

Decimal Conversion Under Way in New Zealand

July 10 marked the start of decimal conversion in New Zealand. The entire country has entered a 15-month period during which all adding machines, accounting machines, cash registers, etc., will be changed from sterling to decimal operation.

Mr. J. I. Martin, general manager of Burroughs New Zealand company, estimates that over 25,000 Burroughs machines will be converted during the changeover period.

Burroughs began planning for decimal conversion in New Zealand three years ago. A special decimal conversion program was established with Mr. R. H. Bott as manager and Mr. R. M. Miller as service manager.



HOW MANY PMs HAVE YOU DONE TO-DAY?
(MR BECK)



Mr. S. L. Moses (right), chairman of the New Zealand Decimal Currency Board, operates one of the first machines to be converted at Burroughs Christchurch Conversion Plant. Mr. D. Mander, manager of the Christchurch plant, is at the left.



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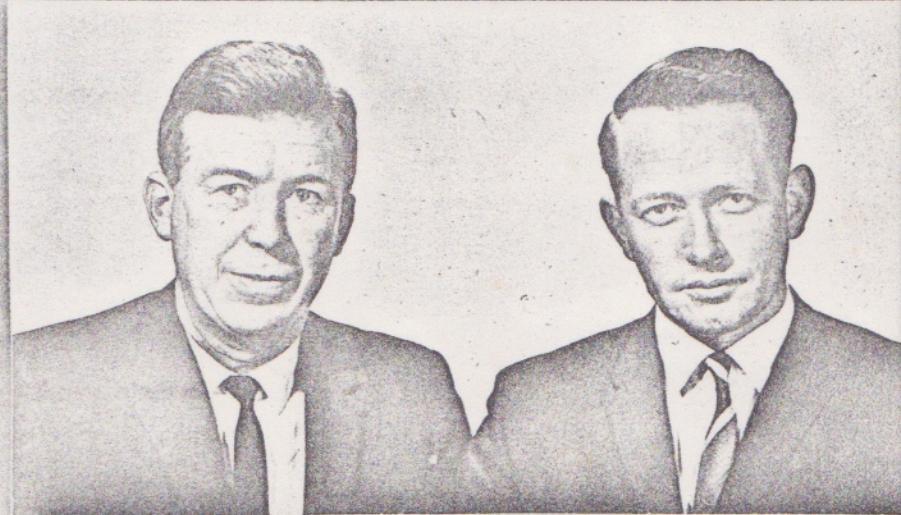
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AND EACH MACHINE IS TESTED 251 TIMES.



With Aussie men to help us out
And Sid at the helm to give a shout,
The jobs a cinch we'll wipe it soon!
And that will please old Bob Muldoon.

So said Rex, the one big shot
And Peter too, he worried a lot.
But Dave and Bill and also Bob
Didn't worry at all, they just did the job

But now its finished we've had our fun
The decimal currency wars been won,
It's over and done with once and for all
It really wasn't any trouble at all.



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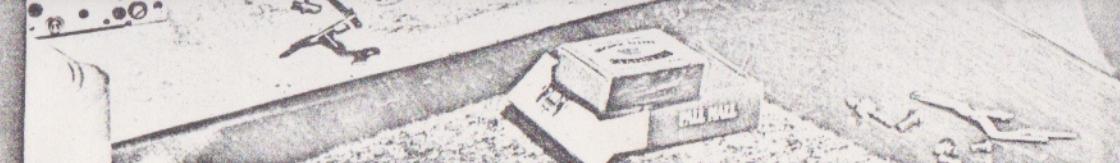


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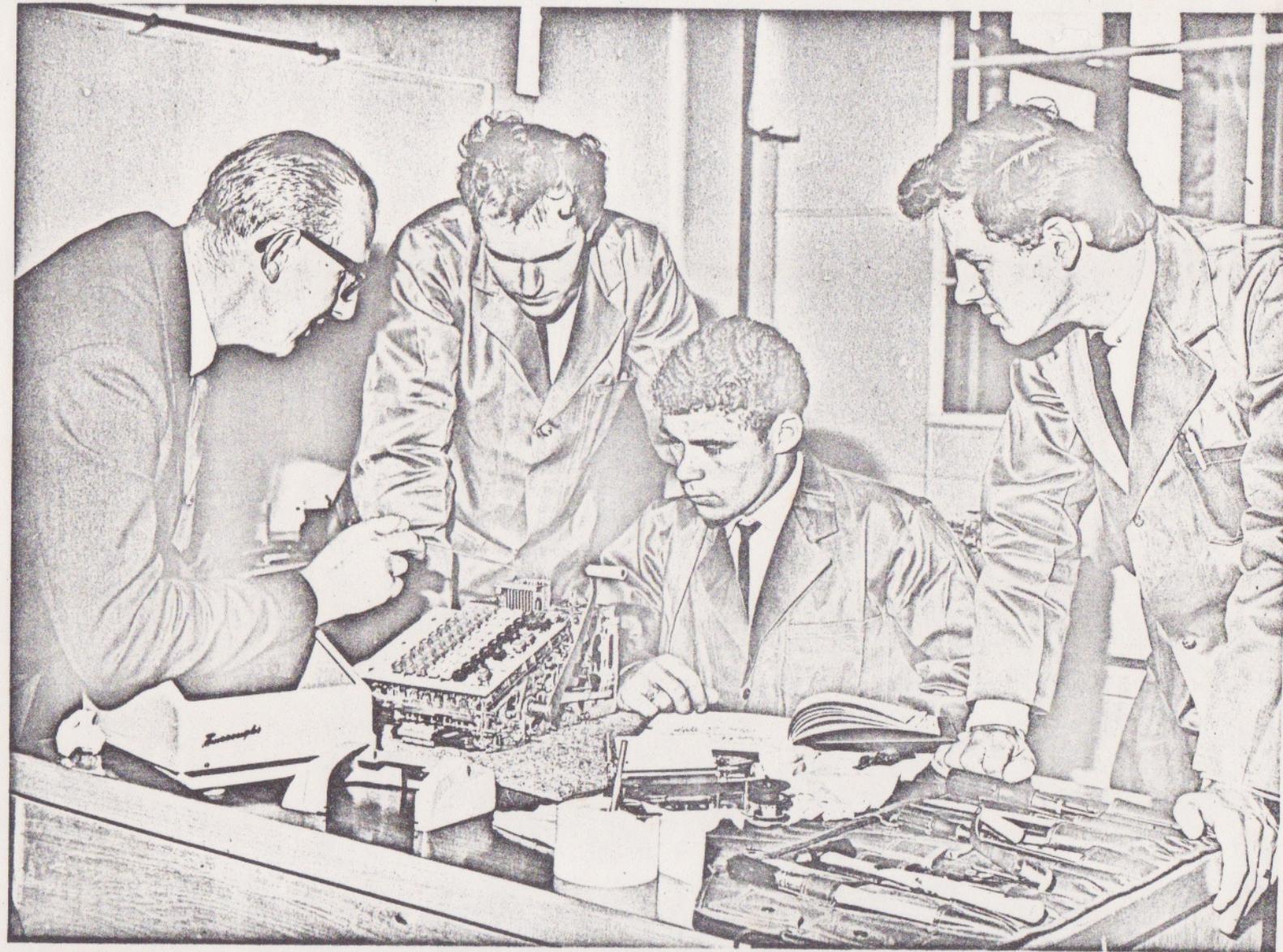


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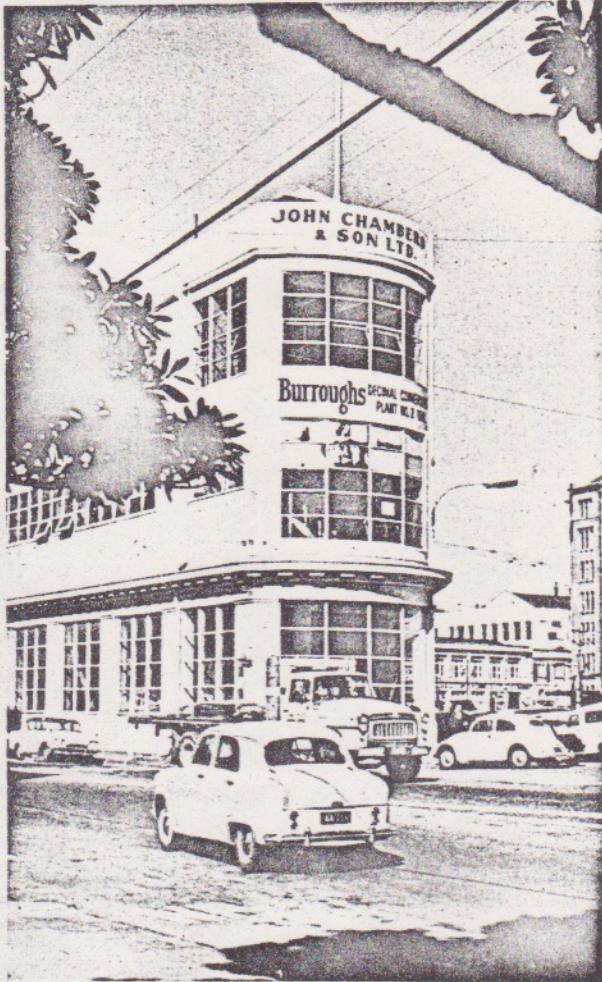




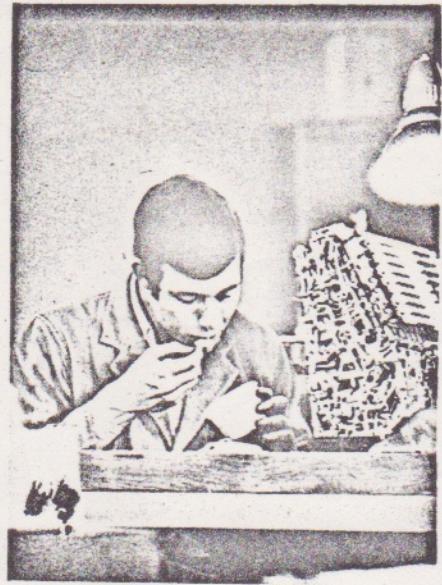
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INSTRUCTOR TO CLASS = "THIS IS AN ADDING MACHINE"



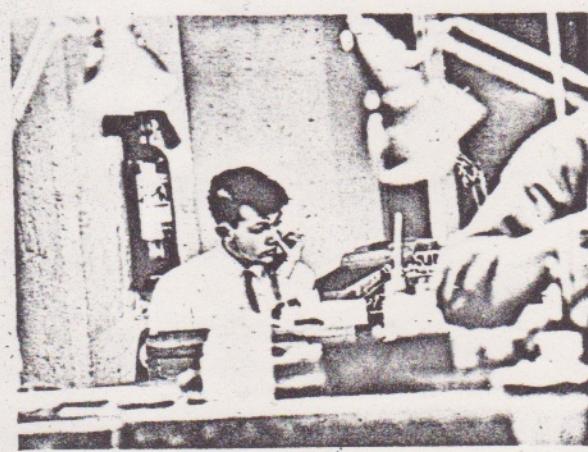
"CONFUSION CASTLE"



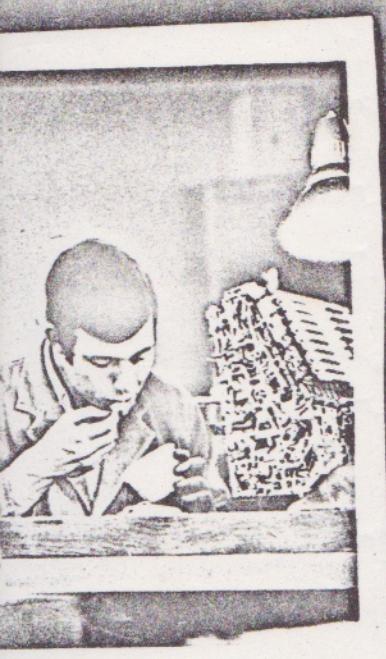
"Ian's Mid-morning Snack"



"Oh, th...



That....cleans up Australia,
now on to N.Z. (Dick Bowyer)



Ian's Mid-morning Snack



"Oh, the Relief"



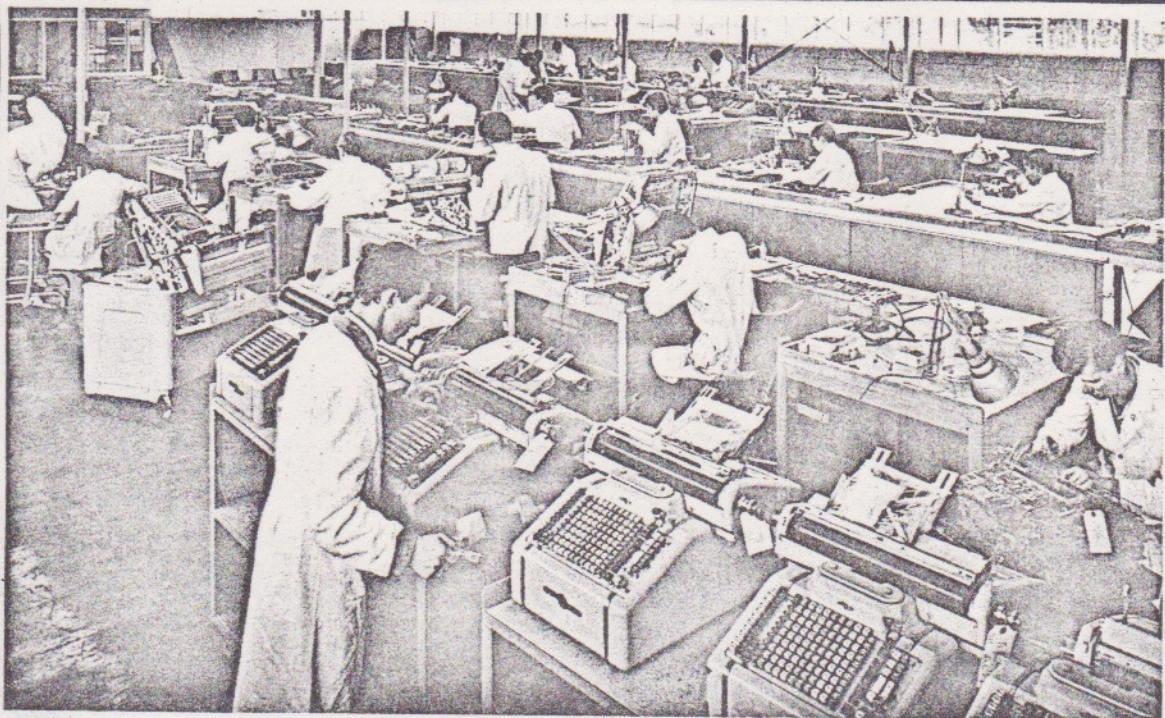
Ken (licking lips)
"Oh Boy, 10 o'clock closing"



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Pete Millman....
"26,000 Kits later!"



Plant 3
Calling!

Above is a view of the Auckland conversion plant which covers a floor area of 9,000 square feet, and which will convert nearly 10,000 machines during the changeover period.



A fleet of 21 specially equipped trucks were obtained to transport equipment to and from customers' offices. Above is a portion of the truck fleet. Mr. J. I. Martin, company general manager, estimates the trucks will travel over one million miles.

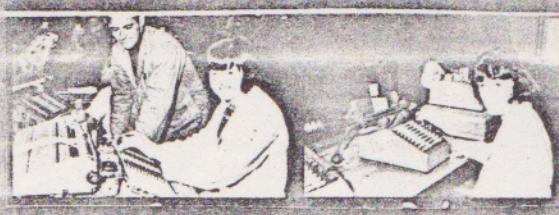




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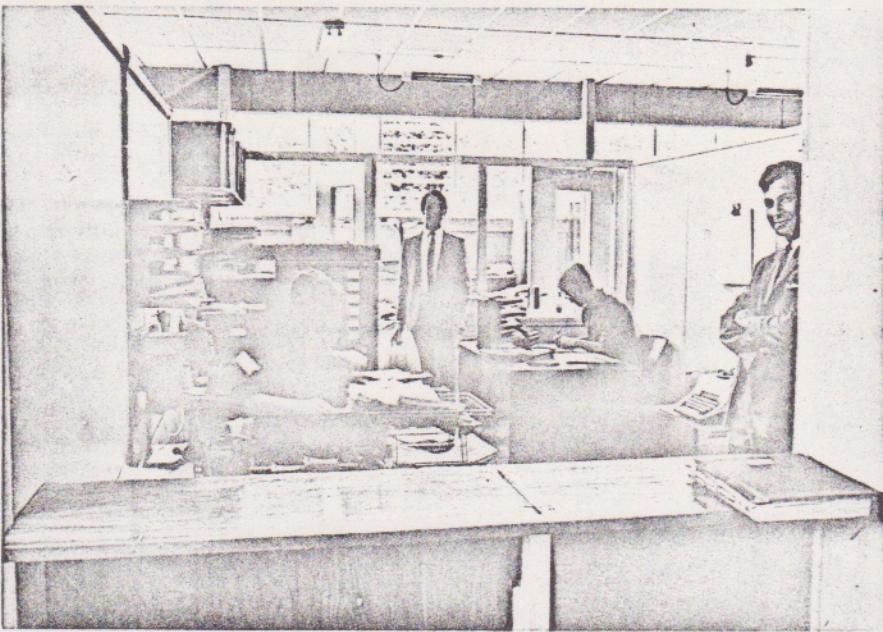
Dave's Dollies!



"DEEP FREEZE, CHRISTCHURCH"



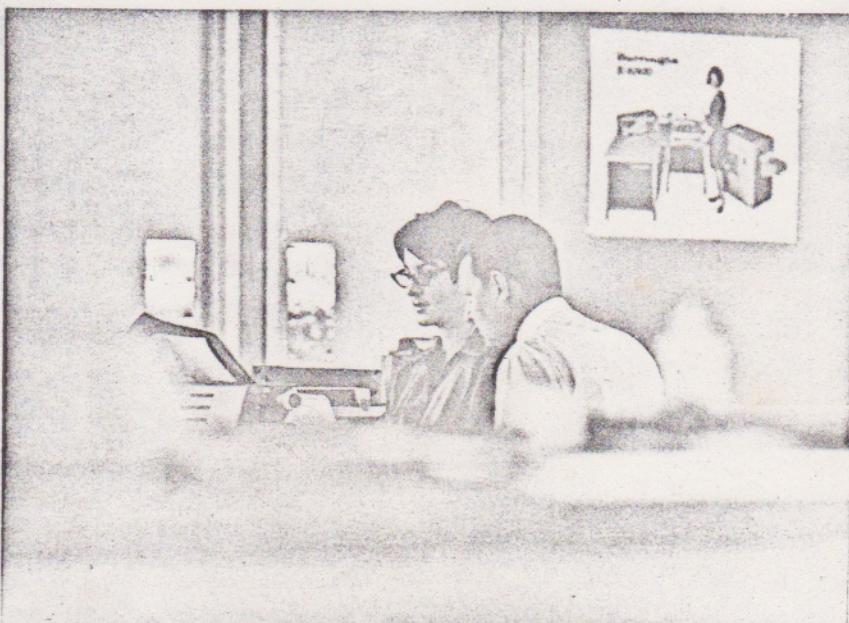
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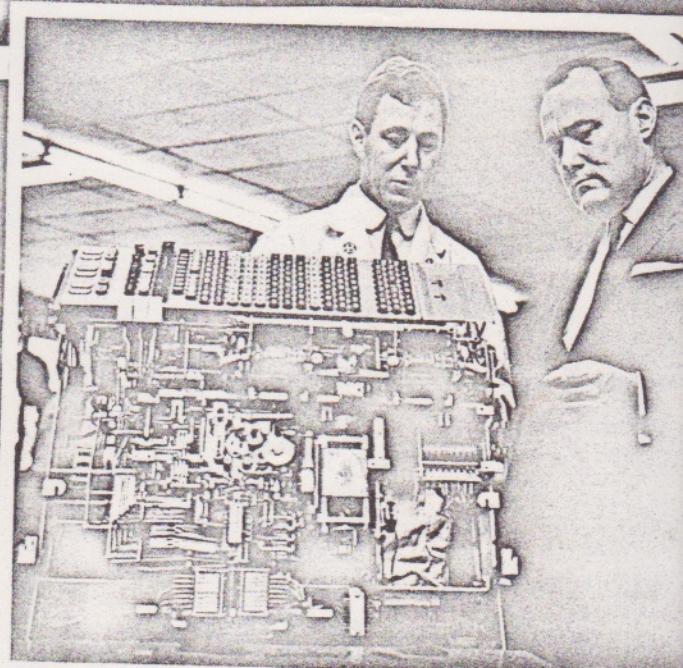
Conversion statistics are checked
in "Auckland Plant" nerve centre.



And I said to the Queen Mother:



But Mr. Reid, there's such a
difference in our ages.



The Hon. R. D. Muldoon, Minister of Finance, right, is being Burroughs F 4000 which requires conversion. The conversion machine is being made at the WELLINGTON conversion plant, one of three Burroughs conversion plants in New Zealand.

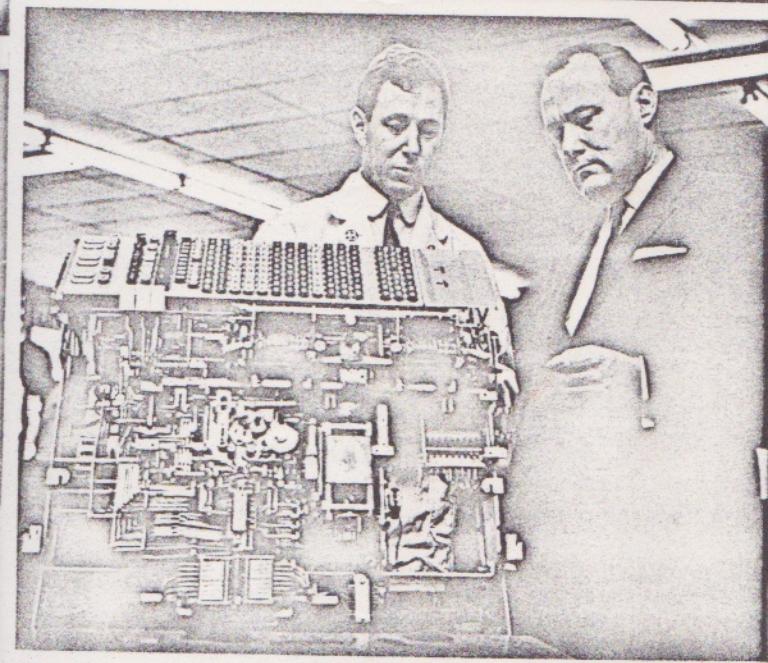


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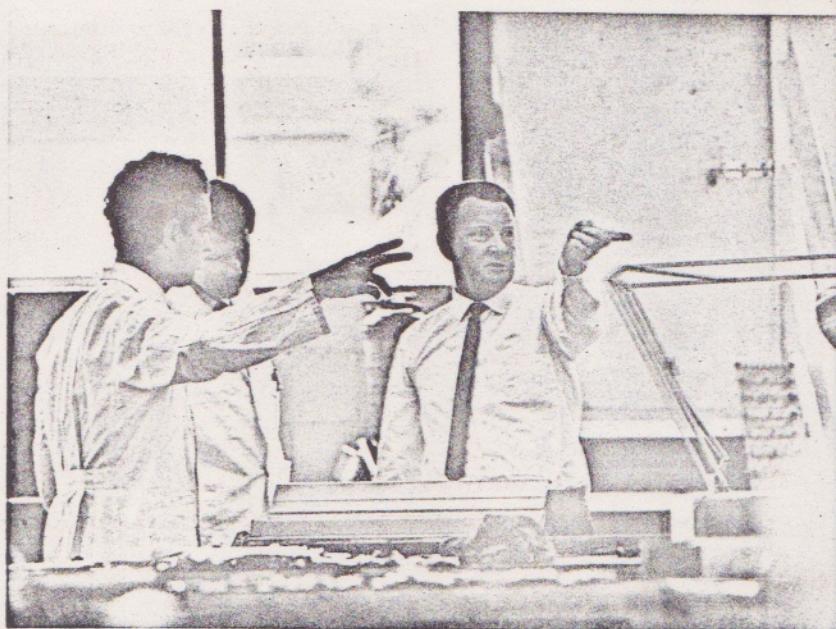


Look out Sebastian, here comes
the Boss!

Candid Photographs by-
TREVOR BRINWORTH



The Hon. R. D. Muldoon, Minister of Finance, right, is being shown Burroughs F 4000 which requires conversion. The conversion of this machine is being made at the ^{WINGFIELD} Wellington conversion plant, one of the three Burroughs conversion plants in New Zealand.



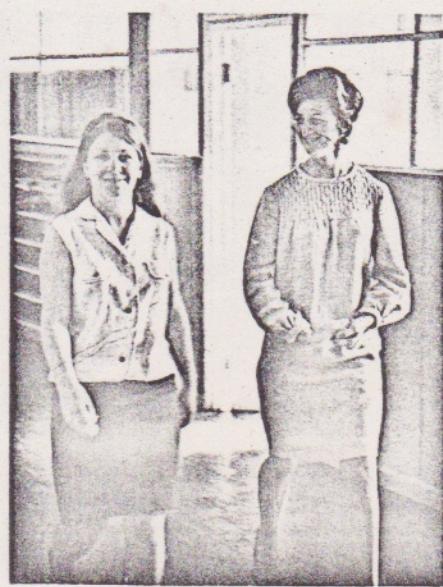
That's right, throw it out of
that window!



The Ladies of
Auckland Plant.



Bill's Birds of We



Hurry, or we'll
miss morning tea!

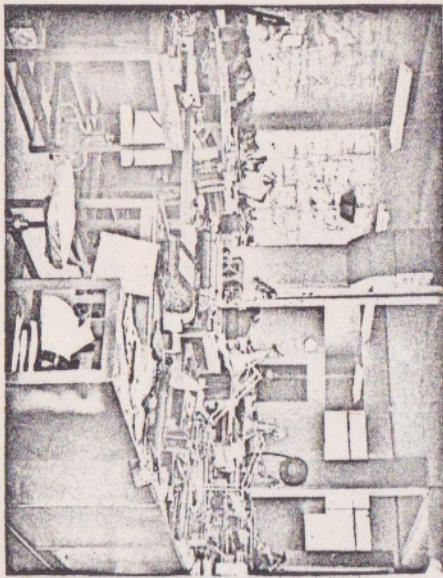


It was a lovely
party last night!



Miss Dismal
Confusion 1

a lovely
last night!



Miss Dismal
Confusion 1968

Fire Drill?

Bill's Birds of Wellington Plant.

Please no
more hand eights
today.

