

Gulf Islanders will have a chance to voice their thoughts and concerns on education this Monday, when Royal Commissioner Barry Sullivan holds two hearings in the region.

The first hearing will take place on board the 9:55 am ferry from Tsawwassen to Salt Spring, and the second at 7 pm at Salt Spring Elementary School.

Local schools superintendent Mike Marshall said the event is "almost a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity."

Commission hearings slated

The last Royal Commission on education took place in the mid-1950s, he says.

In 1985, the *Let's Talk About Schools* study recommended a Royal Commission be established to provide a more intensive look at education.

The commission has been holding hearings throughout the province since November, and will

continue until March. Marshall notes that while the hearings are being limited to one in most areas, two are being offered on the Gulf Islands.

"He (the commissioner) seems ready to pay particular attention to the Gulf Islands," Marshall says, noting the area has always placed a serious emphasis on education. "I think that's why

they're going to listen.

The commission has not limited itself to any particular set of issues, and the public remains free to raise any concerns.

The school board has prepared an audio-visual package to be presented to the commissioner on board the ferry. The presentation explains the location of the islands and the different schools.

After the show, submissions from the public will be heard until the boat docks.

While the commissioner's itinerary remains uncertain, Marshall hopes a water taxi trip might be arranged for him.

A joint committee of teachers, school board trustees, parents, principals and some students is co-ordinating a presentation, but the commissioner is available to hear from anyone who has thoughts on issues.

School trustees decline Samuel Island request

Appeals for student crosswalks at Fernwood seem to be moving in circles through various bureaucratic agencies, the board of school district trustees heard at its meeting last Wednesday.

Pastor Jim Caruso, speaking on behalf of the Fernwood Parent's Advisory Committee, said he had written letters to both the department of highways and the school board, requesting two crosswalks on North End Road.

Board chairman David Eyles told Caruso that trustees are expecting a major notice which would clarify the situation. He also noted that local highways foreman John Stepaniuk is willing to go ahead with the work but cannot proceed without clearance from his district office.

Martha Miller appeared on behalf of the Galiano Pre-School Society, seeking the possibility of a structure being built on the existing property.

The board agreed to discuss the project after some research has been completed.

The board turned down a request from a Samuel Island resident to have the water taxi

pick up two children from the island.

Schools superintendent Mike Marshall said approving the request would set a precedent. He said a check with the water taxi service indicated such a stop would add 15 minutes onto the run and cost a further \$60 per day.

The board decided to stay with the policy already in place.

Trustee Charles Hingston questioned a recent report suggesting 30 per cent of British Columbian students entering grade 12 will not graduate.

Marshall said the figures sounded "extremely out of line with (his) experience." The trustees noted that when graduation requirements become more difficult, as they have, the number of dropouts will increase.

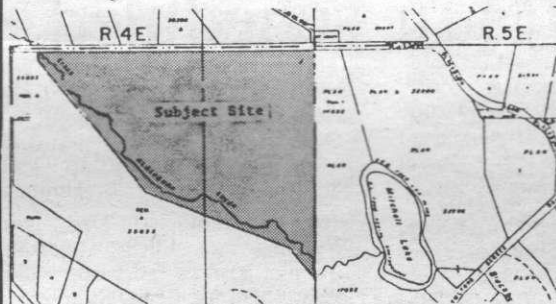
Gulf Islands Secondary School principal John Wellingham told the board the issue was not a problem here. He estimates all but three Grade 12 students will graduate this year. Those students, he said, are not dropouts, but students who will not have met the requirements. "I don't see how it is relevant to the high school," he said.

ISLANDS TRUST Salt Spring Island Trust Committee NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

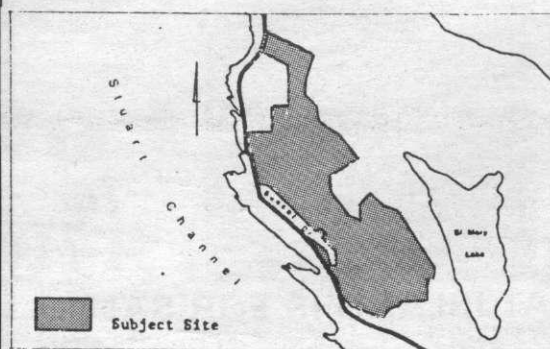
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In general terms the intents of the following proposed bylaws are as follows:

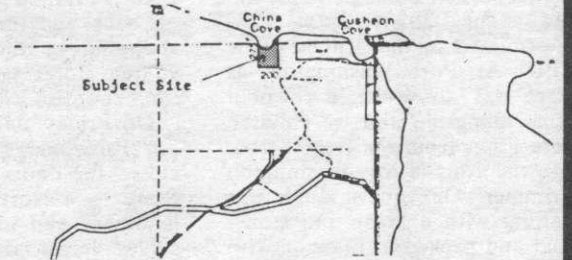
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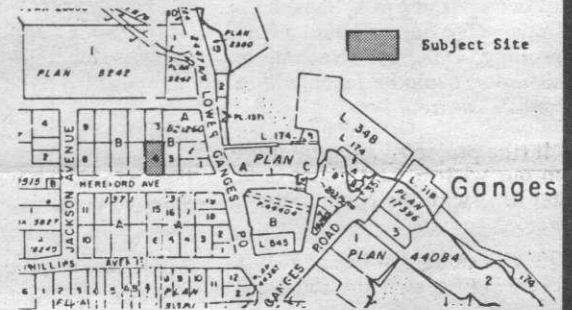
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(c) Proposed Bylaw No. 197, cited as "Zoning Bylaw, Salt Spring Island, 1985, Amendment Bylaw No. 1, 1988" is a bylaw to change the zoning classification of a Portion of Parcel "C", Sections 73 and 75 (DD3162171), South Salt Spring Island, from the Commercial 4 (C4) Zone to the Agriculture 1 (A1) Zone as shown on Plan No. 1 attached to and forming part of the Bylaw. The location of the subject land is shown on the following sketch.



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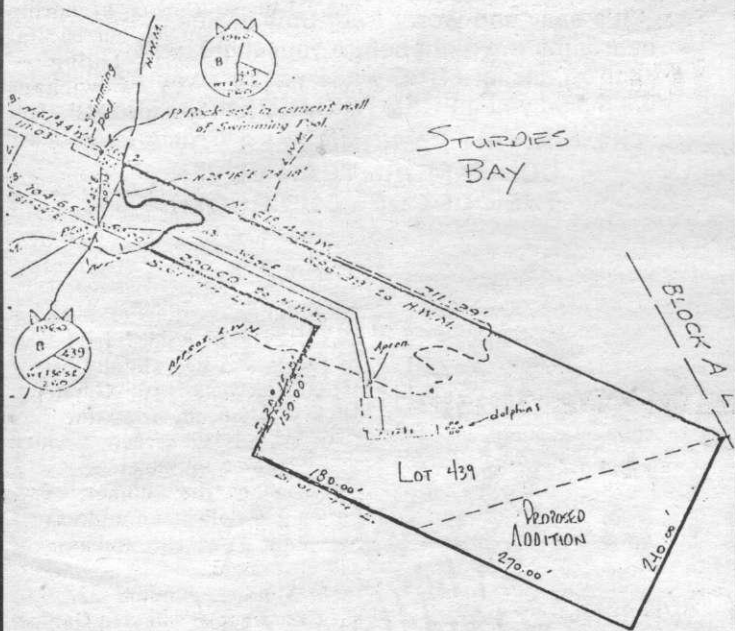
A copy of the proposed bylaws may be inspected at the Islands Trust Office, 747 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C. between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday inclusive, excluding statutory holidays.

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

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Pender landmarks entering final days

By CASEY O'CONNOR

PENDER ISLANDS — "My earliest memory of Pender," said Margaret Hamilton Smith, "is of a summer when I was perhaps, six. We came down from New Westminster on the "Rithet" of the CPR. At Port Washington, as there was no wharf, a rowboat came alongside and we children were lifted from the freight deck into the arms of Mr. Washington Grimmer. Our uncle Hugh was waiting with a horse and stone-boat and packed us in or on with the luggage and supplies. The adults, of course, had to walk and away we went through virgin woods on a trail that wound around the largest obstacles and finally brought us to our house."

The Port Washington Wharf was built in 1891 and after that the CPR boats *Rithet* and *Yosemite* began making regular calls, bringing mail, freight and passengers to North Pender. In 1910 Spencer Percival built a store adjoining the Port Washington Wharf and named it "The General Store."

It was one of those hazy, sea-green days, a Thursday that fell 14 days into a new year — 99 years since Washington Grimmer lifted a six-year-old Margaret Hamilton from the deck of the *Rithet* at Port Washington.

It was a bit past one in the afternoon. I stood in the stockroom of the General Store at Port Washington, watching as Russ Searle uncrated a 20-pound block of cheddar cheese and began slicing it into home-sized squares that would go into dairy cases at The General Store and at the Grocery Store in Pender Island's Driftwood Centre.

Russ cut and wrapped, but his mind was not on the blocks of yellow-orange cheese that lay before him.

"You have no idea how much I hate doing this," said Searle with the look of a man saying goodbye to a dream. "I know how it will be ... I'm always going to be known as the man who closed down the store at Port Washington."

He continued: "Shirley and I came to Pender because we were tired of working for others — we wanted to have our own business. With a bit more time I think we could have made a go of it. Progress dictated that we put a new store in the Driftwood Centre, and from the very beginning it attracted most of the business."

When Spencer Percival opened The General Store for business in 1910, the only competition was from R.S.W. Corbett and Son's store at Hope Bay, where islanders shopped for necessities ranging from sacks of rice bran to ladies' boots, and from gunpowder and shot to bathing suits that sold at 30 cents each.

"You know what I like best about Pender?" continued Searle. "I like knowing everybody. Not too long after I arrived and took over The General Store, I was invited to play in a poker game here on the island. This game's been going since 1945. I felt

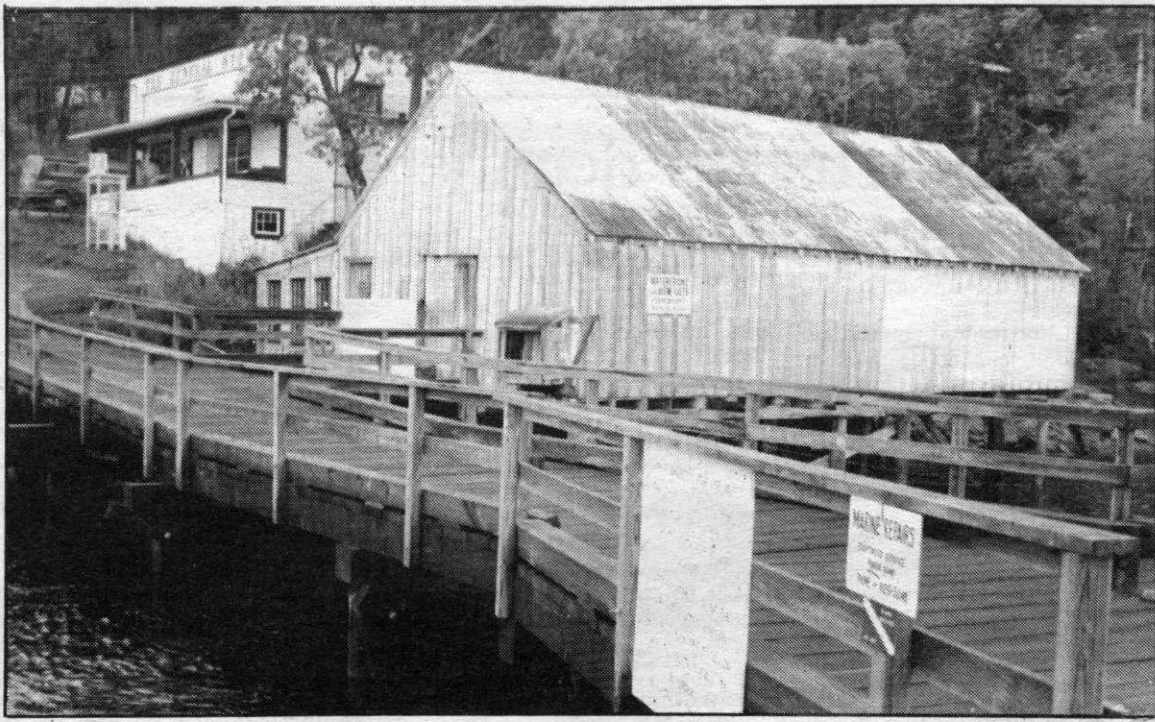
honoured to be asked to play. I've gotten to know some very special people ... many who grew up here. More and more, though, it's an island of retired professionals who go back and forth and do their shopping in Sidney where the volume stores dictate prices I just can't compete with."

On Friday, January 15, at 4:30 pm Russ and his wife, Shirley, closed the doors on The General Store — a North Pender Island landmark and tradition that had served locals and tourists since 1910.

Just up the hill from The General Store and wharf at Port Washington is a sign — silver letters and arrows on green — showing direction and distances to Pender Island's portside communities of Hope Bay, Port Browning and (19 km to the south) Bedwell Harbour.

The road to Bedwell Harbour is paved today and has a yellow line down the centre, but is little-changed from the road that wound its way along the eastern shore of South Pender and entered the Spalding Valley in 1933.

Art Pender was a boy then, and helping to cut cedar shake shingles for Herb Spalding's barn which



Pender's Port Washington General Store closes its doors after 78 years

would sit just alongside the road and provide entrance to the Spalding Farm.

Before Art was born, Winifred Grey, in her diary, described a walk from Gowlland Point: "Over the hill we stumbled, on loose boulders and roots of trees, down into Arthur Spalding's Valley, or flat, of fields and cultivated land, divided by 'post and rails' or 'snake' fences; and then to the house with large verandah,

covered with vine and creepers."

Two weeks ago I walked the road through Spalding Valley and found Winifred Grey's memories still alive in the rocks and trees and rail fences and in the timbers of the barn built by Herb Spalding, Leonard Higgs and a youthful Art Pender.

Early this past December a winter storm blustered across South Pender Island, knocking

out the ends of that barn which has stood as a legacy to the Spalding family for more than 50 years.

"I'd rather see it burn to the ground," said Winnie Spalding, "than have someone patch it back together. It can never be the same."

And so the barn will come down in 1988, but the memories remain at Gowlland Point — along fences that snake their way across Spalding Valley and on North Pender at Port Washington.

Health fair scheduled

By CASEY O'CONNOR

Pender Island's first Health Care Fair has been scheduled for March 19 at the North Pender Clinic and Community Centre.

"There are still people on Pender who are unaware of what services are available at our clinic," says Health Care Society President Joe Billyeald.

Pender Island's Clinic will be open to the public on the 19th between 10 am and 5 pm. Resident

doctors and specialists will be available to answer questions.

Set to attend the fair are clinic co-ordinator Dr. W. L. Dunn, a retired pathologist, Drs. Don Williams and Ellen Anderson, optometrist Ann Fairweather and physiotherapist Bev O'Sullivan.

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B.C.'s forest policies outlined for audience

GALIANO ISLAND — The growing concern of the public towards the way forests are managed, and the declining role of forest products in the B.C. economy, were among topics covered last week in an address by Bob Nixon to about 100 Galiano residents.

Nixon, managing editor of *Forest Planning Canada*, a bi-monthly magazine covering community forest practices, was invited to the South Galiano Community Hall by Clear-Cut Alternatives.

The forest industry in Canada operates under a unique structure, Nixon said, explaining that a few large companies control the bulk of publicly-owned forests while paying governments stumpage rates of between one and 10 per cent of that charged in competitor countries like Scandinavia and the U.S. — at least until the 15 per cent tariff on Canadian exports to the U.S. was imposed last year.

There is a growing awareness in B.C. that forest management practices must take into account factors other than the bottom line.

Even with that tariff, Nixon noted, record profits have been recorded by Canadian forest companies. He pointed out that road building and reforestation costs are subtracted from stumpage payments, and that 15,000 jobs have been lost in the B.C. forest industry in the past decade despite these "hidden subsidies."

Nixon also explained the system of clearcut-monoculture which large companies employ to maximize profits. The system sees the cutting of all tree species in a large block, to be replaced by a single species (on Galiano, it's usually Douglas fir). "Weed species" trees — i.e., alder and maple — are taken out with either manual or chemical means.

Nixon indicated the system is no longer used in other countries with developed forest industries,

where it is considered obsolete for a variety of technical reasons.

He also noted that forest soils cannot be treated in the same way as agricultural soils, and cannot stand the enormous loss of organic matter entailed in clearcut "cropping" for more than two or three generations of trees. After that, desertification takes place.

There is a growing awareness in B.C., he continued, that forest management practices must take into account factors other than "the bottom line." Those factors include wildlife, water management, fisheries, ecological systems, recreation and wilderness values.

Following his address, Nixon opened a question-and-answer session. When concern was expressed that MacMillan-Bloedel owned its Galiano holdings outright and could do as it wished with the land, it was pointed out that other local landowners were required to adhere to a variety of rules and regulations — i.e., setbacks and restrictive covenants — while paying taxes at a much higher rate than that applied to MB.

A further concern was that if MB is not permitted to log in the way it believes is the most economically-viable, it might market its Galiano holdings as real estate, thus promoting a sudden increase in population and a drastic change in the island way of life.

Nixon, while conceding that possibility, said that if a comprehensive economic strategy was submitted to the government and included input from all sectors of the island economy which planned for multiple use of the forests, it would likely gain a positive review in Victoria — given Premier Vander Zalm's commitment to local community initiatives.

Such a strategy is being drafted on Galiano under the aegis of the Chamber of Commerce and should be ready shortly.

Clear-Cut Alternatives has scheduled another forum for April 19. Invited guests are representatives of MacMillan-Bloedel. At that same meeting, the economic development strategy will be presented to the public for comments.

— Contributed by Andrew Bengert

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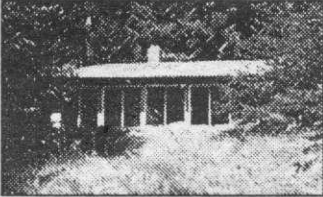
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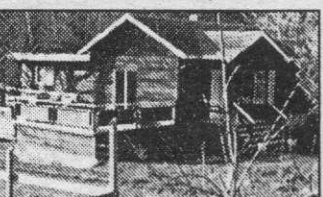
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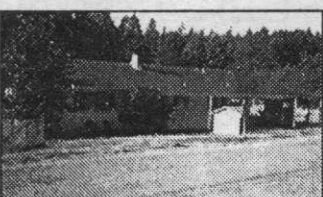
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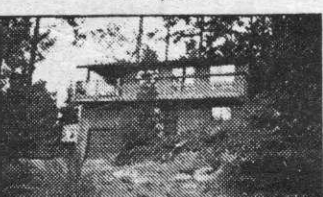
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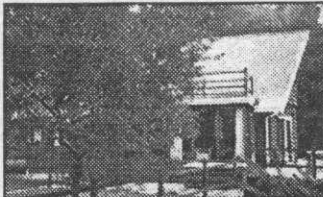


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Volunteer firemen to elect executive for 1988

By FLORENCE DODWELL
SOUTH GALIANO — The annual general meeting of the South Galiano Volunteer Fire Department will be held in the Community Hall on Saturday, January 23, at 2 pm. Election of officers for 1988 will take place, and memberships will be sold for \$1 each. All are urged to attend.

The annual general meeting of the women's auxiliary to the fire department was held in the squad room on Tuesday, January 5 at 7:30 pm. Officers elected for 1988 were: Lil Morisette, president; Dora Darling, vice-president; Mimi Wishart, treasurer; Helen

Neale, secretary; Jackie Grist, publicity convener; Hilda Stewart and Maureen Craig, telephone committee; and Esther Diehl, chief librarian.

Following the annual reports, which were led by retiring president Marion Michaelson, special thanks were given to Vimy Coffey and Mary Munsie for their generous provision of free Christmas refreshments for all at the last book sale, held on December 19. The two raffles on that day were won by Vimy Coffey and Dorothy Lupton.

The next auxiliary meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 1, at

7:30 pm. New members are welcome.

Lions review

The Lions Club's 15th annual charter night was attended by 50 people. The dinner and dance event was held at the Galiano Lodge on Saturday, December 5.

Lion President Armand Hammond and wife Gwen hosted the event, which included the following special guests: Zone chairman Keith Buchan and wife Lila of Victoria; Mayne Island (the original sponsoring club) Lions Club President Bob Morisette and wife Althea; vice-president John

Coates and wife Joyce, secretary Mike Bullis; and Lion Hank Knudsen, past president of the Galiano Lions, with wife Mary.

Keith Buchan issued 15-year pins to the following members: Frank Basarab, Ollie Garner, Harold Wike, Bob Knowles and George Georgeson. A special pin was awarded by Armand Hammond to Archie Frewer for his past services as secretary and treasurer.

The mood was set by the excellent meal and live band, as entertaining comments flowed easily from President Hammond, Founding President Frank

Basarab, and Lion Fred Robson, who with wife Marg was celebrating the couple's 51st wedding anniversary.

A special award was given by President Hammond to Galiano Lionettes' President Marg Robson, for the long and dedicated service to the Lions and the Community by the Lionettes. Dancing and general camaraderie rounded out a memorable evening.

The Galiano Lions look forward to January 21 when Bert Lane, district chairman, will visit the club. A dinner prepared by the Lionettes will be served and be followed by a special meeting to set out the coming year's donations. There will be details later regarding Ladies' Night, to be held on February 13.

Parks commission mandate under discussion

By CASEY O'CONNOR
PENDER ISLANDS — The CRD-created Pender Island Parks Commission held its first public meeting on January 14 to discuss the group's mandate with residents of North and South Pender.

"Our prime duty," says Commission Chairman Charlie Illsley, "will be to look after designated municipal parklands while developing bylaws to control and govern use."

There are approximately six areas in the Magic Lakes subdivision, plus several other parcels on North and South Pender, that are designated as parkland. The lands were deeded to the CRD under rules that require developers to donate five per cent of their developed acreage back to the CRD as park area.

Other parcels designated as "remainders" — in that they cannot be developed on a

commercial basis — have been deeded to the CRD and will also be administered by the commission.

The commission will operate under a first year budget of \$10,000. The Magic Lakes Property Owners Association currently spends \$8,000 per year on upkeep of a baseball diamond and frisbee golf course, both of which are on regional district lands. Illsley says the only other expense at this time is grass-cutting

at Shingle Bay, which has been done by the association as a fire-prevention measure.

The Pender Island Parks Commission was appointed last November. The group will meet monthly and report to CRD director Vern Roddick. Commission members are Bill Bastendorf, Bob Conkey, Ann Forbes, Warren Moore, Mary Roddick, Chuck Harris and Jean Rogers.

Mark your calendar for the annual seafood dinner on April 30, 1988. Patrons are advised to buy their tickets as soon as possible because of the growing popularity of this annual event.

All money raised by the Lions is used to help people in need, particularly physically handicapped children. This year, a generous donation will be used for a nature hut and special swings at the Shawnigan Lake centre.

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Canada maintains strong presence in Germany

The co-ordinates on the screen in front of me put my position down as 150 miles northwest of Munich. But I wasn't going to be there long. I pulled back the throttle, and did the same with the stick and as the nose of the CF-18 began pointing skyward I went into a roll.

Seated upside down in the cockpit now, I was pulling away from the Earth at a 60-degree angle and at a speed of over 1,500 miles an hour. There was nothing on earth to equal the exhilaration. I watched the screen change as I made tracks — fast tracks — over West German air space.

At that point I eased the throttle back a bit and cut my air speed down to about 1,200 miles an hour. It was still fast. But I'd be approaching the base soon and finishing another glorious flight in the best plane in the world...

TONY RICHARDS

European car manufacturer describes the operation of its vehicles as "driving in its purest form." The same — only slightly modified — could likely be said by the maker of Canada's nearly-new fleet of CF-18 fighter aircraft — flying in its purest form.

I don't speak with experience. Not only did I not fly one but I didn't even go up in one. But I did sit in the cockpit for a good 10 minutes and try to imagine what it would be like. And a pilot with 1 Canadian Air Group (1 CAG), stationed at Baden-Soellingen near Lahr, West Germany, helped me out.

"It's like driving a three-dimensional sports car," he explained with an enormous grin. "There's nothing like it."

The tremendous power and amazing manoeuvrability of the CF-18 make it the prized possession of the Canadian air force: "The best goddamned plane in the whole world," as my flying instructor told me.

It had better be. The Canadian government spent over \$5 billion on 138 of them in 1985. But ask the officer in command of 1 CAG what he'd like for Christmas and he's got a problem: "Give me five minutes to think about it," he said with a contented smile. Meanwhile, the senior army officer at his side immediately began reciting a long list of equipment he felt was necessary to maintain his ground forces.

When I visited Canadian Forces Europe headquarters in Lahr, West Germany, late last year along with nine other Canadian journalists, the mood was optimistic and morale was high. On more than one occasion we heard a reference to the "bad, bad years" of the 1970s when defence

was not a high priority for Ottawa. But in last year's White Paper, the defence department unveiled ambitious plans to increase defence spending and upgrade the armed forces.

As a result, Defence Minister Perrin Beatty has lots of supporters among the 18,000 Canadians — service personnel, civilians and dependents — living on and around the two bases in southern Germany.

In addition to 1 CAG, Lahr is headquarters to 4 Canadian Mechanized Brigade Group (4 CMBG), a 4,000-man group equipped with Leopard tanks, M-109 self-propelled 155 mm howitzers and other gear. We spent several hours with the soldiers at 4 CMBG, who were more than happy to demonstrate and explain the functions of their equipment.

We were given the chance to take a Leopard tank for a spin — not as exciting as sitting in a CF-18 but an interesting exercise nonetheless, though it's not a vehicle in which I'd like to spend a lot of time. The driver is confined to a space in the front right-hand side large enough to accommodate his body. He can ride with the seat up and his head protruding from the hatch or he can drop the seat, close the hatch

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Tony Richards explores conditions inside Leopard tank

4-H Community Club prepares for new year

The Salt Spring Island 4-H Community Club will begin a new year of activities later this week by holding its first meeting of 1988.

The meeting is set for 7 pm this Friday, January 22, at the Farmers' Institute on Rainbow Road.

The goal of 4-H is to promote learning by doing. Projects undertaken by participants range from traditional undertakings like raising goats and sheep to pursuits like gardening, outdoor living, crafts, bicycles and public speaking.

Organizers of this Friday's meeting say people should simply bring along their interests — and 4-H will do its best to accommodate the list.

The organization is also seeking volunteers with some skills to offer youths — i.e., a sailor demonstrating how to tie knots, or a computer expert sharing knowledge.

Annual fees remain low, at \$2 per club member per year.

Membership is open to youths

between the ages of nine and 19 years, and to "peewees" eight years of age or younger. Members are responsible for funding, record-keeping and displaying their projects at exhibitions and at the annual fall fair.

They are also expected to become involved in the community. Last year, members spent a morning sharing their animals — rabbits, goats, sheep, cats and dogs — with the residents of Greenwoods, and took part in the Sea Capers parade.

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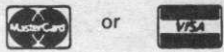
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CALL 537-2111 for information & appointments 2-alt., 2

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank Dr. Heaton and the staff at Lady Minto Hospital for the tender care and comfort which I received during my 10 day stay there.

Marty Hedge
1

We wish to thank all our friends for their cards, flowers and condolences during our recent loss.

Mrs. E. Clayburn & family
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In Memoriam

Canadian Cancer Society

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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.
52-tfn

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Unpainted kitchen cabinets, oak dining table. Rolf Harris records or cassettes. Small radio with good reception. 653-4614.
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2-2

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42-tfn

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3-2

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Certified dental assistant required for local dental office. Apply in writing, Dr. G. K. Dafeo, R. R. 3, Lancer Bldg., Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0.
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Salt Spring Island Daycare Society require extra help on an on call basis. For further information, call Aileen Neish, 537-4550.
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Part-time bookkeeper required, flexible hours, general ledger and cash control experience, required. Apply in writing to Dept. Z, c/o Driftwood, P.O. Box 250, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0.
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Luigi's requires mature, energetic cook/trainee. Part-time servers and delivery persons. Apply to Luigi's.
2-2

Wanted to Rent

Responsible couple with 5 year old to rent 2 bdrm. house on Salt Spring as soon as possible. Vancouver, 224-1998.
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Must move - house has sold. Responsible single mother with 2 well-behaved children, requires 2 or 3 bdrm. home to rent by Feb. 29. Reasonable rent. Phone 537-4306.
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For Rent

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Community Services

Are you having a problem controlling your eating? If you're interested in helping yourself, we're interested in helping you. Call Overeater's Anonymous, 537-9253 or 537-2618.
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A. A. MEETINGS, Salt Spring Island - phone 537-4170, 537-2618 or 537-2317. GALIANO - 539-2235 or 539-5770. PENDER - 629-3312.
42-tfn

Alanon afternoon/evening meetings. Call 537-2317, 653-4288.
42-tfn

Dressings are free to Cancer patients by the Order of the Eastern Star. Contact Carol Spencer, 537-2154 or Health Services, 537-5541.
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Notices

Drugs and Alcohol—a problem for you? Narcotics Anonymous meetings Sundays, 7:30 pm, St. George's Hall, Park Drive. Try it!
2-tfn

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Notices

Arpilleras, Shawls, Necklaces from Chile. Saturdays, 10:30 - 12:30 pm. Mouat's Mall. Voice of Women.
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Saltery Bay Preservation Society Extraordinary Meeting to be held at North Galiano Community Hall at 1 pm. Saturday, January 30, 1988.
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Notice to Islanders concerned about NICARAGUA

The Nicaraguan Ambassador with Jim and Eva Manly will be guests at a reception at the Ganges United Church, 3 pm. Saturday, Jan. 23rd. The purpose is to promote people-to-people contacts between the Southern Gulf Islands and the island of Ometepe (pop. 28,000) in Lake Nicaragua. YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED A pot luck dinner to follow at 6 pm. with a video on the Island of Ometepe.
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Jim Napper is now the representative of Wille Dodge Chrysler. Please call for prices and appraisals. New & used cars, trucks and imports. 537-2925.
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Registration for S. S. Co-op Pre-school for the 1988-89 year will be available to the alumni members February 1, 1988. For further information call Marilyn, 537-2846.
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Peace is understanding. Understanding evolves through openness and awareness. Harmony Networks, Box 1471, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0. 537-9422.
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5¢ & 10¢ Clothing Store will be CLOSED

until the beginning of February when it will re-open in its new location. Please watch for advertisements.
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The S.S.I. Parks & Recreation Commission will meet on Monday, Jan. 25th, 7:30 pm. at the School Board Office. To appear on the agenda please call Linda Stafford, 537-4558.
1

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

Let's get organized! Parents of all ball players and interested adults please attend. We need your input to make a strong Minor League a fact.
1

THURSDAY, Jan. 21st - 7:30 pm. Salt Spring Elementary School, Mr. Taylor's Classroom. Sponsored by the SSI Baseball Association.
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Winners of the Salt Spring Soccer Association draw held Dec. 18/1987: Aidon Morris \$400; Jack Andrews \$200; Joe Guilbault \$100; Doug Kerr (Vancouver) \$35.
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Regular Monthly MEETING of the

Auxiliary to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital

MONDAY, JAN. 25 — 2 pm. UNITED CHURCH UPPER HALL
Everyone welcome
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Notices

Salmon Enhancement Members

PLEASE PAY 1988 DUES
Money is needed for our linear park donation and the new hatchery. We now have a federal govt. charitable tax number for donations. Annual Meeting Wednesday, January 20, 7 pm. Elementary School Library. For further information, 537-9630 or 537-9618.
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POOL SOCIETY MEETING

THURSDAY, JAN. 28 — 7:30 pm. Salt Spring Elem. School K. Vine's classroom (main floor). Topics: new direction, new ideas, new executive. ALL MEMBERS URGED TO ATTEND!
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HANDICAPPED INFORMATION DAY

B. C. Coalition of the Disabled - Saturday, Jan. 30; Mahon Hall; 1:30 pm. no fee. Under discussion will be such items as ferry rate discounts, gasoline tax refund, car insurance discounts. On hand for the questions will be Ken Lyotier and Geoff McMurchy from the head office. Please call 537-2822 days or 537-4386 eves. and let us know if you plan to attend.
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Coming Events

Beaver Point Hall annual meeting Tuesday, Jan. 26. Note date change at 7 pm. followed by N.F.B. films at 8:30 pm. 'Death of a Legend', 'People & Power', 'What Teacher Expects'. Community welcome. Admission free.
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CHURCH NOTICES Sunday, Jan. 24

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

Ganges United Church
Hereford Ave., Ganges
Worship Service 10 am with Sunday School for Nursery to 15 years
MINISTER:
Rev. A.N. Skinner
537-5812 537-9343

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

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
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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

Galiano Island St. Margaret of Scotland — Anglican
Sundays - 11 am

Coming Events

GULF ISLANDS NDP Regular General Meeting
28 January, Thursday night 7:30 pm in Elem. Lib., Ganges View "Keeper of the Flame" (the story of Tommy Douglas); write your own resolutions to be drawn from a hat and debated on, voted on, and passed on to the provincial NDP. Coffee and cookies will be served. New members - come and get acquainted.
2-3

Coming Events

Rotary Bingo 7:30 pm. January 14 & 28. Rod & Gun Club. 60-40 split. Proceeds to assist in purchase of Lifepak 200 for ambulance service. 2-3

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A series of Monday night lecture-discussions starting February 15, 7:30 pm. Elem. Library. Donations only.

FEB. 15th - Beth Hill - Seeing the Future in the Present.

FEB. 22 - Don Peden - U.N. Commission on Development and the Environment (The Bruntland Report)

FEB. 29: June Sampson - Life after Patriarchy

MAR. 7: John Lammers - Nature, Human & Otherwise
MAR. 14: Peter Pentz - Simple Economics for Sane Citizens
MAR. 21: Panel wrap-up of the series.

Books to be used in this series will be available through Continuing Education. To register, call 537-2822, or stop by Cont. Ed. office in Mouat's Mall. 1

Four life drawing sessions with model, Tuesday, Jan. 26, Feb. 2, 9, 16. Board room Mahon Hall, 10:30 am. - 12:30 pm. \$3.50 per session. 1

Coming Events



SALT SPRING CONCERT SOCIETY presents:

The Boccherini Quartet
GANGES UNITED CHURCH
January 24th - 2 pm.
Tickets \$5 at the door
Students \$2 2-2

Canadian Cancer Society BENEFIT DANCE featuring CLUB MONGO
Friday, Jan. 29
HARBOUR HOUSE PUB
8 pm. — \$3 admission 2-3

A CONCERT FOR CHILDREN WITH JENNI WRIGHT, musician, singer and puppeteer. At Beaver Pt. Hall this Saturday, Jan. 23, 2 - 3:30 pm. Admission \$1 all ages. Children under 12 to be accompanied by an adult. Refreshments available. Sponsored by Beaver Pt. Preschool. 1

Coming Events



School District #64 Cont. Education TRAVEL SPECIALS: ARPILLERA SHOW at the

MUSEUM of ANTHROPOLOGY - Sunday, Feb. 21; \$40 adults, \$35 seniors, \$30 kids. Includes bus, ferry and museum. Travel to Vancouver and enjoy UBC's fascinating Museum of Anthropology while the Chilean wall-hangings are on view. Our bus will tour Stanley Park and the university grounds as well as taking us to dinner at Las Margaritas restaurant. (Price based on 20 people, with 30 people food included).

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Details of both these trips available at Continuing Education office in Mouat's Mall. Call 537-2822. 1

Coming Events

Spanish Speaking Reunion, Saturday, Jan. 23. 1:30 - 4 pm. Community Centre. Video on Costa Rica, tea & coffee. Everyone welcome. For info., 653-9229 or 537-2919. 1

Salute the Century, Saturday, March 12 with the G.I.S.S. Music Dept. 3-3

Marriage Seminar and Sweetheart Banquet

presented by the Saltspring Pentecostal Church
Ministry by Rev. Don McMillan and wife Patricia.
Special music by Susan Appleton.

WHERE: Harbour House Hotel
WHEN: Fri., Feb. 12 - 8 pm.
Sat., Feb. 13 - 10 am. and 8 pm.
Sun., Feb. 14 - 10:30 am.
Sweetheart Banquet at 6 pm. Saturday evening.

COST: Registration per couple - \$15 (includes all four sessions and light lunch on Sunday.

Banquet tickets are \$17 per couple
To register call Pastor Jim

Caruso at 537-4143 or Paul Konig at 537-9531 or write to Box 133, Ganges, B.C.
Please note space is limited. Please register before January 31, 1988. 3-3

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The restrictions will limit vehicles to 70% or 50% of legal axle weights, as allowed under the regulations pursuant to the Commercial Transport Act.

All term overload permits are invalid for the duration of the restrictions.

The public, and trucking and transportation companies, should govern themselves accordingly.

Your co-operation in adhering to the above regulations will be appreciated.

D. P. Doyle, P. Eng.
Regional Director, Highways
For: Ministry of Transportation & Highways
Date: January 7, 1988
At: Victoria, B.C.

Legal

"NAME ACT" (Section 5(1))
NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Director of Vital Statistics for a change of name pursuant to the provisions of the "Name Act" by me:
Alan Graeme White of Box 1345 in Ganges, B.C. as follows:

To change my name from White, Alan Graeme to Bryson, Alan William.
Dated this 18th day of January, A.D. 1988.
Alan White

"NAME ACT" (Section 5(1))
NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Director of Vital Statistics for a change of name pursuant to the provisions of the "Name Act" by me:
Bryn Robert Lazzari A.K.A. Bryn King of C5, Stewart Rd. in Fulford Harbour, as follows:

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North Galiano residents pitch in to patch up hall

By ALISTAIR ROSS

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But Arne has a second string to his bow: he loves to work with wood. He has been man-in-charge of most of the renovations done at the North Hall over the past six years. Many things get done quietly in his home workshop and then appear unannounced at the hall.

Thanks to Arne, the Garden Club now has a handsome bookcase cabinet with glass doors in which to store its ever-growing collection of technical books. Also installed at the hall since the craft fair in November is a handsome counter and cupboard which fits under the bar window in the library, and in the kitchen there is a new fluorescent lighting fixture

over the sink. Be prepared North Galiano — he claims not to have finished yet.

Another gentleman as good as his word is Geoff Howard.

Geoff made a promise that when he retired from the Porlier Pass Light Station and got settled in his new home at Retreat Cove, he would be willing to do something about our floors. The job is done.

This past week Geoff, with helpers Walter Roots, Bill Stafford and Al Chambers, sanded and finished the 60-year-old fir floor of our former schoolhouse. They were most impressed with the straight grain of the wood and the total absence of knots and flaws.

A note of some interest for Salt Spring folk here:

When we were removing the old porch to make way for the library-washroom addition a year or so ago, we were interested to find the lumber for that part of the building had been purchased from Mouat's at Ganges. The original chalk markings were still there and easily

readable.

Galiano residents were saddened to hear of the sudden death of Rodney Crocker. The 19-year-old lad from North Galiano was killed in a highway accident near Cassidy Airport. His friendly, shy smile will be missed by his friends and neighbours. Rodney was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crocker.

Scottish Country Dancing classes for beginners will be held at Sutil Lodge, Montague Harbour, every second Wednesday at 7 pm. They began last week, on January 13.

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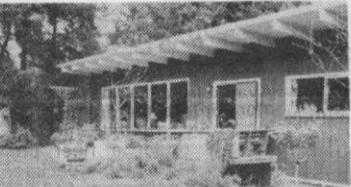
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Dock work continuing at Crofton

Refurbishing of the Crofton ferry dock is still underway one month after regular service was re-established between Salt Spring Island and the Vancouver Island community.

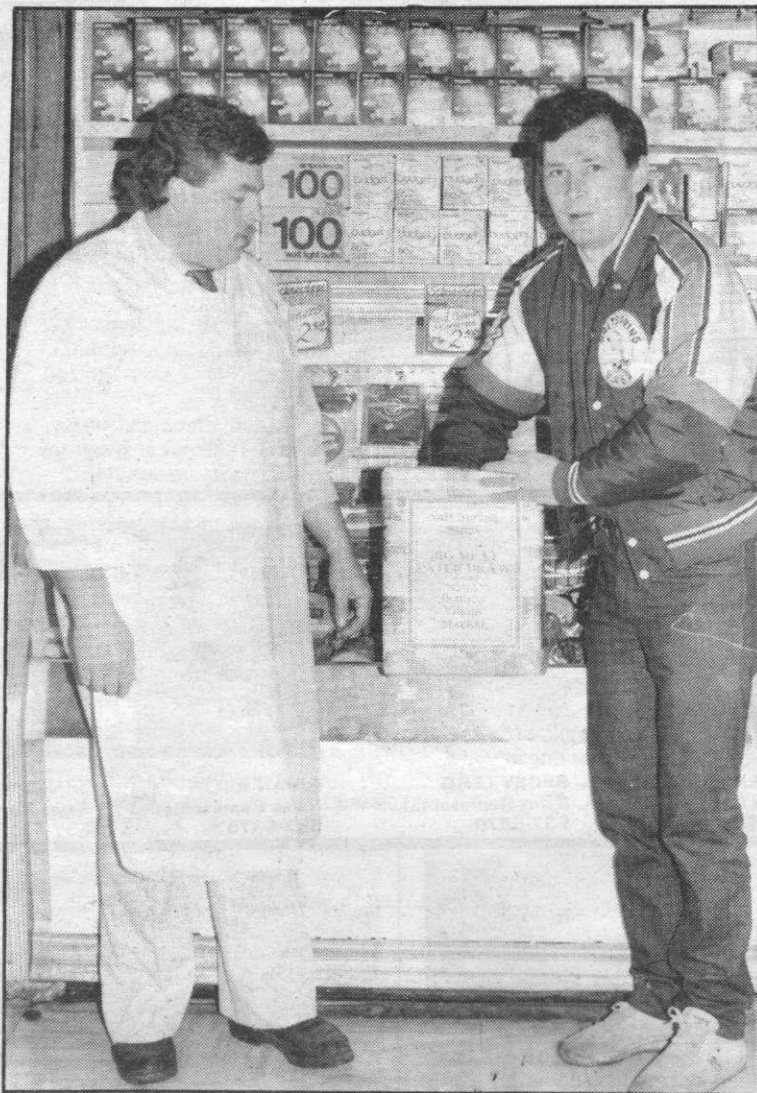
B.C. Ferry Corporation spokesman Betty Nicholson said last week that work has ended on repairs needed to restore regular service, but other related tasks are still underway.

A fire last July badly damaged the wharf and forced cancellation of normal ferry service between the two points. During the five months it took to repair and re-open the dock, a foot-passenger-only service was supplied by water taxi.

Nicholson said refurbishing of the turn-around area at the end of the wharf — when new decking is being installed — is still underway, and that the trestle is being re-decked.

While a pile-driving crew is at the site, some maintenance work is also being carried out. Some of the wooden pilings, which the salt water had caused to rot, will be replaced.

A major change at the dock has been the re-location of the ticket booth. It has been placed in the centre of the approach, rather than on the right, for greater convenience. Drivers can now pay fares directly to the attendant, instead of having to get out of their vehicles and approach the booth on foot.



Prize-winner

Brent Cooper (left) and Paul Sinclair draw for winners in the Salt Spring Slugs meat draw. The first name picked—Tom Lobbes—won a hindquarter of meat from Ganges Village Market. Helen Nicholson—the second name chosen—won a season's pass to all Slugs home games.

down the gutter

Before we get to the High Rollers, last week's *Down the Gutter* mentioned League winners. League winners of what? It was the Hi-Low Doubles.

Also, the average to be used for the National Classified is that of December 14 — not December 4 as stated last week.

While on the subject of the national classified, each bowler to earn a place on a team bowls only against bowlers of his or her average class — which means that the lower-average bowler has the same chance as a higher-average bowler for a place on a team.

We need the lower average bowler to make up the teams, so come and bowl and try to qualify for a place on a team. Ask about times to bowl.

High rollers for the week of January 11 were, for the ladies: Carol Kaye, 859 (311, 247, 301); Deanna Marleau, 722 (220, 309, 193); Trish Westcott, 704 (161, 268, 275).

For the men: Ken Collins, 895 (306, 279, 310), 750 (243, 249, 258); Danny Bedford, 824 (198, 337, 289); Terry Jenkins, 767 (232, 252, 276), 767 (238, 316, 213); John Lagrow, 701 (215, 234, 252).

300 games: Danny Bedford, 337; Terry Jenkins, 316; Carol Kaye, 311, 301; Ken Collins, 310, 306; Deanna Marleau, 309.

Pins over average: Only four names on the sheet; I am sure there were more. It is up to the individuals concerned to post their pins-over on the sheet, if they are pins-over on average.

Others

were: Gwen Wakelyn, 139; Lil Nicholls 126; Tim Mead, 119.

Golf Ladies: Tash Hewitson, 247; June Webb, 233; Marg Frattinger, 228; Marie Hopkins, 225; Mildred Guerne, 213.

GOLDEN AGE

Monday afternoon: Bob Davidson, 236; Bill Baker, 222; Margaret Baker, 217, 204; John Mulski, 213; Dave McRoberts, 201.

Tuesday morning: Art Robinson, 240, 217; Edie Gear, 230, 214, 209; Jack Godwin, 221; Kay Cook, 205; Gladys Harper, 202.

Tuesday afternoon: Gwen Wakelyn, 258; Margaret Robinson, 220, 217, 216; June Webb, 208.

Friday morning: Flo Kavanagh,

230; Bill Harper, 216; Edie Gear, 208; Margaret Robinson, 203.

Friday afternoon: Nellie Herbert, 267; Jim Gilson, 253, 229; Ed Allan, 222; Gene Graham, 210; Peggy Bean, 209.

Over 600: Edie Gear, 653; Margo Robinson, 653.

Y.B.C.

Pee Wee: Stephanie Collette, 139; Corry Schwagly, 95; Jessica Hamilton, 90; Ian Baker, 164; Tom Langdon, 154; Joshua Marshall, 104.

Bantams: Amy Schwagly, 235; Heidi Lucas, 130; Cheryl David, 116; Eric Taylor, 176; Ian Reid, 127; Stephen Marcotte, 120.

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Promises of new weaponry welcomed by troops

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above him and attempt to see where he's going through a narrow slit of a window in front of him.

The tank I drove was capable of travelling over 40 miles an hour but the officer in charge of 4 CMBG wasn't about to let us do any racing.

As far as the soldiers are concerned, dealing with the threat of a war in Europe is part of their job. What's of much greater concern to many is the age and condition of the equipment they

would be using should hostilities occur.

A young second lieutenant whose area of responsibility was air defence was eager to show me his principal weapon. Called a blowpipe, the 18-kg, metre-long tube-like affair is carried on the shoulder and used to fire missiles, providing low-level air defence. It has a range of three kilometres.

My informant had been with air defence for two years. And how often did he get an opportunity to use his only weapon other than a

rifle? In two years, he had never fired it with a real missile. At \$20,000 a pop, the defence department is reluctant to see them used and the soldiers trained to fire them use simulators instead.

The lieutenant — obviously quick to recognize an opportunity — was well prepared for our visit. Laid out on the table next to the blowpipe were pieces of literature showing more modern air defence systems. Manufactured by the Swiss armaments firm Oerlikon, they represented the choices open to the army should the federal

government's White Paper proposals be adopted.

One of our guides explained after the blowpipe demonstration that the young lieutenant was typical of a new breed of Canadian soldier. Limited job opportunities in recent years have focused the attention of a lot of job-seekers on the armed forces and what they can offer. The result is that there are a lot more ambitious young Canadians in the forces today than in past years.

So what are the job opportunities like in the forces for the

middle-aged, overweight, out-of-shape Canadian who wants to fly a CF-18? Not bad, according to the commander of Baden-Soellingen's 409 Squadron, the Nighthawks, or the Fightin' 409. If I enlisted tomorrow, and if I were accepted, after about three years of training I could conceivably be flying a CF-18. But I'd only be left with about three years of flying as 43 is a fairly standard retirement age for fighter pilots.

I must admit that — if only for a moment — I was sorely tempted.

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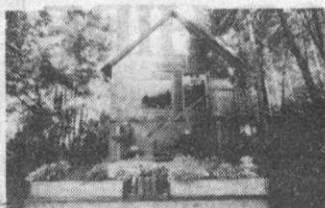
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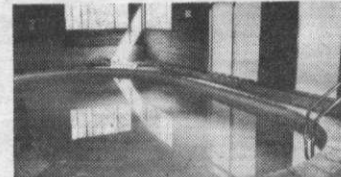
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Modern pioneer's adventures make for solid read

Spilsbury's Coast, by Howard White and Jim Spilsbury. Harbour Publishing. 190 pp. \$24.95.

By FRANK RICHARDS

This should, properly, be a work of fiction. The story of Jim Spilsbury is one of those that reads like an adventure story. The whole tale — background, experiences, success — is a reminder of the changes in the style of living on the British Columbia coast, further north.

Spilsbury was the son of an Englishman who came out to Canada by chance and an

Englishwoman who left the scene of women's rights to visit Vancouver. They settled in the province, and among other things, raised a son.

Spilsbury studied through correspondence courses and finally received a certificate of assurance that he was now competent to proceed to higher realms of learning. And he did just that. Sailing as Fourth Officer under a newly-hatched apprenticeship scheme, he retired at the age of 15. He had learned that deep-sea sailing held nothing for him, and he had learned a new pattern of

camp unknown in the logging camps around him. But he had also developed a keen interest in radio.

Rejected by the air force for his lack of university background, he spent the war as a radio technician up and down the coast. His vessel, the 5 BR was a travelling workshop as well as a family home. An enthusiastic and skilled technician, he not only repaired equipment, but he built it.

From this pattern of cruising and manufacturing, servicing and travelling, he moved into the serious manufacture of radio-telephone equipment.

His tale will appeal to every reader who has fallen victim of bureaucracy in emergency. He writes of the lack of supplies — metal, radio equipment, everything — during the war. He relates that, finally, the gas allowance for his boat was withdrawn by Ottawa. At the same time his rivals in the coastal radio business acquired a new boat and unlimited fuel.

In a sense, he overcame the difficulties thrust in his way by the wartime administrations. Instead of operating a boat, he took to the

air. He flew in and out of coastal settlements and despite the war he established Queen Charlotte Air Lines in 1943. When he merged his line with Pacific Western it ranked as number three in Canada. As PWA later acquired Canadian Pacific Airlines, it made Spilsbury one of the founding members of the current Canadian, the nation's newest.

As well as being a vivid tale of success, the book is also a welcome introduction to the commercial life of the coastal waters for a man's lifetime in business. It is well worth the reading.

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down through the years

Twenty-five years ago

The long-awaited start of production at the Pozzolan Plant at Welbury Bay had taken place with the first feeding of shale into the kiln.

Plant manager Fred Robertson predicted a continuous run (24 hours a day) and said the kiln would not be idled except for cases of breakdown or necessary maintenance. The shale presently under production was being processed for export to Seattle, where it would be used in the metropolitan sewer project.

A night class for young parents to study Educational Guidance for their pre-school children was given support by the adult education branch of the department of education.

Drilling and other activity around the bank was not a robbery attempt. Workers were in the process of placing pilings underneath the 20-ton vault — to prevent its sinking into the sea. "It's an expensive job," *Driftwood* said, "but undoubtedly the bank has a sinking fund."

Twenty years ago

Five scuba divers were dumped from their 14-foot boat into the waters surrounding Wallace Island. Sunset Drive residents Ken Whyte and Walter Young initiated the rescue.

The five men left Crofton in their small boat to dive for an old wreck at Panther Point. When a wave swamped the boat, they were left clinging to the spar buoy. Whyte brought his speed-boat alongside the men, but the boat was too small to provide the necessary assistance.

The Coast Guard and RCMP were able to perform the rescue — but only after the men had spent four hours in the ocean.

A tame park swan adopted a family on St. Mary Lake. After deciding to make his home on the lake, the swan became so tame, he would walk up the beach to take food from the family.

Improved medical services for the Gulf Islands was in the books for two local doctors.

Drs. Dixon and Oakley were planning new medical clinics on Mayne and Pender Islands. Dr. Oakley would attend the Pender clinic every second Thursday, and Dr. Dixon would be on Mayne every Wednesday.

Two locals became tired of looking at a bare flagpole in

Centennial Park and initiated a fund to acquire new flags.

C.R. Horel of Salt Spring Lands and W.F. Thorburn of Salt Spring Insurance made the first contributions to the fund. The flag poles were bare after the second of two flag thefts which occurred several weeks before.

Fifteen years ago

The first step towards a close examination of Ganges Harbour was taken when University of Victoria's Dr. Derek Ellis came to the island for water samples.

Ellis was in charge of monitoring a program to determine whether a sewer system should be implemented in Ganges. Any discharge into the harbour would later be measured against the original samples.

Emphasis was on fitness in Salt Spring Island evening extension courses. Six of the 30 courses offered involved some form of sport training — i.e., badminton, basketball and tennis. Creative dancing and ballroom dancing also topped the list.

A fund to raise money for new flower boxes in Centennial Park stood at close to \$600. The fund was launched by *Driftwood* after the original boxes were constantly attacked by vandals and finally abandoned by the park society. The new boxes were to be constructed of concrete.

Vesuvius store specials included onions for 10 cents a pound; lettuce at 15 cents each; jumbo oranges at 10 for 99 cents; and grapefruit at 10 for 99 cents.

Ten years ago

A Salt Spring Island teacher denied signing a petition favouring the construction of a sewage plant in Ganges.

Forgery was just one of the objections regarding the petition that would be brought out in court, said Yvette Valcourt, a spokesman for the Committee of Concerned Citizens.

Teacher Tim Stafford, whose name appeared on the petition, said neither he nor his wife had signed it.

The Ganges sewer system was given the go-ahead in the phase one area, according to a meeting held by the Capital Regional District (CRD). A petition of phase one area residents showed support for the plant stood at over 80 per cent, CRD executive director Dennis Young said.

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In the phase two area, public support stood at less than 66 per cent.

A gillnetter sustained extensive damage to its hull and sank after hitting the rocks off Beddis Beach. The operator of the boat, Frank Olsen of Sidney, was taken to Lady Minto Hospital following the accident.

The boat was apparently cruising at full speed when it struck. Olsen went through the windshield on impact, sustaining facial injuries. He was later transferred to Rest Haven Hospital.

Five Years Ago

Driftwood regrets it cannot locate the newspaper files for the first three months of 1983. Proper recording of the *Five Years Ago* section will resume in March.

PAT JACQUEST JOINS CENTURY 21



Century 21 Islands Realty Ltd. is pleased to announce that Pat Jacquest has joined its permanent sales staff.

An eight year resident of Salt Spring, Pat has been a licensed realtor since 1983. She has enrolled in the exclusive Century 21 CareerTrack program with residential real estate as her chosen specialty.

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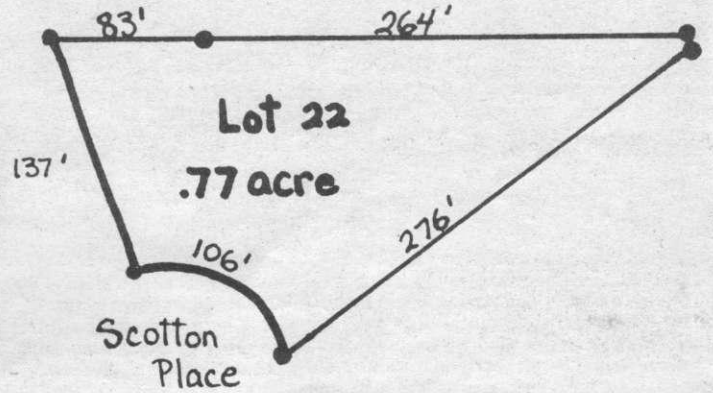


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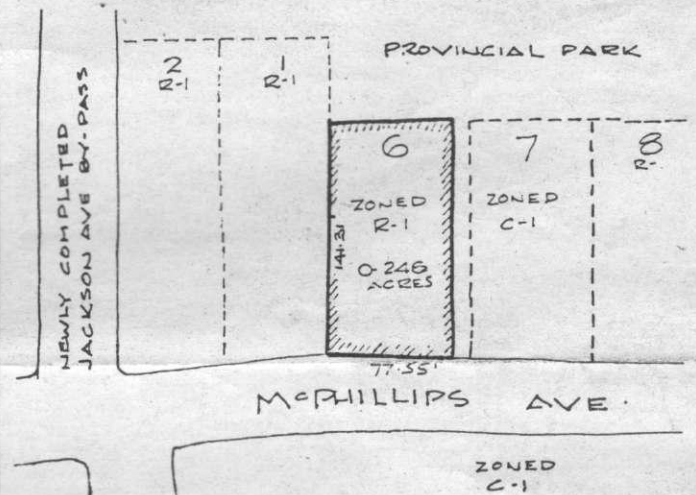
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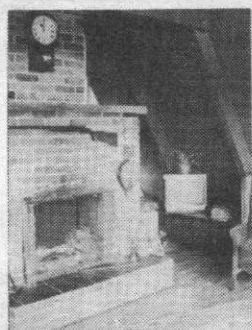
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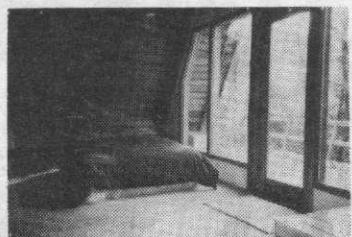


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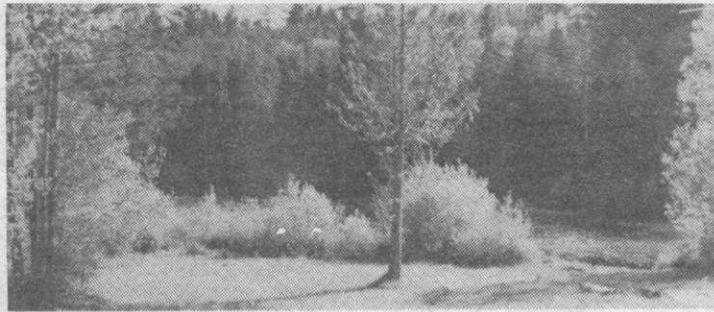


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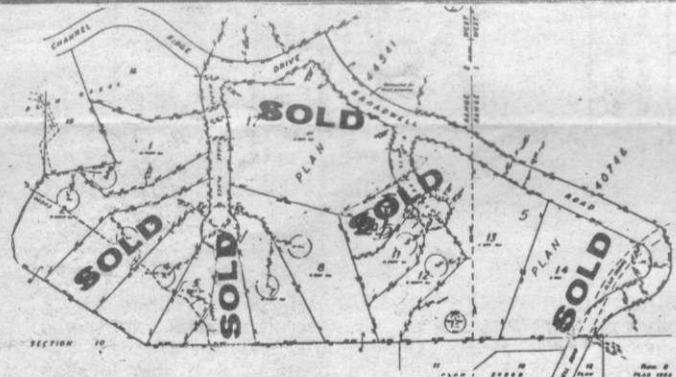
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These serviced waterfront lots are located at Musgrave Landing on the west side of Salt Spring Island. Access is by road from the Fulford Harbour area and takes about 35 minutes to drive to these lots. This area of the island is undeveloped and appeals to those seeking a peaceful surrounding of natural beauty. Old logging roads provide miles of hiking and the opportunity to observe wildlife such as deer, grouse, raccoons, otters, wild sheep, eagles and other animals. Sansum Narrows has long been known as a first rate salmon fishing area. This is one of the best locations one could ask for in terms of cruising and sailing because of its spectacular scenery and protected waters. A marina which is part of the development provides safe year-round moorage for property owners.

For more information on financing and further price reductions, please contact: RUSS CROUSE at 537-5203 or PAUL GREENBAUM at 537-5064 or OFFICE at 537-5515.

76 SEAVIEW ACRES - zoned upland & forest - \$89,000.

GREAT STARTER HOME - 2 bedroom on 1.51 acres, garden, fruit trees, partly fenced. Asking \$57,500.

SEAVIEW - Small travel trailer plus addition, ideal for weekend & summer camping, sunny seaview of Fulford Harbour. 2.43 acres. Asking \$27,500.

BOB TARA 653-4435

SPIC AND SPAN



Both inside & out, this property is absolutely spotless. The house features two bedrooms, 2-4 pce. bathrooms, open plan living room, dining room and kitchen plus a huge recreation room. The attached garage is 20' x 20' and doubles as a workshop. The easy care landscaping includes a fenced vegetable garden, and the property has a pleasant view over Ganges Harbour to Active Pass. \$85,000.

LOWBANK WATERFRONT



30 acres situated just minutes from Musgrave Landing, this spectacular southwest facing waterfront property is accessible both by boat or four wheel drive, and is a pleasant 20 minute walk from Musgrave Road. Featuring 365 ft. of flat usable frontage, the land rises back from the water in a series of beaches. The whole of this area is criss-crossed with riding and walking trails making this the ideal purchase for the avid hiker or a person who just enjoys total quiet and the simple beauties of nature. \$119,000.

STRICK AUST 537-4458

WOODLAND DRIVE - .68 acre with view over St. Mary Lake. Power, water and cable. Driveway roughed in. Price: \$28,000.

WATERFRONT & MOORAGE



Great buy! 1.45 acres - steps to 125' beachfront with year-round moorage. 2 bedroom bungalow offers living room with stone fireplace, large sunroom to enjoy view. Year-round protected moorage. \$99,900.

SPECTACULAR WATERFRONT



- S. W. exposure
- 157' lowbank waterfront
- location perfect
- 4 bedroom home
- asking price \$169,900

MAGGIE SMITH 537-2913

** OCEAN SIDE RETIREMENT



- new 1 level, 3 bdrm. home
- panoramic exposure to the water
- .70 ac. lot, good grade, with landscaping
- domestic water & cable TV., easy access to the water
- you'll have a hard time locating better value at \$125,500 mls.

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Join B.C.'s 2nd largest business, the "TOURIST INDUSTRY". Saltspring has the LOCATION, CLIMATE & SCENERY, truly a "GEM" of the Pacific North West. Arbutus Court Motel provides you with the opportunity to capitalize on this very lucrative industry. Enquire now for further details.

PRICE REDUCTION -

** BRINKWORTHY PLACE



- 2 bdrm., 1 level home
- sun porch and car port
- 4 appliances and tool shed included
- easy care living at \$150 per month
- great value at \$38,500 MLS.

RUSTIC FIELDSTONE FIRE-PLACE WITH LARGE HEARTH



- custom designed 3 bdrm. home, 1704 sq. ft.
- large combined kitchen/family room with airtight
- 7.5 acres for a private, secluded lifestyle
- hobby farm potential for only \$129,500.

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THIS HOME FEATURES:

1. Excellent value for your dollar
2. 2 levels tastefully finished for comfort and pleasant living
3. Large 1 acre suitable for recreation or orchard
4. Built-in garage and workshop
5. Double garage and woodshed
6. Close to Ganges
7. Supplementary wood heat for economy
8. Ensuite in the master bedroom and washroom in the large rec. room
9. On a quiet street with warm exposure

Be sure to check this home out!
PRICE \$87,500.

LOCAL BUSINESS - Well established automotive, truck and boat repairs. All tools and equipment plus an excellent leased location. \$160,000.

10 ACRE HIDEAWAY - Ready to build your dream home on. Lots of mixed timber, water and power laid on. Sunshine and privacy, yet minutes from shopping. \$58,000.

CALL JIM SPENCER
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WATERFRONT HOME \$124,900



Highbank oceanfront home overlooking Maracaibo on Long Harbour. Extremely well built with 6' outer walls, double-glazed windows, large treated deck, path to beach below, plus registered float for year-round moorage. Situated on parklike 1.4 acres.

WATERFRONT LOT - \$68,500



A diamond in the rough. This lovely, level, southwest exposed lot overlooks Duck Bay and is in an area of prestigious homes. Power & water at property line. Priced to sell.

For further information and your free catalog, call:
PAUL GREENBAUM
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SEAVIEW & QUALITY CONSTRUCTION



This comfortable home is in "as new" condition. Looking over Sansum Narrows and enjoying a sunny exposure. With heat efficiency built in and located in an excellent neighbourhood. \$115,000.

DOWN A COUNTRY ROAD - Exceptionally good arable acreage. Nicely treed. Enjoying a sunny exposure and central location. Ideal property for the privacy seeker or hobby farm enthusiast. Subdivision potential. \$52,500.

SOUTH SALT SPRING VIEW ACREAGE - Gently sloping acreage with lovely views of Fulford Harbour. This nicely treed 2.70 acres has access from Isabella & Roland Rds. Listed \$39,900. MLS 014432.

EXCELLENT BUILDING LOT - Located in the Vesuvius area in a quiet cul-de-sac sits this sunny, nicely treed property with a mountain outlook. Easy to build on with driveway and site nicely cleared. Services close at hand. \$25,000.

WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE



Well-kept full basement home on sunny and arable .57 acre lot. Near schools, shops and hospitals. Includes appliances. \$74,900 MLS. 15457.
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