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DEAR FELLOW-MEMBERS,

Auckland's turn again, and I expect this issue will be at least as good as their last. I again appeal to you to let us know what you are doing. Besides those who have given material to their local editors, two members supplied me with material which I sent to the editors of the districts concerned, but I'd like much more of it.

I had a happy time at Opito with Ham Parker and the Auckland University Archaeological Society, before proceeding to Waitara, about which you'll find something in this issue.

I hope you like the new cover. It is based on a rock drawing at Cordon's valley, Pareora.

R.J. SCARLETT,
 EDITOR-IN-CHIEF.

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P. 7.	line 26	for <u>thought</u>	read <u>throughout</u> .
P.11.	" 19	" <u>while</u>	" <u>by which</u> .
P.11.	" 26	" <u>northern</u>	" <u>southern</u> .
P.11.	" 29	" <u>high</u>	" <u>higher</u> .
P.12.	" 10	" <u>colating</u>	" <u>relating</u> .
P.12.	" 10	" <u>constructive</u>	" <u>construction</u> .
P.14.	" 10	" <u>lower</u>	" <u>larger</u> .
P.14.	" 20	" <u>one</u>	" <u>two</u>
P.14.	" 34	" <u>more</u>	" <u>none</u>
P.31.	" 24	" <u>5/1</u>	" <u>5 ft</u> .
P.32.	" 38	" <u>complete</u>	" <u>conflate</u> .
P.34.	" 7	" <u>part</u>	" <u>pit</u> .
P.39.	" 19	add: <u>longitudinally separated by</u> .	
P.40.	" 34	for <u>though</u>	read <u>the</u>
P.47.	" 23	" <u>first</u>	" <u>final</u> .

The production and distribution of the Newsletter from each regional centre has come as a relief to the Auckland group which previously had sole responsibility for this task. We hope now to be able to give more attention to our own issue.

An important item we hope members will make full use of is a selected Book List of archaeological works compiled by Robert Brown and Jack Golson.

In another gesture that well proves the close link of interest between the two bodies, the National Historic Places Trust has made a grant to the University of Auckland Archaeological Society to carry out salvage operations on one of Auckland's most important volcanic cone Pa sites. The Trust has already made grants for setting up our field recording scheme, for recording Waitaki gorge rock drawings and for archaeological work at Paremata. We must surely be grateful that there exists a body such as the Trust, able to give such support.

We welcome Mr. C.G.Hunt of Hamilton as a new contributor. Mr.Hunt, a jeweller, has wide interests in field botany and geology. He is also an active member of the Waikato Scientific Association and the Waikato Historic Society.

Though we are sure that having thirteen contributors in this issue is indicative of widespread interest among members, we must still harbour doubts as to whether all who are able to contribute are in fact doing so.

W.A.