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## HIT BY HIGH WINDS

### Sidney Goes Aground

A hurricane hit with lightning force on Friday night, just as the B.C. Ferry, "Queen of Sidney" was attempting to make a regular landing at Sturdies Bay, on Galiano Island.

It was about 9:20, and a strong gust of wind blew the ferry across Sturdies Bay and broadside on the flat sloping rocks.

The ferry was being held on the rocks by the hurricane, but watchers on shore could not call to the ship above the shrieks of the wind. When the Island Mariner arrived she had a tough time getting a line aboard. As soon as the line was secured they proceeded to pull offshore. The line to the tug eased the violence of the ship's grinding against the rocks.

A Coast Guard hovercraft was quickly on the scene.

Galiano residents could see the passengers in the windows of the ferry getting the life jackets on, and the officers and crew among them.

There were about 200 persons aboard the ferry, and some 30 cars, according to ferrymen. The ship augments the Secheft Queen on certain runs, calling at the Outer Island ports to relieve the main ferry.

The Sidney was never alone. On shore the Galiano volunteer fire department was on standby to rescue passengers if the skipper, Capt. David Walton should require it.

The Island Mariner was called in to do the work. The Queen of Esquimalt stood by to accommodate passengers if necessary. The Coast Guard vessel, Ready, was ready and the Mayne Queen doubled back after her last trip to Saturna to transport passengers to other islands.

The Island Mariner was held off in its earlier rescue attempts by the weather. For about two hours she stood off while waiting for the opportunity to move in.

Mayne Queen came to the rescue after docking at Saturna. Passengers who expected to land at Sturdies Bay at 9:30, were taken off at Miners Bay, on Mayne Island, and transferred.

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## GRADUATE NURSE



MRS. NANCY LANE, R.N.

When Nancy Howland left St. Joseph's School of Nursing in the 1950s to get married she was postponing her graduation. On Sunday her family attended the graduation ceremonies of St. Joseph's School of Nursing in the Royal Theatre. Mrs. Nancy Lane was among the graduates. A Salt Spring Island girl, she went to Victoria and studied and married there. A month or so before her husband's death she decided to complete her studies. Despite her family responsibilities, she went through with the plan and with the full support of her five children.

## GULF ISLANDS SCHOOLS

### New Superintendent Named

Board of trustees of Gulf Islands School District has welcomed the recent appointment of Cornellious (Cory) Holob as District Superintendent of Schools for the Islands school district as well as Saanich School District.

Mr. Holob was born in Winnipeg and received his early education in Manitoba, completing his secondary education and teacher training in British Columbia.

At U.B.C. he earned both a B.Sc. in Agriculture and M.E. in Administration.

Upon joining the Department of Education in 1968, Mr. Holob was posted to the position of relieving district superintendent.

He came to the School Districts of the Gulf Islands and Sa-

## INTERIM ZONING BY-LAW FOR SALT SPRING

### Quiet Hearing In Ganges School As Over 60 Ask For Zoning Changes

It was quiet. None of the near 600 people in the school auditorium at Ganges on Monday evening waxed emotional. The island community heard about 75 speakers objecting to specific aspects of the interim zoning by-law. Some were critical of the entire by-law and one or two were critical of the planners.

A few had attended the hearing expecting fireworks. They were disappointed.

Regional Director Marc Holmes opened the hearing with a reflection of the development of planning.

"It is a historic occasion when Salt Spring Island comes to this point in land use control and planning," he observed.

Planning came to a community when some rules are needed to prevent one neighbor from trampling on another, suggested the chairman.

Of the hearing, he told islanders that all briefs would be carefully considered before the by-law goes any further.

When the board has heard all objections and expressions of opinions on the by-law it is left to that board to make the final decision.

"If you do not get what you now seek, where do you stand?" asked the speaker, "Are you locked in for ever?"

He replied to his own question. There is the Board of Variance, he explained, which will be set (Turn to Page Three)

## When Will It Ease Up?

How long will it be before the 10-acre limit on subdivisions might be lifted, the planning hearing was asked on Monday evening at Ganges.

The briefs had been heard and the president of the Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce was permitted to speak of outside matters.

Central Saanich Mayor A.M. Galbraith, chairman of the planning committee of the Capital Regional District, could not make a firm commitment.

"You must have a zoning by-law first," he replied, "and as far as I can figure, it will be six to eight months at least."

Restriction of subdivisions to a minimum lot size of 10 acres was imposed last year by Municipal Affairs Minister Dan Campbell.

This summer his department stated that the minister has relinquished control of subdivisions to the Capital Regional District.

Popular impression has been that the restriction was aimed more sharply at the outer Gulf Islands than at Salt Spring Island.

Salt Spring Island and the Gulf Islands are located in separate electoral areas. Legislation may in future be approved for such de-

velopment on Salt Spring Island and denied to land owners on the Outer Islands.

## NEW POST OFFICE AT GANGES

N. J. McManus, of Ganges, asked for rezoning of property in order to build a post office, at the public hearing in Ganges on Monday.

He was told by Marc Holmes that rezoning was not necessary for a post office. Such a building may be erected on property zoned for any purpose.

Post office in Ottawa is inviting tenders for the supply of a new post office at Ganges.

Post office department does not advertise its needs in the newspapers. It is the policy of the department to place notices in its own offices and it is up to the public to look for such announcements.

Details are to be found in the post office lobby.

## TOURISTS

Summer season closes with a report of increased tourist traffic and increased burdens on island ferries.

Chamber of Commerce heard a report at its last meeting of increased tourist enquiries at the newly instituted travel bureau in a Ganges store.

Bureau was established in the main street establishment of Mod'n Lavender at the beginning of the summer.

Change eliminated the need for engaging staff for the bureau as had been done in previous years. It also provided a source of information available at all times of business of the store.

A.V. Agar, reporting to the chamber, stated that the experiment had been very successful.

## Two Views Of One Island

Interim zoning by-law is based on the present use of land, stated Community Planner Anthony Roberts at Monday evening's public hearing in Ganges. The ultimate long-term by-law will relate to the future use of property. This is the difference in concept between the present by-law and that anticipated at the end of next year.

Mr. Roberts was replying to Bram Oudshoorn, who asked why a new by-law could not be simply a modification of the interim by-law.

Mr. Oudshoorn also noted that where a property fails to conform with regulations in the by-law it may still be used. It would then be non-conforming. A building which failed to conform with the siting restrictions could be altered or extended, but it could not be rebuilt in the event of fire.

Mr. Roberts suggested that the approval of its use was intended to assist the owner. This approval was not intended to approve its reconstruction in the event of destruction.

nich in that capacity, for a six-week period, last spring. As a result he is already familiar with the two districts and the schools here.

Following this temporary placement, Mr. Holob was district superintendent of schools for S.D. #69 (Qualicum), #79 (Ucluelet-Tofino) and #84 (Vancouver Island West), on Vancouver Island.

Mr. Holob is married and he and his wife, Evelyn, have two daughters, Wendy and Shelly, and one son, Michael.

The new superintendent is extremely active in many professional organizations and during his tenure of some 20 years with the Burnaby School District, served with such varied community organizations as Ratepayers' Association, Y.M.C.A., Parks & Recreation, and the Art Society.

Mr. Holob hopes to renew his acquaintance with the schools in the district as early in the school year as is possible.

## Hydro To Rebuild Island Lines

North Pender residents have been alerted that there will be interruptions in electric service while B.C. Hydro crews rebuild the power line on the island from Canal Road to Razor Point.

Hydro district manager Al Van Sacker advises that every effort will be made to keep the interruptions to a minimum, and they will be timed to create as little

inconvenience as possible. Whenever possible, affected customers will be forewarned of planned shutdowns.

Reconstruction of the existing North Pender line to 25,000 volts is part of Hydro's plan to eventually serve the Gulf Islands with a loop circuit.

Mr. VanSacker explained that during a rebuild of this kind much

work can be done without interrupting service, but it is necessary for power to be cut off during certain phases of the operation.

The work on North Pender is expected to take about two months, he said.

Augmented line down Salt Spring Island to Beaver Point has already been built as has the submarine line to Pender Islands.

# Flower Show Draws Big Crowd

The annual Fall Show of the Salt Spring Island Garden Club held in the Fulford Hall on Sept.

12, was blessed with good weather. There was a large entry, and the show was well-attended.

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Forty-one exhibitors contributed 365 entries. All classes were well filled except the large chrysanthemums. The vagaries of the growing season delayed maturity of most varieties.

A young exhibitor, Christine Lacy, aged eight, received a

commendation for her floral work in Class 53, competing against experienced adults.

A group of 40 West Vancouver Garden Club members, travelling by chartered bus, were visitors at the Show.

List of winners in each class follows:

### SPECIAL AWARDS

Chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Freeborn Trophy, Best Bloom, Class 18, Mrs. P. G. James.

S.S.I. Garden Club Trophy, Aggregate, Mrs. P. G. James. Dahlias, T. W. Mouat Perpetual Challenge Trophy, Aggregate, Mrs. L. J. Mollett.

Best Exhibit in Dahlia Section, P. McLafferty.

Roses, Best Exhibit, Mrs. E. Worthington.

Other Flowers, Best Exhibit, Mrs. I. C. Shank (tuberous begonia).

Decorative Section, S.S.I. Garden Club Perpetual Challenge Trophy for Best Arrangement, Mrs. J. Fendall.

Vegetables, Farmers' Institute Perpetual Challenge Trophy, Aggregate, L. J. Mollett.

Fruit, Best Exhibit, Mrs. T. J. Sharland.

### INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

Chrysanthemums, three blooms, incurved, 1, Mrs. P. G. James; three blooms, avov, 1, Mrs. R.R. Alton; 2, Mrs. P. G. James; medium flowered, purple, 2, Mrs. R.R. Alton; medium white or cream, 1, Mrs. P. G. James; Ethel Zwager, 2, Mrs. P. G. James; sprays, 1, L. G. Giles; 2, Miss G. Hamilton; 3, Mrs. Rathwell; sprays, 1, Mrs. R.R. Alton; 2, Mrs. Rathwell; 3, Mrs. E. Lacy; pompon, one variety, 1, Mrs. P. G. James; 2, Mrs. E. Lacy; 3, Mrs. E. Worthington; pompon, three varieties, 1, Mrs. Rathwell; 2, Mrs. P. G. James.

### DAHLIAS

Decorative, large, 1, Mrs. D. Miles-Pickup; 2, Miss G. Ruckle; 3, Mrs. T.J. Sharland; medium, 1, P. McLafferty; 2, Mrs. L.J. Mollett; small, 2, L. G. Giles; cactus, large, 1, Mrs. L. J. Mollett; medium, 1, Mrs. L. J. Mollett; 3, Miss M. Shaw; small, 1, Mrs. E. Worthington; 2, Mrs. L. J. Mollett; 3, Miss M. Shaw; ball or pompon, 2, Mrs. L.J. Mollett; under 2 inches, 1, Miss M. Shaw; 2, Miss G.C. Hamilton; 3, Mrs. Carter; dwarf bedding, 2, Mrs. L. J. Mollett; 3, Mrs. W. Hastings; fimbriated, 2, Miss G.C. Hamilton; water lily, 1, Mrs. E. Worthington; 2, Mrs. L.J. Mollett; 3, Mrs. W. Hastings; any other, 2, Mrs. L.J. Mollett; 3, Mrs. Ford.

### HE DIED ALONE

Man who lived by himself on Salt Spring Island died by himself.

He was Arthur Thompson, of North Beach Road, Ganges. Mr. Thompson was found dead, lying by his car at home.

He was 72 years of age, and came to the island about 10 years ago. He was a native of Yorkshire, in England. Legion Funeral took place on September 4.

### RCSES

Hybrid tea, 1, Mrs. P. G. James; 2, L. G. Giles; 3, Mrs. R. D. Bird; grandiflora, 1, Mrs. E. Worthington; 2, Mrs. R. D. Bird; bowl, 1, Mrs. J. Fendall; 3, L. G. Giles.

### OTHER FLOWERS

Nasturtiums, 1, Mrs. R. R. Alton; 2, Mrs. Rathwell; 3, Mrs. L. J. Mollett; petunias, 1, Mrs. Dillabough; 2, Mrs. Ford; 3, Mrs. L. O. Tiffin; marigolds, small, 1, Mrs. Dillabough; 2, Mrs. Ford; 3, Mrs. P. G. James; marigolds, African, 1, Mrs. L. J. Mollett; 2, Mrs. F.D. Artiss; 3, L. G. Giles; asters, 2, Mrs. Rathwell; 3, L. G. Giles; calendulas, 1, Mr. Giles; 2, Mrs. Alton; 3, Mrs. Dillabough; zinnias, 1, Mrs. Mollett, 2, Miss Mollett; 3, Miss Janet Lacy; any other annual, 1, Mrs. Carter; 2, Mrs. Rathwell; 3, Mrs. Shank; autumn perennials, 1, Mrs. Rathwell; 2, Mr. Giles; 3, Mrs. Alton; michaelmas daisies, 1, Mr. Giles; 2, Mrs. Carter; flowering shrub, 1, Mrs. Fendall; 2, Mrs. Carter; 3, Mrs. Alton; gladiolus, 1, Miss M. Shaw; tuberous begonia, 1, Mrs. Shank; 2, Mrs. Fendall; 3, Mrs. Alton; fuchsia, 1, Mrs. N. Edwards; 2, Mrs. Shank;

### DECORATIVES

Autumn Beauty, 1, Mrs. Fendall; 2, Mrs. E. Lacy; 3, Mrs. Shank; Hon. mention, Miss Christine Lacy; beauty 'mum, 1, Mrs. Tiffin; 2, Miss B. Galt; 3, Mrs. Alton; blind man's choice, 1, Mrs. Alton; 2, Mrs. Shank; 3, Mrs. James; garden bells, 3, Mrs. Edwards; September, 1, Mrs. Scot Clarke; 2, Mrs. Sharland; 3, Mrs. Miles-Pickup; curves, 1, Mrs. Scot Clarke; 2, Mrs. R.D. Bird; 3, Miss Gwen Ruckle; hon. mention, Mrs. Sharland; harvest fun, 1, Mrs. W.S. Pearce; 2, Mrs. K. Rathwell; 3, Mrs. W. Edwards; hon. mention, Miss G. C. Hamilton; for the birds, 1, Miss B. Galt; 2, Mr. Giles; 3, Mrs. Pearce; stately elegance, 1, Mrs. Alton; 2, Mrs. Shank; 3, Mrs. Scot Clarke; free for all, 1, Mrs. Bird; 2, Mrs. Miles-Pickup; 3, Miss Galt; hon. mention, Mrs. Shank, Mrs. Edwards; new at the game, 1, Mrs. Pearce; 2, Miss Dillabough; 3, Mrs. Carter; hon. mention, Mrs. P. Amsden; minutely yours, 1, Mrs. Shank; 2, Mrs. Edwards; 3, Miss G. Ruckle.

### COMMUNITY MEETING AT MAYNE

Meet-Your-Neighbor Night is slated for Saturday, September 26 at Mayne Island at 7:30 pm.

Activities for the winter will be announced. Mrs. Olive Layard, Adult Education Supervisor will be available to offer information. Slides will be shown.

A hamper will be raffled and tickets are available at Miners Bay Trading Post. Refreshments will be served. Mrs. Margaret Bennett is convener.

The event is under the auspices of the Mayne Agricultural Society.

### VEGETABLES

Beans, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Mrs. Alton; 3, Mrs. Rathwell; beets, globe, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Miss C. Shaw; 3, Mrs. Rathwell; carrots, short, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Mr. Giles; carrots, intermediate, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Miss Shaw; 3, Mr. Giles; carrots, long, 1, Mr. Mollett; cabbage, 1, Mr. Giles; 2, Mrs. Rathwell; 3, Miss C. Shaw; cauliflower, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Mrs. Rathwell; corn, 1, Mrs. Rathwell; 2, Miss C. Shaw; cucumbers, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Miss Janet Lacy; 3, Mrs. Alton; onions, 1, Mrs. Alton; 2, Miss C. Shaw; 3, Mrs. E. Lacy; potatoes, early, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Miss C. Shaw; potatoes, late, 1, Miss C. Shaw; 2, Mr. Giles; squash, 1, Mrs. Miles-Pickup; 2, Mr. Mollett; 3, Mrs. Artiss; tomatoes, greenhouse, 1, Mr. Giles; 2, Mrs. Hastings; tomatoes, outdoor-grown, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Mrs. Miles-Pickup; 3, Mr. Giles; vegetable marrow, 1, Mr. Mollett; display of vegetables, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Mrs. Pearce.

### FRUIT

Apples, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Geo. Wells; 3, Mr. Giles; crab-apples, 1, Mrs. Shank; 2, Mr. Wells; 3, Mr. Mollett; pears, 1, Mr. Mollett; 2, Mrs. Bird; peaches, 1, Mrs. Hastings; plums, 1, Mrs. Sharland; 2, Mrs. Miles-Pickup; 3, Mrs. Bird; prunes, 1, Mr. Wells; 2, Miss C. Shaw; 3, Mrs. Hastings; small fruits, 1, Miss C. Shaw; 2, Mrs. E. Lacy; 3, Mrs. Miles-Pickup.

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# to be frank



By Richards

Jim Boyd has joined the staff of Salt Spring Insurance Agencies. They're glad to have him ... whenever they see him, Jim came here from Victoria after two years in the capital city. Previously he was in his native Alberta. Only trouble now is that he can't get up in the morning. He snores the morning hours away until the boss comes and kicks him out of bed. It's so quiet at Cusheon Lake, he explains.

See Nels Degnen buying flash light batteries the other day. Only way he can see any fish these days is to use a high power flashlight. If it works there's likely to be a run on flashlights.

There are enough ferry queers in the fleet today. What we need, observed a Sidney wag, is a ferry godmother, to watch over them.

Perhaps if every airline were to donate a million dollars to Israel in respect of every pirated airliner, there might be fewer pirates.

Animal food manufacturer has sent me a list of animals named to the "Animal Hall of Fame" in taken of some noble action attributed to them. Presumably, if titles were still conferred by the Sovereign on Canadian citizens, these animals would be recommended for such. One might then become the Honorable Cat; another, Sir Bingo Pooch or perhaps Lord Bonzo. I, personally, wouldn't send a knight out on a dog like that, but I don't sell dog food and it probably makes a difference.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Giesbrecht of Hope Bay, Pender Island, who have conducted the Family Bible Hour, Hope Bay, have packed up leaving Pender to reside in Delta on the mainland.

inated to the Dogsboddy Memorial, he will remain my dog. Furthermore, if my neighbour's dog is named to any distinction, I refuse to defer to him in any way, shape or form. He shall not, not now or ever, have claim to eating, sleeping, walking, riding before me. If my dog saves my life I will probably refrain from kicking him for a week. What greater reward? I'll give him a bone, even, but I will not remain standing while he stands; nor will I rise when he enters the living room. Honor my dog? Honor fiddlesticks!

Point where I really rebel is when the company's spiel explains that the pets were so honored for various reasons. I jib at the term, honor. For specific reasons we pay honor to our fellows. We defer to them. We give them precedence. Those we honor precede us to the door. They enjoy special privileges because of their accomplishments. I will not defer to my dog. Even if he might be nom-

## PUBLIC HEARING AT GANGES ON MONDAY

(From Page One)

up as soon as the by-law is in effect. The board will hear appeals for minor deviations from the by-law.

"This is an interim by-law only," said Mr. Holmes, "we have to go through all this again in 16 months' time."

This by-law will hold things as they are until the overall plan for the district is prepared.

"No by-law is permanent," he concluded, "The day it becomes law is the day it can be amended."

Mr. Holmes expressed gratitude to residents speaking during the evening, but repeatedly averred that he could not promise that any specific change would be made. He could only report back to the Regional District on the opinions of the islanders.

Islanders were invited to speak to briefs submitted if they so wished. Majority of briefs asked for a change in the zoning to accommodate an established use. A number requested changes to permit a planned future use.

Sam Hughes, St. Mary Lake, protested the lack of opportunity to study briefs and applications. A further public hearing should be called, he stated, to hear objections after due study has been given.

Planner Anthony Roberts explained that a further hearing would be called if the regional board should feel that changes planned were of a drastic nature.

Heaviest chore was faced by Community Planner Atamenko, who read out brief after brief.

Light touch was introduced by Miles Acheson who called the attention of the hearing to the fact that there is neither a pub nor a jail located on Acheson Road.

Irene Hawksworth observed that there is no provision in the by-law for kennels and Fred Hartley requested that all such establishments should require sound-proof buildings.

Al House was "very disturbed"

that Island Pride Bakery had been missed off the map. John Yamabe's plea for commercial zoning for all his lots was the only application to meet with an immediate objection, when a neighbor protested that this would reduce the value of his residential property.

Simpson property of 400 acres on Fulford-Ganges Road is used for resort, commercial and industrial purposes, hearing was advised, and there is no zoning for a heliport already in use there.

N.J. McManus submitted two briefs. One asked for rezoning of a property to build a new post office. The

other expressed criticism of the by-law and stated "I feel there has been a lack of communication between the planners and the property owners."

Criterion used in the preparation of the by-law was present use, emphasized Mr. Holmes on several occasions.

Solicitor appearing for Valcourt Building Supplies asked for an amendment to the by-law to permit the retail use of industrial property. Similar plea was made on behalf of Marcotte's Auto Wrecking.

Number of industrial property owners asked for this provision whereby retail sales would be included.

Mrs. Beth Wood spoke on behalf of Harbour House Hotel whose property was bisected by the zoning lines.

What guarantee had an applicant, asked E.F. Bedford, of Leisure Lanes, that his brief would be acted on.

He had no guarantee, agreed Mr. Holmes. Mr. Bedford operates a coffee bar and confectionery counter in connection with his alleys. He has further plans for their development, he added.

These could be considered ancillary uses to the main purpose of the establishment, suggested Mr. Roberts and as such could be permissible under his present zoning.

Sweeping proposal from Richard Toynbee asked for the commercial zoning of all "down-town" Ganges bounded by Rainbow Road, Jackson Avenue,

south to Island Pride Bakery to the sea.

Mr. Toynbee, applying on behalf of Salt Spring Island Trading Company and Mouat's Trading Co., also asked for rezoning of rural land within the Mouat's Trading complex to commercial.

His company has already contracted for the construction of a 6,000 foot grocery store as well as 2,500 feet of store accommodation, reported Mr. Toynbee. The land reclaimed behind the fire hall has been used commercially for the past 40 years, he asserted.

The brief recalled the purchase, by his companies, of the two stores and the subsequent acquisition of other property.

"We bought this additional land in good faith," stated Mr. Toynbee.

The roads, street lighting, sewage disposal system and other costs could only be met by the addition of further stores, said the company spokesman, but the land on which these stores would be built is not zoned for the purpose.

Bill Sawyer pointed out that land zoning Commercial 4 permitted the operation of a resort, with boat rentals. Water A, however, prohibits boat rentals. Yet the two are zoned together

in several instances, he observed.

Fred Donaghy was critical of the by-law and the plan.

"The person who has done the spadework on this zoning was using a ladies' shovel," he charged.

He could have sat down with the planners and prevented many of the briefs heard during the evening, continued Mr. Donaghy.

"I am willing to sit down with anyone who is responsible for this thing and give you the information as it now stands," concluded Mr. Donaghy. His proposal was applauded.

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## PLAN FOR SALT SPRING ISLAND

On Monday evening Mr. Marc Holmes presented his major legislative accomplishment to a large gathering of Salt Spring Islanders.

The Interim Zoning By-Law had been presented two weeks ago and Monday's hearing marked its public reception.

It was a triumph for the island's regional director when a quiet, receptive audience applauded his handling of the hearing. Mr. Holmes had been singled out for attack when an earlier proposed plan had been heatedly rejected.

On Monday he presented the reply to island criticisms, a by-law based on present use of land, in accordance with popular demand.

The hearing was quiet and a warm vindication of the island director.

Undertones indicated that some islanders were still not completely informed on the purpose of the plan or of the very pattern of planning. Majority appeared to be well-prepared for the hearing.

Hearing heard a proposal for a further hearing before changes are implemented. The proposal would not be feasible. After a public hearing to clarify an earlier public hearing a further public hearing might well prove necessary to clarify the second public hearing... and so ad infinitum.

## PRESS WOMEN MEET AT PARKSVILLE TO MEET TORONTONIAN

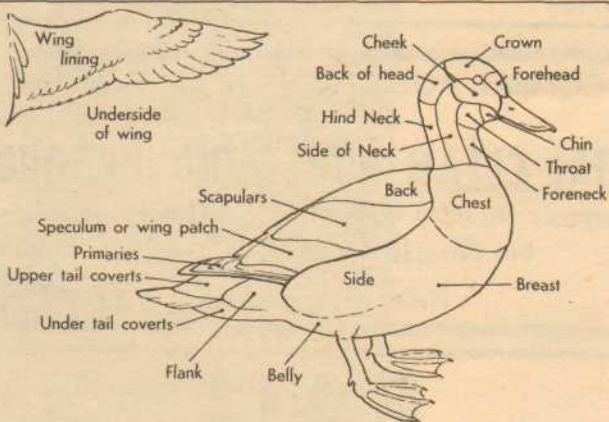
BY BEA HAMILTON

Mrs. Irene Stewart accompanied Miss Bea Hamilton as a guest of the V.I. Branch of the Canadian Women's Press Club on Sunday, Sept. 13 when the luncheon and meeting was held at Parksville, at the Island Hall Hotel. This is a delightful setting for any meeting or party - the tide was half a mile out and several couples seemed to be playing a sort of golf out on the sands.

Some 20 members and one or two visitors attended the luncheon and while the visitors went off visiting friends, the meeting carried on. Special guests of the CWPC were the Regional Director, Evelyn Caldwell (Penny Wise) and Miss Jean Danard, national president of the CWPC from Toronto. The latter was on holiday and took time out to attend our meeting and give some highlights of the organization from the national point of view. We are rarely honored by the VIP's so it was a chance to ask questions. Mary Backlund capably

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## MARSH WORLD by Angus Sharrt Ducks Unlimited



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## HARMONY SIX TO SING HERE

Coming to the Community Gospel Church at Ganges Saturday, Sept. 19 for a Youth Rally are the Harmony Six. The Victoria singing group have visited the island before and are al-

ready familiar to many.

The Harmony Six will be ministering at both services in the Community Gospel Church, Drake Road on Saturday at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

## COLOURFUL GALIANO FIGURE

Emret Sater, whose travels took him from his homeland of Norway all around British Columbia, and the United States, died in New Westminster on September 2. He was 82 years of age.

## FULFORD

BY BEA HAMILTON

I had only half an hour to view the flower show in the Fulford Hall but what I saw was outstanding, I thought, after our dry, hot and cold summer. We have even had frost on the Island - did you know that? In September? That's crazy, but true. So autumn intends to be early this year. A good idea is to prepare for a bad winter then if it turns out to be mild, why, that's all to the good. But do be prepared for a real baddy, and I hope you are all disappointed.

We heard of the death of Mr. W. E. Taylor, aged 95, last week. He died in Vancouver and funeral service was held in that city. Just five years ago, Mr. Taylor went to play at the bowling alley in Victoria on his 90th birthday! He kept quite well right to the end.

## LETTERS

WAS IT RIGHT?

Editor, Driftwood,

On the centre of the front page of your issue of this past week, dated September 10, 1970 I was confronted, if not affronted, by the heavy black type stating "CHAMBER DINNER", and as an avid reader of your newspaper I wondered whether this had wandered from your column "to be frank" by Richards.

Beneath those powerful words "Chamber Dinner" commenced the article, the first paragraph of which I quote herewith. "Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce will introduce the sewer problems of Ganges into its annual dinner."

Is the Chamber of Commerce so short of funds that it cannot offer a more normal meal? And could it be possible that when the President makes his speech someone could inadvertently belch "GARBAGE".

The result of attending such a meal could be interesting.

-Kenneth R. Luton,  
'Galleon Manor',  
Blackburn Road,  
Salt Spring Island, B. C.  
September 8, 1970.

Born in Oppdal, Norway, he came to New York when he was very young, then travelled to Seattle, where he did some hand-logging. He then followed the Trail of '98 up to Alaska. He always wore a beautiful ring, set with one of the gold nuggets he got while there.

He went back to Spokane, where just 60 years ago, he married and moved to Idaho. Their first child, a daughter, was born two years later. The three then moved back to Norway, where they stayed for some years, and seven more children were born there. The growing family then came to British Columbia again, and to New Westminster for a time. Then they moved to Coast Copper, in Quatsino, and the first white child was born to them in Port Alice Hospital. From Quatsino, back to New Westminster, where the youngest son, Kenneth, was born.

Mr. Sater worked with wood most of his life, and became an expert carpenter, during his life, and in many places, he built more than 60 new houses, not counting all of the dozens he re-built from time to time. He was also a millwright at Fraser Mills.

From New Westminster to Galiano this family moved in 1944, and settled and worked on the Island until 1952, then back to New Westminster, and then Campbell River for a short while. During the years of 1963 to 1966 they again lived at Galiano, then finally moved back to New Westminster.

Three sons are engaged in carpentry and cabinet work on Galiano, as well as one grandson.

Mr. Sater was predeceased by his wife, two sons, Arnold and Leif, and one daughter, Esther.

He leaves three sons, Kenneth, Ivor and Olaf, on Galiano Island; four daughters, Mrs. Harry (Ella)

## CHURCHWOMEN TO SPONSOR ANOTHER SCHOOL STUDENT

The Mizpah Unit of the United Church Women met on September 10. President, Mrs. Reid was away from the Island and the vice-president, Mrs. Reid was in the chair. Mrs. J. D. Reid is president and Mrs. F.H.A. Reid, vice-president. There were 14 present, including one new member.

The Devotional, based on a prayer by Robert Louis Stevenson, was led by Miss Helen Dean.

The missionary study, present-day co-operation among different forms of Christianity in the Province of Quebec, was in the hands of Mrs. H. Ashley.

Business consisted of consolidating accomplishments of the first part of the year and preparation for work to be done during the next few months. Conveners of Christmas bazaar stalls reported progress to date.

The student who has been helped by the United Church in Ganges has completed his high school training and now plans to teach in a primary school. It was decided to sponsor another student, perhaps a girl, since the last two students have been boys. The group are requesting to be assigned a little girl just starting in the hope of helping her right through high school.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

Tea was served by Mrs. F.H.A. Reid.

## PENSIONERS ENJOY LUNCHEON AS NEW SEASON STARTS

BY PENSIONER

On Wednesday, Sept. 9, Branch 32 of the Old Age Pensioners Organization opened the season with a luncheon in St. George's Hall at Ganges. It was Open House and there was no meeting.

After lunch at 2 p.m., a concert was presented by the Salt Spring C.C. E. Cranswick was Weary Willie, and Mrs. E. Barber, a Dancing Girl. Mrs. V. Hadfield was Our Song Bird, but due to a cold, she did a recitation. Mrs. E. St. Onge took part as True Stories and Mrs. E. Thacker as Everybody's Sweetheart. Archdeacon G.H. Holmes did the announcing and Mrs. W. Norton was at the piano.

Mrs. Joan Hayward, assisted by Mrs. H. Truefitt, and committee, served a cold plate. They received a vote of thanks for their efforts.

Jack, Campbell River; Mrs. Edwin (Mary) Odberg, of Sidney; Mrs. Norman (Alma) Smaback, in New Westminster, and Mrs. N. (Ingeborg) Morelli, in Vancouver.

There are 23 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the Chapel at Forest Lawn, in Burnaby, and interment followed in Forest Lawn cemetery.

## CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1970

### ANGLICAN

St. George's	Ganges	Early Communion	8:30 am
St. Mark's	Central	Matins	11:00 am
St. Mary's	Fulford	Evensong	2:30 pm
St. Margaret of Scotland	Galiano	Evensong	7:00 pm

### ROMAN CATHOLIC

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

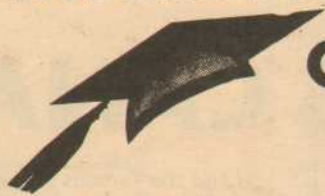
### UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Fred Anderson			
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537-2439	Ganges	Morning Worship	11:00 am

### COMMUNITY GOSPEL CHAPEL

Rev. M.V. Gilpin	Ganges	Sunday School & Adult Bible Class	10:30 am
		Evening Service	7:30 pm

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**QUESTION CORNER**

**DID YOU KNOW .....**

.. In the school year 1966-67 the enrollment of the Salt Spring schools was 542?  
 .. the combined enrollment in September of this year is 708 pupils?  
 .. there are 314 students in the Gulf Islands Secondary School, 202 in grades 8, 9 and 10 and 112 in grades 11 and 12?  
 .. there are 394 students in the Salt Spring Elementary school, 197 pupils in the kindergarten and primary grades and 197 in the Intermediate grades?  
 .. the Salt Spring schools have increased in student population by 24% in the past three years?

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**Wedding At Ganges**

BY BEA HAMILTON

The sun was shining on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 12, to greet the bride. Gunn Kirsti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Satermo of Ganges, exchanged marriage vows with John Alfred A. Grain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Grain of Ganges. It was a double-ring ceremony at Ganges United Church with the Rev. Fred Anderson officiating.

Wedding music was played by organist Philip Sawford as the bridal party entered the church, led by the junior bridesmaid, Lisa Satermo, niece of the bride, and two sisters of the bride, Merilee Sawyer, bridesmaid, and Mrs. Tom Scouler, matron of honor.

The attendants were gowned in heavy French lace; Lisa and Merilee in shades of apple green and lilac respectively; the matron of honor in apple green. All wore whimsy head pieces in net and flowers, and carried small bouquets of flowers.

The bride entered on the arm of her father. In an all white dress of Parisian lace with hooded redingote over a peau de soif floor-length sheath, with long wrist-length sleeves and a crown of sea pearls worn under the Elizabethan style of hood, the bride was radiant.

She carried a cascade bouquet of yellow rosebuds and white streamers. For something borrowed and something old, she wore a jewelled bracelet borrowed from the groom's mother. For something blue, she wore a blue garter.

Best man was John Roland and the ushers were Henning Satermo and Colin Grain.

Bride and groom exchanged their vows and rings in the beautiful simple ceremony. During the signing of the register, Mrs. F. Anderson sang "A Wedding Benediction".

**DANCERS TO MARK SQUARE DANCE WEEK**

BY JOHN MCKEE

We got off to a good start on Saturday evening and it was real nice to see the young people well represented.

This is the beauty of square dancing - it caters to young and old alike. We now have a week's rest to enable our members to go to Vancouver Island and visit with the various clubs there who are celebrating Square Dance Week in Canada in grand style. A full week's program has been arranged with events to suit everybody. Everybody is welcome.

A reminder: our adults' course will start on Friday, September 25. Bert Barber will be in charge with several of our experienced members assisting. Follow the trend and be a square dancer!

Reception was held at the Golf and Country Club.

Mrs. Foubister and Mrs. Tom Scouler were in charge of the decorations at the Golf Club.

Silver candlesticks and lighted candles, flowers, and a pink and white three-tiered wedding cake highlighted the head table. Mr. Foulis was the M.C., and Mrs. Foulis attended to the catering.

Ed Soady of Victoria, gave the toast to the bride. His advice to the young couple was to "look on the funny side" and carry troubles off with a laugh. The groom replied and proposed a toast to the bride's mother. The best man, John Roland, called the toast to the bridesmaids.

The wedding cake was cut by the bride and groom before the supper began and after the meal, the room was cleared for dancing with music from the organ brought from Victoria by Steve Barclay.

The bride's mother looked charming in a blue ensemble as did the groom's mother who wore a pink ensemble, both outfits smartly finished with jewelled necklines.

Cablegrams were received from Norway from the bride's grandmother and other members of the Satermo family.

For her going away outfit, Mrs. Grain, Jr. wore a pink and navy blue ensemble, pink shoes, and navy accessories, topped by flowers in her hair.

Guests included many from the mainland: Mr. and Mrs. Dale Courtney, Long Beach; Mr. and Mrs. P. Torvend, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jensen, Tacoma; Mr. and Mrs. August Johansen, Port Alberni; Mr. and Mrs. Scouler and Lisa and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Soady and Laura, Mrs. Trethewey, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bragg, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horner, Mr. and Mr. Len Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hobbs, Capt and Mrs. David Waters, and Susan Matthews of Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Foubister, Dr. and Mrs. D. Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Grain, Mrs. McSpadden, Mrs. C. Bailey, Mac Mouat and Nancy, Skippy Hall, Bryan Wolfe-Milner, all of Vancouver.

Ted Aird, Chilliwack, Barney

**AT SOLIMAR**

**POWER SQUADRON PICNIC**

BY BEA HAMILTON

Annual Victoria Power Squadron picnic was held amidst perfect weather conditions at Solimar on Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Art Young as hosts.

The outdoor barbecue was enjoyed, with hamburgers, while sports took up much of the afternoon.

Highlight was the blindfold race - in a dinghy, mind you! The men blindfolded and the women guided them - heaven help them, because the women didn't! Some never got farther than the starting post.

There were between 50 - 60 sea craft there and 150 people.

The success of the day dispels the old myth of the number 13 being unlucky, - Sunday was

Potter, Nanaimo; Dr. John Enwright, North Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winsby, Comox; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Elsdon, Port Moody; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall, Roger and Jane, Coquitlam; Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Grain, of New Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Vic Heal, Sidney; and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sawyer of Victoria.

Sept. 13, and the day couldn't have been improved, nor could things have gone more smoothly. Victoria Mayor Courtney Hadcock headed the Power Squadron party.

**GRANDFATHERS TAKE TROPHY IN ANNUAL MATCH WITH LADIES**

The final game of the Softball Season was played on Sunday with the grandfathers taking the Armand Quesnel Trophy by a score of 23-17 in five exciting innings.

The first inning was a tie, 1-1; the second, grandfathers, 9; ladies, 11, to put them in the lead, but the grandfathers moved ahead with seven runs to the ladies' 2 in the next.

Linda Anderson pitched for the ladies. Jack Roland pitched three innings, striking out quite a few, then Bob Akerman took over and struck out first three ladies in the fourth. They got four runs in and four more in the fifth, to three for the ladies.

It was a good game and both grandfathers and ladies expressed thanks to everyone who turned out.

**FUNERAL SERVICES FOR PETE FRATTINGER AT UNITED CHURCH**

Large number of friends attended the last rites on Monday for a well-known Salt Spring Island resident, Peter Anthony Frattinger.

Mr. Frattinger was killed when a plane in which he was travelling crashed last week and claimed the lives of five of the six persons in it.

Mr. Frattinger, whose home was on Sunset Drive, was engaged in the construction of a pulp mill in the northern interior.

Fatal crash occurred nearly 100 miles north of Prince George. Funeral services were observed from Ganges United Church, when Rev. Fred Anderson officiated. Cremation followed in Royal Oak Park.

Flowers were declined and donations invited to Lady Minto Hospital. A special fund has been set up for the purpose at the islands hospital.

Mr. Frattinger leaves his wife, Margaret, at home; a son, Peter, Burnaby and a daughter, Mrs. T. (Judy) Darby, Ganges; four grand children and a brother, Howard, Tacoma, USA.

Goodman Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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A couple of years ago I was fascinated by Canadian National Railway CAR-GO-RAIL service, where one could go by train to the other side of Canada, take the car along and drive back.

This year I had a chance to try it out.

My son, Ross, had a job in Ottawa for three months and the plan was to pick him up August 6, tour the Eastern Provinces and drive back.

We planned 3,000 miles by train and 6,050 miles by car. I

could write a book about getting the train tickets and the train trip but, to cut it short, I think both the CN and CP are doing their best to discourage train travel except for freight.

Any one who remembers with nostalgia the romantic train rides with the marvellous meals and terrific service and courtesy had better forget it. It's gone for ever.

We were certainly glad to pull into the Ottawa station, and of course to see Ross. As my car would not arrive for another four days, we used Ross's car and he toured us around Ottawa.

**MUCH TO SEE**

Anyone who has not been to Ottawa would enjoy a visit there with so much to see historically and scenery wise. The old homes of King, MacDonald and Laurier are a must. We drove down to Upper Canada Village on the St. Lawrence River at Crysler Farm where the Canadians beat the hell out of the Americans in 1813.

Upper Canada Village has the original way of life in Canada as lived by the people of Cana-

da during the early 1800's. Everything is authentic, including the employees' costumes. Sawmills, woollen mills, shingle mills, foundry, blacksmith, weavers, cotton spinners, doctors, pubs, hotels, stores, eating places, forts, canals, bateaux, marine works, lighthouse, schools, farms, early railways, water wheels for power, cheese factories, breweries, all are working the same way as in the 1800's.

**It is terrific!**

It's far more interesting and factual than the Williamsburg town in Virginia that everyone has heard about. They even have stage coaches and oxen teams operating and farmers clearing land with the old fashioned stump pullers, threshing grain with tread mills and grinding flour and making bread. It takes four or five hours to see it all and is worth a trip from B.C. just to see Upper Canada Village.

Why Canada does not advertise it more is beyond me. Canada should be proud of saving a little bit of the early life of its people.

**TIMBER IS ALL GONE**

Ottawa was the major timber, logging, pulpwood centre of Canada. Now there is no timber for lumber, only ground wood for pulp and pretty scruffy stuff at that.

When you see the surrounding country around Ottawa it's hard to believe there were huge trees growing everywhere. In fact, when you see Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island all without any merchantable timber left to speak of it makes one realize how fortunate we are in B.C. Let's keep it that way!

When we arrived in Montreal it was 106 and humid and numerous flies. In fact, it's hard to get rid of the flies in Eastern Canada. Another reason why B.C. is so beautiful.

We saw Expo and it is a marvel of engineering and science. Last time I saw Montreal was in 1960 and it's hard to believe the growth with new industry everywhere. Quebec is very important to Canada and we should be glad it is part of Canada. Let us not sell it short!

**NO ONE SHOULD BOAST**

Quebec City is most interesting historically. I don't think the English or the French should be proud of what went on across the footfall-size fields of Abraham when a handful of Englishmen took the place from a handful of Frenchmen and Indians because the fort had its guns pointing out to the river and there were no fortifications on the land side at all. It was years later, after the British had the town of Quebec that a fort was built as we know it today.

If you are driving down the steep streets of Quebec, keep the car windows closed or you will be invaded by child beggars climbing through while the car is in motion. It's incredible to see these six to eight year old kids gambling on the streets by pitching pennies or dimes or quarters moments after the highway robbery. You simply have to pay the kids off before you can get rid of them. They are strong healthy looking kids making a good living in a very sad way.

**LOTS OF FUN**

The people of Quebec Province are good people and a lot of fun - we certainly enjoyed trying to speak French. You realize how uneducated you are when they

can speak two languages and you only one.

If you are in Quebec, go out into the country to have your breakfast. The bacon is out of this world; the fresh eggs and the home-made bread is something you will always remember. The quaint towns along the St. Lawrence to the Gaspé are a delight to see.

The country is rugged and bleak in some of the farming areas and it's a wonder how some of the farmers make a living as we know it but they don't have to - they have all the necessities of life at hand, lots of fish, hogs, hens, beef, fruit and vegetables and a little employment to make up the balance and a family to keep them comfortable when too old to work and no worries to speak of.

They are in many ways better off than we are. You don't have to feel sorry for anyone in the poorer parts of the Maritimes. They are well taken care of by various means.

The Saint John Valley Highway from Rivière-du-loop to Fredericton is very interesting from a scenic point of view. Fredericton is most interesting historically, especially the Parliament Buildings and the Beaverbrook Art Gallery.

There are only about 650,000 people in New Brunswick and everybody knows of every one else so it's a homey place.

**NEAT AND CLEAN**

The farms are well kept and neat and painted. If you are going to Prince Edward Island it's a good idea to stay the night in Sackville and catch the ferry at Tormentine in the morning. There is a lovely family inn at Sackville called the Marshlands where one dines in the large home of the descendants of the original family. The place settings are of sterling silver, cut glass and fine pottery; all relics of the gracious way the old folks used to live.

Since the Marshlands went into operation they have not lost one piece of sterling to a souvenir hunter, which is rather remarkable in this day and age. This village is a delight to antique hunters. It's the place where the Fawcett ranges are

made and the famous Franklin stoves. The foundry is still operating.

Of all the places in Canada outside of B.C., Prince Edward Island is the place every one should visit. It is beautiful, clean, tidy and prosperous in so many ways. The whole Island is a garden.

The farms are well kept; barns and homes painted and in good repair. Its lovely quiet country roads are all paved. There are beautiful beaches for swimming and all kinds of good places to stay. There are only 110,000 people on the Island and as the land is all taken up and cultivated, I doubt if its feasible for many more people to live there.

It prospers by potatoes, dairy products and fishing and tourists during the summer. Of all the places in Canada, outside of B.C., Prince Edward Island is the place to go. There is a tremendous potential in the tourist industry. The golfing, fishing, swimming, eating and interesting places to visit are unlimited. The old Parliament buildings in Charlottetown are the founding place of Canada.

In the early 1860's the Maritime leaders met to form a single Maritime Province. This never took place but the meeting founded the idea of a confederation of Canada in 1867.

**NOVA SCOTIA IS DYING**

Except for the bigger cities and the fishing and tourist centres of Nova Scotia, the interior of the province is a dying country. This is the only part of Canada that is really run down.

The forests have been denuded except for pulp wood, the farm buildings are run down and unpainted. The orchards of Annapolis are run down and disappearing. Even the CPR ferry, the old Princess of Nanaimo, is filthy and a disgrace to the CPR. We must do something to help the interior of Nova Scotia. It needs it far more than Quebec

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or the prairie provinces.

But of all the places we visited, the place I would like to return to is Nova Scotia - Lunenburg, Mahone Bay and Chester Basin area. The people are so friendly, the sea-faring history so interesting.

Anyone who has had lobster and scallops out here doesn't know what they should taste like. To get the fresh seafood right there in Lunenburg, or anywhere in the Maritimes for that matter, is a delicious treat. We ate fish for every meal except breakfast. Lunenburg, by the way, has the biggest fish cannery in the world.

For a place to live, it's not a patch on B.C. If you have a summer place in this part of the world, it's usually on some inlet with a long tidal flat where you can only swim, or get your boat out, at high tide. The fog comes in every afternoon, stays during the night and until ten or eleven in the morning if it was a fine day - if not, the fog stays all day. It's not a thick fog, but more of a mist that rolls in and out to sea.

IT'S FUN IF IT'S ROUGH!

Crossing the Bay of Fundy can be fun, from Digby to St. John, if it's rough. At one place in the Bay, believe it or not, the

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**GOES AGROUND**

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red to the Mayne Queen, who brought them to Montague Harbour, about three in the morning.

The Mayne Queen also had a rough trip, and passengers on the 7:30 run, out of Swartz Bay were fearful they would be stranded.

Don Day of Galiano said that the Mayne Queen went close to and up the Ganges shoreline, then out Navy Channel, directly across to Montague Harbour. Mr. Day said that his car was covered in salt water, from the spray during the rough trip.

extreme tides can be 56 1/2 feet from low to high. The usual is about 25 feet.

From St. John we travelled down the coast of Maine, through New Hampshire, Vermont and New York States. It's not crowded and driving is very pleasant.

These States are very much like the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia coastline and country.

We crossed into Canada at Cornwall and down the 401 highway to Oshawa and then up to Orillia, where we visited the Leacock home. What impresses one about Ontario is that everywhere one looks there is a factory or secondary industry. Ontario is a huge province which holds the wealth of Canada, from a natural resource and industrial point of view. B.C. is pretty well off but it's "small potatoes" compared with Ontario.

**THE DEVELOPING LAND**

From 1950 to 1965 I spent several months a year in the Yukon, Northwest Territories and the northern parts of B.C. and Saskatchewan. From this, I have a fair idea about developing the North and its possibilities.

Well, for 1,100 miles from East to West extremes in Ontario, you have exactly the same country as the North; muskeg, rock, lakes and scrub timber and very little land for cultivation. The land has all been scraped off and deposited in the United States.

It seems to me there is far more potential for developing this barren country in Ontario which is so rich in minerals, close to transportation and some large cities: where you can drive anywhere by car; where people do not isolate themselves; where the wives would be much happier than up North; where two railways parallel one another and where growth can take place between these railways.

We are wasting our money up north where everything is a subsidy as far as government is con-

**GALIANO**

BY MARY BACKLUND

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gorst, with daughter, Debbie and friend, Miss Laurie Shibicki, all of Burnaby have had a happy holiday at Barners farm and are now back home on the mainland.

Mrs. I.A. Murphy came back to her home in the Valley for a few days; she is presently visiting relatives in Vancouver.

Ross Tweedale came home for a short holiday before returning to his studies in Vancouver. He has been in Ottawa, with the offices of Arthur Lang, for several months. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.D.A. Tweedale went by train to meet him in Ottawa, and their car was shipped there. They drove home across Canada, arriving in Galiano last week.

cerned, and where development could be made in this area and made to pay. The Government should look to this area more closely and encourage development before USA investors take it like the Texas Gulf mines recently developed in this area.

Let's control it before it's too late!

The only successful development of the North will be done by private industry, such as Casiar Asbestos, Falconbridge at Yellowknife, Cominco at Pine Point.

Generally, apart from these three operations in the Yukon and Northwest Territories far more money has been spent up there than ever taken out except for the trapping and fur industry.

**POLLUTION IS TERRIBLE**

The pollution of the rivers in Canada is terrible.

Fifteen years ago I made a trip through the Prairies and I was astounded by the development. Winnipeg is fast becoming the garment centre of Canada, the population has doubled, new buildings everywhere and perimeter freeways. The same goes for Brandon, Portage la Prairie, Regina, Saskatoon, Lloydminster, Edmonton, Calgary and many other centres.

The grain elevators are all painted, new paint on farm buildings, no run down farms to speak of and diversified farming. The Prairie farmers are well off. They may be a little short of cash at present but they live well. I have never seen the Prairies as prosperous looking.

I asked one farmer in Lloydminster and several around Regina how things are and they all said not as badly off as the papers and TV make us out to be.

One thing that shook me was a building complex on Pembina Drive in Winnipeg. I went for a walk early one morning and visited with the superintendent of the project, Mr. Milne, whose family had moved to Victoria.

A few years ago his father who used to live in Winnipeg said, "Son, I can not figure out why it took me so long to discover Vancouver Island."

This building has no wood in it except for doors and cupboards. It is all concrete preformed bricks and floor slabs and cut limestone faced. The door frames and windows are steel and pipes, believe it or not, are galvanized iron, not copper (too expensive). All the water pipes are precut with fittings attached. There is a tunnel below the ground floor and all services are diamond-drill cut holes through the concrete for three or four floors. So Union men are pricing themselves out of jobs. No wood no carpenters. No copper, no plumbers. Who is doing it? New

Most of the fishermen are back home after spending the summer months "up North", John Hawthorne, George George son, the Blomly family, Rennie Weatherell, Charlie Head, and Pat Wilson.

Mrs. M. Colvin, with Sandra and Steven, of Ladysmith, recently visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Riddell.

We saw Al Van Sacker, from the Duncan office of B. C. Hydro rushing around on Galiano the other day.

Austin Parlane, of Coquitlam came to spend several days at his property in Peaceful Valley.

Canadian stone masons from Italy.

If one had gone through Regina Saskatoon, Lloydminster and Edmonton 15 years ago one would not recognize it today. Maps are necessary to find the way around the cities. Where one could orient oneself by a tall building then, it's impossible now because there are so many tall buildings.

There is a Game Farm 20 miles out of Edmonton so there is no point going to Africa to see wild animals when one can see them all at the Farm. This Farm is situated in the bush where the animals can wander over a piece of ground that is as God made it but with a fence around it.

Just think how much money one can save by going to Edmonton rather than South Africa. Or again, going to Vancouver than to the North Pole to see a Nar-whale.

In the summer months while

travelling in Eastern Canada and the Maritimes, it's a good idea to take advantage of the tourist bureaus so that one is assured of a good motel or hotel at the next stopping place. These bureaus are situated outside of town on a main highway where there is plenty of parking and rest facilities.

From Edmonton we came home via Jasper and the new Yellowhead route to Kamloops. It's a dandy highway and the scenery is great. The only trouble was the traffic. There were so many campers and trailers that did not pull over to let the traffic pass.

From Jasper to Vancouver was the only heavy traffic we had in Canada. On the entire trip we only saw the results of two accidents. People are more careful driving now so it's quite safe to go on a car trip through Canada.

Canada is a great country and in seeing it again from Coast to Coast we came back more content than ever to be a part of B.C. and especially Galiano Island. We have a better climate; it's easier and more beautiful to live in B.C. and we have so many things that are more enjoyable in B.C. ... We don't have the flies. If you are going back East take a fly swatter!!!

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Rev. Fred Anderson officiated at a double-ring ceremony in Ganges United Church on Saturday Sept. 5 when Marilynne Elsie, second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brigden, Fulford Harbour, exchanged vows with Norman Alan Cunningham, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cunningham, Ganges.

Alan is the grandson of one of the pioneer families on the island. His grandfather, Raffles Purdy came to Salt Spring in 1884.

Soloist Mrs. Connie Arnell sang "Ave Maria" accompanied by Philip Sawford on the organ.

The bride wore white when given in marriage by her father. Her traditionally-styled silk chiffon dress with hooped skirt and lily-point sleeves was decorated with tiny embroidered roses. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses.

Sister of the bride, as matron of honor, Mrs. Rosemary Prieston wore celestial blue gown featuring flowing skirt and self-trim.

The bridesmaids, Miss Lillian Cunningham, sister of the groom and Miss Janet Haigh wore matching peach dresses. Junior bridesmaid was youngest sister of the bride, Miss Angela Brigden, wearing a peach floor-length gown with a daisy sash. They carried bouquets of white carnations and chrysanthemums. The flower girl, Miss Karen Govenlock, four-year-old niece of the bride wore a floor-length blue gown and carried a basket of flowers.

Brian Cunningham attended as



MR. AND MRS. ALAN CUNNINGHAM AFTER THEIR WEDDING

best man, and the ushers were Robert Taylor, Ganges; Robin Reid, Victoria, and Richard Prieston, Vancouver. The ring-bearer, Graham Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lee of Ganges, carried a 150-year-old velvet pillow made for the bride's great-grandmother.

The bride's mother wore a coral dress with matching three-quarter length coat with white accessories. The groom's mother wore a blue linen two-piece

suit with blue accessories.

The reception followed at Fulford Hall where R.N. Thomas, uncle of the bride proposed the toast. The hall was decorated with flowers from Mrs. Brigden's garden.

Going-away, the bride wore a red corduroy vest and skirt with white blouse and white accessories. After a honeymoon to the Interior, the couple will make their home on Brinkworthy Road, Ganges.

## MAYNE

BY ELSIE BROWN

Mrs. Nancy Jones enjoyed a bus tour of Vancouver Island and the Sunshine Coast recently. Stops were made at Victoria where hotel accommodation was excellent. Other points visited were at Duncan Forest Museum, Campbell River, Gold River, Powell River and Sechart returning via Horseshoe Bay. A recent guest has been Miss Mabel Spence of Vancouver.

Get-well wishes to Mrs. Wym Minty who is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, where she underwent major surgery. On her return she will be moving to the rectory. Mrs. J. Botterill went over to be at daughter's bedside and will be reporting on her progress.

Visiting Mrs. Botterill last week were her granddaughter, Mrs. Abrahamson and family, Aaron and Lynne Marie of Vancouver.

That was Joyce Mitchell and John Rainsford in the photo appearing in August 27 issue of DRIFTWOOD. A recent painting done by Joyce of Cherry Tree Bay, Point Comfort, now hangs in the Jesse Brown's living room. Galiano Island makes a very attractive background. We share the wealth on scenery.

The Stu Frys have extended their stay on the island this year. Preparing to move over permanently we hope.

Harold and Gladys Houghton, Bennett Bay are over to their summer home for a few days. Gladys is feeling better we are glad to hear.

Ray and Dorothy Cheek have spent a week at their cabin at "Tanglewood". We are sorry we will be losing them as neighbors.

Visiting the Jack Evans last week was Jack's mother, Mrs. G. Evans of White Rock. She plans to visit daughter and son-in-law, Harry and Celeste Bryn and grandchildren at Evanston, Illinois this month.

Visiting the Bill Morsons, Cherry Tree Bay, over the Labor Day week end were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morson and Debbie with Leny Van Rikzoort of North Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. Barry Morris and Carol with friend, Nancy Byrne of Comox. Also along was small dog, "Snoopy".

Welcome to new property owners, Maurice and Etta Reitz of Surrey at Skana subdivision. Daughter and son-in-law Marietta and Scotty Ashton have also bought property at Bennett Bay. With them this past week end were son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Reitz also of Surrey.

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## SATURNA

BY PAPAJOHN  
Got the ire of B.C. Hydro in one of these columns but have to hand it to them when we had a fire last week. The big wind bowled over an old maple tree and knocked out our power for a few hours. The boys from Hydro came over and fixed it up real fast. "BUT" in the wee small hours of the morning these

same wires started a fire and our valiant voluntary fire boys got out the Fire Truck and pumped enough water to put out the fire.

The wife just put her contact lens in and took a look at me and said I looked awful. How about forming a group to ban contact lenses so that old pensioners like me won't look so bad in the early morning.

This is sure a nice quiet Sunday a.m. The padre is away; there is no church service which lets my conscience be at rest for another week.

Bob and tantalizing Taimi Hindmarch got back safe and sound from Japan where they had been to Expo. While she was away tantalizing sent a post card to all her pupils in our island school. Thanks Taimi, That was nice.

Also back to the Island are Andy and kissable Kathleen Ritchie who had a long trip to Alaska.

Also back from a trip to ye Old Country is Jim Yates. Happy Hilda is real happy at getting him home again and gets real mad when we call Jim the old man. After all we are only as old as we feel and we hope Jim feels only as old as happy Hilda thinks he is.

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 2932 32-4

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 Signed: R. Blundell. 33-3

B.C. GEU UNION MEETING,  
 Legion Hall, Ganges, Wed.  
 Sept. 23, 1970, 12 noon and  
 2:30 pm. PLAN TO ATTEND.  
 35-1

PLANTS - I AM THINNING OUT  
 my flower beds. If you want  
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BRANCH 32 OAPO WILL HOLD  
 its regular meeting, Sept. 24 in  
 St. George's Hall at 2 p.m.  
 The meeting will be followed  
 by Community Singing. Visitors  
 will be welcome. 35-1

GANGES CHURCH SCHOOL  
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 regular sessions for 4 to 8 year  
 old children on Saturday at 2:00  
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 please phone Fred Anderson at  
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GIRL GUIDES WILL START SEPT  
 24. Would parents of girls aged  
 10 - 15 who are interested phone  
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CAT, 2 YEAR-OLD PRETTY  
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 Vicinity Razor Point Rd., Brown-  
 ing Harbour. Answers to "Pussy"  
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 4332. 35-1

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce G. Barnes  
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 John Lawrence Quesnel, son of  
 Mr. and Mrs. Armand Quesnel  
 of Ganges. Wedding will take  
 place at Ganges United Church,  
 on October 17, 1970, Rev. F.  
 Anderson officiating. 35-1

## ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sharp of  
 Ganges have the pleasure to an-  
 nounce the engagement of their  
 daughter, Nora Diane to Mr.  
 Jose Gomez Diaz, son of Sra.  
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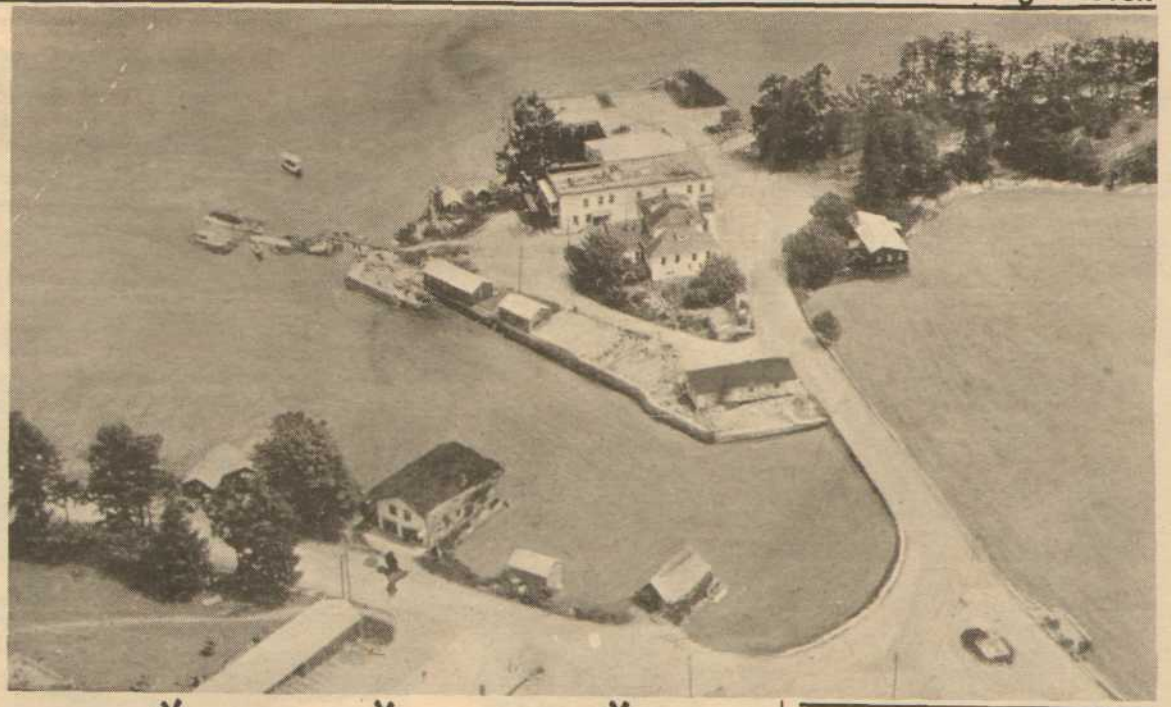
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### \* \* \* EARLY SHOT OF GANGES LOOKS DIFFERENT

Ganges has changed since this shot was taken. It cannot be all that old, because the photo was taken from a plane. It is by no means recent. The narrow causeway leading to Mouat's Store is seen at high tide when the beach was covered. In the left foreground is the former Turner's Store, now the Ganges Crest. Across the water is the old inn, or boarding house, the store, which is still standing, and the wharf. The service station and area occupied by car

park and barber shop are under water.

The photograph is from the collection of H.L. Bowden, of Ganges.

### TEACHER MOVES TO MAYNE ISLAND THIS YEAR

Miss Pat James is new principal at Mayne Island school. She has moved from Salt Spring Island, where she was girls' counsellor at Gulf Islands Secondary School.

## PRESS CLUB

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chaired the meeting and most of the time was spent interviewing our two special guests, which made it a very interesting if somewhat rushed meeting. We all had a long way to go home. Our members came from Comox, Courtenay, Campbell River, right through to Galiano Island, Salt Spring Island, and Victoria, - being the most western of the CWPC branches, - they should call us the Scatter-brains!

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## CBC PARIS CORRESPONDENT



Fluent in French, David Halton, seen above with his wife, is also an expert on the Russian writer Dostoevsky. He is the CBC television and radio correspondent in Paris. A few years ago, Halton was stationed in Moscow and met Natasha Nikolayevna. The story goes that he hated every minute of his assignment until he met Natasha and that he then did everything but refuse to leave the country until he could take Natasha with him. They were married in the famous Palace of Weddings in Moscow in late 1967 and Halton has been the CBC's man in Paris ever since.

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**FRIDAY'S STORM AT GALIANO**

At Galiano Lodge, Barry Smith, owner of the Lodge, vally tried to save the long d docks he has moored there. One of his docks, the following mor ning, looked like kindling wood. It was completely demolished.

A small landing dock, belong ing to Fred Robson was also blown onto the beach.

**FULFORD TIDE TABLE**

SEPTEMBER 1970  
(Pacific Standard Time)

DAY	TIME	HT.
18	0025	3.0
	0725	10.0
	1225	6.9
	1810	10.8
19	0110	2.5
	0840	10.1
	1320	8.0
SA	1830	10.6
	0155	2.3
20	1000	10.1
	1425	8.9
	1905	10.3
21	0250	2.4
	1130	10.3
	1550	9.4
MO	1910	9.9
	0350	2.8
22	1250	10.5
	1820	9.4
	1940	9.4
23	0455	3.2
	1340	10.6
	1930	9.0
WE	2140	9.0
	0600	3.6
24	1435	10.7
	2045	8.5
	2250	8.6
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El-Sea Shop at Galiano has been a familiar sight to tourists for the past several years.

**By-Law To Take Few Weeks Yet**

New interim zoning by-law for Salt Spring Island will not become law until it has gained a third and fourth reading. It

**WHO WILL PLAN SALT SPRING ISLAND FOR FINAL PLAN ?**

Who will plan Salt Spring Island when it comes to a long-term by-law? Question was asked at Monday evening's public hearing in Ganges by Reg Taylor, of Scott Point. Will it be the staff of the planning board or will they hire professional planners, he added. Regional Director Marc Holmes explained that this aspect had not yet been decided. Planning staff are professional planners, he observed, and are frequently called in as planning consultants in other areas.

Visiting his mother, Mrs. V. V. Holmberg at Ganges during the holiday was Allan, formerly of Terrace. Allan is now attending the B.C. Institute of Technology in Burnaby.

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must be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council before implementation.

Monday night's objections, recommendations and appeals will be considered by the Capital Regional Board. The necessary amendments will be made to the zoning map before the

**MORE STUDENTS MORE TEACHERS IN ISLAND SCHOOLS**

School has opened on the islands with an unprecedented enrolment and a number of new teachers. On Salt Spring Island, staff at the two schools numbers 37. Gulf Islands Secondary School staff includes Principal D. L. Hartwig, R. D. McWhirter, Mrs. F. M. Hepburn, Mrs. J. L. Barnes, F. M. Byron, P. R. Chiddell, R. M. Dunn, C. P. Grain, T. E. Harcus, E. L. Harrison, Mrs. P. E. Hendricksen, W. F. Hubbard, W. L. Neish, Mrs. J. I. Shopland, Miss Marg Sitton, R. E. Stacey, R. B. Vickery, J. H. Dought.

Salt Spring Elementary School principal is Mr. Hartwig and vice-principal, G. M. Woodley, with D. E. Chase, Mrs. I. M. Cowie, M. J. Ford, Miss M. J. Iverson, Mrs. H. B. Kaye, Mrs. E. F. McLeod, Miss K. L. Meredith, Mrs. J. A. Severs, Mrs. E. I. Smith, Miss G. M. Shipley, Mrs. E. M. Withrow, Mrs. A. I. Wright, T. H. Wright, A. C. Marsh and Miss C. Hamilton.

At Galiano staff remains unchanged with Principal B. C. Bengier and Mrs. Bonnie Robson. Miss P. J. James, who was formerly student counsellor at Gulf Islands secondary school is now principal at Mayne Island. New principal at Pender is R. N. Guild, with Mrs. V. M. Hooker and Saturna principal is still Mrs. Taimi Hindmarch.

plan is given its third reading. The amendments to the map will become public at that time. The plan will then go to the Lieut-Governor and the provincial cabinet before coming back to the regional board for final reading.

The process will take several weeks and it is likely to come into effect some time in October.

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