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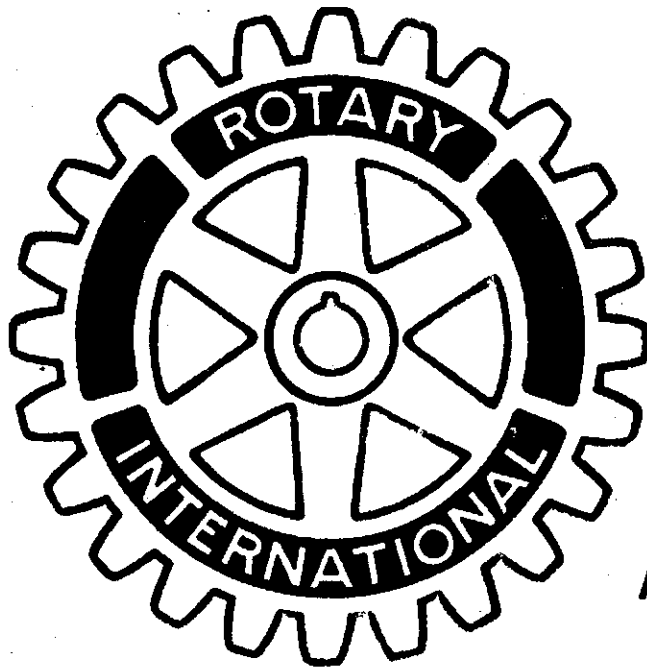
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Old timers have helped



Daisy Gear and Ted are the only guests looking up when the photographer appeared on the balcony.



Guy Cunningham and Phyllis Newman are looking back



George Heinekey, for a quarter-century the president of the Institute is seen here as its guest. Behind him are Dorothy James and Ray Stewart, with Ruth Heinekey, Florence Hepburn and Jean Holmes.



Devon Gear claps while Lisa Luth watches out of the corner of her eye. Also seen are Kathleen Rathwell, Walter Luth, Mrs. George Laundry and Ruby Alton.



Olive Mouat, Dorothy Beech, Anna Jameski and Irene Palmer seem very happy to be here.



Bob Dodds is looking the other way while his wife and Gladys Caldwell chat with Gladys and Cree Shaw.

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Dinner honours senior farmers

The annual old-timers dinner, presented recently by the Salt Spring Island Farmers' Institute, was initiated to pay tribute to the farmers of the past.

Each year the institute invites the senior farmer members of the community to enjoy a pleasant meal and to meet their contemporaries. And at each annual dinner a presentation is made to members of the farming community who have made their mark on the island fields.

The dinner was held on Saturday, Feb. 28 in Fulford Hall. Members of the institute prepared the meal for the guests of honour.

During the evening the president of the institute, Allan Gear, made a number of presentations.

The first to be recognized was no old-timer. She was Bev Byron, who has been secretary for a number of years, and has now retired from that office.

Ted and Daisy Gear were feted in recognition of the years both have served as members and directors of the farmers' group.

CONTRIBUTION

Cyril and Dorothy Beech were hailed for their contribution to agriculture on the island over many years.

Lots of old-timers were mentioned and introduced during the evening.

Louise Harkema summed it up when she told *Driftwood*, "We are honouring the old-timers for what they have contributed to the agricultural community as it was here once."

Following the exceptionally fine fare, the guests joined in community singing and chatting about past trials and triumphs.



General view of the festivities in Fulford Hall was taken when the vast array of dishes had been exhausted.



Jessie Toynbee and Dorothy Harris are deep in conversation.



John and Mary Inglin with Russell Thorburn finishing off the evening.



Margaret Cunningham and Molly Acheson are exchanging jokes.



Leon King, Mrs. King and Tom O'Donnell relax after a good dinner.

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Slugs snatch tie from jaws of defeat

BY FRANCOIS FACEMASK

It had to happen. Everything had come so easily. Little more than half way through the second period and the Slugs were already cruising with a 5-1 lead over Cowichan's Contribution to the Canadian Pension Plan - The Duncan Old-Timers. (Grecian Formula couldn't help those guys even if they roller-coated it on).

Everything the Slugs shot had gone in - every pass was on the money - the wingers were skating, the defensemen (save one) were breaking up everything coming their way. Mel Topping was even back-checking (hard to believe but true!)

IN TROUBLE

Then it happened: penalties, a sloppy clearing pass here, a missed check there, a couple of soft goals and suddenly the Slugs were in trouble: 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, and then early in the third, 5-5.

Things went silent on the bench as the Old-Timers swarmed around the net and the Slugs struggled erratically to hang on. No use, though - another careless pass, defensemen lying here and there and a hapless goalie digging out another puck - 6-5 Old-Timers. Time running out - just over a minute to go - the Old-Timers pressing - the situation looking grim - Boom-Boom dumps the puck into the corner and outraces an Old-Timer to it.

A desperate centring pass and out of nowhere "The Jet" Peter Huser - suddenly free - banging the puck under the outstretched leg of the Duncan goalie. The Slugs have snatched a tie from the jaws of defeat.

THEY'LL TAKE IT

Not pretty, not even deserved - but the Slugs will take it, particularly considering the sorry condition of several of their players.

Take Ron Moger, for instance, can you imagine? He got a haircut! Several of the Old-Timers (and a few Slugs) were so convinced that there was an undercover RCMP'er on our team that every time Ron yelled "shoot" everyone hit the ice.

Or what about our three basketball stars - Terry, Ian and Pat Gaines - fresh from the weekend hoop tournament. Some game - three different stories. Terry, in his spiffy new \$1.49 skates, spent most of his time catching pucks with his mouth and throat, and generally fanning more times than a geisha girl.

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Ian, on the other hand, showing the effects of three basketball games and a 16-mile run, did his imitation of a cement pillar, standing there as the Old-Timers went over, under, around and through him. Truly an outstanding performance.

And Pat Gaines, he of damaged knee fame, did his famous rendition of Arky the balancing seal on top of a basketball. Unfortunately, his ankle and several other parts of his anatomy took exception, leaving Pat in the unenviable position of playing defense on one leg.

In spite of this handicap, he played a remarkable game at left wing from his right defense position - two goals and 47 breakaways for the Old-Timers.

And this doesn't even take in to account Boom-Boom, who spent the week whimpering and whining that no one appreciated "all" he does for us - and that if we didn't smarten up, he was going to take his puck and go home. Fortunately for us, he seldom sees or touches one.

Oh well, at least this weekend the real fun begins. Off to Gold River to defend our cow-pie throwing and beer drinking championships. Should be at least an 8.9 on the Richter scale.

Kicks tie with Bullfrogs

Contributed

Lakehill Bullfrogs 2, Salt Spring Kicks 2.

Talk about the skin of your teeth. The Kicks were lucky to come away from the final league game of the season with a point in hand. Lakehill Bullfrogs have improved considerably since we first played them and defeated them soundly. The Kicks, on the other hand, on the basis of recent performances, have come unglued.

The Kicks were undermanned and Paul Cottrell, the number one striker in the league, was injured and barely able to kick the ball. However, these disadvantages did not excuse poor performance. The team was not playing as a unit. The very fault that we have seen cause other teams to lose games so often, was evidenced by the Kicks yesterday.

Team members criticized each other, the opposing team and the officiating. That kind of behaviour is usually a one-way ticket to defeat.

NO REFEREE

What put the finishing touch on the sad occasion was the fact that there was no referee for the game, and so the two coaches refereed, taking one half each. At this level of soccer, it is disgraceful that such a situation should arise. When it does, it certainly does not in any way enhance the quality of play.

In defense of the Kicks and their

recent performances, it must be said that the team, at full strength, playing the superior quality of soccer that every person on the team is capable of, has not really been challenged for a year or more.

When winning is easy, when there is no challenge in an activity, maintaining a high standard of performance becomes extremely difficult. It says a great deal for the Kicks that even when their play has been far below their usual standard, when they have ceased to function as a team and when individual players have become careless, indifferent and even hostile, they have still not been defeated.

NEVER DEFEATED

On two occasions this season opposing teams have tied the Kicks. On two or three other occasions the Kicks have been given a scare. But not once have they been defeated.

The challenge that they will meet with in the A league next season is a challenge that the Kicks desperately need. It will not be an easy season for them. They will lose games, that is for sure. However, they'll be playing against teams

that produce a very high standard of soccer, and that's what these talented young people need if they are going to realize their potential.

Just to keep the record straight, Mike Blomly and Sean Logan scored the team's goals on Sunday. Both goals were the product of good plays.

One further straightening of the record, along with an apology to Lyle Brown, the Kicks' ace defender. I reported the score in the previous game as 2-0 for the Kicks. The score was actually 3-0. (How could I make such a mistake when I am able to chew gum and walk, both at the same time). The third goal came from a fine penalty taken by Lyle Brown.

Congratulations, Kicks, and good luck in the 2A division next year.

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Fourth-place finish for Grade 10's at Duncan

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Gulf Islands Secondary School sent two teams to the junior boys basketball tournament which was held at Quamichan Junior Secondary on March 5 and 6.

The Grade 9 team got off to a difficult start by being matched against Quamichan, the number one team in the area. After losing that they met our Grade 10 team. Despite 23 points by Sean Logan plus the constant hustling of Lyle Brown, Jonathan Jenkins, Graham Nelson and Paul Cottrell, lost by a mere five points.

The Grade 10 team, led by Gordon Hitchcock, Roger Trory, Steve Marleau and Dan Fraser, lost only one game on the weekend - a 51 to 50 squeaker to Shawnigan Lake Boys' School.

The weekend performance earned the Grade 10 boys a fourth-place finish amid some very stiff competition.

While each game was a commendable team effort, special mention must go to Ken Marr for rebounding above and beyond the call, to Dan Utter for an exciting 25-point game when it was badly needed and Bruce Caspar, our "super pest," for his endless energy which kept the opposition off balance.

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Cyclones control most of play in win over Islanders

BY BRUCE CASPAR
Salt Spring Cyclones 4, L.E.O. Islanders 1.

On Sunday the Cyclones played the L.E.O. Islanders, but it turned out to be the Cyclones versus the "chin-hackers." It didn't prove to be one of the more exciting games but like most, the Cyclones controlled most of the play.

The Cyclones' defense got the first two goals. The first goal was scored by Jim Buckley which was his first of the year. The goal came off a cornerkick from Nelson Graham which Jim headed into the net.

This writer got the next goal on a direct penalty. The shot was a good one going just past the defensive wall and just inside the post. The rest of the play in the half was a little sloppy, mainly because of two injuries to Cyclone players. This is where the chin-hackers took over, using poor skills and bad sportsmanship for their defense.

The second half was played in much the same manner but with the Cyclones usually on top of the play.

Bryan Caspar got the next goal on another cornerkick. There was a short scramble but then the ball popped out to Bryan, who shot it in. The Cyclones' last goal was scored by Dan Utter. This goal came from another scramble where Ricky Andrews came up with the ball and passed it to Dan

Bridge winners

Winners at the Gulf Islands Bridge Club on March 2 were:

First, Lois Popkin-Clurman and Jean Jefferies; second, Irene Hawksworth and Norm McConnell; third, Edith Owen and Margaret McDonald; fourth, Mary K. Thomas and Mayme Iverson; fifth, Dr. and Mrs. Hyslop.

On March 3: first, George Ferguson and Fred Melhuish; second, Lois Popkin-Clurman and Shirley Love; tied third, Dr. and Mrs. Hyslop, Gordon Hutton and Irene Hawksworth.

The annual charity game for the Canadian Diabetic Association will be held March 17.

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who then drilled it into the net.

The Islanders got their lone goal with about one minute left. The goal came off a penalty shot.

Next week the Cyclones start their play-offs for the District Cup.

Two school bus drivers may go to full-time positions

The Gulf Islands School Board gave unanimous approval last week to a motion calling for the board to explore the feasibility of promoting two of its three school bus drivers to full-time positions.

At present, the three drivers are guaranteed a minimum of five hours per day, five days a week. However, drivers will often put in up to 10 hours a day, particularly when it is required that they transport school children to extracurricular activities.

The motion was put forward by Salt Spring Island trustee Mary Williamson.

Rising school enrolment and an increasing number of buses that the district maintains necessitates that the board at least look into the possibility, according to Williamson.

She said later that under the present system, drivers are not always available when they are needed and that it would be prefer-

able to have two of its drivers employed full-time.

Williamson said that it also requires an increasing number of man hours just to warm up and clean up buses in the district.

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GALIANO NEWS

New teacher welcomed at Galiano School

BY BASIL AND KATHLYN BENDER

We join with the parents of Galiano School children in welcoming Mrs. Florence Dodwell to the school staff. For the last 5 1/2 years Mrs. Dodwell has lived overlooking Whaler Bay and both she and her husband, Charlie, have been active in many facets of community life.

Before she came to Galiano Mrs. Dodwell taught school for 27 years, in all grades from kindergarten to Grade 13. She has also been a principal. On Galiano she is replacing Miss Sharon McKitterick, our French teacher.

In order to finance an expedition to Strathcona Outdoor Education School for the Grades 6's and 7's, the school is organizing a bottle drive. Islanders are asked to donate beer and coke bottles, and if necessary, may phone the school at 9-2261 to arrange a pick-up. Bob Bambrick has generously donated his services to return all bottles for the school.

The school would like to have a weekly hobby and activity hour in the very near future each Friday from 2 to 3 pm. The staff welcomes the services of islanders who could donate this hour to share their hobby or special interest with a small group of children. Please phone Mr. Gaylor at the school to offer your help.

North Galiano Needs

At their recent meeting, the North Galiano Community Club executive formulated plans for two important community projects.

They would like to start associated fire prevention groups in the Retreat Cove and Ganner Drive areas. Increased fire prevention measures could result in fire insurance coverage at more advantageous terms for mid-island householders. If you live in this area, can you volunteer?

They are also planning a work bee at the North Galiano Community Hall this Saturday from 1 to 3 pm. Volunteers are needed to clean and burn shrubbery.

Please contact Bill Stafford for details of how you can help in Saturday's clean-up.

Ambulance Meeting

In a recent *Driftwood* Mary C. Williamson wondered in her *More Food for Thought* column how "decent people ... can remain indif-

ferent to the suffering of people around them." She then mentioned "the exceptional action" of Dr. Donald Sutherland who has left his practice on Pender Island to work for four months in Somalia for Oxfam, organizing health care facilities at a camp for 50,000 refugees.

Since Dr. Sutherland left, a group of Pender Islanders arranged a door-to-door campaign. They hope to wire the money raised to Dr. Sutherland to use before he returns in May.

Perhaps public sympathy is most effectively quickened by a personal example such as Dr. Sutherland's. Last Thursday, Galiano's doctor, Hugh Maclure, showed slides of his medical work in Uganda and Sierra Leone to the ambulance group, and made them more aware of the magnitude of the problems in Africa today.

Dr. Maclure, who has already done seven tours of duty in Africa, would like to relieve an over-worked doctor there for three months if he could find someone to handle his practice on Galiano. He particularly stressed the great need for preventative programs to save children under five, that organizations like Oxfam and Unicef are attempting to set up.

St. Margaret's Church

The celebration of World Day of Prayer this week also pinpointed the necessity for "those with plenty (to) give to those in need." This year's service-format at St. Margaret's was chosen by Jean Lockwood and prepared by Christian Indian women in the United States, who believe that people should live in harmony with each other and with nature.

Shay Foster led the service and organized a team of speakers which included Joan Callaghan, Allison Thornhill, Kathlyn Benger and Shay's young daughter, Arwen.

Pearson College Visitor

This last week was Project Week at the Lester B. Pearson College of the Pacific. Each of their 200 students, who are between 16 and 18 years of age and come from 52 different countries, chose a single project to work on in contrast to their crowded, normal work week. The aim of Henrik Bindslev Hansen, a 17-year-old Danish boy, was to become acquainted with the

community of Galiano at first hand.

Each Pearson student not only prepares himself academically up to International Baccalaureate standard, but also devotes a considerable portion of his time to community service. Henrik, who loves the outdoors, spends a minimum of two afternoons a week on forestry projects, such as making and clearing trails, thinning out diseased trees, measuring their ages and draining logging roads.

It was therefore fitting that he was able to begin his stay here by attending the annual general meeting of the Galiano Club and hearing the report of the committee studying the management of Bluff Park. He also spent several delightful hours exploring Galiano's treed areas in the company of Pat Weaver.

Another of Pearson College's community services is its concern for the elderly and the handicapped. The students pay regular visits to senior citizens and do outside work for them. Henrik volunteered to do some much-needed pruning at Page Drive.

During his stay he mentioned that the most valuable thing he had gained from his time at the college was the friendships he had made. His new friends on Galiano enjoyed his company and hope he will return before long.

Fishers

The old man was going fishing. His small plywood boat was half-full of rainwater. He set his gear aside in order to tip the boat on its side and empty the water out. He replaced his oars, life-jacket, lures, tub, knife and priest.

He began to drag the boat over the algae-slippery rocks to the gently-lapping grey sea. Pushing his yellow pram dinghy into the sea he scrambled aboard, setting his oars in the locks and sitting on the thwart seat.

A heron fishing nearby rose with awkward grace and a complaining squawk. The old man decided to row out to the bell-buoy which marked the end of the reef, a distance of nearly a mile, against a stiff breeze. He took a back-bearing and began to row steadily, checking his direction occasionally with a backward glance over his shoulder.

He could watch eagles soaring

and counted nearly 50. Unusual to see so many. A liquid loon call attracted his attention. There it was in the bay, its plumage now more black and white than grey with the approach of spring. It dived and surfaced again more than a minute later with nothing in its bill. Skunked again or had it swallowed its prey under water?

On the periphery of his vision a small dark object appeared on the surface. The old man moved his head to get it in direct vision. Yes, a seal. The intelligent eyes looked steadily back at the old man. Then the head sank beneath the surface.

The old man rested on his oars. This was farther than he usually went. To his left he heard short sharp-pitched whistles. A pair of marbled murrelets were diving and 20 seconds later bobbing to the surface. They too must have been fishing.

At last the old man reached his chosen spot. He stopped rowing and pulled back his oars so that they rested in the boat. He turned, selected a green buzzbomb from his tackle box and unravelled the leader. He turned to pick up his rod which he usually laid over the bow and under the seat.

"Oh, shoot!" The rod was not there. When he emptied his boat he had left it against a rock. The other

fishers, seal, cormorant, murrelets, heron, loon and gulls, never were inadequately equipped. Only a dumb human would forget his rod.

Coming Events

Have you reserved this Saturday for the Lions Annual Sea Food Supper and Dance at the South End Community Hall?

The following Saturday the Galiano Club is sponsoring a Graffiti Dance featuring old-time rock and roll at the South End Community Hall, beginning at 9 pm. Advance tickets costing \$3.50 may be bought at Burrill Brothers Store.

The pertinence of this column depends on the breadth of its coverage. If you have news items please write or phone to Benger, 5702, by Sunday for inclusion in the next week's *Driftwood*.

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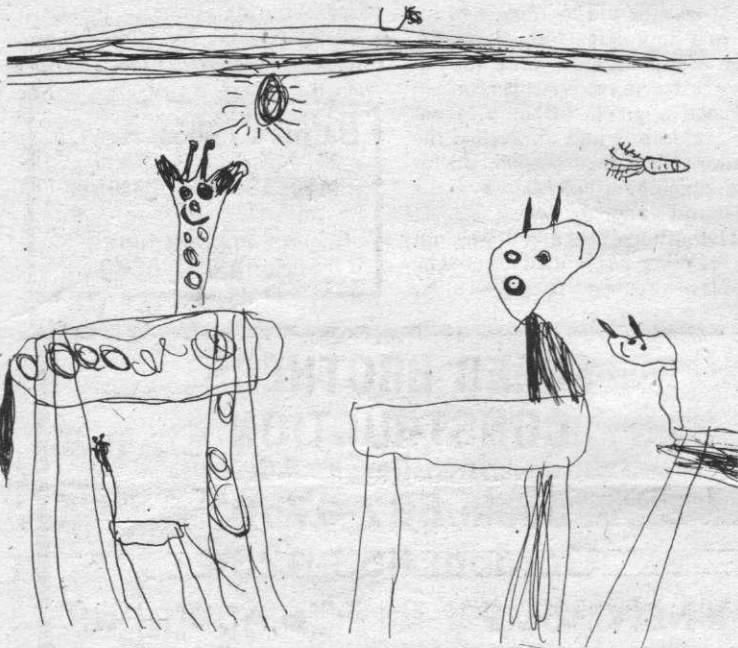
We are plowing through the name suggestions we've received for these pages and will come up with a winner soon!

Rhinoceroses and Giraffes

BY GRAHAM KAYE
Age 5

There is a giraffe way far away from the other giraffe. These two

rhinoceroses are looking up at the sky. They threw the carrot up to catch it. The satellite is going around the earth.



The amazing butterfly and Students see Colourfast and open house at UVic

BY KIRSTEN LUKER

One day in July when I was out playing with some of my friends I saw a little butterfly. I called my friends over to see what I had found. We decided to follow it. It led us to some sort of cave.

At first we were afraid to go in but then suddenly we felt something like a magnet pulling us in, so of course we went in. (We had no choice).

Inside it was all gloomy and we wanted to run out but the magnet wouldn't let us. When we looked back the entrance was closed off by a big rock. We saw that the butterfly was waiting for us, so we started to walk. It started to move.

It led us up a dark, dark stairway and we had to follow the butterfly because it was too dark for us to see and the butterfly was glowing. At the top of the stairway there was gold, silver and all kinds of jewels and a beautiful princess and also her mother the queen.

I was so startled that I fell over and so were my friends. They almost fell down the stairs. They said it was for us. I called my parents and my friends called their parents.

They came over and talked to the queen and we played with the princess and we lived happily ever after.

BY JOHN HALL
Age 10
Ganges Hill School

On Wednesday, Mar. 4 we went to the *Colourfast* exhibit at the high school along with Miss Hamilton's class. Our favourites were the neon tube and the targets. Karelia liked D. Milne's watercolour still life of flowers. Geoff liked "Raw-War." Geoff and Karelia both liked Varasely's colour squares. We all really enjoyed seeing all the pictures.

On Saturday we spent an exciting day at UVic's Open House. We started in the art department and did styrofoam painting. Lots of fun. A lady there had a python and a lizard, and we petted the California king snake. Then we went to the music department and heard a group play recorders, 12-string guitar, triangle and xylophone. After they played they invited us to try the instruments. The drama department put on a play, *Almighty Voice*, about Indians and Mounties. I got to be a constable.

In the science education area we saw a solar cooker, and we got into a giant plastic bubble five feet tall. Then we visited the physics and chemistry buildings. We rode a bike that blew a light ball up through a tube and another bike

that lit an electric bulb. Then we rode a car which floated on three air-filled cushions and threw beanbags at it to make it move.

In the Physics is Phantastic show we watched a professor lie on a bed of nails with two boards and a large cinder block on top of him. A student broke the block with a sledge hammer but the professor was not even scratched. He asked me to try it but I didn't want to. We also saw a Triumph model, voice waves on a video screen, breath analyzers, a time machine, a laser light table and several computers. We also got helium-filled balloons.

At the chemistry fireworks show we saw students blow up lots of different chemicals with water or acids. And in the biology department we saw a sea slug's brain with electrodes attached and the currents it gave off appeared on a video screen. The brain connections were large enough for us to really see it.

The power went off for about an hour so we missed several shows. But this was the best trip yet.

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Some cat and mouse stories from Pender School

BY WINSTON STANLEY

Help. I am Mr. Mouse. A mouse is after me because he likes to eat little mice. He is big! I have to run to my home on the bottom of the floor - under the kitchen. Very cozy.

But when the cat comes around I go to the end of my room or the cat's paw can reach in. That's the end of me!

Mr. Mouse can get away. Up the chimney I can crawl and get away Hee-Hee. Fooled the big mouse. I'm free.

BY GORDIE NEFF

One night Mister was very hungry because he hadn't had anything to eat all day. The cat was there. The cat wanted something to eat, too. He wanted some mouse.

The cat was waiting right at the door. The mouse was hungry, too. He crept out the door and went really fast to the cupboard and got some Cheezies.

He thought they were good. He went back to his hole and went to sleep.

He crept back when the cat was sleeping.

The Invisibility Pill

**BY TRAVIS LYND
Pender**

I took the smartie and ate it. Now, I am invisible. I will go to a place I've never been before so I can see what is on there. I have to be invisible so no one will attack me. I feel light as a feather, so I can fly around. I have no weight. I see a little space man standing in the grass. It looks dark blue and there are thick leaves with yellow bugs. They are square and they chomp the grass. Not grasshoppers - grasseaters.

The man is trying to squash them so the bugs won't eat the grass. He uses his feet. They have steel grips. The man wants the grass to look pretty cause it's his lunch time. I think I'll turn visible again cause I'm hungry. I'll munch the grass, too. Mmmmm!



BY STEVEN MOLISON

My mouse got into a trap and was almost dead. I heard the dog say he was dead but I heard a little squeak.

I went to the trap and took him out. He said, "Squeak, squeak," in mouse language. Thank you for helping me, he meant.

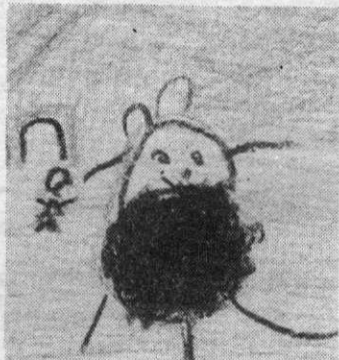
I put him back in the field. I hope he got to where his home was.

BY APRIL CLARKE

Her name is May Mouse. She is going to the park. She will sneak in someone's lunch bag. She hopes she'll find a cheese sandwich. She will eat the crumbs.

She will chow herself out of the bag and take some crumbs home. On her way home she found a friend and shared the crumbs.

They went together to a picnic in the park.



BY GLENNIZ SHULTZ

Mrs. Mouse went for a walk. A little kitty was on the road. The mouse said, "Squeak, squeak." That meant the kitty shouldn't be on the road.

She liked kitty. A car came and the mouse said, "Squeak."

The kitty said, "Meow. I will come with you."

Mrs. Mouse took the kitty home. Then the kitty did the housework for Mrs. Mouse.

When the kitty got too big she would eat Mrs. Mouse so she ran away.

BY T. BRADSHAW

We had a mouse in our house. I went to go to do the laundry. I saw the mouse running in the basement.

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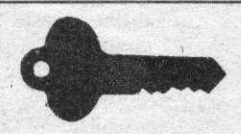
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'71 Mustang, 351 Cleveland, good motor and body, \$2,500. 537-9504 after 4 pm. or 537-5615.

1963 GMC 1 ton flat deck with sides, duals, overload springs. Asking \$500. 539-2883 Galiano.

1979 GMC heavy 1/2 ton pickup with canopy. A-1, white, automatic, tilt steering, dual tanks, rear opening window, cassette deck, 12,000 km., \$6,900 obo. Phone 537-2014.

'75 Chev 1/2 ton pickup, \$3,000. 537-9294.

For sale, jeep wagoneer, 1965, 4 wheel drive, in good mechanical order, asking \$1700 obo. Phone 537-9569.

1972 Austin 1800, excellent condition, radial tires, 4-speed transmission, body no rust, economical, 45 - 50 mpg., small family sized vehicle. Must be seen. 537-2329 any time. \$1,000.

1972 Ford Pinto, 4 cyl., 4 spd., radio, good island transportation. Only \$795. 537-5732. DL6847.

'71 Toyota FJ-55 land cruiser with electric winch, 53,000 miles, \$3,500. 537-5877.

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Cars, Trucks

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'71 VW window van, 58,000 miles, good condition, no rust, \$2,900. Phone 653-4670.

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'74 Fiat stationwagon, low mileage, great on gas. 537-2913.

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1980 Suzuki 4 x 4, great little 4-wheel drive, less than 2500 miles, still on warranty. About 40 miles to the gallon. \$6,000. 537-5833.

1963 Ford 1/2 ton, 3 speed, new clutch, master cylinder, etc., etc., uses no oil, has lots of power, very good body, \$800. 537-9498.

1972 Mustang, 351 Cleveland, auto, ps., pb., console, dual exhaust, air shocks, defogger, tinted glass, radials, wheels, radio, tape deck. Good motor, body & maroon paint. \$4,400. 537-5065.

Boats

22 ft. fibreglass cabin cruiser. 9 ft. beam. I.B.O. Many extras. 537-9505 after 6 pm.

It is the best time to buy the Boat, when the prices are still low. We have a Boat for sale, 18' OMC in very good condition. Motor is rebuilt and leg is rebuilt. Fresh water cooling system. Very good for fishing or pleasure. Trailer has new 6 ply tires. To be seen at Wood Dale Dr., Mayne Island. Phone 539-5595. Asking price, \$3,700.

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Church

Notices

SUNDAY, MAR. 15

Community Gospel Church

Drake Road, Ganges
Sunday School, all ages:
10:30 am

Evening Service: 7:30 pm
Bible Study & Prayer:
Thursday, 7:30 pm
Pastor: Rev. S. Hildebrandt
537-2622 537-5757

Ganges United Church

Hereford Avenue, Ganges
Worship Service: 10:30 am
with Sunday School for
Nursery to 15 years
Minister: Rev. A. N. Skinner
537-5812 537-9343

**Anglican Parish
Salt Spring Island**

St. George's -
Sunday School - 9:15 am
Holy Eucharist - 9:30 am
St. Mark's -
Matins - 11:15 am
St. Mary's -
Holy Eucharist - 7:00 pm
Rector: Rev. John Bailey
537-2171

**Catholic Church
Salt Spring Island**

Fulford - 9 am
Ganges - 11:15 am
Saturdays: Ganges - 5 pm
Rev. Fr. P. A. Bergin

Mayne Island

St. Mary Magdalene Anglican
Sundays: 11:30 am
Rector: Rev. John Dyer
721-3939

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Church Service - 10:00 am
For information call
539-2369 or 539-5551

Galiano Island

St. Margaret of Scotland
(Anglican)
Sundays 9 am

Mobile Homes, Trailers

Shasta 18' trailer, stove, fridge, shower, air conditioning, excellent condition. 537-5294 after 5 pm.

21 ft. 1975 Terry Travel Trailer, excellent condition, \$7,000. 653-4322.

Livestock

Wanted - place to board well-trained horse, preferred near Rainbow Rd. or Booth Bay area. Phone 537-9228.

Sheep, ewes with lambs. Taking orders for lamb, dressed or cut & wrapped. 537-5124.

Peacocks, 2 males and 3 females. 537-2352.

Custom feeding: winter 400 lb. Heifer calves, \$150. Summer pasture and breeding, \$50. Second winter feeding and calving, \$175. Pasture available for 100 cow-calf units, \$9 per head per month. Hay for sale, \$1.75 per bale. Phone 567-4307 or Box 1134, Vanderhoof, B.C. V0J 3A0.

Holstein heifers, freshening within 4 weeks. Can deliver. Phone 403-652-7371, High River, Alberta.

Livestock

Registered quarter horses and thoroughbreds. Working stock, pleasure and race track prospects. Several to choose from. Reasonable prices. Gang Ranch, phone 392-4469 or Perry Ranch 457-6486.

Brown and white egg layers, cross strains, meat birds. Echo Poultry Farm and Hatchery, 30230 Huntingdon Road, R.R. 1, Abbotsford, B.C. V2S 1M3. Write for price list.

Free to good home or stew pot, ten healthy, older hens and one rooster. We're getting new stock so these must go. Phone 653-4502.

Deaths

WADE, Lawrence (Larry) in Toronto, March 2nd, 1981. Husband of Chris Wade, Pender Island. Father of Michael Wade, Beaumont, Alberta and Philip Wade of Pender Island.

RUSTAD, Elizabeth Sophy Rustad passed quietly away on March 7th, in the Gorge Extended Care Hospital, following a lengthy illness. She was in her 79th year. Born at Mayne Island, she received her schooling there. She travelled quite a lot, making her home in several places in B.C. but always coming home to Galiano often. She lived from the early sixties, at Galiano Lodge, where she was employed by Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Clarke, moving to Victoria in the 1970's. Sophy leaves to mourn, two brothers, Archie Georgeson, on Galiano, Capt. John Georgeson, and Mrs. Georgeson, in Aldergrove, one nephew, John Hawthorne, of Galiano, and many nieces, on Galiano, and around the lower mainland. Funeral services held at St. Margaret of Scotland Church, Galiano, on March 12, at 1.30 pm., Rev. John Dyer officiating. Interment in Georgeson Plot of Galiano Cemetery. Memorial Society of B.C. in charge of arrangements.

Lost

Folded envelope containing many snapshots, reward. 537-2984.

Found

Found at St. Mary's Highlands, silver brooch. Owner may claim at Driftwood.

Personal

Does it feel like everything is going wrong? It may help to talk about it. Call NEED Crisis Line. 386-6323 or toll free from Salt Spring, Zenith 2262.

Are you living with or near a severe drinkiem? Al-Anon, Wed. 1.30 pm., Catholic Church on Drake Rd. Contact 537-9549 or 537-2717.

Wanted

Small terrier size Air Canada travelling dog kennel. 537-5306.

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Wanted

Ladies 5-speed bicycle. Good condition. 537-5469 after 7 pm.

Rough cedar lumber, well sawn and trimmed. Rough cedar standard and better. N.P.S. Dimension, squares, timbers and one inch. 4 to 12 inch width, random lengths. May consider some high quality utility. Above delivered to Edmonton area, flat car or truck. Reply Michael Saiko, Michael's Forest Products Ltd., 209 Revlon Building, 10221 - 104 St., Edmonton, Alta. T5J 1B2. Phone: Business (403) 424-2232, residence, (403) 469-7444.

For Rent

25' motorhome, sleeps 6, fully self-contained, \$350 per wk., 1,000 km. free. 539-2717.

Ganges Village, 3 bedroom older house with oil cook stove, fridge and drapes. \$350 per month. Eves, 537-2702.

Large deluxe condominium on Mount Washington, everything included. Close to all chairs and cross country trails. Sleeps 8, \$90 per night. Phone 245-4920. Minimum 2 nights.

Caretakers - for waterfront farm on Saturna Island at Winter Cove. Prefer active mature couple. Experience with farm or animals helpful but not essential. New self-contained living quarters. This is a permanent position. Remuneration open. Ref's required. Phone (604) 263-5616 or write Gillespie, 7111 Arbutus, Vancouver, V6P 5S9.

Wanted to Rent

Young self-employed family needs 2 - 3 bedroom home by April 1. Dependable, Fraser or Mini - 537-2832.

Cottage or 2 - 3 bedroom home on Galiano wanted to rent on an extended basis by mature university couple with children. Call collect 291-7092, ask for Marilyn or Dean.

Cabin or small house for single parent and child. Please call 537-9870 and leave message for Val Aloian.

Teacher requires 1 or 2 bedroom suite, cottage or house ASAP. Please phone Jackie at 537-9332 or 537-5347 after 3 pm.

Responsible couple (30's), wishes to rent/caretake, one or two bedroom home or property. Dennis, collect at 381-3274 (Victoria).

Work Wanted

Housecleaner or mother's helper available for overburdened homemakers. Fast and thorough. I give good value for your money. Call Nancy, 537-9354.

Intelligent, academic woman will do research work and/or type manuscripts. Please call 653-4523.

Will baby sit my home weekdays. Due to B.C. Tel strike, no phone. Please call at 205 Salt Spring Way, Ganges.

Able-bodied, reliable man, 35, needs work. University graduate with experience as a truck driver, and heavy equipment operator, as well as in management, farming and other fields. Recommendations. Phone John Nicolson at 537-9339.

I would like to babysit a pre-school child (I have a 2 1/2 year old daughter), occasional days, perhaps on an exchange basis. 537-5994.

Wanted permanent part time work by permanent resident willing to do anything. Please contact Paul Hamilton, R.R. 1, Fulford Harbour, Reasonable rates. Experienced in building, roofing, gardening.

Help Wanted

Drew Sawmills Ltd., Malakwa, B.C. requires high-lead logging contractors. Interested persons write Drew Sawmills Ltd. Malakwa, B.C. VOE 2J0. Woodland Dept., or call 836-2891.

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Automotive mechanic. An experienced automotive mechanic required to operate garage area of established B.C.A.A. approved service station in Whistler, B.C. Successful applicant will enjoy superior remuneration, excellent working environment and job independence in growing resort community. Working knowledge of 4 x 4's and imports an asset. Qualified applicants to send full particulars of work history to: Randall Rogers, c/o Willpower Enterprises, Box 142, Whistler, B.C. VON 1B0.

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537-5259

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Contact Walter Davis & Associates - LANDSCAPERS, The Saltspring Landscaper and Nurseryman, Box 613, Ganges, British Columbia, VOS 1E0. 604-537-5232 - Saltspring Island.

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Experienced service manager required for Ford dealership on Sunshine Coast. Reply quickly to Box 1759 Sechelt, B.C. VON 3A0 or call 885-3281 or 684-2911 (Vancouver direct) for details.

Handyman needed to help me turn my topsoil into a raised bed, fenced garden with a compost bin. Prefer someone with experience.

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Business Opportunities

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S.P.C.A.

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General Enquiries
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537-2123

Please send memberships & donations to Box 522, Ganges, B.C.

Bingo: every Monday night in Catholic Church Hall, Drake Road, 7.30 pm.

A. A. Meetings, Tuesdays and Fridays, 8 pm. Open meetings last Friday of the month. 537-2322, 537-9212 or 537-2135.

Salt Spring Island Trust Committee

Trustees will be in attendance at Room 104, in the Court House at Ganges every Tuesday morning from 10 o'clock till noon.

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Dagwoods Dazzling Derelicts are having try-outs on Wednesday, March 18 at 4.30 pm. at the Little League Diamond. Old and new players welcome.

The Community Centre is no longer taking calls for car crushing for Mr. Dacker Thicke and apologizes for any cars that were not picked up.

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MARCH 16 - 7.30 PM.
Room 4 - Secondary School.
AGENDA: 1. Gifted Program
2. French Immersion Program
3. New Business

Coming Events

S.S.S. Potter's Guild
STUDIO AFTERNOON

THURSDAY, MAR. 12 - 1.30 pm.
Potter's Room - Mahon Hall
Decorating techniques seminar. Demonstration of overglaze brush work, glaze over glaze technique, slip trailing, carving and use of engobes and staining. Please bring your special techniques to share if possible or just come and learn.

Salt Spring Island

Garden Club
Monthly Meeting

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18
8 pm. St. George's Hall
TOPIC: "General Pruning" by Fred Maybee. Bring your pruning questions. All welcome. Workshop Monday March 23rd, 9.45 to 12 noon. "Rose pruning and care", Agnes Bacon and Fred Maybee will demonstrate. Meet 9.45 am. St. George's Hall, then on to Mr. and Mrs. Petries garden.

MEN'S BASEBALL
Organizational Meeting

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18 - 8 PM.
Vesuvius Inn



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Gulf Islands
School District
Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 17 - 1.30 pm.
School Board Office

Legal

LEGAL
Sealed tenders are invited on the purchase of the Fire Hall building and land situated on Morningside Drive, Fulford Harbour, B.C. - Amended Lot 7, Section 15, Range 1, South Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, Plan 4281. Terms: 10% certified cheque, with tender, and remainder on completion of new Fulford Fire Hall. Sale will be subject to occupancy on completion of the construction of the new Fulford Fire Hall. Expected date of completion December 31, 1981. Residential or other development of this property will be subject to the zoning and building regulations of the Islands Trust.

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Pender resident tells meeting of three-month tour 'down under'

BY ELEANOR HARRISON

At the meeting of the Pender Island Women's Institute on March 3, Miss Bunty Lees was the guest speaker. Miss Lees, a Pender Island resident who spent three months in Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania, left Vancouver on July 28 last year, flying first to Auckland, N.Z., the north island.

A day trip from Auckland to the Rotorua hot springs area found the members of a Maori settlement doing all their cooking and heating their houses from the hot springs.

They have a huge craft market here, where men do all the carving and weaving, all of which has specific meanings in their culture.

Next, it was on to Wellington, the capital. From there, Miss Lees continued by ship to Picton on the south island, and from there by train to Christchurch. This is the educational and cultural city of New Zealand, full of schools and colleges.

From Christchurch, Miss Lees travelled still farther south to Dunedin, a city and countryside very like Scotland.

The farther south one goes the colder it gets. July is winter in New Zealand, and it was there Miss Lees said she discovered that electric blankets were underneath the sheets.

TO SYDNEY

She flew from Dunedin to Sydney, Australia, the country's oldest

and largest city.

After two days in Sydney, Miss Lees took the Red Carpet Tour by bus to Canberra, the capital. Next came Melbourne on the south coast, facing the island of Tasmania. She found Melbourne a city of soccer players and racing enthusiasts.

To see Tasmania she took a bus tour. The island was beautiful, she said, with unique animals, all nocturnal and none wild. There was a number of gold, silver and copper mines.

Hobart, at the south end, is the largest city with a lot of old buildings. Today one of the main attractions are the gambling casinos. Nearby is Port Arthur, an old convict settlement, and the Island of the Dead, where convicts were buried.

"The convicts prisons, now a tourist attraction, were very depressing," said Miss Lees. The hotels in Tasmania were all Four Seasons and served good food.

BY TRAIN TO PERTH

On returning to Australia Miss Lees made the train trip via the Indian Express across the continent to Perth. The trip takes two days and nights.

By plane she visited Alice Springs in the centre of Australia. Here it was very hot and while the motel provided deluxe accommodation, their room was shared with grasshoppers, moths, flies, very

large cockroaches and a gigantic spider.

Next morning she visited Ayers Rock at sunrise with other tourists. This is Australia's most famous natural phenomenon, the world's largest rock. It had deep cultural significance to the aborigines, who have left many paintings and carvings on the rock.

From Alice Springs, Miss Lees flew to Darwin on the north coast. This city endured a terrible hurricane five years ago, and is still rebuilding. Camels abound in this area, as do great flocks of tropical birds.

CORAL REEFS

From there Miss Lees flew to Cairns. There she enjoyed the beautiful coral reefs in a flat-bottomed boat and was impressed by the fishing. A marlin which had just been caught weighed 1,300 lbs. She continued down the east coast by bus, where there are beautiful beaches and surfing areas, huge harbours and some lovely cities to explore.

Miss Lees concluded that the Australians love to gamble, love sports of all kinds and when there is a job to do they are in a hurry to get it done.

A lot of sugar is grown there, most of which goes to Japan. Mango trees grow on the boulevards and the fruit is there for the picking.

Continuing education has several classes for artists

BY VIRGINIA NEWMAN
Continuing Education

Artists may find that several of the offerings in the current continuing education program are of special interest.

Doug Henderson, whose artistic experiences have led him through many areas in the art world, will conduct a two-session picture framing course, culminating in a field trip to Paul Arnold's shop for do-it-yourself types in Victoria. The Framing Experience first session is Thursday night at 7.30 in the art room. Doug also will discuss selling your own works at a later date.

Sylvia Skelton, of the Fairbank Society of Calligraphers in Victoria, will give a one-day workshop, for beginners only, on Saturday, Mar. 21 in Mahon Hall. Students will learn to form an alphabet, proportion, spacing and page layout. Decoration and paper qualities will be discussed.

Having studied with some of the world's most accomplished calligraphers, Sylvia feels that understanding the principles of letter formation will allow the student to progress beyond the mere copying of alphabets.

Origins of language and dialects is the subject matter of local scho-

In 1980 Australian currency was \$1.50 to \$1 Canadian. New Zealand was \$1.16 to the Canadian dollar.

lar Murray Schoolbraid's offering in "What is Linguistics," a four-session class beginning next Wednesday in the elementary library.

The following night begins the "Three Lectures for Women Only" series. Robin Irving will speak on the "Godless Religions" during the first session. Other topics in succeeding weeks will be "Debunking Male Superiority" and "Women Composers."

Check the continuing education spring schedule from last week's *Driftwood* for registration procedures and more information on these and other classes, most of which start the week of March 16. I will be in the school board office Thursday, Friday and next Monday from 9-4 to take registrations and answer questions.

Lionettes elect officers

Lionettes Auxiliary on Galiano has named Mary Harding president for the coming term. Secretary is Rosemary Georgeson and treasurer, Betsy Baines.

The group take turns in cooking dinners for the Lions Club and helping in other ways.

They gave \$50 to the Timmy's Xmas Telethon in December, and also gave to the children's Hallo-w'e'en and Christmas parties.

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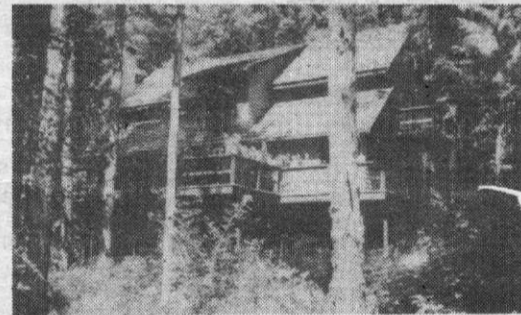
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For women only

Women in power, male superiority and women composers are topics

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Three lectures for women only will be given in Room 1 of the high school March 19, 26 and April 2.

The first lecture will be given by Robin Irving and will deal with that part of our history that we are never told about - the matriarchal (women in power) societies which preceded our present patriarchal ones.

The second lecture will be given by Dr. Anne Zeller of the Department of Anthropology of the University of Victoria. Dr. Zeller is a specialist in primate behaviour and she will discuss the fallacious ideas of male superiority which have been popularized in books such as Men in Groups and The Naked Ape.

The third lecture will be given by Robin Irving on the subject of women composers. There have been many women composers and musicians who were accepted as outstanding in their own time, yet we never hear of them, thus proving that history is his story not her story.

Amadeus Mozart was touring Europe as a child prodigy, he was accompanied by his sister.

Few people know her name, know that she was acclaimed as a better musician than he, or have the least idea what happened to her. Miss Irving will talk about Marianne Mozart and about many other women composers as well

and play some of their music.

Asked why these lectures are for women only, Miss Irving said that women are more comfortable and talk more freely when they are by themselves.

However, she would be quite willing to give any of these talks to any mixed group that would like to hear them.

Eight motorists charged for not having new decals

Ganges RCMP report that they have charged eight Salt Spring Island motorists since the first of the month for displaying expired registration decals on their vehicles.

Another four vehicles that were illegally parked and that also displayed expired decals were towed away during the same period, according to Const. Glenn Hanna.

Hanna explained that these violations represent instances where motorists had allowed their vehicle's registration to expire at the end of February.

He said that failure to display current plates can cost a motorist a

\$35 fine while drivers operating a motor vehicle without plates altogether are subject to a \$50 fine.

Both of these offences indicate that a motorist is also driving without insurance, in which case he is subject to an additional, much stiffer penalty.

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Learning disabilities to be topic of meeting here

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A meeting of interest to many island parents will be held on Thursday, Mar. 19 at 7.30 pm in the library at Salt Spring Elementary School.

The speaker will be Mrs. Audrey Farnden, president of the South Vancouver Island Association for Children with Learning Disabilities, who will give a general description of what constitutes a learning disability and also present a simulation of the way the world appears to a learning disabled child.

Recent surveys indicate 10-15% of our normal school population is affected by specific learning disabilities. In a class of 30, there will be from three to four children who will have trouble learning some of the things the teacher is teaching. Some of these children will exhibit behaviour that is impossible to ignore, whereas others will quietly retire into the background and be forgotten.

HAVE POTENTIAL

The needs of these children are the needs of all children: love, understanding and acceptance. They have the potential for success when given appropriate and timely help, but there must be co-operation between parents and teachers. Early recognition and individualized assistance or remediation is vital if these children are to become healthy productive adults. Without this help, many will fail in school and become "dropouts."

The child with a learning disability who goes through most of his schooling undiagnosed, branded by others and himself as a failure

and a troublemaker, who leaves school as soon as legally allowed to, never comes anywhere near reaching his full intellectual potential.

Yet experts say if diagnosed and treated early most children can be helped to overcome or to compensate for their problem and avoid the educational and emotional consequences of failing in school. Many elementary teachers are familiar with the seemingly bright child, who try as he may, remains several levels behind in reading, or who never masters penmanship, or cannot spell, or answers "I don't know," "I forgot," or "I can't," when called on in class.

POOR SELF-IMAGE

Faced with repeated failure, these children usually develop a very poor self-image and a host of complicating emotional problems.

Many experts feel that emotional problems in children with learning disabilities are the result, not the cause, of their educational difficulties.

This meeting has been planned to bring together teachers from the elementary schools and the high school, and parents of children of any age who are giving concern. To conclude the meeting, questions will be answered by a panel consisting of Mrs. Farnden; Dr. Ralph Miller, educational psychologist; Miss Margaret Sitton, counsellor, Gulf Islands Secondary School; and Tim Stafford, learning assistance teacher, Salt Spring Elementary School.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Parents' Advisory Committee, Salt Spring Elementary.

Shrubs, trees discussed at meeting

BY OPTIMIST

The first Salt Spring Garden Club meeting of the gardening year was well attended to hear Mr. Brandner speak on shrubs and trees for the Pacific northwest, with many slides to illustrate his talk.

The workshop on fruit tree pruning given by Fred Maybee gave tips on how to prune very old trees at Mr. and Mrs. Lawson's orchard.

The March 18 meeting will look at general pruning. Fred Maybee will demonstrate how to prune flowering shrubs and soft fruits. Bring your questions along.

A Monday, Mar. 23 workshop will be on the pruning and care of roses. Agnes Bacon and Fred Maybee will demonstrate. Meet at St. George's Hall at 9:45 am to proceed to Mr. and Mrs. Petrie's garden.

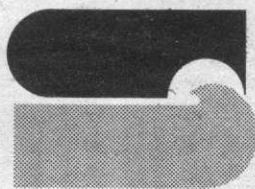
This year's bus trip is in the plan-

ning stage for a May visit to "The Glades," a rhododendron and azalea garden, and also other gardens in the Surrey area. More details later.

There's lots more!!



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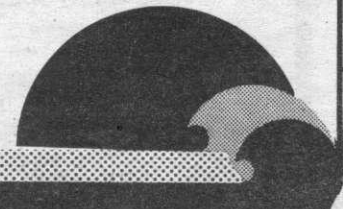


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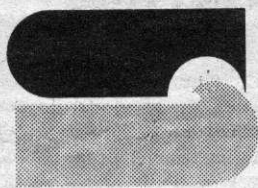
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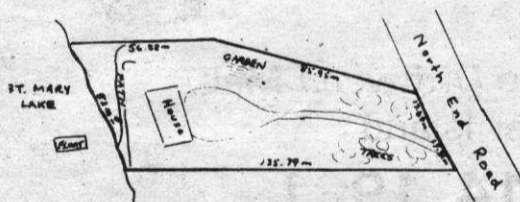
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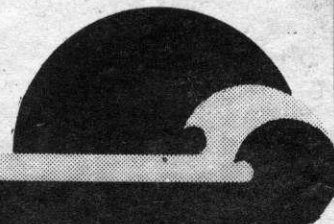
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Additional 1,300 square feet

Legion Hall expansion under way

Members of the Ganges branch of the Royal Canadian Legion have recently started work on a \$30,000 construction project which will nearly double the space of the existing Legion Hall.

The project was undertaken to give the Legion additional space for social activities, according to first vice-president Jake Javorski.

"We feel that now that we have a growing membership we need larger facilities," he said.

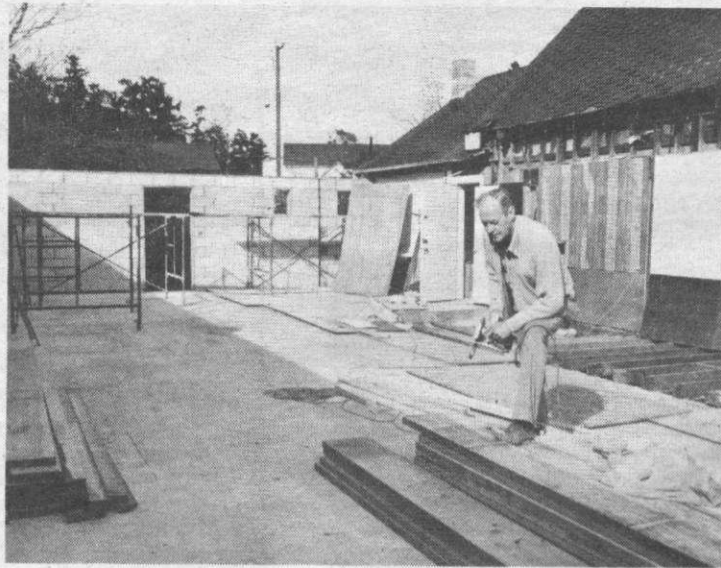
The 1,300-square-foot addition at the rear of the hall will provide space for expanded kitchen and recreational facilities.

Javorski, who is also chairman of the Legion's housing committee, said the group is funding the project by issuing debentures to its membership.

The bulk of the work is being carried out by members under the supervision of contractor Harry Penny, who has been a member since shortly after the Second World War.

Javorski said that most of the work is being done on a voluntary basis.

Construction began about 10 days ago and the housing committee is aiming for completion in mid-May.



Construction supervisor Harry Penny prepares to cut a pile of lumber at the site of the Legion Hall addition.

Sports society

The Pender Islands Sports Program Society has purchased 7½ acres adjacent to the Health Care Centre, to be used for various sports activities and events.

To start with, they intend to develop a baseball diamond.

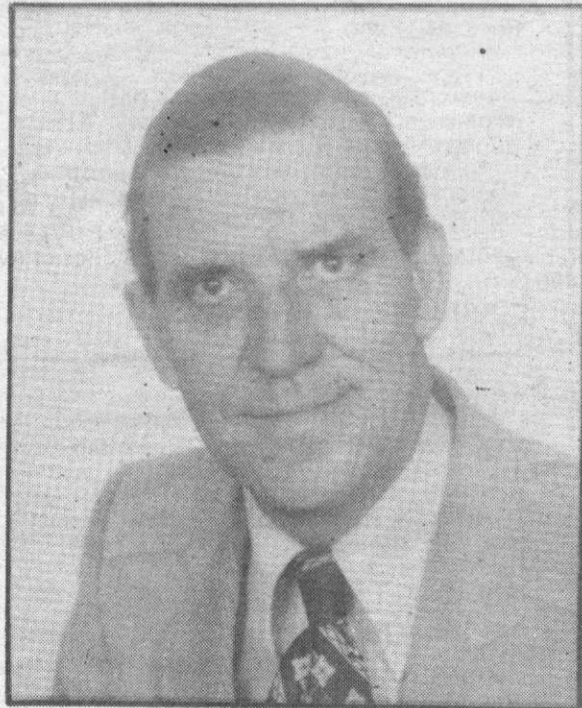
President of the organization is Ted Dever. Other officers are: vice president, D. Schouten; treasurer, Brad McCaughran; secretary, Vi Hleck. Directors are Merv Harder, Lorraine Dever and Mike Hilts.

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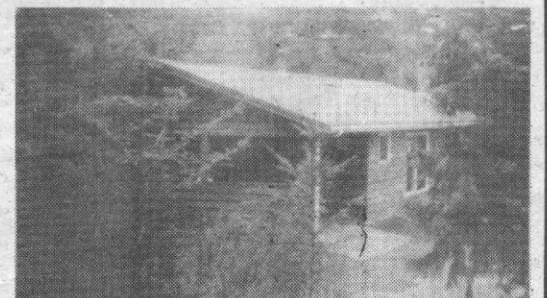
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Down Through the Years With Driftwood

FIVE YEARS AGO

Regional director George Heinekey outlined a three-stage plan to extend the sewer area of Ganges last week and in doing so he said that the Capital Regional District is ready to present a petition to property owners here asking that they approve the \$1 million sewer project. To be constructed in stages, the initial phase would cover the immediate area of Ganges, the second phase would extend to cover a larger area around Ganges and the final phase would cover all property within a one-mile radius of Ganges.

The Salt Spring Elementary School is attended by more students than enough, according to the department of education and its guidelines for classroom capacity. The total capacity of the school, based on the department's ratio for space and bodies, is 415, trustees were told last week. Enrollment as of October was 440 students.

More than \$2,500 was raised by the Guatemala relief fund on Salt Spring Island to assist victims of the earthquake in that country. Although the island campaign is now officially over, the need for funds is still significant and donations are sought from islanders who have yet to make a contribution.

Salt Spring Island gains a substantial return from the Capital Regional District, according to regional director George Heinekey. He told the planning meeting last week in Ganges that the island gets back more than it pays in taxes from the region. "People don't seem to know what is coming back to the island," he told the meeting.

The watershed of St. Mary Lake is not considered suitable for high-density residential development, according to a report by the Water Rights Branch in Victoria. The major contributing factor for the red light on development is the quality of soils in the watershed. The shallow layer of soil on steeply sloping hills to the west and east of the lake poses a problem in the disposal of effluent from septic tanks and tile fields. The report also cited the drainage of nutrients from neighbouring farms as cause for concern. The North Salt Spring Waterworks District asked for the report due to concern that continued development might require more extensive treatment of the lake water prior to domestic consumption.

TEN YEARS AGO

The Galiano Chamber of Commerce has been urged to support fishermen on that island in their opposition to paying wharfage fees there. Local fishermen expressed dissatisfaction at last week's annual meeting at having to pay the wharfage fees because utility facilities are not provided and because wharves on Galiano Island are in a poor state of repair. The chamber decided to leave a decision up to the incoming committee.

Representatives from nearly every part of the Capital Regional District paid a visit to Salt Spring Island on Saturday and while here conducted a tour of Lady Minto Hospital and took a close look at island development. "There are fewer problems per capita on Salt Spring Island than in most of the Capital Region," chairman Hugh Curtis told his colleagues. Purpose of the tour was to familiarize directors with the island, according to Curtis. Every part of the region, with the exception of the city of Victoria, was represented.

Saanich School District buildings superintendent Brian Shaw told a small audience at Salt Spring Elementary School this week that the school is in need of extensive renovations and that to renovate would cost ratepayers less than it would to undertake construction of a new building. Shaw said that a greater degree of fire resistance should be provided and that installation of a fire barrier between floors and around stair wells would help alleviate this problem. He also criticized the lack of adequate windows and poor ventilation in the aging building. The meeting was part of an Education Week program.

Galiano Island is over the top and running ahead of every other community in the province in the Red Cross drive. It is the 25th year in a row that Galiano Island has gone over the top first in British Columbia. Campaign director Mrs. G. Stewart reports that \$425 had been collected by the end of last week.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

It was announced at last week's Lions Club meeting that Ottawa has given the final go-ahead to the proposed Pioneer Village project at Ganges. Construction is expected to get under way within the next few weeks.

Fears that Ganges might lose the main wharf at the end of the causeway were silenced when drawings of a rebuilt facility were received here this week. Construction of entirely rebuilt, but shorter wharf

facilities is expected to begin some time this summer. Drawings indicate that the wharf will be 50 feet shorter than at present and that the shed will be moved 50 feet north from where it is now.

The local Lions Club is sponsoring the annual Easter Seal Campaign and the money they raise will go towards helping send crippled children throughout the province to summer camp.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Salt Spring Island school dance teams walked off with every major trophy in the folk dancing competitions at the Cowichan Music Festival held last Saturday in Duncan. It was the second year in a row that the senior high school group won first-place honours. Nearly 80 students participated in the competitions.

Cleanup operations have got under way at the former shale plant at Welbury Bay as preparations are made to start producing pozzolan there some time this spring. The Holdfast Company, new owners of the plant, are preparing to begin modifications and new construction at the facilities and it is expected that large, off-island construction firms will be given the contracts.

The finance committee of the school board has reported that there will be a slight reduction in this year's budget, despite increases in teachers' salaries. It's also expected that increases in property assessment should result in a reduction in school taxes.

Resort operator fearful of effect of new zoning

Charges that the effect of the proposed changes in the zoning bylaw for resorts and hotels on lakefront properties will be discriminatory were heard by Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday evening last week.

When Fred Bruynse, of Cedar Beach Resort on St. Mary Lake, told the chamber that the new bylaw will leave him in the position of being a non-conforming business, he found ready support.

Bruynse was referring to the bylaw No. 57, which introduced the Commercial 4-L zone.

Salt Spring Island Trust Committee introduced the new zone to cover resorts on potable-water lakes. It was stated at the time of the discussion of the bylaw that the new zone would "regulate resorts surrounding potable lakes on Salt Spring Island".

New section of the Salt Spring Island zoning bylaw was drawn up to cover such resorts.

Permitted uses in this zone include campsites and trailer sites

subject to health regulations; cabins and tourist accommodation units; boat ramps and boat rentals; retail use accessory to these permitted uses, provided for people frequenting the facility and residential use confined to one self-contained dwelling unit with a separate entrance.

MAXIMUM NUMBER

The maximum number of tourist accommodation units shall not exceed three per acre, or 4,000 square metres, of site area. No cabin or unit shall exceed 40 square metres; or about 350 square feet.

The members of the chamber of commerce decided to send a delegation to interview the island's local trustees and to report back to the next directors' meeting.

The delegation will also discuss other aspects of the island planning administration.

Taking part in the March 17 meeting with trustees will be Bert Elford, Doug Foerster, Fred Bruynse, Irene Tranter and Frank Richards.

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Spare drivers needed

Saturna Island trustee Tom Davidson introduced a notice of motion at last week's school board meeting asking that the board approach non-teaching employees to determine if any would be interested in becoming spare bus drivers.

Davidson chose to do so against the urging of secretary-treasurer Wilf Peck, who argued that it is not customary to ask for approval to approach employees in a "normal employer-employee" relationship.

Davidson's notice of motion requires that Peck approach non-teaching employees to determine whether there is sufficient interest in such a proposal before a motion is voted on at the next board meeting.

Union employees should have an opportunity to study the idea and to respond to the board concerning the notice of motion, according to Davidson.

Davidson's notice of motion is in response to what Peck termed as a "fairly critical situation" with the district experiencing a shortage of back-up bus drivers.

Peck said that the district has "lucked out so far" but he urged Davidson to introduce a motion so that the board could get down to the task of locating spare drivers.

Davidson's motion would call for the board to find the drivers from within CUPE ranks and to pick up the expenses of having two employees obtain class 2 driver's licences, in addition to an air endorsement, if required.

Mike Alexander teaching at Fort McMurray

A new teacher in a Fort McMurray, Alberta, school is finding the students entertaining, but his attitude is expected to change as time goes on.

That observation appeared in an issue of *Fort McMurray Today* last month, in a column written by students to introduce the new teacher, Mike Alexander, formerly of Salt Spring Island.

The story said the new teacher was doing "a great job" in his classes and with the student union at the junior high school.

A copy of the story was given to *Driftwood* by local resident Jean Shopland, who used to teach Alexander at Ganges.



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Instructor receives certificate

Peter Bingham presents the Salt Spring Island Power Squadron examination proficiency certificate to Const. Glenn Hanna of Ganges RCMP. Const. Hanna received the certificate for having taught the Canadian Power

Squadron boating course for the past two years. The course is taught on Mayne, Pender and Salt Spring Islands. "This is presented to Const. Glenn Hanna as a token of our esteem," said Bingham, the squadron's training officer.

Department called to car fire

The Salt Spring Island Fire Department reports having had a quiet week with the only serious call being in response to an early Sunday morning car fire at Fulford.

A Fulford man was on his way

home at about 1:30 am when his car suddenly caught fire on Isabella Point Road, near Drummond Park. He phoned the fire department from his home but by the time firemen got there the car was engulfed by flames.

The 1971 Ford Meteor was nearly destroyed as a result of the fire and fire chief Bob Leask estimates that damage is in the neighbourhood of \$500.

The call was answered by volunteers of the department's Fulford station.

Cause of the fire was a leak in the fuel line, according to the Leask.

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Cement hard to get as strike continues

A local non-union firm is contemplating cutting back operations as a result of the cement workers' strike.

Henry Dewitt, manager of Gulf Coast Materials Ltd. at Ganges, said that his company has been hurt by the strike and that it has had to import cement from the U.S.

The company had been shipping in cement from Bellingham, Washington, but switched to a Seattle supplier after its shipments were reduced to one load a day.

Dewitt said that Gulf Coast Materials, however, has not received a shipment since last Friday.

If the strike lasts much longer, the company will have to consider laying off one of its employees, he said. The company employs three full-time workers.

during the night at material yards on Salt Spring Island and that demand is so high that these shipments are usually gone the following morning.

He had no idea where this cement comes from or who is shipping it here.

AT A STANDSTILL

He said that cement operations in the province have ground to a standstill and that the cement workers union has been quite effective in cutting off most supplies.

"It looks like they've shut down everybody in the province," he said.

The only reason Gulf Coast Materials has been able to continue handling cement is because it's a non-union company, he said.

Johan Gerritsen of Johan's Masonry Contracting said that his business had been unaffected by the strike up until last Friday when his stockpile of cement finally ran out.

He and his one employee have not worked for the past two days but expect to be back at work some time this week. He plans to pick up a load of cement at either Port Angeles or at Friday Harbour on San Juan Island.

HIGHER COST

Picking up cement in the U.S., however, will add to his costs, according to Gerritsen.

He said that a bag of cement purchased locally runs about \$5.85, compared to just under \$10 per bag for cement in the U.S.

Canadian customs and excise taxes plus the rate of exchange will put the cost up to about \$9.75 per bag. Gerritsen said that he will just have to absorb the additional costs.



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