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CES POOL

January's Las Vegas Consumer Electronics Show was held in January in Las Vegas. Unfortunately, there wasn't a great deal happening, which is why we're spinning out this incredibly long-winded and uninformative first paragraph. There, that should do it. Now, about the show.

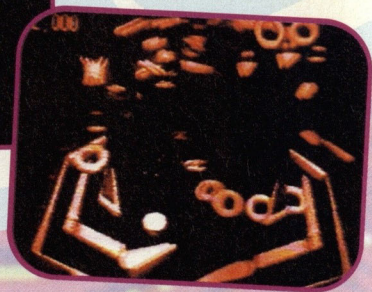
Those who went there hoping to see loads of cool Super NES titles were sorely disappointed, for when they got there, the cupboard was bare. Everyone is waiting for the Ultra 64 but, despite the ever growing list of developers, nothing that contained both 64 bits and the Nintendo logo was to be seen. The Virtual Boy made another appearance and one of only two third party developers signed up for it is THQ, which is obviously excited at the prospect of presenting its platform games in red and black.



The original Mario Bros. returns, with 3D backgrounds!



Telero Boxer is the most promising title yet.



NINTENDO RELEASE AHOY!



Following the CES, Nintendo Australia has put together a release schedule which should bring a few smiles to the faces of game-starved players across Australia. At the top of the list is the long, long awaited **Super International Cricket** from Beam Software, which will be released (finally!) this month. We can't wait, and we know you can't

either so we'll try and organise a review or something for next month. **Starwing 2** is due out in June or July, but at the time of writing this we still couldn't find any solid info on it other than that it is expected to be a two player simultaneous blaster with a 360° play field and will incorporate the faster FX II chip.



RPG fans look alive, for *Illusion Of Gaia*, reviewed in January, will be released mid year retitled as **Illusion Of Time**. Also on the way to the Super NES is **Super Pinball** (which should be out now) and **Uniracers** (retitled



Unirally and expected mid year). The threat of (more) harassment from Mary obviously got someone at Nintendo worried!



On the Game Boy front look out for **Donkey Kong Land**, **Megaman** and **Double Dragon** in March, with **Kirby's Dreamland 2** and **Mario's PicCross** (sort of like Battleship) to follow later in the year. Oh, we almost forgot to tell you that a version of **Donkey Kong**