

## **Communications about the Motuihe Wharf**

*Most came from Auckland City Council Archives.*

May 1926 Disagreement between Dept of Agriculture and Health Dept over the cost of strengthening the wharf to accommodate bigger ferries.

Oct 1929 Agreement between Dept of Agriculture and Health Dept for \$350 to strengthen the wharf.

August 1935 Correspondence in ACC Archives on wharf extension.

Dec 1938 Sunshine Health Camp complains about unsafe condition of the wharf. ACC commits to repairing.

During WWII and up to 1963 the Navy contributed \$250 pa towards maintenance of the wharf extension.

May 1952 plans for extension approved by ACC. Will extend wharf into 14 feet of water at low water spring tide.

Sept 1961 10,000 pounds approved by ACC to strengthen the wharf because of growing visitor numbers.

Dec 1975 Outer section (extension) closed for public use. Inner section still open.

1979 wharf rebuilt (probably when it was shortened.)