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## Newton Aycliffe's 25th Anniversary Service



Representatives of the town's churches photographed on the occasion of the 25th Anniversary Civic Thanksgiving Service held last Sunday. Photo: Sonny Steele

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# A Night to Remember

## 25th Dinner Dance Super Success

Newton Aycliffe Round Table's celebration of the town's 25th Anniversary was enjoyed by 200 people at the Club Hall this Wednesday.

The guests welcomed by Round Table Chairman, Syd Howarth included R.D.C. chairman Mrs Burlinson, Parish Council chairman Mrs Frise, Mayor designate for the new Town Council Mrs Dormer, Mr Dennis Stevenson, Chairman A.D.C., Mr Peter Nattress, President, Chamber of Trade.

Mr John Hobbs, Director of the N.E.D.C., principal guest addressed the gathering in the slick and amusing manner he was noted for when in Television.

Father Anderson, also celebrating 25 years as a priest, commenced the proceedings by saying grace before the meal.

### MODERNISATION

A well prepared 7 course dinner was served with the minimum of fuss by outside

caterers, Darlington Masonic, who managed very well indeed in the short time they had to prepare the room which was being completed by workmen busy adding the finishing touches to the £30,000 modernisation of the hall.

In his address, Syd Howarth thanked the Club officials for their efforts in getting the hall ready for the Anniversary Dinner Dance.

He made reference to the work of the brave pioneers who helped establish Newton Aycliffe and also mentioned the exciting future in store for those who will be here for the next 25 years.

Mr John Farquhar, Clerk to the Parish Council, proposed the Loyal Toast and Councillor Don Perry, who was the first resident of Newton Aycliffe, proposed the toast to the

future.

The Round Table had the whole evening well organised and proved that such a function can be presented in the town, without a super hotel with restaurant and ballroom. Thanks of course to the 'Big Club's' management for the availability of their magnificent concert hall.

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## NEWS FLASH

An exclusive despatch from the North Pole correspondent of the Newton Press, arrived during Wednesday's snow storm. This confirmed that Santa Claus will make his usual visit to Newton Aycliffe on Christmas Eve. Every child in the town will have the chance to see Santa when he tours the town. Full details of his programme will be given later.

## Aycliffe to play Major Role

Thirty four year old Tony Cooper has joined Aycliffe Development Corporation as Principal Industrial Officer. Mr Cooper has a degree in Estates Management and it will be his task to develop and manage the town's industrial estate, with the aim of expanding the job opportunities for Aycliffe and the whole of the local region. Until his new appointment, Mr Cooper was Industrial Officer with Durham County Council's Planning Department. He worked with London County Council and the London Borough of Islington before travelling North in 1968.

"There are great prospects for industrial development in this region, and Aycliffe is well placed to play a major role" he said. "I am looking forward to the challenging days ahead."

Mr Cooper is married and has two children.

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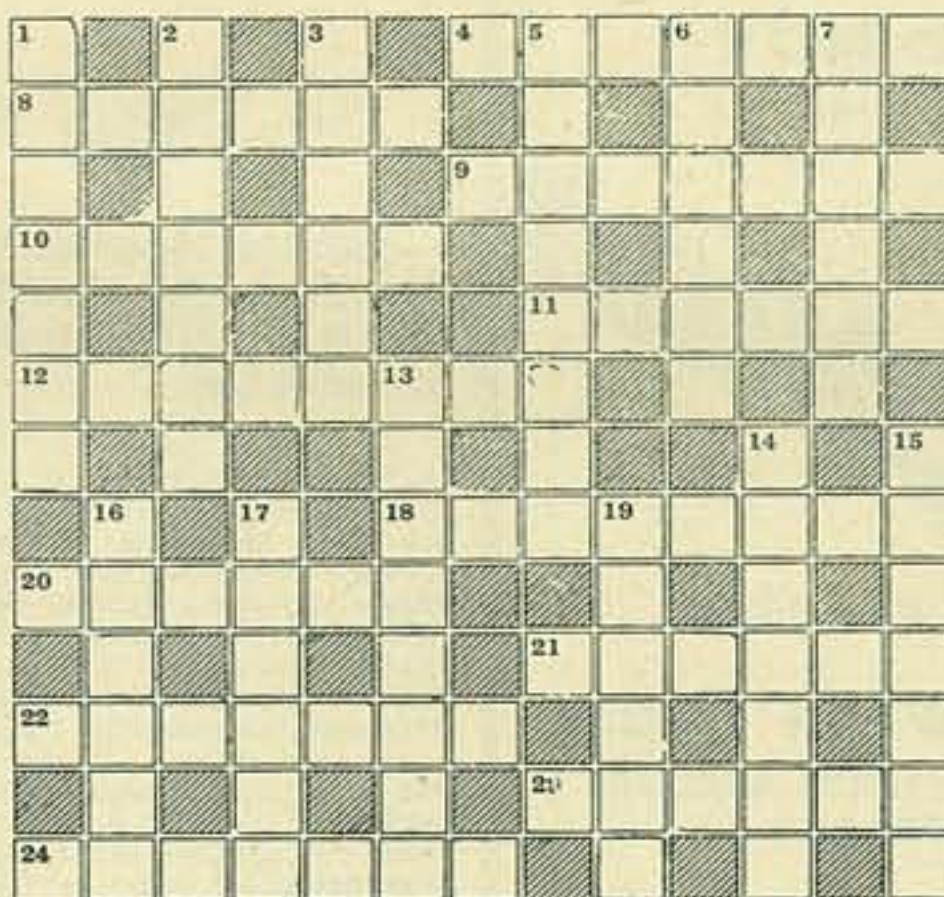
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#### Clues Across

- 4 Out and completely puzzled (7)
- 8 Crackers over soup (6)
- 9 Gathered the mead was spilt round the fool (7)
- 10 Sometimes with intent (6)
- 11 No meeting—just talk (6)
- 12 Well I don't know him anyway (8)
- 18 Cast out and catch great eel all twisted (8)
- 20 Decided average content return could be dodged (6)
- 21 Cave to find a bird in (6)
- 22 No ref in this place! (7)
- 23 Starry luminosity (6)
- 24 Arrangement of threads, something to read by the river (7)

#### Clues Down

- 1 Young Albert, caught in exposition, kept the ship in trim (7)
- 2 In simulation she would weep for her tiny frozen hand! (7)
- 3 It's smaller without the Navy, but the same sort of place (6)
- 5 Secular pearl Tom disturbed (8)
- 6 Accident occurring in the M1 Shap & M6 area (6)
- 7 Ideal level of how wealth should be spread? (6)
- 13 Growing chap proving greed ran all over (8)
- 14 Must carry can oddly enough into the study (7)
- 15 & 16 Unravel tenace, but you can't play cards in the town here (7,6)
- 16 See 15
- 17 Seen on ITV in bad vertical hold! (6)
- 19 End I've been jealous of (6)

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Last week UMM Social Club presented a cheque for £650 to Newton Aycliffe Club for the Disabled.

At a special ceremony, Mr Asbeck, managing director of UMM handed over the cheque to the president Mrs Vickers.

"I was amazed at the size of the amount and so delighted," said Mrs Vickers. The money is to go into a fund to provide a special bus to transport physically handicapped persons to club meetings and on outings.

The Social Club raised the money by various functions, and according to Mr Asbeck U.M.M. showed great enthusiasm for the project.

Mrs Vickers asks Newton Press to convey her thanks, and those of the committee and members for the kindness and generosity of UMM employees.

The fund stands at almost £1,200, but there is still a long way to go to £3,000, but if other groups responded as well as U.M.M., the physically handicapped would get their bus very quickly.





## This is disgusting!

This is the sight that faced Mr. G. Horsley of 32 Westmorland Way when he set off to work one morning some six weeks ago.

Despite two complaints lodged with the local authorities, our picture emphasises the fact that nothing has been done or attempted, to remove this defacement of Mr. Horsley's back wall. Councillor G. Robson is looking into the matter.

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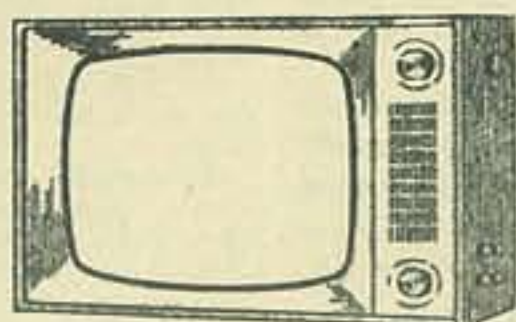
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The first step towards getting more mileage per gallon is gentle driving: Accelerate gently, braking gently and keep the car purring along steadily. Make the greatest use of top gear and always, except on a gradient, start off in second. If your car is an automatic keep it in 'drive' while on the move except when travelling down a steep hill when either first or second position may be selected.

One of the main reasons for heavy fuel consumption is an incorrect mixture which causes inefficient combustion. It is therefore most important to see that the carburettor is adjusted correctly and that there are no air leaks in the intake system. Contrary to popular belief the carburettor accelerator pump linkage should be retained in the summer position even in the coldest weather.

A more drastic method of getting more miles per gallon is by fitting smaller jets or jet needles to the carburettor. Information about this may be found in the car's handbook or from a garage specialising in the make of car.

It is also advisable to keep the under bonnet temperature as high as possible. This can be done by fitting a radiator blind or blanketing off part of the radiator — silver foil is ideal for the job but first make sure that the correct thermostat is fitted and that it is working properly. It is also imperative to keep an eye on the temperature gauge to see that it does not rise to danger point if the weather turns warmer.

When starting engines from cold, the choke should be pushed in completely at the earliest possible moment, and the idle running time reduced to a minimum. With some cars it is possible and advantageous to disconnect the fan.

Motorists whose engines have seen above average use might have to go to greater lengths to get economy. The usual procedure for obtaining better efficiency is to have the valves resealed, the valve clearances corrected, the contact breaker and plugs cleaned and adjusted and the ignition timing re-adjusted. It is also important that the air filter is absolutely clean and that the exhaust heat control valve, if fitted, is functioning properly.

Final word from the RAC—Check that the brakes are efficient and not binding on and that the wheels are correctly aligned and the tyres at the correct pressures.

## CLINIC SHOP

### TO CLOSE

Mrs Thomas (pictured right) is to close the Dalton Way Clinic shop due to lack of sales.

After 20 years in voluntary service running this shop, Mrs Thomas is sorry but she finds the 5 hours spent there each day is virtually wasted.

I feel sure readers will join in our sincere thanks to Mrs Thomas for her years of service.







## Look-out for Senior Citizens

John Tully, County Road Safety Officer announced that during the last 18 months, 188 pedestrians over the age of 60 had been injured or killed on the roads of Durham. He went on to say that these horrifying figures underline the need for the driver to make allowances for the elderly pedestrian. Because they are old they may be less alert, less able to anticipate or respond to a dangerous situation.

Absentmindedness often leads to attempts to cross the road without looking. Many motorists forget the inability of the elderly to assess the speed of oncoming vehicles, this is often brought about by weakening eyesight, impaired hearing or the failure to judge the speed of vehicles correctly.

Mr Tully urged motorists to give the elderly more room to move.

He stressed the need for elderly pedestrians to use zebra crossings wherever possible, cross roads at right angles to the kerb and away from parked vehicles and remember to give vehicles time to stop.

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He added that 62 of these casualties had occurred at night and that all pedestrians whatever their ages should remember to wear or carry something white at night. This makes them more easily seen by the vehicle driver.

Steering committee members of the Acorn Club with guest speaker Mr Don Perry (right) at the Dinner Dance held at the Eden Arms Hotel on 9th November.

In his welcome to the guests, Chairman Syd Howarth told how the Dinner Dance coincided with the 25th Anniversary date of the occupancy of the first house to be built in Newton Aycliffe by Mr and Mrs Perry. Photo: Roberts

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## Alarms for OAP's due shortly

On 19th November, the Carnival Committee held a meeting in the Over 60's Club to which had been invited representative members of the various organisations concerned with the welfare of the Senior Citizens of Newton Aycliffe.

The meeting was chaired by Mr George Shotton, secretary of the Carnival Committee who introduced Mr Village, their Treasurer, to make the announcement that as a result of their 1973 Carnival effort, a sum of £432 was now available for the purchase of the personal alarm systems for Senior Citizens for which the proceeds of the Carnival was the objective.

After discussion of various ways and means of handling this important undertaking, the committee left it to the members of the seven organisations present to form a working committee to organise a sympathetic distribution of these important safeguards that have proved their worth countrywide.

The committee elected as Chairman Mr W. Corrighan, Secretary Mr R. Hindmarsh, Members: Messrs. D. Kerry, G. Usher, R. Hellem, R. Charlwood, Mesdames E. Pedelty, and D. V. Hill. When possible a further announcement will be made to report progress on the actual availability of the units.

A very big thank you should be voiced to Mr Shotton and all his valiant workers for a wonderful effort and on behalf of all the Senior Citizens of town, I say "Thank you!"  
W. Corrighan, Chairman  
Old Peoples Welfare Com.

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The Newton Aycliffe Grenadiers wish to offer their voluntary services to any deserving person or persons requiring assistance in any of the following projects: Shopping or assisting with shopping, for senior citizens or disabled, delivering Xmas cards on the town, snow clearing etc.

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Beneath the delightful decor of snow scenes enjoyed with indoor warmth, you'll find a host of ideas to solve your Christmas present problems. Cakes, crab apple jelly, confectionery, pickles, sewing, embroidery, crafts, plants, Christmas decorations and gifts—you name it—you'll find it at the Snow Fair. It is not on one of the traditional stalls

then try Steptoe's old junk corner—just the place to find a present for your mother-in-law or for your boss at the office.

When you've done the rounds and got your gifts from Santa, you'll be able to take a break with hot dogs, crisps and pop—or if you prefer it, treat yourself and your family to a sit down tea. Why fight your way in Darlington when you can get all this, here in Newton Aycliffe!

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## How to avoid skidding

Mr John Tully, the County Road Safety Officer announced that the sudden snap of cold weather has caught many motorists out. He said that research showed that 49% of accidents occurring in snow and ice involved skidding.

Many motorists blamed skids for accidents. Mr Tully said "This is just an excuse. A driver of a skidding vehicle has made a mistake and may pay for it with his life." His advice to avoid skidding is as follows:—

1 Use more care and less speed. Aim for gradual acceleration, smooth steering and careful braking.

2 Drive at low speeds. If you must use your brakes, a series of gentle applications is best. Allow yourself and others at least double the normal braking distance.

3 On negotiating bends reduce speed in good time—if you must brake—brake on the straight.

4 Before starting, clear all frost or snow from the windscreen and windows.



As part of the 21st Anniversary series of concerts, the Newton Aycliffe Music Soc. is presenting a full scale orchestral concert for its next event on Friday November 30th. The orchestra is to be the Durham Sinfonia which is rapidly establishing for itself an ever widening reputation.

The Durham Sinfonia is comprised of the best available players in the region. The orchestra is conducted by Brian Primmer who is a member of the music staff of Durham University. A number of players have played professionally, many are lecturers and teachers, the leader Derek Downes is head of music at St. Hilda's College, Durham. Originally the orchestra came together to support the Durham University Choral Society in large scale choral works, but as a result it was decided that the orchestra had much to contribute to the music making in the region, and so a number of concerts have been given. So far all these concerts have been in Durham, but as a result of Northern Arts support, a series of concerts are to be given outside of the City, and the concert for the Newton Aycliffe Soc. is the first.

### FINGAL'S CAVE

Recently the Sinfonia performed the Beethoven Violin Concerto with the distinguished international soloist Ralph Holmes. At the concert to be given in the Ave. Comp. School, the orchestra will perform Mendelssohn's overture 'Fingal's Cave' a work by Correlli, Beethoven 2nd Symphony and Hummel's Trumpet Concerto. The latter which is now a serious rival to the Haydn Trumpet Concerto will be performed by Vincent Smith. Mr Smith was trained at the Royal Academy of Music, is a Graduate of the Royal Schools of Music and has played with a number of orchestras including the English Chamber Orchestra. However at the conclusion of his training which was broken by three years service in the band of the Scots Guards, he decided to teach, and is now Senior Lecturer in Music at Middleton St. George College of Education.

The concert commences at 7.30 pm and tickets are 50p (25p Senior Citizens, students and children) can be purchased from the Central Library or Mrs Swift, 12 Aylmer Grove

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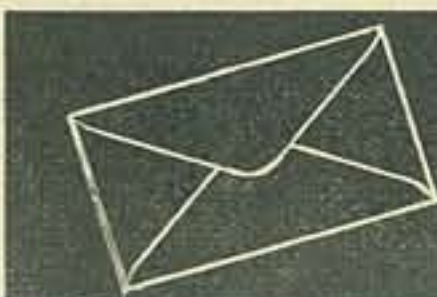
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## LETTERS

### Poor support for Anniversary Service

Newton Aycliffe Council of Churches had the Parish Church all set to receive 400 people to join in a Thanksgiving Service for the 25th Anniversary of Newton Aycliffe.

Special invitations were sent out to all those who it was thought should attend and replies indicated St. Clare's Church would be full.

Special arrangements were made to reserve seats and each church in the town shared the 40-50 seats remaining.

Refreshments were organised for after the service with volunteer help, extra crockery and special arrangements.

But—what a disappointment only half of those who said they were coming turned up.

The atmosphere of the 'big occasion' was almost lost, but for the strong singing of those present inspired by the stirring accompaniment of the town's Brass Band.

Where were the rest of the congregation? The ADC, Councils were represented by only a few and the towns organisations conspicuously absent.

The annoying fact is 'that the Church could have been filled if true attendances were known in advance.

By restricting attendances to an invited congregation the organisers may have learnt a lesson.

The service itself was good with a stirring sermon from Rev. Lincoln Minshall. His text taken from the Epistle to the Hebrews hinged round the message of the deep need of community in a new town.

Observing the size of the congregation, those words struck home very true.

### THIS COULD HAVE BEEN YOUR CHILD

Dear Sir,

I feel that I must write and back up the truth of Mr Roberts letter, published last issue

This morning I saw a child almost run over on the "Killer Road" but for the fact that the driver, seeing children, kept his speed down and was able to stop, that child could have been seriously hurt or even killed and then 5 minutes later a small dog ran into the road and was killed.

It could have been that little boy or even my little boy.

Come on you mothers whose children use this road to and from school. The schools try as we do to make our children see the danger, but kids forget, lets make the Durham County Council understand, it isn't their kids in danger—it's yours and mine.

Mrs K. Huck  
31 Garburn Place

## Social Security

If you do not receive your Giro payment in Saturday's post, from Social Security and face the weekend with no money, you are advised to contact any of the following organisations:—

Police, Social Services, N.S.P.C.C., Samaritans or Probation Service.

They have an emergency number and can contact an officer of the Social Security Department who can make an emergency payment.

It must be emphasised that this procedure be adopted only in the case of emergency as the officials concerned operate this service on a volun-

### MANAGER ROBBIE BECOMES DIRECTOR

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Fur Coat, Musquash or Surgill Box No. EN6 Newton Press  
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## PUBLIC NOTICES

Coffee Evening will be held on Wednesday 5th December at 7 p.m. in the Horndale House Hostel, Raffle, bingo, bring & buy etc. Admission free  
Will the person who phoned Aycliffe 2967 (living in Stead Close?) about medals please contact address host.  
Free Service, pen pals, any age, sex, no fees, send particulars to Happy Circle c/o 20 Bruce Road, enclosing a SAE  
Christmas Fayre, Ave. Comp. School, Thursday 6th Dec. at 7 p.m. If you wish to help in anyway contact Mr Metcalfe

## FOR SALE

Jig Saw puzzles, perfect cond 39 Silkin Way

Wedding dress size 12 mandarin collar in chiffon, headress £15 72 Shafto Way after 7 pm  
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Greenhouse fan heater 3 kw accurate rod thermostat unused, cost £20 accept £10 7 St. Oswalds Walk

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## THANKYOU

Mrs Morland and family would like to thank relatives, friends and neighbours for letters and cards of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement.  
Mr & Mrs W. Joyce of 180 Blackton Close thank sincerely, Dr Jones and all the doctors and nurses for their help and consideration during their recent sad bereavement.  
Mrs Dobson and Malcolm of 76 Winterburn Place, wish to thank all the people who so kindly sponsored Malcolm in his swim for the Monarchs Jazz Band. He collected £46.  
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