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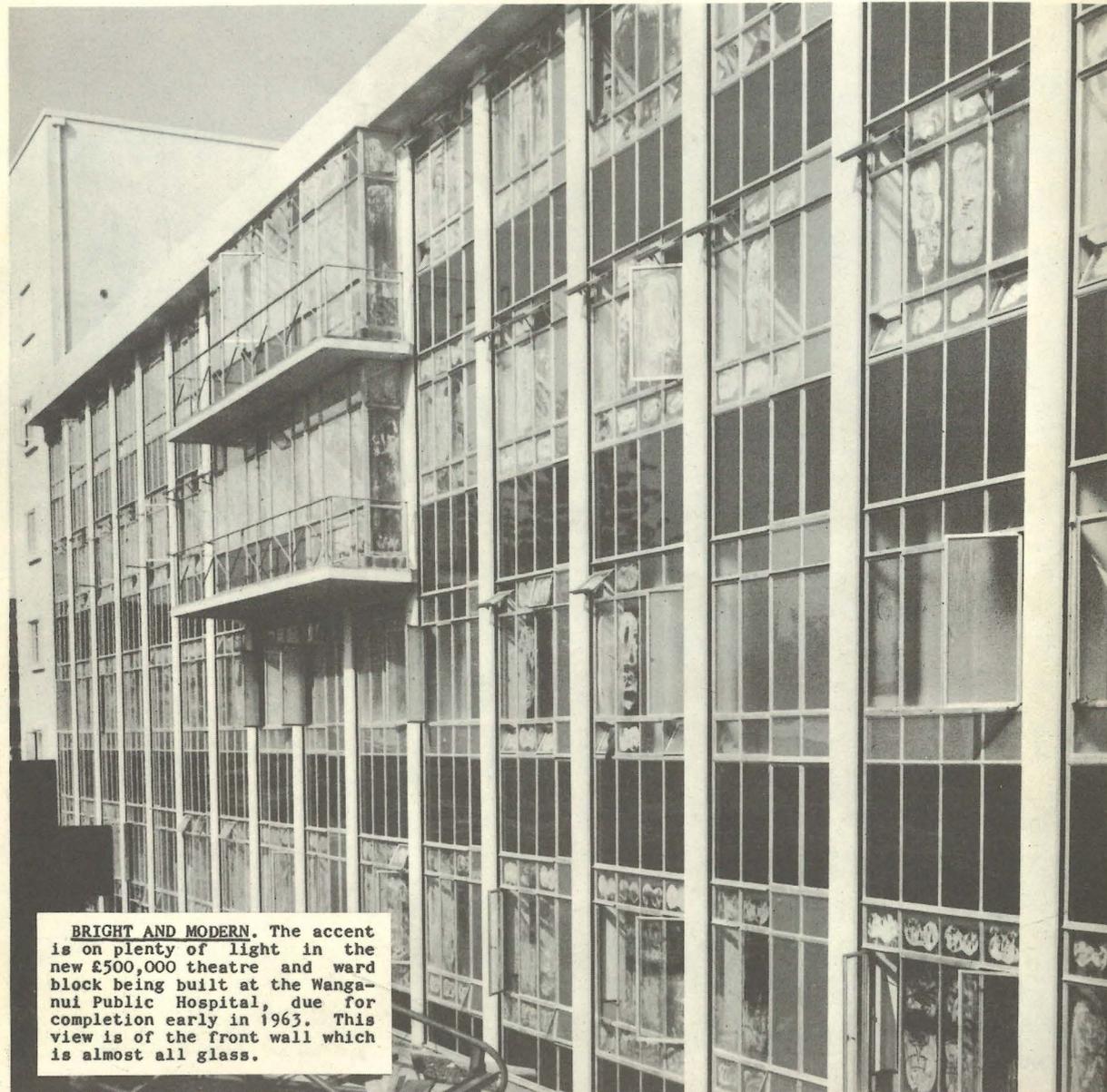
OUR COVER

Jennifer Kennedy, the young daughter of Mr and Mrs T. Kennedy, Upper Aramoho, is pictured here with a lovely selection of roses at Rasmussen's rose nursery.

(Picture by Wybon Photographers)

BACK COVER. One of Wanganui's foremost young riders is Margaret Healy, of Purnell Street. Margaret is pictured with her two ponies, Golden Amber and Thirza. Over the last couple of years Margaret has won 11 cups and 107 ribbons in the show rings and at jumping meetings with her horses.

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BRIGHT AND MODERN. The accent is on plenty of light in the new £500,000 theatre and ward block being built at the Wanganui Public Hospital, due for completion early in 1963. This view is of the front wall which is almost all glass.



Bussie Retires

After 44 years of service on city transport, 32 years on the trams and 12 on Greyhound buses, Mr H. Dyke, Rimu Street, has retired. A large crowd of friends and fellow bus drivers gathered outside the Post Office on the night of his retirement to see him off with his last load of passengers.

Above: Mrs A. Sowman buys one of the last tickets Mr Dyke had to handle.

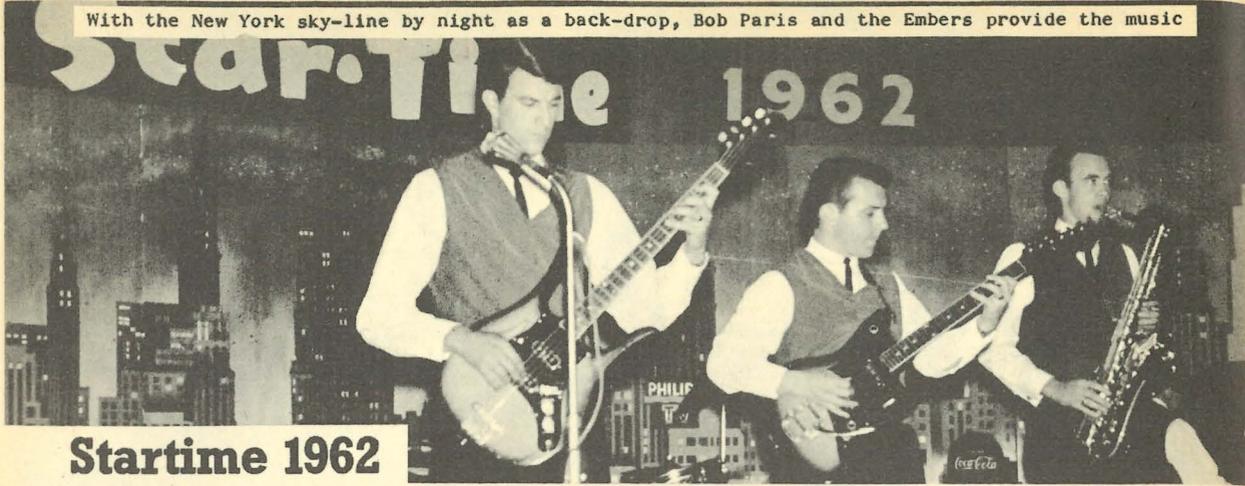
Top right: A lovely reward from Judi Rod.

Right: Waiting for his last passengers to get aboard.

Below: Fellow drivers and friends gathered in front of Mr Dyke's bus and sang "Auld Lang Syne."

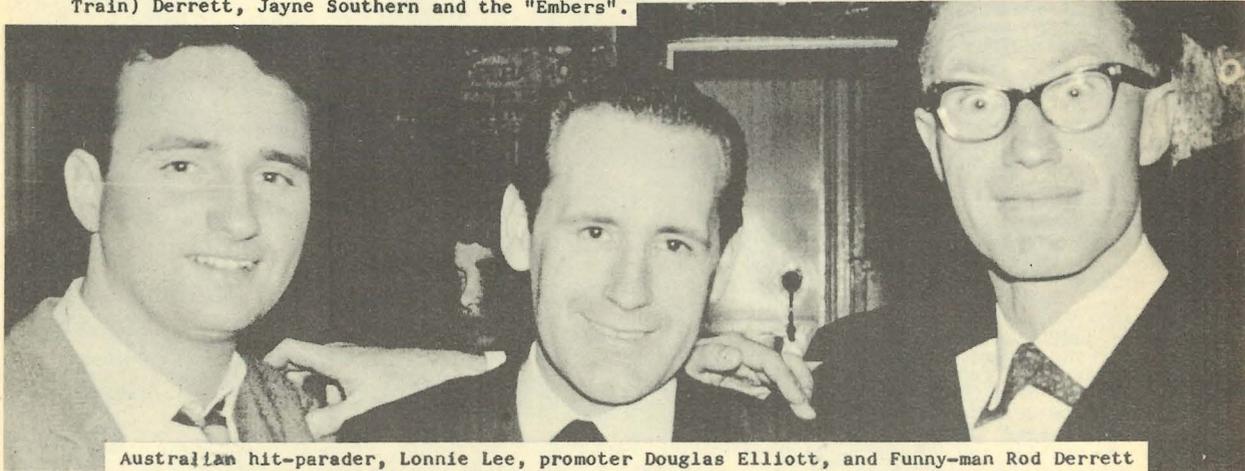


With the New York sky-line by night as a back-drop, Bob Paris and the Embers provide the music



StarTime 1962

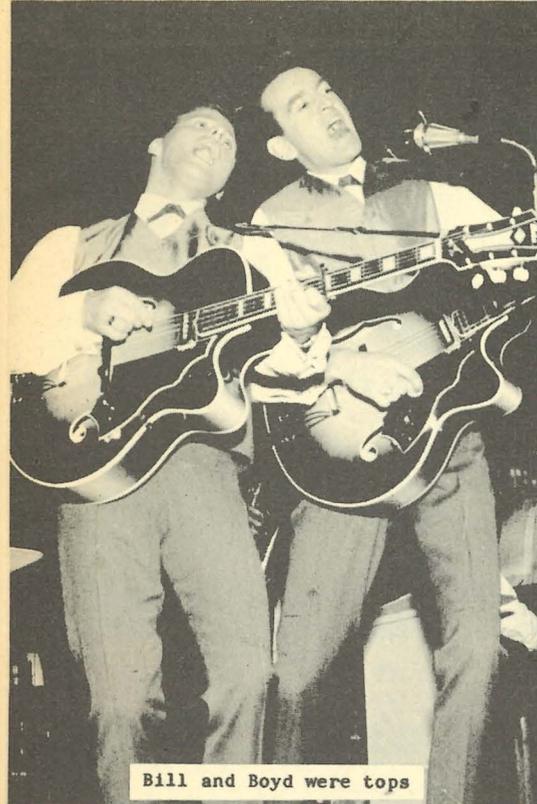
Wanganui has had quite a run of 'pop' shows recently. One of the best was "Startime 1962", brought to the Opera House for a two-night staging by Elliott Associates Ltd in association with Philips Electrical Industries. A feature of the show was the outstanding back-drop. Representing the New York skyline, the backdrop was a mass of winking stars, flashing neon signs and illuminated skyscrapers. Incorporating hundreds of tiny electric lights, the back-drop would be one of the best taken on a New Zealand tour. Heading the line-up of stars were recording stars, Bill and Boyd. Also on the programme were Australia's Lonnie Lee, Lou and Simon, Bob Paris, Red (Kiwi Train) Derrett, Jayne Southern and the "Embers".



Australian hit-parader, Lonnie Lee, promoter Douglas Elliott, and Funny-man Rod Derrett



Bill and Boyd were in big demand for autographs after the show



Bill and Boyd were tops



Compere Rod Derrett



Jayne Southern, wife of guitarist Bob Paris,



Lonnie Lee soon had the crowd with him with his numbers.



Drummer Tony Hopkins demonstrated the skills that rate him as top skin-flogger in N.Z



Comic singing duo Lou Clauson and Simon Mehana



RICHARDS, WANGANUI

Wedding Bells

Above: GRAHAM--BLACK. At All Saints' Church, Wanganui East, Louise Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.K.Black, 190 Anzac Parade, Wanganui East, to David Raymond, son of Mr and Mrs J.Graham, 37 Salisbury Avenue, Wanganui East. Attending the bride were Janice Cox, chief bridesmaid, and Marie Jackson and Judith Black, bridesmaids. Ian Hockley was best man, Ray Ditchfield and Ronald Graham the groomsmen. Future home....Wanganui.

Below: SMITH--THOMSON. At St.Paul's Presbyterian Church, Wanganui, Jacqueline, daughter of Mr and Mrs John A. Thomson, 67 Hakeke Street, Wanganui East, to Howard, son of Mr and Mrs S.Vernon Smith, 39 Swiss Avenue, Gonville. Merea Hutchins, Wanganui, was bridesmaid, and the bride's sister Annette, was flowergirl. Best man was Paul Thomson, brother of the bride, Wanganui. Future home.. Wanganui.



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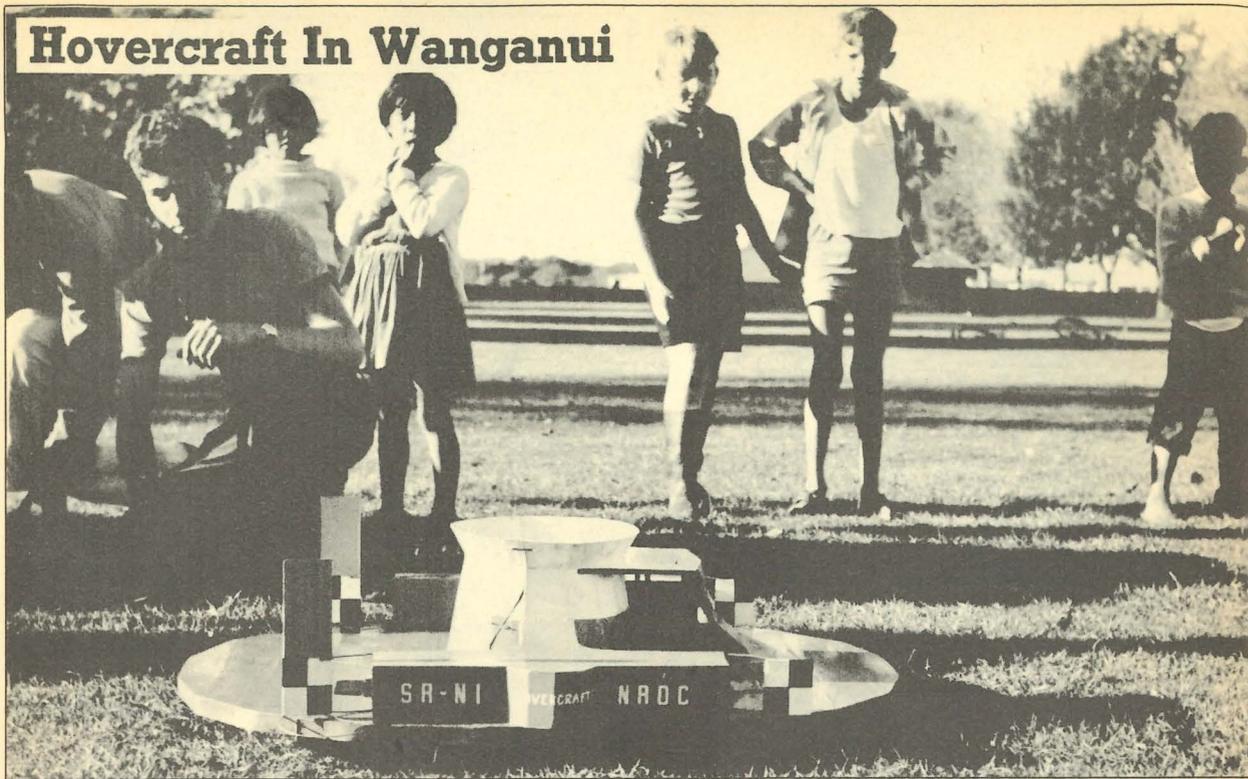
Left: Miss Tropicana and Miss Wanganui, 1962, Leone Sell, is Wanganui's first entrant in the Joe Brown sponsored Miss New Zealand contest. The winner goes to the U.S.A. for the Miss Universe contest. Good Luck Leone.

Above: District Commissioner, Mr W.K.Backhouse, is pictured with Glasgow Eagles Queen's Scouts Phillip Masters and Ian Boyland.

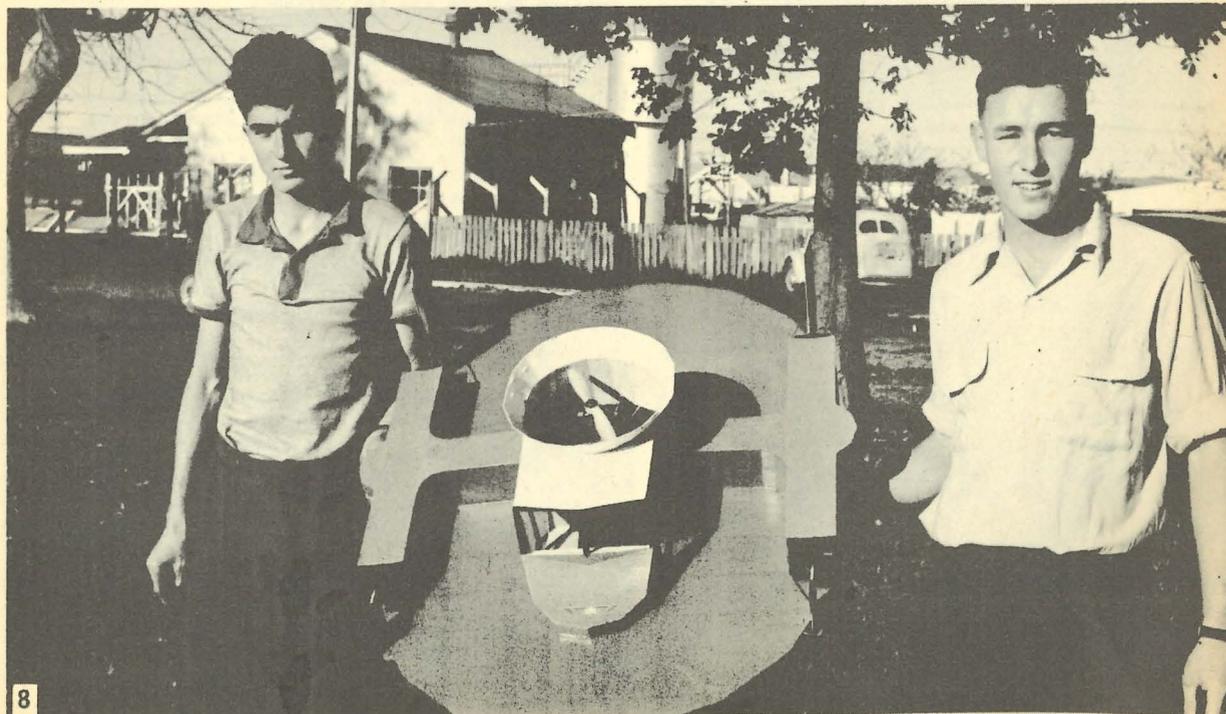
Below: These two boys, Erin Pointon, 18 Eastown Road, and Gary Clinton, 7 Collingwood Street, demonstrate their "invention".....a Garin-mobile (the name is derived from the combination of the boys' Christian names). It may not be a world-shattering invention, but it kept the lads happy during the school holidays. Our spy smuggled the blueprints and found that a Garin-mobile may be constructed by fastening the front forks of one "grid" to the back forks of another.



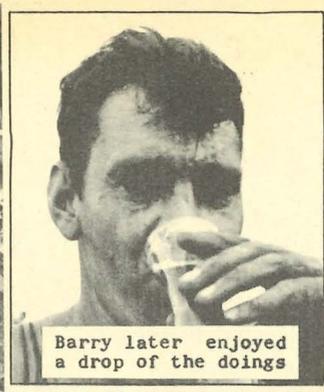
Hovercraft In Wanganui



A Wanganui youth, David Richardson, recently tested a model Hovercraft which he built (helped by a friend) from plans which he obtained. About three feet across its widest diameter, the Hovercraft performed perfectly. The strange craft is powered by a 2½cc O.S.Max engine. Pictured above, the Hovercraft skims over the grass at Peat Park just about an inch and a half off the deck. Pictured below holding the model are Dave Brockway, left, and David Richardson, builders of the aircraft.



"Bustling" Barry hard at it



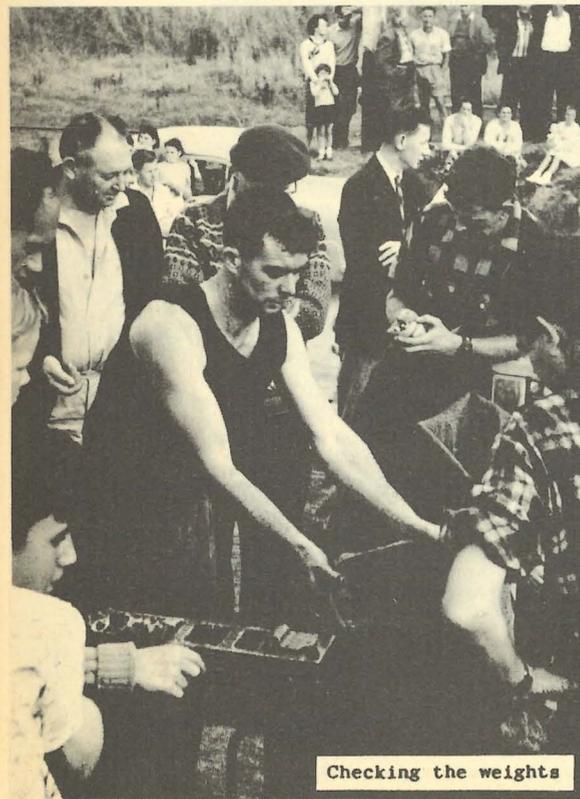
Barry later enjoyed a drop of the doings



"Toughy" Tom in action

Coal Shovelling Contest

"Toughy" Tom Tasker beat "Battling" Barry Spittal by 11min 44sec in a coal-shovelling contest at the Salisbury railway siding at Wanganui East recently. Each man filled 56 140lb bags of coal...or in other words...shovelled three and a half tons. Tom Tasker did the job in 35min 27sec and Barry clocked 45min 11sec. A collection taken up for the Wanganui Intellectually Handicapped Children netted £30, including an anonymous donation of £10.



Checking the weights

BUSTLING B.SPITT

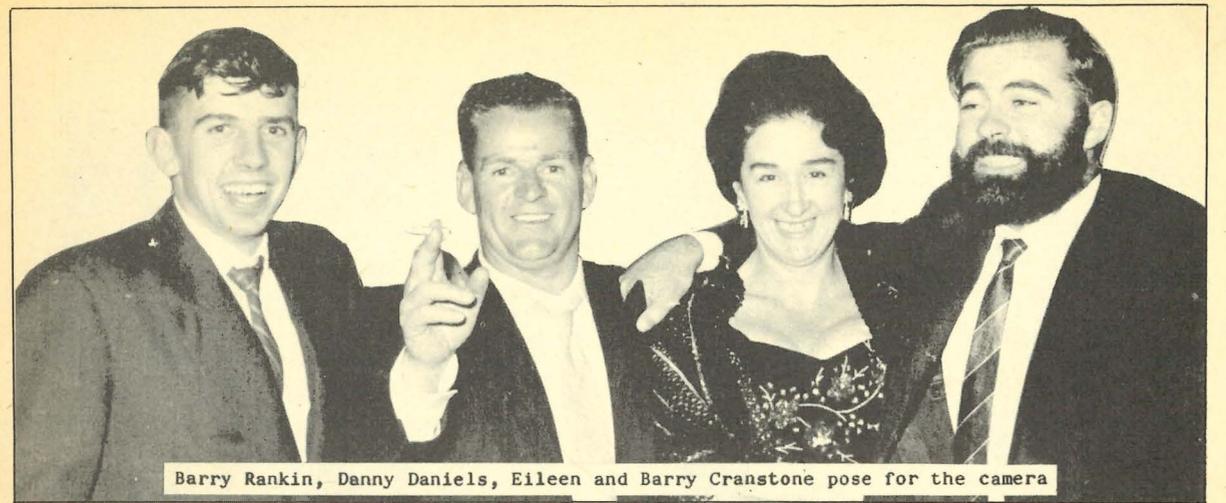
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Colin Robb kept the score



Aero Club Cabaret

Pictured here and on the next page are random candid taken by Wybon Photographers at the recent cabaret which was staged by the Wanganui Aero Club in their hangar at the airport



Barry Rankin, Danny Daniels, Eileen and Barry Cranstone pose for the camera



Henry Ching and Elizabeth Philps



Mr and Mrs Russell Heibner



Pat Bullock and Gabriel Chainey



Barry and Jean Pull



John Jones and Carol Greene



Phyllis Bradley and partner



Club captain, Shirley Hardie (centre), chats with C.F.I Noel Faircloth and wife Jean

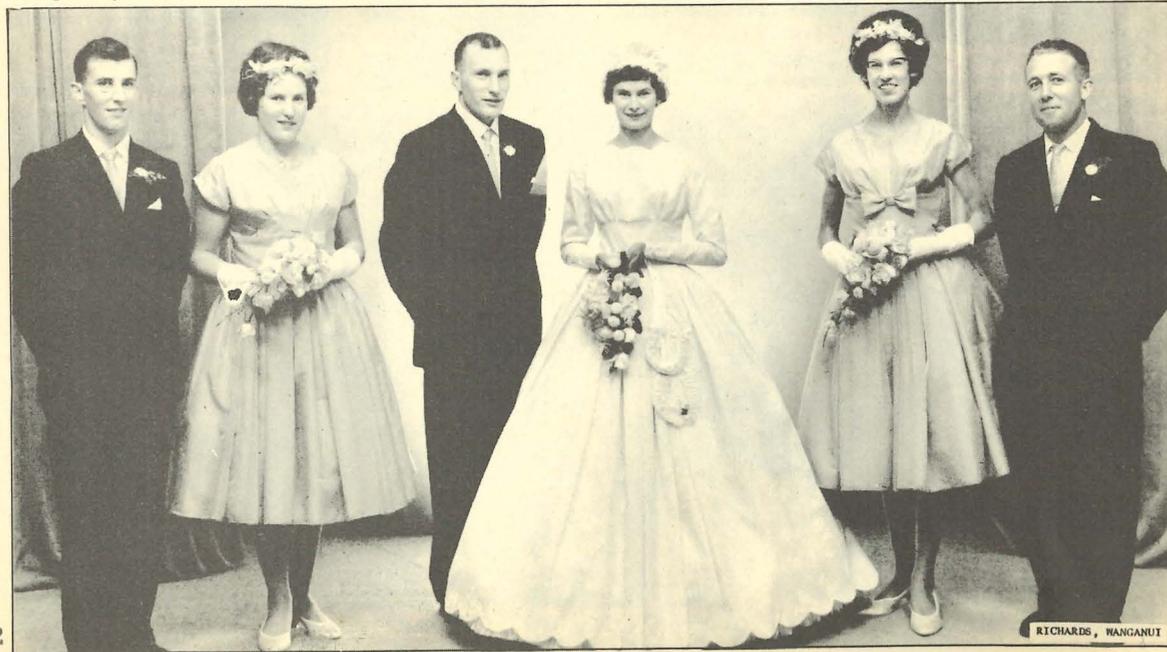


RICHARDS, MARTON

Wedding Bells

Above: FRECKLINGTON--BROMLEY. At St. Francis' Catholic Church, Marton, Gail Bromley, 8 Ngareta Street, Marton, to Noel Frecklington, Rongotea. In the photograph, from left: Russell Florence, Ohingaiti, groomsman; Maire McLeod, Feilding, bridesmaid, the bride and groom, Paddy Mensworth, Marton, chief bridesmaid, Roger Swan, Palmerston North, best man. Future home....Rongotea.

Below: SANGSTER--ARNOLD. At Knox Presbyterian Church, Gonville, Dawn Mary Arnold, daughter of Mr and Mrs T. McDonnell, 77 Harper Street, Gonville, to Barry Ronald, son of Mr and Mrs Sangster, 15 Gibson Street, Aramoho. Attending the bride were Margaret Elmer, Wanganui, matron of honour, and Dawn Sangster, Wanganui, bridesmaid. Brian Elmer, Wanganui, was best man and Desmond Sangster, Wanganui, was the groomsman. Future home....Wanganui.



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National Winner

Nine-year-old Anna Martin, Heads Road, Wanganui, hit the jackpot with her slogan "On bicycle, car, van, or truck... follow the code, not your lick" in the national finals of the road-safety contest. Before over 2000 people in the Wellington Town Hall, little Anna recited her slogan... and later learned that her slogan had been the best of over 1000 entries and had earned her £200 and an air-trip to any airport in New Zealand for herself and a parent. Anna is pictured (inset) with her cheque for £200 and her N.A.C. tickets. The large photograph was taken at the Wanganui finals where Anna was selected to go through to the national finals. In the photograph, from left: Mr B.S. McFarlane, Manager of Londontown, (where the Wanganui final was held), Mr G.J. Coe, road traffic instructor, Wanganui finalists: Ian Moore, Cynthia Shearer, Julie Smith, Anna Martin, Beth Ponting, Josephine Davis, Elizabeth Lawson, Peter Jamieson, Mr M. Thomas, N.A.C. representative, and Mr K. Hastie, Skellerup representative.

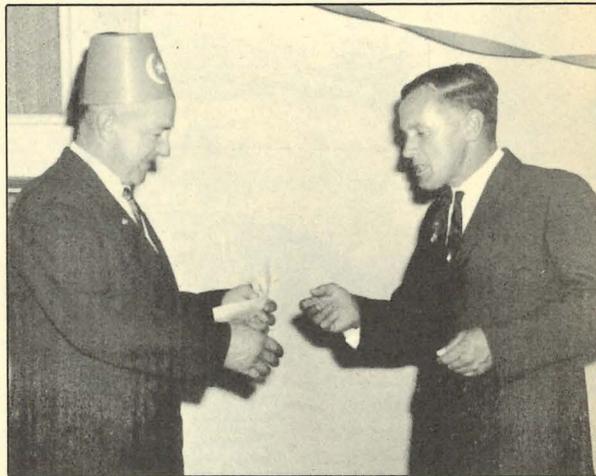


Services News

Above: Pictured by Nightingalls is the committee of the recent successful cabaret, "Night in Cairo" at a social in the Palm Lounge.

Right: Proceeds of the cabaret, in the form of a substantial cheque, were handed over to Mr D.Wadey by Mr D.Jones. (Nightingalls).

Below: Years ago they might have been planning an escape...now the ex-Prisoners of War are trying to get everyone back. Photograph by Nightingalls of the reunion committee of the P.O.W. association.



Emile de Becque is played by Jack Dickinson.



Capt. George Brackett and Cmdr. William Harbison, U.S.N....Tim Lawson and Barry Samuel.



Lt. Joseph Cable... Brian Jackson



Liat...Keitha Syme

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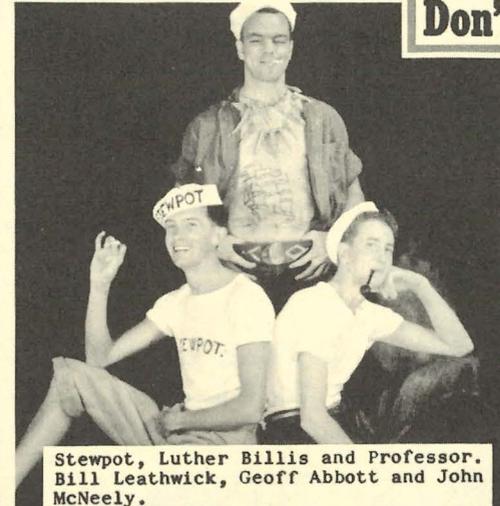
South Pacific

Starting today for a seven-day season at the Opera House is the Rogers and Hammerstein musical, "South Pacific". The major production for 1962 of the Wanganui Amateur Musical and Dramatic Society, "South Pacific" is sure to meet with the same success that it has all over the world. MAKE SURE YOU SEE IT.

These pictures of principals in the cast are by Ron Coleman.



Bloody Mary...Florence Drummond



Stewpot, Luther Billis and Professor. Bill Leathwick, Geoff Abbott and John McNeely.



The parts of Ngana and Jerome will be shared on alternate nights by Angela Davies and Raewynne Dow and Stephen Kerr and Scott Crichton.



The irrepressible Nellie Forbush...Carol Malcolm



"How can I watch the birdie if I can't see it?".....



"Goodness, how did it get up there?"



"Gotcha you little...ow.. correction, he's got me".

Kids' Korner

Above: Prudence Horrocks, aged one, lives in Makirikiri. These cute pictures were taken by Joan Forsyth.

Bottom left: WINNING BABY. Young Lester Green, son of Mr and Mrs L.C.Green, Brunswick, won the baby show at Marton recently. Readers' pix.

Bottom right: CANINE BRONC. Butch, the dog, fills in as a pony for young Pat Payne, 155 Guyton Street.



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Engaged

Above: JURGENS--BIGNELL. Valerie Jean, daughter of Mr and Mrs G.Bignell, Aramoho Park, Wanganui, to Brian Vincent, son of Mr and Mrs Gordon Jurgens, Marton.

Top right: DUDLEY--SHEEHY. Julie Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs M.T.Sheehy, 25 Nixon Street, Wanganui East, to Robert Henry Dudley, son of Mrs W.Bates, 51 Wakefield Street, Lower Hutt.

Right: SPEAK--JAY. Lois Dawn, daughter of Mr and Mrs W.H.Jay, 43 Anzac Road, Whangarei, to Neville Ashworth, son of Mr and Mrs K.A.Speak, Whangaehu.

Below: LOWE--WINDELBURN. Beverley Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs N.C.Windelburn, 28 Mitchell Street, Aramoho, to Barrie John, son of Mr and Mrs H.Lowe, 26 Mitchell Street, Aramoho.

Bottom right: WINDELBURN--ACKROYD. Patricia Mary, daughter of Mrs and the late Mr L.Ackroyd, 14 White Street, Wanganui East, to Barry Douglas, son of Mr and Mrs N.C.Windelburn, 28 Mitchell Street, Aramoho.



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Wedding Bells

Above: TOOHILL--CAMPBELL. At the Wanganui East Baptist Church, Jean Mabel, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.H.Campbell, No 1. Line, Wanganui, to William Henry, son of Mr and Mrs N.W.Toohill, 31 Ikitara Road, Wanganui East. Attending the bride were Alison Williams, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid, Rachel Toohill, Wanganui, bridesmaid, Janice and Lynnette Cuff, Wanganui, flowergirls. Robert Sturrock, Wanganui, was best man and David Toohill, Wanganui, was the groomsman. Future home will be Wanganui.

Below: MURRAY--HAMER. At St.Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Marton, Joan Helen, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.W.Hamer, 38 Russell Street, Marton, to James David, son of Mr and Mrs F.Murray, Halcombe. Lilian Kinloch, Marton, was matron of honour, and Maureen Horgan, Marton, was bridesmaid. John Saunders, Halcombe, was best man and Neville Bason, Marton, was groomsman. Future home will be Marton.



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Sport-A-Stade Procession



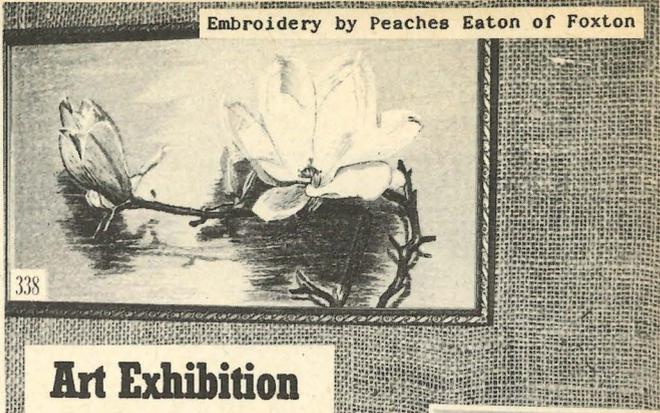
Wanganui's marathon fund-raiser, Sport-A-Stade, brought a zany procession to Victoria Avenue on the Friday night before the final night of the campaign. Led by a crazy band, the procession of a few floats entered by the Queen committees cruised up Victoria Avenue from the Town Bridge. The campaign closed with about £8,000 of the required £23,000 raised. Organisers intend approaching Mr Gotz for a bite out of Golden Kiwi funds (which he publicly stated would be made available to bodies which would benefit N.Z.'s youth) and there is talk of carrying on trying to raise some more money locally. Anyway...back to the parade.....

Above: Miss Tropicana and Miss Wanganui winner, Leone Sell, rode in state at the head of the parade on a vintage car piloted by Brian Walker.

Below: Some of the crazy members of the brass band. Any similarity between these characters and Queen Alexandra's Own boys is purely a case of bad disguising.



Visitors admire some of the works



Embroidery by Peaches Eaton of Foxton

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Art Exhibition

At the time of writing this, 42 of the exhibits at the diamond jubilee exhibition of the Wanganui Arts and Crafts Society had been sold for a total of £250. The most expensive item sold was a painting by K. Turner, Wellington, titled "Begonias and Evans Bay." It sold for 30 guineas.

The exhibition drew many visitors to the Sargeant Art Gallery every day of the showing. Pictured on these two pages are a few of the exhibits.



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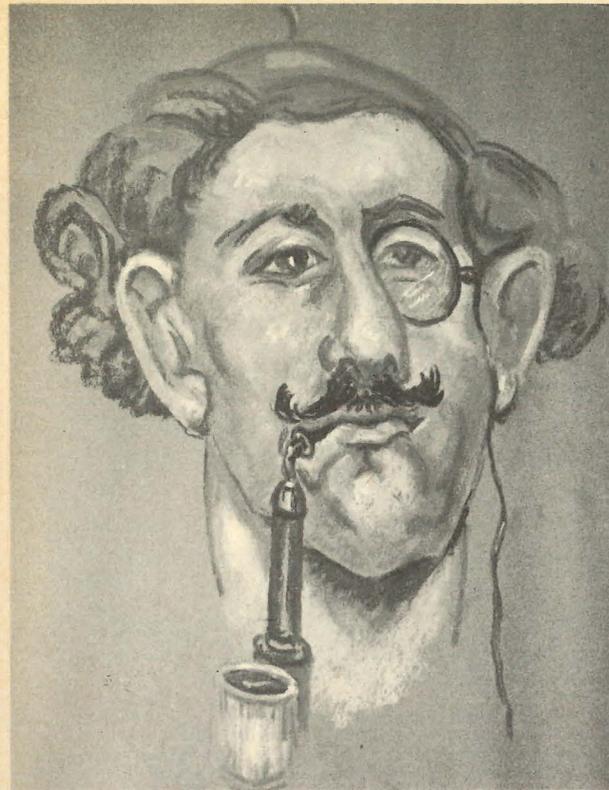
Petunia and Tom (linocut) and Aphrodite (woodcut) were two of the works exhibited by guest artist, Mr E. Mervyn Taylor, Wellington.



Wanganui sign-writer, John O'Brien, had a few paintings exhibited. This one is of the Castle-cliff Railway Company building on Taupo Quay.



This Turakina landmark (once part of the old Turakina Maori Girls' College) was painted by Brenda Briant of Marton.

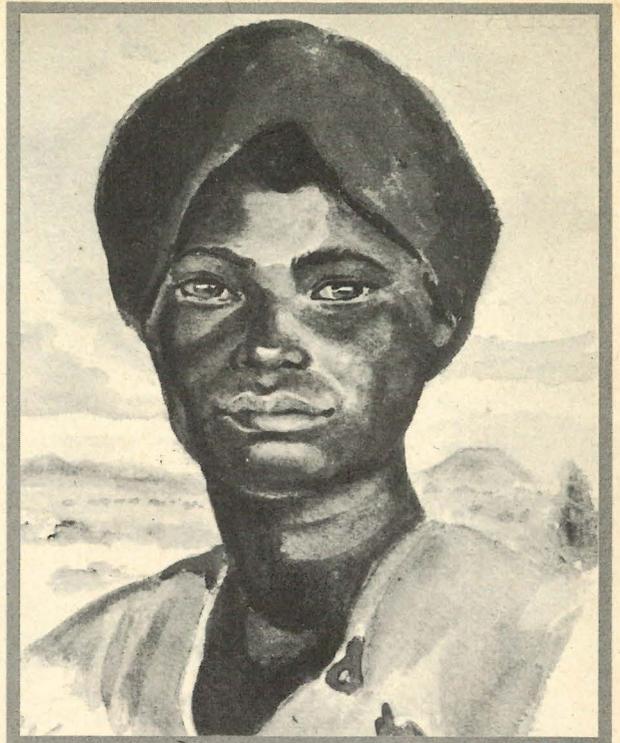


Above: A portrait in pastels titled "E.R. Erringay" by Mr J. Bootham, an Englishman now resident in Wanganui.

Above right: African Study by Miss Barbara Fearless, a guest artist at the exhibition.

Below: Pam Rhodes, Turakina, consults her catalogue to identify a painting.

Below right: Graham Grieve, Wanganui, showed a lot of imagination when he painted "The Lovers".





Tesla Studios

Wedding Bells

Above: PATTERSON--LEAHY. At St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Wanganui, Gloria Jean, daughter of Mr and Mrs E.J. Leahy, 11 Dustin Street, Gonville, to Trevor John, son of Mr and Mrs J. Patterson, 27 Caus Avenue, Gonville. In the photograph, from left: Brian Sutcliffe, Wanganui, best man; Robyn Thomas, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid; Susan Leahy, Wanganui, flowergirl; the bride and groom; Angela Leahy, Taupo, flowergirl; Jim Leahy, Wanganui, (brother of the bride) groomsman; Margaret Swain, Wanganui, bridesmaid. Future home...Rotorua.

Below: SMITH--PHILLIPS. At St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Mary Theresa Bernadette, youngest daughter of the late Mr and Mrs M.R. Phillips, 33 Hobson Street, Wellington, to Allan Edward, son of Mr and Mrs A.E. Smith, Christchurch. Attending the bride were Mrs H. Searle, Wellington, matron of honour, Agnes Tanou, Maxwell, Tui Kara, Wellington, and Ann Dilks, Wellington, bridesmaids, Dale Kingi, Maxwell, Rosalie Tanou, Maxwell, and Carolyn Davis, Nukumarua, flowergirls. The best man was Ian Smith, Wellington. Future home...Wellington.



Tesla Studios



"Patient" Graham Breton was suffering with a fractured rib and lacerations.



A realistic lacerated finger was faked by Mr Driver and his helper

Ambulance Competitions

Most placings in the St. John Ambulance competitions held at the Wanganui Technical College were won by districts outside of Wanganui. The only local places were won by Marist and Aramoho, who took a first and third respectively in the Conway Cup competition. Featherston entrants did particularly well with four wins. A feature of the competitions were the "wounds" faked by Mr J. Driver, Wellington.



Laurell Brown had a compound fracture of the humerus



Girls from the Marton Nursing Division pictured waiting for their next assignment



Brian Brider judged the stretcher drill event



Jeff Driver and Ross Winter, Wellington, were the men responsible for the casualty make-up. Here they give young John Hamling a couple of injuries.



Cadets from Wanganui, Taranaki, Manawatu, Hawkes Bay, Wairarapa, Wellington and Taupo attended the competitions at the Wanganui Technical College.

Above: Marton cadets, Gerald Davis, Jonathon Robb, Cliff Davis and Paddy Webber attend to one of the casualties.

Above right: Dr. Ian Wilson, a judge, and St. John officer Colin Hamling confer with secretary Tom Sullivan.

Right: About 150 people were milling around the Technical College during the competitions. Even so the programme ran smoothly.

Below: Aramoho Nursing cadets, Suzanne Pratt, Margaret Robb, Vivienne Stephenson, and Jane Delves chat over their chances.



District Commissioner, Dr. W. J. Boyd, pictured with Superintendents E. L. Bland and G. Lucinsky from New Plymouth





Pot Pourri

Top: ROAD IMPROVEMENTS. The Wanganui County Council has been busy recently with road improvements at Putiki. Trucks and machines above are engaged in widening Wikitoria Road in preparation for future sealing.

Middle: PREPARING SITE. Wanganui Red Cross workers are pictured doing the preliminary clearing to allow machines in to prepare the site of their new rooms just inside the Ridgway Street entrance of Cooks Gardens.

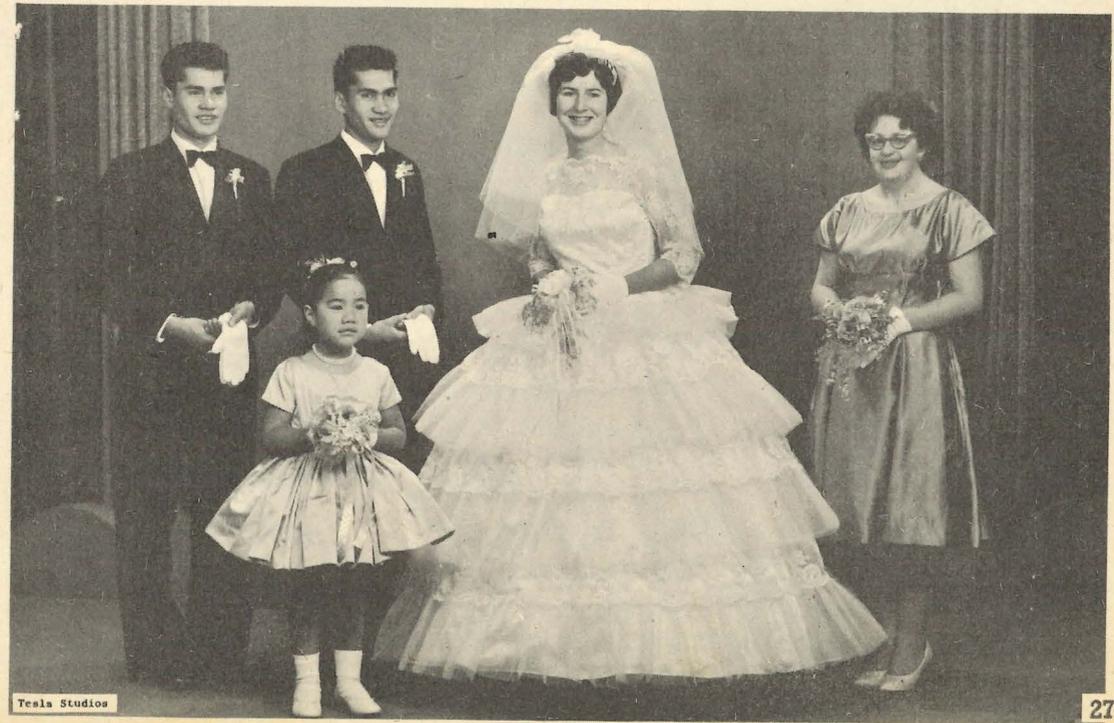
Below: BUSY LINE. No, this is not a pole-sitting stunt!! W.R.E.P. B. men are pictured at work on a recent weekend on the Heads Road power lines.



Wedding Bells

Above: WEBB--MACKIE. At Trinity Methodist Church, Wanganui, Ruth Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.R.Mackie, 28 Boydfield Street, Wanganui East, to Desmond Stanley, son of Mr and Mrs S.H. Webb, Te Puke. Attending the bride were Janice Murch, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid, Adele Thomas, Wanganui, bridesmaid, and Denice Mouldey, Palmerston North, flowergirl. John Davies, Hamilton, was best man and Bruce Mackie, Wanganui, was groomsmen. Future home...Whangarei.

Below: GODKIN--GOLLOP. At St.Peter's Anglican Church, Gonville, Glenn Sylvia, only daughter of Mrs C.T.Gollop, 78 Koromiko Road, Gonville, to Lewis, second son of Mr and Mrs C.Godkin, 33 Gibson Street, Aramoho. Attending the bride were Maureen Field, Palmerston North, bridesmaid, and Maria Sua, Wellington, flowergirl. Ralph Godkin, Waiouru, was best man. Future home...Hawera.





Motoring Fatalities

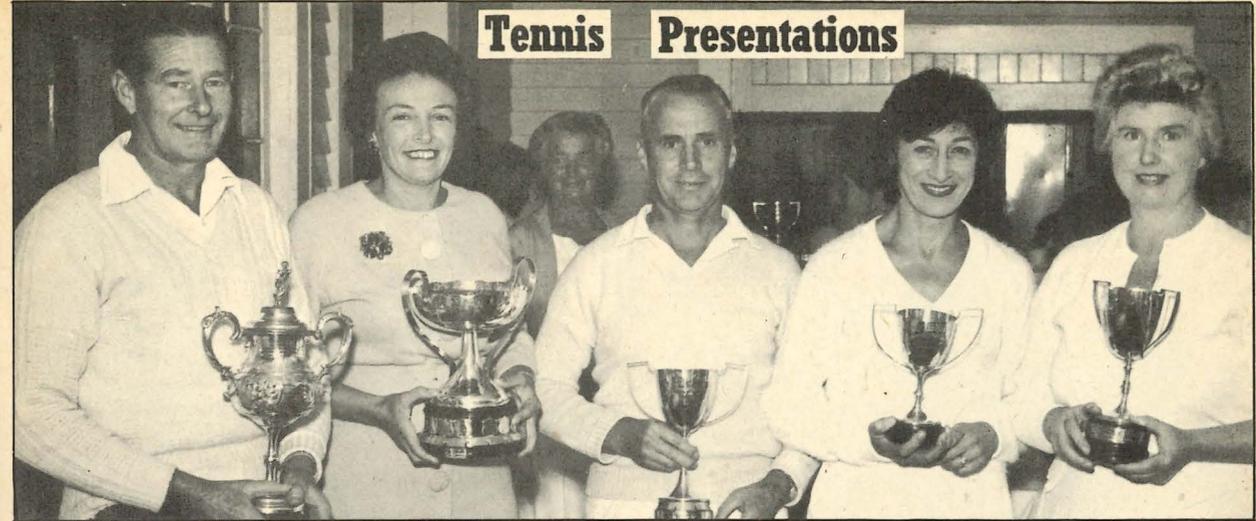
Wanganui has had more than its share of road fatalities over recent weeks. Pictured on this page are two smashes in which men lost their lives. Pictures by Wybon Photographers.

Above: A 45-year-old Wanganui East man, Robert George Symon, died when the estate car which he was driving veered across Somme Parade near the old brewery and, after smashing down 25ft of the protective fence, slid down the bank into the Wanganui River. His body was later recovered from the river and artificial resuscitation proved unsuccessful.

Below: A passenger in the back seat of this 1958 Holden Special, 23-year-old Allan Colin Tiso, Sumner, Christchurch, died of his injuries when the car failed to negotiate a bend at the northern end of the Marangai straight, about six miles south of Wanganui. Another passenger, Martin John Karipa, Paraparaumu, suffered severe scalp lacerations. The driver and another passenger were uninjured.



Tennis Presentations



The Gonville Tennis Club recently held their closing day yankee tournament and presentation of club trophies won during the 1961-62 season.

A feature of the presentation ceremony was the outright award of the men's championship singles cup to Mr Jack Foster, who this season won the title for the ninth successive time. Mr Lampe, patron of the club, officiated.

Above: Shared the senior events: Jack Foster, Dorothy Gordon, Bernie Greener, Nita Benvin and Ella Mailman.

Right: Watched by president, Jack Ford, patron Mark Lampe presents the championship singles cup to Jack Foster.

Below: These juniors were the major winners in their division. Diane Gordon, Barbara Casey, Fraser Mailman, and Alan McIntyre.

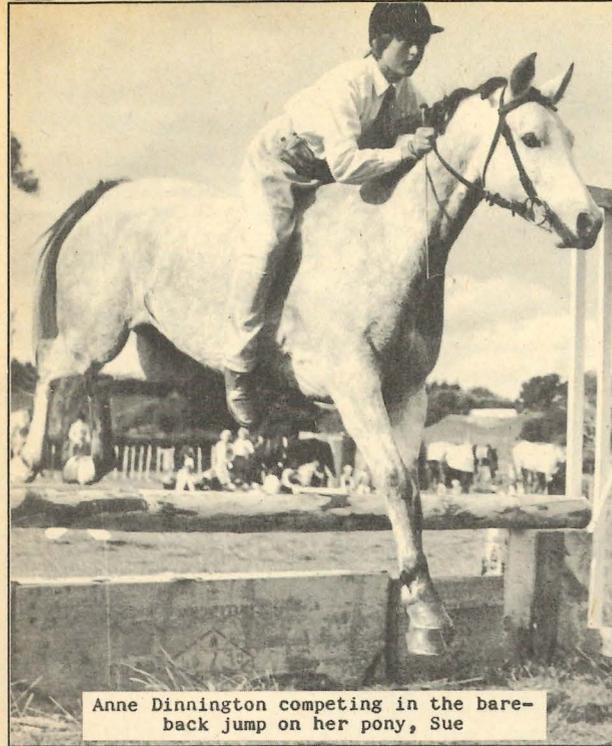




Wendy Duncan's Gypsy changed her mind about going over this hurdle...just like a woman.



Mrs R.Galpin, Marton, and Miss H.Halliday, Wanganui River, judged the jumping events



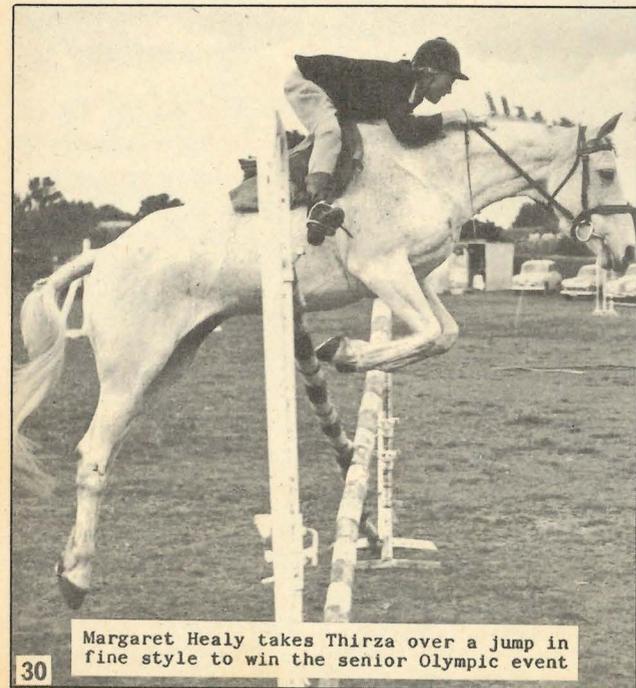
Anne Dinnington competing in the bare-back jump on her pony, Sue



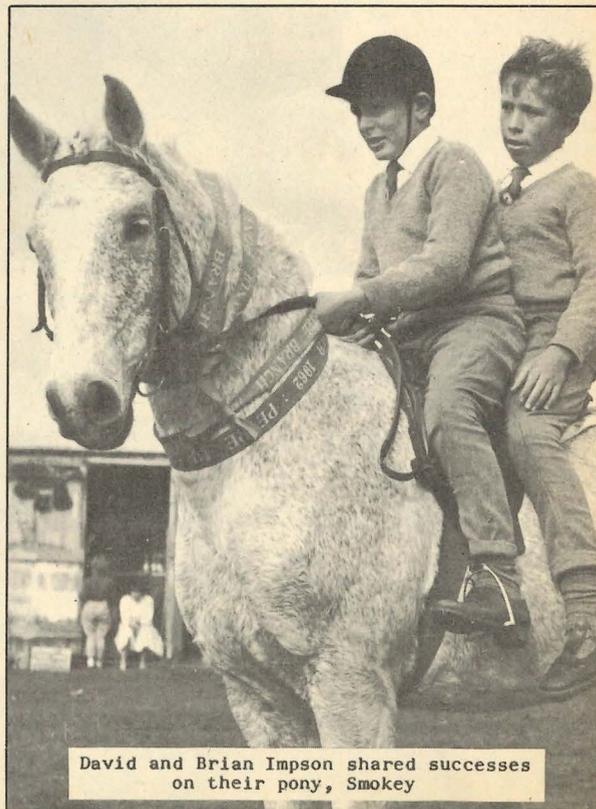
Allan Nimo won the bare-back event with his pony.

Tayforth Gymkhana

The Petre branch of the Wanganui Pony Club recently wound up their season with a gymkhana at their Tayforth headquarters. An enjoyable day of jumping and horse sports was had by all.



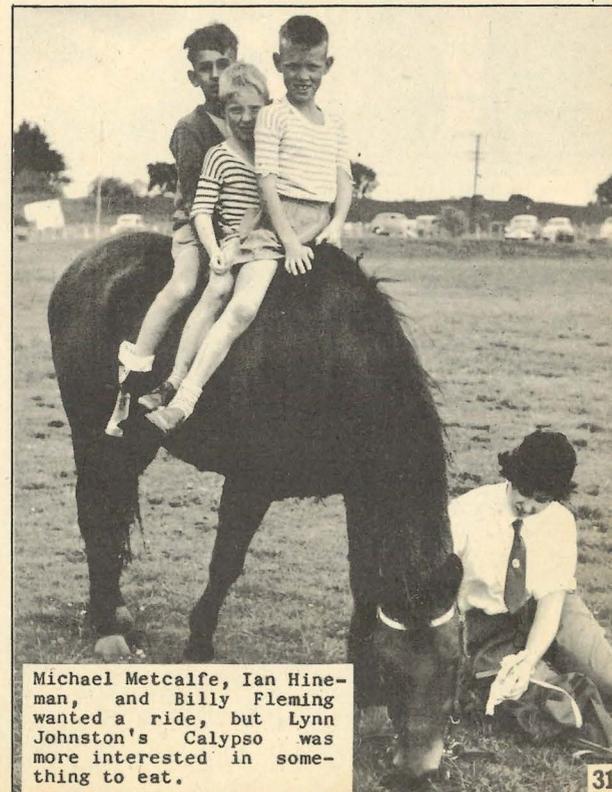
Margaret Healy takes Thirza over a jump in fine style to win the senior Olympic event



David and Brian Impson shared successes on their pony, Smokey



Brenda Mellor on Coop competing in the Senior Olympic jump.



Michael Metcalfe, Ian Hineman, and Billy Fleming wanted a ride, but Lynn Johnston's Calypso was more interested in something to eat.



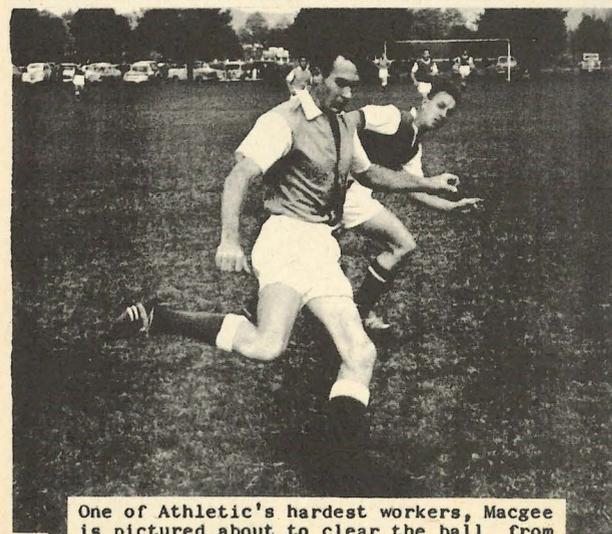
The Athletic team

Western League Soccer

Wanganui's Athletic had a loss, 4-2, against Thistle (Palmerston North) in their recent clash in the Western League competition played at Wembley Park. At the time of writing this, Athletic have avenged their defeat by Thistle by beating Massey 9-0....and Thistle have had another victory to put them in the lead in the competition. These pix were taken during the game between Athletic and Thistle.



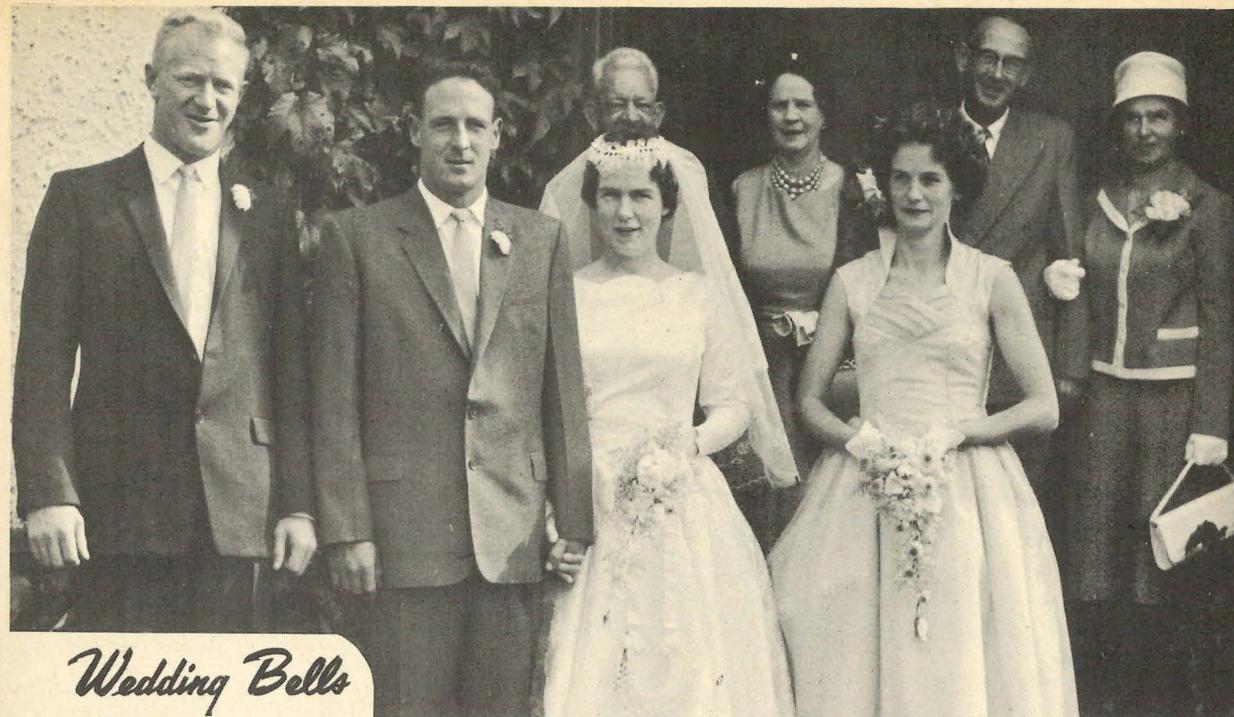
Ian Macgee leaps in to guard the Athletic goal after the goalie, Remfrey, measured his length on the deck in a scramble for the ball.



One of Athletic's hardest workers, Macgee is pictured about to clear the ball from dangerous territory.



Athletic's new goalkeeper, Remfrey, looked to be a real find. He is pictured tipping the ball over the top of his goal in one of his many fine saves.



Wedding Bells

Above: KILKOLLY--TURNER. At Christ Church, Wanganui, Yvonne Frances, daughter of Mrs M.M.Turner and the late Mr L.M.Turner, Airport Road, Putiki, to John Leslie, son of Mr and Mrs L.J.Kilkolly, 7 Victory Place, Aramoho. Attending the couple were Eileen Vincent, Parapara, matron of honour, and Trevor Kenny, Wanganui, best man. Pictured behind the bridal party, from left, are Mr Charles Turner, uncle of the bride, Mrs Kilkolly, Mr Kilkolly and Mrs Turner.

Below: GULDBRANDSEN--CRIBB. At St.David's Presbyterian Church, Taihape, Mary Karina, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs W.Cribb, 13 Linnet Street, Taihape, to Petty Officer James Clarence, only son of Mr and Mrs C.Guldbrandsen, 4 McVay Street, Napier. In the photograph, from left: Elizabeth Cribb (sister of the bride) chief bridesmaid, Brian Crindell (Waiouru) groomsman, Kevin Baker (Taihape) pageboy, the bride and groom, Chief Petty Officer Stewart Crighton (Waiouru) best man, Vivienne Mickleson (Taihape) bridesmaid. Future home for two years....England.





They Remembered Them



Big crowds attended Wanganui's Anzac Day services, the dawn parade, civic, Maori, and Catholic, in memory of the fallen. Speaker at the civic service was Commander W.N. Waite, RNZN, Naval Assistant of Supply and Secretariat, Navy Office. The Mayor, Mr E.A. Millward, presided and the Rev. B.M. Chrystall, B.A., president of the Wanganui Ministers' Association, conducted the service. Maori Welfare Officer Mr Henry Northcroft, was the speaker at the Maori service.

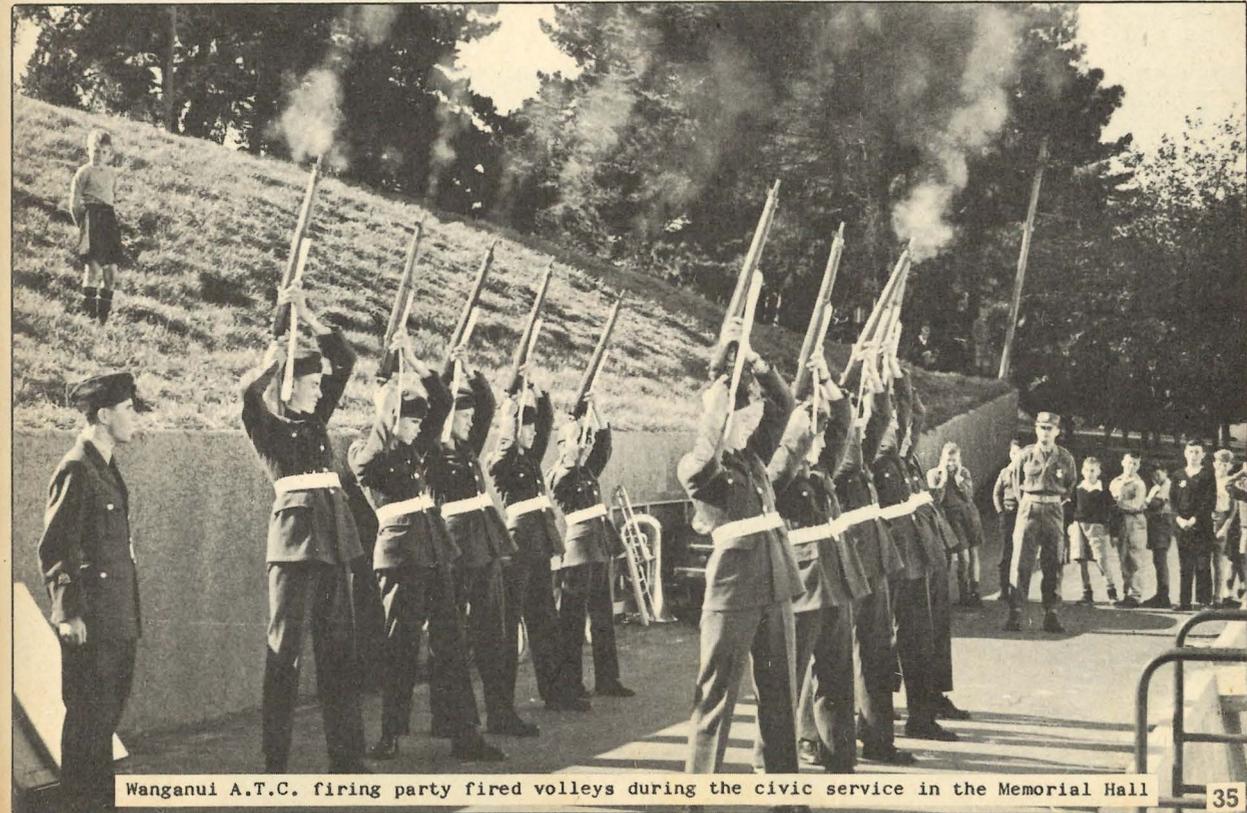
Above: Commander and Mrs Waite pictured after the civic service at the Memorial Hall with Mr Millward, Mayor, and Major Sweeney, R.S.A. secretary.

Left: Commander Waite speaking at the civic service.

Below: Some of the large crowd in the Memorial Hall.



Mr Tenga Takarangi leads the distinguished guests to their seats at the Maori service held in Motua Gardens



Wanganui A.T.C. firing party fired volleys during the civic service in the Memorial Hall



Comic Opera Very Good

The Wanganui Girls' College production of the Gilbert and Sullivan comic opera, "The Gondoliers", drew good houses in the short season at the Opera House recently. Produced by Jean Payne and conducted by O. Davis Hunt, the show was played confidently, and difficult pieces were well sung by all members of the 100-plus cast of principals and choruses.

Above: Principal characters in this scene are, from left: Luiz (Margaret Brown), the Duke of Plaza Toro (Catherine Coates), the Grand Inquisitor (Margaret Burrell), the Duchess of Plaza Toro (Diane Cotgrove) and Casilda (Barbara Unsworth).

Below: Members of the chorus back up a solo passage by a gondolier, Mary Sutherland.



Mr Carroll's successor is Mr J.M.Lowe, ex-Wellington



Railwayman Retires

About 60 railwaymen gathered in the Guyton Street Railways' social hall recently to farewell Mr Jack Carroll who retired after 40 years in the N.Z.R. service. At the time of his retirement, Mr Carroll was communications supervisor here. His successor is Mr J.M.Lowe from Wellington.

Above: Mr Carroll (with spectacles) with some of his colleagues. From left: Keith Thomas, Assistant District Traffic Manager, Ian Stevenson, Signals Electrical Engineer, Lyn. Henderson, Signals Assistant District Engineer, Jim Fraser, Superintending Signals Engineer, and Dave Early, Assistant District Engineer.

Below: Some of the railways' staffers who attended the farewell function.





Roving Camera

Above: MUSIC MAKERS. Bill McDowell, 254 London Street, and Bill Rod, 9 Swiss Avenue, belong to musical groups, the Melonoes and Overlanders respectively. The boys are so keen on their guitar playing that they got together and made an electric spanish guitar each and now Bill Rod is busy making an amplifiable ukelele for fellow Overlander, Harold Bates. There is about 40 hours work in each of the guitars. Electrical components were obtained from Emmetts' music shop. The boys are pictured with their guitars and the near-completed uke.

Below: OLD TIMER. Featured in the Wanganui Museum recently was this late-Victorian Phaeton, an open horse-drawn carriage. Pictured testing the seats for comfort are Marilyn Conder, Gonville, Honor Mould and Ann Mould, Durie Hill, Alison Stevenson, Wellington, and Susan Strachan, Karioi.



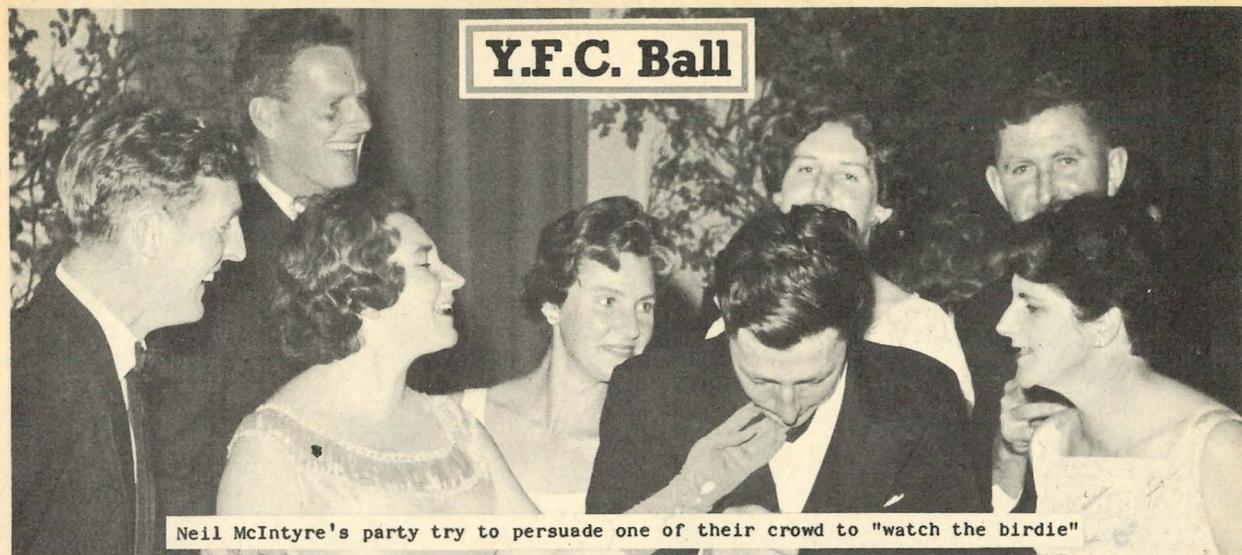
Wedding Bells

Above: BRODERICK--WHITEHEAD. At St. Laurence's Church, Aramoho, Shirley May Whitehead, daughter of Mrs R.A. Sangster and the late Mr R.H. Whitehead, 163 Ikitara Road, Wanganui, to Michael Justin, son of Mr and Mrs P. Broderick, 9 Gibson Street, Aramoho. Attending the happy couple were Kaye Churton, Wanganui, bridesmaid, and Henry Broderick, Wanganui, best man. Future home...Wanganui.

Below: EVERARD--JAMES. At All Saints' Church, Wanganui East, Jennifer Lila, daughter of Mr G.K. James, Wanganui East, to John Robert, son of Mr and Mrs A.H. Everard, 9 Taylor Street, Wanganui. Attending the couple were Barbara Lynch, Wanganui, bridesmaid, and Leon Cromarty, Wanganui, best man. Future home....Wanganui.



Y.F.C. Ball



Neil McIntyre's party try to persuade one of their crowd to "watch the birdie"



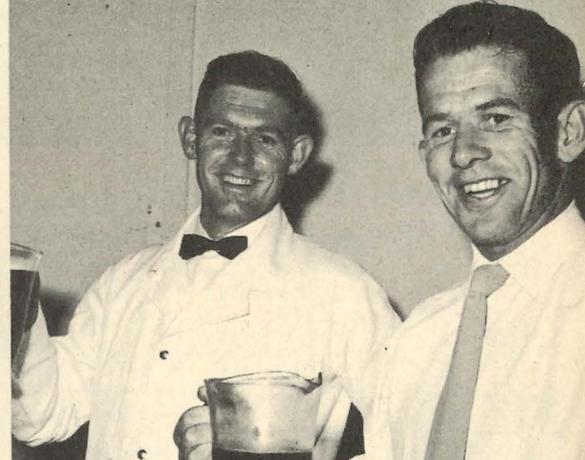
Eleanor Norris and Des Nixon pose for our lens



Mr and Mrs Maurice Graham enjoyed themselves



Enjoying a dance

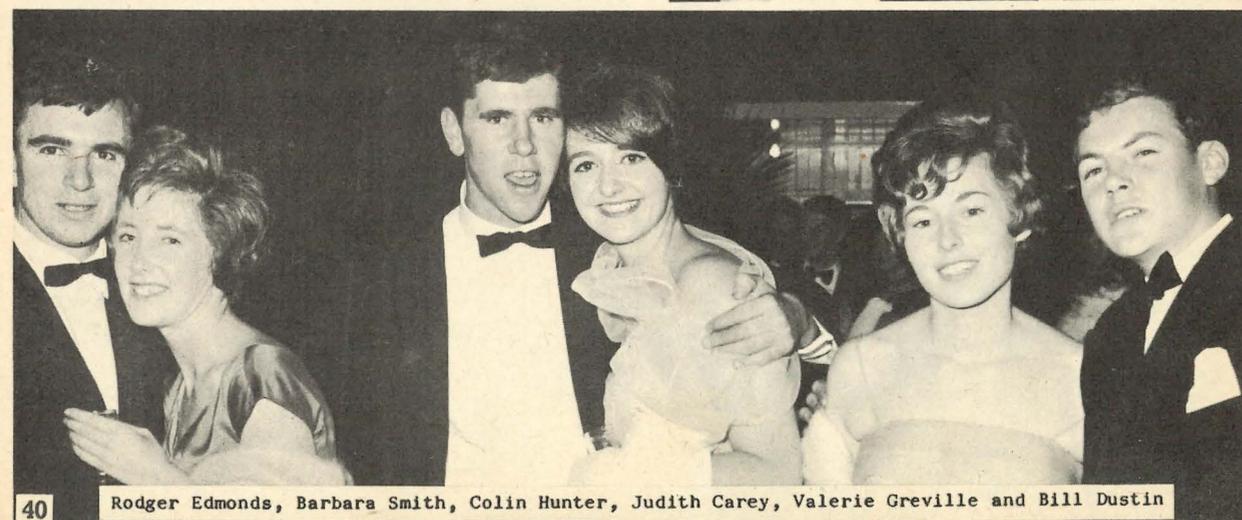


Lyall Towgood and Barry Flight looked after the guests' thirst for refreshments

These photographs were taken at the recent annual Young Farmers' Club ball held in the Fordell Hall.



Having a ball. Cameron Campion, Milton Brookie, Jennie Martin, Pat Corrigan and Ken Wyley

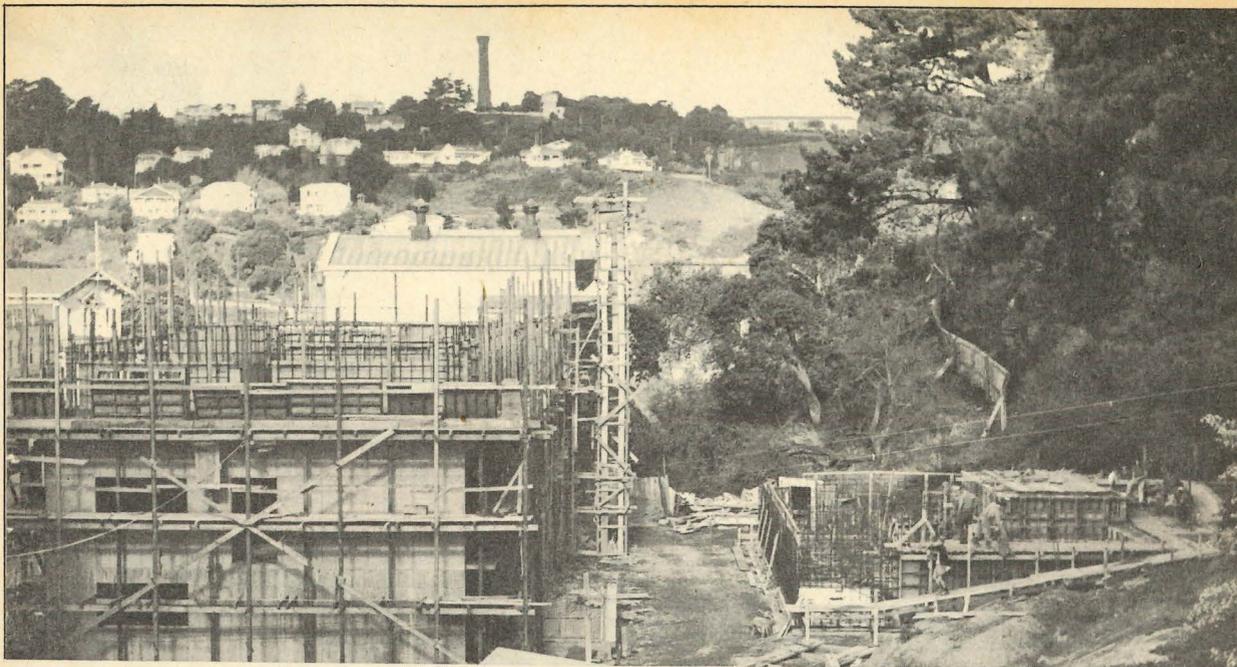


Rodger Edmonds, Barbara Smith, Colin Hunter, Judith Carey, Valerie Greville and Bill Dustin

VISITING ARTIST

Miss Edith Sutherland, principal of the Edith Sutherland Art Studios, Auckland, attracted a lot of interest in Wanganui departmental store, Londontown, with her painting of firescreen materials.

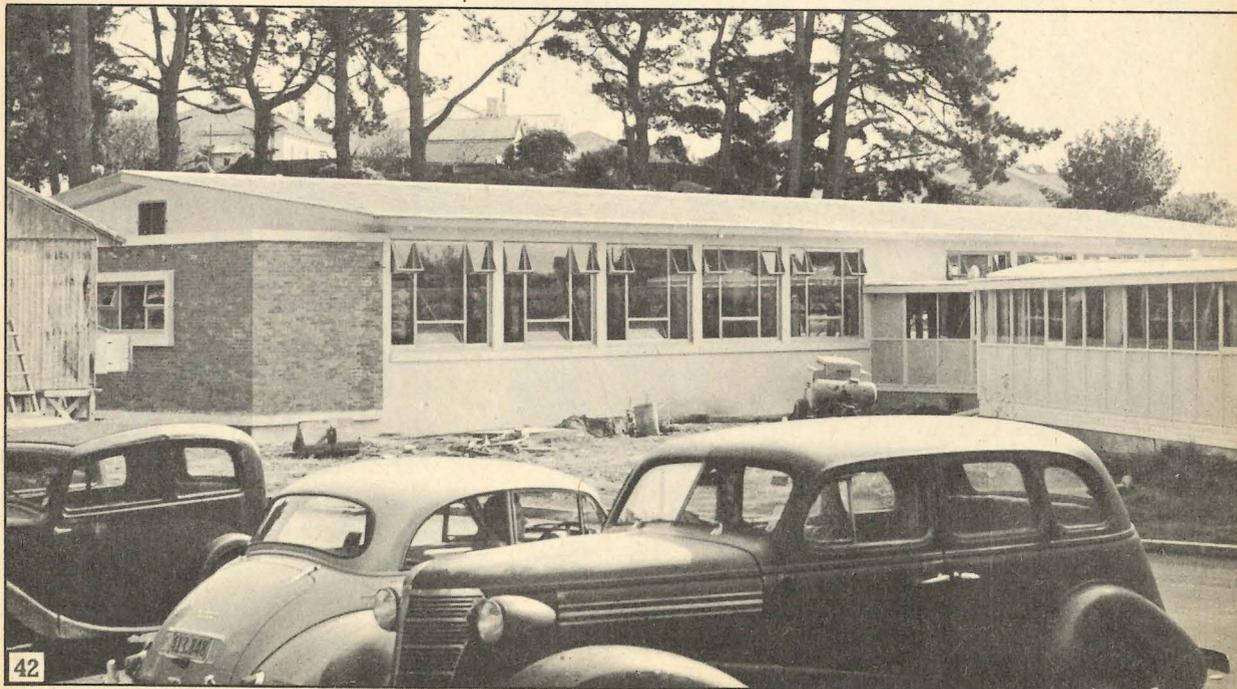




Construction

Above: POLICE PROGRESS. Work is progressing steadily on the new three-storey £100,000 Wanganui Police Station in Bell Street. Floor space in the building totals nearly 17,000 square feet. In the main building will be housed uniform branch, C.I.B., recreation rooms, bedrooms and a kitchen. Connected to the main block will be a single-storey (2,850 sq.ft.) block which will house eleven cells (nine for men and two for women), photographic, interviewing, and medical rooms and a kitchen. The cells will be backed by a 300 sq.ft. exercise yard.

Below: KITCHEN BLOCK. The kitchen block, next to the new Lambie Nurses' Home at the Wanganui Hospital is, at the time of writing, about finished. Kitchen equipment has still to be installed. Contractors for the job are W.N. Angus Ltd., Lower Hutt, who also built the Lambie Home and who at present are working on the new theatre and ward block.



Jack displays a six-foot-wing-span black swan that was bagged by one of his party.

In the main, Wanganui duck-shooters had only fair success on opening day. We went looking for one of Wanganui's better-known shooters, Jack Sheppard, and found that he and his party had quite good bags.



A member of the Sheppard party, Barry Pull, had a personal bag of five ducks and a pukeko

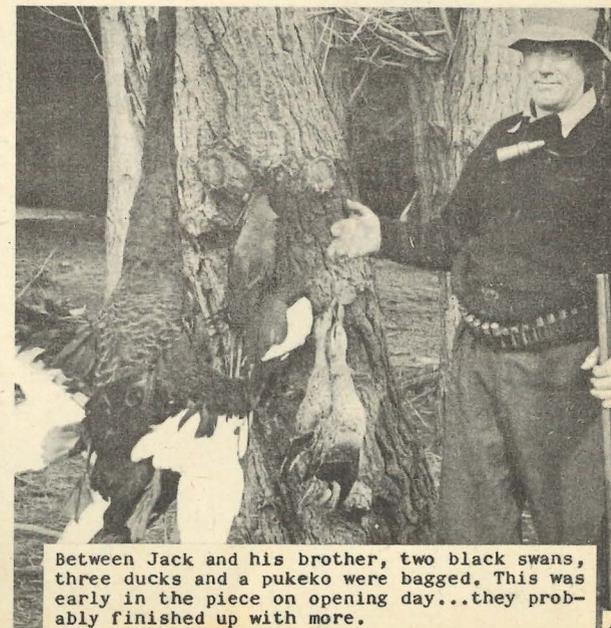
Ducks Kept High



Bill Sheppard, Wellington, pops out of his maimai to catch a bird coming in to decoys



Mother of Jack and Bill, Mrs Len Sheppard, is aged 73...but she wouldn't miss her annual holiday cooking for the boys in their camp every shooting season.



Between Jack and his brother, two black swans, three ducks and a pukeko were bagged. This was early in the piece on opening day...they probably finished up with more.



Y.M.C.A. Boys Leave For Australia

Forty-six boys from the Wanganui Y.M.C.A recently benefitted from their 2½ years of working and saving when they flew to Australia for a 15-day tour of that country. The boys flew out of Wanganui in two flights to Auckland, 15 in a chartered Douglas aircraft and 31 in a regular Friendship flight. On arrival in Auckland, the boys went on a bus tour of the Queen City to fill in time before their departure across the Tasman on a Teal Electra.

Above: The first flight of boys to Auckland were accompanied by assistant tour manager, Mr Tom Searle and Mrs Searle. They are pictured on arrival at the Wanganui airport.

Below: Mr and Mrs Jim Briscoe (tour managers) are pictured at right with their charges.

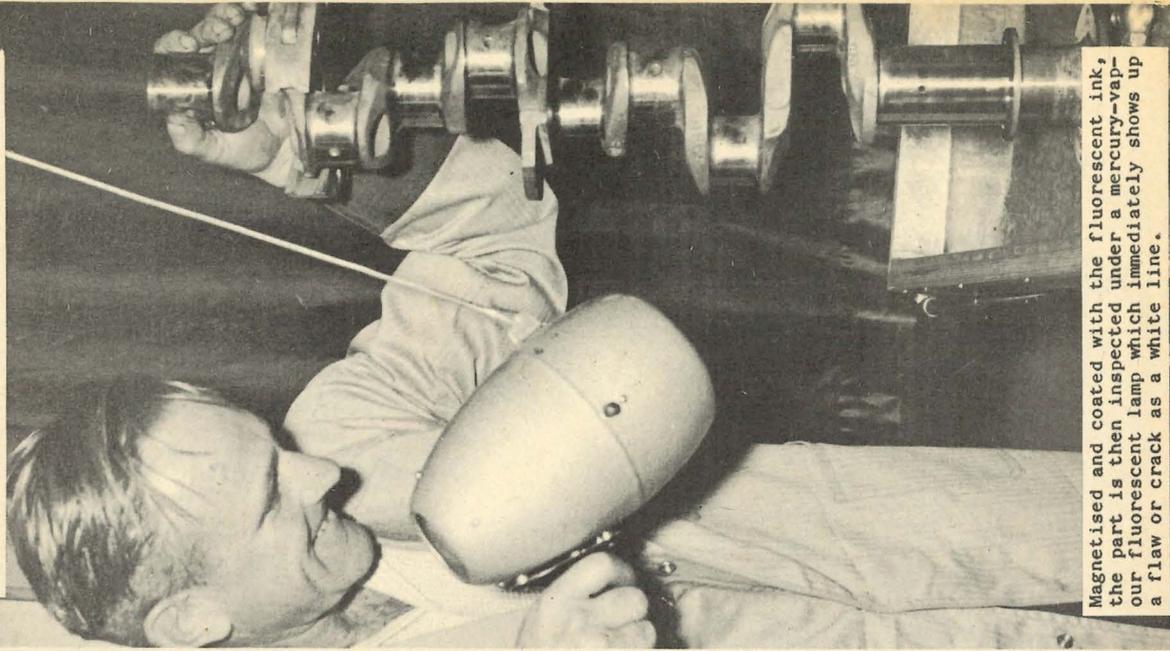


On their way. Parents wave and try to catch a glimpse of their sons as the Friendship taxis away

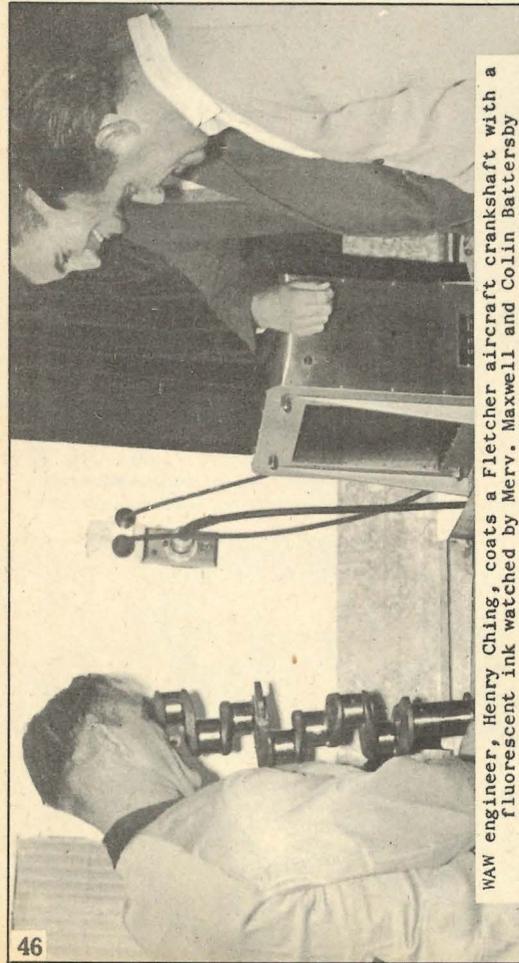


Some of the large crowd of parents, brothers and sisters, and friends who gathered to see the boys off 45

Crack Detector Demonstrated

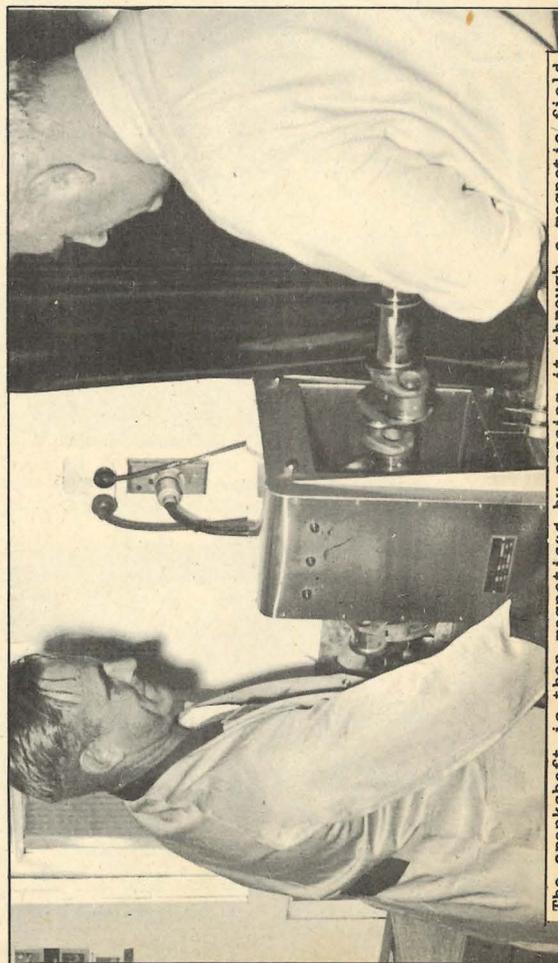


Magnetised and coated with the fluorescent ink, the part is then inspected under a mercury-vapour fluorescent lamp which immediately shows up a flaw or crack as a white line.



WAW engineer, Henry Ching, coats a Fletcher aircraft crankshaft with a fluorescent ink watched by Merv. Maxwell and Colin Battersby

Wanganui Aero Work Ltd have installed a £400 magnetic crack-detector in their workshop at the Wanganui airport. Manufactured by C.S.Rolfe Ltd., Palmerston North, this machine is the only one of its type in N.Z. WAW engineers recently demonstrated the wonder-devices to city mechanics, when these pix were taken. WAW will make the machine available for a small fee to anyone wishing to employ its services in finding fractures in any steel part.



The crankshaft is then magnetised by passing it through a magnetic field



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Wedding Bells

Above: ENSOLL--KENDALL. At Christ Church, Wanganui, Angeline Pamela Betty, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.F.Kendall, 12 Brooking Street, Wanganui, to Robin Arthur, son of Mrs B. and the late Mr T.R. Ensoll, 44 Wicksteed Street, Wanganui. Attending the bride were Barbara Cowie, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid, Linda Kendall (sister of the bride) Wanganui, and Jonette Edwards, Wanganui, bridesmaids. Brian Taylor, Wanganui, was best man, and the groomsmen were Jay Neal and Colin Spencer, Wanganui. Future home....Palmerston North.

Below: WILSON--MURDOCH. At Knox Presbyterian Church, Gonville, Gillian Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs D.T.Murdoch, 13 Bignell Street, Gonville, to Donald Arthur, son of Mr and Mrs L.A.Wilson, Turakina. Attending the bride were Gillian Lawson, Napier, matron of honour, Nancy Wilson, Turakina and Robyn Murdoch, Wanganui, bridesmaids. Jack Karatau, Whangaehu, was best man and John Wilson, Turakina, was the groomsmen. Future home....Turakina.



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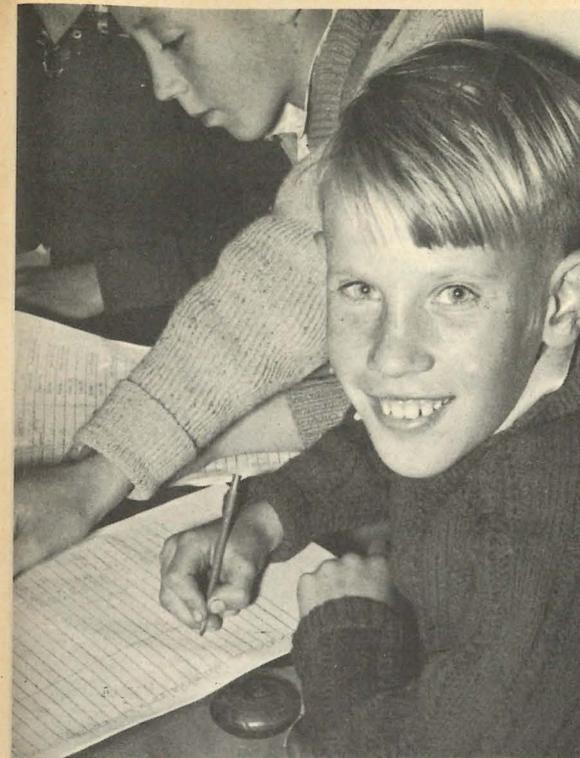


Children's Museum Week

Hordes of youngsters invaded the Wanganui Museum for the first day of their Children's Museum Week, during the school holidays. Most of the first days subsequently spent the best part of the rest of the week having fun and at the same time gaining valuable knowledge...during their holidays. Photo News went along on the first day to get these photographs of children engaged in an "Other Countries" quiz, an alphabetical quiz dealing with articles from various countries.

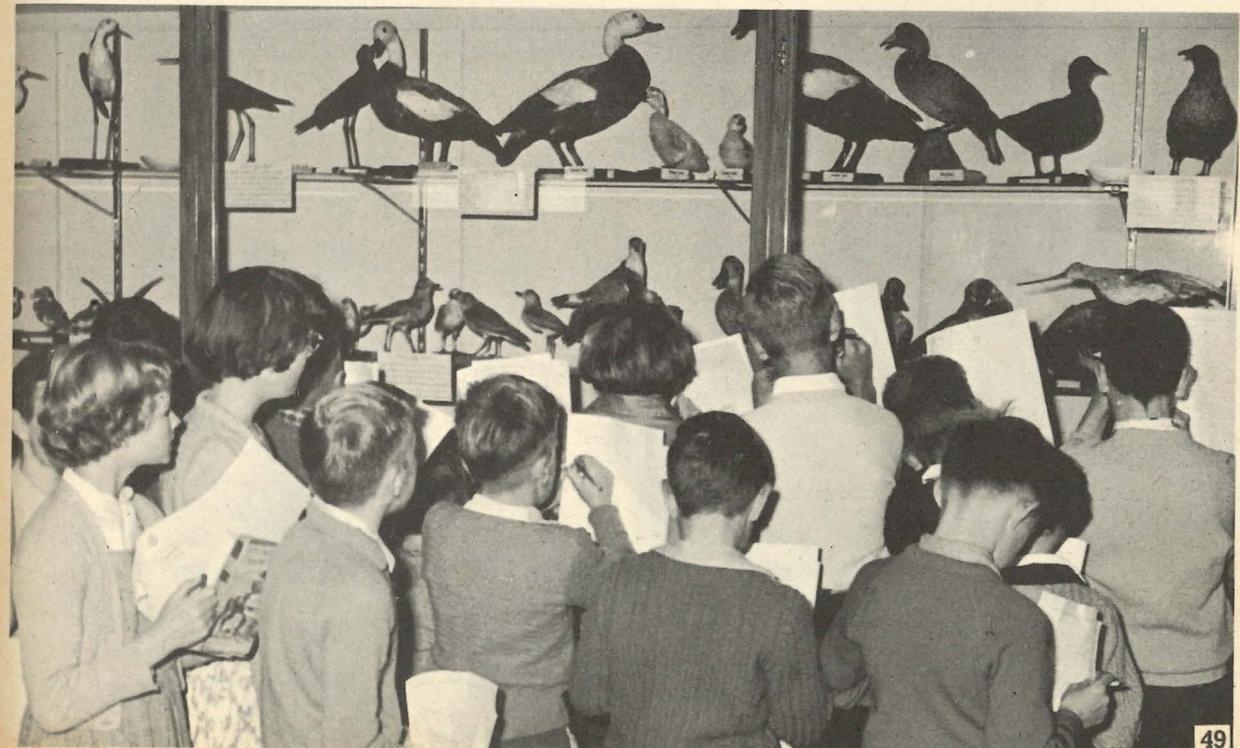
Above: It was necessary for the children to roam around the various cases to seek the answers to the quiz.

Below: The photographer was swamped by children wanting to be in the Photo News and was virtually bullied into taking this pix.



Above left: Young Stuart Reeve looks confident as he fills in a quiz answer on his competition sheet. Taking Stuart's expression as an example you can see the enjoyment that the children had.

Above right: Anne Carlsen, Maureen Swallow, Lynette McCartan and Karen Hainsworth spot a clue. Below: A lot of attention was centred around a showcase of birds. The little kiddies at the back had either to thrush their way through or get the bigger ones to duck down so they could get their tern. This quiz game is not too fowl.



Bowling Presentations



George Boulton receives his five - championship badge from Jack Howes, president of the Wanganui Bowling Centre.

These pix were taken by Wybon Photographers at the closing night of the Wanganui Bowling Centre held at the Cosmopolitan Club. Main presentations of the night were a 15 - championship award to E.Fletcher, 10-championship award to W.T. Raine, and five-championship awards to T.Proudfoot, M.Blackwood, W.A. Hampton, R.Mackay, T.Ditchfield, W. Burns, and G.N.Boulton.



Taihape Champion of Champion fours winners. L.P.Johnson, skip, L.R. Hodges, N.H.Prestige, and C.H.Shuker, All come from Taihape



P.A.Howarth receives the Thompson shield on behalf of the Mananui Club.



J.W.Cook, open singles winner



P.Taplin collected the junior shield on behalf of the Wanganui East Club.



C. L. Keating took the Keesing Cup for his Club



Gordon pairs cup went to L.P.Johnson and C.A. Shuker of Taihape



The Centre cups for the "B" pairs went to C.A.Shuker and B.W.Simmonds



Wedding Bells

Above: MAHER--FERGUSON. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Marton, Janet Marcia, daughter of A.E.Ferguson, Pukione, Hunterville, to Owen James, son of Ralph Maher, Ohingaiti. Attending the bride were Glenys Fraser, Hunterville, chief bridesmaid, Jeanette Cameron, Hunterville, bridesmaid, Diane and Carol England, Hunterville, flowergirls. Donald Maher, Ohingaiti, was the best man, and Ken Goodwin, Ohingaiti, was groomsman. Future home...Ohingaiti.

Below: SHARRATT--PROFFIT. At St. Barnabas' Church, Durie Hill, Barbara, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. C.Proffit, Kaitoke, Wanganui, to Peter, son of Mr and Mrs P.H.Sharratt, 185 Cornfoot Street, Castlecliff. In the photograph, from left: John Sharratt, Wanganui, brother of the groom, best man; Tessa Speak, Whangaehu, chief bridesmaid; Linda Haggett, Dannevirke, cousin of the bride, flowergirl; the bride and groom; Jill Sharratt, Wanganui, sister of the groom, bridesmaid; Gail Haggett, Dannevirke, cousin of the bride, flowergirl; Alec Proffit, Kaitoke, brother of the bride, groomsman, Future home....Hawera.



Badminton... Malayan Visit



A section of the large crowd



The nimble David Ong

A crowd of 500 thrilled in a freezing cold Memorial Hall at the dazzling badminton turned on by the touring Malayan students against a combined side. The Malaysians were untroubled in winning all their games. New Zealand champion, Don Higgins (Wellington) was soundly thrashed 15-2 and 15-4 by David Ong. The best of the combined side was former Wanganui champion, Leighton Bristol, now resident in Manawatu. In his singles against Andrew Ong, Bristol downed the Malayan in one set by 15-9. Bristol later teamed with Mike Cox, Taumarunui, to take the visitors to three sets in a doubles encounter.



Clive Sheerin, Marton, partnered by Barry Sawyer, Wanganui, gave the Malaysians stiff opposition in the doubles.



Mike Cox, Taumarunui, soon learned that any shuttles popped up got smartly killed.



Leighton Bristol..best performance from the combined team.



Barry Sawyer had a good doubles encounter



Don Higgins lost 15-2, 15-4



E. Harvey, Wellington, lost his doubles with Higgins as partner by 15-8, 15-4.

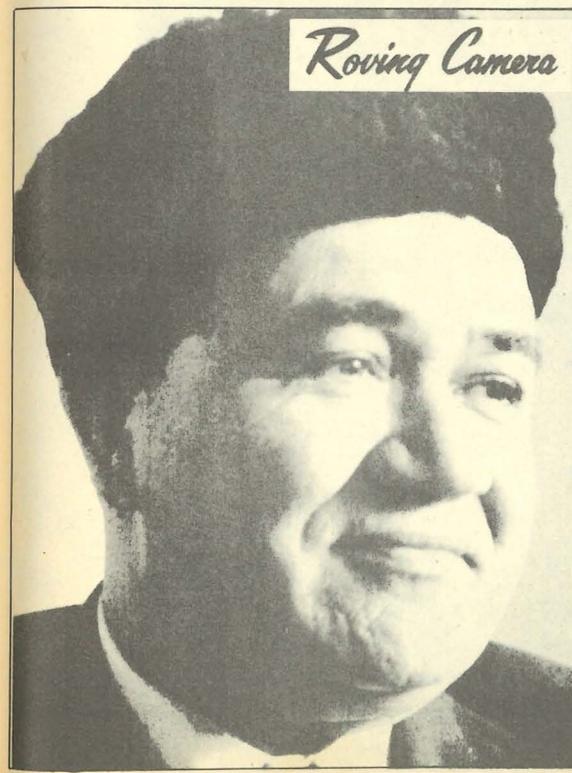


Khoo Eng Hooi and E. Harvey get a warm-up



Andrew Ong and Leighton Bristol turned in an entertaining singles.

Roving Camera



Left: A well-filled Opera House gave world-famous Maori bass, Inia te Wiata, a great ovation after his concert. His programme ranged from operatic arias to Maori songs and folk songs.
Below: Colin McDonald receives a trophy as the best sportsman from Mr Crossan at a recent Swimming Club presentation evening.

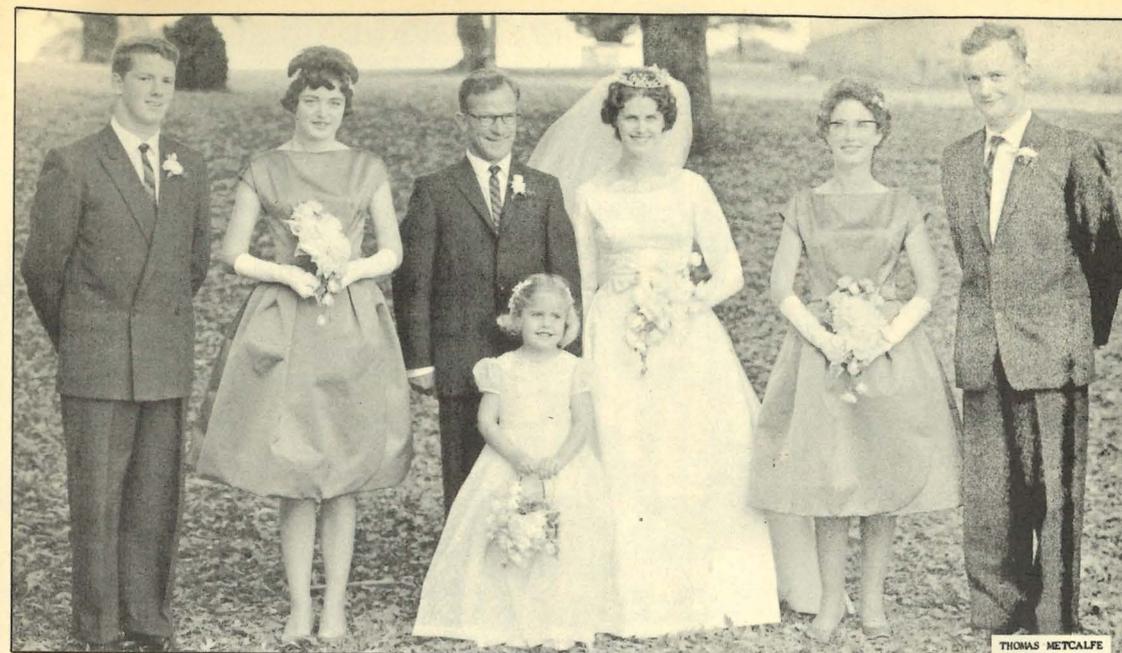


Camera Round-up

Right: WINNING CADETS. The six cadets in the front row of this picture, members of the Wanganui Red Cross Cadet No 11 detachment, recently won the National Cadet shield for outdoor search and rescue in Wellington. From left: L/cpl. Peter Salt, Cdt. Phillip O'Sullivan, Cpl. Eric O'Sullivan, Stf/sgt. Ross Collins, Sgt. Peter Anderson and L/cpl. Graeme Anderson.

Below: ARMY RETIREMENTS. In the top picture chatting with Col. A. Castelli, retiring commanding officer of the Wellington, West Coast, Taranaki Regiment are, from left: Mr H.G. Honnor, Mayor of New Plymouth, Col. Castelli, Major J. M. Morris, Brig. D. S. Thomson, Col. C.N. Armstrong, and Mr R.G. Russell, deputy Mayor of Wanganui.

The bottom pix shows others who retired from the regiment chatting with friends. From left: Lt. Brian Monks, Major George Lucas, Wanganui (14 years), Major Murray Lester, Hawera (14 years), W/OI Ian Nabbs, Wanganui (still serving) and Capt. Gerry Madder (12 years).

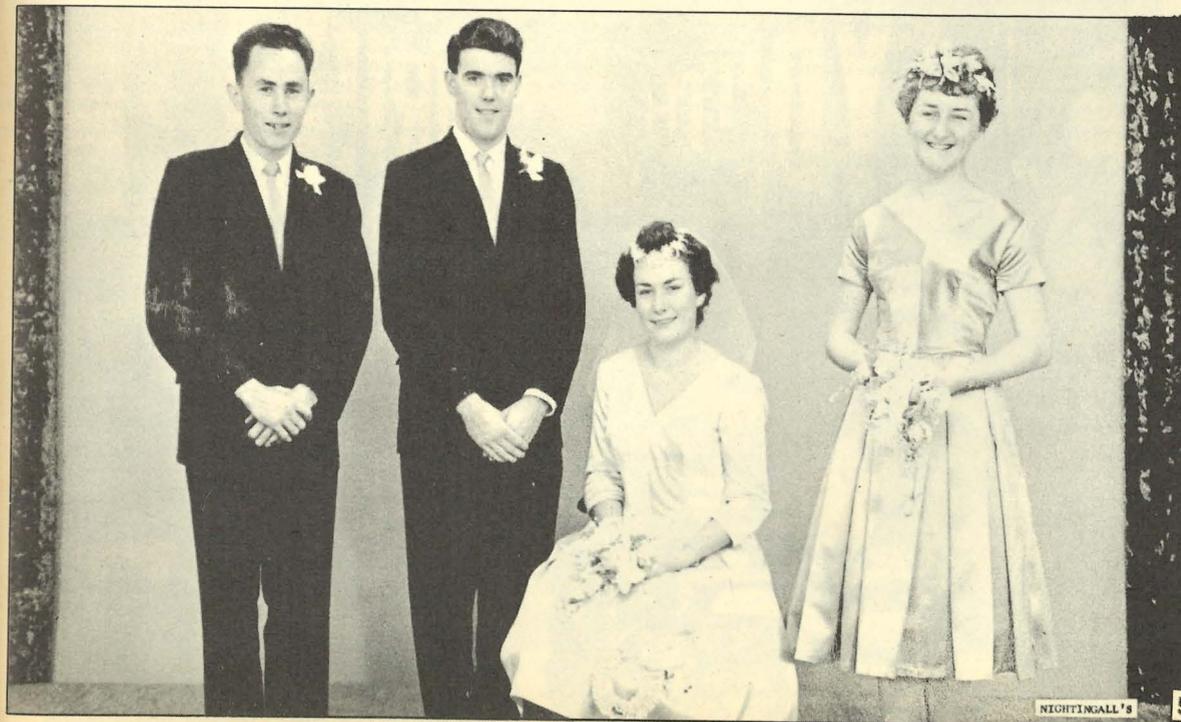


THOMAS METCALFE

Wedding Bells

Above: LYNCH--BLIGHT. At Trinity Methodist Church, Wanganui, Heather Davey, daughter of Mr and Mrs D.R. Blight, Wellington, to Noel Lynch. Margaret Blight, Wellington, was chief bridesmaid and Kathryn Smallwood, Wanganui, was bridesmaid. Lynette Shyte was the flowergirl. Dick Jessup, Wellington, was best man and Paul Crichton, Wellington, was groomsman. Future home...Wellington.

Below: PARNELL--MATHEWS. At St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Marie Josephine, daughter of Mr and Mrs T.J. Mathews, Kaitoke, to John Kilsby, son of Mr and Mrs H.K. Parnell, 25 Clapham Street, Wanganui East. Rosalie Moffitt, Wanganui, was bridesmaid and Alan Hoare, Wanganui, was best man. Future home...Wanganui.



NIGHTINGALL'S



RICHARDS, MARTON

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Above: SUCCESSFUL SEASON. The Broadway Bandoliers Marching Team (Marton) had a successful 1961-62 season in gaining 50 first placings, 6 seconds, and a third. Their awards included 26 cups, 5 shields plus medals. In the photograph, from left: **Back row:** Mr J.Hickman (instructor), B.Tootell, R.Lambert, L.McKinnon, I.Dance (leader), J.Hardymont (marker), C.Oliver, J.Dance, N.Lankshear, Mrs J.Hickman (chaperone). **In front:** M.Dance and P.Grant.

Below: FIRST ANNIVERSARY. About 200 young people attended the first anniversary tea and rally of the Wanganui Youth for Christ at St.Andrew's hall. Mr Don Theobald of the World Evangelistic Crusade is pictured addressing the gathering.



Boating Club Presentations



Mitchell Shield fours winners (first raced for in 1898). B.Windelburn, G.Stevens, R.Cawston, K.Rasmussen and Mr Burrell.



Tesla fours winners. J.Ackroyd, G.Stevens, T.Gilligan, Q.Murphy and B.Ibbett, cox.

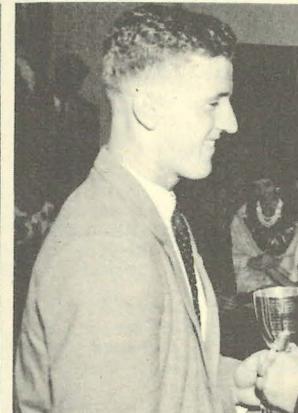
These photographs were taken at the Aramoho Boating Club's annual presentation of trophies and ladies' night. Mr H.G.Burrell, president, made the presentations. A large crowd was present and enjoyed the evening. A mock court was held and victims were fined by Judge Taylor. Money raised will be sent to the N. Z. Rowing Assn. as a contribution towards the Perth fund for N.Z. rowers.



R.Cawston received the La Hogue Points Shield for the most wins and seconds in racing during the season.



A special award was made to Chris Larsen who was a member of the N.Z. eight which defeated the Aussies in three tests, and a training squad member for Perth.



Most improved novice, Colin Delves, received the Hollier Cup.



Maiden Double Scullers, winners at Wanganui and Jury Cup regattas. G. Dicker and T.Gilligan.



Imported at great expense as a floor show were the "Whistling Dwarfs"



WYBON PHOTOGRAPHERS

Married

Above: WHITE--LAIRD. At All Saints' Church, Wanganui East, Judith Patricia, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R. L. Laird, 11 Clapham Place, Wanganui East, to James David White, son of Mrs W. Candy, 17 Portal Street, Durie Hill. Future home....Wanganui.

Right: VAN WAMEL--MAXWELL. At St. Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Joan Mary, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Maxwell, 9 Murch Place, Wanganui, to Johannes Jacobus, son of Mr and Mrs J.J. van Wamel, Holland. Future home....Wanganui.

Below: WATKINS--DOUGLAS. At the Wesley Methodist Church, Wanganui, Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Douglas, 5 Murch Place, Gonville, to Brian, son of Mrs V.L. Watkins, Tauranga, and the late Mr R.J. Watkins. Attending the bride were Jennifer Ennis, Christchurch, matron of honour, Noeline Bamforth, New Plymouth, and Jean McInnes, Wanganui. Robert Ronalds, Tauranga, was best man and Ronald Watkins and Graham Watkins, Tauranga, were groomsmen. Future home....Tokoroa.



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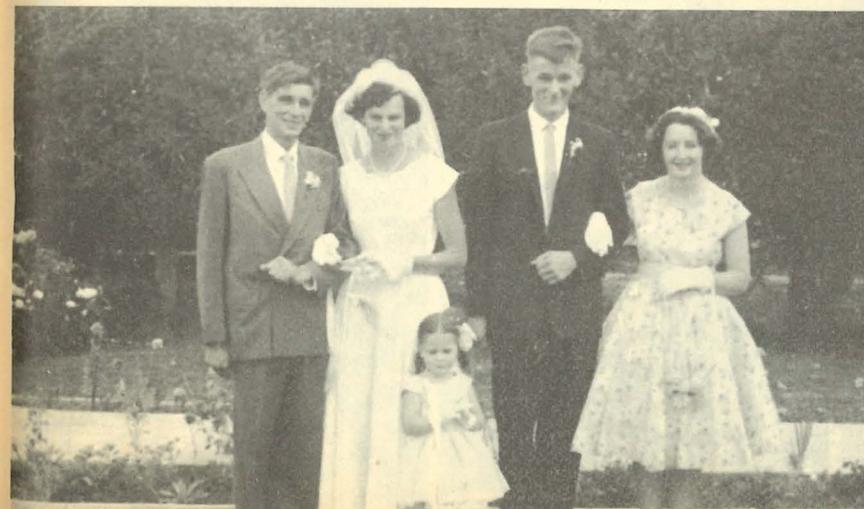
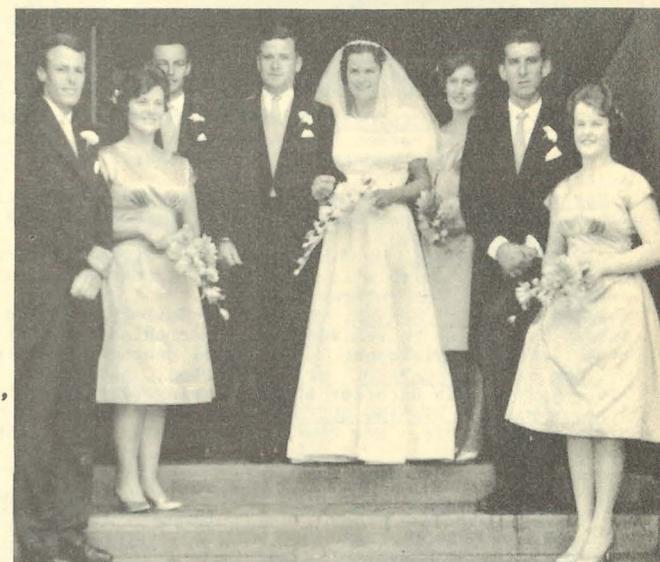


N.C. FLYOR



Above: STEWART--O'NEILL. At the Holy Trinity Church, Gisborne, Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.A.R. O'Neill, "Matahiwi", Wanganui, to William Roger, son of Mr and Mrs E.O. Stewart, Kara Street, Gisborne. The attendants from left are: Phillipa Duncan, Wanganui, junior maid, Horton Stewart, Ngatea, best man, Mrs Ann Gordon, Hunterville, matron of honour. The attendants at right are Shirley, Rodney and Susanne, O'Neill, Wanganui, sisters and brother of the bride. Future home....Napier.

Right: MURPHY--BETTRIDGE. At Mamaku Presbyterian Church, Desrae Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs L. Bettridge, Maraeroa Road, Mamaku, to Patrick James, son of Mr and Mrs F.W. Murphy, Kiwi Street, Wanganui. Cheryl Bettridge, Mamaku, was bridesmaid and Joanne Jennings, Mamaku, was flowergirl. Tony Murphy, Wanganui, was best man. Future home....Kawerau.



Left: COOPER--HILLAS. At All Saints Church, Palmerston North, Margaret Elizabeth, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs F. Hillas, Pori, Pahiatua, to Joseph Alan, son of Mr and Mrs L.J. Cooper, Tangihau, Gisborne. From left, attendants are: Rob Curham, Wanganui, Janet Cooper, Gisborne, Trevor Bell, Palmerston North, Ruth Shearer, Wellington, Michael Bignell, Wanganui, best man, and Mary Ann Hillas, Pahiatua, chief bridesmaid. Future home...Wanganui.



Personal



Above: SPORTING GESTURE. Winner of the Miss Tropicana and Miss Wanganui titles during the recent Sport-a-Stade campaign; Leone Sell, right, has offered to take her runner-up, Lynn Fisher, on her first-prize trip to Australia.

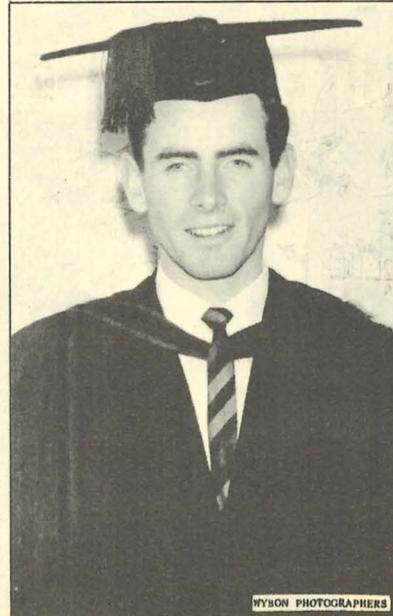
Top right: AUSSIE HOLIDAY. Mrs Pat Cameron, Castlecliff, and Brian Herlihy, a Wanganui schoolteacher, both left for holidays in Australia on the same plane recently.

Right: WORLD TOUR. Mr D.H.McLean left Wanganui recently on the first leg of a world tour which will take him to a refrigeration engineers' conference in Denmark. He returns in August.

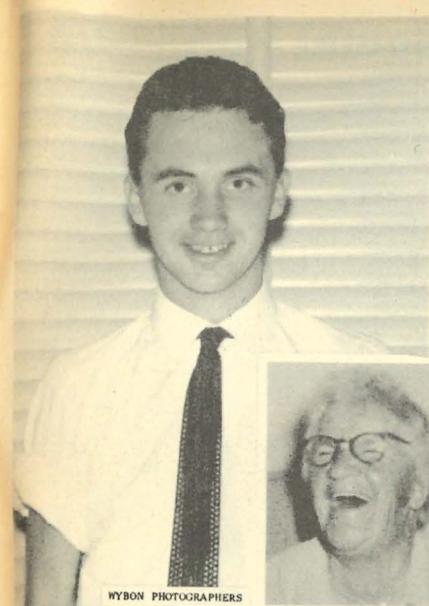
Below left: CUP WINNER. Christopher Gullery pictured with the Baxter and Conway Cups which he won for team leadership in recent St. John Ambulance competitions. Christopher is leader of Wanganui's Marist division.

Below centre: CAPPED. Brian Anderson, Alma Road, was capped recently after gaining his Bachelor of Engineering degree at Victoria University.

Below right: WINNING QUEEN. Sport-a-Stade Queen competition winner was Miss Lanise Furrrie. Her committee handed in £3005. She was the badminton candidate.



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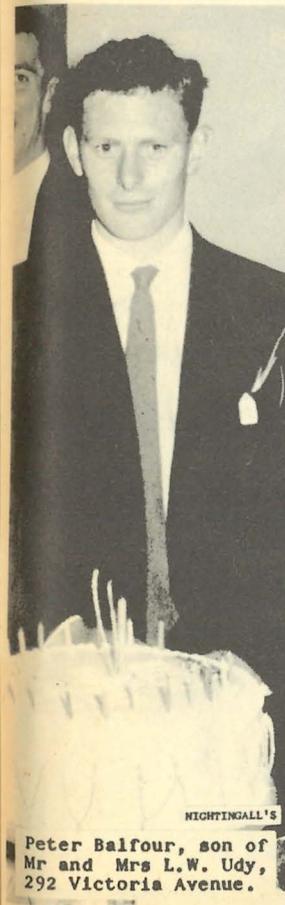
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Barry, son of Mr and Mrs C.Walker, Papatoetoe (late of Wanganui). Pictured inset is Mrs E. Boud enjoying Barry's party.



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Jeanette Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Hodder, Lilybank Road, Westmere, pictured with her parents.



NIGHTINGALL'S

Peter Balfour, son of Mr and Mrs L.W. Udy, 292 Victoria Avenue.



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Kathleen, daughter of Mrs K.T.Glenn, 175 Puriri Street.



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Marion Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs G.C. Hall, Westmere.



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Elizabeth Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs A.A. Couchman, Great North Road.



COMING OF AGE: James Frederick, son of Mr and Mrs W.Duxfield, 13 Pitt Street, Wanganui, a recent 21-year-old.



N.C. FLYGER

COMING OF AGE: John Rupert Thorley, son of Mr and Mrs J.T. Symes, 79 Swiss Avenue, Gonville, pictured with his parents on the occasion of his 21st birthday.

Social Round-Up



NIGHTINGALL'S

COMING OF AGE: Alan Campbell, son of Mr and Mrs R.Kidd, 4 Field Street, Aramoho.....now has the key.



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Camera Round-up

Above: FAREWELLED. Friends and neighbours gathered to farewell Mrs G.Ward, from Wanganui, at an afternoon tea given by Mrs N.Melton. Mrs Ward leaves Wanganui with her husband, Constable A.Ward (Wanganui East Police Station) who has been transferred to Ashurst. Pictured, from left, are **Standing:** Mesdames E.T.McKenzie, M.Goldsmith, M.Owles, M.Rush, M.Duncan, J.Nutsford, E.Abbott and W.Ross. **Seated:** Mesdames M.McDonald, N.Melton, G.Ward, N.Billinghurst, F.Prosser and K.Smith.
Below: BUSY LINES. Don't envy Station 2XA workers connected with the new telephone quiz spots. Three lines keep Dianne Hansen, Barry Scott, and Lynne Stodart busy after Bill Leathwick had posed a question over the radio. First in with the right answer receives a prize from various advertisers. Two or three questions a day are put to listeners and the right answer combined with the quickest dialling finger always wins.



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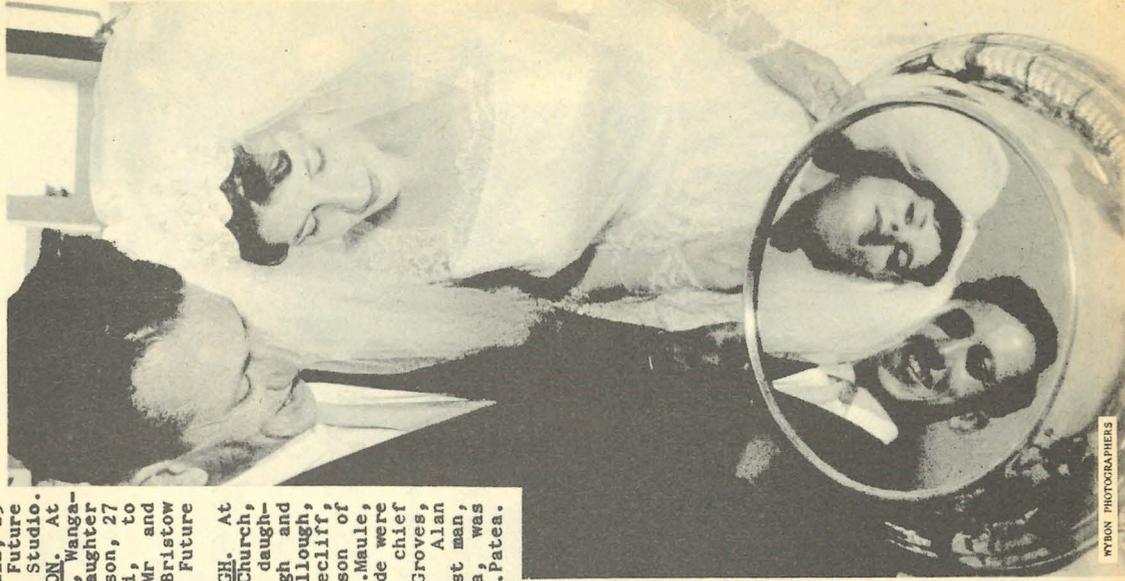
Dr Widdowson, president of the Wanganui Red Cross sub-centre, is pictured presenting his report at the annual meeting of the association. Also in the photograph are Mrs A.B.Currin, secretary, Mrs H. Duncan, treasurer, and Miss H.Williams, acting chairman. All officers were returned in the election of officers.



Left: MCGRAIL—WIFFIN. At St. Peter's Church, Dannevirke, Robyn Shirley, daughter of Mr R. Wiffin, Dannevirke, to Robert James, son of Mrs E. McGrail, 25 George Street, Aramoho. Future home... Raetihi. Barretts Studio. Right: GIBSON—HUTCHISON. At Trinity Methodist Church, Wanganui, Gillian Denise, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. N. Hutchison, 27 Durie Street, Wanganui, to Barrie Robert, son of Mr and Mrs A. T. Gibson, 6a Bristow Street, St. John's Hill. Future home... Wanganui. Below: MAULE—MCCULLOUGH. At St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Wanganui, Margaret Jean, daughter of Mrs V. F. McCullough and the late Mr Joseph McCullough, 119 Karaka Street, Castlecliff, to Alexander Richard, son of Mrs and the late Mr L. M. Maule, Shirley West, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid, and Judith Groves, Wanganui, flowergirl. Alan Clarkson, Patea, was best man, and Bruce Bailey, Patea, was groomsmen. Future home... Patea.



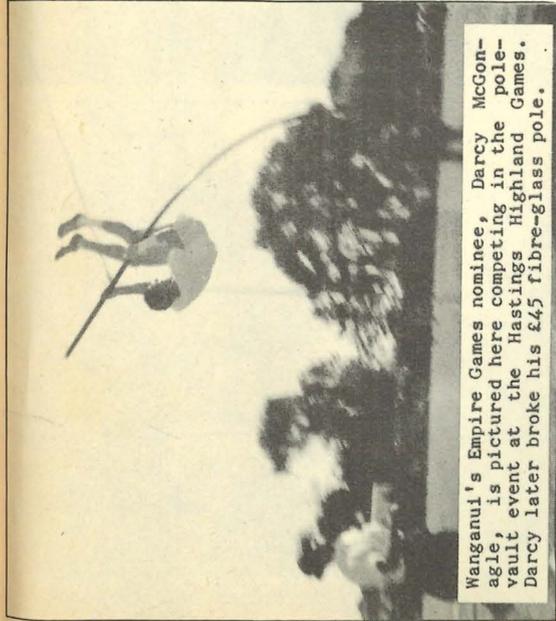
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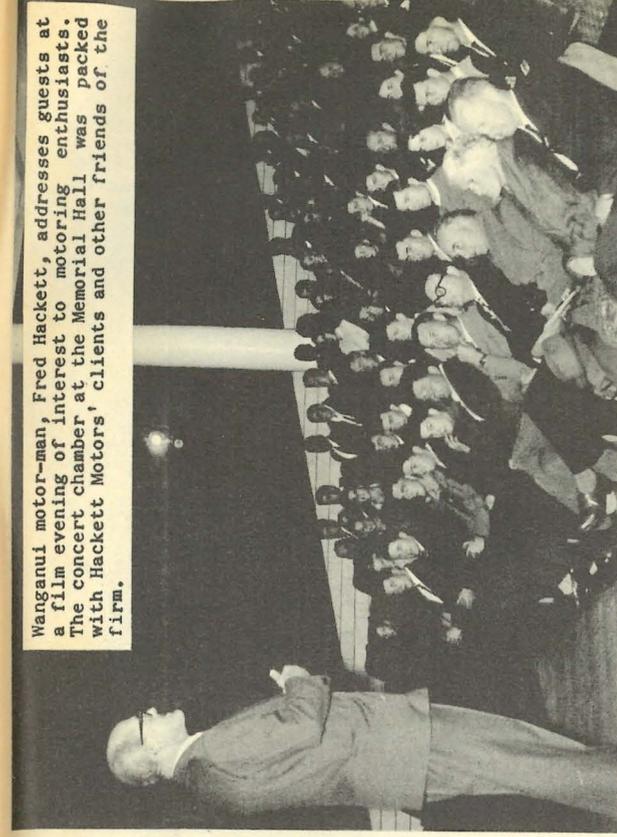
Wanganui's Empire Games nominee, Darcy McGonagle, is pictured here competing in the pole-vault event at the Hastings Highland Games. Darcy later broke his 445 fibre-glass pole.

This season has been a most successful one for the Aramoho Boating Club. Top achievements were the wins of the Junior Eight and sculler Barry Windelburn (below) at the N.Z. championships at Christchurch recently.

Pictured at right after their win at Ch. Ch. are the Junior Eight. Back row: R. Bell (Physical Instructor), J. Kjestrup, K. Loweridge, P. Larsen, R. Cawston, G. Campbell (coach). Front row: G. Beale, V. Carey, S. Naider (cox), D. McInnes, M. Parkes.



CAMERA



Wanganui motor-man, Fred Hackett, addresses guests at a film evening of interest to motoring enthusiasts. The concert chamber at the Memorial Hall was packed with Hackett Motors' clients and other friends of the firm.





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ENGAGED

Above: HODSON—SNADDON. Merrel Rae, daughter of Mr and Mrs A.C. Snaddon, 10a Rata Street, Gonville, to Gary Roland, son of Mrs G.M. and the late Mr W.E.Hodson, 49 Harrison Street, Wanganui.

Top right: O'KEEFFE — JONES. Audrey Lydia, daughter of Mrs D. Jones, 62 Niblett Street, to John Lindon O'Keeffe, 8 Argyle Street, Wanganui.

BOTH BIRTHDAY

Right: Mrs E.Swarbrick, 5 Bennett Street, Gonville, is pictured on the occasion of her 80th birthday with sons, Mr L.Swarbrick, Palmerston North, and Mr J. Swarbrick, Gisborne, and daughter Mrs W.S.D'Arcy, Wanganui.

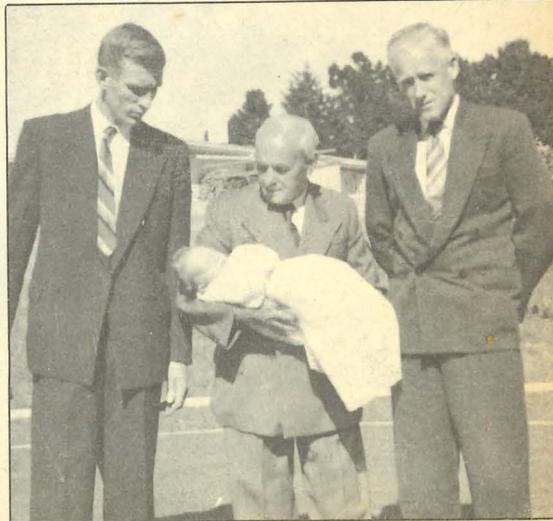
COMING OF AGE

Below: Michael James, son of Mr and Mrs H.L.Coleman, 19 Plymouth Street, recently celebrated his 21st birthday.

FOUR GENERATIONS

Bottom right: Young Stephen Barlow is pictured with father, Wayne, grandfather, Lionel and great-grandfather, Granville. All live in Wanganui.

Social Round-Up



Paying Tribute

The sun shone brightly on the Maori Anzac service in the picturesque Motua Gardens. A section of the large crowd is pictured gathered around the memorial column during the service.

