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Impractical request . . .

Pollution Control Board axes Regional Board plan

REQUEST by the Sunshine Coast Regional Board that all future proposed sewer systems must have secondary treatment plants, was rejected by the Pollution Control Board which advised the Board accordingly last week.

Letter read at last regular meeting Friday April 24th stated that it is not considered practical to demand one standard, for conditions vary considerably. Further, the PCB is much better equipped to determine necessary requirements and therefore, at this time, cannot agree to the Board's request that secondary treatment be enforced in the area.

Chairman Cliff Gilker suggested the matter be considered further by the Executive Committee and a report made at the next meeting.

Letter from the Pender Harbour & Egmont Chamber of Commerce which recently suggested establishment of a garbage pick-up system in the Pender area, stated it was pleased to learn that a circular has been circulated to the Ratepayers' Association seeking member's views. However, it was pointed out that there are a number of people involved who do not belong to the Association.

Pender representative Director Jim Taylor told the Board that more than 200 circulars have been sent out, there might be about sixty people in the area involved not in the Association but idea behind the circulars was simply to determine attitude of the people in the specified area.

Director Lorne Wolverton pointed out that the matter would go to Referendum anyway. Director Tyner agreed and added that the circulars will indicate, should the response prove negative, that cost of a Referendum would not be warranted.

Chairman Gilker suggested the Chamber be informed that a study is being carried out prior to going to Referendum, should it be warranted.

Gibsons Chamber of Commerce wrote the Board seeking a meeting in order to ascertain Board's zoning proposals with a view to assisting the Chamber in its industrial promotion plans.

Chairman Gilker explained that the Board is not yet sufficiently far advanced to reveal any concrete proposals, however, he suggested a representative of the Chamber be invited to next meeting of the planing committee.

Previous request for approval to reside in a trailer in the Pender Harbour area was rejected. The applicant had previously complained that he had been misled by the building inspector who had earlier indicated the trailer would be permitted for residential use.

Director Wolverton said his committee has discovered that the trailer was only 18'x8' and cannot see how the Board could possibly stretch its imagination to permit its use as a mobile home under the building Code.

Director Tyner argued that there is nothing in the Code relating to size, further, the Inspector had given the applicant to understand that permission would be granted should he put the trailer on a concrete foundation. "I can't see how it can be refused," he said.

Director Wolverton pointed out that the Code does set out standards relating to height, floor areas etc. and the trailer involved falls far short of the limits. Further, the Inspector does not feel that he made such a promise and cannot see fit to recommend it.

The request was rejected by all but Director Tyner who registered an opposing vote.

Reporting on a meeting with the provincial Director of Planning, Chairman Gilker said it had been agreed that the Board now requires services of a full time planner. However, this is impossible financially, at this time, and it was suggested a student planner be employed for the summer months. It will also be necessary to obtain services of a qualified person to draw up a number of maps. The Board was advised to avoid "high priced" consultants and utilize departmental facilities when necessary.

Director Norm Watson commented "it seems to me we are still awaiting maps promised us by the department two years ago".

Times First Glance

MISSED THE BOAT

The following was submitted to The Times by a reader from Oregon, U.S.A.: Canada missed a golden opportunity when she was founded. She had the chance to build a country with American tchnology, British government and French culture. How do you explain her ending up with American culture, British tecnology and French government?

FIRE SIREN

Gibsons Fire Chief Dick Ranniger advises the public that as of May 4 the fire siren will be tested and thereafter on the first Monday of each month at 8 p.m.

FIRE NUMBER

Residents of the Roberts Creek Fire District are again reminded to keep the Vounteer Fire Dept. number handy as it is not listed in the current telephone book. The number is 886-7575 and appears in large type in an advertisement in this issue of the Times.

Sunshine Coast group tops in Drama Finals

DRIFTWOOD Players, a local drama group has won the right to represent the Vancouver Island Drama Zone in the B.C. finals to be held in Vernon in June.

Competing with clubs from Victoria, Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Duncan, Courtenay, Texada Island and others, the Driftwood Players were selected, last Thursday night, in the top three. During the Honours performance the following day, the group gained top award.

NDP meeting . . .

Short changed in Victoria Dave Barrett lashes Isabel

"YOU do have an MLA in this constituency, a fully fledged cabinet minister, but you are being short changed. It is not good enough that you are told you have someone representing you on the Cabinet when, in fact, she is locked in a closet".

Speaking at the Roberts Creek hall to a substantial audience last Saturday April 25th NDP Leader of the Opposition Dave Barrett, condemned the inability of Minister Without Portfolio Isabel Dawson, to speak out on behalf of her riding. "With an NDP representative you would at least have someone not afraid of the Premier. I am aware of your problems and they certainly have not changed much. Unfortunately you have no one who will stand up in the House and fight for improvements to the miserable highway, or for a chronic hospital. Last term you had schools on shift work, social assistance has never been higher, yet — in Victoria you have a Cabinet Minister," he said.

Launching into an attack on the Auto Insurance Industry, Barrett said "I make the charge; auto insurance companies are fixing prices under the protection of this government". He said he has asked for an enquiry under the Combines Act.

"The companies tell us how they are suffering and losing money, I cannot understand why they are not on welfare. In actual fact, they are aiming at young people and going ahead taking what they can with full approval of the government," he added.

Regarding social welfare, Barrett commented on Hon. Phil Gaglardi's statement that he would remove all "dead-beats" from the welfare roll. He said "Mr. Gaglardi should know all about dead-beats, he has been sitting with them for sventeen years. Out of 90,000 people in this province who are on welfare, he has actually eliminated only 47 for fraud.

"Gaglardi said he would provide more jobs and, so he has, the first, a well paid job for the inexperienced son of a Social Credit MLA. The second went to his former campaign manager from Kamloops. He is not getting rid of dead-beats, he is employing them.

"Further, Gaglardi says he is now doing such a good job that he feels he should be given his jet plane back".

In conclusion, Barrett asked "how long is it since you saw your MLA and when did she last meet with you and ask what can she do for you in Victoria? It has been a long time.

Following a short speech by Don Lockstead who expressed his appreciation to all who worked on his behalf during his unsuccessful election campaign, Tom Berger said Lockstead had done extremely well and had showed what can be done. He said he has every confidence he will make it next time.

Referring to a short history of the province by Tony Gargrave, Berger said he was surprised to hear him referring to B.C. before 1952, "it was my belief that Mr. Bennett had invented British Columbia at that time," he quipped.

Attacking Bennett's export policies, Berger stated there are now 60,000 unemployed in the province and almost 100,000 on welfare. "We have a total of 7% labour force out of work simply because Bennett exports jobs," he said. This, he explained, was because the government exports raw materials and resources and this, in effect, is export of jobs.

He too attacked the auto insurance companies, stating that most of the two hundred companies in B.C. are American owned, "They keep raising their rates but are evidently doing us a big fat favour for they continue to claim they are losing money. We offered to take the business over but they did not want that, they prefer to keep doing us a great favour," he said.

On pollution, Berger pointed out that soon anti-pollution will be a big business. Lots of people will make large sums of money by devising means of stopping pollution. "In seeking industry we must carefully consider the type of industry we really want," he warned.

NDPs Out in Force

Well attended meeting last week in the Roberts Creek hall by the Sunshine Coast NDP Club had a number of top party representatives as guest speakers. House Leader Dave Barrett arrived later but caught prior to the meeting are, from left; Provincial Party Leader, Tom Berger; Wayne Clark, President of the Sechelt Club; former MLA for the MacKenzie riding Tony Gargrave and President of Local 297 Fred Corley, seen outside the Roberts Creek hall.

Hon. Isabel P. Dawson announces extra ferry

HONAURABLE Isabel P. Dawson, Minister Without Portfolio, announced today that the "Queen of the Islands" will commence service on Friday, May 15th, 1970, on a two-shift basis, providing four round trips daily and will continue on this basis until after Labour Day between Powell River & Comox.

On the same date, the "Comox Queen" will commence service from Powell River on a three round trip daily basis until Sunday, May 24th, 1970. This will provide a total of seven round trips daily during this ten-day period.

The "Comox Queen" will then be removed for refit and relief of the "Texada Queen" will return to Powell River for the summer two-ship operation on June 19th, 1970.

Mrs. Dawson's feels these arrangements will contribute to the success of the Festival of Sports.

BLOOD DONORS

Red Cross figures reveal that blood donor total was down last year on the Sunshine Coast with donations of 151 pints in Gibsons and 128 in Sechelt. Some 57 patients at St. Mary's Hospital were recipients of blood transfusions.

Shopping complex next for Sechelt

LOCAL food market operator Richard Clayton announced plans this week for an imaginative shopping complex, generally agreed to be, a welcome addition to the Sechelt shopping districrict.

Clearing was completed earlier this week and plans are prepared ready for submission to council for approval.

The complex, understood to be extremely modern and attractive in design, will contain a number of first class stores and although nature of the business's involved has not yet been announced, Mr. Clayton told The Times he anticipates between eight and twelve. So far most of them have already signed contracts. He said the stores will be quite diversified and will offer a much greater variety of shopping facilities for local and out of town shoppers.

Building is expected to commence shortly but will, to some extent, depend upon the present disruption in the building industry.

MLA agrees to meet Chamber of Commerce

DURING discussion with a long-time member of the Pender Harbour and Egmont Chamber of Commerce, it was learned that the Chamber was disappointed to hear that Hon. Isabel Dawson had indicated inability to be present at a meeting of the Chamber scheduled for April 20th.

This was published in The Times April 1st together with other news of the Chamber and was followed up with a letter from the MLA to the Chamber explaining reasons for her absence and offering to meet with the Chamber in May.

Copy of Mrs. Dawson's letter dated April 2nd states;

I have it on my schedule to attend a meeting of your Chamber of Commerce on Monday, April 20th.

However, I am representing the Government on the Spring Tour to promote tourism from April 5th to approximately April 19th. While we expect to be back on April 19th, I have been advised to allow a day or two extra should it be required.

Therefore, I am requesting your forbearance to allow me to attend your May meeting. I have set aside both May 18th and May 25th, both Mondays, in order that I may fit it in to my schedule

I am taking along slides of your area to include with others from British Columbia, in order that we are able to receive maximum coverage.

I sincerely trust you will understand my being unable to change the date, I feel it better rather than at the last minute have the possibility of not being able to attend.

Referendum outlined . . .

School Board represented at Sechelt Chamber meeting

EIGHTEEN people attended last regualar meeting of the Sechelt and District Chamber of Commerce at the Peninsula Dining Lounge, Sechelt. Guest speaker was Mrs. Agnes Labonte representing the Board of School Trustees.

Speaking on behalf of the upcoming Referendum No. 10, Mrs. Labonte drew attention to the dire need for extra classrooms at Sechelt elementary school and the fact that the existing portable classrooms are both costly and by no means satisfactory. Constructional plans have been cut to a bare minimum by the Department of Education and consequently only the most essential expansion will take place.

General opinion, following a short question period, was that the proposed Referendum should be supported. However, a few pertinent questions were asked regarding plans for re-location of the Board offices.

Mrs. Labonte said the present quarters have to be vacated by December and so far a couple of locations are under consideration by a committee.

HIPPY SQUATTERS

One member suggested the Chamber seek action to remove a gang of hippys who were making a hangout at Trout Lake. There are no toilet facilities in the area, it is a provincial parksite and trees were being cut-up for firewood by the longhaired types who were living in tents.

It was reported that RCMP were already aware of the situation and were planning action.

TOURISM

President Joe Benner reported that the recently acquired trailer, for use as a tourist bureau, is presently undergoing a professional paint up, courtesy Peninsula Motor Products. Brochures will be available shortly and a meeting is planned with the Bureau hostesses to decide date of opening the bureau.

The trailer is to be parked in front of Peninsula Motors near the large Chamber sign which, since its erection, has proved a great tourist attraction. Of a number of locations, this was considered the most prominent and has the advantages of lots of parking area.

INDUSTRIAL PROMOTION

Neil Campbell and Doug Wheeler submitted a report of a meeting, in relation to promotion of acceptable industry, with the President of an Okanagan Winery who is also a Bank Director and director of other large industrial operations.

Nothing concrete came from the meeting but valuable advice and guidance was obtained and useful leads are being followed up.

MARINE PARK

Former Chamber President, John Hayes, submitted a proposal that a move by Fisheries Minister Jack David to establish the Gulf of Georgia as a National Park, be supported by the Sechelt Chamber. It was unanimously agreed that such a project warranted support and it was moved a letter be submitted to Prime Minister Trudeau outlining the Chamber's feelings.

Happiness

Mirror on the wall reflects the happiness of a little girl modelling a pretty dress. Even prettier than the crisp cotton organdy, daisy trimmed dress is 6½ year old Rhonda Doyle, one of the younger models who will take part in the Lions Ladies spectacular Fashion Show to be held this Thursday at 8 p.m. in Roberts Creek Community Hall. Fashions for the whole family will be featured and the theme will be "Vacation Time on the Sunshine Coast". Door prizes too!

Trustee in doubt . . .

School mill rate reduced taxpayers get 3.20 bonus

REDUCTION of mill rate for school tax purposes from 33.83 in 1969 to 30.63 in 1970 will give Sechelt School District taxpayers a 3.20 mill respite this year.

Despite the reduction, the School Tax Rate By-law almost did not get passed at last week's meeting of the school board when newly elected trustee Dave Ganshorn stated that he didn't want to pass any-by-law which he did not understand.

Secretary treasurer Jim Metzler who had just submitted his resignation to the board, commented that he didn't know how the board can tell the department of education that its figures are wrong.

From comments made, it would appear that the original budget submitted to the department of education had been changed because of a revision to grants given to Indian students attending schools in the district.

Net estimates for 1970 had been reduced from $1,852,690 to $1,803,465.

According to the Public Schools Act, the board is required to adopt the annual budget on or before May 1st and also approve the tax rate by-law which in this instance would be to raise the sum of $1,619,214 through local taxation. If the by-law had not been passed last Thursday it would have been necessary to call a special meeting of trustees.

MILL RATE

School district mill rate reached a peak in 1968 when it was 34.98, it dropped 1.15 in 1969 to 33.83 and a further drop this year of 3.20 brings it to 30.63.

The following figures submitted by the secretary treasurer show how local mill rate compares with province wide average figures given in brackets;

Basic levy 24.10 (24.10); Non shareable operating costs, 7.15 (4.81); College costs, nil (.54); Non operating costs, nil (.14); Debt & capital, 1.94 (3.50); Less District share of surplus & revenue, 2.56 (1.28); which gives a local mill rate of 30.63 and Provincial average of 31.81.

REQUISITION

Gibsons assessment for 1970 is $3,678,864 with a requisition of $112,699. Sechelt assessment is $1,647,287 with a requisition of $50,475. Rural assessment is $47,530,175 with a requisition of $1,456,040.

Sechelt assessment is lower than in 1969 when it was $1,711,736. Gibsons Village which expanded its boundaries shows one million dollar assessment increase over 1969 figure of $2,670,209.

Rural area shows $2½ million increase over 1969 assessment of $45,069,087.

CONTRIBUTION

Provincial Government's share of costs has increased this year when they are paying 10.22 per cent of operating and capital costs, compared with 8.14 per cent, last year.

Last, year, the government paid $57,731 operating plus $98,749 capital, less $2,342 revenue amounting to $154,159.

This year they are paying $107,351 operating plus $85,136 capital less $6,236 revenue, amounting to $184,251.

J. S. Metzler . . .

School Board administrator submits resignation letter

SECHELT School District Secretary Treasurer Jim Metzler submitted a letter of resignation at last Thursday's meeting of school trustees.

Trustee Bill Malcolm expressed regret when he read the letter which was addressed to Chairman of the Board, Mrs. Shiela Kitson and read as follows;

Dear Madam,

It is with real regret that I advise you of my decision to resign as secretary treasurer of School District No. 46. This decision was not made in haste, having been under consideration for some time.

I wish to convey my appreciation to those trustees who have shown their confidence in my judgement and who have encouraged me in the fullfillment of my responsibilities.

Yours very sincerely, J. S. METZLER.

Asked by trustee Bill Malcolm, when he would like to leave, Mr. Metzler said he had no plans for the future and would be prepared to remain until a replacement was found, but not later than the end of June.

The Chairman commented that one month's notice was customary and the Board did have an assistant secretary treasurer, Mr. Lloyd Yorkston.

Trustees finally approved a motion to accept Mr. Metzler's resignation with regret, the appointment to terminate no sooner than 30 days and no later than June 30th.

Mr. Metzler came to the District in August 1968 after having been secretary treasurer of Mission School District for eleven years. He took office at the time when the Provincial Government introduced the new finance formula which has meant keeping a careful eye on the budget.

Mill rate for school taxation purposes had been increasing steadily prior to Mr. Metzler's arrival as shown by the following figures which give Sechelt District first and provincial average in brackets; 1966— 25.65 (26.47); 1967 — 30.63 (30.02); 1968 — 34.98 (31.21); 1969 — 33.83 (31.72); 1970 — 30.63 (31.81).

Amounts requisitioned locally for school district taxes since 1966 are as follows: 1966 — $1,077,966; 1967 — $1,312,363; 1968 — $1,587,869; 1969 — $1,673,101; 1970 — $1,619, 214.

School District assessment figures since 1966 are as follows: 1966 — 042,025,414; 1967 — $42,842,030; 1968 — 45,400,894; 1969 — $40,451,032; 1970 — 52,656,32d.

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J. S. Metzler
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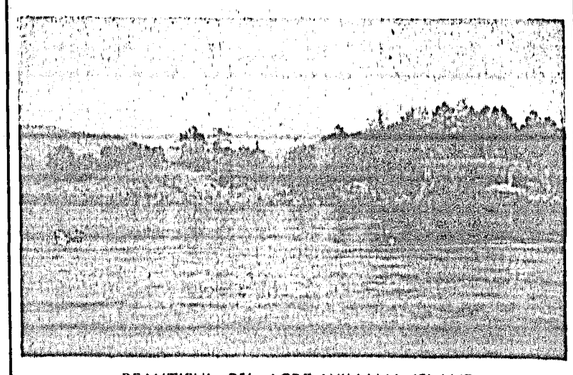

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Form No. 18
(Section 82)

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Dated April 6, 1970.

4301-pub. April 15, 22, 29, May 6, 1970

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4346-pub. Ap. 22, 29, May 6.

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Norman William Hall

Dated April 15, 1970.

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LEGALS (Continued)

Form No. 18
(Section 82)

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Sechelt Notes

WOMEN'S Group of St. John's United Church, Davis Bay, held their Spring Tea and Bake Sale in Wilson Creek Community Hall on Tuesday April 14. Guests were welcomed by Mrs. M. Bell and the tea was opened by Mrs. J. Stewart of Gibsons United Church.

The hall was attractively decorated with Spring flowers. Pouring tea were Mrs. Norman Franklin representing St. Hilda's Anglican Church, Sechelt; Mrs. Leo Johnsen from the Holy Family Catholic Church, Sechelt; Mrs. Violet Jackson President of the Homemakers Club, Sechelt and Mrs. George Betts from Bethel Church, Sechelt.

Many ladies attended the tea making it a social and financial success.

HERE AND THERE

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parker who have been holidaying in California accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon have returned home.

Miss Jacquie Franklin spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Norman Franklin. Accompanying Jacquie were the Misses Allison and Crenagh Redmond of Victoria.

Twenty-seven ladies, members of the Hospital Auxiliaries travellel by chartered bus last Wednesday to attend the annual Lower Mainland Regional Meeting, held in St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver.

The Selma Park Community Association is sponsoring a Dogwood Tea and Home Cooking Sale on Tuesday, May 12 from 2-4 p.m. A good opportunity to meet old friends and replenish your cake boxes.

Visiting Mrs. Alice French is Mrs. Gladys George of Burnaby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cooke of Prince George are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gory.

Government Employees Union vote in 3 areas

MEMBERS of the Powell River branch of the B.C. Government Employees' union voted in three areas on acceptance or rejection of the 1970 wage increase proposed for them by the provincial government.

Branch president Robert Moore said today the group had held wage ratification meetings at Sechelt — April 15; Powell River — April 17 and Vananda — April 20.

Moore said the other 54 branches in the 14,000-member BCGEU will also be holding wage ratification meetings this month.

Moore said this was the first time that all BCGEU members have had the chance to vote yes or no on their annual wage increases.

"We are trying to find out whether our membership is happy or unhappy with this year's increases," he said.

Moore said the results of the vote are to be sent to union headquarters in Vancouver for tabulation with the vote in other BCGEU.

"If the overall vote is heavily in favor of rejecting the increase, then the union's negotiating committee will seek to reopen wage discussions with the civil service commission," said Moore.

"However, if an overall majority votes for acceptance, the negotiating committee will probably make representation on behalf of a new occupational groups which may vote against the wage proposals".

Moore said members of the Powell River branch will not be asked to consider strike action over wages, at least at the ratification stage.

Sunshine Rebekahs plan Annual Birthday Party

THREE new members were initiated by the Sunshine Rebekah' Lodge 82 recently. They were Mrs. Betty Beninger, Mrs. Della Hardstadt and Mr. Harry Reiter.

Plans were formulated for the annual birthday party when Sunshine will be 8 years old. Sister lodges, Arbutus, Gibsons, and Teshquoit Powell River will be invited. Also Sunshine Coast Lodge and Malaspina and other assembly officers who have a standing invitation are expected, the date May 25.

Business practice . . .

Trustees finally agrees to advertise for offices

BOARD of School Trustees will now advertise its need for School Board office accommodation on or before December 31st when it is required to vacate the B.C. Telephone building on North Road, Gibsons.

School Board chairman Sheila Kitson stated at last Tuhrsday's meeting that it had been brought to her attention at a public meeting held in Madeira Park, that the Board should advertise.

Trustee Dr. Walter Burtnick observed that it is good business practice to advertise.

Discussion arose when trustee Bill Malcolm said he understood that a merchant is going to build new quarters and would have space available in Sechelt.

STILL REQUIRED

Trustee Agnes Labonte pointed out the need to correct a school board press release which stated that the new science wing to be built at Elphinstone will eliminate the use of the basement rooms.

With anticipated enrollment for next September, the school will still be hard pressed for accommodation and will still have to make use of the basement and two portables.

PLANS APPROVED

Local Chapter of Sechelt & District Retarted Children's Association has submittend plan of a portable building which it is hoped to erect on school board property at Gibsons Elementary School. Total cost of building and erection is estimated at $8,000 which will be raised by the Local Chapter.

Trustee Bernard Mulligan told the board that the Canfor Safety Award money has been donated to the Sechelt & District Retarted Children's Association and other donations have been promised.

Plans as submitted were accepted subject to 2 provisions; if the Board takes over operation of the Retarded Children's class, the portable becomes school board property at no charge. If there is no further need for operation of a retarded children's class, the board has option to purchase the building at cost price.

PROPERTY LEASE

Pender Harbour Fire Protection District has written the School Board seeking use of school property. Trustees will reply stating that the Board is not allowed to lease property for other than school purposes. Department of Education would not approve a similar request from Roberts Creek Fire Protection District.

CROWN GRANT

Letter to the Board from Department of Lands, stated that the Crown Grant land at Selma Park has now been surveyed and found to be 11.532 acres. The Board however will be required to provide access road, and a letter to that effect was required.

Following Dr. Burtnick's advice, the Board will inform Department of Lands that it is willing to undertake the responsibility of putting a road into the property.

Former Naval Officer for Anglican Church

REV. Dennis Popple, who succeeds Rev. Barry Jenks in the Anglican Church parish which covers the Sechelt Peninsula, visited Sechelt last week accompanied by his wife Anne and little daughter Helen.

He will take up his duties on June 1st, conducting his first service on Sunday June 7th.

Born in Leicester, England, Rev. Popple went to sea as a young man, serving as officer cadet and then ship's officer for twelve years with Ellerman Lines. He obtained his Master's Certificate in 1958.

In 1959 Rev. Popple attended St. Aidan's Theological College at Birkenhead and was ordained in 1962. His first parish was in Manchester where he served until 1965 when he came to Canada as padre with Missions to Seamen in Vancouver.

Tony Gargrave . . .

Highway promises ignored former MLA blasts Socreds

BIG GUNS of the provincial New Democratic Party were present at a meeting last Saturday April 25th at the Roberts Creek Hall and among the speakers introduced by President of Local 297, Fred Corley were; House Party Leader Dave Barrett, B.C. Party Leader Tom Berger, former MLA for the MacKenzie Riding Tony Gargrave and unsuccessful candidate in the last election Don Lockstead.

Tony Gargrave said he was speaking in the area for the first time in five years and was delighted to renew old acquaintances from his days as MLA. He said he understands membership in the Gibsons area is higher now than since 1952 which bodes good for the NDP on the Peninsula.

Commenting on the excellent job done by Don Lockstead in contesting the riding during the last election, he said he looks upon MacKenzie as one of the "Great" ridings. As to the Sunshine Coast, he recalls the days when it had a total of three miles hartop. "I can't say anything much has happened to improve things since 1966. Roads have become worse even though you were told they would be reconstructed once you get rid of an NDP representative," he said.

Speaking on the terrific potential of the Sunshine Coast, Gargrave said he sees it as the future great playground for the city of Vancouver. "It will surely become one of the greatest recreational areas, bar-none, in the province," he added.

Recommendations that he would like to see the NDP pick-up and pursue included; complete relocation of highway 101 which should be made into a first class modern highway. The existing highway should be retained for local services. "They have the money to do this and I am shocked to find it has not already been done," he said, referring to the Highways Department.

Greater accent should be put upon development of a large park together with a number of smaller waterfront park-sites. Pender Harbour and Gibsons harbours should be declared provincial parks. Pender Harbour, he stated, is one of the greatest in the whole of B.C. and must be preserved.

He suggested a large hotel-resort complex, similar to that of Harrison, in the Pender Harbour area would prove a tremendous attraction. Sechelt should press for a chronic hospital and greater emphasis placed upon development of a comprehensive water system for the entire area. In this regard, he warned that as waterfront becomes scarce for residential purposes people will start moving inland. "I certainly can see nothing that the Social Credit government has done for this area," he concluded.

Around Jervis Inlet

—by Pat Kenoyer

A VERY important person in a logging camp is the cook. A friend of mine has been a camp cook for several years. She is a pert looking woman with neat, stylish hair. When she laughs her entire face lights up in a way that tells you she is a person who enjoys life. And she laughs often, especially when talking about her experiences as camp cook.

One morning she was halfway through making breakfast for thirty men when the relic stove quit working. Her son and his wife were living in the camp so, at 6:00 a.m., she dashed up the hill to their house to borrow an electric frying pan, a coffee pot, and a toaster. It was frantic but she managed bacon, eggs, toast, and coffee for all those men before they had to head up the mountain to work.

Another time, at the same camp, she accidentally hit the suht-off switch on the stove while mopping the floor. When she found the stove was out she didn't realize it had been off for only a short time. She tossed in a match and poof Flames shot out, singeing her hair, eyebrows, and lashes. The first aid man was there and grabbed her, smothering the fire with his hands. When she looked in the mirror her face was streaked with black from the soot and red from the old bricks in the stove.

Still another time the men were all leaving camp for a holiday. She, the cook, would be there alone when the barge arrived to deliver food. Her problem was — how to get those hundreds of pounds of grub from the wharf into the cookhouse. Probably most women would have said it was impossible and quit right then, but not this camp cook. There was a pickup in camp but she had never learned to shift a standard transmission. She had the loggers, before they left camp, back the pickup to the wharf and put it in forward gear.

When the barge came in the men on it were good enough to take time to load the food into the pickup. My friend then got in the pickup and started the motor and, probably with a jerk or two, drove forward to the cookhouse. There she, by herself, slid those hunderd pound bags and heavy cases of food into the cookhouse. Such work she deems as all part of the job.

She also laughs about the time she was alone in camp when it stormed for three days. The third night the wind was so strong it shook the cabin and the surf pounded just outside. Things were banging about, making her nervous and unable to sleep. Suddenly there was a wild screech directly above her head. She flew from bed and switched on the flashlight. There, hanging over the top of the partially opened window, was the camp cat. The cook gave up trying to sleep, lit the kerosene lantern and read the rest of the night.

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April 29—8 p.m. Elphinstone School, Public Meeting Referendum No. 10.

April 30—12 noon closing time for nomination of School Trustee to represent Sechelt.

April 30—8 p.m. Roberts Creek Community Hall, Lions Ladies Fashion Show, Refreshments and door prizes.

May 1—2-4 p.m. St. Bartholomew's Church Hall, Gibsons, Spring Tea and Bake Sale.

May 1—6:30 p.m. Elphinstone, S.C. Juvenile Soccer Night, World Cup Film, Presentation of trophies.

May 2—Commencement of Girl Guide and Brownie Cookie Week.

May 3—1 p.m. Elphinstone School Commencement Gibsons-Sechelt Walkathon.

May 3—7 p.m. Glad Tidings, Gibsons, African Missionary Film.

May 6—8 p.m. St. Hilda's Hall, Sechelt Garden Club meeting.

May 7—8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Polling Day, Emergency School Referendum No. 10.

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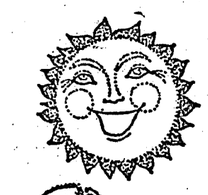

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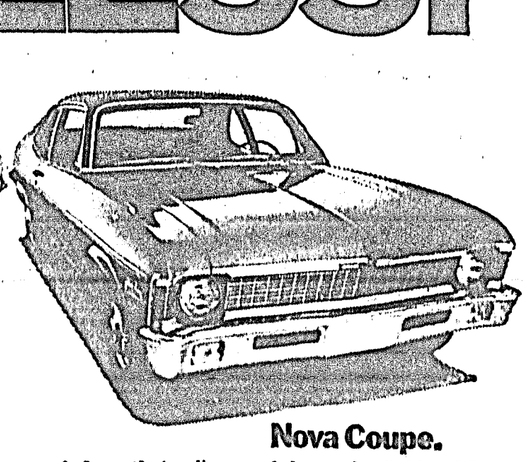

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Rally

Elphinstone students will be looking for sponsors this week to help raise funds for the $1,000 trampoline which the school wishes to purchase. Students are prepared to walk from Gibsons to Sechelt, rain or shine on Sunday May 3rd and sponsors will be asked to pledge so much per mile. This will not be a race and everyone who wishes is welcome to join the walkers. Walk will commence at 1 p.m. at Elphinstone and end on Sechelt waterfront where volunteers will have beach fires and hot dogs awaiting for the hungry tramps. Slogan is "We'll tramp for a tramboline May 3rd", also "If you believe in equality of opportunity — prove it at the polls May 7th". Emergency Referendum No. 10 will be presented on May 7th.

St. George's Day Tea at St. Aidan's Church

BRIGHT Sunshine greeted the many guests who came to the Parish Hall of St. Aidan's Anglican Church, Roberts Creek, last Friday, April 24th, on the occasion of the Annual St. George's Day Tea, honouring St. George, the Patron Saint of England.

A red rose bud, the emblem flower of England, was pinned on the coat of each guest as they entered and were welcomed by Mrs. A. M. Harper, president of the Anglican Church Women.

Mrs. Charles Merrick, a member of the United Church in Roberts Creek, opened the tea with a few gracious words expressing pleasure on behalf of all the United Church Women, that occasions such as this drew the two churches together.

The hall was tastefully decorated with red roses and on each tea table was a posy of Spring flowers and a small St. George flag.

Mrs. R. Cumming was in charge of the tea arrangements, supported by Mesdames R. Bernard; R. C. Hicks; J. R. Marsh; D. Marshall; G. C. Newman and L. Thomas.

Home cooking was presided over by Mesdames J. Matthews; G. Mould; and W. H. Dodman, while Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bengough handled the plant stall.

Mrs C. W. Clough had a pretty assortment of cards and Mrs. J. W. H. Scar held the receipts.

The door prize was won by Mrs. D. Marshall.

This tea is always held on the Friday nearest the date of St. George's Day which is April 23.

One man to another: "I picked up a wonderfully comforting word from my boy's report card. Now I think of myself not as a failure but as an underachiever."

At Pender Harbour . . .

Referendum gains approval termed most realistic yet

PENDER Harbour taxpayers always give school board representatives an interesting meeting and last week was no exception when Referendum No. 10 and other matters were discussed at a public meeting in Madeira Park School.

Despite the fact that the emergency referendum has nothing to offer Pender Harbour, facts given by the school board were well received. Mr. Bob Crichton who is a member of the Family Division Committee commented that this is the most realistic referendum ever presented in the district.

Mr. Bill Scoular who is alternate director for the area on the Sunshine Coast Regional Board also felt the referendum would meet with approval as Sechelt badly needed a new school and Elphinstone also required more room.

OFFICE LOCATION

Mr. Scoular asked why the Board had not advertised for school board office accomodation when he learned that a private party had offered to build office accomodation for the board in Gibsons. He also asked if the board had ever given any consideration to moving further North to a more central location. "There is no reason why the board office should be kept in Gibsons, just because it was there originally", he said.

Chairman of the Board, Mrs. Shiela Kitson said that it was also necessary to consider the maintenance shop and the library; "if we move one, we have to move all three", she said. Commenting on the move made necessary by termination of the lease in the B.C. Telephone Building, Mrs. Kitson said it is more than likely the board will return to its old quarters in the Lang block.

Considering that the Lang block had been inadequate when the Board previously occupied it, Mr. Crichton felt the Board should advertise its need and Public Relations Chairman Bernard Mulligan admitted the Board made a mistake and should have advertised.

HIGH SCHOOL

Giving Pender Harbour residents assurance, Mrs. Kitson said, "Although we live in Gibsons ,we do worry about students here". At which time Mr. Scoular reminded the Board that Pender Harbour residents had worked hard to get a high school there and intended to keep it." If you build a Jr. Sr. High School at Sechelt we would lose our high school, he said.

Trustee Bill Malcolm maintained that the only place for a Senior High School is Sechelt.

Principal of Pender Harbour Secondary School, Mr. Don Skelton commented on the fact that four Pender Harbour students are attending grade 12 in Vancouver this year and we may see more of this. It is not such a big jump to university from grade 12 in Vancouver.

Being a small school, only a limited number of courses are offered at Pender Harbour. Mr. Crichton felt that this is not necessarily a drawback as one student from Egmont is now a professor at UBC.

Mr. Skelton said he would have liked to see the automotive shop built at Pender Harbour High School but it could not be considered as an emergency.

MAINTENANCE

Commenting on remarks made by the Chairman that maintenance is required at both Elphinstone and Pender Harbour Secondary schools where the roofs are leaking, District Superintendent, Mr. R. R. Hanna said the District is still spending more than the government allows us too.

Giving some facts about the district, Mr. Hanna said the pupil-teacher ratio is favourable; supplies and equipment are good and this district spends $150 per pupil more than the provincial average. In spite of that the mill rate is down this year by 3.2 mills.

There may be some suffering in the area of repair and maintenance but the district is doing well for the pupils.

PORTABLES

Mr. Hanna also gave some interesting figures on the cost of portable classrooms over the past four years which amounted to $97,483. As these rentals come under operating costs of the school district, the district paid 90 per cent or $87,735 and the provincial government paid the remaining ten per cent or $9,748.

Under capital building costs the provincial government pays at the very least 50 per cent.

Construction of the new classrooms at Sechelt will allow the board to dispense with many of the costly portables.

Elphinstone Secondary first term honor roll

ELPHINSTONE Secondary School, which adopted the semester system of study this year, shows a very healthy honour roll during the first term of the second semester.

Students qualifying are as follows:

Division I: Dorian Gregory 2.7, Donna Nelson 2.7, Denise Quarry 2.5, Elliott Trueman 2.5.

Division VIII: Sheahan Bennie 2.7, Ona Burnett 2.7, Cathy DeKleer 2.7, Wendy Gurney 2.7, Lygia Martinez 2.7, Margaret Gory 2.5, Shirley Hoehne 2.3, Roland Kerbis 2.3.

Division XVIV: Leslie Dixon 3.0, Judy Newton 2.3.

Division XX: Judith Scott 2.3.

Division IV: Farnk Roberts 2.7, Frances Finlayson 2.5.

Division XI: Cliana Watson 2.5, Karen Parsons 2.25.

Division XIII: Eleanor Swan 2.7, Lisa Pedrini 2,3, Allen Schwabe 2.3.

Division XVIII: Eileen Sallis 2.7, Betty Topham 2.7, Dennise Dombroski 2.3, Rosemarie Hoefsloot 2.3, Karen Spencer 2.3.

HONOURABLE MENTION (2.0)

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Division IV: Bob Barnes.
Division VIII: Ginny Alsager, David Bulger.
Division XVIII: Lori Montgomery, Deborah Willis.
Division II: Pam Boyes.
Division V: Colleen Fuller.
Division XIII: Cheryl Guelph, Susanne Jorgensen, Janice Mullen.
Division XIX: Tom Klotz, Colleen Proctor.
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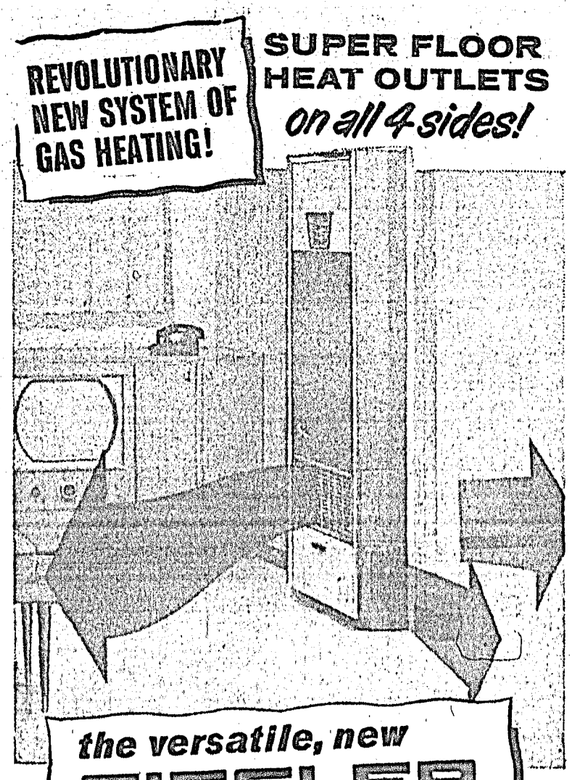

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Around Gibsons

—by Marion Charman

PROCEEDS from the very enjoyable and well attended Gibsons Elementary School Concert, held last Wednesday evening in the gymnasium will be used for school projects such as reference books and remedial material.

At 8 p.m. the Master of Ceremonies called upon the principal Mr. Cooper who welcomed the audience and commended the pupils and the teachers for their extra work during noon hour and after school, spent preparing and practicing for the program.

Mr. Cooper mentioned the continuing need for an auxiliary organization to assist with school sports day and a number of other extra-curricular activities that could be undertaken for the betterment of the school. More adult help is needed! A small group of volunteer aides has carried on faithfully througout the year and their assistance is much appreciated.

A fine sample of the talent to be found in the school was presented. Mr. Cooper mentioned that it had not been possible for all the children to take part in this concert.

Miss C. Johnson directed a group of grade 2 pupils in the singing of two folk songs. The boys and girls were well trained and it was a pleasure to hear their clear enunciation.

Grade 7 pupils had prepared a play about how the Arabian Nights tales began. The play entitled "Scheherazade" was so named after the queen who invented the stories to save herself from being beheaded. The dozen or so characters in the play performed very well; costumes were good and the set a most skillful arrangement of grade 7 art in Eastern theme.

Mr. M. Campbell conducted three band numbers, Jacob's Ladder; The Gold & Silver Waltz and the Brownies March. Music varied in tempo, tone and volume and the last number had many of the audience toe-tapping.

A large group of Grade 4's under the direction of Mrs. Dahl received an ovation for their singing in "Spinning Wheel", a well chosen piece for their sweet young voices. As the spinning wheel on the stage whirled, the story was sung of the maid and the lover.

The words of Hush Little Baby were rendered with clarity and charm.

The third song "Both Sides Now" was amusing with its pauses which had the audience clapping, thinking the piece was over, only to find that the singers (who were also obviously enjoying the number) continued again. This was followed by a catchy song, "I Love My Shirt".

Kathy Whiting, Shelley Benson and Renee Robertson presented three dance routines set to the following, "Mr. Moonshine Man"; "Lucille" and "Corrento". Their lithe and graceful performance showed considerable skill and the varying stage lighting effects gave added color and interest.

The School Safety Patrol demonstrated how they operate at the school crosswalk, using the new equipment provided by the Sunshine Coast Kiwanis Club. Patrol operates in the morning before school and in the afternoon when school is over but not in the noon hour. Watch for the yellow hats; blaze-orange belts and red and white STOP paddles.

Mrs. Earle's grade 5 girls gave a demonstration of rythmic hoopswinging which was most impressive with the girls dressed in white blouses and dark shorts ,deftly wielding the decorated hoops in colorful patterns.

The fine tradition of the Gibsons Elementary School Choir has been ably continued by Mrs. M. Crawford who led the boys and girls in a delightful medley of songs which included — Happiness; My Country is my Cathedral; Tooma; Where Have All the Flowers Gone and Be Kind.

Door prizes were awarded from time to time during the evening as lucky numbers were called out. The program was altogether a creditable performance—congratulations to all!

HERE AND THERE

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones have returned from a wonderful 3 week vacation. They travelled by plane from Seattle to Tokyo then took the very modern Bullet Train (which attains a speed of 125 miles per hour) to Osaka where they spent two days at Expo. They report the B.C. Pavillion is very impressive and the Canadian one lovely to. While in Hong Kong Mr. and Mrs. Jones were interested to see the large Orthopedic Hospital for Chinese children. Tai Pei and Okinawa were visited. On their homeward journey they enjoyed a stop-over in Honolulu.

Arnold John Wiren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiljo Wiren has received word that he has been accepted into medical school at Saskatoon where he will study to become a veterinary surgeon. Arnold plans to work in Vancouver for the summer after which he and his wife will move to Saskatchewan.

Mr. and Mrs. Huxley Marshall visited their son and daughter in law Pastor and Mrs. Brent Marshall and family in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Oliver and family visited relatives and friends in Trail and Rossland.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crowhurst was their daughter Carol Young and husband from town. Mrs. Young has interesting employment with the Vancouver Park Board.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Youdell were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Woolner and family from Langley and Mr. and Mrs. Youdell Sr. from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Wray observed their wedding anniversary last week. On the same day, Mrs. Wray's parents who live at Qualicum celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Harry Smith with friends from Vancouver, had a very enjoyable week vacation in Hawaii.

Glad to see Mr. Vic Metcalfe out and around after quite a time in Hospital.

Dan Brackett was a visitor to Whalley where he was a guest of Jim Tutyko.

Mrs. Elsie Green from New Westminster called on her uncle Alex Bruce while visiting other relatives here recently.

Mrs. M. Cooper has returned from a visit to Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hollowink Creston visited relatives here for several days. They enjoyed fishing, digging clams and gathering oysters.

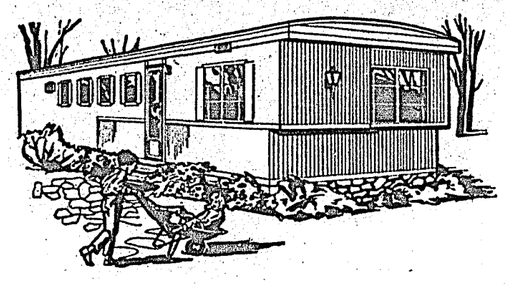
Bob and Jackie Burnett and Dwayne from Ladner were guests of relatives here.

Alex Bruce was among those who attended the Scottish White Heather concert in Vancouver.

New Residents

Rev. Dennis Popple, his wife Anna and daughter Helen will soon be taking up residence in Sechelt. Rev. Popple succeeds Rev. Barry Jenks as Anglican Vicar serving the Sechelt Peninsula. Young family paid a fleeting visit to Sechelt last week before leaving for a short holiday in England.

in a General ...they lived happily ever after



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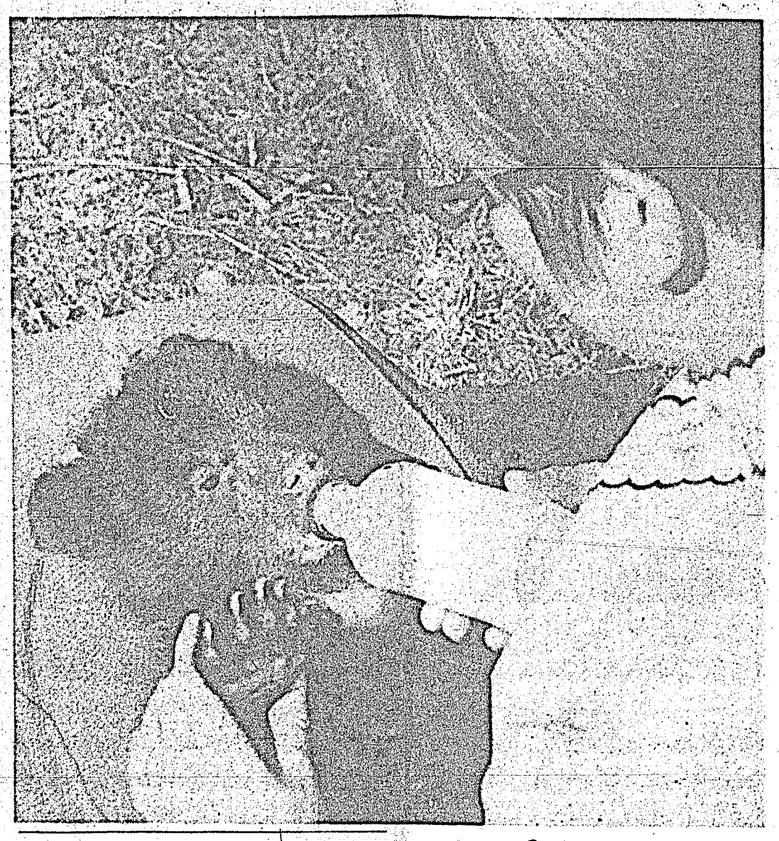
Bed-time

Little black bear is well used to children for she plays with six year old Ken Nelson and his sister Selina but just like all little babies she soon gets sleepy and looks a little grumpy as Ken holds her up to show her chubby little body. Raising a little bear is a full time job and little "Sugar" with her glossy coat and bright yellow bow is a credit to Mrs. Bonnie Nelson who lives at Wilson Creek on Field Road.

Bear Hug

Now the baby of the family, cuddly little black bear gives four year old Selina Nelson a great big kiss as she enjoys playtime which always follows her meals. Now three months old the female cub has a strong will of her own; when she becomes too big for Mrs. Nelson to manage, and that will be a sad day for the family, the children's zoo at Stanley Park have offered to take her.



Contentment

Just like a little teddy bear, three months old baby black bear, "Sugar" tucks into her lunch provided by her "foster mother" Mrs. Bonnie Nelson who has reared the cub, orphaned when her mother had to be destroyed when a felled tree disturbed her den at the head of Jervis Inlet. Bonnie's husband Ken brought the little baby home and after much sacrifice, patience and lots of love, the little bear is now the pretties, chubbiest little bear it is possible to find.

Revamping of park suggested as project

CENTENNIAL meeting was held April 22, 1970 in the Gibsons Village Council Chambers with 9 members present.

Report of the recommendations of the Ways and Means Committee who were to choose a Project was given by the chairman Ross Gibson. The recommendation was to make the Gibson Project the Revamping of the Gibson graves and the Park, in Gibsons Centre. This was unanimously accepted by the Committee.

A plan that was drawn up showing a suggested layout of the Park and Grave Markers was also shown and accepted in General. The plan shows rock walls and many strategically placed shrubs and trees which will make the centre of Gibsons a real Show Place.

The Ways & Means Committee also suggested that the Park be named Pioneer Park, which was unanimously accepted by the Committee.

There will be a letter going to Council to ask for a matching grant of money for the Project and a budget was drawn up and passed thus:

INCOME —	
Government grant	$1750
Matching Village grant	$1750
	$3500
DISBURSEMENTS —	
Project costs	$2500
Celebrations	$ 500
Administration etc.	$ 190
Contingencies	$ 400
	$3500

It was agreed that the project would be administered by the Village and there would be a Biulding & Project Committee. The Committee members are:

Mr. Ross Gibsons — Mr. Ken Goddard — Mrs. Karen Archer — Mrs. K. Morrison.

Next meeting to be in May.

MLA meets the public in Sechelt and Gibsons

AS AN individual, if you have any problems regarding Provincial affairs of any nature, you will be able to discuss them in private with the Honoaurable Isabel Dawson, Minister Without Portfolio, who will be at:

Sechelt — Thursday, April 30th — at the Court House.

Gibsons — Friday, May 1st — at the Court Room in Municipal Hall.

Mrs. Dawson will be available from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. No appointments are necessary — just drop in at your convenience.

Popular English stars color Gibsons movie

TANKS and flame throwers used in grouse shoot!? Twilight Theatre, Gibsons is showing "The Magic Christian" this week. Peter Sellars and Ringo Starr teamed up to star in this rather anti-establishment movie which is guaranteed to hit your mind with a resounding 'thud'. So for all those people who have seen it or have heard about it, or even those who haven't heard about it, or seen it, this show is definitely a must.

Starting on Sunday, "Hellfighters," starring recent Academy Award winner, John Wayne, who appraised this movie as the most "exciting" of all the action films in which he has appeared; and his co-star is Katherine Ross, whose performance in "The Graduate" won her an Academy Award nomination.

Mainly photographed on locations in the oil fields of Texas and Wyoming, this is the thrilling story of the highly specialized professionals who put out roaring oil well fires anywhere in the world under the constant threat of death which becomes a major concern to the women who love them.

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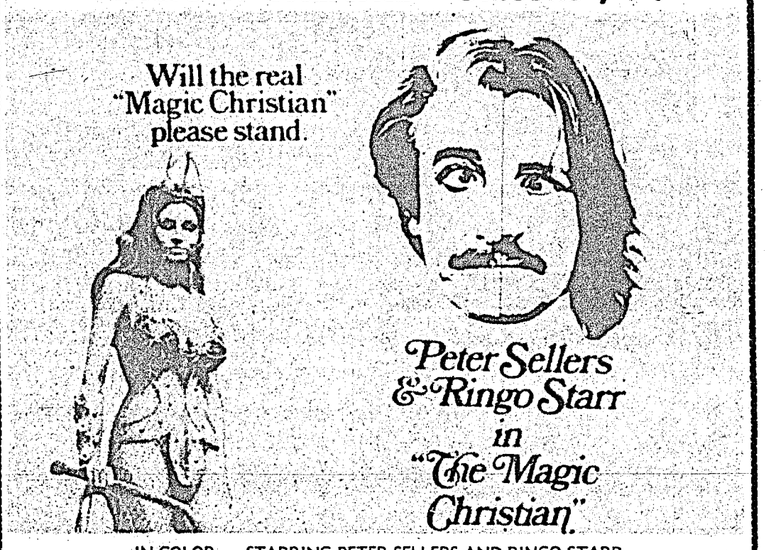

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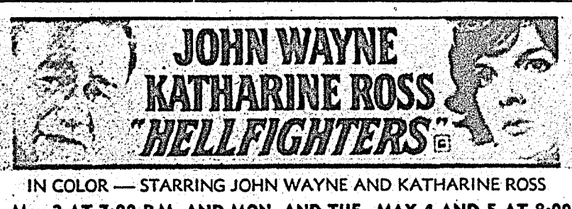

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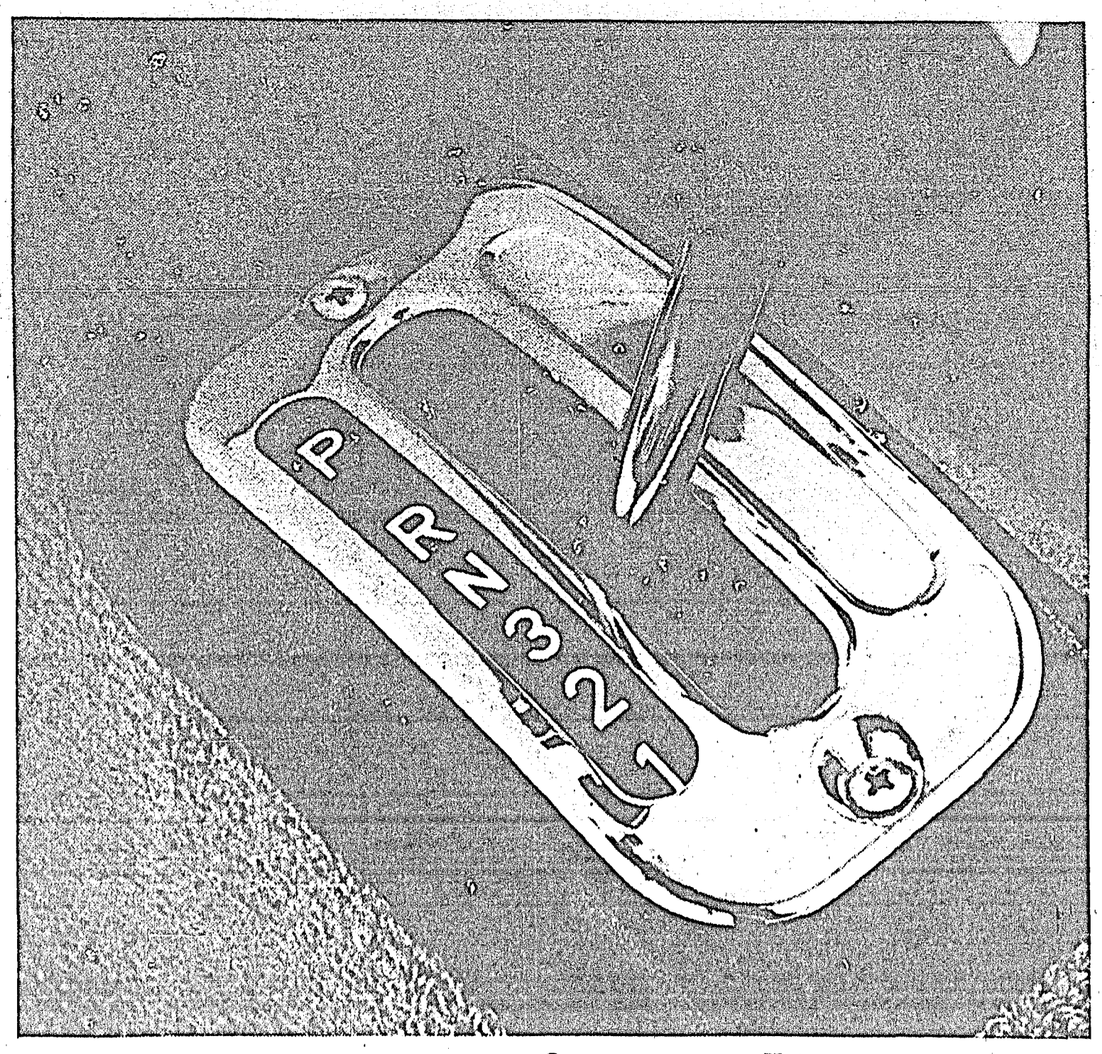

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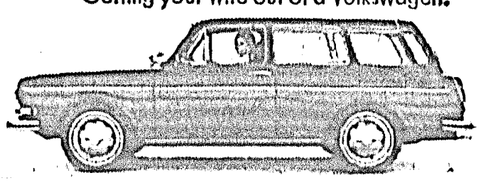

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3rd Gibsons

Nine Brownies of the Gibsons 3rd Pack have passed all their tests and wore their Brownie uniforms for the last time on April 21st when they flew away to form part of a new Guide Company captained by Mrs. Maureen Dorais. Godmother of 3rd Gibsons Pack Mrs. Fyles performs her last duty for these young Brownies as she pins on their wings prior to the ceremony. Girls in front are: Heather Reid; Yvonne Inglis; Mava Schneider; Geraldine Fyles; Cathy White. Back row: Wani Ranniger; Jo-Anne Laird; Kelly Cryderman and Jannette Swanson.

1st Gibsons

It was farewell to Brownies for Charlene White; Stephanie Gibson and Kathy Forsyth pictured receiving their silver wings from Godmother Mrs. Jean Davidson before flying up to Guides to join the newly formed 3rd Gibsons Guide Company. Charlene also qualified for enrollment into Guides the same evening.

1st Gibsons Scouts on anti-litter stint

WISHING to kill two stags with one stone, the 1st Gibsons Scout Troop's Stag Patrol, under Patrol Leader Melvin Gokool, embarked on a dual purpose program during a recent meeting held at Gower Point. In so doing they satisfied two requirements: A visit to an historical site, and participation in a community project.

Their objective was met when the patrol visited the Gower Point cairn marking the June, 1792 encampment of Captain George Vancouver during a detailed ocean survey of the Pacific North West following his return from Hawaii.

Just why the captain chose this particular name for the point baffled the Stags for a moment or two until Fred Love seemed to recall the name was given in memory of one of the Discovery's crew who had died during the voyage.

To skunk the Stags, Eagle Two (Glenn Beaudry) later supplied additional information: That although the captain gave no indication as to whom he had in mind at the time, one authority suggests he was probably thinking of Admiral Sir Erasmus Gower who was celebrating his 50th birthday in that same year.

Following the visit, the Stag Patrol then launched a fearless attack against the area, capturing 22 buckets of trash with no known casualties to their own side.

2nd Gibsons

Godmother of Gibsons 2nd Brownie Pack Mrs. Shirley Daugherty makes sure that silver wings are snugly in place to take seven Brownies into the world of Guides at last week's very impressive ceremony held in Gibsons when three Brownie packs and three Guide companies gathered for the Fly-Up and enrollment ceremony. Brownies in the front are from left: Linda Laing; Rebecca McKinnon; Rhonda Cooper; Carol Daugherty. Back row: Lorna Boyd; Michelle Phillips and Linda Biggeman.

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After all your work, don't ruin the effect with air bubbles in the varnish. Never stir varnish! When you load the brush, do not drag the bristles across the rim of the can. This causes tiny air bubbles to form under the dips of the bristles. Varnish should be "flowed on," working from an unfinished to a finished area. Brushing back and forth makes it stringy and may cause small bubbles to form.

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Halfmoon Bay Happenings

—by Mary Tinkley

WELCOME Beach Hall Shuffleboard Tournament wound up a happy and successful season last week with a coffee party at the Patio Gardens which was attended by all ten teams competing in the tournament.

Keith Comyn, president of the Welcome Beach Community Association awarded the prizes, 1st prize going to the team of Jack Morgan and Ralph Lynds, with Astrid and Anton Kadin as runner-ups. The novices' prize went to Jean and Blackie Petit and consolation prizes were awarded to Khona and Jim Cooper and Joyce and Jerry Williams.

A vote of thanks was given to Jack Hall for his hard work and untiring efforts in organizing the shuffleboard tournaments.

Delicious refreshments of sandwiches and pastries were served by that famous Patio Gardens team of Joan Cunningham and Ena Armstrong.

CHILDREN'S NIGHT

Children's Night at the Welcome Beach Hall last Saturday saw a wonderful display of decorated hats of all types, periods and styles. There were hats decorated with flowers and ribbons, magicians hats and hats reminiscent of medieval days. In fact so much work and originality had gone into the making of the entries that judging proved a difficult task for Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Duff.

Prizes were awarded to Mary Connor for a stove-pipe hat decorated with flowers and greenery and to Ray Cameron for a graduate hat. Refreshments, served by Claudia Riley, Leina Fraser and Sheila Murphy were quickly disposed of and the evening finished with games and dancing.

LADIES' AUXILIARY

On Tuesday, April 21, at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Hugh Duff at Welcome Beach, a Ladies' Auxiliary to the Welcome Beach Community Association was formed. It was agreed to wind up the affairs of the Redwell Ladies' Guild and hand over the balance of their funds to the new Auxiliary.

Officers elected were; president, Mrs. Hugh Duff, vice-president, Mrs. M. Tinkley, sec.-treas. Mrs. Wm. Fraser. The meeting then proceeded to make arrangements for the Country Fair to be held at Cooper's Green, Redroffs on August 1st.

FILM NIGHT

Welcome Beach Hall wound up its season with a very fine program last Thursday. Three films on B.C. were loaned by courtesy of B.C. Hydro and the projectionist was Hugh Duff who has done a wonderful job of planning and running the shows throughout the winter in spite of set-back with the National Film Board program originally planned.

Frank Jorgensen showed some excellent movies of the Pender Harbour whales, shy and sulky just after their capture and accepting food and caresses from the hands of their trainers just a few days later.

Mr. Jorgensen must have got up particularly early one morning, for at 5 a.m. he was at Pender Harbour photographing the transporting of the largest whale which had been sold to the San Diego Marineland. He also showed some fine movies of the loggers' sports day at the P.N.E. and scenic pictures of his hunting trip with Chris Smith of Sechelt in the Telegraph Creek area last Fall. He was given a hearty vote of thanks and a warm ovation for such a magnificent show.

VISITING

Canon and Mrs. Alan Greene have returned from a holiday on Vancouver Island where they visited many old friends. They checked in on the Jenks family and found them settled happily at Departure Bay. Rev. Barry Jenks was delighted to find his new parish has an average of 80 communities and a thriving Sunday School of 100 children and 12 teachers.

The Greene's also visited Mr. Allen Andrews, a former warden of St. Bartholomew's Church, Gibsons, who is living in Nanaimo and has completely recovered his sight.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simeon were two other old friends on whom they called. They were both well and wished to be remembered to all their old friends on the Sunshine Coast.

Canon and Mrs. Greene also visited Victoria and saw Miss Margaret Duff, formerly of Kitimat and now living in an apartment in Victoria. Miss Duff is well-known among the Business and Professional Women of this area and has also been a frequent guest at the Greene home.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Summer homes are gradually being opened up and there have been some happy reunions as families get together to discuss the past winter and plan next summer's activities.

At Vaucroft Beach recently, when a number of cottages were being opened up, Mrs. Peter Kane entertained at the coffee hour. Her guests were Mrs. Frank Richards of Middle Point, Mrs. Wm. Holtz, Mrs. Dave Harder, Mrs. Ted Sheffield and Mrs. Webb Bird, all of Vancouver.

The new resident at the home of Al and Barbara Laakso has been named Tracy Jean Laakso.

Last Friday turned out to be a surprising day for Ross Manton who was in his place at school as usual when the 9 o'clock bell rang. During the morning he became ill and was rushed to the doctor. By 8 p.m. that same evening, Ross was undergoing an appendectomy.

Guests of Mrs. Leta Hanney last weekend were her son and daughter-in-law, Byron and Lorrill Hanney of Burnaby, her grandsons Gary and Grant Hanney and her great-grandson Allan. Byron, assisted by Gary and Grant, spent some time at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Ross Conquest helping her to get settled in her home in the Bay. Grant has now returned to Prince George with his family.

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Wilson Creek family suffers loss of son

THE SUNSHINE Coast lost one of its most ardent admirers on April 19th, 1970 when Victor J. Black died in Burlingame, California.

Mr. Black whose summer visit to the area was prolonged last year due to illness, was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Black of Wilson Creek, formerly of West Vancouver. He received his schooling in West Vancouver, and during the war was a Flt. Lt. in the R.C.A.F. and a coastal command pilot. He later attended U.B.C. where he graduated in commerce. He was vice-president of Laurentide Finance of California.

Mr. Black was a member of A.F. and A.M. number 150, Burnaby Lodge.

He is survived by his wife Minerva; four sons, Edward, Billy and Kenneth of Vancouver and Cameron at home, a brother David of Vancouver and two sisters Evelyne Black of Vancouver and Isabelle Optholt of Seattle.

Funeral service was held on April 24th in West Vancouver, interment Capilano View Cemetery.

Boy to mother: "I'm home early because the teaching machine broke down and the teacher couldn't remember anything."

Gibsons OAPO meeting gains good attendane

REGULAR monthly meeting of the Gibsons O.A.P. Organization was held in the Health Center Hall, Gibsons, Monday, April 20th with a good attendance. Each meeting new members are welcomed and our attendance is steadily growing. Everyone is welcome to join and enjoy pleasant companionships.

After the meeting adjourned the members were entertained by a group of young girls, pupils of Mrs. Dianne Laird. They carried out several pretty Scottish dances and the Mexican Hat Dance. A very hearty vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Laird and her charming little dancers.

The Organization would like to extend grateful thanks to all who attended the Spring Tea on April 10th. The general public are always welcome at these affairs and your support is much appreciated.

The visiting committee would appreciate contact if any pensioners are in need of this service. Committee: Mr. E. Davies Phone 886-2984; Mrs. M. Swan phone 886-2072; Mrs. D. Drummond phone 886-7442.

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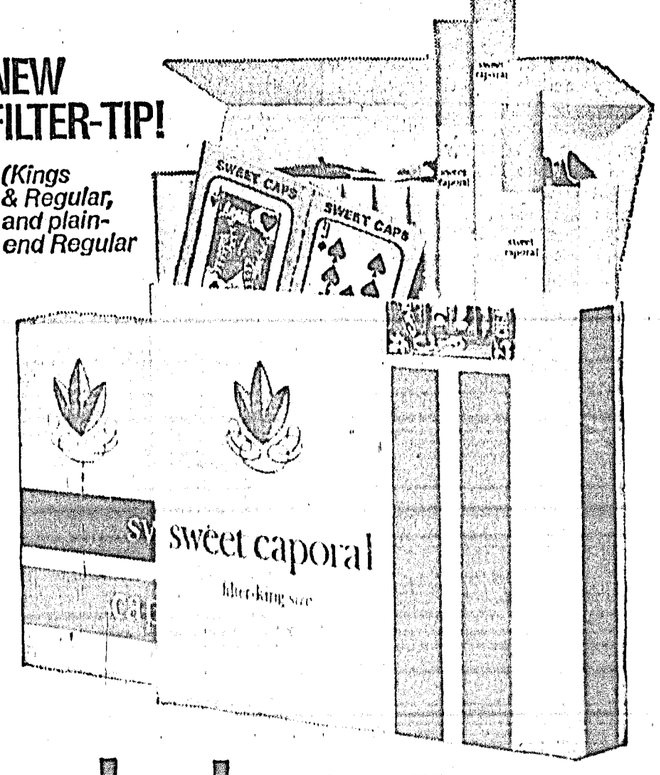

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THE PENINSULA Times

EDITORIALS

"I may be wrong, but I shall not be so wrong as to fail to say what I believe to be right."
—JOHN ATKIN

DOUGLAS G. WHEELER, *Editor* — STEWART B. ALSGARD, *Publisher*

High cost for less service

MAILING conditions of late have by no means improved, indeed, from our own personal experience it would seem the contrary would be nearer the truth. Packages of books arrive in shocking condition, plastic name-tag containers, shipped in padded envelopes arrive broken, to name a few. This, we would hasten to point out, is in no way to be taken as condemnation of local facilities for our own Post Offices provide excellent service.

Trouble would therefore appear to eminate from outside sources and, certainly, we are not alone in registering protest. The matter was taken up recently by Mr. Heath Macquarrie, M.P. who in C.B.C. broadcast stated;

"Before the railroad had come to the American West, the famous pony express carried the mails to the California Coast. In those days, a parcel from St. Joseph's, Missouri, took eight days to reach Sacramento.

"Today, in Canada, things have changed. Today, the train from Ottawa to Vancouver takes 2½ days. Strangely enough, though, a parcel mailed in Ottawa won't reach the coast of British Columbia for 10 days.

"Is this an example of the modernized Post Office which Mr. Kierans, the Postmaster General is creating?

"When Mr. Kierans was appointed Postmaster General, he looked at the Post Office and saw administrative and financial inefficiency. He then, quite properly, decided that major changes were needed. No one can or did dispute his goal of a modern and efficient Post Office.

"Unfortunately, the key to Mr. Kierans' idea of efficiency in the Post Office is to cut out postal service. Mr. Kierans did not attempt to bring about efficiency while maintaining the level of postal service. No, no. He simply cut down the service.

"We used to have six-day delivery for 5 cents, but now Mr. Kierans gives us five-day delivery for six cents.

"As a direct result of this decrease in service at an increased cost, the movement of your mail is slower and less efficient — you now have to mail a letter on Wednesday to make sure it reaches its destination by Monday — that's five days.

"Mr. Kierans has also decided that Canadians who live in the rural areas of the country should be subjected to even greater inconvenience from the Post Office. Our rural postal service was too costly, according to Mr. Kierans and so he closed down hundreds of rural post offices and decreased postal service to rural Canadians.

"In fact, for a time, Mr. Kierans placed an embargo on the extension of urban postal service to newly developed **urban** areas of the country.

"If the rule of so-called efficiency which Mr. Kierans applies to the post office was applied to other government organizations the rural and newly urbanized areas of this country would not receive the services of C.B.C. Radio and Television. While the mail is certainly an older form of communication it remains an essential one. And surely greater, not less communication between the various regions is basic to the unity of Canada.

"Again, in the interest of efficiency, Mr. Kierans increased the postal rates for second-class mail. Newspapers across Canada and the publications of non-profit organizations and clubs have been forced to raise their prices or cease publication. The result has been to give an advantage to American publications of this nature. Surely, the Canadian government should be encouraging, not discouraging publications of Canadian thought and opinion.

"Mr. Kierans has not brought efficiency to the Post Office, he has succeeded only in lowering the standard of postal service — we're paying higher prices for less service. This is unacceptable to me and it is unacceptable to most Canadians.

"An yet, Mr. Kierans bulls ahead. He deals with his workers in the same way. There is no need to document his inability to deal reasonably and fairly with his own postal workers.

"His high handed methods have brought a low morale to the Post Office. His administrations has been marked by almost constant labour disputes and disruptions of mail service. The present situation in Montreal is a good example. Even the Prime Minister and half the Cabinet, it seems have lost confidence in the Postmaster General — they had to pull Mr. Kierans out of the fire and send in Mr. Goldenberg.

"The Postmaster General has lost the confidence of his own postal workers, of his own government, and the people of Canada.

"Surely, this highly unsuccessful Minister should resign."

A test of strength

Guest Editorial by Journal of Commerce

FOR BRITISH Columbia's construction industry, last week's lockout of seven union represents far more than a mere dollars-and-cents dispute.

Rather, the issue at stake is the free enterprise birthright of the construction industry to exercise some control over its own affairs, including the right to band together in a single bargaining agency, just as union members do.

The issue is thus the very survival of the Construction Labor Relations Association of B.C., and the principles of employer accreditation and management solidarity that it exemplifies.

As such, the outcome of B.C.'s labor situation will once again set the lead for other provinces of Western Canada.

Western labor leaders freely admit that they are gunning for CLR in this, its first test year, in the hope of burying it and all it stands for once and for all.

This attitude has been mirrored in some of the extraordinary wage demands put to CLR — ranging up to 105 per cent over two years. Such an increase is beyond even the most imaginative bounds of bargaining in good faith.

CLR thus had the choice of continuing with this mockery, and inevitably meeting a series of strikes one after another, or taking the advantage and closing down the industry as a whole. From a tactical point of view, its lock-out decision was the right one.

Now, however, comes the real test of management solidarity. The lock-out, of course, means financial loss for every construction company and allied services, including ourselves.

And, for contractors with short-term finance commitments, any prolonged lock-out could mean bankruptcy. When and if this threatens, the immediate financial loss they face will seem more important to them than the long-term implications of acceding to union demands.

Already, the unions have questioned whether the lockout is being respected 100 per cent. Although it took effect from 8 a.m. Tuesday, a number of construction sites were still active most of last week, even though gradually slowing.

Union officials interpreted this as a crack in the united front of management. But more realistically, it is probably no more than the cleaning up of loose ends before a total shutdown.

Even so, the lockout situation is a delicate one. It will throw 40,000 people out of work, indirectly threatening the livelihood of perhaps 100,000 more. And, it comes at a time when work volume in B.C. construction is already down more than 50 per cent for the first quarter.

Both from the point of view of the individual company, and the provincial economy as a whole, the lockout is a matter of balancing short and long-term considerations.

CLR, in effect, is walking a tight-rope where a slip either way could be dangerous.

If it is to reach the other side without stumbling, it needs the support of the entire construction industry. It needs recognition from government and the public that the fight against inflation is never easy, but has to start somewhere. And, it needs to be able to resist any pressures that may try to push it off balance.

Readers' Right

Truth distorted

Editor, The Times,

Sir: Somewhat belatedly, I would like to thank you for your editorial of the 1st April which so admirably presents the truth about seal hunting — a truth that is so distorted by government mispresentation that few have the courage (or interest) to pursue it.

As you point out, the government's arguments to justify their allowing the continuation of seal slaughtering — such as the need to keep the herd to a limited size (which nature necessarily achieves quite unaided by man) and the necessity to provide work for unemployables — are quite ludicrous, inadequate and warped. These excuses are dismal shordus for avarice, cruelty and continued ignorance.

Man has now evolved to a position where he should put pride aside and allow his fellow creatures the opportunity for peaceful co-existence. Our unjustifiable superiority, which demands a constant slaughter of animal species to satiate human vanity must be eliminated or we will discover ourselves in a very barren world indeed.

Thank you for your well-spoken contribution to conservation.

(Miss) J. WERTS

Supporting voice

Editor, The Times,

Sir: May I add my voice to those supporting our School Board in its presentation to the voters of Referendum No. 10.

It has been clearly explained that only emergency measures are allowed at this time by the Department of Education.

The Board has diligently applied its efforts to the (our) problem, and the bare essential of housing proposed in the Referendum should make clear to all voters that any criticism on grounds of "frills" is not valid. I trust that realization that this IS an emergency will cause voters to give priority to the matter, and that they will affirm their belief in our young and those dedicated to serving them.

E. H. BURRITT

Appreciation

Editor, The Times,

Sir: May we through your media express our sincere appreciation and thanks to the many people who, despite bad weather, took time to visit our new business "Coastal Tires" Saturday April 18. We enjoyed serving you.

KEN AND SHAREN GURNEY

Disenchanted

Editor, The Times,

Sir: On the weekend past-April 10, 11, 12, I had the enjoyment of visiting your part of this beautiful province. The scenery in Port Mellon, Gibsons, and Sechelt area is very breath taking to me as I have never seen such beauty in nature. Being from back East I can only say that I should have come out to B.C. a lot sooner. There is only one regret I have about this visit to your area. This is the attitude of your Merchants in particular, that of one Service Station in Gibsons.

On Saturday I was enjoying the country side roads and exploring every aspect of your country. I found a lot of beautiful things to show my brothers who are moving to B.C. in May. Near night fall approx. 6:45 p.m., I came upon a man stuck in the mud on a side road with a pickup full of shakes. I stopped and offered assistance, but was told that all he had was a small jack, that came with the truck. I told him that I would return with a bigger one. I left and went to a friends for a larger jack. Enroute I found I was low on gas so I went to look for a station. I pulled in and opened my tank, put the gas pump nozzle into my car and nothing happened. The operator came to the door of the station and told me he was closed. I explained to him that I only wanted $2.00 worth, as I could not afford a full tank, so that I could go and get a fellow out of the bush as he was stuck. He told me that he would turn on the pumps for a full tank, but not for less than that. Due to the fact that I had bought gas at his service station that morning while driving a friend to St. Mary's Hospital, I believe that he has a very ugly attitude toward the public, due to the fact that all he had to do was turn on an electric switch. I may be from the big city, but I have a small town attitude which, I believe, is people helping others when they need it. My door is never closed to anyone in need and never will be. Also I keep my word to the best of my ability. So I went and got my friend with a broken toe to take me out to where this man had gotten stuck and he had also left.

I'm very glad he got out, but he could have had the common courtesy to say thank-you. As for your Gas Dealer, well he'll hear more as a copy of this is going to Head Office. I'm told you won't print this due to the fact that I don't live in your area. Well I believe in freedom of speech, press and criticism as long as it helps the Community as a whole. I hope this doesn't reflect the views of the General Public in your area as I'd feel sorry for you and any visitor who visits the BEAUTIFUL SUNSHINE COAST.

(Mr.) W. J. POTTER

Government lags

Editor, The Times,

Sir: I would like to bring to the attention of your readers the campaign launched by a Victoria housewife to liberalize the abortion laws of Canada. Mrs. Elizabeth Murrison provoked an immediate public response when she protested, through the newspaper, the injustice of the still narrowly restrictive legislation. The issue was quickly taken up and brought before the public through the media of hot line radio programs, TV, the press, and a public forum. Support was overwhelming; petitions have been circulating throughout the city, and a letter writing campaign is underway. Public response, from men and women of all economic and social levels, has been so favorable as to suggest that the government is lagging far behind public opinion in its policy on this issue.

Since this is a matter of Federal law, we are seeking support from all across the country, to make our feelings known to Parliament. If you feel, as we do, that women should not have to bear babies which they do not want or cannot provide for — if you believe children should not be brought into an over populated world to suffer neglect and emotional deprivation — if you think our largely male Parliament has no business legislating a punitive "morality", of which women are frequently the scapegoats and innocent babies the victims — then we invite you to join us in our efforts. Any person or group interested in participating in a similar campaign in your community has only to get the issue before the public and channel the protest against our present Criminal Code to your Members of Parliament. Our campaign was launched by just one woman who had the courage to protest. In politics, especially, there is power in numbers. We must make use of our power to persuade our representative government to represent our wishes.

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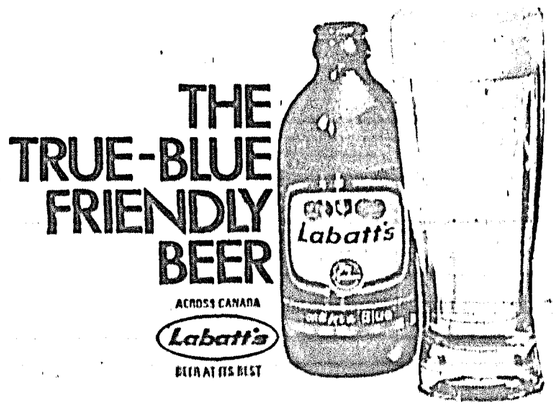

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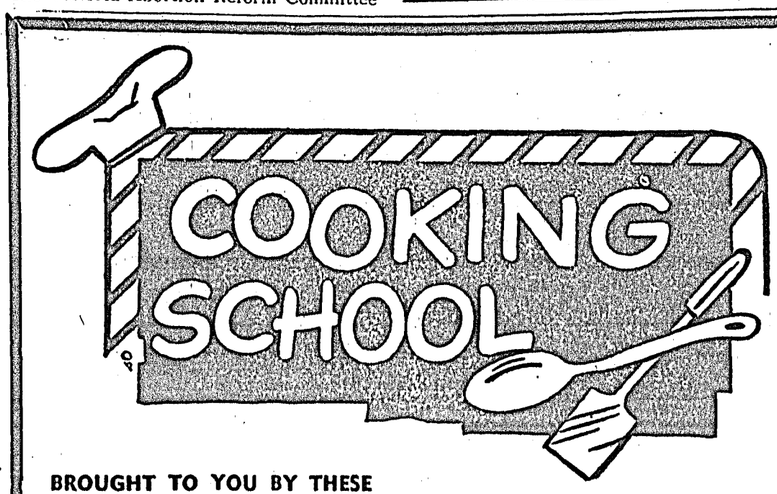

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Here is a recipe for Coutnry Style Bread—prepared by the traditional Water-Dissolved Method—which will recall for you all that old-fashioned goodness we associate with treasured recipes from the past. It makes 8 to 10 loaves, so why not freeze some for later use?

COUNTRY STYLE BREAD (makes 8 to 10 loaves)

1 cup lukewarm water
1 tablespoon sugar
2 packages (2 tablespoons) Fleischmann's Rapidmix or Fleischmann's Fast Rising Active Dry Yeast
9 cups water
3 tablespoons Blue Bonnet Margarine
5 tablespoons sugar
7 pounds all-purpose flour (about 24½ cups)
4 tablespoons salt

Measure 1 cup lukewarm water into a large bowl. Stir in 1 tablespoon sugar and contents of 2 packages or 2 tablespoons Fleischman's Active Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 minutes, then stir well.

Meantime, combine 9 cups water and Blue Bonnet Margarine in a saucepan. Heat over low heat until liquid is lukewarm and margarine melts. Stir in 5 tablespoons sugar. Combine lukewarm water mixture and yeast mixture; stir. Add 6 cups of flour; beat until smooth. Stir in additional 9 cups of flour and salt blended together. Stir in enough of the remaining flour to make a soft dough. Place in greased bowls, turning to grease top. Cover; let rise in warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, about 1½ hours.

Punch dough down; divide into loaf size portions. Then knead each portion well. Shape each piece into a round ball. Cover; let rise in warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, about 1 hour. Knead genty again and shape into loaves. Place in greased 9x5x3 inch loaf pans. Cover; let rise in warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, about 1 hour. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) about 25 to 30 minutes, or until done. Remove from pans and cool on wire racks.

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It takes a lot to keep these young bowlers away from their Saturday afternoon game at Sechelt Bowling Alley as proved by their perfect attentance record which won them recognition at the recent Junior Bowling party. Ready to tuck into the five-pin celebration cake held by Mrs. Eve Moscrip, who is very proud of her junior bowlers are from left: Tom Creighton; Wilf Nestman; Mark Middlemiss and Dale Benner.

Pender High-Lights

—by April Walker and Wendy Clayton

THE SENIOR boys construction class has now taken on a new project. This project is to construct a garage for Mr. Mercer of Stone's Marina. The boys will start from nothing and the results will show what the boys have learned.

On May 1, a variety night sponsored by the P.T.A. is being held in the school gymnasium. Some of the events put on by the schools are: a Fashion show by the Grade 8 and 10 girls, and the choir and junior band from Madeira Park Elementary School. There will be other events which should interest the audience. Everyone welcome.

The last regular school day for students this year is June 12. On June 15-17, students will return to school to write final exams. Marks needed for recommendation are: Grade 8, 9, and 10, C plus; Grade 11 and 12 need a C. The last official day of school is June 25.

The Annual Club has now come to the end of the annual. The last 10 pages are being done and they hope to have it finished by April 30. The real copies will be given to students who have purchased one. A great deal of work has gone into making these annuals and for five people who are in the Annual Club it has been really tough. Some of the many jobs of producing an annual are: taking pictures and having them developed on time; getting sponsors; lying out pictures and papers for final copy and the actual selling of the annuals.

INTERVIEW

Our last graduating girl is Heather West. Heather is a member of the Dance Club and also a member of the Grad. Club. Heather's future is undecided.

SPORTS

This week we are turning the spotlight on the junior girl's basketball team. This team consists of sixteen members with the captain Joanne Kingston. Ten of these members are from grade eight. Although it was their first year of playing they have learned a lot in building their basketball skills. The players, at first, have to get used to playing in front of a crowd, not mentioning, trying to defeat the opponent. They have learned better conrol of the ball which includes passing dribbling and retaining possession of it.

The other six players are from grade nine, therefore they have that much more experience. Out of ten games, our junior girls have won six and tied one with Squamish. Their hard work in practices showed off in these games. Some of their opponents were: Squamish, J. N. Burnett, Vananda, Brooks, Elphinstone, and Pemberton. We hope to have the same enthusiasm next year for the junior girls team.

Next year, as new problems have arisen due to a considerable reduction in our travelling funds, the teams will have more responsibilities in raising money than they did this year.

We will have more on sports next week.

Local students shine during Music Festival

STUDENTS of Mrs. G. L. Brooks who competed in the Kiwanis Music Festival held earlier this month came out with flying colours.

In the singing, Under 8 Class, Ginger Cunningham came fourth in a class of 14 She received a mark of 82, 6 points below the highest mark awarded. Singing in the under 16 class, Deirdre Murphy, in a class of 12, received 83 marks, the highest mark awarded being 88.

John Branca, playing a Bach chorale in the Accordian Under 12 class, came second with a mark of 78. Sharon McKay came second, playing Bach music in the Accordeon Under 10 Class. She received a mark of 80. Lhevinne Talento received 80 marks in the Pianoforte Under 8 Class.

Steve Laakso of Secret Cove has received a chequqe for $5 and a letter of congratulation from the British Columbia Music Teachers' Association for a music poster which he entered in their recent contest. His poster was placed third in the B.C. section of the Canada Music Week Poster Competition, Grades 7-9 and will be forwarded to the Canadian Federation of Music Teachers' Associations Inc. where it will be incuded in the Canadian-wide contest.

Suspense and drama for Sechelt theatre

ENGROSSING drama which explores questions by the Supreme Court decision protecting the constitutional rights of suspected criminals, "Pendulum," starring Geoge Peppard is the feature this week at Schelt Theatre on the waterfront.

Police Captain Frank Matthews (George Peppard) responsible for the apprehension and conviction of a rapist-murderer, is outraged when the courts reverse the conviction on the grounds that the confession was obtained under duress. Although there is no doubt in the minds of all connected with the case that the convicted man is guilty, this dangerous psychotic is let loose on society. Now the pendulum swings the other way, and the Captain becomes number one suspect in the murder of his faithless wife and her lover.

Excellent characterizations add tension and depth, and build ever-mounting excitement.

"Miles for Millions" aids underprivileged

A LENTEN talk on underprivileged children in Peru, Biafra, and other countries, sparked the "Miles for Millions" walk from Sechelt to Roberts Creek.

Backing the children in their endeavor were members of the C.W.L. council of Holy Family Church, Mr. R. Clayton, Mr. Gilmour merchants of Sechelt and Mr. F. Parker, and others who wish to remain annonymous. Our thanks to these people, is the wish of the children.

Taking part in the walk were Bonnie Petula, Slade Watson, Greg. Petula, Greg. Korgen, Tony Petula followed by his three-year-old sister Lori-Ann, who walked three quarters of a mile.

Pictures were taken along the route, ending at the Roberts Creek store for treats, well earned.

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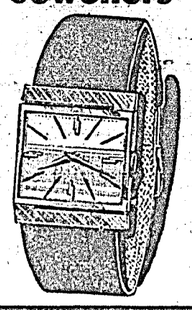

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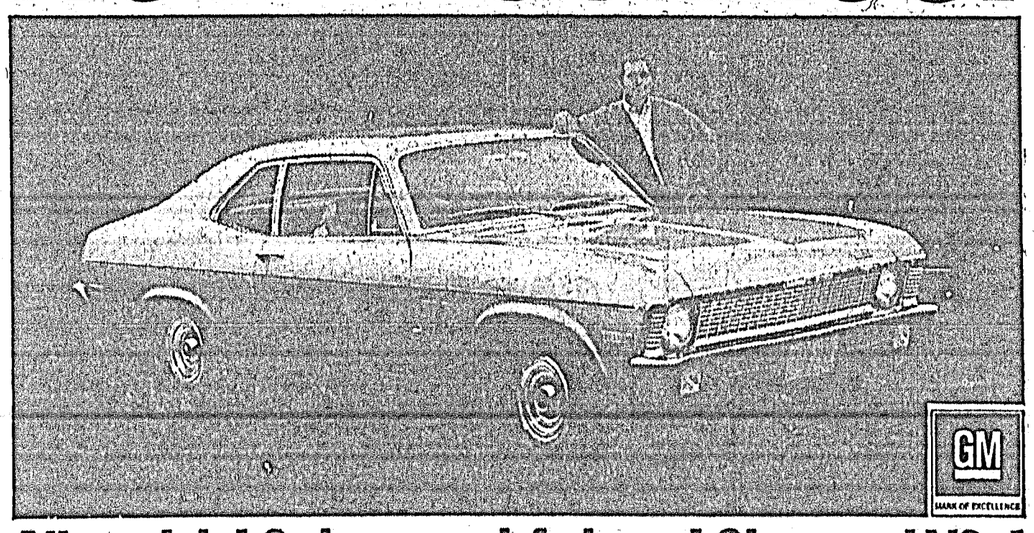

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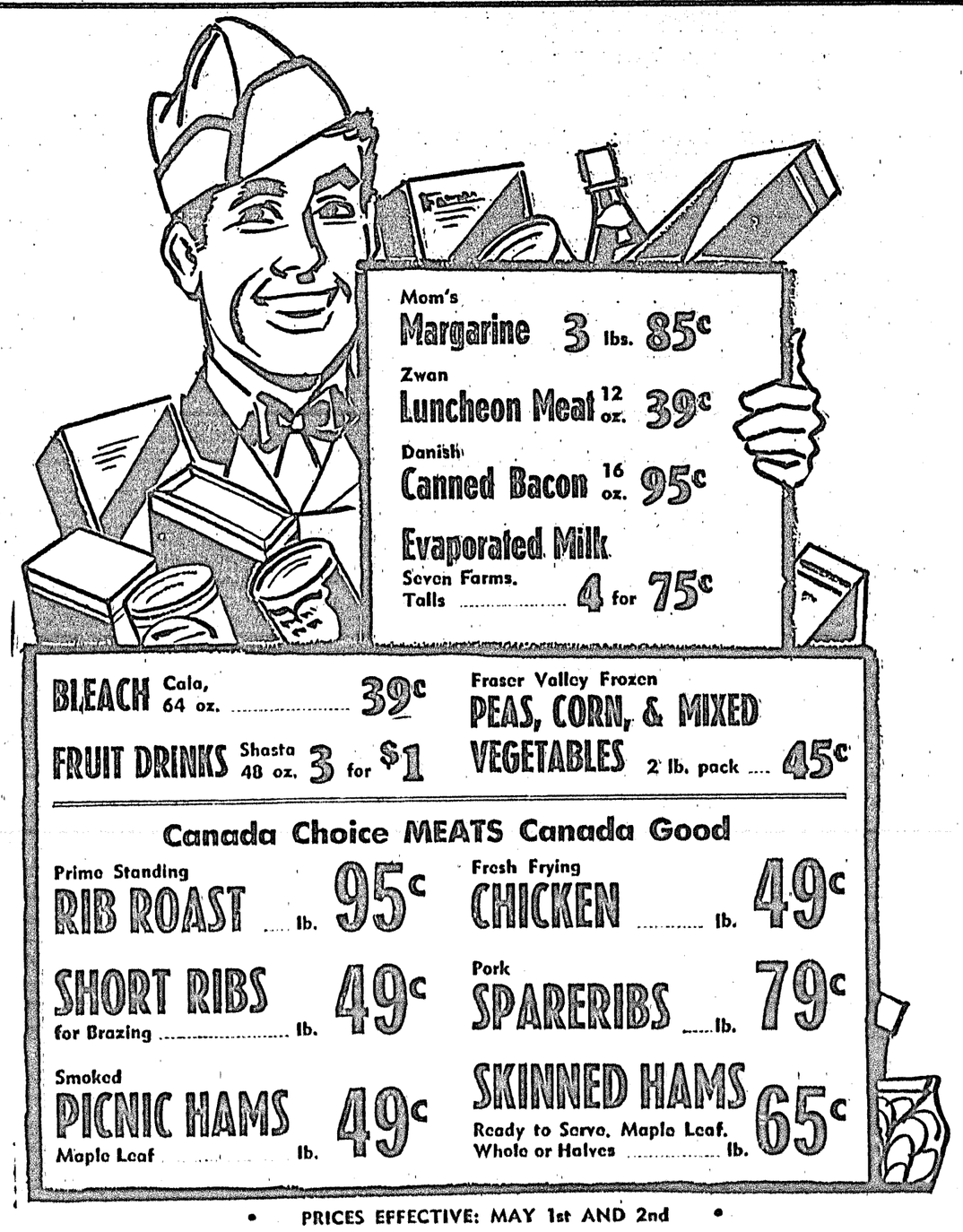

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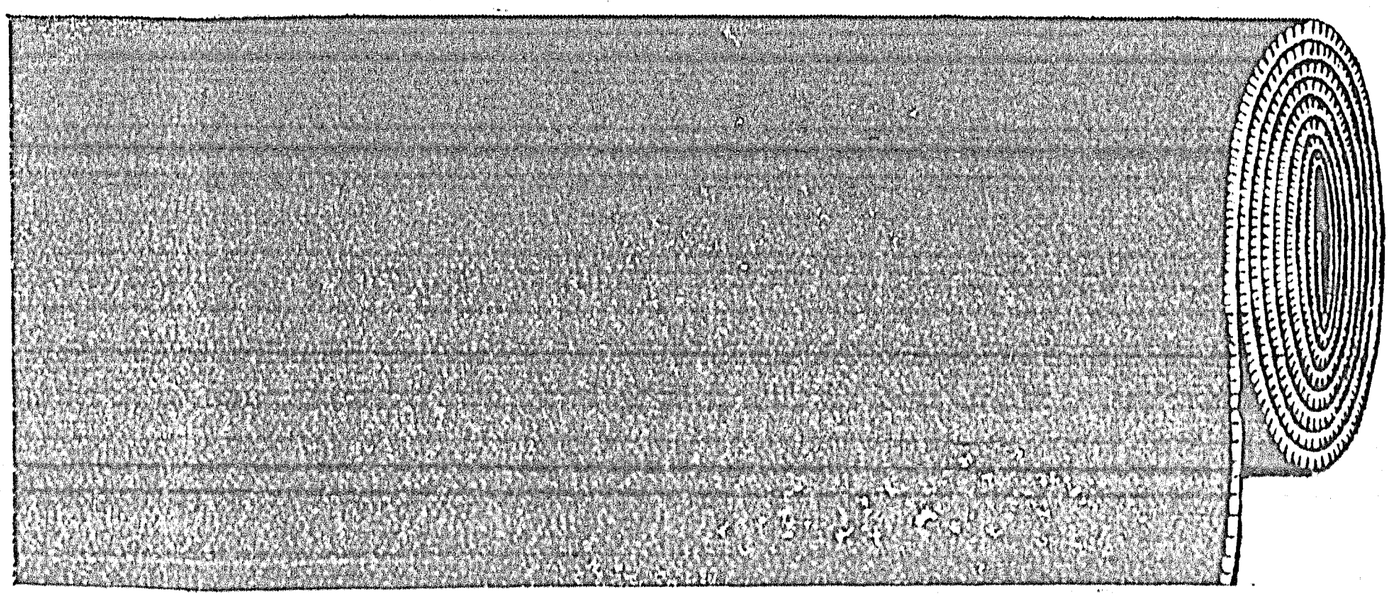
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