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## OIL SHIPPING THREAT

### Arctic Pattern Is Only Answer

Canada laid down the pattern of oil pollution control last year in its handling of the Arctic question, stated T. C. Douglas, MP, at last Friday's Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce dinner.

He was referring to United States plans to transport oil from Alaska to Puget Sound. There is no way of eliminating the risks of pollution, he noted and there is no provision for dealing with emergency oil spills.

"Who will be responsible?" he asked.

If the United States is not prepared to abandon the project, then Canada must be prepared to do for the west coast what it did last year for the Arctic, he asserted.

He and his colleagues in the New Democratic Party have asked the government for this action, he noted.

"It is dangerous," he agreed, "There will be tankers carrying 250,000 to 300,000 tons of oil. A wreck could have results to affect the entire Pacific coast."

This is a unique area, stated the member, and the rules of exploitation cannot be the only protection.

The constant search for oil is not even necessary, asserted the speaker. Canada has a surplus of oil. Yet the Canadian policy



T.C. DOUGLAS, MP.

is to permit oil exploration in areas to be jeopardized by the search for "oil we don't really need."

#### FROM ENGLAND

Mrs. Carol Jackson is home again on Salt Spring Island. She and her son, Peter are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Fennell, North End Road.

Mrs. Jackson is here on holiday for a few weeks. She makes her home in Manchester, England.

### FISHBOAT LOST OFF PENDERS

On Sunday an 81 ft. fishboat sank off the south end of South Pender Island. Skipper and crew escaped aboard a lifeboat.

Skipper Erling Moe, of Seattle assessed his loss at about \$125,000. Replacement value of the 10-year-old boat would be double that figure, he estimated.

Captain reported that fire broke out in the starboard engine and caused damage enough to sink the vessel.

No one was hurt or lost.

### IT FLEW AT HIM WITH RAY GUN

Skipper of a small boat in island waters reports a mysterious agency at large.

An object arose from the sea, says the boatman, charged and damaged his vessel, then rose into the air, hovered in front of his boat and fired a ray pistol.

Boat windshield was shattered and the aggressive object soared into the air and was lost.

### FLAG COMES BACK

The flag is back!

Last week Walter Mailey, of Welbury Point, wrote to the editor deploring the theft of the Australian flag from the Lion's Wine and Cheese Party.

On Monday he received a package in the mail. Inside, without comment, was the missing flag.

"Thankyou for the return of the flag," said Mr. Mailey.

## YOUTH '71

### Outlined By Marr

Youth '71 program on Salt Spring Island has been launched by the island chamber of commerce but it will be administered by the students taking part, Spencer Marr told the annual dinner meeting of the chamber on Friday.

The students will elect their own committees, he told the gathering.

Participating students will keep accounts, organize their own various functions and be responsible to themselves.

The program provides for an entry into truck gardening, arts and crafts and an analysis of water pollution on and around the island.

Produce and creative art productions would then be offered for sale at a bazaar to be set up in Ganges.

"The big thing about this program," said the chamber president, "is that almost every organization on the island is backing it."

He had gained the fullest cooperation from the ratepayers' association, the Farmers' Institute, Gulf Islands Community Arts Council, the Lions and Rotary, stated Mr. Marr.

### FLEMING VILLADSEN CHOSEN

Salt Spring Island's Youth '71 project is known across the nation.

On Friday last week a spokesman for the youth opportunities program in Ottawa was calling Chamber of Commerce President Spencer Marr to learn more of the island plans.

He urged that a number of the participating students be available for explanations. Mr. Marr replied that there were none chosen to speak for the students and that he would ensure that by Monday student spokesmen would be available.

They were.

On Sunday afternoon at an emergency meeting in the Mahon Hall there were 27 students to name Fleming Villadsen their spokesman.

On Monday Chairman Villadsen spoke to Ottawa at length and explained the manner in which it was hoped to operate the scheme.

The chamber of commerce is waiting for the reply regarding its application for funds to aid the project.

### Hazard Is Hope

Henry Schubart spoke of the project when he addressed a special meeting in Mahon Hall on Sunday. There were 27 students present at the emergency meeting to name a student leader.

"All we want to do is get something started," said Mr. Schubart, "The program is to be organized and operated by the young people."

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### PLAYERS LOOK FOR PLAYERS

#### \* \* \* AND LOTS OF OTHER HELP!

It's not actors that go to make up a successful theatrical company.

Salt Spring Island players are looking for the potential actor and actress as well as the stage hand, scenery shifter, lighting man, and every other function in presenting entertainment.

"Any one who is interested in any aspect of live entertainment

is urged to attend a meeting on Tuesday evening next week," said Mrs. Lou Rumsey. She is better known as Sybil, for the part she played in the recent successful offering of the island playgroup.

Next Tuesday evening in Central Hall at 8 pm, the players will sit, eager to meet new blood for a new company.

### NO HELP IN RURAL AREAS

## MOVE INTO THE CITY URGES FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

BY FRANK RICHARDS

Why live in the country? Why not be sensible and move into the city?

The city is where the new homes are. The city is where the money is. The city is where the federal government is. And the city is where your government wants you to go.

Don't live in the rural areas, please the federal government.

"Come into the urban areas... enjoy the overcrowding... add to the city confusion... augment our traffic problems!"

The federal government on housing has gone off its beam.

One half of Canada looks sideways at the swelling cities. There are some Canadians who don't like the smell of burnt gasoline, but the government can shrug off those freaks. If you can't put up with a few crowds and you can't smell a bit of car-

bon and you don't go for the rising crime rate, get lost!

It's a smart government alright! They know just where they're going and they know just where they're taking us.

Ever tried building a house?

There are three parts of Canada in the government's book. There are the urban areas where housing is a good business; there are the rural areas where only the cows and the birds would want to live and there are the areas in between, where the government is frightened of new development.

The federal government set up the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation a long time ago. It was smart thinking on somebody's part. In 1919, The National Housing Act was brought into being. It's been changed a bit now and again, but it's just the same old solid

### PROVINCE HELPING EVERYONE

British Columbia has been more helpful and less discriminatory in its approach to housing shortage.

Homeowner on the islands or in the cities is entitled to assistance from the provincial government with no strings attached.

help to the fine Canadian citizens that it always was. At least, it's the same old help to solid Canadian citizens that it always was. If you know what a solid citizen is in Canada.

Well, first, he's living in the city. Second he doesn't earn more than about \$9,000 a year

and, third, he doesn't want a home that costs more than \$23,000.

Over the years, the act has worked well. It's helped all kinds of lending institutions to distribute their funds. And it's helped a few solid Canadian citizens to build homes.

If the solid citizen feels left out of it, he must sit back and think about it. Drive into the city and have a good look at some of the homes you see there. If there hadn't been a National Housing Act, those homes wouldn't be there. See what they mean?

You go to a trust company or an insurance company and talk about a mortgage. They'll open up and tell you honestly how they figure it. They can't afford to lend mortgage money on the islands.

They need a man all day to do a couple of inspections on the

islands. The same man can do dozens of checks on the mainland.

"We've got to protect our shareholders," they will tell you. Fair enough!

Go to the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation about a NHA loan.

The man behind the desk is all heart. He just aches to help you. Until you tell him where you're at. And his face falls.

You have to expect it. After all, he lives in the city in a government-approved dwelling with a closet by the front door, no spiral staircases in the house and all constructions conforming Of the government, for the government, he is the government.

A government man just can't figure any kook who wants to live away from it all. Ottawa is where the action is and if you

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Photo by A.M. Sharp

### Candy Stripers Help Out At Islands Hospital

The young group of volunteer Candy Stripers now working at the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hos-

pital are gaining good experience and, from a conversation with Mrs. A. Barnes, Director

of Nursing, are a "useful and helpful addition both to the staff and patients of the hospital".

Seen in this picture are, back row, Janelle Rozanno, Maureen Gurney, Jo-Ann Mostad, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Barnes, Rosalind Baltzer, Janet Rothwell, Ann Ross, Judy Kelly; second row, Patsy Hedgecock, Heather Fraser, Pierre Valcourt, Janet Simpson, Debbie Duncan; front, sitting, Karen Brown and Judy Reynolds. Missing from the picture are Jeff Henderson and Jean Ward - robe.

Mrs. Kelly, of the Ladies Auxilliary to Lady Minto Hospital, and Mrs. Barnes, Director of Nursing are also in the picture.

### BUILDING SERVICE

## New Construction Company

Newly formed Salt Spring Island company is already in the construction business.

Co-ordinated Construction Services has been set up at Ganges to offer all the services necessary to the home builder on any of the islands.

The company enrolls contractors and tradesmen and invites property owners to avail themselves of a planned construction program with qualified inspection services during any construction project.

Heading the firm is Cliff Hatch, Island aviator and a former school trustee here. Technical side of the business is handled by Lew Summers, veteran of the construction industry.

The property owner can approach the new company with nothing but an idea. He may have his plans prepared, a contractor engaged, all permits taken care of and a supervised construction project completed without further attention.

The firm will not only take care of these details, but they have made tentative arrangements for mortgage funds for home construction here.

Also on the books is the construction of speculative homes, to be offered for sale at various sites on the island. The new firm has also taken over the agency for Westwood Homes for the Gulf Islands.

"I've been very aware of the need for this service during past years," observed Mr. Hatch, "but the time wasn't ripe."

General manager of Co-Ordinated Construction Services is Cliff Hatch, airplane pilot and businessman.

Veteran of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Mr. Hatch is a specialist in Arctic survival. He established the RCAF course on survival and commanded the School of Survival for a number of years.

After leaving the forces, he was in business in Ontario before looking westwards.

He came to Salt Spring Island several years ago and led a leisurely life for a very short period.

Back to flying he went and became instructor-manager for the flying club at Duncan. Later he switched to Nanaimo and went as flying instructor there.

Now finished with engines, he is back on the island for good.

It was Mr. Hatch who sparked the new firm. He found problems facing the home-builder and decided that a co-ordinated service would bring together contractors and tradesmen with planning and drafting services built in.

And that is what he has done.

Lew Summers is the practical man on the team. A former contractor and building inspector, Mr. Summers has spent 32 years in the construction industry in this province.

For 5 1/2 years he went to building inspection in Surrey and then for a year and a half he served Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation in the same capacity.

Seven years ago he relinquished his appointment with the national housing corporation and moved to Salt Spring Island.

He has engaged in home building since coming here.

It was only to build a home that he came to the island in the first place. Having built another man's home, he decided to build one for himself. He never left.

For 18 years Mr. Summers specialized in pre-cut and pre-fabricated construction.

Mr. Summers is building consultant with the new island company.

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Applications are invited from students whose parent or parents are permanent residents of either North or South Pender Island. They must have completed

### CASE DISMISSED IN VICTORIA COURT

Charges of breaking and entry with intent were dismissed when Donald Morrison, of Salt Spring Island was arraigned before County Court Judge M.L. Tyrwhitt-Drake last week.

Charges arose from a robbery at Ganges Pharmacy on September 30.

Case was dismissed on the grounds that there was not sufficient evidence.

Grade 12 in an accredited school

The committee, in making its final decision, will consider such factors as scholastic ability character, and financial need. Two letters of recommendation - one from a teacher or principal - should accompany each application.

Applications should be submitted to Mrs. Ralph Sketch, Secretary-Treasurer, Bishop Michael Coleman Memorial Fund, Port Washington.

Each applicant will be interviewed by the committee.

### WITNESSES OFF TO VICTORIA

Group of 13 Salt Spring Islanders are preparing to attend a three-day Jehovah's Witnesses convention in Victoria, May 28 to 30. D. Andrist, the island minister, stated that the theme of the convention is "Implanting the Word of God."

The event is to encourage delegates to serve the spiritual needs of others in their home communities.

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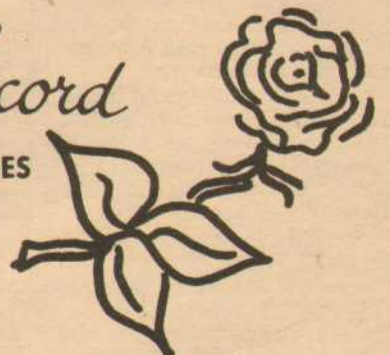
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# to be frank



By Richards

When Charles of English history apologized for taking a long time dying he was way out of the picture. By the 20th century and Henry VIII taking eight weeks to die when he was scheduled to reach the grave in six.

It was a grim week that started that way. Last week the newspaper press which has printed DRIFTWOOD faithfully for the past four years went haywire. DRIFTWOOD was printed in Victoria on the press which produces half a dozen Vancouver Island weekly newspapers. At the same time the job press at DRIFTWOOD was out of commission when a piece of it went into the garbage by mistake and the office car blew up for several days. That was the beginning. On Wednesday I set the radio alarm and got the wrong station. The radio switched on at 5.30, but didn't broadcast until 6 am. So I missed the Fulford ferry and drove back in a borrowed car to Vesuvius. Arriving in Victoria late, the paper had to wait a later turn and was not on the press until after 3 pm. As DRIFTWOOD came singing off the press, there was a violent groan and the folding machine broke down. It was another hour before it rolled again and then very slowly. It was a bad week.

Veterans stood at attention when the Queen arrived at Duncan. Among them were Gordon Matthews and Peter Bingham. Queen Elizabeth saw the O.B.E. on Major Matthews' chest and spoke to him of it. She also spoke to Col. Bingham and asked him about his service. Prince Philip recalled meeting Peter Bingham in eastern Canada two years ago at a regimental gathering. The Prince asked where Peter was living and couldn't quite figure why he would choose a small island.

The wind blew from the wrong direction on Tuesday last week when the Royal Party toured Vancouver Island. "What a smell!" gasped Prince Philip as he breathed in a lungful of good Croft-on air.

One day you'll be able to tell

## HOCKEY NEWS

Ganges Marauders vs. Fulford

These two teams battled it out for first place on Thursday last week. It was the fastest game this season in which both teams played without the assistance of a coach.

The teams played only to have tied in the first period, 3-3 and second period, 4-4, then played a wide open third period to end up with Ganges out-skating and out-scoring Fulford, 7-3 final score was 12-7 for Ganges.

Top scorers for the game were Julien Valcourt with five goals; Jay McManus with four goals and Dave Bryer with three goals for Ganges and for Fulford: Karl Kitchen with four goals; Pat Byron with two goals and Jim Akerman with one goal.

The three stars for the game were selected by the referee; Jay McManus, Pat Byron and Dave Bryer.

## PLANNING ISLANDS AWAY?

Planners are going to plan Salt Spring Island out of existence, charged Joe Nickerson at last week's meeting of Salt Spring Island Planning Association.

"Are you going to tell people they can't come here after you get to 7,000 people?" he asked.

The association is a voluntary group without authority, Chairman I. C. Shank reminded him. It compiles statistics and opinions and makes recommendations on that basis. The recommendations have then to be assessed by the official planning bodies.

a member of parliament by his pot belly and overfed appearance. Only effective action taken so far in the inflation issue has been the move to raise MP's salaries 40%. I'm not greedy; for 75% of an MP's pay and allowances I'll go to Ottawa. Or for an income tax exemption of \$8,000 I'll stay home! It has a nasty smell!

## BEAVER SAILS TO GALIANO

The replica of the historic S. S. Beaver, first steam vessel on the Pacific Coast, sailed into Sturdies Bay on Wednesday afternoon, May 5, to stay until May 7.

Donald A. New was in charge of arrangements with a group of people who entertained personnel from the ship for their stay at Galiano. On Thursday afternoon, all of the school children went for a visit with Basil Bengier, principal and Mrs. Bonnie Robson, junior room teacher.

They gave the hot dog stand a lively time. The stand was held at the top of Sturdies Bay

wharf, with members of the Centennial Committee, Mrs. Les Robinson, Mrs. Fred Robson and Mrs. M. Backlund doing the fast work. Also with the Centennial group, a large and lively group of people gathered at the new park, to help in the clean-up bee, on Saturday morning.

## NO SURVEY OF SURVEY TO BE TRIED

Second survey of Salt Spring Island opinion on planning is not to be undertaken.

Last week the Salt Spring Island Planning Association announced that there had been some investigation into the value of a new survey. It would serve no useful purpose, the meeting was told.

If the need for a re-assessment of public opinion should arise in the future, the association might make such a survey, it was agreed.

Original survey was made two years ago to assess islanders' views on island development.

## HE NEVER QUAILED IN THE FACE OF ATTACK BY BIRD

When the president of Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce was viciously attacked by a bird he didn't even eat the attacker.

Spencer Marr told planners last week that he was stopped by an aggressive quail on Beddis Road. The bird stood in the road and dared him to go ahead. He didn't and the bird stood fast.

Mr. Marr opened the door of the car in order to remonstrate with the small bird which would n't give in.

As he opened the door the bird strutted up to prevent his closing it.

The Chamber of Commerce president exercised patience and the bird gave up.

It would have been quicker to have eaten it.

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## BUILDING A HOME

Many islanders are loth to see large numbers of new homes rising on the islands. Many others have gained the warm co-operation of a lending institution and have built various new homes here without government-assistance.

There are many homesites on the islands, yet standing vacant. There are many owners seeking the opportunity of building new homes. They have local sources of assistance and they have a wide range off-island.

If they lived in a large urban centre, they could gain assistance from the federal government Crown corporation administering the National Housing Act. Because they live on Salt Spring Island or South Pender, or Galiano, that assistance is denied them. And it is denied them on grounds that were invented in the great cities of the nation.

The corporation should not be telling rural dwellers what they must do in order to gain a share in the national housing barrel. They should be investigating methods whereby each home owner could build on larger properties without requiring a sewer system, which is undesirable in many locations.

A foolish, unthinking policy on the part of a Crown corporation cannot gain wisdom from authority.

The National Housing Act was introduced to promote "...the improvement of housing and living conditions".

Presumably, where the act is not applied the housing and living conditions will suffer the loss of this improvement. It is a burden on rural dwellers in every part of the nation.

## Letters to the Editor

SPONSOR NEEDED MAYBE?

Editor, Driftwood,  
I would like to draw attention to the Salt Spring Island Roller Hockey team, called the "Salties".

It is my observation they could well use a sponsor and a

little help from those able to do so. Their expenses are probably going to increase, as they have to travel off Salt Spring to play every hockey match.

In spite of inadequate equipment and lack of funds they seem to be an enthusiastic group. They have to be when they appeared (in Esquimalt Arena) and played two games and won both of them.

Perhaps a reader can investigate the situation so that my letter is not in vain.

R. Bowditch,  
Victoria, B.C.  
May 3, 1971.

## New Thrift Shop For Hospital

A "Thrift Shop" located on Vesuvius Road is to be opened on Saturday, May 22. It will be operated by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital.

The purpose of this new thrift shop is to raise additional funds in order that the Ladies' Auxiliary may further assist with the extended care unit which is to be built in the very near future.

The ladies stress that this shop will in no way interfere with the annual Hospital Bargain Sale which is to be held in September as usual, and will take place on the Friday evening as well as all day Saturday.

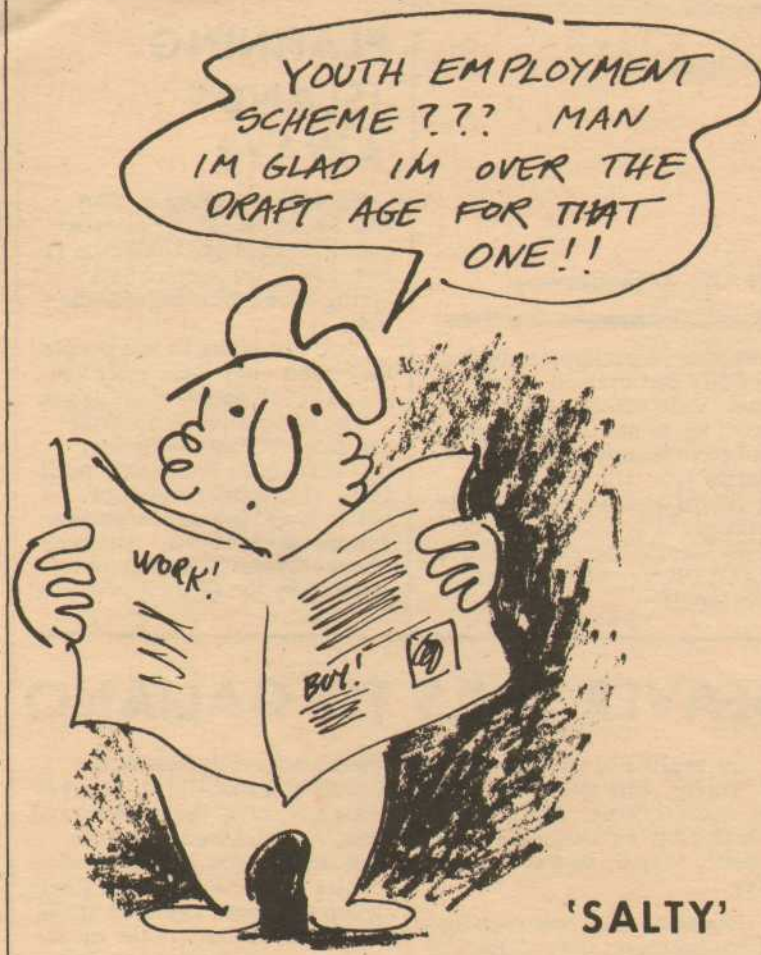
The idea behind the thrift shop is to sell surplus and summer it-

ems which do not usually go too well at the fall sale.

An urgent need exists for bathing suits, summer clothing both for children and adults, summer cabin kitchenware and bedding, but all contributions will be welcome both for the shop and for the bargain sale.

Donations may be left at the thrift shop - they will no longer be taken to the hospital basement. In addition it is planned to accept certain items on a consignment basis.

The Thrift Shop will be open for donations on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9 am to 4 pm. Further information is available from Mrs. Nita Brown, at 537-5360.



'SALTY'

## CITIZEN OF YEAR

### ELSIE THACKER CHOSEN

Citizen of the Year was not present at last Friday evening's Salt Spring Chamber of Commerce annual dinner to receive her scroll. She is Mrs. Elsie Thacker.

Announcement was made by A. V. Agar, who outlined Mrs. Thacker's contribution to the community.

The nominee was responsible for starting the Old Age Pensioners' Organization on Salt Spring Island, many years ago.

She has held various offices in the organization at Ganges and has worked without cease for the organization and its members.

Mrs. Thacker is still a hard worker and a skilful organizer. She is in her 81st year.

In addition to taking part in the island branch activities, Mrs. Thacker is a district organizer for the islands and part of Vancouver Island. She is the official government counsellor for the aged and draws a small stipend for this service. Each month she hands over her payment to the island branch.

In addition to her duties and her voluntary service with the branch, Mrs. Thacker organizes luncheons and dinners in her own home and invites her fellow members. This is a regular activity several times a month. She runs card parties and other entertainments for the Pioneer Village.

This is not her only contribution to the elderly people of Salt Spring Island. Mrs. Thacker keeps an ear to the ground at all times and whenever there is a pensioner or an elderly person in distress or difficulties, she abandons her own pursuits and goes to the assistance of the needy.

For these reasons, said Mr. Agar, the chamber had warmly named her Citizen of the Year.

## HOCKEY

Two more winning games for the Salties Friday saw them take their first shut-out, 9-0, against Esquimalt. Salties had the play most of the game, Esquimalt losing the puck to the Salties' hard working defence.

Improving all the time, the Salties are gaining respect from referees, time keepers, Esquimalt managers, for the cleanest team, and the best organized, so keep your cool, Salties.

Sunday's game against James Bay was an entirely different game, with a winning score of 5-1. The Salties had to have an eye open all the time, or end up against the boards. This game was very fast, with lots of action on both sides, and no game for heavy smokers.

Alec Kitchen, goal tender for first period stopped some near goals, Terry Slingsby, second and third period, made some dramatic saves, Terry slightly injured when he jumped out to save the puck, carried on to a good recovery.

This makes four wins in a row for the Salties, so come on to Victoria and support your local team.

Friday game, line 1 scored 3 goals, and line 2 scored 6 goals. Sunday's game, line 1 scored 2 goals, and line 2 scored 3 goals.



Please Protect our forests!

## YOUTH '71

(From Page One)

He drew a parallel in pottery. A year or so ago there was no kiln and little pottery on the island, recalled the architect. A small group of interested potters discussed the problem and did something about it.

Not only do they now have a kiln and an enthusiastic group, but the sale of their products had paid for the equipment they bought.

Youth '71 will follow the same pattern of success, he forecast.

Most serious hazard facing the participants, warned the speaker, is false expectations. The chamber has asked the federal government for a grant under the youth program announced earlier this year.

"It is quite possible," he warned, "that the federal government will make no monies available."

The sponsors have agreed that if the program appeals to the youth of the island it will be launched with or without help.

Brian Stevens asked where the land might be and George Heinekey replied that it was not yet established.

Mr. Heinekey also noted that when it comes to discussion of a crop he advocates potatoes. The growing season is short and potatoes would fit in comfortably where many other crops might not.

The whole thing had been prepared and launched in a week, explained Mr. Schubart.

The chamber of commerce enquired of the federal government five weeks ago regarding the program. A reply was received 24 hours before the deadline. The chamber had wired Ottawa advising that an application would arrive at the last minute.

Subsequently the government office responsible for the program had been in touch with Mr. Marr.

The students on Sunday afternoon conducted their own nominations with Spencer Marr in the background to offer any needed guidance.

## WAFFLE GROUP WAS WAFFLING FOR ITS NAME

Why does the Waffle Group in the New Democratic Party waffle?

Former party leader Tommy Douglas was asked the question on Friday evening before the chamber of commerce dinner.

When the Waffle Group first outlined its stand on affairs within the party a speaker for the group was accused of waffling, or talking without saying anything.

"That's right," agreed the speaker at the time, "I'm waffling."

The intellectual group within the party is now universally known as the Waffle Group.

## CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, MAY 16, 1971

Church	Location	Service	Time
ANGLICAN			
St. George	Ganges	Holy Communion	8:30 am
St. Mark	Central	Morning Prayer	11:00 am
St. Mary	Fulford	Evening Prayer	2:30 pm
ROMAN CATHOLIC			
St. Paul's	Fulford	Holy Mass	9:00 am
Our Lady of Grace	Ganges	" "	11:00 am
UNITED CHURCH			
Rev. Fred Anderson	Ganges	Worship Service	11:00 am
Box 461, Ganges			
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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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The vital statistics for Gulf Islands School District 6 1/2 (1960 - 1971).

Year	Total Budget	% Local Load	% Gov't Grant	Assessment	Local Mill Rate	Prov. Mill Rate	Enrollment
1960	\$203,865	57.5	42.5	\$8,550,524	15.15		464
1961	230,849	73.0	27.0	8,988,631	17.99		499
1962	269,259	80.5	19.5	10,317,697	19.29		482
1963	268,261	82.8	17.2	10,880,245	19.63		524
1964	297,652	90.29	9.71	12,044,449	21.38	23.41	569
1965	349,688	95.32	4.68	13,440,554	23.92	25.48	615
1966	421,353	95.1	4.9	14,955,430	25.92	26.47	620
1967	474,441	90.42	9.68	16,410,790	25.82	30.02	683
1968	577,743	94.0	6.0	18,129,508	30.45	31.21	690
1969	621,997	93.4	6.6	20,699,768	27.25	31.72	690
1970	706,862	95.19	4.81	24,967,211	25.53	31.88	770
1971	726,765	94.19	4.81	26,684,124	23.27	31.88	835

**boats 'n' floats 'n' fish 'n' things . . . .**

By Q. Harold Dibnah



Fishing is excellent. There have been some lovely fish brought in over the past week, - some as large as 15 lbs. but must in the 2-3 lb. range. One of the hot spots is Captain's passage, just off Long Harbour - try the kelp bed around the black spar buoy. Marion and Ralph Alpen have been doing very well. Must let you in on a secret, however, Marion is the fisherman - Ralph is the golfer.

Rod and Gun Club season Derby. This derby is open to all members of the Rod and Gun Club and runs all year from banquet to banquet. To be weighed in, the minimum weight is 10 lbs. for seniors and 5 lbs. for juniors. There is a cup and prize money awarded at the annual banquet each year. Fish may be weighed in at "Ben's". Tidal waters sport fishing regulations - Bag Limits.

Salmon - Four salmon in any one day, 12 inches or more in length, measured from tip of nose to centre of tail.

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Trout - Twelve trout in any one day, 8 inches or more in length, measured from tip of nose to centre of tail.

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Ling Cod - Three ling cod in any one day in area from Race Rocks through Strait of Georgia to Tuna Point in Johnstone Strait. No size limit on whole B.C. coast.

Copies of fishing and hunting regulations are available in Ganges or may be obtained from the Department of Fisheries and Forestry.

**SPRINGTIME**

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How unfeeling I would be  
To know no happiness today!  
-Charlotte Hudson.

**LACROSSE OPENS ON SATURDAY**

Lacrosse season opens at Ganges on Saturday with a game to be played against a Victoria team at 1.30 pm.

Visitors will come to the island and aboard the 11.30 ferry from Swartz Bay. It will be the first game in the partially completed new lacrosse box behind the Gulf Islands Secondary School.

On Saturday a second Lacrosse feature will take place. At 10 am, there will be a bake sale on behalf of the lacrosse team. It will be held at a location on McPhillips Ave.

Note the 79.95% increase in enrollment over the years 1970 to 1971. Note also the somewhat staggering figures showing the percentage increase in the local tax load over the provincial government tax load in the period 1960-1971.

That the increase in enrollment and local tax load will increase even more - much more - in the next ten years is a fact of life. At this very moment, some of the schools in our district are overcrowded, in some instances seriously so.

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**NOTICE**

**THE LADY MINTO GULF ISLANDS HOSPITAL**

Annual General Meeting of the above mentioned organization will be held on the following islands at times and places herein designated.

- |                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Mayne Island                 | Community Hall on Wednesday, 19th May, 3.00 pm    |
| Galiano Island               | Galiano School on Wednesday, 19th May, 7.00 pm    |
| Saturna Island               | Community Hall on Thursday, 20th May, 3.00 pm     |
| North & South Pender Islands | Port Washington Hall, Thursday, 20th May, 7.00 pm |
| Salt Spring Island           | Mahon Hall on Friday, 21st May, 8.00 pm           |

**AGENDA**

1. To receive the Chairman's Report
2. To receive the Financial Report for the year ending 31st December 1970.
3. To receive various Reports
4. To elect four members to the Board of Management, three members from Salt Spring Island, one member from Galiano Island, each for a term of three years.
5. An Extraordinary Resolution will be proposed for the purpose of making certain amendments to the by-laws of the Society deemed necessary to reduce the composition of the Board of Management from twelve persons to eleven persons.
6. Any other business that may come before the meeting

**VOTING PRIVILEGES**

- (1) All Zone Members (persons who own land and pay taxes thereon in Zone 1 - North Salt Spring Island, Zone 2 - South Salt Spring Island, Zone 3 - North and South Pender Island and Prevost, Zone 4 - Saturna Island and Samuel Island, Zone 5 - Mayne Island, Zone 6 - Galiano Island, or spouses of such persons) who had made written application for membership in the society. Applications will be available prior to the call to order of the Annual meetings.
- (2) Annual members: Members who have paid 50¢ for membership during the year 1970 to April 23, 1971.

(Signed) H. Hoffman,  
Secretary,  
Board of Management

**NOT EVEN THE FIRETRUCK WAS SAFE**

Firemen at Saturna are looking for thieves who drained the gas tank of the island's only fire truck.

When fire broke out near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shinduke, on Saturna, it was contained within the area and the trees on the slopes of Mount David were saved.

The fire was initially reported to be at the Shinduke home. While volunteer firemen were getting ready to move out they discovered the theft of gasoline. They were delayed in their departure, but the fire proved to be in the timber and was soon under control. Main winner, observed a fireman, was B. C. Forest Products, whose timber stands on the slopes of the mountain.

If Saturna firemen discover the thief's identity it will go

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badly for him, commented one of the firemen.

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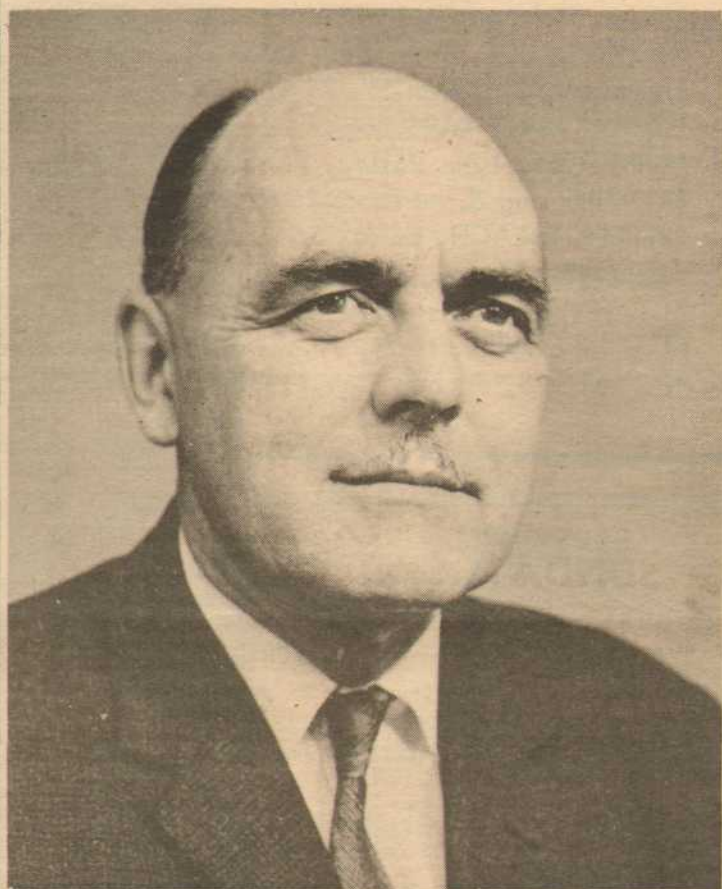
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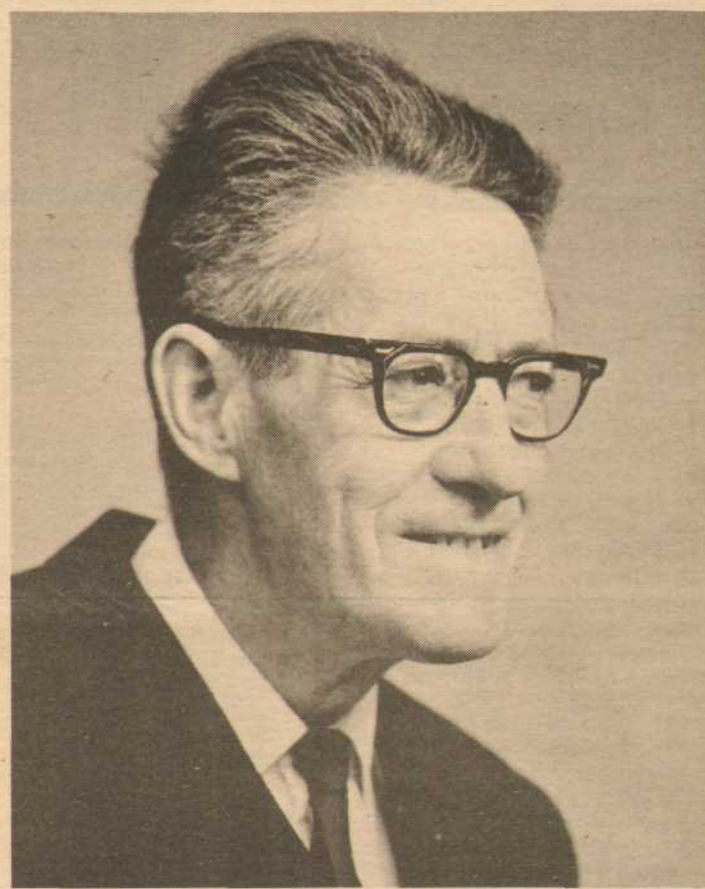
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## WEDDING AT FULFORD

BY BEA HAMILTON

With sunshine outside and spring flowers inside St. Mary's Anglican Church, on Saturday, May 8, it was a lovely day for the wedding of a lovely bride, Marlien Van Herwaarden, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. M. Van Herwaarden, who exchanged marriage vows with Patrick Slingsby, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Slingsby, at a double-ring ceremony.

Officiating at the wedding was the bride's father, Mr. Van Herwaarden.

The bride wore a full length white satin brocade gown with pearl trimmings with a three-quarter length veil and headpiece, of matching pearl trim and brocade.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Betty Van Herwaarden, and the bride's matron was Lynn Van Herwaarden, her sister-in-law. The groom's sister, Linda Slingsby, was bridesmaid.

The little flower girl, Lydia, and the ring bearer, Leslie, were the bride's small sister and brother.

The bride's attendants all wore dresses of peach colored shantung with white lace trim and headpieces of peach-colored flowers. The bouquets were pink and white carnations made by the bride's mother.

Best man was the groom's brother, Terry Slingsby. Ushers were Rick and Bart Van Herwaarden, brothers of the bride, Kenneth McLean, the groom's brother-in-law, was organist.

The radiant bride entered on the arm of her uncle, Averett Van Herwaarden. After the ceremony, during the signing of the register, Gail McLean, sister of the groom, sang The Lord is my Shepherd.

Reception was in the Fulford Hall.

The lovely four-tier wedding cake was made by Mrs. Gladys Slingsby and the groom's aunt, Mrs. Ethel Faulkner.

Catering for the reception was done by Mr. and Mrs. Slingsby. The mother of the bride wore a peach ensemble with beige accessories, while the mother of the groom wore pale turquoise dress and coat, with white accessories.

Little Douglas McLean, the groom's nephew, cut quite a figure in his clan Tartan and proudly presented the happy couple with a "good luck horse-shoe" when they left the church. Douglas also had a thirst and when he spotted the large bowls of "fruit juice" at the hall later, he grabbed a cup and started dipping in for a drink. Some spoil-sport nipped this in the bud needless to say and the wee laddie had to wait his turn.

A delicious smorgasbord supper was laid out amongst vases of flowers and all enjoyed a delightful supper.

Keith Ramsey was master of ceremonies at the supper and Les Ramsey gave the lively toast to the bride, which was replied to by the groom.

Several telegrams of congratulations were read by the M.C.



Photo by A. M. Sharp

The happy couple left for Victoria to start their honeymoon. They will make their home on Salt Spring Island. They intend to extend their honeymoon later and travel through Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Slingsby are both employed on the Island

## LOTS OF WEATHER AT MAYNE

There was lots of Mayne Island weather for the month of April, 1971. It moved from very cold to very warm.

Total rainfall for the month amounted to 0.56 ins., with measurable rainfall on seven days, and a trace of rainfall on seven days.

Overnight frost was recorded on three days.

The first half of the month was largely cloudy and cool. Warming trend was evident after the mid-month, with one or two hot days. There were two days in the third week with near-record temperatures for the date. The last frost occurred on the 15th.

In April, 1970, total rainfall was 3.03 ins.

Rainfall to date (1971) is 13.61 ins. Records are kept by W. W. Hunt-Sowrey at Mayne on behalf of the federal government.

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## PRIMATES' WORLD RELIEF FUND

BY DOREEN MORRIS

The Primates' World Relief Tea sponsored by St. Mark's Guild was held Wednesday, May 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horel, Cusheon Lake.

Mrs. Denis Seward of St. Mark's Guild was the general convener of the very successful affair. Mrs. D. Hook of St. George's Guild convened the popular bake stall which was completely cleared. Many people donated food which was greatly appreciated.

Islanders of all denominations attended to help make the seventh annual Primates' World Relief

### LECTURE ON RICH GARDEN PLANTS FOR GARDENERS

BY PETE MOSS

Special treat for gardeners at May 19 meeting will be a lecture on rock garden plants to be given by Miss Doris Page of Lohbrunner's Nursery, Victoria.

Miss Page is an authority on rock and alpine gardens, and is held in high esteem in Victoria horticultural circles for her wide knowledge in this and other botanic fields. She will use garden plants and slides to illustrate her talk.

We are most fortunate to have Miss Page share her knowledge with us, especially as this is the busy season in her business.

Meeting will take place on May 19 at 8 pm in United church hall at Ganges. Visitors are welcome to hear Miss Page.

lief Bread and Butter Tea a great success. The Primates' fund is kept ready for immediate dispatch anywhere disaster strikes in the world.

Mrs. P. G. James was responsible for the beautiful floral arrangements. Pink tulips, white broom, and narcissi centred the main tea table with lilac and other spring flowers placed in

### GOLF AND FASHIONS

The golf season is in full swing with big turnouts on Ladies' Day and many members availing themselves of golf lessons by the club pro, Bob Foulis under the auspices of the Adult Education program.

The club was well-represented at the Cowichan annual Field Day, and on May 4 the first inter-club competition was held at Gorge Vale Golf Club.

On Monday, May 10, attention was turned to fashion when the club sponsored a fashion show and luncheon, convened by Mrs. Gerry Layard.

large vases throughout the rooms Mrs. Margaret Cunningham, president of St. Mark's Guild, received the guests and Mrs. C. C. Guthrie was at the door.

Pouring tea during the afternoon were Mrs. Cecil Springfield Mrs. G. Dumas, Mrs. G. H. Holmes, Mrs. Fred Anderson, Mrs. H. Carlin, and Mrs. Rathwell.

Approximately \$250 was received in the general collection and \$181.50 was taken in at the bake stall.

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### BRITISH COLUMBIA FERRIES GULF ISLANDS - TSAWWASSEN ROUTE CANCELLED SAILINGS Due to repair work at Otter Bay

**MONDAY MAY 17th and TUESDAY MAY 18th**

4:40 PM sailing from Long Harbour will not call at Otter Bay at 5:20 PM.

5:20 PM sailing from Pender Island is cancelled. Traffic will be rerouted via the Mayne Queen and Swartz Bay.

**TUESDAY MAY 18th**

6:30 AM sailing from Long Harbour will not call at Otter Bay at 7:10 AM.

7:10 AM sailing from Pender Island is cancelled. Traffic will be rerouted via the Mayne Queen and Swartz Bay.

The Otter Bay dock will be out of service from 10:30 AM on May 17th until 6:00 PM on May 18th. All sailings of the Mayne Queen from Pender Island depart from Port Washington.

Information - phone 537-5313 between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM.



**BRITISH COLUMBIA FERRIES**



# STUDENTS COME TO SALT SPRING

A group of 65 sixth grade students from Carnarvon Elementary School in Vancouver, accompanied by their teachers Miss Beedon and Miss Griffiths, paid a visit to Salt Spring Island on Thurs-

day afternoon, May 6. They were met at the ferry by five local sixth grade pupils who accompanied them in a bus provided by the local school board, around the Island. Each student

described a different aspect of the island during the trip. At two o'clock the bus returned to the school where all the sixth graders from both schools were entertained at a concert. The Salt Spring School Band performed, and a band ensemble from Carnarvon School played several selections. At three o'clock the boys played a soccer game with the visitors while the girls took part in a softball game. The games were concluded in time for the visiting pupils to catch the bus back to the ferry. Plans to send local pupils on a return visit are being explored. The Carnarvon pupils have extended an invitation for a return visit, which would include not only a visit to their school, but trips to other points of interest in Vancouver.

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## SATURNA ART SHOW PLANNED

The first Saturna Island Community Art, Crafts, and Music Show will be held on May 23. Show will open at 1 pm to 5 pm, in the Saturna Community Hall. It will consist of entirely local contributions, including weaving, drawing, carving, macrame, handspinning, pottery, needlework, and other crafts. Musical presentations will include accordion, piano, guitar, singing, and more. There will also be a display of old and antique objects found on Saturna. What's happening on Saturna? The first art show will show it.

## MUSICAL RIDE WILL BE CLOSE

The Queen didn't come to the islands. Neither will the RCMP Musical Ride. Islanders will be able to see the Mounties on their horses in Victoria or in Nanaimo this summer. Musical ride will be in Victoria on August 16 and 17. Skip a day and the ride will be presented in Nanaimo on August 19. The RCMP is going to town on the Centennial Year in British Columbia. The police band will come to the coast this month. On May 19 it will play in Victoria and on May 20 it may be heard, and seen, in Nanaimo.

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*Yours*

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## Salt Spring Island... A Pres

Read Bea Hamilton's Salt Spring Island yet? That's funny, so has Queen Elizabeth. Last week the Salt Spring historian sent a copy of her island story to the Queen. Earlier in the spring Archdeacon R. B. Horsefield wrote to the Lieutenant-Governor expressing his regret that the royal tour would exclude the islands from the itinerary. Lieut-Governor Nicholson replied that the tight schedule would prohibit such a visit. It was at this point that Bea Hamilton took matters into her own hands. If the Queen couldn't see and enjoy the best part of the entire province, then at least, she should have the chance of learning about it, decided the author. The book went from Miss Hamilton, to Cmdr. Dixon, the Lieutenant-Governor's secretary to the Queen's secretary to the Queen.



MISS BEA HAMILTON

"May it please Your Majesty wrote the island writer, "the author of this history of Salt Spring Island begs you will accept it copy..." "It is the author's hope that

## DRIVER CHARGED AFTER CAR ROLLS AT CURVE IN ROAD

One-vehicle accident on May 8 in the early hours of the morning caused extensive damage to the 1970 Ford driven by John David Langdon, Ganges. Langdon sustained a minor cut above the right eye. The car was travelling north

on Lower Ganges Road at shortly before 1 am. North of Blaine Road it failed to negotiate a curve in the road, rolled over, hit a utility pole and ended up upside down in a driveway. Langdon was charged with failure to drive with due care and attention.



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## THEY CAME, THEY SHOT, THEY LEFT WITH PRIZES

On Sunday, May 2, the Ladner-Delta Rod and Gun Club made its annual pilgrimage to Salt Spring Island to take home a fair number of the marksmanship prizes. There were lots of shooters, lots of shooting and marksmen were happy with the way prizes went.

# PHYLLIS WEBB... SALT SPRING POET

BY CULTUS COULEE

You must meet such interesting people?

Yes, Phyllis Webb does meet interesting people. And interesting people, meet her, in verse. Though Salt Spring Island's poet in residence is not in evidence, her Selected Poems 1954-1965, are now on view, edited by Dr. John Hulcoop for Talon Books; and Vancouver publisher, David Robinson, has planted a dandelion on the cover.

Here she works on the Kropotkin Poems, if not popping into town to read poetry at UVic... or to meet a fan from North Carolina... or to hear friend, Robert Duncan, San Francisco poet, give a reading... or, if not steaming to CBC, Vancouver, to talk on Water Lily and Multifoliate Rose: Cyclic Notions in Proust; - ("A mad undertaking, cramming Proust into half an hour!")... or to read poems, some about Salt Spring... or to interview Earle Birney, Dean of Canadian Poets, on his "rag & bone shop" completed on Galiano. And when not watching the herons and eagles that stalk and flap through Bea Hamilton's Fulford News.

How did a shy Victoria girl, succeed as a poetess?

Phyllis matriculated from St. Margaret's in 1945; got a B.A. in English and Philosophy, UBC, 1949, and that year was provincial CCF candidate in Victoria riding.

In 1950, to Montreal, secretary at McGill, and Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, meeting poets Leonard Cohen, Louis Dudek, Irving Layton, Frank Scott.

Phyl's first published poem, Sisyphus, was in John Sutherland's Northern Review, Montreal, 1952.

In 1954, she, with Eli Mandel and Gael Turnbull, made up Trio, a book by Montreal's Contact Press.

A year in England, six months as a secretary, London School of Economics, Psychology Department; where Vancouver's Bob McKenzie was head of Political Science. From a small room in South Kensington, Phyl moved north to Hampstead and a mini-room, in poverty, in Belsize Park.

Back in Montreal, 1955, as a secretary, she began free-lance broadcasting for CBC contributing to Anthology, CBC Wednesday Night, Critically Speaking, Fighting Words and Now I Ask You.

Phyllis Webb's first book, Even Your Right Eye, was brought out for McClelland & Stewart's Indian File Series, 1956.

She won a Canadian Government Overseas Award, 1957, and spent 1 1/2 years in Paris. A hotel on Rue Casimir de la Vigne. Then Rue de Seine, in artist Baram's atelier. "He spent six months in Spain, every year. A 17th century building, seven floors up. No lift. No hot water and a "Turkish" toilet!"

New Westminster's Joe Plaskett lived nearby and did a double portrait of Poet Webb.

"I call it 'The Divided Self' after R. D. Laing's book on schizophrenia! Very Sitwellian - Edith, that is!"

Back to Canada, 1959; teaching assistant, English Department, UBC, 1960-63. In 1962 The Sea is Also a Garden, was published by Ryerson Press.

In 1963, the poet spent part of a Canada Council Junior Scholarship in San Francisco;

then joined CBC, Toronto, Department of Public Affairs, 1964, as Program Organizer. With Bill Young and Janet Somerville, she developed the FM week-nightly Ideas. Selected programs are on AM national network as Ideas Network. Phyl was made executive producer in 1968.

In 1965 Naked Poems was designed and published by Vancouver artist Takao Tanabe.

"An unerring ear for language and sound combined with a respect for the power of words produce a haunting quality characteristic of few Canadian poets," said the Globe & Mail.

Dr. Hulcoop, English Department UBC, winner of the Master Teacher Award, 1970, poet, and author of Three Ring Circus Song wrote an article on the Naked Poems, for "Canadian Literature"

"At CBC I was also involved in educational TV programs, 'Live and Learn' which metamorphosed into 'Extension' - altogether about 59 programs including a 13-week TV series, 'Modern Canadian Poets', a centennial project, which I wrote, organized and hosted and which presented 26 poets.

"I love broadcasting and working in radio. I went to Britain for CBC on a free UK Government trip to the Commonwealth Arts Festival. An exhausting month! And once, for the Massey Lectures. Jeff Anderson was producer, I was program organizer. Laing, the British psychiatrist, one of my culture heroes, gave the series, The Politics of the Family.

"Also to Newfoundland, which I loved, for a conference. The years in Public Affairs were my 'continuing education', but the pressure of work made poetry impossible."

"Yes, I met fascinating people."

Like Austin Clarke, Bajan author, whose job offers in Toronto were train porter or janitor, until CBC befriended him. Now he's lecturing at Yale.

Glenn Gould, who likes long phone calls, say one or two hours. Daniel Berrigan, radical American Jesuit priest, now in jail, to mention a fraction.

In 1967 Phyl spent CBC leave at Beaver Point, with a side trip of three weeks in Russia.

She swung this by selling her manuscripts to the U. of Saskatchewan: drafts of poems, all my radio talks and letters, files, literary history, etc."

While with CBC there was no time for writing poetry. So, in 1969, when Phyl got a Canada Council Senior Scholarship, she resigned, and returned to the coast, finding sanctuary among Salt Spring cedars, above the sea.

It was meet that Phyllis, who once lived on Isabella St., Tor-

onto, should fit into Isabella Point Road, with her tabby, Isabelle, last July.

Salt Spring provides a new interest - rock painting and carving. "My 'discovery' of the Fulford petroglyph, turned me on to the rock art of B.C." Another breather from the Kropotkin Poems!

But, returning to them, she finds: "...things fall together now. Pine needles, arbutus bark, the tide comes in, path to the beach lights with sun-fall... I approach some distant dream. I wait for moonlight reflecting on the night sea. I can wait. We shall see."

at Victoria  
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seeing her book you will find something of the ethos of this place and that this loyal community may thus express their devotion to your Throne and your Family."

### THREE STAGES

Member of Parliament for Nanaimo-Cowichan and the Islands, Tommy Douglas, explained last week the difference between a recession, a depression and a panic.

"A recession is when you tighten your belt; a depression is when you lose your belt and a panic is when your pants fall down."

The former leader of the New Democratic Party was addressing the Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce.

### ONLY 40 ATTEND DINNER

One of the poorest dinner meetings on record gathered at the Salt Spring Island Golf and Country Club on Friday evening to hear details of one of the most ambitious youth and student projects ever launched on Salt Spring Island.

The annual dinner drew some 40 guests. There were 24 Ganges businesshouses absent from the dinner. Less than a dozen businesshouses took part and the only resort operator present was the president of the chamber, Spencer Marr, who is proprietor of Cusheon Lake Resort.

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**MARK CROFTON TAKES PART**

While war in the far east and the middle east are under constant fire, one Salt Spring Island serviceman went to Europe to take part in ceremonies linking him with the two Great World Wars of the century.

In Holland and Belgium with the Governor-General of Canada was Lt.-Cmdr. Mark Crofton who commanded the guard of honor during the Vice-Regal visit.

On April 15, the Canadians

were royally entertained by the Netherlands, reported Cmdr. Crofton in a letter home to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Crofton, of Ganges.

Governor-General Roland Michener and Mrs. Michener were in Holland as the guests of Queen Juliana. He spoke of the close bond between the people of Holland and the people of Canada.

Cmdr. Crofton was acutely aware of this bond when he visited the graves of the Canadians who died in Holland in the Second World War.

The graves are tended by the people of the country and a constant tribute is paid to the 5,000 Canadian soldiers killed in Holland in the fight to liberate the country from Nazi Germany.

Speaking to the mixed crowd of Netherlands and Canadians, on April 15, the Governor-General spoke of the continuous link forged between the two nations.

The thoughts of the families of those 5,000 soldiers will always turn to Holland, where they lie, observed the Canadian Governor-General.

In addition to that link there is a constant movement across the Atlantic as "literally thousands of Dutch people have become Canadian citizens during the past 25 years."

It was not merely the ceremonies which accompanied the vice-regal visit which impressed Cmdr. Crofton. It was the manner in which the people of Holland and Belgium have tended the graves of the Canadians over the years, with ceremonies to commemorate them, religious services in their honor and quasi-

military observances to honor the men whose last hours were with the military forces.

Ceremony in April took place at the Holten Canadian War Cemetery.

Formally taking part on behalf of Canada were the Governor-General and External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp.

On behalf of the relatives and friends in Canada, "for whom I have the honor to speak," said the Governor-General, "I thank all those who give time and affection to the care of these graves and gardens, especially the children."

The ceremony was held in the presence of Princess Margaret of the Netherlands.

Sentries and the firing party as well as the Royal Guard of Honor were mounted by the Canadian Maritime Forces stationed at Halifax and by H.M. Canadian Ships, Preserver, Ottawa, Margaree and Assiniboine.

When he reached London, before returning home, Cmdr. Crofton was still impressed with the manner in which the people of Holland and Belgium have paid unbroken tribute to the Canadian soldiers.

**SCHOOL SPORTS  
 FRIDAY FOR  
 OUTER ISLANDS**

On Friday morning, bright and early for the first ferries, children will gather from the Outer Islands for the annual Sports Day.

Basil Bengier, principal of Galiano School, is in charge of arrangements, and needs a fleet of cars to transport people from both ferry terminals. This is a big day for the children. Their elders will all have to make an effort to get both eyes open before seven, in order to help with arrangements.

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BY PAPAJOHN

Visiting mellow Myrt and Steve Maskow are Steve's sister, rosy Rose Waller and her son Dick, with his wife, gay Gale and kids.

Dale Lawson broke his little finger on his right (writin') hand and after Dr. Dixon fixed it, he thought maybe he could miss school but, poor Dale! He could still write, so back he HAD to go.

Dick Gaines is home after operation and is still feeling comfortable. More from the wise guys making cracks than the operation.

They have a dandy new liquor store in Langley and of all things got a jug of "Mead". It's not bad but can't see what or how our ancestors got such happy glows on with it or why or how the poets waxed so lyrical on it.

The "Beaver" will be calling at Saturna in June and our padre Rev. J. Dangerfield is developing a "do" to celebrate it. More about this later as the Rev. is in Victoria and I am on a farm outside Cloverdale right now.

Anyone wanting to donate to our Fire Department, please do so as we can use the money and the fire season is just beginning. All donations can be sent to Jim Money and you can also get your fire permits from Jim.

Also don't forget Saturday, May 22, when the fire boys put on their eatingest, scratchin' Chicken Barbecue.

**BOWLING  
 NEWS**

BY SPARE

This is the first year Leisure Lane Bowlers participated in the Annual Daily Province team bowl.

This province-wide competition in British Columbia is divided into 27 zones. The winning team from each zone gets a trip to Reno, Nevada.

Salt Spring Island bowlers won this coveted prize. The happy travellers will be the "Drifters" of the Lions Club bowling league - Bob and Elma Lawson, Daisy Gear, Stan Sage and John Taylor.

This team starts their journey May 22 along with 130 other B.C. bowlers for one week of fun-filled activity.

The Drifters will compete against the other 26 zone winning teams at Chapman's Recreations in Vancouver for gold, silver and bronze Centennial '71 medals.

Good luck, Drifters.


Winners of Leisure Lanes Tear Trophy and Champion of Champions Tournament at B.C. Festival of Sports were: first place team: Plungers of the Circus league which bowls Monday and Tuesday. Players are Dave and Carol Rainsford, Fred Gurney and Carol and Steve Polywkan. This team bowled 413 pins over their team average.

Second place team: Greenhorns of the Wednesday league, Dodie Dillabough, Bonar Hanway, Frankie Scorgie and Tom Butt. They bowled 335 pins over team average.

These two teams will represent Salt Spring Island at the regional finals at Rainbow Lanes at Sooke on Sunday, May 30 at 1 pm.

Winners of the Leisure Lanes All-Star Trophy were the top average men and women bowlers from the commercial league

Players are Mac and Betty Mouat, Ruth Heinekey, Aleta Tomlinson and Fred Gilman. They bowled 237 pins over average.



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### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**KEY TO SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

\*Sanctioned Zone or Regional event.  
 \*\*Sanctioned Provincial event not necessarily a championship.  
 \*\*\*Major sanctioned and unsanctioned provincial championships and events involving contestants from other provinces or countries.  
 The events and dates listed in this advertisement are based on information received at the Festival of Sports Office to April 1, 1971. Any subsequent changes or deletions are the responsibility of the event committee in each community.

**EVENTS IN ITALICS:**

*Non-sports events, pageants, parades, themes and special attractions recognized as Festival ancillary events.*

**COMMUNITY CHAIRMEN:**

Listed next to community names.

**CLOSING CEREMONIES**

"NWB PREVIEW '73", a special sports spectacular will be held on the afternoon of Sunday, June 6th at Swanguard Stadium. This will not only close the 1971 Festival but will initiate events leading to the Canada Summer Games to be held in New Westminster/Burnaby in 1973.

**ABBOTSFORD/MATSQUI/SUMAS (R. Crouter)**

Lacrosse \*Box - Regional Exhibition June 4-5  
 Softball \*Minor Tournament May 21-24  
 Track - Field \*Jr. and Sr. Secondary Champs. May 18

**ALDERGROVE**

Bowling 5 and 10 Pin Regional May 23

**BURNABY (M. M. Gordon)**

Archery \*\*Double "F.I.T.A. Star" May 22-24  
 Motorsport \*Skid driving June 6  
 Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Bowling \*\*\*10 Pin Can. Champs. May 21-24  
 Bowling \*5 Pin Golden Age Clubs Champs. May 20  
 Lawn Bowling Invitational Mixed Rinks May 25, 28  
 Soccer \*\*\*Province Cup Final May 23  
 Swimming \*Burnaby Tyees Spring Development Meet May 29-30  
 Synchron. Swim. \*\*\*B.C. Championships May 21-22  
 Volleyball \*\*\*International Tourn. June 4-7  
 Horseshoe \*\*\*B.C. Centennial and Canadian International May 22-24  
 Pitch \*Minor May 29-30  
 Lacrosse \*Minor June 5-6  
 Dune Buggy \*\*\*Off-Road Vehicle Racing June 5-6

**CHILLIWACK (Dr. J. V. Dyck)**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Canoeing \*\*Indian Canoe Races June 5-6  
 Horse Show \*\*\*International May 22-24  
 Marksmanship \*\*\*Rifle Shoot June 5-6  
 Sailing \*\*Regatta May 22-24  
 Swimming Regional May 30  
 Tennis Round Robin June 5-6  
 Baseball Little League June 5  
 Community Recreational Circus May 20  
 Century of Country Living Parade May 22  
 Garden Dance May 22  
 Indian Tattoo June 5  
 Cub and Scout Rally May 29

**CLOVERDALE**

Rodeo \*\*\*International Tourn. May 22-24  
 Motor Sport Demolition Derby May 29

**COQUITLAM (Ald. R. B. Stibbs)**

Baseball Mini Minor May 22-24  
 Field Hockey \*Girls' Tournament June 5-6  
 Fishing Derby \*Como Lake - Kids June 6  
 Shooting \*\*Rifle Invitational May 22-23  
 Softball \*Girls' Tournament May 29-30  
 Track - Field \*Invitational Cross Country May 30  
 Track - Field Elementary Meet May 26  
 Tennis Regional May 20-30

**DELTA (Dan Doswell)**

Lawn Bowling Mixed Rinks Triples May 22  
 Tennis Regional May 20-30  
 Baseball \*\*Sun God Tournament May 22-24  
 Field Hockey Jr. Men's Tournament May 22-24

**GIBSONS (G. W. Dixon)**

Softball \*Sunshine Coast Invit. May 23-24

**HARRISON**

Canoe River and Lake Trip Pemberton to Harrison May 22

**HOPE**

Bowling 5 and 10 Pin Regional May 23  
 Golf Coquihalla Men's Open May 29-30  
 Fraser River Daze May 29

**LANGLEY (J. Yakabuski)**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Track - Field Secondary Schools May 27  
 Marksmanship \*\*\*Open Skeet Championships June 4-6

**MAILLARDVILLE**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23

**MAPLE RIDGE (W. R. Archibald)**

Horse Riding \*\*Golden Ears Trail Riding May 29-30  
 Horse Show \*\*Annual Jr. Show June 5-6  
 Sailing \*Regatta - small yachts June 6  
 Soccer \*Juvenile Tournament May 29  
 Softball \*Junior May 23  
 Swimming \*Invitational Age Meet June 6  
 Art Exhibit May 22-23  
 Hiking May 22, 29

**MISSION CITY**

Motor Sport \*\*Drag Racing May 30

**NEW WESTMINSTER (Bill Winters)**

Auto Sport Columbian Canyon Rally May 22  
 Bowling 5 and 10 Pin Regional May 23  
 Bowling \*5 and 10 Zone Finals May 30  
 Judo \*\*\*National Scholastic May 29  
 Lacrosse \*\*Tournament (Minor) May 21-23  
 Lacrosse Jr. A League Game May 31  
 Lawn Bowling Invit. Festival Triples May 29-30  
 Soccer \*\*Five-A-Side Tournament May 27-28  
 Baseball Connie Mac May 22-24  
 Baseball Bronco Invitational May 28-30  
 Softball Sr. Men's June 4-6  
 Golf Vancouver City Amateur June 6  
 Tennis Public Parks Tournament May 22-29  
 Track - Field \*\*Festival of Sports May 24  
 Chess Open Tournament June 5-6

**NORTH VANCOUVER (Jim Estabrook)**

Bowling 5 and 10 Pin Regional May 23  
 Bowling \*5 Pin Golden Age Club Champs. May 20  
 Canoeing \*\*White Water Slalom May 30  
 Canoeing \*\*Indian Canoe Races May 29-30  
 Golf \*High School Finals May 25  
 Gymkhana \*Regional Junior and Senior May 23  
 Lacrosse \*\*Indian Days May 28-30  
 Lawn Bowling Invit. Festival Triples May 29-30  
 Tennis \*High School Final May 24  
 Track - Field \*\*Pacific N.W. Age Class June 5-6  
 Aquatics Water Show June 5  
 Golf Vancouver City Mixed Semi-Finals May 23  
 Water Safety Poster Contest June 5

**PORT COQUITLAM (Clyde Mc L. Griffith)**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Baseball \*Bronco Tournament June 1-6  
 Baseball \*Pony Tournament June 1-6  
 Cycling \*\*3-hr. Non-Stop Rd. Race May 30  
 Equestrian \*May Day Show May 30  
 Lacrosse \*Minor and Jr. "B" May 22-24  
 May Day Parade May 29

**PORT MOODY (M. Savoie)**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Canoeing \*\*\*International Tournament May 29

**POWELL RIVER (D. G. Simpson)**

Gymkhana \*\*Spring Horse Show May 22-23  
 Horseshoe Pitch \*Tournament May 28-30  
 Lawn Bowling \*Tournament June 6-7  
 Sailing \*Regatta June 5-6  
 Soccer \*Invitational Juv. Tournament May 22-24  
 Swimming \*Invitational Meet June 5  
 Tennis Regional May 20-30  
 Aircraft Breakfast Fly-In May 30  
 Ceremony of Bands May 29  
 Miss Powell River Pageant May 29

**RICHMOND (Mrs. E. Dawson)**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Cycling \*\*Richmond Criterium June 6  
 Football \*High School Invitational June 7  
 Lawn Bowling Men's Triples May 22  
 Softball \*\*Men's Tournament May 22-24  
 Softball \*Jr. Girls' Invitational June 5-6

Swimming \*Development Meet June 6  
 Track - Field \*Junior May 22  
 Track - Field \*\*B.C. Elementary Finals May 29-30  
 Trapshooting \*\*\*B.C. Championships May 28-30  
 Golf Vancouver City Mixed Semi-Finals Ladies' May 23  
 Annual Sports Award Banquet May 27

**SAPPERTON**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23

**SQUAMISH**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23

**SURREY**

Baseball P.O.N.Y. and Bronco June 5-6  
 Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Softball Regional Boy's May 22, 23, 30, 31, June 5, 6  
 Track - Field \*Surrey Championships May 27-29  
 Volleyball \*Invitational Tournament Jr. and Juvenile Girls May 27-29

**VANCOUVER (Ald. E. Sweeney)**

Archery \*\*Double "F.I.T.A. Star" May 22-24  
 Bowling 5 and 10 Pin Regional May 23  
 Bowling \*5 Pin Golden Age Clubs Champs. May 20  
 Bowling \*\*\*5 Pin - B.C. High School Championships May 29  
 Cycling \*\*\*B.C. Festival of Sports - Bicycle Races (China Cr.) May 29  
 Fencing \*\*Pacific Inter. Tourn. June 5-6  
 Field Hockey \*\*Women's Inter. Jamboree May 21-24  
 Handball \*\*\*B.C. Open Championships May 28-30  
 Lawn Bowling \*Ladies' and Men's Triples May 20-21  
 Lawn Bowling \*Men's Triples May 22  
 Lawn Bowling \*Invitational Mixed Rinks May 25, 28  
 Lawn Bowling \*Festival of Sports Triples May 29-30  
 Lawn Bowling \*Colts Triples June 6  
 Lawn Bowling \*Ladies' Pairs May 26-27  
 Lawn Bowling \*Ladies' Triples June 2-3  
 Lawn Bowling \*\*\*International Champ. Rinks May 31, June 1-3  
 Softball \*\*Jr. and Juv. Girls' Invit. May 22-24  
 Softball \*\*Pioneers Special (Hall of Fame) May 29  
 Softball \*\*\*Sr. Men's Inter. Invit. June 4-6  
 Swimming \*\*\*13th Annual Northwest International Meet May 22-24  
 Table Tennis \*\*\*Canadian Open/Closed Invit. May 21-24  
 Track - Field \*North Shore Prelim. May 18  
 Track - Field \*Burnaby-New West. Prelim. May 19  
 Track - Field \*Vancouver Sec. Schools Prelim. May 20  
 Track - Field \*\*Vancouver and District High Schools Finals May 27  
 Track - Field \*Catholic Schools June 5  
 Water Polo \*\*\*B.C. Open Invitational Inter. Championships May 29-30  
 Golf \*Vancouver and District Finals - High School May 31- June 4  
 Rugby \*\*\*International Tour May 26-29  
 Tennis \*Vancouver and District Inter-High School May 31- June 4  
 Whippet Racing \*\*\*International June 6  
 Golf Mixed Ladies' Finals May 29  
 Golf Parks Board Men's May 23-24  
 Golf B.C.P.G.A. Senior Champ. May 26-27  
 Wheelcr. Sports \*B.C. Trials May 23  
 Bowling \*5 and 10 Pin Zone Finals May 30  
 Tennis \*\*Provincial Finals June 5-7  
 Dog Show \*\*\*All Breed International June 5-6  
 B.C. Sports Hall of Fame Dinner June 1

**VEDDER CROSSING**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23

**WEST VANCOUVER**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Diving \*\*\*B.C. Championships May 21-23  
 Field Hockey \*Girls' Tournament May 22-23  
 Lawn Bowling Invitational Mixed Rinks June 6  
 Soccer \*Centennial Juv. Tournament May 29-30  
 Golf Mixed Men's Final May 29  
 Marksmanship \*Jr. Rifle Shoot May 29

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Motor Cycles \*\*\*C.M.A. Sanction June 5-6  
 Motor Sport \*\*\*CASC Formula Pepsi Pro. May 29-30

**WHITE ROCK**

Bowling 5 Pin Regional May 23  
 Lawn Bowling Mixed Rinks May 22  
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**DOUGLAS ON ECONOMY**

**Production Is Only Answer**

There are too many industries in Canada and not enough work. Former New Democrats leader and MP for Nanaimo-Cowichan and the Islands, Tommy Douglas told a Salt Spring Island audience on Friday evening that the most serious shortcoming of the federal government's policy of encouraging industry is that new

industries employ little labor. As fast as new industries are established and new jobs opened automation closes off other jobs and the labor force is still unemployed, he observed.

The present emphasis on extraction industries is equally prejudicial to the national economy, he asserted.

The United States and Japan are in constant need of power materials, he observed, and are spending considerable sums to establish new industries. These industries are capital-intensive, not labor-intensive, he explained.

They require massive sums of money to construct them, but they employ a very small working force to operate them.

When a gas pipe line was needed a total of \$8 million was spent to make that pipe and to employ 800 men. Had that money been spent on the establishment of a fabricating industry, it could have found work for tens of thousands, suggested the speaker.

Sweden closed its export of metallic ores, he recalled, and only permits processed metals to be shipped out of the country. Canada should adopt the same policy, he urged.

Mr. Douglas suggested that to ship out a unit of iron ore would find work for 20 men. The same unit, shipped away after processing would find employment for 200 men. If that unit

of metal were processed and fabricated before being exported, it would offer employment to 2,000 men.

"We must process more of our natural products than we are doing at this time," he warned his audience.

If Canada is destined to be a supply ground for export of materials it could look like the moon by the time it has been exhausted, he warned.

By that time the people who have poured in millions to take out the copper and the ore will walk away... "You're no further use to us."

Unless the emphasis in Canada is shifted to a labor-intensive production there will be an unemployment problem to bedevil the country for years ahead, said Mr. Douglas.

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**Wharfage Fees Set By Law**

Regular council meeting of the Galiano Chamber of Commerce was held in Galiano school with president Steve Riddell. It was reported that Mr. Riddell and Geordie Georgeson had been to see Mr. Brooks of the department of transport in Victoria recently. His reaction to the plight of fishermen tying up to what they consider inadequate wharves on Galiano, was that the only way to change any of the laws is by political action.

He said that fees have not been collected up to now from fishermen, but they now have orders from Ottawa to collect fees or lay charges for not paying. Fees for wharfage are the same up and down the coast of B.C., regardless of any facilities such as lights, room to tie up, or anything else.

Council decided to give to Galiano Club, trustees of the garbage dump, the sum of \$100 to help with regular maintenance of this necessary convenience to Islanders. It was noted

that as of May 1, 1972, the garbage dump will be closed, and officials of the Regional District have been duly notified. Another place will have to be found for this service after next year.

It was decided that, following reading of a letter from Recreation Minister W.K. Kiernan proclaiming Anti-Litter week, from May 9 to 15 that a cleanup bee will be held at Sturdies Bay during the evening hours of May 26 to tidy up this area of the island.

Georg Plange, treasurer reported that to date there are 55 members.

Roads chairman Bill Beach said that a petition, bearing several hundred names will be presented to Hon. Wesley Black, asking for a special appropriation to blacktop the remainder of north end road this year.

Health and welfare chairman Mrs. C. MacAllister, suggested looking into a St. John Ambulance course for the fall for Islanders. Publicity chairman Mrs. H. Knudson said that there is a large supply of C. of C. brochures on hand now.

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**IODE SETS PLANS FOR NEXT TWO MONTHS ON SALT SPRING**  
 BY JESSIE SAYER

On Friday, May 7, 18 members of HMS Ganges Chapter, IODE, met in the United Church hall to discuss plans for May and June activities.

Regent Mrs. F. K. Parker conducted the meeting and Mrs. W. Petapiece acted as secretary.

May 21 will be Citizenship Day with two assemblies held at Ganges school. Mrs. A. J. Helmcken, Victoria archivist, will be the guest speaker.

All members are invited to attend the June 4 luncheon at Harbour House hotel for IODE members and guests. Mrs. Ralph Cudmore of Toronto, will address the ladies. Mrs. Cudmore is the sister-in-law of Mrs. Earl Hardie.

Members are reminded to bring donations of clothing for Riverview at this time.

On June 16 a donation coffee party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. James in Vesuvius Bay from 11 am until 1 pm.

After the business meeting the members were entertained with beautiful color slides of Great Britain taken by H. H. Smith, brother-in-law of Mrs. T. W. Mouat.

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- 4a. #4 above used with Pyrethrum.
5. \*WATER: use as a fine strong spray, preferably in hand sprayer. Care not to flood.
6. \*MINERAL OIL SPRAY: 3 parts oil/100 parts water
7. \*EPSOM SALT SPRAY: 2 oz. salt to 2 gallons water
8. \*WOOD ASH: around base of plants to discourage cutworms
9. \*BEER: stale or with molasses in saucer in garden
10. \*RYANIA: root and woody stem of South American plant
11. PEPPER: hot peppers in water or Cayenne pepper sprayed when plants wet with dew.
12. \*BORDEAUX MIXTURE: can be bought ready mixed
13. \*BORAX & ICING SUGAR: mix together in equal parts, sprinkle on ground or rocks
14. \*TOMATO LEAVES SPRAY: crush and soak in water, strain
15. RHUBARB LEAVES: boil 3 lbs. leaves in 3 qt. water. Strain, add to 1 oz. soap flakes dissolved in 1 qt. water.
16. \*TRAPS: cutworms and millipedes come to surface at night. Use gloves and flashlight to catch them.
17. \*QUASSIA CHIPS: dissolve in water, spray
18. \*NAPHTHALENE: dig into ground 2 oz./10 sq. ft. Also use to store gladiolus corms to kill thrip larvae.
19. \*TRAP FOR GRASSHOPPERS AND ANTS: Paraffin-lined pill boxes or cans baited with sugar water, bacon rind, scraps. Drop filled traps in boiling water.

- A. Ants, roaches: 13, 19
- B. Aphids: 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 15
- C. Beetles: 2, 10
- D. Black spot: 7, 12
- E. Borer: 10
- F. Cabbage looper: 1, 10
- G. Caterpillar: 2, 11
- H. Codling moth: 5, 6
- I. Cutworm: 8, 16, 18
- J. Earworms: 10
- K. Grasshopper: 2, 14, 19
- L. Lace bug: 1
- M. Leaf hopper: 1, 3a, 17
- Mn. Leaf roller: 6
- N. Mealybugs: 5, 6, 17
- O. Mildew: 7, 12
- P. Millipede: 16, 18
- Q. Red Spider: 6, 11, 12
- R. Scaled insects: 6
- S. Slugs: 8, 9, 17, 19
- T. Spittlebugs: 2
- U. Thrip: 3a, 17, 18
- V. Wireworm: 8, 18
- W. White fly: 6, 14, 3a
- X. Wilt/rust: 7, 12

- Aster: L, Q, U, X.
- Barberry: B, Q, W
- Calendulas: N, B, Q
- Carnation: J, N
- Chrysanthemum: B, O, Q, T, I, X
- Clematis: C, D, O.
- Coleus: G, N, O, W
- Cosmos: B, M, Q
- Columbine: C, N, Q
- Dahlia: M, P, Q, U
- Delphinium: C, E, O
- Gaillardia: B, M, Q
- Geranium: C, E, F, Q, W
- Gladiolus: B, D, E, J, N, Q, U
- Golden Glow: A, B, C, Q
- Honeysuckle: B, C, R,
- Iris: B, E, U, V
- Juniper: B, Q, R
- Lilac: B, Mn, O, R
- Lily: B, C, E
- Marigold: J, M, Q
- Morning glory: E, C, Q
- Nasturtium: B, J
- Pansy: C, Mn, V
- Peony: A, C, E, U
- Petunia: C, M, N, Q
- Phlox: C, E, Q, V
- Pine: B, R
- Rose: B, M, O, Q
- Snapdragon: B, C, Q
- Spiraea: B, Mn, Q
- Sunflower: B, C
- Sweet pea: B, C, Q
- Tulip: B, P, Q, V
- Verbena: B, C, Q, U
- Violet: B, C, I, Q, V
- Zinnia: B, C, O

VEGETABLES: Vegetable gardens can be grown successfully with few insecticides: 2, 3, 6, 7, 11, 14, 15, 16 and 9 and 19 can do most of the work. All kinds of beetles and bugs, caterpillars, slugs are sluggish in the early morning. Pick them off at that time. Wear gloves! Slugs and snails can be caught under shells of grapefruit/orange. Place cut side down at night; collect next morning.

### FRUIT TREES

B-2, N-6  
Consult an expert.

Clip this list for reference

## GALIANO

BY MARY BACKLUND  
I missed recording the winners of the annual trap shoot, held at the Galiano Rod and Gun Club, a few weeks ago. Trophy winners were mostly Bill Campbell, of Galiano and Campbell River, who came down just for this event, and to visit his many friends. Bill won the handicap, doubles, and high-over-all. Peter Denroche won the singles, and the "B" class trophy was won by Everett Whyte. Trophies will be presented at a later date.

Another record crowd came over to Galiano Island for the past week end. Among the many visitors were Misses E.E. Trimmer and F. Druce, Mr. and Mrs. J. Scoones, Richard Dixon and son Brian of Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Ansley, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Tingley and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker, all from the mainland. Mrs. Alice Morissette is back in residence on the Island.

Mrs. George Tidswell was over to Galiano for the week end with her sister, Miss Horne. Mrs. Tidswell had her son, Bradley, nine months old, and born in Fernie, where his father is teaching. Mr. Tidswell taught school on Galiano several years ago, then moved away and married, two years ago, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Horne. Mrs. Tidswell is now caring for her mother, who has had several months in hospital and is now home, expecting to come to the summer home on the Island for holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Weaver are going to spend the next week up in the Queen Charlotte Islands, visiting their son and newest grandson there, and family. Jev. Tothill brought daughter Michelle with him over from Duncan to spend Mothers' Day with mother, Mrs. T. Tothill. Coming from Vancouver for

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the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Deas, and Miss Kathy Deas to visit mother, Mrs. Ann Deas. This past week is quite typical of any week, around this bustling community. We had S. S. Beaver in for two nights; two meetings of importance; a clean up bee and an auction sale... this besides all of the visitors we

normally have, plus gardens that have to be prepared for planting and the grass that has to be cut!  
We missed our lovely Mrs. O. L. Foster at the church of St. Margaret of Scotland on Sunday night. She wrenched her back while gardening at their Pender Island home.



Bob Pearson was on his way to Vancouver when this truck took issue with the bridge and stopped.

**BILL ARNOLD IN 25 - MILE WALK**

Bill Arnold, one of the founders of walkathons in Canada, finished the 25-mile course last week end in Victoria when he took part in the Miles for Millions March.

Mr. Arnold is a notable cross-country runner and was active in

many phases of athletics in Ontario before coming to Salt Spring Island.

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**THE LIGHT TOUCH**

By H.J.CARLIN

The old time farmer did not inquire if the treatment was successful when he asked the quiet man what he gave his horse for colic. Quiet man said, "Turpentine." A few days later the old time farmer called the quiet man and said, "I gave my horse turpentine and it killed him." Quiet man: "Mine, too."

Overheard a local clergyman telling one of his parishioners, "When you are down in the mouth, think of Jonah, he came out all right".

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can't make Ottawa, for Heaven's sakes, man, move into Vancouver!

He looks at you as he would examine a cat with a dog's tail. There's something queer somewhere.

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Courteous and helpful, he naturally covers up his curiosity. But he doesn't have much experience of country creeps and he has to make sure every now and then.

It's a dirty business building a house. He'll tell you.

It's all a matter of sewers. If you can get a line through here and pour it all into the harbour, the federal government will love you for ever and your new home is as good as built.

No sewers? No hope, brother! He has to protect his shareholders. But it's a government office. Well? The shareholders

ers are the solid citizens in the cities. That's where 70% of the people are; that's where the action is. And when you come to think about it, that's where the votes are.

The Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation has a different thinking from the country hicks. Too much sewage will ruin our beaches, says the hick. Pour it out, says the corporation, you got to get rid of it.

Only place on the islands that can get a loan from the NHA is the subdivision with a sewer.

And that's really where the whole thing comes unstuck. The crown corporation is building Canada. Without advice, help, commonsense, guidance; without anything, the corporation decides where the next smog-ridden, overcrowded section will come.

You can't build out there, howls the federal government. You got to build right here where all the other hicks are building and then there'll be no hicks and we'll all have big cities together.

It needs overhauling.

Not just because the federal government won't allow building on the islands. But because the federal government is making Canadian rural life poorer than it need be. Because the federal government is helping nobody, not the city dweller, not the country resident, but nobody, with its policy of live-in-the-city-or-get-out-of-my-office.

NHA should be paying people to live away from the city, not telling them to live in it.

NHA could do a bit of digging, itself. Turn over the lid of the septic tank and do a bit of research. Maybe there is no hope and we're stuck with sewage, but all the corporation ever does is push for sewers to dump in the seas and the lakes and the rivers to spoil the countryside and make more people leave it to live in the city to build more houses to need more sewers to dump more in the water to spoil more countryside... see what I mean?

**FULFORD TIDE TABLES**

MAY 1971  
(Pacific Standard Time)

DAY	TIME	HT.
14	0205	9.7
	0430	9.8
	1310	1.0
FR	2205	10.9
	0340	9.4
15	0500	9.5
	1355	1.3
	2255	10.9
16	0415	8.9
	0645	8.9
	1445	1.9
SU	2325	10.9
	0615	8.0
17	0725	8.0
	1540	2.7
	2355	10.8
MO	0635	6.8
	1005	7.3
TU	1635	3.8
	0015	10.7
19	0705	5.5
	1220	7.3
	1745	5.1
WE	0045	10.6
	0745	4.0
	1430	8.1
TH	1850	6.4

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