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WINTER HOURS COMING

The summer of '73 is a thing of the past. On Saturday island clocks will be set back to be ready for winter. Saturday night sees clocks set back one hour. To the cautious the extra hour is an extra hour of sleeping. To the high-living it is an extra hour of carousing before having to retire. To the careless the extra hour will be no more than a wasted hour on Sunday morning after they learn, the hard way, that they could have slept in. That's the message: Back one hour!

HIGHEST INTEREST THUS FAR

Last by-law approved by ratepayers of Gulf Islands School District authorized the borrowing of \$250,000 to finish reconstruction at the schools in Ganges. Trustees last week approved the appropriate by-law in its completed form. Debentures will bear interest at 8.5%. "That's the highest yet," commented Chairman Charles Baltzer.

Warm Acclaim For



— Artist In Cold Hall

Collection of very striking paintings ranging from portrait to impression was presented to the Salt Spring Island community on Saturday. Showing, in Central Hall, included paintings by P. K. Bhattacharjee and weaving by Mary Lynn Stack. In addition to the two features, there were one or two samples of macramé, made by Mrs. D. Martin. Central Hall was cool, but

the response was warm. The display showed P. K.'s move away from portrayal to impressionism. Weaving was in a section by itself... in the centre of the room. Stand was designed by P. K. There was a steady movement of visitors, most of whom stopped to enjoy the paws that refreshed them.

TWO DIE IN ALBERTA CRASH

Two well-known Salt Spring Island men were victims of a highway accident in Alberta at the week end. Noble John McManus, operator of Ganges Recreation Centre and Douglas Parsons,

son of a pioneer Island family were killed when their car was in collision with a small truck at Valemont, near Jasper, on Saturday night. No details of the accident have been released by RCMP as yet.

AROUND ISLANDS

Six Vie For Six Seats

Six candidates have announced themselves so far for six elected seats in the islands. Three are seeking two school board vacancies on Salt Spring Island and three are vying for two Regional District seats. On Salt Spring Island two incumbent school trustees are seeking a further term and one newcomer is contesting the election. Chairman Charles Baltzer and Trustee Ione Guthrie are offering to serve again on Gulf Islands School Board. Dr. John Bumsted is a new candidate for one of their seats. Also on Salt Spring an election is assured with the nomination of James Wilkinson and George Heinekey for the Regional District seat to fall vacant in December. Director Marc Holmes will not seek a further term. In the Outer Islands Director Jim Campbell now serving as Chairman of the Capital Regional Board plans to seek a further term. Living at Sat-

urna, he is elected by all the Outer Islands. Tom Davidson, school trustee from Saturna and his colleague at Mayne Island, Gordon Ducklow have yet to decide their plans. There will be a referendum for Galiano voters, inviting community support for fire protection services. Nominations close on Monday.

THIRD MAN FOR SALT SPRING SEAT

New entry is announced this week into the race for school trustee. Dr. John M. Bumsted, of the faculty of Simon Fraser University is a candidate on Salt Spring Island in the November 17 election. His entry ensures a contest on Salt Spring Island. Already in the running are Chairman Charles Baltzer and ex-chairman, Ione Guthrie.

QUEEN OF THE ISLANDS TOO SMALL

POPULATION GROWS BIGGER

CHAMBER AND FERRY OFFICIALS TO MEET

Island spokesmen will meet with representatives of the B. C. Ferries to discuss the problem of small ferries and big passenger lists during the off-season months. Transportation Committee of the Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce has been in consultation with R. J. Innes and R. R. Anderson of the ferry administration. They are planning a meeting with islanders to thresh out the matter of future off-season needs around the islands. Under question by travellers here is the use of the Queen of the Islands on the Tsawwassen run. The little vessel, originally designed for the run

a decade ago, is inadequate to meet the demand and many potential travellers have been turned back at the ferry terminals. The committee was told by Mr. Innes that the problem facing the ferry authority is that a Nanaimo ship is being lengthened and the Sechelt Queen is filling in on the Nanaimo run. In the meantime the Queen of Sidney is standing by for the No. 1 Route ships. This leaves no larger vessel available for the islands run, the transportation committee was told. The changeover is expected to take about four months and the ferry authority has insuffi-

cient ships to meet any increased demands on the islands until that job is completed. Increased population of the islands has resulted in an unprecedented off-season traffic, the Chamber committee contends, that equipment satisfac-

tory for the job a few years ago simply will no longer fill the bill. Date of a meeting with islanders has not been set yet.

WORKER BURIED IN FALL

Duncan man working on the new school facilities in Ganges had a near escape last week when he was buried beneath a fall of earth. Call for help came at about 12.20 pm on Wednesday. Robert Williams had been working at the foot of a high excavated bank when it gave way and he was buried under the earth and rock. His fellow workers dug him out and called for the ambulance. Williams was taken to Lady Minto Hospital for X-rays. He was subsequently released, apparently unhurt.

DOUBLE TRIP IS LATE ONE

Delay in Outer Islands students reaching Gulf Islands Secondary School at Ganges on Monday mornings only applies to one of three trips. Stacey Water Taxi runs between Salt Spring Island and the Penders. Students reach Ganges in time for the school opening at 8 am. Phillips Marine has two islands to serve and makes a double trip. Mayne and Galiano have more children than the taxi can accommodate on one run. There is a separate run from each island to Ganges. There are no Saturna students attending high school in Ganges.

Born in the United States, Bumsted became a Canadian citizen as soon as he could. He and his wife moved north from the United States nine years ago. He is at present enjoying a sabbatical from Simon Fraser. The new candidate was educated in the fourth oldest university in the United States, Brown University at Providence Rhode Island. He is a teacher and an author of Canadian history.

With their three children, Dr. Bumsted and his wife live at Vesuvius. When he is not on a sabbatical he commutes. He owes the year's grace to Canada Council, he explained and it was granted in order that he might finish two books. Bumsted has two angles on education. He sees it as an educator and administrator. He also sees its problems as a parent and community observer, he told Driftwood.

LOW FLYING CHARGE IS WITHDRAWN

Charge against a Victoria Flying Club pilot of flying too low was withdrawn by the Crown last week in Ganges Provincial Court. Donald Dixon of Victoria was the pilot. Defence stated that Dixon was not flying a plane on the day cited.

CHIMNEY FIRE

Salt Spring Island volunteer fire department attended a chimney fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walker, Walker Hook on Tuesday evening. Damage was slight.

Sheep Breeders Organize

Some 20 persons interested in sheep and wool recently met in Duncan and decided to set up a Sheep Breeders Association for Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands. With encouragement now being given to Agriculture generally by our Provincial Government and especially in regard to better dog control, this seems the opportune time to develop the very real potential for a revitalized sheep industry on the small farms of the area. The local market for sheep meat is good and interesting developments are underway in the processing of wool for Island markets.

A good attendance is anticipated from those interested in sheep and wool at the inaugural meeting to be held in the Board Room of the Cowichan Agricultural Society on the Fair Grounds at Duncan at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 17. The pro-tem Secretary is Mrs. W. Pitt, of R. R. 1, Mill Bay, V. I., phone 743-9423.

ELECTION MEETING NOVEMBER 5

Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce will sponsor an all-candidate meeting in Ganges on November 5. Candidates for election as school trustee or regional director will be invited to speak and to express their views in readiness for the November 17 election. Meeting will be in the high school gymnasium at Ganges.

ISLANDS PROBLEMS SO FAR AWAY

"The board survey advocated a centrally-situated four-year secondary for the whole island. Such a school would be small, perhaps 90 pupils, but many rural secondaries in the Highlands and the Islands were smaller. At Ullapool and Gairloch, there are 33 and 28 pupils respectively."

Report on education in the islands comes from another community with the same problems. It is an excerpt from, the Oban Times and West Highland Times, published in north west Scotland. The islands are those of Scotland.

When Mrs. Clare McAllister went back to Scotland for a holiday this year she was particularly impressed with the similarity of the Scottish isl-

ands and the Gulf Islands in terms of education and communication.

Mrs. McAllister, who serves on the Gulf Islands School Board as the trustee from Galiano, brought back a number of newspaper clippings in order to prove her point back in her own islands.

"Amended winter service from Oban to Tobermory has pleased the Tobermory Town Council. On Mondays, to suit the needs of week-ending scholars, the ferry will leave Oban at 6.30 am."

Only difference between the two sides of the world is that in the Gulf Islands they are "students" and in Scotland they are "scholars" she told the board.

ART LECTURE ON SUNDAY

BY JOSIE UTLEY, CAC REPORTER

On Sunday afternoon, Oct. 28, Prof. H. G. Glyde, noted artist and educator, will speak on, "Some Aspects of Figure Painting in Art History", for Community Arts Council members. The lecture, illustrated with slides, will take place at St. George's Hall at 2 p. m.

Prof. Glyde, currently a resident of Pender Island and well known to Gulf Islands' artists through his classes here, has a distinguished history and is particularly identified with the field of figure painting.

Trained in England, Prof. Glyde has headed the Art Department of the Institute of Art in Calgary, the Fine Arts Department in Edmonton and also the Art Division at Banff for many years. He has exhibited widely in Europe and Canada as landscape and figure

painter and was awarded the Canada Medal in Visual Arts. He is a member of the Royal Canadian Academy.

Prof. Glyde explained that he is interested in the historical approach to figure painting because of his interest in people. He has had much experience in community art projects and is currently interested and involved in Gulf Islands' art activities.

All CAC members are cordially invited to attend this event, free of charge. New memberships, which include admission to several cultural events during fall, winter and spring 73-74, may be obtained at the door for \$2. Refreshments will be served.

DEATH OF W.T.D. JONES AT GANGES

Jonesy died on Saturday. He had three christian names, but everyone knew him as Jonesy. Weldon Thomas Devereil Jones was 79 years of age and he had been ailing for a long time.

Several years ago he retired from business when he and his wife sold the Gulf Islands Florists. They continued to live in Ganges. Jonesy was also actively engaged with the Salt Spring Island Lions Club and served as treasurer for a number of years.

He and Mrs. Jones came to the island from Salmon Arm. He leaves his wife, Mayo, at home; a daughter, Mrs. John (Barbara) Chepedak, Victoria; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. J. C. (Dorothy) Tate, Belfast, N. Ireland and Mrs. J. Harley Ball, Illinois, USA.

Graveside service was held at 11 am, Wednesday, Oct. 24 in the Memorial Cemetery, Ganges, with Rev. Peter McCalmann officiating.

Donations were invited to the Nurses' Fund, Lady Minto Hospital in lieu of flowers. Arrangements were by Goodman Funeral Home.

VOTE WILKINSON — THE MAN THAT COMMUNICATES WELL WITH ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT

WILKINSON, JAMES R



READING TO BE SUBJECT OF STUDY

Elementary students of Gulf Islands School District will have a day off on Friday, Oct. 26 as their teachers go back to school for the day.

All teachers will be attending the Far West-Transmountain Regional Conference sponsored by the International Reading Association.

The theme of the conference is "Learning to read; Reading to Learn", and will feature Canadian, American and British authorities on the subject.

The keynote address will be delivered by John Bremer, special advisor to the B. C. Minister of Education, and the conference will run from Thursday evening to Saturday afternoon.

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NEW HOMES ARE READY-BUILT

This photograph by Jesse Brown shows two homes brought over to Mayne Island on barge by Apex House Movers. The homes are owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ken Halvorsen and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wood.

Ken Halvorsen is on the roof lifting the telephone cable over the chimney as the truck progresses from Campbell Bay Road to Fernhill Road.



HOW CAN I ???

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I remove the old wax that has accumulated on my linoleum and has made it dull and streaky-looking?

A. By scrubbing with a solution of three parts water and one part alcohol. For an especially bad buildup of old wax, soap-filled steel wool pads and lots of elbow grease may be your only solution.

Q. Is there an easy "dry-cleaning" method I can use on gloves at home?

A. Try mixing fuller's earth and powdered alum, applying this with a

brush all over the gloves, then wiping off. Then cover the gloves with dry cereal, such as cornmeal, and brush off.

Q. How can I induce more smoothness and glossiness when ironing starched pieces?

A. By stirring your starch three or four times while boiling with a paraffin candle.

Q. How can I get oil into hard-to-reach parts of mechanisms?

A. Try attaching an ordinary drinking straw to the spout of your oil can as an emergency extension.

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to be frank



By Richards

Bob Blundell had a quick lesson in economics for his fellow Rotarians last week. The \$20 Grey Cup Breakfast sponsored by the service club really only costs \$16 a ticket, he explained. Inflation has eaten so deeply into the dollar that the \$20 bill is only worth \$16 in terms of the same amount of money three years ago when the breakfasts were first started.

New fire chief at Salt Spring Island is out of sight. Kelly Hanke sent a picture of himself before he came to the island. The picture went adrift and never appeared in this paper. Now he's here, he explains he doesn't like having his picture taken. And the original picture never showed up. But he's here and he's already hard at work.

Jim Hume, on CFAX in Victoria, was commenting the other day on the new departure in Britain, with commercial radio now part of the home entertainment scene. "Free enterprise broadcasting will not spell the end of a great nation," said Jim, "Just the end of a government monopoly." I'm not with Jim Hume on that one. I was always in the happy middle, mediocre in preferences and tastes and happily served by the government radio. And I prefer it that way. Not politically, but the intervals between ads are only long enough for me when it's unsponsored.

Bill Wilson decided to go back to Prince Rupert for a trip into nostalgia after an absence of more than 20 years. Half way there he discovered that it was Homecoming Week in the wet city and all his old cronies were there to greet him.

Watch your step! Gerry Facca is taking driving lessons!

Mrs. D. Morrison had a surprise visitor the other day when a strange bird broke into her home in the Pioneer Village. She had been visiting a neighbour and when she returned to her cottage she found the place strewn with glass. There was glass from end to end, she later reported. On the floor, surrounded by shards of glass lay a magnificent cock pheasant, very dead. He had crashed through a window, roughly four feet by four feet and he must have been travelling fast, she figures.

I've seen a heck of a lot of Lincoln's lately, dressed up like Rolls Royces, but I haven't seen one Rolls trying to look like a Lincoln.

There was a nice antique in Victoria last week. A 1956 Dodge with 26,000 miles on the clock and everything in keeping. It had a price tag of \$750 and it wasn't out of reason by any means.

You figure that Ross Vezarian has a few chicks around his place and you think no more about it...until you crack an egg and the yolk looks dimly at you from its pallid eye. Then you remember Ross's chicks and their eggs, full of yolk and flavour. There's a lot to be said for chickens running around the yard. They make better eggs. They prob-

ably make better chicken dinners.

I put my foot in it when I asked Erling Jorgensen whether he had abandoned his own pursuits in favour of working for wages. But what would you expect? You see a fellow sitting on a job eating out of his lunch bucket and you figure he must be part of the job. But he wasn't. He'd done his day's work and there he was, superintending Lyle Brown's job from the sidewalk.

Johnny Bennett's the Ancient Mariner in person these days. He looks out through a fence of whiskers that would have done credit to his great-great-grandfather.

NO ACCIDENT REPORT

Failure to submit an accident report form cost a Saturna driver a fine of \$25 last week.

Keith Ronald Olsen paid a voluntary penalty of \$25 for failure to submit the report, within the stipulated time.

MEMBERSHIP IS GOING UP

By the year ending August 31, there were 182 ambulance calls answered by the Salt Spring Island Lions emergency ambulance service.

The statistics were given at the annual meeting of the Lions Activities Society in Ship's Anchor Inn last week.

Of that total, 125 were members of the ambulance plan and 57 were non-members. The total number of members last year stood at 713. It has already reached 760 for the current year, John Earl told the meeting. Two years ago membership stood at 639.

TRANSPORTATION IS OFFERED FROM SCOTT POINT AREA

Transportation is now offered to students residing in the Scott Point area of Salt Spring Island, trustees of Gulf Islands School District learned last week.

Mini-bus makes four runs daily to the area. In the past parents have been providing transportation for the area which lies beyond the walk limits imposed by the department of education.

About 90 percent of all of Canada's forest products exports go to United States, United Kingdom and Japan.

This year's figure, added Earl, includes about 20 residents of the Outer Islands.

The year's operation was based on receipts from membership and other sources. From services to non-members came

\$1,986; family plan, \$3,544 and donations amounted to \$110

Mrs. E. M. Moore was warmly thanked for her voluntary work in connection with the audit of the books over a number of years.

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IT'S NOW OR NEVER!

It's now or never for nomination.

The municipal and school elections this year are a month early. In order to avoid the winter weather and pre-Christmas pressures, the annual elections have been advanced to November. After Monday the whole thing is over until next year.

Residents who may intend to seek office as school trustee or regional director have only a few days in which to make up their minds.

Regional District elections will be held on Salt Spring Island and in the Outer Islands. School board elections will be on Salt Spring Island, Saturna Island and Mayne Island.

Any property owner who meets the requirements of the Municipal Act in terms of age, citizenship and residence is entitled to seek office.

Do it now! Next week will be too late!

IS MARRIAGE STILL VALID?

Member of a union never had it so good. In majority of communities across Canada the organized worker enjoys a rate of pay and a standard of living rather better than any employer ever enjoyed in past history.

But every worker in Canada is not a union worker. Every Canadian, indeed, is not a worker at all. Some cannot, some will not and some are not called on to work for wages.

The union worker enjoys more than a very good rate of pay. He has help in adversity from his fellow workers and when he is at odds with his employer he has help from many others.

The Canadian in need is not usually a union worker. He is the man who has no job and no skill, no organization and no help. He is, in fact, in the majority. Majority of Canadians are outside the three main, moneyed classes of the learned professions, big industrial administration and organized labour.

The marriage between labour and Socialism was celebrated many years ago at a joyous wedding feast. But in the passing of the years labour has grown in stature and in girth. The need of the one for the other is less urgent.

There is something odd today to the outside observer in the close link between these two factions. The Socialist element is ostensibly vitally concerned with the well-being of the common man. Organized labour is vitally concerned with the well-being of the union man. How can they ever come together again?

The present experiment in British Columbia government may prove the affiliation. The NDP regime has been interesting for the first year of its operation and few British Columbians would question that. It should continue to be so.

Letters To The Editor

NEVER HAD IT SO GOOD!

Editor, Driftwood,
The Chamber of Commerce has voiced the opinion of the business community concerning the ferry strike.

some people aren't going to like it. Let's talk about working conditions.

Did anyone ever stand out on an icy morning before 6 am waiting for a crew bus, then drive 50 miles to work;



NEW BUSINESS VENTURE OPENS IN GANGES

Rainbow Is A Name For Fabrics

You call 'em Miss or you call 'em Mrs. or you call 'em Ms. But one, you just call "Mary".

That's Rainbow Fabrics. You look for Rainbow Fabrics and there she is... "just call me Mary." Rainbow Fabrics in on Rainbow Road in Ganges and Mary is a former housewife-turned merchant.

There's more to it than that. She is also a seamstress and she figures that a seamstress with a fair stock of fabrics and enough patterns to use the fabrics is a good set-up for saving money.

It's the only way to beat the high cost of dressing, she says. So far she's proved herself

right. The fabrics store was once a medical clinic and sits right next door to the Rainbow Beauty Shop.

There's a pretty broad range between the top of the house and the lowest-priced material. Top-priced fabric listed by the store is \$35 a yard. At the other end is a printed cotton for 89 cents a yard. Everything else is somewhere in between.

It's a new service for the islands.

a man fails to pay his account, we can simply refuse to extend credit, well the B. C. Government were in default of back wages, long past due, therefore, the employees simply refused to work until this would be taken care of! There is, I am certain, more reasons for this strike, which I am not fully aware of.

Let's try a more democratic approach and you'll see that our local B. C. Ferry Employees will meet us more than half way! They too have suffered a loss!

Mrs. Yvette Valcourt,
Ganges,
October 22, 1973.

BUSY WEEK FOR ISLANDS MAN IN OTTAWA

Member of Parliament for Nanaimo and the Islands, T. C. Douglas celebrated his birthday on Friday as guest of honour at a public dinner in Nanaimo sponsored by the local NDP Association.

On Saturday morning he attended the Cedar Community Annual Fall Sale, to meet and talk with local constituents.

On Saturday evening he was an invited guest at the I. W. A. Installation Banquet in Duncan and on Monday evening he met with members of the Duncan NDP Club.

hole road that shakes your bones, up steep switch backs, 25% grades which may be icy and treacherous, then spend the day scrambling up and down a steep side hill, or in the winter get up to the work site and find six inches of fresh snow and keep working till the snow gets three feet deep? Setting chokers is tough in three feet of snow, or falling. Try getting around with a power saw when the logs are covered with snow where there are rock bluffs and canyons. It's difficult work at the best of times. In industries such as logging or construction there is a seasonal shut down for snow in the winter and fire season in the summer - so workers may lose up to four months a year lost time

From the point of view of a woods worker the ferry workers are spoiled darlings. They are overpaid and underworked. Most ferry jobs demand little skill, practically no risk of injury, year round employment, equal time off with pay and employees can be home every night of the week.

Some of the ferry personnel who have worked at competitive jobs in the past can appreciate that the job is a soft touch. They never had it so good.

The ones who aren't happy dealing with the general public should get out and find another job if they can.

Geoff Howland,
Ganges,
Oct. 20, 1973.

CORONATION MEDAL

Editor, Driftwood,
I have known George Heinekey for 50 years, and I would like your readers to know that because of the time and effort given to community service since 1946, the Queen honored him by presenting him with the Coronation Medal in June of 1953.

Desmond G. Crofton,
Ganges,
October 20, 1973.

THEY ALSO SUFFERED

Editor, Driftwood,
Re: Oct. 11th page 14 Head-

ing; They Should Not Strike!
It becomes a sad state of affairs, when an organization like the Chamber of Commerce, supposedly a democratic, free enterprise representative body, can all of a sudden become so non-democratic, as to be a party to deny B. C. Ferry Employees equal rights to strike as any other union bodies!

I am most critical of any Union, but that is my personal feeling, however I fail to see how we as free enterprise people who believe in freedom of speech, thoughts, etc., can stand there and judge the B. C. Ferry Employees because of their strike action this summer.

Please tell me, which one of us could get away with owing our employees back pay for any length of time, without government interference, and rightly so. I feel that what the government preaches they should practice, also before judgment is passed on certain members of our community, such as the B. C. Ferry Employees. I would say both sides of the coin should be examined carefully!

I can sympathize with the small resorts over their loss during the short-lived strike, but blaming our neighbours is not going to help! Let's put the blame where it should be, The Government Officials in charge. It was a situation created by them, not the B. C. Ferry Employees.

In any private enterprise, if

Church Services

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1973

ANGLICAN			
St. George's	Ganges	Morning Prayer	9:30 am
St. Mary's	Fulford	Holy Communion	11:15 am
St. Mary Magdalene	Mayne	Morning Service	11:30 am
ROMAN CATHOLIC			
Our Lady of Grace	Burgoyne	Worship Service	9:00 am
St. Paul's	Ganges	Holy Mass	9:00 am
	Fulford	Holy Mass	11:00 am
UNITED CHURCH			
Rev. Fred Anderson	Ganges	Worship Service	10:30 am
Box 461, 537-2439			
COMMUNITY GOSPEL CHURCH			
Pastor Low, 537-2622	Ganges	Sunday School & Morning	
		Worship	10:30am
		Evangelistic Service	7:30 pm
		Midweek Fellowship	7:30 "
Thursdays:			

New Style Of Instruction Is Mooted

Committee on Salt Spring Island is working towards the presentation of an "alternate" program for elementary students on the island.

Earlier discussions were held in camera when spokesmen for the committee met with school trustees. Last week a summary of the committee's proposals was presented to the board and this week a discussion took place in the high school between trustees and spokesmen for the committee.

The proposed program aims to involve the student to a greater degree in the school program and to include more community activity and more outside sources of information

for the students.

Supporting the project are executive members Gilles Libresco, Sonja Reed, Molly Walker, Donna Watt, Trevor Wheeldon and Mary Williamson.

The classes are proposed for the old dormitory on Ganges Hill and would be a direct alternative to the present elementary school routine. The parents would be entitled to ask for the provision and the school staff could also recommend the transfer of a student from one type of course to the other.

Staff would consist of one teacher able to work in a "non-traditional setting". The teacher would enjoy the assist-

ance of community volunteers able to offer specialized skills and experience as well as volunteer aides offering instruction in basic skills and supervision.

The class would use record player, television, projectors, tape recorder and a listening centre.

The program relies on ready movement of children between the classroom and the community.

Some examples of the pattern of learning visualized under the scheme are offered by the executive committee.

Children would write their own compositions and discuss them with local authors.

They would research and write a play to perform themselves; use tape recorders and they would be exposed to the French language and culture.

Arithmetic would be enhanced by making change at a local market and practical estimates in earning money and spending it.

History would be culled from older residents who took part in the events and geography would come by examining the land around them. Health and science would gain similarly by practical experience, suggest the supporters.

Music, dancing, painting and other arts would equally include practical experience.

The program would be experimental on Salt Spring Island, but not unique. It has been introduced in many communities, including Victoria and Vancouver.

No firm decision has yet been reached by trustees of the Gulf Islands.

PROGRAM IS PREPARED FOR THE COMING SEASON BY TRAIL AND NATURE CLUB ON SALT SPRING

BY LOES HOLLAND

Christmas is not far away and the Federation of B. C. Naturalists is able to offer Christmas cards. The card features a color photograph of a short-eared owl by Enid Lemon. Selling price to club members is \$1.50 per package of ten, parts of profit going towards establishing an office in Vancouver. Anyone interested can send money to Ruby Alton, Fulford.

Now for the November program. Hopefully the weather

is as lovely as the October Tuesdays have been.

On November 6 walk to Nose Point, leader Joan Millner, meet at 10 a.m. Centennial Park, Fulford folks meet 9.30 at Drive-in.

On November 13, birdwalk, leader M. Jones, meet at Centennial Park at 10 a.m., Fulford, 9.30.

On November 20 hike to Tuam (hikers only), leader Anne McCalman, meet at Centennial Park at 10 a.m., Fulford Drive-in 10.30 a.m.

For November 27 we have a very interesting guest speaker from MacMillan Bloedel, Mr. W. L. Schuckel, who will give us an illustrated talk on forestry. Meet at 8 p.m. on Old Scott Road; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Millner have graciously offered their home for this meeting. We will also hear a report on the Golden Meeting of the Federation.

Please note that our annual meeting will take place in January, 1974. Time and place to be announced in Driftwood.

CLARKE'S PUPPETS COMING

When Galiano Hall Club met in the hall, it was reported that the recent people's market was a success, and it is the last for the season.

Bingo will begin soon, prob-

RECYCLING SEWAGE

BY SPECTATOR

Perhaps if we can delay a decision about sewage disposal in Ganges for a short time longer we can use a new system worked out by a Toronto engineer.

Johanna Sollinger has invented a method of treating human wastes which was described by a Science Council of Canada member as "an invention more important to humanity than space research or modern medical discoveries".

The new system treats sewage so that the end products can light cities and perhaps feed people, by producing methane gas and a residue that can be used as fertilizer.

Professor Fred Knelman, of Sir George Williams University in Montreal, has praised Sollinger's invention and certainly in this time of increasing fuel and food shortages a totally new way of recycling sewage is highly desirable.

Methane is the cleanest of fossil fuels. At the moment Mr. Sollinger's invention is awaiting its patent number, registered in 81 countries. So let's not rush into spending a half-million on an antiquated sewage scheme which may do great damage to Ganges Harbour, when there's a really good system in the offing!

HAVE YOU JOINED THE LIONS AMBULANCE PLAN?

ably next month.

On November 17, Galiano Islanders are in for a special treat, when Mr. and Mrs. Allen Clarke will bring their wonderful puppet show to the island from Victoria. They are former islanders, and all who have seen them, know that their puppet shows are indeed, excellent.

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SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64 (Gulf Islands) NOTICE OF ELECTION

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of School District No. 64 (Gulf Islands) that I require the presence of the said electors at the School Board Office, Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C. on the 29th day of October, 1973 at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them as school trustees for Salt Spring Island (three to be elected), Mayne Island (one to be elected), and Saturna Island (one to be elected).

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows: Candidates shall be nominated in writing by two duly qualified electors of the school district. The nomination papers shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and noon of the day of nomination. The nomination paper may be in the form prescribed in the Municipal Act and Public School Act, and shall state the name, residence, and occupation of the person nominated in such manner as to sufficiently identify such candidate. The nomination paper shall be subscribed to by the candidate.

In the event of a poll being necessary, such polls will be opened at -

- Mahon Hall, Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C.
- Central Hall, Salt Spring Island, B.C.
- Nan's Coffee Bar, Fulford Harbour, B.C.
- Mayne Island Elementary School, Mayne Island, B.C.
- Saturna Island Elementary School, Saturna Island, B.C.

on the seventeenth day of November, 1973 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Advance Poll: at School Board Office, Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C. on the 12th, 13th and 14th day of November, 1973 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Given under my hand at Ganges, B.C. this 17th day of October, 1973.

W. J. Peck, Returning Officer.

COMMUNITY COMMENTS

BY JIM WILKINSON

If there was an award for stupidity, the Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce would surely receive the prize.

I am referring to an item in the October 11, 1973 Driftwood over the signature of T. Toynbee--Chamber of Commerce president - which has asked the Provincial Government to deny the ferry workers the right to strike.

As a former Trade Union member, Loggers' Local I. W. A., and others, I strongly criticize any group that would advocate such unfair reasoning, discriminating against one group of workers. I have also been in senior supervisory and top management positions and I am appalled that the executive of the Chamber of Commerce would endorse such a request.

The ferry workers and other Trade Unionists have won the right to free collective bargaining after a long and bitter struggle, with the right to withdraw their services, as the ultimate weapon.

Would the Chamber of Commerce also deny the rights of B.C. Hydro, B.C. Tel, Dept. of Highways, and others who toil in the public service?

I would suggest to the Chamber that if they had done their homework on this issue, they would lay the responsibility for the recent ferry dispute at the door of the government, both past and present, for creating the conditions and atmosphere in which these ferry workers had to labour.

Keep Informed. Jim Wilkinson, This column sponsored by the Elect Wilkinson Committee. Box 756, Ganges, B.C.

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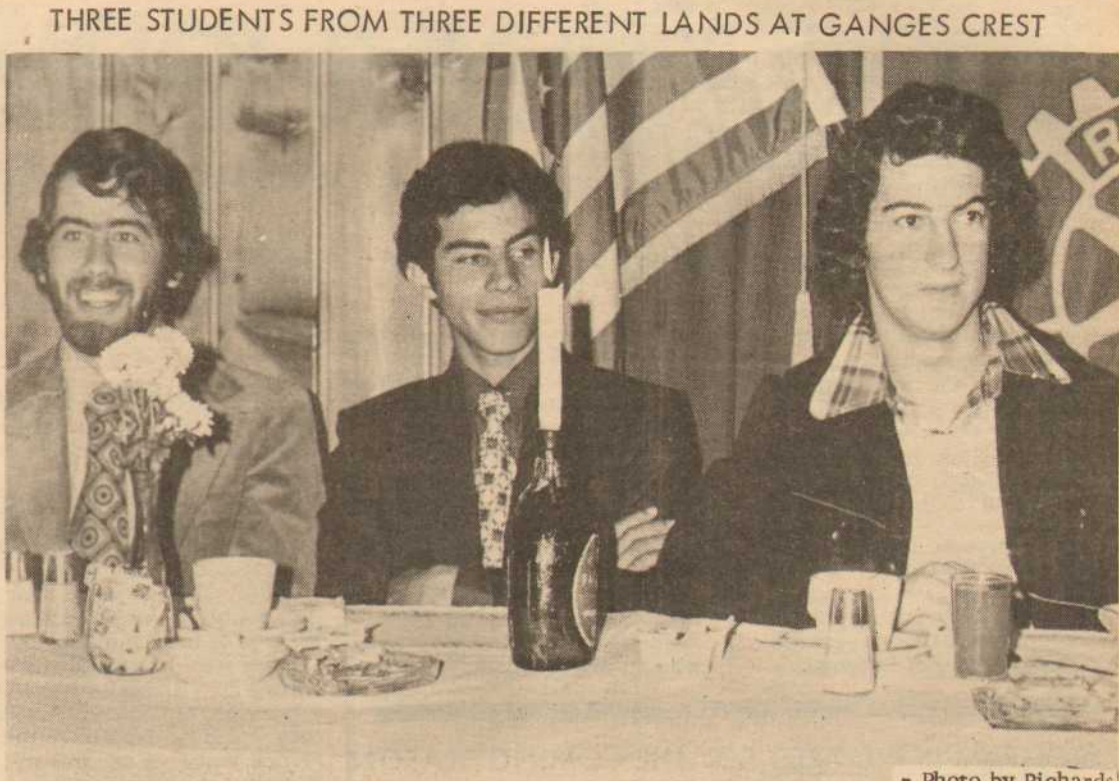


NO INJURIES AND NO CHARGES

Michael Schubart, of Ganges, was the driver of a vehicle which rolled off the road on Fulford-Ganges Road, near the Roy Lee property, on October 18.

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It's a little service club on a little island community, but the Salt Spring Rotary Club has played a big part in entertaining students from other parts of the world and in sending island students to far-off places.

On Tuesday evening last week the island service club staged a Ladies' Night at which three international exchange students were present.

Douglas Anderson, now a youthful banker, went to Mexico for a year as the guest of a Rotary Club in the Latin American land. He spoke to the club on Tuesday, showing slides of his sojourn in Mexico.

Accompanying Doug at the head table were Kim Thorp, New Zealander on an exchange visit to the island and Pepe de la Cueva. Pepe, who explained that his name was Pepe because it was Jose, is on an ex-

change visit to Campbell River and came to Ganges as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Fred Anderson, Doug's parents. When he was in Mexico, Anderson attended school with Pepe.

The illustrated lecture showed slides of the countryside

and the cities. For a number of years the island club has been bringing students here and sending them to other lands. Karen Horrocks, of Fulford, was among the students gaining benefit from the club's scheme. She spent last year in Australia.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS HERE

Trincomali Chapter No. 93 Order of the Eastern Star welcomed distinguished guests, when Mrs. Evelyn Tomashewsky, Worthy Grand Matron, came to the island on Saturday Oct. 20 for her official visit.

Accompanying her were Lewis Adair, Worthy Grand Patron; Mrs. Ruby Fletcher, Grand Lecturer and P. G. Matron; Mr. Tomashewsky, and Mrs. L. Adair.

Other distinguished visitors were Mrs. S. Hindmarch, P. G. Matron; Mrs. A. Kennedy, P. G. Matron and W. Kennedy, P. G. Patron; Grand officers, Mrs. Alice Brooke, and Mrs.

Irene Finholm.

Worthy Matrons from other chapters were Miss Pat Hayward, Coronation 81, Vancouver; Mrs. M. James, Dogwood 69, Chemainus; Mrs. M. Batstone, Queen City 5, Victoria; Mrs. A. Walters, Nanaimo 43, Nanaimo; Mrs. M. Faulks, Florence 53, Courtenay; Miss Jean Beck, Morgan 52, Port Alberni; Worthy Patrons, C. Batstone, Queen City 5 Victoria; C. Faulks, Florence 53, Courtenay, E. Beck, Morgan 52, Port Alberni, and many other members from off-island.

After the presentations, the W. G. Matron gave her report on our books and read a beautiful piece on the 23rd Psalm.

Cam Bastedo, P. P., sang a solo in honor of the W. G. Matron. The evening came to a close with a supper in the United Church.

CONCERT PARTY TO LUNCH AT GANGES HOTEL

Mrs. E. Thacker entertained the Old Age Pensioners' Concert Party to lunch at the Ship's Anchor Inn, Sunday, Oct. 21.

The group plans to give some entertainment each month for pensioners on the first Wednesday in St. George's Hall.

After lunch the group travelled to the Lady Minto Hospital to help with the singing in the extended care wing.

The service was conducted by Rev. Fred Anderson and the group rendered their closing hymn, Blessed be the Tie that Binds.

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CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

LAND COMMISSION ACT S.B.C. 1973, C.46
AGRICULTURAL LAND RESERVE BY-LAW AND PLAN

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TAKE NOTICE that a proposed by-law intended to enable the adoption of an Agricultural Land Reserve Plan to preserve agricultural land for farm use within the Regional District has now been prepared and the said proposed by-law together with the proposed Agricultural Land Reserve Plan will be presented at a Public Hearing to be held at the Capital Regional District Boardroom, on the third floor, 524 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C., on Monday the 29th day of October 1973, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, 2:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., and 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. and will continue at the same location on subsequent dates and at the times as aforementioned until all presentations are heard.

- The lands deemed affected are all of those lands within the Capital Regional District classified as Classes 1, 2, 3 and 4 (and minor components of Classes 5 and 6) of the Canada Land Inventory Soil Capability Classification for Agriculture as prepared by the B. C. Soil Survey and the Canada Soil Survey (B. C.).
- The intention of the by-law is to adopt an agricultural land reserve plan setting out clearly land suitable for farm use, for the purpose of filing the by-law and plan with the Provincial Land Commission for its consideration and designation of the land in question as an Agricultural Land Reserve, after approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, pursuant to Section 8 of the Land Commission Act, S.B.C. 1973, C.46. The object of the Provincial Land Commission in considering the by-law and plan is to preserve agricultural land for farm use.
- The proposed by-law and Agricultural Land Reserve Plan may be inspected at the offices of the Capital Regional District, 524 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C. through Friday, the 26th day of October, 1973, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., (Saturdays, Sundays and statutory holidays excepted).

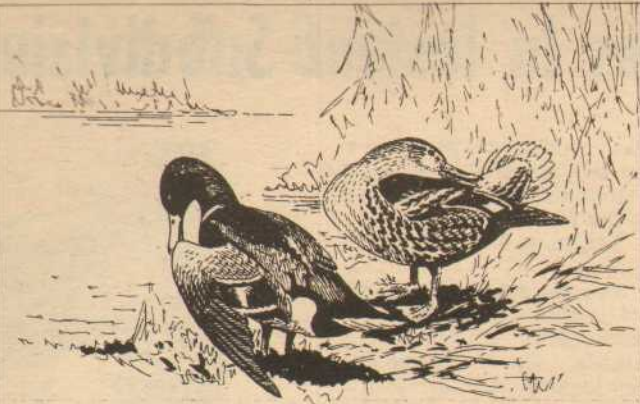
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? Inquest ?

BY

PASTOR DAVID G. LOW

QUESTION: In science class at school, all living things are classified as animals or plants. Are human beings actually animals? Or does God classify them differently?

ANSWER: It would seem biologically, and other outward appearances that man is an animal. But actually there are three attributes which man has that separate him from the animal kingdom; reason, conscience, and will.

Animals are motivated by instinct. An animal's decisions are not volitional but instinctive. He has no will or conscience, but acts instinctively according to set inner urges.

Why is man different from animals? Because he was created in the image of God. Thusly, the first man Adam had, and used all three of the above stated attributes. First, he reasoned that his own judgment was as good as God's and he ate of the forbidden fruit. Secondly, in the act of eating his will came into play, for he could have decided either way. Thirdly, after he broke God's command he felt conscience-stricken and ran away to hide in the garden.

Man has been following this same pattern though-out the centuries. Within these God-given attributes are life or death, happiness or sorrow, and peace or conflict. If he dissipates the powers which God has given him, he becomes most miserable. But if he uses them right, he can make this world a paradise.

Questions and comments may be sent to Inquest c/o Pastor David G. Low Box 61, Ganges, B. C.

according to a travelling family now back at home on Salt Spring Island.

Dick and Barbara Toynbee with two daughters, Jane and Ann travelled around various European countries. They landed at Amsterdam and they returned from Amsterdam. In the interval they visited many places all over the United Kingdom and continental Europe.

It was the hotel prices that really staggered them. In a hotel which was clean and pleasant but offering none of the normal facilities of an average Vancouver hotel, they paid \$55 a night for two rooms. The hotel was three-star. Two more stars to the top would have made an expensive holiday.

In London they found prices a little more reasonable, but the cost of holidaying in Europe, they figure, bears no relation to the average man's income in the European countries.

After a month of touring in Europe, they are happy to be back and to look back on a good holiday.

The best way to see Europe, says Dick, is to travel on a guided tour, such as the Thompson tours. You can go to Spain for a week, fly there, stay at a good hotel and everything is found for no more than the customary air fare, he discovered. Same type of service is offered in a boating holiday.

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Miss Helen Dean Leaves Island

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She was a constant source of anecdotes from the past. She could recall the first automobile and she recalled with amusement the first horse to be spooked by a car, when it was laden with eggs and both eggs and wagon were lost. This week the United Church Bulletin had its own

report on her departure to Delta. It is reprinted as follows:

"Miss Helen Dean has warmed the hearts of all who knew her in this church and community for many, many years.

"Over the past few months, though, she has found it increasingly difficult to cope with life on her own in her little home behind Mouat's store. So her nieces in Vancouver made arrangements for her to live in a personal care home in Ladner.

"The news of her move came suddenly for us all, and several people have expressed understandable concern for her. However, from all reports she appears to be settling into her new home happily, and enjoying the companionship of others who are there with her. Her address is: Mellodie Court, 4501 Arthur St., Delta, B. C."

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REGIONAL DIRECTORS - TWO-YEAR TERMS: 1974 - 1975

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Langford Electoral Area	One (1) Director
Metchosin Electoral Area	One (1) Director
Sooke Electoral Area	One (1) Director
View Royal Electoral Area	One (1) Director
Outer Gulf Islands Electoral Area	One (1) Director
Salt Spring Island Electoral Area	One (1) Director

Public Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Capital Regional District that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Capital Regional District Board Room, 524 Yates Street, Victoria, on Monday, the Twenty-ninth (29th) day of October, 1973, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of electing persons to represent them as Electoral Area Directors for the Electoral Areas of Colwood, Langford, Metchosin, Sooke, View Royal, Salt Spring Island and the Outer Gulf Islands.

The Mode of nominations of candidates shall be as follows:

Candidates shall be nominated in writing by two duly qualified electors of the Electoral Area concerned. The Nomination-Paper shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and noon of the day of nomination. The Nomination-Paper may be in the form prescribed in the Municipal Act, and shall state the name, residence and occupation of the person nominated in such manner as to sufficiently identify such candidate.

In the event of a Poll being necessary, such Poll shall be opened on the Seventeenth day of November 1973, at the following places:

<u>Colwood Electoral Area</u>	Colwood Elementary School Sangster Elementary School
<u>Langford Electoral Area</u>	Langford Elementary School Millstream Elementary School Belmont Secondary School Happy Valley Elementary School Prospect Lake Elementary School
<u>Metchosin Electoral Area</u>	Metchosin Elementary School
<u>Sooke Electoral Area</u>	Sooke Elementary School Saseenos Elementary School Jordan River Elementary School Port Renfrew Elementary School Shirley Community Hall Carol Burnett Studio - East Sooke Road
<u>View Royal Electoral Area</u>	View Royal Elementary School
<u>Salt Spring Island Electoral Area</u>	Mahon Hall, Ganges Central Community Hall Nan's Coffee Shop
<u>Outer Gulf Islands Electoral Area</u>	Galiano Elementary School Mayne Elementary School Pender Elementary School Saturna Island Elementary School Bedwell Harbour Store - South Pender Island

And such Polling places shall be open between the hours of EIGHT O'CLOCK A. M. and EIGHT O'CLOCK P. M.

An Advanced Poll shall be open on the twelfth (12th), thirteenth (13th) and fourteenth (14th) days of November, 1973, between the hours of EIGHT-THIRTY A. M. and FOUR-THIRTY P. M. at the following places:

- Colwood Shopping Plaza
- School District No. 64 Board Offices, Lower Ganges Road
- Capital Regional District Offices, 524 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.

Of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

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PIT-FIRING POT FALLS

Salt Spring Potters Guild members abandoned their electric kilns to do a communal pit firing recently. The occasion was organized by Emily Crosby at Yawaca Camp. A potluck supper was included in the festivities.

Participants had made their pots far enough in advance so that they would be dried thoroughly, pre-heated them in the oven and wrapped them in newspaper to insure that they would be moisture-free.

For the firing, a pit was dug in the earth to act as a fuel box. Suspended over the firepit was a grid of iron pieces overlaid with a section of chain-link fencing. A mound of the paper-wrapped pots, interspersed with sawdust and dry dung, was built on this foundation. A security net of chicken wire surmounted by a cover of metal roofing sheets com-

pleted the arrangement. The wood in the firepit was lighted and kept at high heat for the entire evening.

When two hours had elapsed, the potters expected to withdraw their pots with a long-handled shovel and finish them but it became apparent that lavishing too much sawdust and dung in the setting had insulated most of the pots and prevented their maturing.

The fire was shaken down and spread about on the grid and given a further hour to do its work. After that, individual artisans began to claim their pots from the fire. As soon as they could be handled with oven mitts, the pots were burnished with floor wax or paraffin to emphasize texture and make them capable of holding liquids. The smoke from the combustion materials had permeated the clay so that

Instant Houses In Instant Subdivision As T

It was a case of instant houses in an instant subdivision. In the morning were a few basements and by evening there were four houses.

Project at Wildwood Crescent to the north of Ganges, saw four houses brought in by barge from Vancouver. The houses were completely built but made up in two sections.

the finished pots had an ebony-like glow.

Some of the articles from this pit firing will be on display when the potters hold their pre-Christmas sale and show in conjunction with the local weavers in mid-November.

In the course of the evening, Mrs. Crosby also showed her extensive and detailed slides taken at the recent International Ceramics Conference in Banff.

The potters guild is open to all islanders interested in pottery. The \$2 yearly dues entitle the member to participate in workshops led by distinguished artists and artisans, to exhibit and sell in shows sponsored by the guild, to take advantage of the guild's inventory of low-cost glaze ingredients, and to draw on fellow members' experience when problems arise. Katie Schlegl, president, welcomes inquiries.

Each section was trailered to the site and a crane lifted the half-building from the wheels to the foundation.

Yet, they are not mobile homes.

The project, launched by Mariner Homes of Vancouver, is the first of its kind on the islands. The houses are conventionally pre-fabricated in Vancouver and require only limited work to prepare them for occupation. Stucco, plaster, paint and trim are all completed before the move.

On Wednesday morning the barge came into Ganges and the unloading started. Each section was hauled off the barge and stored on the K & R parking lot. In succession the sections were hauled to the site and unloaded by the massive mobile crane. The section is placed on the foundations in approximately the finished position and is jugged into place by jacks.

Like in the case of a mobile home, the sections consist of the front and back of the building and they are joined together in the middle.

The sections weigh in the vicinity of 12 to 15 tons.

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Effective OCTOBER 27

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School trustees don't have it easy! Not on the Islands! This old picture shows George Heinekey of Salt Spring Island when he was chairman of the board of trustees of Gulf Islands School District. Heinekey is

standing on the deck of the launch which was shipwrecked. The two fish boats are keeping the launch afloat. It was so big an event in the affairs of the school district that George has forgotten the date

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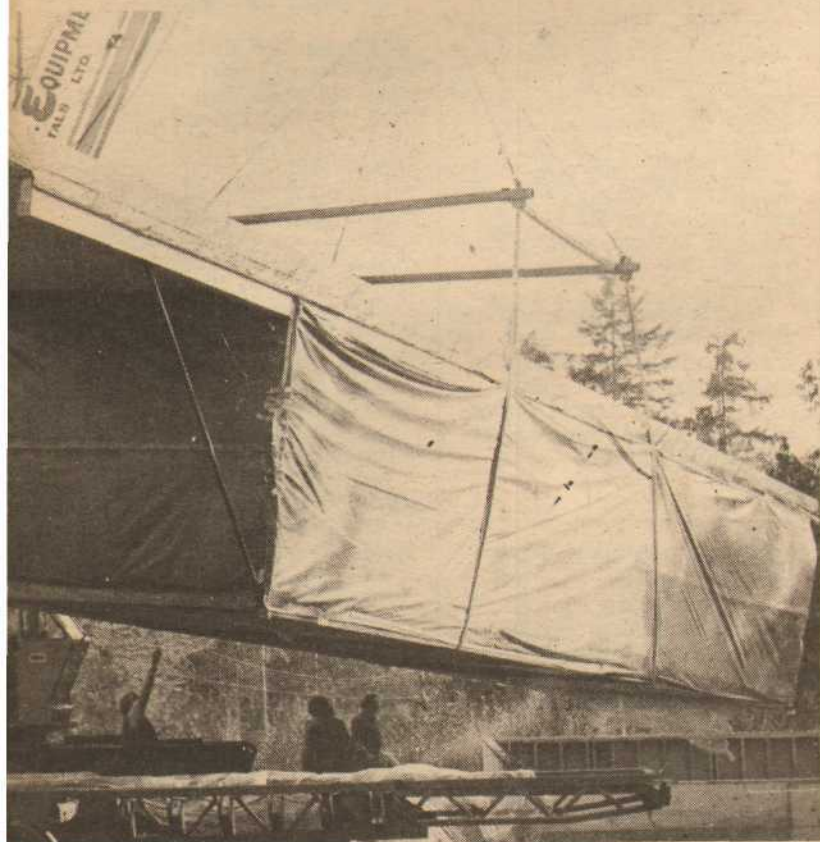
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Miller and Toynbee are sponsoring the new homes and two former Salt Spring Islanders, John C. and Charles W. Lees, of Vancouver are bringing them over. Dick Toynbee and the Lees brothers were at school together on the island

OPEN LETTER

Information Is Inadequate

Chairman,
Gulf Islands School Board,
Ganges.

Sir:
Last spring I was invited as a parent to a one-day conference held at the high school, sponsored by the Gulf Islands School Board. The meeting was held to try to bring together all those interested in the education of children on the Islands, so that the needs and views of all could be considered and discussed.

It was a very praiseworthy undertaking, an attempt, I believe members of the School Board put it, to make the Boards, and through them the department of education, more responsive to the feelings and needs of the community. A very praiseworthy undertaking, but one which appears to have been confined to a once-a-year education "bee," at which the community's needs for communication were regarded as satisfied.

Certainly the community has been left completely unconsidered in the adjustments made necessary by the elementary school renovation.

Surely, if the school board were serious about improving its relationship with the community, then it should be demonstrating its concern throughout the year.

Unfortunately, I have noticed little evidence of any concern for the feelings and needs of the community in the present situation.

Not until the beginning of the school year were parents informed that the extremely inconvenient split sessions were to be instituted, and at that time we were assured that they would terminate on October 15. Not until the day before that deadline did the school or School Board see fit to notify parents that the deadline would not be met.

Until this time, we were reliant upon rumour and speculation, transmitted mainly through the medium of our children. When we were notified, it was only the continue the split sessions with the "hope" of returning to normal in November.

Now, I hear, once again through vague rumour that the schedules of families are to be further disrupted through the introduction of yet another shift, as grades 6 and 7 are transferred to high school hours.

I can appreciate the difficulties encountered in the renovation, at least as reported in the Driftwood, since neither parents nor ratepayers have had any communications direct from the Board on the situation.

What I am unable to appreciate is the complete neglect of the parents evident in the actions of the board up to this point.

Has anyone consulted the community to find out the problems or feelings of parents who may have children

attending school on two, three or even four different shifts? Has anyone been concerned to explain the Board's actions to the community, and to communicate them sufficiently in advance so that family schedules can accommodate them? I leave it to others to question the reasons for the lengthy delays in the renovations, though again there seems plenty of rumour floating about.

My concern is with communication and involvement. Whatever happened to those pious pronouncements of last spring?

A concerned mother,
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DIV. 4 STENMARKS, 1; SALT SPRING LEGION, 1

Maintaining their unbeaten record, the Legion were held to a draw in Duncan last Sunday.

Playing in deep wet grass with a greasy ball, Legion slipped and slithered hither and thither and further away from the opportunities of winning this hotly contested game. The usual thrust of the forwards, based on scientific

play, was rarely in evidence, which placed an unusual burden upon the Legion defence, dominated by the steady positional play of Gordy Lee.

Legion took the lead at the mid-point of the first half when, after having missed at least four opportunities to score, the forwards sustained the pressure on their opponents' goal and on a crossing pass from Mike Rozzano, Marty Legg scored on a hard drive,

Stenmarks drew level before the end of the first half on a goal which looked suspiciously offside.

The second half was marked by a Legion goal which was similar to their opponents' goal but which, however, was called offside by the referee, and a penalty against Legion which Albert Kaye stopped with a remarkably good diving save.

DIV. 8; ISLANDERS, 0; FRASERS, 2

This was a hard-fought game which saw the local nine-year-olds lose their first game. The first 15 minutes was all Salt Spring as they kept the Duncan team pinned in their own half but failed to capitalize on their chances. Frasers, the defending champions, gradually settled down and went ahead on a break-away that left the Salt Spring defenders flat-footed.

In the second half Frasers got on top and the Islanders defended desperately. The game was characterized by some wild tackling from both

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teams and Salt Spring's last chance went when they lost two players through injury and the remaining players tired visibly allowing Frasers to snatch a scrambled goal. Frasers fully deserved their win over the local boys who were unusually lethargic and lack-lustre.

DIV. 6: SALT SPRING LIONS, 3 DUNCAN BIG O TIRE STORE, 0

This game was played at Ganges, October 21, and des-

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BY MARY BACKLUND

Islanders are pleased to congratulate our friend Peter Darling, vice-president of the Bank of British Columbia on his appointment to Executive Vice-President. Mr. Darling will continue to head up his department on International Banking, and will assume additional executive responsibilities.

Nice to see Earl Young home after a bout in hospital in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Knudson were called away suddenly to Alberta due to the death of a close family relative.

Mrs. George Martin is in Vancouver, visiting her mother who is not feeling well at present.

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pite the score it was a close contest.

In the first half the Duncan team had a considerable edge in territory play but both teams had good scoring opportunities.

In the second half Salt Spring moved quickly into Duncan territory and left, inside, Tom Shelby converted a pass from centre forward Mike Lawson for the first goal of the game. Left wing Dan Reynolds followed up with a clean goal from a rebound.

With approximately five minutes left to go Reynolds picked up a loose ball which he lobbed over the Duncan goalie's head to complete the scoring.

The Salt Spring team checked well throughout the game and the forwards exhibited good passing particularly in the second half.

DIVISION 7: SALT SPRING ROTARY, 2; POWEL'S 0; AT SALT SPRING

On Sunday the Salt Spring boys played their second game against Powel's, with whom they drew 1-1 in the first round. Salt Spring were a shade lucky to win by the margin they did, in an exciting game.

Both teams started slowly, but Powel's were more aggressive at the outset with the slope in their favour. Good defensive soccer by the Salt Spring half-backs and full-backs kept Powel's attacks out of their goal area, but when Salt Spring moved on to the offensive, they were met with equally solid defensive play. One or two good scoring opportunities were missed, and at half-time there was still no score.

In the second half, Salt Spring enjoyed the territorial advantage, and pressed their attacks home with more determination.

The first goal came with a fine shot by Colin McLean from left field, with Andrew Pickett right on the spot to make doubly sure. Powel's rallied, and carried the attack to the Salt Spring goal area. They were unlucky not to score on several occasions after defensive lapses, and the spectators were kept on their toes with excitement. Shortly before the final whistle, Colin McLean scored again after a melee in the Powel's goal mouth.

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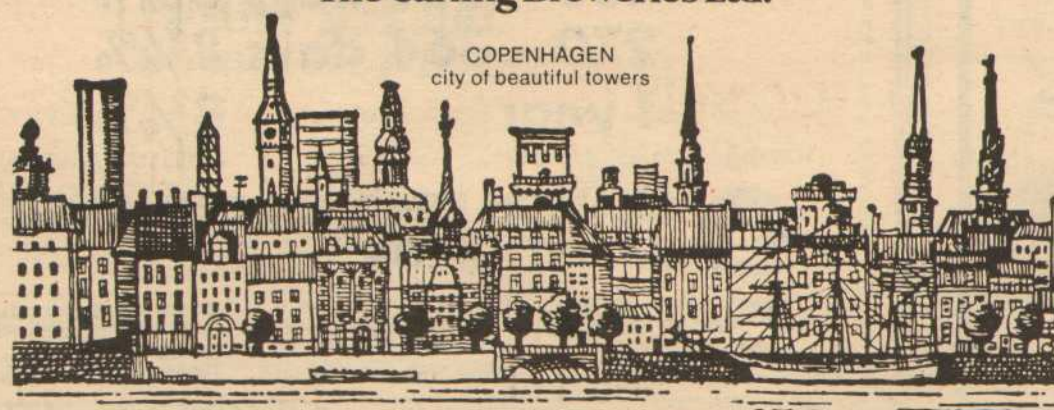


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YOUNG WOMAN 22 YRS SEEKS caretaking position. Call M. Harkema, 537-2445. 42-1

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I WISH TO EXTEND MY grateful thanks to the matron and staff of Lady Minto Hospital, also to the doctors who attended me, and my friends who sent flowers and cards and who visited me during my recent stay in hospital. -Eliza Burr. 42-1

WE WISH TO EXTEND sincere thanks for the many kindnesses and messages of love and understanding received during the illness and death of our father and husband. -The Hepburn family. 42-1

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Otter Is Big Fisherman

There's an otter at Cusheon Lake and it's eating all the fish.

When Jim McHugh and one or two others recognized the culprit, he decided to do something about it. He could not find anyone to do it for him. He went to the Court House twice at lunch-time and found nobody there. And he didn't know any game wardens or anyone else who might be interested.

Mr. McHugh is confident

that the Game Branch would remove the animal from the lake and take it away. He just can't find anyone to tell his story to.

Trouble is that Jim McHugh is a fisherman and so is the otter. But Jim McHugh came to Driftwood to complain and the otter didn't. And, of course, Jim has a fishing license and takes almost no fish and the otter has no license and takes almost all the fish in the lake.

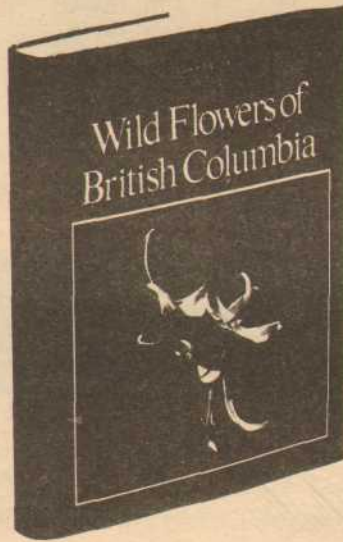
He hopes that some official

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Beverley June Watson, of Ganges, was charged with common assault. She pleaded guilty before Judge D. G. Ashby.

will see his complaint and take action to get the otter out of the lake and let him get a look in with his boat and motor.

SATURNA

BY PAPAJOHN

It has been a lonesome week. Grammarie is in Royal Jubilee Hospital; George Morgan is still in Lady Minto (which is where I wish Grammarie was) and Vi Shinduke has been away for a week on a First Aid Course.

Some good news is that Parly Joudry is home from hospital. Grammarie Louisa Gal Money and Ann Bavis, after seeing Grammarie on Thursday, gave me some good news. Elsie Dangerfield has recovered from a bout with "A" Flu Bug. (Maybe if we treat these --- Flu Bugs with Capital letters in our press we "may?" get some respect from them???)

Dr. R. E. Dixon has lost a good partner, Dr. Allan Thomson, who has gone to New Zealand to practise. Sorry to see you go, Dr. Allan and hope your new practice is a happy one. Dr. Rob Dixon is fortunate he has enlisted the services of Dr. Kenmuir-Evans and Dr. Peter Rowell. We haven't had the pleasure of meeting Dr. Kenmuir-Evans, except by phone, but Dr. Peter Rowell came over last Wednesday in Dr. Dixon's place. Dr. Rowell has spent quite a few years on the prairies and several years in the Outer Hebrides, but he has no "burn". Welcome to our Islands and though they are new to us they are not new to medicine.

New residents to Saturna are Gordon and Janet Dixon with Tina and Lance. We hope they find our island life happy. Think they are related to Tom and Karen Harvey, because people like the Harveys are good friends to have.

Frank and Mary Copeland are still busy moving over. Last week they had son Johnny and cousin Victor helping. Hope it does not take you as long to get settled as Marie and I.

Finally, thanks to Tommy Cowan, we got this epistle with all its grammatical errors ready for Uncle Art to mail tomorrow.

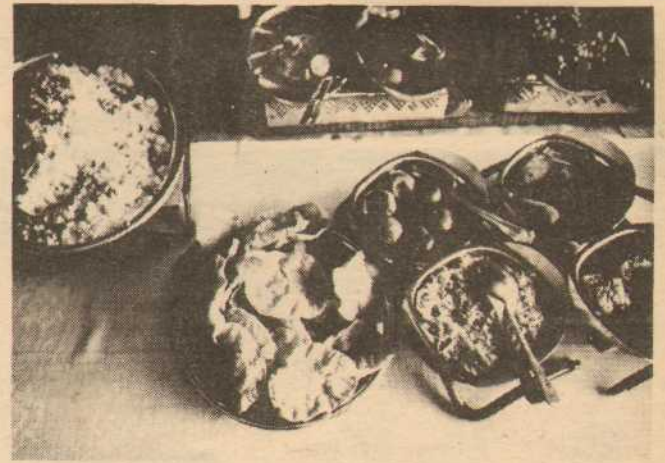
GALIANO

(From Page Ten)

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sater with Ivor, Nola, Erin and Lisa of Tappen, B.C., spent a week at their home in the Valley, visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Callaghan, and many friends.

A happy young group of people went to Vancouver last week, to spend the day and to see Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar". There were twelve in all, going direct from Ganges on Friday morning, with their drama teacher.

A Hallowe'en party for kids of all ages will be held in the Galiano Hall on October 31. Conveners will be Mrs. George Martin and Mrs. M. Backlund. This will be a dress-up affair, and those not in some kind of costume will have to pay a



An Indian meal is not served in courses. Everything is brought together, and countless variations are experimented with to give a large range of flavours and tastes.

Cuisine an experience for visitors to India

BOMBAY, India — Indian food offers the Canadian visitor to India a totally different culinary concept.

So it naturally follows that the method of eating this food is also a bit strange to the average tourist.

Many Indians still eat with their fingers—a custom which a number of Canadians find difficult to try. However, those who have tried it usually like the idea. In fact, it has been said that eating with spoons and forks is like making love through an interpreter. It has also been said that when true gourmets die, they are probably reborn in India, for here people think nothing of spending all day to perfect a dish.

The word most often associated with Indian food by tourists is "curry". Curry can be used with anything, including meat, fish, eggs and vegetables. There are numerous varieties of chicken or lamb curry, while beef curry in Bombay or Calcutta is worth a try. Fish, lobster, crab or shellfish curry is delicious.

There are about 25 common spices and a number used on more rare occasions. Turmeric is used in almost everything, helping to preserve food and giving it a pleasant yellow colour. Chillies are whole, green, dry red or powdered. Watch out for the little green chillies — they're dynamite!

United Nations And Poor

On its 25th anniversary in 1970, the United Nations decided to approve a plan for the close co-operation between the rich and the poor nations.

They called this the International Development Strategy.

To assist the developing nations to increase their production and improve individual incomes and to undertake social and economic reforms to achieve these goals, the developed countries were asked to furnish one per cent of their national product in financial and other assistance, to the less fortunate nations.

There are now 132 member nations in the UN, most of them developing countries, so

that improvement of the social fine, probably very small, and to encourage everyone to come in a costume. We hear that there will be weird ghostly games, and maybe a ghost will make an appearance to play the piano for us, who knows? The party is sponsored by Galiano Club.

and economic conditions of all human beings has become equal in importance to peace keeping which was the emphasis when the UN was originally organized with only 51 members, most of them industrialized and developed countries.

Last fall, the General Assembly of the United Nations decided to proclaim United Nations Day, 1973, World Development Information Day, making it a special occasion for educating the public in developed and developing countries about the far-reaching UN programs for economic and social development. To give Salt Spring Islanders an opportunity to share in this vital information, the local Baha'i Community sponsored a meeting which was addressed by George Nixon of Victoria.

Mr. Nixon, a construction engineer, has been for many years with the United Nations agencies involved in the construction of bridges and dams in Korea, the Philippines, Ceylon, Peru, Cuba and other South America areas.

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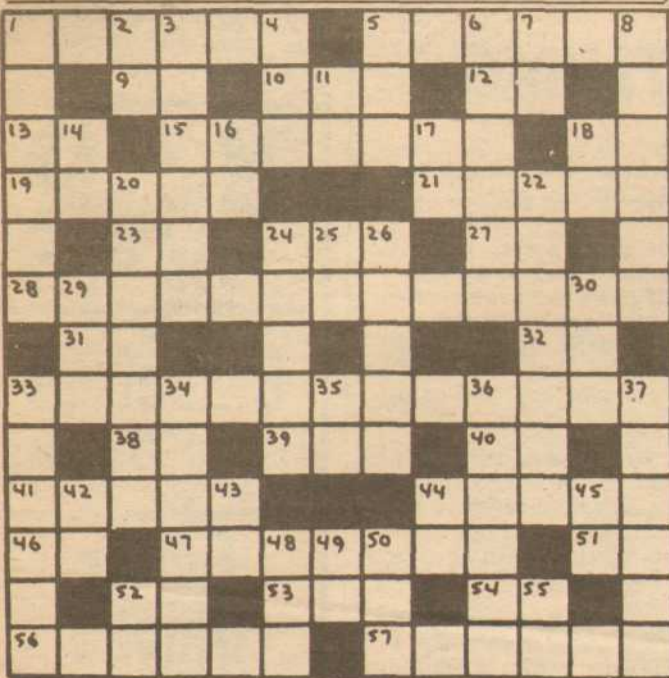
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ACROSS

- 1 - Minister
- 5 - Those to the fore
- 9 - Perform
- 10 - Time period
- 12 - Mystic word
- 13 - Chinese measure
- 15 - Perfectly
- 18 - Parent
- 19 - Famed Cuban castle
- 21 - Surpasses
- 23 - College degree
- 24 - Female relative (abb.)
- 27 - Public way (abb.)
- 28 - Resolution
- 31 - Public conveyance (abb.)
- 32 - New York island (abb.)
- 33 - Customarily
- 38 - Cerium (chem.)
- 39 - Mortar tray
- 40 - Pronoun
- 41 - Change
- 44 - Of sound
- 46 - Exists

- 47 - Durations
- 51 - Semiannual (abb.)
- 52 - That fellow
- 53 - Biblical high priest
- 54 - What's that?
- 56 - Gleams
- 57 - Abate

DOWN

- 1 - Concealed in the hand
- 2 - Public way (abb.)
- 3 - Party
- 4 - Born
- 5 - Friend
- 6 - Shyest



- 7 - Printer's unit
- 8 - To immerse
- 11 - Sun god
- 14 - Zeus's beloved
- 16 - Act
- 17 - Weight unit
- 18 - Everest
- 20 - Withdraw
- 22 - Pacified
- 24 - Metal worker
- 25 - Roman deuce
- 26 - Hairnet
- 29 - Go astray
- 30 - Lubricant
- 33 - Characteristics
- 34 - Make more profound
- 35 - Ionium (chem.)
- 36 - Diverts
- 37 - Navy clerk
- 42 - Legal Service (abb.)
- 44 - Public notice
- 45 - Exists
- 48 - The thing, in law
- 49 - Beginning of illiteracy
- 50 - To make run smoothly
- 52 - Heliot
- 55 - Horticultural Society (abb.)

TRIBUTE TO JOHN McMANUS

HE WAS A FINE NEIGHBOUR

Dear John, Bertha and Jay;
 John, if there is any chance that you may be able to read or hear what I have to say from up there, then I am eternally grateful!
 If all I do is make people more aware of what kind of person you really were, then that is wonderful!
 As a neighbor; you were the greatest.
 As a Friend even better still: As a responsible person you were the greatest any community could ever ask for.
 As for Me, well, what can I say? You saved our daughter's life and when I tried to thank you, you told me anybody would have done the same. Well, the fact of the matter is it was YOU who did

it. It was YOU who acted with swift sure actions to aid us in our hour of need. I know Colleen will never forget Uncle John.
 When the kids in our community pulled pranks on me when I was expecting my babies you were the one to point out to the just how difficult it was for me to tolerate these pranks because I wasn't too well.

When we went away YOU looked after our home. What more could a family like Geoff and I could expect from a neighbor? Or, as a matter of fact, what could anyone

else expect?
 Neighbours like you are far and few between.
 Friends like you are so very rare.
 BERTHA:
 We will all miss John dearly, and I only hope you will get some consolation knowing that he was a good man in our hearts, too and we will feel the loss very heavily.
 JAY:
 Hold your head up high and be proud you are John McManus' son. A father like him must have been wonderful to have had.
 Among, I am sure, many friends and neighbors,
 Anne Howland and family.

Bill Piggott are the owners. All the homes are now on Minty Drive, off Fernhill Rd.
 An added attraction at a show of 1974 cars in Vancouver was an art display provided by Joyce Mitchell, well known Mayne Island artist. Considerable interest was shown in the work and of the 29 paintings in the group some didn't return home with their owner. Congratulations on another successful show, Joyce!

Congratulations to Maurice and Etta Reitz, summer home owners on Waughs Road, who have recently welcomed a new granddaughter, Kristy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Danny Torres of Ferndale, Washington. A happy family gathering was held at the home of Etta and Maurice's other son-in-law and daughter, Marietta and Scottie Ashton, of Surrey, who are also summer home owners on Mayne. We enjoyed the evening thoroughly.

Nancy Rainsford reports that daughter, Maggie is enjoying her stay in England, where she is taking a course in horsemanship. She and her friend Judy Ellis were on a week's holiday and had an enjoyable trip by car down through the south of England. Maggie's course will entitle her to be an assistant teacher. She was fortunate enough to get a snap of Princess Anne during a jumping exercise recently.

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MAYNE BY ELSIE BROWN

In spite of the lateness of the season some of the gardens on Mayne are blooming merrily, blissfully unaware of the icy winds blowing elsewhere and not interested in checking on the calendar to note the date. The weather-man is being kind, trying to make up for our rather cool spring.

Among the islanders returning to their homes are Gerry and Jean Beaumont, Georgina Shoals, who have been visiting relatives and friends in northern British Columbia. They spent several weeks visiting their family at Dawson Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harris, Holly and Carla, Mrs. Nancy Stewart and daughter, Shawn and Mr. and Mrs. Selby Ebert and Debbie of Prince George. While they were away they visited Bennett Dam and report that there are five turbines in operation with five more still to be installed. On the way home they visited a niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Elfstrom of Vernon. Vic and Marjorie Haggart, Seaview Road, are back on the island after a holiday which took them to Huntington Beach, California, where they visited their son-in-law and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Toogood, Gary, David and Kenneth. The weather was lovely and travelling conditions good and they both feel the benefit of their holiday, Marjorie reports

Island activities are away to a good start and there is something on in various places almost every afternoon and evening. Carpet bowling is being played at the hall on Wednesday afternoons.

Another home was brought over from the mainland by barge on Wednesday morning and moved by Nickel Bros. House Movers. Mr. and Mrs.

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BY GORDON BEST

A couple of weeks ago my brother, who lives in Los Angeles, came to visit me. We both love fishing and

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James Ernest Glenn, Ganges, was fined a total of \$400 on Wednesday last week when he appeared before Provincial Judge D. G. Ashby on two driving charges.

He was found guilty of leaving the scene of an accident and dangerous driving.

On the first count he paid a fine of \$100 and on the second the fine was \$300.

Charges arose from an accident several weeks ago when his vehicle was in collision with the car driven by Dick Toynbee on Lower Ganges Road, near Canal Road. It was stated that the Glenn vehicle collided with the Toynbee car and then left the scene of the accident to drive off the road and hit a tree further north.



BOWLERS OF THE WEEK

Top Bowlers of the Week are Phoebe Stevens, with 240, 186 and 325 for 751 and Ron McNally, whose 261, 233 and 217 make a total of 711.

Honorable Mention went to Bunty McNally, with scores of 290, 239 and 221, totalling 740 and Jack Noble, whose 219, 239 and 251 totalled 709.

More than 50% of new electrical generating plants in the United States and western Europe are nuclear.

FULFORD TIDE TABLES

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 1973
(Pacific Standard Time)

DAY	TIME	HT.
26	0600	10.9
	1050	8.6
FR	1550	10.5
	2250	2.3
27	0650	11.2
	1140	9.1
SA	1600	10.5
	2325	2.2
28	0740	11.4
	1225	9.4
SU	1625	10.3
	2355	2.2
29	0820	11.5
	1330	9.6
MO	1700	10.1
	0030	2.4
30	0915	11.5
	1440	9.6
TU	1710	9.8
	0110	2.8
31	0955	11.4
	1530	9.4
WE	1810	9.4
	0155	3.3
1	1050	11.4
	1720	8.9
TH	1840	8.9

through the kindness of a friend were loaned a little fibreglass skiff - maybe ten or so feet long and a 5 H.P. outboard. Fortunately the weather was fine and we set out full of hope that we would catch a nice large coho.

As we were approaching the alleged area where fish abounded we noticed a man aboard a commercial fishing boat waving his arms and indicating his extreme interest in our coming over to him. This we did, expecting to be given the latest tip on where the elusive salmon were to be found. What a hope!

When we came alongside, he informed us that his craft was sinking and would we

give him a tow to shore, as his only pump was operated by his engine and he had discovered that he had sprung two leaks when the water in the hold flooded his engine. Hence, there was no engine, no pump, no life jackets, no radio (it, too, was out of action). All he had was a large bucket with which he was fighting a losing battle against the incoming water.

I must admit that he was bailing as if his life depended on it... and it did!

Well, to cut a long story short we took the boat in tow. It was much like a Volkswagen trying to tow a Greyhound bus up a hill.

However, inch by inch, we

approached a beach until the fishboat finally grounded and by dint of a very long cable, made fast to a tree. We then took him ashore so that he could phone for someone to tow him back to Vancouver Island. Then we took him back to his boat where he continued his bailing until help arrived.

There are a great number of people in the Islands who curse the ignorant, thoughtless and brash tourist - and in many cases rightly so. But how about our own backyard?

Had we not come along our 'friend' would have sunk. I doubt very much whether he could swim and he, and I repeat it, had no working radio, no pump, other than the one that operated from his submerged 180 horsepower diesel engine; no life jackets, no skiff... in fact, no nothing, including common sense.

By the time we had finished salvaging him we were both soaked to the waist and freezing cold - so, no fish!

His boat? We don't know. The name or number was und-

were invited to the B. C. Heart Foundation. Arrangements were through the Memorial Society of B. C. and First Memorial Services Ltd.

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MODERNISE WITH PROPANE

On & Off The Island

Mr. and Mrs. Cor Van der Veeke have returned to Rotterdam, Holland after a four-month visit with Mrs. Van der Veeke's brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwagly. Their holiday was prolonged when Mr. Van der Veeke was seriously ill here.

Miss Denise Crofton, of Ganges, spent two weeks recently visiting Miss Muriel Bennett and several friends in Vancouver.

Mrs. Lileah Barnes, of Vancouver, has been spending a few days with Mrs. Dorothy Wrotnowski, of Vesuvius Bay Road.

Mike Stacey, of Rainbow Beach Resort, is recovering from surgery in Lady Minto Hospital.

Mrs. Connie Porter, of Ganges, has returned after a five-week tour of Scotland and England. Mrs. Porter travelled mostly by train but toured the Jersey Islands by car.

Word has been received that Ernest and Val Haigh on their trimaran, Tryste II, with Susan and Nicola, have reached Mauritius, and are due in Durban shortly.

Carol and Ann Haigh travelled on a passenger ship from Australia to New York, where they were joined by Amanda Seward. They were due in England last week end, and hope to stay and work there.

Fiona Seward, after seeing them off, is back in Ottawa, staying with Norah Layard till the end of the month. She hopes to drive back to B. C.

with Susanne Hughes next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Seward have returned from a two-week trip to San Francisco and Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Toynbee have returned from a trip to Europe. They were accompanied by their daughters, Jane and Ann.

DEATH OF JAMES STAFFORD SADDEN GALIANO ISLAND

Galiano Islanders were saddened to know of the sudden death of James Walter Stafford, on October 15. Besides his wife, Ena, at home on Galiano he is survived by one son, James W., and one daughter, Elizabeth, of Vancouver, and two sisters in Alberta.

Memorial services were held on Friday, Oct. 19, in North Vancouver, followed by cremation.

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