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ELECTIONS

Two Out As Date Nears

There is a month to go. Nominations for school board elections close on November 24. All candidates for election must file their nomination papers before that deadline.

There will be one vacancy on Salt Spring Island as a result of the resignation of P. A. Frattinger. His running mate on North Salt Spring, George Heinekey, is seeking re-election. Mr. Heinekey is chairman of the board of trustees of Gulf Islands School District and has served for the past 12 years. Dairy farmer when he first came to the board, he is now a milk distributor.

At the south end of the island R. M. Patterson will not seek a further term. He has been a member of the board for seven years and plans to step down to have new blood on the board. Mr. Patterson is a Fulford merchant.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ross, Mayne Island, had not yet decided at the beginning of the week. Her term of office expires in December and she will announce her plans later.

J. M. Campbell, Saturna Island, will seek to retain his seat on the board. He is a former chairman of the board, presently serving as president of the B. C. School Trustees' Association and charter president of the Educational Research Institute of B. C.

In other electoral fields, no candidate has yet announced himself for the Salt Spring Island seat on the Capital Regional District Board in place of Director Doug Cavaye, who is retiring. No contestant has appeared to seek the Gulf Islands seat of Director Joan Purchase, Pender. Miss Purchase is planning to seek a further term.

STUDENTS VISIT DRIFTWOOD



Group of students from Ganges elementary school visited the offices of DRIFTWOOD on Thursday last week. They were accompanied by their teacher, Malcolm Ford.

Boys took part in the preparation of copy and followed it through from the drawing to the

finished printed sheet.

Shown in this picture are Mark Harkema, Trevor Dixon, Leo Geary, Neil Anderson, Roland Temmel and Ian Kyle.

Tour of inspection was part of social studies in order to relate the production of a small newspaper with what they had read of the large daily papers. Sponsor of the visit was Trevor Dixon.

MASSIVE CABBAGE

Patients in Lady Minto Hospital were eating cabbage last week. It was too much for any family, but it went round the hospital very comfortably.

The cabbage was something special. Weighing 23 pounds, it was a solid ball of leaf. It was grown in his island garden by Mr. Kennet and given to the hospital as being of a suitable size.

Mr. Kennet was very proud of his produce. He explained that not all his crop was of such a size. Only a half dozen or so weighed near the 20 lb. mark. Average was a mere 10 lbs. or so.

They were Danish ball head cabbages and given no undue attention. They just grew.

The grower summed it up in an understatement.

"I have good luck with this variety," he told DRIFTWOOD.

WORK STARTS ON REMOVAL OF HUMP

Work started this week on the removal of the hump in the road on Lower Ganges Road at Church Road.

Road crews have started to level out the hump which restricts vision when a car climbs either side of the sharp rise.

It will be levelled and widened, according to Roads Foreman Hector Gerow. Work will be carried out in readiness for the paving program already starting.

HALLOWE'EN CELEBRATIONS

Hallowe'en is Friday. Friday is fireworks night. Fireworks are by Firemen on Salt Spring.

At 7 o'clock; In Centennial Park at Ganges With refreshments like hot dogs in the park if it is fine and in the fire hall if it is not.

POPULATION CENTRE

New School For Central

HEINEKEY ADDRESSES ROTARIANS

New Salt Spring Island school is to be built outside the community of Ganges.

Addressing a regular meeting of the Salt Spring Island Rotary Club last Friday evening, George Heinekey, chairman of the Gulf Islands School Board, spoke of the necessity of a new elementary school for Salt Spring Island.

The proposed new school will be located up at Central rather than in Ganges due to the increased numbers of children on the north end of the Island, he explained.

Plans have been made for the presentation of a school building referendum on December 6 at the same time as the annual election.

If there is delay in preparation of the referendum it may not be ready in December and would be presented early in the new year, reports Chairman G. M. Heinekey.

A survey showed that British Columbia could expect a 1,000,000 increase in population by 1980, noted the speaker.

The elementary school population has increased on the Island from 308, in 1966, to 380, in 1969, and at the present rate of growth would reach 492 by 1972, forecast Mr. Heinekey.

He thought that the large increase in child population at the north end was because of new subdivisions opening up while in the south end of the island the population has remained comparatively static. There will probably be a time when a school will be needed in Fulford Harbour, he added.

Locating the school at Central will necessitate little increase in bus service, the school board chairman noted.

Mr. Heinekey told Rotarians that the present elementary school is 30 years old and completely outdated, and that there is no way it could be expanded. Already the activity room has been turned into class rooms and grade six and seven are using two rooms each.

A new 10-room school is urgently needed, away from Ganges, containing library, medical room, staff room, and all modern facilities. It will be located on 10 acres of land which is already under option to the school board.

Estimates already before the department of education for approval provide for a total cost of \$497,000. Local share will be \$247,500, or a cost to the taxpayer of under two mills, said the speaker.

This would not necessarily mean an increase in taxation, noted Mr. Heinekey. "In 1968

BOWLER IN HOSPITAL

Ed Stephenson, of Ganges Hill, is a patient in Lady Minto Hospital.

Mr. Stephenson is the author of lawn bowling in Ganges and is hoping to see a green constructed in Centennial Park.

taxes were 30.45 mills. They dropped to 27.25 mills in 1969, even with the new high school that was built," said the chairman. He noted that island school taxes are among the five lowest in B. C.

Site For New School

Site selected for a new elementary school on Salt Spring Island is at the intersection of Lower Ganges Road and Vesuvius Bay Road, cater-corner from Central Hall.

Property is under option to the school district. It is owned by Arthur Millner. Selection of a site was left to the students. In the secondary school at Ganges students were engaged in an analysis of population centres. They listed the residence of every student and prepared a map showing every home.

Heaviest population centre was immediately surrounding Ganges. Next heaviest was to the north of Ganges.

Extensive land development in the north end of the island was assumed to be the cause of the considerable difference between North Salt Spring Island and the Fulford area, where school population appears to have remained almost static in recent years.

TRAILERS

Salt Spring Island businessman has taken steps to arrest the shortage of homes on the island. Mel Hendrickson, whose log buildings have been built all over the islands, has switched to a new venture. With Mrs. Hendrickson, he is operating a trailer park at Blackburn Lake.

The new project is a mobile home subdivision. Four sites are now prepared, and a number are shaping up. Each site offers full services for sewer connections and water. Located on more than three acres, the court provides a 60-foot clearance for each trailer. They will stand in a wooded area with a view of Blackburn Lake.

15 YEARS SERVICE

Former resident of Salt Spring Island, Miss Anne Butterfield has been rewarded for her service to the Vancouver Sun.

Miss Butterfield was awarded a 15-year service pin at a dinner in the Hotel Vancouver recently.

She attended school on Salt Spring Island and went to the Sun after graduation. She has been with the Vancouver paper ever since.

Goat War GOAT LEGIONS SUFFER GREATER CASUALTIES

The Goat War of Galiano is over.

The Billy-goat lost the battle. He was not always a wild goat. Once he had been part of a house hold, but his owners had mistakenly permitted him to wander free when they left the island. From a sagacious friend of the family he slowly changed into a scheming, bitter foe of mankind.

He showed up first on a reconnaissance foray. He examined the Galiano home which was to be his first and last stand. He didn't like it.

When the householder came out of the back door, he didn't like that either. The owner of the house was getting in the way so he made it very clear that he

wanted the yard to himself. Furthermore, he took action to ensure that there was no messing.

The householder made a number of counter attacks, but he was not as young or as belligerent as the goat.

In desperation he called for help. Because they were Galiano Islanders, his neighbors promptly responded to the call for help. While the owner of the house distracted the animal at the back door his reinforcements let themselves in at the front.

There was a brief council of war before the final battle was started.

The battle was brief. The reinforcements stirred up every

belligerent fibre in the goat's being. He rallied and tried his best but he was outnumbered and outmanoeuvred.

Then he found reinforcements in the form of another billy-goat. Without gratitude and without preliminary, he turned his attention to the new entry into the battle. He put his head down and charged. There was a crash as the plate glass window splintered.

That was the end. The animal was captured and despatched. The Goat War of Galiano is over. Who won? It was a draw, with the goats suffering the greater number of casualties.

NO MISTAKE ABOUT IT!

Ed Chew doesn't know whether he's on his head or his heels. Proprietor of Ganges Meat Market, last week Ed advertised half his special items upside-down.

He heard so much comment about it that this week he has turned over a new leaf and the entire advertisement is on its head.

And there's no mistake about it!

PAVING IS STARTED

Paving project started on Tuesday when trucks flowed up Salt Spring Island laden with hot blacktop from the mobile paving plant at Fulford.

By Tuesday evening one side of the road at Vesuvius Bay for a couple of city blocks had been covered.



Visiting lecturer R. H. Anderson is seen with Smoking Sam

and a group of Salt Spring students.

NO SMOKING

A program specially prepared for children to make them aware of the health dangers of cigarette smoking was presented

to the intermediate students of the Salt Spring Elementary School last Thursday.

This program, The Other Side of The Coin, was presented by R. H. Anderson who has visited many schools throughout B. C. Aside from this work Mr. Anderson is youth leader and temperance director of the B. C. Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

Mr. Anderson began his program by displaying some of the poisons found in tobacco then introduced the students to Smoking Sam, a mannikin representing a 12-year-old boy. He was made to smoke a cigarette and at the close of the program his blackened lungs were displayed (two filter bottles).

A color film, Countdown, was shown. This told the story of a space technician whose promising career was interrupted by lung cancer caused through smoking.

The lung cancer operation is shown in some detail although some students chose not to watch some part of this operation.

Mr. Marsh, vice-principal, thanked Mr. Anderson and his two assistants for bringing his program to the school.

SHOPPING HABITS

TWO NEW PATTERNS

Two new ventures in merchandising were undertaken in Ganges last week.

On Friday evening Moutat's and Trading Company were both open for business until 9 p.m. The Ganges Crest has joined the pattern and also opens its doors during Friday evening.

Spencer Marr, manager of the Moutat complex, was happy with the response to Friday evening shopping. First evening shoppers were in the store on Friday afternoon, he reported, and there was a steady flow of customers right up to closing time.

On Sunday Mod 'n Lavender, Ganges gift shop, invited islanders to a display of goods in Harbour House.

Visitors were able to examine the display at their leisure and afternoon tea was available in the hotel.

This venture was also well patronized and by the middle of the afternoon the exhibitors were already run off their feet.

IF YOU DON'T SEE IT IT'S NOT THERE!

(Saanich Dogwood Star) Council recently asked Dr. Whitbread, senior medical officer of health, for information on the standards by which a beach is judged polluted. Dr. Whitbread's reply said, in effect

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SALT SPRING CONCERT

BY CONNIE ARNELL

Keen interest is being shown in Daniel Llords' marionette show on Sunday afternoon, November 2.

If you have not received your overture concert membership card in the mail, don't be alarmed, as they are to be distributed in the gymnasium lobby before the concert. Any person who wishes to buy a membership may obtain one in the lobby before concert time.

Daniel Llords is a native-born American musician and actor who has been in theatre or in concert nearly all of his life.

He made his debut at the age of seven, playing a mozart piano concerto with a symphony orchestra, then acted in 23 motion pictures with celebrities such as Judy Garland, Jack Benny, Charles Laughton and Maurice Chevalier. He has also been featured as a singer on transcontinental radio and has worked as a designer for leading theatrical and opera companies.

However, the 700 marionettes that he has single-handedly

made have come to be his first love and the perfect vehicle for his many talents as singer, actor, musician, sculptor, engineer, playwright, choreographer, designer and director.

As "Pygmalion of the Woodpile", he has created all of his own marionettes and clothed them in the most sumptuous silks, brocades, laces and embroideries, ermine and chinchilla (one chorus girl sports a genuine minipetticoat). The animal world is not overlooked -- elephants, giraffes, lobsters, horses, polar bears and llamas appear.

Mr. Llords visually interprets great musical masterpieces as "The Firebird Suite", "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik", ballet music from "Faust", "Capriccio espagnol" and "Gaiete Parisienne". He combines the best in theatre and concert into a new art form labelled concerttheatre: as intimate as story telling, as opulent as the New York stage, as electrifying as a continental ballet troupe -- a long way and far cry from the child's Punch and Judy.

Please be seated before the concert begins as latecomers will not be allowed to enter until the first selection on the program is ended (27 minutes).

SATURNA

Pinch hitting again for Papa John who is in Vancouver this weekend with Mrs. Papajohn. Our best wishes for a speedy recovery to Marie who is undergoing surgery this week. Also our best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Laura Coombs.

Returning to Vancouver after a week spent with her cousin, Mrs. Walter Warlow, is Mrs. R. Evans.

Guests of Mrs. Freda Hall last week end were Mrs. Ellen Hall and son John and daughter Lorna of Vancouver. Up from Everett working on their Lyall Harbour cottage were Mr. and Mrs. R. Broten, who will soon be permanent Saturnaites. Also over working in their Lyall Harbour home are the Fergie Blanes of Vancouver.

Weekending at his mother's cottage at Boot Cove were Mike Foy and wife Debbie of Vancouver.

Working hard filling in a waterline ditch to earn money for their trip with Mrs. Hindmarch next spring were John Davidson, Dale Lawson and Arthur Carpenter. Good luck, boys!

Fund for our Volunteer Fire department is growing apace,

many thanks to generous donations from summer cottage owners as well as our permanent home owners. We are hoping to reach our goal by Christmas.

Off for a few days' trip to the Okanagan the first of the week were Mr. and Mrs. J. Money, W. Money, Mrs. J. Money, Jr. and son, Jimmy. - L. Money.

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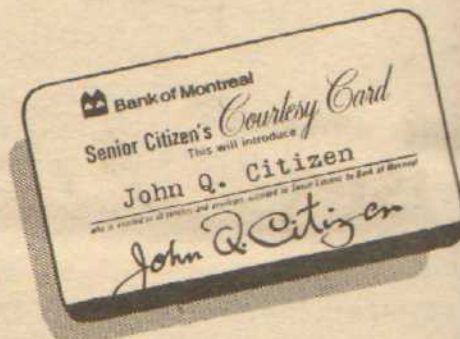
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EAT, DRINK AND BE MERRY

The recent American atomic explosion was clean and pure. Russian atomic experiments may prove equally free of unpleasant results. The Chinese and the French and the rest of the world may well be playing with dirtier, more evil bombs. The stratosphere is as full of radiation as the atmosphere is of petroleum poisoning.

The streams and rivers and lakes and seas are killing the fish. Population is still rising and world supplies of essentials are rapidly declining.

All we are waiting for is an assurance from the great powers that they recognize the threat to humanity of their frivolous experimentation with atomic explosions. We are daily expecting an announcement by the great corporations of this and other lands that the profit factor will be subordinate to the needs of mankind.

A revelation by the governments, both provincial and national, that no vested interest will be permitted to rank above the protection of our resources is an important step in this state of peril and hazard in which man has placed his species.

No doubt these things will take time.

In the meantime the man who cringes in fear from the threat of modern dying is accomplishing little.

Like others, we will continue to stress the dangers inherent in blind, selfish living, but, please, leave us not weep!

Let us enjoy our deteriorating environment. Let us breathe the last vestiges of pure air. Let us swim the last time in clean water. Let us eat while there is yet food enough. Let us drink while the streams run clear.

The wise man calls attention of those around him to a threat to common safety. Only a fool bangs his head against the wall because no one listens.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

URGENCY OF PLANNING

Editor, Driftwood,

I want to underscore Mr. Schubart's comments on the need for planning the land-use of our island before it is too late and the developers ruin it.

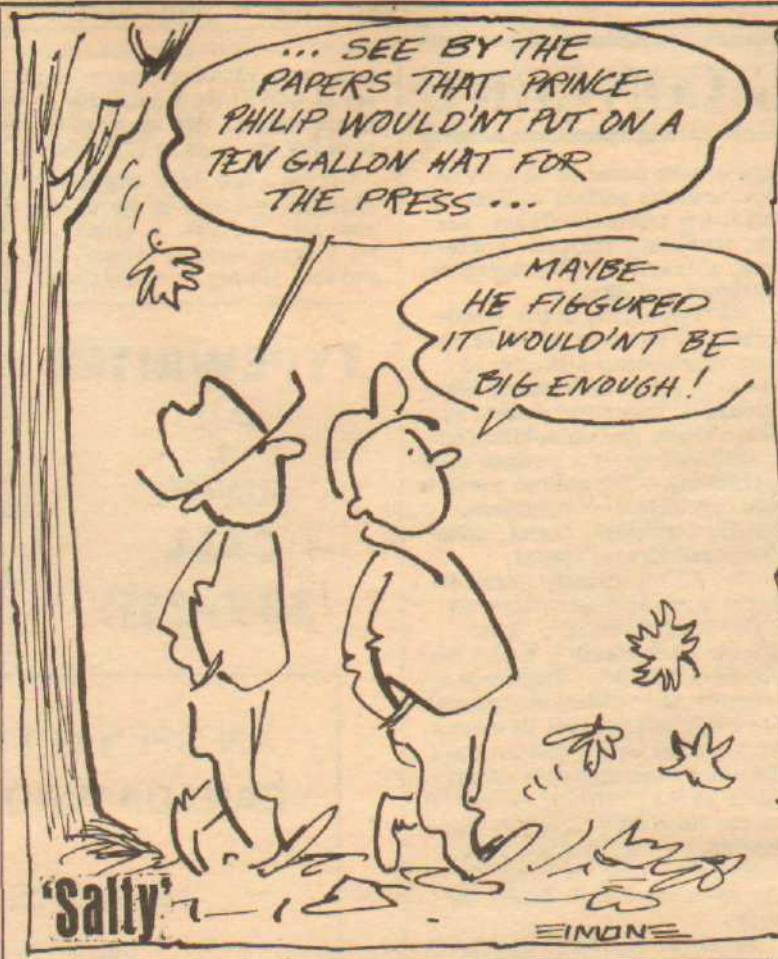
Having spent many months in England in recent years and comparing the wonderful controls on land use with which this island, Britain, is blessed, thanks to the Town and Country Planning Act of 1947 and its amendments, I am horrified at the lack of such intelligent planning throughout the United States, especially in cities, and the spread of the developers' blight to western Canada.

The irony is that planning in

the long run is by far the best economical asset a community can have, and control of land speculation and helter-skelter building assures us of the retention of the beauty of the landscape and adds aesthetic values to our organized communities.

Ganges urgently needs incorporation and a firm zoning system plus the creation of a local planning authority, on the British model, which will assure the harmonious growth of the village and, we hope, get rid of the eyesores, of which there are already too many.

Anthony Nerboy, Scott Point Road, Ganges, Oct. 23, 1969.



REPLY TO EARL YOUNG'S CRITICISM OF SHOOTING RESTRICTIONS AMONG THE GULF ISLANDS

Editor, Driftwood,

I observe in your issue of Oct. 23 that Mr. Earl Young has attacked the existing "Shotgun Law" in re hunting on the Islands, under the flamboyant heading "This Law So Criminal":

I wish to respond to this article because the intemperate language used by Mr. Young in referring to this restriction as "Criminal" and the result of "emotional stupidity" could very well encourage some people to disregard the regulation. I already know of one person hunting on my property with a rifle, and Mr. Young's attack may encourage him or others to the point where they land in Police Court.

Personally I wish to see some form of hunting continued on the Islands, however, the point that Mr. and Young and other hunters should understand is that the people - some 1200 of them - who supported the restriction to shotguns, are not at all concerned about calibres, foot-sounds, shocking-power, and so forth, except insofar as they extend the area of hazard around each hunter, or encourage hunters towards carelessness. For instance, one could make a case for hunting deer with a light tank and explosive cannon shells as being more humane and extending the range in which death will be instantaneous, but it is dubious that such machines would be welcomed.

We realize, of course, that some hunters are prepared to wound any number of deer with shotguns, but does Mr. Young seriously propose, because a hunter is too inexperienced or too inept to get a deer with a shotgun, that the inexperienced and inept should be put out in our meadows and lanes with high-powered rifles?

Any of the old-timers would be able to confirm that during the 'twenties and 'thirties it is probable that most deer shot on Salt Spring were dropped with a 12-gauge shotgun -- some of my teeth are still cracked from biting down on BB shot -- and I would doubt that today's ammunition is less effective than that of 30 years ago.

I wonder about the logic of Mr. Young's statement that the deer are now one-third smaller than they were ten years ago. Is this supported by a scientific survey? If the hunting methods

of the past ten years have led to such a result, is it not fortunate that we have a change that may halt the miniaturization of the species?

I've noticed, too, a strange inconsistency on the part of many pro-rifle hunters in discussing this year's Galiano accident. Whereas with one breath they say the inaccurate shotguns will leave many deer wounded rather than dead, with the next breath they refer to this fall's wounding accident and say, "Probably wouldn't have hit him if it were a rifle."

It is illogical, too, for Mr. Young to draw a circle around "hunter-sportsmen" as the only ones "who willingly contribute towards the welfare of the game." I always thought they were going to eat the meat.

About these "hunter-sportsmen"; these are the people whose actions led to the present "Shotgun Only" law. It is likely correct as Mr. Young states, that the incidence of fatal accidents is quite low considering the numbers involved. However, one must also consider that hunting is unique among sports, in that under certain circumstances it becomes quite hazardous for outsiders - not the stadium spectators, but people just going about their business. It is also unique in that it appears no hunter is ever punished for killing a human.

However, broadly speaking, it was probably less the hazards, as arguable as they may be, than the thousands of uncaring

PLAN BAZAAR FOR OLD AGE PENSIONERS ON NOVEMBER 1

Regular meeting of the Old Age Pensioners' Organization on October 23 in St. George's Hall drew a good attendance.

Arrangements were made for the forthcoming bazaar, Nov. 1 in St. George's Hall. Archdeacon G. H. Holmes, assisted by Mrs. Holmes, will open the affair at 2 p.m.

Mrs. E. Barber gave a report on the Island council meeting held in Nanaimo, October 3 when she attended as delegate.

Mrs. E. Thacker will be at the Towers Hotel in New Westminster, Oct. 26, 27 and 28 when she will attend the Conference of Counsellors of Age. There will be 60 counsellors from all parts of B. C. at this study.

SQUARE DANCING

The young people attending the Salt Spring Squares' dancing lessons are getting along like a house on fire.

They improve every week with no sign of diminishing interest, which is very encouraging to Harry Caldwell, their teacher.

We are gradually getting properly organized and the adults are getting in their fair share of dancing. Harry has taken the adult beginners under his wing on a separate evening and any adult interested should contact Harry at 537-5380 as soon as possible.

The parents of the young folks could help us a lot if they would pick up their charges at approximately 9 o'clock or arrange to have them picked up at that time.

I would also like to remind everybody there will be no dance on Friday, October 31. Hallowe'en night.—JOHN MCKEE

or negligent, rude or vandalistic, pettier actions of the "hunter-sportsmen" which impelled residents to ask for restrictions on rifles.

To fix the blame where it belongs, very few, indeed, of these acts were committed by our local hunters. Rural residents are more knowledgeable, and less careless in the woods, than the once-a-year visitors from Vancouver and Victoria.

Most of these town hunters have large calibre, scope-mounted rifles, and would not think of trading them off for a hayseed type weapon like a shotgun. So they are not coming here in anything like the former numbers. At least this year I have not yet seen any riflemen stalking our School Bus Stop which occurred in previous years. It is to be hoped that these folk are now hunting farther afield where a sparser population may not mind their eccentricities.

And after a season or two, perhaps the deer will settle down and our hunters will get as much venison with a shotgun as they ever did with a rifle.

C. R. Horel, R. R. 2, Ganges Oct. 26, 1969.

CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1969

ANGLICAN

St. Mary's	Fulford	Early Communion	9:00 am
St. Mark's	Central	Communion	11:00 am
St. Mary Magdalene	Mayne Is.	Morning Service	11:30 am

ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Paul's	Fulford	Holy Mass	9:00 am
Our Lady of Grace	Ganges	Holy Mass	11:00 am

UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Fred Anderson	Ganges	Morning Worship	11:00 am
Box 461, 537-2439	"	Informal Worship	8:00 pm

COMMUNITY GOSPEL CHAPEL

Rev. M. V. GILPIN	Ganges	Sunday School & Adult Bible Class	10.30am
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AT MAYNE ISLAND

WINTER PROJECTS MOVING

BY ELSIE BROWN

A few of the planned projects for the winter on Mayne are under way but there are still some activities not fully organized.

For those interested the following dates may be worthy of note:

Monday night, (changed from Saturday night): Square dancing 8 pm - 10 pm.

Tuesday: Badminton 1:30 pm - 4 pm also evenings if enough interested, phone Effie Piggott for information.

Wednesday: Mayne Island Ladies Arts and Crafts, at the school, 7:30 pm.

First Aid Classes are being organized and the dates and time will be posted.

Drama is also on the agenda and will get underway as soon as a night is decided on and a suitable play found.

Art classes under the direction of Mrs. Joyce Mitchell will begin January 15.

Coming events will include a Hallowe'en Party for the children (and adults if they care to come) at Douglas Mill, Fernhill Road. It will be under the sponsorship of the Mayne Island Volunteer Fire Department.

Date, Friday, October 31. Time 7:30 pm. Lots of fun for the youngsters and there will be a bonfire. Warm clothing is recommended.

The Annual Meeting of the Community Association will be

held at the hall, Tuesday, evening, Nov. 4.
NEW PARENTS

Congratulations to new parents Mr. and Mrs. Barrie Girardi, a boy, Stephen Norman. And from Evanston, Illinois, a baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Breyn, Evanna Louise. Mrs. Breyn is the former Celeste Evans, sister of Jack Evans, Cherry Tree Place. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, Horton Bay, a boy. Best Wishes to them all!

A belated welcome to property owners at Campbell Bay, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Lockie of Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blair of Trail, B. C. who are clearing their land at Cherry Tree Bay. The Blairs are on holiday and have been visiting over in Victoria and enjoying the Gulf Islands' scenery during these lovely autumn days.

We hear Dale Piggott, Miners Bay, Mayne Island's Marshall Dillon, has decided to give up his badge after being booby

trapped by Ross Lord's three pussy cats, Eenie, Meenie and Minnie. We hope he changes his mind as we certainly need some one to keep law and order in our peaceful little community.
CENTENNIAL PROJECT

Centennial Projects are being discussed on the Gulf Islands and Mayne Island will be participating, no question about it. The ratepayers meeting will be held some time in November so come prepared to make suitable suggestions. Otherwise, chairman John Rainsford will be glad to receive them by letter or phone.

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Given a chance to change those plans,
I'd add another pair of hands.
- Grace A. Wright, Ganges.

Each year the government collects some 40 thousand insect and disease samples to survey the health of Canada's forests.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY

BY BEA HAMILTON

Costume party at the Rod and Gun Hallowe'en party was a great success on October 24.

Live music was enjoyed and refreshments were served, Hallowe'en games and costume parades spot-lighted the evening. Clown Peggy Stewart helped to make the party as she greeted the guests and kept everyone on their toes throughout the celebrations. Special thanks to her, say the members.

Prize costumes were worn by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall, Bernard Reynolds and S. Tyerman.

The Rod and Gun Club dinner and dance will be held at the Fulford Hall on November 28 and the members also hope to celebrate the New Year with a social evening at the Rod and Gun Club Hall on December 31.

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GALIANO

BY MARY BACKLUND

Mr. and Mrs. Wilf Furness have just returned from an enjoyable holiday down in Las Vegas, and we now understand that they have sold out their construction business to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Weaver.

Seems that the Weavers, who also have sold out at their north Galiano fish camp, will now move down to the south end, and the Furness' will move to the mainland to another business.

All of the Callaghan family and the Saters had a grand big clearing bee over the past week-end; Ron and Nola Callaghan, with their family, have recently bought land near sister and family, the Kenneth Saters. Ron and Nola live in Victoria, and come over at week ends to their new property. They have a neat trailer now located up the new road to the view site. Parents of Mr. Callaghan and Mrs. Sater, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Callaghan are now moved over from Vancouver to live permanently on the Island. We welcome home this family, as although they have never severed their link with the home Island, Ed and his wife have not lived continuously on Galiano for some time.

Ronald Page has been spending a holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Page, from his home in Nanaimo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nicholls came over from Haney to visit friends on the Island for the week end as did Mr. and Mrs. Barry Reeve, of Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. George Newton are now visiting relatives in Kamloops.

Miss Joyce Lockwood was down recently from Gabriola Island, to visit her sister, Miss Jean Lockwood.

We are sorry that Charlie Morshed suffered a stroke at his home recently, and was immediately attended by his doctor and nurse on the Island. He is at home and is reported to be improving.

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The high ceiling, V-joint
walls and sliding ladders are
gone for ever. Even the shape
has changed. And the original
entrance is now an insurance
office.

On Friday the Trading Comp-
any will formally change its
character. Opening Day is Fri-
day. There will be prizes and
special sales to mark the transi-
tion.

There have been changes and
expansion programs since the
Trading Company opened its
doors 57 years ago, but never so
sweeping.

In 1912 the store was built as a
co-operative effort by a number
of islanders. The promoters are
mostly long gone, but the names
of the early shareholders are fa-
miliar to many of the older res-
idents: H.W. Bullock, T.F.
Speed, J.C. Scovel, Col. B. V.
Layard, F.L. Scott, J.C. Lang,
A.J. Smith, E. Walter and Ver-
non Case-Morris.

The influence of these men
and their times continued in the
operation of the store until this
year. Changes have been made
during the past months to lead
up to the new look.

Trading Company was the last
of the traditional general stores.
Shelves ran up to the high ceil-
ings and clerks ran up the ladd-
er to the shelves. It was pictur-

esque, photogenic, a headache
to the staff and unprofitable.

The new store has centre racks
for self-service. The customer
serves herself and wheels her
purchases to the check-out coun-
ters with their mechanized turn-
tables.

The walls and ceilings are
white and immaculate and the
lighting is panelled into the
ceiling.

The Trading Company has
joined the 1960's.

Manager of the store is Merv-
yn Gardner. For many years he
managed the meat department,
taking over the entire store re-
cently when Doug Wells was the
victim of a long sickness. Mr.
Gardner is the fifth manager of
the store in its long history.

The company was purchased
earlier in the year by Mouat's
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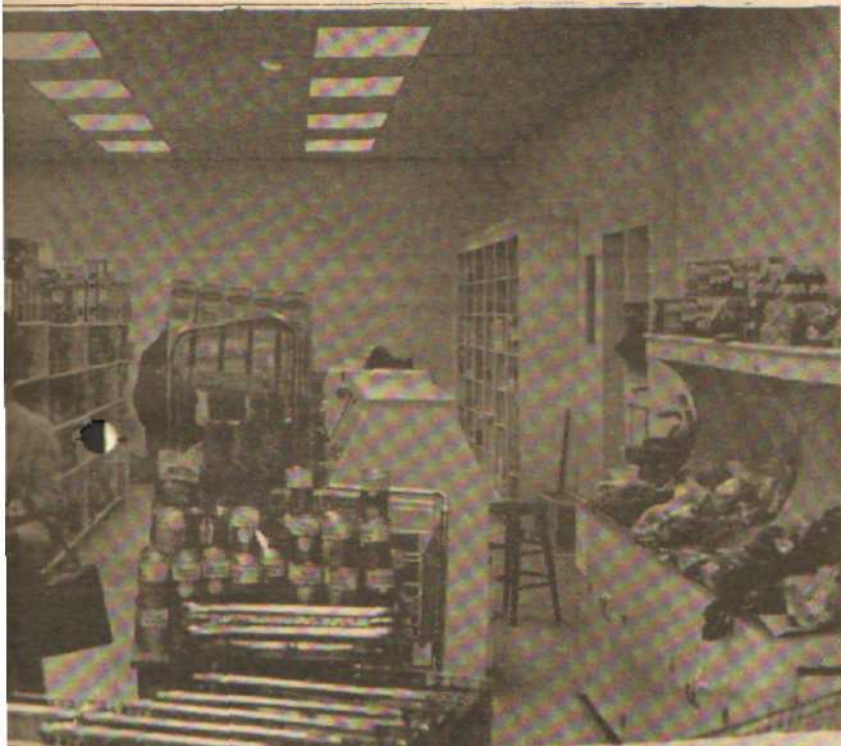
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For most of those years the rivalry between the two firms was amicable.

Mouat's Trading Company acquired Mouat Brothers Ltd. It purchased the Ganges Crest and the Salt Spring Island Trading Company. While the revamping of the Trading Company store is part of the changes wrought by the new operators, it is a small part. Plans have already been drawn of a new look for the shopping centre, with part of the mud flats filled in behind the fire hall and car parking facilities provided between the present Mouat's store and the road past the Trading Company.

In addition to the Trading Company, the block now houses the Salt Spring Island branch of B.C. Land and Insurance Agency Ltd. The insurance office will be located where the front entrance to the Trading Company store used to be. Mrs. Pearl Motion will manage the office.

At the northern end of the store building is the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce branch with crews still frantically working to get it ready for use. Major construction project in connection with the bank branch is the preparation of vaults. The reinforced concrete

has now been poured and the branch is nearly ready for use.

Salt Spring Island is growing up and the changes in the Trading Company block are merely the signs of the community keeping pace.

SHORT CUT AND NO COMMERCIALS WITH THIS TELEVISION

Gulf Islands Secondary School is seeking a short cut to television programs.

At a recent school board meeting in Ganges, Principal Donald Hartwig recalled earlier discussions of the purchase of a video tape recorder. Such a machine tapes television programs as a tape recorder keeps packages of aural programs.

Educational television from Channel Nine is too often broadcast outside school hours, Mr. Hartwig told the school board. He sees the value of a recorder for taping such programs out of school hours and running them during classes.

Cost of the recorder was estimated at \$2,500 to \$3,000.

The recorder could be a popular feature of many homes. It could record a television show and leave out the commercials.

THE SANITARY BEE

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Juvenile Soccer

DIVISION EIGHT, Salt Spring Islanders 1, Duncan 8.

The Islanders' home debut was not a winning success but did produce the first goal of the season for the local team.

Two penalty kicks resulted in the first two goals for the Duncan team. The Salt Spring team's defenders and goal keeper, normally very steady, never regained confidence. They were unable to stem the visitors' attack. Gary Hartwig tried very hard to hold the Islanders together and Mike Rozzanno scored their only goal.

DIVISION SIX, Salt Spring Lions 0, Tzouhalem, 2.

The Lions were up against the unbeaten division, six-league leaders and were involved in defensive action for most of the game.

The defence, with Arthur Buitenwerf prominent at centre half, played very well and held

WEDDING ON ST. HELENA

Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Huxtable took place recently on the island of St. Helena; shown also with wedding party is Mr. Huxtable's son Gavin.

Mr. and Mrs. Huxtable and Gavin plan to return to B. C. to live next June. Mr. Huxtable has been pioneering for the Bahai Faith on the island of St. Helena for the past five years.

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BOB BLUNDELL VENTURE AT GANGES

Indefatigable Ganges merchant has entered a new sphere of activity.

Bob Blundell has acquired the

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distribute gas as well as gas-burning equipment.

It is a new venture for the proprietor of Harbour Grocery, but it is not his first step away from the grocery business.

Investments salesman, professional photographer and now store operator, Blundell is in everything.

He is president of the newly formed Salt Spring Island Rotary Club; secretary of Salt Spring Island Rod and Gun Club and membership committee chairman of the Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to these responsibilities, Bob has acquired the property on the main street in Ganges, next door to DRIFTWOOD and has moved and raised the building there to be operated as a general store.

He plans several changes in the future in the distribution of propane gas, but his only concern is to maintain an adequate service.

Here from Vancouver for more than a year, Mr. Harbour Grocery works with Mrs. Blundell in the store operation. They have a daughter, Barbara, who is still in school at Ganges.

Gulf Islands Propane Gas will be operated from Harbour Grocery.

GALIANO COMMITTEE

At a recent public meeting, the Galiano Centennial 71 Committee was formed.

Basil Benger is chairman; Mrs. F.E. Robson, vice-chairman; Miss Jean Lockwood, secretary, W.H. (Bud) Day, treasurer.

Other members are Mrs. G.H. Snell, Mrs. Les Robinson, and D.A. New.

POPPY DAY

The Royal Canadian Legion on Salt Spring Island has announced that Remembrance this year will be from Monday, November 3 to Tuesday, November 11, culminating in the annual Remembrance Day parade and service at the Ganges Cenotaph.

Foremost during this week of remembering the 104,000 Canadians who gave their lives in the service of their country will be the annual sale of poppies; the little flower that has been a symbol of sacrifice since John McCrea wrote the immortal "In Flanders Fields" during World War I. Last year seven and a half million Canadians, men, women and children wore a poppy.

Proceeds from Poppy Day, as always in the past, will go into a Poppy Fund, and in each community the fund is administered by the Legion branch. The money is held in trust; it can only be used for relief, in emergency for veterans, widows and other dependents.

On Salt Spring Island there will be no door-to-door canvass. Volunteers wearing Legion insignia will be on the roads at various points on the island to offer poppies and accept donations. Collection cans will be placed in Ganges, Fulford and Vesuvius and wreaths are also available. J. G. Stevens is in charge.

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SOUTH PENDER

BY CULTUS COULEE

Miss Hilda Howe's embroidered tablecloth has won first prize in the lower Vancouver Island area, regional section, of the Coates (Lancashire) competition, held in Victoria. It now goes on its merry way to compete in the provincial section, and good luck to it.

At Pencilwood, visiting her father John Freeman, Viva Flood with her husband Frank, from Robson, where she teaches French in the French and English Department of Selkirk College, at Castlegar.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kenny, with daughter Shannon and son-in-law David Langevin, all from Victoria, at the Renauds' Bonheur.

An evening of innocent merriment for Pender Players chez Madge Casseday and her daughter Eileen, on October 9.

Gertrude Bennett, who chose a Welsh farce, "A Husband for Breakfast" was away, and Frank Plunkett directed. Olive Auchterlonie, (re-elected president) read the lead, and Jack Bridge, George Pearson, Joan Purchase, and Gerry Stevens, were in there, getting laughs. Again, Jessie Cornaby did the fiendish job of typing all the parts.

Others there, Maude Adams, Flo Bridge, with guest Mrs. Helen Munn-Mace, from England; Mary Coleman, John Copley, (re-elected secretary-treasurer), Hilda Glyde, Dorothy and Nep Grimmer, Edith Pearson, and Miss Purchase's guest, Miss Mary Procter, from England.

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lease of the following described
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shore fronting on Lot 29 of Lot
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Cowichan District: Commenc-
ing at a post planted North
East corner of Lot 28; thence
460' N 36 deg. W; thence 220'
S 64 deg. W; thence 430' S 16
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FERNWOOD

BY JESSIE SAYER

Mr. and Mrs. W. DeLong and
George returned home from a
month's trip which covered
nearly 12,000 miles by plane
and bus. They made a circle
tour from Ganges to Eastern
Canada then down through the
United States and back to Van-
couver then home.

Mrs. Allie Thompson is still
a patient in Lady Minto Hospi-
tal but is expected home soon.

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GANGES

Mrs. Douglas Wilson returned home from a three-week holiday in Eastern Canada staying in Toronto, Dorval and Belleville.

Mrs. A. Butler, Vancouver, has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Agar for the past week.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Dillabough, Salt Spring Way were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holmes, all from Summerland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillabough were visitors in Vancouver last week end when Mr. Dillabough attended the fifth annual B.C. Police Union which was held in North Vancouver.

Visitors last week end of Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Morrison, Fruitvale Road, were their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Morrison, Vancouver.

Guests at Harbour House last week were Mr. and Mrs. J. Copeland, Kenora; Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Robinson and J. Williams, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. J.K. Hall, Texado Island; Mr. and Mrs. S.R. Harding, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Harris, Abbotsford; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lee, Port Moody; R. Carberry, Duncan; W. Kent, West Vancouver and D.A. Noble, Victoria.

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MYSTERY

WHY NOT ON SUNDAY?

BY ELSIE BROWN

Harvest Thanksgiving service at the church of St. Mary Magdalene on Mayne was fairly well attended but it is unfortunate that more couldn't have been present to hear Rev. Benjamin Fream's message.

The church as festive with fall flowers, vegetables, fruits and autumn leaves which a few of the ladies of the church had arranged attractively the previous Saturday.

Our organ is out of commission and we are hoping to have it fixed by Christmas. Singing is always improved with accompaniment of some sort and other musical instruments are used in a few churches. Perhaps records of hymns with or without singers could be utilized.

Is our church going to become a collector's item as some of the churches are in the Old Country? And why should a church have a history worth recording and not be worth attending on Sunday?

St. Magdalene church is one of the points of interest in Mayne. If the builders could see the way it is neglected they would feel very poorly repaid for their efforts. The church should be the focal point of the community and when it is gone what else is there?

It is a mystery to the writer why it should be so important to get married in a church, have one's children baptised in a church or be buried in a churchyard when it isn't good enough to attend on Sunday.

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GALIANO SEEKS TAX AID

Tentative Approval On Two Scores

Residents of Galiano Island expressed warm support last week for the operation of volunteer fire department and garbage dump as public charges.

A meeting called by the Galiano Club, to discuss local services, drew a large attendance of over 80 people to hear guest speaker William Long. Mr. Long is secretary-treasurer of the Capital Regional District and came over to explain its function in the Gulf Islands.

The Galiano Club operates the community hall, and on the land to which they hold title, known as Bluffs Park, the garbage dump is situated.

The club is concerned about the cost of providing these facilities. As in the case of the volunteer fire brigade, a number of permanent or part-time residents of the Island enjoy these services without contributing to their maintenance, it is felt.

W. H. Day, treasurer of the club, explained that the club committee is quite willing to work hard to put on affairs to raise money to pay for the renovations of the kitchen, to enlarge the parking lot, or anything like this, but they are not anxious to put on any kind of a fund-raising affair to raise money for the garbage dump.

Mr. Long said that if there were sufficient interest, the money could be raised through taxation of all landowners in the area benefitting and a referendum

held to give the Regional District the right to levy the necessary taxes and collect the money. He explained that a local administrative committee would be required. Members could be appointed by the District, and they would administer the utility with funds provided by the Regional District.

A question was asked from the floor whether ownership of the property by the Club would represent a barrier to public administration. Mr. Long agreed that there would be a difficulty. This answer frustrated a third request for assistance in the maintenance of the hall. Meeting unanimously endorsed the support of

fire department and garbage dump by a tax levy.

Allen Clarke summed up the feeling well by saying that he warmly commends the fire brigade for collecting 70 per cent of their money from the Islanders, but still "there are 30 per cent of the rascals who do not pay."

Volunteer firemen respond to any call on the Island, regardless of whether the owners contribute to its support or not. There are some residents of the island who are indifferent to these services.

Mr. Day thanked Mr. Long for his visit to Galiano and said that people will be told of any new developments.

FULFORD

BY BEA HAMILTON

As soon as the highways crew get over all the humps of roadway delays, they will start work on the Isabella Point Road.

The blacktopping will extend all along the road and up the bad hill past Roland's Road corner, which should be a great help. Roland's Road could stand a dressing for it can be quite a salad in muggy weather. However, we are assured that Isabella Point will get a fair share of the blacktopping—several miles anyway, got it from the road boss himself.

Looking along the Fulford-Ganges highway it seems that all the roads have been ditched. Careless driving could see cars ditched as well with disastrous results. But with good roads we should have good driving!

The next W.I. meeting will be held the first Thursday in November (6th) at the home of Mrs. Gil Thornley at Fulford, just above the docks, near the Post Office at 2 p.m. Some members are planning to go to the Strawberry Vale Birthday party for the W.I. on November 11. This is a big do and a much

looked forward to event in the long history of first institutes on Vancouver Island. Over half a century and next year, our own Island W.I. will celebrate our own 50 years as an active institute. So we have a celebration to prepare for!

A big surprise walked into our home on Saturday, and I mean a big one, - Jack Webster, no less. He was looking for something he couldn't find, nor could we help him but we had a pleasant talk, a pleasant walk to the garden and left with a bouquet of chrysanthemums from Mrs. Davis's garden. We hope if he loses anything again, he will come our way to make enquiries. We shall probably confuse him again but that's the fun of country living, the unexpected always turns up.

CAR WRECKED AT SIDNEY

John Caldwell, of Ganges, escaped injury when his car left the road on Patricia Bay Highway, Sunday, Oct. 19, and rolled over.

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Ten tables were in play and the committee was assisted in the bridge organization by Mrs. Alice Hammett.

Mrs. Dorothy Hook, social convener, presented the bridge prizes to the winners, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Ashcroft. Consolation prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richardson. Following the bridge, refreshments were served by Mrs. R. Foulis.

Fulford Tide Table

OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1969
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	1700	9.8
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