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# INGLEWOOD

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## P G NOPS RESERVE

AT a recent hearing by the Community Services Committee of the New Plymouth District Council ten people including Barry Young representing the Inglewood Development Committee, made objections to the lifting of Reserve Status on the piece of land known as the P G Nops Reserve.

This area at the southern entrance to the town, is little known and at a casual inspection seems very small. The true extent of the reserve is hidden by fallen trees blocking the path. In fact the reserve stretches along the stream almost back to Totara Terrace, and includes two houses.

The land and property was bequeathed by the late Percy Nops to the people of Inglewood and was offered as a reserve in 1955. Within the reserve there are some mature native trees and bush, and birdlife is attracted to the area. If reserve status was

lifted this area could be lost to the Inglewood residents.

If the reserve is retained it is possible that it could, with a relatively small amount of work, be made more accessible to the public and be a positive feature within the town. Other plans under consideration would see the reserve linked with the nearby Joe Gibbs Reserve to form the start of a walkway that could be developed for residents and visitors to enjoy.

After hearing objections the committee decided to recommend to the New Plymouth District Council that the houses be sold for removal and the reserve status on the land be retained; any money from the sales should be redirected back into the reserve. If this recommendation is accepted by the Council then the reserve will be available for future generations.

## HANDICRAFT SHOW

Once again the Local Handcrafts Inc. of Taranaki will be hosting a show of it's members work at the Old Folks Assn. Hall in Moa Street, on Sunday 21st June. There will be plenty to see and admire and to pick up ideas to make or buy for that coming birthday, special event or just because you

like it. All goods will be reasonably priced for todays purse strings.

Onshow will be, soft toys, wooden toys, knitting, new hand-made clothing, jewellery, stones and bones, etc. - in all about twenty stalls. Tea and coffee will be on sale all day, courtesy of the Old Folks Association.

## LIBRARY NEWS

THE transfer of books up to the Wrightsons building went smoothly and, thank goodness, the weather was kind to us. We, the staff, are nicely settled in, despite the trials and tribulations of a woodburning fire. we are receiving lots of positive comments from our customers about our new location.

## GARDENING

with Jenny Gower

DEFINITION : APHID Insect pest that *inphests* gardens and makes gardeners *phoam* at the mouth, stamp their *pheet*, and utter *phour* letter words.

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