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Tourist executive up early

Sunday, Dec. 15, the executive of the Sunshine Coast Tourist Association held a regular meeting at Ole's Cove. Attending were John Toynbee, president; Royal Murdoch, secretary and area representatives Digby Porter, Bill May, Ole Elmholdt, Al Lloyd, Tom Green, Roy Edmundson and Mr. Huck from Greater Vancouver Visitors and Convention Bureau.

The outstanding point of this meeting was the fact that it meant getting up at 5 a.m. on a Sunday morning for Roy Edmundson at Lund and only somewhat later for the others.

Probably it was only the thought of Ole Elmholdt's hospitality and hot coffee at Ole's Cove that caused such great attendance. And certainly, whatever the reason, these men deserve a lot of credit for their unpaid devotion to improving the important tourist industry in the area.

The main purpose of the meeting was to report results of the campaign for memberships in the association and to plan activities for 1964.

Reports from representatives from all areas showed a probable total of $4,500 for membership fees, well short of the $6500 to $7500 objective needed for work to be done.

Agreement was reached on the need for an increase in membership fees for the future and a committee of Toynbee, Murdoch and Lloyd was appointed to contact the advertising agency on the makeup of the 1964 brochure, and to report back to a special executive meeting for action.

Mr. Huck extended an invitation to the association to join the Greater Vancouver Visitors and Conventions bureau and to place a member on this directorate. He pointed out that this would mean an inclusion of a map of the Sunshine Coast area on the 1964 folder as well as a page describing this area. As the planned distribution of this folder is 150,000 copies, it was unanimously decided that this was too good an opportunity to miss, at a cost of only $400.

Bottle drive returns good

The Scouts and Cubs of Gibsons went out on a bottle drive last Saturday and earned a nice contribution to their expense fund. A few people offered cash donations and this together with bottle money amounted to $78.60.

The Scouts offer their thanks to the public for their support and to those who lent vehicles or drove them.

John Hind-Smith has been appointed to the district council for Boy Scouts. He will assume the role of public relations officer formerly held by Cy Johnson who remains as council member but has been appointed by the Kiwanis club to represent them as chairman of the Gibsons Group Committee.

Don Hauka formerly held this post but retired to become president of the Kiwanis club for 1964. Kiwanis are the sponsoring group for Gibsons Scouts and they, along with parents of Scouts and the general public are in debt to the club for their interest and considerable material support, their club house on the reserve being one very good example.

MISSING!

RCMP aided by searchers from Gibsons and Sechelt have scoured Killarney Lake area near the Egmont Skookumchuck for Clyde R. Parnwell, Gibsons TV repair man who has been missing in that area since Friday afternoon.

His car was found with the keys in place. During the weekend more than 50 persons aided the police in scouring the land area. Others have checked the lake water for Mr. Parnwell who is 60 years old.

SMALL TALK

By Syms

"She's an angel . . . where did you meet her?" "In outer space . . ." TNS

Mrs. Muriel Ball heads school board

Mrs. Muriel Ball, school trustee for Roberts Creek, was elected chairman of Sechelt District School Board at its inaugural 1964 meeting Monday morning in school board offices in Gibsons. Her election was by acclamation.

Division of the work of the various chairmen took a new angle this year with trustees becoming immersed more in their own general areas than in the entire school district.

Trustee Reg Spicer of Pender Harbour was named public relations chairman and will also look after transportation and building problems in the Halfmoon Bay to Pender Harbour area. Mr. Spicer was chairman of the 1963 board.

Trustee Leo Johnson will be chairman of the policy committee and look after buildings and grounds in Sechelt and Roberts Creek areas.

Publicity will be in the hands of Mrs. Celia Fisher and Mrs. C. M. Volen will take care of finance. Both Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Volen, new trustees, will jointly look after transportation building and grounds problems in the Gambier and Bowen Islands and Gibsons area.

Mrs. Leslie Jackson, also a new trustee, will take charge of Sechelt Motor Transport school bus service and Joseph Horvath, new trustee representing Roberts Creek will be vice-chairman and look after personnel problems as well. Mrs. Ball, chairman, will also keep the educational matters chairmanship she had last year.

The board decided that in view of the retirement of H. J. Chaster as maintenance supervisor in October a replacement would have to be obtained.

As the result of a backfire in the Sechelt school furnace after school hours, the board has decided to have that furnace replaced. Also the board will switch the Elphinstone High fuel system from oil to bunker B fuel to lessen any danger of explosion there.

From a poster contest held in conjunction with the referendum on Jan. 25, the three best posters will be utilized by the board for display purposes.

Sunday School concert tableau

The Christmas concert held on Sunday evening, Dec. 21 by the Gibsons United Church Sunday School was greatly enjoyed by the good turnout of parents and friends.

The children performed extremely well in their singing and recitations.

Highlight of the evening was the nativity tableau in an impressive blue lighted setting, backgrounded by recordings and choir singing.

Those taking part were Carol Mylroie and Sandra Ward, as Mary and Joseph, Ann Fitzsimmons, Carol Lasser and Christine Hanson as the Wise Men and David Johnson, Danny Austin and Terry Forshner as the shepherds. The tableau closed with The Little Drummer Boy ably played on the drum by Robbie Boyes.

All scenery and settings were made by Mr. and Mrs. E. Yablonski and the senior class.

OBTAIN RESUSCITATOR

Gibsons Volunteer Fire Brigade fund for a resuscitator was going strong in July of 1952 and by August 1 it was over the top after a one month campaign.

Hubbs outlines donation angles

Mr. H. Hubbs, chairman of the building committee of St. Mary's Hospital board, at the Masonic Hall, Thursday, clarified many nebulous and much discussed ideas regarding donations and contributions to the building now in progress, for O.E.S. members.

Mr. Hubbs made it quite clear that money given towards the hospital would in no way detract from the amount of the government grant but would greatly add to the quality and quantity of its furnishings.

Since the cost of building continues to rise, the grant buys less materials. All contributions are welcome. To furnish one bedroom costs $783.90, and a two-bed ward, $1192.53.

There are several Hospital Auxiliaries active in the area and more are forming.

Hot tree abandoned: power cut

That 90 minute power break Tuesday, the day before New Year's Day was caused by someone felling an alder tree in the ravine next to the Sunshine Coast Highway at what is known as Reid's corner.

B.C. Hydro officials, warned first by the Coast News, found the break as quickly as they could and had power on soon afterwards. The Coast News was vitally interested because it had planned an early finish to the printing of that week's issue to allow the staff the half-day off. With about 400 papers to go power failed with astonishing suddenness. The half-day turned out to be a quarter day off for the staff.

The Hydro office in Sechelt was flooded with calls all the way from Wilson Creek to beyond Gibsons between 12:40 and 2:10 p.m. when power was again turned on.

Sunday morning's break was caused by a transformer blowing out at Roberts Creek. This resulted in a two-hour blackout shortly after Saturday midnight resulting in electric clocks being two hours slow next morning. The three Sunday outages each lasting about one minute, were the result of hydro system switching to get the various areas involved off the Roberts Creek transformer system.

Who chopped the alder down in the ravine on the Tuesday remains a mystery because no one has claimed it since. It is now regarded as a hot tree.

Cubmaster needed

Due to the lack of response from the parents, the 1st Gibsons A Pack will be handled by District Cubmaster G. Thatcher starting Jan. 11 at the School Hall from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Any person or a teenage boy interested in assisting should phone Mr. Thatcher at 886-2479.

There are some openings for boys in all the packs. Listed below are the times of meetings Please phone Mr. Thatcher if your son is interested in joining.

Roberts Creek, Camp Earl Haig, Monday, 7 to 8:15 p.m.

St. Vincent's, Camp Earl Haig Friday, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

1st Gibsons B, Legion Hall, Tuesday, 7 to 8 p.m.

Port Mellon, Community Hall, Wednesday, 7 to 8 p.m.

SCANDINAVIAN FESTIVAL

On Friday, Feb. 7 the Scandinavian Central committee and affiliated organizations will present their annual Mid-winter Festival in the ballroom of the Royal Towers Hotel, at Royal and Sixth ave., in New Westminster.

The program of Scandinavian talent from 8 to 10 p.m. will include a half-hour film from the Scandinavian countries, as well as colorful folk dancing, choral singing and other fine solo numbers. There will be dancing from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m.

100 new Gibsons homes since '59

During the last five years more than one million dollars worth of new construction in the form of homes and commercial buildings have gone up in the village of Gibsons.

The actual figure according to official tabulations is $1,101,874, taking the year by year reports of Gibsons municipal clerk, Jules A. Mainil. By years here are the totals:

1959	$159,978
1960	152,150
1961	231,400
1962	279,346
1963	279,000
Total	$1,101,874

This means about 100 new homes over the five years or an average of 20 or more a year.

It should not be surmised that the figures are total costs in the construction work undertaken. Usually the estimate on a building permit is a minimum and with no stretch of the imagination about 33 percent could be added to the average building costs above the permit figure to bring the figure into line with actuality.

One-third of the permit total for the five years would mean an additional $367,000 which would bring the total for the five years up to $1,468,874.

This has added to tax collections in the municipality and has also added to servicing costs such as expenses for roads, water lines, street lighting and other outlays.

On this basis it would not be out of the way to suggest that total construction plus municipal work involved would make the financing in new construction for Gibsons closer to the two million dollar mark.

Gibsons has a good start for 1964 with $27,000 worth of building construction before members of Gibsons council at Monday night's meeting. Permits were granted to K. E. Nygren for a four room $8,000 home on Gower Point road; L. O. Hunter of Vancouver for a four room $8,000 home on the Bluff; A. J. Fletcher for a five room $10,000 home on Abbs road and a $1,000 garage for Frank Verhulst on South Fletcher Road.

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Annual report by Gibsons clerk

Following what has in effect become a custom in this Municipality, I beg to submit this report, showing briefly a summary of 1963 business and attempting some forecast of probable needs and projects for 1964.

FINANCES: While the year's books are not as yet closed, I can safely state that there will be a small surplus caused mainly by Council's thrifty administration.

ROADS: A normal road and drainage program was carried out. Scofland and Adamson Ltd. did all the paving, curb laying and repairing. As usual, their work was good. The main projects were:

1. Laying in drainage rock a seven hundred foot perforated steel culvert along the west side of Marine Drive from Beach Avenue to sixty feet from Jacks Lane. A one hundred foot long rock retaining wall was erected by the Department of Highways adjacent to the Marshall and Butler properties at the same time. When the backfilling of this wall is completed, it will make a fine job. All the wooden steps disturbed by the Municipality in carrying out this work have, as is now the policy of the Municipality, been replaced by concrete steps. All in all, this has been a good and valuable job; it has opened the Highway at that point, and created safe parking space.

2. A closed perforated steel drainage line was laid along the Gower Point Road adjacent to the new Post Office. Curbs were laid and approaches paved to the same building along the Winn Road.

3. Some five hundred feet of full width road was built at the top portion of the Winn Road. Works Foreman F. Holland did a good job on this; the road is very steep and would easily be cut by down-rushing surface waters unless the proper precautions were taken. It would be advisable to pave this road as soon as it is sufficiently compacted and stabilized.

4. A portion of the Trueman Road was paved.

5. All used improved roads were gravelled and kept in reasonable condition.

PARKS & BEACHES: A violent storm in the winter of 1962 had broken up the string of floats at the Municipal wharf. Council was fortunate to be able to buy some reasonably good surplus floats from Crown Assets Corporation. Harry Smith, ably aided by Fred Holland,

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Chairmen chosen

At Gibsons municipal council meeting Monday night the new council composed of Chairman A. E. Ritchey, Councillors Norman MacKay, James Drummond and Fred Feeney were seated after the re-elected chairman and newly elected Mr. Drummond and Mr. Feeney were sworn in by Clerk Jules A. Mainil. Councillor Sam Fladager, sick in bed, was unable to attend.

When committee chairmen were selected Chairman Ritchey retained the finance chairmanship; Councillor Fladager, water, recreation and vice-chairman of council; Councillor MacKay, roads, parks, beaches and street lights; Councillor Drummond, civil defence and building permits and Councillor Feeney, library, fire, health, welfare and sanitation.

The provincial government roads department has changed its plan for the taking over of a portion of the old United Church property to increase the road allowance around that property, it was announced at Monday night's meeting of Gibsons village council.

The new plan envisages taking less property, in fact about half planned originally, so there will be better traffic visibility in both directions. A corner slice will be taken off the Marine Drive corner of the church area and a larger slice will be taken off the top on the Sunshine Coast Highway. The original plan would have cost the provincial government about $1,200 but the new plan will cost $650 to buy the necessary land. Highways officials decided the original plan took in more land than was needed.

A grant of $10 was made to the Salvation Army and another of $50 to the Sunshine Coast Tourist association which had asked for $100.

Mrs. Peggy Volen, Gibsons school trustee, appeared before council offering her co operation to council on school matters. It would not be possible for her to attend all council meetings, she said, but when needed she would be available with information.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

Gibsons Hospital Auxiliary will hold its meeting on January 8 in the Anglican church hall starting at 8 p.m.

TO OPEN TENDERS

South Pender Harbour Waterworks District tenders for the three contracts pertaining to supplying the area with a water system will be opened at 8 p.m. Thursday evening in Madeira Park Comunity Hall. The public is invited to attend this meeting.

Bulletin: *Dan McGrew shot again!*

(By MADGE NEWMAN)

Roberts Creek talent which made its appearance Family Night, Saturday, at the Masonic Hall, could be near-professional —but not very near.

Their efforts were billed first on the program probably in the hope that they could sneak it in while Mrs. Rose Jay's troupe from Vancuover were dressing and unable to witness them.

It is unnecessary to say much about the performance of Mrs. Jay's gifted artists except that they were in their usual excellent form. Dancers Maureen Cook, Bonnie Moffat, Gayle Haivarb and Darlene Leinbach delighted their audience as did Maureen Cook's singing.

Barry Leinbach with his trumpet and Michael Cook in recitation and dance, gave excellent performances. The accompanying pianist was Mrs. G. Colanges well-known in music circles in Vancouver. Mrs. Jay's singing was thoroughly enjoyed.

Young Brian Swanson, of Roberts Creek, also contributed with selections on the accordeon. Job's Daughters presented an amusing pantomime as also did the De Molay boys.

The more dignified, older members of OES presented a sad tale, also in pantomime, about a well-known double killing, "The Shooting of Dan McGrew."

The heroine in the affair, a lady named Lou, whose last name is not known, was beautifully gowned and made up, but slightly on the muscular side, got that way, no doubt, from fighting off wolves. There are many in the frozen north, where the shooting took place.

Dan, on the other hand, was a dainty figure faultlessly attired in tux and bowler. The stranger from the creek was really "ugh" but with dainty hands and feet, as were the men who gathered to drink at the Malamute.

The platinum-haired dance hall girls were such as would lure any cold, but red blooded miner into the din and the glare of a saloon. The kid who handled the music box was a sight and in no condition to play a piano, and the barman wasn't helping him much. The prop man had recently lost weight judging by the fit of his clothes.

The narrator was Mrs. H. Mylroie and the cast included Mesdames C. Cameron, B. Wood, B. Shaw, G. MacDonald, E. Wardil, M. Swan, P. Pearson, K. Franske and Harry Mylroie and Chris Wood.

Dancing down stairs was preceded by a buffet supper, convened by Mrs. G. Cumming, in a room made festive with streamers and balloons, work of the decorating committee and the young folk.

Bob Cumming was an able master of ceremonies. Mrs. C. Cameron played for much of the dancing. A beautiful basket of fruit donated by Jim Swan, when raffled became the property of W. Morrison.

"He can't remember if he turned off the gas stove back home!"

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Elderly dignity

When it comes to housing the elderly many people have considered solutions. Some would like to see areas set aside with the obvious-sized apartments or single units operating as a community. Others prefer to keep their old folks closer at hand.

The average experience with elderly people is that they are an independent lot. So they should be!. They have lived a life filled with considerable experience of living and feel quite capable of finishing out their lives in their own fashion.

United States developers of communities tailored to suit the elderly have built quite expansive communities for elderly people and are finding that they are not being snapped up. There is the natural resentment of being isolated which elderly people continually fight and rightly so. We have organizations for the aged which are mainly social yet keep an eye on welfare operations. This should be ample. Their private lives should be left entirely in their own hands. Personal dignity should be respected. This dignity asks that their choice of what they prefer to do, how they want to live and where, should be considered.

The Sunshine Coast is an excellent example of how elderly folk can take care of themselves. Usually their wants are few and with the mild type of weather on the Sunshine Coast it is the mecca for many and some of them not so old.

Films edited by the clock!

The CBC is a peculiar set-up in some respects. At times it will go to unnecessary length to present something on TV which they know will stir up controversy. Sometimes this material is definitely borderline. Yet they do not turn a hair when criticized and it can be suspected, smirk in the privacy of their sanctums, feeling that their job must have been well done.

However there are times when one wonders. The CBC naturally pleases itself about what it does and how it does it. This was apparent in last Saturday night's presentation of The Informer, a real epic produced by John Ford with Victor McLaglen in the leading role.

This is what the CBC Times said of this picture in order help get viewers to look at it: "The Informer which will be telecast this week on Starlight Theatre, won three Academy Awards (best director, best action and best score) when it was first released in 1935. More than 25 years later it is still regarded as one of the best of Hollywood films and it was recently included in the British Film Institute cycle of Fifty Famous Films."

If John Ford or Victor McLaglen had viewed what the CBC presented as The Informer on Saturday night they would have wept. It most certainly was not the epic as described in the CBC Times. True some of the outstanding scenes were shown. However they were not sufficient to give the impression that John Ford's The Informer was presented. Slicing this masterpiece to fit an hour on the clock was sacrilege.

The slicing of some of the un-understandable "epics" shown on CBC-TV apparently will not be tolerated by CBC producers. They are "epics" which should be boiled down harshly to not more than a half-hour show. Next time CBC decides to give the public The Informer let's have it as John Ford produced it. He did make a fine picture.

The Davis Ottawa Diary

By JACK DAVIS, M.P.
Coast-Capilano Constituency

Some people have been wondering whether their present pension plans will be effected by the introduction, of the Canada Pension Plan. Prime Minister Pearson had something to say on this subject recently in the house of commons. He promised that those who are now contributing to private plans will not suffer any loss as a result of new federal legislation in this field.

Private plans already cover nearly 2,000,000 employees in Canada. More than 5,000 schemes are in effect. Some of them offer benefits well in excess of the proposed Canada Pension Plan.

What happens to the savings which are now being built up under these existing private pension plans? And, will these people be able to pay for both types of schemes once the Canada Pension Plan is in effect? In his reply to Mr. Diefenbaker Mr. Pearson said, quite categorically, that:

"In the plan that we will eventually put forward, the interests of those who are now contributing to private plans will be protected. They will not lose out as a result of the Canada Pension Plan."

This assurance will be of special interest to the members of parliament who are being asked to serve on the special parliamentary committee to do with pensions. Such a committee is being set up to hear witnesses and explore the various features of the Canada Pension Plan before it is finally submitted to the house of commons and becomes law.

Numerous other questions are bound to be asked. Some will relate to the size of the contribution, starting at 1% of each employee's income. Others will be concerned with the size of the benefits. Still others will be concerned with the impact of the Canada Pension Plan on the insurance industry as a whole. Fortunately, if experience elsewhere can be taken as a guide, the public will be more convinced than ever that it should provide for the future and that private as well as public pension plans are worthwhile investments for all concerned.

Saving our watersheds

from the ROYAL BANK DECEMBER REVIEW

No single factor has a more decisive influence on human beings than water, and every drop we use comes from our watersheds.

A watershed that is well cared for will hold water throughout the year. Its tree and plant roots, its dead leaves and topsoil, hold a great deal of water in their spongelike mass. Some water stays in the subsoil, but much goes still farther down to form hidden rivers and lakes.

On a watershed where 24 inches of precipitation reaches the soil a plot only ten feet square receives and disposes of about 6.25 tons of water a year. An acre receives 2,718 tons. In the orderly disposition of this huge amount of water every piece of ground, a square foot, an acre, or a square mile, performs a vitally important function.

Yet water is the commodity most taken for granted, most abused, most wasted. Many a city and town that only a few years ago had adequate reservoir capacity always comfortably full of water now finds that its expansion is limited by shortage. Farmers have to dig deeper wells.

When rain falls upon a barren hillside it eats away channels for itself, racing to plunge itself into a watercourse headed directly for the sea. There is the first place to catch and retain it. The amount of water stored in the ground is dependent upon the condition of the soil and the grass and the forest cover of the watershed. When forested hills are denuded by burning or cutting, when upland ranges are overgrazed, when cropland becomes eroded, the rainfall runs off the hard surface of the ground without performing its proper function.

A key factor in conserving water is our forest.

There are three stages of forest history in an industrial country. The first is marked by energetic and often ruthless exploitation of virgin forests. This is generally followed by a period of increasing dependence on foreign supplies, such as the United States is now suffering. Then comes the third chapter, in which an effort is made to rehabilitate or partially restore the forest resources.

The violation of natural laws governing the extent of forest cover is one of the most tragic examples of human folly in the face of nature's wisely ordered system.

We have pushed back the forest with fire and axe and bulldozer; we have used the hoe and the plough where only trees should grow. We have ignored the fact that forests are living societies of trees, shrubs and other forms of plant cover, playing a necessary part in evolution. of which we think of ourselves as being the highest form.

Our destiny is wrapped up with that of the forest. We in Canada have been supplied by nature with the kinds of trees best suited to meet human needs. Because our climate provides growing conditions so satisfactory that in most regions, if fire is kept out, there need be no fear of not securing a second growth after cutting, we may have ample trees for all our needs if we prove ourselves to be good stewards.

Ninety percent of Canada's forested land is owned by the Crown, and operating companies are required by law to prepare management plans for leased lands. This is important, because of the time element in the regrowth of trees. A man who cuts down a tree is limited in his outlook by his own lifetime, and may have no interest in whether another tree replaces it in fifty or a hundred years, but the outlook of governments is for the lifetime of the nation.

We must respect the basic principles and laws governing the whole living community if we are to be successful in maintaining human life. The trees, the grass, the shrubs, the soil and the living creatures that inhabit are parts of one vast living organism. That is the principle on which watershed management rests.

Natural laws impose limitations and obligations on us. Whether it is convenient to us or not, whether it is politically expedient or not, water is going to run downhill, and its destructive force is going to increase with the rate of runoff; water is going to become impure if we pour impurities into it; water tables are going to sink if we pump water out of them and turn aside the replenishment that is their due.

Management is necessary if we do not wish to balance the supply of water by rationing it. Instead of putting meters on our taps to cut off our supply of water after we had drawn enough for two percolators of coffee a day and one bath and one washing per week, we would be wise to increase the supply by providing the proper water conservation environment in our watersheds.

This goes far beyond narrow emergency measures. It seeks to control and distribute the storage and distribution of water according to the needs of our increasing population. It becomes the sum of all the grass stems, tree roots, and the leaves of shrubs; it counts in all the trickles of water, the snow banks on the high peaks, summer storms and marsh drainage. It is total receptivity, adequate storage and elimination of waste. It takes account not only of present yield and profit, but also of inventory and deferred benefits.

In a well-managed watershed forests and grassland will be preserved or augmented according to need. Cutting of timber will be done in such a way as to cause the least possible damage to the forest floor and to keep ample timber growing. Farming will use methods that prevent erosion and increase the absorptive quality of the soil. Industrial use and sewage treatment will avoid pollution. Watchfulness will subdue fires started by natural causes and the law will prevent the setting of fires by human beings who are malevolent or careless. Grazing will be regulated so as to avoid destroying the plant cover or compacting the soil.

To protect our watersheds must be, because of the magnitude of the task, a job for governments working together. Quebec and Ontario need to act jointly on the Ottawa River Valley problems; interprovincial and national co-operation is necessary for such river basins as the Fraser, Columbia, Saskatchewan, Nelson and Saint John. The St. Lawrence watershed involves international as well as inter-provincial action.

Smaller watersheds, we might call them "local," require the co-operative action of individuals, of municipal and county councils. The concept of the local watershed approach to water resource conservation and development is just beginning to be effectively understood and applied. The farmer who plants a woodlot on a hillside and terraces or contours his fields is not only contributing to his own welfare but is discharging a duty to everyone between him and the ocean. When he bands together with neighboring farmers to form an integrated plan he makes his neighborhood a better place to live in, improve his social and economic conditions, and gives the higher authorities an example they will be ashamed not to follow.

Major works, such as large dams or levees or big reclamation projects are beyond the scope of local watershed management. Although the British North America Act retained for the federal authority jurisdiction over certain aspects of water use, responsibility for regulation and development rests largely with the provincial governments. This does not mean that political views should intervene. Only by shifting attention from the merely political to the basic biological aspects of the human situation regarding water supply can we mitigate and shorten the times of troubles into which our present course is leading us.

Mainly about People

Travelling friends drop a card to the Coast News every once in a while and Pat Welsh formerly of Halfmoon Bay reports she is receiving the Coast News regularly and the weather there is atrocious. The post card came from Paignton in Devon, England.

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Here is a subscriber who lives in Clearwater, Manitoba who wants to see the road to Squamish completed so she can come to Gibsons and make pies. She apparently wins a good many first prizes for pies at fairs.

Her home is at Clearwater, Manitoba and she reads the Coast News on the advice of Mrs. L. R. Linton of Roberts Creek. Mrs. Linton wrote an eye-catching article in the Grain Growers' Guide that really appealed to her. Her name is Mrs. C. Maxted and she hopes that some day she will be able to join the people living on the Sunshine Coast.

Clearwater was the hometown of Hon. Robert Fogers on whose newspaper in Winnipeg, the editor started in the newspaper business. A sister of Mrs. Maxted is married to one of the Rogers family.

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Just to show the Coast News is appreciated here are a couple of letters:

Enclosed $3 for another years subscription to your Coast News, which I find very interesting and also useful, as I hope to live on the Sunshine Coast shortly.
Charles E. Palmer, S. Burnaby

A well-travelled man drops a card from Hong Kong explaining he moves from there by air to south Asiatic ports and then it seems like a week later he drops a card from San Antonio, Texas saying he expects to be in Chicago over the weekend then home for a rest. Home is not too far from Boston. The mileage he stacks up in a year is enormous.

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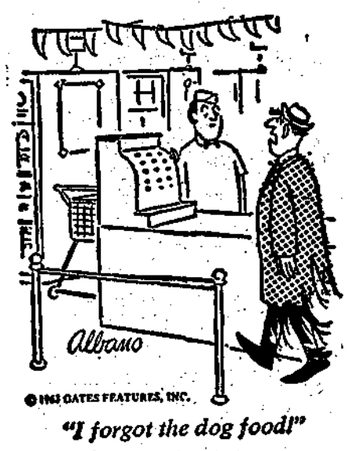
Please renew my subscription for two years. I enjoy your paper and feel that you are doing a good job. — A. Peterson, Sechelt.



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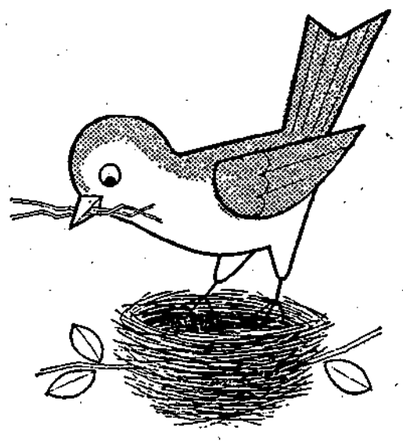

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Clerk reports

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moved and chained them in place. These floats were used a great deal by old and young alike. Some landscaping will be done on the grounds in 1964.

The Burns and Cockrane Road Parks are used more and more by our older citizens. Both parks are beauty spots.

This year the municipality bought the old United Church property to be made into and be used as a park in perpetuity. In 1964 the old church building shall be moved, the corner shall be widened and improved by the department of highways and work shall be started in developing the small Memorial park.

Work has started on the small park located on the southern side of Block F, District Lot 685, or as it is better known, the Bluff. This park, donated to the municipality by Mr. E. Gibbs, is a spot of superlative beauty.

Water

WATER DEPARTMENT: Expenditures in this department will again be up to estimates as to maintenance and operating expense and slightly above estimates on capital mainly due to the growth of the Village. The major projects in the Water Department were:

1. Installation of some 23 new metered services.

2. A new three inch line over a half mile in length was laid from the upper diversionary dam down to the main reservoir. The new diversionary dam and this new line make it possible to save for use a good supply of water which previously simply ran away.

3. Some 550 feet of 2" galvanized main was laid down the Sergeant road, 600 feet of 2" galvanized main was laid down the Dogwood road, and some 650 feet of the same 2" galvanized main was laid down the lower portion of the Abbs road; in all, over 1800 feet of 2" galvanized main with all necessary valves, standpipes and connections.

4. Eighteen hundred feet of old disintegrating wooden 3" main running along the east side of Marine Drive from the old Bank of Montreal corner to the Chekwelp reserve was replaced by a new 4" transite main, complete with all necessary valves and hydrants. Burroughs Bros., who had the contract for this work, did a very fine job, scarcely disturbing either the traffic or the water service. It would be advisable, if financially possible in 1964, to renew a further portion of the old wooden 3" main with 4" transite. The more important waterworks projects for 1964 should be:

1. The installation of a 900 foot 2" pressure equalizating main from the southern end of the O'Shea Road line down to the Abbs Road line. Mr. Russell Plows has very kindly given the municipality an easement through his property for this line.

2. A major aquafer and engineering survey of the municipal watershed in order to make possible to plan for both the immediate and long range water needs of the municipality.

3. The locating, boring and equiping of two largish wells in the watershed and, if successful, incorporating them in the gravity portion of the Municipal water system.

The increasing demand for water due not only to growth in the village but to greater unit consumption per modern home is being met with efficiency and foresight.

Health

HEALTH AND SANITATION: The garbage disposal method used in the municipality continues to operate reasonably well. The disposal lot is kept in good order by burning, trenching and covering.

Sewage and Disposal: Due to the present notable growth in the municipality, and due to the probability of an accelerated growth in the not too distant future, it was decided to have a sewage survey made of both the municipality and of the surrounding area which eventually will probably become a part of the Village or Town. The survey dealt with the collection, treatment and disposal of sanitary sewage. This work was carried out in a very satisfactory manner by Consulting Engineer Martin J. J. Dayton. Council is fully aware of the need for planning in this expanding community; this survey is an important step in that direction.

Library

LIBRARY: The library continues to be an important source of pleasure and recreation for a large body of our citizens. The need for more space for the library and for a small museum will be met by moving the old United Church somewhere adjacent to the present library building. To the Library Board and to all volunteer workers, once again, a very sincere thank you from this office.

Fire dept.

GIBSONS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT: This department continues to be efficient, economical and of great service to the community. Continuing the now established municipal policy of procuring some new and essential fire fighting equipment, an Akron Piercing Applicator and a Scott Air Pak were purchased in 1963; both are first class tools. This is the first year that the rest rooms, built by the firemen at the municipal beach, have been in operation. These rest rooms are a great asset to our beach. These facilities were used sensibly and with care, the children using them are to be commended.

Building

BUILDINGS AND BUILDING PERMITS: Some 40 building permits valued at $279,000 were issued this year. These varied from $200 garages to $17,000 homes, to an excellent $40,000 business building, and to a $35,000 Public Health centre. The last mentioned was sponsored by the Kinsmen's Club of Gibsons and district, who financed the construction of the building with some of their own funds and very substantial grants from the federal, provincial and municipal governments.

The municipality provided the land, a $2,500 grant this year and a further $2,500 grant will be made in January 1964. Over and above this, the municipality is providing the sewage disposal system at a cost of some $2,600. It is an attractive building and shall be a real asset to the community. All construction is under the continuing supervision of Building Inspector James Stewart, who is doing a fine job.

This year the house numbering system was put into effect. The numbers are gradually being put up on the homes, the telephone book has inserted them and people are starting to use them in their addresses. The village has put up several additional road signs to facilitate the use of the house numbers. The terrain and shoreline of this community make it difficult to both devise and apply a numbering system.

Airport

GIBSONS - SECHELT AIRPORT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE: This joint committee continues to function well. Two small parcels of land have been purchased for the airport this year. This additional land will make it possible to extend the runway to 4,400 feet when it becomes necessary. This airport is an ever growing asset to the whole area.

CIVIL DEFENCE: Civil defence is receiving continuing attention, there is a good local organization, so set up as to be able to carry on in the event of a minor or major emergency. Good liason exists between the local group and headquarters at Vancouver.

GENERAL WORK & MAINTENANCE: Renovation and maintenance is going on continually. The water system, from which increased demands are continually made, must be supervised at all times. Pumps must be operated as needed and breaks repaired as quickly as possible so as not to unduly disrupt the service to the public. Ditches and culverts must be kept free of debris; steps, sidewalks and lanes must be serviceable. Works Foreman F. Holland carries out all these essential jobs cheerfully and efficiently.

CONCLUSION: This is a general report, in no way meant to give detailed information about the year's operation.

May I conclude by thanking council for its kindness to the clerk, and the citizens of Gibsons for their continuing cooperation and courtesy when dealing with this office.

Respectfully submitted,
JULES A. MAINIL, Clerk.

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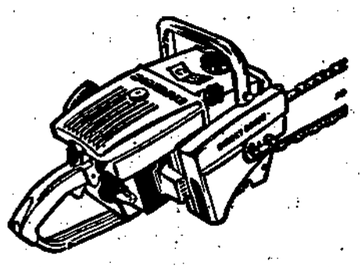
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Roberts Creek items

(By MADGE NEWMAN)

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Guests included the Misses Maureen Paquette, Karen Cotton, Diana Beeman, Eileen Johnson, Barbara Blakeman, Mary Jack, Charlene Berdahl and Julie Berdahl.

Lorene will start the New Year in Calgary where she will live with her sister, Mrs. Sharon Craig, and attend school in that city.

If motorists, due to the festive season, on Saturday evening thought they were seeing dozens of turkey and egg sandwiches paving the highway, this is to assure them that they, the motorists, were quite sober.

The sandwiches were scheduled, and designed, to decorate the tables in the banquet room of the Masonic Hall and they would have arrived there had not light-fingered cherubs seen them placed in a mailbox to be picked up by members on their way to the hall. It is not known if the children disliked the type of sandwiches, or if they had just eaten and therefore lacked appetite, but a large proportion of the big boxful came to rest along the highway, the paper and box tossed aside.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Roberts Creek Group held its Christmas party at the Earl Haig camp on Dec. 16.

The program consisted of a Cub candlelight service, a going up ceremony for Cubs Ken Bland and Randy Naylor who are new in the troop, a Scout demonstration on rescue and a few skits.

The rest of the evening was a showing of films by Mr. Fleming and remarks from the group chairman.

MRS. D. M. MANNS

News of the death of Mrs. Dorothy May Manns in Vancouver has saddened her many friends in this district. Active in church and Legion work here for many years, she left but a few weeks ago to reside in Vancouver.

She leaves a son, F/L K. R. Manns, Brunswick, Maine, and four daughters, Mrs. N. Jackson, Mrs. H. C. Cormode, Mrs. F. Willson and Mrs. J. C. Stacey, and 13 grandchildren. Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery, Rev. J. W. Ellis officiating.

CLAUDE S. SHUPE

Mr. Claude S. Shupe, who came recently to Roberts Creek from Williams Lake, died suddenly on Dec. 31. He leaves his wife and three children, Landy, Helen and Pauline. He was a member of Mt. Elphinstone Lodge No. 130, A.F. & A.M., and the Hong Kong Veterans Association. Funeral services were held in St. Aidan's Church with Rev. Denis F. Harris officiating.

JOBIE TRIBUTE

The International Order of Job's Daughters, Bethel 28, Roberts Creek, will be holding a tribute to Masons and Eastern Star members at Masonic Hall on Tuesday, Jan. 14 at 7:30 p.m. All members of these lodges are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. MacKenzie, Don and Greg, returned home in time for New Years from a trip to Kamloops where they spent Christmas with daughter, Mrs. T. Worthington, Mr. Worthington and three little girls. They were joined on Boxing Day by another daughter, Mrs. B. McCue, and three children, of Williams Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gerrie, formerly of Scotland and now residing in Vancouver, were guests of their cousin, Bob Cumming and Mrs. Cumming, for the Christmas festivities.

Mrs. Etta Fisher, back from St. Mary's Hospital after a bout with pneumonia, spent the New Year holiday with her nephew and family in the city.

Mrs. Edith Wilson has come from Salt Spring Island to spend a few weeks with Mrs. Ruth Mitchell, Lower Road. A frequent visitor here since leaving to reside on the Island she is well known in the district and is an affiliate of the local DES chapter.

Miss Wilma Deane of Vancouver is a guest at the Newman home.

The number of outside decorations grows with each Christmas and this year there were many attractive ones. The double tree on the Cumming terrace, midway between the house and Beach Avenue, and topped by a huge lighted star, shone a cheery welcome to guests as they came along the driveway. In no way did it surpass the somewhat smaller tree which stood in a window in the house and brightly twinkled its Christmas message across the water to the men at sea.

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ANNUAL MEETING

All members of the Gibsons Public Library are cordially invited to come and hear the Annual Report of the Gibsons Library Association to be held in the Library Building, Gibsons, Friday, January 17 at 8 p.m.

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

School Loan By-law Referendum No. 4

Question to be submitted to the owner-electors of School District No. 46 (Sechelt)

"Are you in favor of the Board of School Trustees of School District No. 46 (Sechelt) borrowing money, without further assent of the owner-electors, at any time or from time to time, within Three (3) years from December 31, 1963, by the issue and sale of debentures bearing interest at a rate or rates not exceeding Six (6) per cent per annum and payable over a period or periods not exceeding twenty years from the date or respective dates thereof, in such principal amounts as the Board may from time to time deem necessary to raise net sums not exceeding in the aggregate Three Hundred Thirty-nine Thousand Dollars ($399,000.00), after payment of discount, commission, brokerage, exchange, and other expenses with respect to such issue or sale, for acquiring and developing school-sites and purchasing, constructing, reconstructing, furnishing, and equipping buildings for school purposes or use in connection therewith and other capital expenditures for school purposes?"

The following in brief and general terms sets out substantially the proposed projects and the amount allocated for each, the amount specified as being within provincial standards and eligible for Provincial grants, and the amount specified as being above Provincial standards and therefore not eligible for Provincial grants and for which the school district pays the full cost:—

	Eligible for Provincial Grants	Not Eligible for Provincial Grants	Total
(a) Acquiring and developing school-sites:			
Gibsons Landing Elementary	$ 20,000.00	$ Nil	
Future Site, Sechelt	10,000.00	$ Nil	$ 30,000.00
(b) Purchasing, Constructing, reconstructing buildings, for school purposes or use in connection therewith:			
Gibsons Landing Elementary	$136,000.00	$ Nil	
Elphinstone Secondary Occupational - Industrial Arts Shop	24,000.00	$ Nil	
Madeira Park Elementary	16,000.00	$ Nil	
Pender Harbour Secondary Industrial Arts & Home Economics Shop	70,000.00	$ Nil	246,000.00
(c) Furnishing and equipping buildings for school purposes or use in connection therewith:			
Gibsons Landing Elementary	$ 15,000.00	$ Nil	
Elphinstone Secondary Occupational - Industrial Arts Shop	5,000.00	$ Nil	
Madeira Park Elementary	1,500.00	$ Nil	
Pender Harbour Secondary	13,000.00	$ Nil	34,500.00
(d) Other capital expenditures for school purposes:			
Fees and Supervision	16,000.00	$ Nil	
Contingencies	12,500.00	$ Nil	28,500.00
	TOTAL ESTIMATES		$339,000.00

Resolution passed the 8th day of November, 1963.

Approved by the Minister of Education the 12th day of November, 1963.

Authorized by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council the 14th day of November, 1963.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed question upon which the vote of the owner-electors will be taken on Saturday, January 25th, 1964 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the following Polling Stations:

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Egmont School, Egmont.
Mr. Maynard's residence, Billings Bay, Nelson Island.
Irvines Landing School, Irvines Landing.
Club House, Garden Bay.
Madeira Park School, Madeira Park.
Halfmoon Bay School, Halfmoon Bay.
Sechelt School Activity Room, Sechelt.
Davis Bay School, Wilson Creek.
Roberts Creek School, Roberts Creek.
Elphinstone Secondary School, Gibsons.
Municipal Office, Gibsons.
Langdale School, Hopkins Landing.
Port Mellon School, Port Mellon.
Veterans' Memorial Hall, Gambier Harbour.
Bowen Island School, Bowen Island.

(Mrs.) Anne Burns,
Secretary-Treasurer

Schedule of Meetings

Arrangements have been made to hold Public Meetings to present Referendum No. 4 to the electors, as follows:

January 9 - 8:00 p.m. under auspices of Sechelt P.T.A. at Sechelt School.
January 14 - 8:00 p.m. under auspices of Pender Harbour P.T.A. at Pender Harbour Secondary School.
January 16 - 8:00 p.m. at United Church Christian Education Hall at Gibsons.
January 18 - 2:00 p.m. at Veterans' Memorial Hall, Gambier Harbour.
January 20 - 8:00 p.m. auspices of Gibsons Elementary P.T.A., at Gibsons Elementary School.
January 21 - 8:00 p.m. under auspices of Selma Park Community Club.

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

COMING EVENTS

Jan. 10, Roberts Creek Legion meeting and installation, 8 p.m.

Jan. 15, Roberts Creek Community Association meeting of Jan. 8 postponed until Jan. 15. Roberts Creek Community Hall.

BIRTHS

ROBINSON — To Ron and Beverley Robinson (nee Ayer) on January 4, 1964, at St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver, a son, 5 lb. 11 oz. A brother for David and Donald.

CATTANACH — To Ian and Barb on Jan. 2, 1964, a daughter, Heather Mary, 5 lb. 8½ oz. Born at home.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity of thanking Sechelt Congregation, Jehovah Witnesses for their kindness and sympathy in our recent sad bereavement, and Harvey Funeral Home for considerate direction of funeral.
From the Moran family.

I take this opportunity of thanking Dr. Morris, the matron and staff of St. Mary's Hospital for their care of my husband, also all kind friends and neighbors for their cards, flowers and visits during my recent bereavement. A special thanks to Dr. Hobson.
(Mrs.) Mona Fulkerson

Mr. and Mrs. J. Garlick and family wish to express to the many friends, their heartfelt thanks for the tokens of sympathy tendered them during their recent bereavement.

I want my friends to know how deeply appreciated by me were your prayers, flowers, cards, gifts and inquiries during my hospitalization. Also for the kindness shown to my family. I thank you sincerely. We wish you all a Happy and Healthful New Year. Beatrice Sim.

DEATHS

MORAN — Sophia Bernice, died Dec. 24, 1963, at St. Mary's Hospital, Garden Bay. Interred Seaview Cemetery, Dec. 28. Beloved wife of Thomas Moran, Gibsons, B.C.

SHUPE — Passed away suddenly Dec. 31, 1963, Claude Spencer Shupe, aged 48 years, of Elphinstone Road, Roberts Creek, B.C. formerly of Williams Lake, B.C. Survived by his loving wife Lily; 1 son Landy at home; 2 daughters, Helen Mary, Pauline, at home; 1 brother, Capt. Robert Shupe, Silverdale, B.C. and his mother, Mrs. Robert D. (Lottie) Shupe, Silverdale, B.C. Deceased was a member of Mt. Elphinstone Lodge No. 130, A.F. & A.M. also a member of the Hong Kong Veterans Assoc. Funeral service was held Jan. 4 at 2 p.m. from St. Aidan's Anglican Church, Roberts Creek, B.C. Rev. Denis F. Harris officiating. Cremation. HARVEY FUNERAL HOME, Gibsons, B.C. directors.

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11:15 a.m., Matins
11:15 a.m., Church School
Church of His Presence, Redroofs
11:15 a.m., Holy Communion
Egmont Community Hall
3 p.m. Evensong
St. Hilda's, Sechelt
11 a.m., Church School
7:30 p.m., Evensong
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11 a.m., Sunday School
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7:30 p.m., Evangelistic Service
10 a.m., Sunday School
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Friday, 7:30 p.m., Rally

ACROSS
1 Reared
5 Clever
10 Talk informally
14 Dishonest person
15 More wan
16 Sharpen
17 Gumbo
18 Get up
19 Dog star
20 W. Can. city
22 Main courses
24 Mine product
25 First man
26 Musician
31 Soiled
35 Nights before
36 Girl's name
37 Charge with gas
38 --- Duryea
39 Painters
41 Chum
42 Clothe
44 Recent (comb. form)
45 Anet
46 Staggers
47 Annual events at 20 Across
49 Part of ear
51 Prohibit
52 Wrench
55 Schmaltzy (2 words)
59 Ornamental fabric
60 ----- firma
62 Public favorite
63 Bird: Latin
64 Escapes work on floating timber (logging)
65 Close
66 River bottoms
67 Brewer's item
68 Sun-burns

DOWN
1 Pressure group
2 Costa ----
3 Nobleman
4 Fabulous animals
5 Paunch (2 words)
6 Miss Pickford
7 --- Baba
8 Cause to sit down again
9 General tendency
10 Attractive girl
11 Stockings
12 Poker stake
13 Afternoon affairs
21 Exist
23 Domesticates
26 Fragrant wood
27 Egg-shaped
28 French: income
29 Rate of payment on loan (abb.)
30 -----Joan
32 Savory
33 Trite
34 Screams
37 Big blow-up (2 wds.)
39 Malicious firing
40 Bering ---
43 Disease
45 Tooth-puller
47 Placid
48 Stuff
50 Miss Ross
52 Flat piece
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56 Mental image
57 Expression of pain
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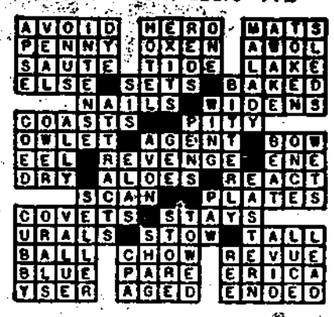
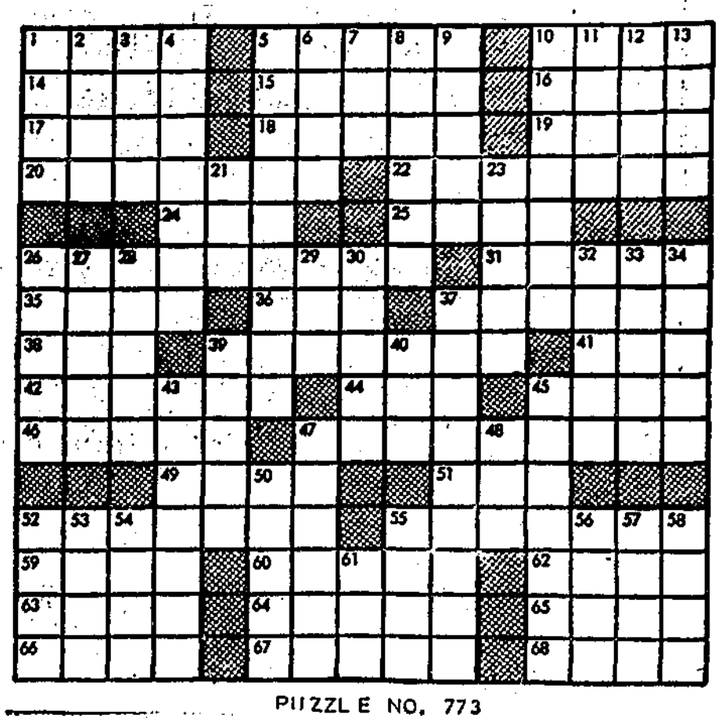
Answer To Puzzle 772





PUZZLE NO. 773

The flounder

The flounder, a peculiar fish with both eyes on one side of its body, can match the background color of the ocean bed by flooding or draining its body of color. Certain reef fish adjust their colors to the amount of light found at different depth.

Some fish even manage to disguise their activities by amazing manipulation of the strips in their patterns. When darting forward, they change transverse lines to longitudinal ones which tend to conceal their movements. The stripes quickly resume their transverse position when the fish draws up short. Some creatures, on the other hand, find their best protection is to advertise their presence with a vivid display of colors, a sort of anti-camouflage.

Such creatures, of course, must possess some characteristic so distasteful to others that a conventionally camouflaged coat would serve no useful purpose. The skunk is a good example. His loud, distinctive coat is quickly associated in the minds of his potential enemies with unpleasant odor and rarely fails to ward off intruders.

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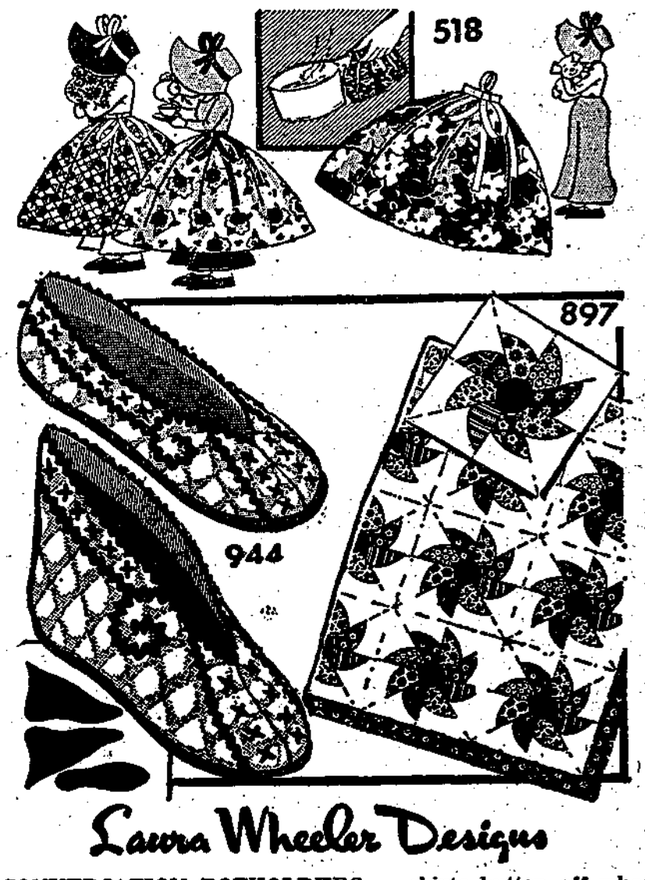

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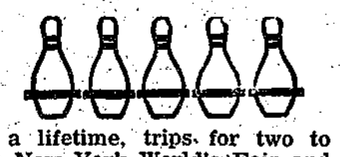
BOWLING FESTIVAL 1964



Canada's most improved bowling titles will again be decided in the 1964 Player's Bowling Festival.

The country's biggest participant sports event, entered by 125,650 bowlers from coast to coast in 1963, commences registration January 6 at bowling establishments across Canada.

And when the national finals roll around on May 23, 150 Canadian bowlers will win holidays of a lifetime, trips for two to the New York World's Fair and an ocean cruise to Bermuda.

In addition to the trips, four bowlers will be honored by Player's Cigarettes as the country's most improved bowlers in the four categories, duck-pin, candlepin, 10-pin and five-pin.

The festival, open to all league bowlers, is a beat-your-average competition in three steps.

The grand champ of all four categories was Mrs. Alice Stitt of Port Coquitlam, who entered the Festival with a registered average of 90 and came up with an amazing 221.3 average in the finals. One of her games topped 300 to give her a record 131.3 pins over her average in the five-pin competition. The 10-pin champ was Gordon Brown of Essex, Ontario, who exceeded his registered average by 71.6 pins.

The 1964 Festival will again award prizes to the four categories based on registration. Last year, 89,957 entered in five-pins, 12,056 in 10-pins, 19,058 in ducks and 4,579 in candlepins.

Gems of Thought

TEACHING

Teach the children early self-government, and teach them nothing that is wrong. — Mary Baker Eddy

The best teacher is the one who suggests rather than dogmatizes, and inspires his listener with the wish to teach himself. —Bulwer

A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops.—Henry Adams

That scholarship which consists in the memorization of facts does not qualify one to be a teacher.—Confucius

Instruction in things moral is most necessary to the making of the highest type of citizenship. —Theodore Roosevelt

The whole art of teaching is only the art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds for the purpose of satisfying it afterwards.—Anatole France

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For hand saw work waterproof glue fir plywood panels should be sawn face-side up with the angle between the saw-teeth and panel surface as flat as possible. This prevents splintering of the face veneer. An 8 or 10 point cross-cut saw gives best results.

SIREN TESTED

On August 14, 1950, it was reported that Gibsons fire siren would have a daily 12 o'clock noon test.

Joke of the Week

"Now that you've learned to wiggle, all you have to do is learn to play the guitar!"

LAND ACT

In Land Recording District of Vancouver and situate east of Porpoise Bay, vicinity of Sechelt

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BERNARD E. STARRS
Dated Dec. 7, 1963.

MEETINGS of JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

BIBLE STUDIES: Tues., 8 p.m. at Gibsons, Granthams, Davis Bay, Selma Park, Sechelt (2), West Sechelt.

MINSTERY SCHOOL: Thurs., 7:30 p.m.

SERVICE MEETING: Thurs., 8:30 p.m.

PUBLIC TALK: Sun., 3 p.m.

WATCHTOWER STUDY: Sun., 4 p.m. at the Kingdom Hall at Selma Park.

No Collections

HALFMOON BAY NOTES

(By MARY TINKLEY)

Visiting the Alec Henneys over the holiday were their sons Colin and Bryon and son-in-law, Dennis Fawcett. Mr. Alec Henney returned to North Burnaby with Bryon and is now under medical care there. Mr. and Mrs. Vic Gladstone drove to Calgary to visit Vic's parents, the Wallace Gladstones, travelling by way of Wenatchee, Spokane, Bonner's Ferry, and Banff. They then proceeded to Red Deer, Alberta, to spend the New Year's holiday with Vic's brother, Richard, and returned to the coast by Radium Hot Springs, Kamloops and Cache Creek.

There is already a well-beaten path to the new Nygard home, where there has been a constant flow of visitors over the holiday. Tag and Gladys were hosts to a most successful New Year's Eve party. Among the guests were the Roy Doyles, the Doug Foleys, the Pat Murphys, the George Olsens, Jim and Billy Graves, the Archie Rutherfords, Al and Barbara Laakso, Owen and Lois Edmunds and Fred and Marg McCallister. Nygard house guests have been Chuck and Joyce Stewart of Prince George. Another successful New Year's supper party, hosted by the Joe Adams was held at their Middle Point home. Guests were the Ralph McCradys, the Bill Grundys, the Harold Allens, Olga Hynek and the Charles Tnkleys.

Bev. Robinson was transferred from St. Mary's Hospital to St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver, for the birth of her son. Bev. and the baby are making fine progress.

The Doug Naud family has moved to West Sechelt.

Visiting their summer cottages over the New Year's holiday were the Rev. and Mrs. Godkin of North Vancouver, Dr. Caple and family and the Lionel Cooks.

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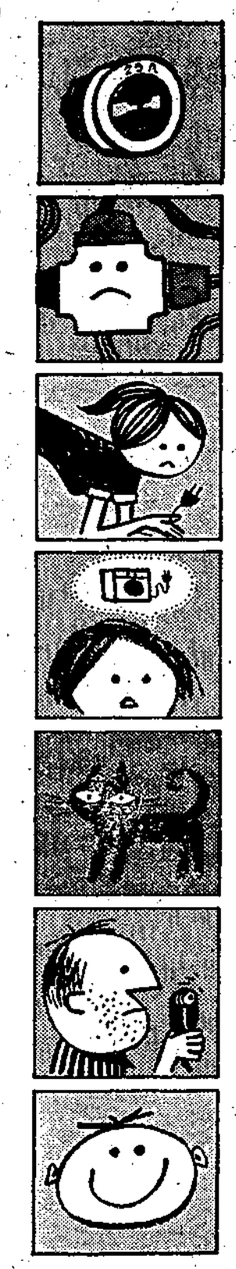

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Got an "octopus" loose in the house? Better check it in this box. ☐

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Frustrated because your present wiring won't handle a dryer or other major appliance? Check. ☐

Ever been in the dark, after one appliance too many? Check it! ☐

Toast too pale? Shaver too slow? Bulb too dim? If so, it's worth checking. ☐

If you haven't checked any of the above (honestly, now!) check this box. And smile. You're the one homeowner in five with adequate housepower! ☐

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24 Sechelt fire calls in 1963

The year 1963 set another record for the number of fire calls responded to by the Sechelt Volunteer Fire Brigade. There were 24 calls including one false alarm. The previous record was in 1962 when there were 23 calls including two false alarms.

The most serious fire was at the Sechelt Inn where the superstructure was saved but the interior and foundations damaged. The fire brigade lost three lines of hose and one fireman received medical aid for injuries to his hand.

One call was received at 4 a.m. during one of the stormiest nights of the year and the fire was beyond control when the brigade arrived. Fortunately the family escaped unharmed but lost all their possessions.

Another potentially dangerous fire was caused by a cigarette butt thrown from a passing car which set fire to the brush between the poles of the B.C. Hydro voltage regulator at Selma Park. As the poles were creosoted power could have been disrupted for some time. There were two fires in chesterfields caused by cigarettes which could also have been serious.

Fires were well distributed over the area, four in Sechelt, seven in West Sechelt, five in Selma Park, six in Wilson Creek and one each at Porpoise Bay and the Indian Reserve. September was the only month which passed without a fire.

The firemen's pride nad joy, the new International 1600 truck has not yet seen service but is ready at all times.

There were 13 calls for the ambulance, three of them to Vancouver, one to New Westminster and three accidents.

The fire chief and firemen wish all their friends a Happy and Prosperous New Year and no fires. The telephone number to call for their services is 885-4411.

LOCKET FOUND

If you have lost a gold locket bearing initials please phone Mrs. Marshall at 886-9628. One was found on a ferry on Dec. 26.

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by Marian Martin

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THIS WEEK'S RECIPE

HOLIDAY STEAMED CAKE

2½ cups sifted all-purpose flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon ground allspice
1 cup candied fruits and peels
¼ cup shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 can (10 ounces) condensed tomato soup
1 cup chopped walnuts
½ cup raisins

Sift flour with baking powder, soda, and spices; dust candied fruits and peels with small amount flour mixture. Cream shortening and sugar; add eggs and mix well. Add dry ingredients alternately with soup; stir well after each addition. Fold in fruits and peels, walnuts, and raisins. Pour into greased 1½-quart mold; cover securely with aluminum foil. Place on rack in large kettle. Add boiling water to one-half height of mold. Cover; steam (at medium heat) 2 hours. Remove mold from water; uncover and loosen edges of pudding with knife. Unmold while hot. Serve warm with rum hard sauce. Makes 12 servings.

THANKS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Back in 1950 Mr. and Mrs. John Cattanach thanked Gibsons fire department for their prompt action during an outbreak of fire in their Gower Point home.

Teenage problems

(By C. D. SMITH)

THE WEEK'S LETTER: "I am thirteen years old and I am very jealous of my older sister. She gets to go places, to do lots of things. I can do nothing. All I do is stay at home. What can I do about it?"

OUR REPLY: you can look forward to the time when you, too, will be old enough to go places and "do things." Don't waste your time being "jealous" — of your sister or anyone else.

We say "waste your time" because that's just what you do when you permit yourself to be jealous or envious. You can find things to be happy about, if you try.

Be yourself. Don't worry about others, or about what others may have or do. You are not just like everyone else. You are an individual.

When you are old enough, you will be able to go places and do things. As you grow older, you will find more and more things to be happy about. On the other hand, if you don't want to be happy, you can make yourself miserable the rest of your life. You can be "jealous" of the fact that someone has more clothes, a better job, has more friends, etc.

As we said, jealousy is wasted motion. Don't worry about others too much. Think about yourself. Think about what you can do to improve yourself, to be a better person, to get the things out of life that will make you happy. And, don't think that the fact you "want" something means that it will be good for you. You have to be honest with yourself.

If you are honest, you will realize you have no reason to be jealous of an older sister.

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS. — Coast News.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gill of Gibsons spent their Christmas holidays visiting Mrs. Gill's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Zablonski, Melville, Sask.

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Roy Taylor on the Ball & Chain League rolled a nice three game total of 842 (276, 281, 285).

League Scores:

Port Mellon: Rebels 2798 (991) A. Edmonds 621 (286), B. Morrison 654 (305), A. Godfrey 707 (299).

Ball & Chain: Lucky Strikes 2622 (887), J. Mullen 623 (268), L. Butler 642 (245), S. Basey 610 (292), E. Gill 248, C. McGivern 244, R. Taylor 842 (276, 281, 285), R. Nordquist 678 (251, 255), B. McGivern 605 (266).

Crown & Anchor: Spoilers 2828 (1044). K. Austin 600 (252), E Connor 674 (268), G. Elander 617 (243, 253), J. Davies 625 (241), D. Davies 600 (277), J. Larkman 625 R. Topham 263.

Juniors: Chuck Bruce 332 (204) Carol Forshner 269, Bob Bruce 243, Mike Clement 326 (207), Randy Godfrey 204, Jim Westell 207.

Magistrate's court

Appearing before Magistrate Andrew Johnston on a charge of assault causing bodily harm, Charles Robert Matheson of Gibsons was given a six months suspended sentence on entering into a recognizance to keep the peace.

James Joseph Rogers of Gibsons was fined $150 and costs when found guilty of driving a car on Highway 101 while his ability to drive a motor vehicle was impaired by alcohol.

Francis Martin Hinds, Richard Norman Gold and Brian Douglas Robertson, all of Powell River, were fined $50 each for consuming beer in a public place. In addition Robertson was fined $20 for being a minor in possession of liquor.

Elmer Moody of Sechelt was fined $25 for operating a car contrary to restrictions imposed on his drivers licence.

Wallace Venechuck of Gibsons was fined $20 for being found in licensed premises while under the age of 21 years.

MEETING POSTPONED

Roberts Creek Community Association meeting of Jan. 8 has been postponed until Jan. 15 in Community Hall, Roberts Creek.

Weddings

KNIGHT — MORRISON

A very pretty wedding took place Dec. 28 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. Jessup when Theresa Anne, daughter of Mrs. Rose Morrison and the late J. A. Morrison and David Jackson Bithell son of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. H. Knight of London, England were united in holy matrimony with Rev. Jessup officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her grandfather, Roy Gaines and was lovely in a white ballerina length full-skirted gown of nylon over taffeta, fitted silver embossed bodice, covered by a demure chiffon bolero. She wore her mother's chapel length veil held in place with a dainty circlet of pearls, and carried a nosegay of white carnations and red rosebuds.

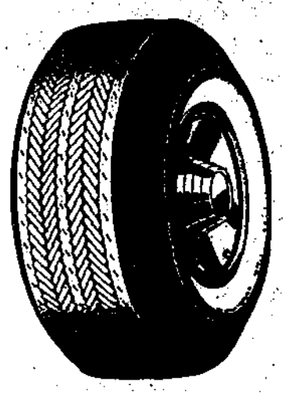
The bridesmaid, Miss Sandra Nickerson wore a slim light blue suit with white accessories and carried a nosegay of white carnations. Best man was Donald N. Pumphrey of Selma Park who, with the groom, serves in the Canadian Army at Calgary.

The bride's mother wore a navy blue shantung sheath with white accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Following the ceremony which was recorded on tape to be sent to the groom's parents in England, a reception was held at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaines, Porpoise Bay. The toast to the bride was made by her uncle, Tom Morrison of Gibsons.

Centering the table of the buffet turkey supper was a two-tier wedding cake, decorated with white roses, silver horse shoes and topped by three white bells lily of the valley and lace. The young couple left by car for a trip through the interior of B.C., the bride wearing a black jersey wool sheath with white fur collar and black accessories and blue coat. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lumsden of Pritchard, B.C. and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morrison of Gibsons, aunts and uncles of the bride. Following their honeymoon the young couple will reside at Calgary.

AWARD FOR COAST NEWS

The Poliomyelitis and Rehabilitation Foundation of British Columbia has presented the Coast News an award of merit in recognition of outstanding services and contribution towards the foundation's program for the disabled of the province of British Columbia. It is signed by D. M. Carter, president and J. T. Dunham, executive director of the foundation.



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