



FIGURE 7

Vegetation Plot 7, reverting grassland, Glory Block. **Above** Sue Scheele alongside the seaward peg in 1987. **Below** The same area in 1998, with flax having broken up the dense grass. This should open the way for forest trees.





FIGURE 8

Vegetation Plot 8, Glory Block swamp, 1998. The former forest cover has all but gone, but 18 years' absence of browsing has allowed a bounce-back. Tarahinau, keketererehe and flax are leading the recovery.





FIGURE 9

Vegetation Plot 9, peat dome, Waipaua Block. **Above** In 1993. **Below** In 1998, showing the masses of tarahinau seedlings that have grown up since cattle removal. Though this looks fine, pigs and sheep are preventing the regeneration of a full forest structure.

