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Delivery service part of a family tradition

Delivering milk on Salt Spring may be different from skipping the sailing ship *RFM*, but Brian Holshoe is following a family tradition in his small-town enterprise.

Holshoe and wife Beth operate Salt Spring Dairy Service, delivering a wide variety of items to their many island customers.

By **BILL WEBSTER**
Driftwood Staff Writer

Holshoe gave up the helm of the *RFM* when the federal government introduced tough new rules for tour boat operators. To fill the void, he looked around for an interesting occupation.

Several years ago, he and Beth helped her brother and sister set up their own milk delivery businesses in

Vancouver. The Holshoes considered starting a similar effort on Salt Spring.

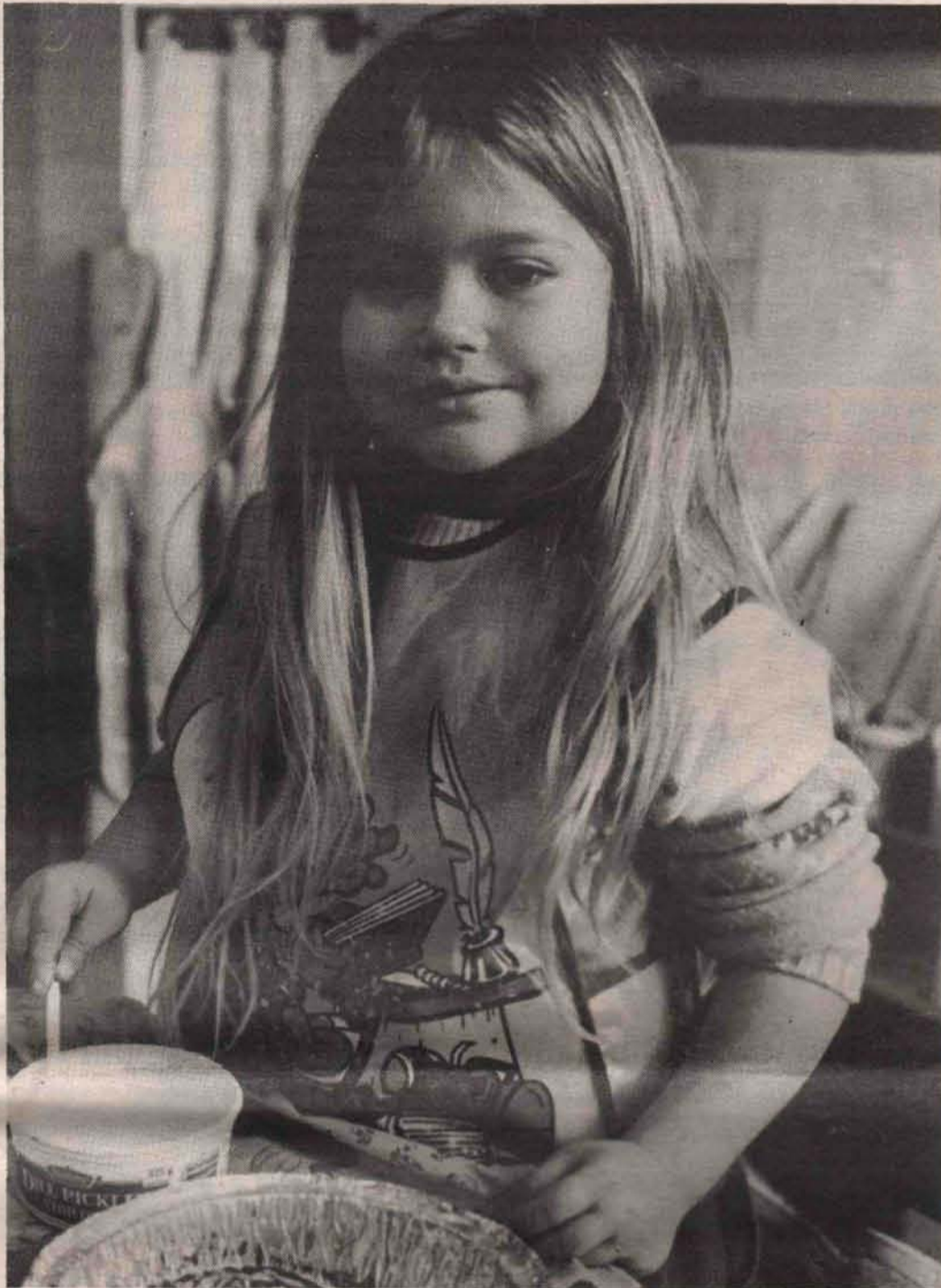
The in-laws were willing to help the couple begin a dairy delivery service in Richmond and Coquitlam but the islanders decided to stay close to home. The ship is anchored in island waters and they own a house here.

"We really didn't see leaving," Holshoe explained. Rush hour traffic in the lower mainland sealed the decision for Salt Spring.

Using a reconditioned former dairy truck, the Holshoes spend four days each week delivering their products, which range from dairy goods through bread, coffee and a recently added health food line.

They spend two days on

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PRE-SCHOOL PREP: "The marble is stirred into the paint then, you roll it on the dish. It's simple." Creations of Christmas cards and seasonal artwork is just one of the many activities Zoe Anderson is involved in at the Community Centre pre-school.

JayCees schedule voyage

The voyage will take two days and Santa will visit 11 islands.

Santa Claus, accompanied by members of the Bellin-gham JayCees comes to the Gulf Islands on Saturday, December 15.

The Sea Explorer Ship *Discovery*, also known as the *Christmas Ship*, leaves Bellin-gham at 7 a.m. December 15, arriving at Saturna Island at 10:45 a.m.

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Soviet Union series looks at the people

The following is third in a series of articles chronicling a trip to the Soviet Union taken by *Driftwood* editor Susan Lundy between October 25 and November 6 of this year.

By **SUSAN DICKER LUNDY**
Driftwood Editor

Shapeless, white-haired Soviet women sit on hard wooden chairs, in room after room, watching tour groups and individuals troop past the museum exhibits, art displays, and restored palace presentations.


If you look them in the eye and smile, many of these women turn away. But others grin back and some jump up and guide you to their favourite exhibit, describing its

merits in a stream of Russian. They tap you on the shoulder and shake their heads if you venture past a roped-off area or appear to be touching a display. If you look particularly worn-out or museumed-out, they might guide you to their chair and gesture for you to rest.

Tour member Barbara Hammes and I joke about sounding off an alarm in an Estonian art museum. We wonder if these harmless-looking women actually undergo hours of aerobic training each day and are crack shots with special rifles hidden behind their chairs.

Although our musings are stated jokingly, they underscore a much larger "truth" mirroring the danger of

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DEC. 13: Aglow Fellowship Luncheon, Harbour House Hotel, 11:30-2:30.

DEC. 13: Salt Spring Speakers ITC dinner meeting, 6:30 pm, The Kanaka Restaurant.

DEC. 13: Seniors for Seniors Thursday Luncheon, 11:30-1:00, at Upper Ganges Centre. All seniors welcome.

DEC. 14: Legion Roast Pork Dinner, 6 pm. Members & Guests.

DEC. 15: Farmers' Market Christmas Sale, Farmers' Institute, 9-1.

DEC. 15: Christmas musical, "Tidings of Great Joy", Community Gospel Chapel, 120 Drake Rd., 7:00 pm.

DEC. 15: Auction for S.S. Waldorf School Assn., upstairs, Farmers' Institute. Preview 9:30 am, auction 11 am.

DEC. 16: Sunday School Pageant, Community Gospel Chapel, 120 Drake Rd., 7:00 pm.

DEC. 18: Off Centre Stage Annual General Meeting, Mahon Hall, 8 pm.

DEC. 20: Seniors for Seniors special Christmas Luncheon, 11:30-1:30, at Upper Ganges Centre. All seniors welcome.

DEC. 21-22: Last Minute Christmas Craft Sale, Mahon Hall. Fri. 1-9 pm, Sat. 10 am-6 pm.

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FEATURE



Roadside "kiosks" offer books, tourist-type items, tobacco products and other goods for sale throughout the USSR.



The Soviet people buy and sell flowers in all seasons. This set of brightly coloured stands was seen in Tallinn, Estonia.



Armed guard stands at the site of a historic Leningrad ship. Police sit in raised cubicles, protected from the elements, at major city intersections.



Chandelier-lit Moscow subway is almost too beautiful for words.



Guard directs traffic and pedestrians in busy Red Square area of Moscow.

making assumptions about a nation of people from their outside appearances.

Somehow it is difficult to equate these mild people with the power and confidence of a nation that put the first man in space and helped intimidate the world into a 40-year Cold War. Soviet people on the street or in museums, galleries, palaces and hotels do not look at us boldly or greet us warmly. What at first appears to be "unfriendliness" may be shyness or the result of intimidation: the Soviets are extremely warm-hearted and friendly by the second or third meeting.

We wander and drive through the streets watching these foreign people who look and act, for the most part, just like us.

Unlike large cities in most parts of the world, traffic is not bumper-to-bumper in Moscow or Leningrad. Gutless-looking Ladas — red, green, blue, brown — weave in and out of unmarked lanes, dodging buses, and rarely slowing down for pedestrians. Ladas also dot the roadsides, with their hoods up or tire jacks out. We count less than five gas stations in and around Moscow, and each is marked by a trail of queuing cars.

Tour guide Svetlana Sirotnikova insists we ride the Moscow subway. We are curious about her

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travel. Apparently, the subway would provide shelter for Muscovites in the event of a bombing.)

"How dare they call this a subway," jokes one tour member, as we walk off the elevator. "Where is the graffiti, the smell of urine, the bums sleeping on benches?"

The chandelier-lit, marble-walled Moscow subway is almost indescribable. Mosaic paintings adorn the walls and ceiling; stained glass windows mark the ground-level entrance way.

Graffiti is remarkably scant throughout both cities and although many areas seem "grimy" (Moscow is 900 years old), there is a minimal amount of litter.

I count three police cars during the entire tour and see one car accident. Police are stationed in small plexiglass cubicles at several inner-city intersections, but their presence is rarely felt elsewhere.

In Leningrad we pass through a park spotted with marble statues of varying sizes. Leningrad tour guide "Anna" says the statues were brought to the city from Florence and Rome by city-founder Peter the Great over

openly for the rest of the year, unaffected by vandalism — breakage, graffiti — or theft.

The much talked-about Moscow food line-ups become a point of interest for tour members. Svetlana downplays the situation which, on the other hand, appears "overplayed" by the western media. Several of the line-ups are for extravagances or western items like perfume, as indicated by the long trail of people waiting outside the newly-opened Estee Lauder store in Moscow.

People are queuing for tobacco products and a long line-up twists around the block from a small shoe store which holds only eight to 10 people at a time.

We examine the contents of a dairy store in Leningrad, apparently well-stocked with milk, cheese and cream, but fairly devoid of people, and are surprised to round the block and find a lengthy line-up of people waiting at the entrance to another dairy store.

There is a long line-up for ice cream in a market area of Tallinn, Estonia, while another ice cream out-

ing for certain what waits at the end of it.

Svetlana says food shortages are worsened throughout the nation by hoarding, and in Moscow by a poor distribution system. Moscow is being boycotted, cut off from food supplies, because it is seen as the bureaucratic centre and the source of the nation's problems.

Fear of future food shortages often causes early buyers to purchase everything in the store, Svetlana says, adding she has enough staples stashed in her home to survive for two years.

A few of us decide to leave the "dollar stores" for the tourists and attempt to spend some rubles. "Window shopping" is an onerous task. Seemingly, the Soviets have yet to learn how to manipulate the consumer and one often has to go inside the store to figure out what it sells. A grey-looking department store in Leningrad offers counters of various goods — clothing, sewing material, hats, jewellery, watches — but most merchandise appears cheaply made.

The department store in Tallinn is brighter and cleaner, but the products

close to three weeks' wages for many Soviet people. One necklace breaks as I remove the price tag.

Our Estonian guide "Alle" says most Soviets have more rubles than they can spend right now. The problem is obtaining vouchers to purchase scarce items such as appliances.

"I lived for years without a washing machine," Alle says. "But now that I can't go out and buy one, it has become something I cannot live without."

Notwithstanding the long coats and fur hats, most Soviets dress similarly to westerners. Styles are not Parisian or New York, but well-dressed, well-made up young women can be seen hurrying through the streets. An older Soviet woman stands at the entrance to a cathedral inside the Kremlin. She is wrapped in a thick coat and felt hat, and a tiny Canadian flag is pinned to her lapel. I point to her pin and then to mine and raise my camera, hoping she will let me take her picture.

"No. No picture," she says vehemently in English, before breaking into an almost-angry Russian monologue.

"What did she say?" I ask Svetlana.

"She is too shy to have her pic-



COMMUNITY

St. Mark's churchyard holds part of island history

"The sun's rays slant(ed) through the pines" — so quoted the Victoria Daily Colonist in reporting the funeral of a member of parliament in 1902. And we still see the same picture today as we wander through the peaceful and historic St. Mark's churchyard on Salt Spring Island.

By GARNET YOUNG
Driftwood Contributor

Situated on a slope across from a green golf course, and facing the Eastern sunrise in true Anglican fashion, the churchyard is filled with headstones commemorating the Anglican pioneers of this island.

The first to be laid to rest — some 100 years ago, in November 1890 — was John Shaw of Galiano Island.

The land was part of the farm "Woodhill," belonging to Mr. Arthur Walter, and Mrs. Walter, daughter of John Shaw, had her father buried there, as the Union Cemetery at Central was so badly maintained and untidy. The officiating clergyman was a missionary, Rev. Robert James Roberts, who had built a small mission church on Kuper Island, and was a family friend.

(Rev. and Mrs. Roberts are buried on Kuper Island close to a small non-denominational church that was never consecrated).

Later, Mr. Walter donated this area of land to St. Mark's Church for a churchyard, and it was consecrated May 15, 1892 by the late Bishop Hills, who at the same time dedicated St. Mark's Church as further construction prevented its consecration.

The late Mr. and Mrs. Walter, as well as others of the family, are buried here, in what was formerly their own land.

The first to be laid to rest there after the churchyard was consecrated, was a young wife and mother — 28-year-old Fanny Nightingale, in April 1893; the officiating clergyman being Rev. Belton Haslam. Those were the days when many died through lack of a doctor or hospital.

Mrs. Nightingale's descendants are still on the island in the names of Mouat grandchildren, and Akerman nephews.

Only a few weeks later, Samuel John Beddis, the builder of St. Mark's who fenced the churchyard for its consecration, was also laid to rest.

Probably about the most impressive funeral this churchyard has seen, was that of John Paton Booth, on March 1, 1902.

The Provincial Legislature had commenced its sittings only a week or so before. John Booth represented

North Saanich constituency, and was Speaker of the House but, too ill to be present, his duties were carried out by Acting Speaker Mr. Pooley.

He died at his home (the present Fernwood Farm), and a long procession of carriages and buggies followed the casket from there to Church Farm, where Premier Dunsmuir, members of the Legislature, the Mayor of Victoria and Aldermen, and a large gathering of friends marched in couples behind the bier to St. Mark's door.

The service was conducted by

Bishop Perrin and the Vicar, Rev. E.F. Wilson. Pallbearers, selected from the members of the Assembly were Joseph Hunter of Victoria; Peter Ellison of Vernon; A.W. Smith of Lillooet; Richard McBride of New Westminster; Frederick J. Fulton of Kamloops; and Robert Green of Kaslo.

Premier Dunsmuir had placed his own steamer City of Nanaimo at the disposal of the members of the Legislature for the day, and she was awaiting them at Ganges Harbour after the funeral was over.

John Booth was laid to rest in St. Mark's churchyard, in ground he once owned before selling to Mr. Arthur Walter.

A warden of St. Mark's Church and Speaker of the Provincial Legislature, he was well liked and respected.

The official report of his funeral is too lengthy to report here.

Of the many clergy in charge of this parish, three rest within the churchyard: the Rev. E.F. Wilson, whose ministry lasted from 1894 to 1909;

Rev. G. Aitkens (1917-1922); and Rev. C.H. Popham (1932-1941). These three lived to enjoy many years of retirement.

There are many people buried here whose deeds could be praised; but this is a brief history of how the site was chosen, the first interment on private land, then the first interment after it was consecrated; finally the interment of a member of the Parish who had served his province well, risen to the post of Speaker, and was accorded the honour by the presence of government and civic leaders.

Chance to keep trees alive

People wanting to keep their Christmas trees alive have an option this year.

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Commission member Bill Curtin

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Wit and Whimsy



ARTHUR BLACK

I think it's the styrofoam pop cooler that depresses me most. It's there every morning when I take my dog for a walk, poking the shards of its grey white bulk out of the ditch that runs beside the road I take.

If it wasn't for the pop cooler, the scene would be worthy of a Robert Bateman landscape — a grove of gnarled cedars fanning out left and right, the black and ancient Grand River snaking through the background, a squadron of Canada Geese in a low-level flypast looking for a likely corn field.

I don't know how long the busted-up styrofoam cooler has been lodged in the ditch — maybe years. Long enough to endure more than a few rains and snows without budging. Long enough to snag dozens of wrappers and plastic bags and other toss-offs of 20th Century flotsam and jetsam that people throw over their shoulders or out their car windows without a second thought.

We really are a pack of slobs

Every time I walk past the remains of that cooler I think to myself, what manner of brain-dead bozo would drive down this back road, see these trees, that river, those Canadas and say to him or herself "Wow! What a perfect place to get rid of that old styrofoam pop cooler!"

Somebody did. And not just a pop cooler either. I don't have to squint to see the other crap we passersby have consigned to the ditch — beer bottles, pop cans, cigarette wrappers, Big Mac containers, Dunkin' Donuts bags.

As a species, we really are a pack of slobs.

Well, not all of us.

There are people like Gordon Carle.

Mister Carle is a commercial fisherman living on the outskirts of La Ronge in northern Saskatchewan. Driving in to town one day, looking out his side window at several years of accumulated trash in the ditch, Mister Carle cursed to himself and muttered something along the lines of "What a sight! Somebody should do something about that mess."

Which is when it dawned on Mister Carle that he was driving alone, hence he was talking to himself.

If "somebody" was going to do something about that mess, it might as well be him.

But even in a relatively unspoiled spot like La Ronge, the ditches are too much for one man to handle. Carle decided to go for help. In his own frontier way. He didn't ask for government money. He just approached all the people he knew in the community and said "Whaddyasay we adopt a ditch?"

The La Ronge Adopt-A-Ditch program was born. "We asked local people to volunteer to clean up just one kilometre of ditch, both sides," says Carle, "and we asked them to make a commitment to do it four times over the summer."

Plucked the junk from 90 km of ditches

The idea took off. A La Ronge radio station supported the plan. Nearby communities jumped on the bandwagon. Mayors, downtown merchants, whole families and members of a nearby native reserve jumped on the bandwagon. By summer's end 300 community volunteers had plucked the junk from more than 90 kilometres of ditches around La Ronge.

Next spring, Carle and company plan to tackle the junk that has collected for most of this century around the area's lakes and canoe routes — in addition to keeping the ditches clean.

We don't have a lot of lakes and canoe routes where I live, but we have a ton of dirty ditches. Bet you do too.

Think about it the next time you go for a drive. Check out the number of old mattresses, beer cartons, pop bottles and Pampers you pass in one kilometre. Not too daunting, eh? Nothing a half dozen volunteers with a pickup couldn't handle in, say one Saturday afternoon in spring?

Why not start your own Adopt-A-Ditch program? It's not patented. You willing? I am.

But not this afternoon. This afternoon I have to go out and pick up a styrofoam pop cooler.

CHRISTMAS SHIP

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After Santa has met and greeted children of Saturna, he and the vessel will move on to Pender Island for a 12:15 p.m. arrival. The Christmas ship lands at Mayne Island at 2 p.m. and Galiano at 4 p.m.

The Discovery will then head for Salt Spring, aiming to arrive in Ganges at 6 p.m. to visit children in the

the jolly elf.

"This year I'm a guest," said Tripo. "I really want to meet everybody."

In a notice of the itinerary of the trip, Bellingham JayCee president Stacey Moore noted, "The project brings to life two lines from the Jay-Cee Creed: . . . the Brotherhood of



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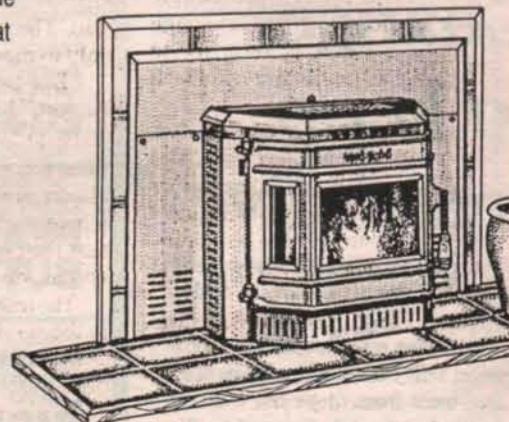
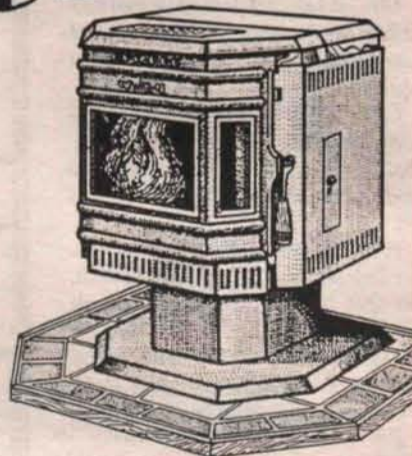
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MILK AND MORE AT YOUR DOOR - Brian Holshoe gets set to make door-to-door deliveries of milk and you name it. He offers a range of close to 500 items for residents who take advantage of his service.
Driftwood photo by Gail Sjuberg

DAIRY SERVICE

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deliveries to customers at the north end of the island and two days on the south-end route. They split the island in two with the dividing line on Ganges Hill.

Another old, but reliable, piece of equipment used in the service involves a walk-in cooler which they obtained when Harbour Grocery moved into its new store. The old cooler, ("it must be a '40s model") serves as storage space for the milk and other dairy products which are picked up twice each week from a Saanich outlet.

The Holshoes' day begins with the sound of a 5:30 a.m. alarm. Following a quick breakfast, the pair begins to tally the day's delivery. Cheese is cut to order and the truck loaded.

Around 9 a.m. they visit Embe Bakery, picking up fresh bread, and by 10 a.m., they are usually on the road. They are typically finished the route and at home again by 5:30 or 6 p.m.

Holshoe visits the dairy in Saanich on the days the couple doesn't service the route, although Saturday, he stated, is kept free to pursue other aspects of living — such as servicing the truck.

The delivery service opened with a two-month rehearsal last July. The show began in earnest on September 4, but not without its problems. Almost immediately, the old truck decided Salt Spring hills were too tenacious.

While the old vehicle was being repaired, the Holshoes loaded the back of a pickup truck with ice in order to continue delivery.

"If people found they couldn't count on us," he explained, "the whole thing would have been futile."

To ensure deliveries continue even if snow covers the road, Hol-

In addition, Holshoe will deliver a variety of products from Plowshares Natural Products in Saanich. The list of available items numbers close to 50, Holshoe said.

Holshoe said some people mistakenly believe they have to be at home to utilize the service. In fact, customers only have to leave the empty milk bottles, payment for goods delivered and a list of what is wanted for the next delivery on the porch. Holshoe will take care of the rest, he explained.

The looming GST tax presented another potential problem for the Holshoes, but a protest to the federal finance officials seems to have avoided the tax. Holshoe pointed out that such food items would not be taxed in stores and his delivery service operates similar to a store. While no final decision on the matter had been rendered, he believes his delivery service will be exempt from the GST.

Prices on certain items — but not dairy products — will increase slightly in the new year, Holshoe said. The increases will be imposed only to meet delivery costs.

"But basically, we'll be holding the fort," he said.

In general, Holshoe expressed satisfaction at his prices which he claims are usually lower than elsewhere on Salt Spring. He explained that the prices are kept low through volume discounts.

The more customers he can attract to the service, the more products he delivers, and the less it costs him to buy.

"Essentially, it is like a co-op, he explained, "where everyone is buying together."

As to the family tradition, Holshoe explained that his father,

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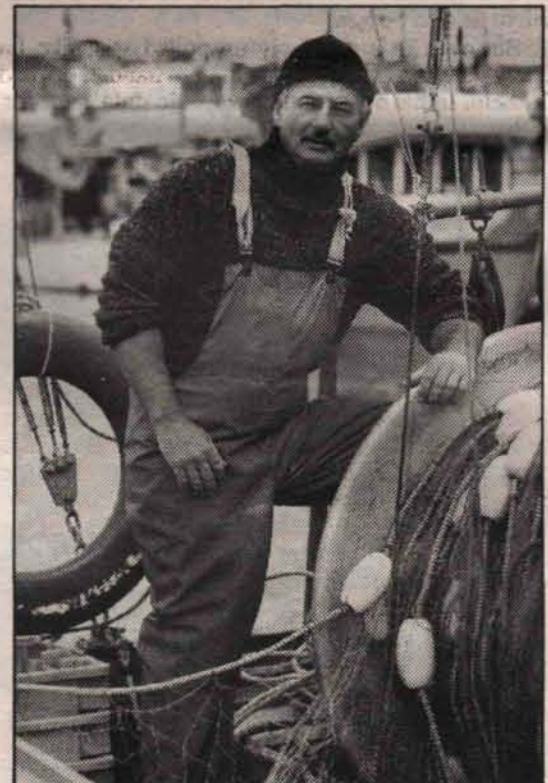
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Seven students graduate from computer-use class

Seven students of the Seniors for Seniors' "School of Computer Use" graduated after an eight-week course introducing them to computers.

During the course, they became familiar with the Seniors Resource Information File, which is in the process of being computerized, and with elementary word-processing.

Several are now taking on various volunteer administrative jobs for Seniors for Seniors, including maintaining and updating the file, while others are busy composing their Christmas letters.

The computer at Seniors for Seniors was made possible through a recent New Horizons grant. The lessons, given by one of the members, are provided without charge, although most of the participants have made donations to help cover costs.

Nine additional students are now taking the course. While there have been a few "drop-outs,"

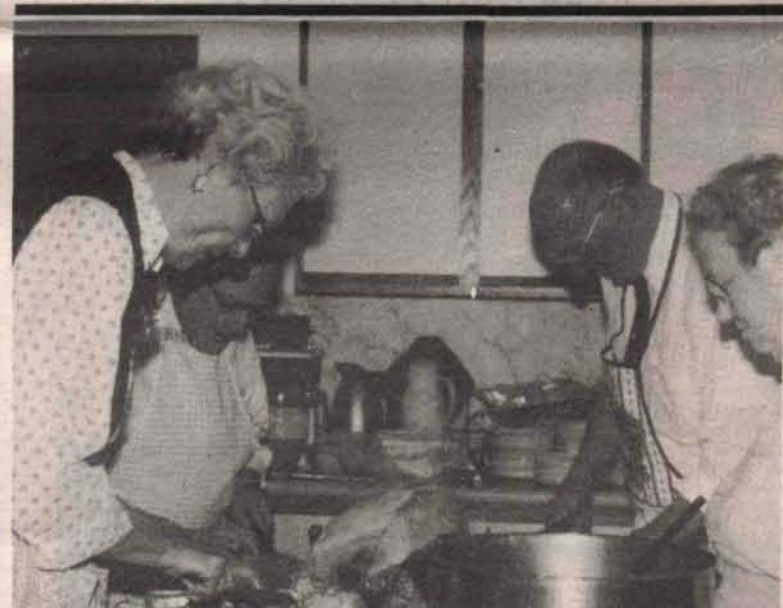
most of these have indicated they hope to start again in the new year.

Three or four of those participating have had experience with computers before, but for most it is a new adventure. Several have said they are taking the course because they want to know what their grandchildren are talking about.

The oldest student, at 82, has started writing her autobiography.

The first crop of graduates includes: Mike Beach, Don Clarkson, Lillian Horsdal, Molly Jenkins, Betty Kennings, Gwen Lee and Ella Robertson.

New Horizons approved the purchase of the computer primarily for the Resource File, but added the stipulation it be made available for use by as many of the members of this seniors' organization as are interested. The response of the members to this opportunity has been enthusiastic.



CO-OPERATIVE CARVING: Merlie and Ben Greenbough carved dinner for a record 137 diners at the Lion's annual Single Seniors Christmas Dinner on Sunday evening. With many helping hands, dinner was served in only 17 minutes.

Single Seniors Dinner "the biggest and best"

With a record 137 people attending the Lions' Single Seniors Christmas Dinner on Sunday evening, organizers have called it "the biggest and best" of previous dinners held on the island.

Official greeters of the dinner at Meaden Hall were Lady Lions' president Nellie Gilman and her husband Fred.

Salt Spring Beavers and Brownies also came and entertained the crowd with carol singing before the sumptuous dinner.

Lion president Carl Albert welcomed all to the 20th annual dinner for single people on this island. He paid tribute to Rann Emerson, the overall organizer of the event.

For the 20th year, Daisy Gear organized and ran the kitchen. Lady Lion members made several dozen shortbread which were wrapped and

To the Residents of Salt Spring Island:

When, on 21 April, 1989, I lost my husband Jacob Buitenwerf, we had been married for almost 40 years. It took me a few months before I was myself again. Then in the summer of 1989, the property where we lived for 33 years went up for sale.

All our lives we were very happy on our property, and as Canadian citizens from Dutch descent, we never forgot that it was Canadian soldiers that went to their deaths for the freedom of the country of our birth. In 1956 this property was unserviceable and not many people would take a second look at it. But my late husband and myself, as free enterprisers and with our strong belief, worked very hard to improve our property. It was my late husband's dream and pride. He was a very proud man and believed in hard work.

The property was for sale. I was told it was very good, but it was in the Land Reserve.

I did not understand this explanation. The title we have is a legal document. Our Certificate of Indefeasible Title, to my understanding, stated that our land is situated in the Gulf Islands Assessment District, Gulf Islands Hospital Improvement District No. 9 and Salt Spring Island Fire Protection District. We paid our taxes and worked our land organically with green crops to build up the soil. This title was in our name until October, 1989, when the title was legally changed to my name on the State of Title Certificate. All these years we believed that our title was a legal document. Nobody through the years informed us differently.

Point one—I applied in October, 1989, to have my property rezoned. I wanted it zoned for residential use. After months passed, I phoned the Trust office in Victoria; their office is located in Ganges at the present. The Agricultural Land Reserve office in Burnaby sent me a copy of the letter from the Trustees dated January 25, 1990 which refused my application. There were three typed signatures—is that legal?

Point two—The second letter was sent from the Burnaby Agricultural Land Commission office

registered mail, but I did not receive it in time to get to the meeting on the 13th of March at 8:30 am. The card for the registered letter was in my mail box that afternoon; did they swim with this letter? My phone rang at 15 minutes to nine the morning of 13 March, 1990; I was eating my breakfast. A female voice asked me, "Mrs. Buitenwerf, how come you are not in Burnaby at your meeting?" I also was told that as I did not send a letter that day, with an explanation for missing this meeting, my application was not valid anymore. Good friends told me about the fax machine. Thus I was getting modern at 71 years of age.

The fourth letter informed me of a meeting in Duncan the 10th of April; all details are documented. I presented my statement, and was never told this meeting was taped. I have studied the Land Reserve Act and the Trust Act.

SECTION 14

Where land is excluded from a land reserve plan by order of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the Commission of the Environment and Land Use Committee, the Commission shall amend the land accordingly and notify the Regional District and Registrar of Titles and then the dates 1977-73-7 (part).

Our title was a legal title with a Certificate of Indefeasible Title, and the act said, the owners from a title like that are to be notified in 1977-73? Section 16 - After December 21, 1972 except as permitted under the Land Title Act.

All the years we were working hard as free enterprisers, and believing in hard work, and money to improve the soil, when getting too old to work, we were able to sell the place and to reserve financial benefits. The treatment I received this past year was very disappointing to me. I always believed in the freedom in the Canadian and British Columbia way of living, and I hope I am able to believe that, so that I can rezone my property. I am not against the application from the Capital Regional District for

COMMUNITY

Auction will help finance Waldorf initiative

A goods and services auction set for this weekend will help people hoping to establish a Waldorf school on Salt Spring step closer to their goal.

The bidding starts at 11 a.m. on Saturday upstairs at the Farmers' Institute on Rainbow Road, with a preview of goods from 9:30 to 11 a.m.

Dr. Peter Bennett is auctioneer and organizers Cynthia Bennett and Sue Baldwin say this is an entertaining reason in itself to attend.

Fine arts and crafts and antiques are the main items to be sold at auction prices. Some contributing artists are Lynda Laushway, Melissa Searcy, Patricia Lawson, Rick Beaver and Zanzara Zadden. A print of Robert Bateman's *Frosty Morning Blue Jay*, valued at \$1,700, is a major auction item and Michael Surman has contributed custom silverware.

Funds are needed to get the Waldorf school project off the ground. A group of interested parents met initially a few years ago but Bennett and Baldwin say a more focused effort is now being made to offer a Waldorf education here.

"It is not the kind of thing you can pull off in a couple of months," says

Fine arts and crafts, plus antiques will be sold

Bennett, "but we now have people who have a long term interest" in seeing a Waldorf school on the island.

A pre-school kindergarten Waldorf program is planned for the fall of 1991. The Ganges United Church has offered temporary space in its basement and a teacher search is now in progress.

According to Baldwin and Bennett, the teacher is vital to the success of a Waldorf classroom. "The teacher is the person who makes all of the decisions about what the class is going to be learning" with some consideration to education ministry requirements.

They say the teacher serves as an example to students as someone they can "emulate." Trust between the teacher and students is also a major factor in Waldorf philosophy.

Baldwin says Waldorf schools realize "you have to respect the child" and do this to a greater degree than the public school system.

Bennett explains that the Waldorf philosophy as developed by Rudolf Steiner is based on the study of man

and deals with the evolution of the child from birth to death.

Its program is non-academic during the first few years of school and emphasizes the "spiritual nature of the child," says Bennett. "The birth of a person's intellect does not culminate until they are through puberty," and a Waldorf education instead "provides preparation for the whole human being" in the early years.

She adds that instead of pushing the adaption of children to "a hard world out there," the Waldorf philosophy believes "children are not machines, yet" and need a "strength fostering" and nurturing environment.

Baldwin and Bennett also say Waldorf schools stress the "aesthetic" aspect of life and learning. Educational tools and toys are made of natural and quality materials.

"Plastic is not a Waldorf word," says Baldwin.

They will use an object "in as close to its natural state as possible," she says, "so children can appreciate the natural world. If you can touch

what is real you will have an appreciation for what is real."

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Colour, senses and the imagination are fully used in Waldorf schools, they say, and stories are told, not read, to students. Bennett's daughter attended a Waldorf school in Seattle before moving to Salt Spring, and her mother says it was amazing to see the teacher in action.

Baldwin says "the imagination is really sparked in these kids. They are

encouraged to really be creative and act out." A "Waldorf-inspired" play group for children aged two to six and their parents is currently operating on Salt Spring. It meets at the United Church on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to noon and new participants are welcome.

The island group now has a board of directors and is registered as a non-profit organization. Patrons and donations are needed to let the school open its first doors next year.

As Baldwin says, "the will is there and somehow the money will be there too."

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Dry after-grad plans now set in motion

Directors for the 1991 dry after-grad celebration have been chosen and the first money-raising scheme set in motion.

Sharlene and Brian Betts are co-chairmen of the new committee with Carol Gay as secretary and Georgina Marcotte taking charge of finances.

Committee member Sharon Crouse says several students and parents have formed necessary sub-committees to handle fund-raising, entertainment, publicity, prizes, telephone work and security.

Organization is also underway for Outer Gulf Islands students and parents on Mayne, Galiano, Pender and Saturna will be contacted in the near future.

For its first fund-raising venture, the dry after-grad committee plans to provide a Christmas tree mulching service. As an environmentally-friendly way to dispose of trees, RCMP Constable Rod Holland has offered use of his mulcher to chop up the trees.

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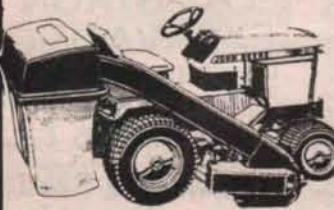
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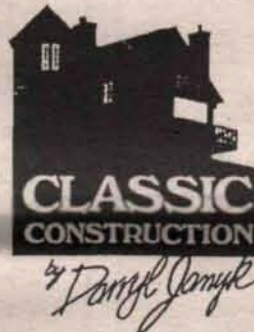
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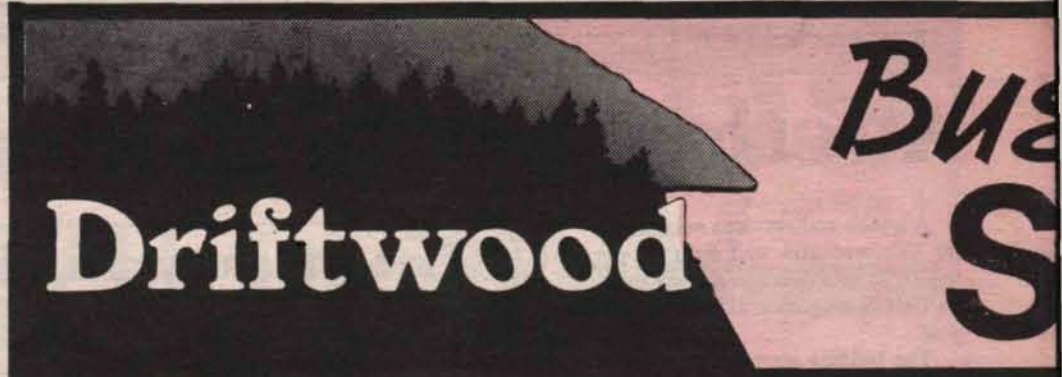
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HAROLD, SANDY, Jacqueline and Valerie Harkema are pleased to announce the birth of Jessica Clark Harkema on November 25, 1990, 6 lbs. 10 oz. 1

STEPHANIE AND WAYNE are pleased to announce the arrival of Naomi Michelle Peter-Simons, December 7 in Swaziland. A double cousin for Justine and Jeremy. 1

DEATHS 8

WILKES, Vera Edna, peacefully at home on November 30, 1990, wife of the late John Fisken Wilkes, survived by two daughters, Barbara W. Adams of Ganges and Cynthia F. Harland of Cobble Hill, Vancouver Island, two granddaughters and three great grandsons. A memorial service was held at St. Mary's Church, Kerrisdale. Goodman Jones Funeral Home in care of arrangements. 1

BENISTON, Sheila (nee Aldred) born in Manchester England on February 22nd, 1930 and died in the Royal Columbian Hospital on December 6th, 1990. Predeceased by her loving husband John, of 39 years, on May 10th, 1990. Sheila will be deeply missed by her loving sons Ross and Greg in Vancouver and loving daughter Susan in Toronto. In England, she will be mourned by her mother Mildred, sister Brenda and family, as well as many other friends and relatives here and abroad. A resident of Canada since 1951, Sheila loved travelling and sailing with her husband, and spending time with family and friends, especially on Mayne Island. Prior to 1988, Sheila worked as an X-ray technician at Valleyview Hospital and was a volunteer with the Canadian Mental Health Association. She enjoyed people and was creatively inclined, turning her talents to spinning, knitting and weaving. The family wishes to thank close family friends who helped her through a difficult time. May peace be with you Mom, and may you and Dad watch over us from Oyster Bay. Memorial on Thursday December 13th. In lieu of flowers, donations in Sheila's memory may be sent to the Canadian Mental Health Association. 1

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ON BEHALF OF the Community Arts Council, I would like to thank all those who patronized our pre-Christmas Concert series. I am especially indebted to Mike Lourim, Molly Frenette, Susan Savage and Nairn Howe, for their help in setting up, baking and refreshment sales. Many thanks also to Jean Knight and Chris Kodaly for providing such a rousing finale. —Simon Rook 1

I WOULD LIKE to thank the S.S.I. Lions Club for their enthusiastic support during our Timmy's Telethon. Your help was much appreciated. —Dennis and Sherry, S.S. Esso. 1

Our sincere thanks to Kirsti Shoolbraid

For giving Santa and the Reindeer the much needed facelift. S.S.I. FIRE DEPARTMENT 1

THE HARKEMA FAMILY would like to thank Dr. Nestman, Dr. Heaton and the nursing staff of Lady Minto for their care and

CARDS OF THANKS 14

WE WOULD LIKE to thank Five Star Movers, Gord Lee and Randy Severn, for the excellent move they provided on our recent arrival in Ganges. Keep up the good work. Les, Elaine, Bruce Wright.

THE FAMILY of the late Louisa Adshead would like to express their sincere appreciation and thank you to all who sent cards of sympathy, assorted floral tributes and kind expressions of sympathy as well as the contributions to the Cancer Society; to the ambulance crew, a special thank you to all who catered and helped with the teas. —Henry, Ruby, Bernice, Ken and Families 1

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WE INVITE YOU to the Farmers' Institute, Saturday, December 15 to join us in our festivities at the CHRISTMAS SATURDAY MARKET. Carol with us, visit with Santa; the surprises you'll find delightful, the gift selection abundant, and smiles and good cheer plentiful. 9:30 - 2:00. 1

MID 40's Salt Spring gentleman seek warm relaxed woman to share life's joys and sorrows, sunrises, sunsets, romantic dinners, an appreciation for humanity and nature. Enjoying life but would like a partner to share it with. 50-2

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LOST: Urgent! In Mobrae area. Spring of 1988, a small black and white female shorthaired cat. Urgent. Any info please call 537-9466. 1

FOUND: a roll of film has been turned in to Driftwood. Found at Centennial Park. 1

LOST: hearing aid. 537-2779.

LOST: ladies watch, brand new. Saturday Dec. 8th. Please call 537-5818. 1

LOST: remote control for Devon tape deck, lost at concert in United Church, Sun., Dec. 2. Simon Rook 537-5180. 1

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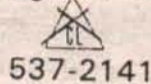
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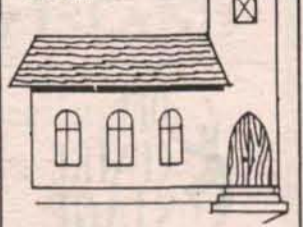
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EVERYONE WELCOME
Refreshments following,
Fulford Hall, Courtesy Burgoyne UCW. 1

S.S. WALDORF AUCTION

Sat. Dec. 15th
9:30 am preview
11:00 am sale
Fine arts, Crafts, Antiques, Services

CHURCH NOTICES

December 16th



Anglican Parish Salt Spring Island

St. Mark's, Tuesday:
Holy Eucharist - 10 am
St. George's, Thursday:
Holy Eucharist - 5:15 pm

SUNDAY St. Mark's
Holy Eucharist-11:30 am
St. George's
Holy Eucharist 9:15 am
St. Mary's
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6:30 pm
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Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am (Fulford)
10:00 am &
11:00 am (Family mass)
O.M.I. FATHERS
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Community Gospel Chapel

Drake Rd., Ganges
SUNDAY: 10:30 am
Morning Worship with Sunday School
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 pm
Bible Study & Prayer
Pastor: Chris Cormack
537-2622
Affiliated with A.C.O.P.

Salt Spring Pentecostal Assembly

Central Hall
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:30 am
MORNING WORSHIP
10:30 am
Bible Study
Home Meetings
Wednesdays - Fulford
7:30 pm
Thursdays - Ganges
7:30 pm
For more info call
537-4143
Pastor: Jim Caruso
Affiliated with P.A.O.C.

Ganges

COMING EVENTS 35

Gulf Islands NDP Club
Annual Christmas Potluck
at
Beth Ariss' house
Sunday, Dec. 16, 5:00 pm,
Members and friends welcome
Call Beth at 537-2541
or Searfes at 537-5804



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Tuesday, Dec. 18 at 8 pm
Mahon Hall
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
Everybody Welcomell
(Come join us!)

Registration for Christmas Hampers

Anyone who would like a Christmas Hamper, please contact Community Society by December 15.
537-9971

AGLOW FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

TOPIC
Prophecy & Current Events

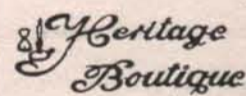
Thurs., Dec. 13, 1990
11:30-2:30 pm
Harbour House Hotel
ALL LADIES WELCOME
Reservations
Terry Bruce 653-9487
Irene Mostad 537-2256
Deadline: Dec. 11, 1990
Cost: \$6 at the door

THEATRE ALIVE! presents A Child's Christmas in Wales and other stories - a multi-media event. Dec. 13, 14, 15, 16. Mahon Hall. 8 pm. Tickets \$7.00 and \$5.00 et cetera. Ticket special: 2 for 1, Dec. 13 only!

A MUSICAL Presentation by the Cowichan Full Gospel Fellowship Choir, "Tidings of Great Joy", Dec. 15, 7 pm, Community Gospel Chapel, 120 Drake Rd.

Coming to Heritage Boutique

Jenny Lynn and Krista May will be signing their book "The Tale of Jonathon Thimblemouse", on Saturday, December 15, 1:00-4:00 pm at



GRACE POINT SQUARE

DEC. 15 MARKET VENDORS CHRISTMAS MARKET welcomes you to the Farmers' Institute. Crafts and food and Santa too!
For table reservations call Wendy, 537-4663

Salt Spring Singers CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Sunday, December 16th
2 pm and 7 pm
United Church Hall
Admission \$4 at door

CAMOSUN COLLEGE, Ganges Campus. Registrations are now being accepted for the Winter Term: English 100, Introduction to British and North American Literature. Contact the Instructor, John Edwards, M.A., at 653-4594 (evenings), or the Continuing Education centre at 537-2822 (days).

Christmas Bake Sale

LEGALS 38



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND

Take notice that Ian Blair Simson, Elizabeth Taylor Simson, Sharon E. Brawn, of Ganges, B.C., occupation homemaker, homemaker, retired, intend to make application to the Ministry of Crown Lands regional office in Victoria for a license of occupation of land generally situated at Stonecutter's Bay, Salt Spring Island, and more specifically described in (b) below.

(b) Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 1, District Lot 2, North Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, Plan 20656, thence 15 metres south; thence 42 metres west; thence 15 metres north; thence 38 metres east; and containing .06 ha more or less.

The purpose for which the land is required is private moorage purposes.

Comments concerning this application may be made to the Ministry of Crown Lands, 851 Yates St., Victoria, B.C. V8V 1X5. 387-5011. File No. 1406529. Dated Oct. 3, 1990.

Signed:
Ian B. Simson,
Elizabeth Taylor Simson,
Sharon E. Brawn

HELP WANTED 55

WE NEED A QUALITY TENANT for our cosy 2 bedroom cottage. 653-4335.

WANTED: Mature reliable babysitter with own transportation and ref's. Occasional afternoons. Fernwood area. Please call 537-4667.

BABYSITTER, my house, 2 boys, 4 and 8, shift hours, wages can be discussed, plus gas. Helen at 537-4435.

ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR, with E.C.E. certificate or working towards certificate needed for south end daycare. Also Aide required. Interested applicants may send resume to: Daycare, c/o C-17 Dukes Rd. RR#1, Fulford Harbour. VOS 1E0.

Urgently required COORDINATOR

For the **MEALS ON WHEELS PROGRAM** of the S.S.I.
Home Support Society
Part-time
approx. 20 hours per month to begin Dec. 15
PHONE 537-9955

WATRESS FOR day shifts. Experience a definite asset. Includes weekend work. Please apply in person to Dagwood's Diner.

WORK WANTED 60

FAST EFFICIENT men available who can complete your large or small project on time and on budget. Shaun Adams, 537-4079.

QUALITY CONSTRUCTION work—carpentry, drywall, painting, concrete—and stone work. Call eves. Bodo 653-4436.

READY-MAIDS ARE READY to take care of your cleaning needs. Top notch work, reasonable rates. Call Karen at 537-4331.

FLATDECK 4X4 truck and driver. For a moving experience call Drew at 537-2503 anytime.

WORK WANTED: Carpenter, B.C.T.O. etc, seeking quality oriented work. Call Tom, eves 537-5558.

CUSTOM SEWING for your home, duvet covers, pillows, slip covers, Roman shades, etc. Shera Atley 537-9465.

CARPENTER. 537-5953

WORK WANTED 60

HANDYMAN SERVICES, clean up and moving. Have pickup truck. Call John 653-4254.

BLAAHK SHEEP Motors wants to repair your cars or trucks. Winterize with us. Mechanic on duty. Great shop rates. 653-4020 or 537-4727.

HANDYMAN LOOKING for work, small jobs my specialty. Carpentry, painting, drywall, tiling, etc. 653-4012.

CAR OR LIGHT TRUCK Repairs and maintenance, your place or mine. Licenced mechanic, seniors rates. 537-5692 for appt. & messages.

NEED BABYSITTING, yardwork misc. jobs and chores? Please call Shawn Tanner, 537-4509. Reasonable, negotiable rates.

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FEMALE ART STUDENT, intelligent, personable, experienced with horses, most things considered. 537-4532.

HELP FOR SENIORS. Household and yard chores. Errands run and shopping done. \$8.00 per hour. Phone Birdie 537-4971.

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ANTIQUES 100

VERY RARE glazed top dish dresser from Renfrew County, Ont.—as illustrated in Howard Pain. \$8,500. 537-4217.

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AUTOMOBILES 105

1986 HONDA ACCORD, 4 door. Automatic, cruise control, tape deck, 43,000 miles in excellent condition. Good gas mileage. Priced for fast sale. \$7995 firm. 537-5876.

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1973 OLDS mid size Omega. 6 cyl. 2 owners only. Excellent condition inside and out. \$1,200. 537-4217.

1983 SUBARU G.L. Wagon 4x4, 35,000 km on rebuilt engine. All season tires, am/fm cassette. \$4,750. 653-4563.

1987 NISSAN SENTRA Wagon. 57,000 km. Auto. Immaculate inside and out. Dealer maintained under warranty. \$9,200. 537-5482.

TRUCK CANOPY fits "short box" Ford, \$200 obo. 537-5692.

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AUTOMOBILES 105

1977 FORD 250 pickup, 76,000 miles, V-8 automatic with canopy. \$1,900. 537-9454.

1978 TOYOTA CELICA GT. Good condition, one owner, \$2,500. 653-4310 evenings, 653-4250 weekends.

1985 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER automatic, great condition. \$8,600. 537-9774.

1973 GMC RALLY STX Van. 8 seater. Very clean, good runner. \$3,800 OBO, 653-2315.

1975 JEEP 4x4, 2 door station wagon, V-8, auto. Very reliable, not abused. \$2,500 OBO. 537-2503. Please leave message part cash/trade?

1982 PLYMOUTH RELIANT, good family car, excellent condition. \$2,500 OBO. 537-5980.

1969 VW VAN, 1 engine rebuild, radial tires, new battery, some rust. \$450. 653-4632.

1982 FAIRMONT. 6 cyl., 4 door. Auto. P/S, brakes, cruise. Excellent condition. Good family car. \$3,150. 537-9953.

VW TRANSPORTER, 1988, 3 year extended warranty, water cooled engine. Phone 653-2029 (home) or 537-4420 (work). \$14,500.

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BLAAHK SHEEP MOTORS now offers mechanical services. Great shop rates. Call now. 653-4020 or 537-4727.

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1977 CHEV one-ton van, C-40 series, roll up door, \$2500 obo. 537-9988.

1982 COMPANY OWNED and maintained GMC van, complete with roof rack, ready for the construction site, 32,000 original miles, good condition, \$6900, Norm Elliott 537-5105.

1980 DA SUN PICKUP, 4x4, \$1800 obo. 537-2169.

TRUCK PARTS, '74-'79 GMC Chev 1/2-ton and 3/4-ton. 537-2503.

1976 DODGE VAN, not a looker but reliable, runs well, no rust, \$1000 obo. 537-5877.

MOTORCYCLES 110

1976 750 Honda, \$450. 537-9703 after 4 pm.

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1978 TERRY travel trailer, 28', self-contained, roomy and lots of storage space, \$6,000 obo. 537-2108 or 537-9387.

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1974 DODGE camperized van, raised roof, self-contained, mechanically sound and clean, \$2,800. 537-5269.

BOATS & MARINE 120

1982 90hp JOHNSON power trim/tilt controls, trim gauge, stainless prop and 5 gal. tank. A-1 condition, \$3600. 537-2089 or 537-2280.

GREAT WINTER PROJECT! Build a 10 ft. Nutshell sailing/rowing dinghy as seen at Fall Fair. Plans, how-to video, building jig, some materials, \$200. 537-9237 for details.

MULL OF KINTYRE, Island tour boat, 21 ft., 12 passenger capacity. 653-4353 after 5 pm.

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FOR SALE: 16 1/2 ft. aluminium Runabout Deep V heavy sea boat with trailer. \$1,950. 537-9943.

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26 ft. T-Bird, 7 sails. Call evenings 537-5704. \$3,000.

16' K&C OUTBOARD runabout. 50 HP and 7.5 HP Merc., trailer. \$3,500 OBO. 537-9960.

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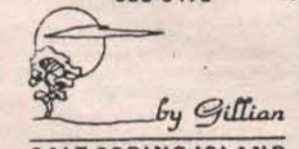
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OLDER 15 HAND Arab gelding, suit junior rider, 14 hand Welsh Arab gelding, good jumper. 539-2411.

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FREE TO good home, 3 pigmy goats, 629-6413.

BROKEN HEARTED, must part with a pair of Sable Tonkinese teenage cats (10 months) Make your house a home and love them. 537-2378. Original cost, \$125 ea. Offers?



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GARAGE SALES 160

DRIFTWOOD HAS something for you! When you place your Garage Sale ad, for an extra \$1.00, pick up a poster kit to help you with your sale. 126 Upper Ganges Rd. 8:30-4:30, Mon.-Fri.

Dec. 15, 10-2, rowing machine, \$75; ship's chest, \$50; electric typewriter, \$50; new paint sprayer, \$25; intercom set, \$30; sewing machine, \$50; lots of odds and ends, books galore, hardcovers, \$2, \$3, \$5; pocket books, N-gauge train set, lots of assortment, \$200. The place, 111 Farm Ct., off Chu-an.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 165

FRASER'S THIMBLE FARMS

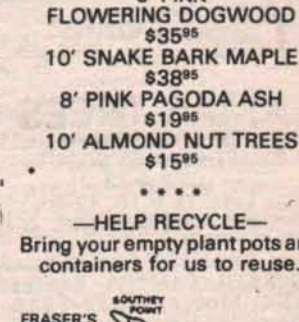
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—HELP RECYCLE—
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MANY GIFT ITEMS UNDER \$20
 MON.-WED., 10 am-5 pm
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 SAT. 10 am-5 pm
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 (Beside Bow Wow & Co., and Olde Tyme Kitchens)

WOOD LATHE, 5-spd., 12"x36", brand new, still in box, \$245; 24" Myers paper trimmer, \$80; candlemaking equipment, \$12; tape recorder and tapes, \$15; colour TV, working, \$10; Acorn fireplace, \$50. 653-9538. 48-3

XMAS TREES FOR SALE
 AT GVM by 1st GANGES SCOUTS DEC. 4-23
 Tues. 12-6, Fri. 12-8, Sat. 10-8, Sun. 10-6 49-3

25" ELECTROHOME colour T.V. with remote control converter. Just overhauled. \$300 OBO. 537-2075. 1

ROCKWELL 10" motorized table saw, \$250; B&D Router, \$30; Shop Vac. \$15; Crib and mattress \$40; Sander \$25; Lined drapes with antique brass rod covers, 14 and 10 ft., \$150. 537-9761. 50-3

1965 JOHN DEERE 450 Crawler Loader 4 in 1 bucket backhoe with 2 buckets. New engine with warranty. 537-9760. 50-3

"KENMORE" 500 watt, 105 cu. ft. microwave oven. Just over 1 year old. Perfect for limited space areas. \$150 OBO. Phone 537-5600. 1

DRIED FLOWER baskets and bunch sale in our new house, Sat. and Sun. 12-4, 444 Long Harbour Rd. (the old barn). 1

EVERGREEN XMAS wreaths for sale. \$25.00. 537-4631. 50-3

STOVE AND FRIDGE, Kenmore harvest gold, good condition, 2 pieces, \$500. Evenings, 537-4369. 50-3

PINE FURNITURE, made in Victoria, all wood, no particle board. Bunk beds, mattresses included, \$349; single beds, with mattress, \$149; Mate's beds with drawers, \$319; double beds, chest of drawers, living room groups, bookcases, desks and more. Workbench Furniture, 618 Herald St., Victoria. 383-1857. 48-5

BABY CRIB with pads and sheet set, \$100; Travel bassinette, \$15; Strollee car seat, \$35; All in excellent condition. 537-9542. 49-3

FOR SALE: Dolls, etc. Modern collection. 537-5161 evenings. 49-3

PUPPIES from small Shetland lab, mother good with children, will keep your choice until Christmas if preferred, \$20 each. 537-4971. 1

REFRIGERATOR, frost free, 16 cu. ft., \$50; Onan generator, 5,000 watt, gas, 110 volt, \$400. 537-5029. 50-3

TWO WATERCOLOURS and one print of Lighthouse by Mayne island painter Joyce Mitchel. 537-2224 or 537-2220. 1

COMPUTER CIRCLE XT IBM Compatible 640 K, 2 floppies. Amber monitor, keyboard. Offers. 653-4329. 49-3

NEARLY COMPLETE set Harrowsmith. Radio phone 537-9499. 49-3

MOVING, MUST SELL before Dec. 30, 1971 Toyota 4-dr., \$900 obo; 12' aluminum boat with oars, \$350; Canon AE1 35mm camera with tripod, 30mm lens and telephoto, many extras, offers, no reasonable offers refused. 537-4920. 49-3

GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT, 120 bass accordion, \$300. 537-2282. 49-3

2 TED HARRISON PRINTS and two Allan Edwards originals. 537-4217. 49-3

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"FOOSBALL TABLE"—commercially built, in good condition. A rarity. \$375. Phone 537-9350. 47-3

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HERE ARE A FEW GREAT Gift Suggestions...
 • Toiletries from Salt Spring Soapworks, and Crabtree & Evelyn.
 • Jewellery by Terry Warbey, Heartwood Studios and Kaleidoscope.
 • Sue Coleman limited edition prints.
 • And much, much more

Heritage Boutique
 GRACE POINT
537-2143 49-3

PUREBRED TRI-COLOUR Border Collie pups, ready for adoption, Dec. 17, \$200. Phone 537-5380. 48-3

THINKING TOYS? Call Radio Shack. 537-4522. 47-5

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HARDY BOYS BOOKS, 33 hard cover, very good condition, \$35. Numerous puzzles and books, preschool to grade 3. 537-5296. 47-3

TWO COMPLETE HO electric train sets, lines, switches, etc., on 4'x8' board, never used, cost over \$800, offers. 537-9347. 50-3

BUILT-IN type dishwasher. 537-5306. 1

SOLID TEAK dining table and four matching chairs, \$300. 537-5920. 1

QUEEN SIZE wool duvet, \$170. 537-5095. 1

ASHLEY WOOD HEATER, \$100 obo; hideabed, \$50 obo. Phone Danny at 653-4577. 50-2

OLDER STYLE FRANKLIN wood stove with screen, \$75.00 OBO. 537-9174. 50-3

DUNVEGAN DESIGN
 Beautiful wool sweaters. Men's and women's. \$200. 653-9442 49-2

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GREENHOUSE, 8'x10', glass and wood frame; fishing tackle, lots of gear. 653-9505. 49-3

DIAMOND EARRINGS appraised, \$1,900. Asking \$1,500 OBO. 537-4025. 47-3

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Pre-Christmas Home Furnishings and Accessories Sale on New and Like New. Take an extra 50% off on lots of selected items including dishes, glasses, books, records and tapes. Hideabeds on sale from \$199⁹⁵, sofa suites from \$89⁹⁵, kitchen dinettes from \$69⁹⁵, wooden rocking chairs from \$29⁹⁵, bar stools, 2 for \$50. Buy & Save, 9818 4th St. Sidney. OPEN SUNDAY, noon to 4 pm. 1

SALMON, commercially smoked, vacuum packed. Lightly smoked, \$4.99 lb.; hard smoked, \$6.99 lb; snap frozen whole, \$1.99 lb. Discount for quantity, free delivery. 537-9422. 49-3

MOFFAT PORTABLE dishwasher, very good condition, \$275. 537-2741. 49-3



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PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM and 4-8" speakers, \$150; 3 wooden frame office chairs, \$25 ea. Phone 653-9594. 47-3

PAIR SKIS, 160cm w/binding, \$75; par skis, 175 /cm w/o binding, \$30. 537-2785. 1

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ADMIRAL "DUAL TEMP" fridge, harvest gold, 13 cu. ft., \$150. 537-9747. 48-2

100% ISLAND PRODUCT. Salt Spring Sheepskins, tanned and handmade into cosy custom slippers, luxurious bike seat covers, attractive fire or bedside rugs and sunrivers. Practical gift for all ages. Available at Waterfront Gallery, or Kathy Ball. 537-5450. 1

THINKING ABOUT TV OR VCR? Call Quadratic Solutions. 537-4522. 47-5

FOR SALE: '77 Monte Carlo, \$1200; wood garage door, \$300; wood bedroom suite, \$300. 537-4498. 49-3

MISCELLANEOUS WANTED 170

RECYCLERS!! WE NEED

2 more directors to serve on the board of the Salt Spring Island Solid Waste and Recycling Society. Exciting plans for 1991 include a Recycle Centre, so if you have an interest in community recycling, please give Rick Laing a call at 537-9542.

THE CRD IS INITIATING A PROGRAM

to collect and recycle old telephone books in January. Please drop off your telephone books at the Depot (GVM parking lot) anytime in the next two months. SSI Recycling will earn 10¢ a book.

DON'T FORGET DON'T FORGET

to Recycle all those election flyers. Please place them and other non-glossy junk mail in the office paper box at the Recycling Depot — not in your woodstove. 48-3

TRAILER WANTED
 Small self-contained travel trailer wanted to buy, reasonably priced. 537-9703. 42-tfn

4x8 POOL TABLE. Must be in good condition. Phone Min. 537-2563. 47-3

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COMING EVENTS: Saturday Christmas Market, Dec. 15th, 9:30-2. Farmers' Institute. This one's for you. 1

IF YOU'RE CONCERNED about the course of events in the Persian Gulf then please join us for a 1 hour vigil, 12 noon till 1 at the Cenotaph in Centennial Park this Saturday 16th. Everyone welcome. Sponsored by the Ganges United Outreach Committee. 1

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SPORTS SECTION

The top 12 bowlers in the trip to Reno tournament are: Tom Pringle, Bill Crandall, Jack Godwin, Tash Hewitson, Chris Hutton, Dee Kinney, Ellen Bennett, Mary Kirkpatrick, Deke Noonan, Richard Fraser, Patti Stubbs and Glen Hewitson.

They will roll off during the Christmas break and the winner will receive the trip or \$300 in cash. Good luck, folks.

By PAULA BEDFORD
Driftwood Correspondent

The answer to last week's question was: it is 60 feet from foul line to centre pin.

Bowling tip: If you are consistently getting the headpin, don't change the point of aim, but move two inches backwards. This will change the point of impact just enough so you will no longer hit the headpin dead centre.

If this fails move either left or right but remember, don't move more than two inches from original starting point.

Top scores for the week:
Monday P.M. Golden Agers: Stan Smith, 225; Gwen Lee, 222; Goodie, 216,215.

Tuesday A.M. Golden Agers: Rusty Hopper, 234; Betty Horncastle, 224; Jack Godwin, 219; Jack Kean, 216; Edie Gear, 214; Isabelle Richardson, 208; Art Robinson, 201.

Tuesday Ladies: Deanna Marleau, 252/624.

Tuesday P.M. Golden Agers: Vanna Winstone, 210; Stan Wakelyn, 208; Cecile Marcotte, 234; Conrad Flebbe.

Circus: Gordon Thorn, 235,259/682; Dan Fraser, 209; Connie Hardy, 235; Pat Jacquest, 221,212/614; Gordon Parsons,

Down the GUTTER

271,274/702; Tash Hewitson, 317/666.

Wednesday P.M.: Henry Schwagly, 207; Lucille Marcotte, 235; Deanna Marleau, 277/640; Val Hughes, 234; Steve Marleau, 202,237,260/699; Deanna Kitchen, 202; Maddy Cooper, 222.

Golf Ladies: Shirley Parsons, 201; Maddy Cooper, 201,228/606;

Kay Javorski, 207; Thelma Carey, 207; Marguerite Meharey, 203; Tash Hewitson, 223,205,223/651; Dorothy Armstrong, 203.

Legion: Sharon Sykes, 205; Doug Sykes, 303/656; Rick Parsons, 245/616; Albert Kaye, 268,203/654; Sharon Chernenkoff, 233; Roger

Chernenkoff, 206,238,221/665; Josie Bergsma, 201,203,257/661;

Goody, 211,226/616; Barry Pinchin, 205; Julie Bedford, 236,253,233/722; Tom Pringle, 276,239/696; Al Hall, 205; Carole Martins, 240.

Friday A.M. Golden Agers: Bill

Baker, 294,225; Goody, 212; Jack Godwin, 221,205; Madeline Jory, 211; Isabelle Richardson, 201.

Friday P.M. Golden Agers: Nellie Herbert, 205; Elizabeth Socher, 204,203; Gene Graham, 204,201.

YBC Pee Wees: Lesley Carson, 98; Bart Sutherland, 102; Devin Milner, 76; Hartley Turner, 76.

Bantams: Jennie Walker, 165; Erica Rico, 109; Chrissy Letkeman, 85; Jonah Marshall, 152; Jeremy Keating, 132; Joshua Marshall, 127.

DART Scores

OUTHOUSE LEAGUE

Games: December 4

Moby's A 9 Harbour House A 7
Moby's B 9 Legion 7
HarbourHouseA 8 Vesuvius 8

STANDINGS

Legion	97	47
Moby's A	85	59
Moby's B	79	65
Harbour House A	69	75
Vesuvius Inn	67	75
HarbourHouse B	35	109

LEGION LEAGUE

Games: December 5

DJ'S 14 Hiccups 6
Poin-Tee-Enz 11 Dooblers 9

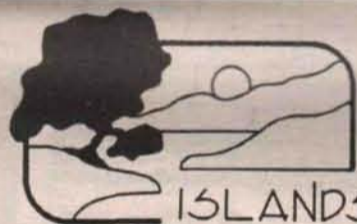
STANDINGS

DJ'S	71
Poin-Tee-Enz	46
Dooblers	42
Hiccups	40

Remember: Try-outs for Branch 92 dart teams coming up.

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DOWN THE YEARS

Thirty Years Ago

Nearly 70 people crowded into the Legion hall last Saturday night to attend a public meeting called to discuss problems confronting the local golf club. After a lengthy and lively discussion, it was decided to appoint a committee to study the problems and write recommendations to be presented at a public meeting in January.

Salt Spring Island dogs at obedience trials held at Fulford Hall competed against dogs from Victoria, Nanaimo, Duncan, Chemainus and North Saanich. Local dogs took all cups in the classes they were qualified to enter.

McGill's Bakery was set to bake its 100,000th loaf of bread since the new company began its Salt Spring operation on May 1, 1960. The bakery was a major manufacturer and employer on the island.

Constable Ken Aquilon arrived on Salt Spring with his family. Aquilon replaced Constable Bonner in heading up the Ganges RCMP detachment.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

Major changes were being made to the Esso plant facilities operated by Norman Mouat. They involved increasing capacity of oil storage facilities with several new tanks to be installed.

At a Centennial meeting, Beth Wood was quoted as saying "the average Canadian knows more about the history of the United States than about his own country."

A successful turkey shoot was staged at the Salt Spring Rod and Gun Club. Winners of turkeys and hams included Herb Skuce, Jack Reynolds, Doug John, Art Reid, John Bennett, Mac Mouat and Wayne Bradley.

Twenty Years Ago

Two Saanich men were saved from drowning by Southey Point resident Earl Hardie. He spotted their overturned kayak in the ocean off his property and rescued the men from the icy waters with the assistance of Jay Hardie.

St. Mary Lake had been proposed as a bird sanctuary. On

Monday evening, the Salt Spring Island Community Planning Committee was invited to submit a report on the proposal to regional director Marc Holmes.

Better than average warm temperatures and normal rainfall marked November. According to Dominion weather observer Howard Carlin on Ganges Hill, there was a high of 66 degrees F. on November 3 and a low of 24 degrees F. on November 21.

The Drummond Children's Park was given the sum of \$2,000 to be invested in bonds as a trust fund. The capital was to remain untouched and would be a perpetual source of revenue to help with maintenance of the park.

Saturna Islands' Centennial project, the construction of an addition to the community hall, had gained national approval. The project was among a list of Centennial year projects receiving approval from Ottawa and for which the federal government would match provincial contributions.

Fifteen Years Ago

The Gulf Islands Intermediate and Personal Care Society was incorporated on November 27. Members planned a 40-bed care facility for the future.

A community services directory for Salt Spring was to be underwritten by the Capital Regional District. Approval was given after the Community Society asked the Chamber of Commerce to assist with preparation costs.

Saturna residents Mike and Maggie Hayes wrote a play for students of Saturna school. It would be presented at a school concert on December 16.

Elizabeth Beach and Harold Grills were the two candidates named for the Galiano seat on the Gulf Islands school board. The vacancy followed the resignation of Clare McAllister.

Ten Years Ago

A referendum on Sunday shopping would again be presented to Salt Spring residents. Capital Regional District director Yvette Valcourt said the previous referendum had been in-

sufficiently explicit. She had received several complaints from voters who said they did not know what they were voting for.

An early winter storm dealt an icy blow to the Gulf Islands, leaving a near-record accumulation of eight-to 10-inches of snow. Despite hazardous driving conditions brought on by the storm, the islands repelled winter's grip with most activities returning to normal after a few days.

Final surveys and drawings for the Ganges sewer system were approved by the Capital Regional District board. Approval was subject to the confirmation of an additional \$825,000 contribution from the federal government. No fear of court action swayed directors in their decision to finally dispose of the project.

The Capital Regional District estimated the annual cost of the Ganges sewer to be \$344 per year for every dwelling unit. The figure included collection, treatment and dissipation costs.

Snow forced the postponement of the official opening of the Pender Island Health Care Centre. Vancouver contractors were unable to get to the island because of the weather. MLA Hugh Curtis was to have officiated at the ceremony.

Five Years Ago

Capital Regional District director Hugh Borsman said Salt Spring should "get going" on a final draft of its excessive noise bylaw. His comments followed complaints from residents about the noise from a teen dance held at Off Centre Stage.

Voters had approved preparation of a noise bylaw in a November referendum.

Gulf Islands Secondary students from Pender island would be riding a bus to and from the water taxi dock after December 16. With a projected 35 students using the bus, superintendent Mike Marshall said it was economically feasible to run a bus instead of paying parents to transport

their children to the taxi.

Salt Spring Islands Trustee Nick Gilbert told Trust Council members that fish farms would make their way to the Gulf Islands. He said the Trust had already received applications to operate farms on Salt Spring, Bowen and Denman. Concerns about smell, dead fish and processing of entrails had resulted in refusal of applications for Salt Spring and Bowen islands.



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Santa joins reservists on Gulf Islands tour

Each year in early December, reservists from H.M.C.S. Malahat tour the Canadian and American Gulf Islands on a training exercise accompanied by a special passenger.

Weekend warriors of Canada's naval reserve transport Santa Claus to isolated islands to bring presents, candies and joy to children.

The tour left Esquimalt last Saturday (December 9) with a stop at Pat Bay before arriving at Thetis Harbour at 11 a.m. After a visit with the children of Thetis Island, the flotilla left for Telegraph Harbour on Kuper Island.

Children of the Penelakut band shyly met Santa for a brief visit before he headed south to Friday Harbour.

For 28 years, members of the Victoria JayCees have been touring the islands with Santa as counterpoint to the visit of the Santa from Bellingham. Usually, the two JayCee Santa Clauses meet somewhere en route but this year the trips have been planned for different weekends.

Bill (Moose) Hargreaves has sailed with the Malahat reservists since 1975. As Santa, he picks the presents for the children with an insistence that no war toys be part of the affair.

During each year, members of the Victoria JayCees stage various fund-raising events to finance the trip through the islands.

Bernard Muller is president of the service club this year and he maintains his enthusiasm for the trip.

"It's sort of magic to see the children respond," he said in ex-

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