

Proud of its reputation as the holiday isle with the continental outlook - Jersey stages <sup>its</sup> annual battle of Flowers.

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The floral floats ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ were star attractions. In fact, <sup>they say</sup> the floats have become so famous that no one troubles to look at the girls.

~~others just kept looking and looking and were soon heading for~~  
*But don't you believe it!*

~~transient~~ But, of course, there are "Big 'Ears" in every parade!  
Of course, every parade has those characters <sup>that suffer from a</sup> ~~that seem to get a~~ swollen head... swollen head we said... **E**

The Show was first held as part of the celebrations to mark the Coronation of Edward the Seventh and Queen Alexandra... <sup>strongly</sup> ~~strongly~~ in celebration mood -  
By coincidence, the Island was still <sup>in</sup> ~~in~~ celebration mood - following ~~the recent~~ another Royal occasion - the visit of the Queen and Prince Philip.  
~~and the way~~

By the way, if you're still wondering why they call it the "Battle of Flowers" get ready to duck - <sup>Don't forget the old gag about</sup> ~~sometimes they forget and leave the~~ flowers in the pots. ~~ouch!~~

*leaving the flowers in the pots!*