui River for the first time.

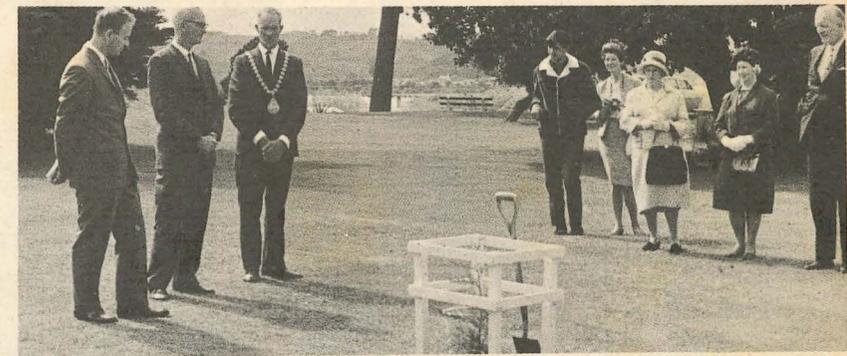
Below left: Admiring the new vessel are Mrs M. Alexander (who cracked the champers on the bow), Mr Johnson, Rev.F.O. Ball (who dedicated the Argosy), Mr Doug Wild (builder) and Mr Mike Alexander. Below right: The Argosy rides high and handsome after the launching ceremony.



MARKING CENTENARY:

To mark their centenary, members of the Bahai faith and invited guests gathered at Queens Park recently to plant a commemorative tree. (Pic below)

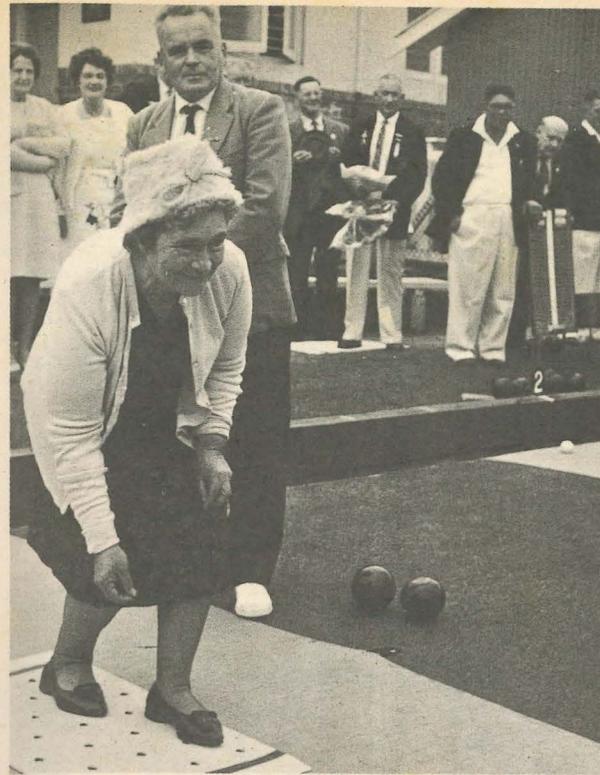
Right: Mr Weeks (NZ chairman of the Bahai Community), Mayor R.P. Andrews and Mr Ray Davies (Wanganui Bahai Chairman) admire the tree after the ceremony. A reception was later held for guests at the Avenue Motels.





ABOVE. WILTON--HUGHES: At Christ Church, Wanganui, Elsie Kathleen Hughes, 9A Waitai Street, Castlecliff, to Lawrence Douglas Wilton, "Lakeview", Rerewhakaaitu, Rotorua. Attendants, at left, are Mrs Cynthia Impson, Wanganui, and Lyal Wilton, brother of the groom, Masterton. Future home, Rerewhakaaitu, Rotorua. (WYBON).

BELOW. EGERTON--FIELD: At Trinity Methodist Church, Wanganui, Patricia Mary, daughter of Mrs L.R. Kearse and the late Mr N.S. Field, 10 Burns Street, Wanganui, to Thomas John, son of Mr and Mrs G. Egerton, 8 Poutini Street, Wanganui East. The attendants, from left, are Denise Thompson, chief bridesmaid, Fritz Churton, best man, Coralie Dashfield and Brian Kearse, all of Wanganui. Future home, Wanganui. (WYBON).



BOWLS OPENING

The end of last month saw a new season ushered in for Wanganui's scores of outdoor bowlers. One of the clubs to open their new term on the 30th was the Victoria Bowling Club. Our Mrs Hancock recorded the opening proceedings with her camera.

Above left: Mrs Dave Gray bowled down the first kitty....**Above right:**....and Bill Baxter delivered the first official bowl of the season. **Below:** Vice-president Ron Glentworth presented a bouquet to Mrs Jamieson (her husband, Bill, is secretary).





Kindy Mothers Celebrate

The Gonville Kindergarten Mothers' Committee recently celebrated its 17th birthday with a dinner party at the Castlecliff Hotel. Our Robin Hancock pictured some of those out enjoying the function. Above: Irene Lynskey (the first secretary), Mavis Cummings and Jean Groshinski (former presidents).



Val Allpress and Rita Rivers

Bessie McCormick and Nancy Thomson



Helen Laws, Nola Warnock, Megan Dallas and Eileen Watt (present president).



Leonie Monks, Beverley Josling and Helen Slater



Reon Johnson, Marion Ruscoe and Nancy Joll



Pam Tuffin and Shirley Jenkins



Josie Lyon and Ann Smith-Pilling



Mary Harrison and Kaye Wilton



WANGANUI'S CARNABY STREET...(sort of):

Well it certainly set everybody talking at least! La Boutique staged a fashion parade recently....on the pavement outside their shop. Models pictured here are Paulane Kilmore (left) and Marilyn Sheahon (and a policeman)...above.



Band Officers

"Drummer" Hall has resigned his secretaryship of the Garrison Band after 38 years at the job. This was announced at the recent annual general meeting of the Band. At the same meeting Snow Heenan was re-elected president and awarded a life membership of the band. Snow (specs) and Drummer are pictured at right.

Above: Four of the band's life members: Ivan Shearer, Ian Simmonds (he is the new secretary), Drummer Hall and Bill Skelsey.

Below: Conductor Rainey Francis and Drum-Major Pat Koorey.

Bottom right: Ray Toy, conductor of the junior band, and former St.Kilda Drum-Major, Arthur Timms.



Mrs Bartels and young Dimitrius



Mr Bartels holds the "man of the hour" during the christening.



Following the ceremony guests dined at Shangri La

RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHRISTENING

Arch Priest Father Alexei Godyaew of the Russian Orthodox Church (Palmerston North) visited Wanganui recently to christen 21-months-old Dimitrius Bartels, son of Mr and Mrs D.J. Bartels, 54 Harrison Street. Father Godyaew is pictured below during the ceremony.





TOWNSWOMEN'S GUILD CONFERENCE

The biennial conference of the Federation of Townswomen's Guilds recently attracted women to Wanganui from all parts of the country.

Above: Castlecliff members entertain with a sing-along.

Left: Mrs R.Rule, Ch.Ch.

Right: Mrs C.G.Crawford, the new president, pins a badge to the incoming secretary, Mrs D. Lawrence.

Lower left: Mrs N.Walshaw and Mrs D.Crespin, Wellington.

Lower right: Mrs G.Creagh, the new Dom. treasurer, Napier, and the retiring treasurer, Mrs C.Pickering, Masterton.



Mesdames Alberta Stephenson and Lillian Watson hail from Auckland



Mrs J.N. Neale, Upper Riccarton, and Mrs D. Lawrence, Lower Hutt.



Retiring president Mrs P.D. Calver pins the badge of office onto Mrs Crawford



Some of the delegates enjoying entertainment



The entertainment section of the Wanganui Guild gave an Irish selection



Wanganui entertainers singing about "Long Ago".



Florence Westgarth, Melva Dins, Frances Boulton and Alva Williams...Christchurch.



Some more of the Christchurch ladies.



Olive Fletcher, Gonville, sang a solo.



Mrs Vic Clare, Mrs Mary Morrison, Mrs Mabel Davey and Mrs Joan Gilliver all hold office in Wanganui.



Mrs Norman, Conville, played the auto-harp



Wanganui folk entertain with a Dutch selection



Mrs E. Aitchison, Mrs E. Mahon, Mrs M. Aitchison.



From Wellington. Mesdames Jamieson, Bewley, Davidson and Ballantyne.



New Plymouth representatives



Mrs Calver presented gifts to the Wanganui organisers and Mrs Gilliver



Mrs D. Stilton and Mrs A. Marinovic, Auckland



Wanganui's representative on the Dominion Executive, Mrs Gilliver, receives a presentation from Mrs Calver.



Shipwreck Party

Paulane Kilmore recently held a "shipwreck" party for her friends at the National Party Rooms. These pix by Earl Buck.

Above: Hostess Paulane.

Below: Linda Anderson dressed in a beer carton before the ship went under.



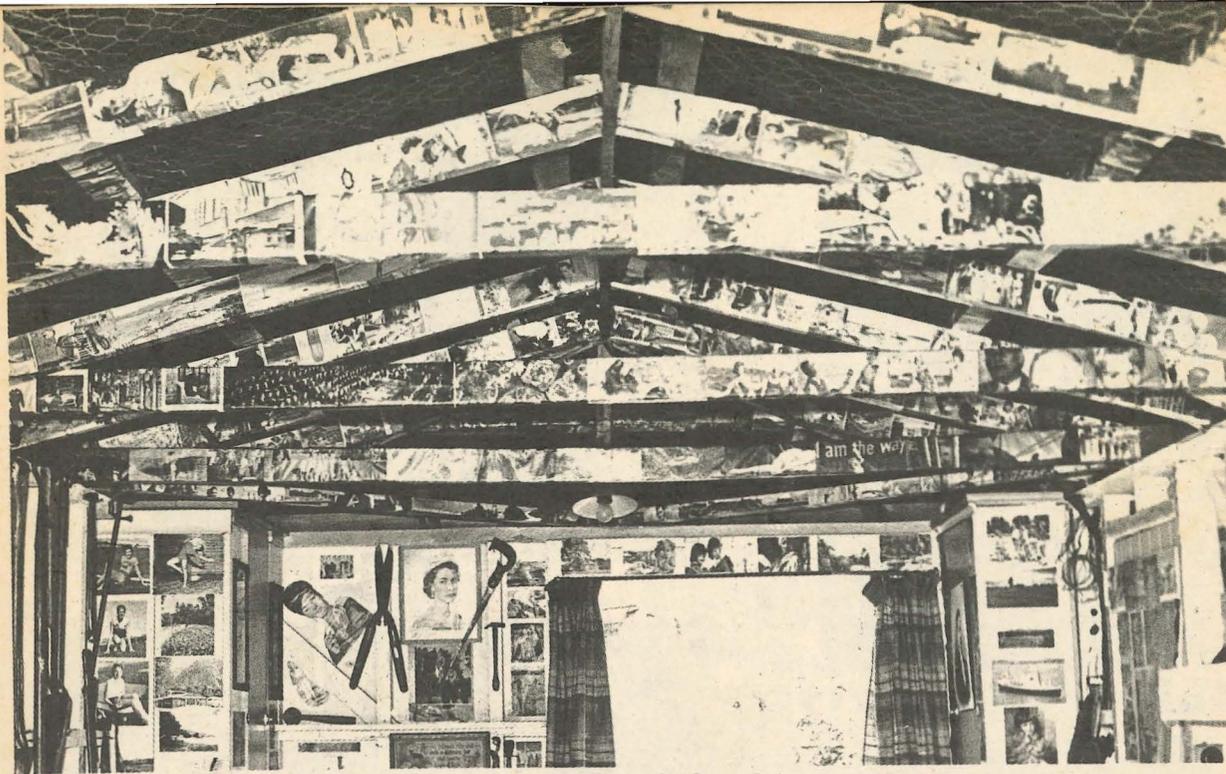
Some characters here: Brian Flegg, Gus Singh, Les Russell and Graham Beamsley.



Don and Molly Stewart pictured with Glen Allport.



Some of the "castaways"

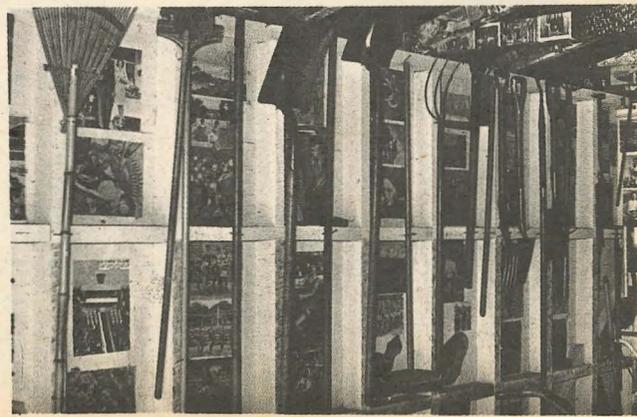
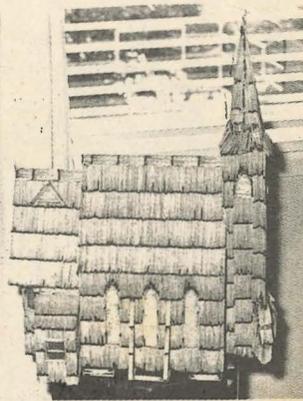


He Loves



When the Rev. E.A. McCutcheon (46 Hadfield Crescent) puts a picture on the wall he does it in a big way. His garage has every inch of wall and rafter surface covered with pictures ranging from beauty queens to Queen Elizabeth. Mr McCutcheon is 90 years of age and boasts that he can run twice around the garage without puffing—and he did so for our photographer. His garden is immaculate, proving how active he is. In his spare time Mr McCutcheon built a model church from matches.

Pictures



HARRIER ROAD RELAYS

The Wanganui Harrier Club won both the senior and junior events in the recent road relays. We have already commented on Smeaton's fine effort in the junior event (see inside cover). Chris Daws won the senior event (five-man teams run from Marton to Wanganui) with his nearest rival miles behind.

Above left: Wanganui's Bruce Anderson was the second colt home. Above centre: Chris Daws looks happy about his comfortable win. Above right: Peter Richards, P.Nth, was second home in the senior event. Below: Olympic team runners after winning the colts' race: John Lennie, Tinsley James, Barry Prosser and Glen Hazelwood.





FORDELL FLOWER SHOW

The combined flower show of the Makohau, Fordell, Kaitoke and Mangamahu C.W.I's attracted 675 entries, an increase over last year of 274. The most successful exhibits came from the Makohau C.W.I. winners of the most trophies. The show was held in the Fordell Hall.

Above: Mrs E.Farley, Makirikiri, was judge of the cooking.

Below: This piece of decorative work earned a third for Mrs Higgle.



President of the Federation, Mrs H.Tipper, speaks.



Mrs N.Goodall, Turakina, gives her comments as one of the judges.



Mrs W.Howard, Makirikiri, was one of the floral judges.



Looking over some garments in the handwork section are Mesdames Doris Foster, Lillian Tremaine and Lorna Lockett



Mrs Turner, Kaitoke, winner in the decorative section



Pictured admiring a display of daffodils is Mrs M. M. Carroll, Wanganui.



Second-place entry in the decorative section



Examining the displays: Val Alison and Nancy Richards



CHAMPION BOWLS

The Wanganui Indoor Bowls Association's pairs and singles champion of champions titles were decided at the Sports Stadium recently. After some hard-fought games Bloor and Kirk (Star and Circle) won the pairs and Laurie Penn (Watersiders' Social) won the singles. Most of the winners and finalists are pictured on this and the following pages.

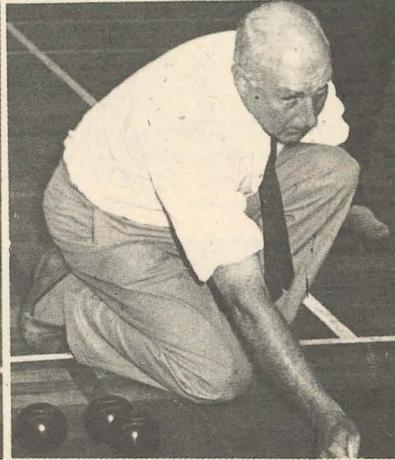
Above: Umpires Ron Robinson, Eric Crysell, Ann Bloor, Wally Ulstad, Eileen O'Connor, Bill Osman and Rhonda Murphy.



Keith Stone (Watersiders), junior singles winner



Laurie Penn (Watersiders), senior singles winner.



Jack McDonald (W. East), senior singles runner-up



Hec Waitai (Cosmo) was beaten in the junior singles runner-up final....



.....by Betty McDonald (Rapanui).



Keith Lynch (Carlton) was runner-up in the junior singles.



Harold Parkinson (W/East) was a pairs finalist



Bruce Edwards (Eastown) won the junior pairs



Ray Ruddle (Carlton) was a junior pairs finalist



Neil Campbell (Eastown) was the junior pairs winner with Edwards.



Hank Hubers (Carlton), junior pairs finalist with Ruddle



George Williamson (Durie Hill), consolation finalist in senior singles.



Pairs winners John Kirk and Ian Bloor (Star and Circle).



Malcolm Murchison (Town Railway), senior pairs runner-up



John Flavell (Whangaehu) was beaten in the senior singles runners-up final.



Dolly Kendrick (St John's) was beaten in the final of the junior pairs runners-up.



Senior Pairs king; Jack Kirk.



George Garrud (Carlton): senior pairs runner up.



Nola Robb (W/East), winner of senior pairs runners-up final.



Ian Bloor: pairs winner with Jack Kirk.



Russell Mailman (Town Railway) beaten in the final of the senior pairs runners-up tournament.



Keith McDaimond and Mrs M. Le Brun: junior pairs runners-up finalists.



Gordon Davis (Carlton) was teamed with George Garrud: Senior pairs finalists.



Sadie Head (W/East), winner of junior pairs runners-up tournament.

CAMERA COMMENT



The Wanganui Railways Rugby Club have every reason to celebrate--they defeated all comers this season to retain the Cascade Cup and the Olphert Cup. Club spirit is very high both among players and supporters in this club.



It's one of those things, we know, but in future we would like to see the powers-that-be organise some fine weather when our Governor-Generals pay their farewell visit here. You may remember that everybody became drenched with teaming rain when Lord Cobham said ta-ta a few years ago.



Good to see that some people are organised. We would hate to see the fire engines still inside during a fire because somebody forgot to notify about that big trench that the Power Board dug in front of the Fire Station.

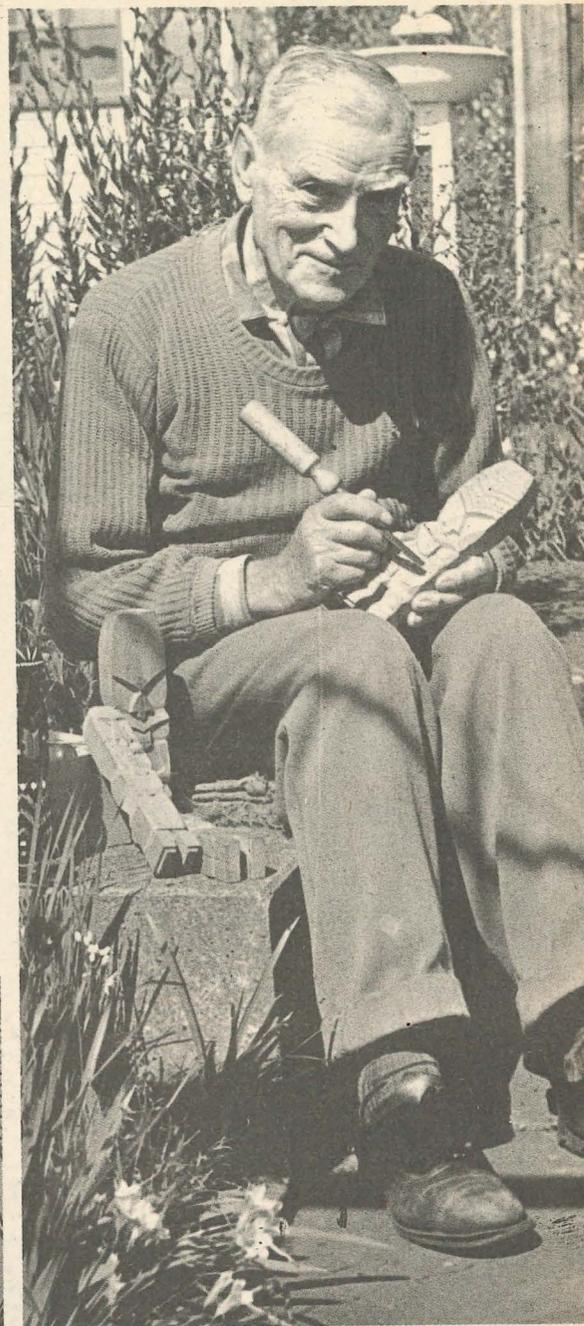
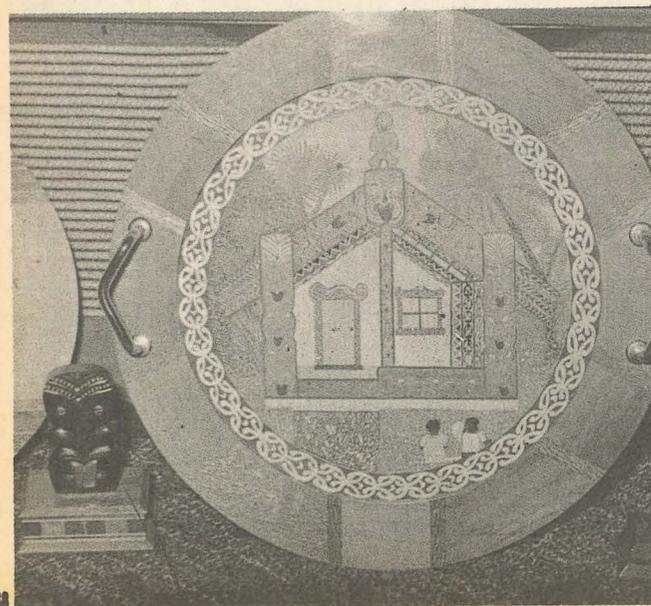


About four years ago a 76-year-old veteran of Gallipoli decided that he needed an interest to while away the winter hours until the bowling season started again. Since then Mr Ray Hampton, 60 Koromiko Road, has turned out over 100 pieces of Maori carvings. His work is all made from native timbers, mostly Totara. His finished pieces are very professional-looking. He sends them as gifts to his relatives and friends all around the world as keepsakes of New Zealand.

Above: Three beautiful examples of Mr Hampton's work, complete with inlaid woods.

Right: Ray Hampton at work in the sunshine.

Below: He also paints some commercial articles that he has bought with Maori and native motifs.



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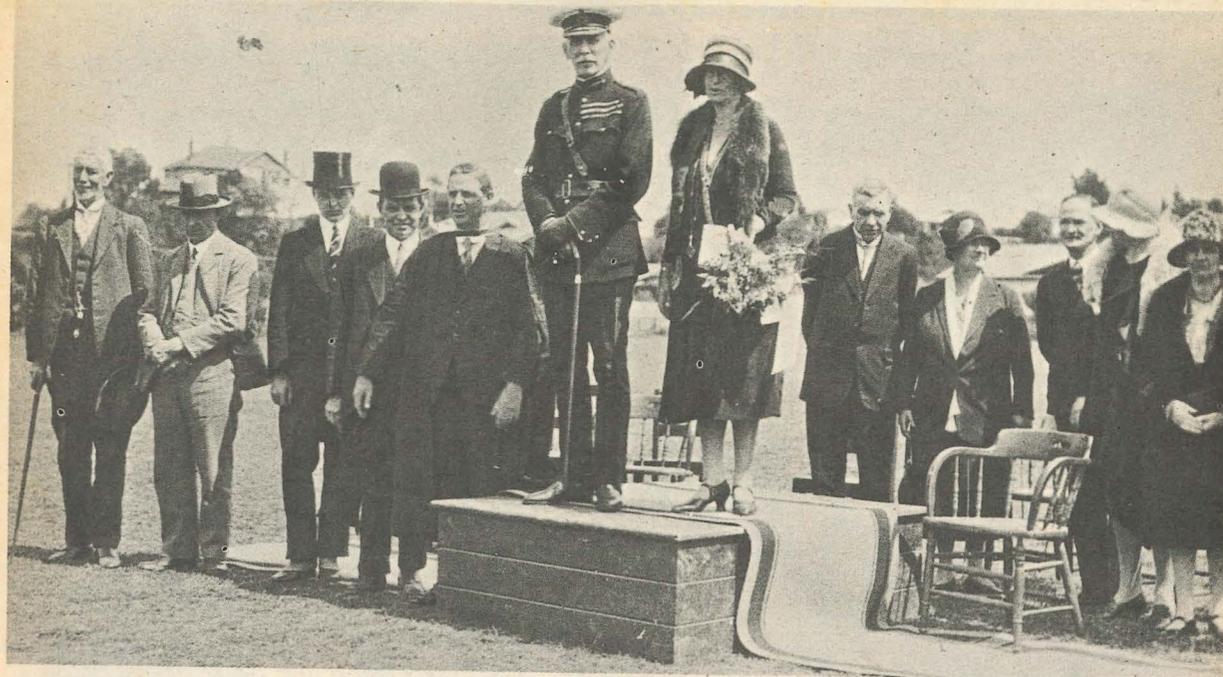


These spectators at the recent basketball match between Wanganui and England are completely engrossed with the game. So much so that they didn't notice us put a ring around the head of this month's lucky "mystery person". A year's free subscription to Photo News (posted) valued at \$3.80 is yours, lady. All you have to do is identify yourself at our office, Robuck Studio, 72 Ridgway Street (opposite the Post Office). Last month's lucky winner was Miss V.Scott, 48 Seafront Road, Castlecliff.

Our Teacher

Miss Edith Bourne has been teaching the lower primers at the Durie Hill School for the past two years. She is pictured with some of her young charges enjoying an outing in the sun.





GOVERNOR GENERAL'S FAREWELL VISIT: The father of our present Governor-General, Sir Bernard Fergusson (who recently made his farewell visit to Wanganui) was also Governor-General of New Zealand. The above photograph was taken in 1929 when Sir Charles and Lady Fergusson made a farewell visit to the Wanganui Technical College. From left in the photograph are Mr W. Bruce, Mr Luxford (chairman of the Technical College Board of Governors), an Aide de Camp, Mayor W. J. Rogers, Mr I. Newton (Principal of Tech.), Sir Charles and Lady Fergusson, Mr W. A. Veitch (M. P.), Mrs Veitch, George Derbyshire (deputy Mayor), Miss Veitch and Mrs Rogers.

KINGSFORD SMITH'S VISIT: Just about all of Wanganui turned out on the Racing Club's property at Westmere in 1928 to see Charles Kingsford Smith fly in for a visit. Standing in the picture are Lt. Charles Ulm, Mayor W. J. Rogers and Charles Kingsford Smith.

These photographs contributed by former Mayor, Mr W. J. Rogers.



The Wanganui branch of the Plunket Society met in force at St. Andrew's Hall recently to honour their former president, Mrs Lillian Gee, with a Life Membership. Mrs Gee has been associated with Plunket for over 20 years, starting out as the first president of the Gonville Plunket.

Above: Wanganui Plunket president, Mrs I. Stewart, made the presentation of a Life Membership certificate to Mrs Gee (at right).

Below left: A social evening was held in conjunction with the occasion. Here Frances Kelly is dressed in newspapers for a dressmaking contest. **Below right:** Judges of the newspaper dresses were Councillor Ted Foley, Dr Hughes-Johnson and Mr Alan Tong.



WANGANUI SHOWBIZ

Right: A pie-in-the-face for Lord Jasper Tring (Lionel Gillman) is all part of the fun when Amdram presents the musical comedy "Me and My Girl" from next weekend. The cockney lad Bill Simpson (played by Keith Andrew) is the one who sloshes Lord Jasper. "Me and My Girl" plays at Amdram's Theatre from Sat 28th to Wed. 1st.

Below: They look as if they should have been playing at the Hippie-drome...but in fact they were at The Cauldron last month. Members of "The Brew" from Auckland are Tom Fergusson (no relation to Sir Bernard) and, at right, Bob Gillette and Doug Jerebine.



EVER BEEN FAR FROM HOME?

Have you ever lived in Alaska, Peru, or Borneo?
London, New York, or Tallahassee?
Sydney, Suva, or Cunnamulla?
Wellington, Waimate, or West Eyreton?

YOU-HAVEN'T?

Well, lots of people do, especially young people. They move away from the old home town and you find them all over New Zealand, all over the world.

And they have a common occupational hazard. Homesickness.

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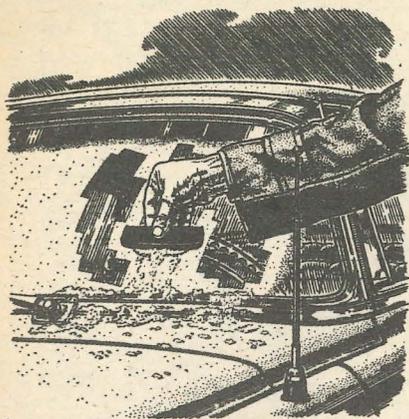
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THE PICTURE SHOWS DON HATCHER OF WANGANUI READING PHOTO NEWS WITH HEAD-HUNTING TRIBESMEN IN THE WILDS OF NEW GUINEA.

MOTERING WITH ROBBIE



A HANDY WINDSCREEN SCRAPER may lie right in your pocket - it's your comb. The smooth edge along the back of a plastic or hard-rubber comb will remove a light coating of ice or frost quickly without scratching the windscreen.



GARNISHING OF REFLECTIVE TAPE on the front of a car can be left to the jalopy owners. However, it can be handy if it's fastened to inconspicuous places so that its warning can be flashed to other motorists - only when the bonnet or boot lid is raised.

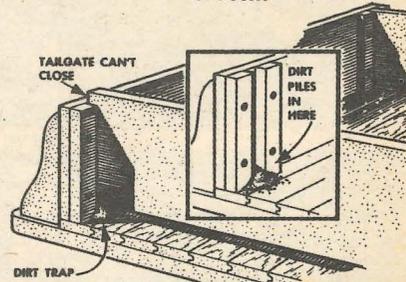


HANDY HINT

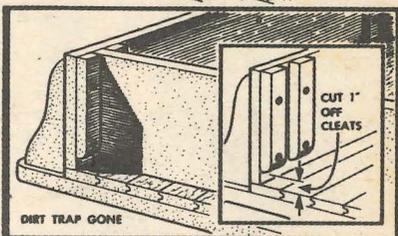
When your car has to be left standing for long periods it is better to chock the wheels rather than to apply the hand brake, otherwise the hand brake cable tends to stretch.



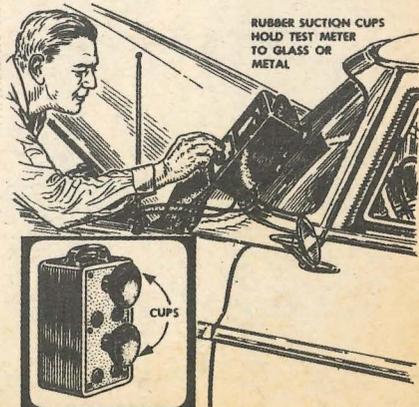
Left: RUSTPROOF TAILPIPE EXTENSIONS that will outlast commercial extensions can be made from bathroom drainpipe. Get some chromed brass or copper pipe that will fit snugly and drive it into, or over, the tailpipe with a soft hammer.



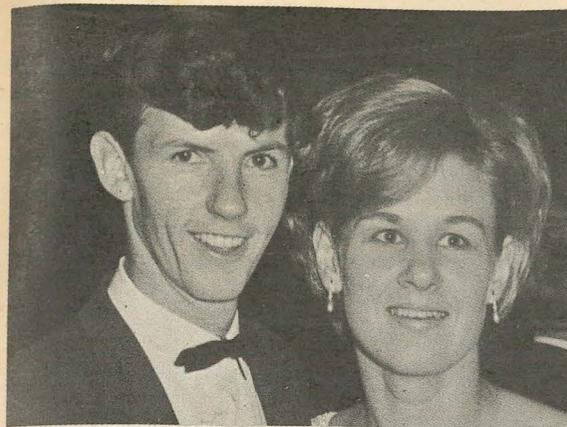
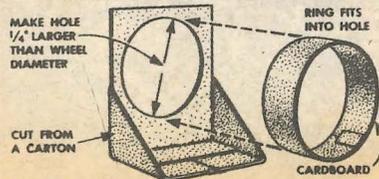
Right: DIRT collecting in blind corners in the tailgate slots of a utility or trailer often prevents the tailgate from closing properly. You can eliminate these dirt traps by cutting about one inch off the bottom of the tailgate cleats on each side.



Left: THIS MASK will keep paint off the tyres when you spray or touch up the wheels. Cut a carton as shown and stand it beside the wheel. Make a ring of cardboard and slide it through the hole until it bears firmly against the rim. The mask can be used over and over again.



Right: ANCHOR your test meter firmly in place with suction cups to prevent vibration from knocking it to the ground. You can buy the rubber cups with nuts molded in them. Drill holes in the back of the meter case for bolts to hold the cups.



Social Scene

ENGAGED

COLEY--BRECHMANIS: Sniedze, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs V. Brechmanis, Wanganui, to Raemon Lawrence, younger son of Mr and Mrs L. H. Coley, Wanganui.

GOLDEN WEDDING:

Mr and Mrs George Griffin, 18 Bell Street, Marton, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. RICHARDS.

MARRIED:

CLARK--MORRIS: At St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Juan Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. D. Morris, Burns Street, Ohakune, to Gordon, son of Mr and Mrs G. Clark, 16 1/2 Anzac Parade, Wanganui. Attendants are Judy Flood, chief bridesmaid, Della Guilford, Harvey Ede, best man, and Trevor Bailey...all of Wanganui. The future home...Wanganui. RICHARDS.





Grant Gilby.



The Wang-East team with trophies they have won during the year: Peter Clark, John Tate, Paul Clark and Deryck Bonner.



Graeme Breton.



Ross Hamling



Ian Kidd



Deryck Bonner



Ian Porteous



Colin Quirk.



Top left: Elizabeth Breton, Janet Bates, Margaret Walker Ann O'Connor and trophies won during the season.

Top right: Katherine Robb, Frances Glenny and Patricia Beswarick. Front: Lynette Smith, Barbara Denman, Mary-Ann Mills and Ann McPherson...another successful nursing team.

Left: Mrs MacIntosh presents a home nursing certificate.

Right: Bruce Francis.

Bottom left: A home-nursing certificate for Beverley Walker from Mrs B.Simpson.

Bottom right: Lynette O'Connor also received an award.



ARE YOU OVERSEAS?
OR DO YOU HAVE FRIENDS
OR RELATIVES OVERSEAS?

If the answer is in the affirmative, let's hear about them! Give "Photo News" a ring or send a Picture and details for inclusion in this page.

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS



COMING OF AGE

Above: Ngairé, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.S. De Frere, 1A Cambridge Street, Gonville.

Top right: Berneice Hankey, pictured with her fiancé, Selwyn Holmes, and parents, Mr and Mrs N. Gutschlag. (LES BANKS).

Below: Thomas Peter, eldest son of Mr and Mrs H.A. McFarlane, 37 Harris Street, Marton. (RICHARDS).

Bottom right: Joy Margaret, daughter of Mr P.B. Williams, 26 Colingwood Street, Wanganui East, pictured with her father, Miss Shirley Milne and brother John. (RICHARDS).

90 YEARS YOUNG

Pictured on her 90th birthday with her daughters (Mesdames H.J. Cross, R.S. Hawkins, R.J. France and W.C. Henderson) is Mrs Christine Head, 12 Spier Street, Aramoho.



Married

ABOVE. LAMB--JACKSON: At Trinity Methodist Church, Wanganui, Alison Rowena Janet, daughter of Mr and Mrs A.K.G. Jackson, 16 Field Street, Aramoho, to Ian Edward, son of Mrs I.B. Lamb and the late Mr A.E.H. Lamb, 59 Chapman Street, Invercargill. The attendants are Mrs Heather Dallison, Wanganui, and Mr W.G. Williams, Waiouru. Future home, Linton. (WYBON).

BELOW. GOSNELL--JEFFERY: At Christ Church, Wanganui, Barbara Joyce, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.J. Jeffery, 103 Harper Street, Gonville, to Peter Bernard, son of Mr and Mrs A.H.E. Gosnell, 27 Armstrong Place, Gonville. The attendants, from left, are Patricia Bridger, chief bridesmaid, Richard Berendt, best man, Beverley O'Keefe and Wayne Thompson. Future home, Wanganui. (WYBON).





PIRATES' PRESENTATIONS

Pirates Rugby Football Club closed their 1967 with the presentation of club trophies by their president, Mr Howard Dicker. Photos: Ronald Coleman.

Above: Receiving the Berryman Cup as the most outstanding player in the club is Trevor Jory.

Top right: The most conscientious member of the senior team, Joe Guthrie, received the Lind Memorial trophy.

Right: The most improved 3rd grade player (Frew Cup) was Buddy Haami.

Below: Bobby Edmonds received the Waters Cup.

Bottom right: The best junior forward, Gordon Papworth, received the Hurley Cup.



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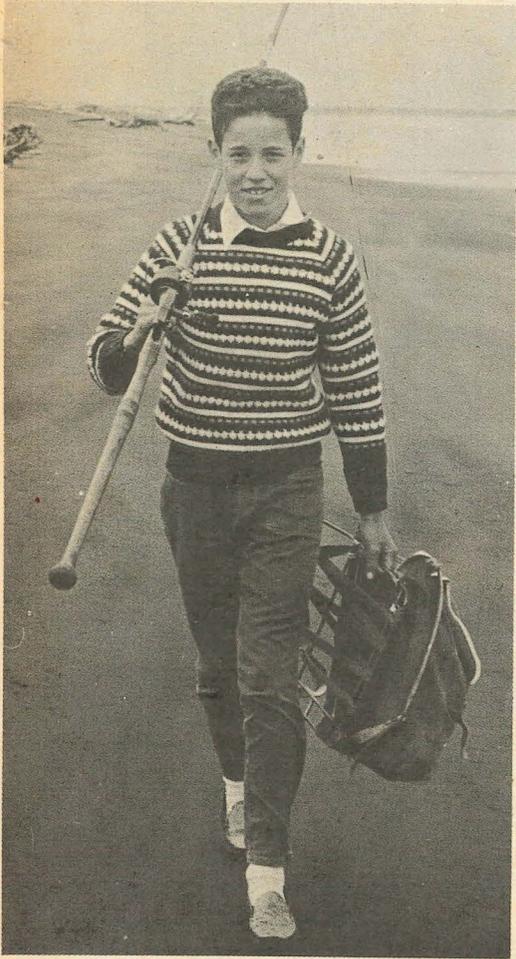
ABOVE. FOUR SETS: No, you're not seeing things double. These are the four sets of twins that are in the infant class at the Durie Hill School. From the front: Rosemary and Catherine Oliver, Susan and Grant Oakley, Kim and Theresa Barnes and Helen and Donald Stevens.

TOP LEFT. A MASTERPIECE: What a pity that it had to be cut! Mrs Isla Harvey, Selwyn Crescent, taught herself the art of decorating cakes. This one she did for her daughter's (Gaynor) wedding to Bill Robinson. Hubby Charlie is chief designer.

LEFT. COMING OF AGE: Celebrating her 21st birthday recently was Melanie Gweneth, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs F.E. Clisby, 31 Kapa Street, Wanganui East. (ROBUCK).

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Craig Clark

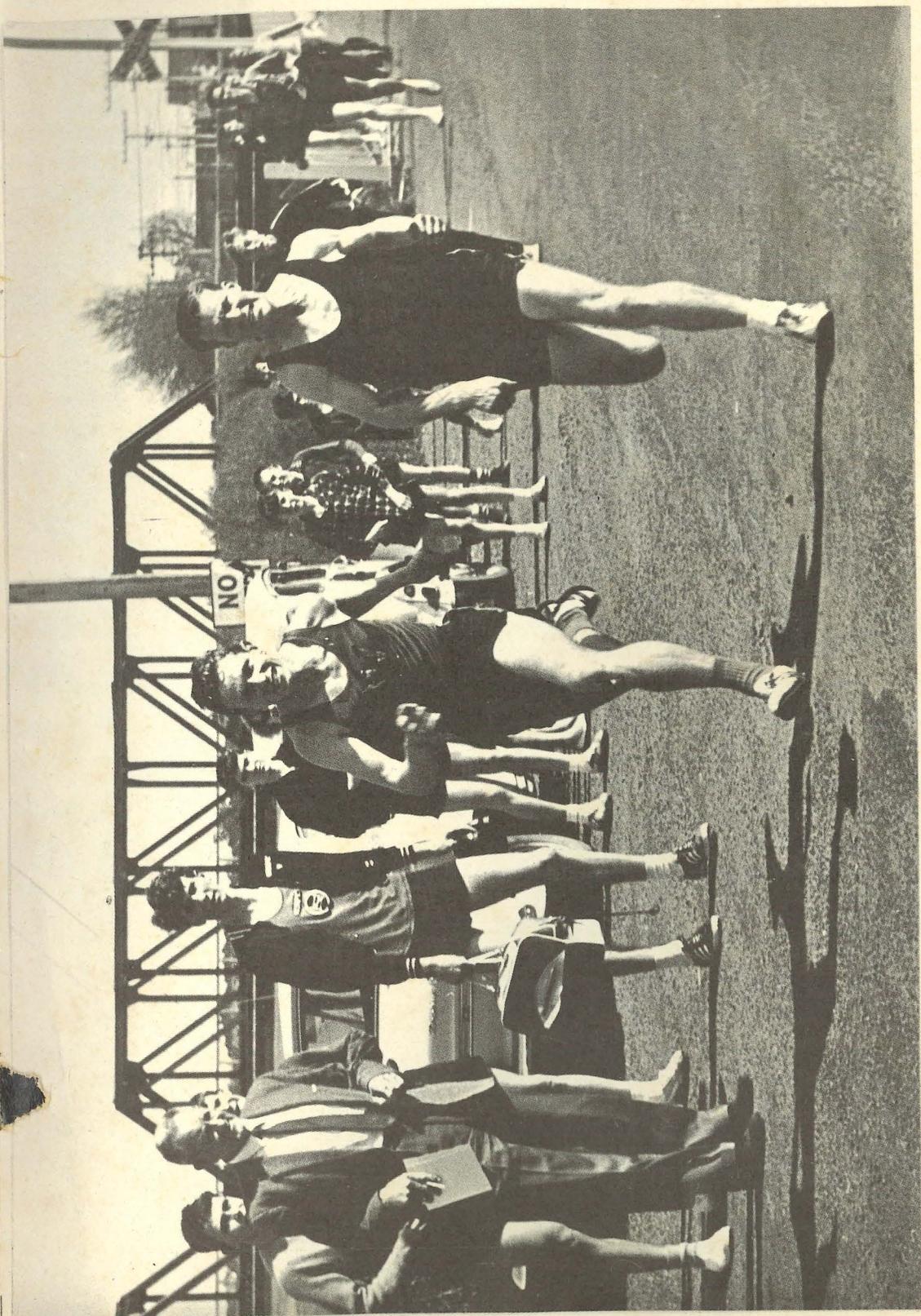
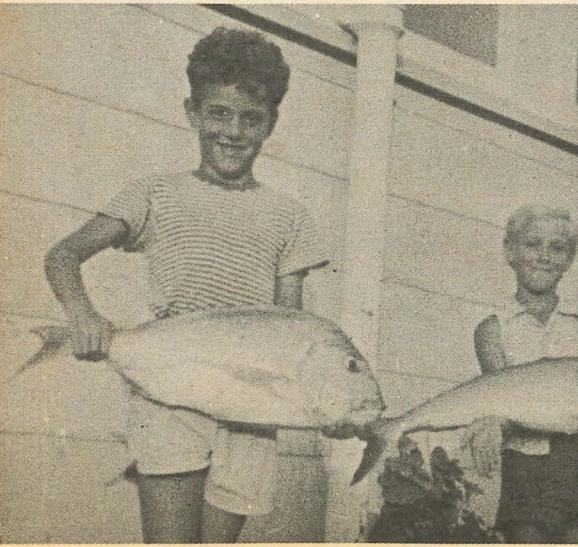


Up at two in the morning and fishing through until 5 pm is nothing to a keen fisherman. But our feature sportsman this month is only aged 13. Craig Clark, 35 Mamaku Street, has been fishing since his father first took him out when aged only four years. Craig landed his first fish at the age of four too...and boy he started big. He had his line in at the Castlecliff Port and landed a whoppa barracuda. Since then Craig hasn't looked back. In the season just ended he caught the most fish of any of his fellow Wanganui Surf-casting Club mates....54 in all. He has won the club's junior competition for the past seven years and has also won a couple of competitions from the seniors. He has had a placing in all of the snap competitions in which he has entered. It has been a pretty lucrative sport for young Craig too...as well as four cups he has won torches, fishing knives, a parka, a rod and reel, a wind-breaker, nylon line, a fishing bag, an encyclopedia, thermos flasks, etc.

Left: Craig strides along the beach in search of a likely spot for fishing.

Bottom left: Pictured with a 10 lb 8 oz. snapper at the age of nine. Craig's heaviest snapper tipped the scales at 15½lbs.

Below: Just some of the prizes for his prowess as a surfcaster. The big cup was won by Craig in 1964 for the heaviest fish caught in the club during the season.



The most exciting race finish seen in Wanganui harrier circles for a long time occurred during the recent invitation relay races. The junior race ended with Wanganui's Tony Smeaton and Lynndale's (Auckland) Don Cooper sprinting for the finish line shoulder to shoulder. The two had raced four miles with only inches separating them. Judges gave the result as a dead-heat between the two. It was a very meritorious effort for Smeaton. His opponent had previously been placed fourth in the national championships.

A Fighting Finish