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EVERYTHING LOST IN HOUSE FIRE AT BEAVER POINT



Photo by Valerie Richards

On Wednesday the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Donnelly, on Reynolds Road, Beaver Point

was completely destroyed by fire. Mrs. Donnelly was in the

house with her infant child when fire enveloped one wall in the kitchen of the newly completed building. Both escaped the burning building.

Brother of the owner, Eric Donnelly attempted to remove their possessions from the house while Mrs. Donnelly went to sound the alarm. Only carpentry tools were saved.

Fire trucks from Fulford and Ganges went to the blaze, but the house was already wrapped in flames before they arrived.

The owners lost all their possessions. The building was not insured.

FUND FOR FIRE VICTIMS

Fulford family lost all their possessions in a fire last week. Roger and Christine Donnelly, of Reynolds Road, have been left without a home, clothes or any other possessions.

Roger Donnelly was a partner in the construction firm of Cantab Enterprises at Ganges for several years and has been employed as a carpenter on Salt Spring Island for many years.

Fund to assist the stricken family has been launched by Driftwood. The fund stands at \$100 at the present time and islanders are invited to help. Donations may be left at the office of Driftwood or mailed to Box 250, Ganges.

ABOUT 120 ATTEND AS

Forum approves parent group

- QUIET ASSEMBLY SATURDAY

About 120 people attended the public forum in Ganges on Saturday to quietly review school and educational problems and to approve the formation of a parent association which would establish close liaison with both school board and schools.

Chair was taken by Fred Anderson, minister of the United Church in Ganges.

Various questions were raised on the school curricula and the general department of students.

Majority of the discussion was critical, but concern was shown for the pattern of education rather than local problems.

Question of spare periods was discussed at some length and the meeting agreed that if the student is encouraged to use the facilities of the school for further study during these free periods, then they are serving a valuable purpose.

John Menzies offered a popular criticism when he pointed out that a parent may take his child to school at 8 am and find the same student tra-

velling about Ganges in a car 15 minutes later.

Mr. Menzies was applauded when he suggested that some closer form of supervision was needed over students enjoying a spare period, and that students should be required to remain on school property during these spare periods.

Chairman of the Gulf Island School District C. M. Baltzer warned that too tight a regimentation would not work in practice. If a mandatory set of rules were imposed he felt they would not be effective. Rules are largely set by the school administration, he noted. (Turn to Page Four)

SEAMLESS FLAW IN SEAMLESS FLOOR AT SCHOOL

Seamless flaws in the Salt Spring Elementary school are floorless seams.

On Monday Gulf Islands School Board hears sad reports of the new seamless floors cracking up in the newly renovated school even before they are in full use.

A repair job is not adequate, warned Secretary-Treasurer Wilf Peck, they need greater attention.

SEEN ANY GOOD WHALES LATELY?

Where do killer whales go? The Fisheries Research Board of Canada is undertaking a survey during 1974 and the island populations are invited to help.

PLANNING BOARD IS NAMED

Salt Spring Island Advisory Planning Commission has been named by the Capital Regional Board. New members were recommended by island director, George Heinekey.

Commission will include R. D. McWhirter, former chairman of the planning association; Mrs. I. V. Guthrie, Trevor Wheeldon, Chuck Longenay and Director Heinekey.

Anyone who sees a killer whale is asked to notify the Board.

There are books of postcards available at Driftwood, in Ganges and at other centres, for residents to complete.

Each sighting may then be passed on to the biologists, who will map the movements.

SALT SPRING FIRE NUMBER

Elsewhere in this issue Fire Chief Kelly Hanke, of Salt Spring Island, has warned islanders to note the emergency fire number on Salt Spring Island.

When a Fulford resident called the Fulford fire hall last week in an emergency,

700 APPEAL 1100 PARCELS

Big Load For Court Here

— JIM STEWART CHAIRMAN

Court of Revision will sit at Ganges on Monday. It will sit every day, five days a week, for a month, to hear appeals against assessments in Gulf Islands School District.

Chairman of the court is James Stewart, of Beaver Point.

He will hear 700 appellants protesting assessment of 1,100 parcels.

Court is expected to complete its duties about March 11. Provincial assessor at Ganges, Al Clarke, will take part in the appeals, defending the assessment.

Week end announcement of Premier Dave Barrett did little to ease the pressure. Mr. Barrett said over a radio program that some properties had been wrongly assessed and that the assessment of improv-

ed land under 5 acres was restricted to 10% increase. It does not apply to vacant land of any area.

GOLF PRO.



GORDON HUTTON

New golf pro has been named to Salt Spring Island Golf and Country Club. He is Gordon Hutton, former proprietor of a Calgary golf club and a member of a golfing family.

Mr. Hutton will also serve as manager of the golf club.

He assumes the duties formerly undertaken by Bob Foulis as well as the administration responsibilities of Hugh Ross.

Gordon comes here from Victoria, where he retired four years ago. Retirement proved less attractive than he had expected.

In Calgary he was the Inglewood Golf and Curling Club.

Gordon's father is Jack Hutton, also a golf pro, who came from the home of golf, Carnoustie, in Scotland.

HIGH SCHOOL AT HOME FOR PENDER

Parents on Pender Island are looking for supervised correspondence courses on the island to obviate boarding of students on Salt Spring Island.

On Monday afternoon trustees heard a letter from Mrs. Monica Belamere asking for accommodation and supervision.

Trustee Tom Davidson commented that a parents' meeting for Outer Islanders is looming on Saturna and trustees will be invited.

The board decided to take no action until after this meeting.

NETBOY STILL AT IT

THIRD STORY OF SALMON

Newest salmon book by Anthony Netboy is released in the United States.

Netboy has already written of the Pacific salmon and the Atlantic salmon. Now he writes of all salmon.

The writer owns a property on Salt Spring Island and lived on the island. He also has a home in Oregon, near his work. He teaches in university there, among other interests.

Anthony Netboy was a writer before he became interested in fish. He was engaged by a hydro undertaking in the United States and among his duties was the writing of a preparation on the effect of hydro installations on the salmon. When he explained he knew nothing about salmon, he was urged to start out and learn something

in order to prepare the summary.

He never looked back. The more he read of salmon the more interest he found in his subject. Long after leaving hydro operations, he has studied the red fish. After his first book on Pacific salmon, he was given opportunity to study salmon in various countries. His second book, on the Atlantic salmon, was the result of further research into the question.

His latest book is Salmon: Their Fight for Survival.

At the present time the crusader for salmon's rights is travelling the world. He left the United States in November and is on his way through the Panama to Brazil, Africa and Europe.

He will be back on Salt Spring Island in September.

TWO BOARDS SIGN

Agreement has been signed between the Gulf Islands School Board and the Capital Regional Board on the administration and use of the new community recreation centre combined with the elementary school activity room at Ganges.

ANNUAL CHAMBER MEETING

Galiano Chamber of Commerce will meet on Saturday Feb. 9, for the annual assembly.

Members will hear reports of the past year and new officers will be elected.

Down Through The Years With DRIFTWOOD

1961:
Nominated for the Recreation Commission are B. Lukas, G. Reynolds, D. Morrison, Mrs. A. M. Brown, Mrs. J. Green, E. Fisher, Reg Price, K. Dods, and Mrs. D. Deacon. The nominees were elected at the recreation meeting last Tuesday at Mahon Hall. The commission is composed of one member from each end and corner of the island.

At the first annual meeting of the Salt Spring Island Fire Protection District, W. H. Bradley was re-elected for a three-year term and A. House was elected for a three-year term as trustee.

1964:
Mrs. Beverley Gibson and Mrs. Rose Alexander won the ladies' and grandmothers' races respectively. The pancake races were successful once again with Chuck Horel as master of ceremonies and Des Crofton holding the starting gun. Mrs. Lucy Campbell as Aunt Jemima gave out the prizes. J. B. Acland and Capt. L. D. B. Drummond held the rope at the finishing line. Mrs. V. McKay was general convenor of the affair.

Cpl. R. Dodds and Mrs. Dodds were guests of Mrs. Dodds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gyves last week end. They returned to Victoria on Sunday. The following are the winners to date in HMS Ganges Chapter bridge tournament: Class A: Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Laurie, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cruickshank, Mrs. D. Cavaye, and Mrs. Ed Richardson, Mrs. B. Dunsmuir and Mrs. Mary Fellows, Col. and Mrs. M.F. Peiler.

Klondike night at the Legion Hall this year was again a success. About 75 people were there. An exciting old time can-can was danced by trouper Dennis Deacon and Con Ackerman presented a skit. The evening wound up with a sing-song with Mr. J. H. M. Lamb acting as M. C.

ANNIE FOSTER DIES IN HOSPITAL AT AGE OF 90 YEARS

Mrs. Annie Eliza Foster, Pioneer Village, Ganges, passed away on Thursday, Jan. 31, in the Lady Minto Hospital. Mrs. Foster was 90 years of age.

She was predeceased by her husband, Percival, in 1967. She is survived by three brothers in England and one niece Mrs. E. (Betty) Brown, in California.

Funeral service was held at 1.30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 4, in St. George's Anglican Church, when Rev. Peter McCalm officiated. Cremation followed. Goodman's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

1969:
Top man of the Pancake Races was Dave Roberts who took the perpetual frying pan for BC Ferries in the final international race. Lucky man of the day was Buzz Brown who took home the electric fry pan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Horel, Cusheon Lake Road and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lowe of Lake-ridge returned home last week end after a month's holiday spent touring the islands of Hawaii, Maui, and Oahu. They enjoyed the perfect weather and are the envy of all their friends with golden sun tans.

Door prize winner of the Valentine Dance held at the Golf and Country Club last Friday was Mrs. R. Dixon. Spot prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Woodley, Mrs. R. Webster and Mrs. Hill.

A weekend visitor at the Harvey Drummond's residence was sister-in-law Mrs. Elmer Opal Drummond of Calgary. She flew out and visited the Vancouver and Victoria area.

IN NEW ZEALAND

BREAD FIVE CENTS

Jessie Sayer, correspondent from Fernwood, is currently Driftwood correspondent from New Zealand. Mrs. Sayer is visiting her family in the southern hemisphere.

Canadian dollar doesn't go too far down there, she reports. It is worth 72 cents in New Zealand currency.

"We are in a motel, 100 miles north-east of Taupo," she writes, "\$80 a week with \$3 a day for extras, such as L."

Butter is 33 cents a pound; bread runs from five cents to 20 cents a loaf and nobody eats yesterday's bread, except large families. Milk is four cents a pint, fruit is very expensive but canned fruit is cheaper than in BC.

"Income tax is very high," reports the Salt Spring Island traveller, "But nobody seems to suffer."

Government has clamped down on land speculation and there is a land freeze in force at present restricting subdivision to 50 acres minimum.

"Everything here compares with BC, good and bad," she writes.

Butter is being replaced by margarine and the farmers are in an uproar.

New Zealand has its murders and its robberies, but there is a law in force there against spring knives being carried by rowdies.

Fuel crisis has brought a speed limit of 50 mph in New Zealand; the government is pressing for a reduction of power consumption in a conservation drive.

Jessie Sayer is not the only island traveller to be bedevilled by air transportation. She had a good trip down, she reported, but she learned on her arrival in New Zealand that her return Pan-American flight had been cancelled. She will come back with New Zealand Air Lines.

She sent her good wishes to the islanders suffering from chilly weather and reported that she had not encountered Kim Thorp in her travels.

Kim Thorp is the New Zealand student who spent a year on Salt Spring Island as the guest of the Rotary Club while enjoying a Rotary International Student Exchange Scholarship.

WHAT'S COOKING ON SALT SPRING?

What's cooking on Salt Spring?

According to the Presidents' Breakfast at the Crest on Saturday, first major event is the annual library meeting in Ganges on Monday.

Rotary Valentine masquerade dance on February 15, is one day after St. Valentine's Day.

On February 17 the Gulf Islands Community Arts Centre will stage a concert by a wood wind quintette. No indicator was given of the likely location.

Annual meeting of the Salt Spring Island Recreation Commission will be held at Ganges in the Gulf Islands Secondary School on February 25.

T. E. Marcus spoke for the commission, of which he is chairman. Five directors must be elected to the board.

Commission is operating one budget of \$10,000, said Mr. Marcus and the community should be closely concerned in the spending of considerable sums of money derived from local taxes.

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On & Off The Island

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cook were visiting the island on the week end, from Tsawwassen, to see Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. Humphreys who is in the Lady Minto Hospital. They also visited Mrs. Cook's brother, Mr. P. D. Humphreys and his wife.

Ken Simons was home on the weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Simons of Fulford.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Cunningham have returned from a sunny holiday in Hawaii.

Mr. Richard Swanson of Port Alberni spent a few days on Salt Spring Island at R. W. Swanson's home at Vesuvius.

Mrs. M. McTighe and her daughter Mary-Lou of Dawson Creek were visiting over the weekend their many relatives on the island.

Mr. and Mrs. T. McDonald spent a three-day holiday in Victoria and were entertained by the musical at McPherson Playhouse Theatre, No No Nanette!

Mrs. W. Pappenberger is a patient in the Lady Minto Hospital.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vic Jackson on Scott Road at the

week end was Mrs. Jackson's sister, Mrs. Dowie, of Richmond. A regular visitor to Salt Spring for nearly 30 years Mrs. Dowie is not as well known as her son. He is Fran Dowie, who brought the Barkerville Show to Salt Spring. He still remembers Salt Spring Island with affection, recalled Dowie's mother. The island brought them the best audience they had.

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to be frank



By Richards

Nudist Club at Duncan appealed a land assessment on Monday when a lawyer for the club appeared at the Court of Revision. He just gave the court the bare facts.

Gavin Reynolds' crew is keeping clean. "They're the cleanest hippies in the islands," he asserts, "They take a bath several times a day in Fulford Creek." Gavin is running the LIP crew cleaning up the creek for fish.

Ellen Hazenboom isn't getting older - she's getting better. She got a wolf whistle the other day in Ganges.

Vic Jackson is going the same way. At 77 he's still a fisherman of some note; he can still work around the place; he gives away his chickens and all because he tells you, he's just getting better!

I was sorry to see that the police in England had recaptured Biggs of the Great Train Robbery. Not because I'm rooting for train robbers, but because I figure the courts went overboard in the case. If you're going to run foul of the law over there, better you bump off a few kids for kicks than steal large sums of money. They get real hostile when someone dips his hand in too big a barrel of sterling!

There is no truth in the report that the Liquor Store in Ganges is planning free drinks and cheese when the serve-yourself system goes into operation.

I was in the Harbour House on Saturday night when it turned into the United Nations. There was Nick Konstantinides, the manager, talking with my Peruvian brother in Spanish, although his native tongue is Greek. The two of them were then con-

versing in French with Lise who presides behind the bar. Nick is quite a linguist.

Like Alberta, the islands last week looked for more territory. At least, they did in Driftwood. They reached out to Sidney in an announcement offering provincial automobile insurance. It went without asking. The announcement started out right. On Wednesday morning, when the paper went to press the advertisement listed islands agencies. When it came off the press on Wednesday afternoon a change had been made. Staff of the central printing shop where the paper is born each week, had messed up the negative of the original advertisement. One of the staff found the right answer... only it was wrong. She quickly picked up the negative from the Sidney Review. By the time it was seen it was too late. Have to insure against mistakes next.

He was hopping mad last week. Joe Emerslund called me after trying to recover an overpayment on his auto insurance. He said he was so mad he could spit and he sounded like he had already started to. Joe overpaid his premium by seven or eight dollars, he explained. So he went back to recover it. The agent explained that you can't just pay it back now like in the old days. The insurance premium goes to the government. Therefore, you have to go to the government to get it back. You have to write to Box 11131, Royal Centre in Vancouver to get the money back, he stormed.

SINGERS NAME IRIS HALL AS CHAIRMAN

The Salt Spring Singers with their director, Ruth Barker are making good progress and, hope to be performing in the near future.

At a recent meeting the following executive was selected: chairman, Iris Hall; treasurer, May George; secretary, Sandy LaFortune. A grant of \$150 has been received from the Gulf Islands Community Arts Council.

There are still vacancies to be filled in the tenor and bass sections. Any information concerning the Salt Spring Singers can be obtained from the executive.

Chapter with two charters

BY M. M. NORTON

H. M. S. Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E., held its annual meeting on Friday, Feb. 1, in the United Church Hall. Regent Mrs. Alfred Howell presided.

Officers for 1974 are as follows - honorary regent, Mrs. Dallas Perry; honorary vice-regent, Mrs. Cecil Abbott; regent, Mrs. A. H. Howell; first vice-regent, Mrs. B. Earl Hardie; second vice-regent, Mrs. C. H. Morrice; secretary, Mrs. W. S. Pettapiece, assistant secretary, Mrs. R. R. Atkins; treasurer, Mrs. E. Richardson; membership Mrs. G.

St. Denis; education, Mrs. F. K. Parker; Echoes secretary, Mrs. F. Elliott; services, Mrs. L. Sayer; world affairs, Miss Olive Mouat; standard bearer, Mrs. G. Mouat; tea convenor, Mrs. C. Searle and public relations, Mrs. M. M. Norton.

Annual reports of 1973 activities were received. Half way through the reports the regent made a break and called attention to the talented knitting of Mrs. C. Searle who had donated articles to the talent table for sale.

The annual meeting of National Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be in Nanaimo, starting

April 10. One of the projects of the National Chapter is labeled, Concern for Children. Funds will be raised across Canada by the sale of the florabunda red rose, IODE.

Ways and means of making this 60th year of HMS Ganges Chapter attractive and profitable were considered. Education projects are a vital issue.

Being the IODE Chapter on Salt Spring Island means we had to be different from any other chapter. So we have two charters, one granted in 1914 and the other later, to add H.M.S. to show specifically that the chapter was named after the British warship.

SET BACK FOR LEGION AT NANAIMO

SALT SPRING LEGION, 0; NANAIMO BEAVERS, 6

Legion met the northern champions in the first of a two-game series for the Vancouver Island Championship. They also met with rain, mud, pools verging on lakes into which the ball frequently disappeared, the occasional pack of stray dogs and opponents who were physically larger and better conditioned for the circumstances.

The first half ended in a 0-0 tie, the result of excellent play by the half-backs of both teams. Beavers had the advantage of a forward line which was aggressive whereas Legion's forward line seemed to be non-existent.

The second half started with Beavers converting a penalty shot for a Legion infraction in the penalty area which

proved to be the psychological break-through to cause an avalanche of five more goals in the space of seven minutes against Legion. Thereafter, Legion appeared to gradually strengthen in their play and in the final ten minutes of the game appeared to be, once again, in contention.

The second game of this

series will be played in Ganges at the school field on Sunday next February 10 at about 12.15.

To overtake Beavers in total goals for the series will need a near-miracle to be performed by Legion. Parental and spectator support at the next Sunday's game may make this miracle happen.

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A LONG, LONG TRAIL

When the question of transportation for students on Salt Spring Island was raised last week at a meeting of the Gulf Islands School Board, it was noted that many children in the school district are without assistance.

Irrespective of the cost involved, the students attending schools in the district should be entitled to the same assistance. If transportation is offered to students on one island, under given circumstances, then the same assistance should be offered on other islands, where those same circumstances prevail.

DON'T LOOK NOW!

Fellow we are feeling sorry for is the Honourable Ernie Hall. First he stands on one leg and then the other.

On January 6, said Mr. Hall, earlier in the year, daylight savings time will be introduced. The Americans had it and Mr. Hall felt that the example merited the copying.

And then he changed his mind.

So he decided that February 3 would be a perfect day to fall in line with Washington time. Everyone was told the joyful news.

And then he changed his mind.

Odds are, he's still standing uneasily and changing legs. For ours, he can keep his legs and we'll keep our standard time until the last week of April like it always was.

SCHOOL FORUM

(From Page One)

When parents questioned the effectiveness of the "level system" Tom Wright, elementary school teacher, responded with the explanation of the level system. It is not working in the Ganges school, he countered.

The system allows a student to travel through school at his own rate.

"I don't see how it could work here," he continued, "unless classes were half their present size."

He hears reports of children sitting in school and doing nothing all day, he told the meeting, but he has never seen it, himself.

"I don't even think we are talking of the same schools."

He remarked that he doesn't think that parents speaking of the level system are thinking of the same thing.

He added, in reply to a question, that the system is today locked into the calendar. Every course is linked to the calendar age of the student.

Parent had asked why a student could not be moved on once he has mastered a grade, but Mr. Wright explained that this could not be done under the present system.

It would, in fact, he warned, require the engagement of a number of new teachers to handle the increased load.

Another speaker from the floor suggested a year-round school. Three months of school followed by two weeks of holidays was proposed.

It has already been proposed by the trustees of the province

replied Chairman Baltzer. The system would require far more money and a change in the act, he added.

Lack of accommodation for the band was also criticized. Vice-principal H. R. Archer observed that the school is hoping to see the band in its own accommodation by March. Number of parents felt it was too late and one suggested that the bandmaster, Major John Dought, of Mayne Island might lose heart if change was too-long delayed.

Parent of a school instrumentalist told the meeting that the loss of Maj. Dought would represent a grave loss to the school.

"He offers a lot more than just music, she said.

Clare McAllister, trustee from Galiano, commented that the value of spare periods in the high schools was linked with the recreation of the future. Students will have to be able to find activities one day, she warned.

Charles Baltzer explained that the board does not usually make representations directly to the department of education. Recommendations of the local trustees are usually referred to the provincial association of school trustees, he explained, in order to gain greater support.

Speaking of recommendations from the community to the board of trustees, Chairman Baltzer said there was no reason why the education committee could not meet with the community spokesmen once a

THEY WILL BRING MUSIC TO SALT SPRING



BY JOSIE UTLEY
CAC REPORTER

The eagerly awaited concert by the Pacific Wind Quintet promises to be the major cultural event for Gulf Islands Community Arts Council members this winter.

It will take place on Sunday Feb. 17, at 2 p.m. in the Auditorium of the Gulf Islands Secondary School in Ganges.

This group of talented young musicians include faculty members at the University of Victoria and instrument lists in the Victoria Symphony Orchestra. They have receiving acclaim since their debut as the Pacific Wind Quintet a year ago.

Each one has a distinguished background of training and performance with other outstanding orchestras. Brought together in Victoria in the early 70's through the University and the Symphony, they have fused their separate talents into an exciting combination.

"The five players... are accomplished individual musi-

ans, technically secure to a point of virtuosity... As a group they maintain a most pleasing balance. The musical rapport between them is intense..." Victoria Times, July '73.

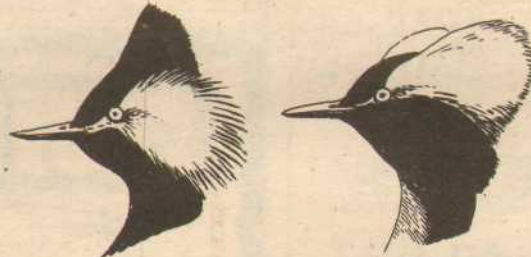
The five players are Dick Ely, French horn; Eileen Gibson, oboe; Tim Paradise, clarinet; and, front row, Jesse Read, bassoon and Lanny Pollet, flute.

The program on the 17th will include: Irving Fine, Partita; A Ginastera, Duo for Flute and Oboe; Mozart, Casazione; Reicha, Andante; Milhaud, La Cheminee Du Roi Rene.

Following the concert refreshments will be served and the audience will have a chance to meet and talk informally with the musicians.

Membership in the CAC is open to any Gulf Islands resident for \$2 a year. It is in no way necessary to be an active producer or performer in the arts and crafts in order to participate. New memberships will be available at the door.

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Eared Grebe

Horned Grebe

TWO GREBES

These two water birds are near the same size, about 13 ins. in length. Both male and female have identical plumage and feather tufts on the head. The eared has an all black head and neck with a large "ear" spray of golden-yellow, and a pronounced head crest. The bill is sharp with the tip upturned. The horned-grebe has a black head with striking golden-crests reaching from the eye beyond the back of the head. The eared shows preference for larger marshes and will nest in large colonies, the horned inhabits many small marshes and sloughs, occasionally nesting in loose colonies of half a dozen or so.

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month.

"I will not entertain a mass of people coming into the board room without giving the board prior notification," he warned, "And they would not be allowed to speak. I could not allow everybody to speak on everything or to make decisions for the board. If you're not happy with the board, wait for the elections. Heave them!"

H. R. Leighton expressed concern at the number of Grade Nine students seeking employment with the avowed intention of dropping out. He asked what programs were available to offer them guidance.

He would welcome counseling from kindergarten to Grade 12, he told the meeting. Mrs. I. V. Guthrie agreed

that there should be a form of guidance available. The cost of such is not borne by the department of education, she noted, but most elementary

? Inquest ?

BY PASTOR DAVID G. LOW

In a speech some weeks ago, Mrs. Eileen Dailly, Minister of Education in the province of British Columbia came out strongly in favour of abolishing the strap in all B. C. schools.

Her reason, according to a press report, was as follows: If we wish to cut down on violence in our society, we must show the example ourselves by reducing violence in the schools.

The minister's intent is clear. She evidently believes that punishing children with the strap in school is not distinguishable from beating up a law-abiding citizen in a back alley.

Mrs. Dailly is of course entitled to her beliefs. But it should be said that her position is not scriptural, nor Christian. Her position can be construed to sound Christian only if the Bible is not held as the basis for Christian belief.

The scriptures make it clear that the 'rod' is to be used for correction. (Proverbs 13:24) Corporal punishment must never be administered in wrath but in love. In fact Proverbs state that failure to use corporal punishment in the correction of children is an expression of hatred for the child. Proverbs 22:6 further states that if we care about the future of our kids, then we will take every step to train our children when they are young.

The Bible never condones punishment where it is not needed or punishment in excess. (Ephesians 6:4) Therefore the one in authority will decide if the punishment fits the crime.

Mrs. Dailly's philosophy is well intentioned to reduce violence. But it is destined to fail because it is misdirected. If it is applied in B. C. schools the result will ultimately be hooliganism and multiplied violence.

"Foolishness is bound in the heart of a child, but the rod of correction will drive it far from him". (Proverbs 22:15) Passing political philosophies can not change this, any more than they can change the law of gravity.

Send all questions and comments to Box 250, Ganges, B. C.

school teachers are good counsellors.

Lists were distributed with the invitation to sign if a participant was in favour of a parents' organization.

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Thursdays -

BILL IS NEW OPERATOR OF BILL'S TAXI



Photo by Val Richards

Bill's Taxi is Bill's taxi again. Taxi service on Salt Spring

Island has changed hands. Bill Simpkin took over the service on February 1.

BANDMASTER PROTESTS

Contractors Release School

Contractors are to be asked to remove stored building materials from the unfinished activity room in Salt Spring Island Elementary School in order that the room may be completed and used for instructional purposes.

Request followed a complaint from Bandmaster J. H. Dought that the stage in the secondary school gymnasium was inadequate for the band practices.

Maj. Dought had previously protested that the lack of adequate facilities for band instruction could prejudice the appearance of the band in the Cowichan Festival.

Stage is confined, airless and the noise is excessive, wrote the bandmaster.

It was one of the concerns of Saturday's open forum in Ganges, commented Chairman C. M. Baltzer.

There is not another place where the band could function, reported Principal R. D. McWhirter. Once one room is finished in the present building program, another is freed, he explained.

"How stuck for classrooms will we be when this is all finished?" asked R. B. Marshall. The portable classrooms without plumbing will still be needed, he added.

There has been no suggestion of getting rid of the portable classrooms, replied the chairman, they represent a buffer when population of the school varies.

Mr. Baltzer explained that

the department of education would not permit construction of new facilities at the elementary school in Ganges because the department's formula shows no need.

"You divide the number of students by 36 and that gives you the number of rooms needed in the school," he explained.

Library, home economics and similar specialty rooms are included in the list.

Although Superintendent Cam Stewart pointed out that all reports show a reduction in school population, the islands are a high-immigration area, noted Mrs. Nonie Guthrie.

The chairman agreed. The big growth is in the Outer Islands, he said.

"The more desirable areas," quipped Mrs. Clare McAllister. The elementary school has been renovated, not enlarged, warned the chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpkin have lived on Salt Spring Island for the past two years. Bill was previously with Ganges Auto-Marine.

Bill and Sharon Simpkin have three daughters, Shari, Leann and Yvonne.

New proprietor was in the transportation business in Port McNeil before coming to Salt Spring Island.

Former operator was Oakley Toombs.

Lions Walkathon is walked again for the benefit of Lions funds for the community. Easter Saturday is on April 13 and local runners, trotters, strollers and hikers will be out in force.

The Community Arts Council will bring the Summer Singers here on April 21 and again the locale was not known.

On May 3 the Lions will stage their annual Wine and Cheese party in the school gymnasium.

Presidents' Breakfast is a monthly meeting of presidents of island organizations to minimize overlapping or confusion.

SALT SPRING DIARY

(From Page Two)

Commission draws the proceeds of a half-mill tax levy on the island. The revenue will be up to \$10,000 this year, said Marcus.

Salt Spring Island Players will take the limelight on a three-day stand in March. The island theatre group will offer an Evening of Theatre at Ganges on March 14, 15 and 16.

The program will consist of three one-act plays. Location has not yet been established. It will probably be held in the Mahon Hall, reported Gwen Hind-Smith on Saturday.

The plays coincide with the Legion Ball. Salt Spring Island Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion will frolic on March 15, with a semi-formal ball. Semi-formal means the women will be in evening dress and men are expected to wear ties, explained a spokesman for the Legion.

April 13 is a day of great exertion, when the Salt Spring

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PART OF LIVING

A LIFETIME OF CARS

BY FRANK RICHARDS

There is a ghostly shape in front of me when I drive.

It rises above the hood and stands ready to guide me along the highway, leading the way with its vital warning to the driver. It is the Boyce Motometer, a ghost of the past, yet as much part of my driving record as the snub chrome curve which marks the front of the hood of my car today.

The Boyce Motometer was probably international. It was found on many Morris cars in England between the wars. It was probably on the 1927 Morris Oxford touring car that the paper boy drove to Patricia Bay Airport in 1943. He is a senior member of the Air Canada staff at Patricia Bay today, but I remember Bill McNutt's Morris only too well.

The Motometer was a large thermometer mounted through the radiator cap and large enough to permit the driver to see at a glance if his engine was overheating. A large pointer moved over a clearly marked scale inside the double glass walls.

Some motorists drove Rolls-Royces, with the traditional leading lady. I had a thermometer. The memory of the thermometer, ahead, came to

me this week end as I discussed early cars with my brother.

Looking through the classified columns of the Vancouver Sun, I substituted the names I once read regularly.

I saw the 1924 Wolseley tourer in perfect condition that Victoria's Arthur "Junke" Brown was reluctant to wreck in the war years. I could read of the Alvis that Warren Hastings drove through Sidney one day during the war. He experienced difficulty on the rough island roads with the few inches of ground clearance afforded by that car, he told me.

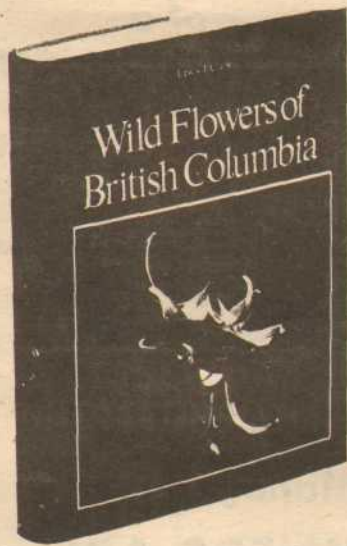
I saw the Rolls Royce operated by a retired Scotsman at Sidney, a 1928 fabric-covered sedan, ugly, old and silent.

Still further back I saw the cars listed that many on this continent never even heard of, the Clyno and the Argyle and Calthorpe and the horde of small vehicles manufactured in their hundreds or even their dozens between the wars, when driving was a fascinating hobby, rather than a desperate hazard.

I saw the Willys-Knights I once drove in Saskatchewan and Vancouver Island; the Marmon Roosevelt I acquired from a group of Australian pilots at Patricia Bay and which had originally been won in a contest by Sidney pharmacist George Baal. There was the McLaughlin open tourer, manufactured about 1925 and in regular use during the war.

I read of the Jewett, which I borrowed regularly from Tom Gurton at Sidney until he sold it for a song.

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Sheba was designed to cruise these waters. William Garden is the designer and the Rudolphs worked very closely with him. With a length of 73 ft. and a beam of 14 feet, a shallow draught, twin V8 Caterpillar diesels will give her an expected speed near 20 knots.

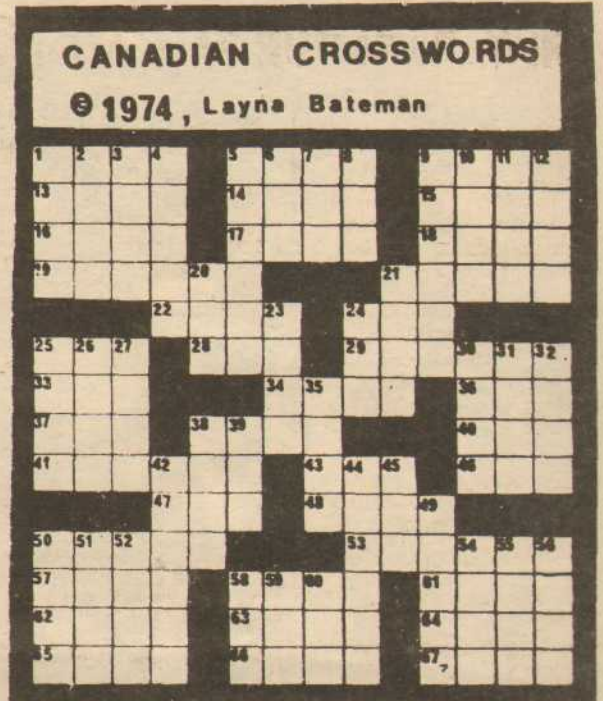
The Rudolphs own property on Salt Spring Island and invited Ernie Watson down to the launching.

As I closed the pages I was still in the world of older cars and I remembered the pride with which I owned a 1926

two-cylinder Jowett after the war and the wrench that it cost me to sell my 1909 Britton, also a two-cylinder, in order to emigrate from England.

A thing of steel and tin, rubber and cloth: that's all it is. Yet, a substantial part of my life went into the acquisition and the driving of cars that would be scorned today by almost every driver on the continent. Even me.

But I can dream, can't I, of those days before we knew what pollution was; before there was an energy crisis; before the world was populated by cars and people in that order? Those were the days!



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SOCCER MEETING AT GANGES

ALBHOUSE STILL AT HEAD

Annual general meeting of the Salt Spring Island Soccer Association was held at the Condor Inn on Thursday evening, Jan. 31, with the meeting room and refreshments donated by the hotel management.

A few newcomers and last year's entire executive were present, but interested parents of the players were conspicuous by their absence.

Tom Toynbee was pro-tem chairman for the election of officers.

Unanimously re-elected were Jack Albhouse, president; Al Marsh, vice-president; Dorothy Kyle, secretary-treasurer and newcomer, Al Black, publicity chairman.

Jack Albhouse briefly outlined a successful soccer year, both for the players and financially. The Christmas turkey raffle netted enough money to underwrite the annual trek of players, coaches and managers to Powell River for exhibition games. Approxi-

mate date is the last weekend in March.

Two Salt Spring teams, Div. 4 and 7, won their league championships respectively.

The executive decided that February 23 would be the date for the annual banquet in the High School gymnasium. At this event three trophies for each division will be presented to the best offensive, defensive and most improved

player on each team.

SUN CUP SOCCER PLAYOFFS
Div. 6 Lions at Ladysmith Sat. Feb. 9 - 2 p.m.

Div. 7 Rotary at Duncan, Sat. Feb. 9 - 12 p.m.

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NEW NAME FOR SALT SPRING LIBRARY?

BY CONNIE PORTER

Not all the 650 members of Salt Spring Island Library will turn out for the annual meeting on Monday next, at the Legion Hall at 3 p.m.

However, all who do attend the meeting are eligible to vote on the motions to be presented, and the election of board members for this year.

Most newcomers to this island are delighted to find such a well-stocked library available to them for the modest fee of \$1 per annum.

Many do not know that this is the achievement of a handful of residents who, at the instigation of the late Mary Hawkins, back in 1956, decided to work on its establishment.

This little group of residents gave time, money and professional knowledge. They collected money and books from friends. And meetings held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins were attended by representatives of all the community organizations.

The late Dr. McAllister became the first chairman of the board with Mrs. Winteringham as secretary and Mrs. Hawkins, treasurer.

The first library was opened in a room of Mouat's store, donated by that company.

By 1963 the group of library workers had grown considerably and plans were under way to turn a boat building shed on McPhillips Avenue into a new Library Building.

Contributions from local businesses and residents and a Bank loan sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hawkins en-

sured the future building.

In 1964 the present library was officially opened by Mrs. W. A. C. Bennett.

There are many long time residents here who worked hard for this achievement but all agree that Mary Hawkins was the kingpin who kept them going in spite of difficulties

along the way.

It is for that reason that a motion to make the name of our library "The Mary Hawkins Memorial Library" will be put to the annual meeting next Monday. It is felt by many of her friends that this is the tribute she would have appreciated.



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LOW FLYING CASE

FEBRUARY 20th

Salt Spring Island's flying case will be heard in Ganges Provincial Court on Wednesday, Feb. 20. Bruce McNaughton, pilot with Victoria Flying Services has been charged as the result of a complaint made by a resident of Fulford, Mrs. Norman Saunders.

Charged originally was Don Dixon, pilot-instructor, who was a passenger at the time of the alleged offence.

Provincial Judge D. G. Ashby will not be here to hear the charge.

Civil aviation regulations govern the height at which an aircraft may fly.

Following is an excerpt from the regulations:

Except when taking off from or landing at an airport or military aerodrome or except as specifically authorized by the Minister, aircraft shall not be flown (a) over the built-up areas of any city, town or other settlement or over an open-air assembly of persons, except at an altitude that will permit, in the event of an emergency, the landing of the aircraft without undue hazard to persons or property on the surface; such altitudes shall not in any case be less than one thousand feet above the highest obstacle within a horizontal radius of two thousand feet from the aircraft; and

(b) elsewhere than over any area mentioned in paragraph (a), except at altitudes of not less than five hundred feet above the surface of the ground or water, unless such flight may be made without undue hazard to persons or property on the surface.

ENGLISH WRITER ON RELIGION

CHRISTIANITY AND MUGGERIDGE

BY ELSIE MACDONALD

Malcolm Muggeridge, presently a resident of Salt Spring Island, erstwhile editor of famous "Punch" magazine, eminent journalist and B. B. C. broadcaster, and author of several books, told United Church Women, meeting in Presbytery in Victoria, why he is a Christian.

"In our world, which is visibly dropping to pieces, there is no other answer than in Jesus Christ," declared Mr. Muggeridge.

Majority of his old friends

consider him to be senile, or looking for assurance for a misspent life, said the speaker adding that if he is senile it must be attributed to sitting on Salt Spring Island watching gulls and logs go by, and not to Christianity.

It is nonsense to say that he looks to Christianity as a refuge or retreat, declared the speaker. He referred to a passage in St. John's gospel, chapter six: "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life." To Mr. Muggeridge these words provide the key to the meaning of life.

"There is no need to hide from life", he told his audience. "Life is sweet. To work with the mind is a great delight".

He has an image of himself as confined in a tiny dark dungeon of ego, concerned with fleshly delights. Light comes into this dungeon from a small window. Inside it is

dark; outside is the light of God's universal love. To look through this window is to look out from time to eternity. The window is the incarnation - God leaning down to reveal himself to man; man reaching up to God.

As long as his eyes seek the window life makes sense, and is full of hope and joy, said Mr. Muggeridge.

Lose sight of this window of light and life becomes dark again. Ego takes over and he is back in prison.

Continuing his analogy the speaker affirmed, "We can look out of the window and look out on reality, or we can lose sight of the window. One is heaven; one is hell".

Mr. Muggeridge had something to say about afterlife. "What is to happen to us? We don't know. All people who lived have believed that life is not exhausted here." As for himself, he feels like the man in the Bible. "Whereas I was blind, now I see", adding "thank God I can see!"

Man cannot live without God, avowed the speaker. There is a simple diagnosis of what is wrong with this world, he declared. When men try to live without God one of two things happens: erotomania or megalomania. Men imagine they are gods themselves. They think they can keep us, like old vintage cars, on the road forever.

Men come to believe they can control everything.

Erotomania is totally destructive, asserted Mr. Muggeridge, noting that erotic books in many languages are on sale in every major airport in the world. Any civilization is dependant on one point, he asserted. There must be a vital moral order. Collapse of moral order means that all order breaks down.

Mr. Muggeridge stated that he does not belong to any church, but acknowledged that churches provide an essential service in sustaining Christian faith. He said that he himself enjoys an extraordinary feeling of fellowship with all other Christians.

Asked during the question period why, of all the idyllic islands in the world, he chose to live on Salt Spring Island, Mr. Muggeridge replied, amid laughter, that he had to be in Canada to do his work, also he wanted to be near his four Canadian grandsons.

As to choice of locality, he read that the coastal islands of British Columbia formed the most remote place in the world. That was what he wanted and he is glad he came.

"Salt Spring Island is a most beautiful place!" declared the vital and enthusiastic Malcolm Muggeridge.

DORMITORY

On January 30, a meeting was held in the School Dormitory on Ganges Hill with Mrs. Jane Gurr and Mrs. Jan Wilson from the Child Care Section, Department of Human Resources in Victoria. Representing the Salt Spring Island Day Care Society were Mary Williamson, Marilynne Cunningham, Coke LaFlam, and Anne Howland. Also attending for a short time were Building Inspector Nels Vodden and Fire Chief Kelly Hanke.

Use of the School Dormitory as a Child Care Centre was discussed. There was criticism. It was noted that there are many places for a small child to get side-tracked; the stairway is too narrow and could

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MEETING HEARS OF PROGRESS

Some 75 Salt Spring Islanders took less than one hour to name new members to the directorate of the Salt Spring Island Planning Association on Monday evening.

The meeting was quiet and brief.

Elected directors for two years were Dr. David Lott, W. John Stepanuk, Michae Larmour, Wilfred Peck, Quenton Wilson, James Raeside and Dr. Maureen Bendick.

For one year, Ruby Alton will serve again. Mrs. Alton volunteered to accept the one year term to avoid the need for an election.

All were named to office by acclamation.

Committee chairman presented reports. All were brief. The planners had been particularly inactive during the past year, awaiting the provincial government's decision on the Salt Spring Island Community Plan.

Regional Director George Heineky addressed the meeting, expressing the appreciation of the Capital Regional Board for the work that had been devoted to the

preparation of the official community plan. Mr. Heineky also told them that the plan had now been passed on the minister of municipal affairs for approval by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

The regional district is expanding, reported the new director, whether it wants to or not. As from April it will assume responsibility for health services in the region, he told the meeting.

The board now employs a staff of 70, he added.

Chairman Peter Thompson reported on the past year. It had started with some concern over the approval of the community plan by the minister, he recalled. Since then a number of proposals concerning the Gulf Islands have been put forward.

As a new year starts, the association members are waiting for the approval by the minister for a slightly modified plan, he observed.

Director Marc Holmes had invited the association last year to name a member to the Advisory Planning Commission. The name of Trevor Wheeler had been submitted and he was ultimately appointed. "He was indirectly elected by you to an appointed position," commented the chairman.

The deliberations of the Select Standing Committees of Municipal Matters had disap-


pointed the association, visit to the committee in Victoria left members with a distressing awareness of the lack of knowledge of the islands shown by the provincial committee members. When the committee visited the islands in May they showed a better grasp of the island conditions, he reported.

"Their report, however, came as a surprise with its recommendation of the famous, or infamous Islands Trust," he added.

The association has been on various joint committees during the year. He cited the May Day disturbances and the Land Commission Act.

The future brings a subdivision by-law to replace the 10-acre freeze and the new directors will be invited to contribute to the regional by-law.

In this respect he asked members and islanders to submit written briefs on the subdivision by-law in an effort to gain as wide a representation as possible.

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NOT IDEAL FOR DAY CARE FOR SALT SPRING

be a fire funnel; the building is too large and there are too many rooms. Department spokesmen were not warm to proposed changes to make the building more suitable. Cost of upgrading the building, or a portion of it, would be prohibitive and would not allow for expansion in the future, they said. Grants are not available for unsafe buildings, and they questioned the advisability of putting money into anything but a brand new unit. Visiting officials suggested that islanders consider a portable unit. A grant is available and they have been used successfully in a number of districts. Location was not decided. Property where the dorm-

itory is situated was considered. A car pool was mentioned. The use of the United Church basement was also raised and the two ladies were taken to see it. Again, they noted the unfavorable aspects without seeming to consider the possible improvements, observed Mrs. Williamson, later.

It was decided that Mr. Hanke and Mr. Vodden should get together and decide on the required modifications of the School Dormitory.

They will report their findings to Mrs. Gurr and Mrs. Wilson, who will decide whether or not the cost is merited. It is better to take time and get a more permanent build-

ing, such as a mobile unit, than use an inadequate structure, they urged.

Program of the Salt Spring Island Day Care Society is too diverse, sponsors were told. They were advised to firmly establish one program, then start on another. It was suggested that one program be established in one place, another program in another place. A licence can be issued to one place for one program only. Additional grants are available for programs in separate places.

A survey will be taken to ascertain the greatest need for a Day Care Centre on the island. Listed would be the num (Turn to Page Fifteen)

and done with the Schwagly family looked further afield and set out for British Columbia. They have never had to regret that decision.

The first venture was in Victoria, where Nellie started all over again training young ladies in the art of beauty. They made a good team and many Victoria women flocked to the salon.

When they looked at Salt Spring Island in 1960 they opened the Dutch Beauty Salon.

It has been a success story for all the family. Besides Frank and Nellie, there have been two daughters, Marieka and Joan in the business and

many others have trained with them or worked for them.

Frank looked away from hairdressing for a time and went back to cooking. After a series of heart attacks he gave up working, but he still enjoys gourmet cooking.

There have been tough times and there have been good times. Biggest memory of all was the day when Nellie and daughter Joan were called into Victoria to dress the hair of the Queen of the Netherlands during her formal visit.

The Queen just told them to do it the way they figured would look best.

Forty-five years is a long time, but it goes very quickly when so many of the memories are good ones.

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It was in far-away Rotterdam that Nellie first took her place behind a hairdresser's chair. That was in 1929 when the world was in the depths of depression but before the miseries of World War Two had brought death and despair to so many in her native land.

Nellie Schwagly's father was a Rotterdam butcher and her entry into a new calling was almost unnoticed. She was lucky to have a job to start on in those days and particularly a job she liked.

She enjoyed the work and she enjoyed meeting people in the salon.

After graduation as a journeyman (or journeywoman?) she worked for a number of the large salons in the city. She did that for two years before starting to look for a place of her own.

Not quite her own.

All the girls love a sailor and Nellie was no exception. When she met a ship's cook she followed the song and in due course she and Frank Schwagly planned to marry, to settle down and to open a salon of their own.

First, they got married. For a couple of years Frank continued to sail with the Holland America Line.

Even while he was at sea, the new salon was in operation. It was a success from the first. Situated in Rotterdam South, the small salon grew from a single operation to a shop employing six busy hairdressers.

In 1937 Frank commenced his apprenticeship when his wife taught him the business.

While their hopes soared and the future looked rosier than they had dared hope, the

clouds of war were hovering over Europe.

In Rotterdam South the future was veering away from depression into prosperity. In Germany the iron heel was already stomping the highways.

War started for the Schwagly family in 1940. The surrounding countries had been at war for a year already when the German forces marched in.

Frank is a man who lives emotionally. When he speaks of the terrors and miseries of the war years in Holland the tears come to his eyes.

He served several terms in a German prison and on one occasion escaped by pretending to be dangerously ill.

They were years of near-starvation. Food was scarce and friends were disappearing constantly as so many loyal

Hollanders fought through the underground movement to retain their identity and to make inroads into the German security.

There was no money. The small amount of money available was devoted to those things which could be obtained by no other means. Less urgent needs such as a shampoo and set were the subject of barter. That particular operation was worth two slices of bread. Potatoes were scarcer and for two you could get a permanent wave.

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Well, now that we've had time to really look back at it and assess it honestly, it appears that most taxpayers did not seem to find it too difficult. The error rate did not accelerate greatly or change drastically from former years. Generally, most taxpayers seemed to handle their new returns fairly well.

However, Income Tax will never be the easiest or most enjoyable thing in anyone's life. And it will always present problems in some areas, for some people. That's expected and understandable.

So, what we want to do now is really work on those problem areas. And the best way to do that is to work with you, individually, on whatever part of Income Tax that causes you difficulty.

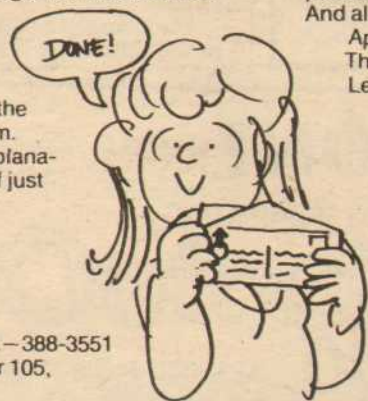
And that's what April Aid is all about. It's a help system and its primary objective is to ensure that whenever or whatever you need help with, you can get it. And know how to get it.

Second. If you're still confused or something just doesn't seem to work, phone. The number of your own District Taxation Office is below and at the end of that number there are people whose only job is to help taxpayers with problems, by telephone. And on Mondays and Tuesdays phone lines are open 'til 6 p.m. So don't hesitate. If you live outside the office area, call the Operator and ask for Zenith 0-4000. She will automatically connect you to your own District Taxation Office. Remember, all calls are free, all questions are answered, and if you have queries, we want you to call.

Third. Some people prefer to talk things over in person. If you're one of them and have problems, drop by for free help. Anytime. The address of your District Taxation Office is below.

Fourth. Write. To the address below. Explain your problem as clearly as possible and include all information. (And your return address, please.) In return, we'll answer all letters as quickly and clearly as possible. Remember - if you need help, it's there. (And free). And all you have to do is ask.

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BY B. E. PINCHIN

This week found, after three weeks of playing, that all skaters are playing well, especially those players who had never been on skates until three weeks ago.

Another reminder, bring

those Trophies in.

This week saw five games played: two Pee Wee, one Intermediate, one Junior and one Bantam.

The Pee Wee game Saturday saw Rangers challenging the Bears. In a very well-skated game, Jim Buckley stopped 40 shots on goal for Rangers, against 34 for Shane O'Donnell the Bears' goalie.

Scoring for Rangers were Scott Fraser and Kenneth Marr one each, with Rowan Dixon picking up an assist.

Scoring for Bears were Phillip Kitchen, three and Tom Moulton, Dennis Simard and Allan Sinclair, one each. Picking up assists were Tom Moulton and Dennis Simard. Final score was 6-2 for the Bears.

On Sunday, first game saw

HE SERVED SCHOOLS AND HOSPITAL HERE

Report last week on the death of W. A. Brown, of Ganges failed to list his long association with island organizations.

Mr. Brown had lived on

Upper Ganges Road, opposite Churchill Road, since 1939. He had acquired the property in 1932 from Mr. Scovell.

During his 35 years on the islands Mr. Brown had served

as secretary of the School Board and secretary of Lady Minto Hospital. A veteran of the First World War, he was a long-term member of the Royal Canadian Legion on Salt Spring Island.

The island bookkeeper had left his native England in 1898 to live in Manitoba. From the Prairie province he moved across to British Columbia and he had tried his hand at prospecting in northern B.C.

Following his stint overseas in the First World War, he went as bookkeeper to ABC Packing Company's salmon cannery up the coast.

It's Cold It's Dark It's Britain

BY BILL RICHARDS

England's climate has never been the best seller among that country's attractions, but today the chill has clamped down on the population, to bring to mind the novels of Charles Dickens.

The T. V. broadcasting cuts at 10.30 p.m., in the hope that then people will go to bed, switching off heat and lights. Stores are ill-lit by gas or oil lamps, in many cases not heated at all, and shopping has become a dreary round of chilly groping.

The man who wants to take his family out to dinner will as likely as not take a drink in a lukewarm bar, moving reluctantly from the log-fire, to sit drinking cold drinks in an atmosphere no warmer.

His meal is taken in a dining room at the same gloomy temperature, sometimes in a lighting which does nothing to relieve the outlook.

T. V. announces at frequent intervals, "S O S - switch off something - Now!"

Personally, I obey. switch off the T. V.

period, and played hard. They came back, outshooting Blazers, 11-3. The third period saw Stephen Anderson and Doug Elliot score a goal each, as well as an assist each.

It was a very well matched game with all players passing and checking. Danny Reynolds, Canadian goalie, saved 18 shots, while Bruce Alexis saved 14 direct shots. Final score was 5-4 for the Blazers.

Rangers against the Flyers in a well matched game. Jim Buckley outstopped shots on goal 40-25, to Flyers' goalie, Dail Hoffman.

Scoring: Rangers, Scott Fraser, two; Calvin Fraser, 1; Kenneth Marr, 1. Assists Rowan Dixon and Kenneth Marr: Flyers, hat tricks for Steven Almond and Rickie Andrews; singles by Brian Burke and Glen Sollet, with Glen Sollet also picking up an assist. Final score, 8-4 for Flyers.

Refereeing both games was Doug Burke, with a special thanks to Steve Sinclair, who assisted on Saturday. A special commendation to Mrs. Fraser, who coached the Rangers on Sunday.

Maple Leafs vs Bruins was a very fast-moving, hard-checking and superb-passing game, all around. It pitted John Pinchin in goal for Maple Leaf against David Tara in goal for Bruins. The shots on each goalie were so fast and numerous, that the count was lost.

Doug Andersen, Michael Fraser and Craig Sollet all scored one for Maple Leafs with, Bruins, Brian Kitchen, 5; hat tricks by Colin Byron and Wolfgang Temmell and one by Dan O'Donnell: final score, 12-3 for Bruins.

Canucks outplayed the Barons by a score 13-1. Mark Hughes and Randy Craik, tending the nets, stopped 28 and 16 shots respectively. Good game first period produced no score. Canucks opened up scoring, 6-1 in second period and 7 more in third.

Scoring, Barons, Kenneth Tara, one; Canucks, Mark Lowe, 4; Billy Anderson, 3; Bob Empey, 2; John Hazenboom, 2; Jim Hull, 2.

GAME OF THE WEEK

Bantams: Blazers vs Canadians.

Referee - Dennis Andrews. The Ranger team comprised of goalie Bruce Alexis and Brian Wheelton, Dean LaFortune, Paul Albhouse, Andy Lawson, Mike Lawson, Kevin Noble, Tom Shelby and Diane Reynolds; coached by Jack Albhouse.

The Canadians had Danny Reynolds tending goal, with Mark O'Donnell, Stephen Anderson, Lorne Black, Doug Elliot, Warren Kyle, Ross McFayden, Norman Valcourt, Derek Walker and Tom Toynbee. Coach is Bruce McFayden.

It was a fast and hard-checking game. Blazers opened the scoring in the first period, with Tom Shelby getting two goals and an assist. Kevin Noble scored 1 and assisted in another. Tom Toynbee scored for Canadians, with Norman Valcourt picking up an assist.

Blazers outshot Canadians, 6-3.

Second period saw Blazers dominating three quarters of the period, outshooting Canadians 5-3. Andy Lawson and Tom Shelby picked up another goal each.

The Canadians came alive in the latter part of the second

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On Monday afternoon the board of Gulf Islands School District reviewed kindergarten classes at Galiano.

The public schools act provides that kindergarten will be offered where there are 10 students or more enrolled. At Galiano there are five. It is, however, board policy that kindergarten be offered on all islands.

At Pender special provision was made because there was no room in the island school. At Galiano there is room, but its operation is a detrimental influence on classes already in operation.

Last week the board advertised for a kindergarten teacher on a part-time basis.

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ator & battery. 6 good tires,
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100,000 to 400,000 BTU's at
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Custom Framing - Paintings -
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good for water tower, culvert
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Grocery Store in Ganges. All
gas appliances sold and serv-
iced.
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I WISH TO THANK ALL MY
many friends for letters, gifts,
cards and phone inquiries that
I received while in hospital.
Harry Newman. 4-1

VIOLET AND I WISH TO
sincerely thank all who have
been so kind to us during Vio-
let's operation. Our special
thanks to Dr. McCaffrey and
Dr. Jarman and Mrs. Barnes
and her nursing staff of Lady
Minto Hospital for their wond-
erful care. Mrs. Murakami
and Violet. 4-1

WANTED

PIANO WANTED - PHONE
537-5444 4-1

BEE HIVE & EQUIPMENT,
10" heavy duty Dewalt radial
arm saw, rotatiller, concrete
mixer, rotary lawn mower,
step ladder. Phone 537-2604
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COMING EVENTS

COMING
Rotary Club Annual Valentine
Costume Ball
Dine & Dance \$7.00 a couple
Fulford Hall - Feb. 15, 1974
9 pm - 1 am

Numerous prizes for various
costumes plus a door prize.
Soft drinks available B. Y. O. B.
Tickets from any Rotarian or
Harbour Grocery. 3-2

BURGOYNE U. C. W. VALENT-
ine Tea at home of Ron Lee,
Lee's Hill, Wed. Feb. 13 at
2 p.m. Home cooking, etc. 4-1

REGULAR MONTHLY MEET-
ing of the S.S.I. Day Care
Society will take place at 7
pm on Wednesday, Feb. 13 at
the School Dormitory on
Ganges Hill. The meeting of
the 0-6 Study Group will fol-
low at 8 pm with guest speak-
er Mr. Bob McWhirter. 4-1

TUPPERWARE PARTY AT
Howland's on McPhillips Ave.
Wednesday, Feb. 13 from 1 til
3 pm. The more, the merrier.
4-1

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
of Gulf Islands N. D. P. on
Sunday, Feb. 10, 1974 at 2
pm in Room 101, of Element-
ary School. Members welcome
4-1

TURKEY BINGO
Feb. 22 at 8 pm at Fulford
Hall. \$2 in aid of Roller
Hockey League. 4-2

HELP WANTED

MIDDLE-AGED SINGLE MAN
or man-and-wife to care for
country home. Must have
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muneration generous. Apply
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salesman required for Montreal
Trust office at Ganges, Salt
Spring Island. Many fringe be-
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into recreational and retire-
ment home sales. Call 537-
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SINGLE PENSIONER WANTED
to provide caretaking duties.
Accommodation supplied. Ph.
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LOST

LIGHT COLOURED MALE
Husky dog lost in Duke's Road
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Leave your laundry and dry
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SPEED WASH, one block south
of Crofton wharf. Pick up on
your way home. Service
charge 25¢, includes folding.
Dry Cleaning \$3 for 8 lb. load,
part loads accepted. Single
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information phone 246-3112.
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RENO - NEVADA FROM SALT
Spring Island. Departs March
12, 1974. Transportation and
accommodation \$65 per person
Phone 653-4410. tfn

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Ganges. 1 tfn

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
open meetings Fridays 8 pm,
Phone Williamsons 537-2322
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REMEMBER TO RECYCLE
Every Saturday, 10 am - 2 pm
Freight Shed, Mouat's wharf.
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GENERAL TRUCKING
537-5663 tfn

COMMENCING TUESDAY,
Feb. 19, 1974 the barber shop
at the Ganges Rec. Centre
will re-open. 4-2

LEISURE LANES OPEN BOWL-
ing: Tues. aft. 3-5 pm
Sat. Nite 7-9 & 9-11 pm
Ph. 537-2054. tfn

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that at the next Annual Meet-
ing of Salt Spring Island Pub-
lic Library Association, at 3
p.m. on Monday, February
11, 1974 in the Legion Hall,
the following motions will be
presented: 1. To name this
Library "The Mary Hawkins
Memorial Library". 2. To
amend the constitution and
By-laws dated Jan. 8, 1962
and amended Jan. 8, 1971.
Copies of the proposed amend-
ment and additions to the by-
laws may be seen at the lib-
rary. 3-2

WOULD LIKE TO MEET WO-
men in 20's or 30's, for out-
ings, travelling, and compan-
ionship. Must have same in-
terest. I have steady job and
new home. Walter R. Cant-
rill, RR 1, Brinkworthy Rd.,
Ganges, B. C. 3-2

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ONE & TWO BEDROOM FULLY
furnished housekeeping cott-
ages, cablevision, -available
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ALL ELECTRIC 1-BEDROOM
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ONE BEDROOM SUITE AT
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No children. 653-4413 3-2

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2 BEDROOM HOUSE FOR RENT
one mile from Ganges. Phone
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Available in March. 537-2034
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**DEADLINE FOR
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TUESDAY NOON**

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WANTED: - 3 BDRM UNFURN-
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DeWolfe, Coll.: 384-5938 or
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B. C. 4-2

LONG TERM, 2 BEDROOM OR
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with no children. Phone 537-
2929 4-1

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CARPENTER'S HELPER - CON-
struction laborer - needs work
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3-2

YOUNG WOMAN - SEVERAL
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education - desires interesting
work, preferably part time.
Can also play piano, could
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MATURE WOMAN, ACTIVE,
optimistic, good cook, non-
smoker, non-drinker, keen
gardener, herbs, fond of anim-
als. Leo. Used to responsibil-
ity, seeks position companion-
housekeeper or caretaker -
property. Separate quarters,
Gulf Islands. References. Write
Dept. M, Driftwood, Ganges.
1-4

MATURE WOMAN WITH
good secretarial and bookkeep-
ing skills seeks employment.
Reply Box S, Driftwood,
Ganges, B. C. 4-2

MANUSCRIPT TYPING AND
editing also general typing.
Many years' experience. Ph.
629-3269 4-1

YOUNG MAN NEEDS WORK
part time - steady job. Please
call Mitch. 537-2572 4-1

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT
needed by male university
student of 21 for tuition. Neat
appearance, available mid-
April. Call 537-2913 or Box
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For chimney cleaning
Furnaces
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Complete house and cottage
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your electrical and engineer-
ing certificate. Edie and the
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LEGAL

NOTICE

We are anxious to contact Lawrence Joseph O'Neill who worked for Dr. W. Kergin, deceased, at Salt Spring Island and Prince Rupert. Please contact Mr. D. Souch at 4831A Delta Street, Delta, B. C. or phone collect 112-946-8577.

3-3

Application for a Water Licence WATER ACT (Section 8)

I, North Vesuvius Holdings Limited of Box 484, Ganges, B. C. hereby apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for a licence to divert and use water out of St. Mary Lake which flows south and discharges into Duck Bay and give notice of my application to all persons affected.

The point of diversion will be located at North End Road opposite part 8 Plan I2040, Range 1 East, N. Salt Spring Island.

The quantity of water to be diverted is 10,000 gallons a day.

The purpose for which the water will be used is domestic.

The land on which the water will be used is Sec. 13, R.1, East, North Division, Salt Spring Island, Cowichan Dist..

A copy of this application was posted on the 10th December, 1973, at the proposed point of diversion and on the land or mine where the water is to be used and two copies were filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Victoria, B. C.

Objections to this application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria B. C., within thirty days of the first date of publication of the application.

First date of publication is: February 7, 1974.

-North Vesuvius Holdings Ltd., applicant. By "Bevis Walters" secretary.

4-2

REAL ESTATE WANTED

WATERFRONTAGE

Access by land or water, with or without cabin. Contact C. Smith, 910 Richmond, Victoria 592-1071 tfn

REAL ESTATE

NEW 2-BEDROOM RETIREMENT home; behind hospital. Owner, 537-5360, Brown, Dept. P, Driftwood, Ganges, B. C. 3-5

OLDER 3 BEDROOM HOME with view of the island on one acre. 2 miles from Ganges, 1 1/2 bathrooms, fireplace, hot water heat, full basement, new appliances, drapes, etc. rugs. Owner must sell for health reasons. \$42,500. Phone 537-2660 3-2

FOR SALE - COMBINED GROCERY store and meat market. Centrally located in Victoria. Going concern. Good lease, reasonable rent. Contact Henry Bitterman Realty, Victoria, B. C. 4-1

MAGNIFICENT VIEW LOT just outside Ganges on Devine Drive. Call Hank Bennett, Dashwood Real Estate Corp., Qualicum 752-9266 or 752-6475 Collect. tfn

RETIREMENT SPECIAL - 2 bedroom home in Salt Spring Mobile Home Estates. Centrally located, landscaped lot with sundeck and small garden. Escape from high maintenance cost and tax increases 537-5333 or 537-5749 tfn

REAL ESTATE

Salt Spring Lands Ltd.

SMALL ACREAGE

Three 2.3 Acre Parcels, all nicely treed - level, on quiet paved road, from \$9,950 terms.

1.82 Acres, well treed, arable, water, power, paved road, \$9,850 tms.

WATERFRONT ACREAGE

24 1/2 wooded acres, sunny southern exposure, 500 ft. of sandy beach, located on South Salt Spring. \$72,500 terms.

COLLECT MEL TOPPING Eves. 537-2426 Days 537-5515

LOW DOWN PAYMENT:

1/3 Ac., Pow, ph., watermain, cablvsn. \$6,500.
2 Ac., Treed, pow, ph., well water \$9,000.
10 Ac. Farmland, \$22,000 - \$30,000.

Retirement 2 B.R. Home in Ganges, \$26,500.
Family 3 B.R. Home 1 Ac. landscaped, \$28,500.
Waterfront 3 B.R.; anchorage \$69,000.
COLLECT DICK TROY Eves. 537-2236 Days 537-5515

THREE RETIREMENT FARMS

10 Acs. quiet & secluded, mostly pasture, \$30,000.

30 Acs. 1/2 pasture & 1/2 Range \$45,000.

100 Acs. old farm with orchard & lakefront, \$145,000.

All have easy terms, sunny exposure & easy access.
COLLECT JIM SPENCER Eves. 537-2154 Days 537-5515

GALIANO ISLAND

Twenty acres of beautiful hillside & valley for estate development. Homesite has panoramic view of Gulf & mainland mountains. Only minutes from golf course & ferry. \$45,000 on easy terms.

Over four acres quiet natural woodland with big trees, moss & ferns, ideal for holiday hideaway. Within five min. of safe boat moorage. Power & phone service avail. \$18,500 on terms.

Village area near ferry just under an acre partly cleared, drilled well, \$15,000 long terms.

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12 ACRES - sloping woodland with road access to each end and middle. Real value at \$25,000.

1 ACRE - Central to all parts - lovely natural landscaping. View of Farmland. Driveway in. \$8,000.

1/2 ACRE - Overlooking farmland. Attractive corner site \$5,500

SALT SPRING ISLAND

DUCK BAY 4/10 acre residential lot in choice area. Serviced & cleared for building \$22,900.

CHARLESWORTH ROAD Just above Ganges. Water, power, telephone & view. Cleared for building \$8,900.

NORTH PENDER ISLAND

Attractive lot close to Buck lake. All services available. \$7500

GALIANO ISLAND

SELLING FAST - DON'T WAIT Lots near beach, some by the Golf Course. Water supplied. 8 1/2% financing. 1/4 down. Good investment. Some 1/2 acre some 1 3/4 acre. Best area of the island. From \$8,000.

WATERFRONT LOT - Southerly aspect - See the whales go up the Trincomali Channel. \$26,500.

BEST OF BOTH WORLDS - ocean view and valley view from this approx. 1 acre lot. Young arbutus and fir trees. Quiet choice location but near stores and ferry services. \$11,000.

GALIANO BUSINESSES

THE ONLY CAFE - In village on road from ferry wharf. Attractive woodland setting. Indoor/outdoor accommodation. \$8,370 including equipment. - M. L. S. Rent \$165 month.

GENERAL STORE - New building on road from ferry on Sturdies Bay. M. L. S. \$8,500 including all equipment (Not stock). Rent \$165 month.

VALHALLA RESORT

2.16 acres with approx. 500 ft. waterfront. Beautiful south west facing property. 3 rental units, hook up for 3/4 trailers. Campsite, Pool, 3 boats, scuba diving, 7 yr. old owner's panabode. \$87,000, \$50,000 cash.

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Lots of lots for sale. From \$8000 to \$13,900. Average size being 1 acre.

Acreages up to 100 acre parcels, starting at \$1000 per acre.

Buyer from England needs up to 1000 acres anywhere with access. Quick decision, all cash.

Two bedroom home near Ganges, panelled throughout, heavy cedar siding exterior. Fine craftsmanship shows in this spotless sea view home. Modern kitchen, cozy living room with good fireplace. Quiet location with over 1 1/2 acres, plus beach access. An excellent buy at \$32,000.

Vesuvius Bay well cared for spacious two bedroom house with extra basement accommodation. Magnificent sea view acre bounded by an intriguing woody creek bordering sweeping mountains, no roofs to mar your view. Asking \$43,500.

12 acres, 150 ft. waterfront. Small island off Salt Spring. Good anchorage. \$71,000.

Thinking of moving? We have a nice 2 bedroom stucco home in Sidney for \$31,500.

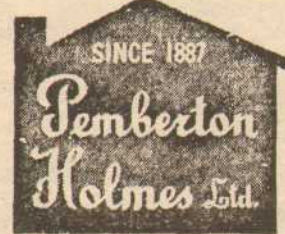
Sidney Duplex. 11 years old. \$59,000.

Lakefront acre, Elk Lake, \$39,000. 80 ft. of waterfront, near to one acre at Deep Cove. Asking \$38,000.

Wanted Three small retirement homes wanted. Modestly priced, buyers waiting.

Our ads run in many papers. This is one of them. We give our clients the benefits of professional service, to their advantage by every means we can. Including concentrated effort to solve their housing problems. Will you try us and see for yourself?

On Salt Spring Island call LYNETTE DELAHUNT 537-5151 or write Box 867 GANGES SSI. In Victoria call RALPH NEWTON-WHITE, 598-3321 or write c/o OAK BAY RLTY, Ltd., 2194 OAK BAY AVE., VICTORIA, B. C. 4-1



1002 Government St. 384-8126 SALT SPRING ISLAND Waterfront

94 Acres - south facing - 3600 feet waterfront, some roads and power up to property. \$230,000. A good syndicate investment.

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3.86 acres overlooking Georgia Straits - wooded and sloping. Road entrance and power to property. \$13,500.

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NEWLY LISTED view home overlooking St. Mary Lake. With large Living Room and fireplace, 4 bedrooms, Carport, etc. ALL THIS on a large 1.28 acre lot close to public lake access. Priced to sell at \$42,500. (MLS)

1.82 acres close to Vesuvius serviced with hydro, telephone and water, excellent terms. \$9,850 (MLS)

Only \$1,500 down on this large 1.16 acre view lot. \$9,800 (MLS)

New 3 Bedroom home on 1 1/2 acres secluded lot. With large L shaped Living Room, fireplace and wall to wall throughout. Full cement basement with Rec. Room, Double Carport and extra large sundeck. Full Price \$48,500 (MLS)

Vesuvius Bay - Charming older home close to public beach Tastefully modernised with Cathedral entrance into large Living Room with fireplace, fully modern kitchen both with a view of the Bay. 2/3 bedrooms, full cement basement and large sundeck. OWNER TRANSFERRED and priced to sell at \$43,500.

DUPLEX within walking distance to Ganges. With 2 bedrooms in Upper Suite and one in lower Separate entrances to each unit. Both with a marine view. Taxes only \$232 (1973). Priced to sell at well under replacement value. \$35,000 (MLS)

PEARL MOTION 537-2248 WAYNE PEARCE 537-2355 4-1



DOUGLAS STREET 386-2911

Large view lot serviced with water, power and telephone, well treed with arbutus and fir. Only \$1500 down. Full price \$7,500.

Waterfront - 1/2 acre serviced lot, quiet location, southern exposure. \$15,000.

Ideal retirement home, lovely living-dining room, cabinet kitchen, 2 b/rs, vanity bathroom, utility room, all as new, secluded area. A good buy at \$24,500.

Lakefront - Approx. 2 acres with sweeping view of lovely St. Mary Lake, southern exposure, fruit trees with fairly new 3 B/R mobile home, completely furnished, on basement and 1 B/R cottage (large L/R, kit, bathroom) on the lake shore which could be good revenue source. (MLS) Try your offers to \$37,500.

CALL BETTY VALDEZ, 537-2329 4-1

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Beach Homes:
 2 Bedroom, Post & Beam on sandy beach. This should be seen. Price \$32,500.
 2 Bedroom cottage with fireplace, level ground, easy access to beach. Price \$41,300.
 2 Bedroom waterfront home, full basement, fireplace, good beach. \$43,900.
 3 1/2 acres with waterfront on Ganges Harbour, older 2 bedroom home faces south, orchard and meadow. Terms available. \$60,000.
 100 Hills building lot, seaview serviced, nice homes in the area, only \$12,500.
 A retirement home in Fulford, 2 bedrooms, neat as a pin. \$29,900.
 17 acres of farm land. Call in and talk about this one.
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 3 - 10-acre parcels starting at \$28,900 up to \$32,500. Some terms.
 Serviced Building Lots, \$7,500 to \$13,900. Some with excellent sea views.
 3 Bedroom home with full basement, lake view, only 1 1/2 years young. Full asking price only \$42,500.
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 Looking for a business or a resort. We have several we can discuss with you.
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Jim Leake 943-7862
 Gulf Islands Call
Ernie Watson 537-2030
 MONTREAL TRUST, Box 570,
 Ganges, B.C. 537-2030
 537-5541.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

SALT SPRING PAINTERS Guild, meets every Wednesday 2 to 4 pm, Board Room, Mahon Hall. New members welcome. For information phone 537-5353

New furnishings for church

BY JOHN DANGERFIELD

St. Christopher's Church has a new Altar. It replaces the temporary one, which was made at short notice (and very well made too) by the late Walter Warlow, to be in readiness for the dedication of the Church in 1963 by the late Archbishop Harold Sexton.

The wood for the new Altar has been given by the Ralph family in memory of Joan Ralph. The Altar has been fashioned with superb craftsmanship by Leslie and Hilda Crosby of East Point, who have given their work as a gift to the Church.

The wood for the Altar consists of clear yellow cedar 2 x 4's on edge, glued and dowelled, for the top, and mahogany 4 x 4's for the legs

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1/2 ac. Lake View, water & hydro, \$9,250 mls 3315.
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 1.7 ac. View waterfront, Mayne Is. \$28,900 mls 6227.
 10 ac. parcels south end Galiano Is. \$34,000.
 2 Bedroom hideaway on .99 ac. \$24,500 mls 6042.
 3 Bedroom new home 1 1/2 ac. woodland \$48,500 mls 6028.
 7 ac. 550 ft. on Duck Bay, home, asking \$89,000 mls 5147
 100 acres, 5200 ft. of waterfront. Potential development call us on this one, inquire about other properties we have available on Salt Spring Island and Pender Island.

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Large older home with an outstanding view. Close to store and ferry. Situated on nearly one acre. Many extras such as a fireplace, workshop area in the basement and a guest cottage. Priced at \$43,500. Terms.
 Over three acres of wooded property near the golf course. Priced at \$14,900.
 Nearly two acres close to St. Mary Lake partly cleared. \$12,000.
 Two bedroom home with large living room and modern kitchen. Full price \$31,500 with terms.
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Tom Butt 653-4306. ifn

MAYNE

BY ELSE BROWN

The island was saddened last week by the sudden passing of Iyla Hudson, well-known Mayne Islander, at Vancouver General Hospital. His wife, Marjorie; son and daughter-in-law, Don and Daphne and other members of his family are mourning his death. Funeral service was held Saturday, Feb. 2, at Wilson Heights United Church, Vancouver.
 Get well wishes to Clara James, who has been ill with the flu for the past week. Hope she will be soon up and around again.

A small group of women met at the home of Kay Sutton on Monday to discuss plans for the World Day of Prayer which will be held at the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, on Friday, Mar. 1. Foy Miles will be in charge of the service. She will be assisted by other members of the group. Mrs. George (Nancy) Sutton has kindly consented to play the organ. A good turn-out is hoped for at this annual gathering.

Congratulations to Maggie Rainsford who has received the certificate entitling her to teach horsemanship as an assistant instructor. Maggie had a three-week tour of the Continent before returning home for Christmas. She has now returned to England, where she will continue her studies.

One way to pass the time pleasantly on the BC Ferries is to get into conversation with other correspondents for Driftwood. Papajohn, in company of wife, Granmarie, was on the Mayne Queen returning from Victoria last Thursday and we really got brought up on Papajohn's background. It was interesting to find that Dick DeMeester of Mayne and John lived in the same place in Ontario more than 20 years ago. We agreed that getting one's education the "hard way" had its advantages. Swapping island stories is really great fun and nice to know some of our so-called problems are only imaginary.

SCHOOL TO INSURE WITH PROVINCE

School property must be insured with the provincial insurance company, Insurance Commission of British Columbia

On Monday afternoon trustees of the Gulf Islands School District received a letter from the insurance commission requiring that an agent be named.

Insurance will be placed through a local insurance agent but he must be named in advance.

Insurance will not fall due until October.



HOW CAN I ???

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I concoct a good "homemade" starch in an emergency?

A. The water from boiled rice or potatoes provides a nice starch. To the water that remains after you have cooked a half-cup of rice in two quarts of boiling water, add enough additional boiling water (by pouring it over the rice in a strainer) to make one quart.

Q. How can I prevent bathroom mirrors from steaming up?

A. By coating them lightly with a little soap-type shaving cream, rubbing off the excess with a dry cloth or tissues.

Q. How can I remove candlewax drippings from a wood tabletop?

A. After scraping off as much of the wax as possible with a wooden paddle, work on the residue by rubbing lightly with cheesecloth moistened with carbon tetrachloride. Operate quickly, and follow up at once with a dry-cloth polishing.

Q. How can I remove the odor of perspiration from a man's woolen shirt?

A. By adding a little vinegar to the rinse water after laundering.

Q. How can I join lace so that it will not be noticeable?

A. Try to patch the design over on

the same design, carefully whipping one on the other. If artfully done, the place where the lace is joined will hardly be detectable. Do not make a French seam when joining lace.

Q. How can I remove rain spots from suede articles, such as shoes, purses, or hats?

A. By rubbing gently with an emery board, such as used for manicuring. An entire section of my household-hints book is devoted to the care and cleaning of various items of wear.

Q. How can I make the slicing of butter or margarine into neat squares much easier?

A. Fold the paper in which the butter comes over the blade of your knife and cut with this. It will make a smooth slice, and the butter will not cling to your knife.

Q. How can I remove rust stains from an enameled sink or bathtub?

A. One very good rust remover is a mixture of 1/2-cup grapefruit juice and one tablespoon of salt.

Q. How can I make a good job of washing out dress shields?

A. Use lukewarm water and a teaspoon of baking soda for this. Rub the soap on a small brush, and brush both sides of the shields. Then rinse in water of the same temperature.

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SCHOOL CAN'T DO IT

SPARE TIME FOR STUDYING

At last Saturday's education forum a good number of people turned up, a variety of concerns were aired, and predictably some issues were presented which no one was prepared to grapple with.

I think the School Board did its best, within its areas of competence, to assist in solving specific problems, or at least share information and experience. Certainly it was useful to trustees to know what is disturbing parents at the moment. Hopefully, some satisfactory solution to Outer Island transportation and boarding difficulties may be in sight.

In my time as a trustee and for years before, unending efforts by the board have never come up with an arrangement that was generally approved. At last it does appear that the Department of Education is prepared to share transportation or boarding costs on a more realistic basis.

One problem was raised, however, which I believe really involves parents more than it does the schools, and this is the concern expressed about the use of students' free time, or study periods.

My own remarks on Saturday did not seem to arouse in anyone present a responsible acceptance of parental involvement. To put it directly, the way a student behaves at school, at any age, is conditioned far more by family attitudes than it is by any amount of school discipline, rules, regulations, counselling, or punishment.

It is of little use, therefore, for parents to expect the school system to provide what is lacking at home. The school can help, certainly, but it simply cannot supply the many needs which parents expect it to meet.

It cannot teach students to use spare time effectively if this has not already been taught at home. Nor can it teach them to be truthful, to work hard, or to care for others, if this has not been instilled in the family setting.

When the parents' association is set up, and begins to organize its priorities, the one of first importance should be the examination of the family's role in education. One of the best examples of concerned parents in the community is the 0 to 6 Group, which for a number of years has systematically tried to improve the quality of parental responsibility. It would be a rewarding exercise if similar study groups could be set up on a continuing basis to tackle the problems of elementary and secondary students' families. And far more profitable than sitting back waiting for the schools to carry the burden of character development which should have been done before the child ever went to school.

And finally, could we all - trustees, administration, staff, students, parents - begin to think of ourselves as being involved in one continuous process of education? Then there would be no more need of confrontations between "them" and "us", but simply

DAY CARE CENTRE

(From Page Nine)

ber of children needing the service; the hours they need it; and the reason for needing it.

Some of the needs already listed include one-parent families; families on welfare, unable to work because of lack of child care facilities; unsatisfactory communal living; off-island trips; enrichment for the children. Day Care is not to be confused with drop in and casual baby-sitting, sponsors were warned.

Primarily, the program wanted is for three- and four-year-olds who need to be out of the home for various reasons. An alternate suggestion was a co-op., pre-school where the parents are involved. However, too many changes of face are not good for children.

The School Board can be persuaded to establish some form of after-school service for older children of late-working parents, they were told.

Needs other than these can be met by Family Day Care Service. For this, the government pays up to \$75 a month per child. Again, this does not include casual babysitting.

If a group of people are interested in starting a Family Day Care service, the two Human Resources officials will return and discuss matters of how to bill, how to pay, how pay is subsidized, and how a licence can be obtained.

The meeting gained the general impression that five or six programs in the dormitory would not be realistic; it would be better to lease another lot and set up mobile units. Child Care Centres are not to be confused with "child-dumping" centres.

The meeting broke up for a pot-luck luncheon and more individual discussion with 50 to 60 members of the Salt Spring Island Day Care Society

one concerned community all dedicated to the same ends. These are the personal opinions of Ione V. Guthrie.

Contrary to popular belief, alcohol is not a stimulant, but a depressant that puts the brain to sleep gradually. "After a few drinks", says an Addiction Research Foundation spokesman, "people are much less critical of their own abilities and performance... many drivers think they can drive better after a couple of drinks." The truth is just the opposite. Alcohol attacks judgment and reasoning power, affects muscular co-ordination, slows down reaction time, blurs vision... all good reasons for not driving when you've had even a few.

TAKING LIFE EASY

Audrey Bridgen is taking life easy. She said so. Member of the staff of Gulf Islands School District, Mrs. Bridgen has resigned from the administration office of the board. She has been "a real stalwart in the office quite a long time," commented Trustee Nonie Guthrie, Monday.

ANSWERS TO CROSSWORD FROM PAGE SIX

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IT WASN'T IN DRIFTWOOD

Gulf Islands School Board was discussing a report from Vancouver during Monday's deliberations. The report had appeared in a newspaper explained Chairman Charles Baltzer.

"Was it in Driftwood?" inquired Nonie Guthrie. It was not, was the reply.

"Then I didn't read it," responded Mrs. Guthrie.

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ANNUAL TAXES EQUAL ORIGINAL PRICE

BY CHARLES HOREL

It is very difficult to kill only the flea that bites. I had to explain this yesterday to a good friend whose father had bought some hundred-odd acres of land here nearly 50 years ago for \$1,600. This man is keeping the land for his children, but the 1974 taxes are based on a market value of near \$500 an acre, which he figured could cost him close to the original purchase price in taxes every year.

Well, I pointed out to him that this was the only way our government could stop Speculators and Developers from reaping huge profits out of the land I told him how this profiteering has caused so much misery that all political parties, the Socreds, the Liberals, the CBC, the Conservatives and the NDP have all roundly condemned it. Some weak arguments have been put forward that during such profiteering, North Americans have become the best housed people in the world, but then it has been fully demonstrated that Speculators and Developers are responsible for the meat shortage, the oil shortage, the Viet Nam war, the population explosion and the incredibly high rents on city apartments.

As far as his children were concerned, I told him, we all had to make some sacrifice

for the common good, and I knew he would not want his children to profit from his father's purchase of this land, if it meant that the incredibly poor and incredibly unemployed people in our towns could not afford to pay their incredibly high rents.

Naturally he agreed with me. He is not a selfish man. He said if necessary, his kids could go back to the clam flat he was raised on, although it's hard to find a clam there now, because the incredibly poor and incredibly unemployed folk from town come over so often in their high-speed boats that the flat is near dug out.

What puzzled him most, he said, was that the piece of land his father bought so long ago was now surrounded by thousands of acres belonging to McMillan Bloedel Ltd. I have mentioned my friend is unselfish. He is also a kind and neighbourly man.

He had been worried that our present government, being so staunch for the little man and so harsh on the big Corporations, might have increased the taxes on McMillan Bloedel land even higher than his own. With the tens of thousands of acres they own in these islands, that kind of taxation might drive the Comp any right to the wall and upset the economy of the whole

province.

So, he told me, he had sped right down to the Tax office so he could tell McBlo if their taxes were too much higher than his own.

It's the sort of thing he would do. He is a decent chap.

However, he said, he had been vastly relieved to find there was no such problem. Indeed, their land, while largely more fruitful and better-timbered than his own, had a market value from tax assessment figures of only \$140 an acre.

Now, he told me, his problem is that he has to consider selling his land to pay the taxes, and in that event, should he ask for the \$500 an acre value indicated by his own taxes, or the \$140 an acre value indicated by his neighbour's taxes?

Naturally, this was a moral question involving a poignant decision. I explained to him how everyone is regarded as equal, and each person's rights are protected by this government, so that this had to be his own decision.

"This," I told him, "is a free country."

He was grateful for my advice.

BOWLERS OF THE WEEK

BY FLIP BEDFORD

Bowlers of the week are Ken Adshead, making 310, 193 and 180 for 683 and Lucy Moore, with 256, 195 and 215 to a total of 666.

Bunty McNally is still in there, with 296, 211 and 282, making 789. Kay Booth had a fabulous month, in the high 600's every series, then topping her month with a 709 series. Kay was bowler of the second week of January and if score were compared, she would be bowler of the month for January. Good bowling, Kay!

Youth Bowlers have completed their qualifying rounds in the first of the four steps to stardom. The second step is zone finals, then provincial and, hopefully, the national for the fourth step.

Qualifying bowlers are: Bantam Div., Girls; Lyne Ryles, Debbie Cruickshank, Tina Kenmuir-Evans, Denise De La Franier, Susan Chew, Kathy Jones; Junior Girls, Heather Burke, Brenda Murray, Janice Ryles, Jill Johnston, Jo-Anne Constantineau and Cheryl Crane; Lorraine Baker is in the Senior Div., Girls; Bantam boys are Scot Webster, Kevin Noble, Richard Leighton, John De La Franier, Rodger Sloan and Patrick Sloan. Warren Grant is on the Junior

GOOD FISHING BY NEW LIP OPERATION

Only one LIP program is in operation on Salt Spring Island and that will not be completed until summer.

The project sponsored by the Salt Spring Island Rod and Gun Club calls for cleaning the stream bed up from Fulford Creek in order to permit fish to use the water and live in it.

In charge of the work is Club President Gavin Reynolds.

Similar programs have

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FEBRUARY 1974

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	1445	4.2
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