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	1236	5.7		1534	7.5
	1937	10.0		2115	9.5
23	0144	5.8	27	0450	4.3
F.	0711	8.4		1259	8.6
	1313	4.6	Tu.	1651	8.2
	2000	9.9		2145	9.3
24	0229	5.4	28	0540	3.9
Sa.	0815	8.1	W.	1419	9.1
	1353	5.6		1830	8.6
	2025	9.8		2227	3.2
25	0315	5.0			
S.	0936	8.0			
	1438	6.6			
	2050	9.7			

facts, fables & foibles
 Bob Sharphas arrived on Salt Spring Island to visit at his home. Son of Mr. & Mrs. Marshall Sharp of Beddis Road, Bob cycled 1000 miles from Edmonton over the Rogers Pass. He reports that he made a little better than 100 miles for 8 days. He managed to ride up all hills but two and refused all offers of rides because, "People like to stop and talk to you when you do something out of the ordinary". I dreamed I saw ... lovely spring water running out of the rock at Maxwell Park. Too bad this dream is unlikely to come true. Picnickers to the mountain should remember to carry water with them.
 Dogfish trapped in the tiny bay at Southey Point last Friday were so thick that fins could be seen all over the top of the water. Young Brian Hayward in his rowboat scooped in about 30 fish in an hour just with his bare hands.
 The Fulford hall Committee extends a hearty thank you to all the helpers of the Pirate Days Celebration. Special appreciation to Mr. Art Young for the use of his field; to Mr. Doug Dane for acting as MC as well as supplying a loud speaker and music; to the men who worked so hard at the barbecue and clambake; and to Mike Byron and his orchestra who played for the dance.

SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER 3rd.

Mr. J. M. Evans, Principal of the Salt Spring Elementary-Secundary School, announces that school will re-open for the 1963-64 term on September 3. Pre-registration of pupils is not required.

The first day will be short, ending at 11:00 a.m. Buses will leave the school shortly after 11.

The following day, September 4 school will be in



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RACHEL ELIZABETH MARGARET MORRIS

Mrs. Rachel Elizabeth Margaret Morris died suddenly at the Nurses Residence of Dr. Francis Nursing home on August 16, 1963.

Mrs. Morris will be sadly missed by the many friends she had made on Salt Spring Island during her brief 3 years here. She was born in England and trained for her nursing career at Guys Hospital in London. She lived for 20 years in South Africa prior to coming to Canada. She was predeceased by her husband Geoffrey W. 11 years ago. Mrs. Morris was matron of the Dr. Francis Nursing Home since 1959. She was a member of the Eastern Star Trincomali Chapter 93, Ganges.

She is survived by her daughter Margaret of Ganges, and one brother, Bishop D.I. A. G. Rankilor of Victoria.

Funeral Services were held Monday, August 19, 1963 at 1:30 p.m. in St. George's Church, Rev. S.J. Leech officiating. Pallbearers were Dr. A. Francis, Dr. L. Lambert, Mr. Frederick Reid, Mr. Edwin Parsons, Mr. W. F. Thorburn, Mr. James Wood. Cremation followed. Goodmans Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

session a full day.

The Kindergarten will open at 9 a.m. September 3rd at the Salt Spring Island Parish Hall (St. George's Church). Length of the first days session is as yet, undetermined. From September 4th Kindergarten will be in session from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Residents of the Fernwood Water District met at Central Hall on August 19th to elect three Trustees. Mr. G. Humphreys acted as returning officer.

ISLAND LANDMARK DESTROYED

A fire, totally destroying the old Menhenick home at Beaver Point, occurred on Sunday afternoon, August 18.

New tenants from Vancouver were engaged in moving in when an oil stove exploded turning the kitchen into a mass of flame.

Fire department units from both Ganges and Fulford attended but were unable to save the building.

Another fire recently destroyed a pump house at the home of Johnny Bennett's Cranberry Road.

DORMITORY PLANNED FOR STUDENTS

15 to 20 students may be affected by the decision of the School Board to plan to institute a dormitory at Ganges to accommodate high school students from the other Islands. The Board intends to have the dormitory available to students by January 1st.

The Board had discussed the matter of a dormitory a few years back. Plans did not materialize at that time because facilities were not available.

The present policy is to pay a boarding allowance for students from the other Islands at any school in British Columbia. This plan will be cancelled if the plans for a dormitory become effective.

Trustees elected were Mr. Peter Cartwright, 3 year term, Mr. William DeLong, 2 year term: Mr. E. V. Bettiss, 1 year term.

MAGMUS EGILL JOHNSON

Mr. M. E. Johnson died in his 70th year at Lady Minto Hospital August 20th. Mr. Johnson had been resident on Salt Spring Island for 5 years, the last few years in Fernwood.

He is survived by two sons, Dr. Helmer Johnson of Vancouver, formerly of Ganges; Egill P. Johnson, Cranberry Portage, Man.; three daughters, Mrs. T. F. (Osk) Wilkie, Vancouver; Mrs. G. (Lara) Bond, with the RCAF in France; Mrs. Wm. (Magnea) Mitchell, Redwater, Alta; 16 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.
 Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

S.S.I. NATIVE NONAGENARIAN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

By Elsie Worthington

Mrs. Marie A. Wallace, daughter of Louis and Sylvia Stark who settled on Salt Spring in 1859, celebrated her 96th birthday Aug. 14th. Mrs. Wallace was born the year of Canada's Confederation on a Scott Road farm now known as "Fruitvale", home of Mr. & Mrs. Ed. Parsons. Her parents were among a group of Negro settlers who came from San Francisco to take up land granted to them by Governor Douglas. Mr. Stark brought the first cattle to S.S.I.

Mrs. Wallace attended school on Salt Spring and was married to Mr. Joseph B. Wallace in 1896 at a friend's home in the Fairview district, Vancouver. Her family includes: Oscar Wallace, Mrs. Sidney (Ethel) Claibourne, and Mrs. Robt. (Myrtle) Holloman, all of Salt Spring, and Mrs. Jean (Josephine) Durand in Montreal, 86, lives in New Jersey.

Mrs. Wallace's early life was spent during the years when Indians were a great menace to Island settlers and life was often in danger. Her memory is keen and she maintains a lively interest in current events.

Mrs. Wallace, a deeply spiritual woman, reads constantly, without aid of glasses, and enjoys a broad range of literature.

Mrs. Holloman, with whom Mrs. Wallace lives, and Mrs. Claibourne, recently entertained in honour of their mother at the home of Mrs. C. J. Zenkie, Rainbow Rd.

WHAT'S COOKING ON SALT SPRING?

by Elsie Worthington

Hundreds of visitors to Salt Spring at Pirate Days week end carried away memories of delicious home-baked foods provided by four Island volunteer groups through outlets at Ganges.

Friday afternoon ladies of O.E.S. were kept busy serving sandwiches, pie and coffee at Shell Service under convener'ship of Mrs. J. G. Reid, and her committee, Mrs. W. F. Thorburn and Mrs. J. H. Laurie. The ladies served or sold a total of 95 home-made pies during the day. Mrs. Reid expressed her appreciation of the support and assistance received for the project.

Friday evening United Church Women presented a smorgasbord well laden with a wide range of home-cooked foods: turkey, ham, baked salmon, casseroles, desserts, to name but a few of the delicacies. Mrs. Irl Bradley convened the supper assisted by Mrs. R. J. Young and Mrs. D. M. Abolit. Members of Mizpah and Noralite Circles served about 250 guests in the Church Hall.

Delicious baked beans and buns, home-cooked, were served with coffee on Saturday and Sunday by ladies of Beaver Point Community Association from the stand next to the bank at Ganges. Mrs. A. Stevens was convener.

From 8 o'clock Sunday morning until early Sunday afternoon a hearty breakfast of scrambled eggs, ham, sausages, hot cakes and the trimmings was served by Ladies' Auxiliary to Royal Canadian Legion in Legion Hall. Mrs. F. W. Kirkham, convener, reported close to 400 meals were served. Mrs. A. L. Campbell was assistant convener. Chefs John Sturdy and John Waterfall were hard at work all morning providing for the steady stream of guests who consumed a total of 55 dozen eggs, 48 lbs. sausages, unnumbered pounds of ham and hundreds of hot cakes and buns. Recently extended quarters allowed guests to retire to the lounge for an extra cup of coffee and a chat with friends.

CORRECTION: In typing the recipe for Salal Jelly in August 8th issue I dropped the word "six". (What a difference one little word can make!) The jellifying hint should read: One teaspoon epsom salts to six cups of juice. My apologies for the omission. E.W.

BORDER PICNIC

by Bea Hamilton

Over two hundred members of the South Vancouver W.I. attended the delightful Border Picnic at Port Angeles last week. From South Salt Spring W.I. were Mrs. A. Davis, Misses Ina and Bea Hamilton and Mrs. V. McClaron.

It was a beautiful day.

There were cars enough to take all the visitors to the Mt. Pleasant Hall where a nice luncheon was served. Some dainty corsages were made for each visitor and after the meal, the District Board was introduced by the president of the Club at Clallam County.

From Victoria was Mrs. J. Robinson, president, Mrs. T. Raper, Vice-President, Mrs. W. Parker, Secy-treasurer, Mrs. E. G. Woodward, editor W.I. Newsletter and past president, Mrs. A. Ingram. Some interesting pictures of their National Park and Hurricane Mountain were shown. After lunch, the guests were taken for tours of the valleys and the city.

They all returned home via the Coho ferry after a really pleasant day.

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COMING AND GOING

Elsie Worthington

Mr. & Mrs. Pat Parker and two children came over from Duncan to spend the week end with Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. C. Alexander, Ganges Hill. Miss Sally Alexander and friend, Miss Jenny Seal, Vancouver, also spent the week end at the family home.

Capt. & Mrs. V. C. Best, Ganges have as guest for three weeks, their youngest grandchild, 4 year-old Alan Best, son of Dr. & Mrs. Raymond Best, Vancouver.

Mrs. F. H. Baker, Ottawa, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. J. Zenkie, Rainbow Rd. Mrs. Zenkie's granddaughter, Miss Diane Hayes, Vancouver is a guest at her home for two weeks.

Dr. & Mrs. J. T. Dawson, Cloverdale, are presently visiting Mr. & Mrs. T. J. Sharland, Vesuvius Bay.

Mr. & Mrs. Richard Cuthill and family, Edmonton, spent the week end with Mr. & Mrs. F. H. A. Reid, Charlesworth Rd.

Mr. & Mrs. Ray Parsons and family, Richmond B.C. were week end guests at the home of Mr. Parsons' father, Mr. E. Parsons and Mrs. Parsons, Scott Rd.

Mrs. F. Fredrickson, Churchill Rd., has returned home after spending three weeks visiting friends in Winnipeg and Calgary.

Miss Olive Harrington, Headmistress of an Infants' School in Leicester, England, spent a few days with Mr. & Mrs. J. Fendall, The Cranberry.

Mr. & Mrs. Graham Shove, Gailee, have enjoyed a busy round of summer visitors. Their son-in-law, Lieut. R. E. Stone RCN, and Mr. J. B. Donald Jones have returned to Ottawa after an extended visit. Week end guests included Mr. & Mrs. Robt. Maxwell and Mr. & Mrs. Robt. Cromie, West Vancouver guests at Booth Bay Resort; Mr. & Mrs. Robt. Swanson, Vancouver, guests at St. Mary Lake Cottage, and Mr. & Mrs. Charles Stone and son Ned, Seattle, Washington.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Moret have returned to Haney after spending two weeks with Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Newman, Sharp Rd., whose daughter, Miss Barbara Newman has gone to Vancouver to be the guest of Mrs. G. I. Hendry before proceeding to Calgary where she will visit Mr. & Mrs. P. V. O'Gorman.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Davidson, Vancouver, are spending a week with Mrs. Davidson's sister, Mrs. E. Worthington, Ganges Hill.

Mr. & Mrs. Gene Fox and baby Sandy, Edmonton, who are currently visiting Mrs. Fox's mother, Mrs. A. Lindskog, Ladysmith paid a visit to Mrs. Fox's grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. W. M. McDermott, Ganges. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lindskog and son Gary and daughter Wendy. Mrs. Fox was a former nurses' aide at Lady Minto Hospital.

Mrs. Dorothy Taylor, Victoria, is visiting Mrs. W. Norton, Lower Ganges Rd., for a few days.

Miss Janie Campbell and Miss Bingham of the Children's Hospital, Vancouver, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Scot

Clarke, Drake Rd.

Patrick and Janet St. Denis, Port Angeles, Wash., who have been holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. St. Denis, St. Mary Lake, for two weeks, returned home with their parents Mr. & Mrs. T. R. Rixon, who spent the week end visiting parents, Mr. & Mrs. R. C. Rixon, North End, and Mr. & Mrs. St. Denis.

Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Saunderson Jackson Ave., enjoyed a short visit from their daughter, Mrs. R. B. Stevens, Vancouver. Also visiting from Vancouver during the past week were Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Orange and daughter, Mr.

and Mrs. A. G. Stevens & Mr. & Mrs. R. W. Sterrat. Mrs. Sterrat was a resident of Salt Spring 20 years ago and noted great changes in Ganges.

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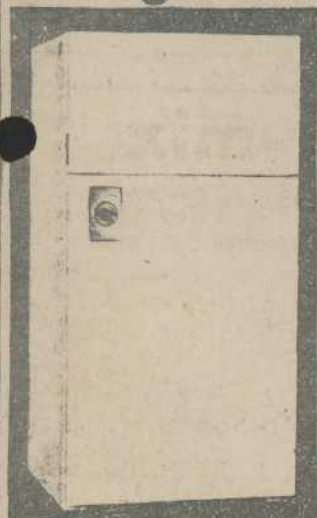
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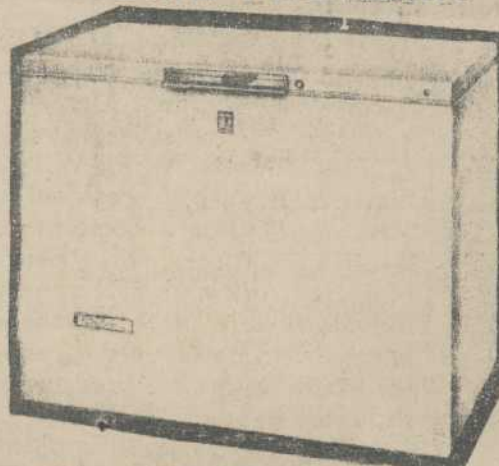
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EDITORIAL

THOSE UNHAPPY DAY VISITORS

It is indeed unfortunate that mainland visitors were encouraged to make the trip to the Islands on foot. It has made many people unhappy to land at Long Harbour only to find that if they want to enjoy the beauties of the Islands they need wheels.

We sympathize with the many unfortunates who have brought bathing suits expecting to get off the boat within walking distance of a lovely swimming beach. Many of those who have complained bitterly to the papers were right to do so. Others would have been happier taking a bus to English Bay because they are not interested in rural beauties anyway.

The appearance of tables and benches at Long Harbour are a happy indication that Islanders and government are both concerned about the situation and are doing something to improve matters immediately. Once the road is completed, and the natural growth has a chance to reduce the dust in the area, it will be as lovely a spot to spend a few hours as can be found.

A LAST LOOK AT PIRATE DAYS '63

It's been over a week now since a miniature pirate has been seen around the village. One of the signs that the children enjoyed themselves was the left-over pirates after the big celebration.

Was Pirate Days a success? We think so. It achieved one of the direct objectives in bringing a large numbers of visitors to the Island for the weekend.

Perhaps even more important, it achieved an indirect objective in giving local people and visitors the opportunity to let off steam in a relaxed and boisterous atmosphere. In fact the sedate ones who didn't act like pirates were the people who stood out.

The hard working committees on Pirate Days are to be commended for their planning and organization of this weekend of fun. There were few criticisms and these of minor nature.

Let us hope that there will be a Pirate Days '64 and that it will continue to grow and be fun over the years. This will be - if - local people continue to enjoy Pirate Days as they did this year.

C H U R C H E S

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25th, 1963

ANGLICAN - St. Mark's: Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.;

St. George's: Evensong,

2:30 p.m.; St. Mary's, Choral Communion, 11:00 a.m.

St. Nicholas: Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

UNITED - Ganges, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;

Burgoyne Bay, 2:30 p.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC - Our Lady of Grace: Holy Mass, 10:45 a.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE - Mahon Hall, 11:00 a.m.

FULL GOSPEL CHAPEL - Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.;

Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

JEHOVAH WITNESSES - Mahon Hall, 2:00 p.m.

WORDS OF INSPIRATION

"Let us not therefore judge one another anymore: but judge this rather, that no man put a stumbling-block, or an occasion to fail, in his brother's way." Romans 14: 13.

My mind was ruffled with small cares today,
And I said pettish words, and did not keep
Long-suffering patience well, and now how deep
My trouble for this sin! In vain I weep
For foolish words I never can unsay.

H.S. Sutton.

"Dear Editor: Please may I beg a small space in your valuable little paper?

I would like to call to the attention of all Anglicans the excerpts read from a letter in all the churches on Sunday 11th.

Watch and be alert to sugary phrases and left-handed overtures. Freedom from the tyranny and false teachings of the great despot on Rome, was bought with the blood of many good and true men (martyrs they are usually called), and it is ours today. If we prize this freedom let us all stand firmly and refuse to accept sugar, no matter how sweet it may be. Let us say, and in no uncertain voice that we will "not be entangled again with the yoke of bondage." Gal:5:1. K. Taylor."

"Dear Editor: There is such a thing, as feeling your way in a community and petitioning for things that are popular but have not necessarily been thought of before as a project. Your article on the last page of your August 8th, edition does not fall in this category at all. The Chamber of Commerce have been trying to get a boat basin, including the very necessary parking facilities to service it, for at least three years and a great many people are more than slightly annoyed at your implication that you not only know what is best but you thought of it first also ---- not so.

Again, I think it is fine for Galiano to publish an editorial such as you reprinted but hardly one that Saltspring Island should waste valuable editorial space in its only newspaper, when real vital things can be promoted at home. You know, a real home newspaper concerns its-self with problems and suggestive solutions for our island and leaves the ultimate solution of these to the people. P. A. Frattinger. (signed)"

Dear Editor: Hearing so much about the beautiful Gulf Islands six of us decided to spend a weekend at Saltspring. So making reservations at a very nice motel (which I must say was the most pleasant part of our visit) we decided the next day to explore the Island, what a disappointment; every road leading off from the main highway ended in a No Trespassing sign.

Where oh Where are those lovely beaches? Oh yes Vesuvius, is a beach? even there a sign reads "Use at your Own Risk" What a welcome for the visitor.

It is understandable that the residents do not wish the public crawling all over their property but until there are facilities for "We the People" why bother advertising The Gulf Islands. Dissapointedly Yours. I. Eccles (Signed)"

"Dear Editor: In the long gone days of copybooks, I had occasion to write out many times, a maxim which went "Do good by stealth and blush to find it fame". I suggest this might well be adopted as a motto by the chamber of horrors -- pardon -- commerce. It would fit in well with their protestations that they have for years been working away like termites underground, except that unlike termites they are working constructively instead of destructively.

I think you deserve all the credit for the excellent suggestion you put forward for the provision of landscaped grounds to beautify the waterfront in Ganges (God knows it needs it). You had no need to publish your apologie because some big frog in a small puddle resented another frog jumping in.

The whole thing is reminiscent of the school-yard cry of "Its mine, I saw it first". One would think there was something distasteful in the enterprise, that it had to be dealt with in such deep dark secrecy as to produce a storm in a teacup when the "secret" was broadcast.

If you have any more good ideas, trot 'em out I say and never mind who comes along to claim "I thought of it first". H. B. Dickens. (Signed)"

CHURCH NEWS

A step forward in the interests of church unity was taken by Bishop Remi J. de Roo, Victoria, in a pastoral letter to the clergy of his Roman Catholic diocese. In the letter Bishop de Roo requested the prayers of the faithful on behalf of the Anglican Congress presently taking place in Toronto. Following are extracts from the letter:

"I earnestly request the assistance of your prayers for this world-wide Anglican Congress. The bonds of Christian association have linked us with the Anglican Church for many centuries. They share with us the same Christian baptism. They are, therefore, our true brothers in Christ."

"...We should make it our duty, through prayer and sacrifice, to contribute towards the strengthening of the bonds which link all those who glorify the Name of Christ our Saviour."

"We are all the more obliged to do since our own failings are responsible in part for the divisions which still mar the face of Christ's Church. This example of brotherly love on our part will be the greatest incentive towards a strengthening of mutual appreciation and charity."

"To this end I with you to bring this Anglican World Congress to the attention of the faithful."

Extracts from the letter were read in local Anglican churches by The rector, Rev. S. J. Leech.

Mr. & Mrs. F. Archer & Son Douglas, arrived this week to visit Mrs. Archer's father Mr. Hugh Smith.

ALL BUT THE GOBBLE

by Bea Hamilton

A delightful miscellaneous shower was held for a lovely bride-to-be, Miss Marguerite Gear, on Thursday night, August 15th.

Cohostesses were Mrs. R. Lee, Mrs. W. Brigden & Mrs. P. Nadin.

The Hall looked most attractive with the many bouquets of flowers along the stage, and a very unique and clever arrangement of a turkey house, with a life like turkey sitting up top, while arrangements of sword ferns gave a realistic air to the whole thing.

The turkey was made with real feathers and things, by Rosemary Brigden, (All she left out was the gobble!).

Inside the turkey shed, were found rows of -turkeys?

no-nicely wrapped gifts-many lovely and useful things. Little Miss Elizabeth Lee & Angela Brigden handed out the gifts, while Miss Sharon Lee and Miss Heather Fraser assisted Miss Gear in opening the presents. Bouquets were presented to the guest of honor and to her mother, Mrs. Gear. Over fifty friends were

there to greet the prospective bride, and a delicious tea was served by the hostesses.

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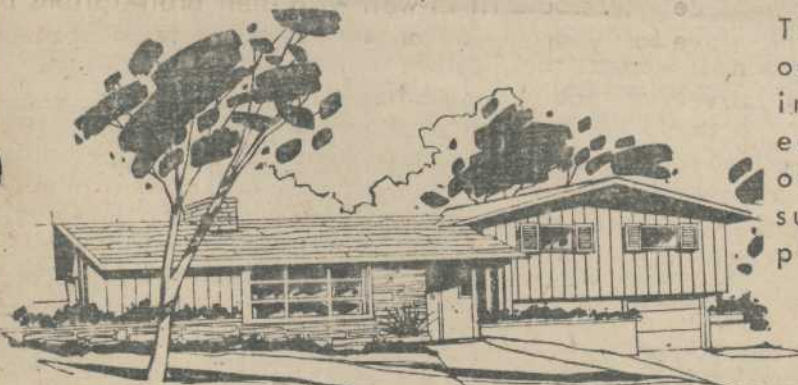
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Ted's Shoe Renew will be closed Friday & Saturday-August 30-31-Re-Open Tuesday, September 3rd.

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SUNDAY- September 1- Fulford Salmon Derby, weigh-in Fulford at 5 p.m.-Tickets \$1. available at local merchants.

MONDAY- September 2-Clam Bake, Corn Roast, Fulford Athletic Club- Few Beach from 12 noon on.

FULFORD SCORES AGAIN

Two public rest rooms adjacent to the Fulford Dock are now in operation. These beautiful structures, much needed for a long time on Salt Spring Island are springing up in various spots. From being without public facilities last spring, we now have them at the Fulford and Long Harbour ferry terminals. When will Ganges village be so blessed?

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THANKS TO FIRST AIDERS

Mrs. V. J. Harraway reports that the first aid business was slow over Pirate Days. Not one case of accident was reported at any of the stations.

Mrs. Harraway, St. John Ambulance instructress thanks those helpers who manned the Posts during the Pirate Day weekend. Their faithfulness and reliability in spending hours on duty in the background is appreciated by everyone.

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FULFORD NEWS

by Bea Hamilton.

The people with the "git up and go" at Fulford are Mr. A.E. Roddis and Mr. & Mrs. W. Y. Stewart, who are on their way to England for a few weeks. Also Mrs. G. Maude and Miss Alison Maude are flying across to England, Scotland and other parts.

Mrs. Rita Dunnett of Nelson, B.C. was the recent guest of Mrs. A.E. Roddis.

Member of the Canadian Women's Press Club are holding their Annual meeting at Silver Bridge, Duncan, on Sunday, September 8th. Lunch at noon and meeting at 1: p.m.

Visiting Mr. & Mrs. Arthur H. Smith are Mrs. T. Burros and Darcie Mrs. H. Myers and Mike, Linda & Donna, all of Vancouver.

Cpl. Jack H. McDonald of Calgary, arrived on Saturday to join his wife and family at the home of Mr. & Mrs. A. O. Lacy, Cpl. and Mrs. McDonald, with Hilda, Douglas, Bruce and Ralph, will be here for two weeks before returning to the Army Barracks in Calgary.

Mr. John Maxwell, a law student in Dublin, Ireland, has left Salt Spring Island

after spending a week with his cousin, Mrs. W. Hippiusley. Mr. Maxwell was delighted and thrilled to visit his namesake, Mt. Maxwell during his stay.

Visiting his brother and family last week was Mr. Jim Akerman and his wife, from Quesnel, who stayed a week with Mr. & Mrs. R. Akerman, with them was Mary Lou, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Maurice McTighe, of Dawson Creek. Travelling back to visit the McTighe family is Kathy Akerman, who will stay in Dawson Creek for a week, the guest of her uncle and aunt.

Mr. & Mrs. R. Jebson returned home after spending the week end at Cloverdale, B.C. where they were guests of honor at the wedding of their granddaughter Miss Janet Marie Giles, who was married in the Cloverdale Lutheran Church, to Mr. Leo Groining. The bride was lovely in a lace over white satin gown, and the attendants were in pale mauve. A grandson, John Craig, was the ring bearer.

Mr. Walter Few was a guest of honor. The Jebson's daughter Norah, Mrs. D. W. Craig, returned to Fulford with her parents to spend a two weeks holiday on their property.

Gary Stevenson is also holidaying with them. The happy couple, says Mrs. Jebson, will spend their honeymoon in California before returning to Cloverdale to live.

Mrs. Dorothy Hudson of Winnipeg, and Mrs. R. Parry, of Vancouver, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. W. Kelly at their cottage "Deer Lodge" at Fulford.

BABY NEWS

Mr. & Mrs. Howard Carlin, Ganges, Hill, are proud grandparents of a baby girl, Maureen, born August 13, in King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. G.A. Philion. The baby is a sister to Eugene and David. Her Paternal grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Philion, Victoria.

A son, James Patrick, FULFORD HARBOUR FISHING DERBY--SEPT. 1, WEIGH-IN 5 P.M.

weight 9 lbs 8 1/4 oz., was born Aug. 10 in Lady Minto Hospital to Mr. & Mrs. H.C. Horel, Fulford-Ganges Rd., Proud grand-parents are Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Horel, Ganges Hill and Mrs. Winifred Howard Cranberry Rd. Brother George is also a mighty proud little fellow.

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Chubb North End Rd. are proudly showing off their new son, 7 pound Patrick Shannon, born Aug. 7 in Lady Minto Hospital, a brother to Gary and Brenda. Grandmothers are Mrs. Dorothy Taylor, Victoria and Mrs. Nellie Chubb, Parksville.

At the Mayne Island Fair held on Saturday Aug. 17th, Mr. H.B. Dickens took seven prizes with his drawings and paintings. These included 2 firsts, 3 seconds and 2 third prizes. He received congratulations from the Hon. E. Davie Fulton who had opened the fair.

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"The worst man often gives the best advice - Our deeds are sometimes better than our thoughts" Bailey.

by Charlotte Bright . . .

Do you resent having people give you advice? Do you think they are just being bossy and interfering with your private life? That may be the case sometimes, but usually, the person offering advice has already been through an experience and he or she is eager to put the other person wise, before they make any mistake. You will find very often, that if you had stopped a moment and weighed the advice

that if you had stopped a moment and weighed the advice so freely offered (and resentfully not taken) you would have been saved some bad experience or embarrassing moments. The wise person will not necessarily take the advice nor yet will he spurn it - he will look it over for possible good points - and if there are possibilities, he will act upon it. There is good in all things and there is much value in advice given by an experienced person - and who isn't experienced in some form or another? All people live individual lives and each comes up with incidents in their lives that make or mar their pathway - THEIR advice is really only something which has happened to them - and they pass it on for what it is worth . . . but that is one thing given freely which is hardly ever taken - advice, scorned and resented, and yet, perhaps just what some person needed . . . but because it is offered free, it is just plain bossiness. Strange things, we humans, aren't we?

Next time someone gives you advice, instead of resenting it, stop a second and look it over - it might have the solution to your problem - and if it is no help at all, why there is no harm done. Half the time, you will find the other person meant it kindly anyway.

Advice? Well, that's what's being offered now, so take it or leave it. - there is a maxim which says - "many receive advice - only the wise profit by it."

FERNWOOD NEWS

by Doris DeLong

Mr. & Mrs. Philip Tamboline and baby Trevor from Ladner were visiting Mrs. Tamboline's mother, Mrs. E. Cantrill for the weekend.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. C.M. Ryan are sorry that she is in hospital and wish her a quick recovery.

Miss Ruth Leach of Vancouver is holidaying at the home of

her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Wesley Leach.

Mr. Ken Arnould, Cloverdale is spending a few days at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Waterfall.

Sandy Butler-Cole is visiting his grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Gwennap for a few weeks.

Friends of Mrs. S.A. Thompson will be sorry to learn that she is a patient in Royal Jubilee

Hospital, Victoria. Visiting Mr. S. A. Thompson is his daughter, Mrs. M. Gerrits and grandson Gregory of Concrete Washington.

Visiting the Fred Kirkhams recently was Mr. Kirkham's nephew, Mr. Harry Reynolds of Vancouver. Mr. Kirkham's sister, Miss Marjorie Kirkham and nephew, Michael Dyrland arrived recently from San Bernardino, California to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Kirkham.

Mrs. Henry Castillou and Mrs. Livingstone are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. Cumming and Mr. & Mrs. McSpadden.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Ferrier of Kamloops are visiting Mrs. Ferrier's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. E. V. Bettiss.

Capt. & Mrs. G. Pengelly of Victoria are also visitors at the Bettiss home.

Miss Genevieve Arnold is spending a few weeks at her summer home in Fernwood.

Mr. Krist Sande of Spokane, Wash. spent a few weeks at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. W. DeLong.

FULFORD ATHLETIC CLUB ACTIVITIES

The Fulford Athletic Club plans to continue a program of sports and activities for their young people through the winter. In order to buy the needed equipment for their program the energetic committee will hold a dance at Fulford Hall on Friday, August 30th at 9 p.m. The local or-

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chestra will play for the dance. Reports following the recent Pirate Days dance at Fulford indicate that here is a place to go for a good time.

The Athletic Club have made plans for a clam bake and corn roast on Labour Day at Few's Beach. Clams and Corn from noon on Labour Day. Sounds good already!

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CRANBERRY CAPERS

Observers of the community scene up on the Cranberry last Friday were startled to observe three strange figures cavorting on the lawn in front of the W.B. Shaw residence. Two of the figures, one with a handsome black short beard, were dressed in shorts, while the third wore a long white gown and also wore a full beard waxed moustache. All three seemed to be dancing around waving sticks or what appeared to be blunted instruments of some type. All of this to the loud strains of modern jazz emanating from the living room.

Investigators reported various stories. One was sure it was some strange tibetan religious rite being performed by tourists from that country. Another report claimed it was just another of these silly islanders about to emulate the current practise of soaking himself in gasoline and burning himself to death over some real or imagined insult from another islander. DRIFTWOOD immediately decided to investigate the stories.

It turns out that the villains in the piece were none other than Mr. W.B. Shaw himself, Mr. P. Hildred and Mr. Shaw's visiting brother-in-law from Calgary, Mr. Kenneth Kirk. It happened this way.

It seems that on a recent visit to Vancouver, Messrs. Shaw and Hildred made the acquaintance of a certain coffee shop operator and in the course of conversation suggested his establishment would be even grander by the addition of a mural to decorate the long expanse of white wall behind his counter. The operator seemed doubtful so that when these errands returned home they decided to prove their point by painting just such a mural. They enlisted the unenthusiastic brother-in-law, who felt that since he was a visitor in the home he could hardly refuse. So all three, armed with pots of paint of varied

colors and some old dried up paint brushes, set up three sheets of four by eight plywood on easels in Mr. Shaw's front yard. The music provided the necessary atmosphere and inspiration and each one attacked his own plywood. The result may herald the birth of a new l'e cole d'arte moderne on Saltspring.

The strange garb worn by the artists was explained. Mr. Shaw and Mr. Kirk wore shorts to avoid ruining other good clothes, while Mr. Hildred was forced to wear a bed sheet to protect himself from the flying brush of Mr. Shaw who apparently had difficulty in recognizing which was the plywood and which was Mr. Hildred.

When the labor was over it is reported Mr. Kirk took one look at his effort, breathed, "My God, Did I do that?" and promptly went back home to Calgary. Mr. Hildred opined that the reason his effort was better than the other two was that he had more paint hidden away from the others. Mr. Shaw is only now recovering having been forced to retire to his bed immediately following the completion of his work due to emotional fatigue.

The artists are unsure as to what they plan to do with their combined product. Suggestions included holding a private showing and charge a membership fee or leave them in the front yard to startle further passers-by. We bet Mrs. Shaw's suggestion wins, the plywood she says being urgently needed to finish some flooring in their renovated home.

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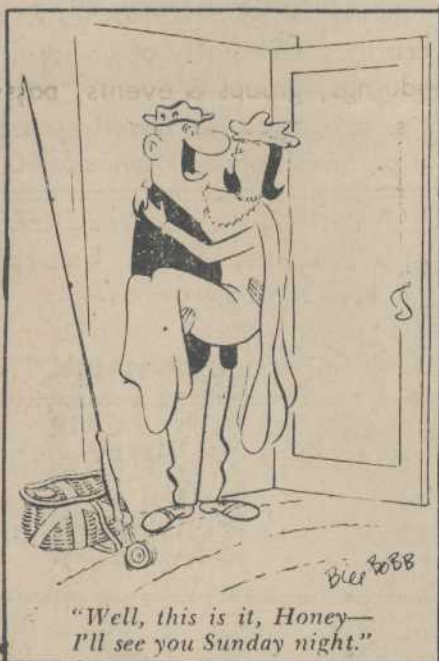
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