



THIS HOUSE at the back of the New Plymouth Police Station has been reduced to a heap of boards, as stage one of a plan to allow police access to the station from the rear when Powderham St becomes one-way.

# Police airport

## TO ALLOW POLICE ACCESS

force run by the British Airports Authority, said many of the approximately 400 officers at the airport would now carry revolvers as a daily routine.

He told a Press conference that arms would be issued freely in the event of any security threat, and the army would be called in if there was any possibility of being out-gunned.

His statement appeared to be part of government efforts to ensure that guerillas remain aware that Heathrow is a "hard" target, and that they would do better to look elsewhere.

Commander Payne revealed that the presence of troops and tanks at the airport sever-

A house is being demolished at the rear of the New Plymouth police station on Powderham St to give the police access on to Vivian St.

The Ministry of Works and Development's resident engineer in New Plymouth, Mr N. E. Moyes, said today most of the houses at the rear of the station were designated for Government purposes.

Over the years the Ministry had bought three properties as they came up for sale. They were marked for further Government development later.

# FOUR TARANAKI RIDERS IN TOUR

Taranaki's main hope in the Dulux six-day cycle race, Stratford's Trevor Foley (20), has been forced to withdraw with a broken wrist.

He was flipped off his lightweight racing cycle when it punctured just outside Palmerston North during the Tour of Manawatu last week.

The injury will keep him out of cycling for three weeks while the wrist mends.

Yesterday he described the injury as a "bitter disappointment" as he had trained particularly hard for this year's Dulux.

The fact that he had been riding most days of the week should help him to last the gruelling six days.

Entered in the B grade, Lyon said he hoped to do well in the section and pick up some other prizes along the way.

### PERFORMED WELL

Stratford's Tipler, who will celebrate his 20th birthday on the first day of the race, has also performed well this sea-

was first in the 112 mile West Coast North Island centre road championships.

Next week's race, which will be the 15th Dulux will again run straight through the province.

The longest stage, 110 miles, will start at Otorohanga and finish at New Plymouth on Wednesday. The next day the shortest stage will begin at New Plymouth and finish at Inglewood.