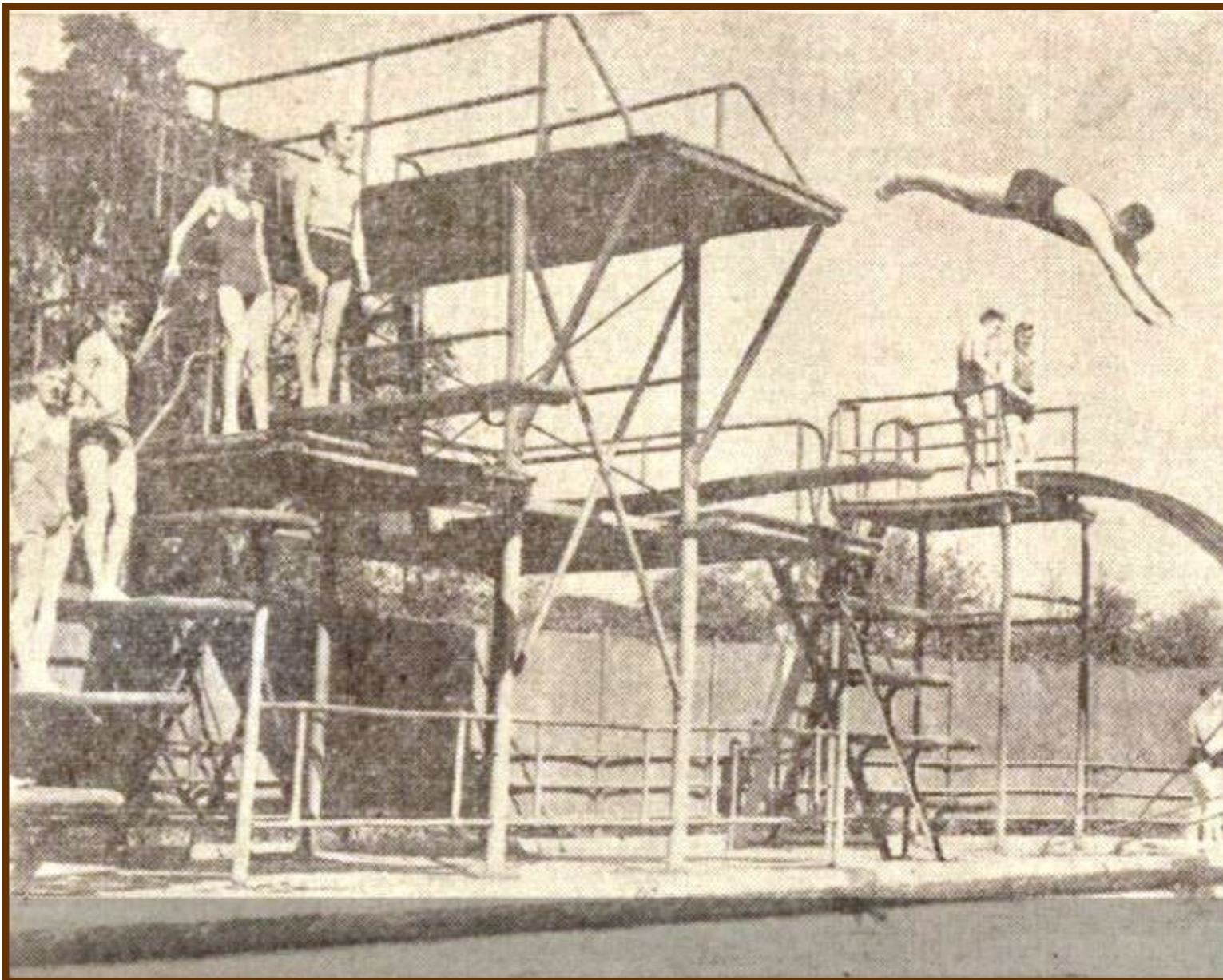


# TRENTHAM 1939 - Park and Gardens - Business as Usual



*CHILDREN'S JOY DAY*

Alderman H. Leese, the Lady Mayoress of Stoke-on-Trent (Mrs. John Barker), the Lord Mayor (Alderman J. Barker) and Mrs. H. Leese with some of the happy party of children at the Stoke-on-Trent Section of the Pearson's Fresh Air Fund children's outing to **Trentham** Gardens. About 300 children were entertained.



**Trentham Gardens**  
(Situated on the main Manchester to London Road  
3 miles from Stoke-on-Trent)

**SWIMMING POOL**

**OPEN DAILY**  
(SUNDAYS INCLUDED)  
from  
**Thurs., May 25**

Latest Filtration and Purification Plants. Water supplied by the famous Springs in Spring Valley. Maintained at a comfortable temperature at about 70 degrees.

● Sun Bathing on Pool grounds.

● Ideally situated ● Attractive ● Free Car ● Miniature Railway alongside **Trentham** Roof Garden Park for passes entrance to Lake. Cafe. 400 cars. Pool.

**At **Trentham** and Alton**

No fewer than 63,000 people visited **Trentham** Gardens and Alton Towers on Whit Sunday and Monday. Fourteen thousand were at **Trentham** Gardens on Sunday, and yesterday all records were beaten with an attendance passing the huge figure of 24,000. More than 12,000 passed through the gates at Alton Towers on Sunday, and yesterday the figure was 13,000.

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Monday's enjoyment was haunted by a feeling of apprehension. How much longer should I be able to enjoy this beauty that has taken centuries to evolve? If the power station goes up, only two or three years, at the most, we are told. In that case, Whit Monday, 1939, will be my last visit. I could not bear to see all this loveliness slowly dying, and I will try to be content with the memory.—Yours truly,  
A.M.H.

*BY THE WATERFALL*

SCHOOLCHILDREN by the waterfall in **Trentham** Park. This popular venue for the kiddies has attracted record numbers this Whitsuntide.

Big Easter crowds were recorded in Trentham Gardens yesterday, where no fewer than 12,000 were gathered. The motor boat was out all day and the kiddies had a great time in the playground while their parents strolled through the gardens and enjoyed the daffodils. **9 April 1939**