

Gulf Islands Driftwood

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School play to full house calls Irene Wright to stage

Small grant to help numbering

The Salt Spring Island Fire Protection District is to receive a grant to help finance house numbering on the Island.

The Capital Regional District has given \$750 for the project.



Curtain calls called producer Irene Wright to the stage when students of Salt Spring Island Elementary School presented the Wizard of Oz

last week in the activity room. The players seen on the stage represent only a fraction of the number who were engaged in the production and presentation.

The Wizard of Oz

Pace of school play is superbly maintained

It was smooth and rarely hesitated and it was about the most ambitious stage presentation by Salt Spring Island Elementary School.

"Of course it was ambitious," said Ray Hill, in the lobby, "It was put on by Irene Wright!"

The theme of the Wizard of Oz had been adapted by the school to meet with their particular abilities as well as their limitations.

For two evenings last week the students presented their "musical play". The Wizard of Oz is already well-known to every youngster who has access to a television set and in the school, there they all appeared, Dorothy from Kansas and her pup, with the Tin Man and the Straw Man

and the Cowardly Lion and the rest of the characters.

It was a presentation that never lagged and its own pace kept the audience interested.

There were not many in the audience who didn't know how it all ended, but that didn't slow down their interest or their applause.

The youngsters on the stage, the singers off the stage and the gangs of workers who have contributed all kept on their toes.

The cast reads like a page out of the telephone book.

NO LISTINGS

The program avoids identification of the main characters. At first thought, this seems a pity. On subsequent review, it is probably the best way out. It was

a school project, not an individual effort and all the students deserve the applause for their own contribution then or earlier.

The play was the students' night, but the success was the teachers' reward. The staff and others who helped to produce the Wizard were commended in the program. They were described as "Behind the Scenes: and sometimes in front: Mrs. Davis, Mr. Marsh, Mrs. Irene Wright, Mr. Chase, Mr. Wright, Miss Persson, Mr. Stafford, Mrs. Dammel, Walter Gossett, Mrs. Cook, Steven Fisher, Larry Spence, Tommy Moulton, Rowan Dixon, John de la Franier, Karen Reynolds, David Marsh, Wayne Jenkins, Dean LaFortune, Bruce Cobanli, David Barnes, Pat Sloan, Glenn Sollitt, Mrs. Jones, Mr. Davies and Richard Quesnel.

The producers expressed their gratitude to Ralph Magee, Mrs. Harland, Mrs. Schroder, Mrs. Korrison, Mrs. McWhirter, Mrs. Adshead, Mrs. Elliott, Linda Kyle, the Salt Spring Players and Betty Calkins.

Particular expression of appreciation was offered to Principal Bob McWhirter and Vice-Principal Glenn Woodley.

These are the students taking part in the play, listed without mention of their roles. They are the youngsters who danced, sang, spoke and cavorted through the two-hour program. By this time they already know they're good.

GRADE 7: Caroline Libresco, Veronica Shirley, Melinda Jones, Suzanne Schroder, Colleen Toynbee, Penny Wright, Maya Hoffman, Valerie John, Robin Sacker, Julie Collins, Doreen Pickering, Jenny Taylor, Colleen Simpson

GRADE 6:

Sandra Lee, Caroline Andress, Cindy Delmonico, Cara Bogdanovitch, Susan Prentice, Jennifer Harland, Theresa Baxter, Linda Kyle, Barbara McWhirter, Maria Wagg, Gwynn Robinson, Kathy Mouat, Cathy Saunders, Yvonne McGoldrick, Paula Hughes, Melissa Wells, Jeane Villadsen, Gillian Calkins.

GRADE 5:

Alison Albhouse, John Gossett, Kerry Walker, David Barnes, Cathy Christianson, Veronica Facca, Angela Matthews, Sarah Wiebe, Heather Rooke, Wendy Severn, Jonathan Jenkins, Graham Cartwright.

GRADE 4:

Brenda Shepherd, Denise Harrison, Suzanne Cottrell, Jackie Matthews, Anne Reynolds, Linda Quesnel, Wendy Ronne, Christine MacVicar, Kirsten Halverson, Kathy McCallum, Nicole Hockley, Cathy McClean.

GRADE 3:

Cindy Walker, Joelle Hann, Lara Truscott, Vicki Coombes, Elizabeth Gay, Jenny McClean, Jill Cook, Leigh Bush, Jayna Adshead, Inga Mainwaring, Cathy Gossett, Melissa Farrell, Morven Neish, Ceri Marsh, Sheralin Holmes.

The evening was entertaining and very impressive. F.G.R.

Galiano outshoots Salt Spring in Calcutta on Saturday

Galiano Rod & Gun Club hosted Salt Spring Rod & Gun Club on Saturday, May 14 for a very successful trap shoot.

Top winners of the Calcutta were Lloyd Baines, Galiano, and tied for second place were Edmund Crocker, Galiano and Bernie Reynolds of Salt Spring.

A superb salmon barbecue was prepared by George Georgeson, ably assisted by a number of lady members who made up a variety of tasty salads. The club wishes to thank George and all the ladies who helped with the dinner. A special vote of thanks to our president Hank Knudson and his wife Mary for all the "ram-rodging" and hard work involved to put together a successful event.

On behalf of the Galiano Rod & Gun Club members, Hank

Knudson wishes to thank all the Salt Spring Island Rod & Gun Club members and supporters who came over.

The evening was concluded with a lively dance. The door prize was won by Harry Baines Jr. Also, "just to keep it in the family", the draw prize of an 18 lb. ham was won by Betsy Baines.

Time will tell

Mary's not so contrary
Now she's forty two
And though that doesn't rhyme
my friend
You can bet your boots it's true.

- John Healey

The Tin Man pleads to go along



The Tin Man pleads with Dorothy to be permitted to accompany

ROAM AT HOME

Okanagan Lake Bridge

BY GINNIE BEARDSLEY

One of the pleasures of travelling in the Okanagan is that of getting a close view of the big, beautiful blue lakes which make this area a water sports paradise. And certainly no closer view could be had than that you experience as you ride -- or perhaps even walk; it is only 2100 feet (630 metres) -- over the floating portion of Okanagan Lake Bridge.

This handsome structure, which is the largest floating bridge in Canada, and one of very few of its kind in the world, traverses 80-mile (130-kilometre) long Okanagan Lake at

its narrowest portion, and connects the valley's largest city, Kelowna, with its neighbour, Westbank, across the lake.

FLOATING ON AIR

As you travel, you are in fact floating on air over water, for the central portion of the bridge is made up of ten pontoons 200 feet (600 metres) long by 50 feet (15 metres) wide by 15 feet (five metres) deep, each of which is composed of 56 air-filled compartments.

At each end, and supporting part of the transitional span which connects the floating portion of the bridge with the rockfill-based causeway ap-

(Vancouver Western News)

Tory Jack Horner sat in a corner -- then after 19 years, he got up and went and sat down in somebody else's corner.

As one might expect, when the Alberta Member crossed the floor and joined the people against whom he had battled for nearly two decades, plenty of bitter things were said, as a matter of fact by both the people who had lost him, and the people who had gained him.

The Conservative Party in general, and leader Joe Clark in particular, despite protests of unconcern, were injured more than they probably like to think about, by the departure of one of

ANCHORED

Each cable is attached to a 70-ton anchor embedded into the bottom of the lake, somewhat like a huge knife set on edge. Any serious pull beyond the allowable 100 tons (90 tonnes) of tensile strength would literally drag up the bottom of the lake. Again, a most unlikely occurrence, for the variation of the lake level is strictly controlled by a series of weirs and dams starting at the lake's south end.

The transitional spans of the bridge are capable of moving up and down, and can also accommodate a slight twisting motion to take care of all conceivable variations in lake level and motion.

IMPORTANT LINK

In addition to being an interesting tourist attraction and conversation piece, the bridge forms an important transportation link in the valley. It was opened, after being two-and-a-half years in construction, in 1958 by former Premier W.A.C. Bennett.

The bridge cost \$7½ million to build, and is one of British Columbia's outstanding engineering achievements.

their most colourful Members from the West -- and believe us, the Conservative Party can use some colour these days.

The Liberals, who should have been jumping for joy as a group, betrayed certain reservations among their ranks. That's not altogether surprising, when one considers how many people on the Government side have warmed back benches for years without ever having much hope of being invited down to the first row bleachers.

To an observer, Horner's "direct entry" Cabinet post was a simple case of strategy by the Prime Minister, who weighed the advantage of enticing a leading Western Tory into the Government camp, against the temporary alienation of some of his own followers. Trudeau's conclusion was, "What's good for the Liberal Party will eventually be seen as good for the Party's most lowly backbencher."

So much for the Government. But what about the Opposition Conservatives?

The defection of its Member from Crowfoot has to be largely the responsibility of Joe Clark. To a veteran MP like Horner, being beaten out for the leadership last year by a relative newcomer a dozen years his junior was tough apples. It did not help, any, that they should both hail from Alberta. Horner, a man not without a generous ego, had a lot of friends and relations back in the cow country to whom he had to explain howcum he got skinned for the top spot by that comparatively green kid from High River.

The bad blood was kept fairly well hidden for a long while. But a rusty blade for settling scores with irritant colleagues is standard Tory equipment, and it was inevitable that the clash of iron should eventually be heard issuing from the Conservative caucus chamber.

Clark, inexperienced, and inclined toward bumptiousness, did not pause long enough to consider the full price of being rid of his chief in-party heckler. Moreover, he had read in the papers that his recent rapping of a few associate knuckles had been interpreted as a demonstration of his true leadership.

He was even jocular about the departure of the former member of his shadow cabinet -- to pick up a real Cabinet seat with the Liberal Government.

No doubt, the Tory leader will be cheered lustily for his courage the next time he steps

into a Conservative meeting back in good old High River.

He will appreciate such cheers, for they will have to sustain him until such time as he becomes Prime Minister -- say, around nine days after the hubs of Hades turn to solid ice!



British Columbia Buildings Corporation appointment



John R. Pitcher

The appointment of John R. Pitcher of West Vancouver as Chief Executive Officer of the British Columbia Buildings Corporation is announced by the Hon. Alex Fraser, minister responsible.

The Corporation was established by the Legislature to acquire, develop and manage property for which provincial government ministries will be charged rent. This concept, which is new to government in Canada, is designed to bring accountability to accommodation used by government throughout British Columbia.

Mr. Pitcher is a graduate in Commerce from the University of British Columbia and holds a Masters degree in Business Administration from the University of California.

He has had extensive experience in banking and real estate financing, development, leasing and operations management.

He was at one time Vice-President for eastern U.S.A. of the Abbey Glen Property Corporation of Toronto, and at the time of his appointment was western Canada regional manager for Polaris Realty (Western) Limited.

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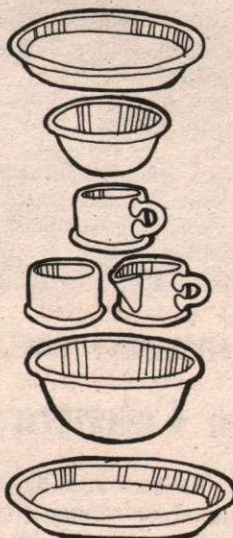
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Viewing habits on the islands

Survey shows comedy, crime drama as favourites

BY SARAH TAUBER

In April of 1977, the Grade Eight class of the Mayne Island School conducted a survey of television viewing habits on Galiano, Mayne and Saturna Islands. A number of interesting facts were discovered.

Of the 97 people questioned, only three had no television set. In the households with television, approximately 58% had a single set and 43% had two or more.

Slightly over half of these sets were colour. It appears that colour television is growing in popularity, for nearly all of the viewers questioned preferred colour television to black-and-white. Apparently the more realistic the image that the television presents, the better.

This fits with the popular image of television as a sort of substitute life. (Everyone knows the child who spends the day in front of the set, or the husband who spends the evening watching football instead of talking to his wife, saying nothing but "pass me a beer, hon," at regular intervals.) Who wants a black-and-white life?

Since many of the people interviewed did not receive all the channels on the dial, the information acquired concerned which stations viewers preferred was not really complete. However out of the stations the viewers did receive (most of the sets got the channels 2, 6, 8 and 12) channel 6 (a CBC channel) was most often watched.

CRIME AND COMEDY

Although C.B.C. occasionally schedules informative shows, such as "Science Magazine" (which is surprisingly popular among many age groups), crime dramas and comedies get priority. A recent channel 6 schedule, from 7 to 11 pm on a Friday, contained "Baretta" (a crime drama), "Mary Tyler Moore" (comedy drama), "Chico and The Man" (comedy), "Charlie's Angels" (crime) and "Hawaii Five-O" (another crime show.) Many people watch these shows. "Baretta" and "Charlie's Angels" were each chosen by 12 people out of the 97 interviewed as one of their favourite shows. "The Mary Tyler Moore Show" was also quite popular.

However, it is debatable whether these shows attract large audiences because they are especially good, or whether they simply happen to be on at a time when many people are turning on their sets. The time a program is scheduled inevitably affects the number of people who watch it.

However, this may change when video-tape machines become widely available. People will be able to go away and set the machine to turn on the television and tape a particular show at any time they wish. When these machines become common, which shows are the most enjoyed will become clearer, because the viewer's personal schedule will no longer interfere with the programs he or she chooses to watch.

SWITCH ON AT 4 PM

And it is indisputable that the personal schedule does influence the times that television is most watched. (At the moment this is so; however, there are some people for whom the time their favourite show is aired changes their personal schedule instead of the reverse.)

For instance, there is a sharp rise in the number of people watching television at 4.00 pm. This is the time that most island

average school child watches four more hours of television per week than the average person not attending school.

Most of this watching is done on weekdays. Sunday is the least popular day of the week for television, probably because of its over-supply of religious pro-

grams. Winter shows are also considered better than those shown in the sunnier seasons.

As for the type of show most watched, comedy won hands down. News and information shows were the next most popular (watched mainly by people 21 and over), followed by crime

shows and sports (which were equally popular). It is interesting to note that although the majority of those questioned agreed that television violence has a bad effect on viewers (both child and adult), crime dramas are still one of the most popular types of shows.

75% CHOOSE CRIME

A favourite show was "M*A*S*H". Although most of the people who chose it as a favourite were from 12 to 16 years of age, there was one fellow over 60 who still tuned in. Another surprise was the eight year-old who chose "Science Magazine" as her favourite show. Apparently not all young children prefer cartoons. As a matter of fact, 75% of the five to eleven year olds interviewed chose crime dramas as their favourite shows. Another example of the way viewing habits have changed is the fact that in

1972 "The Partridge Family" was one of the most popular programs. Today the tendency is towards more violent shows: "Charlie's Angels", or "Starsky and Hutch".

T.V. violence is becoming commonplace; people are used to it, even fond of it. Eight year-olds watch "Baretta" instead of "Sesame Street". A real-life tragedy, however, evokes little response from today's children.

"I've seen that on TV tons of times; so what?" is the reaction.

How will today's viewing habits affect the people of tomorrow?

The question is already being answered.

YAWACA LOOKING FOR HELP FROM RESOURCE PERSONS

Bert Hilckman, of the YAWACA Outdoor Centre, on Beaver Point Road, is compiling a list of local resource people which will be included in the camp's promotion material and from which prospective clients, mostly off-island school groups and other organizations, can select interesting assistance for their programs.

Most clients are off island school groups and other organizations.

Resources already available to these groups range from a scuba diver who, for a fee of \$25,

will accompany campers for a day, to farms and a dairy which they can visit for free.

Anyone who feels that they have something of interest to offer is invited to determine a fee and send a brief outline of his or her specialty plus phone number or address to the camp.

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ISLANDERS AT WORK

Artist returns to island to carve

BY LILLIAN HORSDAL
You no longer need to go to Vancouver or to Inuvik for those lovely Arctic carvings.

You may purchase them right in Fulford because that is where the artist lives. Her name is Kay Catlin and you pass the house on your way up from the ferry.

Lin Lee, Art Promotor of Vancouver City, has been aware of Kay's many talents and has always encouraged her to try something new.

George and Kay have returned to Salt Spring after some years' absence. George grew up on Weston Lake from the age of 13, when, as an orphan, he lived at the Bill Stewart's.

George's brother, Jimmie, was also on Salt Spring but he, like some other boys without parents, was one of Mr. Bullcock's boys.

SEPARATED

Back in those years, if brothers were orphaned, they were placed in different institutions. Very unfair, that!

After George's brief schooling he worked as a logger and a

fisherman. He was fortunate in being able to join the Stevens' family and their crew on their seiner, the Margaret B.

What a wealth of experience that must have been!

Later, he left the island and went to Vancouver to become that city's head timberman.

George was employed by the city of Vancouver for 23 years until his retirement last year.

Kay is a member of the Lee family and spent all her holidays on Salt Spring when she was growing up. They both feel they have come home.

It was while Kay was visiting the Cliff Lees that she learned the Duncans were hoping to sell their house. So, after George had seen it they bought the house.

BOXING CLASSES

Much earlier, in George's youth, he attended boxing classes that were held in their present home which was, at that time, used as a hall. The building was originally constructed as a school. It seems a Mr. McBride, a resident of Fulford, was opposed to his children having to



Fulford artist, Kay Catlin

go too far to school so he built one down here.

George told me about Weston Lake and the large fish Scat Triggie used to catch. He knew just where the really deep hole is located but that, apparently, was Scat's secret.

The Catlins have three children. A daughter now married with a small son is living in Australia. Their twin sons, Pat and Mike, are closer. Pat is studying horticulture and Mike, like many other hundreds of individuals, is looking for work in Edmonton.

Mike has inherited some of his mother's and grandmother's talents. While interviewing the parents, I saw some of his oil paintings. Instead of doing just

rocks in one, Mike gave them all faces, thus creating the heads of pre-historic men. It affords an extraordinary impression.

MET AT HARBOUR HOUSE

It was in 1947 and 1948 that Kay worked at Harbour House, the original one, and it was during that time that she met George. They were married July 6, 1948. It was George who volunteered the date. How's that for a switch?

After their marriage Kay stayed home and devoted her time to their family.

In 1952 George moved his family to Vancouver. He'd been logging here up to that time. Now, in retirement, they are

Roma Sturdy heads Meals on Wheels

At a recent meeting of Meals on Wheels the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. Roma Sturdy; vice-president, Mrs. Annie Barnes; secretary, Miss Marjorie Cuttall; directors; Mrs. Ruth Maude, Mrs. Agnes Bacon, and Mrs. Elma Rubright.

Sundry matters were discussed, particularly the matter of the grant which the organization is waiting for.

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both enjoying the sort of life they anticipated.

Their little daughter had seen an enormous panda bear and wanted one. Someone had given Kay an old seal coat so she cut a pattern and made Shawn a panda instead of buying a commercially produced one.

After that initial effort, Kay created many other animals out of old fur coats. She used to be able to buy them quite cheaply, but not anymore. She made Pekinese, poodles, spaniels and other breeds of dogs and lions and other animals. Kay used plastic beads for eyes. These stayed on and prevented children from poking them into noses or ears or swallowing them.

OIL PAINTING

Kay has more than one talent. I saw a number of oil paintings she is working on.

It was last August that Kay Catlin began her Arctic carvings.

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St. Mary Magdalene church 80th anniversary

The 80th Anniversary service of St. Mary Magdalene Anglican church on Mayne Island was held on May 8 at 12 noon with a large congregation of islanders, former islanders and visitors from other islands and elsewhere.

Due to the sudden illness of Rev. James Daniels, the service was conducted by Lay Readers, Mrs. Jean Beaumont, Miss Foye Miles and Lay Minister, Bill Sawyer.

Mrs. Beaumont led the prayer service from the prayer book observing the fourth Sunday after Easter which included the Te Deum Laudamus, Venite Exultemus Domino and the Apostles' Creed.

Miss Miles read the First Lesson, Exodus Chap. 34: 1-10, and Mr. Sawyer read the Second Lesson, 1 Peter Chap. 3: 8-22.

Mr. Sawyer gave a short history of St. Mary Magdalene church and referred to Canon Paddon's association with it. He included the story of the Baptismal Font brought over by him from Saturna with the aid of Ralph Grey of Samuel Island in 1900.

Scripture references to Mary Magdalene, her conversion and subsequent influence were brought out.

The plaque on the pulpit reads as follows, "In memory of Rev. W.F.L. Paddon, B.A., Canon of Tuam Cathedral, Ireland, 1887. In charge of Gulf Islands, 1897-1922. Died, August 8th, 1922."

The date chosen for this special occasion happened to fall on Mother's Day making it a two-fold celebration.

Among the honored guests

more about Kay Catlin

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The name, Kay Catlin, will be well known in the field of carving in both jade and soapstone.

Before she begins to work on a piece the artist holds it, feels it and gently rubs it until the block communicates something to her.

Each piece has its own potential and she never knows, when she picks up a chunk of soapstone, just what will emerge.

Working in this medium, Kay has quite a number of really artistic seals, so sleek and lovely, dolphins leaping about, walrus looking very dignified and judicial, ducks that might swim off any instant. Her loons are almost crying their lonely call. There is a small iceberg with a diminutive baby seal on it.

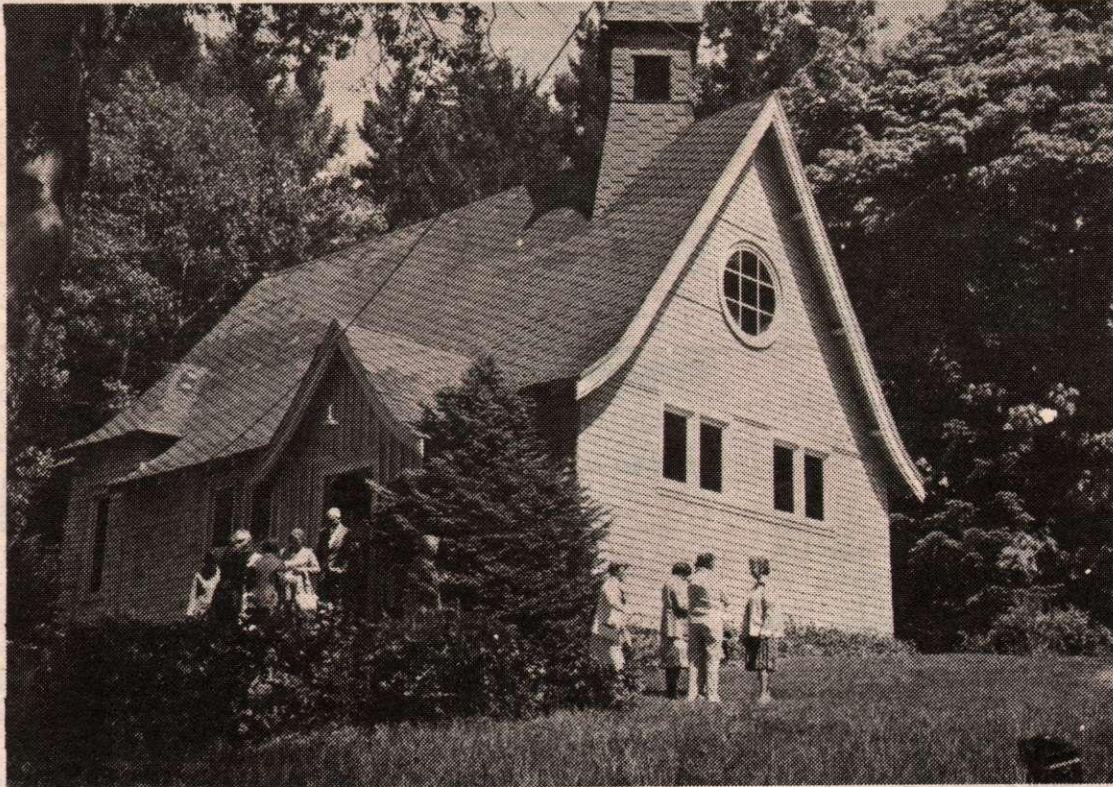
She works from Audubon illustrations, pictures of various animals, mammals and birds, from postcards and magazines.

were Mrs. Montague Bruce of Saanichton, daughter of Canon Paddon, also his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wadham-Locke Paddon of Saanichton, and a niece, Mrs. Joan Callaghan of Galiano Island. Other visitors were Mrs. Herbert Spalding, Mrs. Constance Swartz and Miss Marjorie Bailey of Pender Island; Mrs. Torrie Mouat and Mrs. Nell Jackson of Salt Spring Island; Mrs. Jennie Botterill of North Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sutton of Langley; Mrs. Eva German of West Vancouver and many others too numerous to mention.

Refreshments were served by the W.A. of St. Mary Magdalene church. The members would like to thank all those helped make this such a memorable occasion. Rector's Warden, Foye Miles, was in charge of arrangements.

It is the hope of the congregation of the church that Rev. James Daniels will soon be restored to good health and will be present to take charge of services in the not too distant future.

Mrs. Nancy Sutton was at her usual place at the organ.



Church of St. Mary Magdalene on Mayne Island was pictured by Bill Best to mark the anniversary this year. A special service and gathering of the

congregation was present two weeks ago to commemorate the occasion. Lower picture shows the parishioners and friends of the church in the grounds after the service.

Guest speaker shows slides of shipwrecks at meeting

The regular meeting of the Gulf Islands Branch of the B.C. Historical Association was held at Galiano, April 30 at 5.00 pm.

In the absence of the president, Lorraine Campbell, Don New chaired the meeting. Minutes of the last meeting held on Pender Island were read by the secretary, Gillian Allen.

A letter from Ruth Barnet, secretary B.C.H.A., was read with the information that Jim McCook, Chairman of the Committee on Historic Trails, urges that our member societies join the organization and participate in its regional meetings. It was also suggested that B.C.H.A. establish a Speakers Bureau to arrange for speakers to address member societies within a reasonable travelling distance.

Mr. New reported on the forthcoming B.C. Historical Association Conference to be held in Burnaby, May 26-29. Application forms were available for those wishing to attend.

The members of the association were saddened to hear of the passing of Capt. C. Claxton of Port Washington, Pender Island. We extend sincere sympathy to his wife Helen and son Peter in their loss. Capt. Claxton was a strong supporter of the Gulf Islands Branch of the B.C.H.A. and held the office of treasurer for many years. He was also a member of the committee responsible for the publication of the book, "Gulf Islands Patchwork" Mrs. Claxton was also active on the committee. He will be greatly missed by the association.

GUEST SPEAKER

Following the meeting, the guest speaker, Jeff Yallop, president of the Underwater Archaeology Society of B.C., was introduced by Don New.

Mr. Yallop's remarks, preceding the showing of slides, explained the research being done by the society and its aims and objectives. Some of them are, promoting the preservation of our cultural heritage and the conservation of objects found; organizing and performing underwater archaeological expeditions; encouraging individuals with collections to donate them to authorized institutions; repor-

ting the discovery of any likely archaeological site to the society and discouraging the placing of a commercial value on any artifact.

During 1976 dives were made on known wrecks in the Vancouver and Victoria area. Locally, the Zepher, a barque, which sank off the East shore of Mayne Island in 1972 was located and its position reported to the association.

Aiding the UAS in retrieving all salvageable artifacts for preservation and display is under consideration. A Search and Survey week-end was conducted by Dr. Harold Edgerton of M.I.T. and was most informative.

Huge columns of sandstone and the paddle wheel of the Zepher are still in a well preserved state. The sandstone, destined for San Francisco, was obtained from Newcastle Island. The ship was wrecked 40 feet from the shore.

Another vessel, the Del Norte, sank off the East end of Porlier Pass in 1869 and was also found by members of the society and slides were shown of the wreck.

Films have been made of some of the expeditions made by this group and we are looking forward to more coverage of this subject at a future date. Mr. New thanked the speaker for his interesting talk and slides.

She laughed when I read her my rhyme
"As a poem it's not worth a dime"
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Births

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Wanted

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Found

An engine-less lawn mower in Ganges. Owner may claim at Driftwood 20-1

Lost

1 pr. Toulouse geese and 6 goslings in Cranberry/Blackburn vicinity 537-5625 20-1
 Somewhere between Beaver Point and Ganges we lost a small cedar door for a truck canopy. Phone 653-4284 after 6 pm 20-1
 Left at tennis court, school grounds over weekend, prescription tinted glasses 537-2358 20-1
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 Call evenings 7 to 9 pm 537-5377
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 Other local art & crafts on sale 19-2

2nd Annual Gulf Island Christian Retreat for the whole family May 27-29 at Pender Island. More info contact Alex Niemi 629-3402, Bill Sawyer 539-5551, or Sandy Macleod 537-9367. Register early 19-3

BINGO

Wed. - June 1
 8 P.M.
 Legion Hall 20-2

SENIOR SERVICES invite you to a "Soup 'n Sandwich" luncheon party Tuesday, May 24th. Entertainment and good company at Ganges United Church 11.30 am. Donations will be welcomed. 20-1
 Pender Island! The Bald Prima Donna is coming. Watch for her!

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19-2

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(For Gulf Islands)

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 * Apply P.O. Box 1207, Ganges, Telephone 537-5022, or call at Nurses Home, Lady Minto Hospital, Crofton Road, Ganges, BC. ALT
 Public gatherings are being held every Friday night at the United Church Hall at 8 pm to share the teachings of Sydney Banks, an enlightened man, about our divine consciousness. Donation of \$2 requested. For further information please call 653-4525 or 653-4537 tfn

Notice

Tug of war - During the May Day festivities there will be a tug of war open to all persons. Teams to consist of 8 people are to be on school grounds at 2 o'clock Saturday. Information call 653-4475 20-1
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Real Estate

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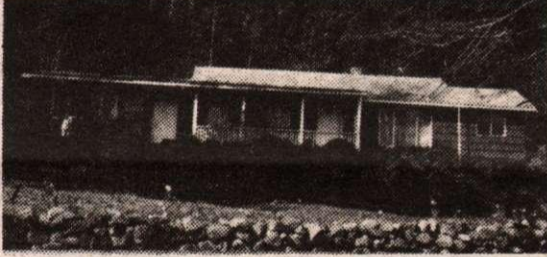
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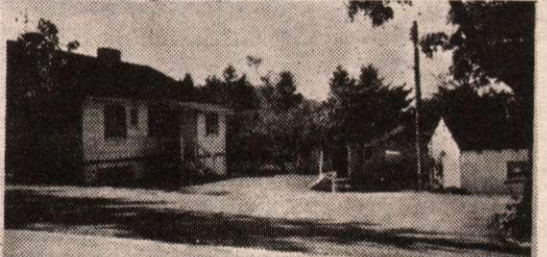
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SALT SPRING SALT SPRING ISLAND

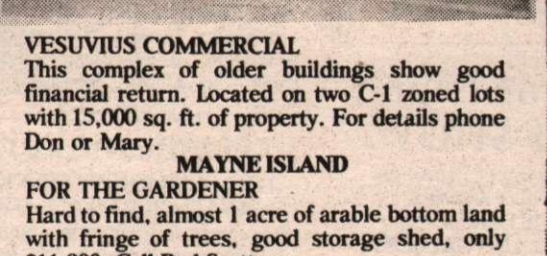
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3 BDRM LINDAL HOME - view overlooking St. Mary Lake. Offers on \$54,900

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BEACH ACCESS ACROSS ROAD - ocean view from one acre of lovely grounds and garden. On quiet road. 2 Bdrms. Sundeck and carport. \$54,500

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LOOKING BACK AT SPOTLIGHT

Early paper and early tales

BY FRANK RICHARDS

It was in the 1950's that Miles Acheson introduced the first paper devoted to the islands. Spotlight was locally produced to serve the islands and the camera which was used in the production of Spotlight was subsequently employed to produce Driftwood a few years later.

Random samples of Spotlight are revealing.

For example, the special branch of the Canadian Red

Cross, in December, 1950, made a survey of Salt Spring Island. The survey reported a population of just under 3,000 or an increase of 1,000 over the Salt Spring Lands survey carried out in 1947.

That survey, according to Spotlight, also showed that there were 300 motor cars, telephones and pigs. The connection is obscure, commented Acheson.

The same issue reported that the street lighting program was

getting too rich for the blood of islanders. The system was being shortened to save money.

LOCATION OF LIGHTS

There would be three lights on the Fulford Hill and three between the Inn and the Hall. Vesuvius gets six lights. The lights at each end of Goodrich Road add much to the cost. Ganges lights would stop at Drake Road and there were to be no lights at Jackson-Hereford or Jackson-Rainbow. Proposed were another light between the Anglican Church and Harbour House; one between Salt Spring Motors and Bill's Taxi; one in the midst of McPhillips and one each at the Anglican Church and the White Elephant.

Vesuvius Grocery had just been taken over by Mrs. R.T. Britton and Mrs. R.M. Heath.

Salt Spring Island lost some potential residents last week. The visitors came from Victoria to buy property, but they complained they were offered property at \$1,000 a lot with mostly rock and no water. Pender is losing population and it is reported that there are now 40 homes vacant. A dry summer and the high cost of living are listed as the reasons for this change.

NOT ALL IN OPERATION

In 1952 the firms operating in the islands were not all destined to be in operation a quarter-century later. Jack Smith was the operator of a taxi service at Ganges and Bambrick's Insurance Agency was located on Galiano Island. J.H. Grosart sold insurance at Ganges. The Mary Lee Snack Shop was adjacent to Fulford Wharf.

On the other hand, there were Frigidaires at Mouat's and paint at the Trading Co. Salt Spring Lands was offering real estate and insurance and Ernie Booth was plumbing as fast as his hands would let him.

There was a lady offering to sell or exchange five budgerigars. Betting is they haven't survived the announcement.

Bettiss and Harker offered automatic oil heating or electric heating and insulation. Ganges Pharmacy wanted the islanders to keep their cool with eau de Cologne.

LAST CONSERVATIVE

Dr. Larry Giovando has long since given up advertising. He was the "newly elected MLA for the Islands". He was also the last Conservative to boast of that distinction until Hugh Curtis served for a few sessions as a Tory.

Gulf Islands Cleaners have been absent from the business scene for several years, leaving the field open to the recent establishment of Salt Spring Dry Cleaners. Vic Jackson Motor Boat was available day or night and Hobday's Machine Shop offered starter and generator repairs.

The Lodge at Galiano had no occasion to explain its service. Everyone knew then as they do now.

George Hurst offered the services of the Island Garage, opposite the school and next to Dr. Boyes.

BRIEF PLEA

Harbour House Hotel was brief in its announcement and Fulford Inn was still announcing.

Ted Ashlee, at the Barber Shop, was declining to shave customers and the Rex Theatre was offering On Moonlight Bay; Steel Helmet; I Shot Billy the Kid; the Big Wheel; Little Big Horn; Danger Zone. The Rex was in Ganges, next to the Recreation Centre.

W.H. Stark was offering to
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10 acres overlooking Cusheon Lake at \$44,500. Driveway winds up to a perfect building site. Terms.

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Two miles from Ganges - over 13 acres. Vendor will carry financing on end price of \$47,250

Just listed in South Salt Spring over 32 acres at \$55,000. Marine view, good soil, two miles from Fulford Harbour. Terms.

Building lot in Ganges, on water main, partly cleared. \$16,000 Only \$90 per month on existing agreement. M.L.S. 22228

View lot in 100 Hills for \$19,000. Only \$5,000 down. Taxes \$157.54 per year.

View lot overlooking Long Harbour. \$16,500 5 minute walk to sandy beach.

Waterfront on Booth Canal - \$97,500 with terms. Warm sunny area. Some open ground. Subdivision potential on this 21 acres.

Large waterfront lot with privacy. \$52,000 on terms of \$22,000 down. Cleared building site near the shoreline.

Beautifully maintained view home on small landscaped lot. Combination garage and workshop. Basement, sundeck, stone fireplace. Excellent value at \$58,500

Soon to be completed - this new two bedroom with carport. \$44,500

View home in Vesuvius on half acre. Good solid construction. Paved driveway carport. \$56,000

New home 1 1/2 miles from Ganges. Owner built in Bavarian style. A great deal of thought and planning is evident. A real home in a pleasant setting, priced at \$105,000.

Factory built home on a pleasant half acre. \$35,000 includes furniture and appliances. Low down payment.

Summer cottage for full price of \$20,000

Two bedroom home across the road from St. Mary Lake. \$58,500. An extremely pleasant setting.

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Waterfront home on 2.39 acres. 200' shoreline. Guest cottage. Fruit trees, circular driveway, plentiful water supply. \$97,500 with possible terms.

Over 1000 sq. ft. on main floor and full basement partly finished. Carport, sundeck and fireplace. This view home is situated on 2.72 acres. Offered at \$65,000. Offered at \$65,000

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Ganges just minutes below, 2.37 acre with water and power, beautiful view of Ganges Harbour and the Outer Islands. Priced at \$28,000 with only \$2,800 down.

11.5 acres, full price only \$31,500 with 10% down.

LOTS:
.85 acre only \$16,000. Water, power and telephone, near Vesuvius

1.13 acres, full price \$20,000. Water, power and telephone, close to Ganges.

INVESTMENT:
104 acres on Prevost Island, just minutes from Salt Spring Island (Royal Vanc. Yacht Club) Approximately 1 1/2 miles of waterfront. Full price \$286,000

92.81 acres on Lasqueti Island. Approximately 2000' of waterfront. Serviced by foot ferry from Vancouver Island. Secluded yet not remote. Priced at \$270,000

KEVIN BELL (Eves.) 537-5833

Two are questioned by police

Series of break-ins on Galiano Island during the weekend of May 7 and 8 have led to the apprehension of two Vancouver Island juveniles.

ed three incidents on May 8 and four more were reported subsequently.

Money and property was reported stolen and part has been recovered.

RCMP at Ganges investigat-

Investigation is continuing.



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HELP! HELP! HELP!

Owner anxious to sell this well maintained 2 bedroom home in beautiful Vesuvius Bay. Living Room with fireplace, separate dining room, full basement, carport - beautiful garden with many fruit trees. Only minutes to beach and ferry terminal. Help us to help yourself.....no reasonable offer refused on the asking price of \$55,000 **CALL US! (MLS)**

SUNSET DRIVE WATERFRONT.....Over 1 acre with 220' easily accessible beach access. Comfortable 3 bedroom home with fantastic sea view. This desirable property is offered fully furnished. **CALL US! (MLS)**

CUSHEON LAKE ROAD - 2.21 acres and 1.83 acres within walking distance to the lake. \$14,000 for each. **CALL US!**

NORTH END ROAD - 5.12 acres with driveway, cleared building site and drilled well. \$27,500 **CALL US!**

"I AIN'T GOT NOBODY".....Here's a 3 bedroom home that's not new, needs some paint BUT it's a bargain for a "do-it-yourself" fixer-upper.....and maybe you're that one. Situated on 10 acres with lake view, many fruit trees and fenced garden area. Off the main highway, but with seclusion. Only \$67,500 with 20% down payment required. **CALL US!**

WANT A PLACE SO ULTRA-MODERN it might have come down to earth in a flying saucer? We have one! Unique design is only one of its attributes. It also boasts 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, living room with Franklin fireplace, year round sunshine, large workshop, etc. etc. Situated on a view lot at Scott Point. Now reduced to \$76,500. **CALL US!**

CLOSE TO GANGES.....on 1 acre. 2 bedroom home with separate guest cottage. Here is value plus! Only \$49,500 **CALL US!**

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY.....near hospital and new shopping area. Situated on ¼ acre parcel with frontage on two roads. Plenty of room for expansion. This desirable property is offered at only \$75,000 which includes building, business, equipment and property. **CALL US! (MLS)**

10 acres lakeview - part treed, part pasture. \$40,000 Shop and compare then **CALL US!**

1.28 acres on Cusheon Lake Road with lakeview. Only \$17,600 **CALL US!**

FULFORD HARBOUR - 0.50 acres, well treed, easy access, on hydro and water. \$16,500 **CALL US!**

DIVIDE ROAD - Serviced ¾ acre secluded lot. \$15,000 with terms. **CALL US!**

GANGES HEIGHTS - Fabulous view lot. \$23,000 with terms. **CALL US!**

Wayne Pearce 537-2355 **Pearl Motion** 537-2248
OFFICE 537-5557

If you have something for this column: call Elsie Brown at 539-2480.

MAINLY MAYNE

BY ELSIE BROWN

The Annual Pancake Breakfast provided by the Mayne Island Volunteer Fire Department to honour mothers on Mother's Day was held Sunday May 8 with a good attendance. The Fire Hall was revamped to house the diners.

In charge of operations was Fire Chief, Paddy Lambert, assisted by Bob Sauerberg at the door; Fred Hansen, tickets; Harry Lane, coffee. Other helpers were Danny Imrie, Del Somerville, Ron Willick, Fred Bennet, Jr. and Bob Clarke. Paddy Lambert reports that 173 breakfasts were served. Mothers appreciated it!

Important visitors on the island to attend the 80th Anniversary of St. Mary Magdalene church were Mr. and Mrs. Wadham-Locke Paddon, Mrs. Montague Bruce of Saanichton and Mrs. Joan Callaghan of Galiano. All are related to the late Canon Paddon who founded the church.

Others were Mrs. Herbert Spalding, Mrs. Connie Swartz and Miss Marjorie Bailey of Pender Island; Mrs. Torrie Mouat and Mrs. Nell Jackson of Salt Spring Island; Mrs. Jennie

Botterill of North Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sutton of Langley.

Visiting Roy and Sophie Betts were Sophie's sister and brother-in-law Eva, and Don German of West Vancouver. Mr. German operated the Capilano Rock and Gem Shop in North Vancouver for 17 years before retiring.

Get well wishes to Margaret Sawyer of Village Bay who has returned home after a stay at Lady Minto Hospital where she has been treated for a broken arm.

Coming events already mentioned in Driftwood are: Sunday, May 22, Lions Annual Auction Sale at Mayne Inn at 10.00 am. Phone either Clare Hamilton or Bill Dawson if you have any items for sale. Donations will be appreciated.

Wednesday, May 25, Annual Hospital Association meeting. 1.00 pm Agricultural Hall. Also, the Gulf Islands Intermediate and Personal Care Society annual meeting.

Friday, May 27, Band Concert presented by King George Secondary School, Vancouver, 7.30 pm. Silver collection. Aus-

pices Silver Maynes. Agricultural Hall.

My thanks to Clare Hamilton for delivering my news items to Driftwood.

more about Early days

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tune pianos, but he appeared to be visiting from off-islands.

Salt Spring Motors was at Ganges 37-T and offered a "large stock of used cars". Prevention was better than cure, according to the Shell Service in Ganges.

Vying for the catering trade of Salt Spring Island were the White Elephant Cafe and Devon Lodge.

Spotlight was not written through blinkers. The editorial on Newport, in the United Kingdom, merits repetition.

STORY OF A TOWN

The town of Newport in Wales depended on iron and steel and was reasonably prosperous. Then came the General Strike, and everybody who belonged to a Union had to go on strike whether they wanted to or not. (We forget what it was all about)

The Newport operators were under contract to deliver so much steel by a certain time, and there was a penalty clause: they had to pay so much a day penalty in case of late delivery.

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Graduates of Power Squadron course gather in hotel

There were 21 graduates last year from the boating course offered by the Salt Spring Island Power Squadron.

On Wednesday evening last week the majority of the graduates gathered with the Power Squadron in Harbour House Hotel to receive their accolades and to take part in the fourth annual graduation banquet.

They were introduced by Training Officer Peter Bingham, who recalled that their interest had been great and that they had all worked very hard at the job.

J.B. Stewart offered the comments of the graduating class. He was among those who had been changed from seagoing landlubbers to sensible boat

travellers, he told the Squadron.

He admitted that the eraser had been one of the most important of their navigational aids. "Never have so many been so confused by so few," he concluded.

Of the 23 candidates, 21 passed, the meeting learned.

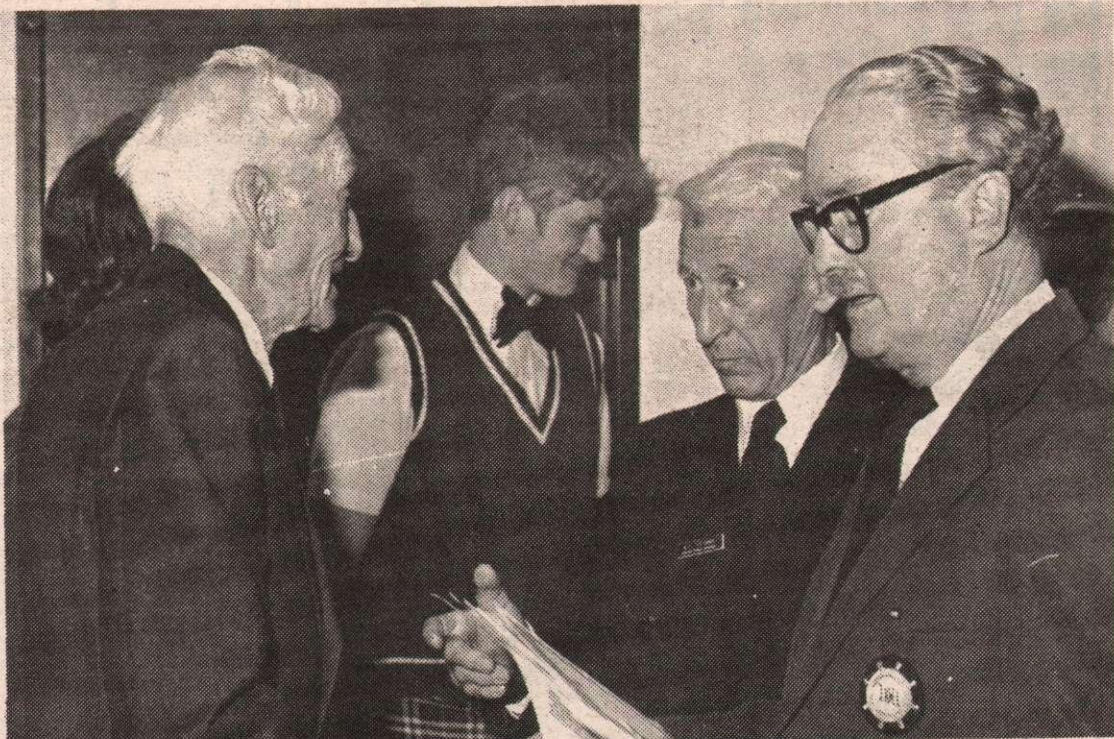
Describing it as a "wonderful record", Commander Jim Bryce called for a hearty vote of thanks to Peter Bingham.

Graduating from the class in seamanship with small boats were Bernard Bains, Roy Braithwaite, Kerry Butler, Vonnice Butler, Bruce Crombie, Melanie Crombie, Rolf Dammell, Robert Fielder, Garry Garras, Elizabeth Hill, Sabina Leader, Donald

Lochhead, Adam Morrison, Peter Mortensen, Scott Slocombe,

Benjamin Small, Joseph Stewart, Dorothy Stewart, Morton

Stratton, Margaret Stratton and Ira Tepper.



One day Canada will have its own marine service he urges

Commander Jim Bryce welcomed guests to the fourth annual Salt Spring Island Power Squadron graduation and Change-of-Watch banquet in Harbour House Hotel on Wednesday evening last week.

Guest of honour was District Commander Ted Dandy, from Nanaimo, who took part in the formal ceremonies of the evening.

The Squadron Commander spoke briefly of the pattern of

formation of each power squadron within the national organization, the Canadian Power Squadron.

He also expressed thanks to his executive for their support during the year.

Commander Dandy, paying his first visit to Salt Spring Island, also outlined the function

of the system.

The power squadron is maintained to promote a high standard of efficiency among small boat operators, he explained.

He looked further ahead.

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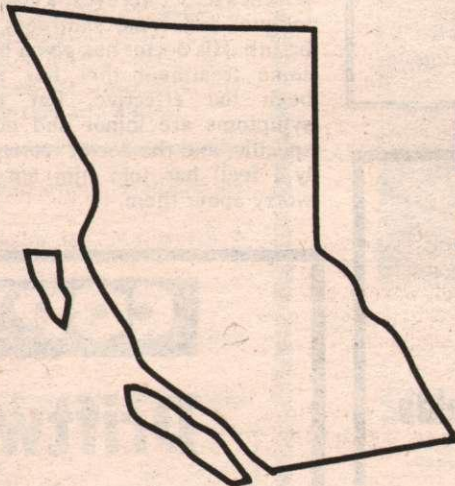
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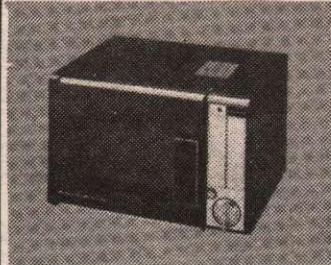
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Young marksman brings home trophies from afar



Marksman is Dan Reynolds, of Ganges. Fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reynolds, of Beddis Road, displays his trophies and the shot gun which was instrumental in winning them for him. Among his wins have been the Vancouver City Trophy and the Paine Field Trophy in Washington State.

At Paine Field, in Washing-

ton, he shot a 95 and a 94 for high junior trophy, BC and Washington

In the Vancouver City Open, he made 94 and 92 and high junior. In the Victoria City Open he shot a 98.

Right now he's just waiting for the next change of a trophy. He plans to compete in the provincial championships.

Info-Health

By Dr. BOB YOUNG



A minor but recurrent problem in answering my correspondence has been solved. Occasionally I get a request to do a column on a subject that has been the topic of a recent article of mine. I am then in a position similar to that of an orchestra leader who is asked by a dancer

to play a piece that has just been played.

The columns have now been indexed, and the B.C. Medical Association will forward the appropriate column(s) to people requesting articles on subjects already covered.

HE IS CONCERNED

An Oak Bay reader writes because he is concerned about pouches under his eyes, a coated tongue, and some shortness of breath. His doctor has given him some treatment that has not been too effective, but the symptoms are minor and non-specific, and the doctor (correctly I feel) has told him not to worry about them.

Happy hour planned by Golf Club

The Galiano Golf and Country Club will be having a happy hour on Saturday, May 21 at 5.30 pm until 7 pm and a social evening to follow. Bring your guests and use your club.

The patient, who is 80 years of age, goes for a long bicycle ride every day and gets far more exercise than many half his age. His letter is astute and clearly written, and my impression is that he is really doing very well.

DISCOMFORTS

A portion of the art of growing old gracefully is learning to accept the discomforts and bodily changes that accompany longevity. Certainly get a check-up periodically, and report any significant symptom, but do not dwell on the state of your health - after all, you have already beaten the odds!

Mrs. J.V. writes, seeking help for her chronic cough. This has gone on for many years, becoming worse in the last year or two. As she puts it, "I cough and clear my throat like you wouldn't believe".

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Occasionally the cause of a cough can be very elusive, and an exhaustive search is required to find it. Mrs. J.V. has not had a recent full examination, and a fresh start should be made, certainly before she tries her proposed hypnotist, acupuncturist, or spiritual healer.

TO SPECIALIST

I would suggest that she ask her doctor to refer her to an internist specializing in lung diseases. She may need to see an ear, nose and throat specialist also. The considerable recent advances in diagnostic techniques available to these specialist doctors may now make a diagnosis possible.

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NEWS FROM GALIANO

BY WINNIE LIVER

The Ladies Service Club held their tenth birthday party last Monday, president Peggy Chunn opened the proceedings with the Lord's Prayer.

The president then introduced the guests at the head table who were some of the founding members of the club. Isabella Murphy, Mary Harding, Alice Maier, Josephine Newton, Margaret Robson, Dora Jones, Florence Bellhouse, Nellie Kolosoff, Ivy Morshead, president Peggy Chunn, vice-president Doris Strudwick, and Sally Riddell. It was noted that Sally gave the service club its name.

In the absence of the guest speaker, Jean Lockwood, who was unable to attend due to family illness, Peggy Chunn filled the bill admirably. It was noted that the Ladies service club is truly a service to our community and also to the Lady Minto Hospital on Salt Spring Island and many other charities on the mainland.

Mrs. Chunn gave a very interesting talk on women's clubs and their place in the community. She noted the struggle that women had to obtain the vote and named many brave women who gave their time and sometimes their lives to achieve the rights that we all accept today. A vote of thanks was given to the president from all the members and their guests.

Was speaking to one of the

children in grade one and she told me of a very exciting outing they had a week ago. Shari Street's cow was having a calf and she phoned the school and the teacher took her young students to see this happy event. I think you will enjoy this young



Mrs. Page and two of her sons, Kenneth and Ron.

person's description of what happened.

"When they got there the calf was coming out the wrong way so they phoned a man who came and turned the calf around and it was born and it was all wet."

Amy Inkster, her two daughters Carol and Igunn and her granddaughter Katherine, have returned to the island after



The president, vice-president and some of the founding members of the Galiano Ladies Service Club.

spending a month in the United Kingdom. They travelled from Cornwall to Scotland.

Jessie Bellhouse is now home. She has been to many exciting countries. She started from Seattle in January and when they sailed through the Bering Straits it was so rough that they were not allowed to go on deck. She visited Korea, Hong Kong, Singapore and Djakarta. When arriving there she saw wheat being taken to their flour mill from Vancouver. They then visited the Phillipines and then home. Jessie was away over two months and we are glad she is home.

Ken and Sylvia Mounsey of the Pink Geranium are back on the island. We miss them when they are away for more reasons than one.

New officers are named by squadron

New officers of the Salt Spring Island Power Squadron were installed last week by the District Commander, Ted Dandy, of Nanaimo.

Taking their new offices were Commander, Jim Bryce; Executive Officer, John Watson; Training Officer, Peter Bingham; secretary, Jim Napper; treasurer, Harold Helm; Public Rela-

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The calls of the wild

Hummingbirds and fat cats in Fulford garden

BY LILLIAN HORSDAL
We have some charming little guests on the porch.
The parents selected a strange type of hanging basket in which to build their nest -- a discarded bleach bottle of a rather startling blue.

The parents are so very quick, as they flit back and forth. that it is difficult to identify them. They could be wren tits or bushtits. At any rate, their babies are now calling constantly for food as the anxious mother and father alternately fly back trying to satisfy their demands.

Not long ago Paul, about to go down to his pond with food for his rainbow trout, heard a raucous cry from over the lake and then saw an eagle dive on a screeching blue heron. The heron made good his escape by flying into the bush and the eagle, no doubt frustrated and angry, flew up to one of the tall trees to smooth his ruffled feathers.

HUMMINGBIRDS
Have you been able to watch, for some days, the behaviour of hummingbirds? At the Dalziel house there was peace and contentment among the ener-

getic little birds as they darted about the feeder.

Mind you, Mr. Dalziel had to keep it pretty well filled with its red nourishment. The hummingbirds seemed well organized as to whose turn it was at the feeder. One of them would fly toward the window to let it be known that the syrup was getting low.

That feeder began to leak, so Mr. Dalziel bought a larger one. At first they just flew around the new one but didn't seem too happy with it since they continued to drain the old, smaller feeder as often as before with hardly any of the "red delight" disappearing from the new one.

It was about that time that one of the ruby-throated hummingbirds decided to police the new feeder. He became a sort of guard. With two feeders, one on either side of the sundeck, he took up a strategic position about centre front.

From here he could keep a close watch on both.

Would you believe it? This self appointed warden managed to keep all the rest away from that new feeder. He wouldn't permit any other hummingbirds to drink the man-made nectar. Whenever they came to feed he'd fly at them in a fury and chase them off.

NEW ELEMENT
But today a new element entered into the situation. Two tiny green hummingbirds arrived together. Obviously, the ruby-throated guard cannot follow both since they fly off in opposite directions. So, while he chases one, the other gets in a few healthy swigs. Then back

comes the dictator and chases the other hummingbird away from the feeder. So it goes. Perhaps these two have him stymied.

I remember years and years ago a friend and I helped a hummingbird who had caught his beak in the screen door. It was so fragile and so tiny. We were finally able to gently force the beak back out, and despite the diminutive drops of blood around the beak, he immediately flew off. Nothing seemed amiss.

There is one bird defiant enough to maintain his stand on that feeder, regardless of how much the hummingbird guard flies at him. He's a purple finch and has to drink sort of upside down. But he stays on.

There is an old Indian legend about the hummingbirds. "They return to the north on the swans."

Tragedy struck last night. A cat, there are far too many around this area, knocked down the bottle home of our little family and nothing remains but a few soft, little feathers.

Group to help visitors

The South Salt Spring Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. D. Slingsby on May 12, 1977 with seven members present.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. R. Lee who read a poem from the Newsletter.

Minutes and financial statement were read and passed.

Correspondence was read and dealt with.

A donation was sent to the District board to help defray expenses for Women's Institute members visiting B.C. from Ontario. Members in Ontario entertained the members from B.C. last year.

A donation was sent to the Salvation Army.

Arrangements were made to enter a stall of pies on May Day. Monday craft day was the final of the group quilting.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R.H. Lee, on June 9.

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Mayne artist featured at Gallery

Island Gallery at Mayne Island is featuring the work of Joyce Mitchell this week.

Mayne Island artist has had showings on Salt Spring Island as well as in Victoria and Vancouver. This is her first exhibition on her home island.

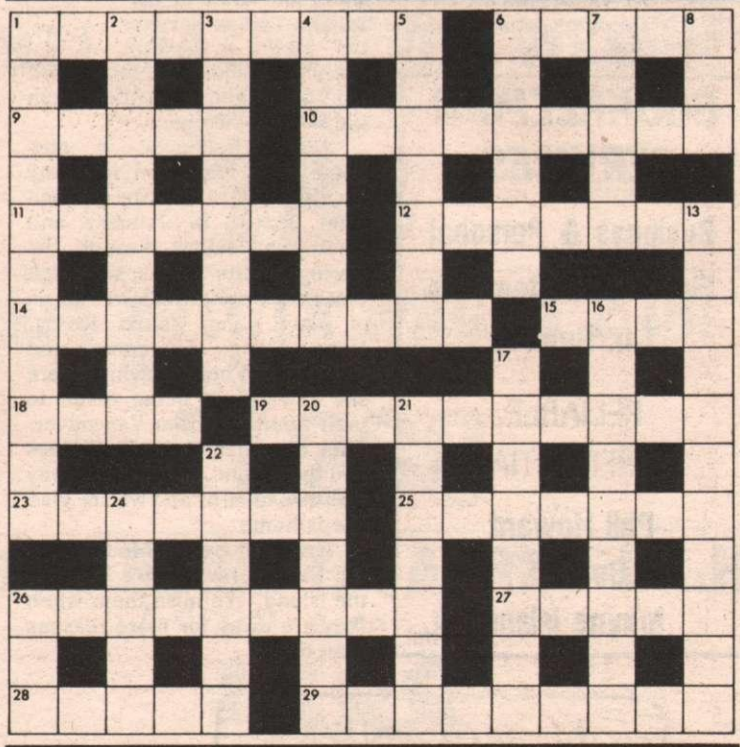
The Mayne artist is widely acclaimed for her work and a keen response is expected at the new Island Gallery.

Manager of the gallery is Betty Klatt.

Gallery goes beyond paintings. It also displays weaving and restored furniture.

THE CANADIAN CROSSWORD #34

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1 Canadian P.M. Borden (2 words)
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10 Canadian P.M. Mackenzie
11 Unimportant
12 You
14 Fluctuation in speech
15 Meditative exercise
18 Contest
19 Type of meat cuts (2 words)
23 Porno movie fare?
25 Province
26 Que. lake at Lat. 56, Long. 64
27 Helicopter blade
28 Conductor's stick
29 Murders
DOWN
1 Fr. owned island off Can. coast (2 words)
2 Taking account of the facts
3 Viewpoints
4 Shoulder decoration
5 Musical vibration
6 Supplication
7 Preacher
8 Neither
13 Newfoundland premier (2 words)
16 Exaggerated
17 Understood only by a chosen few
20 Old Testament book
21 Metallic element usually found with tantalum
22 Mental picture
24 Start
26 Angry crowd
Answers on Page Thirty-Two



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CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT
PLANNING AREA NO. 3
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who deem themselves affected by the following proposed by-law will be afforded an opportunity to be heard on the matters contained therein at a Public Hearing to be held in the Royal Canadian Legion Hall, Hereford Ave., Tuesday, May 31, 1977 at 1.30 pm
1. A by-law authorizing a Land Use Contract relating to George Marshall Heinekey for part of Lot A, Section 8, Range 2 West, Plan 20848, Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District.
The Land Use Contract will permit George Marshall Heinekey to construct an apartment building consisting of twenty-six (26) dwelling units on the above property.
The property is located at the terminus of Goodrich Road in Vesuvius Bay.
Copies of the complete by-laws may be reviewed at the offices of the Provincial Government Building, Building Inspection Department, Lower Ganges Road during working hours of 1.00 pm to 4.30 pm. The by-law may also be reviewed at the Capital Regional District Planning Department, 524 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C. during normal working hours of 8.30 am to 4.30 pm, Monday to Friday inclusive, holidays excepted.
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'The pipeline farce'...

BY TOMMY DOUGLAS

The Canadian people are being duped on the Mackenzie Valley Pipeline, although the Trudeau government is going through the motions of providing for a public input into the decision-making process.

The excellent Berger Report has now been released with its recommendation of a ten year moratorium on pipeline construction, and the National Energy Board hopes to have its recommendations ready for Cabinet consideration sometime in July. The Prime Minister has promised President Carter that he will have a decision ready for him by September 1.

However, two things are becoming increasingly clear; the first is that Parliament will have no voice in the decision, and secondly, that Washington will have a major say in determining what course Canada will pursue. For months we have been trying to get a commitment from the government that, before a permit to construct the pipeline is granted, the matter will be placed before Parliament, even if it means calling that body into an emergency session. That reasonable request has been consistently stonewalled.

WASHINGTON CONNECTION

That the U.S. government is to have an all-important say in making the final decision is shown by Mr. Trudeau's appointment of Mr. Basil Robinson, Under Secretary in the Department of External Affairs, as Federal Pipeline Commissioner. The press release announcing his appointment states "he will be responsible for co-ordinating all advice to the government on the need for a northern gas pipeline" and "will consult closely with Mr. Schlesinger", the energy czar in the United States.

This appointment demonstrates clearly that all the public hearings and commission reports are merely a charade to fool the public into believing that the decision on the Mackenzie Valley Pipeline will be made on its merits.

The scenario is crystal clear; a senior official of External

Affairs will sort out the information being submitted to cabinet while working in close liaison with President Carter's energy chief. Mr. Robinson's job will be to orchestrate the deliberations of the Canadian government to ensure that they are in harmony with Washington's wishes. Never was a more cynical game played at the expense of an unsuspecting public.

FINANCIAL GUARANTEES

Another feature, of which most Canadians are unaware, is that the U.S. controlled Arctic Gas Company has asked the National Energy Board for a "conditional certificate" to construct the pipeline; the condition being that they get government guarantees against financial loss from cost over-runs and interruptions in delivery. Such financial guarantees could run into many billions of dollars.

It is significant that, when questioned in the House of commons, Finance Minister Macdonald said that Arctic Gas has not formally asked for such guarantees. Of course they haven't; because this would require the government to submit legislation to Parliament, and the Liberals have some unhappy memories of the last time they asked for pipeline guarantees. This time they are going to be much more devious. Once they have received the recommendation of the National Energy Board and granted a permit to build the pipeline it will be comparatively easy for Arctic Gas to point out that the certificate they have is conditional on guarantees, a fact which the government was well aware of when they gave them the green light to go ahead. Thus Parliament will come into the picture after the decision to build a pipeline has been taken, and only for the purpose of committing the Canadian taxpayers to financial commitments for a pipeline regarding which Parliament has had no voice in approving.

COLUMBIA RIVER TREATY

Those who remember the Columbia River Treaty will recall that it was signed by the governments of Canada, British Columbia and the United States without any reference to the

... another bad deal for Canada?

lected representatives of the people. Only when the pact had been signed, sealed and delivered did Parliament have an opportunity to debate the matter which was by that time an accomplished fact.

The intervening years have proven that it was a bad deal for Canada, and represented a net loss to the people of British Columbia of several hundred million dollars. We are now being led down the garden path, but the sums of money involved are incomparably larger and the price we will have to pay in terms of environmental damage and the dislocation of our native people only future generations will be able to assess.

Fortunately there are Canadians who are speaking out against this sell-out of Canada's North. Public interest groups such as the Committee for an Independent Canada, the Canadian Wildlife Federation and Pollution Probe have appeared regularly before the National Energy Board and challenged the arguments of the major U.S. oil companies. The Committee for Justice and Liberty has published a paperback entitled, "Moratorium", which ought to be read by every Canadian who is concerned about the future of this country.

These public interest groups have little in the way of financial resources, yet they have battled manfully against the oil company giants who are estimated to have spent \$180 million in their campaign to sell the Mackenzie Valley Pipeline to the Canadian public. This is a fight between David and Goliath; it is not too late for the people of Canada to join the battle which will decide whether the Arctic is to be raped to supply gas to the United

States or to be developed for the benefit of Canada and its native population.

It is not too late for concerned Canadians to insist that Parliament be given the opportunity to decide this question before the pipeline is authorized. Anything less will constitute a denial of the democratic process and an affront to Parliament, as well as the Canadian people it purports to represent.

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Walkathon despite deluge

Salt Spring Lions project

Anderson and Davis in first

It was wet and the walking was wicked, but the Salt Spring Island Lions Walkathon drew large crowds of walkers and a considerable group of observers on Saturday.

It was a transportation victory, when Bob Anderson, B.C. Ferry Corporation terminal agent, covered the eight miles in 55 minutes, followed, five minutes later, by Victoria Flying Services manager Ed Davis.

In third place was a grade nine student, Kevin Noble.

Lions Walkathon, on Salt Spring Island, raises funds for various Lions projects. This year the service club decided to push for youth activities, although the exact nature of the drive will not be known until the club has devoted further study to island needs.

In charge of the event was Roy Wheatley, who introduced a number of novel aspects to the event this year. First to be noticed was a new method of starting off the contestants. First away were the runners, then the chariots and finally the walkers in two separate categories.

Winner romped home shortly before 2 pm and the last stragglers reached Drummond Park shortly before 4 pm.

CHECKING IN THE RAIN

En route were some drenched Lions, checking drenched walkers. At the end of the road, in the Fulford waterfront park, was clam chowder for the cold and pop for the hot. Lionettes had prepared the refreshments and every participant could flash his ribbon to be eligible for his ration.

Gulf Islands Secondary School came in first of four entries in the chariot race, still eager to ascertain whether, at about 70 minutes, they had chalked up a record.

The Valcourt chariot started by being pulled and ended up, being pushed, before it was dismantled on the spot to be taken back to Ganges.

Roy Wheatley was hanging his head most of the afternoon. It was his plan to move the annual event from the Easter week end to May 14 in order to avoid the unpleasant weather so often encountered at Easter.

During the course of the Walkathon the lions Bunny Bus patrolled the Fulford-Ganges Road with Dr. Bob McCaffrey aboard to rescue any suffering

walkers. Blisters have proved the most serious problem in past years.

By this week the final results were not available, although it appeared that support for the Walkathon had been strong.

Following list shows the winners of the various classes and special categories.

Winner of the top pledge award was Ricky Andrews. Salt Spring boy who enjoyed the support of the community a few months ago, when he went east for medical attention, he has rallied to the help of the community with an impressive total of pledges.

In second place was the Hair Shoppe and running third came Roland and Samantha Dixon.

Oldest citizen to make the walk was L.W. Kertland and the first married couple to complete the course was Mr. and Mrs. Calkins.

First chariot home was the school band from Gulf Islands Secondary School, with Wilf Davies aboard and first organization chariot was the Salt Spring Island Rotary Club.

Other winners were, male,

First and second romp home in Saturday's Lions Walkathon. Above is Bob Anderson who came in a lonely first and below is Ed Davis, who was greeted by his wife as he trotted into the second slot. Anderson shaved five minutes off the hour and Davis hit the 60-minute mark.



under nine, Tod Chase; 10-12, (tie) Alan Stepaniuk and Jona-

than Jenkins; 13-16, Kevin Noble; female, 10-12, Valerie John; 13-16, Cathy Toynbee.

Totals had not been completed at press time, but the general convener, Roy Wheatley is confident that the event was as successful as the weather was not.

Wheatley also told Driftwood that sponsors of "cash pledge cards" will be contacted.

"Payment may be made at the Bank of Montreal," he said.

HEARING INTO PROPOSAL TO REZONE FIRST WATER OFFICE

It was the original water-works office in Ganges, explained Joyce Bowden when she spoke to a public hearing in Ganges on Tuesday afternoon.

1,000 gallon holding tank. Chairman of the hearing was Regional Director George Heinkey.

It was later the telegraph office and the original telephone office in Ganges. The building in question is the small structure located on the property west of and next door to the Legion Hall on Hereford Avenue.

Stephen Willerton explained that he was hoping to establish a small craft store in the building. Hugh Ross reported that the Royal Canadian Legion had no objection to the change.

Ruby Alton expressed concern for the problems of sewage disposal and for the fact that there is already an adequacy of commercial property in the village area.

Letter from Salt Spring Island Community Planning Association, over the signature of V.H. Clement raised the same objection.

It was noted that the Ganges Plan calls for the use of the property for residential purposes, although the other side of the street is scheduled for intensive commercial use.

Hearing also learned that tentative approval has been given to the installation of a

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In order to gain a clear indication of what the people of Salt Spring Island want, residents and property owners of the island are invited to complete this ballot and to submit it to Driftwood. The ballot must be signed and the voter must provide his address in order to substantiate the view expressed. Only one ballot will be accepted from each resident or property owner.

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