

# The Long-term Care Program.

## 'What makes it a new way to care about people?'

I've heard a lot about this Long-Term Care Program—what I'd like to know is exactly how this Program differs from what we've had in the past. What, specifically, is 'new' about it?

those who required special health problems often had to go to homes to receive the care. Services were difficult to locate and expensive for many people. One of the new Program is to provide care services and make them available to everyone who needs them in the comfort of their own homes wherever possible—at an affordable cost. British Columbia residents are now able to receive the care they need without financial hardship, while maintaining as much dignity and independence as possible.

So the emphasis is on home care? The Program does provide special care wherever needed, and homemaker services and maintenance and repair are of great importance.



They say the Program is not just for the elderly—is that true?

Very definitely. The Long-Term Care Program is for any British Columbia resident—young or old—who requires long-term care for health-related reasons.



You know, I think I know of someone who could benefit from the Program. Where should she go to apply?

You can get complete information and discuss your particular needs at the Long-Term Care Office in the local health unit. It's as simple as that.



So far, so good. It sounds like a straightforward, logical approach. But now comes the big question—how much will this cost the person receiving the care?

As far as care in the home is concerned, there is often no cost involved at all. For example, there is no charge for Home Care Services where they are provided with referral from your doctor, and no charge for Homemaker Services where family unit incomes fall below certain guidelines—ranging from \$296 for a single person to \$745 for five persons. In a residential facility, the basic cost is \$6.50 per day. No extra or hidden charges can be made. However, a Room Differential may be charged where the accommodation exceeds the standards set by the Licensing Board—for example, private or semi-private rooms. These Room Differentials may run to a maximum of \$9.00 per day. The Long-Term Care Administrator at the your local health unit can provide complete details regarding your particular circumstance.

**THE LONG-TERM CARE PROGRAM**  
A NEW WAY TO CARE ABOUT PEOPLE.



Province of British Columbia Ministry of Health  
Hon. R. H. McClelland, Minister.

## NO HAND GUNS TO ALASKA AT BEDWELL HARBOUR PORT

Yacht clearances at Bedwell Harbour are about average this year, according to Superintendent Fred Brecken, who heads up the four-man Customs and Immigration staff.

The customs office is open at Bedwell Harbour from May 1 until September 30.

During last year's season the office cleared more than 8,000 yachts and 1,000 private and commercial aircraft, carrying some 28,000 persons. They included 21,233 United States citizens and 6,686 Canadians.

### Two charged with failing to stop

RCMP at Ganges report that two drivers have been charged with failing to stop for a school bus with its red lights flashing.

Charges were laid after a stationary bus was passed at Lee's Hill and Blackburn Road.

This is Mr. Brecken's first year as customs officer here at Bedwell. He already knows the area very well after visiting it frequently in connection with his normal post on Vancouver Island.

He is assisted this year by summer student officers, Rodger Bailingier, BA; Simon Churchill, BA and Dan McLeod. McLeod was here last year. He is an ex RCMP officer returning this fall to his third year in law at Gonzaga University in Spokane.

The three young bachelors share one of the government residences at Bedwell and the other is occupied by Fred and Adele Brecken.

There is a significant change in policy this year. Hand guns may no longer be carried in transit to Alaska, reports Brecken.

Roger Bailingier recently cleared the charter yacht, Canim, of Seattle, for some weeks cruising BC waters. Charter party included singer Julie Andrews, accompanied by her three children, a niece and a nanny.

# More Food for Thought

BY MARY WILLIAMSON

The Salt Spring Island World Development Education and Relief Standing Committee met at the Andress house on Wednesday to draw up plans for next season. This will be the third year of the emphasis on Food, and 1979 Ten Days will concentrate on Food as a human right.

If you have any special concerns about the Third World, any World Relief movie you've heard of that you would like to see, any movie we showed this year that you would like to see again, please let us know now. You can reach Alice Andress at home, or the minister or priest of your church.

We talked about inviting the People's Food Commission to the island. If we are to make any presentations to this important body, now is the time to be preparing them. The commissioners will be touring the country from October '78 to April '79, and their findings will be shared with all who participate in the hearings.

It became clear to me during the meeting that this column is serving a purpose. Sometimes it seems to me that I am writing into a vacuum, and I become discouraged.

However, after Wednesday, I realized that the column is indeed read, sometimes with pleasure, often with pain. It is discussed and argued over, and all these reactions are valid and rewarding. Thank you!

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### BONER LAST WEEK

Last week there was an unfortunate omission in the latter part of the column which made it even more nonsensical than originally intended. I was talking about Mr. Van der Zalm:

If I refuse his generous offer, he will make sure I receive no unemployment insurance (to which I have contributed) and no Social Assistance (to which I have contributed through my taxes). But he receives Social Assistance in the form of a considerable salary paid from our taxes, and his unemployment insurance is already in his bank account.

I hope that clears up an otherwise incomprehensible passage!

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We heard on Wednesday of a church group which does not wish to give financial support to the

World Relief Committee on the grounds that if what we are doing is worthwhile, we should be self supporting. There seems to us to be some confused thinking here, and I'll just take a moment to pose some questions.

**Where does a minister's salary come from?**

From donations from his congregation.

**Is he self-supporting?**

**Where does church maintenance come from?**

From donations from congregations.

**Who pays for the roads which lead to the churches?**

The taxpayers.

**Does the church pay taxes on its property and income the same way other people and business do?**

Certainly not! What a horrifying idea! The church is different. Look at the good it does. It's a necessary part of our social structure.

### THEY DISPUTE IT

Well, millions of people would dispute that. We live in a secular society, but we support the church financially, because enough of us believe in its worth and in its god-given mission to ensure its continuation.

Some of us believe that the gospel is being preached only to the converted, Sunday by Sunday, in church.

Some of us believe that only by means of groups such as ours are the unconverted being reached. By means of films, public meetings, visitors from the Third World, resource people from other committees.

Only by these means, all of which cost money, are we able to reach those who do not attend church. We are told we should levy a charge at the door to meet our expenses. Is that what you do in church? We are part of the church's mission. We are fulfilling Jesus' commands. We deserve your support.

To anyone else out there who wishes to contribute, we have opened a small account at the local Credit Union, and any donations will be welcomed and well used.

## No tuition in French for islands yet decides local school board

There are various French language courses in public schools.

There is French as a subject. Students learn some French.

There is French immersion. Students learn French by speaking nothing else.

And there is instruction in French. Francophone students learn all subjects in French.

On Friday trustees of Gulf Islands School District discussed

secret plans to offer instruction in French.

Where there are more than 11 students in a school district seeking instruction in the French language, the district must make it available.

Some consternation was expressed at the possible problem facing the islands.

It was emphasized that not only must there be a minimum of 11 francophones, but they must ask for the French language courses.

The requirement applies only to the core curriculum and where numbers of francophones warrant the provision.

A francophone is one who speaks French fairly well, it was explained.

The French-language tuition may not be diluted in order to meet the needs of anglophones.

Larry Holbrook explained that a francophone was a student with one parent from a household where French was the No. 1 language.

### NOT ENTHUSIASTIC

Spencer Marr was not enthusiastic.

"We have to employ a full-time teacher, find space. Do we have to do this kind of thing?" he asked; "Isn't it time we should be saying we are not going to do this?"

"The public schools act requires you to do it," replied Superintendent Bob Huestis.

If 11 students want it, is the district prepared to offer it, enquired Marr.

Immediate answer was "No".

If the board does not go along with it, there must be reasons, pressed the superintendent.

"We are not western bigots," commented Ivan Mouat.

Until the board has clearer information and as assessment of the financial impact, no action will be taken to implement the program.

No requests have yet been received for such a program.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ON GANGES HILL

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Wed. June 28 - 6 pm New series of pre-natal classes  
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Wed. June 28 - 7.30 pm Psychic development

Thurs. June 29 - 7pm day camp - parent & children get together

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Wed. July 5 - 7.30 pm Psychic development.

Thurs. July 6 - 7pm Women's group\*

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\* Family Centre.

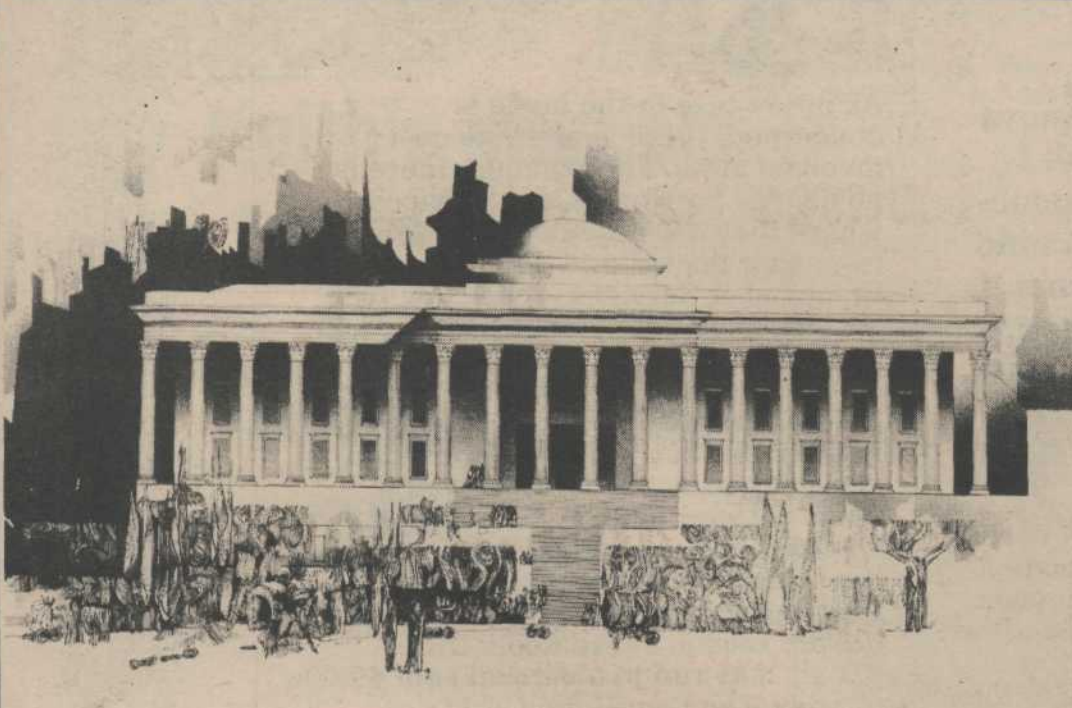
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# Salt Spring Fibres is new store at Ganges



A new store in Ganges is a co-operative venture and is being operated by about 14 island residents who are desirous of retailing their work.

Salt Spring Fibres, located next to Antiques Funque and Junque,

sells what its name implies. The seven by 14-foot store is probably the smallest on Salt Spring Island yet it is well-stocked with woven goods, wool, batik and quilted articles.

One of the co-op members,

Picture shows some of the people involved in the operation of Salt Spring Fibres. From left to right, Jezrah Hearne, Arlene Dashwood, Elaine Potter and her daughter Liza, Sandra McNie with her son Clem, and Gill Kidd.

Arlene Dashwood, said there had been concern over opening a shop that perhaps wouldn't be able to continue operating and for that reason, they intend to stay open during the summer only.

Jezrah Hearne described the operation as an organized retail outlet for islanders who are working with fibres.

Originally, the sponsors were looking for a place where they could work together. They are still looking for such a place and are planning to hold workshops in the fall.

Because of the shop's size, the co-operative will take special orders to have articles made that are not in stock.

Don't throw away this newspaper  
RECYCLE IT



This poncho is one of the woven articles that can be found at Salt Spring Fibres.

# Graffiti is daffitty

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*Smith spells it out for the future*

BY BRYAN SMITH

The car rolled off the ramp at Long Harbour Ferry terminal and proceeded about a quarter mile when suddenly the eight-year-old lad yelled, "Stop the car, Daddy".

His father, a trifle unnerved, drew on to the shoulder and stopped the car. The lad pointed excitedly to the face of the large rock on the opposite side of the road.

"Daddy, look. Is that a Native Indian sign?"

"No, son. It says, Grad 78."

"What does it mean?"

"It doesn't mean anything. Merely an expression of exuberant youth to commemorate their graduation from school."

"But why did they use oil paint?"

"Well, latex paint would have been effective but the rain would have washed it away and they want a permanent record of their work."

"Is that rock on private property, Daddy?"

"Oh, yes. No fun in despoiling public property."

"But isn't that called vandalism?"

"Ssh...keep your voice down. No, it's called hooliganism."

"Will it add value to the property?"

"I doubt it, son. In fact the reverse."

"Do you think it was the work of the art class?"

"Not necessarily. Just a select group who raided their parent's paint cans."

"But why didn't they spell out the whole word 'graduation'?"

"I doubt if they could spell it...or maybe they ran out of paint."

"Is that what we pay taxes for, Daddy?"

"Yes, son, unfortunately."

"What will happen now?"

"Nobody knows. Most probably, when they are really mature and have children of their own, they will bring them to 'sights' such as this as say 'I did that, unfortunately!'"

"Will they own property, Daddy?"

"I expect so but they will be careful not to have an inviting rock face facing a main road."

"Is that art or what?"

"Neither. Just Daffitty Graffiti."

"Is that the same as those four-letter words in Mens toilets?"

"Er - yes - it more or less reflects the same type of mentality."

"One last question, Daddy?"

His father switched on the engine and they rolled back on to the road. "Yes, son, what is it?"

"Do you keep your oil paint in the garage?"

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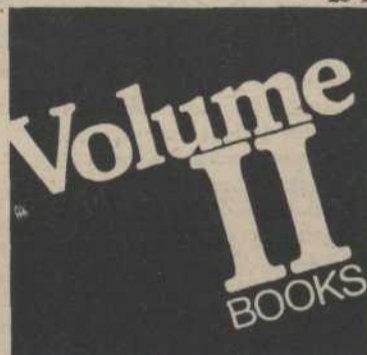
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Need genealogy information on Raines and Robinson families who lived on S.S. Is. between 1860 - 1920. Please write to N.S. Annett, 1403 Ryan St., Victoria V8R 2V9. 25-1

Used 110-220 volt gas or diesel driven or power take-off generator. Contact Bruce Hildred on "Anna V. Fagan" or phone 537-2198. 25-2

A horse to exercise by experienced rider for the first two weeks of August. Contact: Ms. Kris Hopping, 5405 Greentree Rd., West Vancouver, BC, V7W 1N3, or call 921-7838 25-1

Wanted to buy 9 x 12 rug in good condition. Phone 537-2525. 25-1

**Wanted**

**Attention all Crafts People**

Tommy Tucker's Toys & Gifts want locally made toys, gifts and souvenirs for the summer. Call 537-5612 or come by and see us in Mouat's Mall. tfn

**Pets**

Registered standard Schauzers, salt and pepper, show quality, excellent family pets. Phone 832-7770 or write J. Cummins, Box 1459, Salmon Arm, B.C. VOE 2T0 25-1

**Births**

Mr. and Mrs. James Bird would like to announce the unexpected arrival of their second grandchild, a girl weight 7 lbs. 4 oz. at the Lady Minto Hospital, June 25, 1978 while their daughter and husband of Squamish, B.C. were visiting Salt Spring. A sister for Robbie James McKenzie. Other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie of Squamish, great grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. Blatter of Salt Spring and Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowes of Vancouver. We wish to thank Dr. Jerry Nestman and staff at Lady Minto Hospital for their kindness and expediency. 25-1

**Card of Thanks**

To all the people who helped at the Bean Supper, I would like to say, thank you all very much.

-Sandy MacDonald 25-1

I wish to thank my friends who made me aware that I had put myself into a state of perpetuating negativity. I now see that by judging, I was only exalting my own ego. I learned that although it is sensible to acknowledge negative facts, it is crazy to adopt negative feelings and attitudes. Please forgive and forget.

-the schmuck 25-1

**Announcement**

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Pauls United Church in Sidney when Mrs. Bernice Francisco of Maliview Drive was united in marriage to Mr. Norman West of Sidney. Rev. R.H. Pratt officiated. A few close friends were in attendance.

**Help Wanted**

Salt Spring Island restaurant requires chef - full time, year round. Excellent position for right party. Also required - Experienced head waiter, Write Box 781, Ganges, BC. VOS 1E0 or phone 537-2511. 25-1

The Yawaca Outdoor Centre on Beaver Point Road has an opening for a mature responsible person to perform approximately 20 hours of cleaning per week at \$3.75 per hour until October 31st. For further information, contact Bert Hilckman at 653-4424 25-1

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**Work Wanted**

Versatile person wants receptionist, secretarial or sales work (or?) 537-2398 evenings before June 29 or 384-8681 evenings after July 3.

General handyman, will do anything. Please phone Gordon at 537-9220. 25-1

Person desiring gardening and yard work. \$4.00 per hr. Please call 653-4267. 25-1

Mature, responsible mother looking for cleaning work for people who need assistance in their home. Reply to Box 833, Ganges. 25-2

15 yr. old boy would like summer work. Please phone Rob, 537-2758. 25-1

Art student with 3 yrs. photographic, sign painting, graphic experience, seeks work in area. Also speaks French. John Howe, phone 537-5667. 25-1

**Personal**

Incorporate! \$70 plus filing fees. Obtain your lawyer supervised incorporation over the phone - fast! Call Self-Counsel Services toll free. 112-800-663-3007. Chargex & Mastercharge accepted. 23-4

Divorce! \$100 plus filing fees. Obtain your lawyer supervised divorce over the phone - fast! Call Self-Counsel Services toll free. 112-800-663-3007. Chargex & Mastercharge accepted. 23-4

On June 23 Sylvia and myself celebrated our 23 anniversary and Ed still says the day I married Sylvia the sun was shining and even after 23 years it still is. 25-1

**For Rent**

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**Wanted to Rent**

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Business woman requires quality home with garden or greenhouse by Sept. 1. References. Ph. 537-2534 or 537-5491 or write Box 253, Ganges, BC tfn

FAMILY of 3 seeks a cozy, sunny home preferably close to the water and to town. Please call 537-2966 or write to Box 1054, Ganges. Island references available. 25-2

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Government employee and family require 4 bedroom home to rent, lease preferred. Call collect 946-2574 or write Dept. "O", Driftwood, Box 250, Ganges, B.C. VOS 1E0. 25-1

**Coming Events**

Plan to attend Princeton Racing Days, July 7th and 8th. Par-mutual betting. Two big days of horse racing at Princeton's Sunflower Downs Race track. 25-1

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Henry Pickering, 18, and John Pinchin, 17, were charged after three campers from Burnaby were victims of robbery last Tuesday.

One of the campers told RCMP at Ganges that he had been kicked in the head and was subsequently treated for a cut lip.

Taken from the campers was \$180 and a 10-carat ring, said RCMP Tuesday.

The two men charged appeared in court at Victoria on Wednesday and each was released in his own recognizance in the sum of \$500. They were remanded until Friday for election of trial method.

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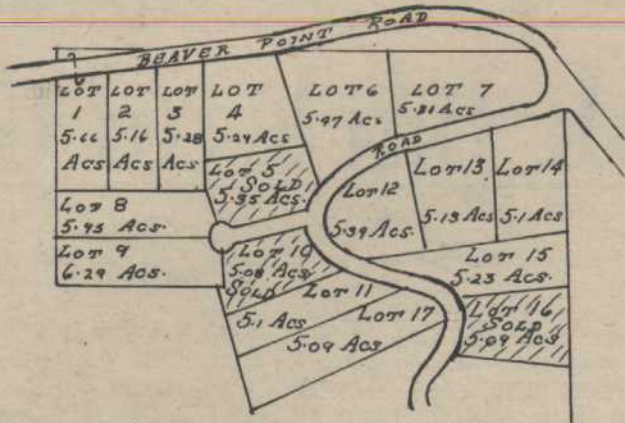
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Anyone interested in further information regarding this musical Sunday, should contact Rosalee Miles at the Ganges Telephone Answering Service.

The proceeds from the workshop will go to an orphanage in Kathmandu, Nepal. This orphanage, started by Betty Mendies from Hamilton, Ontario, has run entirely on donation for 10 years and now cares for 50 children. The contact on Salt Spring for this orphanage is Doris Anderson, Fulford.

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# Salt Spring couple look back on 60

It was a family reunion for the Fred Ross dynasty on Salt Spring Island last week end.

Fred and Olive Ross, of Ross Road, Walker Hook, were marking their 60th wedding anniversary nearly a week ahead of schedule.

It was too close to the national holiday, so they advanced their celebrations a week to enable everyone to get here without fighting ferry traffic.

They were married in Victoria on June 29, 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross have lived on Salt Spring Island for 32 years. Added to that is the fact that Fred worked for Mouat's for 10 years before he retired. As a result of their long residence here and Fred's constant meeting with islanders, they are a well-known family on the island.

Fred Ross was born in Surrey, in England, on August 27, 1889 and came to Canada when he was 16 years of age.

His first encounter with his new land was in Ontario, where he took to the woods.

Ask him about the northern forests and he still remembers the horror of losing his horses in the ice.

**THE ICE GAVE**

He was camp cook and they were moving camp. He was a young man in those days and as they made their way to the new site they crossed a frozen lake. Half way across the lake, the ice gave way and the team went straight in.

He says he can still hear the screams of the horses as they went down, tangled in the harness.

While he was in Ontario he heard that things were booming in British Columbia, so he moved west. In 1910 British Columbia was no place to be looking for work. Someone had given him a bum steer and he arrived to find work scarce and unemployment rife.

For four years he went where he could find work.

In 1914 came the First World War and before long Fred Ross was in uniform. His regiment was shipped to Vladivostok, in Russia, where they were in the aftermath of the Revolution.

**PORK PIES PLACE**

Mrs. Ross is also a native daughter of Britain. She was born in Melton Mowbray, where the pork pies come from. Not only did she come from the city of pork pies, but her father was manager of Tibbett's, manufacturers of pork pies.

In 1911 the family came out to

British Columbia and settled in Victoria.

The old house still stands at the corner of Lampson St. and Craighflower Road, in Esquimalt. Olive was one of six children, and has one brother and one sister still living in Victoria. She worked for a land surveyor in Victoria until she moved to Gordon's Ltd., as a

bookkeeper. She was there until Fred returned from overseas and they were married.

**BACK TO VANCOUVER**

After the war he operated a rolling store in North Vancouver for a time. He left to find employment with the White Lunch operation, ending up as manager of the Granville St. unit.

Came the Second World War and Fred quit his job and turned to a more military activity. He worked in the shipyards until the end of the war.

In September, 1945 they made their final move. The Rosses came to Salt Spring and built a home on Walker Hook. It has served them well and they still live in it.

That was when he went to work for Mouat's.

More than 20 years ago they retired and they have smiled and laughed their way through the years to the present day when Fred is 88 and Olive a mere 84. They drive into Ganges and walk around the commercial area they once knew better, before it changed.

They have two children, twins, Betty Horncastle, who lives with her realtor husband, Leo, on Salt Spring Island and Ken, in Vancouver with his wife, Norine.

Their five grandchildren all live in British Columbia.

**REUNION**

The family reunion was on Saturday, when they were entertained by about 30 guests. On Sunday the festive air was still abroad and they were entertained a brunch in the Horncastle home on Fernwood Road.

They received congratulations from Queen Elizabeth and the Prime Minister as well as the Premier of the province.

For many years they have been active in island affairs and are still valued members of the Ganges United Church.

By Thursday, their anniversary, they will have spent a week of celebrations.

## South Pender

### Majority of islanders want protection says chairman

Vast majority of property owners on South Pender Island want improved fire protection. Chairman of the South Pender Fire Committee, Russell Pomahac, asked that it be clearly explained that everyone on the island was invited to the public meeting in May and that when 43 attended a majority of 90% supported the proposal to spend some \$75,000 on fire protection.

The meeting was given three alternatives, Mr. Pomahac told Driftwood.

The first was to acquire a unit which would carry water to the fire and then pump it. There would be constructed a two-bay fire hall and equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gill have offered a 1,500 gallon water tank to be mounted on a suitable chassis.

The cost is estimated at slightly better than nine mills.

This was the plan approved by the meeting, when 38 of the 43 people present voted in favour.

**ALTERNATIVES**

The alternatives included provision of a tanker and pump and basic equipment. There would be a one-bay fire hall and the total cost was estimated at "two or three mills".

Mr. Pomahac told Driftwood that this was his proposal.

The third alternative was to carry on as it is now, with "less than marginal protection".

There was one vote in favour of the upgrading proposal and four supported staying the way they are.

The chairman explained that the selected proposal would bring about a 50% reduction in fire insurance, which would balance the tax burden on many properties.

He expressed regret that a story of the proposals in last week's edition had "questioned the validity of the association".

There are about 100 parcels on the island, according to the tax lists. Crown Zellerbach has some large holdings on South Pender and owns about half the island.

There is a need for improved fire protection, urged the retired fireman from Edmonton. He was serving in the city fire department with the rank of Captain when he retired and came to the Gulf Islands.

"I'm not here as the big city fire fighter," he said.

**THERE IS A NEED**  
There is a need for improved fire protection on South Pender, he urged and the hazard is always high.

"And we don't need a disaster to drive it home!"

The only fair way is to put the facts before the people, show how much it will cost and then vote on it, he urged.

He recalled the fire of several weeks ago when a cottage burned and started the trees going. He is a city fire fighter and he hadn't seen fir trees go up like matchsticks, he admitted.

An adequate fire protection on the island will bring reduced insurance premiums as well as a protection against forest fire while the forestry crews are arranging water bombers.

It takes an hour to bring the water bombers to a fire here, he told Driftwood and a local protection can hold the risk down during that waiting period.

A public meeting is to be called by the Capital Regional Board, Chairman Jim Campbell promised last week. The details of the proposal will be ironed out again.

"Let the people decide by referendum," stressed the chairman of the committee.

### Don't touch!

Beaches by the Pacific Aren't all that terrific, They're quieter than the city, But the girls are all so gritty.

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# The bus stopped and the questions started

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He came to Canada to find his fortune, says Fred Ross. He worked at every possible task until he was 29. Then he got married and found his fortune!

The bus stopped. And the problems started.

School bus on Galiano was immovable when the engine seized.

The vehicle was brought to Salt Spring Island for repairs. The driver reported that when he checked his vehicle that morning it was well provided with oil. Then it stopped.

The motor was rebuilt and the bus was sent back to Galiano.

In the meantime a check had been made on the vehicle and it was decided that certain repairs must be carried out.

The inside tires on the dual rear wheels were worn, reported Secretary-Treasurer Wilf Peck. There was excessive slack in the steering and the brake pressure warning light was not operative.

It was arranged that the various repairs would be made during the summer holidays.

On Thursday four letters were received from anxious parents on the island.

One writer protested that there have been too many breakdowns this year and that the constant failure looms as a threat to the safety of children using the bus.

Another challenged whether the bus was properly maintained. The trustees were "urged to take action on this vital matter at once".

**THREE OR FOUR**

This week was the third or the

fourth time that the bus had broken down wrote yet another worried parent. Every time this happened she had to drive 50 miles a day to transport children between North Galiano and school.

The Galiano Parents Group wrote demanding that the vehicle be fixed or replaced.

Letter was signed by Debbie Murray and R.S. Riley.

The writers challenged the "unsafe condition of the vehicle" and listed faults. They also reported that the mechanic who worked on the bus disclaimed all responsibility for its safety.

The 36-passenger bus has 50,000 miles on the clock. During the past year, it was noted, it has had a blown head gasket; a broken throttle linkage and then the driver was sick.

The need for a qualified driver was so urgent that for a time the board provided a water taxi to bring a driver from Pender Island every day to drive the school bus.

Tires were to be changed at the week end, the board learned.

Although the tires were worn, because they were on the inside of the twin wheels, there had been no danger, commented the secretary-treasurer.

There is too much play in the steering and it will take two weeks to get the replacement parts.

It was noted that the vehicle passed provincial inspection in January and that there was no complaint at that time.

Could it be traded with one of the buses on Salt Spring Island, asked Spencer Marr.

The Galiano bus has a capacity of 36 students and those on Salt Spring carry 72, he learned.

It was also noted that the bus has to be inspected again this summer by the provincial checkers.

**MODERNIZE WITH PROPANE**

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## West Coast Air Proposed Extension of Service

On June 1, 1978, West Coast Air Services applied to the Canadian Transport Commission for permission to operate additional non-stop flights from Vancouver Harbour to Victoria Harbour.

Granting of this authority will enable West Coast Air to improve seat availability and service on their flights to the Gulf Islands.

The additional traffic volume generated by the direct Victoria service will justify the substantial expenditures now being made to improve the passenger handling facilities at both harbour terminals. These facilities will include pleasant passenger waiting areas, ticketing and freight handling facilities and new dock installations.

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Support for our application may be made in writing to the:

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June 30 (Fri.)	Dagwoods	vs Cubbons	Little League
June 30 (Fri.)	Cablevision	vs Fulford	Hydro
July 2 (Sun.)	Cubbons	vs G.A.S.	Little League
July 2 (Sun.)	Fulford	vs S.S. Lands	Fulford
July 4 (Tues.)	Cablevision	vs Dagwoods	Little League
July 6 (Thurs.)	Cablevision	vs G.A.S.	Little League
July 6 (Thurs.)	Fulford	vs Kitchen	Fulford

**WOMENS**

	HOME	AWAY	FIELD
July 3 (Mon.)	Dagwoods	vs Kayes	Little League
July 3 (Mon.)	Ganges Ladies	vs Turners	Hydro
July 3 (Mon.)	Fulford	vs Mouats	Fulford
July 5 (Wed.)	Dagwoods	vs Turners	Little League
July 5 (Wed.)	Kayes	vs Ganges Ladies	Hydro
July 5 (Wed.)	Fulford	vs Bhinjis	Fulford

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### It's either one thing or another

It's not all that easy.

Mary Ann Neil reported that Mrs. R.A. Brinson, of Galiano, had asked her to press the Gulf Islands School Board to ask for the Bookmobile on Galiano.

Mrs. Brinson had been told that it must be sought by the School Board.

The board learned that if the bookmobile application is successful, the costs will be levied against Galiano properties. It was also noted that the introduction of the service closes off the open-shelf library.

It will be further discussed at the Galiano board meeting on July 27.

DRIFTWOOD FOR PHOTOCOPIES



## Saturna Island Lamb Barbecue

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## Director responds to Driftwood column

# Canada Council not insensitive to criticism of controversial poem

Following publication in Driftwood of a list of grants made by the Canada Council in recent years, a Salt Spring Island man wrote to the islands MP Tommy Douglas to question him about the grants. Mr. Douglas subsequently wrote to Charles Lussier, director of the Canada Council, enclosing a copy of the April 19 Baloney by Tony column, in which the grants were listed.

The first one dealt with in the column was a 13-line poem entitled, A Warm Place to S—. Each line of the poem was the same as the title and it was written by Canadian poet Bill Bissett. The Canada Council made a grant of \$86,000 for the poem.

Mr. Lussier explained in his reply to Tommy Douglas that the poem was funded in an indirect way by the council through the "block grants program". This program enables publishers (those that are qualified and recognized) to be "the council's delegate in the

use he makes of the council's grants...."

He went on to say that the council's regular staff, special consultants or independent assessors don't veto such manuscripts published under the block grants program.

### SMALL PORTION

"That poem obviously represents only a small portion of the council's grant-giving activity," wrote Lussier, "which is generally acknowledged as having played a most important role in the development and appreciation of the arts in Canada over the past 20 years."

Canada Council president, Mrs. Gertrude Laing, has also had something to say about Bill Bissett following other criticisms of his work. She says the most difficult question is who is to judge artistic quality and on what basis? Most of his critics, she continues, appear to have read only one of his poems and it is necessary, she feels, to be familiar with his "entire literary career" to be able to make a judgment.

Mrs. Laing quotes two people "from a thick file of favourable opinions."

Warren Tallman of the University of B.C. writes: "I think no poet in Vancouver is so deserving of

Canada Council support as is Bill Bissett."

And Eli Mandel of York University: "By now, I think there can be little question that Bissett's substantial and continuous output constitutes a major contribution to Canadian writing."

### NOT INSENSITIVE

However, Mr. Lussier said that the council is "not at all insensitive" to the criticisms that were made following publication of the 13-line poem. The council, he said, is looking for ways of improving the block grants program so that it would not contribute to the publication of work that is offensive to generally accepted standards.

Dealing with the other grants mentioned in the Driftwood column, Lussier said that about 10% of the council's research grants' budget is spent on foreign projects and that the council's principal aim is to support university-based research.

"The projects we fund are a reflection of the kind of activity which goes on in a Canadian university. Such institutions are set up to promote scholarship, which is by tradition international.

"As long as our institutions of higher learning do not preoccupy themselves totally with Canadian subject matter, research councils must be prepared to entertain requests to fund projects of indisputable scholarly merit in any field of learning within their terms of reference."

## Driver charged

Driver of a Volkswagen station wagon was uninjured when the vehicle left the road on Thursday, causing about \$1,000 damage.

Andrew Cooper, Victoria, was driving north on Fulford-Ganges Road when he failed to negotiate the curve near Dukes Road. He has been charged with driving with undue care and attention.

DRIFTWOOD  
FOR PHOTOCOPIES

# RESTRICTED



## Trustees learn ministerial secrets under covers

It was classified.

Secret education documents were discussed twice at Friday's meeting of Gulf Islands School Board.

When the results of tests carried out in islands schools were under discussion, the superintendent of education emphasized that they must not be released to the press.

The public could only hear the comments of the privileged classes discussing the secret documents.

They were better than average, but still at an extremely low level, commented A.S. Marr.

Province-wide tests had resulted in an average 40.82, he noted. The mysterious figures were not a guide, observed Superintendent Bob Huestis, without having seen the test material.

The tests must have referred to material covered in class, suggested Marr.

And there was no more debate on the classified material.

Later, trustees debated the secret departmental investigation into French instruction.

When the matter of French instruction had been carefully considered, Ivan Mouat warned that they were discussing classified material.

"It is supposed to be a secret document," he said.

It was dated June 7 and marked "Restricted".

It had been published in the Vancouver Sun on June 2.

"I don't think it should be restricted at all," commented Mouat.

## Saturna Scene

BY KUKLOS

The school has been much in the news lately. The class and individual pictures recently taken by a Ganges photographer arrived, much to the delight of all.

Children were exchanging the littlest pictures, and parents proudly displaying the larger ones all week.

Each spring, principal Taimi Hindmarch invites the following year's kindergarten class to the school for a few days orientation, familiarizing them with the day-to-day doings of the Big school. Faedra Campbell (so far the entire 1978-79 kindergarten class) was pleased to spend time there with the older kids.

This week also provided outdoor learning experiences for all the students. The primary class, accompanied by Taimi, Melanie Gaines and most welcome volunteer, Margaret Forbes-Robertson, made various excursions around the island, studying inter-tidal life, forests, and points of historic interest.

The highlight of the week for the intermediate class was a three day camping excursion to Cactus Point. The children carried all the necessary supplies and slept in lean-tos they built themselves.

They collected firewood, and water, as well as arranging the shelter, and cooked the meals. On the second day they hiked to Taylor Bay and back for inter-tidal studies, and a look at the old stone quarry. Accompanying Michael

Hayes and the group was Priscilla Janszen, whose knowledge of the area, and of nature itself, and camping experience, made her invaluable to the outing.

The results are in of the B.C. Historical Association Essay Competition. Of the Saturna children receiving special awards, Rick Neville won second place in the Grade 6-7 area, with a paper on Place Names of Saturna. In Grades 4-5, Cory Boser took first prize with Saturna Island Pioneer, Mrs. Ann Bavis. Sandra Crooks, Grade 9, now on Mayne Island, was awarded Honourable Mention, with a timely history of the Saturna Barbecue.

Em and Laura Coombs welcomed grandsons Richard and Christopher Bertram over for a visit. Betty and John MacDonald, had family Susan Smith, husband Wayne, and granddaughter Brooke Naomi at their East Point home.

Gordie Wick, of Saturna Point Marina, reports that two American visitors caught two 28-pound salmon off East Point; Don Hogg, using only spinning gear, got a 45-pound ling cod, and Mary Rose Paulin, a 30-pound cod. Lori Bouch too was lucky with salmon during her fishing expeditions.

Per and Carol Fisker entertained Per's brother, Nels, from Denmark. He stayed for a week. E. McKeever, of the I.C.B.C. Loss Prevention Department, also came to Saturna and visited the school and Fire Hall.

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# End not yet in sight for Central Hall project

**BY BEVIS WALTERS**

Since John Graham took over at Central Hall as project manager, things have been going smoothly indeed. He has been supplying the guiding hand we so badly needed.

Backed by his 30 years as a journeyman carpenter, his efforts are just what was needed. Delays have been overcome and once again our construction program is back on time-table.

If you have passed by Central Hall during the week recently, you will have noticed that the front steps have been taken away.

These steps were used by Salt Spring Islanders for more than eight decades and still have more life left in them, but they had to go in order to make room for the new foyer, porch, cloak room and ticket office.

New steps will lead down to the north corner, where they will be met by the wheelchair ramp, which will be on the north side.

**FIRST EVER**

The ramp will be the first ever built onto a public hall on Salt Spring Island, and will cost more than \$1,000 to complete. The ramp has always been high on the committee's list of priorities but rising costs and extra expenditures in order to meet the stringent demands of Public Safety Laws brought about its postponement. When the Auxiliary to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital learned of the delay, they acted immediately. They sent us a cheque for \$1,000 to be used, specifically, to pay for the ramp, which put it once more among our high priority objectives.

Works included in the immediate future program are: plumbing, electric wiring, including up-dating existing wiring, placing of fire-resistant drywall, finishing floors, including up-dating dance floor to modern standards, painting inter-

ior and completion of exterior painting. Most of the work merely has to be completed. Floor coverings and cabinet work will follow. **ALL PURCHASED HERE**

Our costs for materials along, to this date, have exceeded \$40,000

and all have been bought on the Island.

In spite of our continuing work on the Central Hall Renovation Project since early January we are not, at this date, able to forecast a completion, or opening date, but

we are hoping for one in September.

We would like, at this stage, to let all our well-wishers, supporters, donors and gift givers to know that all moneys, either in cash or kind, have been used exclusively for the

purchase of materials and not for wages.

All wages have been paid out of Government Grants, mainly the Winter Works Program, which will continue to pay them until July 30, after which we will be on our own. **SUPPORT**

As there is still much to be done and much to be paid for, we are looking forward to continued support from our friends, but our main effort will be to raise money by endeavours, as opportunity offers.

This week we are placing Salt Spring salt-spring water on sale, and are not out of ideas yet.

We wish to thank the following benefactors for gifts and donations recently received: D. Cavaye; Denise Crofton in memory of Harry Nicholls; Doreen Morris in memory of Fred Morris and Harry Nicholls; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lacy; the auxiliary of the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. M. Pyntz; Joyce Wilson and Daphne Topping.

## The phone men of Salt Spring

From B.C. Tel Island messenger: "Do unto others as you would

have them do unto you", is the Golden Rule Charlie Baltzer, Salt



Here is Charlie Baltzer engrossed in repairing the intrinsic mechanism of a telephone. (Photo by K. Horodyski).

Spring Island Repairman uses on his job and with his customers. "With this approach", says Charlie, "I keep the Island people happy when it comes to phone service of any kind."

Charlie, who has been on the Island since 1970 as Combination-man 'A' has found he gets involved not only in telephone repair, but installations, commercial, collections, construction -- literally in all phases of the Company's operations. "You have to", he says, "its the only way to keep the island people contented. When you think about it, most of my job involves Public Relations.

With wife Helen, and raising a family of two sons and three daughters, Charlie has found time to help others as an active member of the local Chamber of Commerce, School Board, Rotary, and Canadian Legion. His love is running an International Rotary student exchange program which often

means boarding youngsters at home -- which both he and Helen enjoy doing.

In what free time he has, Charlie sails, fishes, and gardens, all of which he intends to continue through into retirement some five to ten years hence.

Prior to starting as a lineman 29 years ago in the Fraser Valley, Charlie worked with Petersen Electric as power lineman. This career he pursued after being discharged from the Air Force as Flight Lieutenant.

Throughout his career, Charlie has developed a philosophy of 'giving your best at all times', "and this," he says, "requires being flexible. We all have a role to play and we should allow ourselves time to analyze who we are, what we are doing, and where we are going."

Whether its on or off the job, Charlie gives of himself, of his time, and truly follows the golden Rule -- "and it pays off," he says.



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# Fernwood

BY JESSIE SAYER

Mr. and Mrs. Robin Schick and small son, of Williams Lake, made a quick visit to our island and brought greetings from Marg and Warren Blackstock, former owners of a cottage on Fernwood Road.

Mrs. G. Smith, of Walker Hook Road has returned to her home after enjoying several weeks touring Canada and the United States. She particularly enjoyed the beauty of the Eastern Provinces and a visit to her parents in northern Ontario.

Harry Duke, of Burnaby and Mrs. Lars Ostby, of New Westminster spent a few days visiting Harry's mother, Mrs. Madge Duke, who is now a resident of Park Drive Rest Home.

A few neighbours were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Taylor of Walker Hook Road on the afternoon of June 21 to mark the Taylor's 50th wedding anniversary.

There had been a family celebration previously.

Mrs. G. Ritchie, who was one of the guests, has celebrated her 92nd birthday a few days before but was especially happy at the prospect of becoming a great-great-grandmother in the near future.

I'm sorry to say the shed at the end of Fernwood dock is being used as a garbage dump. It's only the start of summer and boating season so what will it be like in a few weeks?

The first great-grandchild was only a few hours late! All the wishful thinking didn't hurry her

into arriving on June 21 as hoped for on the 50th anniversary of her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Taylor of Fernwood.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harding of Surrey, B.C., and she arrived at 11 am on June 22. Every one is happy as mother and baby are doing well.

Father's Day, Sunday June 18, was the day chosen by the family of Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Taylor of Fernwood to celebrate their parents' Golden Wedding. The family gathered for the afternoon and evening at the home of Wilf Taylor on Robinson Road. Distance and other commitments kept their two daughters from being present, but their greetings came by telephone and mail.

The highlight of the party was the cutting of ribbons and the unveiling of a shining new refrigerator.

## Rewarding

Evaluation team inspecting Gulf Islands Secondary School was very positive in its comments, reported Trustee Ann Foerster at Friday's school board meeting in Ganges.

Four teachers have carried out the evaluation. They will return in September to disclose their findings.

Initial verbal comments had been rewarding, reported Mrs. Foerster.

# GOLFING

BY PAT DOHERTY

In the ladies' nine-hole section, 16 ladies turned out to play "Hidden Partner".

The winners were Mayford Cavaye and Dorothea Crofton.

On the same day, in the 18-hole division, there again was a three-way tie in the 18-hole medal round. Tied for low net were Barbara Maguire, Ruby McConnell, and Betty Harrison. As yet the results for team play against Glen Meadows and Gorge Vale are not in.

Play in the Rose Bowl has finally been completed; trophy winner, Irene Hawksworth, consolation, Anne Monro; first flight, Jean Hopkins; second flight, Dolly Whorley.

Wednesday, June 21, was another beautiful evening, with 31 members turning out for the regular mixed event.

This time, everyone played their own ball over the nine holes, and drew lots for partners at the finish.

The low net winners were Alice Fraser and Ray Parsons with 64½. Tied for runner-up spot were Audrey Smith and Jim Mayo, and Gloria Lloyd and Gordon Kennedy at 66½.

Closest to pin on number 2 were Alice Fraser and Frank Cunningham, and on number 6, Dorothy and Gordon Kennedy.

### MIXED EVENINGS

The good weather, excellent condition of the course, improvements to the clubhouse, including a well-stocked bar, all contribute to making the mixed evenings most

enjoyable. If you haven't yet tried them you are missing something.

On Thursday evening at 5 pm 24 men turned out for the first "Men Only" affair. After nine holes of golf all hands gathered in the clubhouse and partook of some excellent sandwiches put up by Jan, after which a most enjoyable evening was concluded with several hands of bridge, crib and other games.

The draw for the Jensen Cup will be posted Thursday, and post entries will be accepted.

To qualify to play this year, you have to be 70 years of age or over by December 31, 1978.

There are more entries than usual this year, which isn't really surprising, as no one is getting any younger.

The next major event for men is the Buzz Brown and Tom Butt Trophies, which will be played off simultaneously on July 8. This is a low gross low net medal affair, restricted to men 55 years of age or over on the day of the tournament. The entry list is now posted on the board.

### INTER-ISLAND

On Saturday last the final leg of the mens Inter Island matches were played at Pender, and Salt Spring successfully defended the Bambrick Trophy.

The Alfred Ewan Trophy for total low gross over the three courses was won by Wilf Mather, of Pender, with 235 total. Runners up were Stan Corey, 237 and Larry Davies, 239. The Crawford Bowl, representing the low gross at

## Farewell party for Amy Storey, Reid Collins

Beaver Point Hall was the scene of a going-away party last week for the two people who have been working with the alternate class at Ganges.

Reid Collins has been teacher of the class for a number of years and has resigned. Amy Storey has also resigned; she held the position of teacher's aid.

About 200 people attended the farewell party on Thursday evening, at which Collins was presented with a rocking chair and Amy Storey, a hanging basket of fuchsias.

The two were also "graduates" in a ceremony presided over by secondary school principal Bob McWhirter, Driftwood was told.

Pender, was won by Stan Corey with a 78, followed by Wilf Mathers with 79, and Ken Clarke at 82.

On Sunday, July 2 there is another mixed Breakfast and Golf event along the lines of the most successful precedent of May 22. If you missed that one make sure you catch this one. Breakfast is at 9 am and golf at 9.30 am. It is four-ball, best ball. Cut-off is June 29 and draw is on the 30.

The list is on the board, so don't be disappointed, and get your names down for an entertaining morning of golf in excellent company.

Last, but not least, our congratulations to Larry Davies, who defeated Mac Mouat on the 18th green to win the Matson Cup.

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# TOUCHING THE EARTH

## Recording team from coast to coast

By Frank Richards

I touched the earth, but I didn't dare say it.

The earth came to Cottonwood Road and I followed in its wake.

Cliff Jones was host to the recording spree and Sylvia Tyson and her co-host on the popular CBC program, Touch the Earth, Doug spent half a day preparing for an autumn radio series.

The living room was the studio. If the reel is going round, don't talk, they warned me. It was, so I didn't.

I was scared. My watch was ticking, but nobody argued. Then

Ready for a show in September are Valdy, with his guitar and, left, Kathy Stack and Marianne Grittani, singing a recording with two CBC skilled listeners.

the telephone out in the kitchen rang and they still didn't cringe.

It's been a long time, said Sylvia.

The portable studio doesn't wait for the musicians to come to Ottawa or Toronto. It goes out across the nation to meet the young Canadian singers.

### RECOGNIZED

It has been a very impressive experience, commented the radio personality. She has been particularly impressed with the complete acceptance of most of the singers she has recorded. They are mostly warmly acclaimed in their own communities.

The journey west started at Sudbury.

Why Sudbury? They had to start somewhere!

They have found singers and instrumentalists and composers and many who are all three.

It was to record Valdy that they came to Salt Spring Island. So they recorded a number of other local singers at the same time.

That's the very purpose of radio and the CBC, suggested Sylvia Tyson. She was also impressed with the manner in which the young musicians across Canada identify with their own communities. They have no call to search for a national identity. They have

[Turn to Page Thirty-Two]



Sylvia Tyson, co-host of the CBC radio show, Touch the Earth, stands on the threshold.

### Board to meet on islands

Gulf Islands School Board will meet on Galiano Island on July 27. It will be an afternoon meeting.

When an evening meeting was mooted, it was suggested that the meeting will draw the regulars at whatever time it is called and no change in time would have the others turn out.

On August 22 the board will meet in Saturna School at 1 pm.

There is no problem, getting there, suggested Chairman Tom Davidson. If Salt Spring Island trustees catch the 6.40 ferry in the morning they can be on Saturna by noon.

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The Committee is reviewing the present and projected requirements for physicians, by region and by speciality; the means of meeting these requirements, and the various mechanisms which could be employed to improve the distribution of physicians.

The Committee, therefore, respectfully requests the submission of written briefs from all interested individuals, professional associations, and the public in general, on any matter pertinent to this study.

The time frame within which this Committee is working is comparatively short; therefore, it would be appreciated if all briefs were submitted by August 14, 1978 to:

Chairman,  
Advisory Committee on Medical Manpower,  
1515 Blanshard Street,  
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W. D. BLACK  
Chairman

# Minister sends his emissary

It looked like a brush-off. Gulf Islands School Board had asked three ministers for an audience to consider an increased transportation allowance for Outer Island students.

Each Outer Island has an elementary school on its soil. Galiano and Saturna students travel to Mayne for Junior high school and to Salt Spring Island for secondary school. Pender students also attend Gulf Islands Secondary School for senior high school subjects.

The cost of travelling is considerable and parents are looking for daily transportation.

Education Minister Pat McGeer wrote that he would have a member of his staff meet with Secretary-Treasurer Wilf Peck to discuss the proposal.

He would meet the board if the staff members could not resolve it."

There were some derisive noises.

# Touch the Earth

[From Page Thirty-One] already found it. Salt Spring Island is the western end of their musical junket. Armed with an expensive array of tape recordings they are about to return to their Toronto office and make a radio series which will run for many weeks. The program will probably get on the air in September. That's the schedule they have drawn.

## NOT FOLK MUSIC

It's not folk music, insisted the young lady in charge. Each singer is his own man, usually he composes as well as sings. And most times he also provides his own accompaniment.

And the singers and the guitars rang.

They were touching the earth on Thursday. The Canadian earth.

They have no hang-ups about identifying as Canadians, suggested Sylvia. They are Canadians. They sing about Canada, their own piece of Canada and if they move along to some other part of the country they identify with it because it's part of where they started and where, likely, they will return.

She's the catalyst, bringing all these Canadian musicians together. They come together, one reel after another, to sing of the coast

# Busy week for riders

The Salt Spring Island Riding Club has a busy week coming up.

On July 4, 5 and 6, Fran Joyce, of Duncan, will be giving an English clinic for local riders.

There will be classes ranging from beginners to the more advanced.

Anne Caldwell has all the information.

On Tuesday, July 4, Fran will give a high level dressage demonstration on her own stallion.

Fran and her horses have competed and placed highly in many area shows.

The riding club will welcome spectators to the ring at Rainbow Road.

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# DOROTHY WROTNOWSKI DIES IN LADY MINTO HOSPITAL

Dorothy Wrotnowski, who served as women's editor of two newspapers before retiring to Salt Spring Island, died in Lady Minto Hospital at Ganges on Wednesday morning, June 21.

She was 70 years old. She retired to her Vesuvius Bay home in 1973. She was no stranger to Salt Spring Island having lived here since 1968, in readiness for retirement.

The retired newspaperwoman was born in Duncan in 1907 and went to school in Duncan.

She married Teddy May, of

Duncan, in California. Their son, Jerry predeceased her. She has two grandchildren, Paula and Philip May.

Her second husband was Fred W. Wrotnowski, a banker from Vancouver.

She had worked as women's editor of the Victoria Daily Colonist for 28 years. She had previously served in the same capacity for the Nelson Daily News since 1938.

She had many reminiscences of Victoria families and their foibles, gathered over the years, and she was a fount of Vancouver Island history.

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