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Thursday, October 17th, 1963  
 facts, fables and foibles  
 School bus drivers  
 H. Carlin, G. Shove,  
 F. Morris and J. Smith

were highly commended by the Board of School Trustees for their careful and conscientious execution of their duties and the concern they show for their passengers. Most of the drivers have been on the job for over 10 years and are constantly aware of the hazards connected with operation of a school bus. The board is endeavouring to work with the Dept. of Highways to get all routes in a safe condition for the buses . . . and the old days of chewing tobacco in the ink wells was brought to mind during a discussion of smoking in classrooms at night school. To keep danger of fire at a minimum, smoking will be permitted only in corridors.

Thanksgiving Friday was a busy one. Passengers for the "Salt Spring Queen" lined up at Tsawwassen at 4 p.m. for the 7:30 sailing, finally arrived at Long Harbour about 2 p.m. The "Queen" made two trips to the other Islands, returning to Tsawwassen for a final run to Salt Spring after midnight. Many of the Island visitors were re-routed via Swartz Bay and Fulford. These fortunate ones arrived at Fulford before 1 a.m. It was reported that foot passengers who boarded the "Queen of the Islands" for Long Harbour got a real bargain- they rode the ferry for almost 7 hours.

Mr. F.H.A. Collins who is visiting Montreal for the first time in five years says he isn't coming back until he gets homesick. He notes that Montreal has changed for the better since he was there last.

Visitors at the United Church for Thanksgiving Sunday were Premier & Mrs. W. C. Bennett.

October 18, 1962 was the first issue of DRIFTWOOD printed on the 'offset' method. Woody and Marshal Sharp had spent a busy weekend getting pictures of the damage left by 'Freida' to print in that issue.

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## SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETINGS

Annual meetings in the

various districts of School District # 64 (Gulf Islands) will be scheduled during the last week of October and the first week in November.

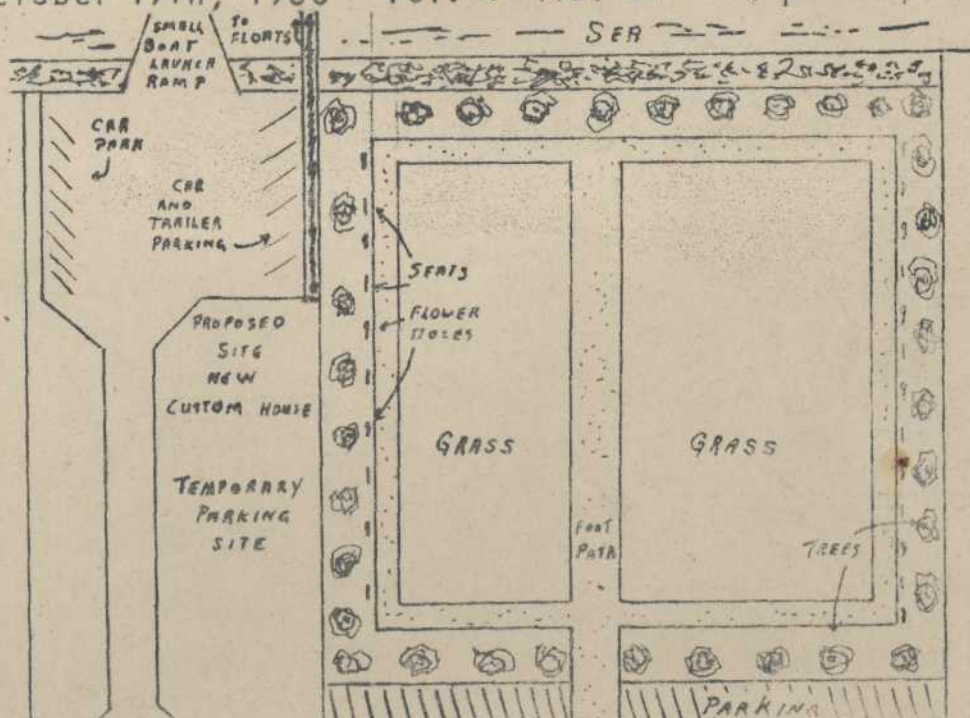
Details of dates and times of the meetings are:

Fulford-October 28th-8 PM.  
 Fulford Hall- October 29th.  
 Pender, 4: P.M. Pender School,  
 Saturna 8:00 P.M. Saturna Community Hall.  
 October 30th-Galiano-4:P.M.-Galiano School-Mayne  
 8P.M.-Mayne Island School.  
 November 4th-Ganges-8:P.M. - Mahon Hall.

Five trustees are to be elected this year, each for a two year term. Trustees G. Heinekey, T. L. Jansch, of Salt Spring Island complete their terms of office and R. M. Patterson, elected last year to complete the unexpired portion of A. D. Dane's term of office, will also complete the term

Trustees will be elected at Saturna and Mayne Islands, where J.M. Campbell and W. H. Morson respectively are present trustees for these Islands.

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## SUGGESTED LAYOUT FOR NEW PARK AT GANGES.

Charles Moat - Chairman of Special Projects, Chamber of Commerce.

At present, the land between the new boat basin and the road at Ganges belongs to the Federal Government. However your local Chamber of Commerce is very conscious of the advantages of having this area developed as a park with some space for automobile parking, and additional space left for a customs house, to be built at a future date. It is hoped that the Provincial Government will have this area turned over to them, and that they in turn will work along with your local chamber in its development.

If we have any say in this project a suggested layout for such a park is submitted in the above, and suggestions and ideas are requested for the best use to the benefit of all residents. Since it is almost certain that the cost of such a project will have to be born by the local people, and most of the work and maintenance done by them, we have to curtail our thinking to the simplest plan.

The local Lions Club has shown some interest in this park development, and we hope that this interest will develop and that they will make it one of their major projects, as it could not be in better hands than this very public spirited group, and it will take such a group as this to bring this project into fruition.

If the Lions Club should take this project under their wing they can be assured of the fullest cooperation from the Chamber of Commerce and all the residents of this Island.

A parksuch as this will do much to improve the village of Ganges, and generally increase its attractiveness.

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## POLIO ORAL VACCINE TO BE MADE AVAILABLE

It was reported at the School Board meeting October 10 that the Victoria Metropolitan Board of Health will be offering a series of Sabin oral vaccine for polio immunization.

The vaccine will be available to everyone, and will be in a series of two doses. For those who formerly had Salk vaccine immunization, it will act as a booster.

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## COMING AND GOING

by Elsie Worthington.  
Mr. & Mrs. Harold Price, Bed-  
dis Rd., spent several days  
visiting friends up Island.

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Dr. & Mrs. T. L. Jansch, Ganges;  
Mr. & Mrs. Robt. Patterson, Ful-  
ford Harbour, and Mr. George  
Heinekey, Vesuvius Bay, were  
in Vancouver last week for  
B.C. School Trustees annual  
convention, held Oct. 7-9.

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Mrs. C. D. Devine, Ganges, ac-  
companied by her son-in-law  
and daughter, Mr. & Mrs. Mich-  
ael Giegerich, Vancouver,  
spent an enjoyable vacation  
in the B.C. Interior. The party  
included Barkerville in their  
Itinerary, and found the restor-  
ed historic site most interest-  
ing... Mrs. E. Middleton, and  
her son, Mr. Derek Warner,  
Victoria, were guests of Mrs.  
Devine at the holiday week  
end.

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Capt. and Mrs. V. C. Best,  
The Alders, Ganges, enjoyed  
a visit from several members  
of their family at Thanks-  
giving. Here from Vancouver  
for the week end were Mr. &  
Mrs. Alan Best, with son  
Robin and Stephen, also Dr.  
Raymond Best and his three  
boys, Robert, Peter and Alan.

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Misses Jennifer and Susan  
Graham, Vancouver, spent  
the holiday week end with  
their parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. H.  
Bradley, Scott Point Marina.  
The young ladies were accom-  
panied by their friend, Miss  
Patricia Young, also of Van-  
couver.

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Miss Elizabeth Beech came  
from Victoria to spend Thanks-  
giving with her parents, Mr.  
& Mrs. Cyril Beech, Ganges.

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Mr. Terry Newman, Vancouver,  
was a holiday week end guest  
of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. E. H.  
Newman, Sharpe Rd.

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Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. J.  
W. Baker, Robinson Rd., in-  
cluded her daughter, Miss  
Linda Baker, and nephew,  
Mr. Keith Baker with Mrs.  
Baker and family, all of Vic-  
toria, and her brother, Dr. J.  
Neil Fletcher, Courtenay,  
B.C.

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Mr. & Mrs. B. Earle Hardie  
have returned to their Southey  
Point home after a month's  
vacation spent visiting rela-  
tives and friends on the prair-  
ies and in the Interior of B.C.

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Mr. Trevor Nash, Vancouver,  
with son Pat, and daughter  
Linda, spent Thanksgiving  
week end with Mr. & Mrs.  
Walter Stone, Scott Road.

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Mrs. George Laundry, Fulford  
Harbour, accompanied by her  
daughter, Miss Irene Laundry,  
Victoria, spent several days  
with her son and daughter-  
in-law, Mr. & Mrs. George  
Laundry, Cranbrook, B.C.

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Miss Dorothy McClean and  
Mrs. Dale Leech, Calgary,  
were week-end guests of  
Kathleen and Bob Watson at  
their St. Mary Lake Home.

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Mr. N. A. Howland, North  
End Road, has returned home  
after a prolonged stay in  
hospital in Victoria, he wishes  
to thank friends and neighbours  
for kind messages sent during  
his illness.

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## SCUBA CLUB NEWS

SSI Fathom Phantoms

member Steve La Fortune re-  
cently caught a 41-lb ling  
cod at Vesuvius Bay. Shortly  
after making his catch Steve  
spotted a 300-lb anchor be-  
lieved to have been part of  
a pile driver used in con-  
struction of Vesuvius Bay  
wharf several years ago. The  
anchor was brought to the  
surface with the help of two  
club members, Don Irwin and  
Ian Foubister. The trio worked  
from the "Scott Isle", owned  
by another club member,  
Harry Extell.

## LODE MARATHON BRIDGE

Bridge games will com-  
mence during the coming  
week of Oct. 21, it was  
announced by conveners Mrs.  
Ed. Richardson and Mrs.  
Earle Hardie. Anyone wish-  
ing to enter please phone  
143-G or 200-Q. Players  
already listed will be noti-  
fied as to time and place of  
games.

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## HATS FOR HERSELF

Friday at 3:30 p.m. sees  
the beginning of a course of  
20 lessons in Millinery. The  
course will be offered by the  
Night School under the  
auspices of the School  
District No. 64.

The course is being held  
in the afternoon to give those  
people who find it difficult  
to get out in the evening a  
chance to take part.

The course will  
include ways to cover hat  
forms, alter old hats, blocking  
and decorating hats.

According to Mrs. C.  
Wrightson, the very capable  
instructor, millinery has be-  
come almost a dead art in  
recent years. She says, "in-  
dividual help will be given  
to students. What they make  
will depend on their own  
individual taste and artistic  
ability". Mrs. Wrightson  
served her apprenticeship in  
her mother's shop at Dids-  
bury, Alberta.

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According to Dr. Ted  
Jansch, the new vaccine has  
been thoroughly tested over  
several years and has proved  
completely successful.

According to some medical  
authorities, if everyone took  
the Sabin Vaccine, polio could  
be wiped out once and for  
all.

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# SALTSPRING ISLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

A committee representing the various women's organizations of Saltspring Island organized a public library, and on November 24th, 1959 it was opened with 1300 books and seven dollars in the bank. The following February, the Library was granted a charter from the Public Library Commission of B.C., and since that date has received a grant of \$ 300. a year. It also received a gift of \$1,103.29 from the Centennial Committee; apart from these gifts no support has been received from any organized group or from the business firms of the Island.

The Library now has over 5000 books, and has circulated over 30,000 books. Valuable gifts of books from England, Ontario, Manitoba, Alberta and many parts of B.C. show the interest taken in this Library.

After many months of trying to find a suitable building for the rapidly growing library, finally a conveniently located building was found, price \$ 2,300. At that time the Library had \$1,500 in its Building fund, and permission was received from the Library Commission to purchase the building. Generous unsolicited gifts enabled the Library Committee to pay the full price for the building, and there is now over \$500 in the bank and no outstanding debts. A further sum of \$3,500 would provide for the heating, insulation plumbing and all necessary finishing for an at-

tractive Library building 20 feet by 47.

Gifts to the Building Fund are tax deductible, and the Library Committee is now appealing to all the firms doing business on the Island for financial support.

Cheques may be sent to the Saltspring Island Public Library Association or to any other member of the Library Board or to Mr. W.M. Mouat Chairman of the Building Fund.

## PARK EXPERT SPEAKS TO 'MUM CLUB

W. H. Warren, Victoria City Park Administrator, delighted an audience numbering about fifty, at S.S.I. Chrysanthemum Society Meeting, Oct. 9, with an illustrated account of a visit to parks and gardens of Great Britain, France and Holland. Dr. R.W. Bradley chaired the meeting held in Ganges

United Church Hall.

Included in a number of pictures of special interest shown by Mr. Warren were those of a rose bush, now growing in a Dublin Park, the bloom of which inspired Sir Thomas More's famous poem, "The Last Rose of Summer"; large attractive containers filled with blooming plants which adorn continental European city streets, and knot gardens, popular in England and Europe, a replica of which Mr. Warren hopes to create in Victoria's City Square.

The speaker was introduced by Mr. P.G. (Jack) James, who praised Mr. Warren's successful work in making Beacon Hill Park an internationally - known beauty spot. A discussion period followed the address, after which refreshments were served.

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We cannot tell some people what it is we believe, partly because they are too stupid to understand, partly because we are too proudly vague to explain.

Robert Frost.

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## EDITORIAL

Two appeals for funds appear this week in DRIFTWOOD. Both are for worthy endeavours - one national, one local.

The local appeal comes from the Salt Spring Island Library. The Library Board now have a building to house their books but it requires some renovation and additions.

A Library is an invaluable part of any community. A growing library such as ours, needs room for expansion. The Library Board are looking to the future with their new building. In four years they have added 3700 books to the library and have averaged a circulation of 7500 books each year. It would appear by these figures that Islanders are using and enjoying their Library.

November 24th is the anniversary of the opening of the Library. With the support of all concerned, the fourth anniversary can be a time of celebration - Let's assist the Board in their project to offer improved library facilities to the citizens of this Island.

The national appeal comes from C.N.I.B. The Canadian National Institute for the Blind has staged a tag day on the Island for many years past.

The local chapter of the I.O.D.E. sponsors the tag day here, assisted by L.A. to the Royal Canadian Legion. Last year the ladies collected a record \$259.69 on their Saturday tag day. This year they will again be busy on Saturday next. C.N.I.B. needs your contribution to carry on their work in rehabilitation of blind people.

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On our front page this week, we show a much reduced sketch of Mr. Charles Moat's drawing of a suggested plan for a park in the boat basin fill area. If you want to see the original drawing it will be on display in the window of DRIFTWOOD.

The Special Projects Committee of the Chamber of Commerce invites comment on their suggested plan. Now is the time for comment.

The plan has purposely been kept simple in order to keep maintenance costs low. And yet, simplicity may lend itself to further expansion and development if and when funds become available.

At any rate, here is a projected plan to retain one of our Island's most valuable attributes - a beautiful landscape. It can only be achieved if the citizens of Salt Spring Island are in favour - if they will give their whole-hearted support to the efforts of those willing to work for a park - and if they are willing to contribute to maintaining what is fast becoming a rare thing in B.C. - a beauty spot in the midst of a town.

The Salt Spring Island Lion's Club has declared itself a strong supporter of the idea. They have their chairman of the Civic Improvement Committee, Slim Thorburn, hard at work to find out just what the Lions will be able to do. President Harold Hoffman visualizes a typical service club park with an area for children's playground and a quiet recreation area for the older folk.

With the local Chamber of Commerce and the Lions Club both working at establishing a Park, our community is very fortunate. We feel optimistic that it will become a reality within a few years at most.

## CONTRIBUTORS COLUMN

The rain the dawn the trees the sun  
The clouds the sea the mountains blue  
The leaf that falls on autumns breeze  
I long for the careless freedom of my youth  
Unbound by all the care that leaves wrinkle on the brow  
And yet as the oak tree weathers on the hill  
I know that, time must, take it's toll  
To leave a tired heart & greying hair  
The hand that winse the bread,  
Is weary of the towering task that lies before  
But greet the new day knowing full well  
That without this care the day is not so clear  
And being a man is not so fine.



### WHAT'S COOKING ON SALT SPRING?

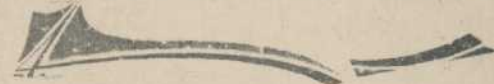
by Elsie Worthington

The following recipe makes a light but satisfying dessert for two or three people:

**MARMALADE PUDDING:** Cream together 2 tbs. butter or margarine and 2 tbs. sugar add 2 beaten eggs and blend. Break a slice of bread (minus crust) into tiny pieces and chop with mixing spoon into the egg mixture. Stir in 2 tbs. flour, 2 teas. baking powder and a pinch of salt, sifted together. If desired, add a pinch of your favourite spice or 1/4 teas. flavouring. Warm 2 tbs. marmalade (or golden syrup) in the top of a double saucepan over boiling water; pour in batter, cover with lid and steam for 1 1/2 hours.

This is one of my favourite puddings, either hot or cold, and is easy to make - a boon on busy days! If quantity is increased, use a fairly wide-bottom pan over boiling water, to keep thickness of layer of marmalade in proportion to that of the batter.

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### WORDS OF INSPIRATION:

"The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms." Deut. 33:27.

"The everlasting Arms." I think of that whenever rest is sweet. How the whole earth and the strength of it is beneath every tired creature to give it rest; holding us always! No thought of God is closer than that. No human tenderness or patience is greater than that which gathers in its arms a little child, and holds it, heedless of weariness. God fills the great earth, and all upon it, with this unseen force of His love, so that everywhere we may lie down in His bosom, and be comforted.

A. D. T. Whitney.

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### CHURCHES

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20th, 1963

**ANGLICAN** - St. Mark's: 11:00 a.m., Holy Communion;

St. George's: 8:30 a.m., Holy Communion, 7:30 p.m.

Evensong; St. Mary's: 2:30 p.m., Evensong.

**UNITED** - Ganges, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

**ROMAN CATHOLIC** - Our Lady of Grace: Holy Mass,

10:45 a.m.; St. Paul's (Fulford Harbour) - 9:00 a.m.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE** - Mahon Hall, 11:00 a.m.

**FULL GOSPEL CHAPEL** - Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

**JEHOVAH WITNESSES** - Mahon Hall, 2:00 p.m.



### CAN YOU READ THIS?

"After 21 years of mining, Fred Forbes had to start all over again - an underground accident nearly killed him. He recovered but came out blind and crippled." "The accident swept away his sight, his place at the head of his family, his ability to read and the curling and fishing he loved so much," said Mr. W. Tymchuk, CNIB Field Representative for this district.

Yet today, six years later, Fred stands behind the counter of a C.N.I.B. canteen located in a well known industry. He manages the business, directs five employees and earns a satisfactory living. He supports his wife and four children and once again curls, and fishes. More dead than alive he survived the sufferings of the first two nights after the accident.

A year of hospital and treatment followed. When he was discharged, besides being blind, Fred had lost his left arm up to his elbow. While still in the hospital he began putting together through sound and touch, the world he could not see. The C.N.I.B. Field Secretary and Home Teacher, also blind, speeded up the road back. He was taught to read by Braille and to tell time by a touch-type watch. He learned to dress himself by touch.

With his new skills and his old brains, Fred decided to go back to work. C.N.I.B. agreed to train him for canteen management even

though the loss of his arm would mean an extra handicap. Fred has been managing his canteen for some years now.

Fred taught himself to curl again pushing out his left stump for balance. For fishing he invented a device for holding the rod on his artificial left arm leaving his right hand free to reel.

"Fred's own courage was the leading force in his rehabilitation," said Mr. Tymchuk, "but along with it went numerous C.N.I.B. services and trained experts who knew how to help Fred face his problems."

The members of the local Branch of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind ask you to "take a share" in the welfare of blind persons in our province. You can do this through your support of the SSI annual tag day for CNIB, Saturday Oct. 19th. Please give generously.

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that class.

Jim was presented with a beautiful trophy for beating all competitors in the Top Eliminator.

Any Islanders interested in drag racing information should contact Jim Loisel at Box 360, Duncan.

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## NOTICES

BINGO-Sponsored by C.W.L. at Catholic Church Hall - Friday October 18 at 8 P.M. 50% proceeds as prizes. Refreshments will be served.

REMEMBER: Bring your beer bottles to Salt Spring Sales Room, McPhillips Ave. (Rex Theatre Bldg.) Free Pick-up on 20 cases or more. Phone 177.

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## NEW RURAL DELIVERY POSTMAN

Mr. John P. Waterfall will take over rural mail delivery on R.R. # 1 and # 2, Ganges, on October 21st.

## COMING EVENTS

THURSDAY-October 17th-Old Age Pensioners-St. George's 2: P.M.

FRIDAY- October 18th, 1963 -Camera Club Meeting-8P.M. St. George's Parish Hall. -Bingo sponsored by C.W.L. at Catholic Church Hall - 8 P.M.

SATURDAY- October 19th-Roller Skating - 8 P.M. Fulford Hall- Wagon Wheels Square dancing-Mahon Hall -9 P.M.

WEDNESDAY-October 23rd-Adult Roller Skating Club- 8 P.M. Fulford Hall - All Adults Welcome.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT # 64 (GULF ISLANDS) ANNUAL MEETINGS

Monday, October 28th, 1963

FULFORD 8:00 P.M.-Fulford Hall

Tuesday, October 29th, 1963.

PENDER 4:00 P.M.-Pender School

SATURNA 8:00 P.M.-Saturna Community Hall.

Wednesday, October 30th, 1963.

GALIANO 4:00P.M.-Galiano School

MAYNE 8:00P.M.-Mayne Is. School

Monday, November 4th, 1963.

GANGES 8:00 P.M.-Mahon Hall

C. N. I. B. TAG DAY-SEPTEMBER 19, 1963

## CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday, Oct. 20, has been set aside as Loymen's Sunday in Anglican Churches throughout Canada. Mr. Harry Sylvester, Victoria, will be the speaker at all services in Salt Spring Island Parish.

On the following Sunday, Oct. 27, a Thanksgiving for Marriage service will be held at St. George's Church at 3 P.M. ALL ARE WELCOME.

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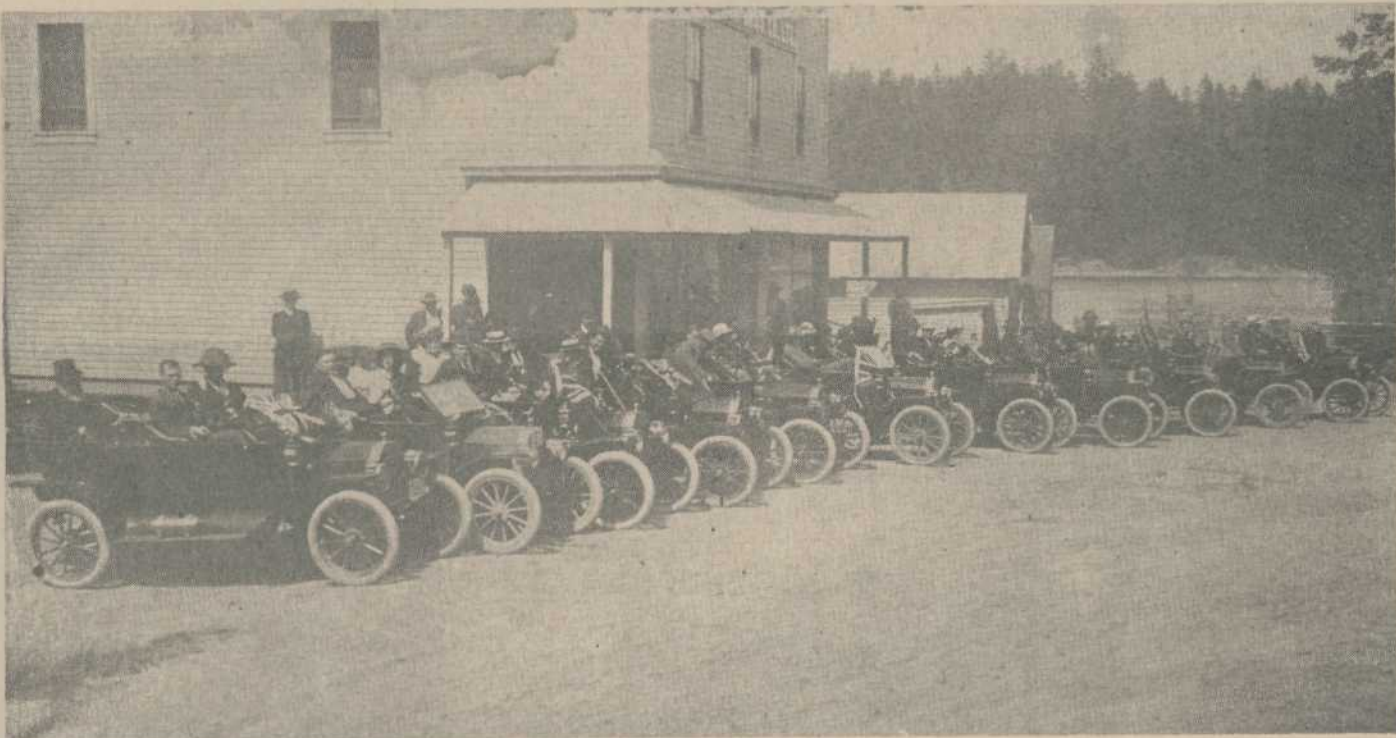


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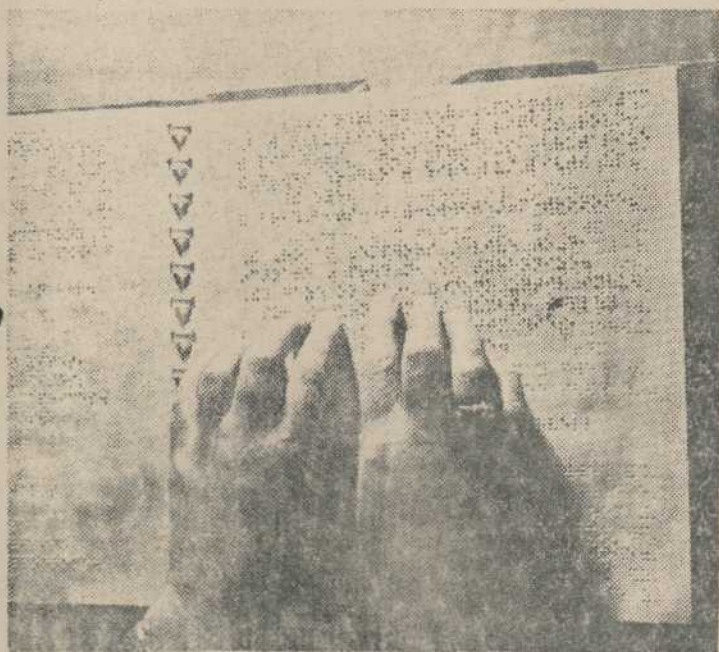
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The Explorers, in charge of Mrs. Gordon Scarff, holds an expedition each Tuesday at school. Part of the time

is spent with the study book "Land of Silence", which deals with the work of a special department for deaf children in a public school. Games and refreshments are enjoyed in Moutat Park as part of the expedition.

An initiation ceremony was held Oct. 8 for new members; also officers were elected for the coming year. Chosen to serve the group

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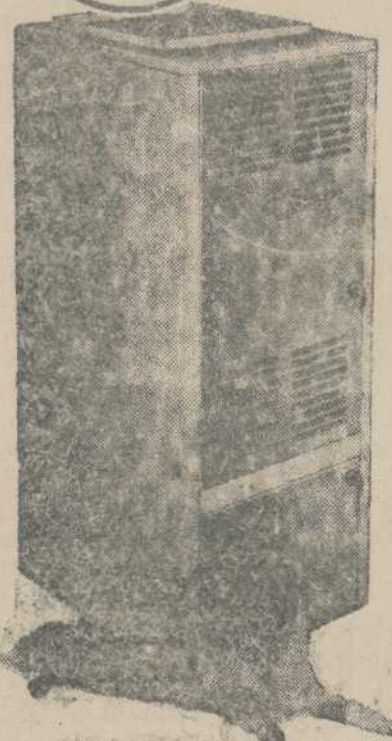
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**W.A. MEMBER HONOURED**

Mrs. J. Byron, devoted member of the Anglican Woman's Auxiliary, was made a diocesan W.A. life member at a special service in St. George's Church, held following the regular business meeting, Oct. 11. The service was conducted by the rector, Rev. S.J. Leech, assisted by Mrs. F.A. Goodwin, Victoria, president of W.A. diocesan board. Mrs. W. Norton read the citation which commended Mrs. Byron for her faithful work with the W.A. and Sunday School. Mrs. H. Ashby presented the gold badge to the honoured member.

At the close of the business meeting, held in the Parish Hall and chaired by Mrs. E. Worthington, Mrs. Goodwin addressed the members on W.A. work, with special reference to welfare work among Hong Kong refugees.

Following the church service tea was served in the Parish Hall by Mrs. Norton and Mrs. Ashby. During tea-time an informative talk on available W.A. literature was given by Mrs. N.W. Life, diocesan educational secretary. A warm vote of thanks was tendered to the visiting officers.

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**CHURCH NEWS**

Regular meeting of the Mizpah Unit of the Ganges U.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. F. Zenkie. There were 14 members and 1 visitor present. Mrs. Zenkie was in the chair and the devotional period was in charge of Mrs. H. Ashley, whose topic was Thanksgiving & praise.

Miss A. Herd read a letter from Tang Wai Kam the adopted boy in Hong Kong. Mrs. W. M. Mouat was appointed to be on the U.C.W. executive. Mrs. C. Leggett reported that plans for the

fall sale to be held on Nov. 30th were well in hand.

Miss Herd's missionary talk was about India. She introduced 2 study books on the missionary subject which is "Partners in Asia" - India Ceylon & Nepal.

The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. Zenkie and tea was served by Mrs. J. D. Reid and Mrs. J. Wallace.

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On Sunday October 13th, a well attended Thanksgiving Service was conducted by Dr. N. Hughes at Burgoyne Bay United Church.

As in previous years the little old place of worship truly portrayed the season with a rich harvest display. Bringing additional pleasure to those present was a solo by Miss C. Scarff, Accompanied by Mrs. C. Arnell, and two selections by Miss Colleen Lee on her accordion.

A most cordial welcome to attend Burgoyne Bay services on the 2nd and 4th Sundays, is extended to all.

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**CWL TO HOLD TWICE-MONTHLY BINGO GAMES**

Mrs. Bob Marcotte was in the chair for the regular meeting of Catholic Women's League held Oct. 8 in our Lady of Grace Church Hall. CWL director, Rev. Father W. Mudge, opened the meeting with the league prayer.

It was decided to use the spiritual period at each meeting for discussion of the work of the Ecumenical Council. Members agreed to hold semi-monthly bingo games, commencing Oct. 18. Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Bob Marcotte and Mrs. Geo. St. Denis.

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**BROWNIE NEWS**

All the Salt Spring Brownies enjoyed a swim at Scott Point Pool on October 1st. Marnie Jarman, Anne Haigh, Leslie Walker and Cathie

Fraser were tested and passed were in charge of S.S.I. by Mrs. Shaw, for their swimmers badge. Lynda Watson and Wendy Lindsay joined the pack.

Girl's between the ages of 8-11 interested in Brownies come to St. Georges's Hall-Tuesday at 3:15 to 5: o'clock.

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Mrs. C. Leggett, convener of the United Church Fall Sale has been advised that Mrs. J. G.G. Bompas has accepted an invitation to open the sale. Reverend and Mrs. Bompas

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# FULFORD NEWS

by Bea Hamilton

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hepburn gave a 21st birthday party in honor of their daughter Mhora, who was home for the Thanksgiving holiday from the U.B.C. Vancouver. Guests from Vancouver were Mr. Walter Zelter and Mhora's grandfather Mr. J. N. Grove. Duncan Hepburn was also home for the week-end. Mr. Jim Hippisley, who was also celebrating his 21st. birthday, was a guest at the party and shared the birthday cake. The young people enjoyed square dancing during the evening.

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Home from the U.B.C. for the week-end were Jim, Barry and Georgina Burge, Charlie Butt; Kathy Butt came home from North Surrey, where she is teaching.

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And home to visit his family was Les Fraser from the Airport at Lillooet, where he is employed.

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Mr. & Mrs. H. J. Page and family were at Fulford for the weekend spending a part of the holiday at their home on the Isabella Point road.

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Mr. & Mrs. M. Kroppmanns, with Linda and Ken visited friends in Fulford on Sunday.

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Mr. & Mrs. F. Chope of Victoria spent the week end at their home in Fulford.

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Dr. Anne Duffield of Burnaby,

B.C. spent the Thanksgiving holiday with her aunt, Mrs. W. Hippisley. Also home for the week end was James Hippisley, from the Dept. of Highways at Port Alberni.

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Mr. & Mrs. Ronnie Lee are back home after a glorious week travelling through the Roger's Pass. They spent two days visiting Mr. & Mrs. Roy Lee, at Dawson Creek. And some twenty miles further on, they visited the Maurice McTighe family in Progress B.C. and came home full of beans, having had a wonderful holiday.

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Mr. & Mrs. P. Nadin spent two weeks at Canim Lake, B.C. visiting Mr. Nadin's family.

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Mr. & Mrs. Pat Lee of Victoria were also over visiting their many relations. All in all everyone seems to have much to be thankful for - homes to visit, friends to see and home grown garden produce for a bountiful harvest.

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And everyone is pleased to hear that Mrs. F.L. Jackson, who is a patient in the Duncan Hospital, is getting along nicely.

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## SCHOOL BUS NEEDED FOR GALIANO

At the School Board meeting October 19th, D.H. New reported that Galiano School bus, now making two trips each day to the north end, is carrying a maximum load. More families are expected

to move to North Galiano with school age children which will cause serious transportation problems on that Island.

The committee on transportation was asked to study the matter to see what action will be necessary.

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## BABY NEWS

Mr. & Mrs. George Nelson, Churchill Rd., are proud grandparents of a daughter, Tracy Fay, born Oct. 12 to Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Nelson, Victoria. Baby weighed 10 lbs. 3 oz. at birth.

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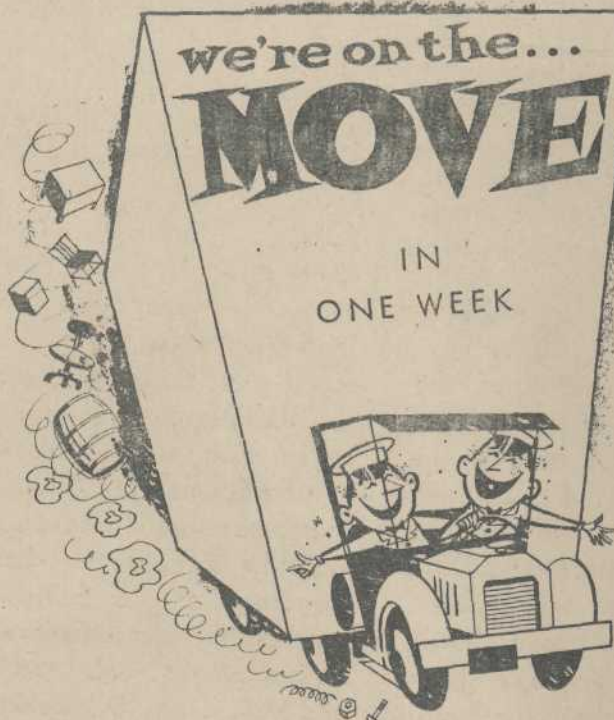
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**W.I. DOINGS**

by Bea Hamilton

Fourteen members of the local W.I. met at the home of Mrs. A. McManus Sr. on Thursday, with president Mrs. D. Slingsby in the chair. Reports from all convenors showed much had been accomplished during the year.

Mrs. Slingsby, Mrs. Davis and Miss V. Salliss gave interesting reports on the recent W.I. Conference held at Colwood. Publicity report given by the writer, showed that contact had been made with all newspapers and with each of the 22 W.I. branches on V.I. A number of W.I. have sent in their histories and several of the W.I. Family Tree Scrap Books are nearly completed. It was noted that the Maple leaf design on the covers are the work of local artist, Miss Gwen Ruckle.

The members decided they would get busy on road safety programmes.

It was mentioned that all cars and trucks should stop to let school children get safely out of the buses. No car should pass a stationary School

bus.

Several good reports of the recent Cancer Forum held by the W.I. were given. It was noted that the IODE are holding the CNIBtag Day on Oct. 19th. A donation is to be made to the new Library building at Ganges.

The next meeting, second Thursday in November, will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Low, Isabella Point road. Members are supposed to bring a Christmas Table decoration—remember how Mrs. Jones of the Florists Shop showed us how last year? Well, we are supposed to see if we learned anything by watching her. There will be a prize for the best effort, so brace up, members, and get busy!

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## SKATING NEWS

The Adult Roller Club has a ball  
To the Skaters' Waltz in the Fulford Hall  
The music's lilting. How great it feels  
To go 'round and 'round on whirring wheels  
Perhaps you've skated years before  
On sidewalk, road, or maple floor  
Come try it again and you'll find out  
You've not forgotten what it's all about  
So Father and Mother, Daughter and Son  
Come join the Club if you're twenty-one  
Come with us Wednesday nights at eight  
And you'll have fun on a roller skate!

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## AWARDS TO YOUNG GARDENERS

A school assembly was held in Mahon Hall, October 4th for presentation of awards for the annual PTA School Garden Contest. The contest is open to Grades 1 to 7. Mrs. S. Rogers who convened the project reported that 37 of the 46 gardens entered had reached maturity and were judged by Mr. W.M. Palmer and Mr. George St. Denis.

A cup and large certificate went to each first prize winner; a small certificate to each second and third prize winners. Awards were presented to: Grade 1-A (Special class) - 1. Roberta Malcolmson, 86; 2. Nancy Shaw, 78; 3. John Tupper, 75. Class 1 - Dimitri Stevens, 89; Jeffery Lacy, 89; Raymond Holmberg 88. Class 2 - Elizabeth Lee, 99; Teddy Mollet, 83; Richard Kyler, 82. Class 3 - Frank Reynolds, 87; Linda Ginn, 86; Gillian French, 67.

Mrs. Fletcher Bennett,

vice-president who was introduced by J.M. Evans, president, presented the awards.

Assisting Mrs. Rogers with the garden project were Mrs. R. Atkins, Mrs. J.D. Reid, Mrs. J. Stevens, Mrs. I. Holmberg. Seeds were donated by Buckerfields.

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## IODE MEETING

Mrs. F.K. Parker, former IODE officer from Kelowna B.C., was received into membership by HMS Ganges Chapter at the October 8 meeting held in Ganges United Church Hall, with Mrs. V.C. Best, regent, in the chair. True to the IODE pledge of service, Mrs. Parker accepted appointment as Echoes secretary.

Vice-regent Mrs. O.L. Stanton reported on arrangements now underway for CNIB Tag day to be held Oct. 19. Mrs. George St. Denis, services convener, reported three boxes of books sent to Canadian troops in Germany. Annual report on Emerson

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House, IODE Vancouver home for elderly women, was read by Mrs. W.M. Mouat.

It was decided to send a donation to SSI Library building fund. The Regent reminded members of Armistice Day parade Nov. 11 at the Cenotaph.

World affairs convener, Mrs. G. H. Holmes, read a paper on "Hong Kong - A Miracle", in which the history of the Crown Colony was reviewed from the time Capt. Elliot chose the site in 1841 as Britain's new trading post, through the period of harsh criticism from the press.

A second paper read by Mrs. Holmes told the story of one of the Royal Navy's training establishments, "HMS Ganges", located near Ipswich, England. Nine times a year 250 to 300 teen-age boys enter the school to train for a naval career. Opportunities are present for boys to reach the highest ranks. "HMS Ganges" makes the proud claim that more than 25 "Ganges" boys have become captains, and several have achieved the exalted rank of admiral.

The original "HMS Ganges", the last of the sailing line of battleships and the first of the training vessels, began her career as a navy school in 1899.

Following the meeting tea was served by Dr. Norah Hughes and Miss Mary Lees. Mrs. W. M. Mouat was in

charge of the talent table.

Next meeting will be held Nov. 12 at 2 p.m. in Ganges United Church Hall. Mr. W. Tymchuk, CNIB field officer will be special speaker. The general public is invited to hear Mr. Tymchuk speak during the latter part of the meeting.

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## BABY NEWS

Mr. & Mrs. George Nelson, Churchill Rd., are proud grandparents of a daughter, Tracy Fay, born Oct. 12 to Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Nelson, Victoria. Baby weighed 10 lbs. 3oz. at birth. Maternal grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. A. House, Portsmouth, England.

## THE "BEFORE" LOOK AT THE LIBRARY

Residents of Salt Spring Island are invited by SSI Library board to attend "Open House", Friday Oct. 18 from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the newly acquired library building on McPhillips Ave., opposite the old theatre.

The 40-foot long building was recently purchased outright as a new site for the library. The Board is currently conducting a campaign for funds to provide heating, insulation and furnishings for the building. The purpose of Friday's "Open House" is to acquaint Salt Spring Islanders with the new location and to explain plans for development of the building. Coffee will be served. Dr. O.L. Stanton is chairman of the Library Board.

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