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**Taupo Soccer Club non-competitive
First Taupo nui a tia College team
Wairakei in BOP competition**

of £3 million to be spent in Taupo thermal area

of the £3 million allocated by Government investigation of geothermal steam re-
New Zealand will be spent in the Taupo

general manager of the New Zealand
Department, Mr B. McKenzie, said
most intensive part of the investiga-
tion — at the moment — be concentrated on
Wairakei.

of Electricity, Mr T. P. Shand, an amount of £450,000 has been allocated for investigation work for the 1965-66 year.

The Government's decision follows a recommendation in the 1964 report of the Power Planning Committee, which said there should be no slackening of efforts to develop the country's geothermal resources. An unspecified geothermal station for commissioning in 1974 or earlier was tentatively included in the power development programme.

The cost of producing electrical energy at Wairakei falls between that generated in the hydro stations and in the coal-fired steam station at Meremere.

In a new geothermal sta-

tion application of the experience gained is likely to result in substantially lower production costs, which will be more than competitive with those of future hydro stations.

Mr Shand said geothermal stations will be able to produce a given amount of electrical energy for a much lower capital expenditure than hydro stations.

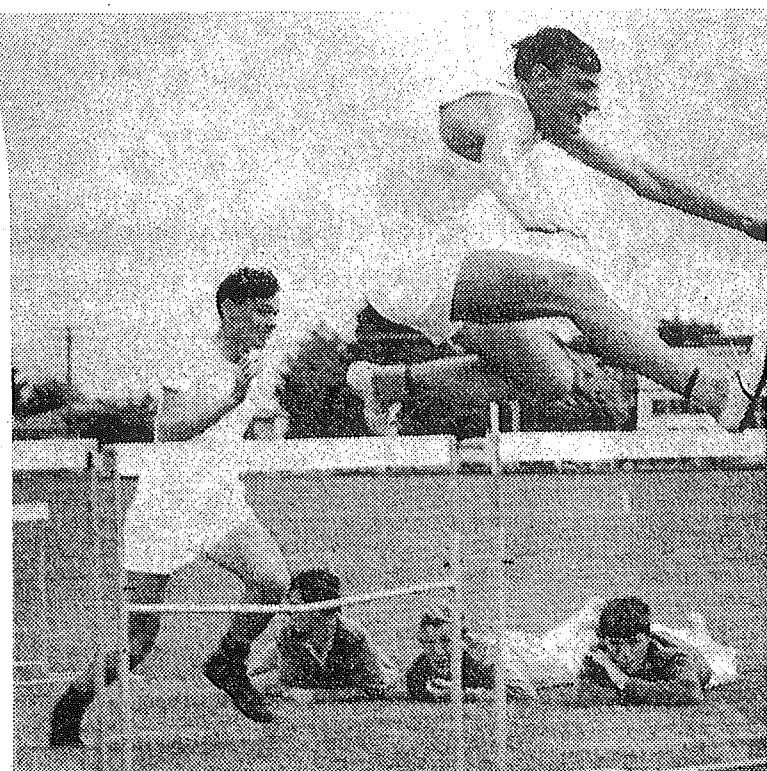
He added: These benefits will only be available if ample and reliable sources of geothermal steam are found."

The areas under consideration for investigation are, in order of importance: Wairakei, Orakei-Korako-Tekopia, Waiotapu, Rotorua-Taupo, Tikitere Wai-kite, Ngawha and Tokaanu-Waihi. Of these Ngawha was in North Auckland and the remainder were in the Rotorua-Taupo thermal belt.

Mr Shand said if the early stages of the programme produce good results there is every chance that the 150-megawatt station tentatively included in the power programme for 1974 could come into service considerably earlier.

YACHT CLUB PICNIC

Taupo Yacht Club had a day away from competitive sailing last Sunday when members, wives, families and friends held a picnic at Acacia Bay.



B. Righton (right) who won the 220yds hurdles and put up performance of 30.9sec. at the Taupo-nui-a-Tia College sports day.

Mothers' Club May Cease To Meet

Owing to the poor attendance at the annual meeting of the Taupo Kindergarten Mothers' Club, grave doubts are held as to whether the organisation can continue to function.

Unless more mothers take an interest in these meetings it will be difficult to organise the social evenings.

Only six mothers out of approximately 70 attended a recent meeting.

It should be noted that the Mother's Club is purely a social club. The annual meeting will be held at the Kindergarten on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Petrol Loads To Be Looked Into By Council

An investigation of the habit of a cartage contractor in carrying tanks of petrol chained to a flat-bed truck is to be made by the Transport Department at the request of Taupo County Council.

Cr R. B. Dick said this method had resulted in a driver being incinerated

COUNCIL WILL STAND FIRM ON MANGAKINO WATER

Taupo County Council has decided to stand firm on its requirements for water at Mangakino.

At the eleventh hour before the scheduled takeover date of March 31, the council was advised yesterday that a clause in the agreement had been altered and had gone through the offices of the Ministers of Works, Electricity, Internal Affairs and Treasury in the altered form.

The council and the Government had agreed to the council taking over the water supply and to provide water to the NZED at Maraetai.

A telephone call from Internal Affairs at 11 a.m. on Tuesday advised the council the clause had been altered and NZED would supply water to the council with a guaranteed maximum of 400 gallons a minute.

The caller required council's decision within the hour.

The supply would provide water for less than 3000 population in Mangakino, said the engineer, Mr G. B. Burton.

Cr U. R. MacDonald: This is big trouble. This agreement has to be through by

Opening Match

The Wairakei Soccer Club will play its first game of the season against Rotorua Rangers on Sunday.

On March 20 the team will compete in the Cambridge Shield soccer competition. This competition will extend over two weekends.

At a recent meeting of the club the following officers were elected:

President, Mr T. Drummond; secretary-treasurer, Mr W. Christie; team manager, Mr W. Swanson; committee, Messrs J. Bonnet, M. Fisher and W. Vander-

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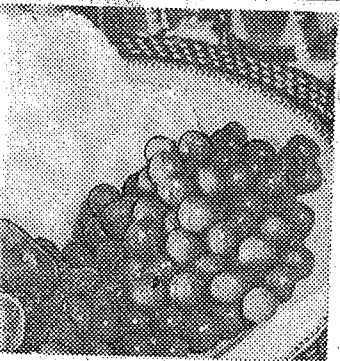
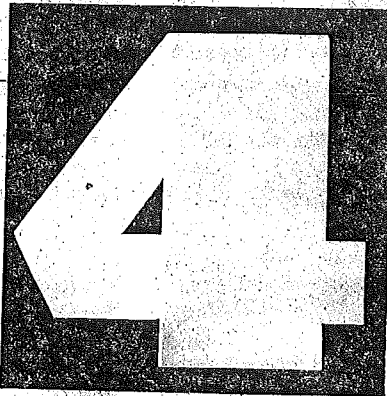
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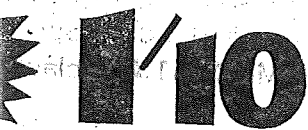
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After new tar seal had been laid at the Taupo-nui-a-Tia College, plans were now in hand to tear some of it up to replace heating mains and power cables, the principal, Mr F. N. Tritt, told Tuesday's meeting of the college Board of Governors.

The board had been assured that the original heating main would be sufficient for the purpose it was laid for and the only additional draw-off would be for the new music-room, he said. It did not seem likely that this would necessitate a new main.

In the case of the power cables, a "ring-main" sys-

tem was being installed and Mr Tritt thought the present cable could well be left where it is.

The board approved letters to the Education Department on these matters, asking for clarification of the position.

Mr Tritt told the board he thought the clerk of works for the new boiler-house job was aware that the college could not go without heating during the winter. Probably, the change to the new installation would be made at the end of the winter.

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First Game Patchy

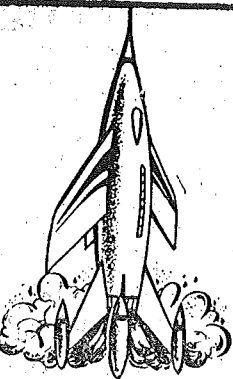
Playing in showery weather and in their first game of the season, the Wairakei Soccer team drew 3-all with Rangers at Rotorua on Sunday.

The game was typical of start-of-the-season performances. Team-work was lacking on both sides, although toward the end of the match, Wairakei's play improved.

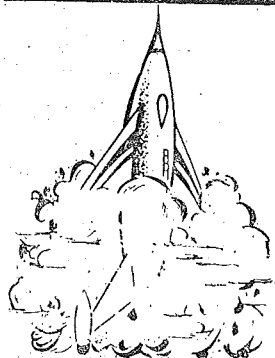
Half-time score was: Rangers 2, Wairakei 1.

Wairakei missed a chance of adding to their score when, in the second half, they missed a penalty. Wairakei scorers were: J. Lees 1, B. McCaughey 1, G. Lee 1.

Wairakei's goalkeeper, K. Booth, playing his first game for the club had a shaky start but finished with more confidence.



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WAIRAKEI SOCCER CLUB

TRAINS HARD

Promoted last year to the Bay of Plenty Association Football League's first division, the Wairakei soccer team is making every endeavour to justify its inclusion.

Club members have been training for five weeks now and the team drew 3-3 with

Rangers at Rotorua in a recent friendly match.

The club's training sessions include floodlight practice on Tuesday evenings to improve ball control and physical training every Thursday night in the Wairakei Social Hall.

This latter training is under the direction of Mr Frank Gittins, whose instruction last year contributed greatly to the team's success.

The Wairakei team played its first competition match of the season when it met Greerton Rovers at Tauranga on Sunday.

The club is looking forward to a bright season, its only regret being that the Taupo club is unable to enter a team for competitive football.

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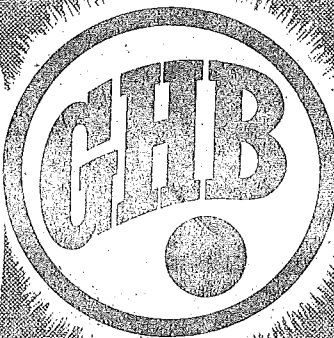
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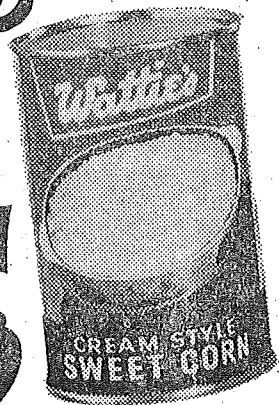
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A high standard of work was evident throughout as entries were unpacked and prepared for hanging. Some well-known names in the art world are represented, with paintings from as far afield as Oamaru and Whangarei.

The display will be open to the public over Easter weekend, except Friday, and the paintings are for sale, commission on sales going to the Taupo Youth Centre fund.

Two New Park Rangers, One For Turangi

In recognition of the growing public interest in Tongariro National Park, two additional rangers are to be appointed said the chairman of the Park Board, Mr V. P. McGlone. This will bring the park's permanent ranger staff to seven.

Mr McGlone said that the final locations of the new appointees will be decided when the Board reviews the applications received but they will be stationed at either Park Headquarters at Whakapapa Village, at the Ohakune ranger station or at the proposed station at Turangi.

Sold For Cash

The managing director of the United Empire Box Company Ltd., Mr J. N. C. Doig, announced yesterday that his company had purchased for cash all the shares in Insulfoam Ltd., which is engaged in the production of expanded polystyrene used extensively in the packaging, building and insulating fields. The company is at present operating at Taupo and Petone.

"All Irons"

An "all irons" competi- tion will be played by Taupo Ladies' Golf Club on Thursday. The starter is Mrs Barling. The draw:

- No. 1 tee: 10.30 a.m., Miss James, Mrs Sefton, Mrs Zohrab, Mrs Orr; 10.36, Mrs Porter, Mrs Howell, Mrs Parry, Mrs Mason; 10.42, Mrs Morel, Mrs Ingle, Mrs Marsland, Mrs Marlow; 10.48, Mrs Leford, Mrs Lowes, Mrs Thomas, Mrs Cuthbert; 10.54, Mrs Colbeck, Mrs Staff, Miss Branson, Mrs de Malmanche; 11.00, Mrs Bockett, Mrs Morgan, Mrs Dawson, Miss Cooper; 11.06, Mrs Logan, Mrs Barling, Mrs Barlow.
- No. 10 tee: 10.30 a.m.

SOCCER

Wairakei Soccer Club gained two points in the Bay of Plenty competition when Whakatane defaulted on Sunday.

However, the Wairakei team played a friendly game against Kahukura Bay at Rotorua. The result was a 4 — 2 win to Wairakei with a half time score of 1 all.

Good football was played on both sides in this match. Outstanding for Wairakei was K. Booth who pulled the team out of some tight corners. Scorers for Wairakei were P. McGee 1, W. Robertson 1, W. Christie 2.

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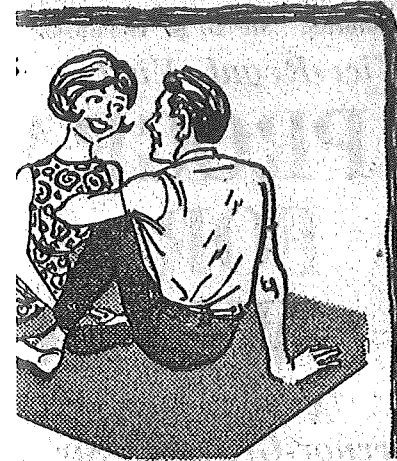
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return to Taupo, the visitors were entertained by Mrs R. M. Stevenson, M.P. for Taupo. Later they were the guests of the Taupo branch of the National Party at dinner.

On Friday morning, members had a look at Taupo and visited the Wairakei geothermal area.

Members of Parliament who visited Turangi and Tokaanu were Messrs E. P. Aderman (New Plymouth); A. E. Allen (Franklin), H. R. Lapwood (Rotorua), D. S. Thompson (Stratford); H. J. Walker (St. Albans), Mr Shand and Mrs Stevenson.

plicants were tested for drivers' licences and of this number, 12 were new tests, nine were extensions and three written tests only. Three applicants failed who lacked knowledge of the road code.

"Fourteen road users were warned and 41 reported for various breaches of the regulations during the month."

"Constant checks were carried out with both day and night patrols and three parking offence notices were issued. Two of these were for unlighted heavy motor vehicles and one for double parking," he concluded.

WAIRAKEI WELL BEATEN IN HARD-PLAYED GAME

Conditions were reasonable after heavy overnight rain at Kuirau Park, Rotorua, recently, when Wairakei soccer team were well beaten by a better drilled Rangers team.

There was no score in the first 15 minutes of play, and it looked as if a close finish would result.

J. Bartunek scored for Rangers from close quarters and the same player was there again 10 minutes later to play a similar shot and put Rangers two goals up.

Wairakei were pressing

hard to make up the leeway, and missed a few chances in front of Rangers' goal. It was four minutes to half-time when Jake Lees placed a nice penalty for Wairakei to make the score, Rangers 2, Wairakei 1.

After half-time Rangers played havoc with Wairakei's defence.

Wairakei's 'keeper (K. Booth) put in a lot of work in this second half, and it was a credit to him. Maybe it was Booth's determination not to give up, that inspired the Wairakei forwards in the last 10 minutes of the game. Because in this time, Bill Christie and John Davis both goaled for Wairakei.



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Runner-up in the gross medal was another Taupo player, Pat Watson, who finished with a score of 51, 74 - 125.

Other Taupo representatives in the tournament were Peter Watson and Bret Halverson.

Local Play

One of the feature events of the Taupo club's playing season was started on Saturday afternoon with the staging of the first round of the president's trophy, decided on the best three of four medal rounds.

Leaders after the first 18 holes were J. McMaster jun., K. Port, both 69 nett, and R. Reid 70.

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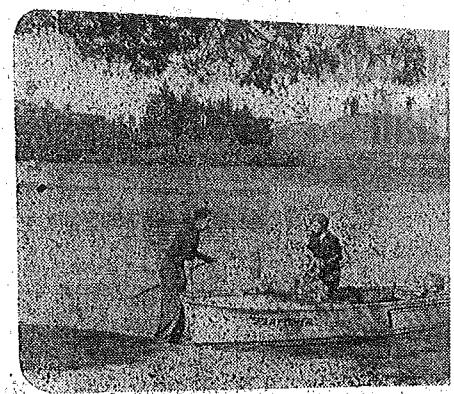
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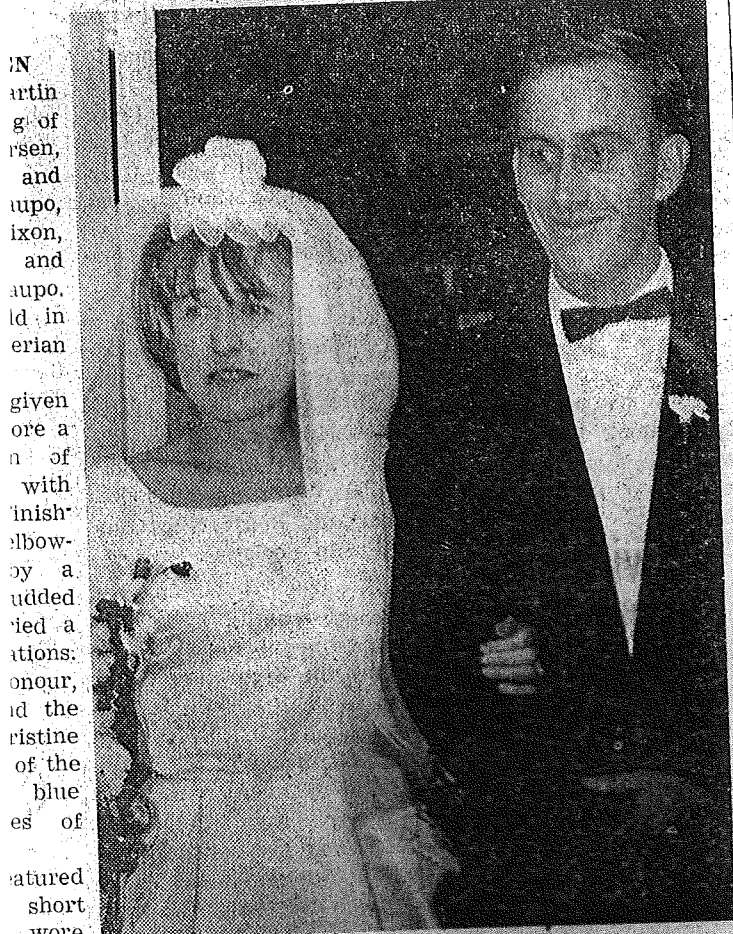
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Fire Damage To Shed

Fire damaged a shed on the property of Mr G. Wilson, Pihanga Street, soon after mid-day on Tuesday.

Taupo Fire Brigade was called, but on arrival found the fire had been contained by a nearby resident who used an extinguisher on the flames. The brigade was able to assist with a five gallon bucket pump and later stood by in case of a further outbreak in the building.

Chief fire officer, Mr S. K. Christensen said the fire may have been caused by a child with matches who had been seen in the shed.

Mr Christensen said there was a side issue to the fire that gave him concern. Present in the shed was a plastic jerry-can which he said blazed fiercely and gave indication of how dangerous these containers are.

He said this type of can was recently outlawed as a container for petrol, though in this case it held vinegar.

WAIRAKEI LOSE AGAIN

Wairakei Soccer received its second feat of the season as it lost to Kawerau Wairakei by 3 goals

The half-time score was 1-1. The game played in showery and a fairly strong easterly wind.

Wairakei found Kawerau defence hard to penetrate. However within 10 minutes gone, Wairakei left wing, Jake Lee, scored the home side level with a nice angled shot.

In the second half goals were scored by Kawerau, although Wairakei keeper play was of some grace. Wairakei tried to increase its score but at times came very close.

Players outstanding for Wairakei were G. Lees on the right back, W. Christie, J. Lees on the wing, Barke and W. Lee. Plenty of determination throughout. Next Wairakei play Kawerau at Rotorua.

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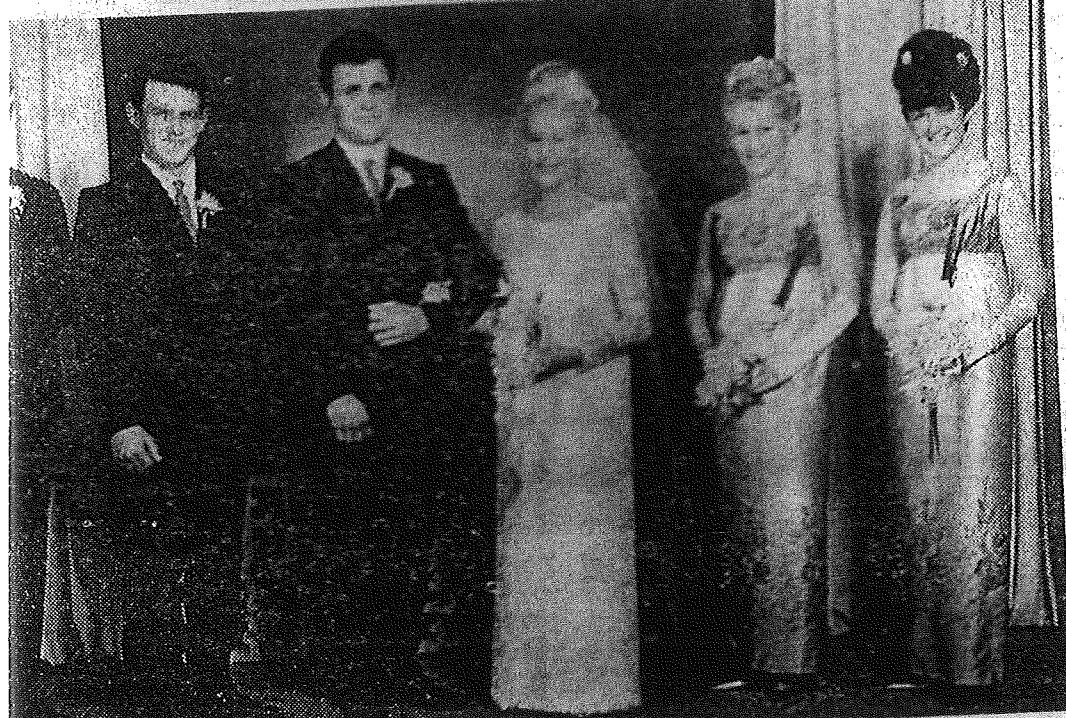
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Litter-bugs Despoil Many Beauty Spots In Western Bays Of Lake Taupo

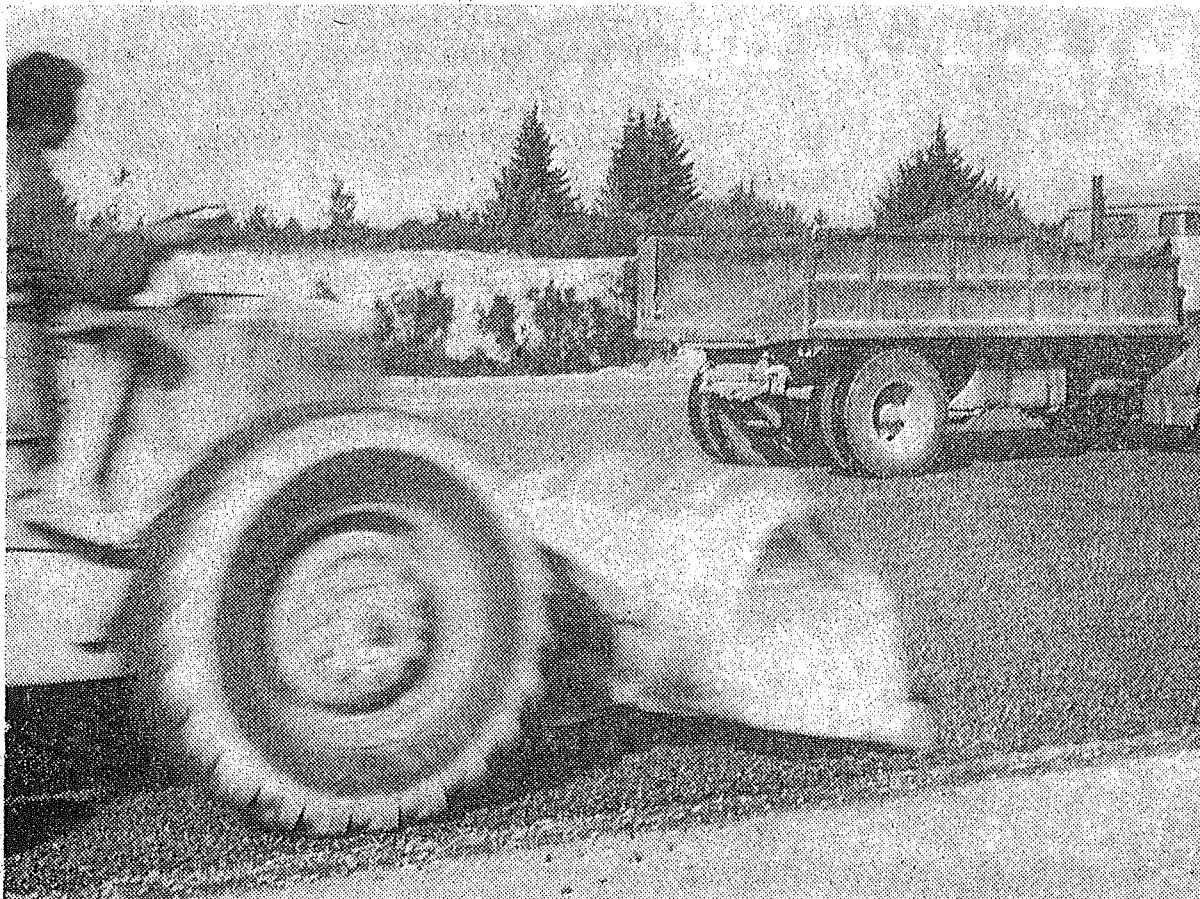
Litter-bugs are despoiling the beauty spots in Lake Taupo's Western Bays, says the "Daily Post" in an article by its Taupo representative Mr B. S. Nicholl. This became evident, he says, when he accompanied the harbour master, Mr P. Petersen, on one of his routine inspections.

Mr Petersen confirmed that the dumping of rubbish had been worse during the past summer than ever before.

At Boat Harbour, one of the most attractive areas around the lake, dozens of tins, cartons, bottles and other rubbish have been dumped on the ground in the native bush surrounding the harbour. No attempt had been made to bury it or cover it up.

A cave in the area, no

and although there is a right of walking access for a chain from the lake's edge, the public are trespassing in camping or dumping rubbish ashore. This also applies to other areas of Maori-owned land and Crown reserves around the lake. It appears that the auth-



A sense of urgency permeates the work at the new Taupo airport, now nearing completion. This picture shows surplus metal being graded from the edges of the runway.

WAIRAKEI SOCCER TEAM BEATEN ON SUNDAY

In a closely-contested game, Wairakei Soccer Club's team went down to Greerton Rovers 3 goals to 2 at Wairakei on Sunday. The game was played in

perfect weather and good football was seen on both sides.

Greerton was the first to score when J. Jamieson shot from close in. Wairakei soon came equal with a nice shot from centre-forward, T. Barke.

By half-time the score was 1-all and indicated the evenness of the two teams.

In the second half, W. Christie put the Wairakei team ahead when he broke through the Greerton "keeper. Jamieson went in for his second goal to make the score 2-all. Greerton made use of the sun and it was not long before the score became 3-2 when L. Tester lobbed the ball over "keeper Booth's head.

In the closing stages of the game, Wairakei came close to scoring and when the whistle blew for full time they were still on the attack.

Women Discuss Results In Taupo

The recent "shop courtesy week" in Taupo revealed some interesting facts to the wives of Rotary Club members who conducted a survey and awarded points for the most courteous shop assistant in the town.

Starting with two extremes, members found teenage assistants well below the standard expected from a person required to help the public, but they found shop managers and senior assistants to be satisfactory in most respects.

Three members, whose opinions could be considered representative of the group, said teenagers assisting in shops were generally well dressed and presentable, but they lacked the knowledge of the business in which they were engaged and many of them were

apathetic about their duties.

The group surmised that this problem could be overcome by initiating a training program for the young before he or she sees the shop.

Some senior assistants or shop managers were found to be too proud of their wares and to not permit the customer to browse in the shop.

However, members of the group, in their personal opinion, as people prefer to be what to buy as they enter.

Chemist shops were found to be the best equipped for liaison with the assistant and customer. Women found them friendly and able to show a genuine interest in their customers concerned with their business.

In some types of businesses there was a lack of desire to foster a friendly atmosphere. In these cases

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Money-making schemes for the Taupo Yacht Club. Until the time when the clubhouse is built, the club has been holding classes for yachting to Taupo.

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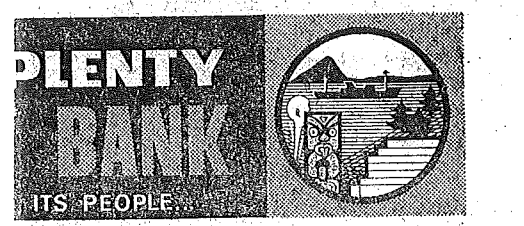
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spent altering and re-decorating the Terraces Hotel the door was opened to receive guests yesterday.

The present work represents stage one in the re-planning of the hotel which has included complete alteration of the interior, reconstruction of the public bar and wholesale store, laying out the grounds in

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HARD GAME ENDED IN DEFEAT

Wairakei soccer team went down 9-1 to Whakatane, at Whakatane, on Sunday.

The team had only 10 men for most of the game because they lost centre half, John Field, who left the field injured after only 15 minutes of play.

Whakatane surprised the Wairakei defence by scoring three quick goals early in the game but Wairakei kept them out for the rest of the first spell. In the second half, Wairakei started to feel the need of the extra man and toward the later part of the game, goals came in quick rotation for Whakatane.

There were a few occasions when Wairakei forwards broke through and it was from one of these breaks that right wing, B. Christie, who played well throughout the game, scored.

Wairakei will need to field a stronger team when it meets Rangers at Wairakei, next Sunday.

chalet. Stages two and three will include buildings of more chalet units and motels, a camping ground with full facilities and the development of thermal pools in the grounds for the use of patrons.

Manager of the hotel, Mr G. C. Kain, said bookings are already heavy, even though the opening date had not been extensively advertised. He said bookings for Queen's Birthday weekend have been in great demand.

The hotel opened with a staff of seven, but this number is expected to be increased in the near future.

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Fourteen applicants were tested for drivers' licences during April, reported Traffic Officer A. M. Campbell to Monday's meeting of the Taupo Borough Council.

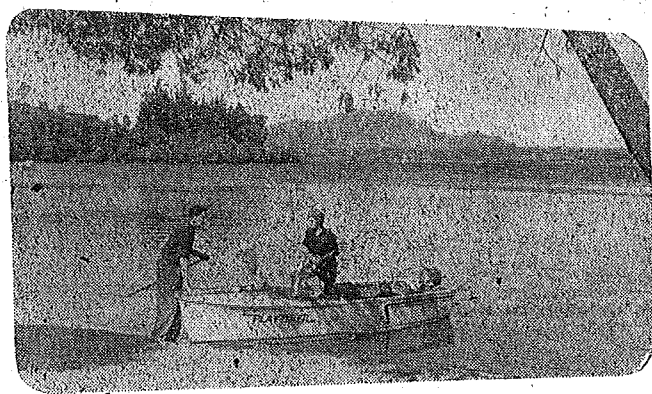
"Of this number six were new tests, six were extensions to existing licences and two were 'oral-only' tests. Of this number, one failed the written questionnaire," he said.

"Twenty-three road users were warned and 74 reported for various breaches of the regulations.

"During the month, checks were carried out on both day and night patrols. One parking offence notice was issued for double parking and two were warned for similar offences.

"Following light checks, carried out in the borough over the period, it was found the standard of lighting was good, although 29 notices were issued for lighting offences," he concluded.

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TAUPO WEATHER
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they are Mr and Mrs W. S. Englebretsen, with their children, Karl (seven), Ker-en (four), and Shane (rising two).

Mr Englebretsen is a bore driller and he has been with MoW for five years. They moved in from Atiamuri. At the Tongariro project, he is employed on drilling investigation work in the National Park area.

Mrs Englebretsen said the family had been well-housed previously and she was very pleased with the one allotted to them at Turangi.

Mrs R. M. Stevenson, M.P. for Taupo, welcomed the family to Turangi and handed over to Mrs Englebretsen a large wooden key on which was painted "Turangi, No. 1," to mark the occasion.

Two other families are moving in during the week. Each house will have three shrubs for the front gardens and three fruit trees for the back. The gardens have been levelled and paths laid.

The senior MoW engineer at Turangi, Mr J. Bennion, said the housing had slipped behind schedule due to bad weather and initial teething troubles. This was being overcome, however, and he expected that there would be progressive occupation of the houses from now on.

Twenty per cent. of the sections would be made available to other Government departments; for people engaged in commercial business in the town and for contractors' employees.

No special areas have been reserved for senior officers' houses. They have been included in groups, the more attractive being sited to the north of the

July 5 Still Opening Date

Wet weather has continued to slow down the completion work at Taupo airport and no great hopes are held out for an earlier opening date than July 5.

This date was set about a month ago and, meanwhile, the final coat of seal on the runway has been partly laid. Another two full days of fine weather is required for this work, which will probably take it into the end of next week.

The windsock is up, but seven days must elapse after sealing before the runway is painted. The Department of Civil Aviation has been advised that the airport is almost ready for approval and it is expected a licence will be granted before the end of the month.

The installation of the radio beacon will depend on the availability of a building to house it.

School Tour

Forty pupils from the Hilltop Primary School were taken by teachers and parent helpers on a sight-seeing tour of Taupo on Wednesday morning.

Detailed information was given them on the various shops in the town and later a visit was paid to the Taupo Information Centre.

SCENIC TOURS COMPANY TAKEN OVER

After two years' operation in Taupo, the business of Taupo Scenic Tours Limited has been taken over by a Picton-based company known as Marlborough Scenic Tours Limited.

Manager of the company, Mr P. J. Carlyle, said yesterday that the takeover would have no adverse effect on the operation of a tour service in the Taupo area.

"The provision of the service in Taupo is guaranteed for the future and no move will be made to terminate it," said Mr Carlyle.

There were three shareholders in Taupo Scenic Tours. Two of the share-

The chairman of the Taupo Rugby Sub-Union, Mr O. Delany, told the management committee on Monday night that, in future, it was hoped to arrange the Hawke's Bay — Bay of Plenty Maori Rugby representative annual match early in the season prior to any players being required for provincial training squads.

He also said that a move was being made to have the match as a permanent fixture at Taupo.

This followed comment by Mr P. McCabe that he had heard that a number of Hawke's Bay Maori players had been unable to play in the Maori team in the recent match because of training requirements. He said that Taupo did not get many big games and there was a lot of interest in this annual fixture for the Arthur Grace Cup.

He added that the local Sub-Union deserved better support from the Hawke's Bay Rugby Union.

Mr J. J. Keehan explained that the chairman of the H.B.R.U., Mr W. S. Bramwell, had given plenty of warning that the training squad players would not be available for the fixture.

Mr P. Ellery asked if the matter could be taken up with the H.B.R.U.

holders have been bought out, but the third holder, Mr E. Leyland, will remain in the Information Centre. The secretary of the company is Mr G. Smith, Taupo.

Taupo Scenic Tours had two buses operating in the district. One of these will be taken to Picton and the other will remain in Taupo.

The Marlborough company operates tours on the West Coast in the northern regions of the South Island. It also operates a scheduled passenger service on three runs.

Taupo scouts, sea scouts and cubs will carry out a "bobs for jobs" campaign in Taupo, starting on Monday and finishing on June 21.

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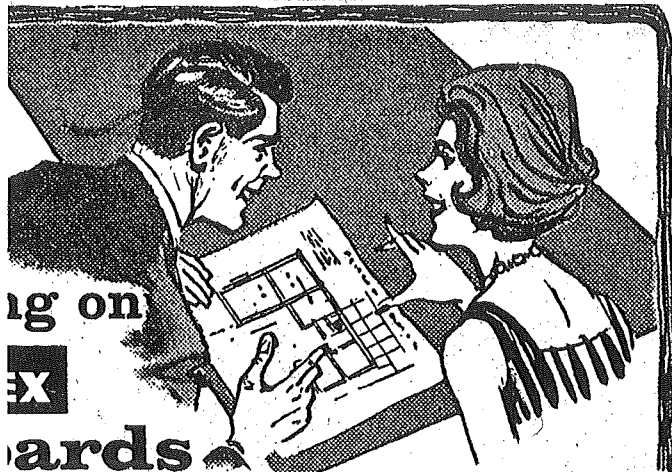
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Weekend sports results

Results of Taupo sports activities on the weekend are as follows:—

Saturday RUGBY Senior

United 14, COB 6, Tihoi 11, Taupo 9.
Schoolboy Games
Senior: College 21, Tauhara 0; Atiamuri 15, Taupo 0.
Intermediate: Atiamuri 17, Taupo B 0; Moti 3, Tauhara B 0; Taupo A 6, Waipahihi 0; Hilltop 14, Taupo C 0; Wairakei 17, Tauhara A 0.
Junior A: Hilltop 6, Moti 0; Atiamuri 27, Wairakei 0; Tauhara 6, Taupo 3.

Junior B: Waipahihi 24, Hilltop B 3; Taupo B 6, Wairakei 3.

HOCKEY

Women's: Taupo 3, United 2.
Men's representatives: Rotorua 5, Taupo 2.

BASKETBALL

Primary:
Intermediate: Taupo A 9, Waipahihi 0; Tauhara A 5, Waipahihi 2; Hilltop A 12, Tauhara A 2; Taupo A 5, Hilltop A 2.
Junior grade: Taupo B 5, Hilltop B 3; Taupo C 2, Hilltop C 0; Taupo B 9, Tauhara B 1; Hilltop B 7, Tauhara B 4.
Senior grade:
Metro 10, St. Michael's 3; St. Michael's 17, St. Patrick's 10.
Senior reserve: Metro Juniors won by default; St. Patrick's won by default.

COLLEGE SPORTS

Basketball
Taupo A 19, Tokoroa 17.
Taupo B 20, Tokoroa 20.
Taupo F3 A 14, Tokoroa 14.
Taupo F3 B 11, Tokoroa 7.
Hockey
Taupo girls' A 3, Tokoroa 0.
Taupo girls' B 1, Tokoroa 1.
Taupo boys' A 9, Tokoroa 3.
Taupo Boys' B 15, Tokoroa 1.
Rugby
Tokoroa 1st XV 19, Taupo 0.
Tokoroa 2nd XV 17, Taupo 3.
Tokoroa Under 8st 29, Taupo 3.
Soccer
Taupo 1st XI 3, Tokoroa 2.
Badminton
Dropshot Cup: Taupo 11, Rotorua B 5.

Harriers:

Taupo runner, D. Baumberg, ran second in the junior section of a time-trial at Rotorua on Saturday, gaining fifth fastest time. He ran the gruelling 3½-mile cross-country course in 24 min. 53sec. J. McCreadie, also of Taupo, ran fourth in the juniors with a time of 27min. 30sec.

Sunday RUGBY

A grade: Tauranga Maoris 10, Taupo 8.
B grade: Taupo Maoris

UNITED LEAD

United strode a commanding lead in the Garrett Shield competition when a tough rugged in Saturday's top fixture, they comfortably defeated COB 14-0.

In the early career, Tihoi boosted chances with an over a Taupo side lacked any fire of

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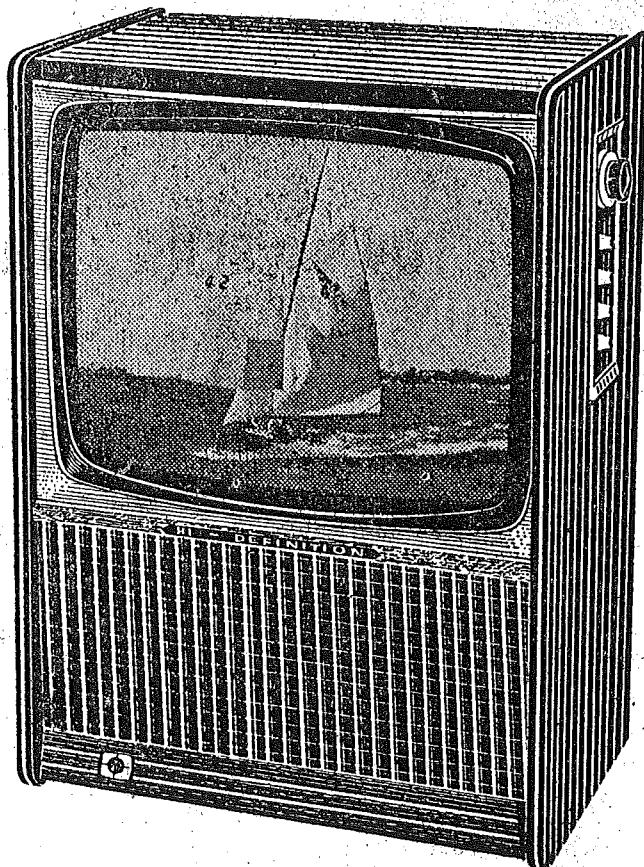
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Rutene scored points from two penalties, a try, a line conversion.

The last try came result of a brilliant burst started by Williams. D. Rameka in support and a pass gave fast-mover M. Gordine a chance to score in the corner.

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Captains v President's Annual Competition

Taupo Golf Club will play the annual captain's-president's teams match on Saturday. The draw is as follows (the captain's players being mentioned first in each case).—

Men
1st tee: 12.00, P. Brown v. E. Smith; J. Purcell v. P. Potter. 12.06, P. M. Arnott v. G. Barlow; J. Sabota v. J. Morel. 12.12, A. King v. E. Cuthbert; K. Stewart v. H. Thompson. 12.18, J. Mc-Master Jun. v. L. Cheal; L. de Malmanche v. C. Breeds. 12.24, E. Ryan v. B. Simon; V. A. Wilson v. C. S. Leech. 12.30, G. Marsland v. T. Clapperton; R. Reid v. J. Tonge. 12.36, A. D. Dance v. J. Ridley; H. A. Mullins v. R. Simons. 12.42, D. N.

Women

10th tee: 12.00, Mrs E. Mason v. Miss J. Branson; Mrs Howell v. Mrs de Malmanche. 12.06, Mrs C. Letford v. Mrs J. Morel; Mrs M. Orr v. Mrs M. Ingle. 12.12, Mrs D. Barling v. Mrs D. Logan; Miss C. Scott v. Mrs P. Oliver. 12.18, Mrs B. Bockett v. Miss E. James; Mrs J. Tonge v. Mrs Colbeck. 12.24, Mrs Moore v. Mrs R. Parry; Mrs G. Barlow v. Mrs E. Cuthbert. 12.30, Mrs W. Dolman v.

Members not entered and requiring a game should phone the secretary for a starting time.

TAUPO HOCKEY TEAM BEATEN

Taupo men's hockey team played well but lost 2-5 to a strong representative side from Rotorua at Kaimanawa Reserve, on Sunday.

Rotorua scored three early goals from well-constructed movements and had a lead of 4-0 in the first 25 minutes.

WAIRAKEI SOCCER

Wairakei Soccer Club was beaten 1-nil by a team from Kahukura, at Wairakei on Sunday.

Kahukura, one of the top teams in the Bay of Plenty, were winners of the elimination round of the Chatham Cup for the Bay of Plenty. The team was taken aback by the vigorous and determined efforts of the Wairakei team.

Wairakei was unfortunate to be two men short from the start of the game and it was within the first 15 minutes that the visitors scored when I. Baker placed a nice shot in the net.

Wairakei did not let Kahukura take the upper hand for the rest of the game. Kahukura did miss a few shots at goal, but they did not receive as much of the ball on the Wairakei side. For Wairakei, the defence played really well and A. Mason played deputy goalkeeper in place of G. Boot.

For Kahukura, W. Jackson and N. Foulds played well. The referee was Mr H. Bijnen.

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NEW ZEALANDERS LIVING LONGER?

New Zealand has one of the highest life expectancy rates in the world, the general manager of Combined Insurance Company of America, Mr Robert M. Harvey said in Auckland recently.

He said life expectancy in New Zealand was continuing to rise.

Mr Harvey said Combined Insurance had recently completed a population study based on latest Dominion and United Nations statistics.

"The New Zealand death rate is only 8.8 per thousand per year," said Mr Harvey. "This compares with 8.7 for Australia, 11.9 for the United Kingdom, 10.1 for Sweden, 9.5 for the United States, 19.2 for India and 20.6 for Brazil."

First College Soccer Team Beat Tokoroa On Saturday

In the inters-school games between Taupo-nui-a-Tia College and Tokoroa on Saturday, Tokoroa won all the Rugby matches, while Taupo was superior at hockey, particularly in the boys' games.

Taupo fielded a soccer team for the first time and beat Tokoroa High School's XI by three goals to two.

The game started in a spectacular way, but after five minutes Tokoroa made a break down the right wing. A centering kick was headed into his own goal by a Taupo defender.

After 20 minutes Taupo equalised with the best goal of the game. Bob Max from the inside-right position drove in a hard, angled drive from 15 yards out. Taupo put the ball into the net again shortly after but this goal was disallowed. At half-time the score was 1-1.

For Taupo captain Tom Williams, at centre half, and Bob Max, at inside right, were the best players. The whole forward line functioned well, and backs Bill Robertson, Mar-

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Trout fishing was important to the tourist industry and in the Rotorua Acclimatisation Society there were more than 60,000 fishing licence holders, compared with 60 in Northland, where the bass would be introduced.

"I think it would be wickered to introduce this fish into our waters on the advice of one expert," she said.

"I plead with the Minister to drop this idea altogether."

LETTER CALLS ON COUNCIL TO IMPLEMENT CIVIL DEFENCE SCHEME IN TAUPO

A call for urgent implementation of the Taupo Civil Defence scheme is made by a correspondent who says it is more than time the Taupo borough and county councils got the plan under way.

He says.—

Sir,—

The resolution by the Taupo Citizens and Ratepayers' Association calling on the Taupo Borough Council to implement the district civil defence scheme is a sign that the people of Taupo are at last realising how slow the local authorities are in getting things moving.

Little good is obtained from a paper scheme — a scheme which has incidentally been passed and approved by both the borough and county for several months now. Possibly the town clerk, Mr K. G. Winton, will be able to use the knowledge gained in his recent course in Australia to help the scheme. I think it is pretty doubtful. Maybe the county will send one of its executives and then we will wait a little longer.

No one person can get the scheme moving. It is up to everyone named as section leaders to do their best.

Certainly, it takes up everyone's time, but once the initial work is done, it shouldn't be that bad. There have already been efforts on the part of one or two to do their share, but unless every one gets down to the job, it is pretty ineffective.

There is little point in saying "it couldn't happen here, why bother," when we already know Taupo is an area prone to earthquakes.

When we had the series of earthquakes before Christmas, there was a noticeable interest by the council, but even that wasn't enough to get them out of their sluggish ways.

Let us hope that the civil defence group will never be called on to operate, but if it is, let us have an organisation that is effective. — Yours, etc.,

DEFENDER.

MAORI LAND

Sir,—

I wish to refer you to a report in your issue of 22/6/65 on the meeting of enquiry into Maori Lands held here in Taupo on Sunday before Judge Ivor Pritchard and his associate Mr J. Waetford, wherein it reported as follows:—

'One of the major issues raised at a meeting of 90 landowners in Taupo on Sunday concerned the Taupo County Council's plan for reserves round Lake Taupo' etc., etc.

This report is totally incorrect, as no reference whatsoever regarding the proposed reserves around Lake Taupo, as suggested by the county, was ever mentioned or discussed, as it was not in the order of reference, nor was it included in any written submission handed in by an individual member or members.

Furthermore, no discussion in reference thereto has ever yet taken place among the Tuwharetoa people, consequently your report has given a false impression of the present situation and is unfair to both the county council and the Maori landowners concerned.

I understand, however, that a written submission handed in after the meeting had closed did include some reference to ordinary Maori reserves, whereby exchanges could be effected between the Crown and the Maori owners. Perhaps it was this that caused the misunderstanding. — Yours, etc.,

T. A. GRACE.

Population Up To 5200 Year's End?

By the end of 1965, Turangi would have a population of approximately 2500, and from 6000 to 8000 in 1968, says the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, Mr V. P. McGlone.

It was difficult to predict what would be the permanent population when hydro construction was completed, but it had been estimated that some 3000 could remain in the township.

There would be a shopping centre, he said, approximately 1200 feet of frontage being allocated for building shops straight away.

The areas now being offered included a special commercial zone near the shopping centre for motor vehicle showrooms, service stations or other businesses or offices dealing directly with the public.

Other land for sale, zoned Industrial A, called for trades and industries, such as laundries, bakeries, milk processing and distribution, garages, tradesmen's workshops, wood and coal yards, warehouses and storage yards.

The demand for all these services was expected to expand rapidly, Mr Glone said, and applications could only be considered from people or firms able to finance, erect and open a business without delay.

As soon as allocations had been decided by the Land Settlement Board, the price of each site would be decided, he said. No firm indication of values could be given, but as a guide it was expected that for average sites, the cost could be in the vicinity of £50 to £75 per foot frontage for a site with a depth of 100 feet in the commercial area, and £20 to £25 per foot frontage for a site with a similar depth in the Industrial A area.

Successful applicants would be offered an initial

tenancy of a year and would be start building during that period, he said. If it had begun, the tenancy would be terminated and a permit granted, either to hold title for transferred payment deposit 10 per cent purchase price over years, or by a renewable lease.

Applications to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, 12.

Soccer Wins

Taupo College formed 1st XI showed its winning Rotorua 2nd XI 8-1 in game at the Tia College

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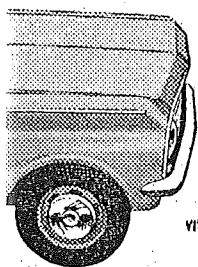
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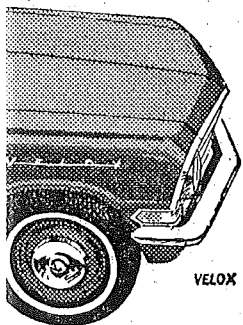
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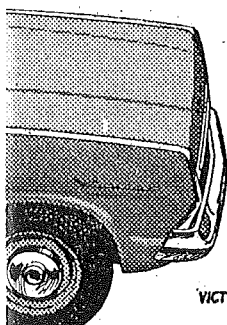
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The ball and ground were both hard and fast, and so was the play, when the recently-formed Taupo-nui-a-Tia College soccer team played its third game, against Waiouru recently.

Taupo drew with Waiouru 5—all.

With two wins in two games so far this season Taupo attacked with confidence in its game against the Waiouru Regular Force cadets. After 15 minutes of dazzlingly swift play Taupo led by 3 goals to nil — two scored by 15-yard drives from centre-forward Paul Gittins, who assisted in the third goal, scored by left wing Alan Radford.

But Taupo suffered setbacks with Gittins and Taupo's captain, Tom Williams at centre-half, both being injured early in the game. Gittins recovered but Williams, one of Taupo's star players, was forced into

the role of passenger for the last three-quarters of the game.

Waiouru, passing the ball well, scored two goals late in the first half and Gittins scored again for Taupo to make the half-time score — Taupo 4, Waiouru 2.

In the second half Waiouru scored early to reduce the Taupo lead to one, but Bob Max, Taupo's clever inside-left, scored a good goal to give Taupo a 5—3 lead.

But the greater physical strength and fitness of the soldiers proved too much for Taupo, tiring from the game's speed and lack of previous hard match play, and shortly before full time Waiouru scored twice, including a speculative 30-yard shot which drifted under the bar to level the score at 5—all. Taupo threw everything into a savage and desperate onslaught forcing Waiouru to concede two corners, but the Waiouru defence held and the final whistle blew with the score Taupo College 5, Waiouru 5.

For Taupo the outstanding player was goalie John Duggan, who made some spectacular saves under pressure.



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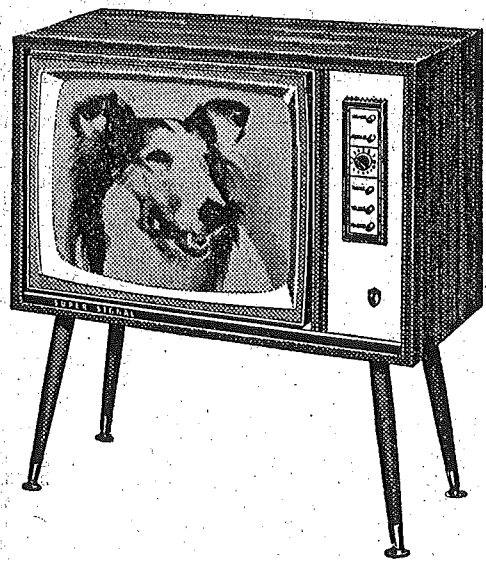
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The manager of the Lands and Survey Aratiatia Block, Mr J. Junk, recently found that a two-year old black steer had been killed on the property in the Rotokawa Road area.

All that was left of the beast was the head, ears, offal and hooves.

Taupo Police are investigating.

J.W's at Opotiki

The Pakohai Memorial Hall, Opotiki, was the centre of a three-day assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses recently.

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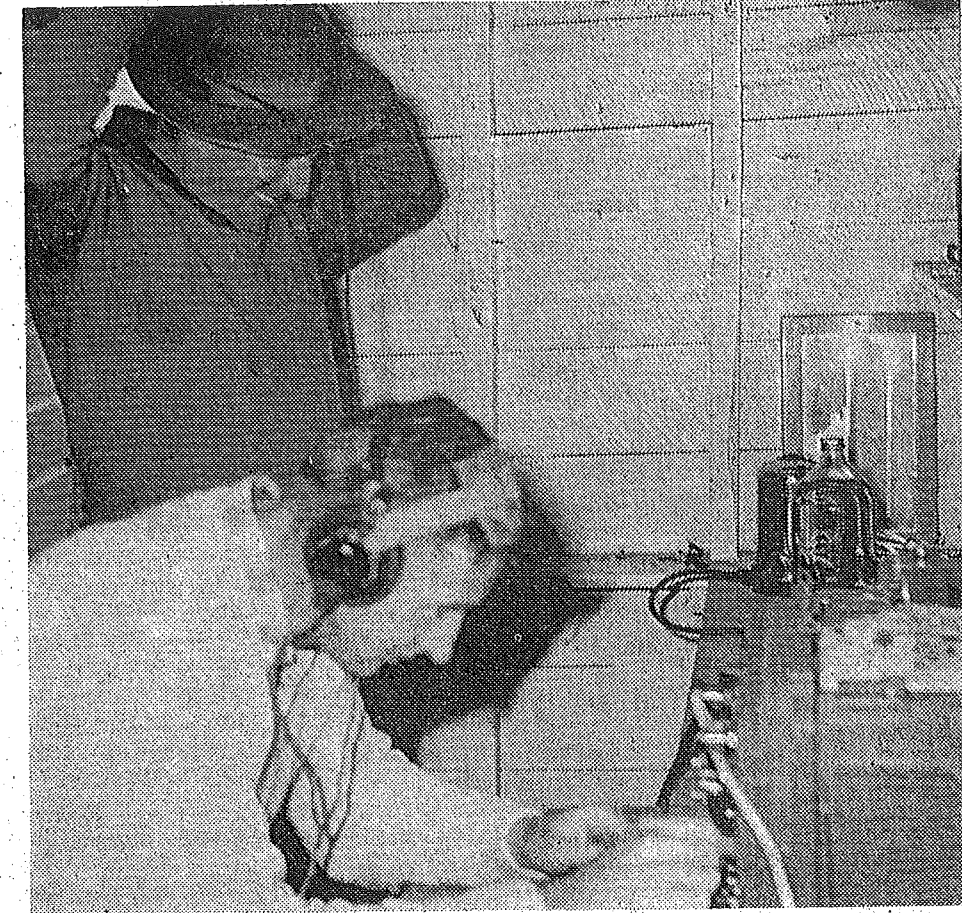
College Unbeaten Soccer Season

The Taupo-nui-a-Tia Col-
lege first soccer eleven fin-
ished its first season in good
form when it beat Te Puke
High School, 4-2, on Satur-
day.

The team completed the
season with an unbeaten
record in its inter-school
fixtures.

Against Te Puke, Taupo
opened the scoring in the
first minute of the game
with a goal by centre-for-
ward Paul Gittins. Gittins
scored again shortly after to
make the score Taupo 2, Te
Puke nil.

In spite of constant Taupo
attacks the score remained
at 2-0 until just after half-
time when Gittins scored his
hat-trick. Leading 3-0
Taupo hurled everything at



A Taupo amateur radio "ham" operating a set in the building used by members of the local branch of N.Z. Radio Transmitters.

the Te Puke goal but this
weakened the Taupo defence
and Te Puke scored two
shock, runaway goals to
make the score Taupo 3, Te
Puke 2 with 15 minutes still
to play.

Taupo recovered quickly,
however. A goal by Gittins
was disallowed because an-
other Taupo player was off-
side, but then Edwin Wika-
tene capped an excellent
game on the right wing by
driving in a hard, angled
shot which completely beat
the goalie to give Taupo a
4-2 lead.

Although Taupo, playing
now with fast, accurate pass-
ing, kept up pressure on the
Te Puke goal, they could
not score again and the final
whistle blew with Taupo
winning 4-2.

For Taupo, Marius Gab-
riels, John Duggan and Tom
Williams were sound on de-
fence, while Gittins, Wika-
tene, W. Robertson and A.
Radford were prominent in
the Taupo attack.

Many Hours Spent In Travelling

Between Monday last,
August 14, and Sun-
day, September 12, a
Taupo-nui-a-Tia Col-
lege teacher, Mr A. R.
P. Eustace, will visit
12 countries in a light-
ning tour sponsored by
the New Zealand Ath-
letic Coaches' Associa-
tion.

In that time he will
land at 15 airports, in-
cluding Auckland, and
will spend a total of 77
hours five minutes in
the air.

In the midst of all
this travelling, he will
spend a week in Can-
ada at an athletics
coaches' course. He
will also visit the
U.S.A., Britain and
Denmark before return-
ing via Karachi, Manila
and Australia.

Social Event

About 150 ski enthusiasts
crowded into the Taupo

People

Mrs A. J. M. MASON and
Mr J. TONGE will travel to
Nelson on September 22 as
Taupo delegates to the New
Zealand Red Cross conven-
tion. Mrs A. H. HOPE will
attend as a member of the
national council.

Mr K. C. McLIESH, edi-
tor of the Wairoa Star, is
enjoying a successful fish-
ing holiday in Taupo at
present.

OFFICERS

Following are the officers
elected at the recent annual
meeting of the Taupo Yacht
Club.

Commodore, Mr R. M.
Hampson; vice-commodore,
Mr R. K. Greenwell; rear-
commodore, Mr N. C. Wil-
son; secretary, Mr E. C.
Findlay; treasurer, Mr J. Mc-
Lennan; committee, Messrs
H. Philpott, E. Pardon, B.
Garlick, J. Harman, H.
Righton, J. Van der Leden,
A. Russell, I. Bourgeois.

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Taupo Soccer Season

The Taupo Soccer Club has not had a very successful season this year. Of all games played, only one was won, but the rest finished with very close scores.

A big disadvantage for the club is the lack of competition in Taupo. Most of the games played are not competitive, but next year it is hoped to play in Rotorua in a large tournament. The college team will also provide some keen competition.

Next season, the junior team will be maintained, in the hope of finding some form of competitive games.

Baths Patronage

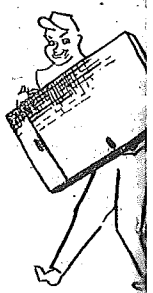
More than 8000 people patronised the Taupo A.C. Baths during July.

The baths manager, Mr H. E. Cox, said no injuries or accidents were reported over the period.

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up a plan to keep the basis was adopted at

establishment but not all were present. He would be prepared to pay his share to keep it going and he thought all proprietors of hotels, motels and camping grounds should support the centre financially.

Mr Howard Kidd suggested that the feeling of the meeting should be obtained on whether a rate should be struck.

It was a matter which should be put to the general public, he added.

"We all benefit from the centre and should support it," he said.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Mr S. A. Ogden reminded the meeting that the office was not only an information centre. Public relations had also to be considered and industry attracted. That was a public service and all should pay for it.

"We in Taupo are thinking far too small. This is the centre of the North Island and thousands of things can be done to attract people," he said.

"Let us keep it on an information centre basis at the present time," said Mr Story.

He suggested that the meeting should nominate people to go into ways and means of retaining the centre.

Cr Haines supported Mr Story and said a scale of fees should be worked out for submission to the council and other organisations concerned.

Mr Story then asked the meeting if they would agree to two members of the Chamber of Commerce and two representatives of the motel owners being appointed to take the matter further with the council.

Mr Ogden said he thought the council should take the matter into their own hands and strike a rate to bring in £2500 to keep the centre going.

"We have already struck a rate for the year," Mr Story replied.

It would be pointless taking a vote on whether a rate should be levied, said Cr C. J. N. Newbold. He moved a representative committee be formed to go into the matter of keeping the centre open.

This was adopted and the representation decided upon.

About 36 people attended the meeting, including retailers, motel operators and others with commercial interests.



Cr. NEWBOLD . . . vote pointless.

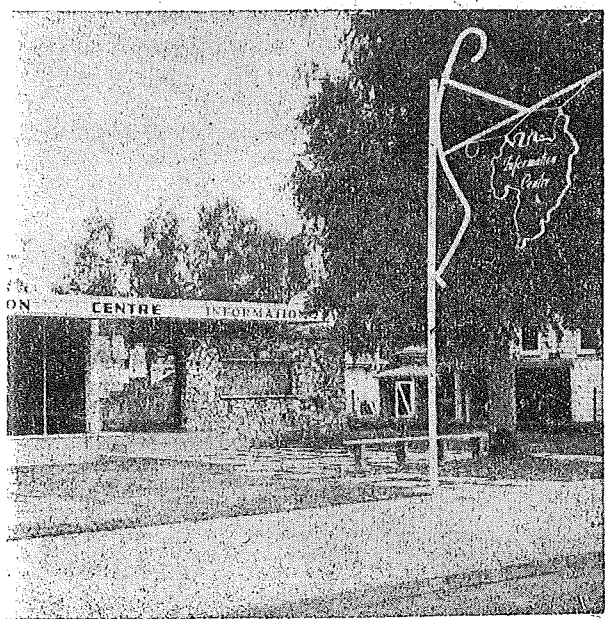
Three Films Shown

Taupo Affiliated Film Society members saw three films at the meeting last week.

They were: Ballet in New Zealand, Journey to Greece, and Windfall in Athens.

The film on ballet was made by the National Film Unit and included sequences from actual ballet performances. The second film was a travelogue and the third showing was the first Greek film to be shown in London.

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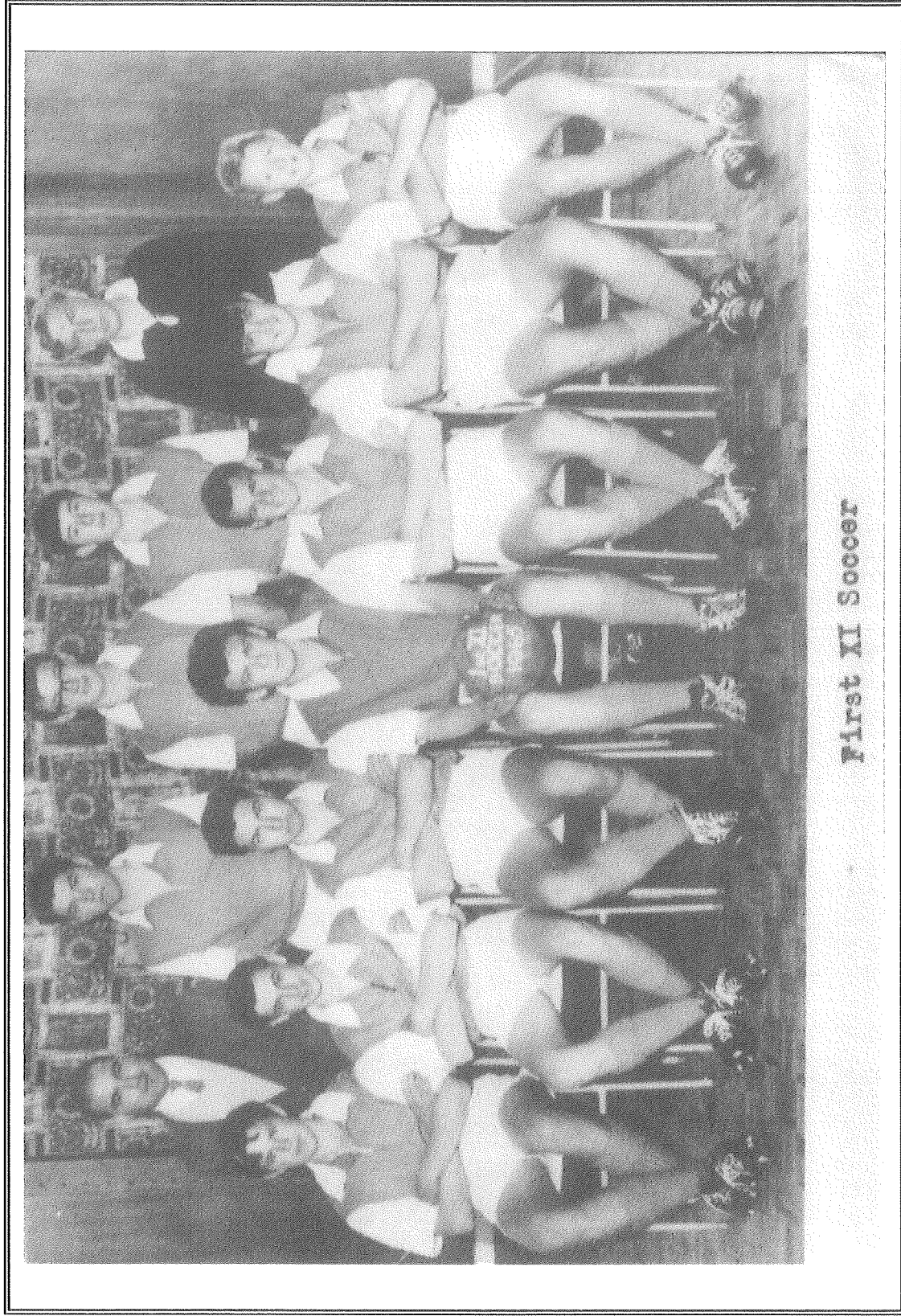
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Taapu Nui a Tia College First Soccer Team 1965



Squad: T Williams (Capt), P Gittins (V Cpt) W Robertson, J Ellis, J Duggan, G O'Shaughnessy, R Max, L Cables, R Clark, A Radford, M Gabriels, E Wikatene, K Higgs,
C Armstrong, S Clark, H Maessen, B Hayes
Coach: B Gustafson **Assistant Coach:** K Freundlich

1965 SEASON

TAUPO 1965

played non-competitive games
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WAIRAKEI 1965

| | position |
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| BOP DIV 1 1965 | |
| Rotorua Rangers | 1 |
| Kahukura | 2 |
| Greerton Rovers | 3 |
| Whakatane Town | 4 |
| Kawerau Town | 5 |
| Wairakei | 6 |

coach: W.Swanson

team members:

Lees, Jake
 McCaughey, B.
 Lee, G.
 Booth, K. (gk)
 McGee, P.
 Robertson, Bill
 Christie, Bill
 Davis, J.
 Barke, Terry
 Maissen, A.

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| 14-Mar-65 | a | Rotorua Rangers | 3 - 3 | J. Lees, B. McCaughey, G. Lee | friendly |
| 4-Apr-65 | a | Greerton Rovers | wbd | | |
| 11-Apr-65 | h | Whakatane | 4 - 2 | P. McGee, W. Robertson, W. Christie | friendly |
| 11-Apr-65 | a | Kahukura | 3 - ?lost | J. Lees, W. Christie, J. Davis | |
| 25-Apr-65 | a | Rotorua Rangers | 1 - 3 | J. Lees | |
| 2-May-65 | h | Kawerau | 2 - 3 | T. Barke, W. Christie | |
| 16-May-65 | h | Greerton Rovers | 1 - 9 | W. Christie | |
| 23-May-65 | a | Whakatane | 0 - 5 | | |
| 30-May-65 | h | Rotorua Rangers | 0 - 5 | | |
| 20-Jun-65 | h | Kahukura | 0 - 1 | | |

Taupo Nui a Tia College First XI

coach: B. Gustafson

assistant coach: Kurt Freundlich

Williams, Tom (capt)

Gittins, Paul (v.capt)

Robertson, Bill

Ellis, J.

Duggan, John (gk)

O'Shaughnessy, G.

Max, Bob

Cables, L.

Clark, R.

Radford, Alan

Gabriels, Marius

Wikatene, Edwin

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Clark, S.

Maessen, H.

Hayes, B.

first soccer team fielded by College

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| 19-Jun-65 | ? | Tokoroa H.S. | 3 - 2 | R. Max, A. Radford, P. Gittins | |
| 26-Jun-65 | h | Rotorua BHS 2nds | 8 - 1 | P. Gittins 6, R. Max, A. Radford | |
| 3-Jul-65 | ? | Waiouru Cadets | 5 - 5 | P. Gittins 3, A. Radford, R. Max | |
| | | Mangakino H.S. | 2 - 2 | P. Gittins, ? | |
| 14-Aug-65 | ? | Te Puke H.S. | 4 - 2 | P. Gittins 3, E. Wikatene | |