



**Subject list - NAVY**

**Extracts from National Archives Film & Video Lists of Viewing Copies:**  
(films produced by N.Z. National Film Unit)

**NEW ZEALAND BUILDS SHIPS FOR WAR SERVICE** (1941)

B&W 4 mins. 35mm 350 ft.

NEW ZEALAND BUILDS SHIPS FOR WAR SERVICE

The Hon. D.G. Sullivan, Minister of Supply, speaks of new developments. 152 ft.

H.M.S. "HINAU" FIRST NEW ZEALAND BUILT MINESWEEPER 144 ft.

NFU Picture No. 5

Film Censor's Certificate No. U5914 (3 September 1941)

Viewing copies: 16mm film- **W3471/16BW504**

**H.M.S. LEANDER** (1941)

B&W 3 mins. 35mm 270 ft.

H.M.S. LEANDER

New Zealand Cruiser visits a Home Port.

NFU Picture No. 18

Film Censor's Certificate No. U6448 (21 November 1941)

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 540**  
35mm film- **W3471/W20**

**H.M.S. "LEANDER" IN THE MIDDLE EAST** (1941)

B&W 3½ mins. 35mm 340 ft.

NFU Picture No. 4

Film Censor's Certificate No. U5888 (27 August 1941)

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 538**  
35mm film- **W3471/U7**

VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 30**

**MEN OF THE MINESWEEPERS** (1942)

**WIRE CRASHING; etc.** (1942)

B&W 3½ mins. 35mm 330 ft.

Army.... WIRE CRASHING 73 ft.

Navy.... **H.M.N.Z.S. TAMAKI** 233 ft.

NFU Picture No. 73

Film Censor's Certificate No. U7768 (10 August 1942)

Weekly Release No. 51

Release Date: 21.8.42

Viewing copies: 35mm film- **200,381**  
VHS Video- **R.V. 665**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 72**

**COAST PATROL; etc.** (1942)

B&W 3½ mins. 35mm 320 ft.  
Army.... COAST PATROL 94 ft.  
Navy.... **H.M.N.Z.S. AROHA** **93 ft.**  
Off Duty.... SOLDIERS ON SKATES 109 ft.  
NFU Picture No. 82  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U7969 (23 September 1942)  
Weekly Release No. 57  
Release Date: 2.10.42  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 531**  
35mm film- **200,208**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 34**

**PACIFIC CRUISE** (1951)

B&W 18 mins. 35mm 1,637 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U24178 (16 July 1951)  
NFU Film Information Sheet No. 26  
Cat. Refs. 1951-S p.7; 1956 p.42; 1957 p.52; 1958 p.52; 1962 p.68.  
B&W 18 mins. 35mm 1,637 ft.  
The story of a Royal New Zealand Navy ship's cruise among New Zealand's Island Territories in the Pacific. Native sports and dances, the administration services, and the present day life of the Islands' people.  
Viewing copies: 35mm film- **R.1 200,311**  
35mm film- **R.2 200,312**  
VHS Video- **R.V. 658**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 69**

**NAVY MINERS** (1951)

B&W 3 mins. 35mm 283 ft.  
Cat. Refs. 1951-S p.8; 1956 p.48; 1957 p.58; 1958 p.58; 1962 p.75.  
B&W 3 mins. 35mm 283 ft.  
Men of the Royal New Zealand Navy maintain essential supplies of coal during an emergency.  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 792**  
35mm film- **200,074**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 177**

**THE NAVY AND THE ROYAL TOUR** (1954)

B&W 19 mins. 35mm 1,749 ft.  
NFU Film Information Sheet No. 97  
Cat. Refs. 1956 p.37; 1957 p.47; 1958 p.48; 1962 p.63.  
B&W 19 mins. 35mm 1,749 ft.  
Her Majesty's New Zealand Ship Black prince meets Gothic in mid-Pacific, taking over escort duty in the Royal Tour of New Zealand, 1953-54. The naval occasions throughout the Tour are fully covered, and finally Black Prince is shown departing from escort duty as Gothic enters the Australian Naval Station.  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 86**  
16mm film- **W3471/16BW228**

**ENDEAVOUR** (1959)

B&W 11 mins. 16mm 405 ft.  
NFU Film Information Sheet No. 146  
Cat. Refs. 1962 p.73; 1967-68 p.37; 1973 p.25; 1977 p.17.  
B&W 11 mins. 16mm 405 ft.  
H.M.N.Z.S. Endeavour takes the New Zealand party for the British Trans-Antarctic Expedition to the Antarctic. Members of the party carry out oceanographic research, land equipment on the ice, help build Scott Base and restore Scott's and Shackleton's huts before the Endeavour brings Sir Vivian Fuchs, Sir Edmund Hillary and other expedition members back to New Zealand.  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 47**  
16mm film- **W3471/16BW79**

**"ENDEAVOUR" IN THE ISLANDS** (1960)

Cat. Refs. 1962 p.81, 87; 1967-68 p.37.

Colour 21 mins. 35mm 1,942 ft.

H.M.N.Z.S. "Endeavour", New Zealand's Antarctic supply ship, visits Raoul Island and Fiji in the course of a tropical working cruise. In the Tokelau Islands she aids a World Health Organisation mosquito research project and takes special supplies to the Northern Cook group before returning to New Zealand by way of Rarotonga and Great Barrier Island.

**A SHIP SAILS HOME** (1962)

Cat. Refs. 1965-S p.10; 1967-68 p.29.

Colour 17 mins. 35mm 1,570 ft.

The maiden voyage of the HMNZS "OTAGO", the first ship built for the Royal New Zealand Navy. Manned by a New Zealand crew, the "Otago" goes to sea for trials, refuelling exercises and mock battles. On the voyage home to New Zealand, the new frigate calls at Mediterranean ports, at Suez, Colombo and Singapore.

**THE ROYAL NEW ZEALAND NAVY** (c.1963)

**“Weekly Review” items**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 62** (1942)

B&W 3½ mins. 35mm 333 ft.  
With the N.Z.E.F.... THE GENERAL GRANTS 53 ft.  
Parade.... 2ND LIBERTY LOAN 142 ft.  
**Shipbuilding.... H.M.N.Z.S. AWATERE 100 ft.**  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U8140 (3 November 1942)  
Release Date: 6.11.42  
Viewing copies: 35mm film- **200,476**  
VHS Video- **R.V. 747**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 138**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 67** (1942)

SHIPBUILDING.... PATROL BOAT, Auckland

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 80** (1943)

NAVY.... SEA CADETS, Dunedin

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 84** (1943)

NAVY.... A NEW ZEALAND CORVETTE, Auckland

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 92** (1943)

NAVY.... SUBMARINE CHASERS

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 93** (1943)

NAVY.... FIVE SMART GIRLS, Auckland

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 105** (1943)

B&W 6½ mins. 35mm 600 ft.  
CHRISTCHURCH.... THEATRE FIRE 95 ft.  
WAR WORK.... MAKING STEN GUNS 246 ft.  
**AUCKLAND.... LAUNCHING "K" BOATS 202 ft.**  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U9719 (31 August 1943)  
Release Date: 3.9.43  
Viewing copies: 35mm film- **200,283**  
VHS Video- **R.V. 449**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 10**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 113** (1943)

NEW ZEALAND.... HERE AND THERE  
(Women's Basketball, Army v. Navy)

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 156** (1944)

UNDERSTUDIES.... SEA CADETS LEARN THE JOB

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 168** (1944)

B&W 7 mins. 35mm 600 ft.  
WANGANUI.... FUNERAL OF MR H.T. RATANA M.P. 228 ft.  
HASTINGS.... NO WASTE WOOD 235 ft.  
**H.M.N.Z.S. GAMBIA....**  
**NEW ZEALANDERS INSPECT THEIR NEW CRUISER 140 ft.**  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U10036 (17 November 1944)  
Release Date: 17.11.44  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 604**  
35mm film- **200,328** (ex Negs.)  
35mm film- **200,329** (ex Print)  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 44**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 178** (1945)

B&W 6 mins. 35mm 566 ft.  
**NAVY.... LORD KEYES VISITS N.Z. NAVAL STATION** 132 ft.  
HOLIDAYS.... FAMILY CAMP NEAR WELLINGTON 155 ft.  
SPORT.... MOTOR HILL CLIMB 224 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U10333 (25 January 1945)  
Release Date: 26.1.45  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 497**  
35mm film- **200,285**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 21**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 179** (1945)

B&W 9 mins. 35mm 815 ft.  
AWARD.... NEW ZEALANDERS RECEIVE U.S. LEGION OF MERIT 88 ft.  
WELCOME.... AMERICAN AND CANADIAN BRIDES 74 ft.  
**OFFICIAL VISIT.... PACIFIC ISLANDS** 266 ft.  
CRAFTSMANSHIP.... A MODERN GLASS BLOWER 325 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U10360 (31 January 1945)  
Release Date: 2.2.45  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 498**  
35mm film- **200,052**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 21-22**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 184** (1945)

B&W 9 mins. 35mm 815 ft.  
NEWS CLIPS - 184TH WEEK -  
FLOODS IN SOUTH 202 ft.  
POLISH CAMP 63 ft.  
**NAVY.... "HOWE" "ACHILLES" AND "GAMBIA" IN N.Z. WATERS** 351 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U10567 (28 February 1945)  
Release Date: 9.3.45  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 594**  
35mm film- **200,273**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 22**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 210** (1945)

B&W 8½ mins. 35mm 767 ft.  
RUGBY.... NORTH V SOUTH 158 ft.  
WAR INDUSTRY.... RECLAIMING WRECKED VEHICLES 313 ft.  
**NAVY.... BRITISH SUBMARINE VISITS NEW ZEALAND** 237 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U11418 (7 September 1945)  
Release Date: 7.9.45  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 517**  
35mm film- **200,133**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 26**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 212** (1945)

B&W 9 mins. 35mm 825 ft.  
**AUCKLAND.... ACHILLES RETURNS** 108 ft.  
ROAD SAFETY.... SCHOOL PATROL 86 ft.  
INDUSTRY.... BREWING 220 ft.  
BOUGAINVILLE.... BISCUIT BOMBERS 353 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U11487 (21 September 1945)  
Release Date: 21.9.45  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 519** (ex Negs.)(incomplete)  
VHS Video- **R.V. 635** (ex Print)  
35mm film- **200,397** (ex Print)  
35mm film- **200,396** (ex Negs.)(incomplete)  
(lacks "School Patrol" item)  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 27** (ex Negs.)  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 57** (ex Print)

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 213** (1945)

B&W 8 mins. 35mm 745 ft.

**AUCKLANDERS SEE AIRCRAFT-CARRIER** 90 ft.

AUCKLAND.... PACIFIC FOOD STORE 355 ft.

ON BOARD H.M.S. GLORY.... JAP SURRENDER OFF RABAU 239 ft.

Film Censor's Certificate No. U11537 (21 September 1945)

Release Date: 28.9.45

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 520**  
35mm film- **W3471/W65**  
35mm film- **200,545**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 27**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 220** (1945)

B&W 8 mins. 35mm 760 ft.

AUCKLAND and WELLINGTON.... NAVY ARRIVALS 119 ft.

CHILDREN'S WARD.... HOSPITAL ENTERTAINMENT 94 ft.

HUTT VALLEY.... BUILDING A CO-OP SHOP 230 ft.

ROTORUA.... TROUT HATCHERY 256 ft.

Film Censor's Certificate No. U11764 (16 November 1945)

Release Date: 16.11.45

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 525**  
35mm film- **200,134**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 28**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 222** (1945)

B&W 7½ mins. 35mm 708 ft.

**ROYAL NAVY.... H.M.S. "NEWFOUNDLAND" IN LYTTTELTON** 58 ft.

INTERVIEW.... CAPT. UPHAM V.C. AND BAR 115 ft.

INDUSTRY.... MADE OF LEATHER 201 ft.

**SOUTH PACIFIC COMMANDER'S VISIT.... U.S. FLAGSHIP IN AUCKLAND** 276 ft.

Film Censor's Certificate No. U11833 (30 November 1945)

Release Date: 30.11.45

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 526**  
35mm film- **200,135**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 28**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 223** (1945)

B&W 7 mins. 35mm 653 ft.

MR. IVAN K. ZIABKIN.... SOVIET MINISTER TO NEW ZEALAND 161 ft.

**H.M.S. "INDEFATIGABLE".... BIG BRITISH CARRIER'S ARRIVAL** 114 ft.

AUCKLAND.... A CHINESE PLAY 319 ft.

Film Censor's Certificate No. U11885 (7 December 1945)

Release Date: 7.12.45

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 527**  
35mm film- **200,048**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 29**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 255** (1946)

NEWS CLIPS.... H.M.N.Z.S. ACHILLES

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 257** (1946)

B&W 8½ mins. 35mm 781 ft.

NEWS CLIPS - 257TH WEEK -

NAE NAE CO-OP. SHOPS

81 ft.

**AUCKLAND FAREWELL to ACHILLES**

**101 ft.**

OHAKEA.... MR. NASH RETURNS

103 ft.

EAST COAST.... DISTRICT NURSE

424 ft.

Film Censor's Certificate No. U13061 (2 August 1946)

Release Date: 2.8.46

Viewing copies: VHS Video-

**R.V. 621**

35mm film-

**W3471/D9** (incorrect series title)

VHS Video (Preview Tape)-

**BITC 50**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 281** (1947)

AUCKLAND.... BELLONA ARRIVES

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 285** (1947)

LYTTELTON.... SEA CADETS

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 319** (1947)

B&W 10 mins. 35mm 930 ft.

SHOWING THE FLAG.... H.M.N.Z.S. "ARBUTUS" IN PACIFIC

Film Censor's Certificate No. U15271 (10 October 1947)

Release Date: 10.10.47

Viewing copies: 35mm film-

**200,088**

VHS Video-

**R.V. 678**

VHS Video (Preview Tape)-

**BITC 77**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 342** (1948)

MARINE.... FISHERIES PROTECTION

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 345** (1948)

WAIOURU.... NAVY DOES SHORE TRAINING

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 364** (1948)

B&W 8½ mins. 35mm 791 ft.

FARMING.... TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION

89 ft.

CHRISTCHURCH.... CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

154 ft.

PACIFIC.... VICEREGAL TOUR

493 ft.

Film Censor's Certificate No. U17312 (27 August 1948)

Release Date: 27.8.48

Viewing copies: VHS Video-

**R.V. 669**

16mm film-

**W3589/16WR364**

35mm film-

**200,518**

VHS Video (Preview Tape)-

**BITC 73** (ex 16mm) / **BITC 183** (ex 35mm)

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 372** (1948)

NAVY.... NEW SHIPS FOR N.Z.

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 380** (1948)

B&W 8½ mins. 35mm 804 ft. 246 ft.  
SPEEDBOATS.... "REDHEAD" WINS CUP 228 ft.  
NAVAL EXERCISES.... N.Z. FRIGATES in ENGLISH CHANNEL 274 ft.  
TENNIS.... VISITING PROFESSIONALS  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U17942 (17 December 1948)  
Release Date: 17.12.48  
Viewing copies: 35mm film- **200,333** (ex Negs.)  
35mm film- **200,334** (ex Print)  
VHS Video- **R.V. 693** (ex Print)  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 83**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 381** (1948)

B&W 8 mins. 35mm 725 ft.  
TRANSPORT.... NEW AIRLINER 158 ft.  
MARINE.... FACELIFTS for FIGUREHEADS 102 ft.  
WELLINGTON.... TROLLEY DERBY 156 ft.  
AMBULANCE.... RED CROSS FIELD TRAINING 254 ft.  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U17980 (24 December 1948)  
Release Date: 24.12.48  
Viewing copies: 35mm film- **200,300**  
VHS Video- **R.V. 694**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 83**

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 384** (1949)

B&W 8 mins. 35mm 707 ft.  
OTAGO.... AGRICULTURAL CAVALCADE 111 ft.  
BUILDING.... A NEW WAY WITH CONCRETE 206 ft.  
**H.M.N.Z.S. "TAMAKI".... YOUNG SAILORS 335 ft.**  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U17992 (14 January 1949)  
Release Date: 14.1.49  
Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 857** (ex Print)  
35mm film- **200,599** (ex Negs.)  
35mm film- **200,600** (ex Print)  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 230** (ex Print)

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 385** (1949)

R.N.Z.N.... FRIGATES ARRIVE

**WEEKLY REVIEW No. 400** (1949)

B&W 9½ mins. 35mm 863 ft.  
RUGBY.... ALL BLACKS 1949 94 ft.  
TRAINING COLLEGES.... TEACHERS' TOURNEY 188 ft.  
EDUCATION.... CHILDREN'S PAINTINGS 176 ft.  
**NAVY.... AUTUMN MANOEUVRES 351 ft.**  
Film Censor's Certificate No. U18880 (6 May 1949)  
Release Date: 6.5.49  
Cat. Refs. 1951 p.14, p.15; 1956 p.17; 1957 p.21.

**REVIEW No. 400**

B&W 9½ mins. 35mm 863 ft.  
**AUTUMN MANOEUVRES. 351 ft.**  
Royal New Zealand Navy carries out surface, underwater, and air exercises.  
Viewing copies: 35mm film- **200,043**  
VHS Video- **R.V. 697**  
VHS Video (Preview Tape)- **BITC 85**



**“Pictorial Parade” items**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 4 (1953)**

B&W 10 mins.

ALONG THE STOCK-ROUTE - BIG FEILDING STOCK SALE 219 ft

MANAWATU IN FLOOD 147 ft

**TRAINING CRUISE - H.M.N.Z.S. BELLONA 505 ft**

Film Censor's Certificate No. U28232 (23 February 1953)

Release Date: 27.2.53

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP4

Cat. Refs. 1953-S p.4, 5; 1956 p.25; 1957 p.29; 1958 p.24; 1962 p.26.

B&W 10 mins. 35mm 915 ft.

**H.M.N.Z.S. BELLONA. 505 ft.**

**The cruiser Bellona sails to England, where at Portsmouth, the New Zealand High Commissioner, Sir Frederick Doidge, visits the ship, and Maori crew members entertain visitors. The ship takes part in fleet exercises, calls at Singapore and other eastern ports during the return voyage, and is welcomed home at Auckland.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 204**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP4A**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 7 (1953)**

B&W 15½ mins.

NEW ZEALANDERS IN KOREA

Film Censor's Certificate No. U28770 (18 May 1953)

Release Date: 22.5.53

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP7

Cat. Refs. 1953-S p.5; 1956 p.26; 1957 p.30; 1958 p.25; 1962 p.27.

B&W 15½ mins. 35mm 1,376 ft.

NEW ZEALANDERS IN KOREA.

New Zealand servicemen in Korea. Gunners combine with Royal Australian Air Force jet planes in bombarding enemy positions. A fire in Pusan city adds thousands to those Koreans being housed and fed by relief organisations. H.M.N.Z.S. Hawea patrols Korea's coast, and shells enemy shore installations. New Zealand gunners on leave see Tokyo and other parts of Japan.

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 207**  
35mm film- **W3606/35PP7**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 14 (1953)**

B&W 10 mins.

VIA HIMATANGI YOU CAN - DIAL "O" FOR LONDON 232 ft

YEAR AFTER YEAR - CANTERBURY PLOUGHMAN 130 ft

**CHARTING THE SEA H.M.N.Z.S. LACHLAN 552 ft**

Film Censor's Certificate No. U3189 (1 December 1953)

Release Date: 4.12.53

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP14

Cat. Refs. 1956 p.28; 1957 p.32; 1958 p.27; 1962 p.29.

B&W 10 mins. 35mm 927 ft.

**H.M.N.Z.S. LACHLAN ON MARINE SURVEY. 552 ft.**

**Three hundred years after Abel Tasman first mapped part of New Zealand's coastline, a modern survey ship re-charts the coast with the latest scientific instruments.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 214**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP14**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 35 (1955)**

B&W 11 mins.

FOR DAYLIGHT MAIN TRUNK SERVICE - NEW RAILCAR INSPECTED 78 ft

**NAVAL EXERCISES - BLACK PRINCE AND HAWEA IN COOK STRAIT 168 ft**

IDEAS FOR ENGINEERS - AN INVENTOR IN THE MACKENZIE COUNTRY 703 ft

Film Censor's Certificate No. G940 (26 April 1955)

Release Date: 29.4.55

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP35

Cat. Refs. 1956 p.34; 1957 p.38; 1958 p.33; 1962 p.34.

B&W 11 mins. 35mm 998 ft.

**NAVAL EXERCISES. 168 ft.**

**The frigate Hawea leaves Wellington harbour and joins cruiser Black Prince in Cook Strait, where gunnery exercises are carried out under the eye of Commodore Sir Charles Madden, and men and mails are transferred from ship to ship by jackstay.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 235**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP35**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 38 (1955)**

B&W 11 mins.

ROLLER-SKATING NAPIER - YOUNG CHAMPION AT PRACTICE 236 ft

**DEVONPORT - UNDERWATER TRADESMEN 247 ft**

TREE AND PLANT HEALTH - RESEARCH AT MOUNT ALBERT 466 ft

Film Censor's Certificate No. G1514 (18 July 1955)

Release Date: 22.7.55

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP38

Cat. Refs. 1956 p.35; 1957 p.39; 1958 p.34; 1962 p.35.

B&W 11 mins. 35mm 991 ft.

**UNDERWATER TRADESMEN. 247 ft.**

**At the Navy's diving school at Devonport, young recruits learn in class and under water to use frogman and shallow-water suits, and to operate rivetting and cutting torches.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 238**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP38**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 42 (1955)**

B&W 10½ mins.

**1805 - 1955 - TRAFALGAR DAY, NELSON CITY 210 ft**

ECHO OF THE PAST - CANTERBURY PROVINCIAL CHAMBERS 300 ft

WOODHILL STATE FOREST - MACHINES PLANT GRASS AND TREES 136 ft

WORLD'S SMALLEST SANCTUARY? - THE TERNS OF SCORCHING BAY 252 ft

Film Censor's Certificate No. G2264 (8 November 1955)

Release Date: 11.11.55

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP42

Cat. Refs. 1957 p.40, 41; 1958 p.35, 36; 1962 p.37.

B&W 10½ mins. 35mm 956 ft.

**TRAFALGAR DAY, NELSON. 210 ft.**

**Signalmen from H.M.N.Z.S. Hawera, in sailor dress of Nelson's day, hoist Nelson's signal in Nelson on Trafalgar Day. Next day Hawea entertains Sea Scouts and Navy League children on board.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 242**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP42**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 53 (1956)**

B&W 10½ mins.

WEST COAST - TAYLORVILLE'S TAME WHITE HERON 148 ft

**PLYMOUTH, ENGLAND - NEW CRUISER FOR THE R.N.Z.N. 150 ft**

SURVEY OF LAND RESOURCES THE WORK OF THE N.Z. SOIL BUREAU 623 ft

Film Censor's Certificate No. G4267 (10 September 1956)

Release Date: 14.9.56

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP53

Cat. Refs. 1957 p.44; 1958 p.39; 1962 p.41.

B&W 10½ mins. 35mm 970 ft.

**NEW CRUISER. 150 ft.**

**With cruisers Bellona and Royalist berthed side by side at Plymouth, England, crew members transfer belongings to their new ship. Bellona flies a paying-off pennant and Royalist is officially handed over to New Zealand's Prime Minister.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 253**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP53**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 64 (1957)**

B&W 8 mins.

ROXBURGH - SALVAGE BY FROGMEN 167 ft

**NAVY - "ROYALIST'S" FAMILY DAY 203 ft**

AVIATION - LEARNING TO CONTROL AIR TRAFFIC 328 ft

Film Censor's Certificate No. G5989 (15 July 1957)

Release Date: 19.7.57

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP64

Cat. Refs. 1958 p.43; 1962 p.44, 45.

B&W 8 mins. 35mm 744 ft.

**ROYALIST'S FAMILY DAY. 203 ft.**

**Wives, children and sweethearts of the crew of New Zealand's modern cruiser Royalist have a day out on the vessel, which undergoes speed trials at 30 knots.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 264**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP64**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 99 (1960)**

B&W 11 mins.

RAILWAYS - EXPERIMENTAL EXPRESS 314 ft

CHRISTCHURCH - NEW AIRPORT BUILDING 105 ft

WORLD CHAMPION - RACING DRIVER TRIES JET BOAT 173 ft

**HE IWI TAHI TATOU - WAITANGI DAY 356 ft**

Film Censor's Certificate No. G10835 (23 March 1960)

Release Date: 25.3.60

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP99

Cat. Refs. 1962 p.56.

B&W 11 mins. 35mm 982 ft.

**WAITANGI DAY. 356 ft.**

**Royal New Zealand Navy ships and vessels from England and Australia carry out exercises at the Bay of Islands and take part in ceremonies commemorating the signing of the treaty of Waitangi.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 299**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP99**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 118 (1961)**

B&W 11 mins.

CHRISTCHURCH - START OF THE TUNNEL 131 ft

**H.M.A.S. "MELBOURNE" - AUSTRALIAN NAVY VISIT 268 ft**

AUCKLAND - HOMES FOR SENIOR CITIZENS 575 ft

Film Censor's Certificate No. G15764 (6 October 1961)

Release Date: 6.10.61

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP118

Cat. Refs. 1962 p.61; 1967-68 p.48.

B&W 11 mins. 35mm 1,020 ft.

**VISIT OF H.M.A.S. MELBOURNE. 268 ft.**

**Aircraft carrier Melbourne carries out exercises en route from Auckland to Wellington.**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 318**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP118**

**PICTORIAL PARADE No. 134 (1962)**

B&W 11½ mins.

WAIOEKA GORGE - THE RE-FORMED ROAD 147 ft

**PREPARING FOR DEEP FREEZE '63 871 ft**

Film Censor's Certificate No. G21391 (13 December 1962)

Release Date: 28.12.62

NFU Film Information Sheet No. PP134

Cat. Refs. 1965-S p.17; 1967-68 p.51, 52.

B&W 11½ mins. 16mm, 440 ft.; 35mm, 1,056 ft.

**PREPARING FOR DEEP FREEZE '63**

**With the return of spring the United States Navy prepares in Christchurch for the 1963 operations in Antarctica. After a wait for the Antarctic weather to clear, the four Hercules aircraft leave, followed by Navy ships with the icebreaker "Glacier".**

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 334**  
16mm film- **W3589/16PP134A**

**FIFTY-FOUR FORTY SOUTH** (1950)

B&W 10½ mins. 35mm 952 ft.

Cat. Refs. 1951 p.7; 1956 p.5; 1957 p.5; 1958 p.6; 1962 p.7; 1967-68 p.17; 1973 p.27; 1977 p.18.

B&W 10½ mins. 35mm 952 ft.

A New Zealand naval vessel takes meteorologists and scientific observers to the Campbell and MacQuarrie Islands in the South Polar seas. Nature interest of bird and animal life - albatrosses, penguins, sea lions and sea elephants.

Viewing copies: VHS Video- **R.V. 53**  
16mm film- **W3471/16BW531**  
35mm film- **W3471/U57**

**NAVAL FORCE 75** (1950)

Cat. Refs. 1951 p.7; 1956 p.7; 1957 p.7; 1958 p.8; 1962 p.9.

B&W 10½ mins. 35mm 932 ft.

New Zealand and Australian warships aircraft, and submarines carry out combined surface, air, and underwater operations off the New Zealand coast. Unusual pictures of complex apparatus used by the modern navy - Radar, Asdic, Plot Room, Gun Control.

**ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY DAYS UNDER THE WORLD** (1964)

Cat. Refs. 1965-S p.8; 1967-68 p.25; 1973 p.40; 1977 p.18; 1984-85 p.13; 1986-87 p.16.

Colour 35 mins. 35mm 3,127 ft.

One summer's work by New Zealand scientists in the Ross Dependency in the Antarctic and the exploration of some of the last unmapped regions. The mysteries off the snow-covered continent are probed by geologists, biologists and physicists at the Scott Base laboratory and on expeditions, possibly among the last to be made with huskies. H.M.N.Z.S. Endeavour brings supplies from Wellington, while ice-breakers of the United States Navy cut a passage for her through the pack ice to McMurdo Sound. Made in wide-screen format and colour, this is possibly the most notable piece of cinema to come from the Antarctic.

(Available also with French, German, Italian, or Japanese commentary.)

**COMMAND** (1985)

Colour 11 mins.

Cat. Ref. 1986-87 p.19.

With the primary objective of recruiting Officer Cadets from suitable school and university students, this film sets out to show aspects of Navy life that will be of interest and appeal.

**READY FOR SEA** (1985)

Colour 20 mins.

Cat. Ref. 1986-87 p.24.

An overview of the Navy covering its responsibilities for the defence of New Zealand, its commitment to treaty partners and its role within the community. This film's purpose is to interest school students and university graduates in considering a career in the Royal New Zealand Navy.