These are the successful forest essay prize winners at Gulf Island secondary school. They are Janet Smith and Eric Gladman and both gained awards in the contest staged by the Canadian Forestry Association of B.C., recently. The two were among a total of 24 winners throughout the province. School staff shared in their sense of achievement in successfully competing against the large secondary schools of the large cities of B.C.

FOUR VOTES ARE 'NO' VOTES - NOTHING GAINS APPROVAL

Four separate referenda were presented to Gulf Islanders on Friday. Four referenda were defeated. Islanders turned down the three school building proposals as well as incorporation of Ganges village area as a preliminary to the establishment of sanitary sewers in the area.

VILLAGE

Incorporation vote in Ganges was a dismal failure.

Incorporation was proposed as the vehicle by which to bring sewers to the community. The villagers showed a considerable fear of increased taxes arising from incorporation and flatly refused.

Story of the vote is the story of pollution of the Ganges Harbour area. Members of the community have been working towards a solution of the pollution problem for the past decade. This is the first time the matter came as far as a vote.

Oder of raw sewage arising from Ganges beaches has been cited as a matter for concern.

Provincial department of health has cited the discharges as a serious hazard to health, but the department has taken no action in the matter.

Earlier proposal to install sewers in the community by establishment of a sewer district was modified by the committee to embrace the incorporation of the village area. It was felt by the investigating committee that this would represent a cheap means of financing a sewer project.

Opposition to the incorporation proposal and the fear that a village tax rate would rise beyond those of unorganized territory are assumed to be the cause of the refusal.

SCHOOL

School building referenda provided for three classrooms and an industrial education room at Gulf Islands secondary school in Ganges, augmented dormitory provisions and a teachers' residence at Fender. They were refused by a wider margin than expected, they needed to gain the support of voters in December.

On Friday support fell back sharply. All referenda required a 66 per cent majority to pass. School facilities gained 56%, dormitory 65% and teachers' residence 58%. In December the corresponding figures were 88, 98 and 97.

Only one community gave a majority to any one of the school referenda. Ganges poll, covering all of the north end of Salt Spring, approved the school project with a 60.9% approval. The same poll offered support to all the referenda in December.

One island gave a simple majority to dormitory provision and

SOME DONT

Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce heard some criticism of local garages last week.

Not all service stations, here, the chamber was told, wash the windshield or wipe up spilled gas from the car. Chamber decided to pass the message on to local operators.

PRIME MINISTER'S MESSAGE

For the Bicentenary of Confederation

As we begin our second century of Confederation, the pace of social and technological change in Canada and the world in which Canada exists has become so rapid that it is nearly impossible to forecast with accuracy the economic or political shape of things very far into the future. But I believe it is safe to predict that certain underlying moral values of civilization will not change very much: the principles of individual freedom and equality and the belief in the inherent worth of humanity.

Canada, and indeed the world, will survive the next hundred years, provided that these fundamental human values also survive.

L. B. Pearson.

1867-2067 TO POSTERITY

Salt Spring Island Centennial Committee is in communication with the future.

The committee is planning the placing of a time capsule in the 1867 monument at Centennial Park in Ganges. The capsule will contain various references to the 1867 centennial celebrations as well as specifications of various cars, aircraft, and mechanical contrivances. There will be a copy of Salt Spring Saga by Eric Roberts and documents referring to the present year. The whole collection will be placed in fiberglass and sealed into the concrete at the park. A plaque will be placed upon the concrete, cautioning against opening the capsule before July 1, 2007.

Among documents to be sealed into the Ganges time capsule is a letter from Prime Minister Lester Pearson to the people of Canada a century from now. Salt Spring Island Centennial Committee wrote to the Prime Minister and asked him for such a message. His letter of explanation follows.

I was most interested to learn that the Salt Spring Island Centennial Committee has undertaken to construct a small public park containing the Centennial children's and adults' playground as a central celebratory feature commemorating the Centennial.

May I express the congratulations of the Government of Canada and myself personally to all who have, by their co-operation and civic pride, contributed to the splendid example of civic authorities and private citizens working together to create something of beauty to mark our historic anniversary. I take pleasure in forwarding a brief message for the Bicentenary of Confederation, for inclusion in the "time capsule" to be placed at the base of the sundial.

With best wishes to all for a happy and memorable Centennial year.

L. B. Pearson, Prime Minister, Ottawa (4), June 10, 1967.

TO MONTAGUE HARBOUR

Social Creditors of the Islands and Saanich Peninsula will forget their political problems on Saturday when the constituency association makes its annual picnic trip to Montague Harbour. The members will spend the day in games and recreation at the provincial park there.
Victoria Lady Lion Opens Village

Ganges

Gulf Islands Driftwood Thursday, June 22, 1967.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whellans of Winnipeg, were visitors last week of Mrs. F. I. Atkins, Scott Road. Mr. Whellans is past president of "Manitoba Wild Life Federation" and currently chairman of the Federation Big Game Committee. The Whellans were most interested in the charm and beauty of the Island.

Fred Ball returned last week to his home at the Vesuvius Bay after a two-month holiday in England.

Mikes Castle and Debbie Weeks, West Vancouver, are spending their holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Humphreys, Crofton Road. Mr. and Mrs. David Nicholas, Vancouver, were visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson, Alders Road.

Visiting Mrs. F. Worthington, Ganges Hall, from Vancouver, last week end, were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newell.

Irl Bradley Takes Over Lions Chair

Salt Spring Island Lions Club were hosts to a crowd of nearly 300 for the opening of the new Pioneer Village at Ganges last week at Fulford Community Hall.

The club staged its annual installation dinner as a sequel to the formal opening of the club's Pioneer Village at Ganges.

District Governor Clark Mathieu was the guest of honor and members of the Ganges Lions Club took part in the installation of the new board.

D. C. Groen reviewed the past year's operation before handing over the gavel to Irl Bradley.


Following dinner a dance was staged in the same hall.

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Wagon Wheels To Offer Open Air Dancing at Ganges

The Wagon Wheels Dance Club will not be dancing Saturday June 17 due to their caller feeling anticipatig mental surgery.

Wind-up dance will be held on June 24. The last dance of this season will be held on June 24. The last dance of this season will be held on June 24. The last dance of this season will be held on June 24. The last dance of this season will be held on June 24.

Wagon wheels, at night have all the atmosphere of real dancing.

Strip of Land Still Owned by Government

Stretch of land between the Centennial Park in Ganges and the Mount property at the Point is the property of the federal government.

Land on which the park stands has been leased to the community for the Centennial Park Strip alongside was retained by the government. The federal government was in the past of urging the government to provide a safety pedestrian path for the benefit, mainly, of the elderly residents of the Pioneer Village.

No Opponents to Driftwood Opening

The need has been recognized by a number of local groups as well as residents of the area. The federal department of highways has no funds for the purpose.

Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce, among others, has proposed a week's basis to provide a safety pedestrian path for the benefit, mainly, of the elderly residents of the Pioneer Village.

A majority of voters were opposed to the plan.

Results of the polling were:

YES...198
NO...109
Spoiled votes...3
Total...330

There were 370 eligible voters, reports Returning Officer Maurice Atkins.

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Village (From Page One)

G.H. Hore, chairman of the committee investigating the sewer problem, has asked his committee to a close. It will be dis- banded, he observed, and no further move will be made.

Speculation was rife in Ganges on Monday.

Some were speculating that the question of sewers will be forgotten now that the community has rejected incorporation. Others recalled the statements of representatives of the department of health and said that the question now will be handled by that department.

Many in the community are confident that the department of health will require the Gulf Islands School District to make adequate provision for the two Ganges schools and relieve the community of the expense of providing the septic tanks. It was agreed that once the schools were cleaned up, the rest of the community would be comparatively free of the stench of human ordure.

Others are speculating that the department will require every off-property container to contain its discharge. In summer this is possible, observed one opponent of the sewer scheme, but in winter it is impossible. It is mandatory to discharge behind its own house.

Irrespective of what the next step may be, the community showed approval of the local government in very clear terms.

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The election was clean, orderly and without incident.

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The president of the W.A., Mrs. Myles, of the "Empire of the Peace," among other books, spoke to the Club members on "Publishing-Pain or Pleasure." The meeting decided to hold the next quarterly meeting, which will be the Annual, at Campbell River on June 25th, at Discovery Inn.

July will see a busy month for the members of the Canadian Women's Press Club if plans come through as scheduled. In cooperation with the Vancouver branch, the Vancouver Island branch, will invite and entertain journalists from 40 different countries who will arrive in Canada in July.

This is in connection with the G.W.P.C. Centennial project and Mrs. E. Adams, Regional Director, who has been attending the executive meeting in Toronto.

If you are used to travelling in summer, try to get to Expo 67. There are 28 air ports within 100 miles of Montreal.

Mrs. Laundry receives presentation in token of her service to auxiliary

Women's Auxiliary to the Anglican Church held their monthly meeting Friday, June 9, at the Parish Hall.

The president of the W.A., Mrs. S. Bannister, was in the chair. The rector, Archdeacon R. B. Hill, was present and several members, Mrs. C. Abbott was welcome.

Mrs. F. Irabin and Mrs. Bannister took the devotional period. A gift was presented to Mrs. G. H. Laundry by Mr. Walter Norris in appreciation of her work with the W.A. Mrs. E. Adams also presented Mrs. Laundry with a bouquet of flowers.

Mrs. G. J. Holmes read a humorous article on "Plain English," Mrs. Bannister reported on the Parish Fest committee. The W.A. will have the needle work stall, convened by Mrs. J. L. Lirovecok, Mrs. W. H. Sander, the aprons; Mrs. E. Adams, the fish pond; and Mrs. J. Byron Sr., the flower.

Mrs. G. Tuffitt and Mrs. Holmes will have a display of Indian handicraft.

The W.A. have planned their Christmas Bazaar for November 30 at 7 p.m., in the Parish Hall. The rector closed the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. H. Price and Mrs. W. I. Stewart were tea hostesses.

BRIDGE QUIZ

Answers to last week's quiz:

(a) Pass. Being vulnerable and having only six tricks assured in spades. (To add two tricks would mean opening 2 spades which is a strong bid forcing to game).

(b) 4 Hearts. Nine hearts with the possibility of opponents having the Ace leaves eight Heart tricks, plus vulnerable gamble of two tricks from partner. Almost always commit to the limit with major suits.

(c) 1 Heart. Never pre-empt when hand is strong enough to open with a one bid.

(d) 3 Spades. It will be noted this is the same hand as (a) but not being vulnerable three tricks may be gained on from partner. (Or plus three makes nine tricks)

To respond to partner's pre-empt do not change suit figure out vulnerability and how many tricks partners is gambling on. If the bid has been three of a suit it is easy to figure out if one has the extra trick to take the contract to game in a major and two extra tricks for a minor game.

Overcalls are the most difficult bids in Bridge. Poor overcalls are responsible for costly penalties. Unlike opening bids one can not be guided by points but by distribution and winning tricks. A 14-point hand might make a very poor overall yet a 7 or 8 point h.c. hand, could provide a very good overcall. One often hears this remark: "I have a 14 or 14 point hand so had to make a bid." Do not be in too great a hurry to make an overcall. Remember your 1, h.c. has opened 1 Heart.

What is the bid when R.H.O. has opened 1 Heart?

(a) 6 Hearts

(b) 6 Spades

(c) 6 Diamonds

(d) 6 Clubs

Answers next week.

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Four separate votes among the islands on Friday covered the proposals of the Ganges Farmers' Institute. Those who have for some time been fighting for the improvement of the Ganges area and were the concern of a small number of people - the farmers - were disappointed. The votes were presented on the same day. They were all defeated, principally due to the fact that the farmers were too few in numbers to find parallels in the presentation and in the defeat.

Defect of the school building reference has been a blow to the trustees as they had kept a close watch on the pulse of popular opinion and had misguided it. It is far from an insurmountable task.

The function of a school board is to provide educational facilities for the children of the district. The board has sought to provide such facilities. Inasmuch as the area is in a state of neglect for students in the fall, it is conceivable that a sweeping measure such as the switching of schools, or the complete amalgamation of elementary and other schools would temporarily meet the immediate needs. If this would serve the purpose, then let us see the old school as the second school and elementary school carried on in the new secondary school building.

There was a call for manual arts facilities. The premises of the Farmers' Institute were, however, taken over by the opposition. There is no doubt at all that they could be renovated and modified to serve for a number of years to come.

We have inadequate dormitory facilities. Then there are many holiday resorts here. No doubt there are operators who would lease these premises to students in the spring. Individually this can be arranged until such time as the ratepayers of the community explain their objection to school construction and offer an alternative solution.

If the rejection was simply a protest against the trustees, or the department, or the opposition, then let the trustees take it in their stride. Individually it is not a serious concern. All of these things, then, it was made in the wrong place and at the wrong time.

While making alternative arrangements to accommodate district students, the trustees must also ascertain the reasons for the rejections of the first vote. Inasmuch as these rejections must establish an intimate communication with the people of the school district and learn where the fundamental fallacy lies, then the matter should be the broad new paths of scrupulous communication open now to members of the board.

Inasmuch as the votes were rejected, the situation in Ganges is similar. There, the likeness ends. The vote was presented by a small group of citizens. The chairman of the committee has indicated his plans to disband the committee and to abandon the plan to incorporate or to produce sewer in Ganges. Inasmuch as the attempts in Ganges to the contrary, there is no progress. The need for a sanitary sewer system is greater.

The department of health has urged the need, but at the best the department has run into the brick wall and the department has stated that it is proposing a sanitary sewer system. Only two of these three systems is under consideration. There are many ways to deal with the problem in Ganges, B.C., but it seems little hope for Ganges.

The department of health, through the greater Victoria Metropolitan Board of Health, has also urged that sewage in public places is hazardous to health, and the department also stated that its regulations are difficult and perhaps impossible to enforce. If the department of health was in the position of the health department in the city of Victoria, it would have been a different story. It is a long way from the health department in Victoria to the health department in Ganges, B.C. This is the first time in Ganges that there is a sanitary sewer system.

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**FERNWOOD**

By Jesse Sayer

Ed Bettis made a hurried trip over from Vancouver to visit his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Bettis, on the afternoon of the island’s sixty years, and a little over.

Some will remember, when we used to play at dances in the old days; she played piano, with Leon King on the violin and Mrs. R. Maxwell tinkling a mandolin. Others, too, played with her off and on.

You miss a person like that when she goes; her funeral was a quiet ceremony at Royal Oak, much as we wished it to be, and though we couldn’t be there, we sent our thoughts. One can remember so many nice things about Mrs. Ruckle, her lovely garden and her nice rugs that she made entirely by hand, hundreds of them, and gave many away to charity and to friends.

The W.I. have reason to remember her and her annual donations to their charity funds.

We remember the days when we visited her home and she and her husband, Alfred, played music. Alfred played the violin that he had made himself, and with Mrs. Ruckle on the piano, they made lovely music together. They were an ideal couple, and had a happy home. They fitted so well into the community. Alfred came to the island in 1870 or so, Mrs. Ruckle in 1890. Yes, it is a question that will not only be missed but they will be remembered for many years of a life? For that could well be.

To date, this seems to be the only place where these arm bands are manufactured, and it is rather in the Old Age Pensioners’ members’ caps.

It is hoped that all elderly folks who live who rambled out on the highway or down the smaller by-ways, will live out in one of these. Children too, who are often out on the roads, could be a lot safer if they wore a luminous arm band. All bands are the same price, 7½.

Best wishes to these enterprising senior citizens and a happy journey to Williams Lake, (P.S. Don’t forget to wear one of the arm bands, ladies, we want you to come home in one piece.)

Friday was a mixed up day, wasn’t it? Success for the Pioneer Village opening; the attractive Kuper Island Indian Children’s Home and Drum band and the Lion’s banquet and installation ceremony at the Fernwood Hall in the evening.

Our lists off to the Lions Club when they do something, they do

oral days with us enjoying our lovely weather. We drove up to Mount Maxwell Park and the scenery compensated a great deal for the condition of the final mile of roadway.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Chalmers, of Wallace Road, arrived home from Expo having spent six weeks in all. They say it is something no one should miss and they thoroughly enjoyed every minute meeting many friends and having no problems in any way. They travelled by trailer. While in Vancouver they visited son Rolland at the University.

T. W. Smith, of Calgary, enjoyed the hospitality of his sister, Mrs. R. Adams and Mr. Adams this past week.
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On Monday, July 3rd the following sailings will be in effect:

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- **Lv. Mayne Island**: 7:15 p.m.
- **Lv. Galiano Island**: 7:40 p.m.
- **Arr. Tsawwassen**: 8:55 p.m.

**M.V., "QUEEN OF THE ISLANDS"**

- **Lv. Long Harbour**: 6:55 AM, 1:30 PM, 8:45 PM
- **Lv. Village Bay**: 7:40 AM
- **Lv. Sturdies Bay**: 8:20 AM, 1:20 PM
- **Arr. Tsawwassen**: 9:15 AM, 2:15 PM, 7:15 PM

- **Lv. Tsawwassen**: 9:30 AM, 2:30 PM, 7:30 PM
- **Lv. Sturdies Bay**: 10:30 AM, 3:30 PM, 8:30 PM
- **Lv. Village Bay**: 11:30 AM, 4:15 PM
- **Arr. Long Harbour**: 1:45 PM, 4:25 PM, 9:50 PM

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GULF ISLANDS SCHEDULE CHANGE

**EFFECTIVE FRIDAY JUNE 30th**

**GULF ISLANDS — MAINLAND**

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| **Arr. Tsawwassen** | 9:40 a.m. | 9:40 p.m. |
| **Lv. Tsawwassen** | 8:00 a.m. | 8:00 p.m. |
| **Arr. Pender Island** | 9:00 a.m. | 9:00 p.m. |

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| **Lv. Tsawwassen** | 9:00 a.m. |
| **Arr. Mayne Island** | 10:00 a.m. |

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**June 7th to September 4th**

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**COMING EVENTS**

C.W.L. SINGO, FRIDAY JUNE 23 

at 10 a.m., in Church Hall. 

The Churches Fund Committee. 

Everyone welcome.

ROD AND GUN TEA, WEDNES- 

DAY, July 5, 2-4:30 p.m., at 

Fullford Hall.

ROD AND GUN HARD TIME 

dance and cabaret, Fullford Hall, 

July 5, 7:30-9:30 p.m.

DOMINION DAY CELEBRATION 

MAYNE ISLAND HALL 

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**L O S T**

IN VESUVIUS BAY BETWEEN 

Arbutus Court and Goodrich Road, 

a ring, valuably set, lost about two 

weeks ago. Reward. If found please contact Mrs. A.E. Duke, 

Bayview Ave., Ganges, 537-2008

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**SERVICE AT PENDER**

FOR VETERANS

Some 100 Pender Islanders marked Canada’s Veterans’ Cen-

tennial Week on Sunday, June 18, 

when they held an open-air, re-

cital service in a grove of 

fit trees just off the Golf Course 

at the Fourth Hole.

The Rev. Michael Cole-

man, of the Anglican Church, 

the only resident minister, worked 

wholeheartedly looking after the 

memorable arrangements 

involved in such a service.

Along with a committee from 

the United Church, and in 

cooperation with the Rev. F.W. Mac 

Quarrie of Ganges, a fitting ser-

vice was worked out.

A Litany of Thanksgiving was 

led by J.H. Teece, an Elder of 

the United Church; while the 

Lesion was read by a Warden of 

the Anglican Church, L. J. Arm-

strong.

Dr. Coleman conducted the 

service, and Mr. MacQuarrie 

preached.

Music was provided by John 

Copley at the organ from the 

United Church, perched on the 

back of a truck in a shady spot.

The offerings were designated 

for Pender Island Centennial pro-

jects.

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**DATE SET FOR GALIANO FISHING DERBY**

Galiano Fish Derby will be staged on Sunday, August 6.

Turn will be prizes for the 

largest salmon, cod, and dogfish. 

For ticket holders there will also be a door prize of $75 cash.

Tickets for the derby are av-

ailable from Denis Andrews, Gas-

ges; Alan Stewart, Mayne; Les 

Bowerman, Pender; and Earl 

Young, Gerald Steward and Hild-

ing Frederickson, of Galiano. 

The island rod and gun club is 

making every effort to have a 

new stock of quill and pleasance.

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Will your child ever catch the Teacher’s eye?

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pupils.

Here is what Sir Ronald Gould, 

president of the World Confer-

ence of Organizations of the 

Teaching Profession says about large 

classes:

"Put a teacher in front of a big 
group of children and the teacher 
cannot instruct or drill, he cannot 

educate. He cannot treat each 

child as an individual. Big classes 

are bad methods. Big classes limit freedom to experiment. Big 
classes result in bad education."
Park Will Be Ready By July 8 Says Peiler

Centennial Park at Ganges will be ready by July 8. Formal opening will take place at that time, when the Lieutenant-Governor will come to Salt Spring Island to take part in the ceremonies marking the 100th year of the Dominion.

The Lieutenant-Governor will also take part in other formal ceremonies linked with the Centennial celebrations. He will present centennial medals to all persons who were in Canada 75 years ago. The medals have been struck to commemorate a long term of residence culminating in this taking part in the nation's 100th birthday.

According to Col. Col.Peller chairman of the Centennial Committee, about 25 persons are expected to receive their medals from General Pearkes. There were originally 41 eligible. Those who have since died, reports Col. Peller.

Invitation was extended to the outer islands to take part in the same ceremonies and to have the Lieutenant-Governor also present Islanders' medals.

Committees on the outer islands have not replied to the two letters, Col. Peller told Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce meeting. He was heard, unofficially, that two are coming over, he stated, but there has been no other communication.

On July 8 there will be no free loaders.

The Centennial day papers will be limited, so that the centennial committee and representatives from each organization will be invited to attend.

Lunch will be served at 1:30 p.m. Accommodation will be available to all persons who were in Canada 75 years ago. The medals have been struck to commemorate a long term of residence culminating in this taking part in the nation's 100th birthday.

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Saturna
SEEN BY PAPA JOHN

It was a wonderful Father's Day. The family all remembered the poor man and the sun was shining and I liked it all. Maybe we should have more of it. Papajohn stuck his chin out yet again. Nobody wants silver paper from cigarettes packages anymore. Never mind, Lynn, it was a nice thought anyway.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Mundell White, of Nanaimo, to our tranquil paradise. The Mr. is the new man on the road crew. In case he is so curious, all the men drivers on the Island are courtours and don't do any fast driving. From Regina, visiting her sister, Bernice Cooks, is Auntie "Bunny" Boulding. Welcome, Auntie! Across the creek sounds of hammers etc. from Mrs. Shirley Embs's new cottage. Also across the creek (which is as close to work as we islanders like to get) is the Cliff Sacker family. Edie Sacker is down for a few weeks with Robin so the pottery workers will now get a real workout.

Going home to that dreadful place called Toronto is our own B.C. Telephone's gross investment per telephone in its system was $922 at the end of 1966.

These were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Uncle Art Ralph. First prize for attendance in Kindergarten were Jennifer Davidson and Mary Jane Davidson presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westlow. Special prize for general aptitude presented to Donald Davidson by the Sunday School. Missy Mary Dangerfield must be commended for her years work in organizing and the many many jobs necessary in a project of this kind. The thanks from all the parents on Saturna are yours, Elsie Mary.

Another yearly visitor was "Tony" Vandergreene, of Vancouver, who spent a quiet week in Margaret Fry's cottage on Boot Cove.

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The Centennial Commission, Ottawa, Canada.

Are you making the most of 1967? Find out about all the Centennial projects and events you can take part in from now until the end of Centennial Year.

We're having a wonderful, exciting, unforgettable year in 1967, as Canada celebrates the hundredth anniversary of Confederation.
Gulf Islands DRIFTWOOD

Thursday, June 22, 1967.

SCHOOL DISTRICT 64 (GULF ISLANDS)

CAPITAL FUND

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1966

ASSETS

Cash in Bank $ 1,732.81
Demand bank loan $ 33,000.00
Due from Revenue Fund
Debentures (Note 1)
- By-law number 1 $ 10,500.00
- By-law number 6 21,000.00
- By-law number 7 8,500.00
- By-law number 8 4,400.00
- By-law number 9 (U.S.$300,000) (Note 1) 107,662.00
- By-law number 10 (U.S.$338,000)(Note 1) 363,345.00
- By-law number 11(U.S.$32,000) (Note 1) 19,900.00 $ 28,775.00

Excess of capital assets over capital liabilities
Balance, December 31, 1966 $220,287.38
Add: Debt reduction $5,000.00
Bank interest 740,568.60
Accrued interest on debentures issued 2,316.65
Equipment donated 468.35
Capital expenditure out of Current Capital funds 35,500.78 $4,502.83

Deduct: Cost of school buses traded in less trade-in allowance 5,775.89
Debenture discount and costs 527,760.01
Balance, December 31, 1966 $10,500.00

Note 1: Debentures issued in U.S. funds are shown in Canadian funds converted at the rates of exchange in effect at the dates of issue.

This is the Capital Fund balance sheet referred to in our report to the Board of School Trustees dated March 7, 1967.

Ismay, Boiston, Dunn & Co.
Chartered Accountants.

Statement "B"

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64 (GULF ISLANDS)

REVENUE FUND

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1966

ASSETS

Cash $ 5,431.11
Accounts receivable 1,783.81
Prepaid expenses 1,025.00
Deferred charge 1,000.00
Inventory of supplies - estimated 2,500.00 $10,219.92

LIABILITIES

Accounts payable $ 3,261.10
Due to Capital Funds 12,686.83
Debentures and debenture coupons outstanding 30.00
Reserve for teachers’ educational leave 7,006.00 $23,012.92

Excess of capital assets over capital liabilities
Balance, December 31, 1966 $407,995.00
Add: Debt reduction $5,000.00
Bank interest 740,568.60
Accrued interest on debentures issued 2,316.65
Equipment donated 468.35
Capital expenditure out of Current Capital funds 35,500.78 $4,502.83

Deduct: Cost of school buses traded in less trade-in allowance 5,775.89
Debenture discount and costs 527,760.01
Balance, December 31, 1966 $10,500.00

This is the Revenue Fund balance sheet referred to in our report to the Board of School Trustees dated March 7, 1967.

Ismay, Boiston, Dunn & Co.
Chartered Accountants.

Statement "C"

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64 (GULF ISLANDS)

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1966

REVENUE

Operating revenue
Provincial Government $387,637.00
Local taxation 20,358.00 $407,995.00
Educational grants 1,100.00
Rental of buildings 308.80
Teacher age rentals 1,050.00
Auxiliary services - dormitory fees and sundry income 7,499.50
Unexpended debt service from prior years 2,469.00
Total operating revenue $418,280.16

Operating expenditures (Schedule 1)
Administration 1,100.00
Instruction 326.86
Operation 308.80
Repairs and maintenance 1,050.00
Conveyance of pupils 326.86
Auxiliary services - dormitory fees and sundry income 7,499.50
Debt services 1,050.00
Income appropriations: Transfer to Current Capital expenditure fund, non-shareable 326.86
Total operating expenditure $421,537.25

Less: Revenue from text-book rentals 1,284.00
non-operating expenditure
Text-book rentals 1,284.00
Income appropriations: Transfer to Current Capital expenditure fund, non-shareable 326.86
Total operating expenditure $420,749.16

Surplus at December 31, 1965 786.09

EXPENDITURE

Operating expenditures (Schedule 1) $30,632.31
Administration 236,256.30
Instruction 236,256.30
Operation 326.86
Repairs and maintenance 26,072.25
Conveyance of pupils 34,745.95
Auxiliary services 19,421.99
Debt services 40,330.82 $421,537.25

Income appropriations: Transfer to Current Capital expenditure fund, non-shareable 326.86
Total operating expenditure $420,749.16

Less: Revenue from text-book rentals 1,284.00
Non-operating expenditure 1,284.00
Income appropriations: Transfer to Current Capital expenditure fund, non-shareable 326.86
Total operating expenditure $420,350.26

Statement "B" 10,793.01
Less: Deficit - excess of expenditure over revenue (Statement "B") $421,537.25