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GARDEN FETE. Crowds of islanders and vacationers gathered on the Harbour House lawn last Wednesday afternoon to take part in the gala festivities of the annual garden fete sponsored by the island Anglican parish. Proceeds were in excess of \$900 as stalls did a brisk business during the afternoon.

Bishop Michael Coleman and his daughter, Sally, of Pender Island, were guests of honour. Bishop Coleman expressed the regret and sadness of all islanders that this would be the last fete that Archdeacon G.H. Holmes would head. Archdeacon Holmes is retiring on September 1st after more than 20 years of faithful service to his community. He and Mrs. Holmes are not leaving the island though, as they have purchased a home here and intend to remain on the island and among the people they have served with unswerving devotion these many years. The Archdeacon was presented a purse by William Palmer as a gift from the parish and Mrs. Holmes was presented flowers and a gift by Mrs. F.L. Jackson, Mrs. H.A. Robinson and Mrs. W. Norton, who represented the Afternoon, Evening, and Vesuvius Bay branches of the Woman's Auxiliary. The fete was officially opened by Miss Sally Coleman who was presented a bouquet by Mrs. Holmes.

During the afternoon, tea was served in the dining room by members of the Evening Woman's Auxiliary under convenership of Mrs. James Hawksworth. Mrs. Campbell Carroll supervised swimming in the pool, S. Quinton and E. Palmer were in charge of darts; Frank Holmes, Tennis; H.A. Robinson, clock golf. Music was supplied by David Parsons. The delicatessen and home baking were sold by Mrs. C. Springford, Mrs. G. Humphreys, Mrs. J. Ackland, Mrs. H. Deyell, Mrs. M. Atkins, Mrs. C. Moat, and Jill Humphreys.

Other conveners were: (Cont'd To Page Two)

MAILEY TAKES PLUNGE AND 1ST PRIZE - LEGION FISHING DERBY. Walter Mailey, winner of the Legion Fishing Derby last Sunday, was the only man reported to have fallen overboard during the excitement of landing a fish. Luckily, this unexpected plunge into the salt chuck did not occur when landing the 18 pound Spring Salmon that top all other entries in this, the first fishing derby of the season.

W.F. (Slim) Thorburn, who won second prize with a 12 lb. 13 oz. beauty, can thank his Guardian Angel that this Spring was at the bottom of the fish box. Nels Vodden, Slim's fishing partner was a little too exuberant in tossing the fish box onto the dock and oops, the fish on top slithered over the side and sank into the briny deep. The lost fish, caught by Nels and weighing 9 lbs. 8 oz. according to Vodden's scales, would have captured 4th prize. Nels, sadly weighed in a 7 lb. 6 oz. salmon for 10th prize.

Third prize was won by Chuck Hougen with a 11lb. 1 oz. Spring, Doug Parsons weighed in a 8 lb. 11 oz. coho for 4th, barely beating Marshall Sharp, who captured 5th prize with one weighing 8 lb. 8 oz. The 6th through 24th prizes were won by fish weighing from 7 lbs. 14 oz. to 4 lb. 8 oz. Other winners were: (6) Ken Price (7) Laurie Mouat (8) Dick Royal (9) V.F. Saunders (11) Bob Collins, (12) Mac Mouat, Jr. (13) D.K. Crofton (14) W. Sutherland (15) M. Giegerich (16) Pat Crofton, (17) Buzz Brown (19) Ernie Watson (20) Norman Harris (21) Mrs. B. Keys (22) Mr. Conniak (23) J. Conover (24) Jill Scott.

Two young lads had the honour of winning first prize in the Junior event, due to a slight mixup. The Men's 18th prize was inadvertently awarded to Bill Keyes (5 lb. 3 oz.) before it was discovered that he was under 16 years of age and should have won the first prize for Juniors. The Junior award was presented to young N. Stone who had a 4 lb. 9 oz. salmon. Bill turned in the 18th prize and was awarded a special first prize.

Mrs. Fred Luddington won the Ladies first prize with a 6 lb. 7 oz. beauty and Wayne Bradley had the biggest ling cod, weighing 8 lbs. 7 oz.

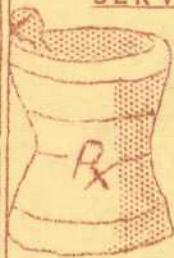
Capt. J. Mitchell, a Boer War and World War I veteran won the consolation prize.

A crowd of nearly 400 people and one huge boxer dog was present at the weighing in. Part of the crowd observed one lady weighing in a fish, minus a head, the result of some sea creature also wanting the same salmon. The boxer, (Cont'd to P.2)

FULFORD HARBOUR TIDE TABLE
 Time: Pacific Standard Time

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10	0627	3.6	1454	8.8	1801	8.5	2314	9.9
11	0712	2.9	1540	9.4	1922	8.8	2359	10.1
12	0757	2.2	1617	9.9	2026	8.9		
13	0052	10.1	0842	1.6	1651	10.2	2119	8.7
14	0148	10.2	0926	1.2	1723	10.5	2207	8.4
15	0247	10.2	1010	1.0	1755	10.8	2255	7.9
16	0346	10.1	1055	1.1	1826	10.9	2344	7.3

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cial acceptance, retirement and oblivion, looks to something or someone who is a symbol of the reckless, heady time when brave, laughing men, endowed by manly charms and physical powers, conquered new worlds by day and beautiful women by night.

Such a manly world probably never existed. But the dream of such a time, of such conquests, has been an escape mechanism for most who are dulled and frustrated by what they think is an ordinary existence. To dream of an untouchable, unapproachable, desirable symbol of manhood is one thing; to find the symbol is another. Not knowing how to search, the young man falls prey to the witchcraft of press agents and the ballyhoo of Hollywood.

Such a symbol, bless her, was Marilyn Monroe. A symbol to today's fast-fading lads of 35-45 years of age, who were young and ripe for her siren call when she emerged upon the scene.

Call her what you want - manufactured, untalented or whatever - but one thing she was; a symbol of a hungry yearning for some spice in life, which is completely ignored in today's scheme of things.

She can not ever be replaced in the eyes of the gray-flanneled men now established in the lower echelons of the executive suites, for the next manufactured symbol will be aimed toward the younger man whose dreams of romance and adventure have not the taste of ashes that comes with a little more age.

GARDEN FETE (Cont'd from Page 1)... Garden Produce, Mrs. F.L. Jackson, Mrs. W.Y. Stewart, Mrs. A.E. Roddis, Mrs. A.D. Dane and Miss Gladys Shaw; superfluities, Mrs. James Mitchell and Mrs. A.R.P. Price; books and jewelry, Miss J. Mitchell; aprons, Mrs. W. Norton and Mrs. R.R. Alton; needlework, Mrs. H. Price, Mrs. V.L. Jackson and Mrs. W. Palmer.

Kitchen accessories were sold by Mrs. Eric Faure, Mrs. H. Ashby and Mrs. W. Dickinson; candy, Mrs. G.H. Laundry; flowers and plants, Mrs. A. David, Mrs. J. Byron, Mrs. W.H. Saunders and Mrs. N.A. Howland; pick 'n' take, Mrs. W. Eagles and Mrs. O. Lacy; miscellaneous, Mrs. R.T. Meyer, Mrs. T. Carlyle, Miss M. Motherwell and Miss M. Harrington; bottles, Mrs. G.B. Young; pop and ice cream, Mrs. V. Rathwell and Miss M. Rathwell; fish pond, Miss B. Newman, and receipts, Eric Faure and A.E. Roddis.

FISHING DERBY (Cont'd from P. 1) eyed the string of fish on display and promptly grabbed one for a feed. A lady innocent bystander, rescued the 5th prize winner from the beast and was rewarded by being covered by fish blood and scales.

But the saddest story of all - Bill Lane of Victoria arrived on the Island too late to buy a ticket. Naturally, he caught a 28 pound Spring, the biggest of the day, at Porlier Pass.

In these days of gray conformity, of emphasis on security, of suppression of adventure and romance by the society and creeping socialism of our times, the young man, cornered into propriety, wearing his button-down shirt collar and button-down mind as he lock-steps his way up the ladder to success, so-



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The ever-growing popularity of Scott Point Marina with the touring yachtsmen has again pushed ahead the date of the arrival of the 1000th boat. Last year, the 1000th boat landed on Aug. 14th. Coincidentally, the 1000th boat of 1960 was tied to the dock just ahead of "The Rebel". "The Rebel" was the winner of the '59 Swiftsure Race.

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FULFORD NEWS by Bea Hamilton.

Mrs. W. Niles, who has been staying with her son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. House, has been a patient in the Lady Minto Hospital for some days. Miss Marguerite Gibling has been the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gibling for a few days. Also on a visit to Salt Spring Island were Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gibling and their daughters Jeanie and Deanne (Marguerite's sisters). The family all returned to Chemainus after a happy holiday at Fulford.

. Visiting Captain and Mrs. G. Maude and staying in the Guest House are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevens of Vancouver, B.C..

. Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Reid were on Salt Spring Island for a visit last week.

. Mr. and Mrs. David Stupich have been spending a week or so at the lovely waterfront camping site of the V.F. Saunders down at Cusheon Cove, along the Foxglove Road. Miss Dora Payne, director of the Bookmobile of Victoria, and two young friends, are camping on the old Indian Reserve..and having a good time, come rain or shine. Mrs. O. Heys was pleased to have her grand-daughter Debbie over from Vancouver for a visit recently.

. Mr. Arthur H. Smith paid a surprise visit to his home over the week-end. He returned to Namu and the fishing fleet on Sunday.

. Mr. and Mrs. G. Ashley Maude of Sidney, and their children spent a few days visiting Captain and Mrs. G. Maude last week.

Honourable Earle C. Westwood, Minister of Recreation and Conservation.

Studies have shown that big game species wintered well, said the Minister. Deer have increased in Kamloops, Cariboo and Chilcotin areas and the bag-limit in these regions has been raised from two to three animals, two of which may be antlerless.

An innovation in this year's regulations is an open season on hen Pheasants. During the season they may be shot on a limited basis on Vancouver Island where previously closed, in the Creston area of the Kootenays, and during a short period on the Lower Mainland. Mr. Westwood stated there is no biological reason for total protection of hen Pheasants. Experience on Vancouver Island and also in many parts of North America has shown that the regulated shooting of hens has no appreciable effect upon the following year's pheasant population. The results of the open season on hens will be carefully studied, said the Minister.

Cold spring weather has had some adverse effects upon nesting Blue and Ruffed Grouse, but the extent to which this will affect the success of upland bird hunters cannot be determined at this early date.

Moose hunters in the northern regions this year will be able to shoot antlerless moose from October 20 to December 15, --an extension of more than a month.

In order to curb the wanton killing of Black Bears during the summer months, a closed season has been imposed in some parts of the Okanagan, Princeton and Kootenay areas. The Minister pointed out that this closure in no way prevents farmers from protecting their crops or livestock from troublesome animals.

Most opening and closing dates are relatively unchanged from last year but (Cont'd to Page Four)

1962 GAME REGULATIONS.

The British Columbia Game Regulations have been approved by Order-in-Council and the printed folder will soon be distributed, announces

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GAME REGULATIONS (Cont'd from Page 3) antler-
less big game seasons have been extended in some
areas. Season dates have been standardized as much
as possible in the 1962 regulations, allowing sports-
men to go affield for moose, elk, deer and other
species on the same date in many regions.

In general, said Mr. Westwood, studies have
shown that wildlife populations in the Province are
staying at a very satisfactory level and sportsmen
can look forward to a 1962 hunting season that holds
great promise.

The swimming classes, sponsored by the S.S.I.
Recreation Commission, have just been completed.
41 children, 25 of which were "absolute" beginners,
finished the 16-lesson course and all are now swim-
ming. The highly-successful course was organized
by Mrs. V.A. Bishop and the instructress was Mrs.
Dennis Deacon. A beach party was held after the
final lessons last Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Clunas of Vancouver an-
nounce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter,
Ruth, of Ganges, B.C. to Mr. E.L. Petch of Kelowna
on August 25th. The marriage will take place at the
First Baptist Church in Kelowna. The marriage of
Miss Clunas and Mr. Petch will be the first held in
this newly erected church.

Miss Ruth Clunas, who is off to Kelowna to be
married, has resigned as Public Health Nurse after
one year of service to the Salt Spring Island commu-
nity. A replacement for Miss Clunas will not arrive
here until Sept. 3rd. This will necessitate the clo-
sing of the Ganges Public Health Office from Aug.
13th through Sept. 2nd.

During the closing, the matron of the Lady Minto
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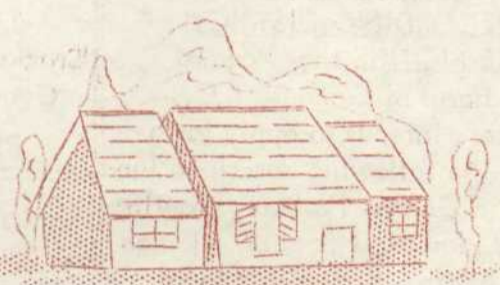
To start your own "success fund", visit the Ganges branch of the Bank of Montreal soon. Ed Thompson, the accountant there, will show you how easy it is to open a B of M Savings Account. -ad.

S.S.I. FATHOM PHANTOM'S NEWS. For the past few months, our island divers have been active for both work and pleasure.

Many varieties of fish have been speared, the largest being a ling weighing 20 lbs. Explorations of the waters around Salt Spring have also been underway and records have been kept for diving purposes.

Work is also being done in conjunction with the local garages and the Ganges Boat Yard. Props and Shafts have been changed and cleared, hulls checked and many "lost" articles have been sought and some returned. On the 12th of August, next Sunday, the club members will journey to Parksville for an island Council picnic. Games will be run by the hosts for the children. A general meeting and getting to know one another is in store for the divers, families and friends. We hope to have a pleasant trip.

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 St. Mary's: Evensong: 2:30 p.m.
 Preacher: The Archbishop of British Columbia.
- UNITED:** Ganges, 11:00 a.m.
- ROMAN CATHOLIC:** Our Lady Of Grace, Holy Mass, 10:45 a.m.
- CHRISTIAN SCIENCE GROUP:** Mahon Hall: 11:00am
- JEHOVAH WITNESSES:** Mahon Hall: 2:30 pm.
- BIBLE CHAPEL:** Sunday School: 10:30 am.
 Evening Service: Mahon Hall: 7:30 pm.

COMING EVENTS

- SAT: AUG. 11:** Canoe Races at Lakeridge - 1:30 p.m.
 Mayne Island Fall Fair - 1:30 p.m.
 Clambake, Welbury Point, 9:30 p.m.
 Roller Skating-Fulford Hall-2-4pm & 8-10:30 pm.
 Smorgasbord-Solimar Resort - 6:30 - 9:00 pm.
- SUN: AUG. 12:** Smorgasbord-Solimar Resort - 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.
- WED. AUG. 15:** St. Mary's Guild Annual Garden Fete - Roseneath Farm - 2:30 pm.

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FERNWOOD NEWS by Doris DeLong.
Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vic Bettiss were Mrs. Elfreda Walton and son, Tom, cousins from Seattle; Mrs. Gail Goins 7 children, Ronnie & Linda, and Alfred Womack of Seattle; Captain and Mrs. G. Pengelly, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Bettiss, of Victoria; and Mrs. J. Scott, sister of Mr. Bettiss, of Campbell River.
. Mr. & Mrs. Chester Martin, St. Mary's Lake, returned home last week after a two week holiday at the McQuinna Hotel, Tofino, as the guests of Mr. Parker and Mr. Singleton.
. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lin Sayer the past week was their niece Ellen Aitchison, a nursing trainee at St. Joseph's Hospital, (Cont'd to P.10)

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This Island seems to be suffering from the same breakdown of moral values as is the case elsewhere.
(Signed) H.B. Dickens."

According to the Ganges Weather Observer, Mr. H. Carlin, the high temperature in July was 84 degrees recorded on the 25th. The low of 47 was on the 6th. Rainfall was a nice .40 inches and the maximum mean was 70.8 and the minimum mean was 52.6. In July, 1961, the high was a hot 96 degrees on the 12th. and the low was an even 50 degrees recorded on the 6th. Rainfall in July, 1961 was .79 inches.

July was a pretty good month, but August is doing everything possible to emulate our normal February weather. Last Saturday, 1.13 inches of rain was dumped upon us.

An exhibition of Salt Spring Island Arts and Crafts will be held on Aug. 22nd at the Beaver Point Hall. Anyone desiring to exhibit their own art or handicraft should contact Miss Gwen Ruckle.

LETTERS-TO-THE-EDITOR.

"Dear Sir: I would like to warn the residents of Burgoyne Valley to keep tab on their cars and trucks.

I had gas stolen from my car during the week.

"Dear Sir: Although I get exasperated at times I really do like Driftwood. I intended to write as follows: "I do not think Driftwood is a bad paper. Far from that I believe it is excellent." However, you carve up contributions so much it would probably emerge like this: "I think Driftwood is bad, far from excellent." So what can a guy do?
(Signed) F.H.A. Collins."

BABY NEWS. A girl to Mr. & Mrs. (nee Iris Goodrich) L.V. Pattison on July 23rd. at Haney, B.C. The new baby weighed in at 6 lbs.6 oz. and was named Wendy Ruth.

CHAMBER CHIMES by C.R. Horel, Pres., Chamber of Commerce. We are somewhat stirred to action by the comment of our good editor in the last issue of DRIFTWOOD, whereby the implication is given that there are no public accesses to the waterfront on this happy (Cont'd to Page Nine)

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CHAMBER CHIMES (Cont'd from Page 8) isle.

True enough, there are numerous undeveloped accesses which we would like to see improved, and which we have requested of the Highway Dept. from time to time, but everyone should know that access to the waterfront is available at the following points on the Island:

1. the Beddis Park at the end of Beddis road is a 1 1/2 acre site opening on a fine clam shell beach.
2. Churchill Road ends at an access onto an excellent beach.
- (3) There is an access and a boat launching ramp on Canal Road, good only at medium to high tide.
- (4) Vesuvius Bay has a public stairway to the beach.
- (5) The end of Fulford Bay adjoining the highway.
- (6) A couple hundred yards up Isabella Point Road, Mr. Few permits access and picnic area to the public.
- (7) Farther up Isabella Point Road, the highway touches the beach.
- (8) At the very end of Beaver Point road is the old wharf public access, and adjoining it is private

land on which the Ruckle family have permitted us to set up a picnic table. (9) At the end of Burgoyne Bay road the wharf area is public. (10) Off Scott Road, the "Gold Colony" development main road ends on a fine beach. (11) At the "neck" of Scott Point just where it joins the main Island, a new access has been registered.

I hope this partial list of beaches available to Tourists and residents alike will be remembered and recited to any stranger who might ask you, "How do I get to a beach."

The RCMP check-up on defective cars on S.S.I. last week resulted in 38 people being given "notices to repair", for such things as defective brakes, lights, etc. Nearly 200 cars went through the check-up.

Patrick & Janet Rixon, of Port Angeles, grandchildren of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. St. Denis are spending a week at their grandparent's home on St. Mary's Lake.



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On Mayne Island, the equally-famous Mayne Island Fall Fair will be held, as it has since 1925. The fair, where Gulf Island farmers, housewives, artists and craftsmen vie for the various valuable prizes, will be opened by the Hon. G.R. Pearkes, Lieut.-Governor of B.C. At 1:30 pm.

Two new trophies have been donated to the fair this year. McGills Bakery, Ltd. has donated one for the best loaf of bread and Mr. & Mrs. F.W. Matthews have donated a trophy for the most points won in the baking division.

The extensive repairing of the Ganges wharf and floats will be completed this week. In addition to new decking on the main wharf and the visitors dock, several new floats were installed.

BABY NEWS. . . . A girl to Lt. & Mrs. Patrick Crofton (nee Patricia Williams) on August 1st. at Lady Minto Hospital. Weight, 8 lbs. 11 oz., named Susanne Catherine Mary and a sister for Marietta and Virginia.

FERNWOOD NEWS (Cont'd from Page 7)
 in Victoria. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M.B. East were Mr. & Mrs. T.C. Cummer, Kenneth and Keith of Prince George, Leonard and George Biggs of Victoria, Mr. & Mrs. R. Cole and Family of Calgary and Eric King of Sidney.

Mrs. H. Stafford has taken up permanent residence at her home on Scott Rd. Mrs. Stafford has recently retired from the teaching profession in Vancouver.

This coming Saturday, Aug. 11th, two outstanding attractions will be presented in the Gulf Islands.

The famous Indian War Canoe Races, war dances, salmon barbecue and other entertainment will be held on Salt Spring Island at Lakeridge Camp (Bullock estate), with the festivities beginning at 1:30 pm. The gates to the estate, on Upper Ganges Rd., will be open at 12 noon. The admission is \$1.00 (Cont'd to Next Column)

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