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**SOUTH ISLAND BEAUTIES:** Five charming provincial representatives from the South Island are caught by our camera prior to their appearing on the Wanganui Opera House stage. The girls are entrants in the current Joe Brown "Miss New Zealand" contest. From left: "Miss Southland", Lyndal Cruickshanks; "Miss Otago", Maureen Ford; "Miss South Canterbury", Katherine Gibson; "Miss Canterbury", Helen Iggo; and "Miss Marlborough", Patricia Marchant. North Island girls are pictured inside the back cover.

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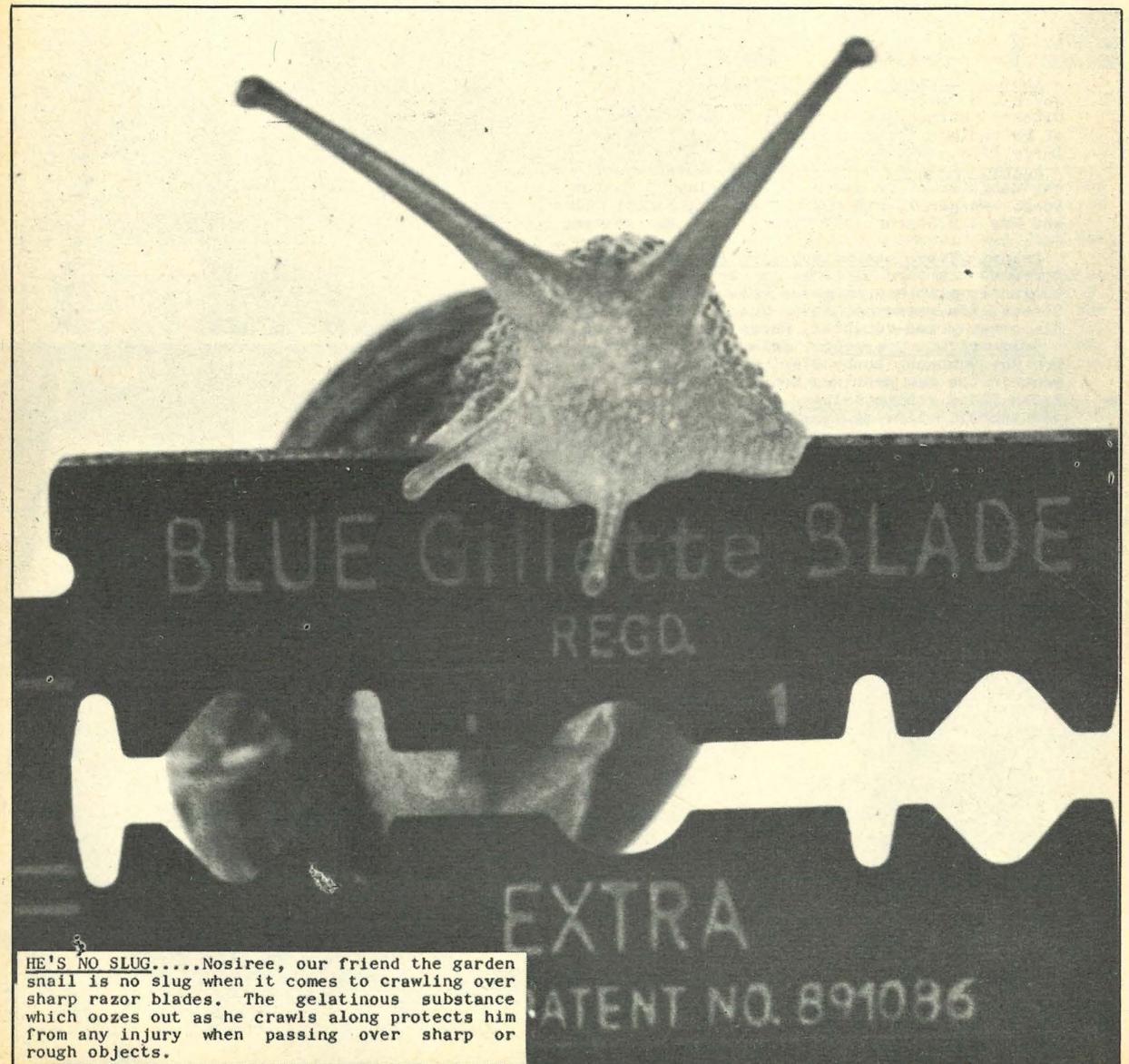
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### OUR COVER

Tonight is your last chance to see the 1964 production by the Wanganui Amateur Musical and Dramatic Society, Brigadoon. The fine photograph on our cover is one taken by Eldon Burkett (Kiwi Candid Photographers) and shows well-known dancers Valerie Whyman (Maggie Abernethy) and Lois Moosman (Jeannie McKeith).

**BACK COVER:** A lovely splash of autumn colour taken recently near the Upokongaro rifle range.

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**HE'S NO SLUG....** Nosiree, our friend the garden snail is no slug when it comes to crawling over sharp razor blades. The gelatinous substance which oozes out as he crawls along protects him from any injury when passing over sharp or rough objects.

**Social Items**

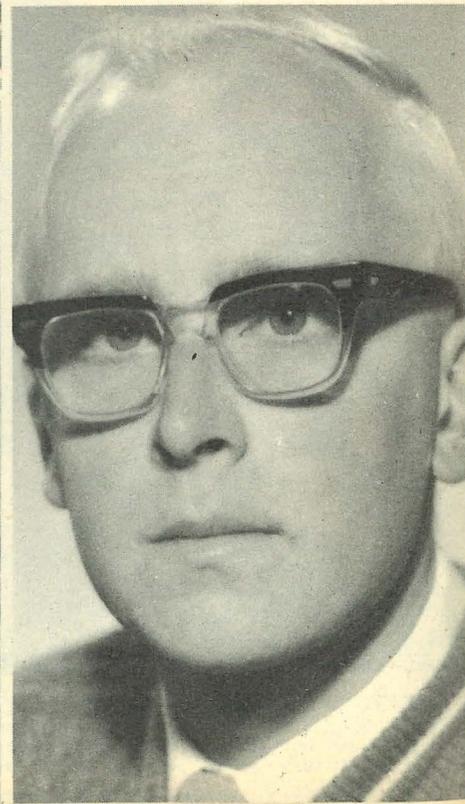
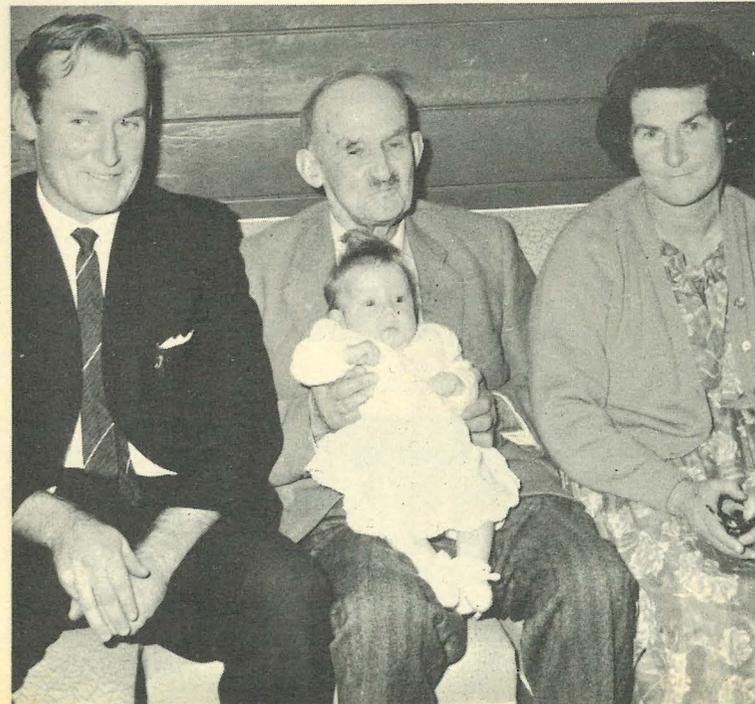


**Above. Engaged. BOURNE--MASTERS:** Kathleen Joyce, daughter of Mr and Mrs A.G.Masters, 35 Mitchell Street, Aramoho, to John Edward, son of Mr and Mrs R.E.Bourne, 15 Plunket Street, Durie Hill. (WYBON).

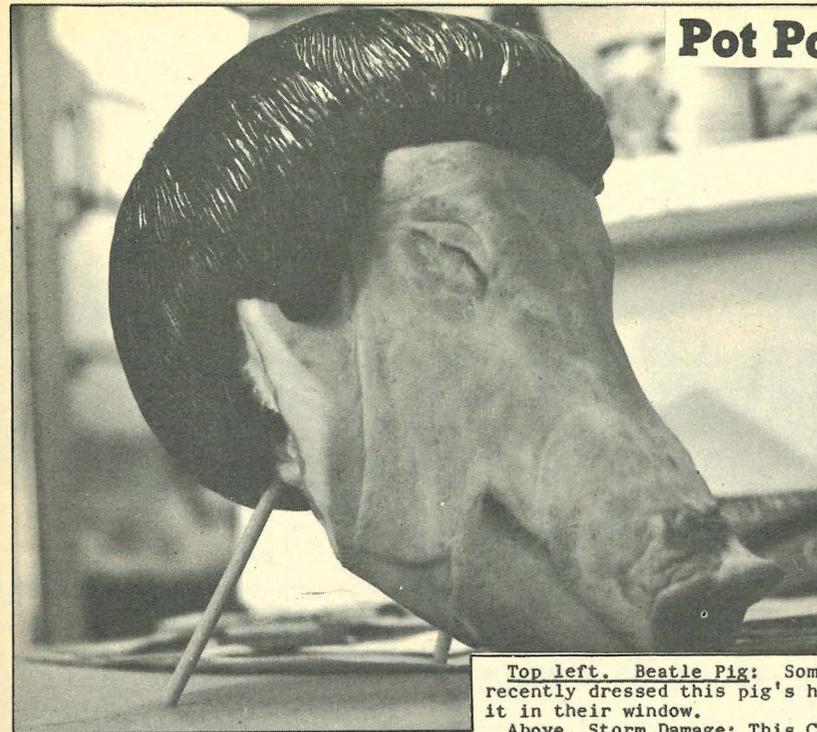
**Right. Engaged. HODSON--COPLEY:** Beverley Joyce, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.E.Copley, 3 Buxton Road, Wanganui, to Desmond Robert, son of Mr and Mrs B.R.Hodson, 227 High Street, Dannevirke. (WYBON).

**Below. Four Generations/93rd Birthday:** Pictured on his 93rd birthday is Mr James Gray, Longacre, with his daughter, Mrs C.Head, Duncan Street, his grandson, Kevin Head, Longacre, and his great-grand-daughter, Maree Head, 3 months.

**Below right. Overseas:** Selwyn, son of Mr and Mrs Roy Johnson, Bonny Glen, Marton, is at present in the New Hebrides under the Presbyterian Bible Class scheme helping to build hospital and school buildings. (RICHARDS).



**Pot Pourri**

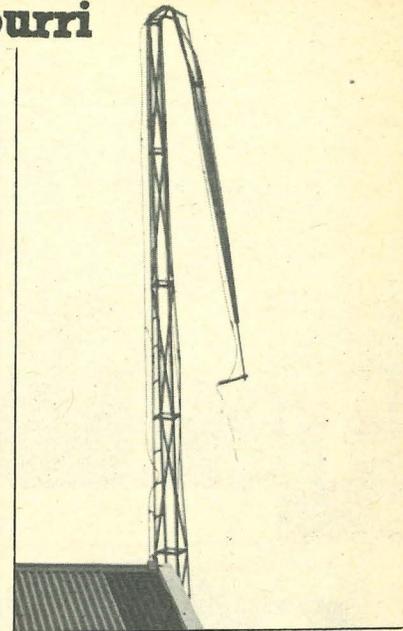
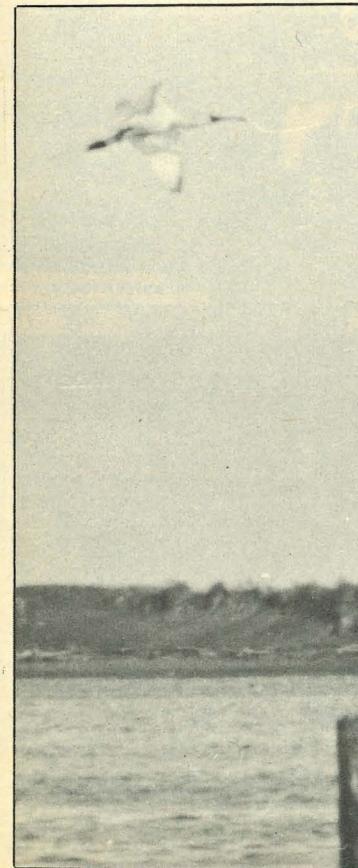


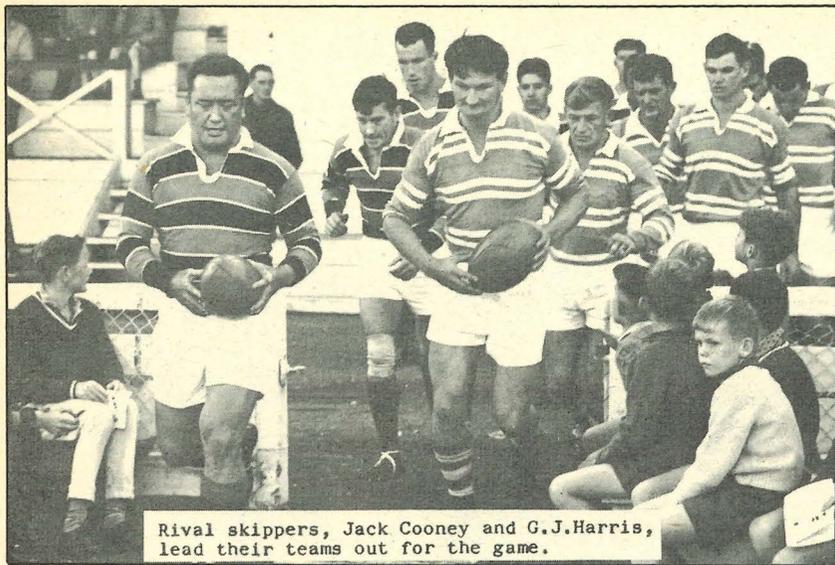
**Top left. Beetle Pig:** Some hard cases in a city butcher shop recently dressed this pig's head with a Beatle wig and displayed it in their window.

**Above. Storm Damage:** This Castlecliff T.V. antenna was just one of the many which were damaged in the storm last month.

**Below left. Hard To Photograph:** We had a couple of efforts at trying to photograph the heron which visited the port recently. Even with our tele lens this was the best we could get of the scary bird.

**Below. Pennies For Charity:** Tim Hurley straightens up a loose penny in the Grand Hotel's penny pile for charitable institutions. Tim has fashioned the pile into a replica of a church.

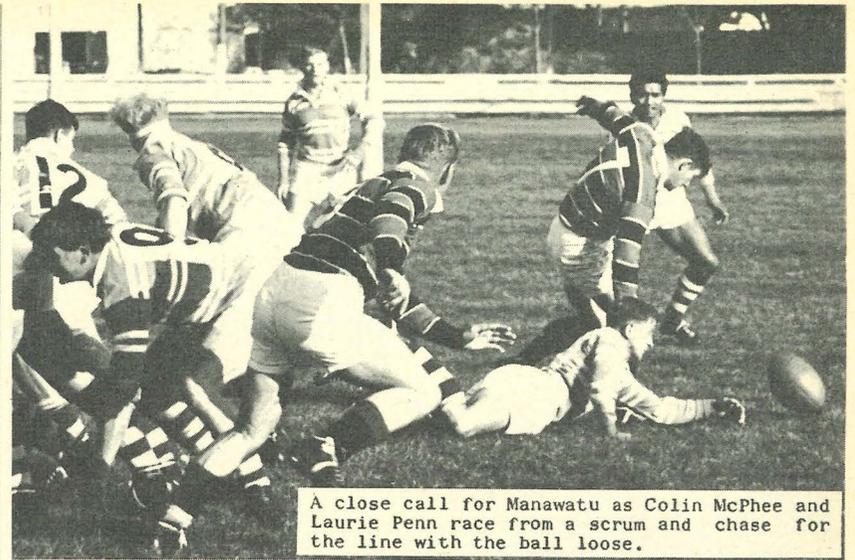




Rival skippers, Jack Cooney and G.J.Harris, lead their teams out for the game.



Colin Pierce settles the ball for the penalty kick which was to win the game for Wanganui. His total was a drop and a conversion.



A close call for Manawatu as Colin McPhee and Laurie Penn race from a scrum and chase for the line with the ball loose.



Ron Crombie...the selector with the goods for Wanganui

## Rep. Rugby: First Blood To Wanganui

In their first game last season the Wanganui representative rugby team was beaten by Manawatu to the tune of 42-0. It was a different story with their first game of this season, however...Wanganui beat Manawatu by 14 points to 11.

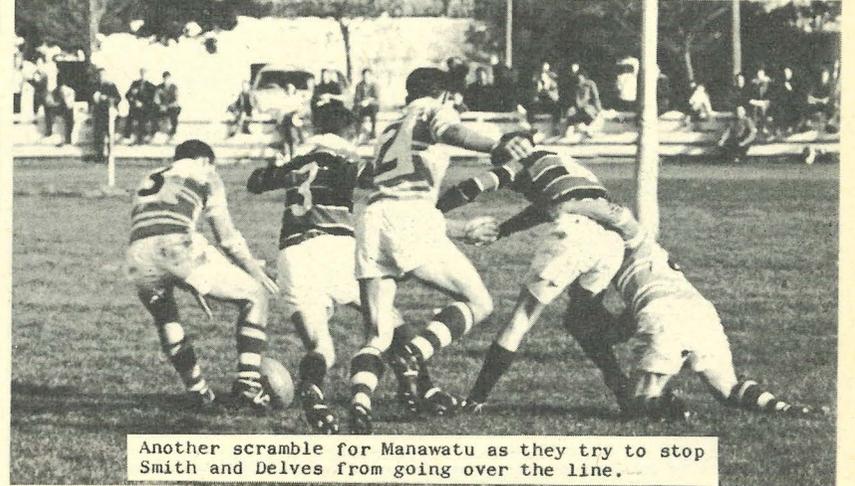
The many Wanganui supporters at the Manawatu Showgrounds thrilled to the drive and fire of the Wanganui power-pack forwards and the promise shown by the backs picked for this game. The game was another personal triumph for Colin Pierce who kicked eight of Wanganui's points. Congratulations to selector Ron Crombie in picking a squad to topple the third highest points scorers in New Zealand rugby last year.



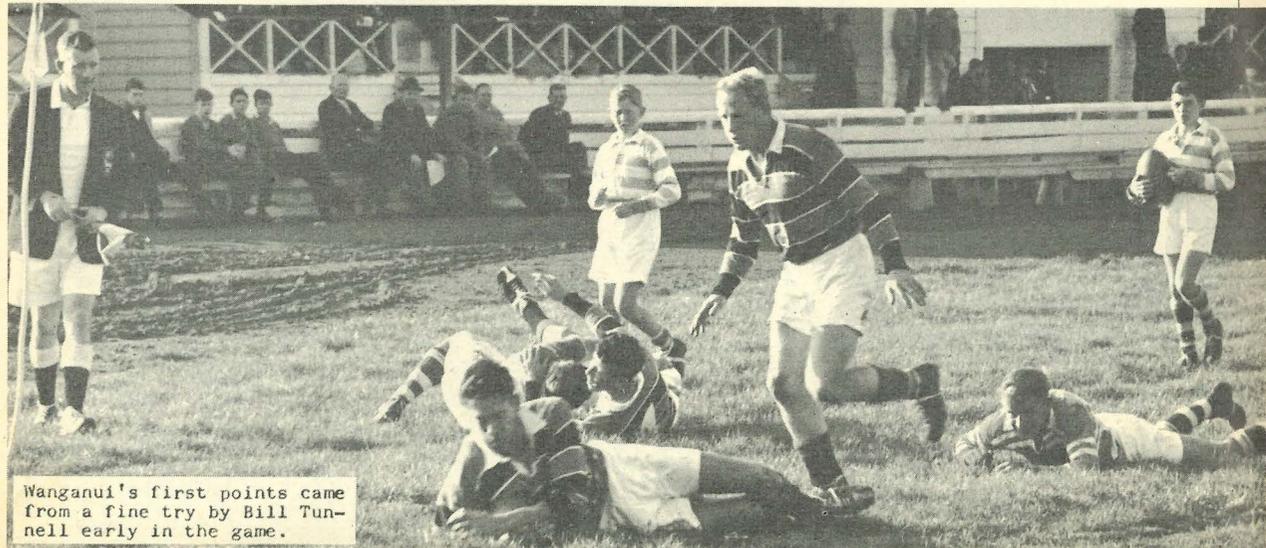
McAndrew sends the ball on to Pickard



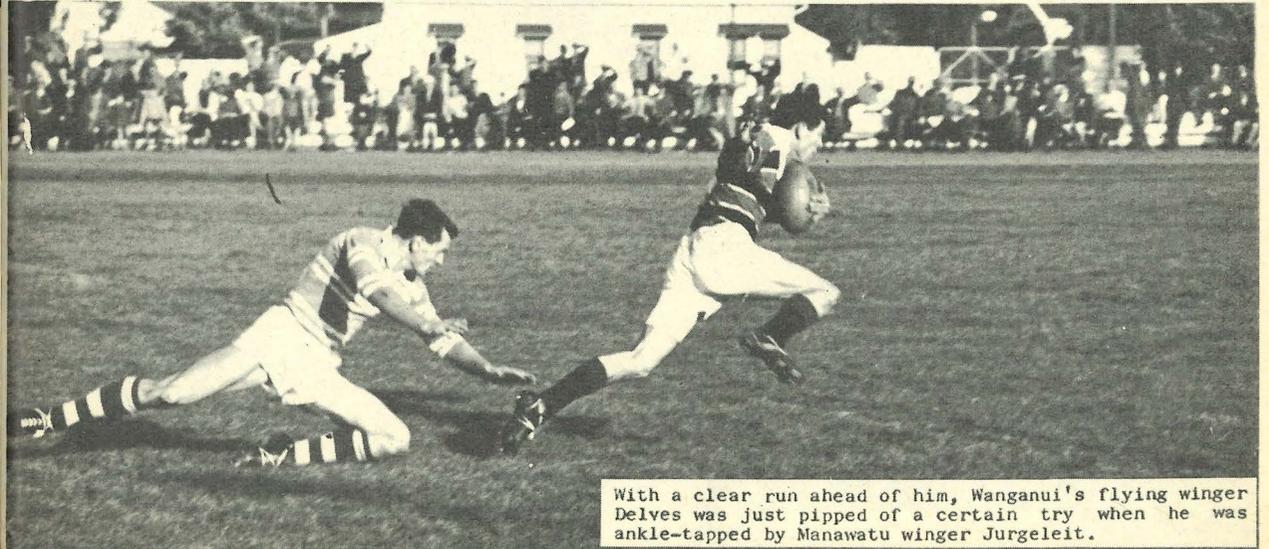
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Another scramble for Manawatu as they try to stop Smith and Delves from going over the line.



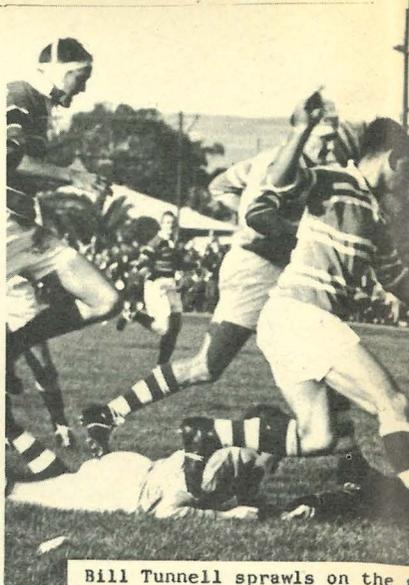
Wanganui's first points came from a fine try by Bill Tunnell early in the game.



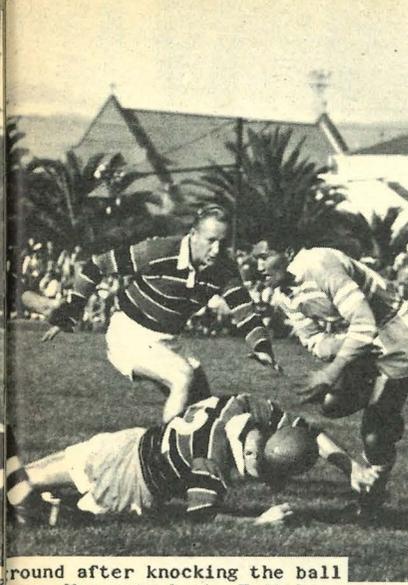
With a clear run ahead of him, Wanganui's flying winger Delves was just pipped of a certain try when he was ankle-tapped by Manawatu winger Jurgeleit.



Wanganui's tough forwards who carried the day with flying colours. They are W.Tunnell, L.Penn, A.Firmin, N.Lomax, L.Condon, G.Lance, J.Cooney and O.Perry.



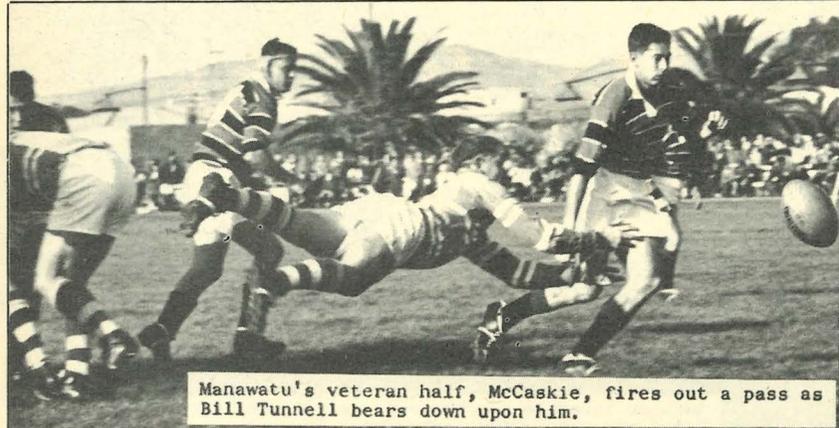
Bill Tunnell sprawls on the ground after knocking the ball out of the hands of the dangerous Manawatu back, Taitoko.



Lomax goes in for a tackle



All Black Ron Horsley lunges to charge down Colin McPhee's kick for the line.



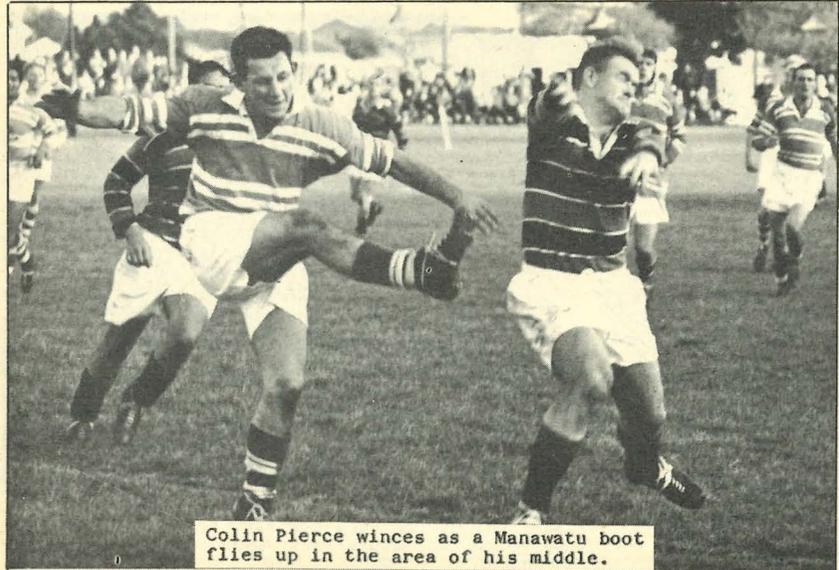
Manawatu's veteran half, McCaskie, fires out a pass as Bill Tunnell bears down upon him.



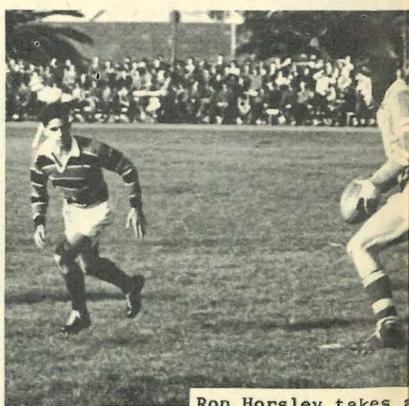
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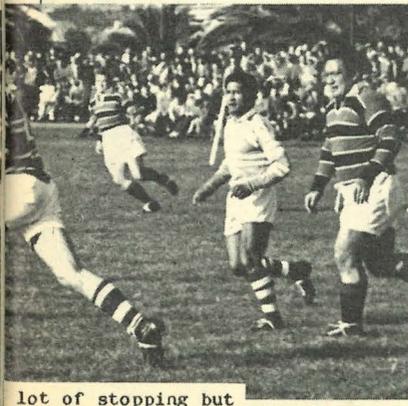
Ron Horsley takes a lot of stopping but McAndrew is ready for a go anyway.

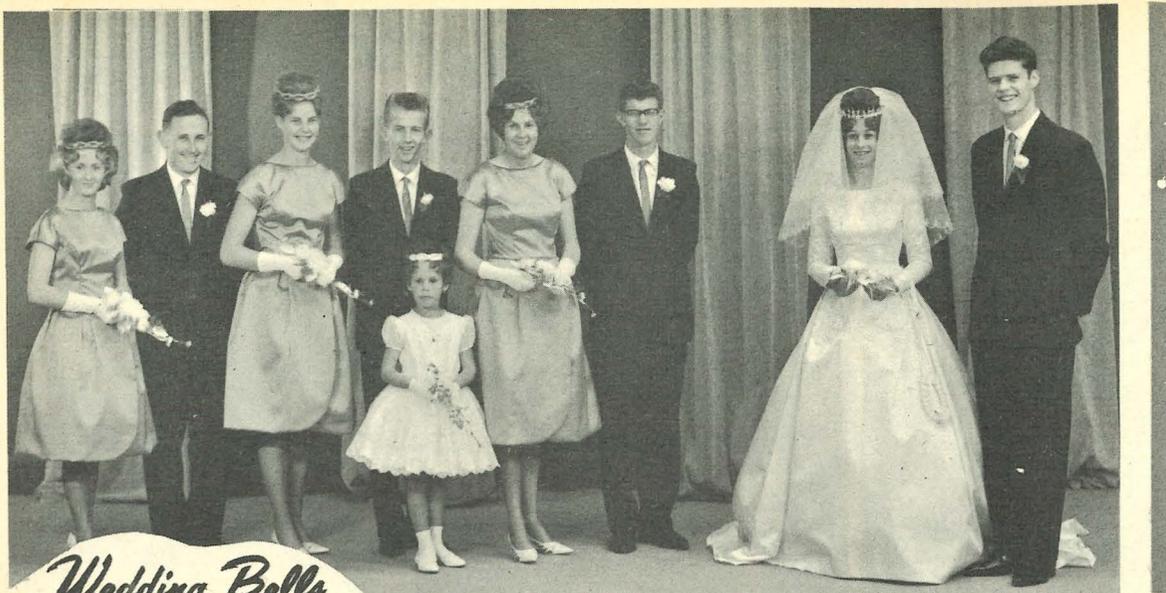


Colin Pierce wincing as a Manawatu boot flies up in the area of his middle.



Pickard is fended off by Jurgeleit but McAndrew and Smith come up fast in support.

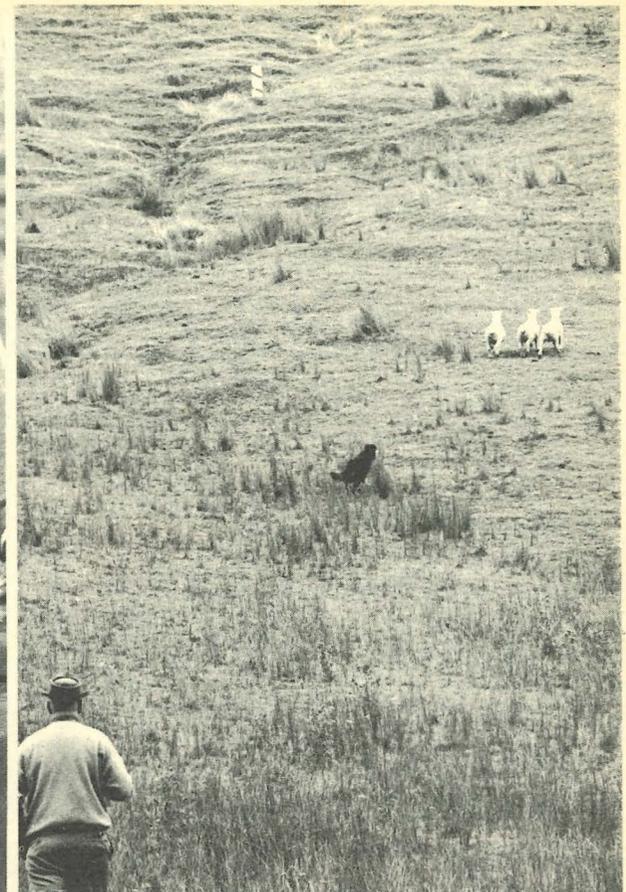
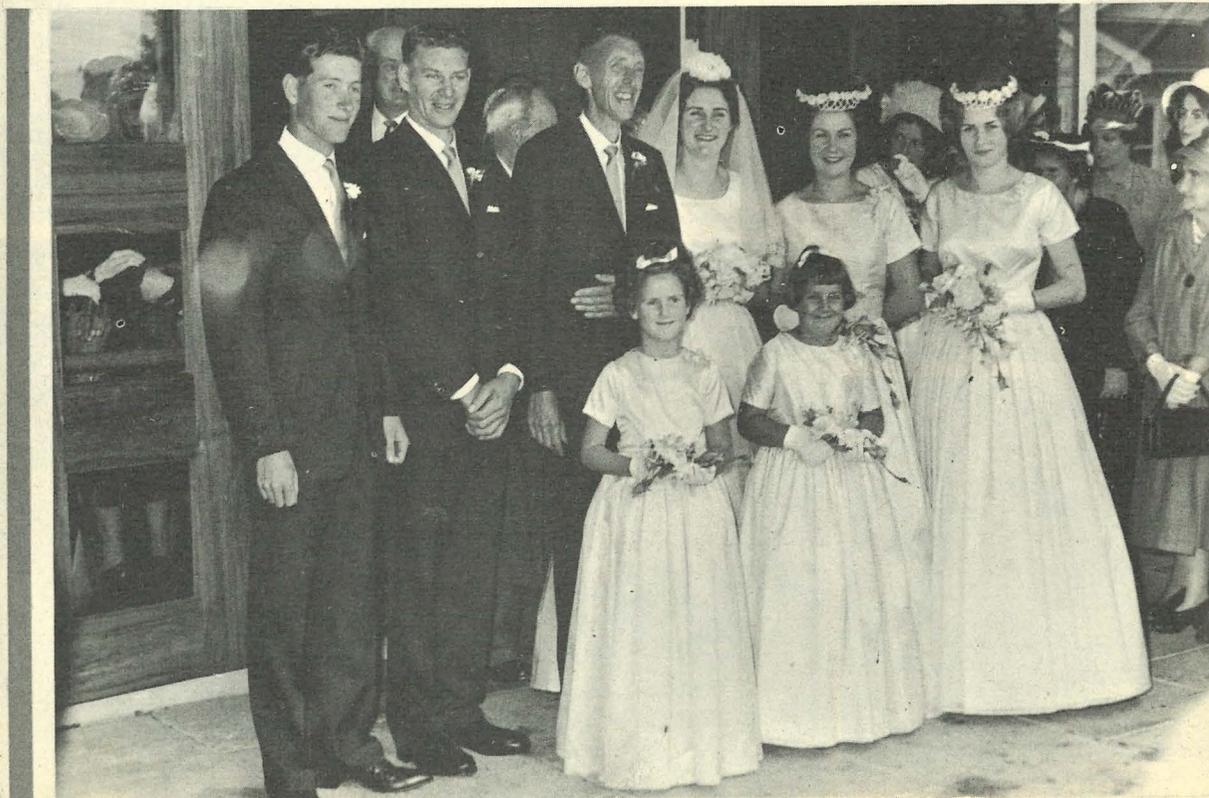




## Wedding Bells

**Above: BELL--CLARK.** At St Mary's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Heather Jean, daughter of Mr and Mrs N.Clark, 23 Maketu Street, Wanganui, to Robert, grandson of Mr and Mrs D.Smith, 3 Gonville Avenue, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Sandra Williams, Himatangi, Neil Smith, Wanganui, Carol Christianson, Wanganui, Kevin Clark (brother of the bride) Wanganui, Fay Handley (flower-girl), Frankton, Carol Clark (sister of the bride) chief bridesmaid, Wanganui, and John O'Malley (best man), Wanganui. Future home, Hawera. (WYBON STUDIO).

**Below: BURNETT--HEAD.** At St James' Presbyterian Church, Wanganui East, Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.Head, 23 Duncan Street, Wanganui East, to Ward, son of Mr and the late Mrs B.Burnett, "Oneida", Fordell. Attendants, from left, are Roger Marshall, Wanganui, Donald White, Wanganui, best man, Lynette Barker and Minda Bibby, Wanganui, flower-girls, Janet Head, sister of the bride, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid, and Lois Head, sister of the bride, Wanganui. Future home, Fordell. (WYBON STUDIO).



## Sheep Dog Trials

Over 200 entries from districts in the Taranaki and Wellington provinces were received for the recent Parapara-Makirikiri sheep dog trials held on Mr R.Ranginui's Makirikiri property.

**Left:** Club president, Mr Fraser Rowe, chats with the ground marshal, Mr Leo Roache, Parakino.

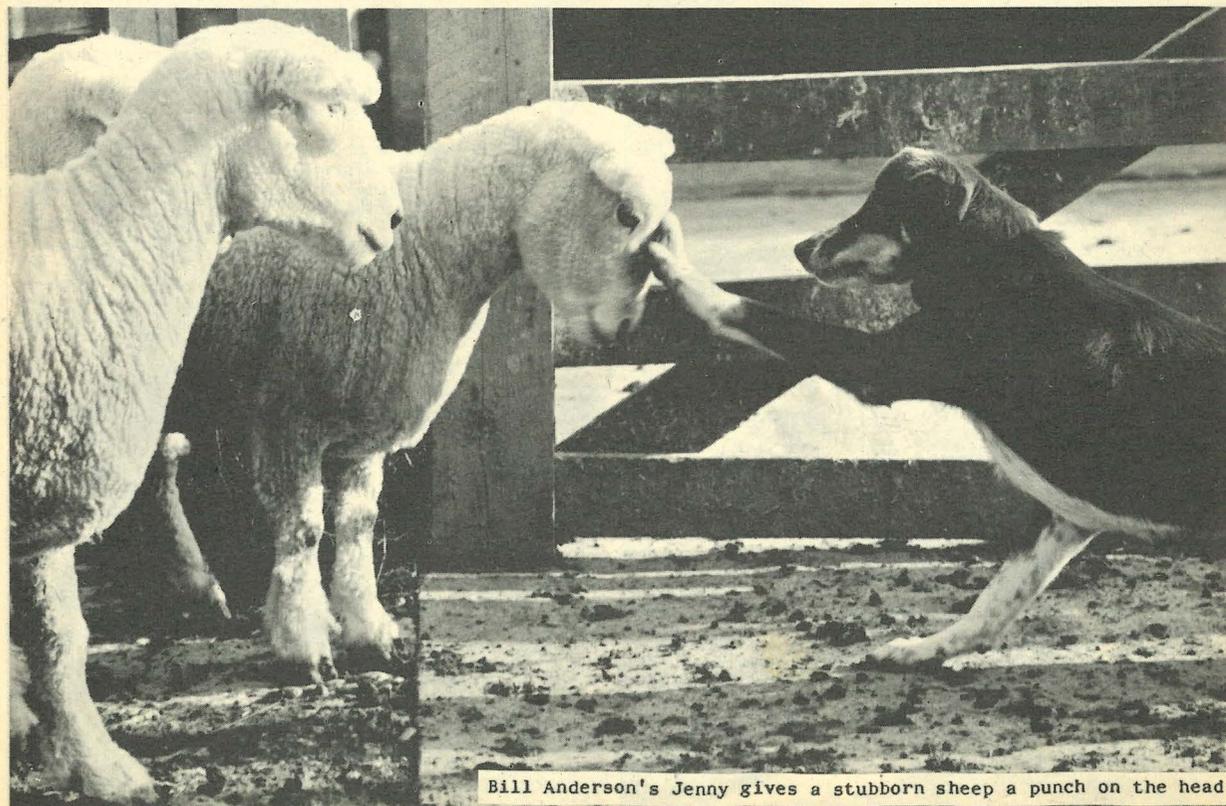
**Above:** Laurie Henderson, Mangamahu, sends Bruce away with the sheep in the zig-zag hunt-away trial.

**Below:** These sheep broke away and headed for some human company.





Watching with interest are, **back:** Bob Guthrie, Maurie Hore and Alan Shaw and **front:** Peter Campbell, Derek Penn (sec.) and Nohi Wallace.



Bill Anderson's Jenny gives a stubborn sheep a punch on the head



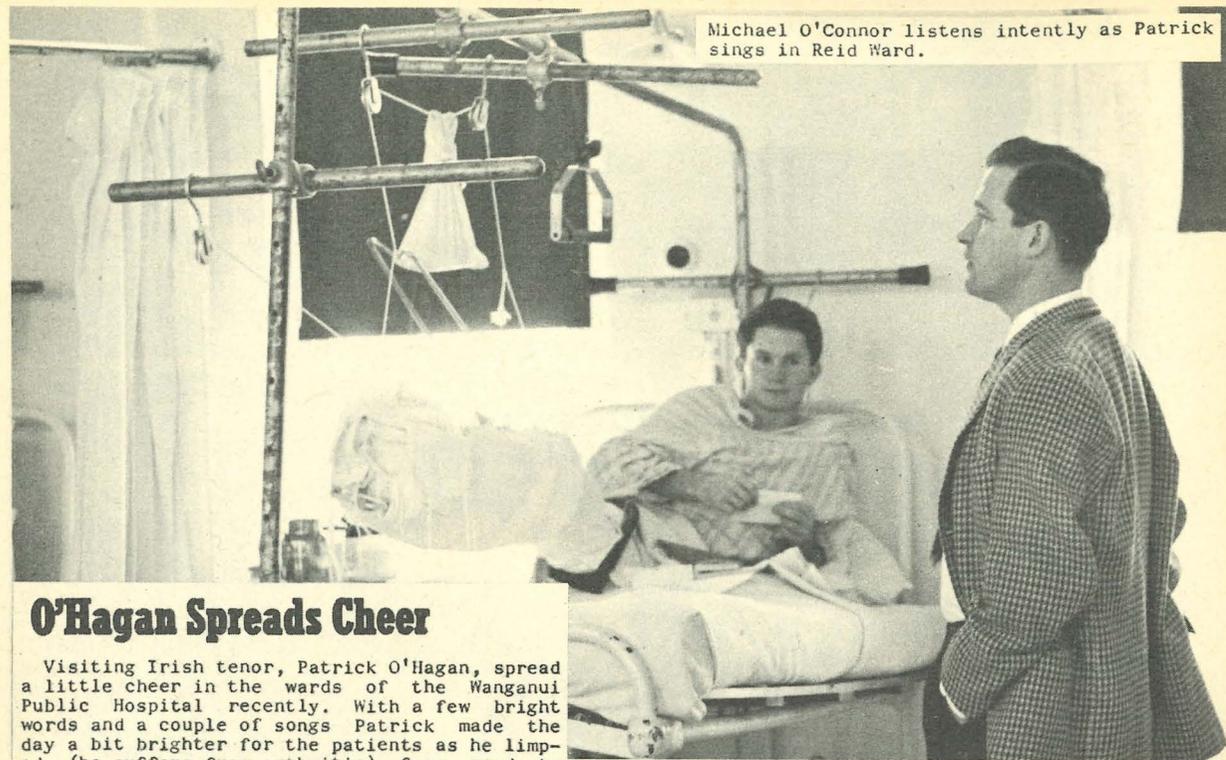
**Top:** Richard Morrow, Taranaki, and Wag ready to bail up the sheep in the short head and yard event.

**Above left:** Time out for a yarn for Charlie Baird, Raetihi, Jim Frost, Morikau and Alan Campbell, Mangamahu.

**Above right:** The hard-working womenfolk who looked after the men's appetites. From left: Mesdames Farley, Wickham, Sullivan, Sutter, Bason and Robertson.

**Below:** This is only a hobby for Hawera carpenter Bill Anderson. But he and his dog Jenny are a pair well up to the standard of the best of the "professionals".





Michael O'Connor listens intently as Patrick sings in Reid Ward.

### O'Hagan Spreads Cheer

Visiting Irish tenor, Patrick O'Hagan, spread a little cheer in the wards of the Wanganui Public Hospital recently. With a few bright words and a couple of songs Patrick made the day a bit brighter for the patients as he limped (he suffers from arthritis) from ward to ward. He also visited the "Olde English" wishing well (organised by the Wanganui South Rotary Club and brought from England and donated to the city by Mr and Mrs F. Burnett) and helped the hospital Chapel fund along with a donation of £1.



Accompanied by matron Miss Scrymgeour and 2XA manager Eric Lawrence, Patrick tours the hospital.



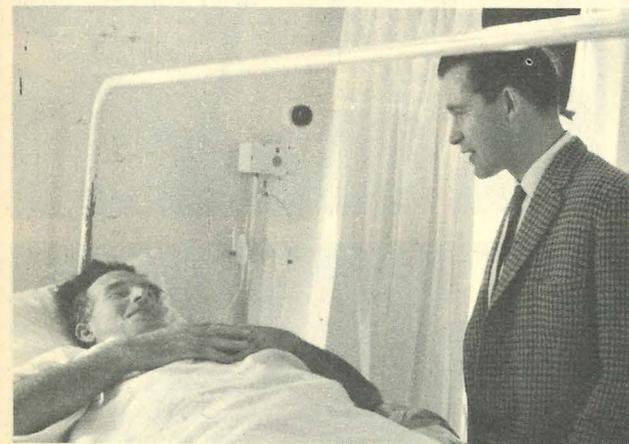
Mr O'Hagan chats with nurses Annette Kirkby, Lorraine Hunt and Maureen O'Leary at the wishing well.



Above: Watched by nurses Kirkby, Hunt and O'Leary, South Rotarian Jack Tizard and accompanist Oswald Cheesman, Patrick drops his donation in the wishing well.

Left: A word with Edwin Fuglistaller, Hawera. Bottom left: ...and a giggle with off-duty nurses Arlene Coker, Maxine Thomas and Sue Burke.

Below: Maureen Couchman collects an autograph.





# YOUTH for CHRIST

3<sup>RD</sup> BIRTHDAY RALLY

## Birthday Rally

A team of 32 from the Auckland Youth For Christ movement supplied the programme at the third birthday rally of Youth For Christ, held in Wanganui recently. These photographs were taken by A.L.Maas, Marton.

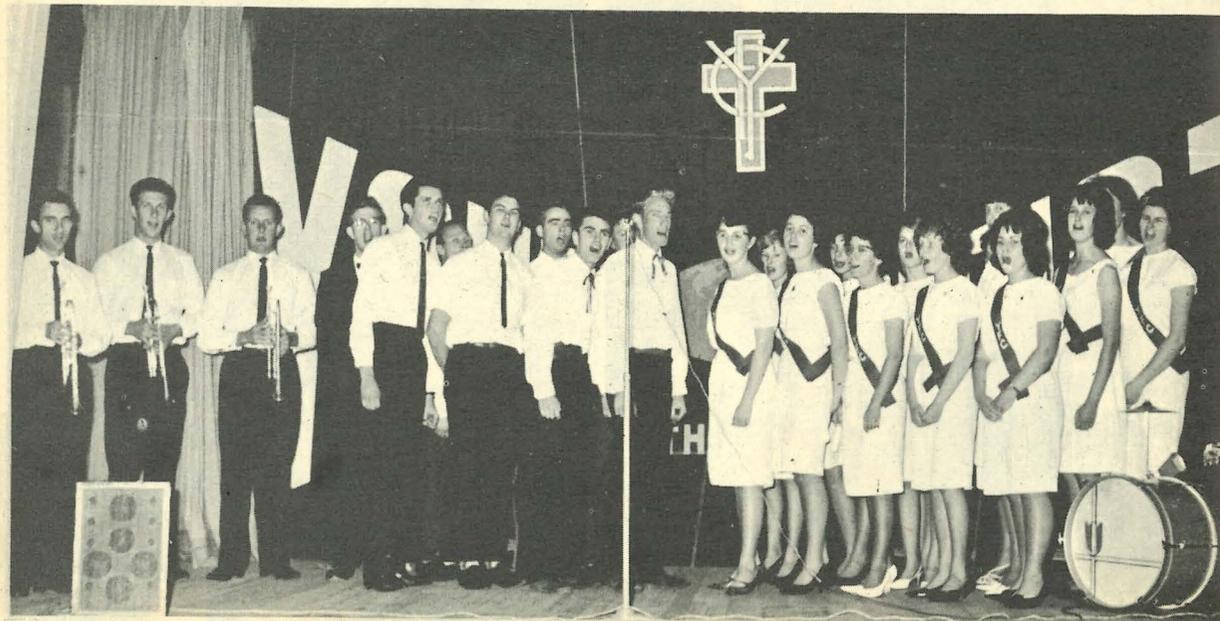
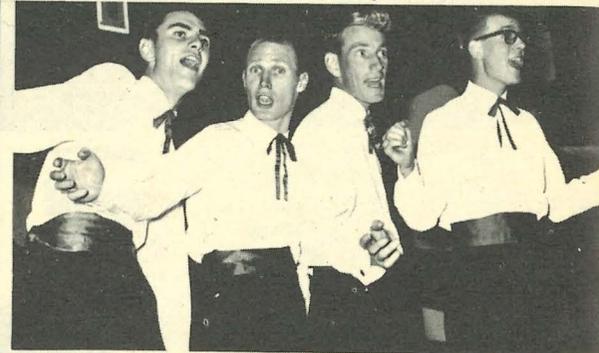
**Left:** A visitor from Australia, Miss Miriam Holman, sang the solos.

**Above:** Items were delivered before this huge back-drop.

**Below left:** An item by the "Trumpet Trio" from Auckland.

**Below right:** "The For Teens Four" pictured giving their vocal performance.

**Bottom:** The "Teen Chorale" pictured on stage.



## Engaged

**Above: RAMSAY--RICH.** Diane N daughter of Mr and Mrs J.C.Rich, 12 Terrace St, to Glenn Warren, eldest son of Mr and Mrs W. Ramsay, 21 Taranaki Street, Wanganui.

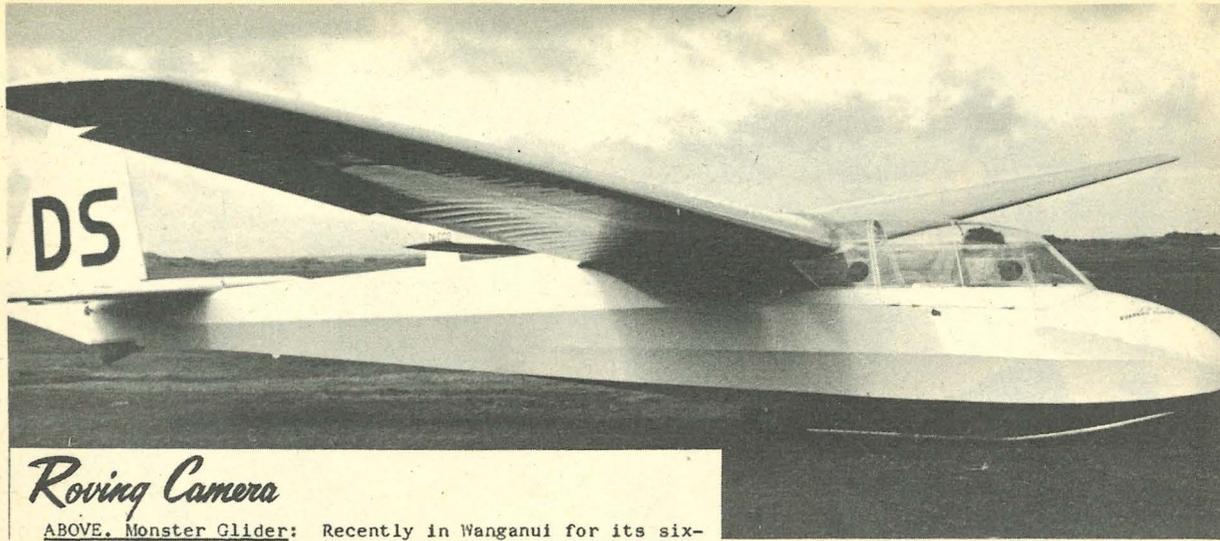
**Top right: GORDON--HAWKE.** Janet Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs D.C.Hawke, 1 Tangaru Street, to Donald, son of Mr and Mrs S.Gordon, 13 Burns Street, Wanganui.

**Right: CHURCHER--PHILP.** Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.D.Philp, 61 Wairere Road, to Selwyn George, second son of Mr and Mrs E.D.Churcher, 33 Moana Street, Wanganui.

**Below left: KYTOLA--BATES.** Faye Christine, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs N.Bates, Taumarumui, to Roger, younger son of Mr K.O.Kytola, Gisborne, and Mrs L.Kytola, Levin.

**Below: HUFF--HILL.** Marlene, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs B.R.Hill, Waverley, to Basil, youngest son of Mrs A.M.Holmes, Waverley, and the late Mr M.Huff.





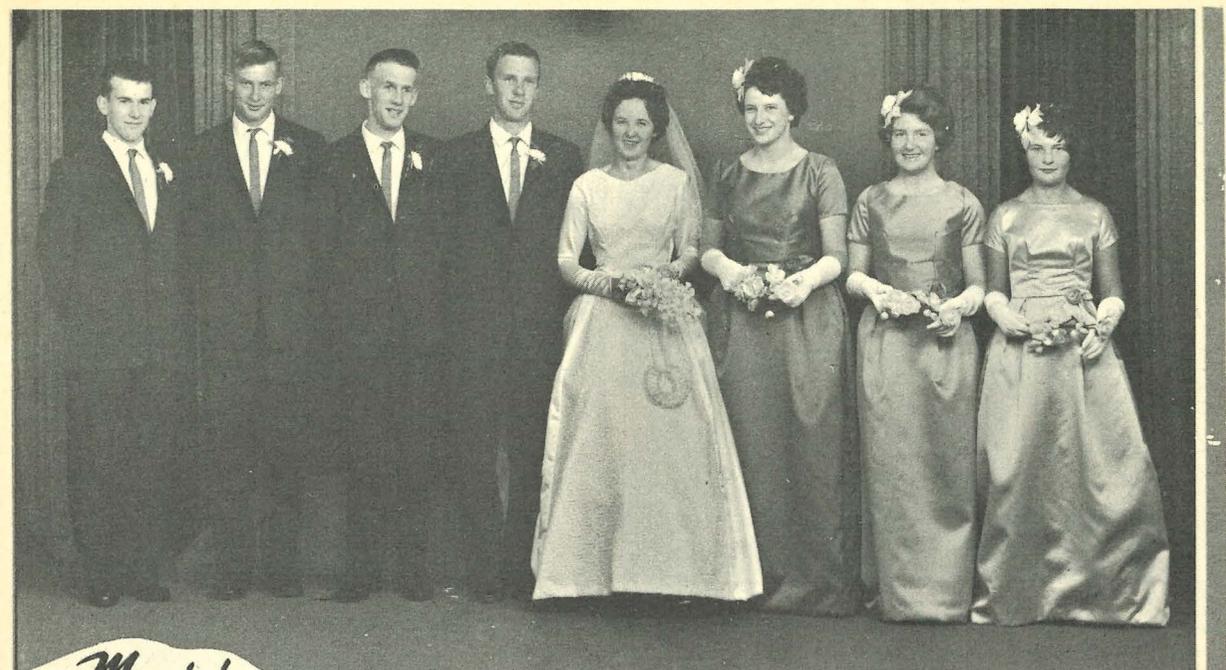
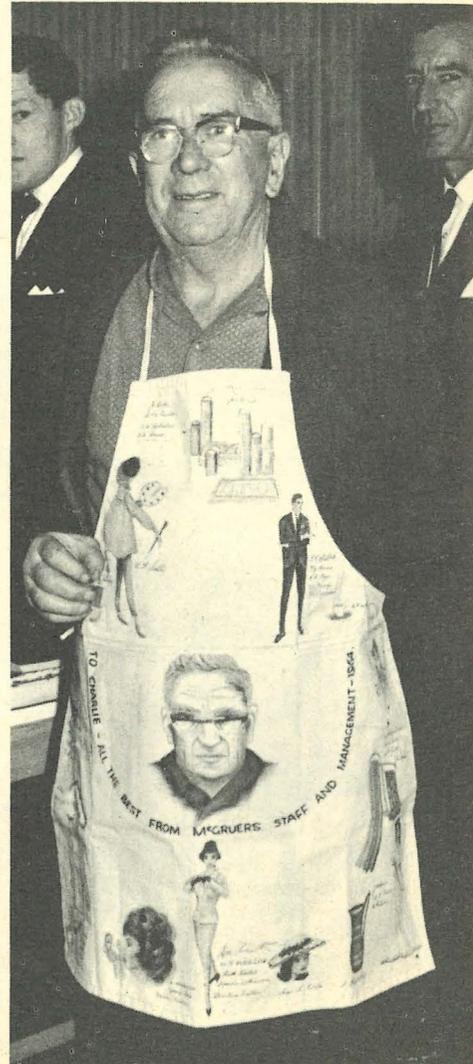
## Roving Camera

**ABOVE. Monster Glider:** Recently in Wanganui for its six-monthly maintenance test was a Rhon-Adler KA7 two-place high performance sailplane owned by Robin Reid, Ohakune. Costing £1500, the glider weighs 639lbs and has a 54ft 6in. wing span.

**BELOW & RIGHT. Second Retirement:** Mr Charlie Cullen recently retired from the staff of McGruers Ltd in Wanganui after seven years as storeman-handyman. This is his second retirement...he earlier retired from the position of manager of the Nelson Gasworks. He is pictured having a farewell "noggin" with fellow staffers: Brian Mullins, Graham Robb, Mr M.Buckrell (manager), Tom Williams, Percy Sharrott, Les Brownie and Tom Heenan. At right he is pictured with an apron autographed and presented by the staff.



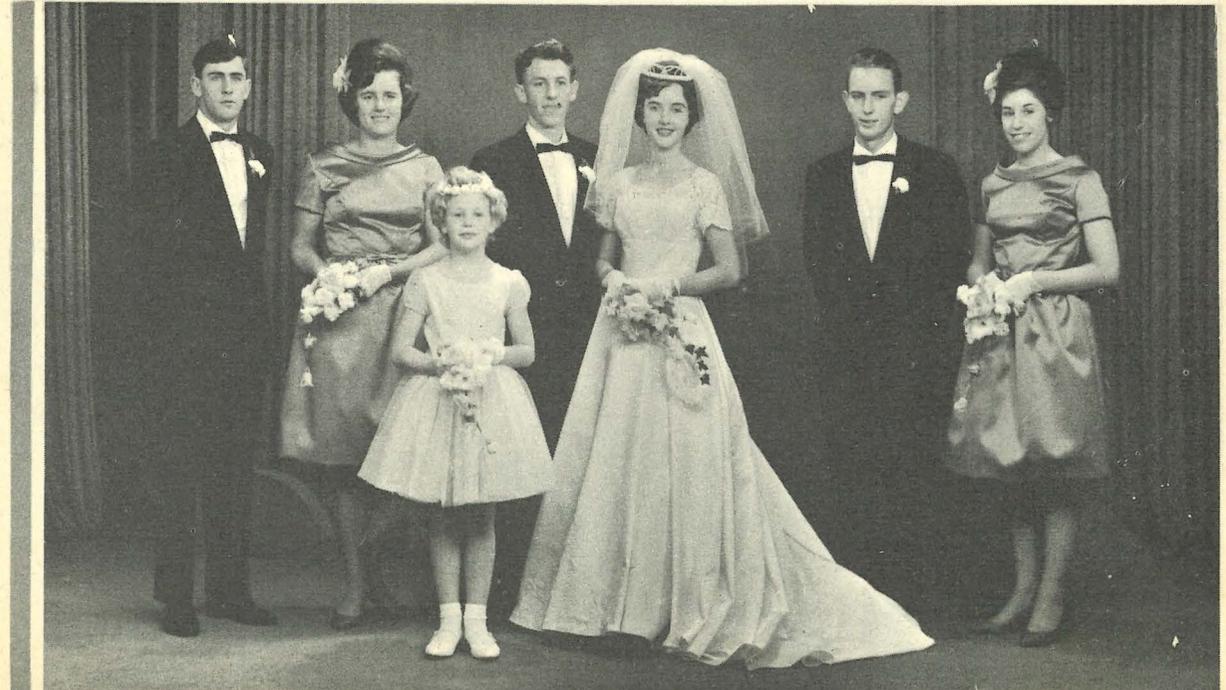
**BOUND FOR AUSTRALIA:** President of the Wanganui YMCA, Mr Pat Roberts, and Mrs Roberts and parents of the winner of the YMCA baby photo competition, Mr and Mrs W.K.Morrison, are pictured leaving Wanganui Airport for holidays in Aussie.



## Married

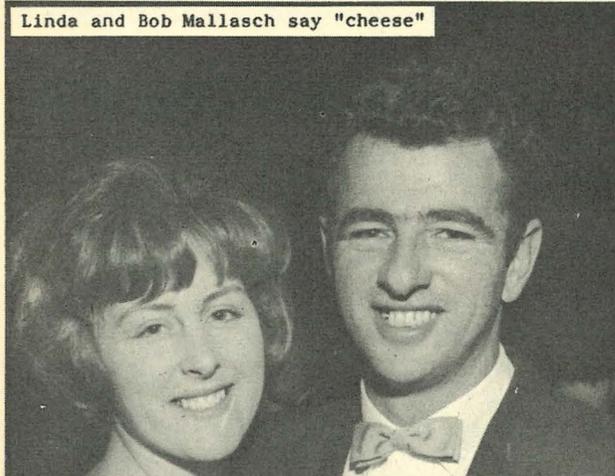
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**Below: MCINTYRE--O'CONNOR.** At St James' Presbyterian Church, Wanganui East, Colleen Sharon, daughter of Mr and Mrs J.J.O'Connor, 64 Puriri Street, to William Thomas, son of Mr and Mrs G.McIntyre, Liverpool Street, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Ross Penn, Wanganui, best man, Lynette O'Connor, Wanganui, matron of honour, Julie McIntyre, sister of the groom, Wanganui, flower-girl, Barry O'Connor, Wanganui, brother of the bride, and Yvonne Underwood, Wanganui. Future home, Wanganui. (TESLA STUDIO).





T.V. and radio performers from Hamilton, the "Vogue Trio", give a Beatle number.



Linda and Bob Mallasch say "cheese"



A cosy group. Lorraine Bothof, Norma Hurley, Henk Bothof, Carol Green and Tim Hurley.

## Aero Club Cabaret

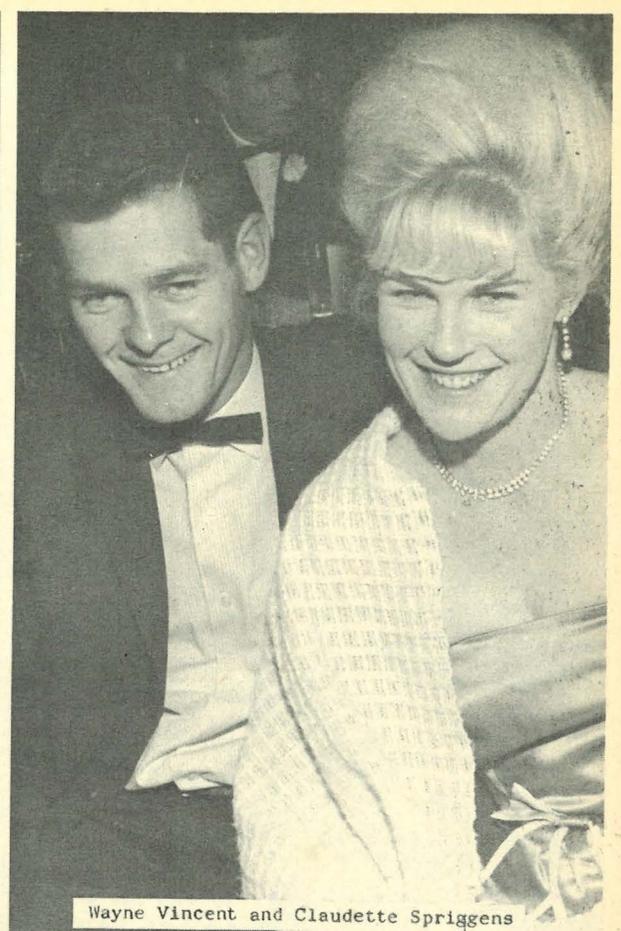
The recent annual cabaret of the Wanganui Aero Club was attended by a large number of people from Wanganui and other districts. As an added attraction, outside talent was employed to entertain. These photographs by Nightingalls Photographers picture some of the merry-makers.



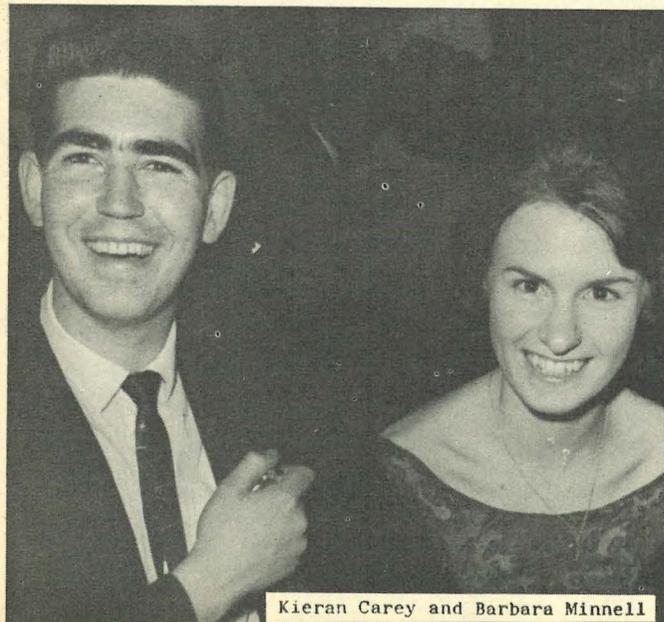
Frank and June Raine pictured enjoying things



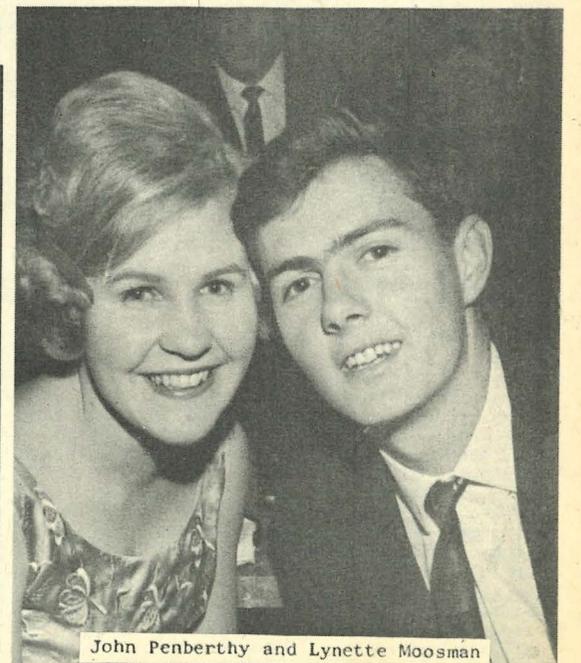
Comedians Alan and Jazzbo with Aero Club captain and compere, Peter Thomsen.



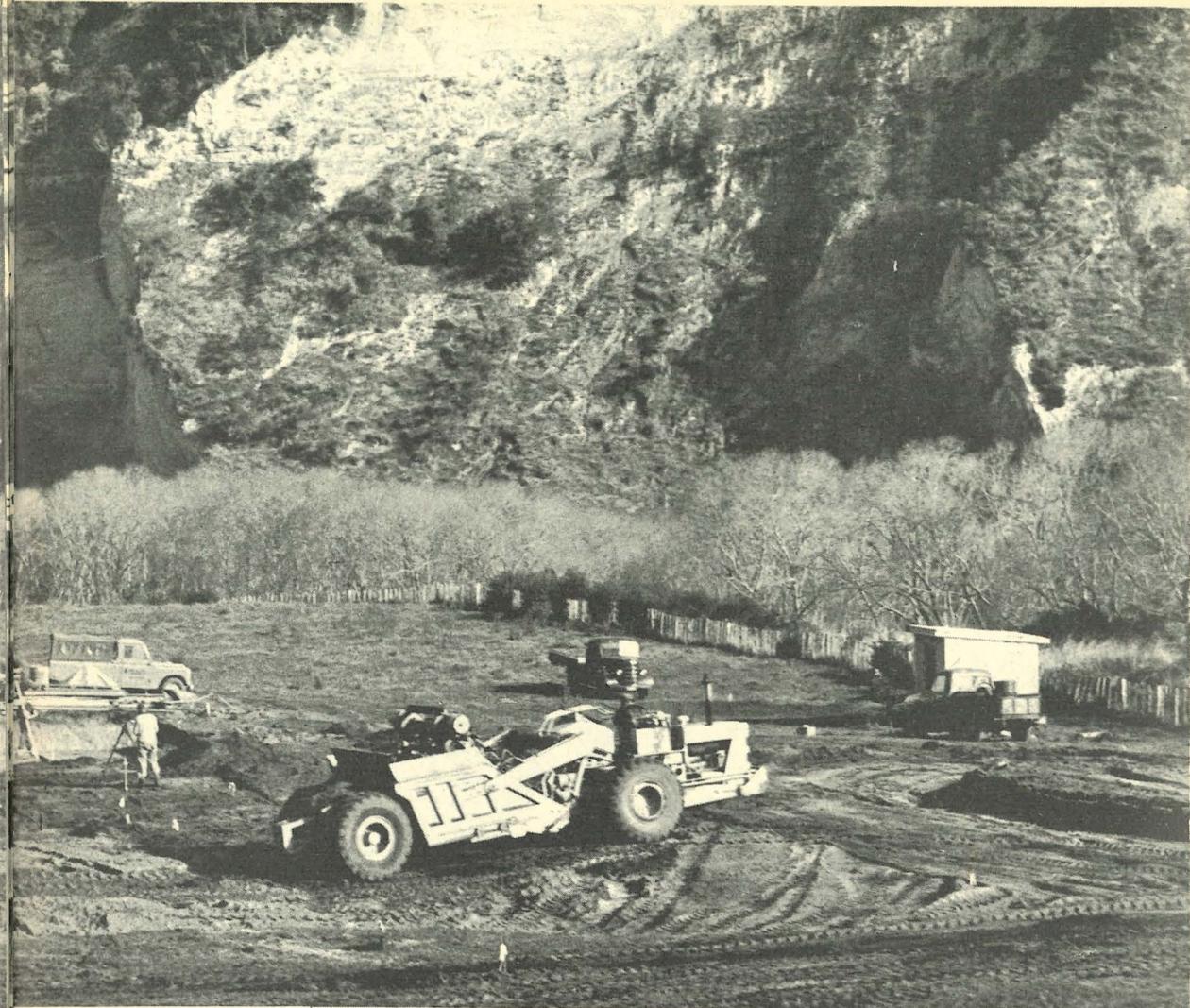
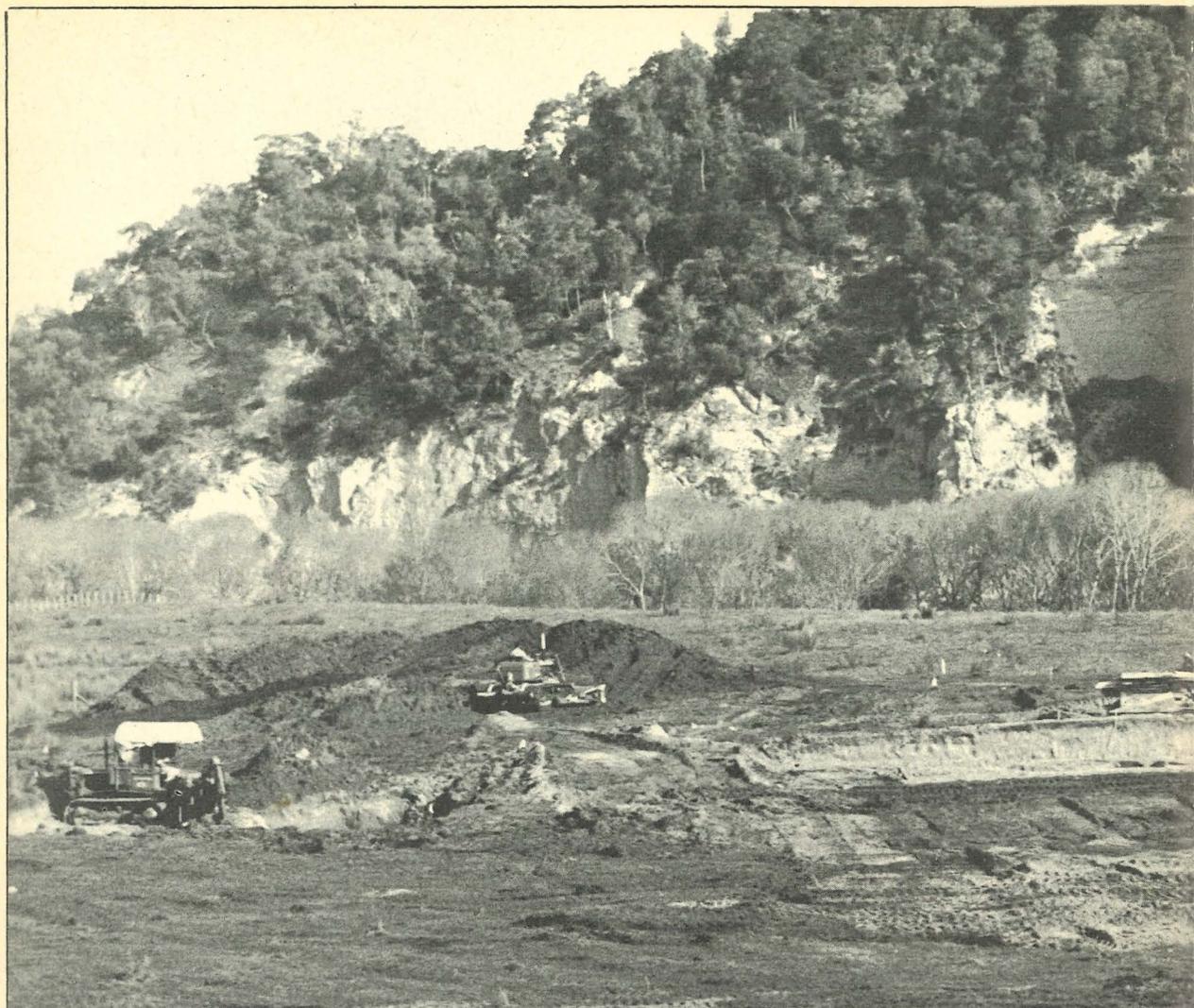
Wayne Vincent and Claudette Spriggins



Kieran Carey and Barbara Minnell



John Penberthy and Lynette Moosman



## Is There Oil In Them Thar Hills?

Shell BP-Todd oilmen are getting things crackling in their search for oil near the Maori settlement of Parakino, about 20 miles from the city up the Wanganui river. The company could spend around a quarter of a million drilling in this area where prospects are pretty good. As yet, specialists are not sure whether they would strike gas or oil....but they intend drilling to 8000ft to find out.

Photo News took these pix as preparations were being made at the drilling site.

**Right:** A mechanical shovel, owned by sub-contractor Ian Loader, Wanganui, excavates a waste pit. **Far right:** New Plymouth survey men, Bill Dixon and Barry Gilbert examine the cellar on the well site. This excavation will be concreted and the drilling derrick will be mounted on top on a timber mat foundation.



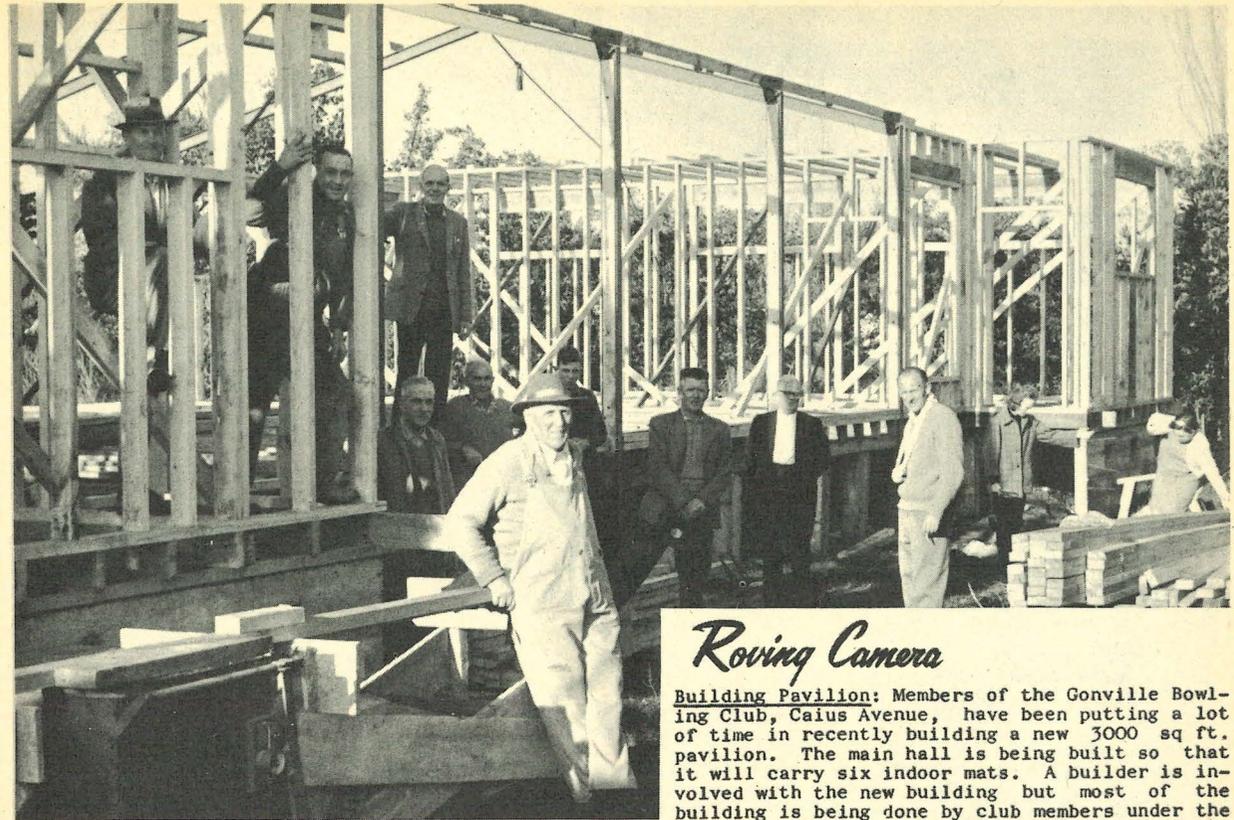
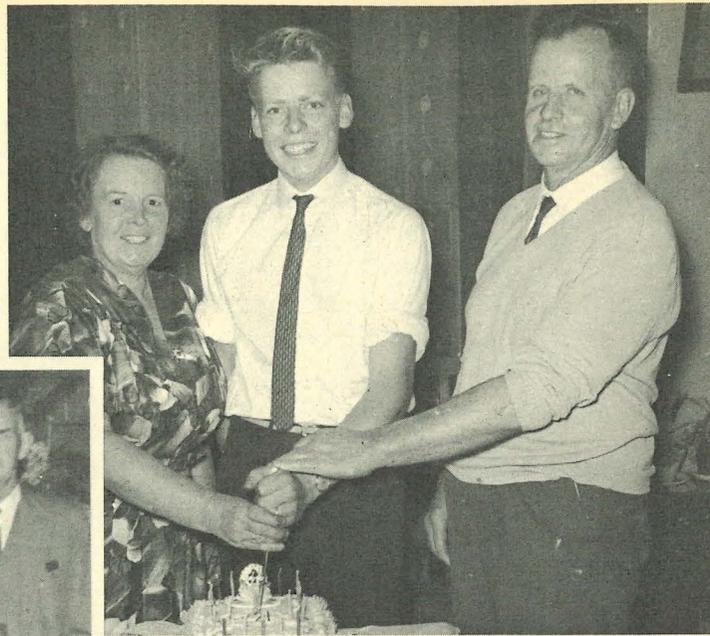
## Coming of Age

Right: Peter, son of Mr and Mrs W. Duxfield, 13 Pitt Street, Wanganui. (NIGHTINGALLS).

Below: Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. Livingston, Hunterville, pictured with her parents and brothers, David and Tony.

Bottom right: Lyn, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. F. Armstrong, Liverpool Street, Wanganui. (NIGHTINGALLS).

Bottom: David, youngest son of Mr and Mrs E.E.Trail, Francis Road, Westmere. (NIGHTINGALLS).



## Roving Camera

**Building Pavilion:** Members of the Gonville Bowling Club, Caius Avenue, have been putting a lot of time in recently building a new 3000 sq ft. pavilion. The main hall is being built so that it will carry six indoor mats. A builder is involved with the new building but most of the building is being done by club members under the supervision of life member Les Chisholm (front).

**Effort For Corso:** Raymond Conder, Geoffrey Eaton and Peter Singleton recently ran a stall for Corso at 89 Smithfield Road and raised over £12 by selling books, comics, sweets etc. A very good effort, boys!





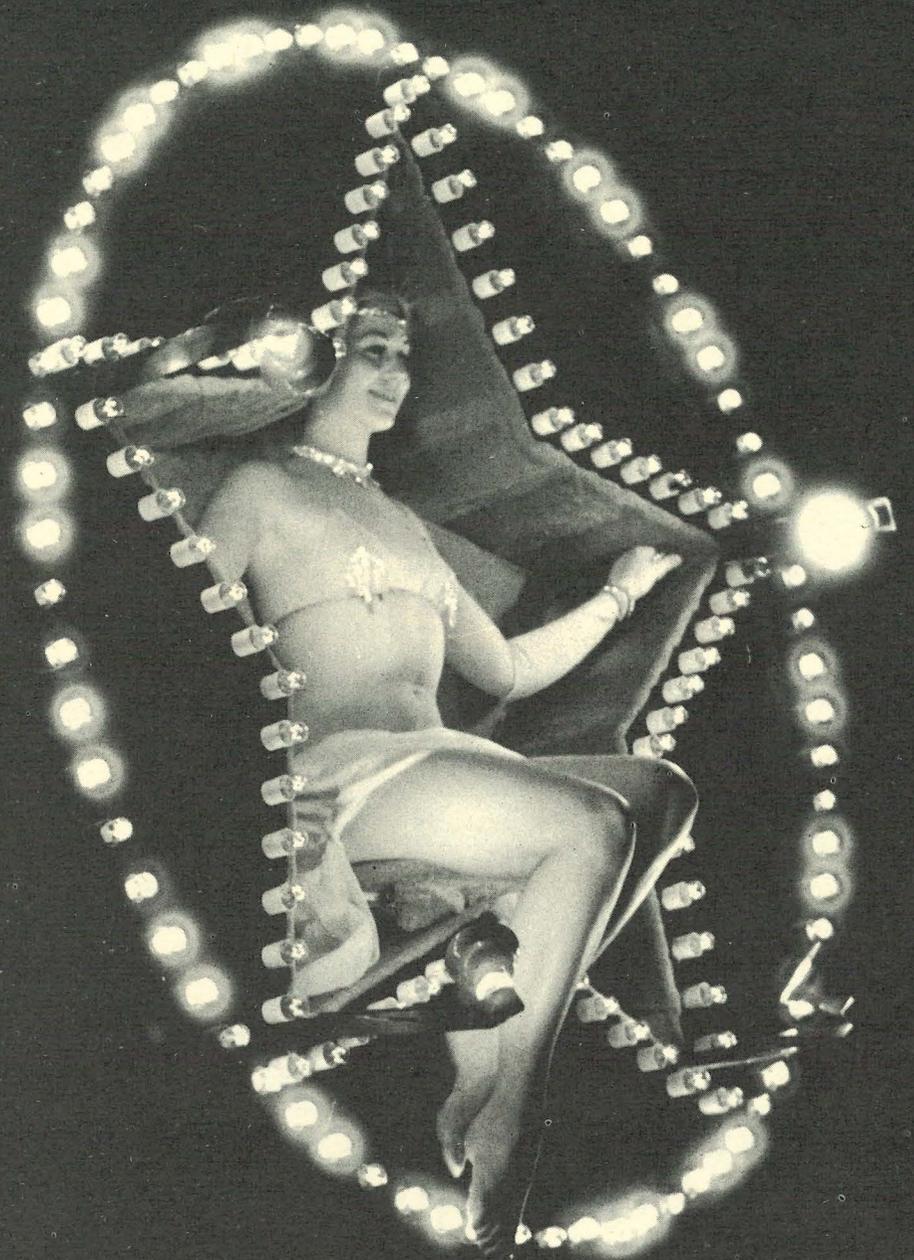
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**Below: SMITH--TRANSOM.** At St Mary's Catholic Church, Taihape, Lorraine Margaret, daughter of Mr and Mrs C.H.Transom, Utiku, Taihape, to William Shane, son of Mr and Mrs W.S.Smith, Royal Oak, Auckland. Attendants were Ann O'Callaghan, Taihape, chief bridesmaid, Marion Woodcock, Taihape, Ken Fife, Alexandra, best man and Bruce Purchas, Tauranga. Future home, Tauranga. (TESLA STUDIO).



## PARIS BY NIGHT



One of the most spectacular parts of the show was when this lovely, seated in a glowing star, was pushed out over the audience.



Wanganui people have been treated to a welter of variety shows in recent months...and have patronised each of them with generosity. One such show which got the great support that it deserved was Tibor Rudas' production of Paris By Night. Top class variety acts were well balanced with wonderful costuming and girlie-scenery.

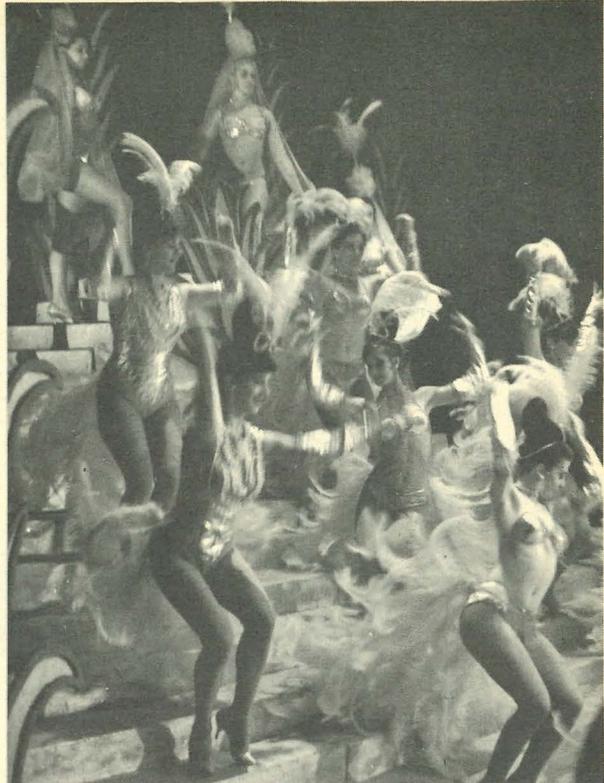
Top left: Hedika entertains with her piano accordion.

Top centre: A let-down in a comic striptease item.

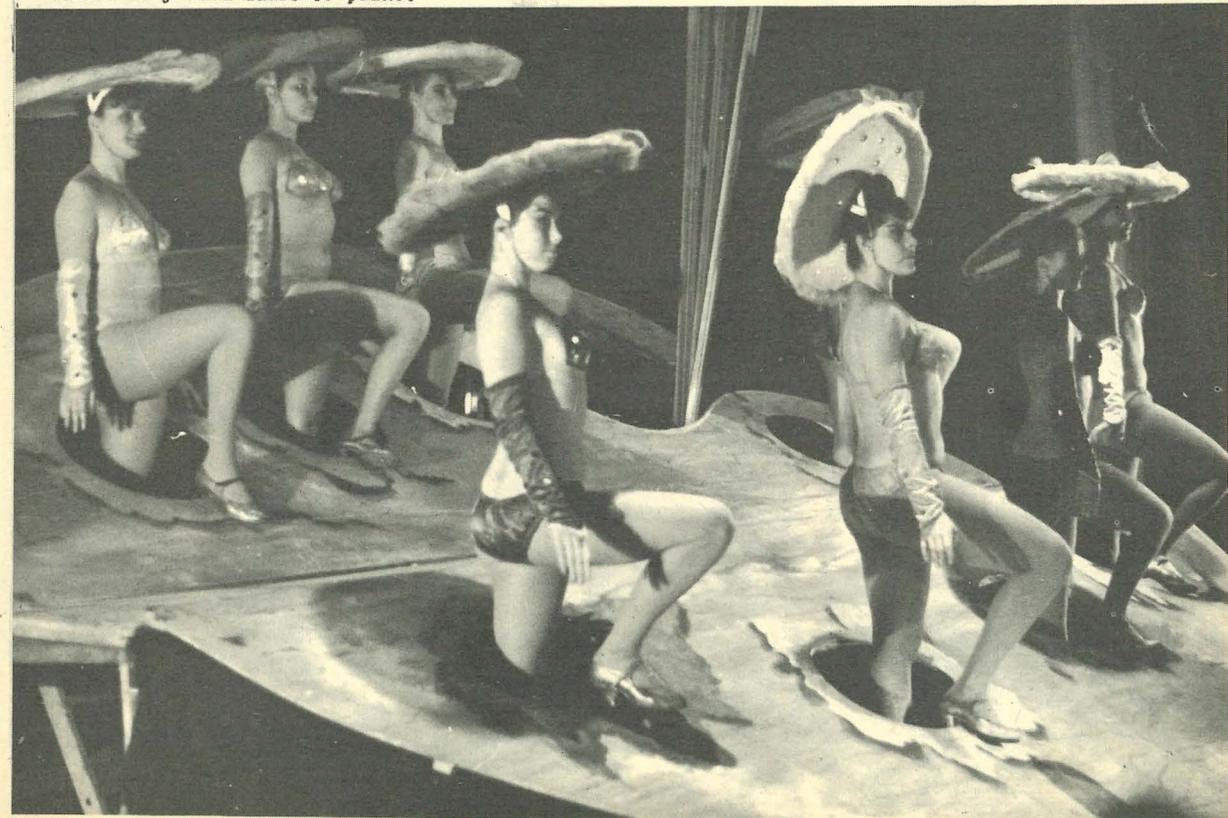
Top right: The girls from Pigalle.

Below left: Glamour in Roman gladiator suits.

Below right: From the Lido came the father and daughter team of knife-throwers, Elizabeth and Collins.



Tibor Rudas were lavish with their sets and costumes as can be seen from these pix. In the photograph below the girls are pictured emerging from an artist's palette. Their hats represented many-hued daubs of paint.





**Left:** The Iran Bahador team from "Nouvelle Eve" de Paris pictured in a breath-taking act in which the female partner supports the man by her jaw.  
**Above:** This lass had a weight on her mind.  
**Right:** Shapely Hedika dances.  
**Below left:** Juggler extraordinary..Pepita Alvarez.  
**Below right:** Stars of "Olympia" de Paris..the Los Riveros.



Top-rate comics Terry and Peggy O'Neil pictured in a very funny sketch.



The saucy girls of Pigalle



Oriental equilibrist Chong twirls his fire



Shapely Hedika (from the Moulin Rouge) dances in "Les Arab Fantastique".

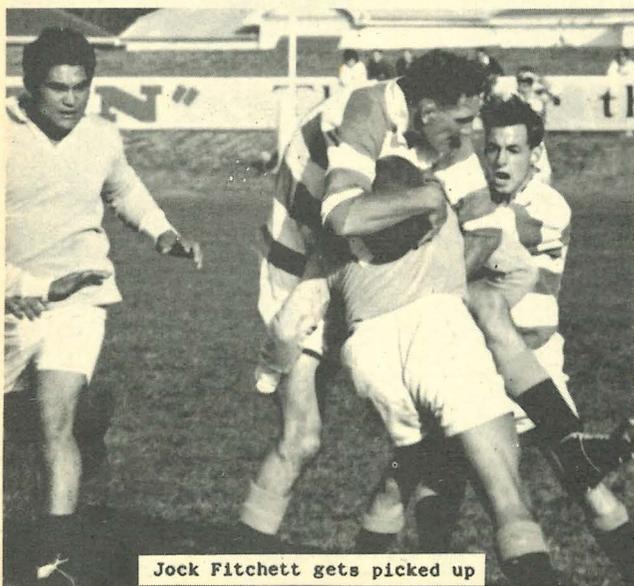
# Charity Rugby

The recently re-formed Bohemian Rugby Club played an Invitation Maori XV at Spriggins Park recently in a fund-raising match in aid of the Bohemian's jersey fund and the injured players' relief fund. A fairly large crowd enjoyed the Sunday game which, though not scintillating, was very entertaining. In these pix the Bohemian players wear the striped jerseys.

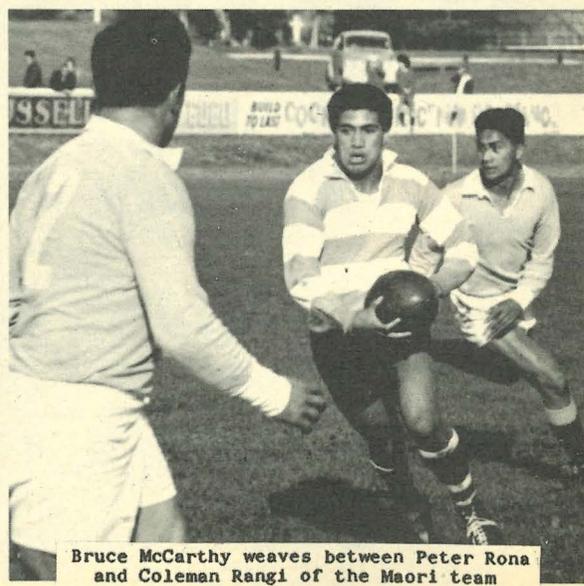
**Right:** Rival wingers Coleman Rangi and Shaun Crowley chase the ball.

**Below:** A near-All Black full-back a few years ago, Les Head passes the ball to a player outside him.

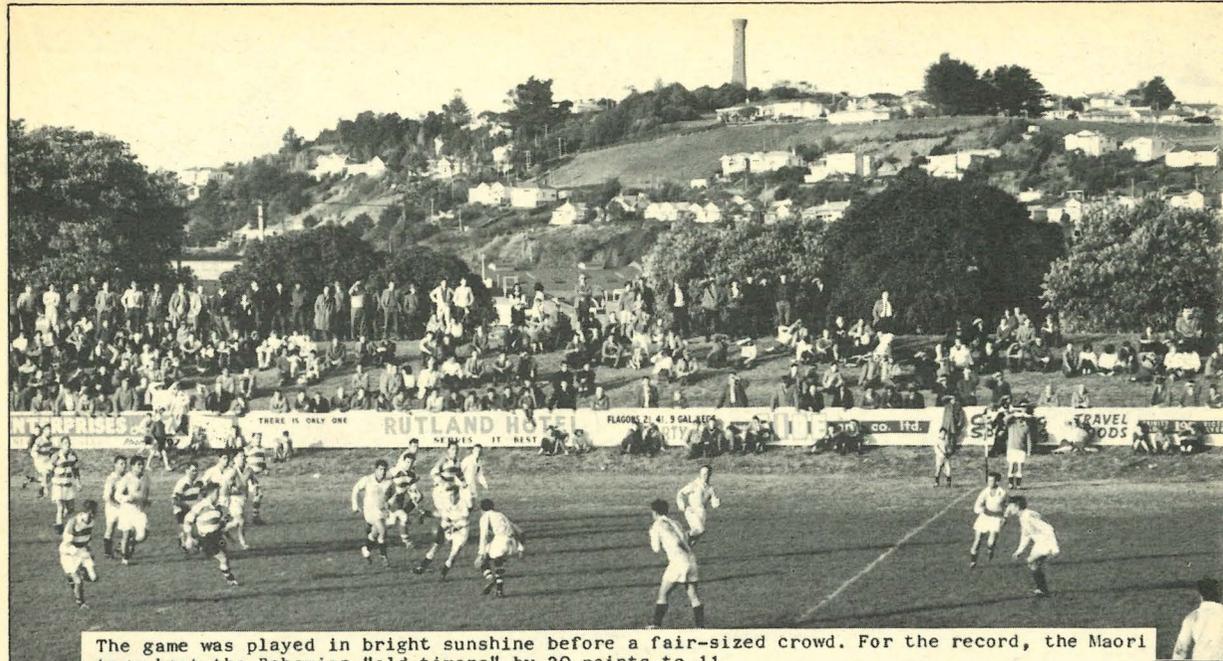
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Jock Fitchett gets picked up



Bruce McCarthy weaves between Peter Rona and Coleman Rangi of the Maori team



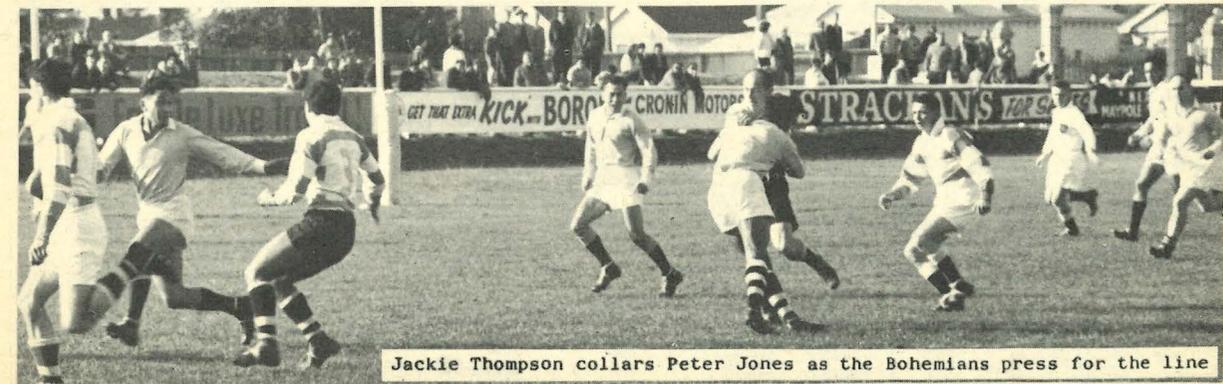
The game was played in bright sunshine before a fair-sized crowd. For the record, the Maori team beat the Bohemian "old-timers" by 20 points to 11.



Graham Jones picks the ball from the feet of the forwards

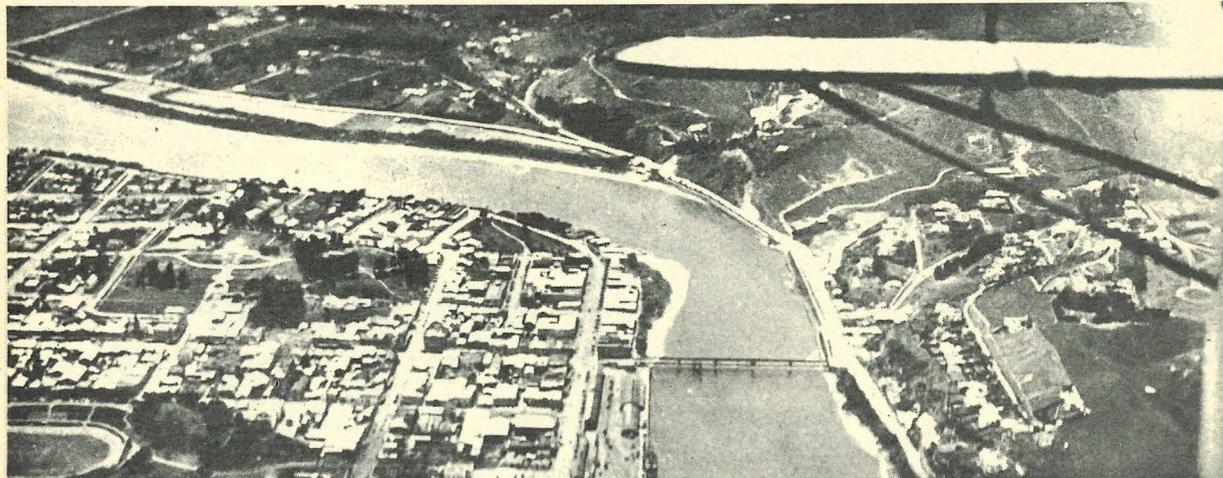


Rival skippers were former Wanganui reps. Jack Karatau and Graham Jones.



Jackie Thompson collars Peter Jones as the Bohemians press for the line

**Pictures From The Past**



A number of people have kindly answered our plea for more photographs of Wanganui's early days. We publish in this issue a number selected from those we received. Unfortunately we have not pinned any dates on these pix but they appear to be about the first quarter of this century.

The pix on this page are reproduced from an album of Wanganui panoramic views published by an early Wanganui photographer, Mr C.F. Newham.

**Top:** The ornamental gardens at the Wanganui racecourse were obviously a lovely sight in days gone by.

**Above:** An early aerial photograph of the lower portion of the Wanganui River and the town taken from a height of 2000 feet. The Wanganui East and Durie Hill areas were at this time just partially settled.

**Below:** Maria Place looking towards the Art Gallery from the St. Hill Street entrance to Cook's Gardens.

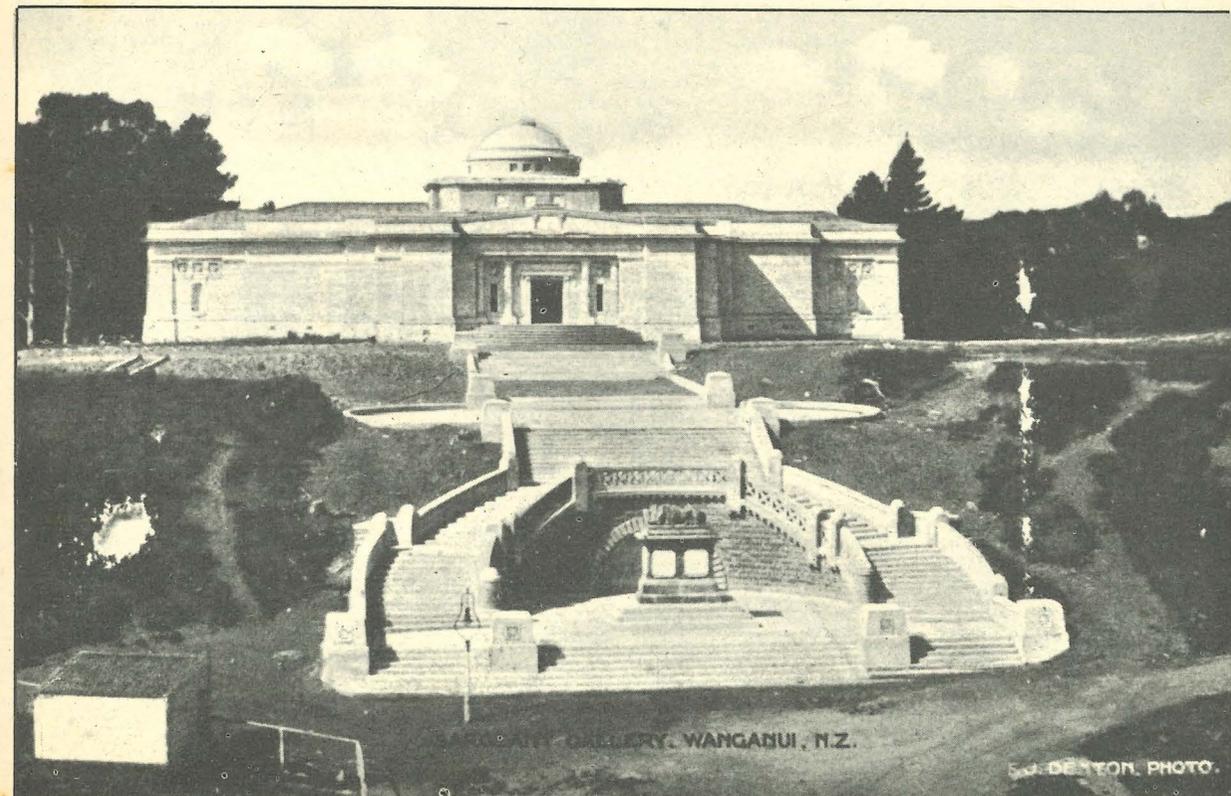


VIRGINIA LAKE, WANGANUI, N.Z.

F.U. DENTON, PHOTO

**ABOVE:** Only our older residents will remember the Virginia Lake Gardens looking like this. The band rotunda is surrounded by young shrubs which are now towering trees that hide this view of the lake from above the Great North Road, south of Shangri La.

**BELOW:** This photograph of the Sarjeant Art Gallery and the Veteran Steps gives the impression that they may have just been built as the surrounding grounds have not been developed. These two photographs were taken by another well known early photographer in Wanganui, Mr F.U. Denton.



SARJEANT GALLERY, WANGANUI, N.Z.

F.U. DENTON, PHOTO

## D.I.C.'s Birthday



## it takes time to become a Legend! D.I.C.'S 80<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS



The Wanganui branch of the D.I.C. recently celebrated the 80th birthday of their firm with a dinner party at the Rutland Hotel. Staffers with over five years' service attended the dinner and those with over 10 years with DIC received pen and pencil sets. Four with over 20 years' service received gold watches in appreciation of their loyalty.

**Top left:** After 32 years with the firm, local manager Mr N. Dean was presented with a gold watch by the managing-director, Mr H.C. Harford, Dunedin.

**Left:** Jack Ford..27 years.

**Right:** Mr Harford addresses the guests at the dinner.

**Lower left:** Edward de Renzy has served for 11 years.

**Below:** Miss Pauline Kennedy ...12 years with the firm.

**Below right:** Mrs Ruby Voltz.. 23½ years at the D.I.C.

**Far right:** Mrs Ngaire Davidson has 15 years' service.

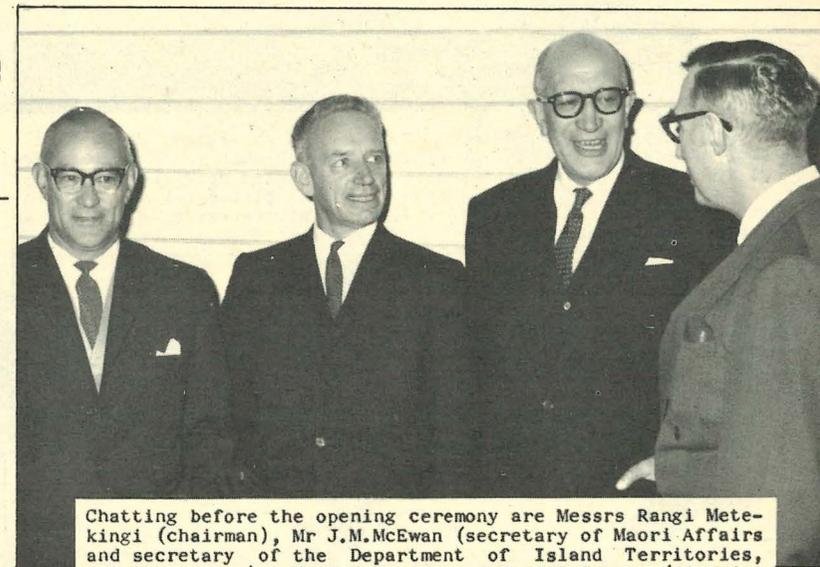
**Absent:** Miss Lillian Lawson.. 32 years.



Officials on stage are, from left: Mr W.Parker, Mrs Ratana M.P., Mr J.Grace, Mr J.M.McEwan, Mr R. Metekingi, Mr J.E.Catto, Mayor R.P.Andrews and Mr G.Spooner M.P.

## Maori Study Conference

Lectures, panel and round-table discussions and question-and-answer sessions on education and other matters affecting the Maori and other Polynesians comprised most of the programme of the recent Maori Study Conference, organised by the Wanganui Educational Advancement Committee and the Morikaunui Incorporation in association with Adult Education at the Technical College hostel recently. These pix were taken at the opening ceremony at the Memorial Hall.



Chatting before the opening ceremony are Messrs Rangī Metekingi (chairman), Mr J.M.McEwan (secretary of Maori Affairs and secretary of the Department of Island Territories, guest speaker), Mr J.H.Grace and Mr J.E.Catto (district officer of Maori Affairs).

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Special guests were four Colombo Plan students from Sarawak, pictured seated between Messrs M.Potaka and J.Booth. From left are Messrs Paul Subeh, Jonathan Sabai, Apandi Sito and Peter Ngu Teck Ming.

## Roving Camera



**Above: DERAILMENT.** Workmen in Dalgety's woolstore, Heads Road, got a bit of a shock recently when a cement-laden railway truck banged through their corrugated-iron wall. The truck was one of three to leave the line while being shunted near the Kings Avenue crossing.

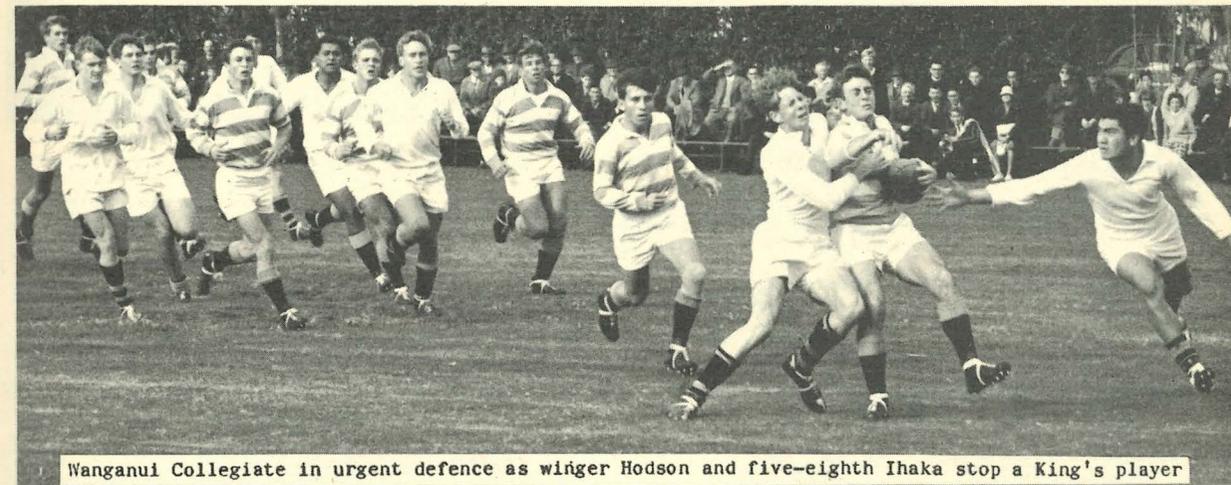
**Below: PLENTY OF DUCKS.** Shooters in this district have not been too happy about their bags of ducks this season. Co-incidentally...the feathered population at Virginia Lake seems to have undergone a great increase.



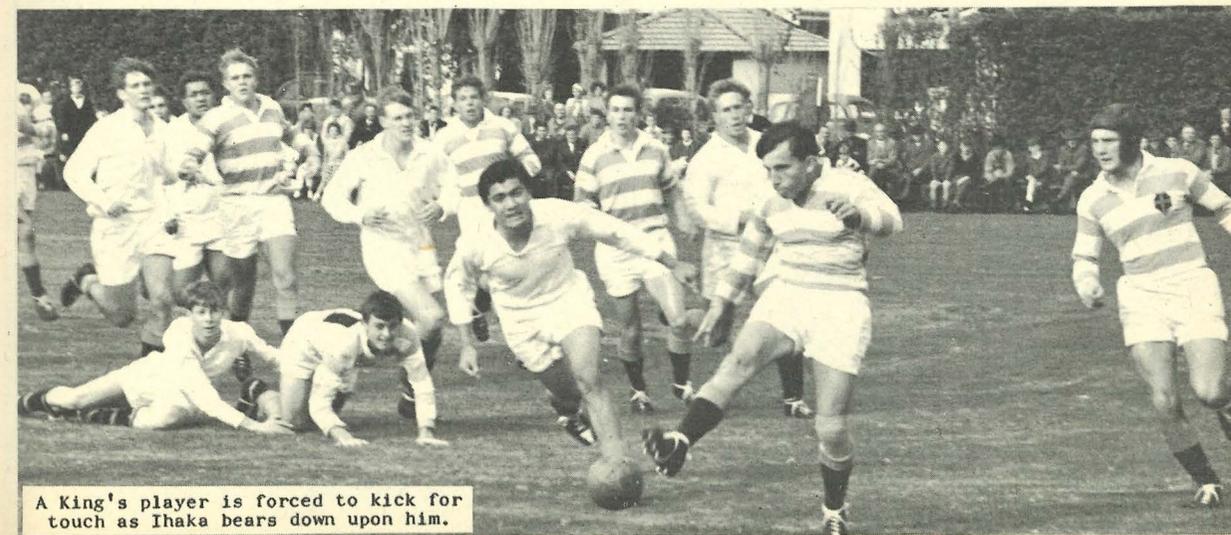
## College Rugby

The King's School rugby team from Sydney maintained their unbeaten touring record in New Zealand by outclassing the Wanganui Collegiate XV by 11 points to three. Collegiates' sole three points came early in the game with a scrambling try by C.J. Haldane.

A fairly large crowd watched the game

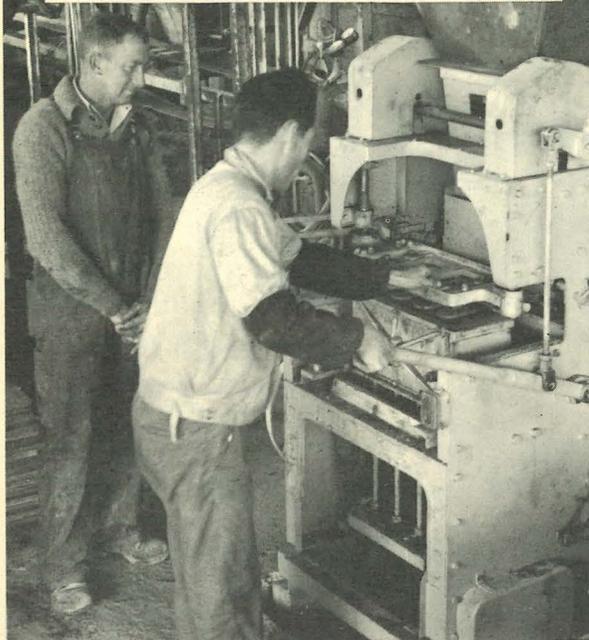


Wanganui Collegiate in urgent defence as winger Hodson and five-eighth Ihaka stop a King's player



A King's player is forced to kick for touch as Ihaka bears down upon him.

Mr Parker watches the technique as Kinugawa Works head technician, Tatemichi, presses a block in the new machine.



Messrs Tomiyama and Tatemichi measure a new-style block

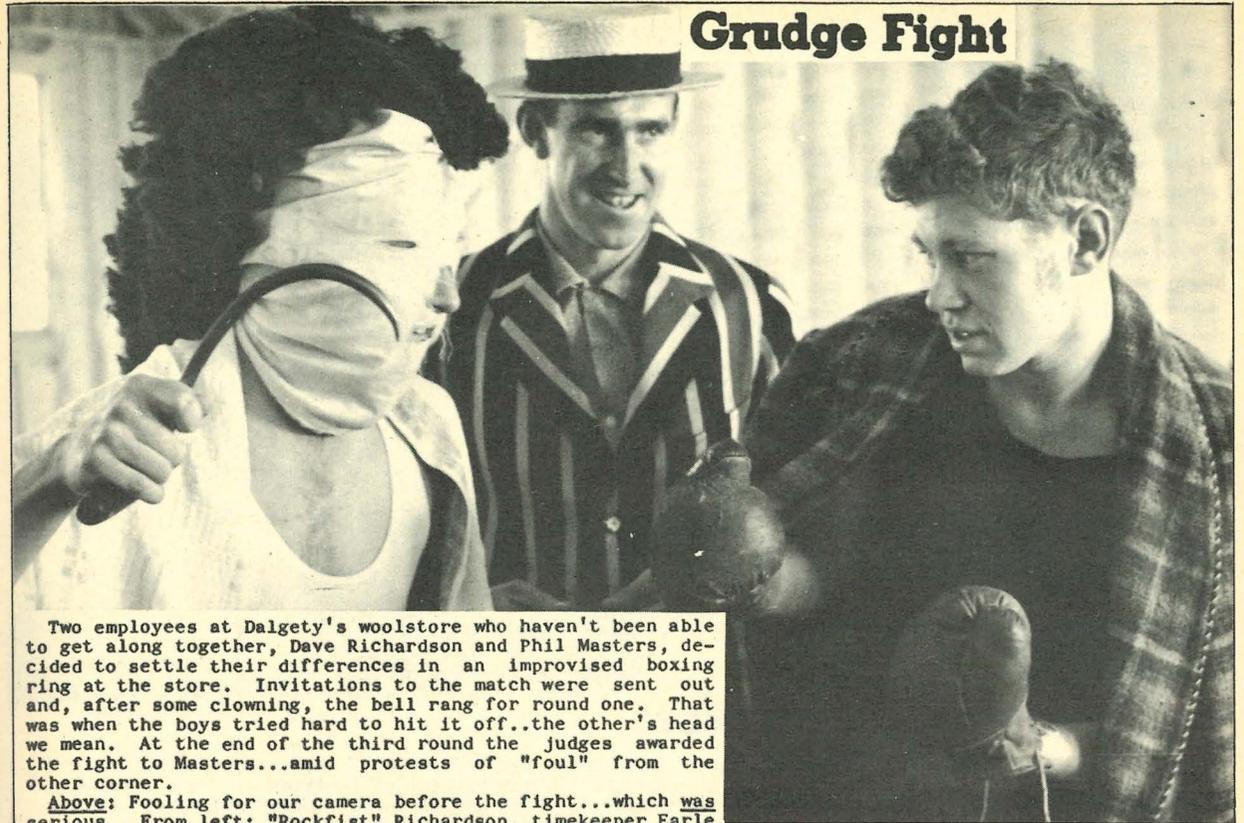


## Unique Machine

Consill Concrete Ltd., Feild Street, Aramoho, recently introduced a new phase to New Zealand's concrete building-block manufacture by importing a unique machine from Japan. The new machine, manufactured by the Kinugawa Iron Works, Kyoto, Japan, can turn out 2000 4inch or 1000 6 and 8 inch blocks per day. It is the only machine in the country which can produce the new Kolour-Kon blocks with a glazed white-cement surface in any colour or pattern. Pictured below are works foreman, Bob Parker, with Japanese representatives, Messrs Tomiyama and Tatemichi, examining some of the sample blocks.



## Grudge Fight

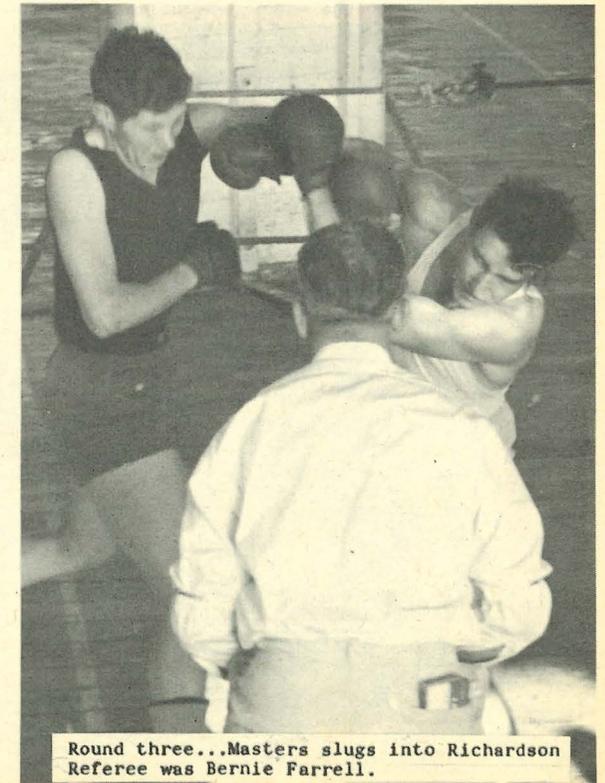


Two employees at Dalgety's woolstore who haven't been able to get along together, Dave Richardson and Phil Masters, decided to settle their differences in an improvised boxing ring at the store. Invitations to the match were sent out and, after some clowning, the bell rang for round one. That was when the boys tried hard to hit it off..the other's head we mean. At the end of the third round the judges awarded the fight to Masters...amid protests of "foul" from the other corner.

Above: Fooling for our camera before the fight...which was serious. From left: "Rockfist" Richardson, timekeeper Earle Doble, and "Mauler" Masters.



Round one...Richardson slugs into Masters



Round three...Masters slugs into Richardson  
Referee was Bernie Farrell.



## Champion Hairdresser

An employee of Wanganui's Fontana Beauty Salon, Miss Jan Broadhead, outpointed 30 other competitors from all parts of the country to win the Junior Setting competition in the recent Wellington Master Ladies' Hairdressing Championships. Jan is pictured above with her fine trophy and her principal, Miss Ann Dahlberg, and her model, Miss Chic Jackson. Jan's Modern Day style with which she scored her win has been called "Fontana". It was judged on originality, suitability to the model, execution and finish.



Hours of practice went into the "Fontana" style



Chic models the sleek set for our camera



## Married

**Above: WEIR—KURTH.** At All Saints' Church of England, Wanganui, Gay Lorraine, daughter of Mr and Mrs G.W.Kurth, 28 Hakeke Street, Wanganui, to Donald Alexander, son of Mrs O.A. and the late Mr A.Weir, 1 Mount View Road, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Lindsay Weir, sister of the groom, Wanganui, Gordon Glasgow, Wanganui, Betty Penn, Wanganui, Warren Gould, best man, Wanganui, and Gaelyn Haywood, chief bridesmaid, Wanganui. Future home, Wanganui. (WYBON STUDIO).

**Below: ADAMS—HAYWOOD.** At St Anne's Catholic Church, Wanganui, Pamela Mary, daughter of Mrs and the late Mr W.H.Haywood, Wanganui, to Robert Isherwood, son of Mrs and the late Dr G.Adams, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Eileen Sampson, chief bridesmaid, Wellington, Peter Madden, Wellington, and Helen McGregor, Wanganui. Future home, Wellington. (WYBON STUDIO).



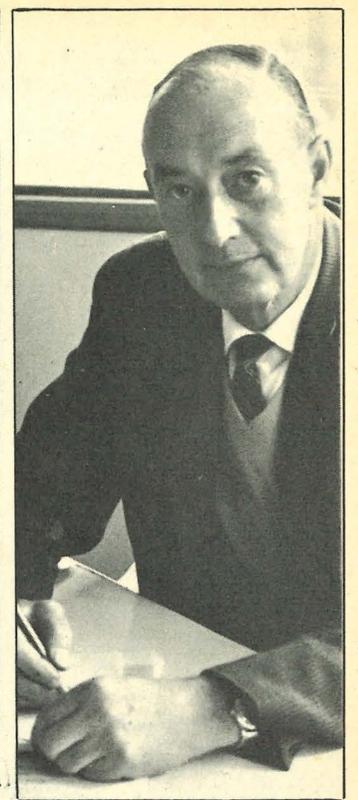
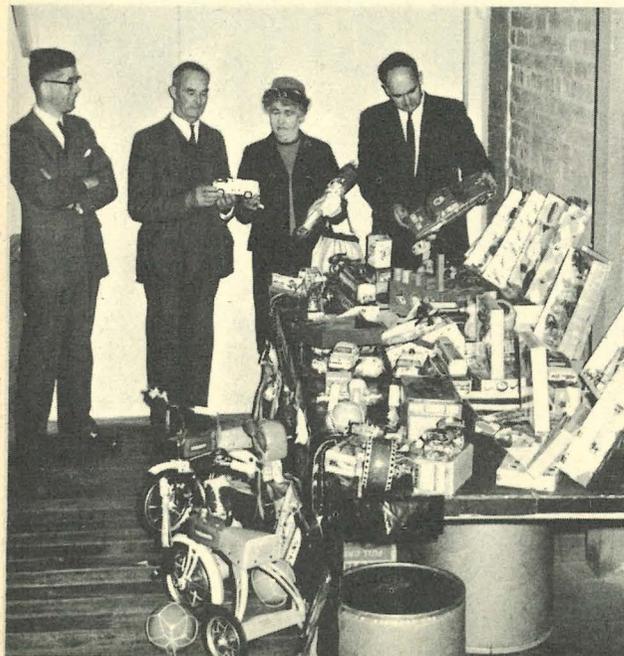


## Pot Pourri

**ABOVE & RIGHT:** Motorists sure seem to have a lot of fun at times on the Dublin Street traffic Islands....judging by the scars. We don't think that much of the bad steering is intentional....the islands can play havoc with the cars too.

**BELOW. Gifts For Birthright:** The crew of the freighter Turakina recently bought in Hong Kong over £60 worth of toys for the Wanganui branch of Birthright. Pictured admiring the gifts are, from left: Mr J.B.Laird, local manager of the N.Z.Shipping Company, Mayor R.P. Andrews, Mrs A.K.McLean, v.pres and Mr P.N. Newby, president, Wanganui Birthright.

**BELOW RIGHT. Good Catch:** One of Australasia's top dog judges, Mr Roy Burnell, recently spent a day fishing at Taupo with Syd Phillips, Wilson Street. They are pictured with the 12 beauties that didn't get away. Mr Burnell was in New Zealand from Sydney to judge the Manawatu Kennel Club's dog show.



## New Warehouse

Wanganui shopkeepers, commercial travellers and city businessmen attended the recent official opening of Commodities Ltd's new warehouse, Taupo Quay, by the Mayor, Mr R.P.Andrews.

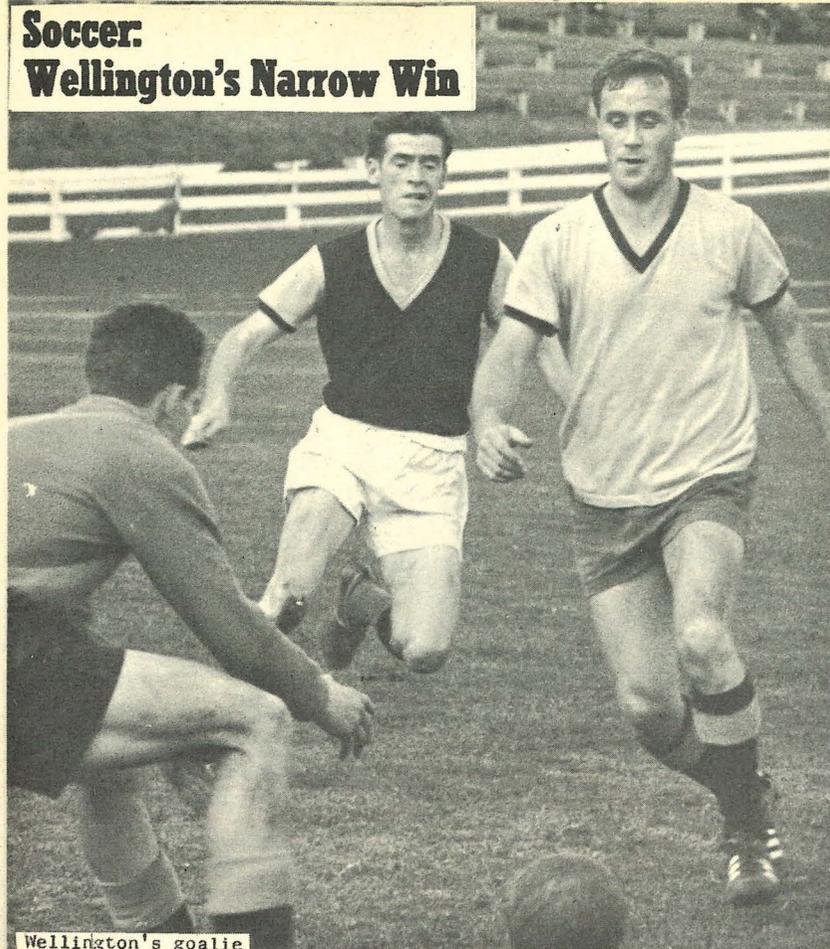
**Above:** The interior of the new warehouse is spacious and well-lit.

**Right:** Commodities manager, Mr Jim Morris.

**Below:** A view of the new warehouse from Taupo Quay.



**Soccer.  
Wellington's Narrow Win**

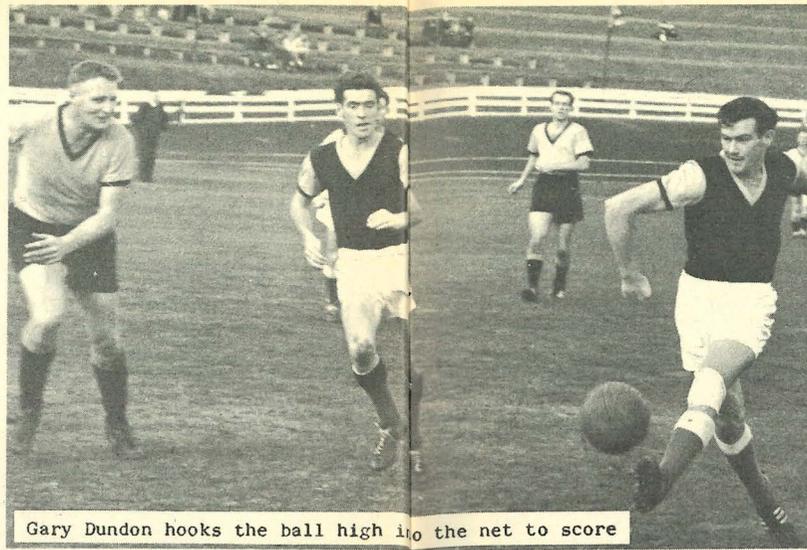


Wellington's goalie Peterson and half Bilby have the ball well tied up as Jackie Miller looks for a chance for a shot.

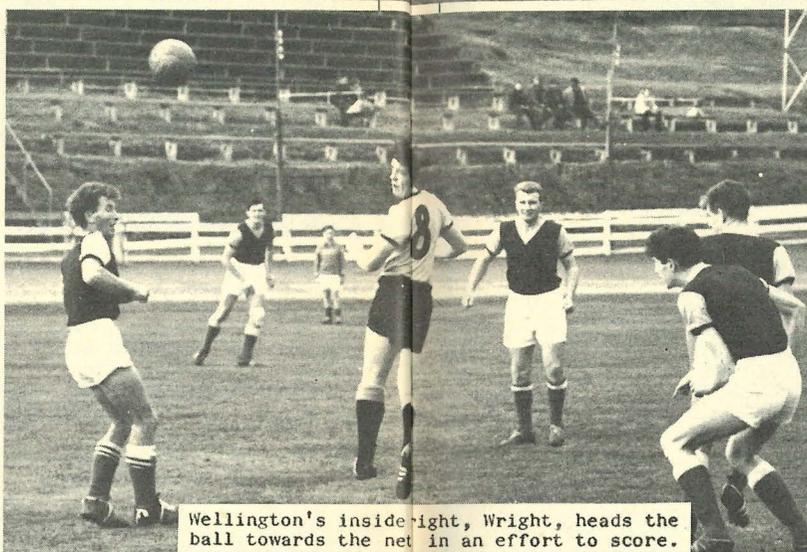
The Wellington representative soccer team scraped home to beat Wanganui 5-4 in a recent fixture played at Cook's Gardens. The visiting team scored its winning goal in the dying stages of the game while Wanganui had a man off the field with an injury. Although a bit ragged, the game was exciting in that the local team matched points with the visitors almost up to the final whistle. There were five New Zealand players in the Wellington team.



With Cooney giving him cover, Wanganui goalie, Charlie Phillips, scoops up the ball after a Wellington shot.



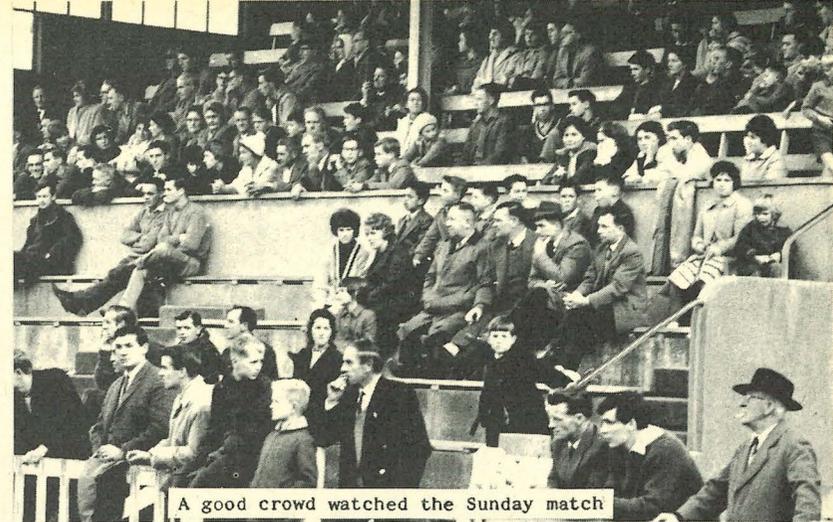
Gary Dundon hooks the ball high into the net to score



Wellington's insiderright, Wright, heads the ball towards the net in an effort to score.



Oooh! our aching heads!...John Young and W'gton's Wright.



A good crowd watched the Sunday match



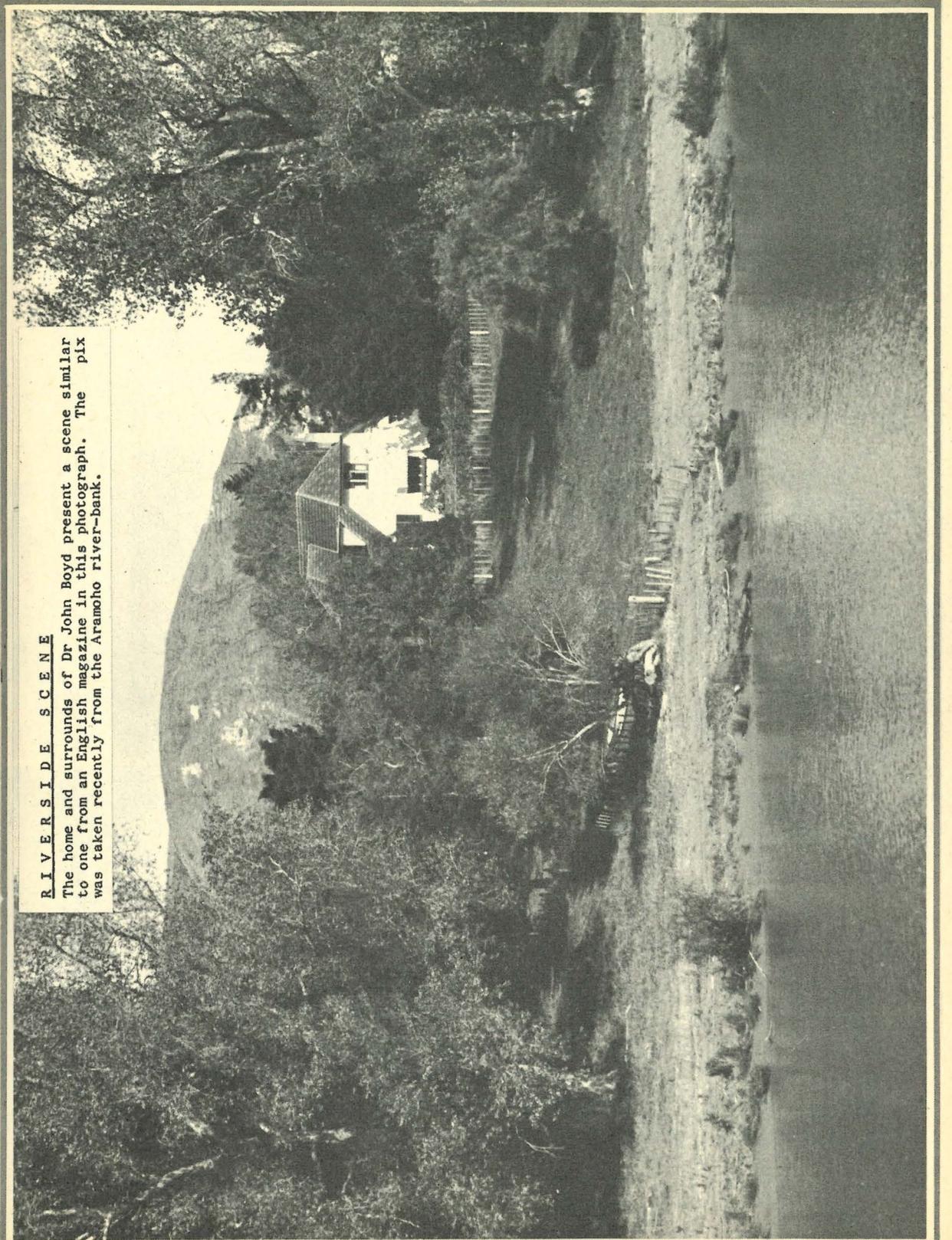
With eyes closed and arms and legs akimbo, Tommy Graham (Wanganui) and Moore tussle for the ball.



*Wedding Bells*

**ABOVE. HEAD—GERRIE:** At the Knox Presbyterian Church, Gonville, Carole Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.H.Gerrie, 11 Ashton Terrace, Wanganui, to Bryan John, son of Mr and Mrs J.P.Head, 42 Raupo Street, Wanganui. The bride is pictured with her attendants, Kathleen Wilson and Ailsa Stewart, both of Wanganui. Future home, Wanganui. (RICHARDS STUDIO).

**BELOW. BAKER—BARDSLEY:** At Wanganui, Irene, daughter of Mrs Bardsley, 3 Sydney Place, and the late Mr Bardsley, Wanganui, to John Terence, son of Mr and Mrs Baker, St Mary's Road, Hyde, Cheshire, England. Attendants, from left, are Gary Dundon, Wanganui, best man, Robin Barker, chief bridesmaid, Noeline Price and Arnold Bardsley, brother of the groom. (RICHARDS STUDIO).



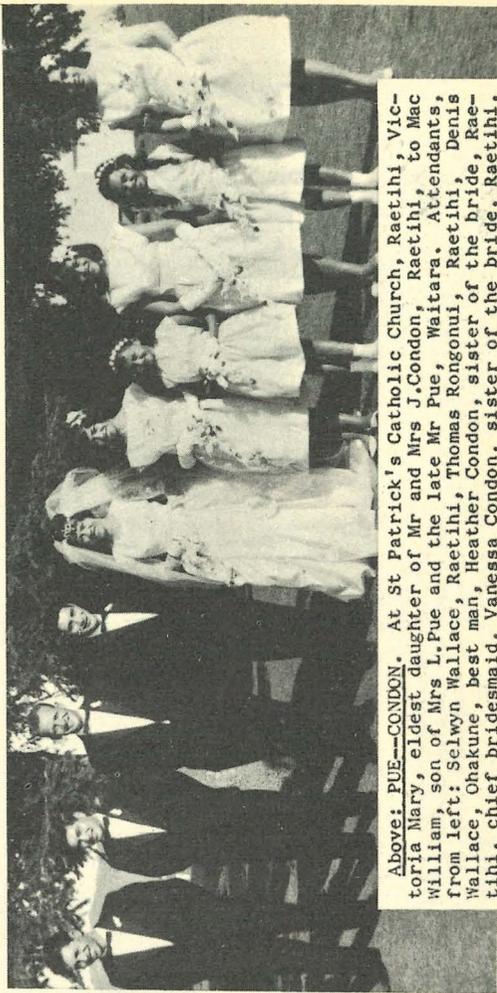
RIVERSIDE SCENE

The home and surroundings of Dr John Boyd present a scene similar to one from an English magazine in this photograph. The picture was taken recently from the Aramoho river-bank.

## Married

Right: CANNONS—LITTLE. At the Salvation Army Citadel, Tauranga, Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs H.J. Little, Tauranga, to Roy, son of Mr and Mrs L. Cannons, Wanganui. Attendants, from left, are Gordon Jellyman, best man, Beth Little, chief bridesmaid, Ross Pickworth, page boy, Kathryn Tremain, flower-girl, Maureen Hunwick, bridesmaid and Raymond Little. Future home, Hamilton. (REXWOOD STUDIO).

Below: MORGAN—WEBSTER. At Mary Immaculate Church, Sydney, Rozina May, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Webster, 62 Carlton Avenue, Wanganui, to Rex Alexander Morgan, younger son of Mrs C.J. Smith, 92 Wilson Street, Wanganui. Attendants were Margaret Beauchamp, Wanganui, and Gavin Smith, Wanganui.



Above: PUE—CONDON. At St Patrick's Catholic Church, Raetihi, Victoria Mary, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Condon, Raetihi, to Mac William, son of Mrs L. Pue and the late Mr Pue, Waitara. Attendants, from left: Selwyn Wallace, Raetihi, Thomas Rongonui, Raetihi, Denis Wallace, Ohakune, best man, Heather Condon, sister of the bride, Raetihi, chief bridesmaid, Vanessa Condon, sister of the bride, Raetihi, Priscilla Taiwhati, Ohakune. The flower-girls are Bronwyn Bishop and Moana Condon, sister of the bride. Future home, Raetihi.

## Dog Obedience Trials



The Wanganui Dog Obedience Training Society recently staged their obedience championships at a city woolstore. 62 entries from as far afield as Wellington, Hawkes Bay and Waitara were received. Pictured above with her prize (a tin of Fido) is Mr B.J. Monaghan's German Shepherd, Iona Bella Matea.....and doesn't she look proud of her success!



Mr and Mrs Max Bay, Wellington, pictured with their fine Dobermans Topsy and Prince.



Theresa Kent told us that Taura was a miniature poodle... "but she grew".



The short and the tall... Mrs H. Morgan (Wellington) with her Maltese Terrier, Tana, and Mrs D. Oxenham (Wellington) with her German Shepherd, Rex.



ABOVE. Novice Winners: From left: Miss Sarelius, P.Nth, Shetland sheepdog, 4th; Mrs K. Metanga, Waitara, 3rd; Mr L. D. Oxenham, W'gton, 2nd, and Mr D. M. Grenville, P.Nth., 1st.

BELOW. Test B. Winners: From left: N. Jones, Taradale, 1st; Mr B. J. Monaghan, W'gton, 2nd; Miss R. G. Pattle, W'gton (Corgi) 3rd, and Mrs D. O'Dwyer, Greenmeadows, 4th. Mrs O'Dwyer's German shepherd was later judged champion dog with 311½ points from a possible 320.





## Battle Centenary

Following celebrations on Ranana's Ruaka Marae where a cairn and memorial plaque were unveiled, a small ceremony at Wanganui's Moutoa Gardens concluded the commemoration of the centenary of the Battle of Moutoa. It was in this battle that Wanganui Maoris travelled up-river to engage an invading war party of Hau Hau warriors on the river island of Moutoa.

At the ceremony at Moutoa Gardens a replica of the Moutoa battle flag was presented to descendants of chiefs in the battle. The Rev.H.W.Austin is pictured above dedicating the flag. Pictured below is a section of the crowd which gathered for the ceremony.



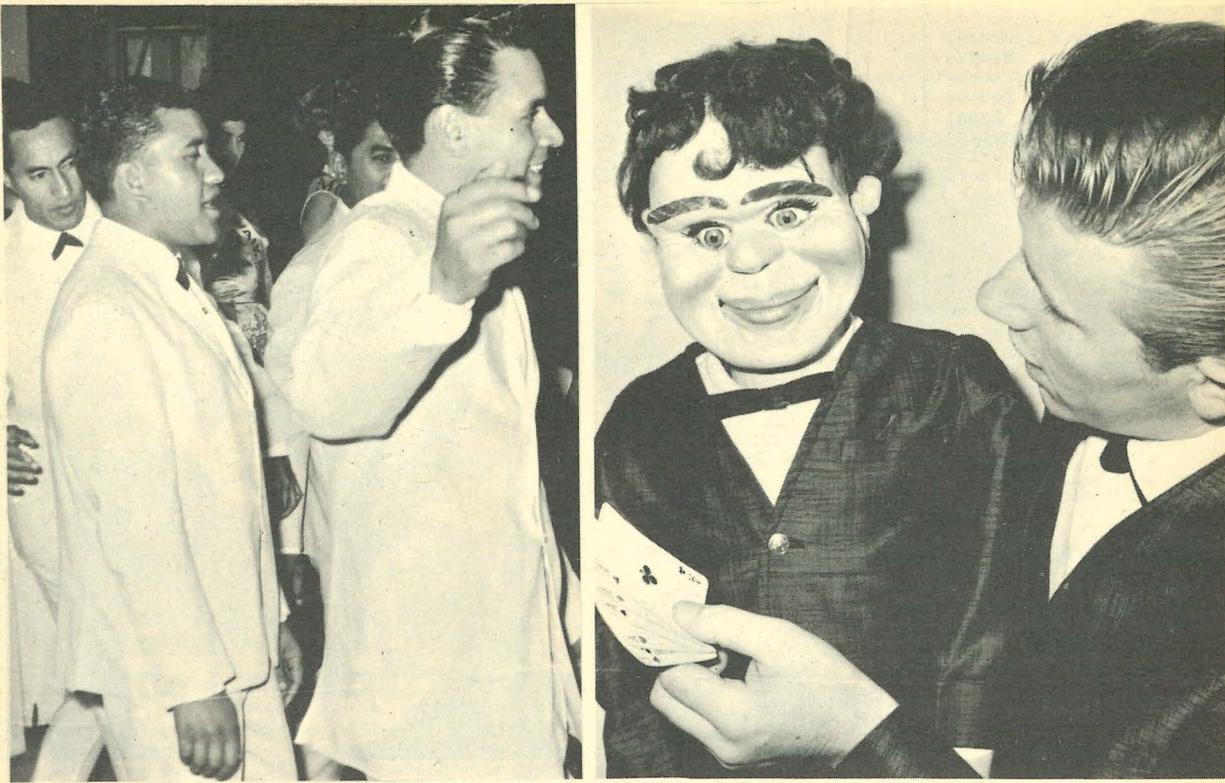
**Right:** Mrs E.Spurdle, a descendant of Wanganui pioneers, presents a replica of the Moutoa flag to Messrs Rangi Pokiha and Panetahi Metekingi, direct descendants of chiefs involved in the battle.

**Below:** After the flag had been presented, the two men paraded it before the gathered crowd.

**Below right:** To mark the ceremony, Mrs J.M. McEwan planted an ake ake tree. It was from this wood that Maori weapons were fashioned.

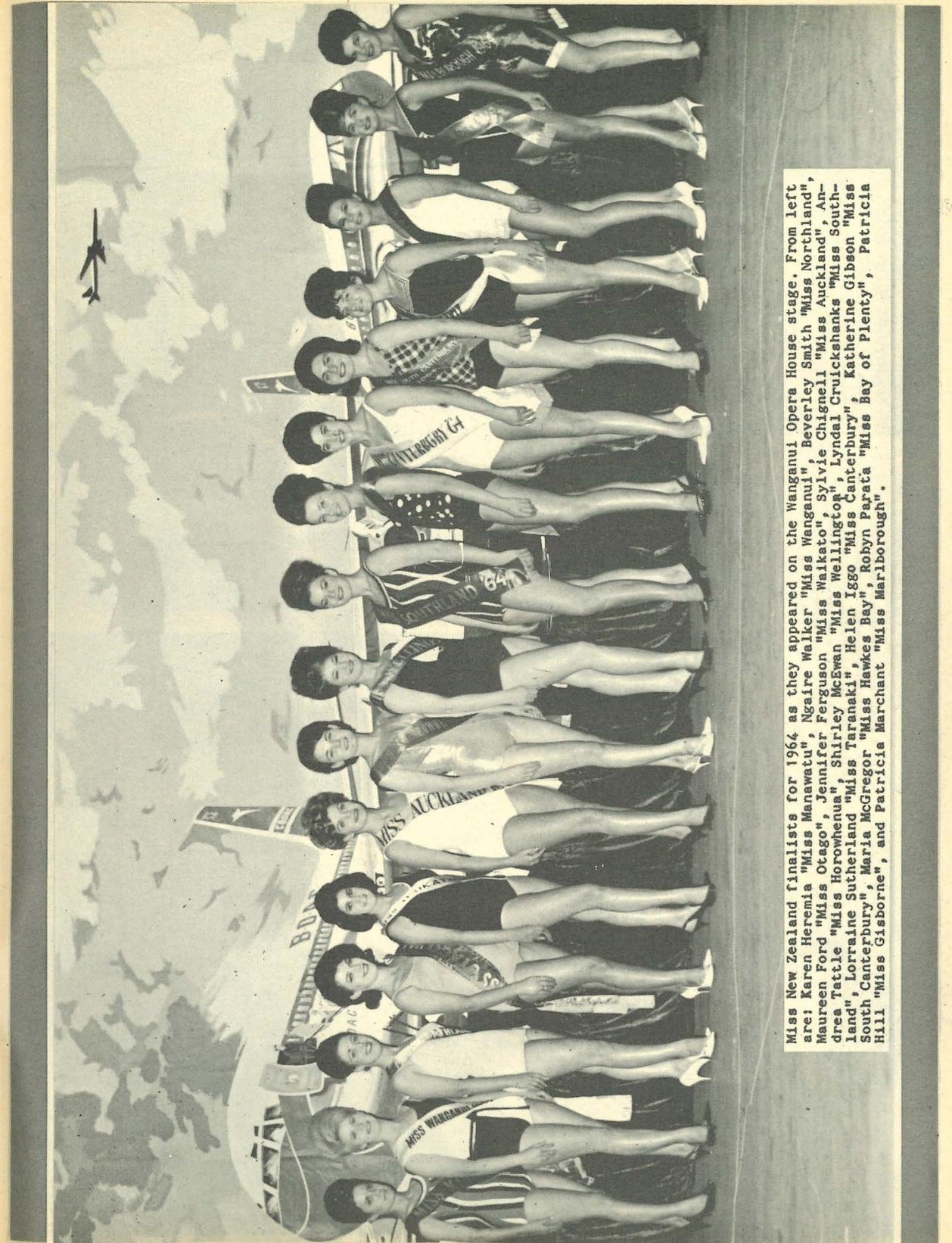
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## "Miss New Zealand" Contest

Dunedin entrepreneur Joe Brown recently visited Wanganui with a bevy of girls (previously chosen as their province's most beautiful) and a string of New Zealand artists on the first leg of a tour of New Zealand. The glamour girls, pictured on the opposite page, were the provincial finalists in the 1964 Miss N.Z. Contest. Some of the supporting artists are pictured on this page. **Above:** Howard Morrison's quartet. **Right:** Ventriloquist Allini and Charlie. **Below:** Relaxing over a game of cards in their hotel are Howard Morrison, Toni Williams, John Hore and compere Neville Chamberlain.



Miss New Zealand finalists for 1964 as they appeared on the Wanganui Opera House stage. From left are: Karen Heremia "Miss Manawatu", Ngaire Walker "Miss Wanganui", Beverley Smith "Miss Northland", Maureen Ford "Miss Otago", Jennifer Ferguson "Miss Waikato", Sylvie Chignell "Miss Auckland", Andrea Tattle "Miss Horowhenua", Shirley McSwan "Miss Wellington", Lyndal Cruickshanks "Miss Southland", Lorraine Sutherland "Miss Taranaki", Helen Iggo "Miss Canterbury", Katherine Gibson "Miss South Canterbury", Maria McGregor "Miss Hawkes Bay", Robyn Parata "Miss Bay of Plenty", Patricia Hill "Miss Gisborne", and Patricia Marchant "Miss Marlborough".

## World Record

Two Wanganui youths, Malcolm Spencer (left) and Bernard Lane (right) recently established in Wanganui a new record for non-stop table tennis playing. Malcolm, a poultry farmer, and Bernard, a railways clerk, had their attempt sponsored by the St. Laurence Table Tennis Club, of which they are both members. They broke the old record (held by an Auckland group) by 45 minutes with a new time of 35hr. 20min.



## Married

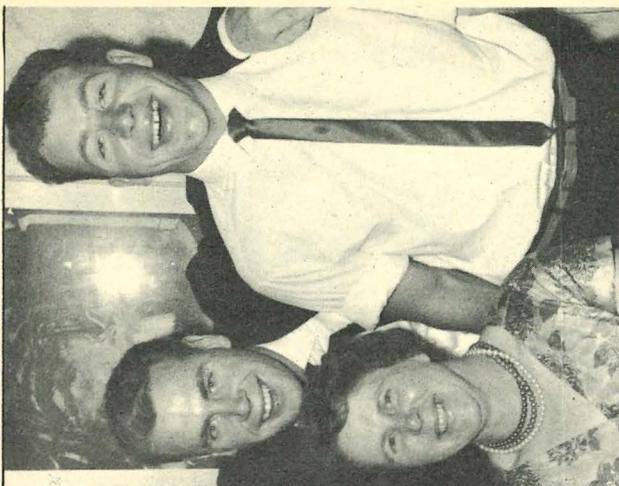
**Right: REID--GUNN.** At St Paul's Presbyterian Church, Wanganui, Nancy Yvonne, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.M.Gunn, 277 Somme Parade, to Wallis Allan, son of Mr and Mrs A.R.Reid, 56 Epsom Avenue, Auckland. Attendants, from left, are Brian Anderton, Auckland, best man, Melva Gunn, sister of the bride, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid, David Yearsley, Auckland, and Christine Gunn, sister of the bride, Wanganui. Future home, Auckland. (TESLA CANDID).

**Below: JURGENS--WHITE.** At Christ Church, Wanganui, Noeline Margaret, only daughter of Mrs C.M. and the late Mr N.White, 79 Springvale Road, Wanganui, to Allan Frank, son of Mr and Mrs W. Jurgens, Henderson's Line, Marton. Attendants were Angela Rogers, Wanganui, and Fred Jurgens, Bulls. Future home, Marton. (TESLA CANDID)



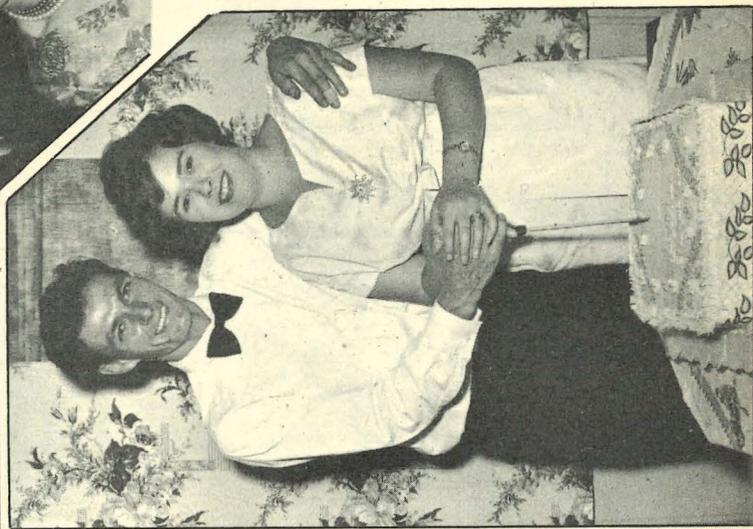
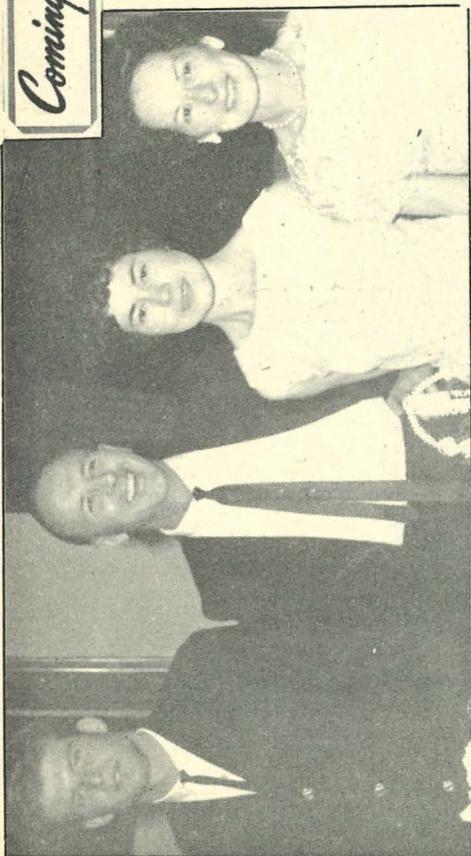
**Above: FENTON--ELLIS.** At St Francis' Catholic Church, Marton, Patricia Anne, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.M. Ellis, Marton, to Denis Leo, son of Mr and Mrs W.Fenton, Palmerston North. Future home, Palmerston North. (RICHARDS).

*Coming of Age*



**Top left:** Dawn Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. Gilbertson, 62 Duncan Street, pictured with her parents and her brother, David. (N.C.FLYGER).  
**Bottom left:** Keith, son of Mr and Mrs G.N. Bunn, Tayforth. (NIGHTINGALLS).  
**Above:** Jeffrey Walker (right) pictured with his parents, Mr and Mrs R. (Shortly) Walker, 53 Ikitara Road, and his brother Ken. (NIGHTINGALLS).  
**Near left:** Mrs Arlene Bright, 15 Kiwi Street, pictured with husband Kelvin. (KIWI CANDID).

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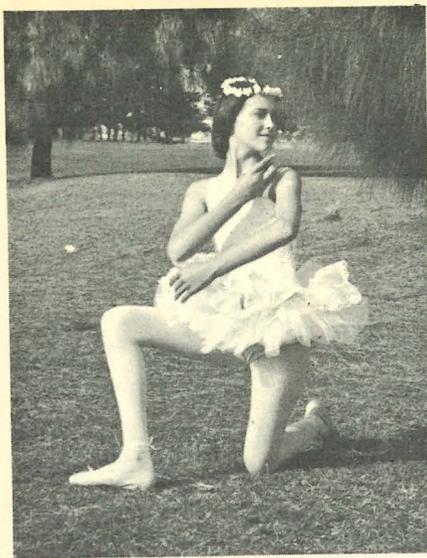


**Important Gatherings**

**ABOVE. BANK OPENING:** The Mayor, Mr R.P. Andrews, pictured declaring the new head office of the Wanganui Savings Bank officially open. The function took place in the new premises on the ground floor of the H.B. building, corner of Ridgway Street and Victoria Avenue. Also in the pix are Mr R. Jack, M.P. for Patea, Mr G. Spooner, M.P. for Wanganui, Mr E.A. Millward, chairman of Wanganui Savings Bank trustees, and the manager, Mr Gerald McDoual.

**BELOW. CONFERENCE GROUP:** Some of the many who attended the recent study conference organised by the Wanganui Educational Advancement committee are pictured in this photograph taken after the discussions at the Wanganui Technical College hostel.





## Pot Pourri

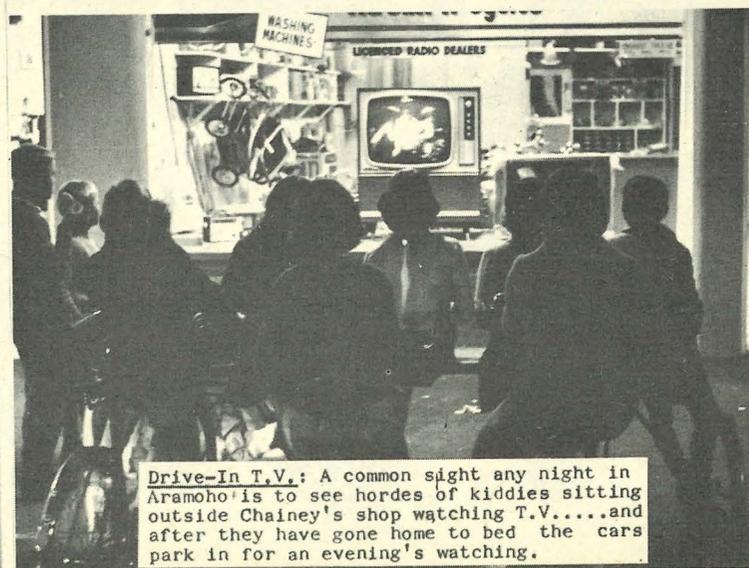
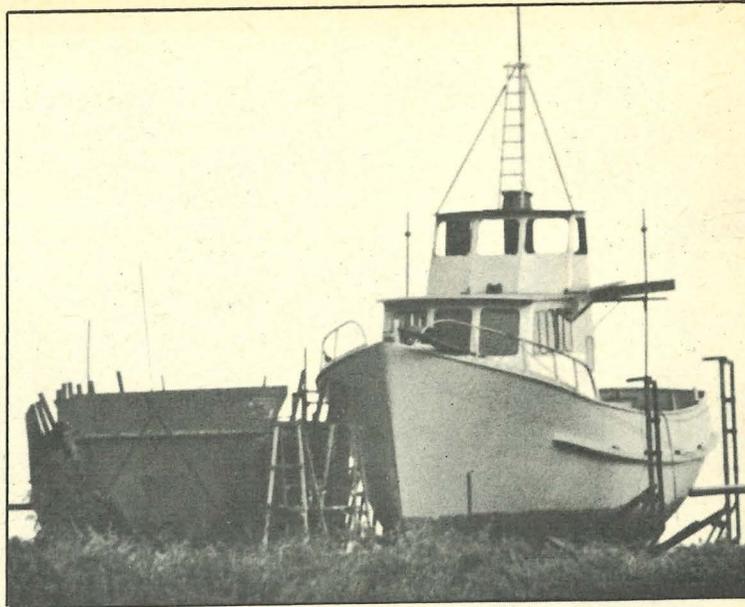
**ABOVE. SUCCESS:** Colleen Costello, aged 11, won a dancing scholarship award and was also awarded a 1st, three 2nds and a 3rd in the vocal section at the New Plymouth Competitions.

**TOP RIGHT. LAUNCHING:** The 36-ton steel trawler being built in Wanganui by Steel Boats Ltd. is almost ready for launching. Another trawler is now under construction for another Wellington fisherman.

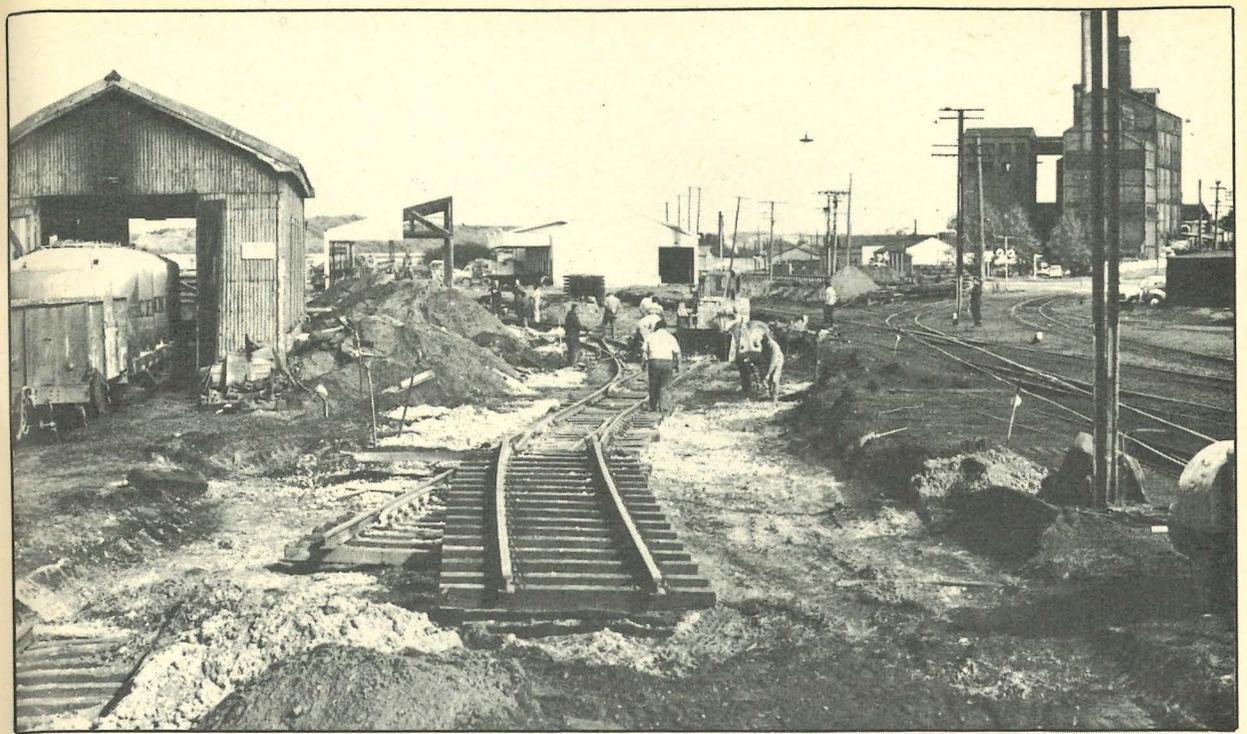
**RIGHT. BOY ENTRANT.** Kevin Harris, 19 Godwin Crescent, is one of four boy entrants to enter the R.N.Z.A.F from Wanganui this year. Kevin is studying radar.



**Things Ain't What They Seem:** These two "lovelies" are in fact a couple of local boys who prefer to remain anonymous... (we wonder why?)



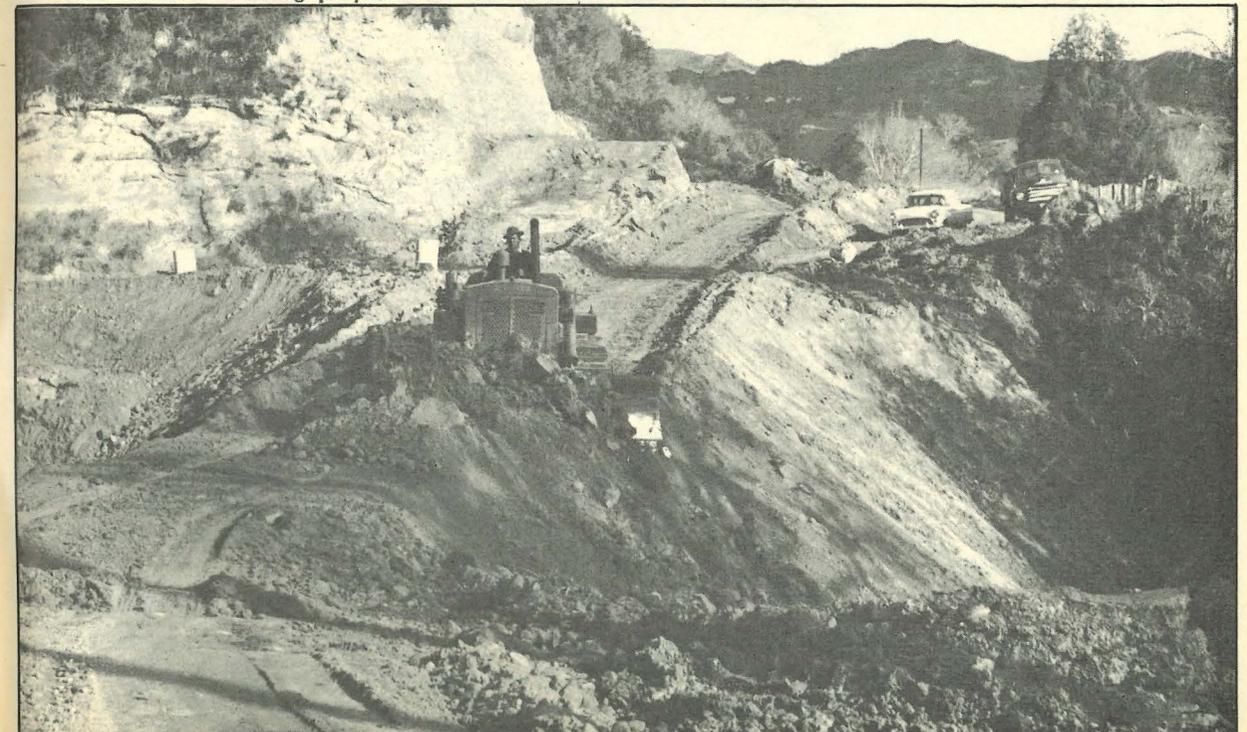
**Drive-In T.V.:** A common sight any night in Aramoho is to see hordes of kiddies sitting outside Chainey's shop watching T.V....and after they have gone home to bed the cars park in for an evening's watching.



## Reconstruction

**Above:** Extensive rebuilding work is at present being carried out at the Wanganui railway yards, Taupo Quay. Workmen are pictured above engaged in relaying tracks to the new goods sheds.

**Below:** Bryan Cronin operates Bullock's bulldozer about four miles north of Parakino on the Wanganui River road. Part of general improvements being affected by the Wanganui County Council, this section is being prepared for the next stretch of tar seal.





## Wedding Bells

**MARRIED. DAVIS—BLACKBURN:** At the Presbyterian Church, Taumarunui, Elizabeth Merenia, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Blackburn, 225 Puriri Street, Castlecliff, to William Henry, son of Mr and Mrs Bill Davis, 45 Taumarunui Street, Taumarunui. Attendants, from left, are Fella Davis, Taumarunui, brother of the groom, best man, Elizabeth Davis, Taumarunui, sister of the groom, Edward Blackburn, brother of the bride, Lower Hutt, and Hilda Blackburn, sister of the bride, Wanganui, chief bridesmaid. Future home, Taumarunui. (G.C.SECOMBE).



**BIRTHDAY CAKE CUT:** Mrs A.C.Rogers, Rapanui, was only one ounce out in her winning guess of the weight of D.I.C's 80th birthday cake - 147lbs 15 ozs. After receiving a cheque for £25, Mrs Rogers, watched and coached by its maker, Mr Harry Chappell (pix at left), cut the cake. In the pix below, patrons at the store gather around for a taste of the lovely cake.



## Roaming Camera

**ABOVE, WON T.V.:** Pictured taking delivery of her 2nd prize in the recent nationwide Good Housekeeping Jumble Brand competition is Mrs M.Fleming, 26 Maxwell Ave. With Mrs Fleming is John Rowe, local Good Housekeeping secretary, and Barrie Mitchell-Anyon, a c t i n g television-set-lifter-upper.

**TOP RIGHT. TO ANAKIWA:** Neil Crawford and Graeme Vincent are pictured being farewelled by Mr W.S.N.Rennie, chairman of the sponsors, Western Building Society, prior to their departure for leadership training at Anakiwa.

**RIGHT. DEBUTANTES:** Making their debut at the recent Masonic Ball were, **back:** Barbara Stephens, Doreen Cowan, Janine Wadey and Margaret Simpson. **Front:** Julie Taylor, Beverley Smith, Barbara Bowyer, Colleen Hurley and Lynn Spurdle. (RICHARDS).



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N.Z.R. fireman Jim Tairawhiti and loco driver Gary Hodson pictured in the cab of their engine

## Men At Work

In this issue we introduce a new feature designed to put into the news those men who would not normally be in the lime-light. This feature will run regularly in every issue henceforth with random pix of men employed in their normal work-time activities.



Service station attendant Bill Candy checks the oil in a customer's car.



Street photographer Peter Hood takes a pic on Victoria Avenue.



Hairdresser Claudio Petronelli at work in his Maria Place Salon.



Barman Ian McMorran pulls a couple of long ones for two of his "regulars".



NORTH ISLAND LOVELIES: From left: Beverley Smith, Miss Northland; Sylvia Chignell, Miss Auckland; Patricia Hill, Miss Gisborne; Maria McGregor, Miss Hawkes Bay; Robyn Parata, Miss Bay of Plenty; Jennifer Ferguson, Miss Waikato; Karen Herenia, Miss Manawatu; Ngaire Walker, Miss Wanganui; Andrea Fattie, Miss Horowhenua; Shirley McEwen, Miss Wellington; Lorraine Sutherland, Miss Taranaki; and last year's Miss N.Z., Elaine Miscall.