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MR. LAWRENCE DAMPIER
President Provincial Council for British Columbia and the Yukon Boy Scouts of Canada.

Gibsons council rejects application for marina

A petition bearing 33 names and seven letters of protest against a proposed marina in vicinity of the old government island wharf were read before Gibsons village council at Tuesday night's meeting.

As a result of the petition, letters and argument by a delegation of seven, council refused to grant a permit to Ernie Cartwright for a marina.

Arguments of the seven residents were that it was a residential area with a good, safe and clean beach for children and it should be preserved for the people of Gibsons. Children bathed there last year and picnicked also. Even a three-year-old could bathe there. The waterfront people involved were 100 percent against it, council was told.

Every spring residents cleaned up the beach. As far as a ramp was concerned there was no pollution connected with it, but there would be pollution from the number of boats around there

The island wharf was to them an eyesore. It was explained through council that the engineer department that put it up said it would be removed when it was no longer required. The delegation was asked could the island wharf be used without any land connection. The reply in general was that they did not want the area commercialized. They did not want the beach taken away. The beach would be polluted and the sewage problem would be the most serious.

Questions were asked by delegation members as to where cars involved would park, the cars concerned with unloading at a boat ramp.

On the problem of a possible next move by anyone seeking a marina there, council informed the delegation that the provincial government usually followed the advice of council in such matters.

The proposition was posed that if visitors started using the end of Prowse road to launch boats who could stop them? If they continued could it grow to large proportions?

Scouts show good growth in province

Further growth in membership and further steps towards decentralization of organization were highlights of the annual report of the B.C.-Yukon Council of Boy Scouts of Canada The report was presented to the annual meeting of the association in Vancouver. Other highlights of the meeting, which brought 100 delegates from all parts of B.C., were:

Lawrence Dampier, assistant publisher of the Vancouver Sun, was elected president of the provincial council. Mr. Dampier who has served on the B.C.-Yukon Council for four years has been a member of the Canadian General council since 1946.

Eleven leaders received awards for good serivces to the movement from Lt.-Gov. George Pearkes, B.C. Scout patron.

The annual banquet, attended by 925, received a warning from Commissioner L. H. Nicholson, deputy Chief Scout for Canada, that Scouting must not let the machinery which operates the movement become more important than the boys in the program.

West Delta Scout District urged by resolution that long trousers be adopted for the Scout uniform instead of shorts.. The executive committee will consider the resolution further and pass its findings on to the Canadian General Council.

The provincial council special events committee was asked to study a resolution from Port Moody-Ioco district asking for a B.C. Scout Rally.

Figures in the annual report showed that total membership at Dec. 37, 1960, were 36,008 as compared with 33,694 in 1959. This includes 20,887 Wolf Cubs (boys 8-11), 11,325 Boy Scouts (boys 11-18, 209 Rover Scouts (youths 16-23) and 3,587 leaders. This total does not include hundreds of lay workers on the 749 group committees and 89 district councils in B.C. and Yukon. Comparisons show that membership has grown from 8,901 in 1945 and 15,269 in 1955.

Adopts boy 6, in Korea

Mrs. M. E. Telford of Gibsons has financially "adopted" Jo Yoo Hyun, a 6-year-old Korean boy through Foster Parents' Plan, Inc., P. O. Box 65, Station B, Montreal. The Foster Parents contribute $15 a month toward the child's support for at least one year.

Foster Parents' Plan, which has rehabilitated more than 77,000 children on a personal basis since its founding in 1937, is now helping more than 17,000 youngsters in Greece, Italy, South Korea, Franch, Belgium, Viet Nam and Hong Kong. Over the past 23 years, more than 600,000 individuals and groups in Canada and the United States have helped needy children overseas through Foster Parents' Plan.

"We are indeed grateful to Mrs. Telford for giving Yoo Hyun this wonderful gift of hope and help," declared Miss Gloria C. Matthews, executive director of Foster Parents' Plan, "and we prayerfully hope that many others who read this will also extend a helping hand to a distressed child. We shall be happy to send full information on how to become a Foster Parent to a child in Europe, South Korea, Viet Nam or Hong Kong to any individual, school or group writing to Foster Parents' Plan, P.O. Box 65, Station B. Montreal," Miss Matthews added.

Banquet for staff at mill

Port Mellon celebrations to mark the ten year anniversary of Canadian Forest Products Ltd operations in Port Mellon will include a banquet at Seaside hotel Saturday night followed by a dance in the Community Hall.

The banquet will honor all original employees on the staff between April and Dec. 31, 1951. Both the banquet and dance are on an invitational basis. The ten year celebrations in Port Mellon are jointly supported by the company, Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers Union 297 and the Port Mellon Community Association.

To expand hall

Sechelt's Royal Canadian Legion building will be enlarged by extending one side of the hall 10 feet, the length of the building. This was revealed at the last meeting of Sechelt village council when the problem was placed before council for consideration.

At the same time it was learned that the Legion has obtained the use of two lots from Ted Osborne on the other side of the street for parking facilities.

The problem of the building expansion was left to the discretion of E. T. Raynor, the building inspector.

ROBERT GOSDEN

Robert Gosden, 78, one of the pioneers of Gibsons area died Tuesday at his home on Marine Drive. The funeral will take place Tuesday at 3 p.m. at Edwards Funeral Home in Vancouver. Fuller details will be published next week.

More homes for Gibsons

Four building permits for a total cost of $33,500 were granted at Tuesday night's Gibsons council meeting.

Harold and Mary E. Lymun of Vancouver will build a 30 x 36 ft. $15,000 four room dwelling on Gower Pt. Road.

Charles and Doris Haina will build a 26 x 36 ft. four room $7,000 dwelling and separate 20 x 20 ft. garage and workshop.

John Thurston of Vancouver will build a 35 x 37 ft. five room dwelling to cost $11,000 and a permit for a $500 outhouse was granted Mrs. Florence Moore.

Hobby show open Friday

Don't forget to place on your calendar of events the Hobby show to be held Friday and Saturday of this week at Wilson Creek Community hall. There are about 40 exhibitors who have announced they plan to place exhibits on display, some of which will be for sale.

The items to be exhibited range from ceramics, rocks, plywood novelties, paintings, pottery, leathercraft, wood carving, homemade quilts, driftwood, teaspoon collection, an African violet collection and many other things.

Times for the exhibits being on display are from 8 to 10 p.m. on Friday and from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. Wilson Creek Hall is reached along the Davis Bay waterfront. The Hobby Show is sponsored by the Wilson Creek Community Association.

Fine picture on wildlife

For one hour-and-a-half scenes depicting life in the Bella Coola valley Lonesome Lake area will be unfolded on Wed., April 19 at 8 p.m. in Elphinstone High school auditorium.

This epic of wildlife, presented by Gibsons Rod and Gun club consists of a film and talk centred on the daily activities of the pioneering Edwards family. John Edwards, a son of Ralph Edwards, central character in a book, Crusoe of Lonesome Lake, will be narrator.

The father moved into Lonesome Lake back in 1912. The nearest neighbor is 20 miles away and the family now uses a plane to get around. The story dealing with life at Lonesome Lake will include pictures of rare trumpeter swans which at one time were considered extinct, a waterfall, the highest in Canada, some 1,300 feet and wild life in its natural state. This picture is regarded as being one of the most outstanding of its type. It was photographed by John Edwards who lugged heavy equipment around on his back to get the rare shots which will be shown.

VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. Peter Hildebrand and children Judy, Jimmy and Randy of North Surrey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ritchey of Gibsons for a week.

Blood Bank

Arrangements are well underway with the Kinsmen clubs at Gibsons and Sechelt for the setting up of a Red Cross Blood Bank in Gibsons Legion Hall on May 4.

In order to get the fullest cooperation Boy Scouts and Girl Guides will distribute donor cards in the areas in which they live from Port Mellon to Pender Harbour.

Kinsmen Club members are also arranging for the setting up of the local organization which will assist Red Cross officials in moving donors through the blood bank as quickly as possible.

Returns from Orient trip

Guests at Mrs. Helen Lau's during the vacation week were her daughter and family from Vancouver and her son and family from Trail. Also Mr. and Mrs. P. Sherman and four children. Mr. Sherman is the provincial government reporter at the parliament buildings in Victoria.

Mrs. Lau recently returned from a three month cruise which took her to the Philippines, China Japan and Korea. Some of the high spots of the trip were a side trip by train from Yokohama to Tokyo, a modern city of wide streets and large buildings. The cities seemed to have more taxis than private cars, wild drivers and no dented fenders. Clerks in stores were happy and smiling.

Keelung on Tauian Island was Oriental as Naha, Okinawa Island, was Americanized. On the wharf were pedi-cabs, narrow-seated, topped carts drawn by bicycles, and carts drawn by yellow cows, a sort of water buffalo.

While there she celebrated her birthday by being guest of honor at the Grand Hotel at Taipei for dinner, a distance of 30 miles which they travelled by taxi through rice paddies being worked by men and water buffalo.

In Hong Kong the Chinese New Year was at the height of celebration so that the stores were closed.

All kinds of weather was experienced on the trip, heat in Manilla, cold in Korea and snow and blizzards off the Aleutians.

In a cribbage contest, Mrs. Lau won several games while passing through the Yellow Sea and won the moniker "Champion of the Yellow Sea."

SMALL TALK By Syms

"Can you keep a secret?" "How long?"

Hospital society to meet on Sunday

St. Mary's Hospital Society's annual meeting is expected to draw the largest attendance so far on Sunday, April 16 at 2 p.m. in Madeira Park Community Hall.

Transportation is being arranged at Gibsons and Sechelt for those without cars who desire to attend. In Gibsons the phone numbers at which arrangements for transportation will be made are John Harvey, 886-9551 and Mrs. Mary Stenner at 886-9905 and in Sechelt at Jim Parker's phone 885-2171 or Mrs. R. Alan Swan at 885-2133.

At this meeting matters pertaining to the proposed new hospital will be discussed along with the president's and administrator's reports. There will also be bylaw amendments and the election of two trustees.

In view of the importance of this meeting it is desired that all members, no matter what section of the area in which they live, will attend this meeting.

Power for Keats Island and Egmont during May

B.C. Electric expects to lay submarine electric cable across Shoal Channel to Keats Island during early May. The 3800-foot underwater line will run from Steep Bluff, southeast of Gibsons, to the Baptist Church camp property on the island.

F. H. Norminton, BCE district manager, reports that already 100 persons on Keats have indicated their desire for electric power.

Electric power is also expected to reach the centre of Egmont community by May 1 according to Mr. Norminton. Hume & Rumble crews are this week completing the building of the 4-mile line extension from Earls Cove.

Egmont school, community hall and general store will be the first to receive electric power, and distribution lines will be erected soon after to serve the homes in the area.

Signposts to be ordered for Sechelt's streets

Sechelt's village council at its April 5 meeting decided it would obtain nameplates for the streets and at the same time get clarification on the registered names of some streets now with doubtful names.

Council also decided by motion to make what is known as Wharf street into a continuation of Porpoise Bay Road which would then run from water to water. Cowrie St. will become Marine Drive.

Decision was also made to paint the Municipal hall walls both inside and outside. A petition bearing 22 names was turned over to B.C. Telephones for the placing of a pay telephone booth at the land end of Porpoise Bay Wharf.

The problem of breakages on the wharf at Porpoise Bay was turned over to the RCMP who report they are keeping an eye on the situation there. E. T. Raynor, municipal clerk, was appointed fire prevention officer for the village. A grant of $250 was made to the fire department. The B.C. Electric will be asked to place street lights at Dolphin and Ocean St., also at the Hackett Park corner.

Rebekahs honor president

Rebekah Lodge, Arbutus 76 Gibsons, entertained at a smorgasbord supper for the visit of the president of the Rebekah Assembly of B.C., Mrs. Isobel Harrison, P.N.G.

Her address to members was inspiring. She was much impressed by the work which has been done by the local lodge.

A tea was arranged for the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jean Duncan of Gibsons and two valued members were taken to meet the president. They were Mrs. Spencer of Granthams and Mrs. Rhodes of Gibsons.

Visiting from Tesquoit Rebekah Lodge 45 of Powell River were Lily Clapp, N.G., Edith Boniface, V.G., Molly Flynn Maude Passmore, P.N.G., Alice Beecham, P.N.G., Hazel Newbold, Beverly Johnson, P.N.G., and Bernice Hopkins, P.A.T. Mrs Hilda Lee was soloist with Mrs Peterson at the piano. An omusing skit was presented. It was called a Jazz Wedding. Taking part were Jean Duncan, Alice Rees, Elsie Hutchins and Roy Bruce.

Corsages were presented to Anna Spencer N.G., and Henrietta Chamberlin, D.D.P., and to the visiting president. The visitors were lavish in their praise of Gibsons and ended the evening with a song about Gibsons and hoping to come again.

C.W.L. RAFFLE

Members of "Most Pure Heart of Mary" C.W.L., St. Mary's. Gibsons, are holding a giant raffle and tickets are now being sold by members, and their friends. The draw will take place June 9, at the C.W.L. Family Night in Gibsons School Hall. There are ten prizes ranging in value up to $25.

O.A.P.O. MEETING

A general meeting will be held in the Kinsmen Hall at 2 p.m., April 17. A report of the regional meeting will be given by the president. Plans for the picnic will be arranged. New members will be welcome.

Fashion show

A Fashion Show sponsored by the Wilson Creek United Church Ladies Auxiliary will be held at Wilson Creek Community Hall, 2 p.m, Sat, April 22.

Well known Vancouver commentator, Mrs. Nina Anthony, will describe the lovely coats, sports wear, and gay summer frocks worn by the models. Children's dresses and sports wear will be modelled including accessories.

Dresses will come from Eve Lyons Toggery Shop in Sechelt. The beautiful matching jewelry will come from Chris' Jewelry store, Sechelt. Tea will be served.

Support your new hospital at St.Mary's Hospital Society's annual meeting, Madeira Park hall, 2 p.m. Sun. April 16

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Progress reported

Until Canadian Forest Products took over the pulp mill at Port Mellon, its existence was inevitably a matter for conjecture.

On re-reading Wally Brown's "Port Mellon's Transformation — Ten Years of Progress" in last week's issue of the Coast News, one paragraph stands out as being perhaps the best qualified to repeat so the necessary contrast can be emphasized. Here is that paragraph:

"The fact Port Mellon is still running and money is still being invested here in spite of sharp cutbacks in associated industries, may be taken to imply that Port Mellon is a technological and financial success. Such a conclusion must however be sharply tempered by the realization that Port Mellon is but a part of a larger aggressive concern all of whose units have helped each other and the whole."

Well, the conclusion may be sharply tempered but the fact remains there is credit due to the staff at Port Mellon. In using the word "staff" it does not mean the high brass only. It includes everyone from the top man down to the man with the most menial job at the plant.

Since Canadian Forest Products took over the Port Mellon pulp-mill more than $5,000,000 has been spent on making the plant one of the most up-to-date of its type. This is not generally known by most Sunshine Coast people. It should also be mentioned that this year close to $1,000,000 may be spent on plant extension.

It should be quite clear that the continued existence of the CFP mill at Port Mellon is no longer "inevitably a matter for conjecture."

A natural harbor

To keep the record straight, last week's editorial concerning the use of Gibsons harbour was not for the purpose of supporting any individual who is considering establishing a marina or any appurtenances to such.

The issue is will landbound people have sufficient weight with authorities to keep water traffic off their particular piece of shoreline, particularly in a safe harbour like that at Gibsons, safe for small craft, particularly.

Within recent months there have been three marina type proposals placed before Gibsons village council. The Coast News is not backing any one of them specifically. It is however raising the question as to the future of Gibsons harbour, one of the most logical and safe places for the growing fleet of pleasure craft which will ply this coastline for years to come. What is the natural thing to do with a natural harbour? There is one answer only, make it available.

Rainfall

(By Les Peterson)

When rain-filled cloud hits mountain,
It cools and drops its rain,
And waterfall and fountain
Depend on this refrain.

But yonder lies the mountain,
And here, in moonlight plain,
Gleam waterfall and fountain —
Could they be born of rain?

Radio-TV supervision

Canada's private TV and radio stations, 163 of them, this month voluntarily agreed to exercise the closest possible supervision over the content and production of all future shows they put on the air for children.

To help the private stations do a better job in programming, all parents are being asked to support the Code of Ethics stations by informing them of what they like, and dislike their children to see on TV or hear on radio. The stations would also appreciate information on what the children like themselves.

In addition to close supervision of children's shows, each of these 163 Code of Ethics stations will also promise:

To arrange its programming so that all groups of listeners and viewers can have some part devoted to their special likes and dislikes;

To identify itself actively with worthwhile community activities.

To try and augment the good influence of our schools, our homes, and other institutions devoted to education and culture;

To give airtime to controversial public issues;

To provide adequate opportunity for the presentation of religious programs but, at the same time, to make sure that no religious broadcast is ever used to convey attacks upon another race or religion;

To accept no advertising that is untruthful or offends against good taste.

Regulations of the new Code of Ethics will be strictly enforced by the 163 broadcasting stations themselves. A committee has been appointed by the Canadian Association of Broadcasters, with power to investigate and discipline any Code of Ethics member station that fails to live up to the Code standards.

Doubled in spades

(By M. N.)

Hypo searched the sky sourly as she donned her bib overalls. The seed catalogues had been circulating freely through the mails for weeks, ear-wigs had been house hunting and great clumps of grass and heavy sods were leaping into growth in the garden area even as she watched. With evident lack of enthusiasm she noted there would be no rain today and therefore no excuse to postpone the digging.

Housework which ordinarily was disposed of in minutes, particularly if there was a good book at hand, dragged, and, briefly, Hypo became a perfectionist. The dust was swept up into a dust-pan instead of under the stove out of sight, and the beds were properly made instead of just having the covers pulled up and hidden by the spread. In desperation she made dessert for the family's dinner and even went so far as to bake a cake.

Lunch time came and went, and still no rain. She sat down with a cup of coffee and wrote a letter she remembered must be written at once, even though the mail would not be collected until tomorrow. She gained a reprieve when the phone rang and she clutched the receiver to her ear ready to converse with anyone for any length of time. It was a wrong number. Disconsolately she hung up and dragged herself to the garden.

With a final scowl at the clear blue sky she grasped a spade and started in. Nothing happened. So thick were the sods that the spade would not penetrate. She worked the thing back and forth, stepping on it as hard as she could until it stuck into the grass for about two inches. She left it there, swaying, while she circled around it planning attack. Suddenly, without warning she pounced upon it with both feet, and the impetus of all that poundage drove it a foot deep into the ground. "Hah, you so and so" she muttered, "don't think you can stop me once my mind is made up." She then grasped the handle firmly and lifted. The handle broke off. Which didn't help much — there was another spade. Hypo never ever bought just one of anything, and there were enough spades of assorted sizes to last for several tries.

By the time the moon had come over the mountain Hypo still had not run out of spades and the pile of shaken-out sods waiting to be tossed over the fence had grown to fine heights, the family had dined and retired and she was unable to straighten up.

When the last spade went, Hypo crawled on hands and knees into the house, into a hot tub, up the stairs and into bed. A brown patch of earth three feet square lay exposed to the moon-light, ready for planting.

Hypo lay aching in her bed and not until she heard the heavy raindrops on the roof did the pain let up. Then she snuggled down blissfully to sleep. The digging would be postponed for, with luck, another week or two.

LETTERS to editor

Editor: In reference to the permit asked for for a Marina in the Bay area and the writing in connection with it in the Coast News, may I mention a few points.

Firstly there is more than one opinion as to what is progress.

The marina asked for would, I understand, pay no taxes to the village; but would certainly spoil to a great extent the nice beach (one of the very few that we have), that is used by many children and adults of the community for picnics and swimming.

The pleasure boats tied up at the Marina would not bring trade into the village, they come mostly fully equipped with all they need.

The residents buy groceries, hardware, building supplies, and such things as our stores carry. In years to come a residential area with an improved bay area will attract visitors to the community to spend holidays and patronize our motels and stores.

A boat launching ramp, if required, could certainly be accommodated from the commercial area of Gibsons or even from a slip on the government wharf.

M. E. Telford.

The month of opening

By A. J. C.

For lo! the winter is past; the rain is over and gone; flowers appear on the earth and the time of the singing of birds is come.

Wordsworth might have written it but Solomon had made it part of his song 3,000 years earlier, showing that spring invaded even the magnificence of an eastern potentate.

That gentle invasion carries all before it in a tidal wave of new and renewed life. The young are instinctively, almost unconsciously joyous and the old are grateful for being permitted once more to witness the opening of the light in the morning sky and in the minds and the hearts of mankind. We, the old, have no future to look forward to, but the present is no less lovely for that and it is ours to use or misuse; responsibility ends only with life itself.

In our climate we approach that second clause of Solomon's with caution; our rain is "gone" one day but not far and likely to pay a return visit the next. But it is a warm and friendly rain, the opening buds expand under the gentle spray and the infant leaves peer out in gladness at the caress of the first raindrops they have known.

Our trees, great and small, live in intimate association with the rain. No rain, no forest is a true saying and no forest industry follows naturally, with all it would mean.

In prolonged heat and drought trees of broad foliage shed some of their leaves for the sake of the others but the deep-going roots of the firs draw on the reserve of moisture in the subsoil that was stored in the rains of winter, using it with sunlight and carbon dioxide to build up the long-fibred strength of their trunks. Anyone who has watched the bending of the firs in a hurricane squall and their defiant backspring in every lull needs no further evidence of that quality that makes timber valuable for heavy construction. Our firs can take it and our forests are our rains made manifest.

But the time of the singing of birds finds us with no songsters; no chaffinch in the hedgerow awakens us at daybreak with his musical statement of approval of things in general, our sombre woods never hear the nightingale's out pouring of passion on a warm and scented night in June.

The robin chirrups pleasingly with the little best he can do, the woodpecker's call is a strident shriek but he beats a tattoo with a beak of iron that has a rousing quality—in early morning! — and the willow-grouse in the thicket drums a soft note in fast time that carries far through the woods to one who hears — and knows the code.

Singers or not they all express agreement with Solomon the wise and with us all by the means available to them. "Do the best you can with what you have" is a good working rule for birds or man.

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President's Report — Administrator's Report
Report from the Hospital Improvement District
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Report of Hospital Construction Committee
Amendments to Bylaws — Election of Two Trustees

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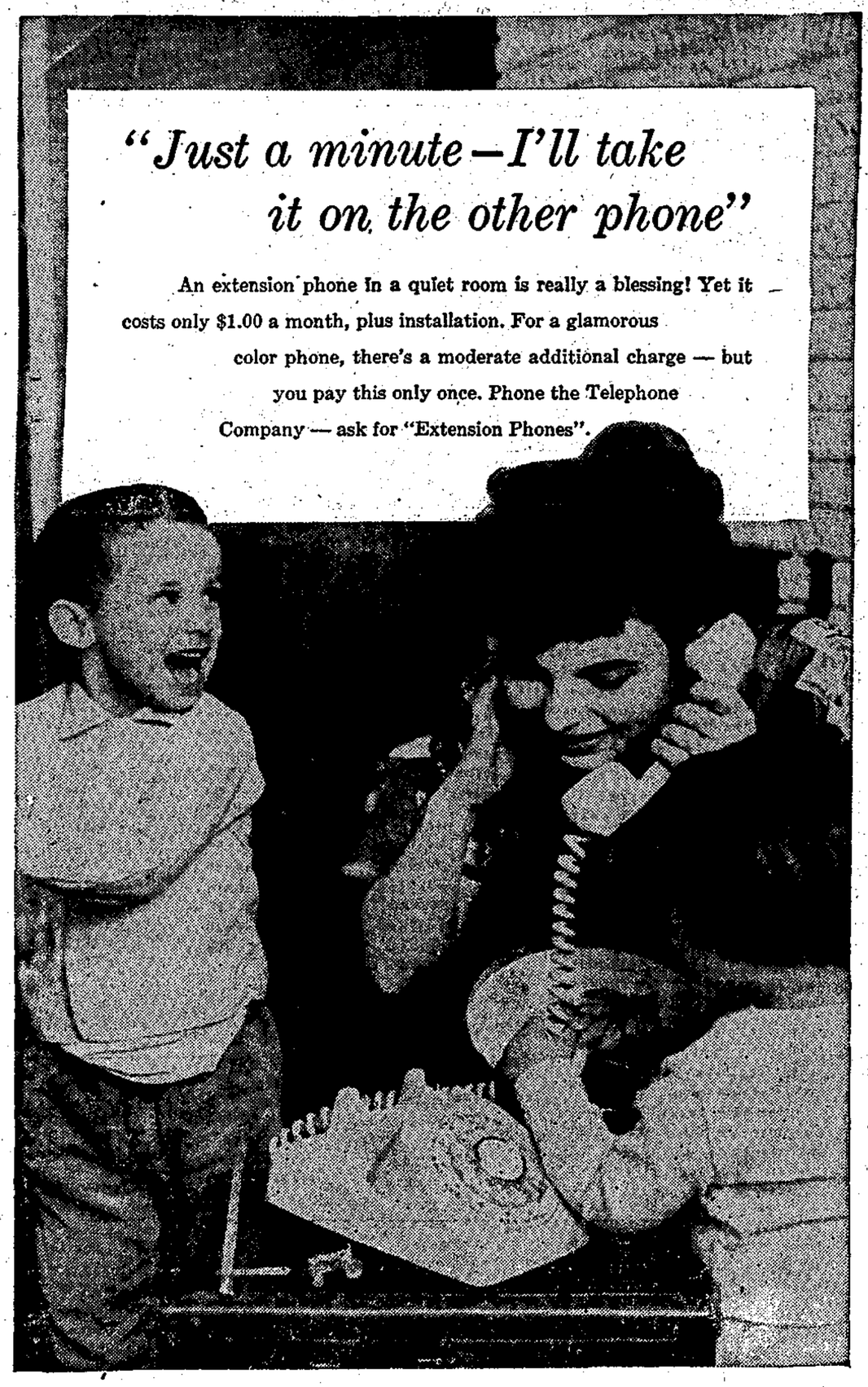

Meeting discusses revival of market gardening

A meeting of executives of the Gibsons and District Ratepayers' Association, the Howe Sound Farmer's Institute and the Sechelt Rural - Wilson Creek Ratepayers' Association, under the sponsorship of the latter was held at the Selma Park Hall on Tues., March 28 with Mrs. R. L. Jackson in the chair.

Plans were discussed towards formation of a farmer's market or a co-operative to stimulate mixed farming in the area, and especially small fruit growing. It is planned to obtain speakers and information for a general meeting in the near future.

Discussion took place concerning the price of $19,800 cash, the price quoted by the Sechelt Lands for the purchase of the property upon which the Sechelt Elementary School is situated, which land is presently under lease hold to the School Board. It was felt that this price was excessive.

The meeting agreed that school trustees, in future, should be elected by elections-at-large

Arrangements were made to bring pressure to bear to obtain larger and faster ferry boats and more frequent service on the Langdale-Horseshoe Bay run. It was suggested that the C.P.R. franchise might be such as to enable them to offer a competing service should they so desire.

At a meeting of the Sechelt Rural-Wilson Creek Ratepayer's Association on Monday, March 20th, with Mr. T. A. Seymour in the chair, the seven point brief, prepared and forwarded to each school board member and other interested persons was approved.

The points, based on the Chant Royal commission on Education recommended that, grade VII be returned to the elementary schools, but not until adequate facilities were available; a two room elementary school be built in the West Sechelt area; Trail Bay Jr. High School be converted into a Junior Vocational school on the plan suggested in the Chant Royal Commission report; grade IX from Sechelt be returned to Elphinstone; only teachers with a minimum of EB certification be hired on a permanent basis; grade XIII be continued at Elphinstone; and 7 trustees be elected by elections-at-large.

It was agreed to assess each member the sum of $1 in order to pay legal expenses. A motion was made to request that Field Road be posted at 25 mph. Mr. Hubbs displayed archetect's drawings of the proposed hospital.

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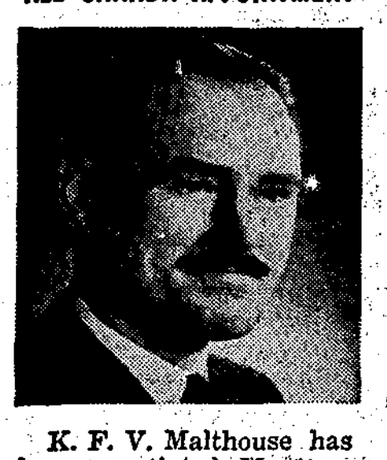

K. F. V. Malthouse has been appointed Manager for British Columbia of the All Canada Insurance Federation, which represents most of the fire, automobile and casualty insurance companies in the province. He is also Manager of the B.C. Assigned Risk Plan and will be a director of the new Traffic Victims Indemnity Fund.

Spring tea at Roberts Creek

The ladies of the Roberts Creek Legion thank all those who helped make their spring tea and bazaar a success.

The door prize was won by Emma Edmunds; travelling iron raffle, Mrs. E. Hilchie with ticket No. 50; guessing box, Mrs. Eades who also guessed the weight of the box of candy, but refused it so the president of the branch, Bob Cumming, auctioned it off, and Mrs. Alex Anderson was highest bidder.

At the monthly meeting on April 4, Mrs. Agnes Fossett was initiated. Mrs. Sear gave a description of their trip to New Zealand, films of which will be shown at the hall on April 26. There will be a rummage sale, May 19.

RobertsCreek

(By Mrs. M. NEWMAN)

Miss S. Linton spent the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Linton.

Mr. John Galliford was a visitor to Alberni, V.I., over the weekend. The Gallifords had their daughter, Mrs. W. Boyte and three children for the Easter vacation.

A. E. Tidball and J. Eldred were kept busy Wednesday evening introducing aspiring Little Leaguers to the art of baseball.

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Weddings

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Candles lighted Ryerson United Church on Tuesday evening when Rev. M. W. Stevenson joined Kathleen Louise King and Richard Warren McKibbin in marriage.

Many pupils of the bride's grade two class at Lord Selkirk School were present to see their teacher married.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gordon King and her groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Richard McKibbin of Gibsons.

Panels of Chantilly lace drifted over net in the lovely bridal gown with its bouffant skirt swept back into a flowing train. Her silk illusion veil was caught by a crystal tiara.

Miss Diane Robinson was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Diane Watson, Miss Anne Morris, Miss Louise McKibbin and Miss Kathy McKibbin. They wore bouffant gowns of silk organza in Easter shades of lilac and yellow.

Mr. Ross Smith was best man and ushers were Mr. Robert King, Mr. Donald McLaren, Mr. Wayne Poole and Mr. Frank Radbourne.

The reception was at the Manhattan in Vancouver after which the couple left for a wedding trip to Washington.

Realtors to meet

Richard W. Lennington, president Seattle's Real Estate Board, and Col. Herbert R. Fullerton of Vancouver, president of the Canadian Association of Real Estate Boards will be among the speakers at the fifth annual convention of the B.C. Association of Real Estate Boards in Nanaimo, May 5 and 6.

More than 400 Realtors, real estate salesmen and wives are expected to make the convention the largest ever held by the B.C. body.

Other speakers will include B.C.'s attorney-general and minister of trade & industry, Robert W. Bonner, Q.C., and Provincial Archivist Willard Ireland.

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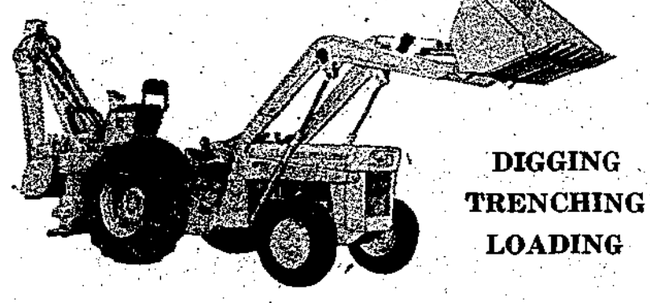

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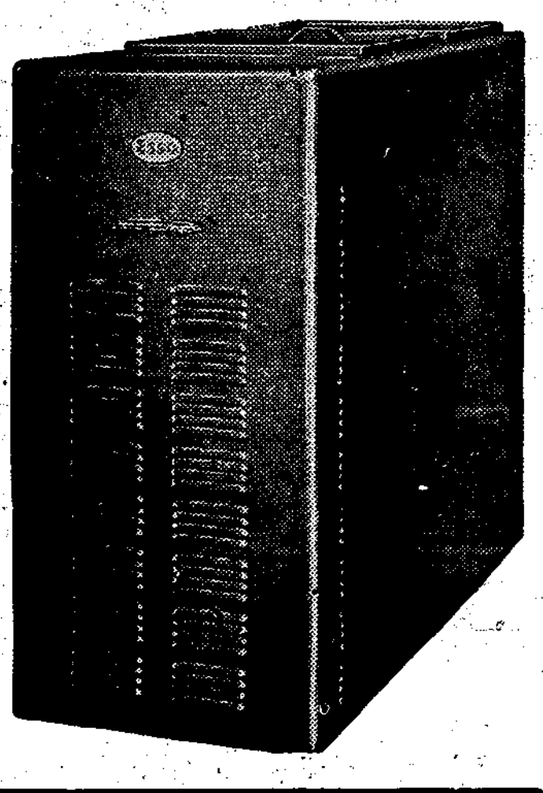

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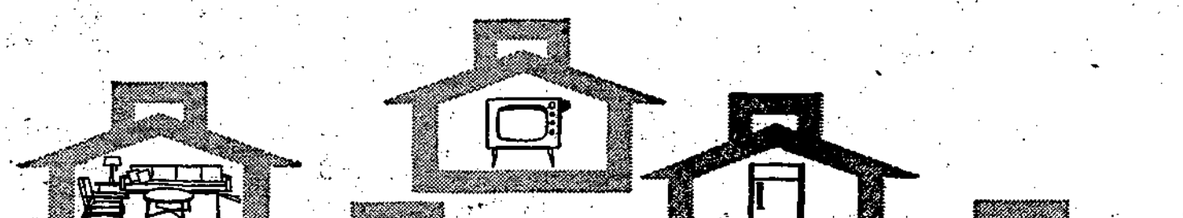

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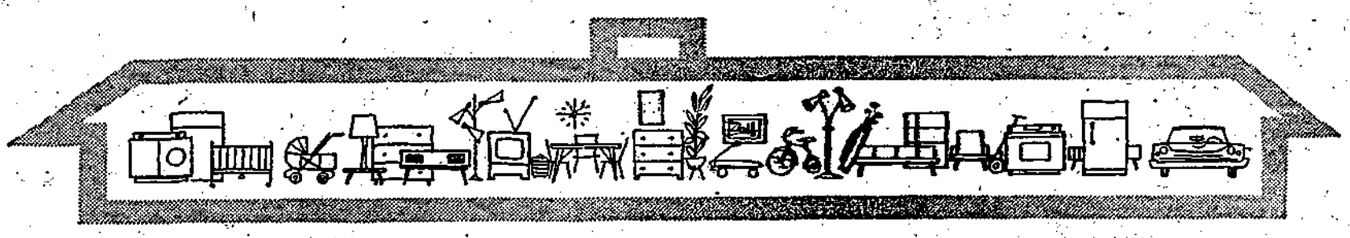

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Halfmoon Bay

By PAT WELSH

A social evening was enjoyed by members of the Welcome Beach Community Association at Welcome Beach Hall, April 8. Colored slides of Paris, the French Riveira, Italy and Switzerland were shown by Canon Alan Greene. These slides were taken by Canon Greene during his visit to Europe last summer Bingo was enjoyed followed by a delightful supper served later.

From Widewater, Alberta, came Mr. and Mrs. J. Barfoot, Mrs. J. Fredrickson with Linda and Billy to visit their niece Joan and Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. F. Lyons at Redroofs. They were delighted with the Sunshine Coast, the children with the seashells and beaches. They have also been the guests of the William Ramsays of Langley and other relatives in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie White enjoyed a visit with their son Robert, his wife, and grandson Donnie this weekend. The Jack Morgan grandsons, David and Allen, spent a few days with their grandparents. Son Ted and wife Doreen came up to escort the boys home on Friday. Another guest was Mrs. Hearn of Victoria.

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Sechelt news items

BY MRS. A.A. FRENCH

A surprise party to celebrate two birthdays for Jack Northcote and Sid Redman was held at the Northcote home. Canasta and bridge were played. Others present were Mrs. J. Northcote, Mrs. E. E. Redman, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. A. Macklin, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Stone, Mr. Rolly Reid, Mrs. Lucy Locke, Mrs. A. A. French and Mrs. Mabel MacFarlane. A large birthday cake with candles appeared on a musical cake plate which played Happy Birthday to You whilst the candles were being lit causing much laughter as did the mighty 'blow' when Jack and Sid got together to "Blow the man down."

On a visit to Mr. Joe Dolphin is his daughter Mrs. Betty Roy and her three children, Patricia, Bernard and Lesley.

The new usher at the Sechelt theatre is Arthur Kenny.

A new member was initiated at the last meeting of the L.A. to the Royal Canadian Legion, Mrs. Al Thorold, formerly Mrs. Amy Archer, whose father, the late Fred Archer was at one time president of the branch. A busy time is expected in the next few months. There will be a rummage sale on April 19 and a spring tea on April 25.

Recent visitors from Kamloops are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robertson visiting Mr. Bob McCready of Wakefield Inn.

Recent visitors to Mrs. Agnes Engen were Mr. John Erickson and daughter Janet of Woodfibre.

Vimy night was celebrated on April 7 by Branch 140. Bob Haley entertained at the piano and Curley Lucken on violin. Dancing and singing were enjoyed followed by refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Waters with Eric, Trevor, Bobby and Gordon spent a nice vacation in Olympia, Wash., where they were guests of Mrs. Waters' sister, Mrs. A. Edgar.

Visiting Miss Bessie Burrell are Mr. and Mrs. Ted Charlton and daughters from British Properties, West Vancouver.

St. Hilda's Anglican Church will hold a Pot Luck supper, April 13 at 6:15 p.m. A social evening will follow.

Church Services

ANGLICAN
St. Bartholomew's, Gibsons
7:45 a.m., Holy Communion
11:15 a.m., Matins
11:15 a.m., Sunday School
St. Aidan's, Roberts Creek
11.00 a.m. Sunday School
3 p.m. Evensong
St. Hilda's, Sechelt
11:00 a.m., Sunday School
7:30 p.m., Evensong
PORT MELLON
9:30 a.m. Holy Communion

UNITED
Gibsons
9:45 a.m., Sunday School
11:00 a.m., Divine Service
Roberts Creek, 2 p.m.
Wilson Creek
11 a.m. Sunday School
3:30 p.m., Divine Service

ST. VINCENT'S
Holy Family, Sechelt, 9:00 a.m.
St. Mary's, Gibsons, 10:30 a.m.
Port Mellon, first Sunday of each month at 11:35 a.m.

BETHEL BAPTIST
Sechelt
10 a.m. Sunday School
11:15 a.m., Worship Service
7:30 p.m., Wed., Prayer
Gibsons
9:45 a.m., Sunday School
Roth's Home, Marine Drive
7:30 p.m., United Church

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11:00 a.m. Devotional
7:30 p.m., Evangelistic Service
Wed., 7:30, Bible Study
Fri., 7:30 p.m., Young People's Service
Sat., 7:30, Prayer

Glad Tidings Tabernacle
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
11 a.m. Morning Worship
3 p.m. Bible Forum
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Bible Class
Friday, 7:30 p.m. Rally
Sat., 7 p.m., Young Men's Action Club

MORE MILK POWDER

Increasing consumer interest has skyrocketed production of powdered skimmed milk in Canada, according to information received by the Canada Department of Agriculture. In the six-year history of the instant powdered skimmed milk industry, sales of powdered skim milk have jumped from 10.2 million pounds in 1955 to 33.4 million pounds in 1960.

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Wilson Creek

BY MRS. D. ERICKSON

Holiday visitors included Martin Kraft and his cousin Gordon Robertson from Spences Bridge. Martin is attending Ashcroft High School. Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Browning entertained the family at an Easter dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Roberts grandson Bruce Baird, Sandy Lucken also holidaying at Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Lucken.

Mrs. Gordon Johnson, former Britannia resident now living in Vancouver visited friends here.

Local residents now at Knight Inlet after the winter shut-down include John and Phyllis Hicks with Philip and Diana, Lorraine and Bob Tyson and Linda and Vic Nelson. The new address is c/o Box 3400, Vancouver.

Mrs. Alan Jackson and Stephen visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lymer at White Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLeod and family visited son David at St. Paul's Hospital during the holidays. David is making good progress but will be in hospital for some time yet.

Mr. George Critchell was rushed to Shaughnessy Hospital last week with severe injuries as th result of a fall in the garden.

After a visit to a sister in California, Mrs. E. A. Williams spent a few days with Kay and Vic Franske and family here. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are now back at their home in Bute Inlet where a camp tender and log towing business keeps them busy

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COMING EVENTS

April 14, Roberts Creek Legion meeting, 8 p.m., Social, 9:30.

April 15, L.A. Pender Harbour Canadian Legion, Tea & Bake Sale, Sewing. Legion Hall, 2 p.m.

April 17, O.A.P. General Meeting, Monday 2 p.m., Kinsmen Hall.

April 17, Roberts Creek Parents Auxiliary meeting at School, Mon., 8 p.m.

April 21, St. Bartholomew's W.A. Bake Sale, Fri., 2:30 p.m. Super-Valu Store.

April 21, Fri. 10 p.m., United Church W.A., Rummage Sale and Hat Bar, Church Hall.

April 21, St. Aidan's W.A., Roberts Creek, St. George's Day Tea, Parish Hall, 2 p.m.

April 22, 2 p.m., St. John's United Church W.A., Tea and Fashion Show, Wilson Creek Community Hall.

April 25, L.A. Canadian Legion 140, Spring Tea, Plants, Home Cooking, Sechelt Legion Hall, 2:30 p.m.

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DEATH NOTICE

JARVIS — Passed away April 1, 1961, Amy Jarvis of Gibsons, B.C. Survived by 2 sisters, Mrs. G. T. Smith, Gibsons, B.C., Mrs. W. W. Pattison, Edmonton, Alta. several nephews and nieces.

Funeral service Tues., April 4 at 2 p.m., from St. Bartholomew's Anglican Church, Gibsons Rev. D. F. Harris officiating. Interment Seaview Cemetery. Harvey Funeral Home directors.

IN MEMORIAM

HARTLEY — April 13, 1959.
The years may wipe out many things,
But this they wipe out never.
The memory of those happy days
When we were together.
Always remembered by her loving husband, Norman B. Hartley.

FURUYA — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Tak Furuya, who passed away April 13, 1960. Also his friends lost with him.
Nothing can ever take away
The love a heart holds dear,
Fond memories linger every day
Remembrance keeps him near.
Lovingly remembered by his wife Kay and children.

GORDON — In memory of my beloved husband, and my Daddy Sie Gordon, accidentally drowned April 13, 1960. Also his friends lost with him.
Looking back with tenderness
Along the path we trod
I bless the years I spent with you
And leave the rest to God.
Inserted by his wife Ann, and Mary.

HARWOOD — Treasured memories of our dearest husband and father Peter, who passed away April 13, 1960.
Little we knew that afternoon,
The sorrow that day would bring
The shock was great, the loss severe,
To part with one we love so dear.
His end was sudden, his thoughts unknown,
But he left us memories we're proud to own.
Silent thoughts hold memories dear
Of his comrades whose fate he shared,
Each still loved, each still missed
And still very dear.
From his loving wife Hilda, and children Marina, Susan and Peter.

LUOMA — In loving memory of our dear son Richard Luoma
One year has passed since that sad day, April 13, 1960 when he was suddenly taken away.
He bade no one a last farewell,
He said goodbye to none.
The heavenly gates opened wide, a Loving voice said "Come."
Days of sadness still come over us, Tears in silence often flow,
Memory keeps you ever near as within our hearts he liveth still.
Ever remembered, Mom, Dad, Brother Michael.

LUOMA — In loving memory of a dear son-in-law, Richard Luoma, who passed away April 13, 1960.
Just a prayer from those who loved you,
Just a memory fond and true.
In our hearts you live forever,
'Cause we thought the world of you
Always remembered by Doris, Jim and Brian Rusk and grandma Mrs. M. Taylor.

IN MEMORIAM (Cont.)

LUOMA — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Richard Luoma, who passed away April 13, 1960.
He didn't have time to say farewell, or we to say goodbye,
He was gone before we knew and only God knows why.
Deep in our hearts lies a picture of a loved one laid to rest.
In memory's frame we shall keep it, because he was one of the best.
Ever remembered by his wife Pat and family.

LUOMA — In loving memory of my beloved brother Richard W. Luoma who passed away suddenly on April 13, 1960.
You bade no one farewell,
Or even said "Goodbye,"
You were gone before we knew
And only God knows why.
Sadly missed by your sister Linde and brother-in-law Victor.

MORRISON — It is a year since our Jack and his crew perished in the waters of Sechelt Inlet, April 13, 1960. A year has passed Jack but we still miss you, and the other boys. Ever remembered by Mum, Roy and Families.

WAKEFIELD — To the loving memory of my dear son, Stanley Edward, and his five companions, who lost their lives in Sechelt Inlet on the 13th April, 1960.
But oh for a touch of the vanished hand
And the sound of a voice that is stilled.
His loving mother, Elizabeth.

WAKEFIELD — In loving memory of my beloved husband, and my father, Stanley Wakefield, accidentally drowned April 13, 1960. Also his friends lost with him.
As we loved you, so we miss you;
In our memory you are near.
Loved, remembered, longed for always,
Bringing many a silent tear.
Sadly missed by his loving wife Edna, and son Douglas.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere gratitude to all our friends who helped us with loving thoughts, prayers, floral tributes and many kindnesses in our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved sister, Amy.
Mrs. W. W. Pattison and Mrs. G. T. Smith.

To all Miss Jarvis' friends — Very sincere thanks for the delightful dainties you took in to her, and the many cards, flowers and kind wishes you sent during her illness. Words cannot tell you how much she appreciated them. She suggested putting a "Thank you" notice in the paper whilst with us, but we thought it would be nice to wait until she was better — not realizing how seriously ill she was. Yours in appreciation.
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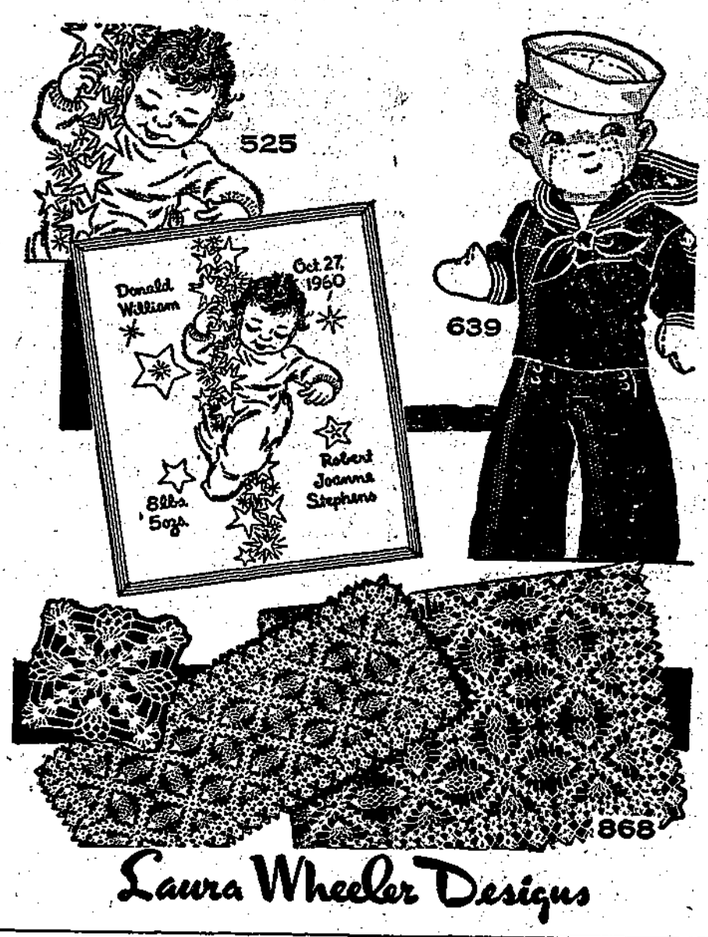

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Halfmoon Bay notes

By PAT WELSH

Visitors from Sechelt, Selma Park, Wilson Creek and Vancouver were welcomed at the Daffodil Tea held by the Halfmoon Bay Auxiliary to St. Mary's Hospital, Garden Bay, Sat., April 1. The yellow flowers gave a bright touch of color to a somewhat cloudy afternoon. However, Rutherford"s Hall was filled with people who enjoyed shopping for pretty aprons and novelties at the sewing stall. Beautiful plants and flowers were also popular. Handsomely decorated cakes, cookies, bread and buns soon disappeared. The small fry bought boxes of fudge and Easter candies.

Tea and coffee were served at small tables gay with spring flowers, groups of friends joining each other for a friendly chat over the tea cups.

The large hanging basket designed by Mrs. G. Jorgensen was won by Mrs. P. Skytte of Roberts Creek, the door prize by Mrs. C. Anger, a visitor from Vancouver; doll and outfit, Mrs. E. Smith of Secret Cove; pyrex ware by Mrs. Bingham of Sechelt.

In charge of sewing, Mrs. M. Meuse assisted by Mrs. M. Ayres plants and flowers, Mrs. G. Jorgensen; raffles, Mrs. G. Curran; tickets, Mrs. E. Smith; tea and coffee, Mrs. Q. Burrows; servers, Mrs. Olsen and Mrs. G. Rutherford; home baking, Mrs. P. Welsh assisted by Mrs. Bev Robinson. A nice sum was realized and the auxiliary thanks all who donated to this affair.

The three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Foley were hors-de-combat on Friday of last week. Kelly, the six year old, fell on rocks while playing in the school yard, sustaining a scalp laceration requiring three sutures to close the wound. The following Sunday Michael and Stephen, riding double on a bicycle hit a rock on the road while riding downhill. Michael suffered a fractured left collarbone, Stephen severe abrasions and bruises.

Mrs. M. Teeple was one of the helpers on the entertainment program at the St. Patrick's Day party at the Welcome Beach Hall March 17.

Canon A. Greene held services on Easter Sunday. Holy Communion was held at 8 a.m. at his Redroofs residence. Morning service at St. Mary's, Pender Harbour; 2 p.m. service at Madeira Park and a service at 4 p.m. at the Welcome Beach hall. All services were well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Miller of Victoria enjoyed the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lomas of Secret Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. George Claydon, Linda and Frank weekended at the Frank Claydons, while Mr. and Mrs. T. Heselton and Terry Heselton were the weekend guests of Mr. G. Nairn.

At Secret Cove as the guests of the T. Ivan Smiths were Mr. and Mrs. C. Anger of Vancouver. At Irishman's Cove Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Laird, Christopher, Robin and Lisa weekended with Mr. Laird's mother, Mrs. F. Lyons. Another guest was Miss Susan Laird of Vancouver. At the Paddy Welshes, grandson Shane is spending a week's holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Lefeaux, Ruth and Peter spent a week at their summer home.

Others at their summer homes were Mr. and Mrs. H. Pearson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wright and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Simpson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cunliffe and Don, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hunt and boys, Dr. and Mrs. Richmond and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. Macdonald and Mr. and Mrs. T. Campbell.

Mrs. G. B. Simpson, sr., has returned from spending the winter in Vancouver and California, and will be at her home here for the summer months.

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By Nancy Cleaver

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Unless a child is ill and running a temperature, or unless the weather is extremely disagreeable, a period of play out doors is a must for a pre-school youngster. A child needs brisk exercise when he can run and shout, using his big muscles and filling his lungs with fresh air.

He has a sense of joyous freedom which is almost impossible in a modern house where the living quarters are none too large. Even in late autumn and winter, a child benefits from sunshine. Outdoor play promotes a keen appetite, a regular bowel movement and sound sleep.

Mothers can save themselves a lot of trouble if they put more time and thought (and if necessary spend a little money) on play clothes. They should be comfortable, not difficult to get into, warm enough without being too hot. Children love bright colors. The gay reds and greens and blues in snow suits delight their eyes. Bright shades also make it easy for mothers to see them when they glance out the window or go to look for their children.

Have one place in the house for all articles needed for the child's outdoor play. If he asks for assistance give it to him. But do encourage him to dress and undress himself. Praise him for this really big accomplishment for a little child!

Once a child is past the play pen stage, an enclosed back yard is a great boon to a family with small children. If the home is on a busy street, where a child may be killed by a passing car or truck, it is absolutely essential. Inexpensive "snow fences" are used with posts as a temporary safeguard by some families. These are to be preferred to "tethering" a child with a long rope.

If a pre-school child goes to visit a neighbor's youngster, mother must take time to impress on him the rule "Do not go on the road!" Streets are not good places to play because a little youngster may forget his mother's warning. If he runs out from behind a parked car after a ball or a toy, his life may be in danger.

Outdoor equipment should be varied enough to keep a child interested in his play. A big ball, a wagon, a tricycle, a slide, large blocks are all good fun. When the snow falls, a sleigh and a small snow shovel provide many happy hours.

Outdoor play makes children healthier and happier. It should come at a definite time in the day, every day, and not be neglected when mother is very busy with other duties. This regular time outdoors saves the house from rack and wear and it prevents mother's nerves from becoming frayed by noise and the constant requests of a small child cooped up inside.

In recent months, Canadians have been warned that their boys and girls should be in better physical condition. Observers claim our youngsters do not have enough strenuous, outdoor exercise — and they do have too long a time sitting watching TV. Outdoor play in winter for a pre-school child helps to build a sound health foundation. Be sure you fit it into your boy's or girl's schedule.

Women win safety awards

Women's groups in Nanaimo and Penticton have won national recognition for their work in promoting traffic safety and will be the recipients of two of the six Canadian Carol Lane Awards.

The Nanaimo Council of Women will receive third prize $250 and a plaque to be presented at the Canadian Highway Safety conference in Montreal in May. The Women's Division of the Penticton & District Safety council have been awarded a certificate of merit.

The Carol Lane Awards, with prizes of $1,000, $500, $250, certificates of merit and trophies, are awarded annually to women's organizations selected for outstanding traffic safety activities. The program is administered by the Canadian Highway Safety council and Provincial Safety councils, and is sponsored by Shell Oil Co. of Canada Limited.

MONEY FOR HOSPITALS

Since the middle of January the provincial government had authorized the payment of progress cheques totalling over $730,000 for six B.C. hospitals, as part of their 50 per cent grant-in-aid of approved major construction costs. The payments bring the amount paid to date by the government to the six hospitals to $3,559,437.51. Total provincial government grant-in-aid commitments for these projects will exceed $5,700,000. Hon. Eric Martin, minister of health services and hospital insurance announces.

DUCK DOWN

Eiderdown is collected from the nests of the eider duck. It is not plucked from the bodies of dead birds. The bird itself plucks the down from its breast and uses it to line the nest and to cover the eggs when it is temporarily vacated.

Sunshine Coast Hospital Improvement District No. 31

To help you decide what meeting you should attend to elect trustees for the Hospital Improvement district the following information is supplied:

ZONE 1 takes in Port Mellon, Gambier Island and the area to Gibson municipal boundary but not including Gibsons village. To elect one trustee.

Meeting hall, Hopkins Community Hall, Monday, April 24
Doors open at 7 p.m. for registration. Meeting starts at 8 p.m.

ZONE 2 from Gibsons boundary including Gibsons village and Keats Island and area to Forestry Campsite, one mile west of Elphinstone road. To elect three trustees.

Meeting hall, School Hall, Gibsons, Tuesday, April 25
Doors open at 7 p.m. for registration. Meeting starts at 8 p.m.

ZONE 3 from Forestry campsite to one mile west of Halfmoon Bay. To elect two trustees.

Meeting hall, Legion Hall, Sechelt, Friday April 28
Doors open at 7 p.m. for registration. Meeting starts at 8 p.m.

ZONE 4 from one mile west of Halfmoon Bay including the area to and beyond Pender Harbour and Egmont but not including Nelson Island. To elect one trustee.

Meeting hall, Madeira Park Community Hall, Thursday, April 27
Doors open at 7 p.m. for registrations. Meeting starts at 8 p.m.

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Sunshine Coast Hospital Improvement District No. 31

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How much protection?

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Starting January 1, 1962, the Fund will protect you financially up to $25,000 for injury and property damage in cases when you cannot collect from the motorist responsible. The protection if you are the victim of an insured motorist will also be at least $25,000.

In the meantime—from June 1 to January 1—T.V.I.F. will protect you up to $10,000 if you alone are injured; and, subject to that limit for any one person, up to $20,000 if others are injured with you in the same accident; up to $2,000, subject to a $200 deductible, if you suffer property damage (except when property damage is caused by a hit-and-run driver.)

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(By ED CONNOR)
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Gibsons A: Doreen Crosby 795, (259, 297), Len Pilling 611, Ron Godfrey 678 (250), E. Shadwell 715 (256, 254), Daisy Bailey 623, Bud Fisher 603, Ike Mason 689 (255), Jim McVicar 688 (313), Josie Davies 624.

Ladies: G. Moffat 520, A. Laitam 524, Nat Addison, 530, Lynn Panasuk 538 (254), E. Bingley 565, L. Morrison 515, Hazel Corley 552, E. Pilling 567.

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Ball & Chain: Bronie Wilson 780 (318), Ed Gill 614 (248), Marion Hopkins 635, Roy Taylor 640 (254), L. Morrison 615, G. Hopkins 604.

Men's League: Sig Rise 607, E. Hume 603, Ike Mason 607, F. Girard 689 (281), Ron Godfrey 614.

SECHELT
(By ORV MOSCRIP)

Depot Taxi and Alley Oops wound up in dead heat for the second half and will have to play off to determine who will play Grayhounds for the Ten Pin championship.

Ladies: Dorothy Smith 700 (284, 268).

Pender: Thelma Newick 586, Gordon Freeman 742, Don Smith 310.

Peninsula Commercial: Roma Schutz 642 (279), Tony Tschaikowsky 706, Ruth Flumerfelt 275, Lawrence Crucil 276.

Sports Club: May Flemin 685 (258), Tony Tschaikowsky 698 (284).

Ball & Chain: Linda Carter 820 (318, 265), Bert Sim 747 (311) Gordon Pollock 277.

PORT MELLON

Goofballs rolled high three with 2667, Dodgers taking high single with 1084. John White took men's high three with 622 and Ray Whiting single with 267. Val Boyes took ladies high three with 565 and Kay Edmonds high single with 275.

Police Court

Leonard Van Baelen of Port Mellon as found guilty of impaired driving in Magistrate Andrew Johnston's police court and was sentenced to 14 days at Oakalla prison farm. Van Baelen pleaded not guilty and was was the second time he appeared in court on a similar charge, defended by G. T. Guest. This

Paul Moore of Gibsons was fined $20 for being a minor found on licensed premises.

Zuffellato Remiro of Vancouver was fined $15 for failing to dim the lights of his vehicle.

Charles Hughes of Madeira Park paid a $10 fine for failing to display his 1961 license plates Daniel Mosier of Halfmoon By charged with a similar offence was also fined $10.

William Herron of Beaver Creek was fined $50 for consuming beer in a public place.

Edwin Joe Wallace, Walter Joeseph and Phillip Joe, all of Sechelt, were fined $25 each for creatisg a disturbance by fighting at West Sechelt.

Robert Rusk of Roberts Creek was fined $25 for being a minor in possession of beer.

James Herbert Brown of Gibsons was fined $30 for driving without due care and attention.

William West of Sechelt was fined $10 for driving contrary to the restrictions on his drivers license.

Leonard Gullacher of Vancouver was fined $10 for failing to produce his drivers license.

During the last three weeks 23 drivers were found guilty of speeding and paid fines totalling $575.

Horseshoes

Peninsula Horseshoe Club held its first meeting at the Peninsula Hotel, April 7. Officers elected were: President, Ken Eidt; secretary-treasurer, Mike Turik; entertainment committee, Roy Taylor, Gibsons and Roy Nygren, Sechelt.

Objective of the club is to improve the technique of horseshoes, promote good sportsmanship, raise funds for family picnics, and eventually select best players to represent all the Peninsula in tournaments at Vancouver and other cities of British Columbia.

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