

Across

- 1 This acronym is used to refer to a person who has performed better than anyone else ever, particularly in a sport. (4)
- 3 The ______ zone encircles the middle of planet Earth from 23° North to 23° South (approximately). (8)
- 9 To have a marked positive effect on the mind or emotions of someone. (7)
- 10 The ____ horticultural supply company was founded in Auckland in 1883 by Arthur _ _ _ . (5)
- 11 Roll-on roll-off ferry the *Rangatira* made its final trip between Lyttelton and Wellington in 1976 but served as a troopship for this 1982 conflict. (9,3)

- 13 Filled with bewilderment or confusion. (6)
- 15 In March 1940, this brand of Y-fronts was launched in New Zealand. (6)
- 17 This suburb of Dunedin is located on the Otago Peninsula, situated on the edge of Otago Harbour. (9,3)
- 20 Discrimination on the basis of how old a person is. (5)
- 21 The miserly protagonist of "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens. (7)
- 22 A small usually ornamental model of a person. (8)
- 23 The width of a cut or width of a material that is removed by a cutting or sawing process. (4)

Down

1 This Australian university in South East Queensland was established in 1971

- and currently has five campuses. (8)
- **2** To fill (a person) with horror, shock, disgust or revulsion. (5)
- 4 This NZ paint and building materials manufacturer and retailer was founded in 1951 in Wellington by Ted Nightingale. (6)
- 5 Commonly known by its acronym, this form of income tax was introduced in New Zealand in 1958. (3,2,3,4)
- 6 A narrow platform extending from the stage out into the auditorium, especially as used by models in a fashion show. (7)
- 7 A girl or young woman, particularly in Scotland and Northern England. (4)
- 8 This small long-tailed bird was introduced to NZ between 1865 and 1879, the male of the species having a bright yellow head and

- underparts. (12)
- 14 In NZ parliamentary practice, the second stage a bill must pass through is the "first _ _ ". (7)
- 16 This US inventor (1847 - 1931) was instrumental in introducing the age of electricity and, singly or jointly, held a world-record 1,093 patents. (6)
- 18 American singer, actress and author Debby ____ is best known for her 1977 hit "You Light Up My Life". (5)
- 19 Anything found and not claimed, the owner being unknown. (4)