

Seaweed, seed, compost questions answered

This week we shall take up some questions which have been mailed in by ardent followers of this column.

Jim K. has several and we will answer the easy ones first as best we can and then address ourselves to the matter of compost, which caused Jim some concern.

First of all to seaweed. I honestly do not know if kelp is better than the stag horn type. I just know that all seaweed is excellent, and any differences are minimal.

Seaweed contains about 1.5% nitrogen, 0.75% phosphorus and a whopping 5% potash. It also contains about 60 different trace minerals.

It is an excellent defense against insects and diseases and your best bet as a rotting agent for your compost. Seaweed is not nearly as salty as the water in which it grows, as the Japanese know, who rinse it and cook with it. A light rinse to remove surface salt is all that is required for our purposes.

PERFORMS BETTER

Secondly: yes, locally grown and acclimatized seed performs far better than seed grown and raised in another climate. Many factors enter the picture here and one of the most obvious is dates to maturity. Tomato seed which will produce mature tomatoes in Ontario in 60 days will take 90 days here to produce a mature tomato,

simply because of our cool nights, as compared to the hot-house nights of Ontario.

Seeds grown and raised in the Pacific Northwest are your best bet for reliable performance here. And seeds grown in the specific micro-climate of your own garden are even better, if you know the ins and outs of growing for seed.

And yes, thank you Jim, I have received your gift of the apple-pear cross seedling.

And now to the question of compost. Jim writes that this year he dug some trenches, filled them with compost, planted seeds in the compost and covered lightly with soil.

RATES PERFORMANCE LOW

Jim rates his garden's performance as minus four on a scale of one to 10. Even the beans, a nitrogen generator, failed miserably. This leads me to believe that the carbon-nitrogen ratio of Jim's compost was way off.

The carbon-nitrogen ratio of your compost material is probably the most important single factor in a successful compost pile. The decay of all organic material to humus is brought about entirely by microscopic life, or micro-organisms.

We have recognized aerobic and anaerobic bacteria, actinomycetes and fungi. Scientists conservatively calculate the amount of micro-organisms in one gram of compost at 10 to the seventh power, which means 10 plus seven zeros.

These micro-organisms break down the carbon for growth and the nitrogen for protein. An ideal carbon-nitrogen balance for good

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compost is 30 to one.

The following are a few examples of the carbon-nitrogen ratio of common compost materials. Food scraps, 15-1; wood chips, 700-1; sawdust, 500-1; paper, 170-1; grass clippings, 19-1; leaves, 60-1; fruit wastes, 35-1; rotted manure, 20-1; and straw, 60-1. Finished humus has a ratio of 10-1.

THEY CAN VARY

These figures can vary widely and things are never as exact as we would like them to be. Basically all the older, "harder" materials are high in carbon and low in nitrogen, whereas young, "soft" green materials will have higher nitrogen levels. Fresh, green grass clippings certainly will have a ratio of 19-1, but old, dry grass clippings will have lost most of their nitrogen and the ratio could then be anywhere from 100-1 to 500-1.

So in order to obtain a compost that is not nitrogen starved, we must keep this in mind when making our compost.

For instance, if tree leaves have a ratio of 50-1 and grass clippings 20-1, twice as many leaves as grass clippings would result in an approximate ratio of 30-1.

On the other hand, if the nitrogen level is too high the bacteria will convert the excess nitrogen to ammonia and the

compost will start to stink as the ammonia is dissipated in the air.

In practical terms, and considering the wide variation of ratios, for every two units of high-carbon material add one unit of low-carbon material, top the whole thing off with a generous layer of manure and cover this with about four inches of soil. Sprinkle this with a few pounds of slow dolomite lime, especially if you use high acidity materials such as fruit

pulp, and add some bone meal, or rock phosphate, and wood ashes. The result should be a lovely humus with a carbon-nitrogen ratio of 10-1 and near neutral on the acidity scale.

The whole thing is more of an art than a science and I would love to hear from all of those who have developed a sure-fire, tried and true method, preferably in terms of shovelfuls or bushels, to share with all our readers.

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Assault charge is laid

A breach of probation landed Fredrick Algie in Ganges provincial court last week.

He had been convicted in Sidney court August 3 of common assault against his wife and mother-in-law. At that time, Algie was given a suspended sentence and placed on probation for six months.

Algie's court appearance was the result of an alleged further assault against his wife.

The probation officer noted that he was in need of alcohol counselling because the incidents were alcohol-related.

Judge R.W. Greig imposed a peace bond on both Algie and his wife and ordered the man to seek accommodation other than in his wife's residence.

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Pre-Christmas sale includes new island weaver

The spinning and weaving skills of Donna Vanderwekken will be seen among the works of local artisans at the annual pre-Christmas sale sponsored by the Salt Spring guilds of the weavers, potters and painters at Mahon Hall, Nov. 19, 20 and 21.

A newcomer to the island, Vanderwekken arrived here with her veterinarian husband and three children last June and quickly settled into island life once they became established in their new home on Kangro Road. One of her first moves was to join the local weavers' guild.

She first became interested in spinning and weaving during a four-year stay in New Zealand. They had moved there in 1967, a year following their marriage, and graduation from the University of Guelph — he as a veterinarian and she with a degree in home economics with a major in textiles.

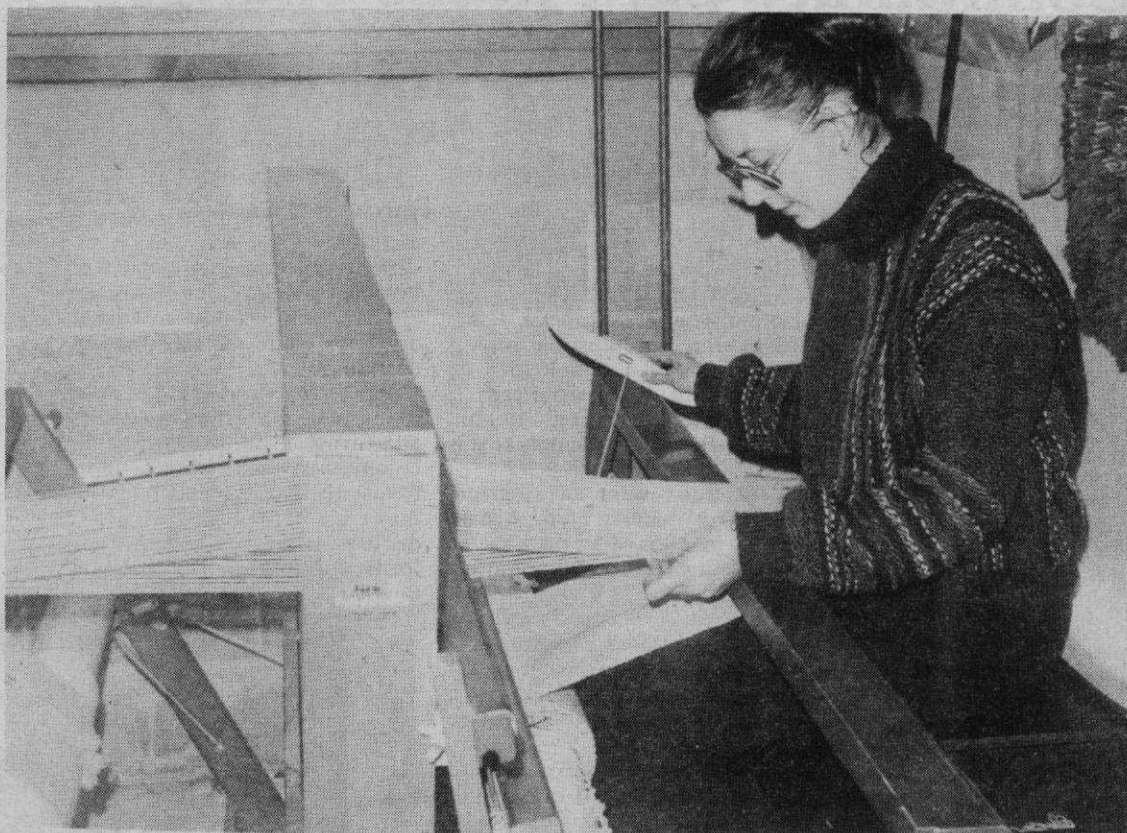
Husband Bill was working as a vet in a co-operative in the town of Te Kauwhata. Although the co-operative was primarily concerned with dairy animals there were some sheep involved and it was the fleeces from these sheep that first got Donna Vanderwekken into the spinning and weaving crafts.

Returning to Canada in 1971 they spent a short time in Edmonton before moving back to Ontario, going to Seaforth first before finally settling at Iroquois Falls in the Haliburton district and establishing a veterinary clinic there. The move to Salt Spring came 6½ years later.

Wherever she has moved Donna's spinning wheel and looms have gone with her. And although she admits that it is a full-time job maintaining a household and raising three lively children, she has continued to have an active interest and participation in her crafts.

She was a member of the Ontario Hand Weavers and spinners, and the Porcupine Weavers in the Haliburton area, taking part in their annual summer show and sales.

Right now, once she has completed a variety of articles ranging from ties, place mats, vests and jackets for the up coming pre-Christmas sale, she is planning to begin the four-stage series of tests established by the Guild of Canadian Weavers, which will qualify her as a master weaver of Canada.



Donna Vanderwekken at her loom

Photo by Larry Scarfe

Club holds raunchy-vous at Bedwell

The Ganges Yacht Club held its annual fall raunchy-vous last weekend with a trip to Bedwell Harbour on South Pender Island.

Friday Harbour was the intended destination but gale-force winds and high seas forced the fleet to put into Bedwell. Club members travelled on three vessels, the commodore's *Far Horizons*, the vice-commodore's *Amathea* and the vessel *Fantasy*.

During the two-day event, members took advantage of the pool table at Bedwell Harbour Resort, defending it for several hours, according to one report.

The yacht club's winter calendar of events has yet to be finalized but may include Bedwell as a return port of call.



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Home occupations

Community plan needs change to keep up with community

Home occupations, or the use of residential property for commercial purposes, only threaten other property owners when the use intrudes on their activities. Henry Schubart was addressing the meeting last week of the Salt Spring Island Trust Committee when the subject of home occupations was pursued.

If a home occupation is carried on in the middle of a secluded 10-acre property it affects nobody else, he noted.

The question of the use of the home for business purposes has been under fire for several months on Salt Spring Island. The specific use which has aroused considerable hostility has been the repair of automobiles. Conventional garage operators have expressed dismay at the expanding home activity in this area.

A number of islanders have pointed out that a private resident working out of his own home can repair a vehicle for considerably less than the professional repairman with the cost of maintaining a downtown garage property and higher taxes.

TRANSITION

The island architect saw it as a period of transition on the island. "To ignore it means you are in a larger morass."

The community plan is 15 years old and the changing philosophy of living demands that it be brought up to date, he urged.

He admitted that it will be opening up a hornet's nest.

"Sooner or later, the conflicts that are going to arise will be more bitter than what has gone before."

Decentralization is inevitable, said Schubart. He cited the dearth of parking space available in Ganges on a Friday.

Schubart was the prime mover in the preparation of the original

community plan.

"Sewer or no sewer, Ganges is going to grow."

Planning must be patterned on what the future holds for the people who are going to live here.

EFFECT ON OTHERS

At the present time a home occupation is permissible subject to the number employed, he recalled. That is not significant. It is the effect of the use on neighbours and community that is important.

"We don't want an all-green, sacrosanct country club. A man should be allowed to do what he wants, provided it does not affect his neighbours."

Such a procedure will be difficult to administer, warned the speaker, and as soon as the power of the community threatens a livelihood there are bound to be problems.

The potters and weavers on Salt Spring Island are an example of effective home occupations, he suggested. They have created a richness to living here.

It is not the arts and crafts in dispute, commented David Lott. It is the "prickly" ones, automotive repairs which affect the neighbours much more.

NEIGHBOURS

Even in that case it is the impact of the neighbours which represents the greatest concern, suggested the architect. As far as taxes are concerned, a residential property used for such purposes could be expected to pay commercial taxes, he noted.

A home occupations zone might even be introduced in rural and residential properties.

That would presuppose that properties, likely to attract someone with a desire for a home occupation might be identifiable, observed chairman Mike Humphries.

He was not thinking of zoning, replied Schubart.

"Right now, about everything you want to do at home is not permitted," submitted Mrs. Sabara Humes.

The proposal seeks to be permissive rather than restrictive, commented Humphries.

NOT ONLY SALT SPRING

The picture is not peculiar to Salt Spring Island, he said. Lifestyles are changing and people are looking a different way in defining how they want to live.

"I'm not looking forward to the process of changing community plans," he added.

The debate has been centred around the zoning bylaw and its vague references to home

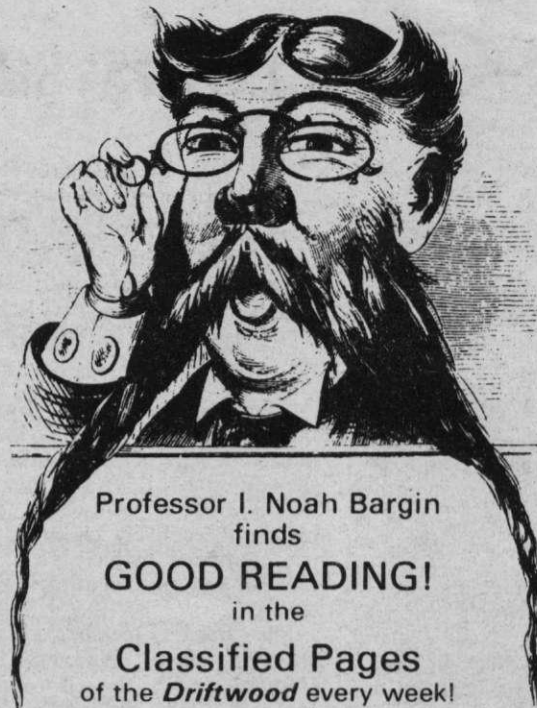
occupations for several months.

"The present bylaw is better than you think," urged Tom Hoover. He feels that it exerts a control on home activities.

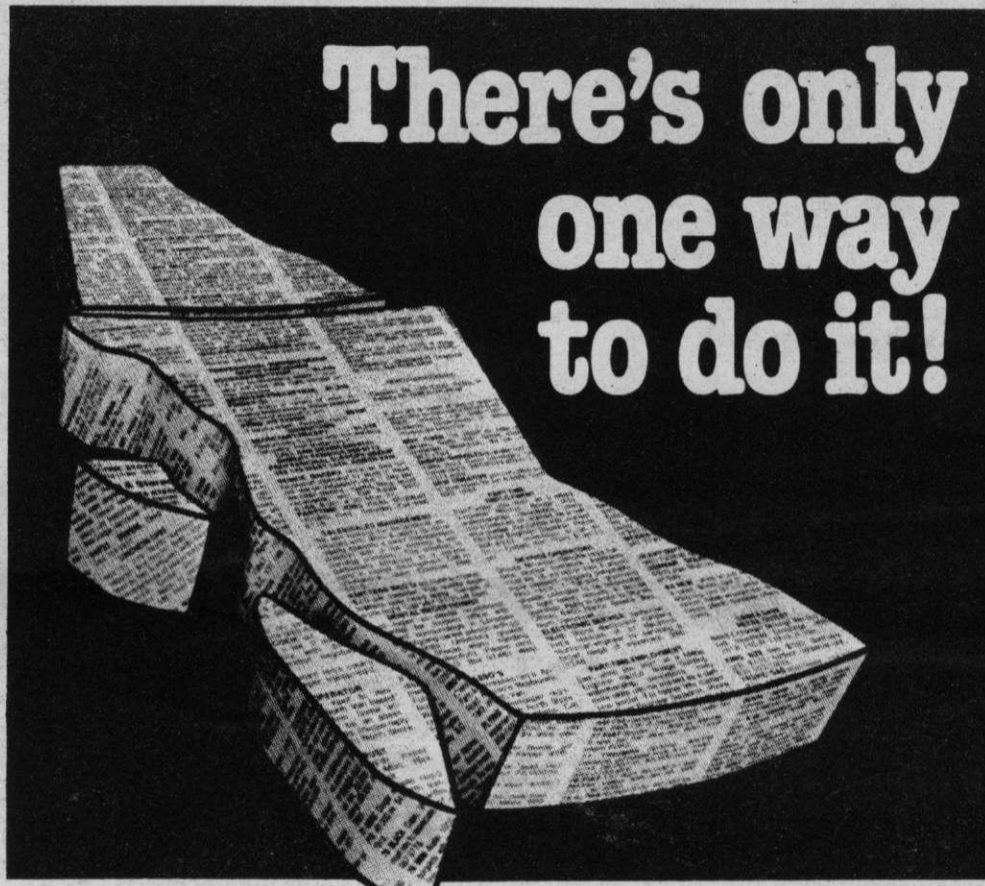
Betty Delmonico warned that all the talking was getting nowhere.

"Everything should be held in abeyance until we have a new community plan," she urged.

The matter will be further discussed by the Advisory Planning Commission. The commission may meet more frequently than its regular monthly meeting to handle some discussions that are bogged down for lack of time.



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Doctor explains diabetes problems at Pender clinic

BY ELEANOR HARRISON

Dr. Don Sutherland of the Pender Islands Health Care Society conducted a day-long diabetic clinic on October 19 at the school-community centre. He was assisted by his associate, Dr. Ellen Anderson, Mrs. Marlyn Davies, dietitian/nutritionist from the Saanich Peninsula Hospital, and two members of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Diabetic Association, Mrs. Jean Moseley and Mrs. Betty Shaw.

Dr. Sutherland began his talk by asking the question, "How big a problem is diabetes?"

The answer is that one percent to two percent of the population are affected, but half of them aren't aware of it. On Pender, because of the average age, it runs to four percent or five percent.

There are several kinds of diabetes. With children, the onset is sudden, but with modern-day treatment more are surviving to grow up, get married and have children. Because diabetics tend to socialize with each other, they tend to marry diabetics and because the condition is inherited, medicine is expecting more diabetes in the future.

At the opposite end of the scale is the late onset of diabetes. This is part of the body's growing inability to handle glucose. The end product of digestion appears as glucose in the bloodstream and the pancreas must secrete insulin correctly for normal bodily function. In diabetes the pancreas secretes an inadequate supply of insulin and glucose builds up in the bloodstream.

Dr. Sutherland said, "If our society ate less sugar and was not overweight we would have less of this condition in middle age and later."

Under stress of any kind the diabetic condition becomes more acute. Examples are pregnancy, coughs, colds that hang on, emotional upsets and so forth.

First and foremost in treating diabetes is diet and secondly, exercise. Oral tablets are available for some. They act by stimulating the pancreas to work harder and produce more insulin. Lastly there is insulin by injection for those whose condition cannot be controlled by diet, exercise or pills.

The goal of all treatment is to control the blood sugar (glucose) which is very important as the

complications of diabetes can be serious.

"Only diabetics using insulin will have an insulin reaction," said Dr. Sutherland. Because their blood sugar is dropping too fast it's important to give them a sweet drink and get them to the doctor.

Mrs. Marlyn Davies urged diabetics to follow Canada's food rules and stressed variety is the key to good nutrition combined with exercise. Weight control is essential. As we age we need less food and between 45 and 75 years we can do with up to 30% less.

Dr. Davies said that in our society we are eating in opposition to our caloric needs. We should consume food in preparation for providing energy, which is at the beginning of the day and not the end, when most eat the biggest meal of the day.

She urged diabetics to use milk, fruit, whole grains and legumes. Some protein should be included with each meal and diabetics' fat intake should be lowered to 20-30% of their food intake. Average fat intake today is 45%. Salt intake should be reduced.

Dr. Ellen Anderson told the audience of the benefits to be

derived from an exercise program.

Exercise is good for weight control, and less weight helps to keep the blood sugar level down. It also increases the ratio of body muscle to fat which again helps to control blood sugar and it improves the circulation.

"Aerobic exercise is best," said Dr. Anderson, "which means exercise at a level that causes huffing and puffing but does not lead to collapse."

After age 35, check with a physician to make sure there is no heart disease and no muscular or skeletal problems. A physician can help determine what kind of exercise is best.

Walking is one of the best exercises but walk fast enough to build up a sweat. Cycling is good

and swimming is excellent, particularly for arthritis. In jogging start slowly and gradually and be sure to have correct footwear.

"It's important to have a reasonable warm-up time and a reasonable cooling down period," said Dr. Anderson. Symptoms of over-exercising are nausea, dizziness and gasping.

Mrs. Jean Moseley, a diabetic on insulin for the past seven years, demonstrated her home glucose monitoring machine and told the audience about some of the new machines on the market. Moseley said the Canadian Diabetic Association exists to help diabetics help themselves and each other and that communication between diabetics cannot be overstressed.

SATURNA SCENE

Firemen to carve whole hog while children carve pumpkin

BY PRISCILLA JANSZEN

November 13 is the pig barbecue - a whole-hog festivity! The entire pig is roasted until done, carved, steaming before your very eyes, and served with apple sauce, spanish rice, salad, coffee, tea and dessert. Other liquid refreshment is also available, of course.

Twice a year the fire department sponsors this event, a delightful way to donate money to a hard-working group of volunteers.

Also, on this very same day, at almost the exact place that the pig barbecue is held (the community hall), is the Woman's Club Christmas and Assortments Bazaar. The famed "Eddie's Garage", across the street from the hall, is the location of this all-day sale.

The Woman's service club will have home baking and handmade, beautifully crafted toys, clothes and Christmas decorations for sale.

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Buy your tickets early for the barbecue at both leading grocery stores, as they go fast.

The school is having its second annual book sale. Cheap, good books for daughters, sons,

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For one week, November 1 to 5, you can come in at lunch, 12-1, or after school and on several evenings to choose books. If the school sells over \$500 we get bonus books free. The selection is very good.

On Sunday, Oct. 31, at 5 pm at the hall the parent-teachers group will sponsor a Hallowe'en party for the kids. We will have hot dogs, costume judging, pin the hat on a witch, pumpkin carving (pumpkins donated by our Lions Club) and other hilarious games.

The Saturna cookbook was such a success for those who bought it and those who put it together we're going to do it again! We ask you for more recipes, including good breakfast ideas. My brain never functions swiftly in the morning (after concocting one bag lunch, it's drained) and I would buy any cookbook with a wealth of breakfast menus. Recipes can be taken to both your favourite stores and deposited in the provided container.

John Money took an unexpected middle-of-the-night boat trip on the 19th. Suzanne and Ian Middleditch were positive it was baby birth time, so off they raced to Victoria. However, it wasn't, but it will probably be

soon.

The school went to the provincial museum and Craigdarroch Castle recently. At the museum they toured the native people's exhibit. Most of the children would like to move into the castle!



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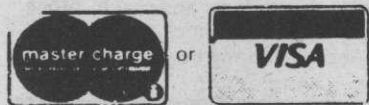
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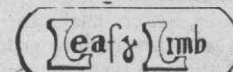
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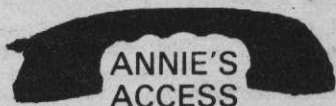
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Wednesday, Nov. 2
9 to 12 noon - 1 to 4 pm
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Marsim Crafts Shop
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537-2823

1977 Yamaha DT 175 Enduro, good condition, low mileage. \$825 obo. Ph. 537-9477.

S.S. Lumber, 6535 Ford Rd., opposite Forest Museum up Drinkwater Road, second road to your right, Duncan. 1x10 cedar channel siding, \$325 bm; 1x8 cedar channel siding, \$350 bm; 3/4x8 cedar bevel siding, \$195 bm; 1x8 rough cedar fencing, 4 to 6ft., 20C lin. ft.; 4x4 rough cedar, 52C lin. ft. Delivery to Salt Spring, \$30. 112-746-5041.

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For Sale

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Oil stove tanks for sale. 537-2572.

3-5 Viking riding lawnmower, \$150. Also single boxspring and mattress, \$30. 537-5726.

Garage Sales

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3-family garage sale, tools, tires, plants, crafts, misc. Robinson Rd. & Upper Ganges. Sunday, Oct. 31, 10 am.

173 Park Dr., Oct. 30, 10-4. Misc. household items, old bottles, games, books & more.

Garage sale October 31st, 255 Maliview.

Some garage sales are worth it; some are not. We're simplifying our life. Come and complicate yours. Sat. Oct. 30, 112 Robinson Rd., 9 am. This one is worth it.

Garage sale 151 Beddis Rd., 10 am, Saturday, Oct. 30.

Cars, Trucks

67 Datsun, auto, 4-dr. \$500 obo. 537-9776.

1963 Plymouth Belvedere 225 cu. in., slant 6, push button auto, body fair, engine runs, needs 2 tires, \$175 obo. Ph. 537-5052.

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Buying a truck - must sell. \$800 firm. 1972 Ford Cortina. Only 51,000 miles. Excellent upholstery. Runs excellent. 653-4298 Linda.

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1979 Ford 4x4 F250. Excellent condition. Mechanically sound. Many extras. Must sacrifice for \$4,900 obo. Crofton 246-9864.

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1982 brand new Oldsmobile cutlass Supreme, 4-door, blue with black top. Deluxe equipped. New car warranty included. \$9,500. Ask for Dick 112-629-3444 collect.

1965 Hillman, running, good engine, radial tires, needs much work. Good parts car. \$200. 537-9767.

1969 gas saving Mini Austin, standard, 35,000 miles. \$600. 537-2078.

Church Notices

SUNDAY, OCT. 31

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 Ave., Ganges
Worship Service: 10 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 - ask rector
Holy Eucharist - 9:30 am

St. Mary's -
Holy Eucharist - 11:15 am

St. Mark's -
Evensong - 7:00 pm

Rector: Rev. John Bailey
537-2171

Catholic Church

Salt Spring Island

Fulford - 9 am

Ganges - 11:15 am

Catechism 10 am every Sun.

Saturdays: Ganges, 5 pm

Rev. Fr. P. A. Bergin

Mayne Island

Catholic Mass on Mayne Is.
3rd Sunday of each month.

For details of celebrations on
other Sundays, please phone

539-5310 or 539-5498

ALL WELCOME

COMMUNITY CHURCH

**Agricultural Hall,
Mayne Island**

Sunday School - 9:30 am

Church Service - 10:00 am

For information call 539-5551

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**St. Margaret of Scotland
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Sundays, 10 am

Cars, Trucks

Can we a Ford to Dodge the issue of education finance? It is, we reckonworth struggling for.

53 Chev 4x4, 3/4 ton, runs well, body in good shape, comes with a spare front end, set of spare tires, and a set of chains. \$2,400. Ph. 112-536-2751 White Rock. Best between 9-10 pm.

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For rent - mobile home, \$250/mo. 537-2572.

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Space for trailer available. 537-2572. 43-4

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Seagull "Silvery Century" 10.5 hp outboard. Low hours. Offers on \$400. 537-4181. 1

Houseboat for sale. 12'x24' very reasonable. 539-2437 mornings. 42-2

BOAT RENTALS

14 ft. alum. with new 9.9 Johnson motors. \$7.50 per hour (incl. gas). Min. 2 hrs. (Also half or full day rates). Ph. 537-2510 or see them at the water taxi office, next to K & R. 1

20' fibreglass cabin boat, OMC inboard outboard, large deck area, weather proof cabin, includes 10 hp kicker and trailer. Excellent fishing boat. \$2,500. 653-4505. 1

15' Kelpie Weekender - built in England, with cushions, jib, main & spinnaker, Seagull motor, etc. \$3,600. Call 537-5537 or 537-5656. 1

Livestock

Child's western saddle, 12" seat, as new. \$95. 537-9356. 1

'Curly Bear', registered Apaloosa gelding, trained English and Western, quiet and gentle, an ideal beginner's horse, \$200. 537-5482. 1

Two - 7 mos. New Hampshire cross roosters, \$5 each. "Dad" was prize winning rooster at last years Fall Fair. 537-5050. 1

Arabian-Welsh gelding, 6 years old, experienced rider only, \$550. Apaloosa Arabian mare, 6 years old, \$475. Ph. evenings 537-9858. 1



SALT SPRING ISLAND RIDING CLUB

Let's try again for the comp. trail ride this Saturday!! (October 30, 11 am). Parents and members not competing, we need 12 judges for this event. For more information phone 537-5894. 1

One side of purebred Hereford steer 19 months. Ready mid-Nov. \$1.70/lb. Blue male budgie, 6 mos. with attractive 2'x3' cage. 537-5894. 43-2

Anglo Arab Morgan mare. 5 years old. Ph. 653-4270. 1

For sale, if the 'Aggie' program goes under. 1

Found

A pair of ladies bifocals in green case on Park Rd. Owner may claim at Driftwood. 1

White cat, with grey markings, Quebec Drive area. 537-5993. 1

Ginger male cat, neutered and friendly. 653-4391. 1

Lost

Potentially, quality of education. 1

Lost, strayed or stolen. One Toyota hubcap. Could be anywhere on Salt Spring. 537-5998 eves. 1

Deaths

Imminently, of educational opportunity in B.C. 1

Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Elaine Adele to Daniel Herbert Fraser, son of Capt. & Mrs. Sidney Fraser. The wedding will take place on Sat., Nov. 27, 1982 at St. Mary's Church, Fulford. 1

Engagements

B.C. teachers with Vander Zalm in a vital struggle for quality education. 1

Card of Thanks

To Albert Einstein

for his wise observation: "The political apathy of people in time of peace indicates that they will readily allow themselves to be led to slaughter later. Because today they lack even the courage to give their signature in support of disarmament, they will be compelled to shed their blood tomorrow."

SALT SPRING NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT COMMITTEE urges a YES vote on the nuclear disarmament question on November 20. 1

To Ministry of Education for a nice 1981. Love, Teachers. 1

Thank you to everyone for their kindness during my recent stay in the hospital. The flowers, cards, visits, thoughts and prayers of so many friends, greatly aided in my recovery. Margaret Doherty 1

Thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Fraser of St. Marys Highlands for coming to Westley's rescue (and mine) at Ruckle Park last week. He's still recovering but should be fine again soon. A. Richards 1

The Gulf Islands Handicapped Society wishes to express their sincere appreciation to Annie's Access and St. George's Anglican Church for their generosity. 1

Births

Painfully, Education Restraint in B.C. 1

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Buyer looking! Large corporation looking for further investment opportunities any size or magnitude, real estate, minerals, timber, oil, gas etc. Contact Agent at 270-8266. Write C-26, 108 Ranch R.R.1, 100 Mile House, B.C. VOK 2E0. 42-2

Wood windows and doors. Lowest prices. Walker Door Ltd., Vancouver 266-1101, North Vancouver 985-9714, Richmond 273-6829, Nanaimo 758-7375, Kamloops 374-3566, Powell River 485-9744, Lillooet 256-7501, Winlaw 226-7343, Whitehorse 667-7332. 1

Blanket B.C. and Yukon

Paton & Smith Farm Services Ltd. All breeds registered Beef Sale, Saturday, Oct. 30, 12 noon at McCleary Stockyards, Abbotsford. Consignments welcome, call 530-0748/534-9550 or 946-8077. 1

Here's your opportunity to join one of Canada's fastest growing vinyl and leather repair companies. We offer extensive training, continuous assistance, and set up supervision. This is not a mail order kit. For more information phone 980-3054. 1

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Hunters - Farmers. Meat Band Saws, sliding stainless steel table, 16-inch cutting height. Farm price reduced to \$749 less motor. Phone 384-3230 anytime. John Papp, 1255 Queensbury, Victoria, B.C. V8P 2E1. 1

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1975 Chev 65 series flat deck truck, 30,000 lbs GVW, new 18 foot deck, 427 motor, air brakes. Michelin Radials. One Owner. Would consider older half ton in trade. Phone 428-4983. 1

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1961 La France fire truck. 275 hp Continental 6 cylinder engine. 26,077 miles. Watrous Pump 840. GPM completely rebuilt 1981. 900 gallon tank. Upset price: \$10,000. Village of Fort St. James, P.O. Drawer 640, Fort St. James, B.C. VOJ 1P0. 43-2

Sacrifice - 1974 IHC 500 Crawler with 6-way blade. In very good condition. For quick sale \$8,500. Delivery can be arranged. Ph. 112-832-3864. 1

Home computers. Texas instruments \$395. Education and recreation for you and your family. Easily followed programming instructions, hooks up to your own TV. Fully expandable by adding Peripherals and educational, financial, scientific or games software. College Computers (mail order). Ph. 984-7322 collect. 1

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Blanket B.C. & Yukon

1978 Kenworth L.W. 8V92T, RT012515 transmission, 5:29 R.E. 1978 Peerless Trailer, S.I. scales. Quick change 5th wheel included. H-Plate for logs (North Okanagan). Good condition. Owner operated. \$32,000. Phone Roger Winkler, 112-832-6406 Salmon Arm. 1

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Wanted

Money to keep the schools operating well. 1

Used table saw, used carpet cleaner. Ph. 537-2226. 1

Someone going to Penticton to bring back a parcel for me. Ed Chew. 537-2583. 1

Used books, records and tapes. Annie's Music Box. 537-9421. 1

Windows wanted: used and cheap for workshop. If you have more than you need call 537-2324 and name your price. 1

Old photographs of Blackburn (Galleon) Manor on Blackburn Road needed. Ph. 537-9572 or 537-2326. 1

1 chainsaw - reasonable condition. Phone Rick 537-2952. 1

Recycle your floral containers, 50¢, 75¢ and \$1 paid for clean, undamaged bud vases, bowls, brandy glasses, etc. Garden Faire, Florists, Valcourt Centre, 537-2534. 1

Work Wanted

Responsible couple with family wishes to establish full-time residency in the Gulf Islands. We are capable of managing or caretaking a motel, campsite, marina, etc. or occupying a piece of property and farming it. Reply Dept. "S", Driftwood, Box 250, Ganges, B.C. or call 112-594-8193. 42-2

2 carpenters for hire. Siding, sundecks, reeroofs, renovations, etc. Contract or hourly. Very reasonable rates. References. Don - 537-2381, Rick - 537-2952. 43-2

Parents, need someone to babysit? I will daycare in my home. Phone 537-2252. 43-2

Need a good house cleaner or baby sitter. Call Thip Kitikoune 537-9570. Reasonable rates. 1

Will do odd jobs, repairs & light carpentry, \$6 per/hr. Also have truck, power saw & rototiller. Ph. 653-4298 anytime. 1

Building crew looking for work. Call 537-2209 eves. 1

Painting, wallpapering, garden maintenance, cleaning, small repairs, etc. Quick and tidy work. Call Kirstie, 537-5432. 1

Experienced painter, meticulous, interior & exterior & signs. Call 537-5195. 40-4

Reliable carpenter with 11 years experience. Will also do painting, roofing, yard work, etc. Please call Lyle at 537-5607 after 6 pm. 41-4

Work Wanted

By thousands of students entering the work force. Squeezing education finance will not help them. 1

Help Wanted

Help! Help! Please write to Victoria and ask for adequate funding for education. 1

LADY MINTO GULF ISLANDS HOSPITAL

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Confidential Secretary required by December 1982 for a modern 50 bed accredited general hospital situated in the Gulf Islands. This is a 20 hours per week position and provides secretarial and reception services to the Administrator and Director of Nursing. Excellent secretarial and typing skills are essential and shorthand skills will be advantageous. Salary and hours of work are negotiable. Suitable qualified individuals should apply in writing to: The Administrator Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital P.O. Box 307 Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0. 1

Wanted to Rent

Trailer to move to our property. Please phone 537-5825 between 6 and 7 pm. 1

HOME OWNERS

WANT TO RENT YOUR HOUSE but are worried about the problems that go with renting? Let me handle this for you. R. D. PROPERTY MANAGEMENT Phone 537-5411 1

House or cottage on Salt Spring for 2 weeks at Christmas, possibly longer. Professional couple. John Honeywell, Vancouver - 668-2841 days, 687-0207 eves. 42-2

For Rent

2 BR, \$325 per month secluded cottage near Stowell Lake, 1 mile from Fulford. 653-4558. 1

3 BR on quiet acreage Booth Canal area. \$450/mo. Phone Vancouver 922-0826. 43-2

Spacious 2 BR near new modern view home, full basement, all services, water line, appliances, drapes, wall-to-wall, fireplace, electric heat, very reasonable, rent to responsible tenant. Immediate occupancy. Start taking calls Oct. 28 after 2 pm. 537-2716. 1

Small insulated cabin available Nov. 1st, 1 mile from Ganges. \$140/mo. Ph. 537-2483. 1

Excellent commercial location. House in downtown Ganges. Live & work. \$425/mo. ph. 537-2236 or 653-4435. 1

1 BR seaview cottage, electric heat, furnished or unfurnished. \$285 plus hydro, Walker Hook area, vacant. 537-9363. 1

Fully furnished 3 BR home, Nov. to March, \$400. Ph. 537-9327. 1

Large 3 BR modern W/F home on Mayne Island. Sauna, seven appliances, semi-furnished. Avail. immediately, \$550 per month plus utilities. References please. 537-2675 or 327-7014. 43-4

2 BR home on 2 acres, occupancy Nov. 1, \$500/mo. 537-5521. 43-2

Inspiring, rustic and cheap! Final offer of converted 36' school bus. Yours at a depression rate of \$135/month! 537-9270. 1

Small 3 BR, 1/2 acre, stove & fridge, oil heat, Acorn fireplace. Close to town. References required. \$300. 537-5001. 43-2

Unfurnished 2 BR side by side duplex, range, fridge, fireplace and electric heat. \$320. 537-5751. 1

For Rent

Mayne Island 3 BR house at Village Bay. FP. \$300/mo. 576-6110. 42-2

1 BR house, near St. Mary Lake plus large workshop, avail. immediately. \$350/mo. 438-0314 (Vancouver). 42-2

Trailer space. 537-2572. 42-2

One, two and three bedroom furnished, winterized cottages now renting at Green Acres Resort, 241 Lang Road. Ph. 537-2585. Rates from \$295 per month. tfn

Winter accommodation bookings. Furnished cottages reduced rates, daily, weekly, monthly, yearly. Also week-ends. Panoramic lakeside from your windows. For details phone Mapleridge 537-2311, 9 am to 11 pm. tfn

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Winterized cabin in community resort. 1 BR. \$185/mo. Call 537-5568 between 9:30-4:30 pm. tfn

Large one bedroom suite with kitchen, living room & all utilities. \$300. 653-4520. tfn

Clean workshop. Complete with heat, hydro, water & toilet. \$200/mo. 653-4520. tfn

Winterized & furnished 2 BR cabins, electric heat. 537-2832. 41-4

1 & 2 BR all-elec. cabins. October - April. From \$250. 537-2214. tfn

Burgoyne Bay & Valley, new 2 and 3 bedroom duplexes, carports, sundecks and utility rooms on large lots. Rent \$350 to \$500. Phone 653-4237. tfn

Downtown Ganges. Ideal for small office or store. 537-5527. tfn

Storage space. Heated storage space for rent. 15'x15' room, \$100/mo; 15'x10', \$75/mo; 15'x8', \$50/mo. 653-4520. tfn

2 BR house, beautiful seaview, easy access to beach. No pets. 537-2541. 41-3

3 BR home close to Fulford ferry, stove, fridge, washer, dryer plus partially furnished, FP & large deck. Electric heat. Rent negotiable. 653-4515 Mon. to Thurs. 653-4250 Fri, Sat & Sun. tfn

Large 2-level family home in Vesuvius. 3 bedrooms, den, 2 1/2 baths, large kitchen, close to beach. Available now. Lease. References. 537-5568. tfn

2 BR house, 255 Maliview. \$350. Ph. 537-5906 or 383-5738. 1

2 BR apartment on Hereford Ave. Stove, fridge. \$400/mo. 537-2702, 537-5208. 1

2 BR mobile home, very clean, new carpets & lino. \$300/mo. 747-2485 or 474-2916. 43-2

2 BR studio duplex furnished. January 1 - April 30. Beach view near Sturdies Bay. \$300. References. 539-5414. 42-2

Central location - 2 BR & den home on 1 level - beautiful ocean views - avail. Nov 1, \$500/mo. Ph. 537-5568 between 9:30-4:30 pm. tfn

New chalet-type house, near Ganges, electric heat, FP, 2 bath, 2 BR, wall-to-wall carpet, carport, no pets. \$500. Ph. 112-656-3609. 42-3

Personal

If the person who removed a green bicycle from Central would be kind enough to return it, you could help mend a small boys broken heart. Noreen & David, Box 1367, Ganges. 1

Personal

Dear John Student: I would love to be coaching you in volleyball this week but I must spend that time fighting for your education and my job. Mary Teacher. 1

Through difficult times many have loved & helped. Those expecting a more tragic conclusion are welcome to spend an extended vacation in Iran.

Randy & Jesse (and I'm sure Lynda, too) 1

Notices

Chamber of Commerce EXECUTIVE MEETING

Wednesday, Nov. 3 - 8 pm. School Board Office 1

Swap & Shop

OCT. 30, NOV. 6, NOV. 13
9 am - 3 pm
St. George's Hall
Shoppers - 25¢ at door
Sellers - \$5 table (provided)
50/50 draw - 5 chances for \$1
Winner gets 1/2 of ticket money collected. Next drawing 2 pm, Oct. 20. Winning number to appear in this column. Table reservations and donation pickup 537-4147 - Gulf Islands Handicapped Society. 1

Preparation for Childbirth - If you are interested in a course (six weeks) before Xmas please call Anita or Maggie 537-9648, 653-4561. 1

Calling all Ghosts & Goblins!

HALLOWE'EN COSTUME PARTY for Fernwood School Students & families
Sunday, October 31, 2-4 pm
Fernwood School Gym
Adults 50¢ Children 25¢
Kids - bring a goody bag to trade and join in for an afternoon of fun. Visit the chamber of horrors, have your fortune told, bob for apples and much more. We need more parents to help - please call Donna Regen at 537-2845. 1

RECYCLE — do Salt Spring a favour and reduce the amount of garbage dumped on her. RECYCLE: Bottles - clean please, lids and sealing strips removed. Cans no longer accepted for recycle at RECYCLE centre. Newspapers tied in bundles, catalogues and magazines tied in bundles. RECYCLE shed behind Dagwoods in Valcourt Centre. Workers in attendance Saturday morning. Please bring only items listed, otherwise you add to our workload unnecessarily. tfn

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Salt Spring Island

Homemakers Service will be held November 10 at 8 pm Education Room (Nurses residence at rear of Lady Minto Hospital) Membership is open to any resident of Salt Spring Island who is interested in or in any way connected with home care. Registration at door - no fee Following the Homemakers Meeting, Meals on Wheels Annual General meeting will be held. 42-2

FREE FOR THE ASKING - a listener who cares. Call NEED Crisis Line - anytime. 386-6323 or from Salt Spring call toll free Zenith 2262. tfn

Salt Spring Island Trust Committee

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

Salt Spring Island Historical Society. November meeting. Tuesday, Nov. 9, 2 pm at home of Sue & Ivan Mouat. 132 Beaver Point Road. 1

Notices

Kathie Spooner, photographer from the Farmers' Market will be at the Kingfisher Shop Craft Fair, November 6 & 7, 10 until 6, Beaver Point Hall. Featuring Salt Spring Island Scenery! 43-2

Are you alone or feeling alone living in a stressful situation? troubled? 1

THE WOMEN'S SUPPORT - DISCUSSION Group will meet this year on Wednesday afternoons 1 - 3 pm at the COMMUNITY CENTRE on Ganges Hill. Please join us. 43-3

Alice Munro

will sign copies of her new book **Moons of Jupiter** at Volume I Bookstore, Duncan Tuesday, Nov. 2 - 12 noon For more info call Volume II Bookstore 537-9223 1

GULF ISLAND VIDEO RENTALS

Rent a movie tonight! NEW RELEASES ADDED: Close Encounters of the Third Kind, Hopscotch, Friday the 13th Part II, One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest, Dumbo, Every Which Way But Loose, Breaker Morant, The Deer Hunter, Bustin Loose, Blazing Saddles. MID WEEK SPECIAL Tuesday & Wednesday Recorder & 3 movies for 2 nights \$20⁰⁰ WEEKEND RATE Recorder & 3 movies \$20⁰⁰ Convenient pick up and drop off at The General Store in downtown Ganges Phone 537-5612 or 537-5091 43-2

"We must either learn to live together as brothers or we are going to perish together as fools." — Martin Luther King. 23 days till our vote on the nuclear disarmament question. Sponsored by the Salt Spring Nuclear Disarmament Committee. 1

S.P.C.A.

LOST AND FOUND PETS General Enquiries 537-2123 Please send memberships and donations to Box 522, Ganges, B.C. tfn

AL-ANON helps those who are living with or near a severe drinking problem. Weds. 1:30 pm and Fri. 8 pm. For more info. phone 537-2618 or 537-5129. tfn

A. A. Meetings, Tuesdays and Fridays, 8 pm. Open meetings last Friday of the month. 537-2618, 537-2135 or 537-2763. tfn

Salt Spring Island KNITTERS CLUB

will meet every second Tuesday of the month for learning, exchange of ideas, etc. For more information, phone Lucia of Alma's Knitting Room, 537-5642. 39-alt.

S.S.I. PAINTERS GUILD Wednesday Nov. 3 No Meeting Friday, Nov. 5 Watercolour Demonstration and Workshop KATHERINE WENJI O'CONNOR 10 am to 4 pm Catholic Church Hall, Drake Rd. Bring a sketch or photo for subject Members \$5 Non-members \$10 Wednesday, Nov. 10 Watercolour Workshop 10:30 am JACK AVISON Watercolour A to Z continued Wednesday, Nov. 17 10:30 am Workshop for pre-Xmas sale Mahon Hall Nov. 24 to Dec 1 Design by Rohana Laing 42-2

Coming Events

A UNIQUE EVENT FOR ALL AGES **ARTIS The Spoon Man** at ONE MIND Valcourt Centre Friday, Oct. 29 7:30 pm 1



SALT SPRING PLAYERS

present **"Chapter Two"** by Neil Simon November 22 through November 27 8 pm nightly in Mahon Hall Tickets available shortly 43-2



Kingfisher Shop Christmas Craft Fair, November 6 & 7, 10:00 until 6:00, Beaver Point Hall. Fine crafts, music, magic and good food. Something for everyone! See you at the fair! 43-2

S.S.I. ROD & GUN CLUB GAME DINNER

Saturday, November 20 - 6:30 pm AT THE CLUBHOUSE Tickets at NSS Waterworks Then DANCE at FULFORD HALL at 9:30 Tickets also at NSS Waterworks 43-2

ALL CANDIDATES MEETING

TUESDAY, NOV. 9 - 8 pm Fulford Hall Sponsored by South Salt Spring Residents Association Come and hear their view and ask them questions. 1

"The Pentagon has two rules for negotiating arms agreements: one is 'Don't negotiate when you are behind.' The other is 'Why negotiate when you are ahead.'" — Richard Barnet. 23 days till our vote on the nuclear disarmament question. Sponsored by the Salt Spring NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT COMMITTEE 1

Direct from Tuscon, Arizona Internationally acclaimed LINDA STRANDBERG, Soprano THOMAS PATTERSON, Classical Guitarist St. George's Hall Friday, October 29 - 8 pm PLUS VOICE WORKSHOP on Saturday, October 30 Phone Peter Clark 537-9695 or Kathy Stack 537-9313 1

Pre-Christmas Sale

of the works of the Salt Spring Island POTTERS, WEAVERS and PAINTERS GUILDS MAHON HALL Nov. 19, 20 and 21 10 - 5 pm daily 43-3

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR MINI BAZAAR

OCT. 30 - 10 am to 2 pm MASONIC HALL Home Baking - Crafts & Miscellaneous 42-2

Coming Events

SALT SPRING TENNIS ASSOCIATION Annual Awards Night

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30th at the Golf Club House 6:30 for 7:30 pm Dinner tickets from: Mrs. C. Mouat 537-5735 Dr. C.E. Andress (clinic) 537-5334 40-4

NOVEMBER 20th - 5 pm MAKE VOTING AN OUTING and come for a

Soup Supper & Bingo

at a benefit for Beaver Point Hall. Plan now - tickets at Patterson's and from the South Island Brownies. 43-2

United Church Women's Bazaar - gifts, toys, novelties, sewing, knitting, home baking, tea. November 13. 40-5

Coming Events

Basic Education Program Oct. 27 to Nov. 20. 1

SALT SPRING ISLAND FIREMEN AND FULFORD COMMUNITY HALL would like to invite the public to an

APPRECIATION DINNER

Saturday, Nov. 6 at Fulford Hall for Fred Hollings and Bob Patterson Limited number of tickets available from the Ganges firehall. 43-2

You are invited to watch the education system go down for the third restraint. 1



BECOMING ANDROGYNOUS

a workshop with HONOR GRIFFITH

WOMEN'S PLACE

SUNDAY, NOV. 7 - 10-5 pm COMMUNITY CENTRE Open to all - \$5/day with potluck lunch contribution requested. Comfortable clothes suggested. For pre-registration and child care call 537-9522. 43-2

ANNUAL MENDIES FUND LUNCHEON

St. George's Hall Friday, Nov. 5, 11:30 to 2 pm Donations to Bake Sale gratefully accepted. 43-2

DANCE & TRIM

Ladies beginning level Dance Exercise classes begin: Friday, Oct. 29 - St. George's Hall Level 1&2 1-2 pm Level 3&4 2-3 pm \$1.50 per hour Wednesday & evening classes if sufficient interest. K. Weisner, 537-4058 1

What would YOU bid for ● a series of 8 bridge lessons for up to 12 people with Norman and Anne McConnell? ● 50 pounds of Brad and Mary Lou's Wolf River apples? ● Alice's divinely decadent mocha cheesecake?

ATOMIC AUCTION

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13 12:30 - 3:30 Blue Heron Dining Room of the Fulford Inn Proceeds to pay for Salt Spring's referendum on nuclear disarmament 1

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Coming Events



LAMPSHADE WORKSHOPS
Learn to make your own designer lampshades and swag lamps. Great Christmas presents. 9-hour courses will be held during the weeks of Nov. 8, Nov. 15, and Nov. 22. Mornings, afternoon or evening courses available.
Course fee: \$22⁵⁰ plus material
Register now at
Marsim Craft Shop
McPhillips Ave.
537-2823

43-2

HALLOWE'EN BALL
ignite with the
FLAMING IGUANAS
(nunez brothers - rhodes band)
Saturday, Oct. 30
BEAVER POINT HALL
\$5⁰⁰ a head

AID TO NICARAGUA

The Nicaraguan ship Monimbo will be in Vancouver on November 11th. Once again residents in B.C. are asked to contribute what they can in the way of tools, office supplies, sports equipment, photographic equipment, etc.
All donations will be priced and tax receipts will be issued.
For more information phone David Reid 537-9844 or Gary Sawdon 653-4602.

43-2

Business Opportunities

Would you like a business of your own? You don't need an office to start. Begin at home, full or part time. Ideal for husband and wife teams. Call 653-4254. No obligation - no information over the telephone. Let's have coffee and talk. 40-4

AVON

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39-5

Legal

Legal? To violate a contract, Mr. Vander Zalm?

1

Real Estate for Sale

Sellout of provincial schools - contact B. Vander Zalm. Still furnished but running out of staff and supplies.

30-1

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Wide variety from lakefronts to hideaways & smaller acreages. Priced from \$22,500 to \$55,000, most with attractive terms. Vendors carry balance.

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3 oceanfronts, moorage, dock, piped water, \$32,500 to \$45,000. Some terms.

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1. ONE HALF MILE SOUTH-FACING OCEAN FRONT - 65 acres. Water system. \$550,000 full price, or \$150,000 down.

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95 ft. sandstone shoal. .61 acre, ~~\$55,000~~ \$45,000 or \$22,000 down.

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1. 210 ft. sandstone shoal, walk-on, 1.1 acres, cottage. \$140,000, \$40,000 down.
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3. Lovely home, walk-on beach, good access from road and water, \$135,000 with \$75,000 down.
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Well over 100 ft. peninsula. Custom built A-frame YEAR ROUND home. 2 levels, wrap around deck. Private water system, power plant. \$125,000.

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Here's a buy! Vendor says sell! Will accept boat as part payment. 370' oceanfront, 2 bays and beaches, all of 6.24 acres of forested beauty. Famous island privacy. Lifetime wood supply. Moor off beach. Real bargain at \$135,000, \$25,000 down, offers invited!

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Mayne Island

OCEANFRONTS:

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2. 145 ft. walk-on sandstone shoal, .68 acre. Moorage. \$110,000.
3. Level oceanfront. Beach. \$85,000.

HOMES:

1. 2000 sq. ft. 3 BR. Quiet area. Short walk to amenities. Serviced. Electric heat. Priced to sell at \$110,000.
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Real Estate for Sale

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SUPER WATERFRONT LOT GALIANO IS.

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2 BR mobile home, 8x12 stove room & sundeck on .37 acres. Year round creek. \$40,000. Phone 525-0047. 42-2

2 ac. panoramic view on paved road on Salt Spring Island. Hydro, water. \$56,000. 537-5031. tfn

Pender Island lots including lakefront. Power, water & sewer. Box 1001, Ganges. 537-5450 or 537-5715. 1

SACRIFICE

1/2 acre sunny, serviced, lake view lot, assessed value \$36,600 for sale at \$25,000 FIRM. Write Dept. 'T', Driftwood, Box 250, Ganges, B.C. 43-3

Too Late to Classify

NOTICES

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Hallowe'en activities

Hallowe'en is a time for good fun and several events are planned to ensure that both young and old can share in the hilarity.

The Flaming Iguanas will be playing on Saturday night at the Hallowe'en Party at the Beaver Point Community Hall where there is an admission of \$5.

Also, on Saturday night the Fulford Community Hall is holding a Costume Ball as a major fund-raiser for basement renovations which will accommodate the Fulford Branch of the O.A.P.O.

On Pender Island there is a dance at the Community Hall.

On Sunday events begin at 2 pm when Fernwood School holds its Hallowe'en Costume Party in the school gymnasium. Admission is 50¢ for adults, 20¢ for youngsters who are asked to bring a bag of nutritional goodies which they can trade. As well, there will be a chamber of horrors, apple bobbing and other games.

Saturna Island youngsters are being treated to a party at the community Hall by the parent-teacher group starting at 5 pm.

Greenwoods will again be inviting youngsters into the lounge for a party with the oldsters from which everyone can move on to Ganges for the annual volunteer firemen's fireworks display at 7:30 pm in Centennial Park. A fireworks display will be held at Fulford's Drummond Park as well. At both locations firemen will be offering free hotdogs to children 12 and under.

Later in the evening, werewolves

will be lured to Island Cinema where they are offered free admission Sunday night only to the screening of *An American Werewolf in London*.

At the South Galiano Community Hall, the Galiano Club will be sponsoring a party beginning with a costume parade at 6 pm followed by a bonfire and fireworks.

Mobile home park

The Municipal Act defines a mobile home park as a property on which two or more mobile homes are located for rental purposes. The Salt Spring Island zoning bylaw establishes a maximum size for a seasonal cottage and also rules that a property owner may not construct more than one single-family dwelling and one seasonal cottage on a single lot. On Tuesday afternoon last week

the Salt Spring Island Trust Committee was challenged to prove that a property on Cudmore Heights is not a mobile home park.

Trustees could find no answer for Sterling Howe, who posed the question.

Planner Richard McKellar was instructed to study the matter and to come back with an opinion for the next meeting in November.

Helium balloon hazard

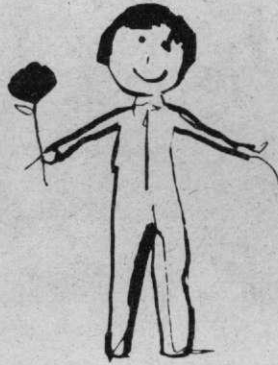
B.C. Hydro safety officials are warning the public of a hazard involving helium balloons and power lines.

The new aluminized plastic helium balloons, sold at fairs and novelty shops, can become conductors of electricity if they come in contact with overhead power lines.

Anyone holding the balloon string risks electrocution if contact is made, especially if the string is wet.

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Only solution to refugee problem is teach them to help themselves

BY ELEANOR HARRISON

Pender Island's Dr. Don Sutherland is now on his way to Somalia to a new job as advisor to the Somalia government.

He will spend the next 12 months with his Somali counterpart instructing and teaching the people how to cope with medical and health conditions in 28 camps housing 800,000 refugees.

It's a big job, but Dr. Sutherland believes fervently that the only solution to world refugee problems is to teach the refugees to help themselves and then move on, leaving them to cope on their own. His previous program of 2½ years ago, when he spent five months in a camp, has been so successful that he has been asked to repeat it in other camps.

The first group in his nurses' training program are now back in the camp educating and teaching and this camp is now run totally by Somalis. A water supply system and the nurses' training were funded by Pender Island residents.

Dr. Sutherland said goodbye for a year at a gathering of 150 held in the school community centre on



Driftwood photo by Eleanor Harrison

Dr. Don Sutherland with gourd used by Somalis for carrying water.

October 20. He showed a film depicting the lifestyle of a Somali family, which told how the children learned their lessons from a travelling teacher. The boys' place in the family is to look after the camels, while the girls watch over the goats. Women do almost all the work.

They are a nomadic race and are of the Islamic faith. The refugees have been chased out of their homes because of the war with Ethiopia.

Dr. Sutherland said he never saw any crimes of violence, and there was very little stealing. Generally, he said, there is much less crime than in our society.

Dr. Sutherland said you can't begin to teach these people until you understand something of their culture and religion. They still like to take their sick children to their own priest first before taking them to the western doctor with his mysterious remedies. Dr. Sutherland said they liked injections.

Dr. Sutherland introduced his locum, Dr. Joyce Holland, who will practice on Pender with Dr. Ellen Anderson during his absence.

Dr. Holland has been practising

medicine in Chetwynd, B.C., for the past 3½ years. She graduated in medicine from the University of Manchester, England, and spent 12 years in medical practice in Winslow, Cheshire, followed by further training in pediatrics, medicine and surgery.

Some years ago, after a visit to Saskatchewan, she decided to move to Canada and has been practising in Newfoundland and B.C. since her arrival here.

Hit and run

The fender, undamaged before lunch, was crumpled when the car owner returned.

Grant Aldous of Ganges parked his 1966 Valiant in the parking lot of the Valcourt Centre Friday. When he came back, there was evidence that a truck had severely dented the left rear of his car.

Ganges RCMP estimated the hit and run accident caused \$500 damage to the Valiant. Investigation of the incident continues.

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He disturbeth my soul
He leadeth me on the path of ruin for his Ego's sake.
Yea Though I walk through the valley of depression
I will see no recovery for he is with me
His policies and diplomacies they frighten me
He prepareth a reduction in my income
He anointeth my salary with taxes
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Aust resignation accepted with regret

The Gulf Islands School Board accepted the resignation of Strick Aust, "with regret," at a recent board meeting held on Pender Island.

Aust's resignation becomes effective November 30 when the current term of the school board expires. He would have had another year in his term of office, having been re-elected to the board last year.

Vice-chairman John Zacharias, trustee for Pender Island, commented on the three years Aust has been with the school board as a trustee for Salt Spring Island.

He expressed the school board's "deep appreciation for the service (Aust) rendered to the district."

"You have displayed a deep concern for children," Zacharias said, "and you have demonstrated that throughout your term."

Zacharias also offered words of commendation for the cohesiveness which Aust had brought to the board as chairman for the past two years.

In that time, Zacharias said, "We have begun to work as a team."

Aust had managed, "without using a club," to instill a sense of responsibility in the trustees. An example of Aust's approach, said Zacharias, was the way in which he

kept all trustees informed of the problems presented by the restraint program of the provincial government.

"You have carried us through some dangerous times," Zacharias said, "in particular the restraint program. You have also shown concern for local control in

whatever extent the board could control affairs."

He praised Aust for encouraging teachers and parents to become involved in school board activities.

Aust had stated, as reasons for his stepping down, a desire to devote more time to his family, his work and in particular, the soccer program on Salt Spring.

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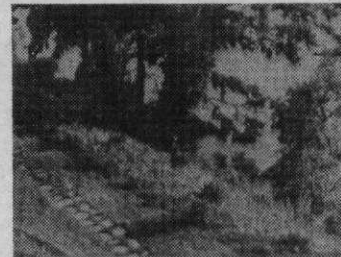
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Poppy sales start Wednesday

The 1982 poppy campaign kicks off next Wednesday on Salt Spring Island.

Canvassers will be busy from 9 to 5 each day until Wednesday, Nov. 10 selling poppies in Ganges.

Merchants and businesses will also be approached to purchase a memorial cross or wreath for placement at the cenotaph on Remembrance Day.

Funds from poppy sales are utilized for the following purposes:

- To assist Canadian ex-servicemen and their dependents, and ex-service personnel of other Commonwealth and allied countries in Canada;
- To defray necessary expenses of the poppy fund campaign;

- For the granting of educational bursaries for the children and grandchildren of veterans;

- With special authority, for community medical appliances and research; day-care centres, meals on wheels, transportation and related services for veterans, their dependents and the aged; donations for the relief of disasters declared by the federal or provincial governments; construction, maintenance or repair of housing or care facilities for the elderly or disabled.

Islanders have always given generously to the poppy fund, says Arthur Gale, this year's campaign

chairman.

"In our present economic crisis the need for funds is greater than it has been for many years. I am sure that every man, woman and child on Salt Spring will support this campaign to his utmost and will wear his poppy with pride and in grateful memory of those who sacrificed their lives to ensure our freedoms."

Branch 92 of the Royal Canadian Legion invites all islanders and visitors, and especially the young people of the community, to attend the Remembrance Day parade and service at 10:45 am on Thursday, Nov. 11 at the cenotaph in Ganges.

New books at Ganges library

Following new books are now in the library at Ganges.

Fiction

Touch the Devil by Jack Higgins, *Wings of the Morning* by David and Betty Beaty, *Archangel* by Gerald Seymour, *Light Thickens* by Ngaio Marsh, *The Miller's Dance* by Winston Graham, *The Ivory Swing* by Janette Hospital, *The Lost Madonna* by Isabelle Holland, *Different Seasons* by Stephen King, *The Icarus Seal* by Christopher Hyde, *Mantissa* by John Fowles, *The Music Wars* by Gordon Pape and Tony Aspler, *Cloak of Darkness* by Helen MacInnes.

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**Bits and Pieces
from Greenwoods**

League meets at Ganges

The Salt Spring Island Council of the Catholic Women's League met in the Parish Hall October 13.

Elsa Drummond led the opening devotions and gave a short talk on justice and love in Canadian society today.

Ursula McEwen presided over the meeting and reported on the regional meeting held in Victoria October 4. It was well-attended and extremely interesting and informative, she said.

Jeanne Anderson, convener of community life, gave an outline of the subjects covered under this convenership: health and welfare, immigration and citizenship, human rights, development and peace, public life.

She also reported on a recent meeting of Amnesty International, which she attended. She gave a brief biography of one prisoner in Uruguay, Professor Massera, for whose release efforts are being made.

The league's Harvest Tea, Raffle and Bake Sale held Saturday was very successful, organizers report.

Draw for a hand-hooked rug was won by Heather Tanner of Richmond, B.C.

Local team loses 79-30

The Salt Spring women's basketball team were slaughtered in a recent game against the University of Victoria junior varsity team.

Final score was 79-30.

Next game is on Monday in Victoria. One team member said she was confident that the local team would suffer another, similar defeat.


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Down Through the Years with Driftwood

Twenty years ago

Roller skating in Fulford Hall had been suspended temporarily until a new floor could be installed. The Lions Club, sponsors of the roller skating, intended to continue the popular recreational activity as soon as possible.

Adult education classes on Salt Spring Island drew 125 people to enroll in 13 courses ranging from English for new Canadians, through art to lapidary. Any course having the interest of at least 10 people would be put on.

Starfish were depleting the oysters in Booth Bay and the Salt Spring diving club intended to do something about it. The divers were to hold a starfish dive in Booth Bay. Prizes would be awarded to divers who captured the most starfish within a certain time limit. The divers would not be using tanks for the dives. The starfish caught would be sold as fertilizer.

A tourist noticed a Jaguar parked in the lot at the Ganges school and remarked on how well teachers were paid in the Gulf Islands. He was promptly set right when an islander informed him that the car belonged to the janitor.

Fifteen years ago

The Gulf Islands became part of the Victoria hospital district. The district had been created by order of the provincial cabinet and two directors for the Gulf Islands had been named. Doug Cavaye would represent Salt Spring Island and Joan Purchase would represent the Outer Islands. The residents would share the costs of hospital service for the entire region south of Duncan on Vancouver Island but would also be eligible for treatment at any of the hospitals of the district.

A storm struck the west coast of British Columbia over the weekend but no serious damage or injuries were reported.

The Lions Club held a bingo in Fulford Hall and although 200 people showed up to play, attendance was down from previous games.

The Gulf Islands Progressive Conservative Association had to postpone the planned election of officers because too few members showed up to a meeting. The election of party officials would be held at a later date in the evening and a dinner was planned to attract more people. No date had been set.

The only news from Driftwood's correspondent on South Pender Island was, "It's raining."

The Galiano Club planned to replace the floor in the community hall and bids for the work project were being sought. Funds to finance the floor were also being searched out.

Ten years ago

The federal election campaign was winding down to the voting on October 30 and the five candidates for the riding were nervously awaiting the results. Incumbent Tommy Douglas, NDP, faced a Tory, a Liberal, a Social Credit and an independent as opposition.

The Salt Spring Riding Club held a play day at the riding ring in Mouat Park. Members enjoyed western horse games as well as a demonstration of foot and hoof care for the horse.

The Community Club of South Pender Island met to discuss hunting ethics in light of the shooting of a lamb. Other topics touched upon included regulations on harvesting shellfish.

The Lions Ambulance Association operated the previous year at a \$200 deficit. The annual meeting of the group heard that 648 Salt Spring families joined the family plan, paying a total of \$3,240 to do so. Non-members paid a further \$1,234 for use of the ambulance. The estimated 175 calls cost the association at least \$3,800.

The federal election would cause an interruption of ferry service between Vesuvius on Salt Spring Island and Crofton on Vancouver Island. The election act stated that employees be allowed four hours to vote. The service was to start at 9 am but the boats would be tied up until 2 pm.

Property owners in the Ganges sewer area met in public meeting and approved further investigation of the proposal by the sewer committee of the Salt Spring Chamber of Commerce.

The ban on fires was lifted early. Fire permits for burning trash and brush in the open were being issued by the fire department. Property owners were, however, reminded that they were responsible for fires on their property.

Five years ago

A worker on a well-drilling rig escaped death when a cable he was handling brushed a hydro wire. The man, of Victoria, had thrown the cable over the side of the rig and was jolted when it touched the live wire. He was treated in Lady Minto Hospital for burns to a hand and leg.

Brisk winds blew down hydro lines and power was off for up to half an hour on various Gulf Islands as well as parts of Vancouver Island.

The drain in downtown Ganges became plugged and the water backed up to the boardwalk.

Efforts of the highways crew and the volunteer firefighters were necessary to stem the mini-flood.

Halloween was near and the Save the Children cans were being collected. Six cans had been distributed but only four came back. Thieves had stolen two of the cans containing money which had been intended to help children.

The North Salt Spring Red Cross drive collected \$4,354.85, which was approximately \$1,000 more than collected the previous year.

A shooting contest on Galiano resulted in 26 insulators on two towers of the hydro transmission line being destroyed. Damage costs were set at \$1,694 and the youth responsible was in Ganges court to answer charges of committing mischief by causing wilful damage. The case was remanded until November.

Hugh Curtis, MLA for Saanich and the Islands and minister of municipal affairs, was to pay a visit to Mayne Island October 31.

Not a matter of municipal jurisdiction

Nuclear disarmament is not a matter of municipal jurisdiction, says Jack Heinrich, provincial minister of municipal affairs.

He was speaking to the Union of B.C. Municipalities recently and said that he has replied to a number of letters asking for the official position of his ministry on the holding of a referendum on nuclear disarmament on civic election day November 20.

"In all cases I have unequivocally advised municipalities and regional districts against holding such a referendum," Heinrich said.

He continued, "My position has nothing to do with the worldwide significance of the issue or the sincerity of the referendum's proponents, both of which I acknowledge.

"The basic fact is that the international military situation is not a matter of municipal jurisdiction. Not even amending the (Municipal) Act could make it so.

"In my mind the question is sufficiently clear that not even the use of clever wording or alternate funding sources can make the referendum acceptable."

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What a difference a few minutes can make.

James Wheatley of Salt Spring was driving along Fulford-Ganges Road June 22 when he attracted the attention of Ganges RCMP for what the officer considered an unsafe speed.

The time, said the officer was 9:01 pm. Wheatley said his wristwatch bore the time of 8:56 pm. The vehicle was licensed for 9 am to 9 pm driving only. Wheatley said.

Wheatley was in provincial court last week to explain charges of driving a vehicle without proper insurance as well as not having a valid decal on the licence plate.

He told Judge R.W. Greig that he had been attempting to reach his parents' property on Beddis Road before the temporary operation permit expired. He pleaded guilty to both charges, he told the judge, because he would have been late in arriving at the house.

Wheatley was fined the automatic \$250 for not having insurance on the vehicle and Judge Greig imposed a \$15 fine for the

lack of a valid decal. Wheatley, currently unemployed, was given until January 15, 1983, to pay the fines.

Poet's corner

Owed to a friend

Ah yes Salt Spring, I remember you well
I remember your fresh air and cool nights,
I remember your smell,
How I love your beautiful skies your sunshine and your trees,
your mountains, lakes and valley,
your gentle rain and breeze.
In my mind I see your roads your villages and stores;
and I can hear the music of your slowly ebbing shores.
I remember your good vibes,
I remember your people...
Yes, I remember you Salt Spring,
when I'm feeling peaceful.

— Peter Cronin

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Women's: S.S. Sockeyes vs Duncan, Sun., Oct. 31, 11 am, Duncan.

Div. 4C: S.S. Wranglers vs Bays United, Sat., Oct. 30, 1 pm, Portlock Park.

Div. 5C: S.S. Sting vs Gorge, Sat., Oct. 30, 12:30, Victoria.

Div. 6C: S.S. Selects vs Sooke, Sat., Oct. 30, 11 am, Sooke.

INTRA-ISLAND

Senior: Saturday 9:30 am. Fury vs Stingers, Portlock #1; Sharks vs Dodgers, Portlock #2; Sounders vs Cosmos A, Ganges School; Cosmos A vs Cosmos B, Ganges School.

Junior: Saturday 11:30 am. Goblins vs Panthers, Portlock #1; Firebirds vs Demons, Portlock #2; Eagles vs Devils, Ganges School.

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Div. 4C: S.S. Wranglers vs Lansdowne, Sun., Oct. 31, 11 am, Portlock Park.

SOCCER MEETING: Monday, Nov. 1, 7:30 pm, Kanaka Place. All coaches & managers should attend.

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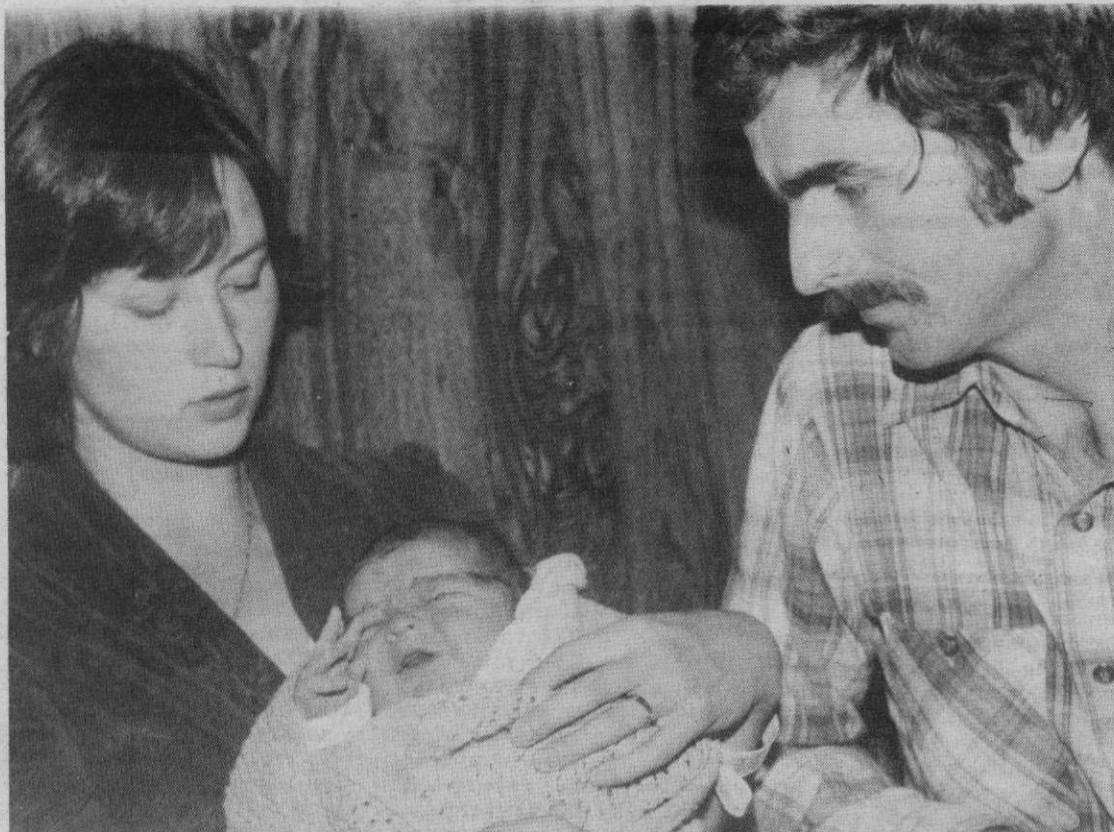
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Easy birth for big baby

The focus of attention is Nigel young man weighed in at 5,250 went through an easy birth after Thomas Elliott born in Lady grams (11 lbs., 9 oz.). Mother only 2½ hours in labour. Proud Minto Hospital last Thursday. The Roberta said despite the size, Nigel poppa John looks on.

Trust will not enter dispute

Plans for the sewage treatment plant at Ganges may be reviewed by the design panel of the Salt Spring Island Trust Committee, but neither the Trust nor the Trust Committee will take any action which might be interpreted as endorsing or rejecting the project.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week the amended design of the structure was under consideration and Gordon Wallace twice initiated a resolution to have the Trust play no active part.

The committee authorized the design panel, headed by Jonathan Yardley, to comment on the design. The Wallace motion added that "when the report is sent to the regional board it be made clear that comment is not approval of the project."

It was noted that the region does not need panel approval.

The design panel subsequently expressed disapproval of the amended plant design.

Fulford Harbour Tide Tables

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School objects to parking plan

The proposed parking realignment at Salt Spring Elementary School has come under fire from those for whom it is being designed.

Tom Watson, principal of the school, sent a letter to the Gulf Islands School Board, "per staff, Salt Spring Elementary School," protesting the use of non-sharable capital money for the project.

The letter also protested the reduction in size of the play field, part of which is to be used as a parking lot.

The school trustees sent the letter to the buildings and grounds committee for consideration. The committee is to report to the board with recommendations stemming from the points in the letter.

Strick Aust, board chairman, noted that the parking realignment was being put into place out of consideration for the safety of the school children.

Watson said in the letter, "We protest the fact that at this time of restraint, when funds can be re-allocated from non-shareable capital to operating accounts, the board would continue to consider any non-essential capital projects.

The board had engaged Salt Spring architect Hank Schubart to look into the parking problems at the Ganges school complex. He reported to the board earlier this year with a plan to relocate parking spaces from inside the complex to areas on the perimeter.

One of the areas will be a strip along Rainbow Road which will take away from the size of the play field. The field is primarily a soccer field.

Watson said, "...we protest any reduction in size of the elementary playing soccer field for any purpose other than providing a

better play area for children."

John Zacharias, trustee from Pender Island and chairman of the buildings and grounds committee, said his committee would consider the matter but that he was unwilling to make any changes in the plans at this time.

He was instructed by the school board to check into the various sizes of soccer fields. He will seek advice from the Salt Spring soccer officials, one of whom is Strick Aust.

The plan which Schubart drew up would eliminate parking within the complex except for spaces for the handicapped. The tennis court

and small play area immediately behind the school board office would be used for parking. The tennis area would contain 21 spaces and the play area, 22 spaces.

The tennis court would be moved, temporarily, to the opposite side of the current access road. It would be located in the strip, 60 feet deep, and 120 feet long beside Rainbow Road. The strip would eventually stretch from the access road to Kanaka Road to supply 84 parking spaces. The tennis court would then be located elsewhere.

The play field, reduced in width by 60 feet, would accommodate a soccer pitch 150 feet wide and 300 feet long.

Watson questioned the accuracy of the design. He noted that the design shows the current width of the play field to be 250 feet. He claims that it is actually less than 200 feet from the fence to the base of the mound at the school.

The letter asks the school board to have the plan redesigned to leave the play field at its current size. Watson also suggested putting the plans on hold "until educational financing returns to norm."

Water cost may go up 80%

Water for Fernwood School will cost the Gulf Islands School Board more next year.

The school trustees received notice from the Fernwood Water District that the price will rise to \$32.50 per month for the use of the system. The raise represents an increase of 30%.

The news was softened somewhat by the information that residential users of Fernwood water face an 80% increase in their bills.

The hike in costs had been approved by the executive of the Fernwood Water District but had not been okayed by the water control officials in Victoria.

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