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EDITORIAL COMMENT  
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I have often thought I would like to have a go at this job.  
I have sometimes thought I ought to take my turn. Once  
again I'm not quite sure how it happened but here I am actually  
doing it. I must say enjoying it and appreciating what others  
have done in the past.

Orienteering it seems is not navigating over the countryside.  
It is course setting, coaching, training, fitting out a caravan,  
paying bills, writing minutes, field checking, drawing, socials,  
getting there, coming home and preparing Compass Points.

Reading other club magazines, I noticed items about other  
countries - China, Malaya, North America. The O-Ringen event  
in Sweden which is a five day event catering for 27,000  
competitors in 125 classes. Fascinating.

Many thanks for your help Caroline. Who's next?



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<u>AUGUST</u>	17	CDOA CHAMPS - PINELANDS CLUB
	24	TE MATA RELAYS - TE MATA MAP
<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	7	ESK - OY4 (Stewart Hyslop) (P & S Mardon)
	21	COACHING
	28	TUKI TUKI JUNCTION - NEW MAP - WAIPAWA [P Watson]
<u>OCTOBER</u>	5	FRIMLEY/HGHS NIGHT RELAYS
	12	AUCKLAND CHAMPS - WOODHILL FOREST
	19	GRANULES - OY5 (B & F Crawford)
	25/26/27	NATIONAL CHAMPS & RELAYS - AUCKLAND
<u>NOVEMBER</u>	9	SEAFIELD ROAD (Ted Sapsford)
	16	WELLINGTON CHAMPS - WAITERERE FOREST
	23	TUKI TUKI TRIATHLON (S Hyslop/M Lloyd)
<u>DECEMBER</u>	7	TE MATA - CHRISTMAS EVENT
	13/14	MOUNTAIN MARATHON - WAIOURU

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100 YEAR OLD ORIENTEER

Stewart Nicoll Snr celebrated his 100th birthday on the day of the ACT Championships in Australia last October, with a convincing win in the M100 class. He covered the 900m course in 27m 17s and was slowed down a bit by having two nieces with him. He said the course was a bit short, but he would be back next year.

Grandpa Nicoll is the oldest orienteer in the world and trains for one hour every morning in the bush near his home.

Believe it ... or not!

ORIENTEERING RESULTS

The Hawkes Bay Orienteering Club held a cross country event at the Tukituki River on 18 May 1986. The course settees, Roger and Brita Munday, set three courses plus a taped course for the juniors present. The results are as follows;

A Course 5.59km

1	Tei Sapsford	59m55s
2	Wayne Lee	66.06
3	Ron Gage	73.05
4	Dave Smith	83.15

thirdcourse;

Andrew Hare	40.25
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B Course 3.4km

1	Anne Sapsford	54.45
2	M & N Fisher	67.20
3	Craig Family	84.28
4	Andrews Family	100.00

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Angus White	18.26
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Catherine Lee	69.50
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S Gage	67.55
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second course;

1	Tony White	25.10
2	Andrew Hare	28.30
3	Neil Lawrence	36.30
4	C Harris	45.09
5	Epplott Family	61.05

C Course 1.7km

1	Andrew Hare	7m15s
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2	Neil Lawrence	13.15
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3	Tony & Nicola White	18.26
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4	Peter Smith	20.29
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5	Epplott Family	29.23
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6	Fiona Sapsford	32.26
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7	Rowan Sapsford	32.31
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8	Harris Family	42.00
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9	Justin Davis & Cathy Smith	48.35
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10	Weir Family	64.10
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second course;

1	Angus White	12.50
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Taped Course

1	Bevan Harris	1.47
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2=	David Weir	2.05
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2=	Peter Smith	2.05
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4	Cathy Smith	2.28
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5	Nicolette	2.29
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6	Mathew Epplott	2.43
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7	Kristoffer Munday	3.10
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8	Steven	3.41
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8	Michael Weir	3.17
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10	Nicola Craig	4.05
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11	Andrea	6.12
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Further attempts to improve;

Mathew Epplott 2.07 2.02

Kristoffer Munday 2.30

At New Zealand's first seven day event two Hawkes Bay competitors gained first placings: Linda Lloyd D35B grade, dropping only 65 points from a possible 20,000; and Fiona Crawford D17A grade dropped 2 points to total 19,998.

*Richard L. Smith*  
Club Statistician  
23/5/86

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C L U B   N E W S

L O O K I N G   A H E A D :

AUGUST 24 - TE MATA RELAYS

Setters:        Doug Matheson and Stewart Hyslop  
Venue:         new Te Mata map  
Courses:        Long, Medium and Short -  
                  A course to suit all.  
                  Teams organised prior to the event  
                  or on the day.

LOTS OF FUN - BE THERE!

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Stewart has put together an introductory pamphlet on orienteering which details a list of fixtures, a HB location map of all our venues together with a little about the sport.

Take a couple. So when you're asked 'What's orienteering?' the answer will be at your fingertips.

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Apologies that the entry form for the Central Districts champs did not appear in Compass Points. It arrived after publication of the last issue and entries closed well before publication of this issue.

I trust all those thinking of attending obtained a form from another source and did not rely on it being in the magazine.

The same situation is likely to occur with the entry form for the Auckland champs. Keep this in mind if you're thinking of attending. Entry forms are always available through Brian or on the noticeboard nearer the time.

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A fairly quiet two months with two promotional events to encourage newcomers and an OY - a very cold OY at that; well remembered by all those attending. It's always disappointing for the course setters when poor weather discourages participants but the Bees had it worked out didn't they? They arranged for the good Lord to wait until most people had set out on their course before the southerly and, I understand, SNOW set in! The nice start to the day fooled you didn't it? Never mind. We've had a pretty good run so far this year.

We were hoping the Ladies' Fun Run event centre close by our caravan at Frimley would prompt husbands and friends of runners to try orienteering. It seems that was not to be the case. I did notice, however, several of the new 'O' pamphlets Stewart has put together pinned under windscreen wipers so maybe we'll interest them yet.

Thanks Stewart for offering to produce this edition of Compass Points and to Colin who is always tremendously efficient with the photocopying each issue. Newer members - we'd enjoy reading about that 'experience to remember' that we're sure you've recorded since joining us!

Good Luck to all starters on the Perimeter Road South map at the Central Districts champs, August 17th. Now that will be an experience to remember. I hear Gerard's taking a packed lunch so we expect an article from him! The map does not have a legend so do a little homework so you know what you're looking at when you're on your course. An interesting note for starters who ran on this map at the Air NZ/Milo 7-Day was that we were allowed to take torches..?! No worries - remember Gwavas? Piece of cake!

Great to see new faces from HB at this 'away' event. There are several more to come this year. Have a go.

#### PERIMETER ROAD SOUTH

I would like to pass on to those going to the CDOA Champs the benefit of my experience on this map. I came down a very steep slope on my backside to a small valley. The water was stagnant, and as I slid into it I presumed it would not be very deep. I never found the bottom. By the time the water level reached my waist (I have very long legs) the panic button was pushed. I eventually managed to scramble out unaided the way I had gone in. Fifteen metres further up I was able to walk across. Similar experiences befell two ladies, one was in it up to her neck and had to be helped out. Not recommended for a fast time or torch batteries.

Good luck,

Stewart.

These courses were set by Dave + Peter Smith,  
christening our new Te Mata map.

TE MATA 1.6.86

A COURSE 5.09km 225m Climb

Anger Bee	44.32
Peter Watson	46.13
Colin Tait	55.04
Maurice Lloyd	55.35
Stewart Hyslop	56.21
Gerard Van Veen	56.31
Ken Ross	67.03
Doug Matheson	69.42
Wayne Lee	75.47
Caroline W & Vicki Van Veen	81.00
Ray McCarthy	81.54
Ted Sapsford & Fiona	111.33

CONTOURS ONLY COURSE 4.53km

Maurice Lloyd	• 37.
Peter Watson	• 42.
Geoff Paget	• 49.
Gerard Van Veen	• 53.

KNOLLS COURSE 1.28km

Caroline Watson	• 20.
Vicki Van Veen & Daryl Paget	• 29.
Munday Family	32.
Gage Family	37.
Lee Family	• 37.

B COURSE 2.96km

Tony White	31.18
Angus White	34.44
Neil Lawrence	36.51
Fiona Crawford	37.22
Philip Mardon	40.34
Geoff Paget	41.07
Andrew Hare	41.25
Brita Munday	41.45
Jenny Mardon	44.06
Sharon Mardon	48.41
Richard Borrell	57.45
Crawford Group	63.29
Anne Sapsford	66.42
Catherine Lee	75.31
Ngairi & Mac Fisher	79.11
Andrews Group	DNF

MOUNTAINEERS COURSE 3.25km

Colin Tait & Ted Sapsford	• 42
Andrew Hare	• 48

TAPE COURSE

Kristoffer Munday	3.
Simon Bee	3.
Julian Bee	3.
Boyle Gage	3.
Angela & Claire Paget	5.
Kate Graham	7.
Anita Lloyd	7.

Second try

Anita Lloyd	5.
Kate Graham	5.

C COURSE 1.6 km

Andrew Hare & Neil Lawrence	• 15.05
Nicola & Tony White	26.30
Daryl & G Paget	27.05
Vicki Van Veen	• 27.28
Julian Simon & Wendy Bee	50.51
Graham Family	58.03
Justin Davis	98.39

• - second course

THE GATHERING OF THE CLANS

Rule No 1: no poofers; to check the depth of the clearing; "Marry me Colin"; Waipuk Mongrel Mob...?.. This could only be an orienteering Pot Luck Dinner. What vivid imaginations you lot have got! Moro bars all round.

Thanks Maurice and helpers for a well organised and thoroughly entertaining evening. Well supported by new and not-so-new members - hopefully we can put names to faces now! Nice to see you all there.

The games were halarious fun though I don't think I was supposed to make a marathon effort of guessing my 'famous person'. First a 'not far 4.3km night event, now Glenda Jackson ... wait till we get you playing line ball Maurice.

Perseverance skills were tested trying to match map squares to map names - correct entries only possible by repeated reference to master maps and a well earned sustenance break! Haven't decided whether it'll help out in the field.

'THE MORNING AFTER' . . .

Well worth crawling out of bed to do a few warm up exercises for. How are all you newcomers to Indoor Cricket? A lot of fun isn't it?

Enjoyed by all it rounded off the weekend nicely and as Wayne, Catherine, Carol, Diane and Brian survived their first game, they must be about ready for another dose?! Right?! We promise not to try and decapitate you next time Brian. Stewart was in devastating form - only beaten by a family member..! Seen it all before!

THE GREAT TREK

While everyone was enjoying themselves in Hawkes Bay four of us were straightening out Auckland. We all competed at Woodhill with varying degrees of success and I encourage everyone to take part in the National Champs to be held at Woodhill over Labour Weekend.

We spent a wet Sunday afternoon watching the Kiwis get beaten in the first Rugby League test. The highlight of the weekend was spending two and a half hours in the Hamilton Railway Station with the bar closed ...

Peter, Geoff,  
Gerard and Doug



The selectors have announced the following team to represent New Zealand against Australia for the annual Challenge, which will this year be in South Australia in September.

W-16	Penny Clendon Sue Snedden	C SA	Michele Holst Tania Robinson	R SA
W-20	Joanne Cunningham Jillian Clendon	SA C	Jan Davies Elise Takao	P NW
W Open	Alison Stewart Jeanine Browne	C SA	Carey Martin Liz Nicholson	NW HB
W 35	Val Robinson Judy Browning	SA P	Pauline Abblett	S
W 40	Royce Mills Jill Dalton	RK SA	Kate Fortune	W
W 45	Bunny Rathbone Margaret Nicholls	D C	Ann Scott	S
W 50	Hilary Weeks Judy Martin	WH NW	Bev Laurent	SA
M-16	Philip Wood Greg Dryden	HV KH	Russell Mardon Alex Whitaker	HB NW
M-20	Alistair Cory-Wright James Brewis	C C	Robert Jessop Michael Davies	C P
M Open	David Melrose Mark McKenna	NW R	Robert Garden Bill Teahan	SA H
M 35	Ken Holst Dave Browning	R P	Michael Wood	HV
M 40	Bruce Dryden John Davies	KH P	Barrie Foote	D
M 45	Graham Fortune Terry Nuthall	W C	John Robinson	SA
M 50	Graham Peters Tony Nicholls	NW C	John Fettes	NW
M 55	Ralph King Athol Oldfield	NW SA	Svend Pedersen	S

Congratulations to each of you and best wishes in Australia. Give those Aussies heaps!



ORIENTEERING DY RESULTS (SO FAR)

M17-39	DY1	DY2	DY3	TOTAL
1 Maurice Lloyd	25.00	25.00	25.00	75.00
2 Russell Mardon	21.87	18.63	15.86	56.36
3 Peter Watson	23.26	Setter	23.83	47.09
4 Roger Bee	23.11	23.57	Setter	46.68
5 Gerard van Veen	13.42	10.02	19.59	43.03
6 James Watson			13.49	13.49
7 Ray McCarthy			11.90	11.90
8 Wayne Lee			11.64	11.64
9 Geoff Paget	10.27			10.27
10 Trevor Carswell			5.00	5.00
10 Roy Nicholson		5.00		5.00

M40

1 Stewart Hyslop	25.00	23.14	25.00	73.14
2 Brian Crawford	20.34	20.60	22.22	63.16
3 Roger Munday	20.61	25.00		45.61
4 Dave Smith	15.87	12.27	15.36	43.50
5 Colin Tait	Setter	19.66	23.67	43.33
6 Ted Sapsford	22.35	13.28	5.00	40.63
7 Philip Mardon	15.15		14.11	29.26
8 Tony White	5.00	5.00	17.72	27.72
9 Ron Gage		9.43		9.43
10 Dave Kolt			5.00	5.00

W17-39

1 Liz Nicholson	25.00	25.00		50.00
2 Caroline Watson	20.19	Setter	20.58	40.77
3 Fiona Crawford	15.52		25.00	40.52
4 Linda Lloyd	14.59		23.80	38.39
5 Wendy Bee	13.28	11.27	setter	24.55
6 Julie Watson			13.49	13.49
7 Brita Munday	13.26			13.26
8 Diane Taylor			10.90	10.90
9 Catherine Lee			5.00	5.00

W40

1 Sharon Mardon	25.00	24.77	25.00	74.77
2 Ann Sapsford	14.91	5.00	19.90	39.81
3 Bev Tait	12.47	25.00		37.47

W13-16

1 Fiona Sapsford	25.00	25.00	5.00	55.00
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M13-16

1 Angus White	25.00	5.00	25.00	55.00
2 Peter Smith			20.38	20.38

M12

1 Rowan Sapsford	25.00	11.38	25.00	61.38
2 Peter Smith	22.33	25.00		47.33
3 Jonathon Waterman	14.39*			14.39
4 Julian Bee			5.00	5.00

W12

1 Nicola White	25.00			25.00
2 Cathy Smith	15.50	5.00		20.50

O.Y. COMMENTS AFTER THREE RESULTS

With the best three results to count some grades are now decided.

M12        What is Peter up to here?

W12        No change. The weather was a bit grim.

M13-16    See M12 comment

W13-16    Congratulations Fiona

W17-39    Wendy and Brita have both departed. Only Liz can score a perfect but she will be in Oz for O.Y.4. Fiona vets O.Y.5. Looks wide open and a close tussle for second place. Three new names at O.Y.3.

M17-39    Congratulations Maurice. No room for mistakes in those three events. Look at the second and third placings. We will let you run all five now. Roger has departed, which gives Peter second place ... or does it.

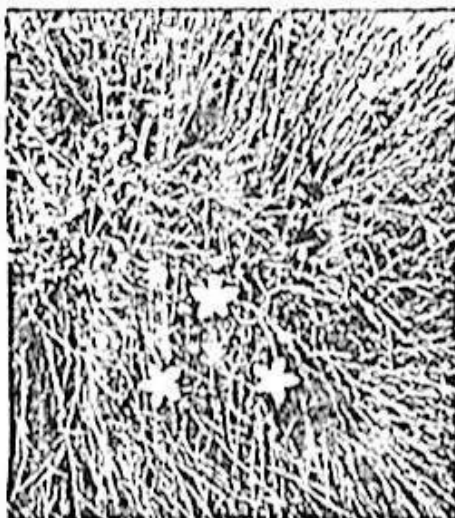
Do we have another fast improver in this grade?

W40        Congratulations Sharon

M40        Congratulations Stewart

With a high scoring second in O.Y.3 Colin still had a chance in this grade but he cannot run O.Y.4 from Aussie. Likewise fast improving Roger Munday cannot compete from Sweden. He might be picking up a few tips though.

Welcome back Dave.



SEAFIELD ROAD OY

When the decision was made to map Seafield Road, we knew that at some stage, thinning of the area would mess up the forest floor a little.

However, it was rather disappointing when setting the courses to see how much damage had occurred in the eastern end of the map. The courses we had set, lost some of their interest when the choice of through the forest directly was removed.

Those of you who started early and were caught out in the rain unprepared, were probably more disadvantaged than those who waited, dressed up warm and started later.

Events held in this type of weather bring home the risk of exposure to competitors who are dressed for speed and lightness. An 'O' suit is fine on good days and may seem O.K. when running in the rain, but twist an ankle in a southerly squall and your body reserves are sapped in no time at all. So beware. Invest in some woollen underwear and wear it under your 'O' gear if there is any prospect of rain and/or wind. Warm clothing may slow your ground speed a little but in adverse conditions you'll more than make up for it with your ability to make clear decisions if you are warm.

The changed start system was an attempt to cut out the delays that have occurred at the caravan in the past and worked fairly well until the rain chased us into the Woolshed. I think the concept is worth continuing in the future.

Finally, as this will have been our last course setting effort in Hawke's Bay, Wendy and I would like to say how much we have enjoyed being involved with orienteering in the Bay and hope we see you all at an event somewhere in the future.

ROGER & WENDY BEE.

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ORIENTEERING

RESULTS SEAFIELD ROAD (OY3)

Cold conditions failed to deter the keenness of Hawkes Bay orienteers as they strive for points in the Orienteer of the Year series. Results of the third event held at Seafield Road on 15 June 1986 with courses planned by Roger and Wendy Bee, are as follows; OYpoints appear in brackets.

A Course 4.925km

M17-39

1	Maurice Lloyd	51m36s	(25.00)
2	Peter Watson	54.08	(23.83)
3	Gerard van Veen	65.51	(19.59)
4	Russell Mardon	81.21	(15.86)
5	James Watson	95.37	(13.49)
6	Ray McCarthy	108.26	(11.90)
7	Wayne Lee	110.49	(11.64)
	Trevor Carswell	DNF	( 5.00)

Others:

1	Darryl & Geoff	128.13	-
	Paget		

B Course 3.74km

M40 +

1	Stewart Hyslop	55.48	(25.00)
2	Colin Tait	69.30	(23.67)
3	Brian Crawford	74.01	(22.22)
4	Tony White	92.50	(17.72)
5	Dave Smith	107.05	(15.36)
6	Philip Mardon	116.34	(14.11)
	Ted Sapsford	DNF	( 5.00)
	Dave Holt	DNF	( 5.00)

C Course 1.41km

M12 & under

1	Rowan Sapsford	51.08	(25.00)
	Julian Bee	DNF	( 5.00)

Others

1	Country Bumpkins	39.07	-
2	Struthers Grp.	44.05	-

C Course 2.87km

W17-39

1	Fiona Crawford	48m45s	(25.00)
2	Linda Lloyd	51.13	(23.80)
3	Caroline Watson	59.13	(20.58)
4	Julie Watson	90.22	(13.49)
5	Diane Taylor	111.50	(10.90)
	Catherine Lee	DNF	( 5.00)

Others

1	Fisher Gp.	89.50	-
	second course		

1	Peter Watson	40.47	-
2	Geoff Paget	43.47	-

D Course 2.3km

W40+

1	Sharon Mardon	55.50	(25.00)
2	Anne Sapsford	70.08	(19.90)

M13-16

1	Angus White	57.31	(25.00)
2	Peter Smith	70.34	(20.38)

Others

1	Vicki van Veen	75.37	-
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W13-16

	Fiona Sapsford	DNF	( 5.00)
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Taped Course

1	Julian Bee	6m01s	
2	Andrea Shakespeare	7.50	
3	Simon Bee	8.04	
4	Cathy Smith	8.48	
5	Anita Lloyd	10.30	
6	Jane Struthers	11.05	
7	Clare Struthers	18.05	

Addendum to C Course

	Rose Mason	DNF	-
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NZ Team includes two members from HBOC Liz Nicholson in the Womens Open grade, and Russell Mardon in the M17-20 grade. (Both selected as new members of the team which will compete in Australia (Adelaide) in the Annual Aust-NZ challenge).

## ORIENTEERING

Napier's Bluff Hill was the venue, Fiona Crawford the course setter, Hawkes Bay orienteers the participants in the street event held on 29 June 1986. The results are as follows:

<u>A course 5.0km</u>			<u>C Course 3.0km</u>		
1	Maurice Lloyd	23.33	1	Neil Lawrence	22.11
2	Andrew Hare	27.33*	2	Caroline Watson	25.55
3	Peter Watson	29.57	3	Darryl Paget & Vicki van Veen	27.41*
4	Colin Tait	30.58	4	Andrew Hare	28.49
5	Roger Bee	31.18	5	Harris Family	31.35
6	Stewart Hyslop	32.48	6	Angus White	34.38
7	Gerard van Veen	32.50	7	Blair Group	39.49
8	Wendy Bee	51.10	8	Sapsford Group	43.16
9	Geoff Paget	61.44	9	Fiona Sapsford	48.08
<u>B Course 3.8km</u>			10	Struthers Family	65.01
1	Peter Watson	20.36*	<u>D Course 1.9km</u>		
2	Gerard van Veen	21.01*	1	Darryl Paget	17.11
3	Neil Lawrence	29.03*	2	Simon Bee & Roger	21.29
4	Ken Ross	29.53	3	Julian Bee & Wendy	22.52
5	Tony White	33.57	4	Peter Smith	24.27
6	Dave Smith	35.27	5	Vicki van Veen	34.23
7	Frechtling Group	36.04	6	Weir Family	36.00
8	Geoff Paget	37.38*	7	Epplett Family	36.02
9	Sharon Mardon	45.04	8	Ward Family	36.05
10	Lee Group	64.41		E & N White	DNF
Third Course;			Third Course;		
1	Andrew Hare	44.31	1	Neil Lawrence	13.30

\* = Second Course



"The great thing in the world  
is not so much where we stand,  
as in what direction we are moving."

The above is a quote from Oliver Wendell Holmes, and seems  
strangely appropriate to orienteering.

## ORIENTEERING

A course 2.92 km 12controls

1 Peter Watson	19.15
2 Gerard van Veen	21.42
3 Russell Mardon	23.53
4 M Harrison	24.07
5 Stewart Hyslop	24.51
6 Colin Tait	25.58
7 Ross Frechtling	26.50
8 Philip Mardon	28.43
9 Dave Holt	30.04
10 Brian Crawford	30.48
11 Wayne Lee	31.26
12 Ted Sapsford	31.38
13 Dave Smith	31.55
14 Sharon Mardon	35.56
15 Ron Gage	43.14
16 Atkins & Coates	56.38
17 Vicki van Veen	63.25
18 Craig Family	68.44

D course 1.2km 7controls

1 Frechtling	14.12
2 A Watson	20.36
3 Fiona Sapsford	25.00
4 K&T&J: Hastings Gymnasts	28.10
5 Cathy Smith	38.00
6 Mrs Richards	41.11

Taped course

1 Anna Watson	2.46
2 Janine Campbell	2.58
3 Jane Struthers	3.26
4 Clare Struthers	4.00
5 Julie H	4.18
6 Vanessa	6.57
7 Annique	6.57

B course 2.15km 4 controls

1 Peter Watson	13.21
2 Russell Mardon	15.05
3 Colin Tait	18.35
4 Stewart Hyslop	18.40
5 Lee/Gage Gp	20.02
6 Holt	28.55

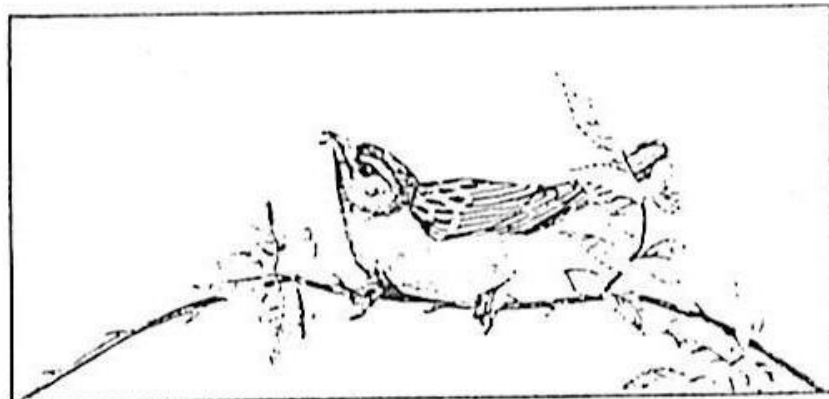
The above results are of the event held at Frimley on the 13th July 1986 on courses set by James & Julie Watson.

The annual inter-club challenge with the Red Kiwis club of Manawatu will be held at Whirinaki Forest on a new colour map. This event will also serve as the H.B. club champ.

C course 1.69km 8controls

1 Frechtling	18.48
2 Anne Sapsford	24.05
3 Andrews Family	25.39
4 Peter Smith	26.40
5 Murphy	28.11
Lee/Gage Gp	28.50
C Holt	33.21
8 Rowan Sapsford	37.42
9 Struthers Family	51.19

*David Small*  
H.B.C. Statistician  
15/7/86





COURSE SETTING COMPETITION - 1986



Open to all Orienteers. How many times have you grumbled about your course. Now is your chance to show your skill. Maybe you haven't set a course before, now is your chance to have a go, and in return you will receive some constructive comments and advice on your efforts.

Course setting is one way of improving your O skills by carefully studying all details that are on the map.

PRIZES - The winner of the senior competition will receive a trophy and a prize.

The winner of the junior competition will also receive a trophy and a prize.

There are two grades - SENIORS open to all 1986 affiliated members.

JUNIORS affiliated members under the age of 19.

SENIORS set one course W 50A. JUNIORS set one course W 15A.

Courses to be drawn to IOF standards with a technical difficulty commensurate to gold badge standard. Control descriptions to be attached drawn in IOF symbols.

THE MAP - Sixteen Mile, Woodhill.

ENTRY FEE - \$5 per person. Extra maps \$1 each.

Entry fee covers a set of rules, copy of IOF symbols, relevant NZOF rules and 3 maps.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON 20th September 1986 - NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.

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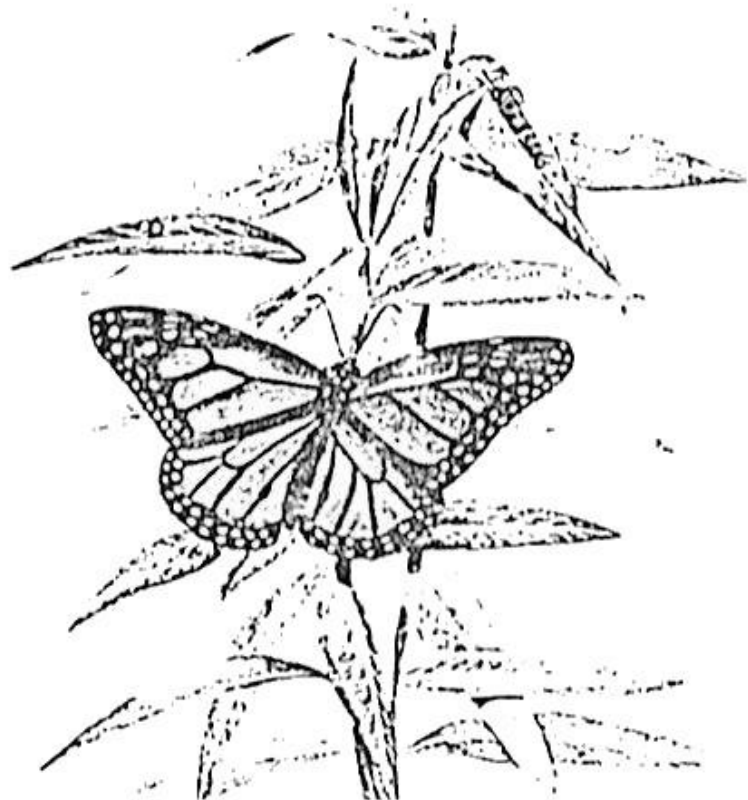
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NOW YOU TOO HAVE BEEN WARNED

At a party one evening recently our M55 was talking to a grey haired old man with a weatherbeaten face. It soon turned out that not only was he a forest ranger but that he knew the area we hope to use for a Mountain Marathon in 1988. Brian was all questions at once, accessibility of saddles, height of creeks in summer floods, runability, etc..

The old ranger was most helpful but doubted if we could cover the distance in two days. Brian explained the two top courses were run, not tramped. "With packs on their backs?" questioned the range. "My mates used to do that in our young days when we were deerstalkers. I warned them, but they wouldn't listen to me. Now they are all crippled with arthritis or worse."

He patted Brian kindly on the back. "Give it away" he said, "before its too late, or you too will pay for it before you reach my age" adding helpfully "and I'll be 50 next birthday."





# Christchurch wins

The sad news is that the Bee family are leaving Hawke's Bay for Christchurch. The Open Championships at Whirinaki will probably be their last event. Roger goes to prepare the way on 4 August. Wendy and the boys stay until the end of term.

Roger and Wendy have been so involved with the club, it cannot be the same without them. The end of an era.

We all wish you well in your move. I guess if you can move once you can always move again. Back here!

Another Roger - Munday - and his wife Brita have gone to Sweden for a year or so. We hope they have a good trip. Some would say they couldn't have gone to a better place.

Our 10TH ANNIVERSARY is to be held on the weekend 16 February 1987. Proposed is a Saturday event on the original Te Mata Park map, a social in the evening with another event on Sunday using the new Te Mata map. Any more suggestions?



SOMETIMES

Every once in a while,  
usually in a forest.

An awareness  
comes upon me,  
of where I am,  
of what I am doing.

There is a challenge in front of me  
encompassed on a piece of paper .  
All else has gone.

The feeling can linger  
but dissolves in a flash ,  
at the sound of a breaking stick ,  
or the sight of another.



Dear Dave

Many thanks for your letter pointing to the possibilities which could result from our club approaching schools that are close to some of our mapped areas.

The subject was discussed by the committee and some of their views are as follows:

Any event giving school children a proper and enjoyable introduction to orienteering has to be worthwhile.

In the short-term we could be getting the message to their parents. In the long-term an enjoyable childhood experience is remembered and can influence adult behaviour.

The bigger areas, such as Wellington and Auckland, promote school and inter-school orienteering events to a large degree. Hearsay has it that an event was held catering for some 1200 school children, and yet the following weekend not one of those competitors turned out for a club event. Believe it ... or not!

It really has to be seen as a positive long-term approach, because despite all the comment about how little equipment is needed for our sport, top of the list of essentials is a car.

Youngsters might have gone the following weekend if they had been able to.

Schools in Hawke's Bay are catered for as they approach individual club members. This does in fact add up to quite a number over a year.

We would have to agree with your suggestions, and now we come to the nitty gritty part. Who is going to carry it out? The Promotion/Publicity Officer didn't volunteer, nor did the Fixtures Secretary.

If you feel inclined to be involved in this aspect of promotion the committee approve of your thoughts and we thank you for your suggestion.

The Editor (Who is also Promotion/Publicity & Fixtures Secretary)

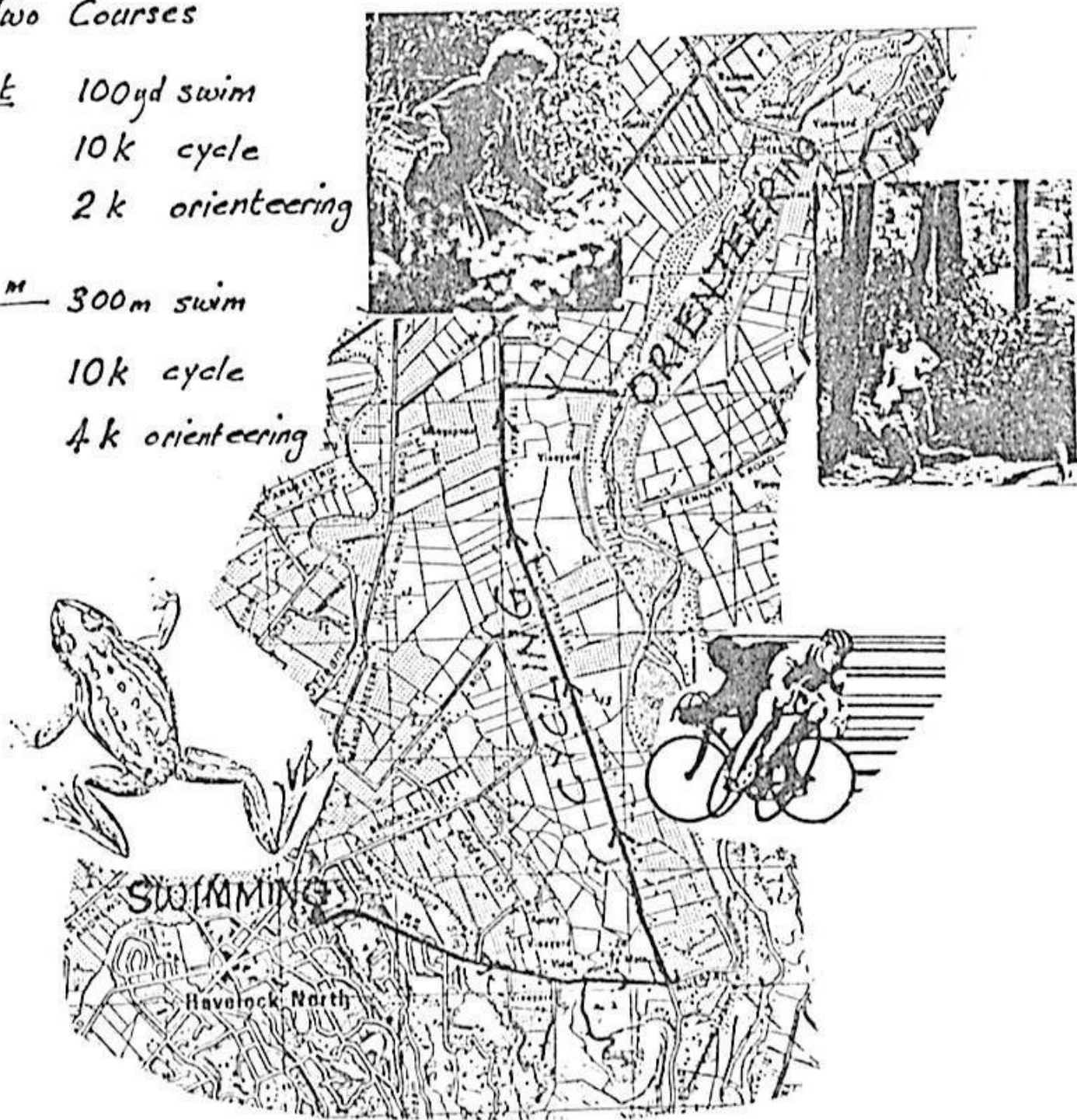
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23rd NOVEMBER

## Two Courses

Short 100yd swim  
10k cycle  
2k orienteering

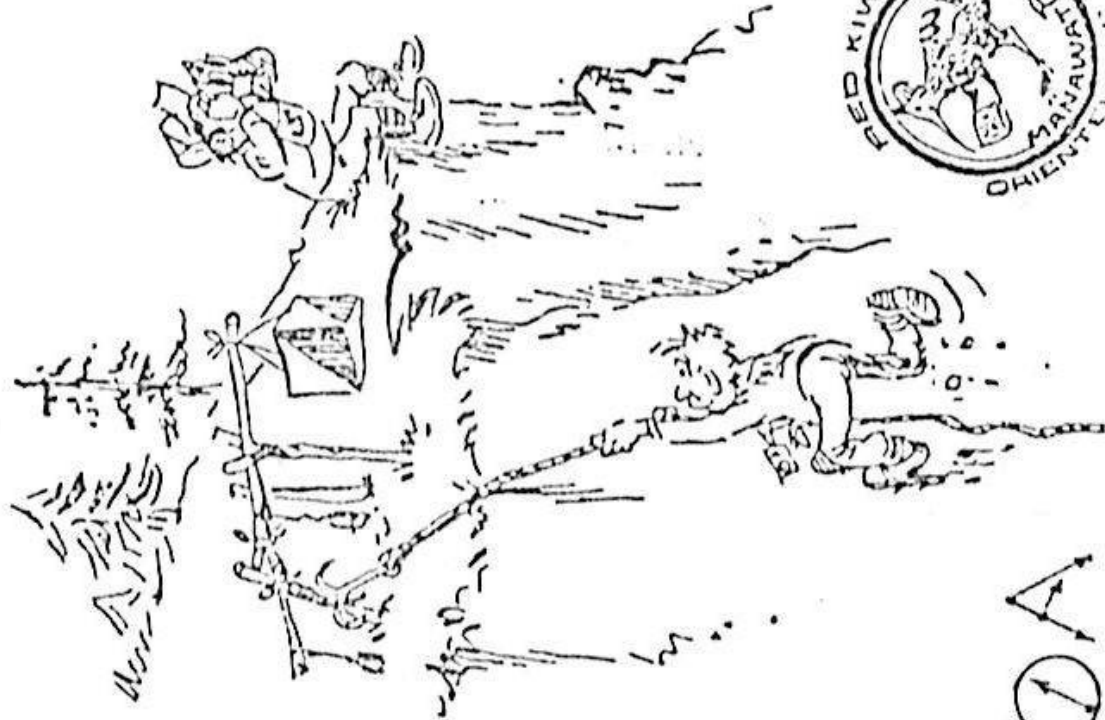
Me m 300m swim  
10k cycle  
4k orienteering



Training tips later. Try these other "things" first. Find your fogs, pump up the tyres on your sister's bike.

# LISMORE

Wellington Relay Championships  
Saturday 15th November 1986



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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Please note the change in date (originally programmed for October 12th 1986) but due to the Auckland Association holding their champs on the same day it has now been decided to hold the Relays on Saturday the 15th November which is the same weekend as the W.O.A. individual champs which are to be held on the Waitarere North Map (1985 Nationals).

Map: As used for the 1984 W.O.A. Champs.

Scale: 1:15000 Contour Interval 6m.

Terrain: Steep eroded hills with deep valleys and generally open forest.

Grades - All grades are mixed:

- Open A Grade
- Open B Grade
- Age 40 and over
- Age 15 to 18
- Age 14 and under
- Mixed A (A Grade difficulty and no more than one M21A runner).
- Mixed B (B Grade difficulty. No M & M21A, M19 and M25A).

Entries: Close on Saturday 10th October 1986.

Late entries double the entry fee.

Fees: \$12.00 per team

Individuals may enter at \$4 each and the organisers will attempt to make up suitable teams.

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Club

Grade

Order-Mixed  
Grade only

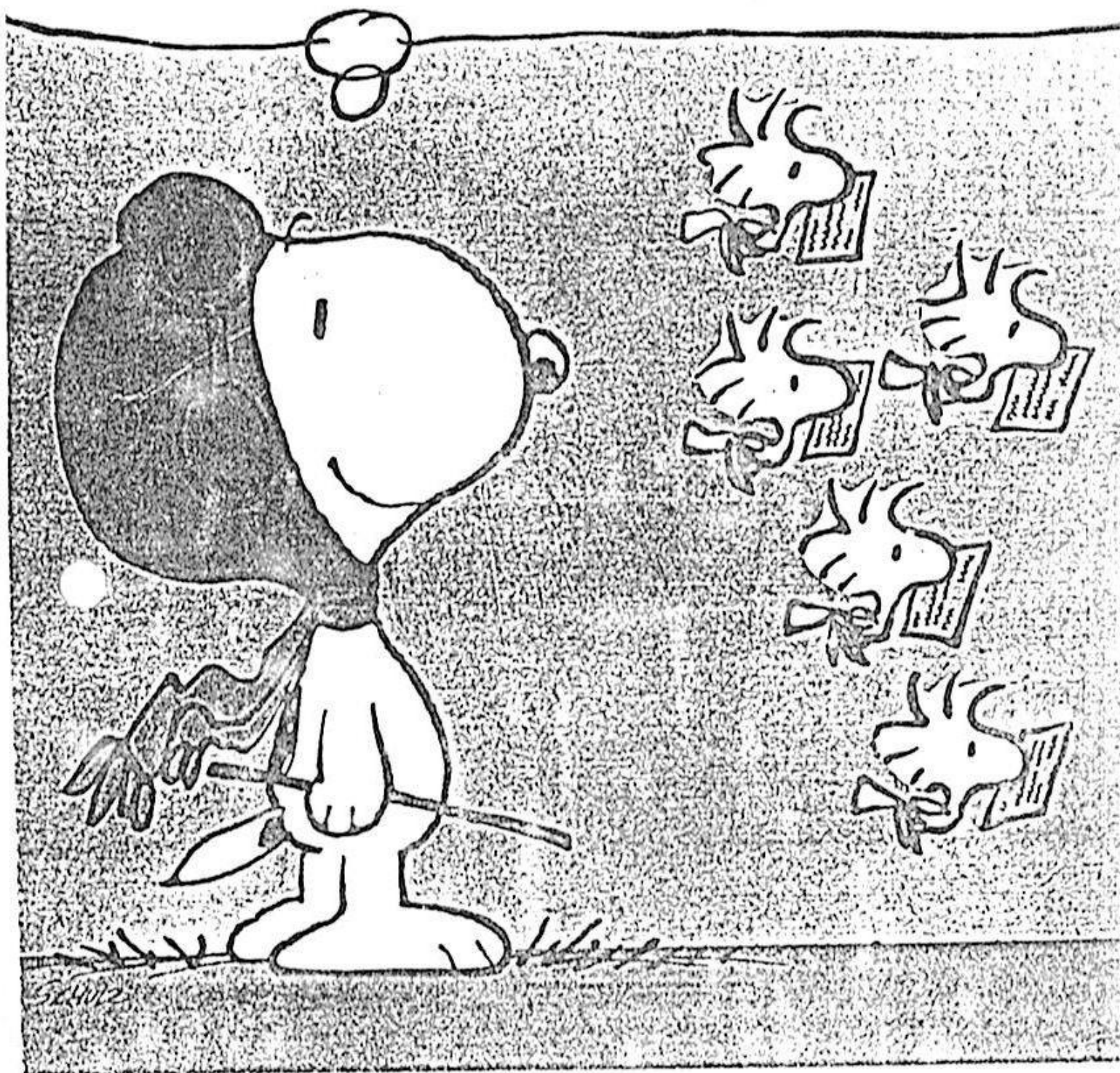
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