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## NONE THE WORSE FOR HIS NIGHT OUT!

BY DEVINA BAINES

Clad in only a diaper and light jacket, a 16-month-old baby wandered a mile and a half from his parents' home at North Galiano on Thursday night.

Search was carried on throughout the night and the baby was found unharmed on the beach at 8.30 the following morning. He had lost his diaper and shoes and was wearing only his jacket. Despite a night on the beach without clothing, he appeared to have suffered no more than a few cuts and scratches.

Little Erik Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Duncan disappeared

from his parents' cabin at Coon Bay on Thursday night. His mother was tending his sister, who was ill when the baby wandered away.

The parents searched all night long. They went along the waterfront first then through all the other empty cabins and outhouses. They found no trace of the baby.

The other neighbors at Coon Bay helped in the search.

Finally, about 8:30 Friday morning Pat and Mel looked farther afield and found their little son about a mile and a half

from the settlement.

His legs and feet were scratched and swollen, but otherwise he was unharmed. He wore only a diaper, shoes and a light jacket, but somewhere in his travels he lost his diaper and his shoes.

The Air-Sea Rescue hovercraft took Erik and the parents to Chemainus for a check-up and he returned home soon after.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan were warm in their thanks to friends at Coon Bay who helped in the search as well as Harry Baines and Reg and Verna Hume.

At last report little Erik was fully recovered and feeling none the worse for his night out alone. And the story had a happy ending.

## NEWCOMER



IAN BROWN

Island life is a challenge for Ian F. Brown. On Monday he took over Mouat's Store as general manager. Already moved into a home on Burgoyne Bay Road, Mr. Brown is feeling his way into the island store.

Managing a store is nothing new; he's been doing it most of his life. He's run retail stores in Victoria and Port Alberni and on the mainland. He has been as far east as Toronto. Now he is back home. In fact he has not only come back home to work, but he's closer home than he's ever been. A native son of Victoria, he prefers the islands to his own community.

Tall, thin and run off his feet his first day, he found time to reflect on his years in business.

After coming out of the RCAF at the end of World War Two, he went into the hardware business and he's never been far away.

He was department manager of the Hudson's Bay hardware section in Victoria and managed the retail store of Mc and Mc for a number of years. When the Victoria firm closed its retail outlets he went to Port Alberni and later to the mainland.

During a better than two-year stint as wholesale salesman he paid regular visits to Mouat's and was delighted to join the staff of a former customer.

With a son in Gulf Islands Secondary School and a daughter already out of school in Victoria, he and Mrs. Brown are planning to build a home on the island sometime in the future.

## BIG CLEAN AT GANGES SATURDAY

Saturday is a big day on Salt Spring Island. It is a clean-up day. Not only is it a clean-up day, it is the Centennial Clean-up Day.

The once-in-a-hundred years project has the approval of the Salt Spring Island Centennial Committee after being launched by SPEC.

They're looking for volunteers on Saturday to clean up the roads and the streets and the verges, around Ganges.

From 10 am to 12 noon the clean-up will go ahead.

## FOR REGIONAL DISTRICT

## MILL RATE SET AT 0.88

Cost of the Capital Regional District to Gulf Islanders will amount to 0.88 mills this year. The Regional District will also impose a rate of 0.43 mills for the Capital Regional Hospital District.

Mill rates are based on a total assessment value for Salt Spring Island of \$11,916,643, for school purposes and a value of \$13,430,650 for the outer islands.

Capital district levies provide for the maintenance of those services shared by islanders. Included are administration and general government, \$2,257, Salt Spring Island and \$2,548 outer islands; building inspection, \$434, Salt Spring Island, and \$490, outer islands; election expenses, \$1,063, Salt Spring and \$1,198, outer islands; feasibility study reserve, \$149, Salt Spring \$168, outer islands; regional planning, \$1,251, Salt Spring and \$1,407, outer islands local planning, \$5,437, Salt Spring, \$6,033, outer islands.

The allocation to election expenses covers the cost of compiling an entirely new voters' list after the changeover from provincial coverage to regional responsibility. New list will be used for future elections in the

region and by the school district. Cost of government and administration includes indemnities paid to regional directors. Director Marc Holmes, of Salt Spring Island received an indemnity of \$625 during 1970 and his expenses when off-island were also paid. The island director attends meetings in Victoria and on occasion is required

## No Hunting — No Skiing

Sharp restriction on the use of Salt Spring Island lakes is to be debated in Ganges on Monday evening.

When the Salt Spring Island Planning Association meets in Mahon Hall at 8 pm there will be two resolutions for consideration.

First resolution calls for the restriction of hunting on and around island lakes. Second proposal asks that power boats using a motor exceeding 5 hp be banned from island lakes.

The resolutions are not offered as a substantial form of legislation. The association has no such authority. They will be discussed in order to assess public

## NOT SALT SPRING ISLAND!

Ganges please! Salt Spring Islanders want no change.

The results of a random sampling conducted by the Salt Spring Island Ratepayers' Association have indicated an overwhelming preference for the existing Postal District Address of "Ganges". "Salt Spring Island" ran a distant second.

The survey was conducted by directors of the association who solicited the reactions of over a hundred residents of the Island and invited calls from all interested parties.

While the opinions indicate that nearly two-thirds are in favor of retaining the mailing address of "Ganges", there were many who actually favored the idea of "Salt Spring", but were reluctant to face the task of writing to friends and businesses to advise them of a change of mailing address.

The Postal Department has been advised of the survey and its outcome. It was stressed by the Ratepayers' Association that their survey is a "random sampling" only and does not necessarily represent the opinion of the entire Island Community.

Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce had earlier reached a similar conclusion.

## Lacrosse and a Lot More

Lacrosse box at Ganges is becoming a reality. And it will offer a lot more besides lacrosse.

Situated on school property north of Gulf Islands Secondary School, the playing area has been blasted level and the fence is already up four feet for half the way around.

Bob Eveleigh and Geoff Howland are the men responsible for the progress.

When finished it will include two tennis courts, two basketball courts, roller hockey rink, open-air gymnasium and a 50-yard running track.

The box will be lighted for night play.

It's too late now to make any change!

Last week there was an error of omission in DRIFTWOOD. No reference was made to changing clocks last Saturday-Sunday.

It's just too late now. If you didn't change last week best bet is to lag through the summer out of kilter with everybody else and catch up again in the fall.

That's what the DRIFTWOOD staff is doing.

## Is This It?

Some of it evaporated .... some did not.

When an oil spillage occurred at Anacortes on Tuesday, Canadian islands were alerted.

Barge at the American city discharged an estimated quarter-million gallons of diesel oil into local waters.

Oil slick spreading over the water extended up the Gulf of Georgia and by Tuesday evening it was reported that much of the discharge was evaporating.

SPEC on Salt Spring Island was particularly alerted to the very problem they have warned could readily happen in the event of carrying oil in giant tankers through local waters.

Islanders were warned that if they find birds suffering from oil damage to call SPEC or the provincial government for guidance on cleaning.

Diesel oil is light and its effects on birds is less extensive than a heavy oil, DRIFTWOOD was told.

If islanders find birds in a distressed state from oil, they must remember that the cleaning process will dissolve the bird's natural oils as well as the diesel fuel, warned Mrs. Ray Hill, of SPEC.

Get the bird and get advice, then clean it, she urged.

This is a mild warning of what may well lie ahead, she warned.

Public opinion on the use of island fresh water areas.

## AT CUSHEON LAKE

## PRIMATE'S TEA FOR RELIEF

Annual tea in aid of the Primate's World Relief Fund will be held this year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horel, Cusheon Lake, on Wednesday, May 5, at 2 pm.

This cause has always been well-supported by Salt Spring Islanders of all denominations. The Fund itself makes no distinction in color or creed, and gives relief to the needy and destitute in all parts of the world, including Canada.

The tea is a bread-and-butter affair, emphasizing the needs of many peoples, and will again be sponsored on the island by the Chancel Guild of St. Mark's Church, with the help of other local organizations.

Each year a home is offered for the event, and next Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Horel, will be hosts.

## BAD SIGN

Fishing is going to be poor.

Pod of killer whales went up Stewart Channel on Monday evening. There were five of the whales, all hungry.



## IT PROVED TOO QUICK FOR ISLANDERS

Ferries can be too much. Unused to the speed of the SECHELT QUEEN, a number of

Penderites were not ready to get off at Village Bay, for the recent Art Show, and were nearly swept on to Vancouver.

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**NO TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR.**



Mr. and Mrs. Peter Beaudin after their recent wedding here.

**SPRING WEDDING**

BY BEA HAMILTON

St. Mary's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, April 10, when Wendy Margaret Strutt and Peter Beaudin were united in marriage by Rev. Fred Anderson.

The bride looked lovely in a dress of flowered sheer with ivory organza top. She carried a bouquet of spring flowers. Her maid of honor was Mrs. Robert

Stear who wore a pale pink sheer with ivory crepe top. She also carried a bouquet of spring flowers.

Robert Stear was best man; the ushers were Alan and John Strutt, Norman Beaudin, father of the groom, flew here from Montreal to attend his son's wedding.

The reception was held in the afternoon at Harbour House Hotel after which the newly-weds left for a honeymoon in the United States. They will reside in North Vancouver on their return.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stein, Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Thornley, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Thornley, and their children, D.C. Thornley, and Miss Marie Nomana from Nanaimo, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Thornley, Victoria, and Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Rendell, Walker Hook.

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## SAILOR SOUNDS CALL FOR SAILORS

Where are the island sailors? On Salt Spring Island the call has been sounded by a man who not only sails a boat, but builds dozens of them.

Laurie Neish, Industrial Arts teacher at Gulf Islands Secondary School, is starting sabot sailing early in May.

Neish has built his own boats and has supervised the building of scores of others.

His more recent contribution will be put to the test next month.

He already has a number of sabots lined up. His only problem is to find more. They can be sabots or any other craft propelled by a sail. They will all be welcome in Ganges Harbour early in May.

Interested sailors may call Mr. Neish at the Gulf Islands Secondary School or Marshall Sharp, Beddis Road.

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" " 6-10-4, 25 " \$2.95

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## to be frank



By Richards

Tommy Douglas proved a better driver than many had known. As soon as he handed over the wheel of the New Democratic Party the student drivers found it pulled very badly to the left.

Frantic call this week from George Lampier for a pitchfork and a wheelbarrow. It's all set up for eternity, he explained. The pitchfork is to keep the fires stoked and the wheelbarrow for the coals.

Last year I acquired an electric watch when Mouat's were selling them cheap. That's the only way I can afford a watch. It doesn't need winding. Of course, it's electric. Only time I jumped into the bath with the thing on, all the lights went out.

Holland has its problems. A large and attractive public square in Amsterdam has been invaded by squatters until a special force of police has been retained to control the crowds. Marg Simons was reminiscing this week about that square. She and Art and family cycled into Amsterdam's hungry as gunters. They stopped at a bakery and acquired a loaf. They drooled as they sat in the square on some stone steps. Only strange feature was the predominantly hippy populace and the large number of police officers. They learned later that there had been a violent demonstration there the previous day.

If Jack Nichols should retire from the Yukon to his property

on Vesuvius Road the road name might be changed to "15-cent Ave." It would make three Nichols on the same road. Come to think about it - maybe it should be Dime Road right now.

It's amazing how a fine, friendly fellow like me can be at one end of the telephone line and a whole string of offensive, insolent bores on the other. Maybe the telephone company should be more selective in its subscribers. But, maybe, that would include me out!

Very large truck carrying a very large bulldozer climbed the ramp from the Vesuvius Queen at Crofton. The vehicle was very long and the driver experienced difficulty in maneuvering around the curve at the head of the ramp. He stopped and blew a long blast on his air horn. Nothing happened. He leisurely blasted the air horn again. Nothing happened. Finally he leaned from his cab and yelled at the car driver waiting to board the ferry. "If you want to get on the boat this afternoon you'll have to back up!" he shouted. They did.

Caller last week reported that her husband is a one hundred per cent disability war veteran pensioner. He had received an increase in his pension. She had expected about \$800 per annum more, she said. She had hoped for an increase of up to \$2,500. She had received an increase of \$408 per annum and was indignant.

## FULFORD

BY BEA HAMILTON

The Music and Drama Night comes to the Fulford Hall on Saturday, May 1. Presentation is part of the celebrations of the Centennial '71. We hope a large crowd will fill the seats and gallery. Those who haven't seen the concert, are in for a treat and those who have seen it, will probably enjoy it more a second or third time.

The drama is well done. Its cast won a number of awards at the Duncan Drama Festival.

They have enlarged a bit on Salt Spring Madness - probably be madder than ever - and double the fun! In the midst of the frolic, there is a taste of true history; such a nice way to learn things!

The lilting tunes and well-chosen lyrics are the work of Ray and Virginia Newman and Lou Rumsey. The band even has Doc Ernie Jarman there with his boater and banjo. It really brings back the good old days and is very good for one!

Glad to hear people are picking up from the flu bug; nasty one wasn't it? Maybe if we can fight pollution, we will eventually get rid of many germs that seem to thrive on dirty air, land and sea. Advice has come from several health quarters to say DON'T go out and spread the flu germs if you have them; DO stay in and take care of yourself WHEN you are afflicted. That way the bug dies out and you get well.

When the Queen, Prince Phil-

Committee meeting of the Galiano Hall Club took a close look at fire protection last week. Last Wednesday's meeting in the hall, with president Mrs. G. H. Snell in the chair, noted that Dudley Tweedale had given a big fire extinguisher to the hall. It has been placed in the kitchen.

A discussion followed on the possibility of a fire in the hall, and the adequacy of fire protection. This matter will be further pursued by committee members.

It was decided that a plaque will be erected in Bluffs Park, to commemorate the gift of the late Max Enke, 20 years ago.

Mr. Enke gave several hundred acres to add to the land that a group of Islanders purchased from him for the park. The park land is now held in trust by the Galiano Club.

The following dates were ap-

Bingham family were at the Legion auction on Saturday. An oak-framed mirror was offered. Peter Bingham frowned and explained that he liked the mirror but he wouldn't really know where to put it. Within minutes daughter Heather appeared, gloating over her purchase of an oak-framed mirror.

"You can't keep me from an auction sale," explained Jack Webster on Saturday morning. He was interrupted by the auctioneer. Kitchen chiffonier was being offered and the bidding stood at \$1.50. Webster dashed off to get in his two-bits' worth and no nonsense.

Mrs. W. Sampson called on Saturday to report that she was holding a hummingbird in her hands. The small bird had been trapped in the porch and she had picked it off the window, she said. Was it unusual to catch a hummingbird? she asked.

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## WHAT USE IS A LAKE?

Salt Spring Islanders must decide in the near future exactly what the island lakes are for. There is a strong move towards the elimination of sports activities on the lakes. Power boats and water-skiing are frowned on by some. Others are hostile to all types of boat. The lakes are serving a wide range of purposes.

They are sources of domestic water. Maxwell Lake and St. Mary Lake are currently serving the north end of the island and Fulford draws its water from Stowell Lake. Cusheon Lake is also a source of water for a housing district.

Hunting around the lakeshores has been under fire for two reasons. Some object to the alleged danger of discharging firearms near habitations. Others fear the destruction of wildlife.

Some residents choose to live near the shores of a lake in order to enjoy its facilities in terms of skiing and hunting. Others see the lake as a natural quiet area, reserved for retired people and wildlife.

Whatever the basic purpose of the eleven bodies of water on Salt Spring Island, the relative importance of these activities will be thoroughly discussed on Monday evening by planners.

The Salt Spring Island Planning Association has no administrative function at all. It is, nevertheless, a recognized sounding board for public opinion.

Those who have views on the use of inland waters of Salt Spring Island would be well advised to pay attention to this meeting.

## Letters to the Editor

### BOATS ON LAKES

Editor, Driftwood,

With reference to the Planning Association resolution to ban boats with motors on the lakes on Salt Spring Island I would like to make several comments and recommendations.

I have purchased property on St. Mary Lake as I have always enjoyed the fishing there and as the lake is about two miles long and has about five miles or so of shoreline, it would be unlikely that I or any other residents who had retired, or summer there to fish or holiday would be inclined to row this distance, therefore a ban would deny these people one of the amenities they had when they purchased their land.

I do not think that this or any other of the lakes are really large enough for water skiing.

I certainly favor sailing on the lakes and intend to build an "El Toro" sailboat for my own and my children's pleasure, because of the size of St. Mary Lake quite a wind can get up and upsets in small sailboats can easily happen, and some reasonably speedy way to reach the upset boat should be available.

In view of the foregoing I would like to recommend that if a resolution is to go forward to the Planning Board it should be a reasonable one, and in my opinion this should be one limiting the horsepower of boat motors on St. Mary Lake to 10 horse

power in view of the lake size, and 3 horse power on any of the other lakes. This should, I feel, allow the safe and sane enjoyment of these valuable assets without denying people their rights.

As I, and many others, are presently only weekend residents I would also like to suggest that a special meeting be held on a Friday night or Saturday so that all interested parties would have an opportunity to debate this matter which affects many other people who would not be able to attend your regular Monday meeting.

I. B. Forster,  
2441 Camelot Road,  
Victoria, B. C.  
April 20, 1971.

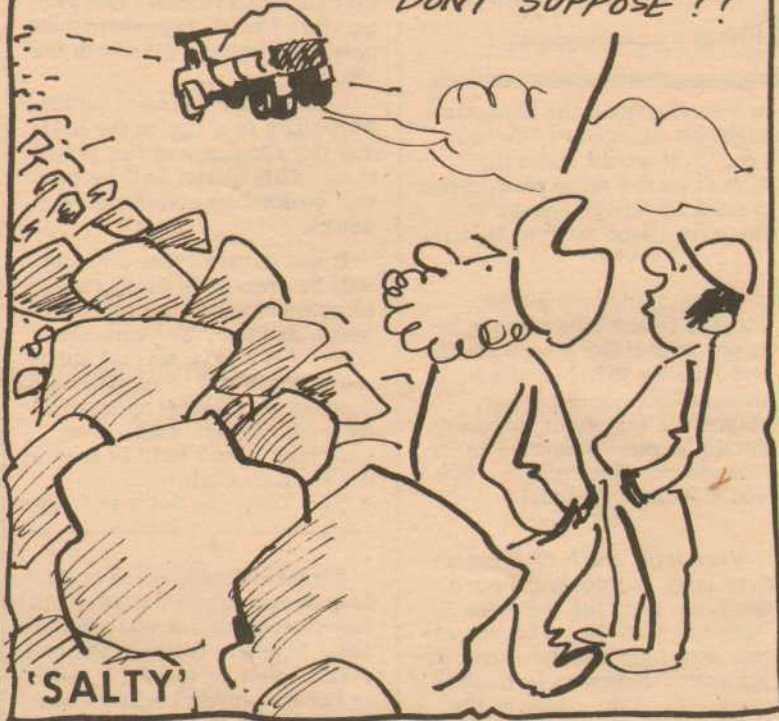
## DEATH OF MRS D.A. KING IN SAANICH HOSPITAL

Former resident of Salt Spring Mrs. Doris Adelaide King passed away on Sunday, April 25, in Mountain View Hospital, Saanich.

Funeral services were observed on Wednesday afternoon in St. George's Anglican Church, Ganges, with Archdeacon R. B. Horsfield officiating. Cremation followed at Royal Oak. Goodman Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. King leaves a daughter, Mrs. Doris K. Andrews, Ganges two grandsons and two great-grandchildren; three sisters and three brothers.

.. AT THE RATE THOSE GUYS  
ARE FILLING IN FULFORD HARBOUR  
- THEY'LL BE OUT TO ISABELLA POINT  
SOON! - SAY!! YOU  
DON'T SUPPOSE??



## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY AT RESORT

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cunningham of New Westminster, came to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at Cedar Beach Resort on April 22.

Cedar Beach is the new home of their son, Frank and his wife, Jean and family, who formerly lived in Haney.

## SOUTH PENDER

BY CULTUS COULEE

At the Dudley Hutton's Kioshe beach, Allison, Andrea and Adrienne, children of Robert Dudley Hutton, Vancouver, and their friend Laura Parker, West Van.

Nancy Gillespie from Santa Barbara, at Southlands, with her mother, Mrs. Vickie Gillespie; grandmother, Mrs. A.E. Craddock, and Aunt Pat.

Papa's Camp at Stanford's beach, Southlands, was jumping with Easter rabbits and children in pursuit. Murray Rowan's daughter Wendy Dorman, North Van., with Dormice Christine and Carla; Jennifer and son-in-law Ted Owen, West Van., and the Three-Jays - John, Justine and James.

Assured that the Easter Bunny could make it to South Pender, they went in search. Several small fry saw it, clearly, white and fluffy, - scuttling through salad and hardhack bushes. An indoor hunt produced more tangible results - candy eggs that had been laid under the chesterfield, and tucked away in corners.

The children worked on their tree fort in the big maple, and even slept there. It lasted fully half an hour - until dark - when there was a sudden scramble and stampede into the house. R.L.S. knew. "Now my little heart goes a-beating like a drum, With the breath of the Bogie in my hair... All the wicked shadows coming, tramp, tramp, tramp, With the black night overhead."

Surprise at Clakili when Geraldine Georgeson Goldsmith, dropped in from Victoria with a truckload, to visit cousin Connie Swartz. Geraldine, raised on the Kioshe beach, last snatched a glance at it from a truck on Higgs Road, when up from Victoria, five years ago, with Roberta Georgeson Sidwell. Otherwise, she had not visited since

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Thirty guests came to celebrate the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cunningham of Mayne, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Cunningham of New Westminster Mrs. Cliff Cunningham of Richmond and nephew, Leonard and wife Helen and Mrs. Jean Cunningham of West Vancouver, who landed at the lake by plane.

It was the first trip to Salt Spring for many of the guests, who came from many parts of the mainland.

## SEVENTEEN WERE PURE

BY CULTUS COULEE

### PENDER PLAYERS

The Gerry Stevens' big room, above Otter Bay, could hardly hold the members of the March meeting. The host perched on a kitchen stool; ditto Marion McKechnie, off a late ferry; and the voice of the hostess, reading a fallen woman; then a county wife, filtered from the kitchen. There was no space, nor seats left.

Gertrude Bennett had a job allotting 26 roles, with only eight copies of the play, Escape, by John (Forsythe Saga) Galsworthy. And each man in his turn read many parts.

Frank Plunkett, the hero: Jack Bridge and John Copley, on top, as ever, were two policemen, wardens, laborers. Alex Gray rose from Cockney to high church parson. Partridge Pearson, loud and clear, in all characters; president Olive Auchterlonie, perfect as a maid,

a top-drawer wife, and a seven year girl.

Others reading multi-roles were Capt. Cecil Claxton, Jessie Cornaby, Edith Pearson, Joan Purchase, Blanche Smyth, Gerry Stevens, Relaxing, Flo Bridge, Helen Claxton, Dorothy and Nep Grimmer and Connie Swartz.

Pender players cosset their throats. Nobody smoked until eating time, when two had a cigarette each. One puffed a spasmodic pipe. And 17 remained pure.

## FERNWOOD

BY JESSIE SAYER

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blackstock of New Westminster spent several days at their cottage.

Mrs. Blackstock's mother, Mrs. J. Cartwright and children, Mrs. Blackstock and a young friend also enjoyed our first really good week end.

## CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1971

### ANGLICAN

St. Mary	Fulford	Holy Communion	9:00 am
St. Mark	Central	"	11:00 "
St. Margaret of Scotland	Galiano	Evensong	7:30 pm

### ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Paul's	Fulford	Holy Mass	9:00 am
Our Lady of Grace	Ganges	Holy Mass	11:00 am

### UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Fred Anderson	Ganges	Worship Service	11:00 am
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"	"	Evening Service	7:30 pm



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Salties won their first game on Sunday, 4-2 against Esquimalt Merchants. There was a big turnout from the island. Scoring for Salties were Karl Kitchen, Pat Slingsby, Rick Kitchen and Dan Akerman.

Salties will play in the following schedule:

Sunday, April 25, 5 pm, vs. Esquimalt; April 28, at 6.30 pm vs. James Bay; May 7, 6.30 pm vs. Esquimalt at home here; May 9, 6 pm vs. James Bay; May 16, 5 pm vs. London Boxing Club; May 28, 6.30 pm vs. Esquimalt; May 30, 5 pm at home vs. London Boxing Club; June 4, 6.30 vs. James Bay; June 6, 5 pm at home; June 18, 6.30 vs. Esquimalt at home; June 23, 6.30 vs. James Bay; June 27, 5 pm vs. London Boxing Club.

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## W.M. SAUNDERS DIES IN LADY MINTO

Familiar figure in Ganges for many years, William Henry Saunders was called by death on Monday at the age of 85 years. He was a patient in Lady Minto Hospital at the time of his death.

Mr. Saunders was an active member of the Royal Canadian Legion at Ganges and had taken part in various activities in the community.

He leaves his wife, Beatrice, at home, McPhillips Ave.; a son Robert H., Ottawa; three daughters, Mrs. Edwin (Beatrice) Herman, Vancouver; Mrs. Kenneth (Roberta) Chandler, Nelson and Mrs. Richard (Ellen) Stevens, Vancouver, seven grandchildren

travelled far.

During the Boer War Capt.

Mitchell served with the Imperial Light Horse. He was also engaged in the Zulu Rebellion.

At the close of hostilities he remained in South Africa to serve under Robert Baden-Powell in the South African Constabulary.

In The First World War he abandoned his horses and served in the Royal Flying Corps. He was awarded the Military Cross.

After the First World War Capt Mitchell moved across the world to Chile where he served as American Consul.

He came to Salt Spring Island in 1922.

He leaves his wife, Doris and daughter, June, at the family home on Beddis Road and a nephew, Laurence Mitchell in Scotland.

Last rites will be observed from St. George's Anglican Church at Ganges on Tuesday at 1 p.m. Archdeacon R.B. Horsfield will officiate. Goodman Funeral Home is in charge.

## WOMEN'S SOFTBALL

Softball for women and girls will start soon on Salt Spring Island. Readers who are interested may come to the school grounds at Ganges on Monday, May 3 at 7 p.m. Players will be in the age group 16 years and up. Younger players are invited to a registration on Tuesday, May 4 at 7 p.m. These are players, 12 to 15 years of age.

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Funeral services will be held in Burnaby on Friday, April 30. Goodman Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

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## CHURCHES TO DISCUSS COSTS

Committee of the parish of St Margaret of Scotland, at Galiano, was held in the Vicarage, on April 19. Rev. O.L. Foster was in the chair.

Report of finances was heard from treasurer, W. J. Maier, and it was decided that a meeting will be arranged between the four Church wardens, and treasurers, from the Penders, Mayne and Galiano. The gathering will discuss the financial situation of the different churches, and the method of contributing from each church.

Miss Jean Lockwood, who has organized the Altar Guild, paid warm thanks to Miss Elizabeth Hopkins, who organized the bake sale, held last week at Zala's Corner Store.

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### GALIANO

BY MARY BACKLUND

George Johnson is on the island for the week end from the mainland. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have just returned from a trip to Jamaica, for C.E.S.O.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Ciceri, and their family, from Kelowna came to spend the Easter holidays at their home on Montague Harbor.

From Edmonton, T.B. Williams, and son, Bobby, came for a holiday, visiting Alan Haszard.

Steven Miller, of Vancouver, spent a week at his home on the island.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Baker, of Vancouver are at their home on Whalers Bay for the week end.

Mrs. George Phillipson is ill at home and Mrs. W.J. Ager, has had a long bout in bed at home under the tender care of her husband. Also catching the flu bug were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robson, Al Eliason, and several more, who have just not been able to escape this illness.

## COMMUNITY CLUB AT NORTH GALIANO ENTERTAINS MEMBERS

Dance was held in North Galiano community hall on Saturday, April 10, by the North Galiano Community Club and was well-attended.

Lon Lehman showed an hour of undersea films which were greatly enjoyed.

Door prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. W. Shaw, Mrs. M. Bell and Miss Kathy Bitworth.

Another dance is planned for the Empire Day weekend.

The dance was convened by Mrs. Verna Hume and Bill Bamford.

An Easter hunt, held earlier in the day was greatly enjoyed by many children. Stories by Mrs. Beth Beach were enjoyed by the children after the hunt in the hall. Club members were grateful to Mrs. Hume and her helpers for the party.

## HOLE-IN-ONE ON MAINLAND

John Rees, Galiano golf pro-phet was recognized in Vancouver. He got a hole-in-one, at Shaughnessy Golf Course, on the opening day, on the tenth hole.

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ation?" My friend Lilla and I found our friends keenly interested in this part of our trip to Britain last summer.

Actually, it was a simple matter once we found out how to go about it. For both of us this was

to be the trip of a lifetime. We were eager to make the most of our two months in the British Isles. It was our aim to do unusual things and, wherever possible to go off the beaten tourist path.

Pondering assorted ideas with this thought in mind, something reminded me of a conversation at a teaparty some years ago. One of the guests referred to an experience she had had "at the Queen's garden party". I was intrigued. How did she happen to be at such an august function? She said her invitation came through "Canadian headquarters in London".

Curiosity alone had prompted the question. At that time I had no thought of visiting England. The forgotten conversation was brought to mind by a small newspaper item listing dates for the Queen's 1970 garden parties.

I rang Lilla.

"Would you like to go to the Queen's garden party at Buckingham Palace?"

"Of course I'd like to go! But how do we get there?" Lilla asked.

"I don't know. I just wanted to be sure you would like to go before I start finding out."

A local authority was consulted. He hadn't a clue, but suggested someone further afield who might know. This person directed me to Canada House in London for information. An air letter went off at once to the social secretary at Canada House. This was in early February. A prompt reply was received enclosing two application forms to be filled in and returned to the Canadian High Commissioner by mid April several weeks before the three garden parties scheduled for early June.

An accompanying paper explained, among other things, that "The Canadian High Commissioner is given a quota of invitations to each garden party for Canadians visiting or resident in England... The High Commis-

sioner's list of recommendations must be sent to the Lord Chamberlain's office many weeks before the parties... Under no circumstances can the quota of invitations be exceeded... Only official application forms can

the small card that was our personal invitation.

We were now in a comparatively secluded part of the garden well furnished with trees, shrubs and large flower beds. In the distance we could see the great

## TEA WITH THE QUEEN AT BUCK

BY ELSIE WORTHINGTON  
MACDONALD

be accepted". The document stated further: "Unless you hear from this office to the contrary, you will receive your invitation"

Invitations are issued by command of the Queen, and are not, under any circumstances, transferable. A private English address was requested, or arrangements could be made to pick up the invitation at Canada House.

Garden party time 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Cameras not permitted. The paper ended with directions concerning dress: "Morning dress, military uniform or lounge suit. Ladies may wear whatever they wish, but it is desirable that they wear a hat and gloves."

Our application forms were filled out and returned to London without delay. We gave a Surrey address.

The invitations arrived about mid-May. The large impressive envelopes were imprinted with the Lord Chamberlain's seal and crest.

The invitations were for June 4 party.

The day was sunny and quite warm, with just enough breeze to temper the heat. My excited London cousin accompanied us to the Palace garden gate. As she turned to leave, her expression of mixed pride and longing made me feel somewhat ashamed, that we, living thousands of miles away, should have this honor, while she, having lived almost on the Queen's doorstep all her life, could not share it with us.

We learned from newspapers that British people from all walks of life are invited to these royal social functions; members of the aristocracy; navy, army and air force personnel; village officials; town councillors; representatives of professions, crafts and trades, and many other Britons are included in the guest list, along with people from Commonwealth and foreign countries. While at the party we talked to two Salvation Army men and their wives. They were jubilant at having been among those chosen at the party to be presented to the Queen as she walked among her guests.

But back to the garden gate. We went in by Constitution Hill gate at Hyde Park corner, a simple entrance through a high brick wall. London bobbies stood guard outside the gate. Inside, two stately Guardsmen, resplendent in scarlet uniforms and bearskin busbies, collected

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open lawn where a large number of guests had already gathered for the party.

Having arrived soon after the gates opened at 3.15 p.m. we had time to stroll among the flowers and trees before the party started. Perhaps there are more beautiful parts of the garden tucked away somewhere. The corner we saw was not outstanding. What did interest us, was to find here and there a weed and faded blossom. In the Queen's garden!

We reached the great lawn to find a large congregation of people on the site and hundreds more coming from several directions, including the Palace itself. About five thousand people are invited to each of the Queen's four garden parties - three held at Buckingham Palace in June, and one at Holyrood House, Edinburgh in July.

Buckingham Palace is not a beautiful building. The side facing the Mall looks like a barracks. The opposite, private side, where the party was held is more attractive. Here are stately windows. The handsome door opens on to a wide brick terrace. A flight of steps, the full width of the terrace, descends to the great lawn. To the right of the lawn from the terrace, stood a long marquee, where tea was later served to the guests. On the far left of the lawn, at the edge of the wooded garden mentioned previously, a quaint little summer house nestles among shrubs. It was here the royal party went to tea.

Top ranking regimental bands played during the afternoon from two widely separated bandstands.

A fascinating variety of dress among the guests kept us interested until the party began. Smart army uniforms, handsome robes and turbans worn by overseas visitors, all gave color to the sombre clothing of other male guests, hundreds of them attired in morning dress: striped trousers, cutaway coat, grey

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There she stood, only a few feet away from us, chatting earnestly with a small group of people. Now and then a sweet smile would light up her serious face. She has a gentle face,

with beautiful complexion and lovely blue eyes. News photographs under-rate her beauty.

The Queen moved on down the line. We saw a crowd gathering at the marquee, so we too, set off to get our tea.

The covered "tearoom", some thirty feet wide and of considerable length, open all down one

side, allowed ample room for serving the thousands of guests. Set all along the full length of the marquee, near the back, were tables laden with appetizing delicacies - finger sandwiches with substantial meat or fish filling; savoury pasties; small buttered tea buns and fancy breads, and a seemingly endless variety of tea cakes, from slices of plain madeira loaf cake to elaborate petit-fours and tasty fruit tarts. Guests helped themselves to food of their choice. A host of waitresses, in black dresses and white caps and aprons, stood behind the tables ready to serve tea, coffee, milk, non-alcoholic beverages and ices (ice cream).

It was an immense crowd to look after and it was done so smoothly. The guests were mannerly, as one would expect, but even so, they came in hundreds to be served - and served they were, with courtesy and speed. There was no confusion, no lining up. It was a fantastic experience. This, I thought, represents the optimum, the 'nth degree, in organization and coordination.

We learned later that teas for royal public functions are handled by a catering service which supplies food, china, personnel, - everything needed for the occasion.

Having acquired our dainties and a cup of tea, we now had to find somewhere to enjoy the repast. Hundreds of white ornamental iron garden tables and chairs, such as the English love, had been set out on the lawn near the marquee. We wandered in and out among the sea of guests until, at last, we found a table with two empty chairs. Our table companions were a friendly couple from near Salisbury. They were interested in us as

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So for those readers who have books long overdue, either to Salt Spring Library or any other public library, now is the time to get rid of them and ease the conscience.

When the library here is closed, books can be pushed through a slot near the doorway, so it is made quite simple. All libraries like to get books returned, and better late than never.

For those who have not become members of our well-

stocked library, next week is a good time to call and get acquainted. The volunteer staff keeps the doors open from 11 am to 3 pm daily and for two hours from 11 am on Saturdays. They welcome visitors.

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Canadians, having been surrounded by thousands of Canadian soldiers in wartime.

After tea, we saw, on the far side of the lawn, people forming a line stretching from the royal tea house to the Palace. We moved over that way and it was at this point that we met the two Salvation Army couples. They told us the guests were waiting for the royal party to leave the tea house and go back to the Palace, which they did, right on the dot of 6 p.m., and entered the Palace by a side door. We were too far back to see much of the royal procession, but did catch a brief glimpse of Her Majesty.

Now it was time to leave the party. We had come in by one of the garden gates. It would be fun to go out through the Palace itself. We followed a throng of people up the steps to the terrace and through the stately hall at snail's pace - to the official entrance. Cars were coming and going in the quadrangle, while lords and ladies and lesser folk were being informed over the loud speaker: "Your car is ready!"

By this time we were wondering if we should have come this way, not having a car to be called. We needn't have worried. Dozens of people, also apparently without cars, accompanied us as we descended the wide steps, made our way across the court and through the main gate of the Palace to the street beyond.

And so ended our delightful and memorable rendezvous with Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. God bless her!

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1971 is no exception as islanders recall the tales of the past and the people of the past.

On Salt Spring Island it was not left to the centennial years to bring pioneers together. W. M. Mouat, of Ganges, has unearthed a copy of the Vancouver Island publication, Islands Events for June 30, 1950. Feature story of the issue was the reunion of pioneers on Salt Spring.

The reunion was sparked by the late Gavin Mouat, who entertained the 250 old-timers and 300 children. Co-hosts were the Crofton family and the event took place in the

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Pioneers were those who had lived on the island prior to June 15, 1900.

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half-day and many of the 300 students were descendants of the pioneers they recognized.

Oldest native son of the island was Ernest Harrison, 83 years old. He beat by one year the first white man born on Salt Spring Island, Joseph J. Akerman who was also present at the gathering. Mr. Harrison was a descendant of the original negro settlers on Salt Spring Island.

Joe Akerman recalled the days when oxen were used for transportation and the crook of a tree served as a sled. Mr. Akerman was 82 at the time and was born on South Salt Spring Island in 1868.

Guest of honor for the occasion was the Premier of British Columbia, the late Byron Johnson. He was on an informal visit and exchanged notes with hundreds of people during the afternoon.

Meeting between the Premier and Ernie Harrison was reported. The islander was a notable athlete in his younger days and the Premier had been a keen sportsman. They recalled the times that Ernie Harrison had thrown the youthful Johnson out of the ball park when he had sneaked in without paying.

Dining room of Harbour House was decorated with photographs of the old days on Salt Spring Island. The records dated back to 1885 when Salt Spring Island was "Admirals Island" after its original naming by Capt. Richards, R.M., in 1859. It was noted that the Admiral so honored was Baynes who commanded the Pacific Station of the Royal Navy from 1857 to 1860.

He also gave his name to Baynes Peak, which is better known today as Maxwell Mountain, after an island resident.

It was the saline springs at the north end of the island, no longer accessible to the public, which gave rise to the popular name of Salt Spring Island. The present name was formally adopted in 1905 by the Geographic Board of Canada.

The gathering brought visitors from as far away as New Brunswick. Dr. Arthur Walter travelled across the Dominion to take part.

From Vale, Oregon, came Percy Purvis, who was married in St. Mark's Church in 1892. The day of the reunion was also his wedding anniversary. He was accompanied by his son and daughter.

There were then about 50 negro people on the island stated the report, all descendants of the original settlers of the island who had "either escaped or bought themselves out of slavery". Mr. Harrison's mother and grandfather had both been slaves, stated the report.

William Caldwell "Uncle Bill" resident of Salt Spring Island since 1883 was a contractor and claimed to have built the Opera House in Vancouver. His brother, Harry and his wife, had lived on the island continuously since 1884 and 1882, respectively, and had then been married more than 60 years.

Mrs. Leon King and Mrs. Dick Maxwell were born on the island 70 years before the reunion. Mrs. King is still on the island and was among the pioneers receiving medallions earlier this year.

Alfred Ruckle was the pioneer who had lived on his original homestead for the longest period. He had lived at Beaver Point for 70 years without a break.

Mrs. M. Lumley had moved to Victoria, but she returned to the island to celebrate her 86th birthday.

There were messages from old-timers who couldn't make it. Frank Scott was in the Veterans' Hospital in Victoria and his brother, Geoff accepted a presentation on his behalf.

Greatest feature of the day's gathering was the opportunity to sit around and recall the events of yesteryear.

There were tales of land-clearing and massive tasks undertaken in past years when the only assistance was from horses or oxen. They spoke of hardships and pleasures.

Some of the early pioneers recalled the days of the Indian fighting along the coast and of the Indian battles with invaders to their homeland, northern Indians and eastern settlers, both black and white.

Time was of no consequence in the day of the oxen. It was a full day's journey from Vesuvius to Ganges and back.

The pioneers recalled the five

and seven miles they walked to school at the age of six. Those children had attended the original log school at Vesuvius in the Central Settlement or the log building in Griffith's Field at Fernwood. Classes were alternated in those days. Children at Central had school one day and Fernwood the next.

Many five-year-olds walked the distance between the schools on alternate days to avoid missing school.

The three elder Beddis boys, Charlie, Jack and Henry would row each day from their home to Beaver Point, about five miles, and then walk another two miles to Beaver Point School.

That school was still in use in 1950. It was then the oldest school building still serving as a school in British Columbia.

It was not an easy life making a home on Salt Spring Island in the 19th century, agreed the old-timers, although food was plentiful.

Supplies had to be hauled in from Victoria by small boats.

Game and fish were in good supply, but so were the predators and as fast as a man stocked up on poultry or livestock the cougars and the wolves fattened out. Rifle and bait were used for years before the aggressive predators were eliminated.

The story of Salt Spring Island mentioned the visit of Victoria's Mayor Percy George as well as the Premier. From Saturna came members of the Higgs, Spalding and Payne families.

Not all guests were listed. Others mentioned were Mrs. Wilfrid Ritchie, A. L. Wilson, Mrs. A. G. Crofton, Norman Wilson, Keith Wilson, Charles, Lionel and G.S. M. Beddis, Miss B.E. M. Beddis, Mrs. Guy Cunningham, Mrs. John Inglis, daughters of R.A.R. Purdy, who taught school at Central from 1882 to 1897.

Reunion, it was reported, was the idea of Gilbert Mouat, who died four years before it could be implemented. The Mouat family, nevertheless, was the largest family group to take part with 27 members.

## THEY SEEK TO SAVE THEMSELVES

By SPECtator

Posters for the SPEC May Day Cleanup were done by the Grade 3 class at Ganges School under Miss Caroline Hamilton.

Bev Watson, Yvonne B., Alan Layard, Sarah Merston, Tom Pringle, Mark O'Donnell, Lisa Fennell, Sharon Lee Anderson, Tracy Sparling, Tom Whelby, Billy, and seven more youngsters who didn't sign their work are the young artists.

This is the generation which will be faced with really serious problems unless we change our ways.

Giving two hours of your time to picking up paper in Ganges may not seem like much, but it would show how you felt about Pollution.

If you can't come to Ganges on that morning, take a look at your own corner of the island

- your own backyard.

Maybe there'll always be a few who'll throw down beer bottles and empty cigarette boxes, but I don't think so.

When we all show we want a different kind of world, we'll get it!

## ISLAND ARTIST

Mrs. Ora F. Symes of Pender Island, has graduated from the Famous Artists School of Westport, Connecticut, in the United States.

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## IN MEMORY

## GERRY ASHTHORPE WILL BE MISSED

BY CULTUS COULEE

It was a sorry day for Pender when Gerald Ashthorpe was found in his car, dead.

On the way to the evening ferry on Friday, March 12, he had pulled over to the side of the road, near Browning Harbour turnoff.

A Vancouver friend, Walter Robinson, found no host at Otter Bay, to meet him. Why? George Logan's taxi obliged, and when they saw the Ashthorpe car, opposite Estelle's Garage, the reason was apparent.

Mr. Logan got Louis Nofield to take his passenger to South Pender, while he got in touch with the RCMP at Ganges, Dr. Homer Rogers being off-island.

Grace Ashthorpe went to her sister, Mrs. Mary Lorette, in Vancouver. A family service was held at Mt. Pleasant Funeral Parlor. Burial was at Valley View cemetery.

No one helped around, more than Gerald Ashthorpe. Lending a carpenter's hand to add an extra room; bringing prestos from

## LAMBS LOOK FOR FOOD

A touch of Beaver Point as little lambs ask for lunch at Mrs. Leon King's farm. "Several times a day," says Mrs. King Jr. "they get a bottle."

The camera that caught them disappointed them - they hoped it was edible. "Baah!" they said in disgust...but all was well...the milk bottles came soon after. -Bea Hamilton.

Port Wash; huffing and puffing them, by barrow, down slippery trail to a cabin in the bush. Running Geoff Jennens' sheep; dropping in with stovelighting papers; a bundle of pitchy kindling; oysters; or plunking down, on a bachelor table, one of Gracie's pies.

"Gerry was a good guy!" That's what people say.

As a Lancashire lad, Gerry came to Vancouver with his parents. He loved Canada. He knew all of B.C. and loved it. He loved the islands. It was his dream to live on one of them. And it was on South Pender that he found the spot that proved "beloved over all."

"They saw an ad in the paper and got in touch with me," says Nicki Liberto. "I went over to Burnaby to see them about the property. They bought in 1961. Gerry was a very wonderful person and well-liked by everybody

## Flower Show in Cold Spell

BY ELSIE BROWN

The cool weather and flu will have to be blamed for the lack of interest in the Spring Flower Show on Mayne, but the old regulars were on hand to do the work necessary and exhibit their flowers and plants on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. James must be blessed with endless patience to continue coming over which entails boarding two ferries and many hours en route. Gardeners were most interested in the short talk given by Mr. James on the growing of tomatoes. He stated there were 80 diseases that affect tomatoes and he warned against cultivating too deeply and over-watering,

who came in contact with him."

"Our introduction to Pender was through holidays at The Maples," Grace Ashthorpe says. "We always enjoyed it there, very much. The sunsets over Browning Harbour. And Mrs. Pollard's lovely meals." It was a haven, and some of Gerry's happiest times were spent with Elijah Pollard, hearing talk of pioneer days.

The Ashthorpes made sorties to South Pender, to gloat, and pick a building site. The prevailing wind? Which way would the big firs fall in a gale? Robin Pollard took down the ones that might cave them in. Gerald liked having Don Grimmer and Dave Auchterlonie, grandsons of pioneers, build their place.

They moved into LUM'S REEK, Birdwood Lane, in August, 1968. The six-room house is on rock. Grassy benches; fir, cedar, arbutus, drop away to the sea. The shipping lane sweeps along Boundary Pass, from Saturna's Monarch Head; crosses Plumper Sound, and west, down Swanson Channel; leaving the San Juans, backed by Olympics, in its wake. Sun and moon-rise, behind Baker, are beyond belief. Gerry had lived in many places and was glad to put down his roots, at last.

Gerry wrote verse about the islands. Like Kipling, he had "heard the call of the off-shore wind. And the voice of the deep sea rain; "he had heard the song - how long! how long! Pull out on the trail again?"

causing blossoming rot.

Reference to the growing of tomatoes in stoves using the nutrient system was made. Former school teacher on Mayne, Eric Foster grew them in a specially built greenhouse very successfully but it was a very expensive operation and not practical other than for scientific purposes.

After she finished judging, Mrs. James explained the reasons for her decisions in the awarding of points for the various entries.

The plant sale, under the direction of Mrs. Meg Drummond, drew interest and more than \$10 was realized. Since we had a plant sale in conjunction with the Arts and Crafts earlier in the month we feel this was most commendable.

Mrs. Marjorie Haggart was convener, assisted by Mrs. Effie Piggott at the door, Mrs. Kathleen Dought, Mrs. Winnie Hayhurst and Mrs. Betty Fry.

Secretarial work was done by Mrs. Grace Evans.

Winner of the door prize, a rhododendron, was Winnie Hayhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. James were accompanied by two Salt Spring Islanders, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Edwards. Mrs. Edwards displayed some of her beautiful framed flower designs which excited considerable interest.

A refreshing cup of tea was enjoyed to round out the afternoon, and we look for a larger turnout to the next show when warmer weather is expected.

## SATURNA

BY PAPAJOHN

It must be spring. The temperature is over 60, Granmarie has gone to ye kirk and it is an effort to get started this sunny morning. Would much sooner be out visitin and with a few beers be after telling folks how this or that should be done.

Our new wharf under the able supervision of most of the islanders is coming on fine. Of course, most of us just can't watch too long as the workers get real energetic once in a while and it hurts to see or imagine having to work that fast or hard.

The Gulf Islands Historical meeting will be on Friday, April 30 in our Hall at 1 p.m. Now they are not lethargic by any means but the meetings are quiet, purposeful and interesting without any heavy discussions about the danger of the natives on Mars polluting something. So come on out and enjoy an afternoon among friendly people and RELAX. If you are not a paying member it might be an idea to join and thus support our own Islands historically.

For further relaxation and enjoyment of living on our Island there will be a CARD PARTY in the Hall at 8 p.m. on Friday, April 30. There will be bridge, crib or you can play solitaire and just relax and watch or listen to the more animated (?) players. Of course the tasty delicacies with your tea or coffee will more than compensate for the \$1 charge.

HAPPY NEWS

The sad news is happy news this week. Em Coombs had his operation in Lady Minto and is home. Lacy Laura says Em came on fine the only trouble he had was that of being careful with his stitching, he was so thin. Bonny Bea Froeze is home and is Frank happy. Rapt Ruth Connor is also home and says that the atmosphere around Lady Minto would help anyone. Wee tender Teena King is in Lady

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**SATURNA**  
 (From Page Twelve)  
 Minto but is coming home before you read this.

Lacy Laura Coombs had her parents, Ernie and modest Marg Ingham over watching lacy Laura while Em was away. Have to keep an eye on these young folks.

Papajohn and Granmarie have a guest for a couple of weeks. He is Muffi, our grandson's dog. The extra "f" in his name is our way of putting on the dog as we have another dog who visits the Island with the same name and same "Walt Disney" appearance.

## CRAB THIEVES

Thieves are invariably dumb and plain stupid and this one illustrates it. Some weekenders raided Steve Maskow's crab trap and left some dead herring in it as bait. Result all Steve got was a couple of dog fish. Yes, we have this light fingered trouble here too, and we have a fair idea of who it is and they had better PRAY that we never catch them.

It is probably (?) nice, like President Nixon, to have a direct line to the President of the USSR but Mr. Georgeson on Mayne is just anti-direct lines. No wonder! Why? Because every time for a week that we called a number we got him on the phone. He was real good about it and even complained for us at the same time he blew his top at B.C. Tel. This its-an-act-of-God attitude of the people who supply us with essential services makes you want to say, ?!?!?!?!?!?!?

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GULF ISLANDS COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL NOTICE to all members. The annual general meeting and election of officers will be held on Wednesday, May 19, starting at 1:45 pm in the Legion Hall. New members wishing to join now will be eligible to attend meeting and vote. Annual dues: \$2. Mrs. R. Underhill, Sec. Treas. 537-5353. 16-1

PUBLIC MEETING  
of the S.S.I. Community Planning Association will be held on Monday, May 3, 8 pm, Mahon Hall, Ganges. In order to assess public reaction, the following resolutions will be presented:

"Moved that this Association recommend to the Advisory Planning Commission that the Regional Board enact a by-law which would ban the use of firearms, throughout the year, on all lakes situated on Salt Spring Island. This ban to include existing land area surrounding these lakes for a distance of 100 yards from high water mark."

"Moved that this Association recommend to the Advisory Planning Commission that a by-law be enacted by the Regional Board which would ban the use of motor-equipped boats with a horsepower exceeding 5 1/2 hp on all public lakes on Salt Spring Island. This ban would not apply to vessels being used in emergency situations or for the purpose of making scientific investigations." 16-1

## COMING EVENTS

ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE  
May 29 Legion Hall  
For pick-up phone 537-2455 or 653-4358. tfn

DAFFODIL TEA  
and  
BAKE SALE  
Our Lady of Grace Church Hall  
Sat. May 8, 1971. 15-2

C.W.L. BINGO  
Saturday, May 1st at 8 p.m.  
Church Hall, Drake Rd.  
Jackpot \$15.  
Caller: George Dumas.  
Refreshments, everyone welcome  
Raffle prizes on display.  
Last jackpot winner: Mrs. Jameski 16-1

ST. MARK'S GUILD 7TH  
ANNUAL TEA  
in aid of Primate's World Relief and St. George's Guild Bake Sale at The Horels, Cusheon Lake at 2 pm on Wednesday, May 5. 16-1

A professional organist from Edmonton, Alberta, will give a SHORT RECITAL on the new organ, at the Community Gospel Church, Ganges, May 2, at 7 p.m. The public is invited. 16-1

## MAYNE ISLAND

## COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting

Saturday

May 8

7:30 pm

Agricultural Hall.

Wednesday, May 5  
FULL GOSPEL MUSICAL TOUR  
Group will be at the Community Gospel Church, Drake Road. Time: 8 p.m. The public is invited, young people especially. 16-1

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### FORM NO. 1

### LAND ACT

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND

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Take notice that IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED of 1281 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, 5, B.C. occupation, distributors of petroleum products, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the north westerly boundary of Lot 518, Cowichan District with the High Water Mark of Ganges Harbour, thence north easterly along said north westerly boundary to the northerly corner of said Lot 518; thence south easterly along the north easterly boundary of said Lot 518 to the most easterly corner thereof; thence north easterly along the production of the south easterly boundary of said Lot 518 for 30.14 feet; thence north westerly and parallel to said north easterly boundary to an intersection with the south easterly boundary of Lot 348 Cowichan District; thence south westerly along the said south easterly boundary of said Lot 348 to an intersection with the high water mark of Ganges Harbour; thence south easterly along said high water mark to the point of commencement and containing 0.16 acres, more or less.

The purpose for which the disposition is required is Wharf, floats and the storage and distribution of petroleum products.

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED,  
Per: Peter E. Thomson, B.C.L.S. Agent.

Dated: March 9th, 1971. 15-2

## OBITUARY

MITCHELL - Capt. James Mitchell passed away on Sunday, April 25, 1971. He was born in Ayrshire, Scotland. Following service with the Imperial Light Horse during the Boer War and the Zulu Rebellion he served under Lord Baden-Powell in the South African Constabulary. In World War One he served in the RFC and was awarded the Military Cross. Prior to taking up residence on Salt Spring Island in 1922 he was American Consul in Chile, South America. He is survived by his loving wife, Doris and daughter, June; one nephew, Laurence Mitchell in Scotland.

Funeral services will be held in St. George's Anglican Church Ganges, 1 pm, Thursday, April 28. Archdeacon R.B. Horsefield will officiate; followed by cremation. Goodman Funeral Home in charge of arrangements 16-1

WESTON - Carl Bernhard of Vesuvius Bay, B.C. formerly of Port Coquitlam, B.C. suddenly at Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges on April 20, 1971 in his 72nd year. Survived by his wife, Signe, one daughter, Mrs. G. Schwartz (Delsie) of Courtenay, B.C.; three grandchildren, one brother in Sweden. Private cremation. Flowers gratefully declined. 16-1

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Brown and family would like to thank their many friends for the wonderful dinner and party given upon Mr. Brown's retirement at the Salt Spring Island Golf and Country Club on April 16. 16-1

Signe Weston, daughter Delsie and family wish to express deep gratitude to friends and neighbors for kindnesses during their loss and special thanks to Dr. Thomson, Dr. Dixon and Mrs. Margaret Wilkinson for their kind thoughtfulness and help. 16-1

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## MAYNE WEDDING IN VANCOUVER

BY ELSIE BROWN

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Mathias Anglican church, Vancouver when Daphne Lynne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Bowman of Vancouver was united in marriage to Don Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyla Hudson of Mayne Island on April 8. Rev. E. Eldridge officiated at the ceremony and Gordon Griffith was best man.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of peau d'elephant with Empire bodice trimmed with lace at neck, waist, sleeves and hem. Her floor length veil of tulle was held in place with a crown of white flowers and she carried a bouquet of pink roses and lily of the valley.

Daphne's attendants were her sister, Mrs. Dana Fuhr who was matron of honor, Mrs. Diane Auld, bride's matron, and Miss

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Barbara Astalos, bridemaid. They wore gowns matching the design of the bride's in hot pink, and carried bouquets of white carnations.

The bride's mother wore a turquoise dress with navy accessories and corsage of yellow roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a mauve dress with white accessories with corsage of gardenias.

Tania Van Den Heuvel was flower girl and wore a white dress with pink trim and carried a bouquet of daisies. Ring bearer was Jamie Auld.

A reception was held at the Delta Room at Air Port Inn following the ceremony. The newlyweds left for Kelowna on their honeymoon and enjoyed skiing down Tod Mountain.

RECEPTION  
A reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's par-

## REAL ESTATE

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ents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyla Hudson Bayview Drive, Mayne Island on Sunday afternoon to which many of Don and Daphne's friends came to extend their best wishes. Assisting with serving of refreshments were Mrs. Ron Toms, Mrs. Evelyn Ducklow and Heather Evans.

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## REGIONAL SURVEY

## BIGGEST GROWTH IS SUMMER HOMES

Major growth among the islands has been shown by summer visitors according to the report of the Capital Regional District. In its new social and economic survey the regional district lists population growth and other details.

Following tables from the survey shows the regional district's assessment of island growth:

	Permanent		Summer	
	1967	1970	1967	1970
Salt Spring	2240	2626	215	458
Mayne	183	167	290	585
Saturna	94	125	102	243
Galiano	320	293	225	435
North Pender	373	376	133	495
South Pender	49	42	43	110
Totals	3259	3629	1008	2326

The islands have a labor force of 1,100, states the report.

In 1961 this force was 883. By 1966 it had climbed to 950 and today exceeds 1,000. By 1981 it

## TWO DYNAMIC ISLANDERS TO SERVE CHURCHMEN

Special meeting of the parishioners of the Anglican church of St. Margaret of Scotland on Galiano Island, was held following Evening prayer, on Sunday April 18. Rev. O.L. Foster conducted the meeting.

Eddie Bambrick was named People's Warden.

Mr. Foster expressed his appreciation to Mr. Bambrick for accepting, and then announced his choice for Vicar's Warden, Miss Jean Lockwood.

"With two such dynamic personalities in these two positions, a lot can now be accomplished," he told the meeting.

is expected to reach 1,530, says the report.

The labor force is the more impressive for the fact that the islands house a population of which 25% are over 65 years of age.

Average in the Capital Regional District is 15% and in British Columbia it is 10%.

There are 28 commercial fishermen whose home port is among the islands. Their gross take last year was 87,000 pounds of fish. They employ 44 persons.

## LICENSE OR DON'T HUNT

Commencing March 1, 1972, all resident hunters between the ages of 14 and 18, regardless of whether they have previously been licenced to hunt, will be required to qualify for a hunting licence by graduating from the Hunter Training program, and that all residents 14 years of age or older, applying for a hunting licence for the first time, must also qualify by graduating from the program.

## FULFORD TIDE TABLES

APRIL/MAY 1971

DAY	TIME	HT.
30	0410	9.0
	0610	9.1
FR	1430	1.8
	2315	10.8
1	0530	8.5
	0710	8.5
SA	1520	2.7
2	0005	10.7
	0640	7.7
SU	0820	7.7
	1615	3.6
3	0050	10.6
	0805	6.9
MO	1040	7.1
	1715	4.4
4	0130	10.4
	0815	6.1
TU	1300	7.1
	1820	5.3
5	0140	10.2
	0845	5.4
WE	1430	7.6
	1910	6.1
6	0200	10.0
	0855	4.6
TH	1540	8.3
	2015	6.8

boats 'n' floats 'n'  
fish 'n' things . . . .

By Q. Harold Dibnah



This is not a commercial - but fishing has been good lately

Several good catches have been reported - a newcomer to Salt Spring Island, Mr. Beauchemin did well over the Easter holidays, boating several nice salmon (4 beauties) in one day.

Tent Island has proven a hot spot. Another area that has been producing is the rocky ledge off Vesuvius Bay.

Herb Skuce picked up a nice 10-pounder on strip a few days ago. I understand they are fishing a little deep - 1 pound with about 100 feet of line. Herring strip and the oldtime standby Tom Mack are the lucky lures. Once the sun comes out the flashtails with less weight should be attractive to the hungry young salmon.

Oysters are excellent now - have you ever tried barbecuing them in their shells?

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Did you know that Nautical Charts are available for all waters surrounding Salt Spring Island. They are a must for boaters, wonderful as a picture or under a glass top coffee table to show your friends where they are - how they got there - where they are going.

Chart No.	Area
3449	Orcas Is., Saanich Pen., South S.S.I.
3450	Salt Spring Is., Gulf Islands
3452	Salt Spring Island
3470	Long Harbor, Fulford Hbr., Ganges Hbr.

There is also a Chart No. 1. It explains how to read charts, explanation of symbols, etc. Every boater should have one - they are free.

We are interested in hearing all fish stories so if you hook a big one or a small one, please let us know. What we need on

## SOUTH PENDER

( From Page Four )

her honeymoon with Doug Goldsmith, August, 1946, when they camped on the beach.

Cedar siding on Clakili cabin, bulged with daughters Dale, 17, Heather, 15, Maureen and Karer Lillian Tucker, Summerland, staying with them; Bagrielle le Cotey, Surabaja, Java, via Kingston, Ont., and chauffeur Doug Garipey, Montreal now Victoria. A beach picnic, where Geraldine Goldsmith visited childhood haunts and landmarks.

Howard and Esme Davis, Victoria, to Clakili. With them Senora Scilla De Aguiar, from the Algarve, in southern Portugal, near world-famous Praia da Rocha. As Mary Priscilla Webb of Mevagsissey, Cornwall, she and Esme Grace Davis, met at Ditchling, Sussex, where Esme was spinning and weaving at Gospel's Studio, with teacher Ethel Mairet; and Priscilla was tending the Mairet boutique in nearby Brighton.

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