



Beth Straarup and children (from left) Evita, Glen, Heidi

Fulford mother of three expresses opinion on midwife controversy

By SUSAN DICKER

As the controversy over midwifery and home births gains momentum across Canada, one Fulford woman feels it is time mothers voiced their opinions.

Having a baby is not like having a gall bladder removed, says Beth Straarup: the infant will be born with or without a physician. Straarup feels women should have more say in their own birthing process. If a doctor will not accommodate some wishes, such as having the baby in a hospital bed rather than on a delivery table, change doctors,

she says.

Having had three children — one at home, one at a hospital and one at a birthing home — Straarup has some authority on the matter. She has written to numerous members of parliament, describing her experience, and calling for the integration of

midwives into the medical system.

Straarup's first birthing experience — close to eight years ago in Australia — met most of her and her husband's ideals. The mansion-turned-birthing home

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The provincial forests ministry will work with the Salt Spring Island Fire District to lessen the fire hazard on a Charlesworth Road property owned by the Catholic Church.

Salt Spring Island Fire Chief Les Wagg said owners of the recently-logged land will be advised the area must meet safety conditions before summer.

Wagg feels it is too late in the season to burn the slash before the dry months set in. But the hazard can be lessened, he said, by pulling the slash away from the bush area, therefore creating fire breaks. Should a fire occur, the breaks would prevent flames from spreading.

Wagg said the ministry and the fire department would do the work and bill the owners if the owners fail to comply with an order to make the area safe before summer.

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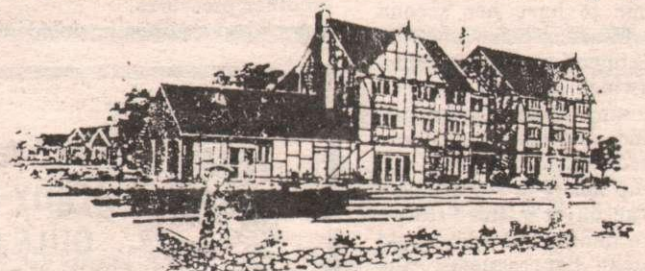
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Institute building described unsafe for large gatherings

The Farmers' Institute building must undergo about \$5,000 worth of renovations before it can again be used for any large gatherings of people.

While institute members were aware the facility needed upgrading, the extent of the work needed came as a surprise when it was revealed recently. Institute president Paul Mackenzie said the organization will, however, work to bring the building up to standard.

"We would certainly like to see the facility used more and more," Mackenzie said.

The building on the Institute's property on Rainbow Road in Ganges had recently been insulated by Job Trac workers, a project designed to allow the community greater use of the structure.

However, both fire chief Les Wagg and building inspector John Huntley have since expressed concerns over the facility's safety conditions.

When the structure was built close to eight years ago, the work was done under a "barn" building permit. To be able to legally host dances, it must comply with the terms and conditions of "assembly" permits.

Huntley said the problems became apparent to him when he attended a dance at the institute last year. "I was appalled to find the exit doors locked and the front doors blocked by a table."

He said the electrical system was being used in an unsafe manner, and that cars blocked the entranceway, making it difficult for an emergency vehicle to gain access if necessary.

Further problems with the building, he said, are incorrect wiring, the need for fire doors, and the need for a fire-resistant finish such as non-combustible gypsum board.

The one-quarter-inch plywood and insulation combination recently installed as part of the

Job-Trac program is one of the worst possible combinations, he noted.

As the building now exists, it can safely be used for activities like the Fall Fair, plus small rummage sales. The ultimate authorities for enforcing correct use of the building are the fire chief and the RCMP.

Fire chief Les Wagg echoed many of Huntley's concerns, calling for the installation of emergency "panic" doors and lighting.

A meeting between MacKenzie and an off-island fire marshal determined that an alarm system must also be implemented.

MacKenzie said fire doors alone will cost in the area of \$500 each. He said the Institute has the funds to begin upgrading the structure; however, such a move will temporarily cut short funding for the Fall Fair.

Parents must learn, examine options before settling on birthing process

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had wallpapered rooms with fireplaces and antique furniture. Midwives and doctors knocked before entering the room; everything from bean bags to a birthing chair was available to encourage the most comfortable birthing process.

"We knew the people and we knew the doctor that was on call," Straarup remembers. "They gave us the confidence that it was us having the baby; our freedom wasn't taken away."

The Salvation Army runs the Australian birthing home, operating under the dual purpose of serving single mothers and providing "expert maternity care." Mothers and grandmothers connected with the home involve themselves in raising funds for the facility.

Training in midwifery is a prerequisite to working in the Boothville maternity ward. The home is equipped with a full operating theatre should complications arise. Parents undergo a program of instruction and preparation for childbirth and post-natal adjustments.

"The women were very skilled," Straarup says. "There was no shift change, no *excuse me, it's nine o'clock, I've got to go home.*"

Straarup's Australian experience bore two results when it came time to have her second baby in Canada. First, she felt disappointment in the Canadian system (which she had assumed to be the same as the Australian), and second, she knew exactly how she wanted to have her baby.

Straarup talked to several doctors at Vancouver's Grace Hospital before finding one who would comply with her requests. She wanted to leave the hospital right after the birth, she wanted no interference, such as doctors and nurses walking through her room during the delivery, and she wanted to have the baby in a

hospital bed, rather than on a delivery table.

At the hospital, Straarup found she had very few freedoms. She was told she could not have a shower (she had one anyway, but was not provided towels), nor could she walk around the room. When a student nurse asked to check her, only minutes after a nurse had checked her, Straarup refused. The process increased the intensity of labour, she said. An argument ensued, with the student nurse finally leaving.

Some 20 minutes later she returned, introduced herself and requested she stay during the delivery.

"It was a learning experience for her," Straarup says. "She learned *this is me, my baby, my body, and I'm sharing my space with you.*"

After the birth Straarup walked from the hospital "totally disappointed that our country has no midwives." She and her husband paid \$800 for the three hours they spent at the hospital.

Straarup says she has no argument with doctors, but feels there is a lot of room for midwives, who can provide a continuity of care that a doctor cannot. A doctor, she says, may have someone waiting for surgery; he can only be with the mother during the actual delivery. A midwife, on the other hand, has no other pressures.

Straarup and her husband dis-

cussed going to a birthing home in Europe for the delivery of their third child, but chose instead to have the child at home on Salt Spring, with the assistance of a midwife.

Straarup had had two fast and healthy deliveries; she was confident her third would be the same. Her doctor did the best job possible to assure her body and baby were as healthy as they could be, and the midwife met with her weekly at first, then daily in the final stages.

"We became very good friends," says Straarup of the midwife. "She was aware of my stresses and what I wanted . . . we rapped about babies and the weather. She was concerned about me as a person."

Not only did the midwife attend the delivery, she returned every day afterwards to help with care of the baby, plus the other children.

In retrospect, Straarup feels she would have her first baby (in the Canadian system) in a hospital if midwives were part of the medical system. If not, she would have the child and all consecutive babies at home.

There is a bonding that occurs in the room where a birth takes place, Straarup said. "Midwives nurture that bond," Straarup says. "Midwife, mother, father and baby work together as a team."

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Charges laid for impaired boating

A Victoria man faces impaired boating charges after being apprehended by Ganges RCMP in Vesuvius Bay last week.

The incident, in which Dean Adam Whitehead, 21, had alleged control of his boat while impaired, took place May 1 at 6:40 pm, just outside of the Vesuvius Inn.

Whitehead has also been charged with refusing to provide a breath sample upon request of police.

A Ganges man faces charges of having care and control of a vehicle while being impaired.

Eighteen-year-old Steven Desmond Smith was apprehended by police early Saturday morning. Police tailed Smith before pulling him over in the Ganges Village Market parking lot.

In other matters, police have charged a minor with being in possession of alcohol, after finding three youths with liquor on April 29.

Penalty for the offence is a \$50 fine. Should the minor have been discovered consuming the alcohol, the fine would be \$100. A penalty of \$100 is also administered to minors found in a licensed drinking establishment.

A warning was issued by police following a case of attempted theft on April 26.

Police received a report at 6:43 pm, alerting them to attempted theft of crabs from commercial fishing traps in Ganges Harbour.

Owners of the traps pursued the culprits by boat. The incident resulted in police apprehending a local individual, who was subsequently given a warning.

Police are investigating a number of wilful damage incidents which occurred on Fulford-Ganges hill last weekend.

Although the RCMP did not receive a formal complaint, they noted a number of road signs had been pushed over. The highways department has since worked to replace the signs, and police are investigating the incident.

Local police received several complaints last week regarding drivers who pass school buses when the flashing red lights are on.

Const. Jim Harrison said three-point violation charges will be laid on drivers who ignore the flashing stop signals.

The local RCMP detachment has possession of a bike found outside the Pharmasave April 25.

The bike had been there for some time, police said. Owner of the bicycle can claim it at the station through identification.

bridge report

Gulf Islands Bridge Club winners on April 25 were:

- (North-South) John and Vera Sarginson; Dawny Scarfe and Liz Dafoe; Lois Popkin-Clurman and Mona Coulter; Kay Harrison and Cassie Chenerwickan.

- (East-West) Gordon Hutton and Fred Struve; Marg and Bill Mott; Marion Ashmore and Vivian Storr; Corinne Forster and Althea Morrisette.

Tuesday night winners were:

- (North-South) Mike Testart and Noel Fowles; Gerry and Pam Foard; Conhor Hunt and Fred Struve; Bill and Betsy Minten.

- (East-West) Lorna and Peter Pentz; Marion Ashmore and Isabelle Richardson; Lois Popkin-Clurman and Patti-May Lawson; Anne and Norm McConnell.

Bridge Club members are also advised to keep in mind the need to pre-register for the June 3 world contest.

Johnny Canuck is half-way

Cross-country campaign gains grassroots support and attention

A Salt Spring Island man has passed the geographic half-way point in his cross-country trek to promote opposition to a free trade agreement between Canada and the U.S.

John Wilcox drove into Toronto earlier this week for a seven-day stop. Wilcox, who left Salt Spring on April 5 in an older-model pickup truck painted with a representation of the Canadian flag, will then drive to the Maritime provinces before doubling back to Ontario in time for Canada Day celebrations in Ottawa on July 1.

In a Monday morning telephone conversation with *Driftwood*, Wilcox said his campaign is gaining strong grassroots support and media attention. Since the last time he checked in (from Saskatoon), Wilcox has spoken to gatherings in Winnipeg, Thunder Bay, Kenora and Sudbury.

"The public response has really been something — the people are so encouraging," he said, explaining that he is sometimes not permitted to pay for breakfasts in restaurants, and that people on the street have handed him monetary donations and told him to keep up the crusade.

"The more people are becoming conversant on the free trade issue, the more they realize there has never been a deal this bad for Canada — it's a resurgence of the annexation issue," he said, adding that he has found opposition to the proposed agreement especially strong on university campuses, where students and faculty seem well-versed in free trade details.

"This is the most important thing to face Canada this century, and it's important that people become knowledgeable about this issue — if they are, they wouldn't support it," he said.

Major media outlets are picking up on his campaign, Wilcox said. He was featured twice in the *Winnipeg Free Press* — once in a report that tapes were stolen from his truck — and is being lined up to appear on CBC's *Morningside* program while in Toronto.

Aside from the theft of tapes from his truck, Wilcox reports no difficulties in his trip, which is expected to cover 10,000 miles in

five months. He has had two breakdowns (one in B.C., the other in Ontario) but neither was serious.

Oddly enough, Wilcox reports that both times his truck broke down, the motorists who stopped to help were from the West Coast. In B.C., the passer-by was a Salt Spring resident, while in Ontario it was a trucker carrying kayaks made in Sidney and bound for Toronto.

Wilcox said the trip to date has been an eye-opening experience,

and that he would like to thank his supporters on Salt Spring for helping to make it happen. "I'd like to write and thank everyone personally, but I'm a bit busy," he said.

The islander's itinerary for the next few weeks includes driving to Kingston, Montreal, Quebec City and Prince Edward Island. After that, he will head through New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, then to Newfoundland before returning to Ontario.

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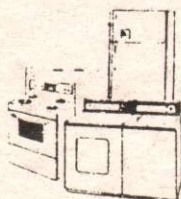
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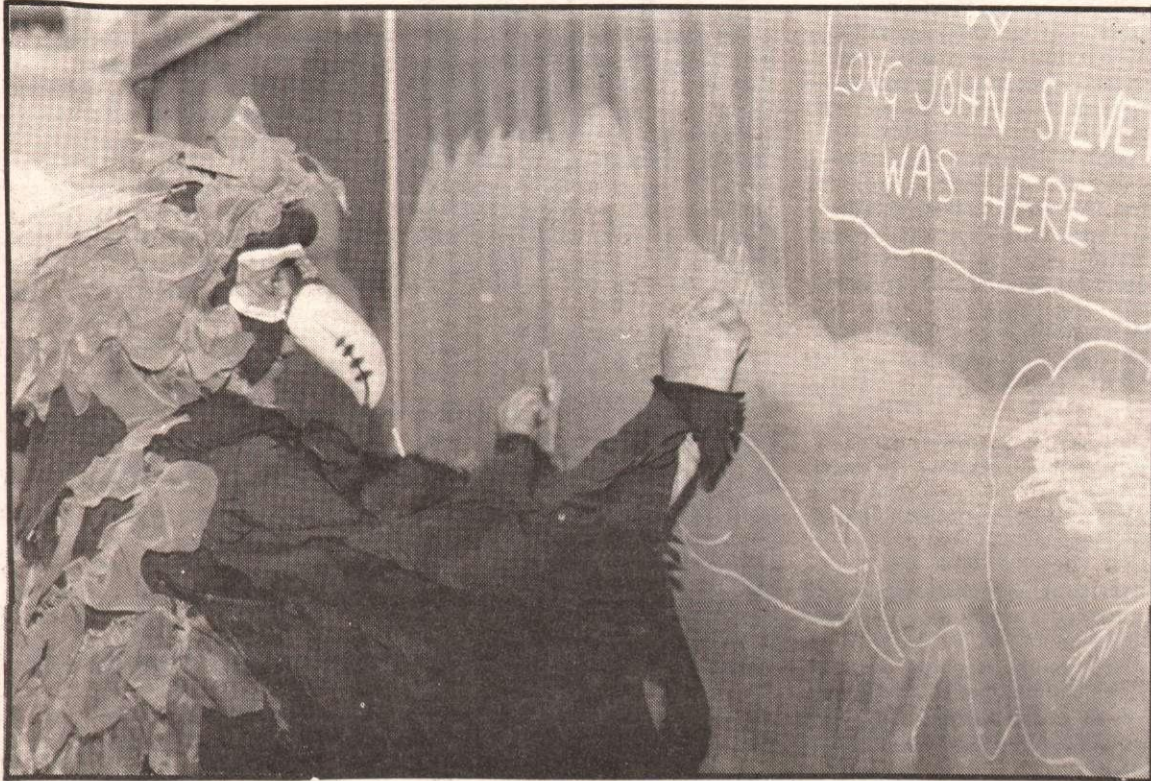
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Parody draws crowd to opening production

By ELEANOR HARRISON
PENDER ISLANDS — Opening night — April 30, 1988 — saw the first production of Pender Island Theatre Society draw an audience of over 350 paid admissions.

The play was *Treasure Island*, a parody on the Robert Louis Stevenson work written by Canadian playwright James Iwasuk. The audience loved the numerous references to Pender people and events — one of the funniest was Linda Sokol, Pender Island's peppy real estate saleslady act.

Much credit must go to director Geoff Noble for welding his widely diversified cast together into such a finished production.

Angela Verriour, effectively disguised, was the parrot, who with sudden outbursts throughout the show certainly helped to carry the production. She was also the prompter but was seldom needed in that role.

Robert White as Long John Silver was outstanding with excellent diction and a voice which could be heard through the gymnasium — not the most ideal theatre facility.

Mention must also be made of Cassidy Buchanan and his able

performance as Jim Hawkins. He had an excellent voice which carried well, and expressive acting ability. April 30 was his 14th birthday.

In the cast were 10 members assisted by 15 extra players who all melded together to produce the finished production.

Casey O'Connor's beautiful slide photographs of Pender Island scenes, shown on the wall prior to and between scenes, caused a lot of audience interest as part of the total production. Suitable music accompanied them.

Earl Tattersall's sound effects throughout the play were timely and effective, and good lighting effects were produced by Gary Goodman.

Both Robert White, in charge of props, and Bill Robson who managed the sets, deserve commendation as they were all excellent — as were the imaginatively authentic costumes put together by Michelle Marsden, Rennie Robson, Kathy Farrell and Karen Watson.

Lastly, the producer was Michelle Marsden (who also played the part of Dr. Livesey),

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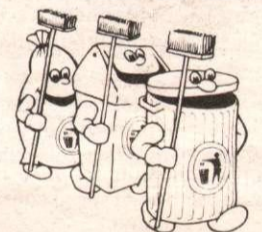


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By ALISTAIR ROSS
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Hurrying down-island to that 6:45 ferry to Swartz Bay these days can be a harrowing experience if you happen to be a bird lover. Robins are everywhere and they seem to be attracted to asphalt roads. You drive around a corner and there in front of you are nine robins in 100 feet of roadway. They fly off the road as you approach, of course, but in every conceivable direction.

Later in the season, and particularly after a rain, the frog becomes Galiano's speed controller. Unseen until you are almost on them, they suddenly jump and nearly always in the wrong direction.

The rest of the year, stray cats, raccoons and deer help to police our roads; their bright eyes shine in the distance on a dark night to warm you of their presence.

Black ice tends to help as a controller of speed in winter, and tourists just off the ferry and taking in the beauties of our island for the first time (all 16 miles of it) can do it to you in the summer.

Always looking for ways to economize with essential services, the government should establish a Royal Commission to look into Galiano's method of speed control. We can only imagine the number of frogs, raccoons, deer and robins which would be needed to police the Pat Bay Highway.

Scottish Crofters

Through this column a month or two ago, an appeal was made for information about families on these islands who may have taken advantage of a British government loan made to the colonial Government in Victoria in the 1890s.

The aim of the loan was to aid the growing coastal fisheries with immigrant workers and settlers from Scotland.

According to a gentleman in Vancouver who responded to the article, the B.C. government failed to accept the loan, so no Scottish crofters came here under the scheme. "The only crofters who came to Canada with government assistance settled on the Prairies in 1888-89. An article on the proposed B.C. scheme appeared in B.C. Studies about five years ago," according to our informant.

Scots on the Links

George Stephen, the Galiano organizer of the golf tournament held here in conjunction with the Delta Borderers invasion, reports favourably on the results of all his hard work. About 30 golfers

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participated.

Winner of the low net trophy for the ladies was Margaret Harvey with 67. The men's low net winner was Bill Crosby with 55. The most honest golfer among the ladies was Margaret Moss with 162. The gentleman winning in this classification was Steve McKeever; his score is not available. Galiano's Marne Brine got recognition for the one and only birdie of the day. John Harvey of the Delta Borders was grand marshal.

After the tournament the golfers and others met at the clubhouse where they enjoyed a video of their dancing made by the Caverlys at the Activity Centre the previous evening. Forty-two people enjoyed a delicious beef buffet to end the afternoon and weekend.

The season ends

Activities at the North Galiano Community Hall are slowing down for the spring and summer season. The final evening of Scottish Country Dancing was held on Tuesday, April 26. The dancers plan to meet socially once a month during the summer. Classes will resume again on Tuesday, September 27.

Four Galiano dancers were on

Salt Spring to help with the Celtic Festival on April 30 and May 1, and a group of eight are polishing up a couple of dances to be performed at the Galiano Singers "Pops Pourri" on May 13 and 14.

The North Galiano dart group met for its final throw last Wednesday. The group usually depends upon Al Chambers, Bill Stafford or Joan Newstead to double out and end the game. Your correspondent sometimes scores quite well especially when he doesn't aim. Life is full of surprises. The season ended with food and drink. Ten people attended.

The rug weaving group has ceased meeting officially for the time being but will resume in the autumn.

Book Day continues on Fridays from 11 am to 2 pm and the coffee pot is always on. Doubtless the rugs will grow in quiet moments on Fridays all summer long. Member Dorothy Lupton has finished her first rug and it now finds service at her kitchen door.

Pancake Breakfast

The fellows polished up their skills last weekend on the Delta Borderers and are now ready for mum, dad and the whole family at the Mother's Day pancake brunch. Enjoy a spring drive on beautiful Galiano and have breakfast with your friends on Mother's Day, May 8 from 9:30 am to noon at the North Galiano Hall.



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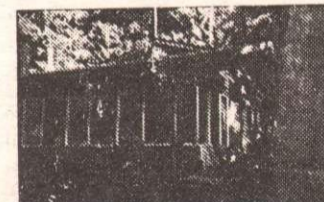
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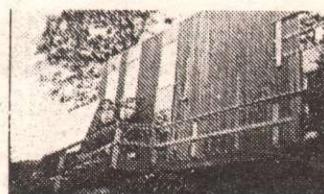
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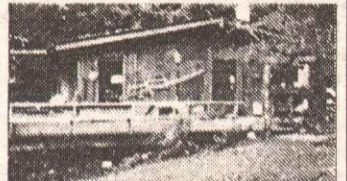


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Clear Cut questionnaire

Opinions sought from entire Galiano population

By BASIL AND KATHLYN BENDER

SOUTH GALIANO—Politicians are prone to announce that the only poll that counts is the one held on election day. There is an element of truth in this, but also a great deal of hypocrisy, as governments rely heavily on polls to modify policy in order to retain popularity and power.

Pollsters can expect to have their accuracy questioned and even their integrity, but, on the whole, predictions made from the results of public opinion polls are more often right than wrong. All the national polls select a small representative sample from a much larger population. Demographic selection allows the answers of a thousand to reflect the opinions of a million. This procedure requires a comprehensive knowledge of the population to be sampled, and a battalion of pollsters.

Clear Cut Alternatives chose another method to find out what people think about MacMillan-Blodel's logging practices on Galiano and what might be done about them. They compiled and distributed a total-population questionnaire. One thousand copies were printed and distributed to all island households and to every off-island property owner. Respondents were responsible for returning their own questionnaires. Using this method, a social scientist will be very satisfied with a twenty per cent return. The returns represented the views of nearly 300 adults (Galiano has a population of about 800, of whom a quarter are under voting age).

As the the integrity of the results, counting was scrutinized by Trustee Donald Macdonald of the Islands Trust. It is true that the opinions are those of only the people that care about the community, its environment, its economy and its enviable lifestyle. The lazy, the indifferent and the thoughtless are not represented but, to be elitist, there is some merit in this kind of selection.

At a meeting held on Sunday in the Activity Centre, over 100 people were made aware of the results of the questionnaire and unanimously adopted the resolution that "this assembly confirms the opinion of the community as collected through the survey-questionnaire and that it endorses the recommendations proposed by the survey committee regarding specific locations of concern, and that it gives CCA in partnership with Islands Trust a mandate to present the results and recommendations to MacMillan-Blodel, and to negotiate with the company on behalf of the community regarding the areas and issues of concern." Amendments asked only that watershed areas in the mid and north island be delineated on the map, and that preservation of watershed areas be given highest priority.

The questionnaire listed 23 areas of sensitivity and these results were tabulated in order of percentage response of deserving maximum protection. Heading the list was Coon Bay with 94 per cent, followed by the summits of Mounts Galiano and Sutil (92 per cent) and 84 per cent favoured leaving a corridor of trees to maintain scenic values along the shore of Active Pass and Trincomali Channel up to and including Winstanley Point.

Other high priority areas for protection included Pebble Beach, Cable Bay, the Bog, the Beaver Pond, two DLs adjacent to the Coon Bay proposed park, visual barriers of trees beside roads,

streams and ponds, Bodega Ridge and shoreline.

The questionnaire also listed 12 issues of concern in the form of statements with which the respondent could agree or disagree. Ninety per cent or more disagreed with the scope and scale of the present clear cutting practice, the intention of MB to clearcut its holdings on Galiano as soon as possible and replant solely Douglas fir, and the adequacy of fire protection measures.

The same percentage agreed that independent studies on the effect of clear-cutting on watersheds and the economic impact on Galiano of this practice should be done and funded, at least in part, by MB.

Again, 90 per cent believed that MB should log Galiano only on a sustained yield basis, should leave screens beside all main roads and along arbutus ridges, and use logging techniques other than clear-cutting.

The view that the Islands Trust or another independent body should be given authority to regulate forestry practices on Managed Tree Farm Lands on the Gulf Islands to ensure that fire, water, economic, environmental, aesthetic and other factors are considered was supported by 80 per cent.

Finally 84 per cent supported the proposition that MB should impose a moratorium on its logging operations on Galiano until all of the issues have been resolved to the satisfaction of a majority of Galiano residents.

The tabulated results of the questionnaire, a map showing the sensitive areas deserving protection, and the resolution and amendments, will be presented to MB. A letter will also request a meeting with Adam Zimmerman, head of Noranda and a signatory of the *Report of the National Task Force on Environment and the Economy*. Members of the B.C. Government and our MLAs have expressed an interest in attending such a meeting.

Recycling

The Galiano Club, which operates the dump, has encouraged islanders to sort their garbage to facilitate recycling, thereby providing a possible source of income, and more importantly to prolong the useful life of the solid waste disposal area. A recycling shed of impressive proportions has been erected and a baling press purchased. The first load of baled cardboard was dispatched this past week. Bobby Bambrick came with his flatbed and Fred Stevens with his backhoe and under the direction of Jim Scoones, 'dump executive director,' about 30 bales were loaded to be taken to town and sold. Results of the sale will be known later.

Wildflowers at Coon Bay

A group of naturalists from White Rock visited Galiano over the weekend. Among the activities

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planned for them was a visit to Coon Bay. The visitors were ecstatic over the beauty of the wildflower display in the area planned for the park. There were carpets of pink sea blush, probably an acre in extent around the shores. Scattered among these were the yellow trumpets of monkey flower (*mimulus*). On the peninsula was a wonderful display of camas with a scattering of death camas so nobody should dig the bulbs for food later in the summer. There were chocolate lilies which also have edible bulbs known as rice-root. This is also one of the few places on the island where shooting stars can be found. Carpets of stonecrop are just coming into bloom, although their pink and jade leaves are almost as attractive. Among the smaller blooms were filigree, blue-eyed Mary and Dove's foot geranium. This is a particularly good spring for wildflowers and there is no better place to see them than in Coon Bay.

Coming Events

- This Sunday, May 8, south-enders might celebrate 'Mothering Sunday' by partaking of the famous North Galiano Community Association's *pancake munity Association's pancake breakfast in their Hall between 9:30 am and noon*.
- Also on Sunday, Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. Margaret's at 10:30 am. The Ladies Service Club will celebrate its 21st birthday with a luncheon meeting on Monday, May 9, at noon in the home of Eva New overlooking Whaler Bay.
- The second Wednesday in the month is the day reserved for the Garden Club meeting in the North Community Hall beginning at 1:30 pm with show bench entries by 1:15 pm. At this month's meeting on May 11, the featured speakers will be the Crumblehumes of Mayne Island, who will talk about herbs.
- On Thursday, May 12, Mrs. Brinson and the school staff invite the public to share with them a musical concert by a ukulele group, led by Brian McMahon, from North Otter School, Langley, beginning at 11 am.
- Tickets for Galiano Singers' Musical Pops-Pourri on May 13 and 14 must be pre-sold and may be purchased at Burrill Bros., the Corner Store, the Hummingbird Inn or Spanish Hills Store.
- The Women's Auxiliary to the South Galiano Volunteer Fire Department holds its annual fire sale on the long weekend in May. Please make this a better-than-ever show by donating your surplus linens, tools, appliances, toys and games, plants, jewellery or furniture and phoning for pick-up to Coffee (2674), Darling (2914), Wood (5640), Hoole (5397) or

Michaelson (2060). All proceeds this year will go to upgrading volunteer firemen's outfits to qualify for Worker's Compensation.

• There will be a Galiano School kindergarten registration and orientation class to prepare September, 1988, entrants. Parents should choose a day for their children from May 9, 11, 16 or 18. The session will be from 9 am until 11:30 am. Parents may book the day for their children by phoning the school (2261). Further information may be obtained from kindergarten teacher Louise Miller. Children must be five years old before December 31, 1988, and parents should bring the child's birth certificate when they come for registration.

Fish dinner

On Saturday, April 30, the people of Galiano again supported the Galiano Lions Club by attending the seafood dinner. This is an annual event looked forward to by all seafood lovers. It has become so popular that when the date becomes known, the tickets are sold almost immediately.

This year was probably the most successful ever, with more people attending, the dinner being sumptuous and the dance following fun for all. (Incidentally, did we see Mr. Maier dancing a waltz just

before midnight?)

Of course, such an evening doesn't just happen. The school children helped in doing new posters depicting denizens of the deep. These, together with banners made a few years ago by the school children and the Painters Guild, plus flags, banners and flowers, transformed a stark activity centre into a colourful and delightful banquet hall.

Supervising in the kitchen and making sure all parts of the dinner arrived at the proper time was Sylvia Baines, without whom chaos would reign.

How many hours president Armand Hammond and co-ordinator Pat Connelly and their helpers spent in arrangements is beyond belief — their only reward being the knowledge that not only was it a great big happy evening for all who attended, but also that this, the club's second biggest fundraiser of the year, was successful.

All monies raised in this and other fund-raising events is given entirely to charity. There are no administrative costs involved.

So, to all in the community who helped in their own way to make the evening so successful, president Armand Hammond can only say: "Thanks a million, Galiano."

VICTORIANS EXCEL IN AWESOME CONTEST

Each year, 500,000 young mathematicians from 6,500 schools, and 34 countries ranging from Israel and Germany to mainland China and Australia, compete in a WORLDWIDE MATHS CONTEST. Known as the American High School Maths Exam, or AHSME, it is so difficult that SMU students call it the "Awesome Contest".

• The top 4,000 (less than 1% of the half million—mostly grade 12—competitors are annually ranked on the WORLDWIDE HONOUR ROLL.


• Mr. Bill Greenwell, Head of Maths at St. Michaels University School, reports that this year twenty one pupils from St. Michaels University School, Victoria, ranked on the World Honour Roll.

• Five of SMU's contestants, not yet in Grade 11 or 12, were placed on the Special Merit Honour Roll, for unusually young mathematicians.

The SMU students on the World Honour Roll, (all in Grade 12 and from Victoria unless otherwise noted), are: Simon Franklin, a Lorne P. Hudson Memorial Scholar at SMU, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Jonathan Franklin; Richard Pickard, a BCTV Scholar, the son of Mr. & Mrs. John Pickard of Chase, B.C.; Bruce Fuller, Grade 11, the son of Dr. & Mrs. John Fuller of Vancouver; Simon Muzio, a Dabelstein Memorial Scholar, the son of Prof. & Mrs. Jon Muzio; Marcella Obdrzalek, the daughter of Dr. & Mrs. Jiri Obdrzalek; Sussex Davis, Grade 11, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Caspar Davis; Leo Quon, Grade 11, the son of Mr. & Mrs. David Quon; Philip White, the son of Dr. & Mrs. Philip White of Kelowna, B.C.; Gareth Morley, a Lorne P. Hudson Memorial Scholar, the son of Prof. & Mrs. Terence Morley; Philip Kayal, Grade 10, an SMU Alumni Scholar, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Sa'ad Kayal; Simon Chen, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Chi-Nan Chen of Seattle, Wash.; Bradley Betts, a BCTV Scholar, the son of Col. & Mrs. Kenneth Betts; David Margison, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Alan Margison; Tony Hunt, Grade 11, the son of Dr. & Mrs. Richard Hunt; Jason Beaver, Grade 11, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Don Beaver; Ian Ball, Grade 11, the son of Mrs. Donna Ball, and the late Dr. Donald Ball; Graeme Leeming, Grade 10, a BCTV Scholar, the son of Prof. & Mrs. David Leeming; Ian Archibald, Grade 10, the son of Mr. George & Dr. Joan Archibald; Leif Reinhold, Grade 10, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Falk Reinhold; Vanson Field, Grade 10, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Bevan Field, and Jeffrey Zohrab, Grade 10, the son of Dr. & Mrs. John Zohrab of West Vancouver, B.C.



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Mayne production draws full house

By **CHRISTA GRACE-WARRICK**

MAYNE ISLAND — The first two performances of Mayne Island Little Theatre's most recent production, *The Importance of Being Earnest*, took place last Friday and Saturday at the Agricultural Hall. The comedy was warmly received and played to full houses on both nights.

Seated at small round tables quite as elegant as those in Algernon Moncrieff's drawing-room onstage, the audience must have felt like guests of the gracious upper class. The elegance of the three elaborate settings was such that one could almost taste the cucumber sandwiches.

The unobtrusive efficiency and diligence of the stage crew in the transformation of the scene from Algy's flat in London to John Worthing's burgeoning summer garden in Hertfordshire was

The Importance of Being Earnest

admirable. Just what one would wish of good help, and so hard to come by these days.

The cast carried off Mr. Wilde's turn-of-the-century English witticisms in great style, drawing a warm response from the audience.

'Chins are worn high these days.'

The nimble Brian Crumblehulme, in the role of Algernon, exemplified a life led purely for wit and pleasure, in contrast to the bewhiskered Paul Bondarenko's redoubtable rendition of John Worthing's struggle to preserve

moral rectitude despite the doubtful circumstances of his birth.

Romance was not absent; it appeared in the sweet presence of Kelly Gerhart and Beverly Graham. Comic character relief came to us in the able forms of Neil Imrie, Barbara Ross-Redpath, Clifford Driver and last, but not least, Elizabeth McEachern as the formidable Lady Bracknell. Transmogrified from her gentle self, Mrs. McEachern, from her aquiline nose down, was every inch the regal dowager. ("Chins," as Lady B. says, "are worn high these days.")

Lady Bracknell is the key to the serious side of this play, which Oscar Wilde called a "trivial comedy for serious people." She is

the cipher for Wilde's commentary on the mindlessness of the ruling class which eventually caused him to suffer so much. (Wilde's genius is that through his wit he managed to pull off this satire with the approbation of the very people he despised.)

Lady Bracknell's adherence to attitudes so bigoted as to be absurd, her obliviousness to the conditions of life outside her own narrow world, her ruthless attempts to preserve her privileged position, and her preoccupation with amassing money do not appear to have gone out of fashion. Despite the distance caused by the language of the text, an elapsed century, and the idiosyncrasies of English social custom, director May McKenzie has created a piece that has charm, brilliance and relevance. The comedy continues next weekend, Friday, May 6 and Saturday, May 7 at 8 pm.



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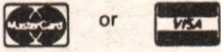
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Fridge and large freezer. Also milking Saanen goat and kids. Free lovable female cat, house trained, to a good home. 653-9433. 1

3/4 bed with wood frame, \$35. Orange shag carpet, \$30. Hand-made braid rug, \$30. Tube guitar amplifier, \$225. Crystal bedside lamp, \$10. Girl's size 10 runners, as new, \$7. 653-4563. 1

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Big 2 door fridge, \$250. Small, one door fridge, \$150. 537-5338, Bruce or Natalie. 1

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Get your wood now so it is seasoned by fall! Logging truck loads of alder/maple mix, \$500 delivered, 10 cords minimum. Call 537-4274, 9-5 pm. and leave name and phone number for orders. 17-2

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537-5340

Baycrest deep freezer, \$150. 1 ton 1968 Chev pickup for parts, \$75. 16 ft. fibreglass canoe, \$350. 653-4529. 1

Double wide motorized reclining contour chair, tan naugahyde, as new. \$1600. 1-743-7564. 1

Day beds complete with mattress & bolster cushions, \$189.95. H.G. frost free fridge, \$299.95. Traditional nylon velvet floral sofa/bed, \$399.95. Re-upholstered sofa with Mr. & Mrs. chairs, \$199.95. Walnut dining suite with 6' lowboy china cabinet, \$569.95. Bar stools from \$10 to \$99.95. Lots of beds, all sizes, brass headboards from \$79.95. Lots of dinettes & dressers, tools and dishes; books & records, stereos & colour TVs. BUY & SAVE, 9818 - 4th St., Sidney. 1

5" continuous aluminum eavestrough, downspouts, fascia cover. We also have vented aluminum soffit, you'll never have to paint again. Call Gordon Swan, res.: 653-9518; free estimates, satisfaction guaranteed. 1

Arbutus and old growth fir firewood for sale. \$65/cord. You pick up. 537-2661 after 6 pm. 17-2

Mother's Day Special! Buy Mom a waffle cone and we'll supply the sundae topping of her choice on Sunday, May 8th! Glad's Ice Cream & Chocolate Store. 1

Greenhouse sale - lobelia, mums, carnations, columbine, various tomato bedding plants. Weston Hill Farm, 777 Beaver Point Road. 1

Colonial chesterfield and chair, \$575 obo. Colonial love seat, fall colours, \$250. Antique Singer sewing machine cabinet, \$125. Coffee table, \$25. 537-2887. 1

LUMBER

CEDAR: Siding-wain edge or common; beams; slabs.

Mel's Mill

397 Musgrave Rd., Fulford 653-4272

For Sale

THE MOBILE MARKET

(across from School Bd. Office)

FOR FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

What's the best thing since sliced bread? BARB'S SLICED BREAD available fresh daily! Tuesday to Saturday 1

1974 Datsun truck box, \$150. Heavy duty utility trailer, \$450. 537-2845. 1

23 cu. ft. Zenith freezer, \$200 obo. 537-9509. 18-tfn

Dining room suite, table with extension and 4 chairs, \$550. Matching china cabinet, \$250. 537-2865. 1

Organ \$650. Wood stove \$125. Grandfather clock, \$150. 2 stereo speakers, \$50. Waterbed, queen size, \$400. 537-9692. 1

Fresh, whole, red snapper, \$1/lb. Fresh Ling cod, dressed, \$1.25/lb. Taking orders. Call Beth, 653-9359. 1

MANURE - TOPSOIL BARK MULCH AND MUCH MORE

Call 537-5613

4 burner propane stove with oven, \$125. 537-4404. Full size zebra skin, \$500 obo. 537-4404. 1

Apt. size G.E. stacking washer and dryer, as new. Cost \$1350. Sell \$650. Phone 537-9601. 1

Pure Life comes to the Saturday Market. Come and see our unique herbal combinations. Corinne Cordoni Greenbaum, 537-5064. 1

Lloyds 19.20 ins. colour TV portable model, excellent condition, \$275. Sony cassette deck, Realistic receiver & 2 speakers, \$200. Antique mahogany hall-way table, \$125. Solid wood coffee table, \$40. Print by Paul William "West Coast Islands", \$200. 537-5387. 1

HEY! SUMMER HOURS ARE BACK!

"it just doesn't get any better than this!"

STARTING FRIDAY MAY 6th

Dagwood's Cafe

will be open 7 am. - 9 pm. DAILY and check out our new deck! 537-9323 1

Cement block, brick, etc. Alfalfa from south-est Wash. Wheat, oats & barley from Alberta. Masonry yard at 435 Fulford-Ganges Rd. See Ralph McGee, Kenfeed 161 Garner Rd. 653-9258. 16-tfn

Electric dryer, good working condition, \$85. 537-2214. 1

Sach-Dolmar CHAINSAWS AVAILABLE AT

Harbours End Marine and Equipment

537-4202 WE BUY & SELL NEW & USED CHAINSAWS 43-tfn

For Sale

Miscellaneous! Good hot plate, toaster, coffee perc; picture frames; garden tools; cannister vacuum; antique milk cans and wood stove; brass English hearth set. 537-2258. 1

Fridge and large freezer. Also, milking Saanen goat and kids. 653-9433. 1

Fibreglass dome building, 27 feet in diameter, 18 ft. high. Bolt together. Makes excellent workshop or barn. Sking \$1800 or offers. Phone 537-5901. 1

Washer and dryer repairs, all makes and models. Guaranteed workmanship. Larry Morris, call 24 hrs. 537-9525 days, 537-2461. 18-tfn

Konig & Son FIREWOOD

SEASONED RELIABLE & COMPETITIVE 537-9531 18-tfn

Ikea style sling back sofa and chair, brown and beige colours, \$145 for both pieces. Beautiful rosewood 12-string guitar and case. \$350. 537-9318. 1

Used propane furnace, closet-installed, \$250 or offers. 537-5675. 1-tfn

Fraser's Thimble Farm, 175 Arbutus Rd., Southey Pt. 537-5788. Open 7 days a week, 10-4:30 pm. Mother's Day Special, 10% off Rhododendrons, rose bushes, lilacs, hanging baskets galore, 10", \$9.95. Wood, \$14.95. Moss, \$19.95. Flowering tubs, \$14.95. 1

Trundle bed with head and foot boards, \$90. Ladies dresser, \$65. Mens dresser \$65. Kitchen table 4 chairs, \$45. Rollaway bed, \$50. Wool rug set, \$70. Chesterfield \$85. Set bridge chairs, \$25. Older easy chair, \$25. Wool rug, \$95. Oval braid rug, \$10. View 225 Charlesworth Rd., or 537-2929. 1

Celtic lap harp, \$350. Full-size violin, bow, case, \$100. Commodore VIC-20, computer, joystick, tapes, \$75. Electrolux vacuum cleaner, \$25. Car cassette player, \$15. Maple ladder back chair with arms, \$50. Maple captain's chair to refinish, \$15. Comfy wicker chair with cushions, \$45. Enamel garbage burner, lawn mower, aluminum glass screen door, Spanish ceramic umbrella stand, upholstery fabric, batik patchwork fabric, metal thermos, wood spindles for shelving, pine doll cradle, doll crib, Star Wars drapes, Clairol Foot Fixer, assorted picture frames, baby and toddler clothing, cook books. 537-9514. 1

Consider the advantages of having your kitchen, bathroom, office or storage cabinets built here on Salt Spring. Then call Cabinets for Kitchens, 537-2792 for an estimate. 18-2

TOP SOIL

653-4520 16-tfn

2 desks, 2 typewriters, office chair, Polaroid camera - terrific prices! 537-5521, 9:30 - 4:30 pm. 16-4

Salt Spring Sheepskins, 100% island product. Practical yet luxurious gift for all ages. Custom slippers, bike seats, etc. Waterfront Gallery or 537-5450. 17-2

For Sale

Honda lawnmower, self-propelled, 4 hp. Bag & chute, \$600. King-size waterbed, semi-motionless, headboard, bumper pads. Offers. 537-9397. 1

LADIES FASHIONS at Kenton House Gallery

1000 Fulford-Ganges Rd. OPEN BY APPOINTMENT 537-2224 15-tfn

1978 Honda Moped, very good condition, \$250. 1979 Honda Express 50, mini-bike, excellent, \$350. Both with helmets, consider trade for canoe or small boat. Also Spar outboard bracket as new, \$75. Olin flare gun kit, \$30. 537-9576. 1

SILK PLANTS NOW AVAILABLE AT

Islander Drapery

Mouat's Mall Monday - Saturday, 10 - 3 pm. 1

Troybilt Rototiller, very good condition. \$850. 653-9235. 1

Salt Spring Nature works

175 varieties of HERBS & SPICES

High quality natural vitamins and minerals at low prices! HERB TOFU

537-2325

13 cu. ft. Gibson fridge, avocado green, frost free, right hand door. 30" wide Viking stove, continuous clean, harvest gold, apt. size Viking washer, harvest gold. Phone 537-9546 between 5 and 9 pm. 1

Heavy duty utility farm trailer, ideal behind tractor. Has one flat tire, \$50. 537-9682. 1

Gippo Firewood

GUARANTEED CORD CUT, SPLIT & DELIVERED Fir - \$80. Alder - \$80. Also, 1/2 cord rates. 537-5380, eves. 42-tfn

Glass and brass kitchen set, round glass top, 4 dark chairs, good condition. \$500 or best offer. 537-4015. 1

Frame a Special

Picture for MOTHER'S DAY

or buy one of ours! 10% OFF UNTIL MAY 7th Gift certificates available.

A Thousand Words Picture Framing

Call Krista or Elaine 537-5131 785 Fulford-Ganges Rd.

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CEDAR: Decking, siding, beams, common ALSO: Selective logging, falling, skidding, buy standing timer & logs DELUXE CONTRACTING Mickey McLeod - 537-5660 16-tfn

For Sale

HONEST OL'S FIREWOOD

GUARANTEED CORD cut, split & delivered \$75 alder - \$80 fir Alder rounds - \$70 537-5323 (leave mess.) 17-4

G. I. VIDEO & MUSIC

COME IN AND SEE OUR EXPANDED SELECTION OF

C.D's - \$6.99 & up

10:30 - 5:30 Mon. - Sat. Mouat's Mall 18-4

6' Coldstream display cooler, glass front, sides and top, new condensor motors and shelves, great condition, \$1400. 16.5 ft. Tronnes aluminum boat & trailer, new canopy and windows, upholstered seats, built in floor, steering and Johnson controls, \$1495. 6 ft. giant video screen and stand, RCA colour TV projector, excellent condition, great for pub, lounge or family room. Regular TV or VCR use, \$1500. 36" zero clearance fireplace, glass doors, grate, 21 ft. of insulated chimney, \$395. 2-piece historical antique chest buffet, circa 1920, \$350. Royal York, 25 lb. batch coffee roaster, start a non-competitive business. Ideal cottage industry. Roaster in perfect condition and complete to start business right away. This may be the opportunity you've been looking for. \$9,500. 1-539-2688, Mayne Island. 1

Alisi Catering & Gourmet Foods

Take Home Foods from Soup to Nuts Upper Ganges Centre 537-2578 11-tfn

Garage Sales

Saturday, May 7th, 165 Mountain Park Drive. Household items, tools, clothing, canning jars, books, hi-fi speakers, etc. 9 am. to 5 pm. 1

May 7th and 8th, tools, gardening, carpentry. Early birds welcome. 2080 North End Rd. 1

Saturday, May 7 at 411 Fulford-Ganges Rd., 10 - 1 pm. Moving sale - lots of goodies. 1

Salt Spring Island Lions Club ANNUAL GARAGE SALE

Saturday, June 4th Farmers' Institute Building Donated items accepted with pleasure - phone Access 537-9525 for pickup. Thank you!

Cars, Trucks

\$3100 - 1976 Toyota pickup, automatic with canopy, radio, stereo. Phone 537-9687. 1

1976 Chev, 3/4 ton, heavy duty, pickup, automatic, ps., pb., 75,000 miles. A-1 condition. \$3,000. After 6 pm. phone 653-4260. 1

Cars, Trucks

1981 Honda Civic 5 speed, hatch back, good running condition, \$3200. 537-2348, 537-2483. 1

1967 GMC 2 ton flatdeck. New tires, brakes, rebuilt engine 283, V8, 4 speed. \$1800. 653-9549. 18-4

1981 Chev Scottsdale, 1/2 ton, ps., pb., V8, auto. with air conditioning. Excellent body, runs great. Asking \$5200 or offers. 537-5901. 1

Reliable transportation, 1970 Nova automatic 2 door, \$750. Also for sale, 1966 GMC pickup with canopy only \$250. 537-4583. 1

1973 VW van for sale, good condition. New clutch, type 4 engine, mechanical advance distributor. Single carburetor. \$1250 obo. Also, 1984 Honda XL600R motorcycle. Good condition, best offer. Phone 537-9662. 1

1986 Subaru station wagon, G.L. 4 W.D. 38,000 kms. Burgundy. Am/Fm cass. Roof rack. \$14,300. 653-4534. 1

Fiat 124 Sport, 1972 in good shape, 5 spd. transmission, mag wheels, \$600 obo. Phone 537-9569. 1

1974 Ford pickup, good running order, \$300. On Salt Spring, 537-2017 weekends, Vancouver 732-1605 week-day evenings. 1

Pontiac Laurential 8-seater, stationwagon, 1970 with 400 V8, power, reliability for \$250 part of trade on small truck, 4 x 4 or Enduro bike. Call Tommaso, 537-9422. 1

1982 Yamaha XT550 dual purpose motorcycle, bought new in 1984. Low mileage. Immaculate condition. \$1,000 obo. Phone 537-5149. 1

1978 Ford F250, 3/4-ton pickup, V8, on propane, 4 spd., runs great, good body and rubber. Asking \$2800 or offers. Phone 537-5901. 1

1973 Chrysler Imperial, excellent shape, all power, trailer towing package. \$2850. 537-9576. 1

1967 Chev 1/2 ton pickup, 6 cyl., 4 spd. runs good, good body, asking \$450 or offers. Phone 537-5901. 1

Trade material 1956 Dodge 5 flatdeck, V8 hemi. Duals, 653-9403, Terry. 17-2

Mobiles, Trailers

Okanagan camper for short box import truck. 2-way refrigerator, furnace, propane stove, jacks. \$1500. 629-3446, Pender Island. 1

21' Prowler travel trailer, new stove, bath/shower, hot water, 12 and 110 v., fridge, furnace, battery charger, \$3,000 obo. 537-4404. 1

Triangle R. V. Centre offers excellent highway exposure for your consignment vehicle. Also, parts, service, propane, sani-station, and 24-hour car & R. V. Wash. Your complete R. V. Centre. Triangle Homes Ltd., Sidney. Your first R. V. Centre off the ferry. 656-1122. DL5916. 42-tfn

Superior R. V. Centre Ltd., in Sidney, is looking for R. V. consignments. We will pick up from the Gulf Islands. Phone 656-9434. 42-tfn

31' Travelaire 5th wheel. \$5,500. Good condition. Phone 653-9578 or 537-2872 nights. 17-2

Livestock

A HORSE IS ONLY AS GOOD AS HIS FEET! FARRIER with 20 years experience is now residing on Salt Spring. Shoeing, trimming and corrective work. ROB SCHERES - 537-4193 18-4

Livestock

Two Suffolk rams, one purebred. \$125 and \$100. Phone 537-2490 or 537-2801. 1

Would the woman who called looking for goats please call again. 537-5659. 1

Boats

25 hp. Johnson outboard and 5 gal. fuel tank, excellent condition, \$450. 537-5942. 1

1985 Evinrude 15 hp. low hrs. \$1100 obo. 13 ft. wood boat for rowing or with motor, \$200 obo. 12.5 ft. Springbok aluminum boat, ex. condition, \$800 obo. 653-9398 or 537-2985. 1

Amphibious 17' runabout workboard, custom built from 3/16" aluminum plate for pulling out of water into boat house. Exceptionally strong and unsinkable. 50 hp. Johnson O.B. in good shape. \$4500. 537-9682. 1

1972 Contessa 26' sailboat, new vire 12 motor, 7 hp. Triple-axle trailer included. VHF/FM radio, log & 6' yak. \$15,000. Phone Duncan 748-6229. 1

13' Flying Junior Class sailing dinghy, excellent for beginner or experienced sailor. Very good condition, \$850. 537-9747, keep trying. 1

23' - 1977 Sangster, FWC Volvo, V8, 280 leg, new engine, manifolds, sounder, VHF, CB radios, anchor pack, galley, head. All annual maintenance completed, very clean. \$13,500. 537-4173. 1

14 ft. Brandlemeyer runabout. Steering, clutch, throttle controls. \$150 obo. 537-4404. 1

22' Westerly - inboard diesel, 4 sails, fully equipped, stern cabin. \$14,500 or best offer. At Port Washington, Pender Island. 1-629-6157, eves. 1

Dean Sevold, Shipwright - Carpenter. Call now for spring refits, estimates. 653-9483. 15-4

WE BUY & SELL USED BOATS & MOTORS Harbours End Marine & Equipment 537-4202 at Harbour's End

Motorcycle

Honda XL75 trail or road bike. Great shape. \$400. Danny, 653-4577 or 537-5115. 17-2

Lost

Missing from beach at 332 Isabella Pt. Rd., small fibreglass boat. Reward offered. 1-383-0028, Victoria. 1

Red Swiss Army Knife with two keys attached, Farmers' Institute, Friday, April 22nd. Nancy Wigen, 653-4606. 1

Reward for return of Silver Waltham Pocket watch, lost April 26th. Engraved K.S. on back. 653-9410. 1

Found

At Portlock Park, size 12 child's ski jacket, please claim at Driftwood. 1

At the Celtic Music Festival, an earring. Call 537-5033. 1

Doll in downtown Ganges. 537-5163. 1

Personals

Tarot card readings. For appointment, phone Ginger, 537-5714. 1

Attention high school students: final exams are getting closer. For private tutoring, call S. S. Skool-aid Services. 653-9268. Specializing in Math, Sciences and English. 1

Card of Thanks

A special thank you goes out to the RCMP of Ganges. This is how we are showing our appreciation - sorry guys, no dinner, just a public announcements - we are struggling students! Thanks - Nikki and Tina (your favourite ride-along students). 1

We would like to thank the observers on the beach, fellow boaters and other commercial fishermen who helped catch two crab thieves in Ganges Harbour on Tuesday, April 26. Surveillance of our harbours will continue. Those with any information leading to the identity of crab poachers, please contact 537-9673 or local RCMP at 537-5555. Thank you! G. LeMarchant

To our firemen and my dear neighbours, my warmest (!) thanks again for your help and kindness at the time of my problem. This is a wonderful world. Letty Turnbull

In Memoriam

B.C. Heart Foundation 1008 Blanshard St., Victoria, B. C. V8W 2H2 736-4404

A donation in the name of someone you loved or knew is but a phone call/letter away and we'll acknowledge your caring gift with a card to the family.

Canadian Cancer Society

IN MEMORY/IN HONOUR In B.C. & Yukon the Canadian Cancer Society supports research, education and patient services. Mail gifts to Salt Spring Island Unit, Box 1147, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0. Please include name of person being honoured or name of deceased and where to send cards.

Travel

Hanna Air Services Charter Sea Plane, Ganges to Vancouver - \$115 Call toll free pager - 1-979-1906 or collect to office 245-8333, 24 hrs. 10-tfn

Wanted

Polaroid Onestep. Button or Time-Zero Onestep Camera. Phone Chris, 537-5818. 1

Darkroom equipment wanted. 537-5388. 1

Will haul away for no charge any material suitable for firewood. Could do light saw work in exchange. 537-4277 eves. 1

We buy furniture, antiques collectibles, odds 'n' ends, tools, strange and wonderful curiosities, and much, much more. The Great Ganges Junk Co., 537-4421. 184-tfn

Work Wanted

If you need someone to help you with landscaping, gardening or odd jobs this spring, call me. I'd be glad to help out. Orson, 653-4506, \$10/hr. 1

Landscaper and gardener horticulturally trained and experienced in design, planting, maintenance, pruning and greenhousing. Fully insured. Phone David, 653-4270. 42-tfn

Work Wanted

I have a very fast, efficient crew that can build an average size house in an exemplary manner from foundation to move-in in 3-4 months. Five year guarantee. Completion on time and within budget. Computerized building spread sheets. Excellent opportunity for speculative builders or home builders to make profits. Also, renovations and additions. Please book ahead to ensure availability. Free estimates. Shaun Adams, 537-4079. 17-2

Handyman, interior and yard work, repairs, maintenance and small renovations. Prompt service, reasonable. No job too small. References..Andy, 537-2294. 1

Part-time office work. Years of experience, medical architectural or educational areas. Excellent typing (word processing) speed writing. Reliable, cheerful, hard working. Call Pat, 537-2358. 1

R & N Odd Jobs. Lawn mowing, gardening, babysitting, anything you want done. By determined 12-year-olds in the Mobrae area. Call 537-5003 or 537-5963. 1

Licensed practical nurse with 26 yrs. experience will give excellent care. Patient, caring, efficient and flexible. Also experienced with newborn babies. 537-9527, anytime. 1

HANDY MAN



House Repairs * Renovations Painting * Plumbing Light Hauling DON - 537-5263 or 537-5837 18-tfn

Horticulture landscaping technician seeking contracts in interior plantscape, floral design, landscape design, gardening and yard maintenance. Daily, weekly and monthly rates available. Please write stating particulars to Box 1186, Ganges. 18-2

Help Wanted

Island Garden Service wants you! If you have landscaping and gardening experience, and don't mind working long hours, write up a resume and drop it off at KIS Answering Service. Attn: Rene, by May 15, 1988. 1

Attention: Tennis instructors! Parks and Recreation will be scheduling and registering all tennis lessons this summer on S.S.I. anyone interested in teaching tennis lessons at Fulford/Portlock leave a message at 537-4148 before May 11th. (Watch for tennis registration information in the May 11th paper!). 1

Student wanted for after school, possible summer work. Apply Anvil Iron Works, 111 Robinson Rd. 1

Mature, experienced waitress required for full time position. Apply in person to the Ship's Anchor. 18-2

RECEPTIONIST/ SECRETARY

Capable of dealing with the public. Requires typing and filing skills and ability to operate computer. Resume required. Reply Dept. O, c/o Driftwood, Box 250, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0. 18-3

Student to do yard work and cleanup. 537-2759. 1

Part-time waiter/waitress for Hastings House. Please apply in person, Thursday and Friday, 8 am. - 4 pm. 18-2

Help Wanted



Challenge '88 Artcraft '88 REQUIRES MANAGER'S ASSISTANT May 30 - Sept. 4

For further info, phone 537-2053, eves. Apply Challenge '88, CAC, Box 682, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0. Deadline for applications, May 13th. 17-3

S.S.I. Chamber of Commerce requires 3 summer students to assist in its Tourist Information Centres in Ganges and Fulford. 40 hr. week, 8 weeks employment. Applications can be picked up at Information Centre, Ganges. Closing date for applications, May 11. 1

S.S. Pottery has summer job opportunity for student or other with art school experience in ceramics. Submit resume to Dept. K. c/o Driftwood, Box 250, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0. 1

\$8/hr. challenging full-time summer employment opportunity available on Salt Spring Island for a responsible, enthusiastic student to direct a Children's Day Camp. Candidate must have camp and leadership experience, First Aid Knowledge, own transportation, minimum age 19 and a love for children. If interested, please leave your name/number at 537-4148 before May 11th. 1

Openings for dishwasher & chambermaid at Fulford Inn. Apply in person. 17-tfn

Luigi's has openings for mature cooking and serving staff. Please bring resumes to Luigi's or mail to P.O. Box 1404, Ganges. Full or part time available. 17-2

We are accepting applications for full time and part time waitress positions. Please apply in person to Dagwoods Cafe, Upper Ganges Centre. 16-tfn

NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS FOR MAIDS & OFFICE STAFF. STARTING APRIL 25th TO SEPT 15. CALL 537-2956. 1

Wanted to Rent

Salt Spring Property Management

* RESIDENTIAL RENTALS * * PROPERTY WATCH * The Economical and Reliable Choice

PETER JACQUEST Box 1012, Ganges 537-5650 15-tfn

Responsible working Salt Spring family with three children would like to rent 3 or 4 bedroom house on acreage by June 1st. Would consider caretaking farm situation. Good references. 653-9433. 1

Teacher requires 2 bdrm. house by July 1st. Non-smoker, no pets. 537-5635. 1

Wanted: Place to park small trailer. Water source needed. Other facilities not essential. Prefer quiet area in five mile radius of Blackburn Rd. Up to \$50 per month rent. Call Ed 537-2326. 1

Require furnished waterfront home for month of September (preferred). Sunset/Southeys Pt. area, responsible party will pay top rate for the right accommodation. Call Santy G. Fuoco, 537-5577 or 537-2773. 18-3

Lot or property for mobile home. Must have water, sewer, hydro. Phone 537-4498. 1

CHURCH NOTICES Sunday, May 8

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

Anglican Parish Salt Spring Island St. Mark's, Central Holy Eucharist 8 am Matins 11:15 am St. George's, Ganges Holy Eucharist 9:15 with Sunday School St. Mary's, Fulford Holy Eucharist 11:15 Weekday Eucharist: St. Mark's 10 am Tues. St. George's - 5:15 pm Thursdays Rev. James Koester Parish Office: 537-2171

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

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

Salt Spring Pentecostal Assembly Central Hall Sunday School 9:30 to 10:15 Morning Worship 10:30 Thursday: Fellowship Nights 7:00 Home Meetings For more info call 537-4143 Pastor: Jim Caruso Affiliated with P.A.O.C.

Salt Spring Island Baptist Church Admiral Hall 506 Lower Ganges Rd. SUNDAY - Family Service 10:30 with Sunday School Evening Fellowship 7:00 TUESDAY - Family Night 6:30 THURSDAY - Ladies' Home Bible Study 9:30 PASTOR: Rev. Brian Joyce 537-2222

Wanted to Rent

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 537-5411 15-tfn

Small house, 1 BR. near Ganges, McCully Moving, 537-5491. 15-tfn

Wanted to rent 2/3 bdrms., 2 bathrooms, ranch type house, small acreage, long lease preferred. Retired couple, excellent tenants and references. Call collect, 1-743-2293. 1

Notices

Monday, May 9th, 5 - 7 pm., Salt Spring Elementary Library, Victor Manuel Aparicio, executive member of Andes, the Savadorian teachers association, will begin his cross-Canada tour on Salt Spring Island. He will speak on the current situation of Education in El Salvador. Refreshments available. 1

French lessons: days and evenings, for 3 1/2 yrs. old and up. "Language is communication". There's a chance now for you or your children to learn a new language. Please call. Also, open for September registration. Phone Claudette, 537-5889. 1

PAMELA VALLEE C.G.A.

is please to announce the sale of her

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Thank you to all of my friends and clients for your past support. 1

Andrea's & Terry's 24 hour child care and babysitting services. Your home or mine. TLC. Reasonable rates. French Immersion on request. 178 Stewart Rd. Phone 537-9439. 14-1fn

Notices



New Zealand's Auckland Youth Symphony Orchestra in concert
TUESDAY, May 17th — 8 pm.
S.S. Elem. Activity Centre
Advance tickets at et cetera, \$5 adults and \$2 students. 1



PAWS INN PET RESORT

Your pet is at home with us! Pampered care for dogs and cats - special diets and geriatric care available. 750 Long Harbour Rd. 537-5198.

S.S.I.Y.S.A. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

to be held at the Clubhouse Portlock park, Thursday, May 12th, 7 pm. Anybody interested in joining the soccer club is welcome to attend. 18-2

Chatelaine readers, Avon "free mascara coupon" may be redeemed by phoning 537-2754 (Elaine) or 537-4593 (Heather). 1

Notices

Island Cinema
CENTRAL HALL — 8 pm.
Saturday, Sunday, May 7 & 8

WALL STREET
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Break-in, theft at store shocks Saturna islanders

saturna scene

by priscilla janszen

Candace Beck celebrated her seventh birthday on April 25. It was her first birthday on Saturna. Happy birthday, Candace.

Corinne House turned six on April 19. She wore a beautiful lace pink top, hand-knit by grandma Marjorie Ratzlaff, and white fancy pants.

After a wonderful balloon- and cake-filled birthday party, Corinne and those white pants fell into a big, juicy puddle while she was dodging the hissing geese. Ah, the perils of living on a farm. Happy birthday to you, too, Corinne.

Mary Lee and Robbie Campbell are home. Robbie is also one year older. He celebrated the week with a cake baked by Mary Lee.

Our Saturna Point Store was robbed last Wednesday night. Thieves broke into the grocery store part of the building, gaining access from the pub roof. They stole money, several thousand dollars worth of cigarettes, Kraft dinners, sardines, lots of gum, an Aladdin thermos, other food items — and, last but not least, garbage bags to collect it up and lower it out the window.

As a final gesture, they stole one of my family's bikes from the freight shed on the wharf.

Jerks. Just plain jerks. It's hard to imagine someone coming by the store in their boat with the intent to rob — to think about and plan how to take what isn't theirs.

The sad thing is they rob our community of a sense of security and a trust of strangers, and make us question and consider our own community.

Well, the first anger has passed for my family. Caring always involves risks, and we'd rather think of the robbery as a strange occurrence to be taken into account, but not as something to change our approach to life on Saturna.

Another sad event occurred for our neighbours, the Campbells. Dogs killed and maimed 25 sheep and drove off 17 others. Jacques is caring for about 10 injured sheep. The family lost about a third of the herd — mostly ewes.

Having sheep myself, and knowing the intensive four

months of effort that Jacques has just put into the flock — the long days, the long nights, the concern and the caring — I feel really sad. The dogs have been destroyed,

the eagles have had a good feed, and the photos have been taken as proof for compensation. But what a waste. Any dog will run sheep; every dog's owner needs to keep the dog they have chosen at their home, with them, to enjoy and be responsible for.

Don't forget the Lions Club's

Mother's Day pancake breakfast on May 8 at the hall — always a tasty and happy event.

The spring fire department pig barbecue is in May. Tickets for the dance and dinner are on sale now. Delicious, crispy hot pork with all the trimmings, then dance it all off.

Too Late to Classify

LOST
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COMING EVENTS
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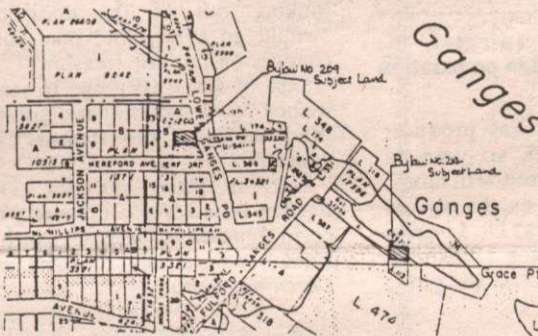
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ISLANDS TRUST Salt Spring Island Trust Committee NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who deem their interest in property affected by the following proposed bylaws will be afforded an opportunity to be heard on the matters contained therein at a Public Hearing to be held in the HARBOUR HOUSE HOTEL, GANGES, B.C., on FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1988, commencing at 1:30 P.M.

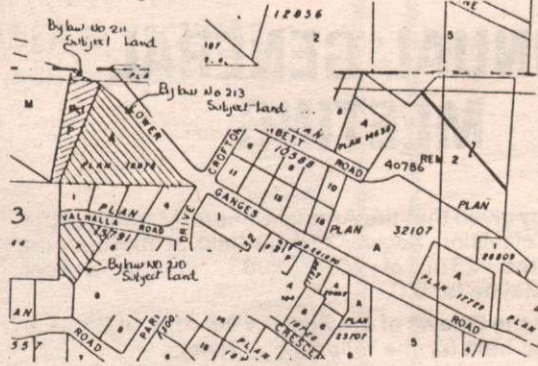
In general terms the intents of the following proposed bylaws are as follows:

(a) Proposed Bylaw No. 209 cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 6, 1988" is a bylaw to amend Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985 by changing the zoning classification of Lot 2, Block 'B', Section 1, Plan 1371, North Salt Spring Island from the Residential 1 Zone (R1) to the Commercial 1 Zone (C1). The general location of the subject land is shown on the following sketch.



(b) Proposed Bylaw No. 210 cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 7, 1988" is a bylaw to amend Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, by changing the zoning classification of Lot 7, Section 3, Range 3 East, North Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, Plan 13791 from the Residential 1 Zone (R1) to the Multiple Family 2 Zone (MF2). The general location of the subject land is shown on the sketch following Paragraph (c) below.

(c) Proposed Bylaw No. 211 cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 8, 1988" is a bylaw to amend Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985 by changing the zoning classification of Parcel "F", DD 486671, Section 3, Range 3 East, except Plan 15875, North Salt Spring Island from the Residential 1 Zone (R1) to the Commercial 1 Zone (C1). The general location of the subject land is shown on the following sketch.



(d) Proposed Bylaw No. 212, cited as "Official Community Plan, Salt Spring Island Amendment Bylaw No. 4, 1988" is a bylaw to amend Official Community Plan, Salt Spring Island, to delete text references to the "Outer Road", and to include Parcel "A", DD 3625131 of Lot 1, Section 2, Range 3 East, Plan 17333, North Salt Spring Island within Urban Residential Area "A". The "Green Arc" boundary is amended accordingly. The general location of the subject land is shown on the following sketch.



(e) Proposed Bylaw No. 213 cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 9, 1988" is a bylaw to amend Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, by adding a new zoning classification Commercial 1-A Zone (C1-A) which provides for the land uses permitted in the Commercial 1 Zone (C1) plus retail gasoline sales as an additional use. In addition, the bylaw limits the land area which may be used for gasoline retail sales to 162.0 square metres (1750 sq. ft.). Overall site coverage, building height, setbacks, and the minimum area for subdivision are the same as the Commercial 1 Zone (C1).

The bylaw also changes the zoning classification of Lot A, Plan 15875, Section 3, Range 3 East, North Salt Spring Island from the Commercial 1 Zone (C1) to the Commercial 1-A Zone (C1-A). The general location of the subject land is shown on the sketch following Paragraph (c) above.

(f) Proposed Bylaw No. 214 cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 10, 1988" is a bylaw to amend Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985 by changing the zoning classification of part of Lot 2, Plan 44084, Section 1, Range 4 East, North Salt Spring Island from the Comprehensive Development 2 Zone (CD2) to the Multiple Family Zone (MF) and by changing the zoning classification of a portion of Lot 113 from the Comprehensive 2 Zone (CD2) to the Water B Zone (WB) as shown on Plan No. 1, attached to and forming part of the bylaw. The general location of the subject land is shown on the sketch following Paragraph (a) above.

(g) Proposed Bylaw No. 215 cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 11, 1988" is a Bylaw to amend Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985 by changing the zoning classification of Lots 3 and 4, Plan 5664, Section 9, Range 2 West, North Salt Spring Island from the Rural Residential 2 Zone (RR2) to the Commercial 1 Zone (C1). The general location of the subject land is shown on the following sketch.



Copies of the proposed bylaws may be inspected at the Islands Trust Office, 747 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C. between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday inclusive, excluding statutory holidays.

For the convenience of the public only, and not to satisfy Section 957(2)(v) of the Municipal Act, additional copies of the proposed bylaws may be inspected at Capital Regional District Building Inspection Office, Salt Spring Island.

CYNTHIA HAWKSWORTH
Manager

Treasure Island production emphasizes the youth in all

PENDER ISLANDS — "Aye Mates — I'm Long John Silver," said Pender's Bob White, cloaked in gray hair and beard and leaning on his crutch. "Mostly this is the story of Jim Hawkins and nobody knew Hawkins as well as I did!"

And so began The Pender Island Theatre Society's production of *Treasure Island* last Saturday evening. The adaptation of the Robert Lewis Stevenson classic was the first live theatre produced on Pender in more than 20 years and played to a capacity crowd of over 350 people at the North Pender Island Community Centre. The Saturday performance had been sold out for three weeks prior to the show, and followed a Friday night dress rehearsal that was open to the public and attracted more than 100 theatre enthusiasts.

"This is what community theatre is all about — the youth, the Jim Hawkins in all of us," smiled director Geoff Noble, who comes to Pender via the U.K. and London's West End. "The idea is to go out there on the stage and have fun telling a story. Most of the cast has had no previous experience on stage but they have the ability to talk and play with an audience."

And Saturday night saw that audience — which included a large contingent from Saturna and Mayne — talk and play with the actors on stage.

Kim Davis is a tree trimmer — climbing to dizzying heights to cut dead wood from tipsy fir and arbutus. He saves some of the wood and in his spare time becomes a carver, shaping fallen trees into human forms that decorate a studio on North Pender and have travelled to exhibits across B.C.

Davis again played dual roles this past Saturday evening. In the play's first act he took the part of Pew — the blind pirate that left the feared black spot for Captain Flint. In act three he played the part of Black Dog who, in an effort to discover the reality of the map, forced Jim Hawkins to jump ship.

Davis left the stage following act three to a huge ovation and was grinning from behind a beard grown over a month of rehearsals. "You should have seen the kids sitting on the floor in front of the stage. They were great. They started laughing at my character and it was all I could do to keep a straight face," said Davis.

And faces told all! Davis's two sons, Noah and Jesse, had minor non-speaking roles in the production and kept the audience and dad beaming all evening.

Christa Grace-Warrick is a playwright and drama instructor who acted as a consultant to the production. "It's really exciting to see a new group like the Pender Theatre Society get started like this," said Warrick. "Enthusiasm is contagious and the audience felt it and returned it in kind. Mayne Island's Little Theatre has been around for quite some time and they are technically very, very professional but there is no way to compare the two productions. Tonight's performance is one of a kind."

"It would be difficult to take on the road or to do night after night because so much of it relied on the audience and actors reacting spontaneously to each other. It was great."

Saturday night's production of *Treasure Island* was very much a story of Pender Island. It was a nervous director (Geoff Noble) realizing that his dream had



Noah Davis (pirate), 8, rehearsed his scowl in preparation for stage debut.

become reality. It was producer Michelle Marsden's six-year-old son Tyler shouting out "Hi, mom" from the audience as she walked the stage in her role as Dr. Livesey. It was Barb Pender's excitement and pride in her role as the pirate

(Arrow) and a sparkling dress rehearsal before 100 delighted spectators on Friday evening. It was Barb's pain when a miscue on Saturday caused an entire page of her dialogue to be lost. And it was the face of Cass Buchanan when, during the final curtain call, Geoff Noble brought out a cake in honour of the star's 14th birthday.

"Over 100 men have died looking for this map," said Dr. Livesey, played by producer Michelle Marsden. "It's the map of *Treasure Island* and it is all yours, Jim!" Cass's Jim Hawkins held more than a map in his hand as he looked out over the Pender audience.

"Cass is fantastic," said Noble from his position beside the stage. "Tonight's his birthday and he's more than holding his own out there. He wants to study drama next year when he goes to high school, but that means moving to Vancouver Island or the mainland."

"How many of you with a map of *Treasure Island* in your hands would sell it for a few pounds and settle for the safety of home," asked Buchanan as Hawkins. "How many here," he asked, looking out to the audience, "would go to sea and take your chances on half the treasure?"

"Go to sea, Cass — go to sea," wished 350 Penderites and guests, "and may all the treasure be yours!"

Current plans call for The Pender Island Theatre Society to perform again in December with a special adaptation of Dickens' *Christmas Carol*.

Fun evening of theatre

From Page B4

without whose energy and enthusiasm Pender Islanders wouldn't have had a fun evening of theatre.

Unfortunately, April 30 was the only performance of *Treasure*

Island, but not the last for the new Theatre Society. The next event will probably be a pantomime before Christmas, but *Treasure Island* was proof that Pender Islanders want live theatre and will pay to see it.

Gulf Islands Television Society

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Gulf Islands Television Society will be held at 8:00 pm on Wednesday, the 25th of May, 1988, at the School Gymnasium, Mayne Is. B.C.

As required by the Bylaws of the Society, the Annual General Meeting will be held for the following purposes.

- (a) To receive the Directors' Report.
- (b) To receive the Treasurer's Report.
- (c) To discuss with the directors any matters relating to the purpose of the Society or finances of the Society.
- (d) To fix the membership fees.
- (e) To elect directors for the coming term.

Copies of the financial statement are available at the Mayne Island Post Office.

JOAN WERRUN,
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B.C. HOME BASED BUSINESS

Twenty-five years ago

• With the *Salt Spring Queen* off for its annual overhaul, the *Pender Queen* and *Cy Peck* were unable to cope with traffic problems, leaving many residents unhappy.

In one incident, both ferries were used to service the Outer Islands (the *Pender Queen* for trucks and the *Cy Peck* for cars), a situation which caused the ferry corporation to cancel the 5 pm sailing between Swartz Bay and Salt Spring Island.

• Gulf Islanders were given a surprise on the front page of *Driftwood*, as owner and editor Woody Fisher announced the newspaper had been sold.

New owner and editor was Mrs. Arlene Wood. Fisher had the opportunity to view the Gulf Islands from a distance while working on a city daily. The former American had spent three years with *Driftwood*.

Twenty years ago

• Fulford Hall was to receive close to \$3,000 from the Salt Spring Island Lions Club. The club approved the donation after learning of the huge financial

down through the years

success of the walkathon held the week before.

The walkathon proved to be the quickest money-raiser ever launched on Salt Spring Island.

• School costs were on the rise due to a new cost-sharing program implemented by the provincial government, school board chairman George Heinekey said.

The new formula placed a larger burden on communities with higher tax assessments. Rural-class land on the Gulf Islands was among the most heavily-assessed in the province.

• Concern over the threat of pollution in Gulf Islands waters is likely to bring one of largest audiences ever to a public meeting in Ganges, organizers predicted.

Fifteen years ago

• A standing committee of the provincial legislature was scheduled to tour the Gulf Islands.

The committee on municipal affairs intended to inspect the

islands and consult residents in a preliminary foray into islands territory. The step will be taken before municipal affairs minister James Lorimer considers approval of various community plans evolved on the islands.

• It was a record year for the North Salt Spring Waterworks District. Chairman Gilbert Kennedy told a crowded meeting in the Legion Hall that 1971 had seen records set in terms of work accomplished, and in the development of the system.

• Local musician Valdy Horsdal's career was taking off. He was scheduled to appear as guest star on BCTV's Paul Horn Show.

• Four occupants of a small vehicle had a narrow escape when the car left the road and ran down a steep embankment.

The Volkswagen, driven by a Cranbrook resident, missed a curve on the road to Mount Maxwell and went over the embankment. No one was injured.

with driftwood

Ten years ago

• The largest change ever proposed in the traffic flow pattern of Ganges was heard by the Islands Trust.

On behalf of Mouat's Trading Company, Tom Toynbee presented a proposal to move the main Fulford-Ganges Road to run west of the present traffic-commerce area of Ganges.

The road would veer away from its present course at the foot of Ganges hill, swinging across in front of Embe Bakery, and behind Harbour Grocery.

It would then follow a path through the mostly vacant property behind the Trading Company, and across the old lumber yard to join the present road in front of Rita's Inn.

• Ganges was better endowed with asphalt than downtown Toronto. Speaking at a meeting of the Salt Spring Island Trust Committee, planner Chris Ford reported 70 per cent of Ganges is covered by asphalt.

• The Islands Trust took a further look at the application by Foxglove Farms for a land-use contract for the establishment of a feed storage and feed and nursery retail outlet at the corner of Atkins and Lower Ganges Roads.

Five years ago

• The tender for the new Fulford school was won by a Victoria Company which submitted a successful bid of less than \$1.4 million.

Construction of the six-room school at the intersection of Beaver Point and Stewart Roads was expected to begin shortly.

• Safety at the Saturna school in the event of a fire was being questioned following an inspection by supervisor of works Frank Sutherland.

The problems cited included inefficiencies in the alarm system, inadequate lighting, unreliable fire extinguishers, and changes needed to make the emergency exits adequate.

• Population rises in the summer and so do tempers, suggested Islands Trustee Bev Unger. Unger encouraged the Trust to examine local parking problems, which intensify throughout the summer months.

Dated newspaper

Concerns of past unfold

By FRANK RICHARDS

You were born in 1951? On January 12, 1951?

Did you ever stop to wonder just what your parents were thinking of when you appeared on their scene? If that concern has afforded you worry over the years, here's the simple answer: Reg Taylor, of Scott Point, recently unearthed a 37-year-old copy of the *Daily Colonist* of Victoria.

First concern in the world of 1951 was the war in Korea, and in January of that year readers learned of the acceptance of a United Nations cease-fire proposal brought by Canada's Lester B. Pearson. The Soviet spokesman Jakob Malik appeared resistant to the plan, although at that time he had not actually opposed it.

In Liverpool, England, it was reported that a new outbreak of flu had killed 3,000 victims in two weeks, with burials averaging 250 a day.

There was already a smouldering dispute over Indian land claims and publisher of *The Native Voice*, Maisie Armytage-Moore, warned that she had a "tomahawk" sharpened for anyone who tried to rob the British Columbian Indian.

J. Albert Guay was hanged in Montreal for the murder of his wife. He expressed regret for destroying an airliner to bring about the death of a passenger, his wife. A final comment: "At least I die famous!"

Guay had plotted the death of his wife by the shipping of a time bomb on the plane she was using on September 9, 1949. Twenty-three persons died.

Despite an increase in Canadian steel production of some 10 per cent, plants in eastern Canada were laying off hundreds of workers as the steel shortage struck home. The war in Korea was taking vast amounts of metal and the steel industry was investing huge sums to expand facilities.

United States President Harry Truman had authorized atomic bomb tests at Las Vegas in order to keep pace with the production of atomic weapons, including development of the hydrogen "Hell-Bomb."

All tests would be conducted

with "adequate safety," reported the American Congressional Atomic Energy Commission.

Estimated population of Canada was 14 million, indicating the nation was expanding, in terms of population, at a fair rate — 100 per cent in 40 years. Rate in the United States over that same period was 63 per cent but the increase in numbers of people across the two lands represented another seven million in Canada and 58 million south of the line.

The Canadiens were rising steadily as they defeated the Chicago Black Hawks, 4-1, to take the number three slot in the National Hockey League standings. More than 14,000 people watched Maurice Richard add two goals to his season's total, now standing at 26.

A 35-cent matinee at the Capitol Theatre in Victoria presented Alan Ladd in *Branded*. *King Solomon's Mines* was the feature at the Royal, to be followed by *The Miniver Story*. Betty Hutton and Fred Astaire were offering *Let's Dance*, and a nostalgic note was at the Odeon with Charlie Chaplin's *City Lights*.

In the classified section, a five-room bungalow, two years old and heated by oil, was offered for \$9,950. Another \$550 would buy a five-year-old home in the Willows with two bedrooms and lots of space. A two-bedroom house in High Quadra was offered at \$4,750 and taxes amounted to \$39.65 a year.

A 1928 Buick was offered for \$100 and a 1950 Hudson for \$1,300. A "perfect" 1946 Chrysler Windsor was to be picked up for a

mere \$1,675, and for the real sports fan a 1930 Graham was available for \$65.

Want to go fishing? How's about a West Coast troller at \$9,500?

If the reader wanted to go in for business on his own, he could purchase a grocery store with living quarters for \$5,300. The returns were optimistically estimated at \$100 a month, net. If you wanted a business without living accommodation, there was offered a bakery and coffee shop, situated in a thriving location, at \$2,800.

For the impecunious, and that meant most readers, mortgage money was available for residential and business properties at 5 per cent, with a 4.5 per cent rate for National Housing Act properties.

There was a call for apartment buildings and a 16-suite block was offered for \$65,000. It was two years old and yielded 13.5 per cent on the investment.

A bright office boy was sought for a newspaper office, and there was an opportunity for a young man, about 21, with a commercial firm. A general duty nurse was sought by a small west coast hospital. Salary was \$185 per month, less \$35 for board. Employment was on the basis of eight hours daily, six days a week. Dawson Creek had an opening for a high school secretary paid \$1,800 a year. Hardware salesman was sought by Hudson's Bay Co. at \$35 weekly.

On the credit side of lower Vancouver Island for January 12, 1951, was the list of deaths. It numbered five that day.

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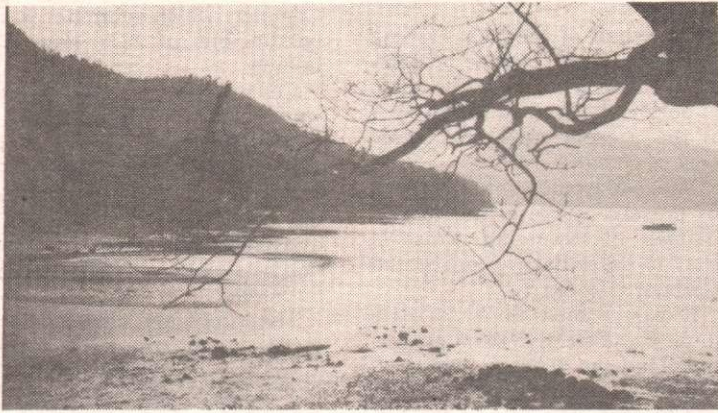


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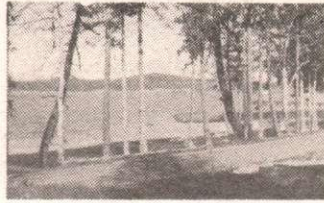
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An exquisite and exciting piece of walk-on waterfront with a few easy steps to a sandy beach, sunny south west exposure and wonderful seaviews taking in the sunsets and marine traffic of Sansum Narrows. This holding has a driveway approach through a wooded area into its open level oceanside garden which includes a small greenhouse, fruit trees, flowering shrubs, many bulbs, vegetable bed, lawn areas and beautiful trees both native and ornamental such as a giant multi-trunked arbutus, enormous oak, blue spruce and an exotic monkey tree. This is a property with privacy situated on a shore that offers hours of walking, beachcombing, clam digging, swimming and boating. Come and look and enjoy. \$300,000.

ANNE WATSON — 537-2284

NORTH BEACH WATERFRONT



.64 acre level, nicely treed, serviced lot near store and wharf. \$55,000.

VIEW OF N. SHORE MTNS.



Panoramic seaview with ships constantly passing by your window! Inside totally remodelled. Convenient landscaped 1/2 acre near safe boat access. Quiet, charming, countryside island location. \$85,000.

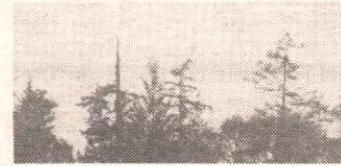
LARGE LAKEVIEW FAMILY HOME



Located in very central location of Mobrae. Solidly built 3 bedroom, split level, full basement on .78 ac. corner lot. Cement driveway to double attached garage/workshop. Cement decks. Rock fireplaces in dining room and sunken living room. Built-in counter top stove. Modern kitchen. All appliances included. Excellent financing available. Price \$115,000.

CALL DICK TROY 537-2236

WATERFRONT



10 acres of south west facing waterfront, well treed, located on Parker Island. Priced \$57,500.

SEAVIEWS



2 1/2 acres of sea view property close to Vesuvius in Channel Ridge, 3 lots to choose from. These are new lots. Water, power, paved roads, building sites and driveways in. Price \$49,500.



potential for development. Price \$120,000. Water, sewer, power.

ACREAGE



160 acres of wooded property, total privacy, good retreat or holding property, subdivision potential. Priced at \$170,000.

Call MEL TOPPING:
Eves. 537-2426 or Days 537-5515

ISLAND RETREAT & VIEW



* Panabode in immaculate condition.
* 1 bdrm., fireplace
* Location sunny & private
* Don't miss this opportunity at \$55,000.

UNIQUE ISLAND RESIDENCE



* 2 bdrms., 2 airtight stoves
* Feature fireplace & hardwood floors
* Domestic water & private
* LIST PRICE \$86,900 MLS.

SOUTHEY POINT LOCATION



* 2 levels, approx. 2100 sq. ft. living
* 3 bdrms. & den (4th bdrm.)
* Kitchen eating area
* Separate family room
* Over 2 private and sunny acres
* Piped water and cable TV
* EXCEPTIONAL VALUE
\$159,500 MLS.

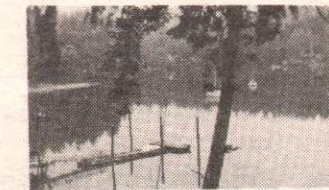
GIL MOUAT 537-9272

JUST LISTED - COMMERCIAL



Rare C-1 zoned property in popular Vesuvius Bay area. Presently fully occupied. Older home houses 1 BR. and 2 BR. suite upstairs with 2 suites in basement which is now rented as one. Other buildings consist of a beauty shop and grocery store; plus out buildings. Excellent revenue with unlimited potential. Call Maggie Smith today for further information.

GOOD MOORAGE — PLUS



* 1.45 acre waterfront
* 125' lowbank beach
* 2 BR. bungalow
* Best island moorage
EXCELLENT VALUE - \$99,900
SEAVIEW PARADISE — Here it is! The ultimate in island properties. Two spectacular seaview acreages. 24.31 acres and 28.37 acres. Easy access road, good wells, privacy, plus natural hardwood & softwood timber. The tranquil setting can only be realized by viewing. Priced from \$98,500 MLS. Call today.

MAGGIE SMITH 537-2913

LAKEVIEW COTTAGE



Cosy cottage near lake access on Cusheon Lake. There's 1 large BR., open plan living/dining room, very sunny, generous lot, near beach access. Owners have bought off island and price has been reduced to \$47,900.

OCEAN VIEW LOT — Lovely level building lot in desirable residential area. Enjoy views of Ganges Hbr., Islands, Mt. Baker & only minutes from village. Only \$45,000.

LOW BANK OCEANFRONT



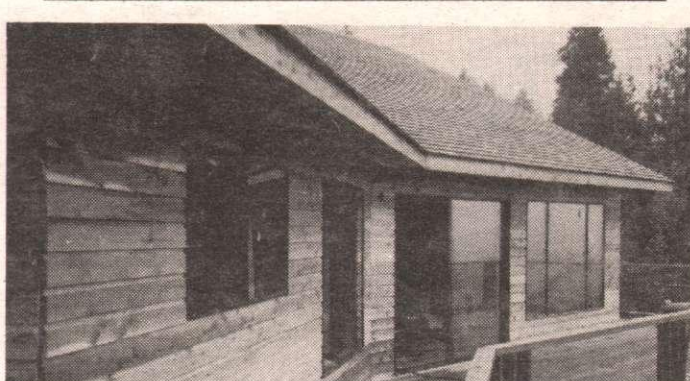
\$59,900 — There are terrific views of Fulford Harbour from this lovely lowbank oceanfront lot. Enjoy marine traffic, sea birds, seals, otters, dig for clams, fish for cod & salmon, crab, go boating, swimming, waterskiing. All this and more is possible from this lovely property. A good buy at \$59,900.

SOUTH SALT SPRING OCEANVIEW ACREAGE

Gently sloping acreage with lovely views of Fulford Harbour. This nicely treed 2.70 acres has access from both Isabella Pt. & Roland Roads. Listed at \$39,900.

DARLENE O'DONNELL
653-4386

NEW CONSTRUCTION - OCEAN VIEW



BRAND NEW EXECUTIVE HOME IN A DEVELOPED NEIGHBOURHOOD ABOVE THE TOWN OF GANGES. OVER 1800 SQ. FT. OF LIVING SPACE IN THIS 3 BEDROOM HOME. TWO FULL BATHS, ONE AN ENSUITE. MASTER BEDROOM HAS A WALK-IN CLOSET AND PATIO DOOR LEADS OUT TO THE FULL LENGTH DECK. KITCHEN, DINING, LIVING AREAS AS WELL AS TWO OF THE BEDROOMS ALL FACE THE ONE-OF-A-KIND VIEW THAT TAKES IN THE MARINAS OF TOWN, GALIANO, PREVOST ISLAND, ACTIVE PASS AND MOUNT BAKER IN THE U.S.A. \$169,000.

NORMAN ROTHWELL — 537-5103

SEAVIEW ACREAGE

Centrally located, cleared & arable with a drilled well. Asking \$62,500.

BE YOUR OWN BOSS — Gift & Craft business in a high walking & auto traffic area, ample parking, good lease. Asking \$30,000.

HOBBY FARM — Spacious 3 bedroom home in a sunny strategic residential area. Ideal for Bed & Breakfast. 20' x 30' barn and walking distance to Fulford ferry. Asking \$225,000.

WALK TO SHOPPING & HOSPITAL — 2 bedroom up, and partly finished rec. room & bedroom down, with workshop or garage. Large sunny lot. Asking \$69,500.

BOB TARA 653-4435

HOMES! HOMES! HOMES!

Let me help you. Choose one to fulfill your needs, your dreams & your budget!

Dream farm, 4.50 acres with fruit trees, pasture, forest, view, barn, home, on a gentle south slope, near Ganges. \$149,500.

20 acres with 650 ft. semi-waterfront. Charming old farm, small cottage, \$95,000.

Waterfront cottage on .72 acre with room to build a permanent home later. \$67,500.

All new, never lived in, home on 1/2 acre, sunny & handy. \$98,000.

JIM SPENCER 537-2154

Attractive 4 BR home on 3/4 acre, sunny & private. \$119,000.

Excellent value is this 4 bdrm. home in Ganges on 1 acre. Ideal for Bed & Breakfast. \$87,000.

Peace & quiet within walking distance of shopping in Ganges. 3 bdrms. on private, sunny .56 acre. \$85,000.

WANTED — QUICK SALE!

* \$57,000
* 3.05 acres
* 2 bdrm. 1068 sq. ft. house
* handyman special
* sunny location
WATERFRONT HOME \$139,000

* Modern 2 level home
* With in-law suite
* Superb marine views
WATERFRONT LOT - \$68,500
* Beautiful S.W. exposure
* .72 acre, level, parklike
* Power & water

ATTENTION BOATERS!

\$270,000
* 1350 sq. ft. home
* 74' Dock
* Prestigious Scott Pt.
* Lovely shell beach

FULFORD BARGAIN \$35,000
* Level, easy-care .61 acre
* With older trailer
* Rented \$200/mo.

PARKLIKE WATERFRONT — \$124,900

* 3 BR. home
* Overlooking Maracaibo
* Excellent moorage, swimming
* 1.4 secluded acres

INVESTMENT LOTS!

* Fully serviced
* Duplex zoned
* Sunny & Level
* Offers

BEDDIS BEACH LOCATION

* 1.18 acres
* Municipal water
* seaviews
* \$45,000

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