

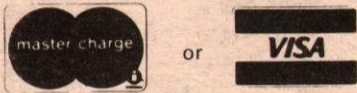
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Slabwood \$100 per load

(approx. 2 cords)
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537-2361 43-tfn

For Sale

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Garden Faire FLORIST



537-2534

Valcourt Centre 44-tfn

Cars, Trucks

1977 Honda wagon, new clutch, rings, bearings, valves just done. Great shape, \$3200 OBO. Call Danny at 653-4577, 537-5115, 537-9688. tfn

1972 Plymouth Fury 4-door automatic, PS, PB. Reliable transportation. 537-2650 after 6 pm. 1

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Mobile Homes & Trailers

Wanted to buy: cabover camper with stove, etc. to fit Datsun longbox. Phone Pender Island 629-3710. 1

Motorhome for rent

20' - sleeps 6
 Excellent off-season rates
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Livestock

Guaranteed to banish the post-Christmas blues! Registered golden retriever puppies. Sire show champion. Both parents hips & eyes clear. Excellent temperament. Wormed, had first shots. Ready to warm your heart late January. \$350. Sue Yardley 653-4322. tfn

Weaner pigs and feeder pigs for sale. Call Bob Walde 653-4474. 1

Boats

DIVING

- Instruction
- Charters
- Rentals

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 Professional Instructor 43-tfn

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31' double-ended clinker built ketch rigged gaff sails, all gear, ashore Devon Lodge, Ganges. Best offer by Jan. 25/84 takes. Write D. Anderson, Gen. Del., Ganges or leave message 537-2312. 1

Found

White male cat with black on face and black tail found on Mt. Maxwell. Very friendly. Call 537-9281. 1

One Honda car key on tab, by Heritage Boutique. Owner may claim at Driftwood. 1

Found on the road to Maxwell Mountain, a set of Chrysler keys. Claim at Driftwood. 1

Lost

Lost on Churchill Road, dark tabby, longhaired spayed female cat. Eves. 537-5765 or SPCA 537-2123. 1

Golden Seabright and frizzle cockerels. Breeding stock and show bird champs. Banded & tattooed. Please return. Fred - 537-2868. 1

Births

VICKERS—Brent and Linda would like to announce the birth of Adam Brent, Dec. 27 at Helmsken General Hospital, Victoria. A new brother for Andy. Special thanks to Dr. Jarman and all the staff at Lady Minto for their kindness and concern. 1

PAYNE—Andon and Christine Payne (nee Lacy) of Calgary are happy to announce the birth of their son Chad Andon on Nov. 18, 1983. 8 lb. 3 oz. 1

FETHERSTON—Ken and Pam are pleased to announce the birth of their son Byron Douglas on Dec. 28, 1983 at Victoria General. 9 lb. 1

Announcement

HAPPY NEW YEAR from NOVA FOOD.

BARB'S BUNS back in business and Debbie's fresh tofu for sale every Saturday at the Farmers' Market. 1

Announcements

The family of Don (Goodie) and Isabel Goodman invite you to open house 2 till 5 pm. Saturday January 7th, 1984 in the Masonic Hall to celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary. No gifts or donations please. 51-2

Card of Thanks

Our 50th Anniversary!

Our sincere thanks to all our friends who remembered our 50 years of wedded happiness.
 FRED & IOLA BROOKBANKS 1

Many thanks to the Salt Spring Island fire department for their speedy arrival at our home Christmas Eve. — Irene and Rob Tranter. 1

The Helme family, wife Betty, children Tina, John, Pat & Jayne would like to thank everyone—those friends and family whose kind thoughts, wishes & gestures which meant so much to us all through John's lengthy illness and untimely passing. He will be greatly missed by us all. A special thanks to Georgie & Gilbert, Carol & Jim for all their love and support. 1

The family of Olive Ross would like to express appreciation for the exceptional care and attention to Mrs. Ross during her lengthy term in extended care. The loving care and attention given by the nursing staff, aides and volunteers will always be remembered. Our sincere thanks to Drs. Rowell and Graham for their care. 1

To the dedicated, brave men of the B.C. Hydro who restored our power on Galiano the day after Christmas, God rest ye merry, gentlemen. Harry Harris, Galiano. 1

Deaths

NEWMAN—On Dec. 20, 1983, on Salt Spring, Mr. Edwin Henry (Harry) Newman, aged 68 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Phyllis Newman of 166 Wildwood Cres., Ganges. A member of St. George's Anglican Church, and a member of the R.C.L. Branch #92, Ganges, Mr. Newman leaves his loving wife, Phyllis; one son, Terry, and daughter-in-law, Linda, Port Coquitlam; two daughters, Barbara Cameron, Victoria; Sheila Newman, West Vancouver; three grandchildren, Sarah Newman, and Kirsty and John Cameron; and also his mother, Mrs. J. Newman, of England. A memorial service was held at 3 pm Tuesday, Dec. 27, in St. George's Anglican Church, Ganges, Rev. John Bailey, assisted by Rev. Peter McCalman, of Victoria, officiating. Private cremation to follow. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to a charity of choice. Goodman-Jones Funeral Home in care of arrangements. 1

ROSS—Olive Mildred on Dec. 23, 1983 at Lady Minto Hospital. Predeceased by her husband, Fred, in 1980. Born Melton Mowbray, England, Feb. 1894. Survived by her loving daughter Betty and husband Leo Horncastle of Salt Spring Island and son Kenneth and wife Norine of North Vancouver. Also a sister, Lola Bentley, of Victoria. Her passing also mourned by her granddaughter, four grandsons and five great grandchildren. Cremation with family graveside service to follow at a later date. 1

HELME—John Helme passed away Dec. 25 at Victoria General. He is survived by his loving wife Betty, brothers & sisters Tom, Jim, Audrey, Lola; children Tina, John, Pat & Jayne and grandchildren. Service was held at Our Lady of Grace 2:30 Friday, Dec. 30, 1983. 1

Deaths

SCARFF—On Dec. 31, 1983 at Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Edith Madeline Scarff, aged 72 years, beloved wife of Gordon Scarff of 300 Lower Ganges Rd. A member of the Community Gospel Chapel, she was predeceased by one sister, Marjorie Cyr, and one brother, Murray Ayers. She leaves her husband, Gordon, two daughters, Carol Eunice Seatter, Fawcett, Alberta; Audrey Linda Shaw, Victoria; three grandsons, Ronald, Donald and Eugene; four brothers, Maxwell Ayers, White Horse; Elmo Ayers, Waterloo Ont.; Willis Ayers, Dauphin, Man.; Ralph Ayers, Smithers, B.C.; three sisters, Laura Jenkins, Victoria; Eunice Henry, Flin Flon, Man.; and Audrey Anderson, Norquay, Sask. Funeral services will be held at 1 pm Thursday, Jan. 5 in Haywards Thomson & Irving Funeral Chapel, 1625 Quadra St., Victoria. Rev. L. Simcoe will officiate with interment to follow in Hatley Memorial Gardens. Goodman-Jones Funeral Home, Ganges, in care of arrangements. 1

LA FLEUR—Barthelemy Ivon, at Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, on Jan. 1, 1984. Survived by his sorrowing wife, Marie, of 125 McPhillips Ave., Ganges; one son, Kent; grandson, Mark, granddaugh-ter Kelly and daughter-in-law Rita, all of Prince George. Funeral services were held at 10:30 am Tues., Jan. 3 in Our Lady of Grace R.C. Church, Ganges. Rev. Fr. P.A. Bergin officiated with cremation following. In lieu of flowers, the family would appreciate donations to the Respiratory Technology Fund, 1900 Fort St., Victoria, B.C. Goodman-Jones Funeral Home in care of arrangements. 1

CARSON—Suddenly on Dec. 26, 1983 at Lady Minto Hospital, Mr. Andrew Carson, aged 77 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Tilly Carson of 234 Fairway Cres., Ganges. Born in Outlook, Sask., Mr. Carson was a resident of Salt Spring since 1973. Private cremation. Goodman-Jones Funeral Home in care of arrangement. 1

COVEY—In the Cowichan District Hospital, Duncan, B.C. on Jan. 1, 1983, Mr. Rohan Frank Rochfort Covey of 5870 Sycamore St., Duncan, aged 74 years. Mr. Covey is survived by his loving wife Doris, two daughters, Shirley Whyskar and Joan Covey, son Rohan Arthur, all of Victoria, B.C.; 2 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren. Mr. Covey served with the Canadian Navy in two world wars. Memorial service will be held in the Sands Funeral Chapel, 187 Trunk Rd., Duncan, B.C. on Fri., Jan. 6, 1984 at 2:30 pm, Canon H.R. Hunt officiating. Flowers gratefully declined. In memory of Mr. Covey those so desiring may contribute to The Hospice Society, 2nd floor west, 3045 Gibbons Rd., Duncan V9L 1E5 or the charity of their choice. Arrangements entrusted to The Sands Funeral Chapel, Duncan. 1

WILKS—Elsie May at Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria on Dec. 20, 1983. Born June 30, 1911, resident of Mayne Island for 38 years, formerly of North Vancouver. Leaves her loving family, husband William, Son Bary, daughter Tracey De Rousie; sisters Gladys Hunter and Mildred Sutherland; grandchildren Darcie, Christopher, Steven, Lisette and Nolan. A memorial service was held at St. Mary Magdalene Church, Mayne Island on Dec. 28, 1983, Rev. Dr. George M. Morrison officiating. 1

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Experienced sales people wanted to call upon industry, clubs and associations. We carry complete line of custom uniforms, jackets, blazers, industrial wear, etc. Excellent commission potential. Write: Sales Manager, 3770 Kincaid, Burnaby, B.C. V5G 1V5. 1

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One 1978 KW W900 3406 with brakesaver RTO 12515 SSHD KW 6-50 Suspension. Comes with 1978 Peerless page log trailer si scales. Clean unit, offers to \$60,000. 494-9004. 1

1979 Freightliner conventional with 1981 8'6" Peerless Page. Off Highway 10' and Bolster. Extra parts, tires, wheels, banded hubs, reach insert. Recent inframe. Phone 392-4945. 1

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Wanted

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. 43-ttn

Wanted—2-drawer filing cabinet, letter or legal size. 537-2845. 1

Wanted—rims, 5 hole, 20 inch. Call Bob 653-4573. 1

Part time house sitter wanted for seaside cottage. Must love cats. Very good situation for person with flexible hours. 653-4620 - keep trying. 1-2

Wanted to borrow or buy cheap, 1 set of chains to fit radial tires P175/75R13. Will barter—call Shirley 653-9272. 1

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Anything you've got! Experienced carpenter/boatbuilder, handy with electrical and mechanical problems, thrives on hard labour. I need work and won't say no to any reasonable paying job. James 653-4252. 1-3

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

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Care for seniors and handicapped. All types of cleaning. \$6/hour. Call Maureen at 653-4676. 1

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Two men need work—landscape construction, masonry work, sundecks, patios, carports, greenhouses, walkways, etc. Reasonable rates. Call Bill or Roy 653-4423. 1

Hard-working, reliable man available. Yard, clean-up, farm labour. \$7/hr. Phone 537-5148 after 6. 1-2

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SCHOOL DISTRICT #64 (GULF ISLANDS)

A teacher is required to fill a temporary Physical Education position at the Gulf Islands Secondary School from February 1, 1984 to June 30, 1984. This is a .75 teaching assignment and will involve some integrated classes from Grades 8-12. Apply to Mr. R. McWhirter, Principal, by January 15, 1984. 1

Non-smoking babysitter, \$25/day. Two boys aged 2 and 4. A loving gentle person. 5 days per week, 7:30-5:30. Must have own transportation to our home at Isabella Pt. Rd. 653-4576, 6-8 pm. 1

Community Arts Council requires Manager/Co-ordinator for Artcraft '84. See display advertisement this issue. 1

Part time cook wanted at the Fulford Inn. Experience preferred but not necessary. Call Gary or Barbara at 653-4432. 1

Wanted to Rent

Single working female looking for a one or two bedroom house to rent. Must be quiet. Phone 537-4197 or 537-5710. 1

Single man, quiet, responsible and non-smoker looking for cabin or shared house for maintenance and handyman duties or will pay rent. Please call Bill 653-4423, eves. 1

Serious writer requires small secluded cabin for self and dog within 5 mile radius of Ganges. Under \$300. Call collect 683-3020, 946-7549, Janice. 1

Couple with young child wish to rent 2-3 bedroom house on Salt Spring. Yard, garden, garage, appliance facilities appreciated. Willing to caretake and do repairs for reasonable owner. Experienced. References. Call Rosemary & Bruce, 537-5260. 1

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Church Notices

SUNDAY, JAN. 8

Community Gospel Chapel

Drake Road, Ganges
 Worship Service 10:30 am
 Sundays with Sunday School classes for the children.
 Evening Service 7:30 pm
 Bible Study & Prayer
 Thursday 7:30 pm
Pastor: Rev. S.F. Hildebrandt
537-5757 537-2622

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. Mark's -
 Holy Eucharist - 8:00 am
St. George's -
 Holy Eucharist - 9:30 am
St. Mary's -
 Holy Eucharist - 11:15 am
Rector: Rev. John Bailey
537-2171

Catholic Church

Salt Spring Island
Fulford - 9 am
Ganges - 10:30 am
Saturdays - Ganges, 5 pm
Rev. Fr. P. A. Bergin

Mayne Island

St. Mary Magdalene
ANGLICAN
 Sundays — 11:30 am
Community Church
in the Anglican Church
 Sunday School - 9:30 am
 Service - 10:00 am

Galiano Island

St. Margaret of Scotland
ANGLICAN
 Sundays — 10 am

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Furnished cottages, monthly at off-season rates. Phone 537-2311. ttn

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2 and 3 bedroom duplexes for rent, \$350 to \$475 per month. Phone 653-4237. ttn

Furnished housekeeping units. Rent includes utilities. 537-4145. ttn

Salt Spring trailer pad on forest site near lake, \$300 per month. 653-4237. ttn

3 BR trailer on St. Mary Lake, avail. immediately. On cablevision. \$350/mo. 537-2897 or 537-5041. 1

For Rent

1 BR duplex, new, separate driveway. Reasonable rent for semi-retired with caretaker duties. 537-2556. 1-2

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Small one-bedroom cottage, semi-furnished, electric heat, \$285/mo. incl. hydro. One-bedroom cottage, stove & fridge, electric heat, \$225 plus hydro. Walker Hook. 537-9363. 1

Waterfront cottage on secluded island available for short or long term rent. 2 bedrooms, propane utilities, fireplace. Call Victoria 477-1205 eves. 1-6

On Galiano, 2 BR bungalow, electric & wood heat, price negotiable for long lease. 688-7150, Vancouver. 1-2

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Salt Spring Island Historical Society

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No windfall for schools

From Page 1

He noted that 68 of the province's 75 school districts had made efforts to comply with the minister's directive.

But the money was not given back to any districts.

David Williams, Salt Spring school trustee, questioned whether the minister had been working under false pretenses. He asked whether the minister had his mind made up before efforts were exerted.

WHAT OF LOCAL TAXES?

Saturna school trustee Lorraine Campbell wondered about the 40 per cent of the money involved which was collected through local taxes.

Hoebel said that money is gone. Dorothy Kyle, representing the non-teaching employees read a memo from the Canadian Union of Public Employees.

The memo, from Len Stair, acting regional director for B.C., noted that the deputy minister of education, J.R. Fleming had told the union that money for salaries of CUPE members from the strike period was still in the system.

That money could be used, said Stair, to prevent layoffs of CUPE members.

But the money withheld from the Gulf Islands and the province was based on the average teacher salary for three days, said Mike Marshall, superintendent of schools.

He, Hoebel and Charles Hingston, school board chairman, had gone to see local MLA and minister of finance Hugh Curtis on December 16. They wanted to talk to Curtis about the budget allotment for the Gulf Islands for this year as well as the funds

required for the needed expansion of the Fernwood School on Salt Spring.

WOULD TALK

Curtis had indicated that he would talk to the deputy minister of education about the matters. He held the meeting just before Christmas.

Hoebel had contacted Curtis' executive assistant about the meeting. He was told that the deputy minister would be in touch with the local school officials by the middle of January.

Jeannine Dodds, Mayne Island school trustee summed up the mood of the school board when she said she would like to have proof from the education ministry that the money is actually put back into the system as the minister of education has said.

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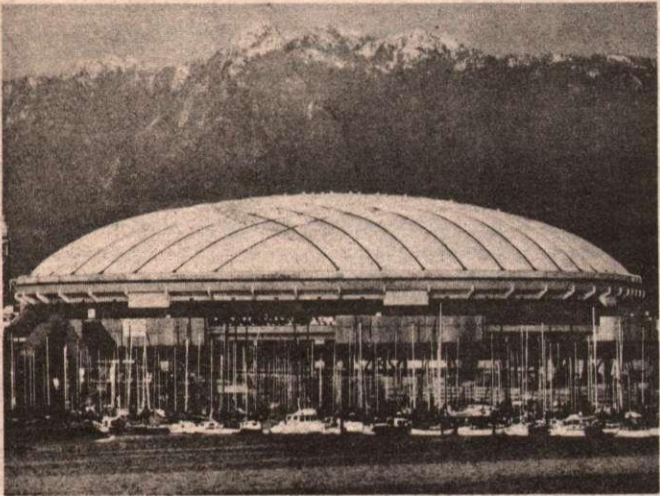
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January 17: all members, potluck supper with annual general meeting. Speakers: Joan Lott on Africa, with slides; Loes Holland on her recent trip to Nepal; Central Hall, 6 pm.

potluck supper; 7:30 pm, A.G.M.; 8:30, speakers.

January 24: regular walk, Mt. Erskine via Wilkie Way; leader Toni Luton; meet at Centennial Park, 10 am.

January 24: hike, leader's choice; leader, Mary Sylvander, meet at Centennial Park, 10 am.

January 31: regular walk, leader's choice. Leader, Ernie Jenkins; meet at Centennial Park, 10 am.

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Down Through the Years with Driftwood

Five Years Ago

A group of Island senior citizens, The Pender Island Art Group, has been given a grant of \$2,670 by the federal New Horizons Program. Group president is Miss Alma Jean Kilgour of Port Washington.

The Pender CARE tree sparked more brightly than ever from its waterfront perch in 1978 thanks to more than 600 donations. Pender Island Lions club spokesman, Stu Corbett, told *Driftwood* Friday that donations totalled \$9,455. Donations came from as far away as Ontario and Connecticut, Corbett added.

History was made on Boxing Day, 1978, at the tennis courts at Portlock Park. Thirty-two wintry clad members of the Salt Spring Tennis Association gathered to have a tennis tournament. The grand finale consisted of two contenders, Toby Seward and Ian Thompson, the latter being the winner. Everyone retired to Central Hall and the raffle prize went to Katie Address. There were also several individual prizes won by Ann Foerster, Norman Best, Hugh Borsman, Hazel Thompson, Vickie Wilson, Darryl Foerster and many more.

Up at Pat Wilson's on Galiano, there were more than 30 for Christmas Eve. They were happy to have Tom Head home for a few days along with two others, Mrs. Wilson's great uncle and her brother George's grandmother-in-law from the mainland. All were over the age of 80 but enjoyed the merriment of the children as they opened their presents.

There were many visitors to families on Saturna. Debbie, Archie and daughter Theresa from Kamloops visited Irene and Bill Lawson, as did Davey, Holly and the twins and Dale from Chemainus. Though not impossible, it will be difficult to face the new year without Mike and Maggie Hayes, Caitlin and Patrick. We wish them all of the best in their new home on Salt Spring.

Ten Years Ago

Travel will be easier for Salt Spring islanders heading into Victoria. On Wednesday, the Bowen Queen will be brought into use between Fulford and Swartz Bay. The new vessel for the run is the sister ship of the Mayne Queen. She will replace the Salt Spring Queen.

A meeting of the Salt Spring Players Drama Club was held on Thursday where president Gwen Hind-Smith outlined the group's activities over the past 12 months. In addition, Gwen Hind-Smith was re-elected president and an executive committee was nominated. Elected were Doris Andrews, Sheila Fraser, Ken Gaylor, Yvonne Toynbee, Olive Clayton, Mary Williamson, Reg Taylor, Gwen Johnson, Annette Keeping, Annette Hacking and Brenda Russell. Lannie Howard was re-elected vice-president and Roma Sturdy secretary-treasurer.

The Silver Maynes senior citizens organization had its first meeting at Springwater Lodge on Jan. 7. The new executive elected at the last meeting are as follows: president, Hugh Campkin; vice-president, Jerry Medcalf; recording secretary, Doreen Ferguson; corresponding secretary, Harry Adams; treasurer, John Menzies.

Fifteen Years Ago

Is a long haired male a hippy? Constable Wayne Dew, of the

RCMP Ganges detachment was not positive. In the witness box at a recent trial, the constable told of questioning a young man.

"Was he a hippy?" a lawyer asked. The constable hesitated noticeably before giving a cautious answer. "His hair was a little long," he replied.

Holidaymakers heading for Mayne Island for Christmas met with a rude awakening last week when the Sechelt Queen struck the wharf at Village Bay and damaged the shore facilities extensively.

Scot Clarke at Ganges last week admitted that he is not accustomed to a regular diet of haggis. He left his native hills to live in Canada and the haggis stayed in the Hielands. He and Mrs. Clarke were in Vancouver for the holiday and settled for roast turkey.

The W.I. picked a cold evening to give the newcomers in the district a warm welcome at the Fulford Hall. Mrs. Violet McClaron showed a few slides and thanks was given to her, and to Miss Angela Brigden for playing such lovely music. We all appreciated the lovely decorated tree that Jack Roland had put up in the hall. The sea is covered with ice and snow at Fulford.

As a salute to history, Mrs. A.E. Craddock is opening up the old wagon road crossing her Southlands estate on Pender Island. In 1893, James Auchterlonie of Hope Bay built the road from Bedwell, three miles down to the Leonard Higgs place at Kloshe Ilihi; and in 1895 it served Arthur Stanford and Elijah Pollard when they came from Devon, aged 22 and 19.

Traffic came to a standstill and the island froze as the last days of 1968 brought blizzard, near-zero temperatures and several feet of snow. Ferry services were suspended, water systems froze and power failed. Only the advent of the

new year brought relief from wintry conditions. There was snow before Christmas. And there was snow after Christmas. Only time it didn't snow was Christmas.

Twenty Years Ago

Peter Cartwright, North S.S.I Waterworks District, reports the water in Maxwell Lake four inches higher than at any time in the 13 years he has been measuring it. And speaking of high water, it is reported that a special Tripp Road puddle is posted with the sign, "Tripp Lake, No Fishing".

Our friend, Miss Jean Pattison, who recently took over the *Gulf Islander* on Galiano, has gained fame by getting a one-way ticket to Salt Spring Island, according to the CBC 7 o'clock show. Welcome Jean! Anyway, Jean is being interviewed by Eileen Laurie on New Year's Day in regard to one of her very humorous dissertations on Island privies.

The junior and primary departments of the Ganges United Church Sunday School combined for their annual Christmas party. Twenty-eight children enjoyed a pleasant afternoon with games, carol singing and a delicious tea set out in Christmas style. The teachers in charge of the party were Mrs. G. Scarff, Mrs. J. de Macedo, Mrs. J.D. Reid, Mrs. L. Barber and Miss K. Netterfield.

December 29, under the very able leadership of Mr. Vic Jackson, president of the Rod and Gun, an indoor archery shoot for juniors, 12 and under was held in the club house. Winner of the first shoot with 16 arrows best score was Eric Booth who took a turkey home for first prize; second prize, Alan Jackson; third, Raymond Holmberg. Lucky number shoot was won by Linda Anderson.

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A man who lived with laughter

Memorial service for David Conover

A memorial service was held at Ganges United Church for David Conover of Wallace Island who died of cancer in Royal Jubilee Hospital, in Victoria, December 21.

Conover, who was born in Kansas City, Missouri, had lived on Wallace Island since the end of World War II and had been a Canadian citizen for many years. He leaves his wife, Barbara, at home on Wallace, a son David Jr., by a previous marriage, in Delta, B.C., a brother, J. Austin Conover, in Los Angeles, and three grandchildren.

Reverend Allister Skinner conducted the memorial service; longtime friend Ed Gould, a former Salt Spring resident, and Dr. Peter Stockdill of Vancouver delivered eulogies.

EULOGY

Gould spoke of Conover's kindness and devotion to his friends and his dedication to his writing.

"Although he had four books published and two more on the way, he always spoke of himself as a handyman," Gould said. "He was one of the humblest of men, and one of the most gentle and loving."

Dr. Stockdill said in the 35 years he had known the author he had seen him get angry only once, "and that was when some campers lit a bonfire during the fire hazard season when the whole island could have gone up in flames."

Rev. Skinner outlined Conover's success in many areas and how he had remained essentially a kind and warm human being.

LAUGHING AT LIFE

"He had an enormous capacity to be able to laugh at life and even when he knew the end was near, he was still able to chuckle. He had a tremendous spirit."

David Beals Conover is credited with "discovering" actress Marilyn Monroe when she was working in an aircraft factory in Hollywood making model planes for identification purposes.

Conover was a U.S. Air Force combat photographer who recognized in the young Norma Jean Dougherty (as she was then known) a "certain star quality" which later proved to be correct. He

wrote a book about his association with her, *Finding Marilyn*.

FAMOUS AUTHOR

Prior to that, he wrote an enormously successful book about life on tiny Wallace Island in the Trincomali Channel. *Once Upon An Island* sold millions of copies and in its Reader's Digest Condensed Book edition was published in seven languages.

An unpublished book dealing

with the death of Monroe, which Conover contended was premeditated murder, is at a publisher's. A second book dealing with another aspect of life on an island will be completed by his wife, Barbara.



David Conover seen here at his Wallace island home holding the first commercial photograph of Marilyn Monroe, the actress he "discovered". (Photo by Ed Gould)

Computer purchase approved

The computer comes to the Gulf Islands.

The local school board recently gained approval from the ministry of education for purchase of a computer to be part of the administration office in Ganges. Actually the original suggestion to computerize administrative things came from the ministry.

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