

I *t Was A Crime!!!*

Samantha Miles reports from the "Not So Young Lawyers' Ball"

Various Darwin lawyers escaped with a bootful of loot after attending a sensational evening of great wine, luscious food and song at the "Not So Young Lawyers" Annual Ball.

Presiding at the Black Tie affair were the Young lawyers Association's patron, the Hon Mr Justice Angel and Mr Wallace SM.

David Hardy was fortunate to be sentenced to a return trip for two to Brisbane compliments of Ansett Airlines, while

Scenes of the Crime



Mr Justice Angel sentences Paula Meegan to a holiday in Bali while Angela Smith acts as haliff.

Trollope, Sue Porter and Samantha Miles.

Erin Padarin, Duncan McConnell and Angie Smith were acquitted of crimes against humanity arising out of their appearances in various television commercials after they were commended on their efforts in implementing the Hilmer report on competition practices in the profession.

The public Gallery was packed with a crowd of 120 well



Sue Porter (NTYL President) with Anne Murray and John Hamilton Smith representing sponsors Ansett, were at the scene of the crime



Karen Christopher and fiance Peter Ball, Samantha Miles and husband Tony Pearce were part of the public gallery

Paula Meegan received the maximum sentence of a holiday in Bali, courtesy of *jalan jalan* for attending. Numerous summary offenders were dealt with on the evening, receiving penalties such as a mobile phone, a weekend at the *Darwin Plaza*, dinner at the *Boardroom*, beauty therapy at *Cullen Bay Day Spa*, lunch at

Cafe Capri, sunset sailing and *Darwin 5 Cinema* movie passes.

Among those patrons released without conviction despite charges of disturbing the peace for their performances in the karaoke competition were Barbara Tiffin, Duncan McConnell, Jenny Blokland, Sue

wishers who were released in the wee hours of the morning to face the worst punishment of all, the mandatory sentence of a full 12 months before another sensational Young Lawyers' Ball.