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NEWS OF THE COLONY

Taranaki Swiss Club

Obituary

ROBERT STANLEY WRIGHT

BOB WRIGHT, who farmed for most of his life in the Manaia district before retiring to Hawera, died on 26th September at the age of 67 years.

Music was Bob's greatest interest and with members of his family he formed his own band which played at many Swiss evenings, where, his happy nature and wonderful music gained him many friends among the Swiss people.

His love of music was so great that even on the day before he passed away it is known that he played most of his old tapes and records. With the passing of this great musician we offer to his wife Pia and his family of four sons and two daughters, our deepest sympathy.

— L.K.

NOTICE FROM THE RIFLEMASTER

"Would any club who had a junior shooter (20 and under at the date of shooting) who shot over 71 points, please let me know so that the junior trophy can be awarded".

Pocket Tolerance Regulations

A machine tools factory at Bienne (Berne, Switzerland), has produced a small instrument which is meeting with tremendous success. The "Tolerator", as this ISO tolerance indicator is called, makes it possible to ascertain tolerance values for shafts and bores in accordance with the recommendations of the International Standards organisation. Specially designed for simplifying operations in workshops, technical offices, etc., the "Tolerator" gives a complete list of all ISO tolerances used in the world up to diameters of 500 mm. No larger than a cigar box and easily slipped into a pocket, the "Tolerator" supersedes all slide rules and tables; it contains over 6400 pairs of tolerance values and indicates at a glance the values required. The table, with instructions in several languages, is kept in a plastic case with a plexiglas lid, and is thus fully protected against dust. (SODT)