



Church care

Caring for St Stephen's Anglican Church at Motunui is a Honeyfield family tradition. The late Mr Henry Honeyfield began it and brothers Mr Bob Honeyfield (left) and Mr Barry Honeyfield are pictured doing their share. They are replacing rotting timbers on the roof of the church in a spruce-up for its 50th anniversary service and luncheon on Sunday. The brothers were born in a house near the church, which is used for monthly services. An early postmistress at Motunui, Mrs Emily Stockman, was the prime mover in raising funds to build the church and on Sunday several of her grandchildren will help with the planting of two cherry trees in the church grounds to commemorate the anniversary.

Neglect rap for Talboys

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Foreign Affairs Minister Mr Talboys was accused last night of neglecting his responsibilities under the Gleneagles Agreement.

Debating the 1977 estimates for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr W. W. Freer (Opp-Mt Albert) said the agreement was in line with Labour Party policy.

However, the Foreign Affairs Minister had forfeited his responsibilities on the sporting issue to the Recreation and Sport Minister by not approaching the All Blacks invited to play in South Africa.

Mr Freer said it would help New Zealand's case if the Minister could say he per-

sonally had pointed out to the people concerned the seriousness of the international situation.

Prime Minister Mr Muldoon replied that New Zealand's efforts at the Commonwealth Heads of Government meeting this year were totally successful. The heads accepted the policies the New Zealand Government was carrying out on the sporting issue.

Obligations accepted by New Zealand in the Gleneagles agreement had

been carried out to the letter, said Mr Muldoon.

He had received a letter from Canadian Prime Minister Mr Trudeau thanking Mr Muldoon for his cooperation at Gleneagles and commending him for the action he had taken.

Mr Muldoon declined a challenge from Mr J. L. Hunt (Opp-New Lynn) to table the letter saying that it was a personal letter from another Prime Minister.

The suggestion that Mr Talboys should have written to sporting bodies rather than the Minister of Sport and

YMCA aid

WELLINGTON, Today (NZPA) — New Zealand YMCA will help establish a YMCA in Western Samoa early next year.

Repaired

WELLINGTON, Today (NZPA) — The faulty No. 1 Cook Strait cable has been repaired and is again carrying electricity between the North Island and South Island.

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