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Elementary school honors presented

TROPHY WINNERS

Don Brown Mug, First year typing, 70 words per minute 98% assignment, Carol Brackley, Honorable mention, Eileen Harrop, Carolynne Gilbertson, Perry Oike.

Veitch Trophy: Best girl sport, Leanna Moscrip.

Ridgeway Trophy: highest score on sports day, Leanna Moscrip.

Student Council trophy: Jr. Girls Softball, Panthers, Captain, May Rietze.

Student Council trophy: Jr. Boys' Softball, Beavers, Captain, Gary Berdahl.

Drummond Cup: Aggregate in Inter-house sports, Beavers, President, Pat Lloyd.

Day Trophy: Highest Aggregate, junior, Heather Bracewell.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE CERTIFICATES

Janet Swanson, Del Ritchey- Carole Brown, Eddie Davies, Wilson Anderson, Sharon Fladager, Bernard Olson, and Irene Tyson.

GIRLS' AWARDS

JUNIOR

Sportsmanship: May Rietze

Citizenship and scholarship: Heather Bracewell. Honorable mention, citizenship, Sheila Smith, scholarship, Janet Swanson and Helen McSavaney.

INTEMEDIATE

Sportsmanship and Citizenship, Leanna Moscrip. Honorable mention, Trudy Preuss.

BOYS' AWARDS

JUNIOR

Sportsmanship: Winston Robinson.

Citizenship and scholarship: Robert Janis.

Honorable mention,citizenship, Nicol Warn.

INTERMEDIATE

Scholarship: Wilson Anderson.

FLASHES WINNERS

BADMINTON

Jr. Girls Doubles: Carolyn Gilbertson and Irene Tyson.

Jr. Mixed Doubles: Eddie Anderson and Helen McSavaney.

Jr. Boys' Doubles: Ross Oviatt and Ed Anderson.

PING PONG

Jr Boys': Bruce Redman.

Highschool ends term

Closing exercises this year at the Elphinstone high school consisted of a short program, and the presentation of awards by members of the high school staff.

Senior scholastic awards were presented at the graduation ceremonies, and seyeral of the sports awards were made previous at the field day.

Miss M. Porter presented sports flashes; Mrs. J. Fallows the girls awards, Mr. A. Guppy the boys' awords. Mrs. E. Glassford presented perfect attendance certificates, and Mrs. Rankin the trophies.

Inquest to be held

Leonard Williams died as a result of injuries received in an auto accident on Sechelt Highway at Davis Bay at 11:45 p.m., Saturday, July 7. Another vehicle, driven by Len Phaire of Wilson Creek was involved in the accident. Phaire received minor injuries and facial cuts.

Williams was employed at the Silver Skagit Shingle Mill at Wilson Creek. He was 22 years old, the son of Mrs. W. Hill of 376A Sexsmith Road, Richmond, B.C. His father, a tow-boat man, died some years ago.

According to R.C.M.P. at Sechelt, both vehicles were being driven at excessive speed when the accident occurred.

A coroner's inquest is to be held.

Visitors for Little league

On Sunday, July 15, a top team from the Powell River League will meet the Gibsons Firemen at the school grounds.

The Little Leaguers are hoping to see a good crowd of their fans out for local the game to start at 2.30 p.m. support.

Maxine Miller plays the title role in a CBC radio series a chidren's classic of life in the Swiss Alps. "Heidi". Maxine is well known to youthful viewers as the Princess on the "Howdy Doody" program. She can be heard as "Heidi" every week on the Trans-Canada network.

Honor for T Humphries

Mr. T. Humphries of Soames Point was honoured at the annual meeting of the Alberta Institute of Chartered Accountants in Edmonton last week by being elected a Fellow of the Institute.

Before retiring to make his home at Soames Point, Mr. Humphries was the Calgary resident partner of the firm of Price, Waterhouse and Co., chartered accountants and served on the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Alberta for many years, including a term as president. He also served as chairman of the examination board of the institute which was affiliated with the University of Alberta. The Fellowship was awarded in recognition of these services.

Mops again seeing red

Insubordination has raised its ugly head in Gibsons. Those who remember Chop's Mops will understand why insubordination is prevalent among the former Mops.

They want a ball game and are prepared to go any lengths to insult any aggregation of ball players or would-be ball players like the Kiwanis in order to get a game either for fun or for some worthy cause.

The girls, now sponsored by Pat McCallum of Sechelt, announce the line must form on the right where te Mounties will allow parking and applications will be scrutinized closely for a worthy opponent, or see Bill Skellett.

Minister inducted to charge

Rev. Hyslop Dickson, chairman of the Vancouver United Church Presbytery, assisted by Rev. R.R. Morrison of Davis Bay inducted Rev. David Donaldson to the pastorate of Gibson Memorial United Church on the evening of July 4.

There were some 60 persons at the service and social that followed and all found the inspiring address to the minister and to the congregation one of the most forthright heard for some time in the church. The deliverer of the sermon was Rev. Mr. Morrison and he was congratulated by many following the service.

During the social later, representatives of the Gibsons, Port Mellon, Roberts Creek and Wilson Creek congregations offered their congratulations to the new minister.

Canon H.U. Oswald of the Anglican church also took part in the service. He is a long standing friend of Mr. Donaldson having worked with him at Mission, B.C. years ago.

The Port Mellon choir sang a beautiful anthem.

Automatics for Bowen Is.

The B. C. Telephone Company has announced that a project to place cable and open wire on Bowen Island in preparation for the opening of the new automatic exchange there early next year is almost complete.

A new central office building to house the dial equipment will be erected on the southeast corner of School and Government roads.

Cable containing approximately 10 miles of wire has been placed to provide further outside plant for the new exchange, including facilities for pay stations at Hood Point, Bowen Bay and Mt. Gardner Park. The facilities will ultimately run from Grafton's Bay almost to Deep Bay and from Deep Bay to Hood Point.

A 50 percent increase in the number of subscribers on Bowen Island has taken place since the B. C. Telephone Company took over telephone operations and installed a temporary switchboard in December 1955, pending installation of the new automatic system.

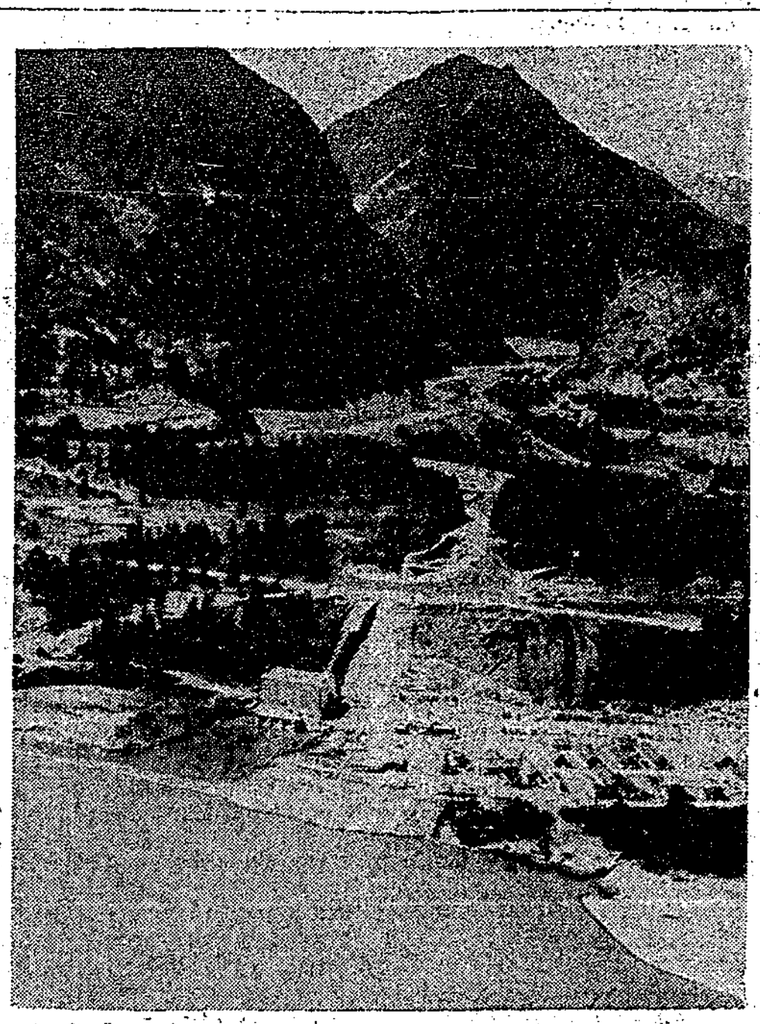
Large research vessel for Atlantic fisheries

A large and more extensively equipped research vessel than any in its present fleet of about 14 is to be built for service in the Northwest Atlantic by the Fisheries Research Board of Canada: Dr. J. L. Kask, board chairman, said tenders are being called for a 167-foot, diesel powered steel-hulled trawler with a 32-foot beam and a draught of 12 feet nine inches, This is part of the Board's expanded program., made necessary in part by Canada's increasing commitments in international fisheries affairs.

The new vessel will carry a crew of about 22 and will have accommodation for four or five scientists who will work in specially designed laboratories to be incorporated in the vessel's working quarters. Her work will be mainly exploratory and investigational and she will make extended trips of four or five weeks, often in areas remote from present fishing ports, to study the population densities of various species of fish. Her hold will be refrigerated. She will operate mainly out of St. John's, Newfoundland, but is designed to serve other board stations situated on the mainland as well.

In addition to the laboratories for biological and hydrographical work, the new research ship will carry all the latest detection devices. Her fishing gear will be calibrated so that catches she makes will indicate what the catches of a regular trawler would be in the area explored. She will have adequate power to fish at depths greater than those fished normally. A contollable pitch propellor will enable her to cruise at speeds from zero to a maximum of about 12 knots.

The Fisheries Research Board's present fleet of vessels, ranging from 20 feet to 82 feet in length, opeartes in the Northwest Atlantic, the Great Lakes, Great Slave Lake and the North Pacific, looking for previously unknown stocks of fish and testing new equipment as well as conducting oceanographic investigations.



Lower Mainland Power Supply will be boosted by 58,500 additional horsepower when B.C. Electric's new Seton hydro-electric plant, shown here in a recent aerial view, goes into service in a few weeks time. Located just below Lillooet on the shore of the Fraser River, Seton will use a second time the water which has already spun Bridge River's four big generating machines. The water will come to the new plant via a 12,000-foot concrete - lined canal which can be seen winding back through the pass in the mountains beyond the big pipe leading down to the station.

Recreation Commission considered for Sechelt

The Sechelt Village Commissioners, at thoir meeting, July 4, heard Jerry Mathison in lenghty discussion concerning the establichment of a Recreation Commission. Mr. Mathison is the representative of the community programs branch of the provincial department of education.

Commissioner Dawe was appointed chairman pro-tem, with instructions to draft a formal resolution containing terms of reference for the operation of a branch inSechelt.

Mr. Mathison is also Regional Consultant for the B.C. Centennial committee, and discussed establishment of a local Centennial committee, Commissioner Dawe was appointed chairman with instructions to recommend members of the community to be appointed to the committee by the board.

Accounts payable totalling $12.08 passed for payment, along with a petty cash expenditure of $11.08. The firm of Griffiths and Griffiths, chartered accountants, Vancouver, have accepted the appointment as auditors to the Corporation for 1956.

Approved was the clerk's reply to the letter from the inspector of municipalities, returning the certificated copy of By-law No. 4,Village Expenditure Bylaw, 1956, and pointing out the necessity for separate Bylaws to authorize capital expenitures out of revenue. A letter was read from the inspector of municipalities, returning the certfied copy of By-law No. 3, Village of Sechet Annual Indemnity, 1956.

G.O. Farhni and J. Hicks communicated with the commission outlining plans for the development of transportation and freight service on Sechelt Inlet, and docking facilities at Porpoise Bay. Information requested in the letter will be providd by the clerk.

Mr. B. Williams relinquished his appointment as Village Sanitary Inspectar to accept a post in the same capacity in the Municapality of Burnaby. The clerk was requested to reply to Mr. Williams and thank him for his services to Sechelt, and extend congratulations on his new appointment.

The next scheduled meeting of the commissionrs will be July 18.

New agency

Frank Solnik of Solnik Service Station at Sechelt is now authorized Sales and Service dealer for all the Willys four-wheel drive vehicles, Ken Dixon of Sherwood Motors Ltd., of Vancouver, announces.

Mr. Solnik will now have jeeps, one-ton trucks, sedan deliveries and station wagons for sale.

GARDEN CLUB

The Gibsons Garden Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Mainwaring. Guest speaker, Mr. Toop, from te Experimental station gave an interesting talk on "Method of Propagating Horticultural Plants"

Gibsons celebration big success

The Board af Trade Dominion Day celebration committee held a wind-up meeting and reportd on its financial position revealing that it did not go into a hole as regards expenses.

Mrs. Wynne Stewart, president of the board issued this statement thanking all who took part in the event: "I would like to take this opportunity of expressing the Board of Trade's thanks to all our friends of Gibsons and the surrounding territory who worked so hard to make our Dominion Day celebration the huge success it was. I am sure all our visitors have gone back home thinking what a grand co-operative bunch of folk we have in our village.

I would like to give a special vote of thanks to Vic Metcalfe our parade marshal, also the committee that handled all the details, the Accordion Band and the Highland dancers.

All I can say is a great big thank you to everybody."

PTA honors 2 members

Mrs. S. Butler and Mrs. G. Reeves were presented with gifts at the last PTA meeting at Roberts Creek School, Mrs. Butler for the many kindly services to the group and Mrs. Reeves, past president and secretary for her untiring work in the organization. The Reeves family has moved to Sechelt, where Mr. Reeves is employed by the B. C. Electric Co.

New officers elected for the coming year are: President, Mrs. A. Danroth; Vive-president, Mrs. D. Blake; social, Mrs. D. Lloyd; publicity, Mrs. J. T. Newman; health, Mrs. S. Butler; membership, Mrs. M. Coles; program, Mrs. J. Warn and finance, Mrs. A. Weal.

The positions of secretary and treasurer have been left open until Sept, Mrs. J. Alvaro acting pro tem.

Halfmoon Bay

Mr. and Mrs. Leuchte of Welcome Beach have a visitor from overseas, Mrs. Leuchtes sister Mathilde from Munich, Germany.

Stan aind Helen Moffat, former residents of the Bay paid a flying visit from Alta Lake over the holiday weekend

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Mr. and Mrs. Longmuir of Vancouver are visiting their daughter, Mrs. K. Anderson and their new grandson Alan.

The Tag Nygards, Judy and Jimmy, are spending a few days at Buccaneer Bay taking along Crscn and Leonard Graves as guests.

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Swimming lessons for the children are in full swing at the Bay under the expert instruction of Mrs. Kingston. The cutdoor Badmington class is making headway, and any child wihing to enroll can apply to Mrs. P. Ness or Mrs. M. Wise at the Bay

RED CROSS MEETING

A meeting of the Red Cross society, Gibsons, Port Mellon branch, will be held Thursday evening at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Jules Mainil, Pratt road.

All persons interested in Red Cross work are invited to attend.

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A WISE MOVE

In view of the fact the following editorial under the heading "A Wise Move" was so garbled in last week's issue, it is being run again and it is hoped, correctly, this time!

The Merchants Credit Association of the Sunshine Coast has now been subscribed 100 percent, embracing every business on the coast. This is a wonderful step forward in our ever-growing communities, a step that is advantageous not only to the merchants but to everyone on the Peninsula.

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Mr. Kemp's message

On our departure from the West Howe Sound pastoral charge, Mrs. Kemp and I desire to express our appreciation and thanks to the friends in the four congregations, and others in the community, who gave us generous assistance in many ways.

This message is especially addressed to those whom we were unable to contact personally prior to leaving.

We entered into the labors of those who served so faithfully before us, and carried on by the very present help so readily given and are confident that the good work will continue and increase in co-operation with the Rev. David and Mrs. Donaldson.

Many pleasant memories go with us, which will be a source of encouragement in our future work. E.F. Kemp

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A Logger's Tales

GOWER POINT, OR THE DAYS OF ROGER PRATT

From information received it is conceded that Gower Point was logged long before Gibson got here. The shores had been handlogged and then the Moodyville Mills had moved in with skidroads in from the where the wharf is now at Gibsons to take all the best fir timber in a radius of one mile from the old school house. The other road came up from Gower Point, and fingered out into that area bounded by the cemetery and the ravine of Paynes Creek (it has only been Pratts creek recently).

These workings were old when Gibson came so it must have been round the 1860-70 era that they denuded Howe Sound of its finest timber.

These characters only took the very best, and quite often only took two or even one log out of a tree. It was not uncommon years ago in these parts to come across one of these trees with one log taken, the rest of it would still make very fine firewood. Oxen were the lines of force, and eight or ten yoke of bulls as they were called was generally the setup.

What little I saw of draught in later years brought wonder as to whether they ever got to where they were going with the resigned look of mute despair that the critters had. They could pull more than a horse though, at that,, but they surely called the turn in slow motion.

Manuscripts left by L.S. Jackson when he died, have been discovered and the Coast News with the consent of the family will publish them. There are not many but the pungent yet witty pen of L.S.J. was always a welcome addition to the Coast News pages.

Here is the first. The others will be published from time to time.

When Rodger Pratt moved in on Gower Point he used the old landing of these ox team gentry, of which the only trace left now is the bit of green sward along the road just passed the creek mouth. Progress has surely caught up with the creek. It is nothing but a trickle now where years ago there was a pool 50 yards long and three feet deep that in the fall was a seething mass of dog and cohoe salmon, and rumour has it that some of the pork sent to town was redient with fish, which brought some acidulous comment.

Pratt had horses, and there was still plenty of timber in the draws and gullies which the old timers passed up on account of being hard to get. They hardly ever tok anything up grade if they could help it. When they logged, the timber cut here was known as Oregon pine all over the world and still is called that in the Antipodes.

I know some of the men who worked with Pratt and his camp was somewhat declasse, a spur of the moment sort of place as he only filed on the place for what timber he could take off it. Shortly after Pratt some Japenese moved in, but they were not there very long and I believe they took a small quanity of cedar out.

In those days it was as simple a that to start logging, a man or two men who had a team and a little credit just moved in where they thought they could log and went at it. The total stumpage costs were rarely more than a dollar, and one started to log somewhat on the line of picking a few apples. The long shake shack that was Pratts camp kept out the rain and the wind didn't matter. It had a split cedar floor and ferns and hay was laid on shakes to make bunks. The crew uch as there was could swing their feet out over the side of the bunk and they were at the table, the fire was an open square of gravel built up with boards, and a hole in the roof.

The chap who told me this said that they never thought much of it as most of them rarely stayed more than a few weeks and it was generally summertime. The remains of the log house were there in 1910 with the bones of two oxen who probably were starving to death when some good samaritan came along and put them out of their misery. The alders soon covered this up and hack and skidroad, are all gone with Roger Pratt who met and untimely end working on the B.C. Sugar Refinery building.

Gower Point

Staying at G. M. Bride's summer home at Gower Point, this past two weeks were their daughter Miss Carol Anne Bride, Mr. Grover Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. King and son Thomas Norman, Mr. and Mrs. McSorley, Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Bird and daughter Julie Dianne.

Mr. McSorley is a son of the Reeve of Burnaby, and will carry home the beauty of the Sunshine Coast.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Bird are twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. T. Fyfe, directors of both the Theatre under the Stars and the Pacific National Exhibition.

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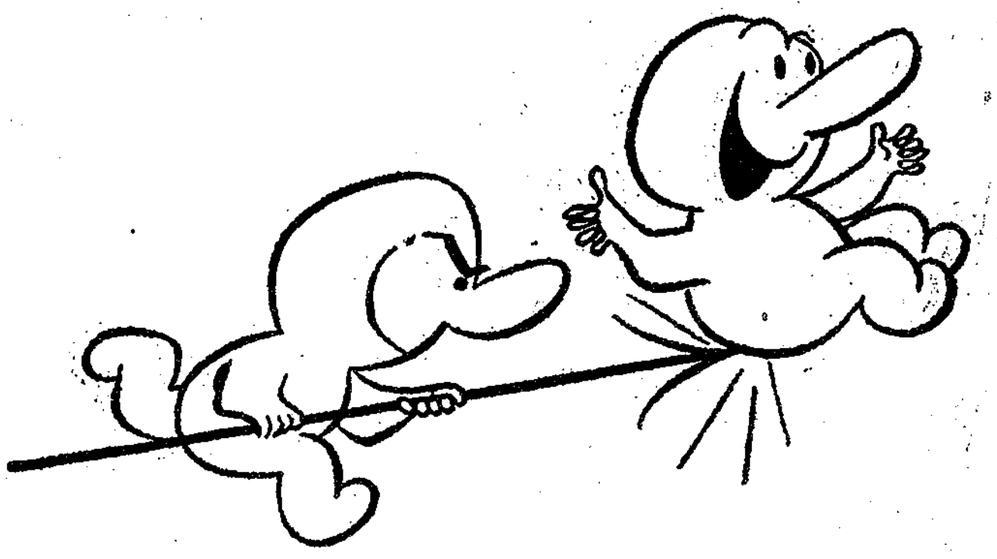

A Few Pointers on Using Your 'Phone

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2. TO CALL THE OPERATOR: With the receiver on the hook, give one long, vigorous ring of about three seconds duration.
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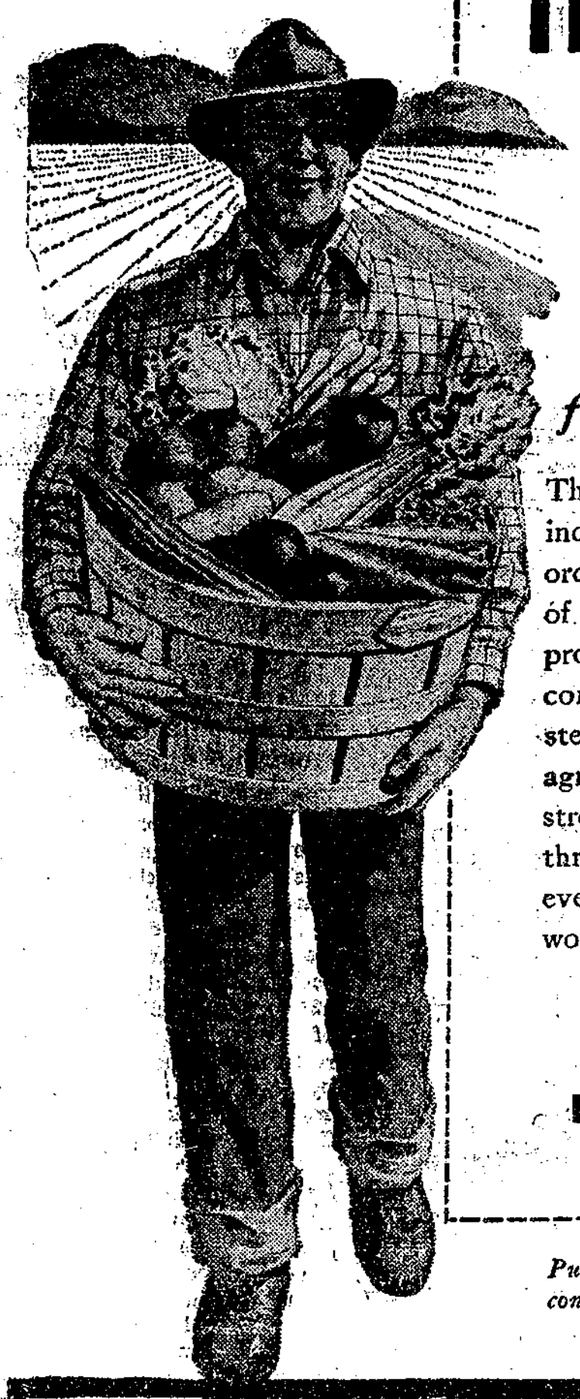

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BETWEEN OURSELVES BY Cecil Wallace

ROSES IN DECEMBER

A few years ago a minister, pastor of a downtown church in one of our larger cities, was touched by the number of old people in the district. From a score of different countries they came and many, of course, born in this land. They were old, lonely and for the most part friendless. They differed in many ways but were alike in their loneliness. A few attended church services but quite a number were self-conscious about their shabby cloths and because they could not contribute to the church.

Sometimes in the privacy of a small room he heard stories of better days, or nostalgic talks of better times; told frequently without bitterness or self-pity. The climax came when, at the funeral of an old man there was no one present but a deaconess, the undertaker and himself.

Straightway he announced the formation of a new organization in the church. Remembering James Barrie's beautiful phrase: "God gave us memory so that we might have roses in December," he seized upon that name. From the church pulpit he told of his plans and invited all the old people who felt the need of fellowship to join the club. the "Roses in December Club."

That was the beginning of One evening a week the old people met for a lively meeting, bright and cheerful and refreshments. The membership grew until there were well over a hundred and for them it was the highlight of the week. Old people who had felt they were derelicts, became acquainted and no meeting held around the church has had a finer atmosphere.

They do everything from singing hymns and old songs to playing musical chairs. Naturally they talk of the past and like Mark Twain, in his old age, they have lively imaginations. Said Mark: "I used to tell stories about things that happened and some that didn't. Now I can only remember the ones that didn't happen." Well, it would be a drab world if nobody exaggerated a little.

There must be hundreds of situations where an organization of elderly people would bring help and healing; a live Bible Class or Young People's Society could do it, thus giving and receiving a blessing.

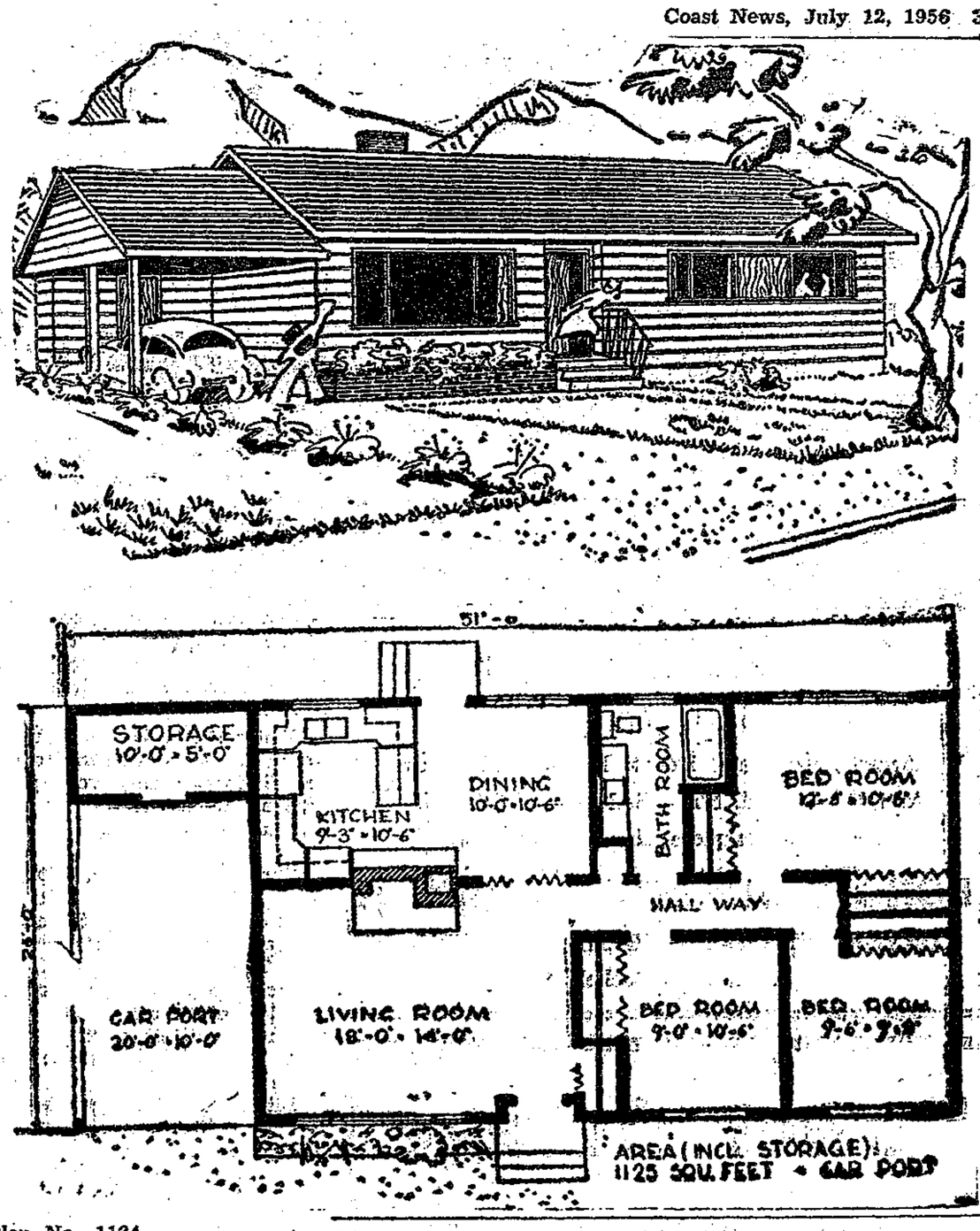
The pastor himself died not long ago, but the club continues its weekly meetings. Recently a member died who had no friends or relatives in this country but there were over eighty people at the funeral service, practically all members of the club, and on the casket was a lovely wreath and a card: "From the members of the Roses in December Club."

I am glad to pass along this little story with the hope that it may have suggestive value. There isn't a village, town or city in this vast land without its quota of lonely old people. They are the has-beens of life's game; the players who have had their palmy days but are now on the sidelines.

In a previous essay I talked about cheerful old age and I am bound to say that many of the happiest people I have ever known have been in their seventies or eighties. It was once accepted that elderly people must be morose or melancholy. Even Cicero said that the aged could do nothing but think of the good times in the past.

The philosopher was mistaken. The writer of the First Psalm knew better than that. Although springtime is the period of fresh leaves and vitality, he envisaged a life with old age fruitful and happy. "His leaf shall not wither". Here is a life crowned with unfading leaves and undiminished courage and hope.

When Oliver Wendall Holmes was an old man he met a youth who told him how highly he and others regarded him. Dr. Holmes was slightly amused but pleased. "It is a great joy," he said, "For those of us who are going down the hill to be so well thought of by those who are coming up the hill."



Plan No. 1134

This economy Home of 1125 sq. ft. features seperate dining area off the kitchen, a spacious living room, with inside fireplace and built in chimney furnace saving both space and costs. There is ample storage in the end of the carport. This home has three nice bedrooms with built in vanity in the bath room. Working drawings are available for $25.00 pe set of 6 blueprints, or for other select designs, write for our new "50 Home Plan Book" send 25c to cover postage and handling, The Building Centre B.C. Ltd. 1240 West Broadway Vancouver B.C.

I.O.O.F. Sunshine Coast Lodge No.76 meets Gibson's Legion Hall 2nd and 4th Friday each month.

Winter feed reserves

To compensate for short hay and silage crops in the Fraser Valley, farmers can still improve their winter feed reserves this year through production of annual crops.

Providing soil moisture conditions are favorable many annual crops can still be planted which will produce hay, silage and fall pasture.

Oats can be seed up to the end of July at the coast to produce a late crop of silage or fall pasture. At these late dates of seeding, although oats will normally head out before heavy fall frosts, they will probably not fill out. Nevertheless they will give a satisfactory yield of forage which can be stored as silage. Seeding of annual rye grass at 10 to 15 pounds per acre with the oats will provide additional bulk in the harvested crop.

Early maturing varieties of corn can be seeded up to June 20th and still produce a good tonnage of forage which can be ensiled or cut and fed green.

Winter cereals such as fall wheat and fall rye can be seeded any time up to the end of August and will provide excellent fall as well as early spring pasture next year.

If oats and fall grain are mixed and seeded before the end of July the mixed growth will make sufficient yields to harvest for silage this fall. The fall grain will normally survive the winter for early spring grazing.

The British Columbia Department of Agriculture recommends sowings of 90 to 100 pounds of oats and 50 to 60 pounds of fall wheat or rye.

The cereals can be grazed when they are about 8 inches high.

All crops should be sown into a good seedbed and recommended fertilizers applied at a heavy rate.

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Tenders wil be received till 6:00 c'clock p.m, on Saturday, July 14, 1956.

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The Board of School Trustees
School District No. 46 (Sechelt)

Halfmoon Bay

BY PAT WELSH

Friends and acquiantances in Halfmoon Bay have learned of the death on July 2 of Ed Dollman, long-time resident of Halfmoon Bay. Mr. Dollman was a veteran of the Spanish American war and was in his 91st year. In recent years he had made his home with MMr. and Mrs. K. Mare at Trossochs, Sask. He died in Weyburn Hospital after abrief illness. Burial was held at Weyburn on July 5.

Mr. Reston of Welcome Beach with a friend and his five year old son, were marooned on Thormanby Island on Monday last. While fishing there was a blow and they were unable to make the mainLand. After a hungery and chilly night they crept along Thormanby to the bay and were driven home little the worse.

Water skiing is the popular trend at Redrooffs, Mrs. Johnny Simpson being very proficient. Others were too far out to be recognized.

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Canon Alan Greene, D.D. of the Columbia Coast Mission held divine service in the open at Redrooffs on Sunday morning. The service was well attended and a number of young jeople turned out.

There will be another service during August to be announced later.

Little Julie Pearson who is spending the summer here at her parents summer home was taken ill Friday and is in St. Mary's Hospital, Garden Bay.

The Chris Dalton's home was full to overflowing over the weekend with the guests of their elder son John, they were Jack Crone, Roland Embree, George Sexsmith, and Stuart Egerton.

Mrs. Elsie Klusendorf of Welcome Beach, has her daughter, Mrs. Bath and Mrs. Bath Sen as her house guests.

Mrs. Buster Brown and daughter, Dawn, are visiting her brother, Don Ross, over the weekend.

Mrs. A. Trent and her three childrenare occupying the Bert Anderson home for the next three months. Her neice, Miss Margot Trent, and Miss Heide Effler are spending a few days with her.

Mrs. J. Cunliffe has her parents, Mr. andMrs. J.M. Haworth of New Westminster as guests.

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At the Harold Hunts are Mr. and Mrs. Godbelt and small son who caught a 10 lb. Ling Cod almost as big as himself.

Guests at the Bill Thoms this weekend are Mr. and Mrs. H. Anderson and son Melvin of New Westminster. Bill caught a nice salmon whilst fishing at the point Sunday morning.

At the J.B. Simpsons this past week were Mr. and Mrs. A. Gable and Rebecca of Edmonton, and Mrs. A. Brox with Ronnie and Carol.

The George Simpsons celebrated their 13th wedding anniversary July 8th with a family gathering at the home of Mr. I. Simpson. They will be the guests of the Johnny Simpsons for the next two weeks.

At the Charles Lunn home are Mrs. C.H. Lunn sr. and her daughter Mrs. J. Walker and Valerie.

the small pupils of Mrs. Helen Galliford entertained parents and friends on the last day of school. On a green grass stage with a backdrop of bubbling brook and rustic bridge shaded by cedar trees, the children danced like gay little sprites through a series of square dances to the music of teacher's accordion, sang quaint songs, most of them composed at the school, and played their own specialized rythm band numbers. One interesting number was an action song called "Learning to Swim", overflowing with sound advice for children who live near the water.

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The Board of School Trustees
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Roberts Creek

BY MRS. M. NEWMAN

Open House at Boy Scouts and Cubs headquarters at Roberts Creek on Friday evening brought parents and several friends to witness a typical rally, and all were well entertained. Cubs, Gerald Danroth and Croft Warn, were sent up to Scouts in regular ceremony. Masters Harrold and Rev. C. Harbord stressed the need of a scoutmaster and assistant since the resignation of Mr. Lee and Mr. Boucher who have left the community and D. Kennett and R. McSavanay whose work will not permit the time.

Following games, singing and first aid work, the boys served their guests with tea and refreshments.

The sun shone brightly on a woodland scene at Stratford Kindergarten June 28 when

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LEGAL

Intention to Purchase Land

I, Arthur James Smith, intend to apply for permission to purchase 35 acres of land bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the South West corner of lot 3250 thence North 7 chains to the North West corner of Lot 3250, thence West to the Easterly Boundary of Lot 3249 for 5 chains, thence South for 40 chains to point intersecting the Northerly Boundary of Lot 3248, thence East 5 chains to the Lake Shore, thence along the Lake Shore to point of commencement.

Intention to Purchase Land

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Frederick Leavett

A private funeral service was conducted by the Rev. R. R. Morrison at the Graham Funeral Home, Gibsons, on Tuesday afternoon, July 10, for Frederick Isaac Leavett of Wilson Creek, who had died at his home on July 7 in his 71st year. Mr. Leavett leaves his wife, Elizebeth, a son Ernie, a daughter Mrs. Agnes Tether of Princton, and 3 grandchildren. The body was taken to Vancouver for cremation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leavett came to Wilson Creek from Vancouver about 10 years ago.

BIRTHS

Fulton. - Ken and Shirley Fulton of Horseshoe Bay and formerly of Gibsons announce the birth of an eight-pound-ten ounce boy.

THE DATEPAD

July 14: Roberts Creek- Br. 219 Legion Dance- Community Hall- 9 p.m.

July 17: Wilson Creek United church garden tea at the home of Rev. H. Bevan, 2:30 p.m,. If raining will be held in Community hall.

July 19. Garden Party, St. Bartholomew's W.A. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Chaster, Gower Point, from 2 till 5 p.m. Fancy work, Home cooking, Afternoon tea.

July 19: Gibsons- Summer Bazaar at Mrs. Harry Chaster's, Gower Point, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

July 21st Gibsons, United Church corner, I0. a.m., W.I. sale, home cooking and produce.

July 21: Roberts Creek PTA Dance, Community Hall at Roberts Creek, 9:30 p.m.

July 25: Gibsons- Raspberry Tea for Mother Circle to Elphinstone Boy's Club, at Mrs. Elmholdts, 2 - 4 p.m.

July 27: St. Aidan's Garden party, tea and bazaar at the garden of Mrs. Long, 2 p.m.

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Sechelt news items

BY MRS. A. A. FRENCH

A surprise party was given at the Harry Walker's for Mrs. Rose Albert from Vancouver, whose son, E. Kolke of the Merchant Marines is home on leave from Seattle with his wife and son.

Mr. Ron Fowler has moved into the home of his grandson, Ed Laidlaw.

Mrs. Alice Kent has moved into the Harry Billingsley home. The Billingsley's have moved to Lulu Island.

Charles Humm of the Humm contracting firm, the House Painters, has moved with his wife and son Robert, to Sechelt from Westview.

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Mr. McDermott af the M and W Logging Company has purchased the Bryce Fleck home at Sechelt. He plans a number of changes to the home, known as Opengo Lodge. Over 60 years ago, it belonged to Mr. T.J. Cook, and about 1913 the O'Kelly's owned it until Mr. Fleck's purchase about 1920. The lodge was built, and under Mr. and Mrs. Youngson's care it was a showplace, with its lovely gardens.

Mrs. N. Macklin held a tea for a number of her friends recently. She has gone to North Vencouver to visit her brother.

Mrs. Ralph Hood, with Bill and Barbara, came from Prince Rupert while her mother, Mrs. Stan Parker, was in Vancouver for a physical check-up.

The O.K. Engens recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Holgren of Tacoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Bowden of Woodfibre.

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Randy Joe, little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Joe, was severely injured when run over by a car in the Indian Reserve. He was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, and then flown to St. Paul's in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Joe's two daughters, Gladys and Irs, have returned from a Seattle vacation.

A local girl, Wilma Luoma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Luoma, has graduated this year from St. Paul's Hospital school of nursing in Vancouver

Roy Pollock is away, visiting his cousins Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods at Hotham Sound.

Averil Lucken in now employed in the Sechelt Bakery, in the place of Margaret Williams, who is leaving for Vancouver. Other local girls working this summer are Donna Butler and Darlene White, in the Sechelt Service Store.

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Mr. Gee, with Colleen and Sylvia and Teddy have left for Vancouver.

Karen Stockwell, a recent graduate from Normal School, is employed for the summer with Clayton's Grocery.

Mrs. Horner from Winnipeg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker.

The DePencier Circle of St. Hilda's church held a successful social, at which door prizes were won by Gordon Potts and Mrs. Betty Billingsley. The Circle thanks those who helped, especially W. A. members, and generous donors of door prizes. There will be no further socials until fall.

St. Hilda's Sunday School picnic was held in the Parish Hall, due to uncertain weather. It was well attended. Prizes were awarded for the year's highest attendance to Joyce Potts and Chuckie Poteet.

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The Lloyd Turners had a full house for the holidays, with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood, Brian and Sharon of New Westminster, E. E. Wood, and their daughter, Marylin Turner visiting before leaving for summer school.

Carl and Mrs. Peterson are in Vancouver for their holidays.

Margaret Williams was presented with a hymn book by her friends of St. Hilda's congregation, on the occasion of her leaving Sechelt, in recognition of her sevices as organist and her assistance in the choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Benner are now living in the Old Orchard Cottages.

C. P. O. and Mrs. Jack Spelman, with Tim and Johnny, are staying with Chief Spelman's cousin, Mrs French.

Sechelt Legion L. A. will hold its annual flower show on August 2. Entries are welcome from all points of the Peninsula.

A farewell party in honor of Mr. Doyle was held at the Dr. McKee home recently. Mr. Doyle has spent the past three months with his daughter Mrs. Gordon Potts and family.

The McKees will have their daughter Marion and friend Amy Michelle of Edmonton as holiday guests. Marion has just completed her first year's study towards her B. Sc. in nursing.

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If hubby is complaining the garage is littered with rakes and garden tools here's a neat trick to keep all those tools in place. A four-foot length of wire fencing stapled across several of the studs on your garage wall forms a perfect rack for hanging garden tools. Get your husband to bend the wires on the lower edge to form hooks. Then he can hang shears and small tools on them.

Ivan Romanoff leads a rousing chorus in "Songs of My People", heard every Friday night on the Trans-Canada network at 10.30 p.m. The program brings listeners folk songs from all parts of the world.

To count employees

For the first time since the end of the Second World War, the Unemployment Insurance Commission is making an actual count of the number of insured persons in Canada, Chief Commissioner J. G. Bisson has announced today.

Forms have gone out to more than one-quarter of a million employers, and when the returns are in it is expected that almost 4,000,000 employees will be listed on the Commission's master index of insured persons. The survey is being taken in conjunction with the annual renewal of unemployment books to cause as little disruption as possible to employers' operations.

The master index, which was brought up to date annually during the war years, has only been checked by a 10 per cent sampling since 1945. The index now lists over 8,000,000 persons, many of whom are no longer in insured employment. Deaths, marriages, withdrawal from the labour market, and emigration are among the reasons why the present index needs to be up-dated.

The index is used mainly than one insurance number to as a control in assigning insurance numbers to individuals Records are kept by number because of the many duplications in given name and surname where the records involve millions of persons. The centralized index keeps to a minimum the issuance of more a person, and thus avoids duplication of records and inconvenience to the insured person.

It is expected that after the returns are in from the present registration it will take several months to set up the new index. In the meantime, all present records are being retained and will remain in effect for those who have accrued insurable interest but who are not at present being insured.

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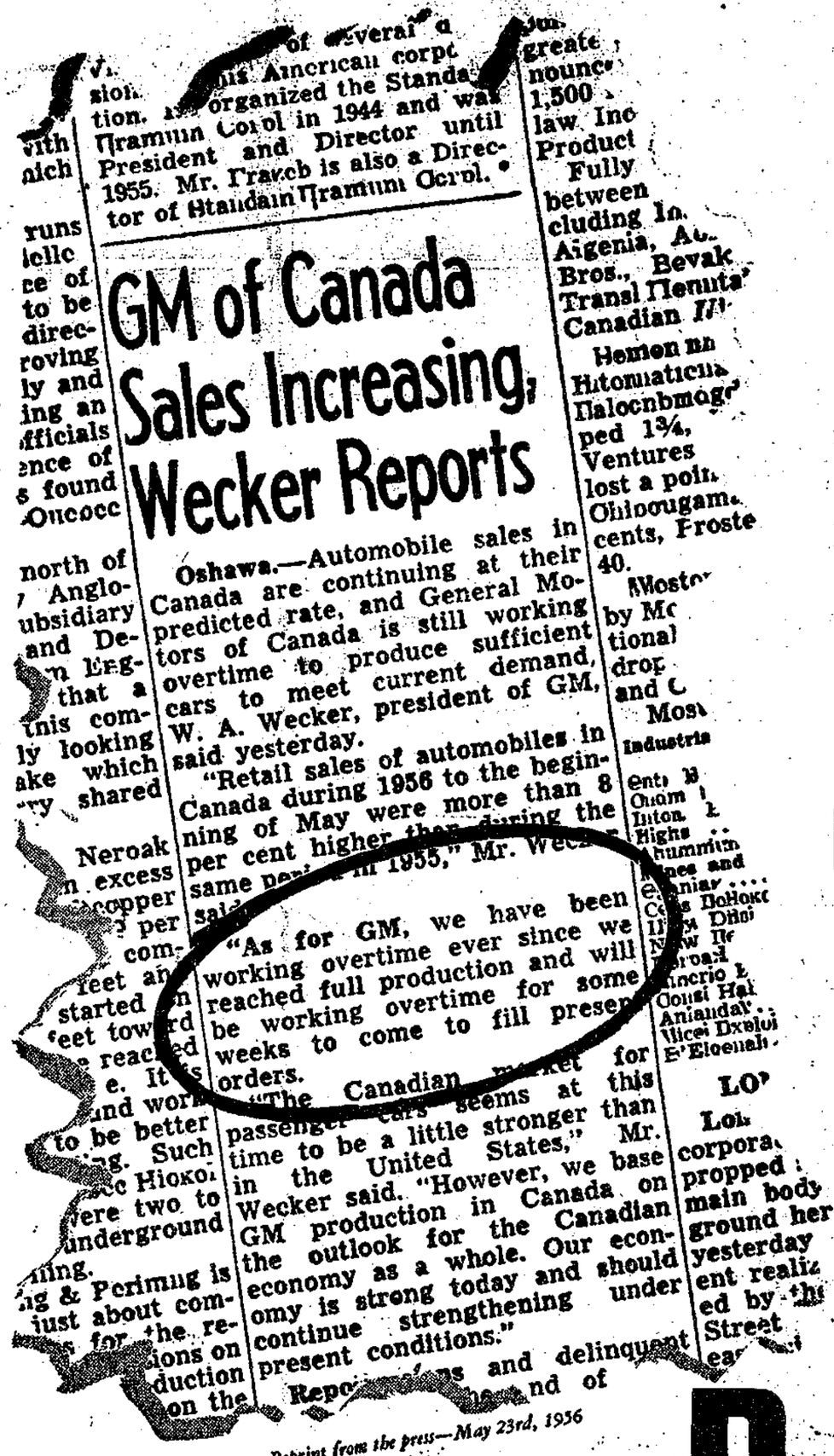

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Gibsons personals

BY PHYLLIS M. HODGSON

Ideal holiday weekend weather brought a great influx of visitors to the Sunshine Coast. Homes and summer cottages bulged at the seams with happy friends.

Guests at Mrs. Dolley's was her son and grandson from Whalley and her sister, Mrs. George Moffat from New Westminster.

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Liking Gibsons well enough to settle here, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Singlehurst formerly of Williams Lake are staying with the Singlehursts on Gower Point rd. while looking for permanent accommodation.

Locke Knowles and his family were back to their Gibsons home for a few days.

Recent guests at the J. Connor home were Mr. Condon and Mr. Connelly from New Zealand. Their duties aboard the "Weihemo" means visiting Canada twice a year and includes a reunion with the Connors.

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Capt. and Mrs. H. Metcalfe had Mrs. Walton of Vancouver as their house guest.

Mrs. Kay Henderson whose marriage takes place this month, was the guest of honor when Mrs. Irene Hunter entertained at a miscellaneous shower. Mrs. Carole Brakstad presented her with a lovely corsage and Johnny, the small son of Mrs. Hunter, very ably presented the gifts from a gaily decorated basket. Mrs. MacMillen, Mrs. Hoops and Mrs. Hammond assisted with the serving.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Trethewey and family are visiting Mrs. Trethewey's parents Mr. and Mrs. Clair Chamberlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hoops were in Vancouver to attend the wedding of Mrs. Hoops sister in St. Michaels Anglican Church. Mrs. Hoops was matron of honor and Mr. Hoops was an usher at the ceremony.

Mrs. W. Weinhandl is convalescing at home following surgery in Vancouver hospital.

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Mrs. W. Skellett has returned home from Vancouver. Mr. Skellett who has been a patient in Shaughnessy hospital for several months is expected home any day now, and their grand-daughter, Marge, in the Shriners' Hospital in Portland is making satisfactory improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Harrowell from Vencouver have bought the Jim Watson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saunders left by plane to continue their holiday in New Mexico.

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Mrs. E. Bush of Kelowna was visiting the C. Robinsons.

Donna, the 13 year old daughter of Mrs. Irene Hunter is convalescing at home following an appendix operation.

Peonies and orange blossoms graced the rooms when Mrs. Hoops and Mrs. MacMillen were joint hostesses at a kitchen shower for Mrs. Kay Henderson. The many beautiful gifts were arranged in three gift boxes resembling a three tier wedding cake, each tier supported by decorated pillars and topped with a bridal ornament. Bridge was played and refreshments concluded the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGavin of West Vancouver were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emms and the Hodgsons.

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Travelling by air, Carman Robinson was a weekend visitor to Powell River.

Mrs. J. Ashworth's beautiful garden made an ideal setting for a garden tea honoring Mrs. Elcome a popular summer visitor from England. Mrs. R. Macnicol poured tea. Mrs. McKibbin and Mrs. Henniker assisted the hostess at serving.

Mr. and Mrs. R.F. Bennie from Asheroft have bought the Duncan home.

Mrs. Edith Forbes enjoyed a visit from her son and his wife from Winnipeg, who have now returned home. Entertaining at dinner for them were Mr. and Mrs. Grattan, Mr. and Mrs. Gosden and Mr. and Mrs. Keen. Mrs. Forbes concluded their holiday with a dinner party for ten, followed by an evening of cards.

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On Thursday July 5, Mr. and Mrs. S.H. Butler of Lissiland entertained at a family dinner and farewell party for Mrs. H. Elcome, Mr. Butler's sister visiting from Harrow England. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harrowen, old time friends from Branden Man. Mrs. Elcome takes home with her memories of some of our nicest weather, of garden parties arranged for her, and singing in St. Bartholomews choir. She left by plane on Saturday arriving in England Sunday evening.

Keith Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Baker has joined the staff of the Bank of Montreal, Lonsdale branch, working under Mr. Doug Smith former bank manager at Gibsons.

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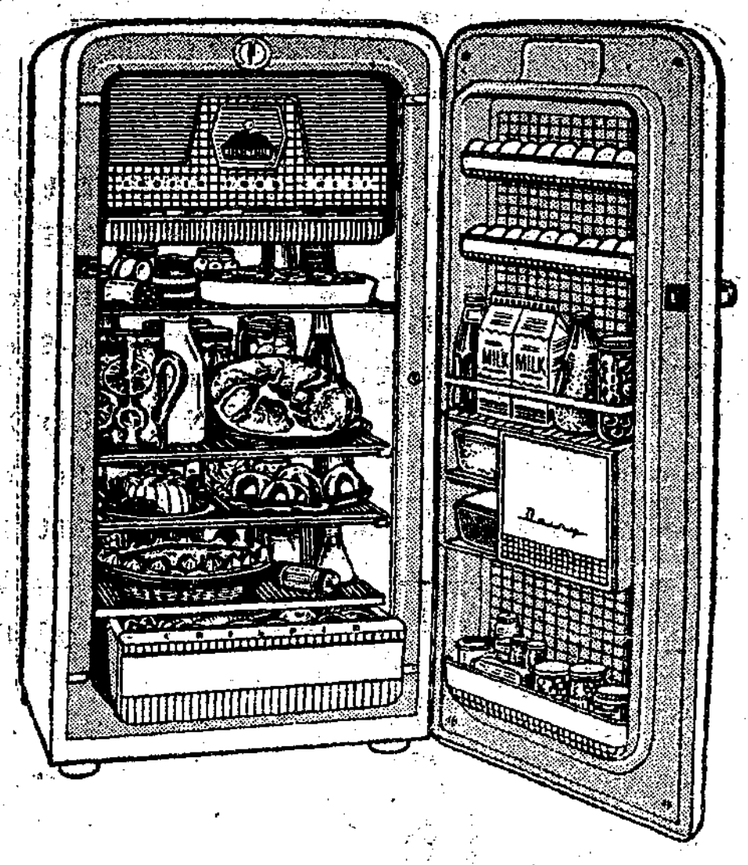

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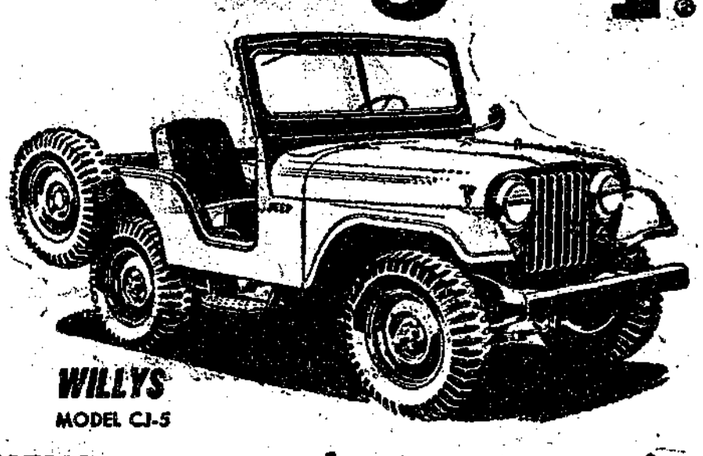

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SPORTS WEEK

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The talk around softball circles is the rumoured withdrawal from the league of Gibsons Firemen. This, as far as I know, is still a rumour although the league officials have been notified of the Firemens intention. I cannot write what I think, being manager of the Firemen, but I will give facts.

A few weeks ago the Firemen played a double header at Pender. The Firemen suspected that a recently acquired Pender player had not received his transfer papers and was not eligible to play. After speaking with officials of the Pender team the Firemen decided to play. They won the first, so naturally did not protest, but losing the second they notified the umpire in the eighth inning that the game was being played under protest. A check-up about one hour after the game did not uncover any signed form or transfer for the player involved. The secretary and opposing manager were then notified by mail that the game was protested.

A four man protest committee decided that the games were to be replayed, later they awarded one game to each team, the reason being that the Firemen should have protested the first game too. As anyone who plays ball knows, you don't protest a game you win, or do you?

Little League

Wilson Creek Orioles played host to the Powell River Pirates in more ways than one, and the many fans who saw the game came away with the firm conviction that they had missed many afternoons enjoyment through not attending more of these interesting combats.

Wilson Creek had one good inning in which they collected most of their runs, but the Pirates jogged along slowly but surely, nailing down the efforts of the Orioles. It was a very interesting game as the outcome would indicate, the Powell River kids eventually winning 7 to 5.

Taking the eye of the fans, were the two pitchers who bore down consistantly, and were not responsible for most of the runs scored. Then the two pint sized catchers, hardly bigger than the bats which were swinging in front of them, gave an exhibition which would have done credit to a team of much older boys.

Eight year old Ray Rankin, gave a creditable performance as catcher for the Orioles, considering that he was substituting for the regular catcher who was on holidays.

After the games, excitement ran high in the community hall, where mothers of the Wilson Creek boys had prepared a dinner for both teams, and the officials.

Police Court

The past three weeks in Magistrate Johnston's court have featured a variety of traffic-regulation infractions, with speeding leading: Ernest Caldwalader, of Campbell River, on Highway 19, Vancouver Island, James Ridock of the same area, speeding with a logging truck and trailer on the Sechelt highway, George Edward Meade and James Henry Bell and Samuel Geddes of Vancouver and E.E. Coe of Selma Park, speeding while on holidays in the Kootenays, were each fined $25 and costs.

A number of juveniles were fined, one for having beer, and was fined $10 and costs. An additional $10 and costs was assessed for entering a Government Liquor store. A second paid a $10 fine and costs for having beer in his possession,

Another juvenile, recently released from the Brennan Lake School for Boys was returned there for an indefinite period for stealing a car at Sechelt. Another implicated in the same theft, was placed on probation.

Two juveniles who drove without due care and attention were each fined $20 and costs, and had their drivers' licenses suspended for one year.

Hugh Dawson Hatchard, a minor of Sechelt, having driven his car in an erratic manner was fined $25 and costs.

The Magistrate announces that speeding on the highways will likely bring long periods of license suspension

It cost Roderick MacLaren Inglis of Gibsons $10 and costs for failng to have a current permit for a freight vehicle, and his driver, Harry Doren, a fine of $10 and costs for driving a load over 8 feet wide on the highway.

Albert Louie of Sechelt for being intoxicated on the reserve at Sechelt, was fined $10 and costs. He stated that he had got the liquor from an unknown man.

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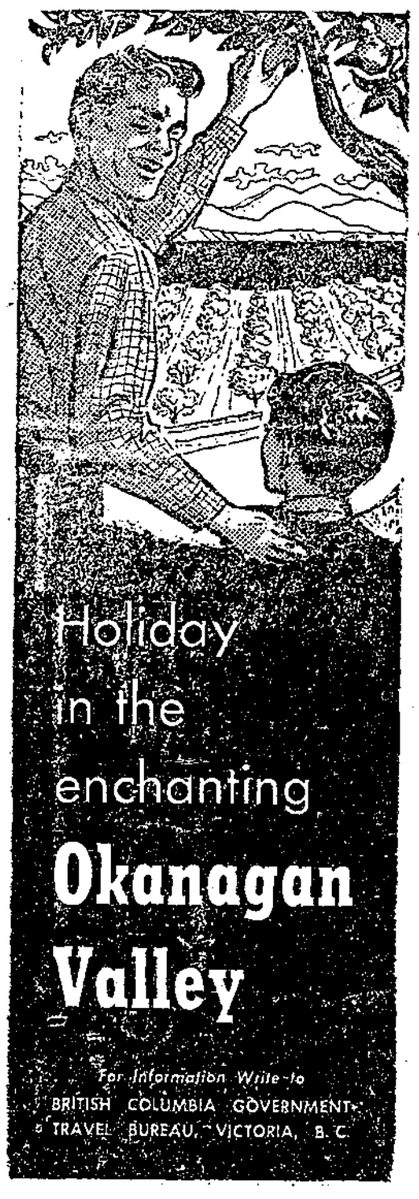

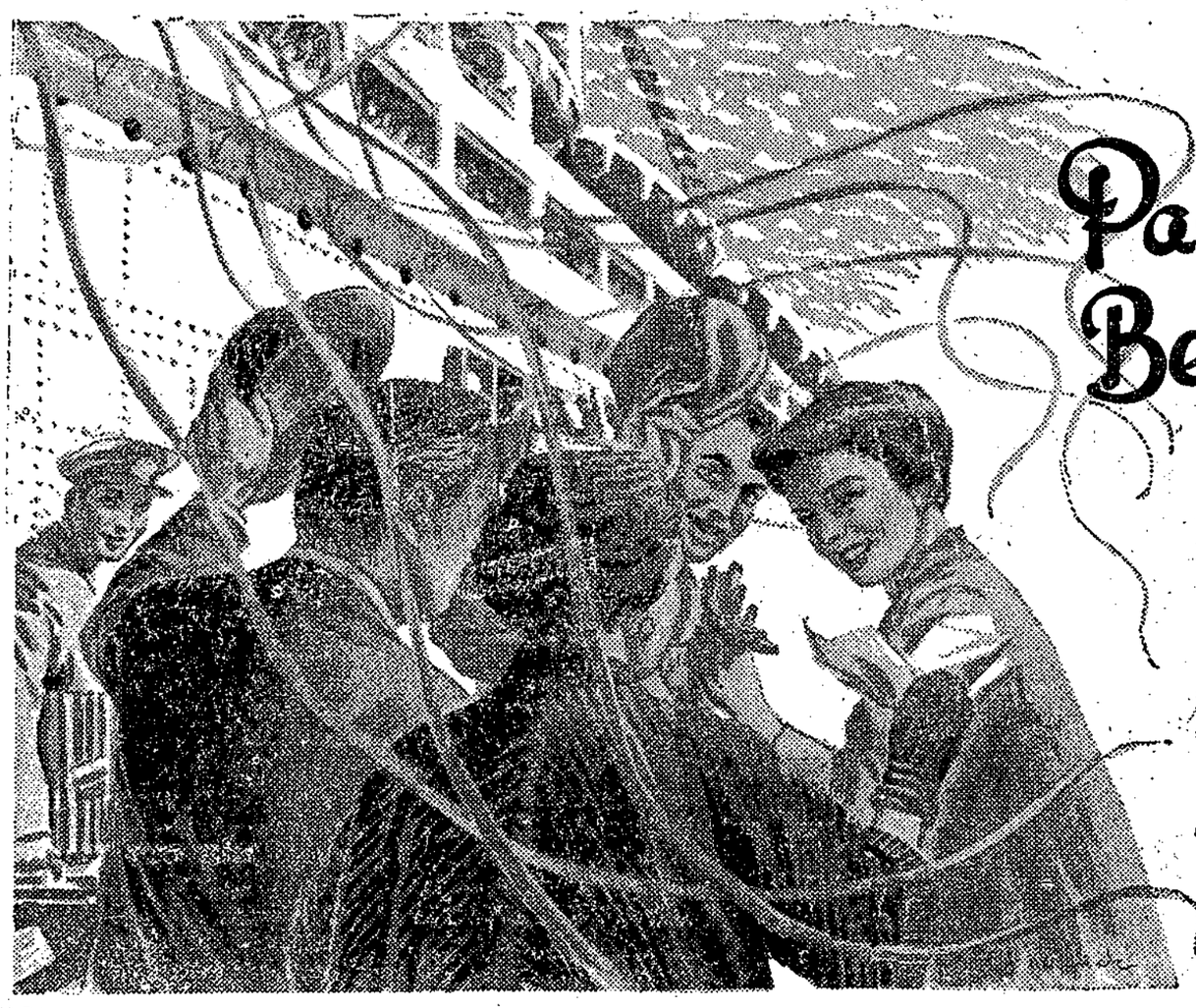

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