

THESE ARE THE YOUNG PEOPLE COMPETING:

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Blackburn	Mary Catherine Stark McFarlane, 40D Preston New Rd., Blackburn.	16	Notre Dame Grammar School, Blackburn	Puppets	
Bolton	Mary R. Harrison, 15 Chester Avenue, Whitefield, Manchester.	17	Royal Technical College, Salford.	Tennis, Dancing, Hiking, Art	Hopes to become a Home Service Adviser in the Gas Industry
Burnley	Valerie A. Whittaker, 6, Bedfordshire Avenue, Burnley	17	Burnley High School for Girls, Ormerod Rd., Burnley	Knitting, Needlework and Dressmaking, Piano, Reading	Hopes to become a Domestic Science Teacher.
Bury/Rossendale	Patricia Horne, 39 Derwent Drive, Bury.	17	1st Bury Land Rangers	Girl Guides, Tennis, Table-tennis, Dancing	
Furness	Diana Jarvis, 4 The Crest, Springfield Park, Ulverston.	15	Ulverston Victoria County Secondary School	Violin in Orchestra, Tennis, Badminton, Member of School Hockey Team	Intends taking Domestic Science as a career
Fylde	Sylvia Emison, 43 Church Street, Fleetwood.	15	Bailey Secondary Modern School	Cookery, Embroidery	
Kendal	Anne Knipe, 143 Windermere Rd., Kendal.	17	Kendal High School	Cooking, Dressmaking, Hockey	Taking up Domestic Science as a career
Lancaster/ Morecambe	Joan Jackson, Langdale, Yealand Conyers, Nr. Lancaster.	15	Skerton Modern Secondary	Fond of Animals, Music	School Prefect
Liverpool	Gwynneth Llewelyn Williams, Bryn Villa, Llangwnadl, Near Pwllheli, Caernarvon.	19	F. L. Calder College of Housecraft, Liverpool	Cycling, Sewing, Reading and Cookery	Favourite relaxation is playing the piano
Manchester	Barbara Cartledge, 66 Homewood Road, Northen- den.	18	The Domestic and Trades College, Hotel and Catering Dept., Mauldeth Rd., With- ington	Knits, Bakes at home, Tennis, Dressmaking	Won Silver Medal and First Prize, Section 9, Caterers' Exhibition, City Hall, 1953
Mid-Cheshire	Linda Newton, 3 Brooklands Grove, Crewe.	15	Ludford Street School, Crewe		
North Cheshire	Vera J. Cantrell, Endon Hall Farm, Kerridge, Near Macclesfield.	19	Bollington Sec., and St. Albans Sch., Macclesfield. Now training at Stockport Coll. for City & Guilds Teachers' Certificate	Needlework, Reading, Music	Works at the canteen at Brocklehurst Whiston Amal- gamated. Hopes to take up teaching as a career.
Oldham/ Rochdale	Joan Higginson, 25 Elm Bank Road, Middleton,	16	Queen Elizabeth Grammar School, Middleton	Cookery, Sewing and Dress- making	Top of her form. General Certificate in eight subjects. Intends to make teaching her profession
Peak	Mary Nancy Baxter, "Dene Royd," Buxton Road, Disley.	18	Salford Royal Technical College	Cycling and Netball	Domestic Science Student at Salford Royal Tech., College Hopes to become a Home Ser- vice Adviser.
Preston	Eileen M. Markland, 85 Park Road, Chorley.	17	Chorley Grammar School	Tennis, Swimming, Cooking	On leaving School in July is taking up a career of nursing at a Children's Hospital
South Lancashire	Thelma Ashton, 46 Fairclough Road, St. Helens.	15	Rivington Road Secondary Modern School	Swimming, Tennis, Netball	Works at the Sunnyside Stitching & Knitting Co., (Tootala) St. Helens. She represented the town for both swimming and netball.
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THE CONTEST

At today's contest 17 young people between the ages of 15 and 19 are competing for the honour of representing the North West in the London finals of the nation-wide cookery competition "Youth in the Kitchen" which has been organised by the gas industry to interest the youth of the country in the art of cooking. More than 2,000 young people, boys as well as girls, entered for the competition in the North West, and today's contest between the 17 semi-finalists is the biggest ever publicly held in this country.

JUDGES

Miss C. M. Rhind, Organiser of Housecraft Subjects, Cheshire County Council.

Miss J. E. Helliwell, Head of Technical Dept., College of Housecraft, Manchester.

Mr. S. A. Hollis, Hon. Secretary to the North West Branch of the Hotel and Catering Institute.

TIME-TABLE

- 2.30 p.m. Procession of 67 Home Service Advisers of the Board.
- 2.35 p.m. Chairman's opening speech.
- 2.40 p.m. Rt. Worshipful Lord Mayor of Manchester opens proceedings.
- 2.48 p.m. Judges' remarks.
- 2.55 p.m. Presentation of Prizes by Mr. Gilbert Harding.
- 3.12 p.m. Haute Couture : Presentation by Mr. Herbert Sidon of his collection of cocktail frocks and by Hector Powe Ltd. of their collection of tailored suits for women, with hats by Madge Chard. Commentary by Miss Mary Hill.
- 4.12 p.m. Chairman's closing speech.
- 4.15 p.m. Afternoon Tea.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR AFTERNOON TEA

Afternoon Tea will be served as follows :

White Tickets :

In Dressing Room "B" at the rear of the stage.

Red Tickets :

In the Lounge.

Yellow Tickets :

In the foyer at the rear of the circle.

Green Tickets :

In the Main Hall. Holders of Green Tickets should remain seated.

