

The Wilderness Revisited

J.T. DIAMOND ESSAY COMPETITION

ENCOURAGING THE EXPLORATION
OF WEST AUCKLAND HISTORY



Waitakere Library & Information Services in
association with West Auckland Historical Society

PHOTOGRAPHER

Frank Morris (1892-1963)

Morris and Becroft families at
Tui Glen, Henderson, 1940s.

Waitakere Library and Information
Services. Frank Morris Collection,
2003.9.PH.00018.G.

New prize for the J.T. Diamond Essay Competition

The Morris Photographic Prize

DONATED BY THE MORRIS FAMILY

In 2009 a new prize was generously added to the competition by the Morris family of Henderson.

Frank Morris was a local photographer based in Henderson, and many of his photographs pepper publications on West Auckland. Frank's son Jack Morris has generously donated many of Frank's photographs to Waitakere Library and Information Services.

The award is for an essay which uses as its starting point an historic photograph from the library's collection (any collection not just the Frank Morris Collection) and compares it with a photograph of today, thus linking the past with the present to make a record for the future.

We would like to thank the Morris family for this additional prize that we hope will inspire an interest in the use of West Auckland documentary photography.

