



**Above: CORBETT-HART.** At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Hawera, Sharron Mary, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.Hart, Hawera, to Richard Edward, son of Mr and Mrs C.E.Corbett, Hawera. The bridesmaids were Gayleen Howell, Hawera, and Glenda Eades, Hawera. The best man was Frank Gill, Normanby, and the groomsmen was Garry Hart, brother of the bride. Future home Hawera. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)

**Below: HASTIE-DUNLOP.** At the Methodist Church, Hawera, Meryn, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs W.Dunlop, Auroa, to Donald, only son of Mr and Mrs A.J.R.Hastie, Manaia. The bridesmaids were Helen Dunlop, Auroa, sister of the bride, Barbara Forbes, Stratford, Relma Dunlop, sister of the bride, Auroa, and Dianne Hanna, Taipiri. The best man was Wallace Allan, and the groomsmen was Geoffrey Dunlop, Auroa, brother of the bride. Future home, Manaia. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)



**Above: FRANCIS-DOBROSKI.** At St. Patrick's Church, Patea, Susanne Raye, second daughter of Mr and Mrs W.F.Dombroski, Kakaramea, to John Alexander, only son of Mr and Mrs H.A.Francis, Paraparaumu. The bridesmaids were Heather Lamb, Hawera, Mary Dombroski, Hawera, and Colleen Dombroski, Kakaramea, sister of the bride. The best man was Michael Howse, NP, and the groomsmen were Trevor Roderick, Patea, and Michael Dick, Masterton. Future home, New Plymouth. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)

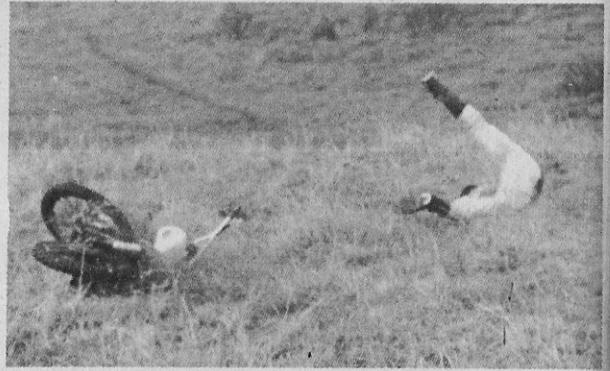
**Below: FORD-KALIN.** At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Hawera, Roseanne, twin daughter of Mr and Mrs A.Kalin, Hawera, to Brendon James, twin son of the late Mr and Mrs Ford. The bridesmaids were Helen Kalin, sister of the bride, Hawera, and Carol Hetherington, Hawera. The best man was Brian Ford, Wanganui, and the groomsmen was John Back, Wanganui. Future home, Mangamingi. (DAVID PAUL STUDIO)





## S.J.A. BUSY AT SCRAMBLE

The St. John Ambulance had a busy time at the recent North Taranaki Motor Cycle Club's Scramble at Tataraimaika. Above: First on the casualty list was Bruce Campbell, who got a nasty gash in the face, and is shown here being attended by the SJA men. Below: David Cook came a real cropper and was removed to hospital, with injuries to his back. Ambulance men worked on him as he lay on the grass. Above, right: David Cook's bike goes flying, as he hits the dirt partly obscured by Ken Dixon. Right: Bruce Campbell's fall. Below, right: Maurice Collins leads Arthur Baker and Terry Baldwin down a steep gradient.





Three out of the four riders in the recent Taranaki Scramble championship are airborne. Some of these boys certainly know how to handle these lively little machines over rough terrain. It's a pleasure to watch as they buzz round the tortuous track on nothing but two wheels. In our picture, from left, are David Cook, Maurice Collins. Ken Dixon and Maurice Goodwin.



## N.P. WHARFIES BEST IN N.Z.

Read in the paper recently that Port Taranaki wharfies topped the list of NZ workers for cargo handling. So good are they, in fact, that their daily average tonnage, 370, is just double that of the Wellington wharfie. There's been a lot of banter, both good and bad-natured, about the wharfie, so we went down to the port to see for ourselves. Well, after the visit, we decided to stick to compiling "Photo News". There was a job which required muscle, and no wonder they are the best cargo handlers in NZ; they certainly were working, and HARD. We have at least changed our opinion about the NZ wharfie, as his conditions aren't quite as good as they will be when the new wharves are in use, with faster loading and more space for shunting, which accounts for a considerable loss of time. Above: Loading cartons of beef for Germany into the hold of the ship. The gang worked as a well-drilled team. Above, right: Down on the wharf the men got the boxes of beef onto the slings in very short time. Below, right: Mutton was handled as fast as the beef, each man pulling his weight. Below, left: Ray, the rope man for the day. His wasn't a sitting down job for long.



## ONE ELEPHANT VERSUS BORTHWICKS

And we thought they were tough out Waitara way! Members of Borthwick's staff recently involved themselves in a tug-o-war with an elephant. Thirty-five of these hulky he-men couldn't hold back the elephant. They even tied the end of the rope to a railway wagon, but that couldn't stop Jumbo from winning. We reckon a team from the Waitara Women's Bowling Club could have offered a weightier problem for the elephant! Above: They took the other two elephants away when they saw the opposition offering. Below: Get steady, HEAVE.... And the elephant (bottom) just walked away with them.





## WINTER SEASON SPORTS

Winter sports have now started in earnest, and one of the largest followings is in the basketball. At the Waiwakaiho courts, each Saturday, there are literally hundreds of girls competing in this very popular sport. Above: The two pictures were taken during one of the grading games. Below: One girl came down with a thud and was hurt. Below, right: The referee calls for the attention of the St. John Ambulance.



## HAPPINESS CLUB AFFAIRS

It was hand-out day recently for the NP Happiness Club, when they made their annual contributions to various societies in the town. Above: Cutting the celebration cake is President Dorrie Shippey and Director Rose, head of Happiness Clubs in NZ. Below: Receiving their cheque for the St. John are Nursing Sisters Graham and Pape. Above, right: Mr Rowan receives his cheque on behalf of the blind children of the district from Director Rose.

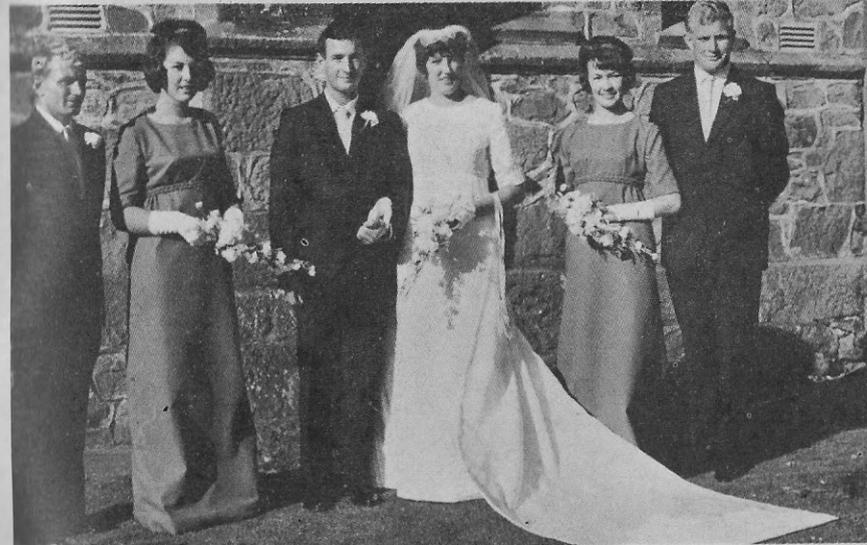


## COMPETITION WINNER

Below: Yet another useful prize has come the way of Paul de Abaitua. He recently gained second place for the whole of NZ in the Gregg's bird-colouring competition. Paul is seen here with Mr Medland, who was representing Greggs, and made one of many presentations to Paul.

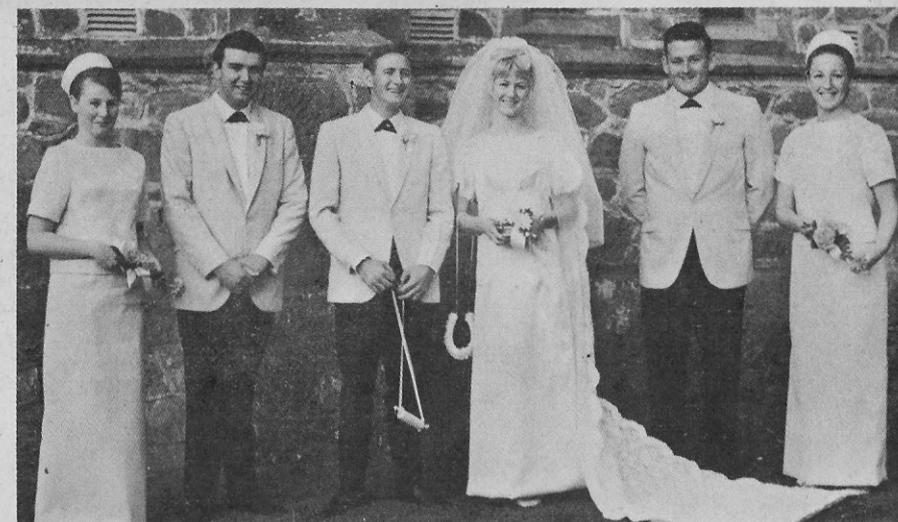
## Married

**Left: MARSH-WEARING.** At St. David's Presbyterian Church, NP, Lyn, second daughter of Mr and Mrs A. J. Wearing, NP, to Terence, son of Mr and Mrs A. J. March, Bell Block. The bridesmaid was Marilyn Spencer, NP. The best man was Brian Kendrick, NP, and the groomsmen were Gary Hols-wich, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.



## Wedding Bells

**Left: GILLON-HOGAN.** At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Janette, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs G. Hogan, NP, to Ash-leigh, only son of Mrs H. Cate, Patea, and the late Mr A. Gillon. The bridesmaids were Lois Peoples, Christchurch and Raewyn Campbell, Hawera. The best man was Patrick Bourke, Pa-tea. Future home, NP.



**Right: BLACKMORE-HANSEN.** At St. Mary's Anglican Church, Margarethe, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Hansen, NP, to Don, elder son of Mr and Mrs W. Blackmore, NP. The matron of honour was Jean Greedy, Hamilton, and the bridesmaid was Gail Hansen, sister of the bride, NP. The best man was John Baker, Rotorua, and the groomsmen were Graeme Greedy, Hamilton. Future home, NP.

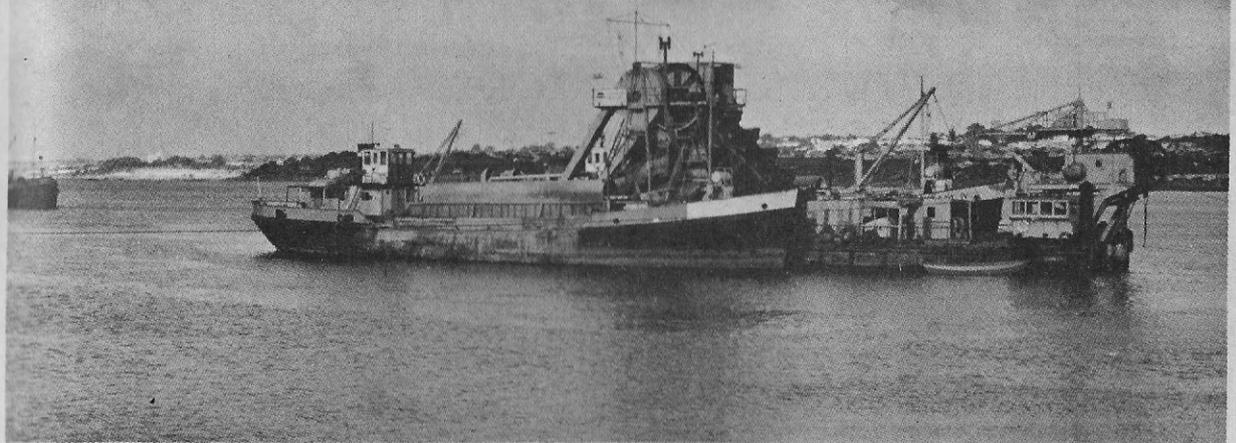


**Right: O'GRADY-JONES.** At St. Joseph's Catholic Church, NP, Dorothy Rae, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs S. E. Jones, Warea, to Andrew O'Grady, son of Mrs A. Campbell, NP. The bridesmaids were Lyn-nette and Margaret Jones, sisters of the bride, Warea, and Susie Camp-bell, sister of the groom, NP. The best man was Fred Morecock, NP, and the groomsmen were Jim, Blenheim, and Phil-lip Campbell, brothers of the groom, NP. Future home, NP.

**Left: BRETHERTON-KNOW-LES.** At Holy Trinity Church, Fitzroy, Mar-garet Lyn, only daughter of Mr and Mrs E. L. Know-les, NP, to Edward Char-les, second son of Mr C. E. Bretherton, NP, and the late Mrs Bretherton. The bridesmaids were Glenys Clark, Inglewood, and Jan Hitchcock, Nga-ere, and the groom's attendants were Bruce Mercer, Waitara, and Ray Hall, Tariki. Future home, Rotorua.



**Left: WALL-BIRCH.** At St. Mary's Church, Leo-nora, third daughter of Mr and Mrs L. A. T. Birch, NP, to George, second son of Mr and Mrs W. Wall, NP. The brides-maids were Sylvia May, NP, and Carolyn Wilson, Christchurch. The best man was Oliver Hill, Waterford, Ireland. Future home, NP.



**PORT DREDGING WORK**

Work is proceeding apace with the dredging at Port Taranaki. Here the dredge is working on a basin in about the position of the new wharf. It has been working round the clock to keep the schedule up to time, and with the work on the breakwater nearly completed, there's a noticeable change in the face of the port.

**WHOSE FACE IS THIS?**

We're not even going to tell you where this picture was taken, but the lucky person whose face is within the white circle is entitled to claim a free subscription to "Photo News" valued at £1.18s. All she has to do is to present herself at the "Photo News" office and claim her prize.



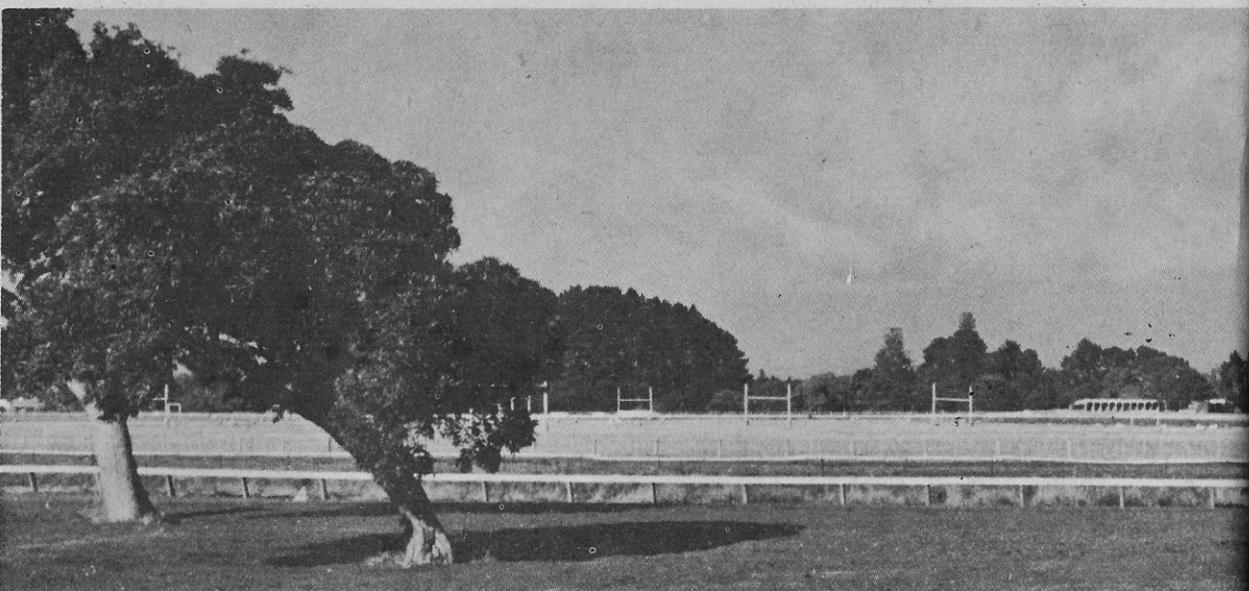
**YOU SHOULD HAVE BEEN THERE...**

During our roamings around New Plymouth we meet a lot of people, many of whom tell us of strange, humorous or interesting events which they know have just taken place. Usually, they preface their tale with: "You should have been at such and such a place the other night." Our stock reply now is "Well, we probably would have been if you had let us know." We are kept fairly busy, as it is, but never so busy that we don't want to hear of EVERYTHING that's going on around the place, no matter how unimportant you may think the occasion is. We cannot always guarantee to attend every function, but if we don't know about them, then it's CERTAIN that we can't attend. Only with your cooperation can we gather the variety of pictures that YOU like to see in "Photo News". So, give us a ring, mate, there's a chance that your secretary has forgotten about us. All you need to do is lift your telephone receiver and dial 6101 during the day, or 88712 after hours and you can be sure that your request for a photographer will not fall upon deaf ears.

**GIRL GUIDES' TRIP TO AUCKLAND**

What a happy party it was of Girl Guides, who recently paid a hurried visit to Auckland to see the chief Guide, Lady Baden-Powell. There were two carriages full of these excited girls who left the New Plymouth railway station for an all-night journey north. From reports we heard on their return, they had certainly made their presence felt in the big city, and they had all, without exception, enjoyed their trip. Above: On boarding the train, it took some time for the girls to sort themselves out, but they finally managed. Below, left: Robin Rosse and Jillian Butler settle down for the night. Below, right: Jennifer Rosser and Jennifer Butler get set for some comfortable pop listening. All these four Guides were from the Rahotu pack.



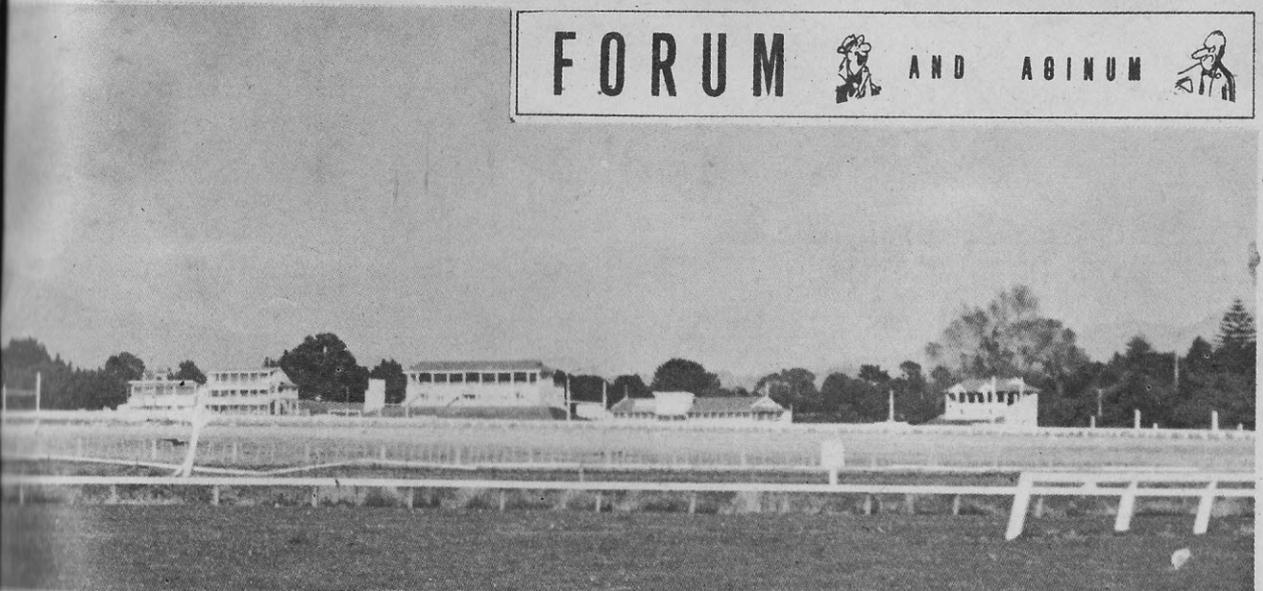


### IT'S JUST AN IDEA

Don't suppose we'll be very popular with the Racing Club, but this idea was passed on to us recently, and we thought it well worth investigation. To our informant and to us, it seems that the old airport is going to waste. The idea is to shift the racecourse from the city out to the old airport at Bell Block, thereby making available some 250 valuable sections, valued at approximately £350,000 or more. This sum could be used by the council to remove and rebuild the stands of the race course, which could become one of the best in the country. Add to that as many soccer and football grounds as you like, plus a sealed race track round the perimeter of the drome, a distance of nearly four miles, and you've got a real amenity to the town, with perhaps some motels and a restaurant added to make the whole area into a sports area unsurpassed anywhere in NZ. The perimeter track could become another road circuit for motor racing, and used for all the important cycle races in the province without these sportsmen being a danger on our overcrowded roads.

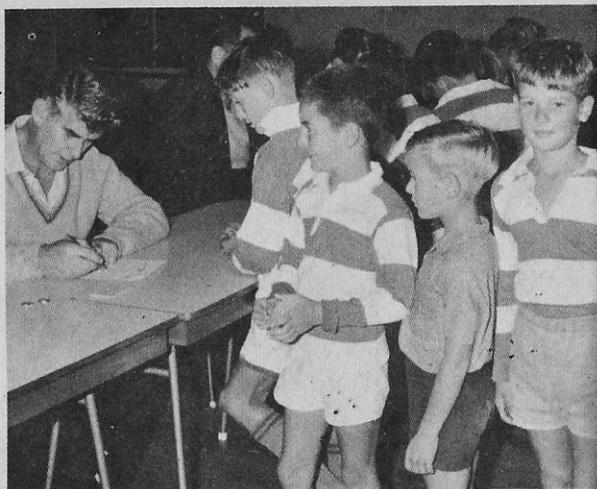
One point raised regarding the council's proposal to sell this property as industrial land: it is right on the main road, a good place for industry, but, like the cover of a book, the entrance to the city must be attractive, to gain favourable first impressions for those visiting our city. This is important, and added to the fact that this scheme could result in an influx of visitors on a far greater scale than the city has ever known, should do something towards the prosperity of our town.

Frankly, we think this idea well worth consideration and would like to see someone follow it up with a few more facts and figures that might convince. It certainly would be an asset to our city, as there isn't another area like this anywhere in New Zealand. Above: The present racecourse, in the middle of our fair city, eating up some of the best home-building land there is. Right: An aerial view of the race course.—and—An old aerial view of the airport, taken during the last war. Below: This, the old Bell Block airport, running right alongside the main road, is the ideal spot for such an idea as this, and at present is used for growing grass.



# FUTURE ALL BLACKS SIGN ON

Over one hundred young fellows recently signed on for Tukapo for their midget teams. Sanders Park was a buzz as the kids lined up, below, for their individual signing on. They're a keen-looking lot, and judging by their liveliness, they could become All Blacks at some future date. **Right:** Rex Williamson, Gary Crossman, Michael Spencer and Graham Doherty wait their turn as Ian Williams does the paper work. **Below, right:** Graham Leathley and David O'Donnell give their particulars to Horrie Kay and Ian Telfer. **Bottom, right:** Mark Laurenson signs on with Ian Dalgleish.



# CHILDREN AT THE CIRCUS

With the visiting circus camped on the racecourse, it was a target for hundreds of school-children. Teachers of the younger ones took this opportunity of taking their charges along to see just what some of these animals of their story books looked like in person. And we must say that the circus proprietors did everything they could for the youngsters. **Left:** Christine and Bernadette Harris were treated to a ride on one of the ponies. **Above:** A group of Central pupils have a look at a kangaroo who had recently had his leg amputated.

# WINNERS OF A CAR.

**Below:** Mrs H. Stanley, Inglewood, and Mr L. Richards, NP, receiving the cheques they won in the recent "Count the Pennies" contest run by the NP Lions Club. Presenting the cheques is club president Mr D. Christian.





## Married

**Above: WHITEFORD-BALSILLIE.** At the Catholic Church, Stratford, Nita Anne, second daughter of Mr and Mrs S.F. Balsillie, Stratford, to Dermot John, only son of Mr D.V. Whiteford, Hamilton, and the late Mrs Whiteford. The bridesmaids were Nola Balsillie, Stratford, Norma Connor, Hamilton, Diane Balsillie, Stratford, and Wendy Brenchley, Wellington. The best man was Graeme Couch, Tauranga, and the groomsman was Rex Brown, Hamilton. Future home, Hamilton.

**Below: NORRIS-SANDERSON.** At St. John's Presbyterian Church, Hawera, Barbara, daughter of Mr and Mrs Sanderson, Manaia, to Robert, son of Mr and Mrs Norris, Palmerston North. The bridesmaids were Mary and Pam Sanderson, sisters of the bride, Manaia. Best man was Selwyn Christensen, Palmerston North, and the groomsman was Robert Tinworth, Feilding.



## Wedding Bells

**Left: COTTAM-ROGERS.** At the Holy Trinity Church, Fitzroy, Denise, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H.E. Rogers, Lepperton, to Stuart, second son of Mr and Mrs R.H. Cottam, NP. The bridesmaids were Sheena Crowe, Lepperton, and Christine Death, Inglewood. Best man was Graham Painter, Wellington, and the groomsman was Norman Cottam, brother of the groom, NP. Future home, New Plymouth.

**Right: VANGO-PAUL.** At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, NP, Jennifer, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs L.E. Paul, NP, to John, only son of Mrs J.A. Vango, NP, and the late Mr Vango. The two bridesmaids were Marion Orr, NP, and Allison Paul, sister of the bride, NP. Best man was John Gianoutsos, Wellington. Future home, Mohakatina.



**Left: FOX-PATRICK.** At the Whiteley Methodist Church, NP, Sue, second daughter of Captain and Mrs G. Patrick, NP, to David Murray, eldest son of Mr and Mrs A.L. Fox, NP. The bridesmaid was Jan Moulden, NP, and the best man was Robin Fox, brother of the groom, NP. Flower-girls were Karen Barrett, NP, and Carol Edwards, Huinga. Future home, NP.



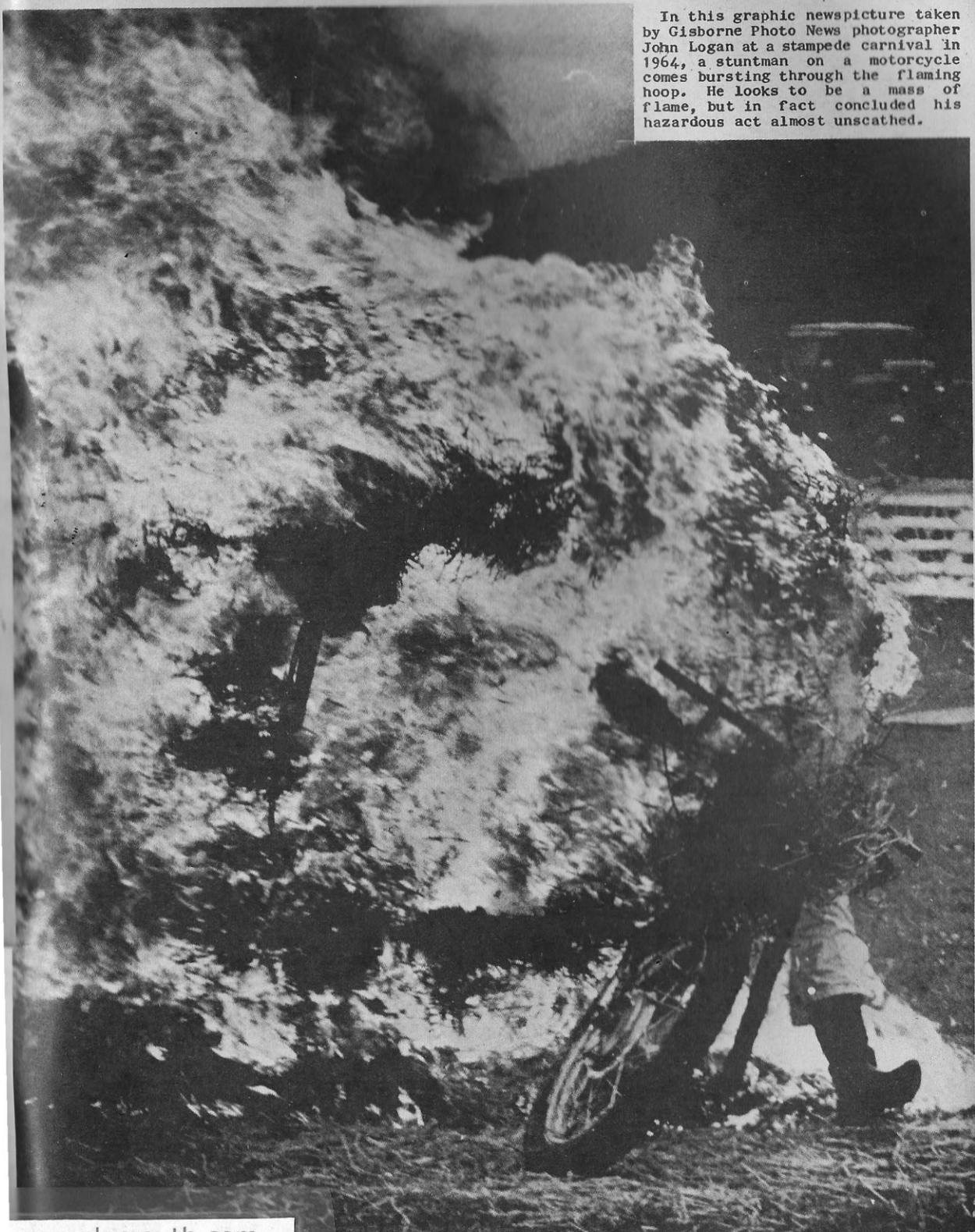
## SACRED HEART OLD GIRLS' REUNION

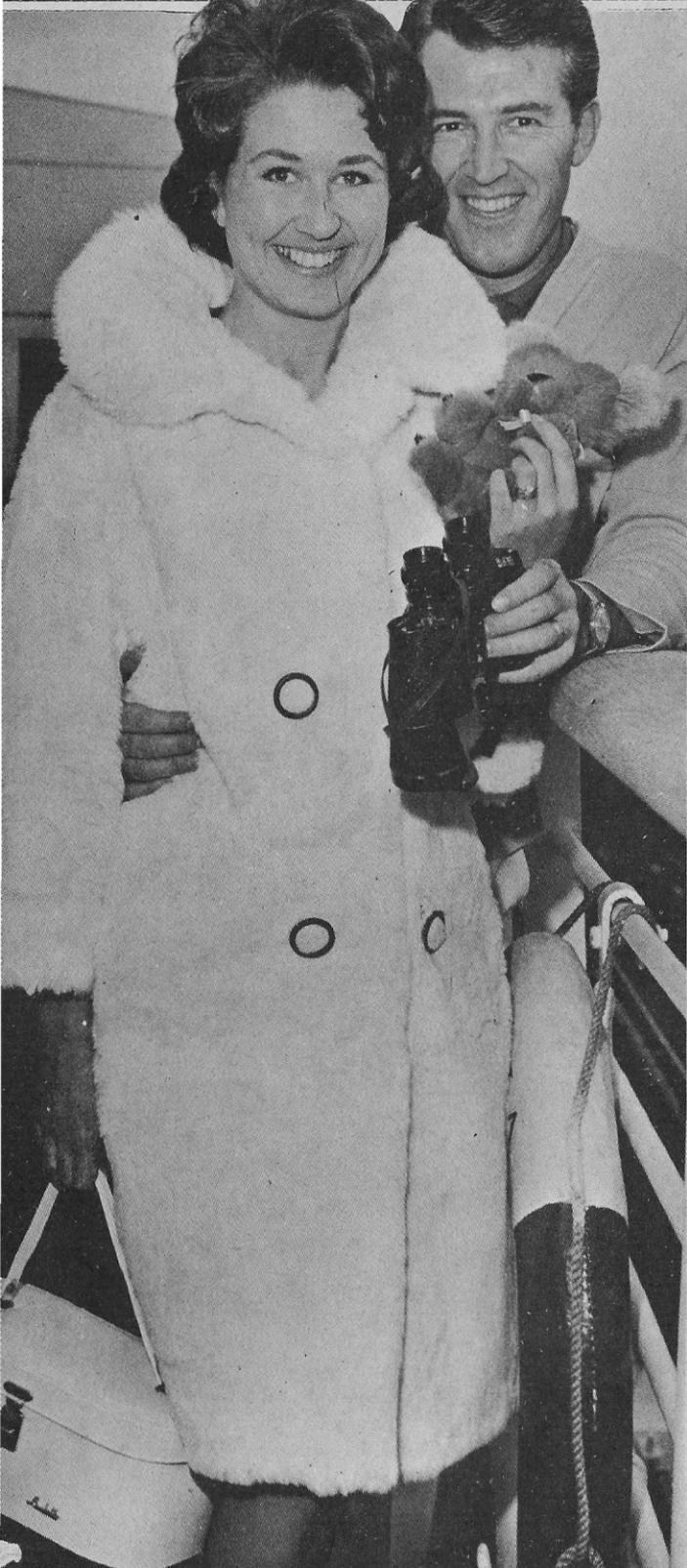
There was a good gathering at the recent 20th annual reunion of the Sacred Heart Old Girls' Association. Each year, these Old Girls meet and discuss the work of the past year in a general get-together. Left: This is the committee for the coming year. At back, from left, Mrs M. Fleming, Margaret Carmine, Molly Gilhooly, Mary Brien and Margaret O'Connell. Front row: Pat Manning, Mary Kurta, Jo Buchanan, Peggy Simpson, Beryl Walsham, and the oldest member, Mrs Grace. Below: Here's a group picture of the whole gathering.



# PICK OF THE NEWSPIX

In this graphic newspaper picture taken by Gisborne Photo News photographer John Logan at a stampede carnival in 1964, a stuntman on a motorcycle comes bursting through the flaming hoop. He looks to be a mass of flame, but in fact concluded his hazardous act almost unscathed.





### They're Both Kiwis

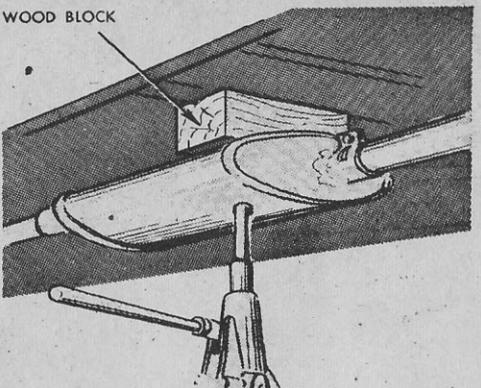
The world is full of contrasts, as these two pictures clearly show.  
 At left, New Zealand singer Lynne Cantlon, winner of last year's Melbourne Sun aria contest, is seen with her husband, Mr G. Syms, during a brief visit to her home town, Auckland. She left again almost immediately for Canada, where she expects to study at an opera school in Ottawa. Lynne is wearing the kangaroo fur coat given her by her husband on their wedding anniversary.  
 Below is husky-voiced pop star Dinah Lee, back from an 18-day tour of South Vietnam, where she entertained Kiwi and American troops.



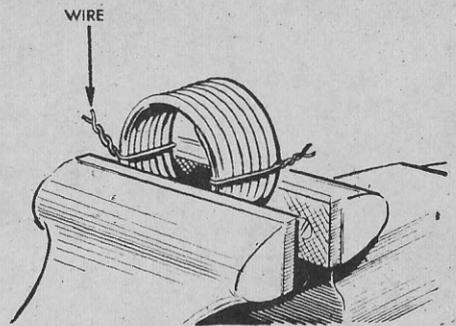
### Customs Haul

If you're a smuggler, you have to be ingenious. The problem is to find a hiding place for contraband which is so cleverly concealed that even the most experienced customs inspector can't find it. The smuggler who tried to get these transistor radios into New Zealand duty-free certainly went to a great deal of trouble.  
 He cut out the bottoms of these old oil drums and fitted false rubber or linoleum replacements to make a hidden space into which were crammed transistor radios, shavers, and other electrical appliances. Picture shows the Auckland chief boarding inspector, Mr Wyatt, with some of the drums and

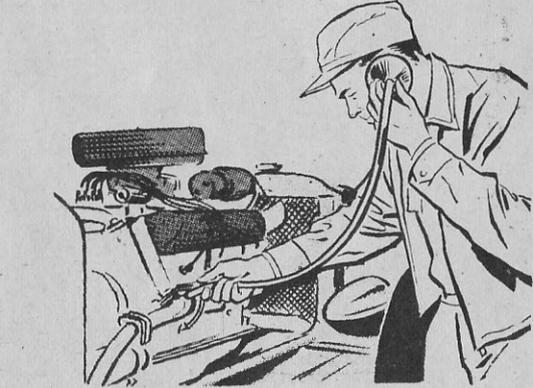
# MOTORING WITH ROBBIE



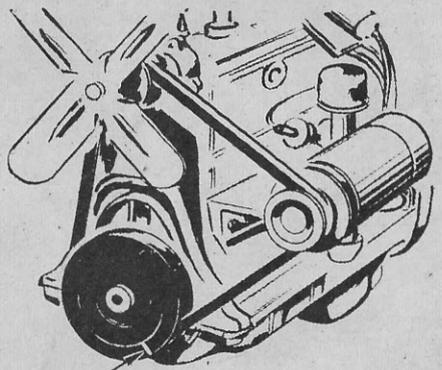
YOU CAN replace the exhaust tail pipe without damaging the muffler if you place a block of wood between the car frame and the muffler, then place a jack directly under the block, below the muffler. Only put sufficient pressure on the jack to hold the muffler in place while you work.



IF YOU are ever short of a valve lifter when you're doing a valve job you'll find you can replace the springs without a lifter if you compress each one in a vice and keep it compressed by means of two short pieces of wire, one on each side. When the spring has been installed and the valve keyed, you can remove the wires with the pliers.

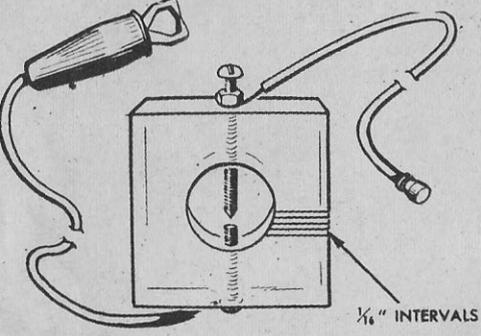


A SMALL funnel connected to a length of small diameter rubber or plastic tubing makes an effective stethoscope for tracking down vacuum leaks around the carburettor and intake manifold where the noises made by such leaks are generally drowned out by other engine noises.



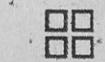
TDC MARK

THE TOP dead centre mark on the timing pulley will be much easier to see if you clean the pulley thoroughly and paint it with black paint, then dab some white or aluminium paint on the TDC mark and pointer. The marks will show up well even with a low intensity timing light. When painting the pulley it is better to use a flat black paint rather than enamel.

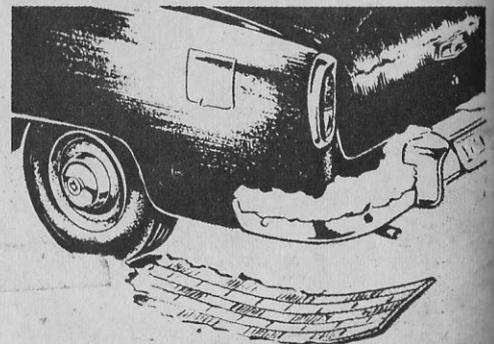


1/16" INTERVALS

A CALIBRATED gap simplifies testing engine ignition. Drill a hole through a block of clear plastic, thread it for screws, and scribe the interval marks as shown. Connect the spark plug wire to one connection and clip the other lead to the engine block.



LEARN FROM THE MISTAKES OF OTHERS... .. YOU HAVEN'T TIME TO MAKE THEM ALL YOURSELF.



A PIECE of asbestos siding or cardboard carton opened up can be used to give your car enough traction to creep out of slight depressions and slick spots in mud or snow. A couple of short pieces carried flat in the boot will be out of the way but ready for instant use in case



Wedding Bells

Above: RYAN-TODD. At the Knox Presbyterian Church, Eitham, Robyn Whilma, second daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Todd, Normanby, to Gary Thomas, only son of Mr and Mrs C. Ryan, Oakura. The bridesmaid was Deirdre Todd, sister of the bride, Normanby. Best man was Bruce Ball, Khandallah. The flower-girls were Ngaire Zehnder and Rachael Todd, nieces of the bride. Future home, Hawera.  
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