

# Cattle Country Inspection



An inspection trip of the Mansfield Alpine grazing areas was held on February 8th and 9th. Thirty four people attended the two day trip and some of the party are pictured at left, walking back to their 4 wheel drive vehicles on Mt. Sterling after inspecting the eastern side of the mountain.

The party had come via No 3, Razorback and Clear Hills to Mt. Stirling and later travelled over the Bluff to Lovicks hut to camp the night. King Billy, Mt. Clear, Jamieson River and Sheepyard Flat were inspected next day before the party returned to Merrijig.



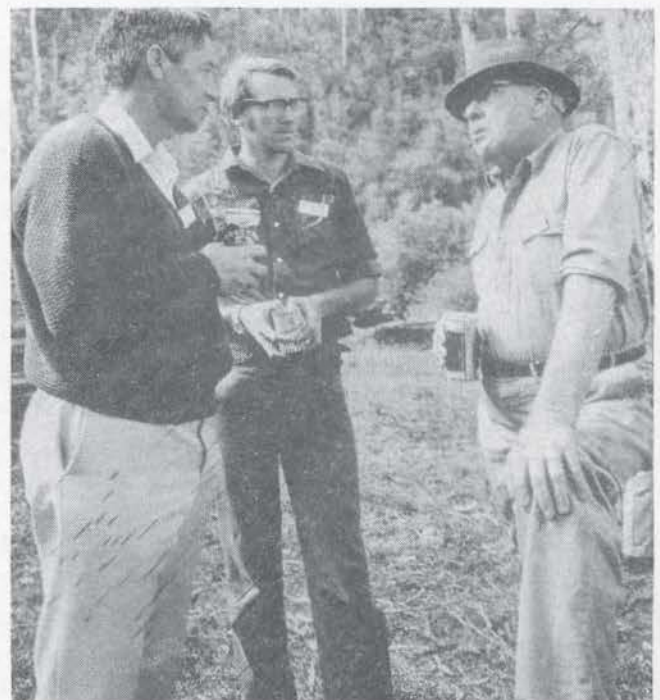
President of the Mansfield Shire (Cr Roy Bostock) discusses the days trip with President of the Mansfield Cattlemens Association Mr Jack Lovick, at Mr Lovick's Hut situated at Barkley's Camp, where the party spent the night.



Mr Ray Kelly (S.C.A. Benalla) relaxes and chats to Mr W. Officer (S.C.A. Melbourne) at Bindaree flat after an arduous trip over Mt. Sterling and Clear Hills in the 4 W. D. convoy.



Section of the party looking over a 2000' cliff on King Billy in the headwaters of the Howqua River.



Mr Colin Paul (S.C.A. Alexandra) left, chats with Mr Peter Lawson L.C.C. Melbourne and Mr Jim Gough from Mansfield at Bindaree Flat.