

Vol. 8

CFB COMOX, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1967

other'

ney Edward Seymour, died hoist and jumped 15 feet into

hoist to retrieve the victim. Cpl. Fitzgerald administered

A struggle ensued during heart and limb massage

reak away.

At this point Sgt. Lemieux scance of the dangers to

jumped into the water and which he exposed himself by

managed to separate the two. atempting the rescue with-

copter, where the Sergeant equipment". It added that

suscitation until arrival at a age, Cpl. Fitzgerald unhesi-

nearby hospital. It took 12 tanly ventured his own life

**New Minister for DND** 

minutes from the time the to save that of another".

Hellyer To Transport

manoeuvred over the drown-

ing man he disappeared be-

neath the waves. The Cor-

poral immediately released

himself from the aircraft

the water. In the struggle the

airman was drawn under-

water several times while

attempting to keep the

Once inside the helicopter,

while his partner applied

"Cpl. Fitzgerald", the cita-

"by this fine display of cour-

and reported the war from the UK

Following the war, Mr. Cadieux

became a director of the publica-

tions L'Avenir du Nord and La

elected mayor of St. Antoine des

When asked what changes could

be expected during his tenure as

minister Mr. Cadieux replied

that the major change, that of

abolition of the post of associate

minister, had already been made.

He further stated that abolition

of the associate minister would

require some streamlining of

under the old set-up, both he and

Mr. Hellyer had always been

been informed of an imminent

cut in service strength, made for

budgetary reasons, were some-

what awed at the vision of cuts

being made at this high level.

CELEBRATE

FIRE

PREVENTION

WEEK

OCTOBER

8 - 14

BUY A

MATCH

A

DRINK

See Your

Local

Fire Hall

For

Details.

Many servicemen, who had just

administrative procedures as,

artificial respiration.

victim afloat.

out benefit

and France.

busy.

gid waters off the British admitted to hospital.

sion last January in the fri-

Columbia coast has won the

Brave Conduct" for two Can-

They are Sergeant J.P.R.G.

Lemieux, 32, of Ottawa and

34 year old Corporal Bernard

J. Fitzgerald of Summerside,

The two airmen, members

seas just as he lost grip of a

small wooden crate. A crew

man from the sunken tug

clinging to the piece of de-

bris for more than three

hours, about one mile off

The man ,24-year old Rod-

in hospital shortly after the

In winds of excess of 35

knots and 10 to 15 foot high

waves, Cpl. Fitzgerald was

lowered on the helicopter

which the panic-stricken

man locked a grip on the

Corporal, making it impos-

sible to effect the rescue or

All were lifted into the heli-

aplied mouth to mouth re-

Prime Minister Lester B.

Pearson last week announced the

appointment of the Hon. Leo Cad-

ieux, 59, MP for Terrebonne,

Que., as Minister of National De-

fence, replacing the Hon. Paul

Hellyer, MP for Toronto-Trin-

ity, who has been transferred to

the post of Minister of Transport.

defence matters. Since Feb. 1965

he has served as Associate Min-

ister of National Defence, and

thus is well informed on the cur-

rent state of the armed forces,

and the progress which has been

His appointment as associate

minister was not his first con-

tact with the Canadian Armed

Forces. In 1941 he was loaned

by the Montreal daily La Presse

to the Department of National De-

fence to serve as associate dir-

ector of public relations, which

made in unifying them.

Mr. Cadieux is no stranger to

adian airmen.

Roberts Creek.

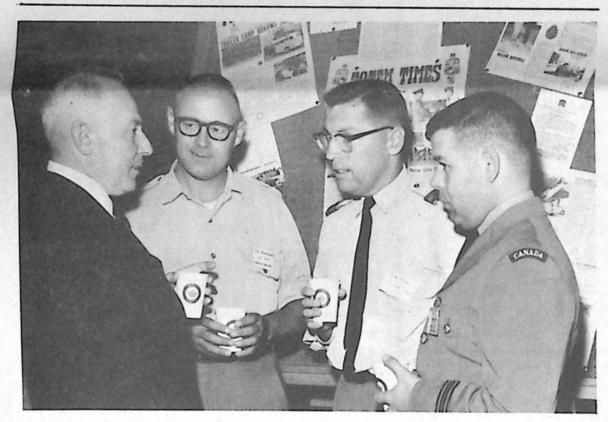
rescue.

No. 21

# A hazardous rescue mis-



Cpl. BJ Fitzgerald (I.) and Sgt JPRG Lemieux (r.) are shown shortly after receiving the Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct from G/C KC Lett. - DND photo



"Let's see you smart Alecs think up a gag caption for THIS picture," Defence Minister Leo Cadieux seems to be telling TOTEM TIMES editor Bob Merrick (centre) as Cpl Vic Routledge of Val d' Or's Voodoo Drums, and F/L Gerry Beauchamp (r.) of the Beaconville Bagel wait their turn to question the minister.

In a brilliant plot designed to improve the newspapers publish ed by various Canadian Forces Bases around the country, DIS invited all the editors to Ottawa for a two-day conference. However, the plot backfired when the bomb which was planted in the classroom failed to explode, and the editors are now all back in the field, wreaking their usual gross indignities upon the English language and the sensibilities of their readers.

Throughout the two-day session the visiting editors were able to learn a lot. Talks from the vice-chief of defence staff. and the director of social welfare services gave the editors invaluable background information which they will be able to distort to suit their own purposes when writing editorials.

Norm Avery, from the Ottawa Citizen gave the assembled editors some valuable hints on newspaper layout, while Doug McIntyre, from the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Alliance outlined the advantages of membership in that organization. S/L K.G. Roberts, the editor of Sentinel provided advice on the drawing of cartoons, and Major Tom Sailman of DIS gave much good advice on the production of readable, accurate copy.

W/C Mo Morrison, Director of Internal Information and Lt/ Cdr. Howie Wallace who looks after service newspapers at DIS more assistance from DIS in plete with suitable arrows, should many ways. Some of the ways solve this problem. suggested were editorials, book reviews, anniversary stories an profiles of some of the senior officers. One type of support which was not promised was financial support. There is about as much chance of direct government support for base newspapers as there is of John Diefenbaker becoming premier of Quebec. Not that this broke too many hearts. In the opinion of many of the editors present, direct government support was not really required in any event, and there was always the possibility that those who paid the piper (in the appropriate payfield, of course) would want to call the

Perhaps the most valuable aspect of the conference was the chance that the editors had toget to know one another and the information that they were able to exchange. All the editors who attended were able to pick up valuable tips from their colleagues in their own service and in

the other two services. It is hoped to make the conference an annual affair so that future editors of service papers will have this same opportunity to get to know their fellow Hakluyts and to gain the benefits of some professional advice. Many of the editors had been shanghaled into the job andknew little more about it than the fact that papers are normally read from

gave a great deal of help during left to right and top to bottom. the conference, and promised Production of a guide-book com-Let's have another conference.

### was a civilian appointment, until 1944. In 1944 he returned to La Presse as a war correspondent Let's Prevent Fires

By Royal proclamation, Fire Prevention Week will be observed October 8-14 this year. But as a practical matter, we should all look upon fire prevention as a year around job.

In 1966, the nation's fire losses hit a peak of nearly 154 million dollars, according to the Canadian Underwriters' Association. In 1966, 571 persons died as a result of fires, and thousands more were injured. Indications are that when the 1967 totals are inthey will reflect an even bleaker picture.

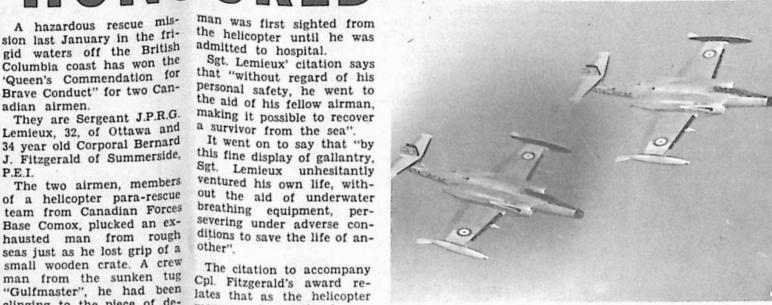
W. W. Owen, General Manager of the Canadian Underwriters' Association, says the rise in fire losses is causing growing concern

Fire Prevention Week is an appropriate time to think about preventive measures...to reshape our thinking in terms of taking greater care to avoid fires . . . to take inventory of our properties and eliminate potential fire hazards . . . and to resolve to practice fire prevention actively and regularly in the future.

One place where every citizen can do his bit is in the home, checking electrical connections and appliances, heating and cooking equipment, or having them checked by a qualified service man. Fires in homes average more than 100 every day of the year, and cause a large portion of the total death toll.

Fire Prevention Week can and should be a meaningful occasion, one on which we should all dedicate ourselves to be more careful where fire, or the threat of fire, is involved. We help our selves, we safeguard our homes and places of business, when we do. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose.

Fires can be prevented, and we can do it!



WITH WINGS swept fully forward in the low speed configuration, these two ultra-modern swing wing all-Canadian aircraft prepare for a landing at CFB Comox as the advance guard of 414 Squdron. Capable of speeds in excess of 1800 fph with their wings swept fully aft, these aircraft will soon be a common sight in the Comox Valley. Note the deceptive numbering technique which is used to confuse the enemy.

### 121 Grows More Wings

## Picks Up Two Albatross

Shrewd horse trading with CFB Winnipeg netted 121 two more Albatross A/C last month. Increasing the fleet to five will greatly increase the units search and rescue capabilities. This will be good news to hunters, fishermen, tourists, weekend flyers and other wayward souls.

In "on the spot" interviews, 121 maintenance personnel were asked "what does the acquisition of two more Alberts mean to

FO Jack McNeil, coach of the repair team answered "Happi-

Cpl. Ivan Grant of Safety Sys-Revue Moderne. In 1948 he was tems, "6 more dinghys" LAC Rene LeBlanc of the 121 Laurentides, for a two-year OR "Whats an Albatross?"

> Cpl. Pete O'Monaghan of the Base Tire Bay, "Six more tires and they're very hard to get you

Cpl. John Shepherd, Chief

shepherd of the flock in the Engine Bay. "Four more engines and shorter coffee breaks.'

Cpl. Al Hanis, metal basher in workshops. Two more leaky hulls to patch." Sgt. John Muir, maintenance

- WJM photo

supervisor, "2/5ths more work same number of the Cpl. Art Seely, Fitter in repair, "28 more cylinders, and I wish I had a course on the darn

things. New Sgt. Buckland, Instrument Tech. "Nothing man, as soon as get this new third hook sewn on

I'm never going to work again." Cpl. Pete Kury, fitter, repair and ex-mule skinner, "I hand't really thought about it, but I'm certainly not going to tow any of

them' Cpl. Robinson, Rigger, "What do ya mean Albatross? I'm a chopper man.'

Cpl. Pat Foggarty, servicing, "Pumping about another thousand gallons of gas a Day." And finally FS Murray who said "It could be worse, they might have sent us two extra

choppers."

Now there is a headline that ought to send rents spiralling up, grocery costs soaring, and cause a host of other panicky results. Just think, hordes of new airplanes, swarms of new people, and all that attendant confusion. But just when the confusion hits its peak, someone is bound to ask. "What, what, what is this 414 jazz, anyhow. What do they fly? How many of them are there?

And that is where the whole thing falls apart. Not all of 414 will be coming here. Just, in fact a small detachment of them. And they are already here. Have

been for years. You might wonder why you have never heard of them before, if they have been here for years. Well the reason is simple. For years, they have been operating under the title of Elderly Warplane (or Warriors) unit.

Flying their trusty CF100s which are lovingly referred to as "Kerosene Cansos," the Elderly Warriors have lumbered into the sky day and night since the beginning of recorded time to provide targets for some fly-bynight outfit operating out of #7 Hangar. It has been a job devoid of glamour and all that razzmatazz dearly beloved by Hollywood script writers.

Now, this will all change. Wearing the look of eagles (or is that albatrosses?) the keen, alert young members of 414 San will leap into their sleek fighters to do daily battle with the air defence forces of the country. Does anyone have some old 414 crests to spare?

### Fatter Wallets for Forces Pockets

They might still be eating hamburger, but servicemen from coast to coast will now get a chance to eat it twice per month rather than once as a result of the four per cent (approximately) pay raise which went into effect Oct. 1 . This was the second stage of the over-all revision of the pay structure which began Oct. 1 1966.

The first stage of the boost involved an addition to the forces' payroll of approximately 9.8 per cent and totalled \$48.5 million in the last six months of the last fiscal year. The second stage is expected to add about \$12.5 million to the payroll this year.

The new pay structure did away with the myriad allowances grants etceteras and so-forths by which servicemen had previously been paid, and replaced them with one large (or not so large) sun, all of which was pensionable. Not only did this result in an increase in wealth for the average airmen, but it considerably simplified accounting and administration, allowing the forces to pension off several gross of goose-quill pens which had been in use since the days of Wolfe, or in the case of Quebec, Montcalm.

The two-stage pay boost has achieved a better relationship between pay and rank and skill requirements. It has also assured a better relationship with the credit union or various finance companies, as the case may be.

A regular cyclical review of armed forces salaries is scheduled for Oct. 1, 1968, so it is concievable that next year, hamburger will be on the menu three times per month. Provided, of course, it hasn't inflated out of

Reserve forces pay arrangements are being reviewed separately, and an announcement will be made in due course.

A MAJOR problem with the increase of the Albatross fleet is the increase of major equipment. Here FS Senft, 121s Supply Co-ordinator passes still another piece to Cpl. George Fenwick. FS Senft estimates he has about two and a half cubic acres of major equipment stashed about the base. There are so many aircraft seats atop the Avionics Section that Fenwick has been thinking of converting it to a theatre. The project should be a hit with the younger set as it would be the only theatre on the coast with all -- Times Photo balcony seats.

UNITED GOOD NEIGHBOUR HOUSEHOLD BLITZ - OCT. 23



nought to fear; the "S.S. Fishcatcher" is still here. Fat Lennie has called in the armed guards to keep the thrill seekers and general public away from his aquatic exhibit. The price of the barge, trailer and pick-up truck is now rumoured to be one full tank of gas for his slightly dented Fury VIP Mark VII.

A few Fridays ago, Gary "Player" Tomkins organized a golfer non-golfer tournament. A veritable bevy of golfers, in varying stages of sobriety, and weighing between 104 and 281 pounds showed up for an afternoon of cursing and replacing divots. Very prominent in the group was Clutch Stoddart who threw his clubs away after the first hole explaining that he gained minus yards on one as he hit the ball on his backswing. Paddy "the rat O'Sullivan quit after the first nine holes as he lost \$21 worth of golf balls during his stirling effort to capture the golfer of the hour title. Ken Mitchell and the Blue Flash won the tournament by virtue of the Flashs 29 stroke on the last hole. They returned to the club house with an overall handicap of 81 even Freddie Williams could not beat that score.

The Unidentified Flying Safety Officer, Eric the Red, has been transferred to Upper Rubber Boot, Sask. which is about half a shoe lace from Moose Jaw. Eric will be leaving us in January to proceed to Foolish In- and Cooper have returned structors School. Eric offer- triumphant victors in their ed \$500 to anyone interested in taking his place and the The chaps after drinking response has been so great that east coast beer all weekhe has been forced to take an end can be found in the dif-

unlisted telephone number. There have been many or- ed throughout the station. ganizational changes in the ions and Gary has taken Beetle.

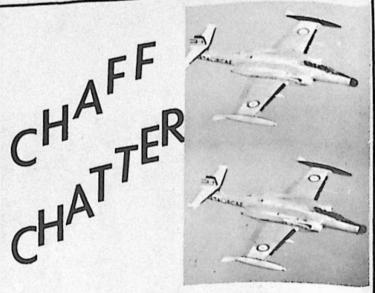
Rest easy lad's you've over as the al-time champion "birds in the bush" player in light of the fact that he lost 8 games in a row. Blue Flash is now the only Unsafe Flight Safety Officer on the unit and Bob Mouldyhill is the new Personal Saf-Environment Officer. The Colonel has been relegated to the position of Lump O as Fat Walley has taken over in the Confusion Always Centre and taken control of the P.A. system. Fat Lennie came to work to look for a new job but was promptly sent home as there is just no room for a man of his calibre on the squadron. We're right up to strength in the exam making depart-

> Nicky the Greek has left for a few weeks at Expo, leaving Bob Burma Shave alone in that big ofice. Bob incidentally gave an ecstatic lecture on the Sarah set at groundschool. During his 20 minute oratory he was counted to have blurted out 239

Beware lads, Cha Cha Marsh is slowly being overcome with Tac Eval fever which seems to strike at this time every year. Next Friday we have a real special everyone bring their own salt and pepper as the highlight of the morning is going to be a mass breakfast of well done Red Book. There must be easier ways of getting indigestion.

Members of the Dirty Dozen, Little, Putland, Barker, quest for a weekend drunk. ferent men's rooms scatter-

Confucious say "Get 100 regiment lately. The Beetle percent on all exams or has relieved Gary Player as groundschool could become a the minister of Public Relat- little more frequent". Cheers



Most of the trops celebrated the onset of squadonhood by promptly going u/s. Bob Wheeler, who had been terrified by the thoughts of plump Dr. Thatcher attacking with his super-sharp sinus lance finally succumbed to incipient rot and checked in at the hospital. Not far behind him was Gerry Knight, who was still suffering from having Pat see him posing in the Totem Times with Miss Matsqui. Chances are both of them should be serviceable just in time to

miss the exercise this week-

Dick Taylor also succumbed to a severe attack of something or other but rather than go to the hospital he went on leave. This wasn't brought about solely by a distaste for doctors. He also wanted to embark upon a unique Centennial project. What he had in mind was to find, repair, restore or replace all the furniture which his moving company had contrived to lose or smash in the course of the voyage from St. Humbug to here. When you see what the lowest bidding mover can do it makes you wonder about flying in airplanes, the parts of which are suplied by the lowest bidder.

Jim Davies is still in Austria, unaware that he is now a squadron type instead of an Elderly Warrior. There has been no report of unrest in Austria, but perhaps the lines are down. It seems unusual for a Caper Bretoner to go anywhere and not make headlines.

The excursion to San Francisco was not exactly an unqualified success. Only half of those scheduled to go actually made it, and the boss

man himself had to opt out. Merrick and Wheeler made it though and added considerably to the coffers of the Greater San Francisco cable car works. Working with the Elderly Warplanes has given them an attachment to old machinery.

With the number of people sick or on leave, Vic Rushton and Johnny Sorfleet have not had time to do anything newsworthy, and your genial correspondent hasn't had time to invent any interesting lies, so we just won't mention them this time.

W/C Steacy has been helping out to such an extent the chief scheduler rewarded him with a Saturday T-bird trip. The rewards for clean living are sometimes indist-

As part of his initiation to the local area, 409's exchange type, Bill Mason was fired off on a PEGE in a Clunk. Some people get all the jam

RUMOUR OF THE WEEK: DOT pilots are all getting green uniforms.

> Tell Baby Sitter What To Do If A Fire Occurs

Do your baby sitters know what they should do in case of fire? It's your responsibility as a parent to inform them, the Canadian Underwriters' Association emphasized today. The Association urged par-

ents to: 1. Select a baby sitter who

likes children and has a serie of responsibility. 2. Show her all the say from the house or apartment.

3. Provide her a flamlight in case of a power disruption. 4. Tell her that her main job, if fire occurs, is to get the children out of the house or apartment quickly. Then she should notify the fire department, or ask a neighbor to do it for her.

5. Leave with the sitter a telephone number where parents can be reached and advise her when they will return. It should be stressed that

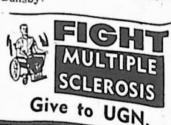
under no circumstances should the sitter or the children reenter a burning building.

### Keep Matches Away from Children

Always put matches or lighters away, out of the reach of children, urges the Canadian Underwriters' Association.

Too many fires are caused by children playing with matches. One-fifth of all fire fatalities are those of children under five years of age.

end of the conversation. The results of their efforts should be known before the next issue of the Totem Times. What ever happened to Grant Dunsby?



### COBOC CACAPHONY only pidgeon English. The next

"You'd suck wind too if you lost pressurization at 40,000 feet," guips this Voo-

doo crew having just landed following an emergency involving the aircraft's oxy-

gen and pressurization system. Both craw members were hastily checked out for

possible ill effects at the M.I.R. and were pronounced fit for flying duties by the

B.M.O. "The pilot may have suffered from a slight blood starvation to the brain."

the doctor stated. "But this should not interfere with the performance of his

duties." Ha ha, said the chairman of the S.P.C.A. as he put down his copy of

The late, great, writer of this column, Locke Paterson, has left us. Locke has not only taken leave of the Totem Times, CFB Comox, the airforce, and COBOC, but perhaps his senses as well. Maybe not, he's going bumming in the south seas for a while before settling down, something that everyone threatens to do but never does. For over a year Locke has assailed his comrades in COBOC in this column and the young men who are left will be hard pressed to find a worthy successor for the good Reverend and/or Doctor.

the Totem Times.

A soiree of some proportions was undertaken last Wednesday night to honor the departing Brother Paterson. As everyone of any consequences knows, snifter parties are always held in the mess. This time, however, it was felt that since there was very liable to be one final sermon from Brother Paterson, to keep it to ourselves would be selfish and maybe even irreligious. Accordingly, the happy throng gathered at the home of one of the countless new schoolies in the area. Unfortunately, it being the middle of the week, the lads were careful toleave early, but look forward to a longer, more drawn out affair with the new ladies at

the earliest opportunity. A goodly number of the COBOC people are in San Diego with

407 Squadron at the present time, the most outrageous one among them being Bob Richter. It is said that Al Ford actually contributed funds to the Squadron's T.D. resources on the condition that Richter be taken away for a couple of weeks and/or his stereo set dismantled and shipped along with him. There have even been reports to the effect that Al attempted to organize a tour of the Tijuana bakeries for Bob, who, not being as dumb as he may appear, declined.

The two clubforeigners, Nobby Bartels and Joe Barnes have been holding tete a tetes lately in their native tongues. COBOC is proud to include among its members, these two men whose thirst for linguistic excellence is unparalleled in COBOC historical records, with the possible exception of good old Serge Cote who is married now and doesn't count anymore. The two foreigners have succeeded in communicating with one another while one, believed to be Barnes, speaks Afrikaan, and the other, most likely Bartels, speaks Dutch. This process is of great interest to the COBOC membership, most of whom speak

ing to both men, is to reverse the order of things with Bartels speaking the Afrikaan lines while Barnes handles the Dutch TAKE A LITTLE TRIP TO CUMBERLAND

step in the relationship, accord-

"JOHN-CLIFF'S"

Your Family Clothing Store Men's, Ladies' and Children's Wear

WE'VE GOT THE STOCK -\$100,000 WE'VE GOT THE SPACE - 6,000 SQ. FT. WE'VE GOT THE VALUES

Convenient **Budget Accounts** 

Open Saturday Night Till 8 p.m.

Cumberland - Phone 336 - 2641

### Fire Prevention Week Goal

Fire prevention time has come around again, as this week we observe Fire Prevention Week.

In thousands of towns and cities across the nation there will be addresses on fire prevention in schools, service clubs, and other organizations.

In many communities, teachers are taking their students to visit the local fire department station house to see the fire apparatus at close range, and the firemen who man the equipment.

Amazingly some people will ask why we observe Fire Prevention Week every year.

The answer is simple. Three out of every four fires are the result of carelessness. By using ordinary care, we can prevent fire from happening. And if we do that, Fire Prevention Week will have been worthwhile.

Fire Prevention Week October 8-14

# Special Invitation

- TO VERY SPECIAL PEOPLE -

### The Bonnie Lass Beauty Salon

Proudly announced its Grand Opening on

TUESDAY, 29 AUGUST, 1967 "To those special girls , the wives, mother's, home-

makers and teen-agers of RCAF personnel in the Comox Valley we extend a hearty welcome." Sparkling and elegant with extensive renovations from ceiling to

hospitality and professional skill. Ask about our special "Bonnie Lass" shampoo and set! For a tingling scalp massage and expert set, you will agree we try

rich carpeted floors, we offer you a new standard of comfort,

Make your appointment now - you'll be glad you did. And when the laddies turn their heads to you in admiration, smile!

Don't forget to ask about our Back-to-School Specials-

-You are indeed a "Bonnie Lass"

For appointment call: 338-8712



### G. P. SILKE REALTY

542 Duncan Avenue OPPOSITE TELEGRAPH OFFICE

Box 736

Courtenay, B.C. Phone 334 - 4494

Large home on 3/4 acre - City water - Full basement - Living room -- Cabinet kitchen - 3 bedrooms - 3pce. bathroom - Sundeck and carport - Price \$16,000. Low down payment - Reduction for all cash.

EVENINGS - Phone 334 - 4494 - George Silke (Ex-RCAF) 339 - 2469 - Stanley Silke

MEMBER MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE

only \$6795.00

That's right folks, this special price of \$6,795 is for our brand new 12' x 44" "SAFEWAY" Mobile Home and includes furniture, draperies, appliances, local delivery and set up.

Judge for yourself at Capri Trailer Sales Ltd., your exclusive "Safeway" distributors

Canadian built homes now on display from 52" x 10' to 64' x 12', two- and three-bedroom models. C.S.A. and C.G.A. approved. Double wall construction. 8\(\frac{1}{2}\)' box frame. Self storing storms. 30 gallon H.W. tank. All interior plumbing. Big city prices.

7 Year Financing Now Available

"COME SEE CAPRI"

Island Highway South, Courtenay Phone 338 - 8313 Box 2177

5680 'Kingsway



# Act now for money help.

If you need extra money to pay bills, buy a better car or to take care of some other important money obligation, see Household Finance, now!

When you come to HFC, you'll be told in advance what your loan will cost. There'll be no hidden extras or surprises. either. If you have any questions, the HFC Manager will be glad to answer them, so that you'll clearly understand everything about your loan from Household Finance.

Every year, thousands of servicemen, like you, come to Household, because they know they can borrow with confidence. No matter where you're stationed, an HFC office is nearby, where you can get prompt money help. Remember, whatever your money need, you are always welcome to call on Household Fina

AMOUNT OF LOAN	MONTHLY PAYMENT PLANS					
	60 months	48 months	J6 months	30 months	20 months	mont
\$100	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$6.12	\$9.
300					18.35	28.
550				23.73	32.86	
1000				41.45	58.11	91.
1600			57.72			1
2500		73.35	90.18			1
3000		88.02	108.22			1
4000	101.01	117,37	144.30			
5000	126.26	146.71	180.37			

Ask about credit life insurance on loans at low group rates

Above payments include principal and interest and are based on prompt repayment, but do not include the cost of tife increases.

### HOUSEHOLD FINANC COURTENAY

549 England Avenue—Telephone 334-2406 (next to Simpsons-Sears) Ask about our evening hours

# Butterworth's

"Moving With Care, Everywhere"

Agents for United Van Lines

Phone 339-2431

Kye Bay Road, Comox

★ Local and Long Distance Moving

\* Short and Long Term Storage

\* Heated and Palletized Storage ★ Poly-Tite ★ "All Risk" Insurance"





TO POINT out the extreme shortage of trained Navy personnel, 40 407 Sqn. found themselves spirited aboard HMCS Columbia to help work the ship on an extended cruise between Comox and Campbell River. Seen above are some of the more despondent members glumly contemplating jumping overboard.



ALL NAVAL privileges were given to the press ganged airmen, including Walking the Plank, Splicing the Mainbrace. Seen enjoying his tot is Cpl. Jones.



"YOU KEEP the sharp end of the boat in front of you at all times and when the XO calls for a noise-maker he isn't referring to the Captain."

Wing Commander Payne was born in Leamington, Ontario, in April 1925. He obtained his scholing in London, Ontario, prior to attending the University of Western Ontario.

Initially, he joined the RCAF in Hamilton in May 1942 and graduated as a pilot at Camp Borden in 1943. Following his conversion to Hurricane fighters, he proceeded overseas and converted to Spitfires and Typhoon aircraft. He converted to Lancaster bombers in 1944 and shortly thereafter, while on operations with 428 (RCAF) Bomber Squadron at Middleton St. George, was shot down and taken prisoner-of-war for a short time. When liberated he returned home and took his discharge.

He re-entered the RCAF as an airman in the Flying Control trade. He was recommissioned shortly thereafter and joined 426 (Transport) Squadron where he flew as captain of North Star aircraft. His flying with this unit included many trans-Pacific crossings during the Korean conflict. He subsequently instructed at Central Flying School for five years.

Among his several subsequent transfers, he flew jets with 427 Squadron in Zweibrucken, Germany, and completed a ground tour at Air Division Headquarters in Metz, France.

Prior to reporting to his present position of Commanding Officer of 121 KU, Search and Rescue Flight, W/C Payne was Chief Pilot at Winnipeg.

His wide experience in flying is understood more fully when one sees the long list of aircraft he has flown. The very new and very old are both shown in his log book the F5 and then most recently - the old faithful Dakota.



Crew #7 recently returned

from Kodiak and Adak and apart from the comments "These ten pound boxes of crab are getting lighter all the time" it was strictly routine. Later in the week the flight line was the scene of a happy occasion when the Commanding Officer, W/CSmale commanding Officer, W/C Shafe presented eleven CD decorations to F/L G. Foster, Sgt. P. Dunn, Cpl's Belliveau, Haney, Hildebrand, Jepsen, La Prairie, MacDonald, Tremblay, Vaughan, and a rosette went to Cpl Fulton. Missing but eligible were F/L Carson and Cpl. Wells.

F/L Stu "Crash" Smithgothis own key to the executive washroom a couple of days ago when he learned that he is to be the new 407 Sqn. UICP and Flight Safety Officer thus filling the hole left by the departure of F/L John Sefton. F/L Lynn Winn was immediately railroaded into replacing Stu as Crew Seven's intrepid leader with F/L Chuck Smith as Co Joe. It is rumoured that both are well versed in the art of flying upside

Just back from summer bush if Consuming Survival is F/O Doug McArthur can?

# Demon

t how far some people will go to how far some people will go to stop him playing that electric guitar). F/O John Scott has gone on a similar course, though at this time of year it is questionable whether it is summer or winter.

Flight Engineer Bob Lynch has departed 'B' Flight and has returned to his old trade in the hangar. hangar. We will miss him and wish him every success in his

'A' Flight is presently away to San Diego on exercise. The story of their activities will be in the restrictions. in the next issue of Totem Times. Crew One stalwarts F/L Don Hansen and F/L Jim Pettman did not go, due to personal com-

If you have noticed any injured people wandering about lately, they are the result of playing in the Flag Football league. Tom Griffis has a badly pulled leg muscle and Bob Richter got a separated shoulder after being

bopped by a Teeny Bopper. Finally Crew #5 is off to local survival, the theory being that if Crew #5 can hack it, anybody

# Miss Maritime Pageant

Fourteen charming service-women from across Canada are vying for the title of Miss Maritime Command and an opportunity to represent the Command in the forthcoming Miss Canada Pageant.

The girls represent Canadian Forces Base Halifax, Shear-water, Esquimalt and Canadian Forces Station Shelburne and

The participants will spend the next week attending func-

tions and preparing for the contest on Friday, Sept. 29.
On Monday, a luncheon will be held in their honor onboard HMCS Cape Scott followed by a tea at CFB Shearwater giving the judges an opportunity to meet and talk to the girls. Rehearsals take place on Wednesday and the final judging will begin at 8:30 p.m. on Friday at the Fleet Club in

During the contest, the girls will appear alternately in street clothes, bathing suits, and evening gowns and each one will be required to demonstrate a talent.

The winner will be selected for her beauty, figure, talent, intellect and personality. Miss Maritime Command will take part in the Miss Canada Pageant at

Toronto in November. The contestant's are:- Lesley Golding, 20, of Harlam, Ont. Denise Collier, 23,of Victoria, B.C. Sandra Eccles, 20, of Bar-rie, Ont.; Ciel Johnston, 19, of Canora, Sask.; Ann Payne, 20, of Hornings Mills, Ont.; Nora Taylor, 21, of Carleton Co., N.B. Lenore Penley 19, of Chamberlains, Nfld.; Cheryl Thompson, 21, of Mount Brydges, Ont.; Frances Menzies, 20, of Tottenham, Ont.; Judith Roney, 19, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Karen Sterling, 20, of Melita, Manitoba; Sheila Toop, 20, of Packenham, Ont.; Jutta Galicki, 18, of Denman Island, B.C.

### Smooth Top Continental **Bed Unit**



Quality construction features smooth-top mattress, sisal insulation, sewn border, 252 coils. Matching box spring. 49.95 SPECIAL

Legs . . . 2.00

347 Fifth Street Phone 334 - 4711

# GLACIER GARDENS

**Starts This Saturday PUBLIC SKATING TIMES** 

> Saturday 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. (All ages)

Sunday 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. (Tots and under 12) 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (All ages)

Tuesday 8:00 p.m. to 10 p.m. (All ages)









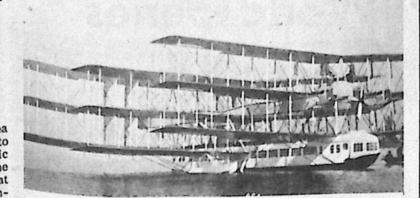
Clubs and teams should check with arena office for ice times now allocated.

# TOTEM HOCKEY

First game Friday, October 13 - 8:30 p.m. TOTEMS VS. ROYAL ROADS Popular prices.

(CLIP THIS AD FOR FUTURE REFERENCE)

# Pre 40 by Flyin' Chuff



Late in 1918 the Italian four along the front wings Caproni company set to work driving tractor airscrews and to build the largest and cer- four along the rear wings tainly the strangest looking driving pusher airscrews. A aircraft which had ever been covered corridor suspended attempted up to that time above the hull on level with Two years later in the win- the middle wings allowed acter of 1920-21 there appear-ed an enormous flying boat, in flight. Intended to provide the "Nineplandem Caproni comfortable accommodation Hydravi". Resembling noth- for 100 passengers, it did fly, ing more than a huge house- but was badly damaged when boat surmounted by three sets of triple wings, it was 10 feet long and driven by was repaired then accidently eight engines totaling 3,000 destroyed by fire before fur-h.p. These were mounted ther tests could be made.

### Open House at Fire Hall

The Fire Hall will be open for visitors each day during . . .

### FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Visiting hours will be from:

9:00 to 11:00 a.m. - 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. and 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. daily.

A parade of Fire and Crash Vehicles will tour PMQ's on Sunday, 8th Oct. at 1:00 p.m.

Do your Best to make this week and every week a FIRE FREE WEEK.



 REAL ESTATE SALES RENTAL AGENCY

MORTGAGES

HOUSE AND CAR INSURANCE

HOMES LTD.

Phone 334 - 4424

435 Fifth Street Box 760 Courtenay, B.C.



### VIC MURDOCH'S MEN'S Courtenay, B.C.

# **SWEATERS**

Pullovers

Cardigans

Loch Lomond Tony Day Regent Knit

White Ram Harvey Wood

Italian Art Knitting Regular from \$10.95 to \$35.00

Discount 10%

and ROUGH FIR and CEDAR

ALSO A COMPLETE LINE OF

TRY US FOR SERVICE

Field Sawmills

Dyke Road

Phone 334 - 2334

FURNITURE and APPLIANCES LTD.

## **CUMBERLAND**

DROP IN AND COMPARE OUR PRICES - SEE HOW OUR LOW OVER-HEAD CAN SAVE YOU MONEY

- Exclusive McClary Easy dealer for the Comox Valley
- Service by fully qualified personnel.
- On Dunsmuir Ave. Ph. 336-2041

## For Your FREEZER

ALBERTA GRAIN FED BEEF Sides ...... lb. 65c 

> Cut - Wrapped - Frozen - FREE WARD'S MEAT MARKET

"IN THE HEART OF COURTENAY"

LICENSED LOUNGE COFFEE SHOP - DINING ROOM

"A Good Place to Meet Friends" For Reservations — Call 334 - 3111

### SIMPSON'S MARINE SUPPLIES

- All Types of Fishing Gear
- Boat Hardware
- Life Preservers and Ski Belts
- Fibreglass Supplies

433 Fifth Street, Courtenay

Phone 334 - 4922

# McAuley Electric

- O Licensed Electrical Contractor
- O Specialists in Unhooking and Preparing Appliances for transit
- Appliances Installed
- New and Used Appliances Sales and Service

Phone 339 - 3393 or 339 - 2722 Anytime

# **Cumberland Hotel**

The House of Hospitality



See our selection ROTO ROCKERS, RECLINER CHAIRS and



Fifth Street



Published on alternate Thursdays with the kind permission of G/C KC Lett, Base Commander, CFB Comox

F/L RE MERRICK (Local 409)

ASST. EDITORS: F/L MS Eichel

F/L L Patterson F/O DR Mulvihill F/O HJ Henwood

Sgt HE Miller PHOTO EDITOR

F/L R Elmer (241)

Printed in Courtenay by Comox District Free Press 26 CARTOONIST: Cpl LG McCaffrey (Local 354) ADVERTISING STAFF:

> F/O D Barnett (Local 308) Salesmen FS C Bradley (Local 393)

FS P Conley (Local 449) CIRCULATION: Cpl K Paisley (Local 409)

SPORTS EDITORS: F/O GM Kruger, F/O HW Klein

The TOTEM TIMES is an official publication of CFB Comox. The editor reserves the right to edit copy to suit the needs of the publication. Views expressed are those of the individual contributor unless expressly attributed to the DND, RCAF or other agencies.

Inquiries may be directed to Cpl McCaffrey at Local 354

## Improvements Still Coming

"Another day, another dollar", runs the old saw, and most servicemen will be getting that daily dollar, or some fraction thereof, added to their pay cheque this month. The second stage of the raise which was granted last year, has now been paid and most servicemen's incomes will rise by about two percent.

This month's increase is just another in the series of improvements to pay and working conditions which have been made within the past year or so. Travel allowances have been raised to reflect present day costs, and moving allowances have been brought into line with reality. The allowances for food and lodging while on transfer are also expected to increase in the near future.

Equalization of career opportunity is another improvement that is coming, and soon all those serving in the three services will have equal opportunity for promotion. A uniform promotion policy for officers has been established,

and was published in CFAOs recently. In the early days of integration and unification, there were those who feared that the creation of a single monolithic service would mean that a lot of individuals would get lost in the shuffle. What, after all, was a person to a computor? Just an unintelligible collection of holes in a punch-card. Someone walking across a gas-bill in a pair of golf shoes could create an instant person, and megaservice would be none the wiser. The gas-bill could be promoted, transferred, sent on TD and retired and no one would ever know. G/C Gasbill certainly wouldn't complain.

But it hasn't worked out that way. Since unification began to stir, since the creation of CFHQ, there has been more evidence of concern for the average serviceman and his welfare and working conditions than existed for many

The major effort to establish reasonable rates of pay, the major effort to establish equitable and intelligent career planning for both officers and airmen, and the major effort to establish better working conditions in the face of some of the most stringent budget restrictions in the history of any Canadian service is evidence that the DND is not kidding when it says that its most precious resource is people.

Many more improvements are planned, so that the serviceman will never again be in the position of being hopelessly behind his civilian counterpart.

The department no longer expects just that its people be professionals, it expects to treat them as professionals. This means that a continuing effort will be made to improve all the conditions which affects the average serviceman.

A service career will never give you the problem of what to do with all that money that keeps piling up in the basement, but it can be highly rewarding. Particularly if thosewho get paid to worry about people, worry.

It looks as though they've worked some overtime lately.

### Vive le Separatiste

It is almost impossible to pick up a paper these days without finding an article reviling the separatists that can be found in La Belle Province. Some articles, more profound, attack the separatists who can be found in all provinces. The very right of these people to their existence, let alone to their beliefs is questiond. Separatists it seems, should all disappear and let the rest of us get on with living happily ever after.

But should they? Very few people would like to see Canada dismembered; a rag-tag-collection of small states attempting to maintain some semblance of nationhood. Fewer still would like to see all or any part of the country

absorbed by the colossus to the south. And it could happen. It could happen because many Canadians have become oblivious to the strains that confederation has imposed upon some sections of the country. It could come because those Canadians who are happy with the status quo cannot or will not see the need for change in certain areas.

Canada was created, one hundred years ago, from a clutch of small colonies, more out of fear of the United States than love for one another. The ground rules which were laid down at the time, applied to conditions as they were then. They were established by men, and were not imposed from on high with the accompaniment of thunderbolts. This would imply that there can be come give and take on the conditions of confederation.

The changes in the world, and in Canada in the past century have been dramatic indeed. An agricultural society has become an industrial one. A largely rural society has become a largely urban one. A technological revolution has rocked the very foundations of the society that was Canada

So it should not be surprising that some of the legislative machinery which was set up by the Fathers of Confederation has begun to creak a bit. Nor should it be surprising that stresses have occurred in the Confederation. And it shouldn't be all that surprising that some people want to opt out of the whole business and go it alone.

What is surprising is the readiness in many quarters to attack the separatists themselves, rather than to examine their ideas and attempt to determine the cause of the dissatisfaction. This reaction has, predictably, helped convince the separatists that their course of action is the only one which will enable them to achieve their goals.

But lately there have been encouraging signs of a willingness on all sides to re-examine the very material of which Confederation was made, and to adapt it to the vastly changed conditions which prevail today. The reexamination might very well produce a far better Canada for all of us.

It is not inconceivable that an adjusted Confederation might tailor tax resources more closely to the needs of the federal governments and so ensure a uniform level of services for all Canadians, no matter where in the country they might reside.

Separatism will never be the answer to the problems which are facing Canada as it moves into its second century. But those who preach separatism might force those who favour the continuation of a strong and dynamic Canada to adjust their thinking to today's conditions. Such a result wouldn't be all bad now, would it?

# Univac and the World Series

around again and statisticians something that will go the world over are assured of down in history. Or will go continuing employment for the next several months as they tabulate the results from the first pitch (first pitch ever to be again, is the announcer. At any thrown by a left-handed presi- rate, they are entranced. dent, fielded by a red-headed catcher wearing a four-fingered glove and chartreuse shinguards on seven hops three bounfrom a distance of eleven feet, four and three-quarter inches) to the final out (only stubbleto loft a foul fly into the left field stands to be caught by anstubble-bearded fielder wearing elevator shoes and a rocket-belt in a seven game series ending on a Saturday one hundred and eighty-three hours after the first pitch.)

Baseball, as everyone knows, or should know after reading this sentence, is the American answer to the British game, or ra ther, pastime of cricket, and is sort of descended from it.

men, stations them at esoteric way-points such as silly midoff, acquires a couple of wickets, and presto, the entertainment is set for the rest of the week. Cricket matches can comfortably be kept going for weeks at a stretch and no one gets very excited, or even unduly awakened.

But baseball, Ahh baseball. Now there is a different matter. All smooth and business like is baseball. The various positions are laid out at prescribed distances from each other, the parks are measured to within an inch of their lives, and every pitch, every swing of the bat, and every aimless swipe at a runny nose becomes an immutable part of the lore of the game.

Announcers breathlessly vie with one another to be first on the air with such shattering pronouncements as, "This will be Fred Foulball's ninth trip to the plate in this series. So far he has collected one loud foul, one quiet foul, three strike-outs two pork-chops and one hamburger patty. Hell, how did his diet sheet get in here?" These, and similar illuminating gems fritter away the time spent by the pitcher in wishing he didn't have to throw the ball. Some announcers, in fact, get so wrought up delivering trivia that they forget to announce what happened when the pitcher delivered his pitch. Some look upon any action in the game as an unwarranted putors in mind. intrusion into the statistical flow.

Despite this, people do listen. Lots of people. Undreamed of

World Series time has rolled are all mesmerized by the posworld series time has rolled around again and statisticians sibility that any time there might they're wishing that what will go down in history, never to appear

And why not, The action is electrifying. "All right, sports fans, this the big moment. Sam Stonearm takes the ball from guards on seven nops three doubters and faces out form the catcher and faces out toward ces and an eight-inch fold discentre field. He's rubbing the be going to throw it. Yes, that's right. He's finished rubbing the to the final out (only studies ball, and now he steps on the rubber and looks down at the catcher, Bert Blockpitch. Bert has been catching a long time. hasn't he Weepy?

"Yeah that's right, Tonsils. Bert started out with the Micropolis Mini-minds 20,000 leagues under the majors, in July of 47. I wonder how many baseballs he's caught since then? Maybe we can get our statistician to supply the answer as you describe the action for us."

"Right Weepy, Sam is getting To play cricket, one simply the sign now. Bert extends his rounds up a suitable body of finger, pulls it back, extends it again, pulls it back, extend it again, pulls it. . . oh, I see, Bert's scratching. Now he gives the sign.'

"Sam shakes it off. Sam's a great one for calling his own pitches, isn't he Weepy?' "You're sure a great one for

calling them, Tonsils." Now Sam gets the sign he likes. He checks the runner at first, he checks the runner at second, he checks the runner at third, and starts to cry. Now he's about to throw the ball ... Now the batter, Homer Strikeout, steps out of the box. It's a real battle of nerves, isn't it Weepy?

'You said it Tonsils. These guys sure know how to do it." 'Okay fans, Homer has stepped back in the box and Sam is set to throw. Here comes the pitch and it's. . . foul. Homer fouled it off.'

There is no doubt that stirring action of this sort is what has given baseball its pre-eminent position in the American social structure. It has everything. Heartstopping drama, excitement and blinding action. What

more could a fan want. And what more could a computor want. The game has everything that any computor has ever dreamed of. Many readily classifiable actions take place that can be punchcarded, coded, file, stored and recalled at will. The game was invented with com-

Abner Doubleday, it is said, was the father of baseball. But he wasn't, you know. He was numbers of people. And they just a clever computor salesman.

## Smokey Bear Says

As even the laziest reader of this paper will have noticed by now, we are celebrating National Fire Prevention week, which is always good for an outpouring of gloom from any convenient fire hall. The annual gloomdripping has developed into such a predictable torrent that people are beginning to wonder about fire chiefs. "Don't these guys ever smile," people ask.

Well, the truth can be told. Fire chiefs did smile once upon a time. Take, for instance, Herman Hosenozzle, chief of the Tinder Flats Fire Department, When Herman first joined the department many years and several chins ago he was known as a real character, to lapse into the jargon of those far-off times. Quick with a quip and ready with a retort, Herman dazzled the world in which he moved. He would have been a member of the Playboy Club if such institutions had existed then, and the Puritan town council had permitted such a scandalous organization within the Tinder Flats boundaries.

But Herman hadn't been a member of the fire department for long when he lost some of his ready smile. About two days, as a matter of fact.

It was Herman's first fire; and was a big one. An apartment block was on fire, blazing uncontrollably despite the best efforts of the Tinder Flats fire department and all its shiny equipment to cope with it. Eventually, it burned itself out, and the investigators moved in to discover that the fire had been caused by some blockhead smoking in bed. The blockhead had survived, but the block hadn't. Seventy-three people were homeless as a result of this stupidity, and Herman's grin was a little less

That particular fire occurred about thirty years ago, and if that was the worst thing that ever happened to Herman one could be forgiven for wondering about Herman's gloomy disposition.

But it wasn't the worst thing. Almost daily such occurrences kept the edge from Herman's smile. Almost daily he was called upon to deal with the results man's carelessness with fire. Often, Herman was called upon to carry the bodies of children from the charred shells of houses; victim's of carelessness and stupidity. Gradually Herman forgot how to smile.

And so would you if you were

IT'S MY LAST SET OF BLUES, AND THEY'RE GOING TO LAST ME UNTIL THEY ISSUE THE GREEN JOB.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR DEPT. Daily a fire chief must cope with the aftermath of stupidity and carelessness. Daily a fire chief is reminded that fire is never tamed; that it is always a killer. And daily a fire chief is reminded that people just don't give aa damn about a servant that could just as easily turn on them and kill them.

This editorial will not attempt to enumerate all the things you should do to lead a fire-safe existence. You wouldn't read them anyhow, and even if you did read them you wouldn't pay much if any attention to them.

Just remember that October 8-14 is Fire Prevention Week, and if you must have a fire don't have it then.

Herman will be busy showing off his fire engine to all the visitors to the firehouse.

### Note to Mom

Be sure to scour the oven next Sunday before putting the turkey - or whatever meat you're planning - in it to roast, says the Canadian Underwriters' Association.

Grease allowed to collect in an oven could cause a fire and maybe also singe the bird. Faulty or neglected cooking equipment is among the principal causes of fire, the Association pointed out.

to eliminate misconceptions pop-

text-books. Apropos of this.

the Division of School Broadcasts

is producing a series of nine

programs on the Indians of Bri-

tish Columbia. This series be-

Mr. Peterson also announced

that for the first time in the

history of education in this Pro-

vince, and perhaps on Canada,

a book will be included in the

schools that is written by a

native Indian. Mr. Peterson

added: "It is an excellent col-

lection of stories well-written

for children at the intermediate

level. Its title is Son of Raven,

prescribed text-books for

interesting and appropriate

entic sources."

### Editor, Totem Times, Sir: In reference to the M.P. Payfield squabble, I think that all this name caling and bickering is in bad taste and has gone far enough. Let's bury the hatchet and have "Peace in Our Times".

Signed. "Peacenik"

The Editor Totem Times, CFB Comox

I could not resist the urge and compulsion to write and offer my sincere congratulations on your last issue. Undoubtedly it will go down in literary and journalistic circles as the best single newspaper published in 1967 - a most worthy Centennial project. Your extensive, detailed and comprehensive coverage of 121 KU(Mushroom) Sqn. and its integral Kamikaze Airlines is noteworthy indeed, and certainly gives recognition to the boys with a "purpose in life". As an impartial observer I have often wondered why so little space in your fine newspaper has been devoted to such an illustrious and praiseworthy organization. Since it is the only operational unit on the base that does not have to simulate this and simulate

that why don't you give it front page coverage all the time - the taxpayers like to see their tax dollars well and usefully spent. While I have your ear perhaps

you will permit me a little more space to air my views on a couple of local issues which have lately caused considerable discussion around the base.

First a few words about the MP vs aircraft technician fued. While I respect the right of free speech I feel very strongly that you should use your editorial powers and restrict publication of letters when they go beyond the bounds of common sense. The original letter from the MP was well written and I am sure stirred up much interest, certainly it was major topic of conversation for several days after. The rebuttal from an aircraft technician was also well prepared and presented reasonable replies to the MPs agruments. However the MP letter in your last issue was positively in poor taste; it added nothing to the previous discussion and in fact turned away several people who were originally sympathetic to their cause. It is my opinion, that you as Editor, should present both sides of an issue regardless of how controversial it may be, but you should also refuse to print letters that go beyond good taste. I note by the small article you inserted on the editorial page that you are already thinking along these lines and I sincerely hope that you carry it through.

terest and on more than one occasion his barbs have hit perilously close to home. Considering that he is the servicemans answer to Walter Winchell Ithink he does a pretty good job of reporting on happenings around the base. I can't help but wonder how he finds time to do his regular work and do so much snooping simultaneously. Perhaps he has a network of spies, if so I would certainly like to meet some of them. I understand that B.C. is going to pass legislation concerning "invasion of privacy" if they do I suppose Seemore will have to start working for a living (on civvy street perhaps). Seriously though his articles? add a deft humorous touch to the paper so I would suggest, Mr. Editor, that you keep him busy while you can. Incidentally have you ever considered writing a commendation to his Section Head ( perhaps that should be condemnation). After all it is R211 time and every little bit helps, who knows Seemore may even get a promotion someday. Imagine Petty Officer Seemore.

Secondly a bit about that char-

acter Seemore. I follow his

articles with a great deal of in-

Finally I would like to say that this is one reader who looks forward to each issue. I particularly like your humorous approach to almost every situation, you get the message across in a most interesting yet thought provoking manner. I certainly don't agree with all your editorial comments but at least I read them now, which is something I neve used to both with. Keep up the good work.

Yours for continued success 'Technical Policeman".

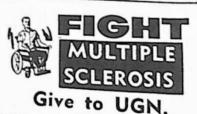
### Warning: Never Smoke in Bed

If you are a smoker, or if there are smokers in your house, heed this warning of the Canadian Underwriters' Associ-

Never smoke in bed.

Too many persons lose their lives when they doze off while smoking and the bedding catches fire, says the Association.

Elderly persons who are forgetful should be reminded periodically of the danger of smoking in bed.



F/L Locke Patterson, who for the past few months has been deputy-editor of the Totem Times is leaving the RCAF. This is the second Times staffer to leave the

missed.

The paper is now looking for someone to fill the gap caused by Locke's departure. Kindly contact the editor at Local 409 to volunteer your services for this exciting prestigious and fun-filled

The Man...

Breathes There

What brought the whole matter to light was a short note to the base authorities from a gentleman who was apparently confined to a hospital in Victoria, and who happened to look up at the evening sky in time to witness an aircraft doing something that resulted in ". . . a white, lacy, rainbow being spun overhead", in the words of the gentleman himself. The man went on to express his appreciation to the pilot for having made the view a little more attractive and furthermore, offered to buy the flyer a beer if given the opportunity.

The pilot responsible, if he is from Comox, has never come forward to identify himself. And no

In recent weeks a minor in- matter. Whatever the cause of vestigation has been going on in that "white, lacy rainbow", it's an attempt to find the name of a a nice change to hear that it pilot who, in the course of his made someone feel good, and work or play, formed an unusual that there wasn't a single comcontrail over the city of Vic- plaint. So often it is only the cranks and malcontents who take the trouble to write letters to anybody about anything. The gentleman who wrote into say thankyou to the unknown pilot, was judging from his letter, a veteran who has some pretty good memories of service life and is capable of

> It is pretty difficult to belabor this theme any further without getting a bit schmaltzy, but in a world that is filled with nuts and petty mini brains alike, all grinding axes, agitating stepping on other peoples toes, dwelling on the seamy and depraved, and so on, and so on, a man in a hospital is made happy by a contrail in the sky and wants to thank the man who made it. Here endeth the lesson.

> enjoying the activities of those

who are still in.

Once again it is Thanksgiving be sacrificed to celebrate the will gather together to give thanks for another good year, . . . not the tire variety. . . and pray for a few more like it. But still the voice of the curmudgeonly will be heard saying, "What have we got to be thankful for anyway? The world is rapidly going to hell, and we are expected to rejoice. Humbug."

And they have a point. The world and its inhabitants are faced with some pretty staggering problems. War in Viet Nam, famine and poverty in large parts of the world more than sufficiently serve to illustrate the point. Measured against this sombre background, joyous incantations about productive

pumpkin patches fall pretty flat. But for all that, Canadians have a great deal to be thankful for. The scourge of disease which blights other continents has largely been excluded from ours. Most of our children will grow to become productive members of our society. In many societies, children have little chance of outliving their childhood.

The basic problem of existence which plagues many other countries has been pretty well overcome here in Canada, although we have no reason to be smug about it. Some of our citizens live pretty dimal lives, but most Canadian have a roof of sorts over their heads and food of sorts for their sustenance.

Canadians have, through their governments, erected for themselves a substantial welfare system that ensures that all Canadians will be able to live in some degree of comfort and dignity throughout all their lives. The construction of this umbrella is still continuing, almost faster than the country can af-

What this means is that Canadians now, and in the future, will have the opportunities to develop their potential as individuals fre e from the nagging worries of financial insecurity. It means that there will be far greater opportunity than ever before for Canadians to contribute to the world.

And surely in this lies part of the answer to some of the very large problems that face the world today. For it is only by having the developed nations of the world devote their whole-

hearted efforts to raising the Day, and millions of turkeys will standards of the undeveloped nations that the spectre of unievent. Across the land families versal famine, universal war, and universal poverty can be avoided.

> The nations that have population and little else are casting about desperately for some method of improving their standards; of giving to their people the same opportunities for fulfillment as are available to us. They cannot do it alone. In its short span, Canada has

of life for its people, and all Canadian should give thanks on this particular day for the benefits conferred upon them. But this thanks should be tempered with the knowledge that there is yet much to be done,

achieved a remarkable standard

not only in Canada but throughout the world. The country has already overcome some formidable challenges, but perhaps the most formidable challenges still lie ahead.

We should be thankful that we will be able to play some part in meeting those challenges.

### Auto on Fire? Get Away Fast

What should a mother do if she is driving along a highway and her car catches fire? Engineers of the Fire Protec-

tion Engineering Division of the Canadian Underwriters' Association say she should bring the car to a safe halt, get all of the children out of the car, and retreat with them to a safe distance, preferably at least 150

feet or more from the vehicle. Then she should halt a passing vehicle and ask the driver to call the fire department or notify the first policeman he

"Fighting a fire in an automobile is a job for professional firemen," the Association said. "An electrical fire under the hood usually will burn itself out quickly after the ignition is shut off. A fire in baggage stored in the trunk is nothing to fool with — it is close to the gasoline tank. Get away from

### More Texts, More Knowledge The Minister of education, the standing of the Indian culture and

Hon. L.R. Peterson, announced that over seventy titles have been -ularly held that creep into our added to the textbook list for provision to schools within the last year. Mr. Peterson said: "Numbers mean little, but by far the great majority of these are Canadian publications. An in- gins on Oct. 16 and lasts through creasing number each year are to Dec. 11 and is based on authproduced especially for our purposes. For example, a new French reader is edited by Dr. Hickman and his colleagues at the University of Victoria. It is our hope that a thoughtful reading of it will give British Columbia students an interest in and an understanding of Quebec more reliable and accurate than that apparently possessed by at least one distinguished foreign visitor to our shores.

"Another example of specially prepared text-book material which has been provided is a little booklet entitled "British Columbia Source Book." This book, published by the Department of Education, represents the combined efforts of a great many people. Among them were teachers who assisted in developing a new type of course dealing with the resources of this Province, experts of the Department of Lands who have prepared and published technical bulletins, and professors in the Faculty of Education of the University of Victoria who have acted as special editors in preparing this material in the most appropriate form for students. The whole object is of course to enable our young people to gain a realistic understanding of the geography and economy of our province in their relation to the rest of Canada and the world. This type of work is also

being done for students who must become acquainted with the laws this Province. Resource materlal is organized in the booklet, British Columbia Acts, and its accompanying manual. Members of the Bar Association have indly offered to provide further advice on this kind of study. "We also have plans for obmining expert advice on how improve our curriculum and resources we presently provide so that they may be more appropriate and much more efgetive for use by the increasnumber of Indian children in schools. At the same time, Division of Curriculum is arching for more materials sat will serve to develop under-

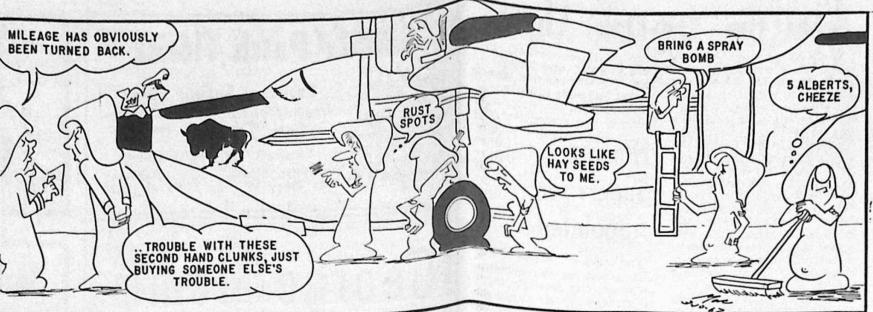
Son of Deer, and it is written by George Clutesi, a native of British Columbia, a distinguished Canadian, artist, poet and lecturer. This book will be of particular interest to Indian children, and it is being recommended for use in all elementary schools of the province in Sept. 1968."

## **Patterson** disappears

service in the past two months, which says a lot for the paper's career planning policies, or lack of same.

In the time that he has been on the paper Locke has contributed many touches of wit and originality which have won him fame and renown in divers points. His readiness with a quip or a deft word or two will be





### Make Inventory of Items in Home

If you had a fire in your home, would you be able to tell your insurance man just what items of contents were destroyed?

The Canadian Underwriters' Association recommends that you make an inventory of your belongings.

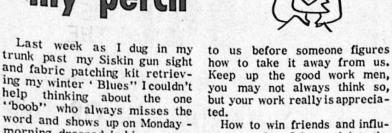
To do this, the Association suggests you go through your house, making a list of each chair, table, and every other article of furniture. Opposite each, write the price you paid for it, or, if you cannot remem-

ber or do not know the price, put down a figure representing what you think its present value is.

This list can be made in duplicate. One copy should be placed with your fire insurance policy. The other you may give to your insurance man so that he will have it for his reference if you have a fire.

You also itemize small items you may have in drawers, such as jewelry and watches. Don't overlook valuable apparel and items on shelves in

# trom up in



morning dressed in his summer ence people; I bumped into the uniform. You can imagine the RC Padre, S/L Lahaye the other mental battle that's going on in day and it was the first time I his head behind his obvious emhad seen him in uniform for some barrassment, should he go home and change and be charged with time. I congratulated him on what I thought was a new bar on being late or stay and be charg- his shoulder. He graciously ed with improper dress? I wonthanked me but said he didn't der who it was this year? think it was necessary as he Shaking the mothballs out of had had it for six years. You my own uniform, checking the can't win them all, Father.

fit and general condition I was able to sign the "Fall Ensemble" With all the noise and smoke over Jericho I noticed someone as serviceable. The stripes and came up with the bright idea that CD had to be entered in the it be moved to (where else) Sea minors, however, as they don't Island, look like they will survive yet Shocking news from Command last week. After straining myanother season. Turning away

from the smell of mothballs I self to the limit trying to please the man who writes my R211A noticed; Things are cooling off over at Darnbroughs' Discoteque. and ignoring my Sgt. completely, Command now decrees that Sgts. will write Cpls. R211As. I take ATC has been switching Daks on 121 so often that 121 is becomfort however, in that the F ginning to suspect that they are Sgts. had nearly finished that being used as a Dak maintenance difficult task when the news broke and a lot of Sgts. are walking base for ATC. New cigarettes made of let-uce leaves. A few years ago Why did they give the trial

and has been squawking ever

installing an off-on switch in

place of the standard accelera-

put your finger in the ring, pull

hold for 7 seconds and it goes

the adding machines and the smell

of musty ledgers being turned

The direct mail advertising

association of the United States

has awarded its first prize for

direct mail publicity campaigns

to the Information Services of

the Public Relations Department

It is the first time in the 50-

year history of the DMAA that

a Canadian company has re-

ceived the award. More than

400 campaigns from around the

Pierre Forget, director of in-

formation services, received the

award at a luncheon of the DMAA

During the campaign, aimed at

grade school, college and uni-

versity students, more than

1,000,000 information kits and

"wheels" describing the differ-

ent pavilions at the Exhibition

were sent out to 20 American

states and throughout Canada.

As a result of the Expo 67

campaign more than 700 school

groups, at times representing

25,000 students a day, visited the

Exhibition. They came from the

United States and Canada, par-

ticularly from Quebec, Ontario,

Both the United States Postal

world were considered.

in Atlantic City, N.J.

of Expo 67.

year, the way she tells it.

ounces.

tor pedal.

beer?

tuce leaves. A few years ago JGG uniforms to only skinny peo-ple? Do the wheels realize they used to put cabbage grindings into the cheaper brands there are a few plump ones in until the Food and Drug people put a stop to that. this outfit? Will we have to starve Congratulations to Cpl. Phil outselves just to save a little Trofimuk new secretary to the cloth when the new issue is out?

Cpls. Club. I hear Phil is look-Seemore Predicts: Lac Bob ing for a railroad engineer by Bruce, who took a roll of picthe name of Morrison. Congratures at 121's party last July tulations also to Lac Bob Nance-28 will develop same before kerville, new secretary to the he retires. Totem Inn. Bob took the news in

With Jerry Lemieux, Sonny Fullbrook, and Ed Tomchuck buyhis usual good natured manner ing murdercycles the Para Rescue section is starting its There is an Avon lady in PMQs own Club in competition to Hells who has hit on a new system for Angels, Satins Saints and others. stretching her grocery money. They're going to call themselves "Doc's Savages." Their most She quit feeding her husband. In the last five months she has saved spectacular stunt to date was \$463.34, and Tiny lost 43 pounds. performed last week when Sonny, Its hard to believe but lil ol' taking a last puff on his banana, Tiny once weighed 7 pounds 12 donned a back pack parachute, hopped on behind Tomchuck and Sgt. Norm Wright is in the roared off to Fishermans Lodge. automotive news again. This time As they turned into the lodge at he is installing dual carbs on about 65 mph Sonny pulled the his latest acquisition, a '57 Nash rip cord. This caper gave Sonny time to be inside the place, Metropolitan. I hear he is also

Have you tried the new canned Rumour of the Week: When My favorite brand is the Legal Beagles are through 'Old Hand Grenade" which with the Hippy News Paper "The comes in the snap top can. You Georgia Straight" the Totem Times will be next.

had parked the bike.

Runner up for Rumour of the Week: Those blue and also the Happy Birthday to Mrs. Jean black, ball point pens in com-Stamm, who gets younger every monuse in the three branches will Walk past the Base Psychedesoon be replaced with a new "Unified" ball point pen using lic Accounts Section these days and you will notice the roar of green ink.

And finally: Bill and Terry Grey, soon to move into PMQs over as the boys labour long into after a lengthy wait, will soon be the night to get the new pay raise posted to Chatham N.B.

in schools and universities may

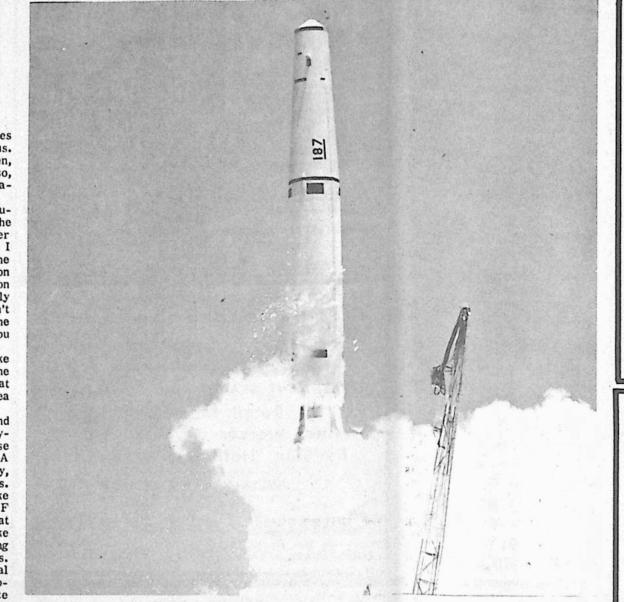
influence the organization of their

force's 3 Wing in Zweibruc-

at a dollar a seat per day.

bus in September, 1967.

own campaigns.



Ebenezer Strawsucker, a farmer in the peaceful Ottawa valley community of Cider Jug, Ontario, was horrified recently when his silo launched into outer space. "If I told Hettie onct, I told her ten thousand times not to store her damned sugar in with the rye, particularly when it rains." Mr. Strawsucker was quite concerned about the possibility that the inter-galactic activity of his silo would bring down upon him hordes of little green men, but the only thing that happened was the appearance on his farm of DOT inspectors, dressed in green, who violated him for operating a spaceship without a licence. Mr. Strawsucker was able to offset the fine by selling his propulsion method to NASA for use in future moonshots.

# Courtenay Chrysler Sales Ltd.

Home of All Chrysler Products

Sales and Service to All Makes of Cars and Trucks

"YOUR ONE-STOP CAR SHOP"

Port Agusta Motel

COMOX VALLEY'S NEWEST MOTEL

\* Centrally located in Comox overlooking beautiful Comox Bay.

★ 23 Modern Units

\* Cable Television

\* Hated Swimming Pool. \* Kitchen Facilities.

IDEALLY SUITED FOR -

Service personnel between transfers or moves If you have friends or relatives coming to visit

Reserve Now At The Port Agusta PRICES ARE REASONABLE

For Reservations Phone 339 - 2277 or 339 - 3110

# **Under Review**

have two in himself and two on 'the table by the time Tomchuck

ed further." The Minister said that the Act Mail Award to Expo

ZWEIBRUCKEN, C/ER-

It is proposed to delete the secken, Germany, bought its tions of the existing Act which 44-passenger touring cover questions of liquor as well as other discriminatory provis-It is available for tourists ions which work against Indian trips up to a fortnight long people.

There is some controversy among the Indian people about those parts of the Act which govern Band membership. Decisions have yet to be made on the question of membership and adopted children and those born out of wedlock. The status of Indian women who marry non-Indians is also contentious. At present Bands can contest membership for illegitimate children if they believe the child's father to be a non-Indian. The present law provides that Indian men who marry retain their membership and bring their wife, whether she was of Indian status or not into full membership while an Indian woman marrying a non-Indian automatically loses her status as

Indian Affairs Minister Arthur Laing said today that work is far advanced on preparation of a new Indian Act. "Working papers which will guide the legislative drafting people in the Department of Justice have been discussed with the National Indian Advisory Council and are now being reviewed by an inter-departmental committee," the Minister said. 'When the final review has been completed, the Act itself will be prepared and representatives of the Indian people will be consult-

is being given highest priority both in the department and by the government but that there is a long standing commitment to consult the Indian people and this has inevitably slowed the process down a little. "The Indian people have a right to examine the Act and to play a part in the formulation of the final version" he went on to say.

When the legal version is drafted it will provide Indian bands with much more scope for development. An outstanding feature of the suggested new Act will be provision so that Bands may incorporate and manage the affairs of their reserve community independently. "The new act will provide a flexibility which was lacking in the old statute," the Minister said, "It will enable each Band to choose the level of management best suited to their needs and will permit them to MANY (CFP) - The air progress at their own speed."

Bookings are aranged by the wing recreation officer and 3 Wing service and civilian employees and their dependents are eligible. The model has relining automatic swinging dors, Swiss upholstery, radio and PA system. It cost

# Good Reason for Blowing Our Own Horn...



Rerearch Bureau Seal of Approval ... your guarantee that goods wearing this seal have been tested and approved by Eaton's own qualified chemists and skilled laboratory technicians. Using modern, precision-made testing machines they simulate actual conditions of everyday wear and use of garments and home furnishings.

IN-the-Home Carpet Service . . . an added convenience you enjoy when you buy floor coverings wearing an Eaton branded line label. A call on the phone brings a salesman estimator to your home with colour samples from which to choose. He will gladly advise you on the choice of carpeting for your family needs. Only at Eaton's are Branded Line items guarded for lasting freshness with "Sanitized". This exclusive process protects clothing and personal items of home furnishings, such asmattress and rugs against the destructive action of bacteria . . . helps prolong the life of fabrics.

\* Registered Trademark

### Haddon Hall Park Royal Broadloom . . .

An extremely attractive floor covering with cut and loop pile woven from continuous filament nylon with extreme resistance to wear and freedom from piling, fuzzing or shredding. Simple spills and soil wipe up quickly and the double jute backing ensures you years of service in your home. Mothproof, mildewproof and crush-resistant in beautiful shades of antique gold, Egyptian gold, pine green, cypress green, Nubian brown, spice brown, copper, copper brown, red, mandarin red, ocean aqua, mushroom, dark beige, electric blue. 12' width sq. yd.

LIMITED

requested background information on the type of campaign that was organized. The success of Expo's direct mail publicity

and the Atlantic Provinces.

Department and the Canadian External affairs department have Support Your UGN Campaign.

BRANCH



CAMERA CLUB-A reminder to club members, that a lecture will be given on the studio camera and at that time, we will have several models available to sit for us and they have legs, man oh man. This will start in two weeks time, so keep in touch with us on - Camera Club photo Monday nights.

# From the 'Dit-Dah' Club

The Comox Valley Amateur after a break for the summer months. It looks like a good active year and with the improving HF conditions, it should be a very lucrative one for foreign contacts. The Rec Council has very generously provided funds for a beam antenna and this coupled to the excellent gear we now have should enable us to put a good signal into the ether.

Code and Theory classes will be provided which will enable anyone starting from scratch to successfully obtain his Amateur Ticket during the year. We would like to see more Service Personnel join the club, especially any who have had or have a ticket. One of our objectives in the forthcoming year is to link up with other Bases and provide cost-free traffic for local servicemen to points across Canada. Watch for further announcements about this service.

Last year we had 20 members; 10 licensed amateurs and 10 beginners. Of the latter group, two obtained their Certificates. This term the club being through the throes of initial organization, can operate much more efficiently. If you have even a

The Comox Valley Amateur Radio club is once again active after a break for the summer after a break for the summer tongued gentleman will give you more data.

### Nursing Supervisor **Appointed**

The Upper Island Health Unit anounces the appoint. ment of Miss Jean McIntyre as Supervisor of Nurses in place of Miss Doris Vosburgh who has left for the East Kootenays.

Miss McIntyre is a native

of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan and received her basic nursing training in Edmonton. Since training, she worked at the Department of Heath. Saskatchewan and then went to McGill University for her Bachelor of Nursing Degree. In this Province Miss McIntyre has worked at Qualicum and latterly in Trail where she was Supervisor of the West Kootenay Health

Miss McIntyre will be working out of the main office in Courtenay and responsible for the Public Health Nursing service of the Upper Island area.

Unit.



BELLES SI VOUS DONNEZ DE VOTRE SANG AVANT DE PARTIR

## Garden Patch Florist



Plants - Spring Bulbs Wedding Bouquets — Corsages World Wide Wire Service

also Tropical Fish and Supplies 431 Fifth Street Day 334 - 3213 Night 334 - 4173

# TORONTO OF CANAD

See Dick Henderson

At Simpsons-Sears, Courtenay

ALLSTATE

INSURANCE

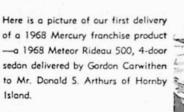
INSURANCE TIME AGAIN?

### Malkin Ford Sales Ltd. Next to City Hall

Ford Motor Company may be on strike,

there is no strike at MALKIN FORD

We still have some new 1967 FORDS and we have 1968 models on display, plus a good selection of used vehicles.





We have some exceptionally clean used cars just traded in on new cars - These won't last - SEE US NOW!

Jock Biller 334-2308

George Hamm

We meet Wholesale and Discount Prices on Swiss Watches

WE DON'T SELL TIMEX - WE SELL WATCHES ROLEX, LONGINES and WITTNAUER

Credit With No Carrying Charges.

CORNELL, GLADSTONE, ETC.

GEORGE HAMM, JEWELLER

325 FIFTH STREET

COURTENAY



**ELLES SERONT PLUS** 

GOVERNMENT GRADED ALBERTA STEER BEEF Retail Meat Sales Home, Freezer or Locker Meats By Side, Half Side or Quarter

Central Cold Storage

LOCKERS AVAILABLE NOW

Fifth Street COURTENAY Phone 334 - 4921

# WELCOME

The public is cordially invited to drop in and help us celebrate our Grand Opening

Come and join in the gaiety!

# OPENING

Searle's Shoes Ltd. Courtenay Store

# FREE

PRIZES

1 Dr. Scholl's

Foot Care Kit

Compliments of

SCHOLL MFG.

Prizes

GIVEN AWAY

DAILY

Just fill out the

coupon

conveniently

located in the

and deposit in the box

Free Balloons

FREE Pencils Nylons Rain Hats Buster Brown Spy Kits

Suckers

CENTENNIAL PROJECT Be on hand for our Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on Friday, October 6

at 10:00 a.m. Never before has an opening such as this, taken place in the history of the Comox Valley

PRIZES 2 Prs. British Rubber Sno Boots compliments of TOM ROPER & CEC McLENNAN

PRIZES

1 Pr. Men's **Hush Puppies** I Pr. Ladies' Hush Puppies compliments of GODFREY

FREE BOTTLE OPENERS SHOE HORNS CAN OPENERS

### Plenty Room

dation in Montreal for the final month of Expo 67 but visitors are advised not to expect space in mid-town hotels.

at Expo 67.

Federico Bartali.

ces Pavilion.

European artists.

"And this one has more deli-

cacy of color than Renoir and a

better line than Botticelli,"

countered his Italian colleague

The two artists found their peb-

bles among the 400 tons of beach

stones brought from Nova Scotia

to surround the Atlantic Provin-

"So many people take a liking

to the stones and want one as a

souvenir that in some places the

level of stones has dropped at

least a foot," said a hostess.

"People from inland have never

seen smooth stones like these before," Neither had the two

"We came to the Atlantic Pro-

vinces Pavilion to see the styliz-

ed whalebone sculpture. But we

saw these stones and they are

Apart from the large hotels, which report reservations for October at capacity, there is accommodation in motels and private homes. Visitors can have accommo-

to make two or three brief phone calls - by calling Expovox (514) What kind of accommodation

and location in the time it takes

would be offered if you were to phone Expovox tonight? If you are a family group of four and have travelled to Montreal by car, you may, by force of habit, ask for motel rooms. The Expovox telephonist will of-

fer you your choice of several motels. Those close to the Expo site will be about \$32 for a room with two extra beds, or \$40 for two rooms. Motels approximately six miles outside Montreal will be sheaper, \$22 or

\$24 for one room with two cots. Alternatively you can get accommodation in an apartment hotel on, say, downtown Sherbrooke Street - two bedrooms, a small kitchen and a bathroom for \$30. Or you can stay in a private home in Westmount or Longueuil (both very close to the exhibition) for \$8 to \$10 for one room and \$16 for two.

This one is less exquisite than a Dresden dall, "that's for sure," the gentleman in

the cherry picker seems to be saying. The gentleman in the centre appears to be agreeing as he adds that it also has less delicacy of color than a Renoir and that the lines are not quite as good as Bodicelli "I don't think that it would look so hot surrounding the Atlantic Provinces Pavilies and Expo," concludes the man

on the left, sealing the fate of this giant piece of rock which was later made into

Commented oil painter Bartali

of Rome, "I've never seen stones

like this before, smooth as a

baby's cheek and with patterns

more subtle and symmetrical

than a Paul Klee. Andremember

I know my rocks. We have Car-

rara marble in my country."

art at the exhibition.

tive pieces.

The two artists flew to Expo

Expo visitors, not only artists,

from London expressly to see the

take the stones home as paper

weights, or as simple souvenirs

of the sea to be used for decora-

The stones are typical of the multi-hued granite found on the

coasts of the Atlantic Provinces.

Pavilion officials are not wor-

ried about visitors taking away

all the stones. While there are

millions as big as an egg, many

of the stones are boulders weigh-

ing as much as three tons.

a NORAD tunnel and left lying around Colorado.

Disappear Fast

East Coast Rocks

Wolff fondling a beach stone at the Atlantic Provinces Pavilion in ceramics. 'They tell me I can take some home.'

For those alone in Montreal dation with their choice of price and seeing Expo on a strict budget, the accommodation problem is even easier to solve; Expovox can immediately offer you a wide choice of \$6 rooms in private homes in almost any district of

> Logexpo, Expo's accommodation service for which Expovox is the telephone service, was supplemented August 7 by an emergency accommodation booth set up in the lobby of the Queen Elizabeth Hotel to find rooms for out-of-town visitors who re-

port there in person. It has so far fulfilled 24,000 requests for rooms - in apartments, private homes, hotels and

motels (in order of popularity).

## Dystrophy Still a Threat

- NORAD News Services photo

At Thanksgiving we tradition-"This one is more exquisite than a Dresden doll," said German artist Manfred BeheimWall Collins one is more exquisite absolutely magnificent," said Mr. Beheim-Wolff, a native of Frankfurt am Main who works ally take inventory of the good things of life. Among these, this October 1967, no resources are more beneficial, more effective, more striking than the achieve-

ments of medical science. Diphtheria, smallpox, typhoid, cholera and the worst types of infantile paralysis - a host of infectious diseases - have been virtually eradicated.

Other killers such as cancer, diabetes, tuberculosis, pneumonia, and malfunction of internal organs have yielded or are in the process of yielding, to the wizardry of chemistry, surgery and new refinements of treat-

Only a few deadly maladies remain; muscular dystrophy perhaps the chief unsolved disease among them. Today some 10,000 to 12,000 of our fellow Canadians are its victims, most of them children for whom the disease

is nearly always fatal. Muscular dystrophy may strike at any time, in any family, any region. It is non-infectious, caused by neither bacteria nor virus. Its cause is unknown; its cure

non-existent. The Muscular Dystrophy Association of Canada sponsors a large number of muscle and genetic research projects involving the leading universities and medical research centres of Canada. These projects are slowly but steadily closing in on this last, historic killer. MDAC's program of research, its clinics, and its patient services are financed through contributions from an enlightened and generous public anxious to see one of the last great medical crusades ach-

ieve its goal. As we recall our blessings in the form of health safeguards protecting us and our families this Thanksgiving, let us pray that when next year's Thanksgiving rolls around we shall possess another medical shield one against muscular dystrophy.

Roulez votre manche pour sauver une vie... DONNEZ DE VOTRE SANG

SHOP & SAVE Watch for the many In-Store Specials during our Centennial Celebration.

> PRIZES 2 Prs. Leckie's Work Boots compliments of

member of the

indicated.

J. LECKIE CO.

FREE for every

Something

family



# Chapel

PROTESTANT CHAPEL

SUNDAY Oct. 8 - Thanksgiving Sunday: - Special Thanksgiving decorations arranged by the Ladies Guild, and special music from the Senior Choir willmark the celebration of thanksgiving in our Chapel. You are invited to attend and return thanks unto God at the 11 a.m. service this coming Sunday.

SUNDAY Oct. 15 :- In keeping with the happy event of a pay increase recently announced by the Accounts Section, the sermon on this Sunday will be entitled "Pay Raise Christianity". CHOIR PRACTICE:-Juniors, age

9 and up, meet each Thursday in the Chapel at 6 p.m. and attend Church every Sunday. There are still a few openings left in this Choir. Seniors, for teen-agers and adults, meet each Thursday in the Chapel from 8 to 9:30 p.m. under the direction of WO Yeomans. He needs more members as yet, particularly men. LADIES GUILD:- A good turnout was present for the first meeting of the Fall two weeks ago, and many exciting plans were made for the activities of the fall and winter season. Next meeting of this group will be held in the Chapel rooms on Tuesday, Oct. 17 at 8 p.m. It will be in the form of a work party and any women willing to help prepare for the Guild Bazaar in November are asked to attend. There will be ample material on hand and ample work for all to do. Come and bring your scissors!

SUNDAY SCHOOL; - Classes have begun for all age groups. Children 3 to 1 years meet in the PMQ school during Church (1' to 12 a.m.) every Sunday. Young people age 12 and older meet in Padre Archer's Bible Class in the Chapel office each Sunday at

Chimes If you children have not yet begun to attend Sunday School, this coming Sunday would be the best

time for them to start. Children

from Tyee Park, Comox, the

Trailer Parks etc. are most wel-

come. Children under the age of

three are cared for in a special

nursery operated by the Ladies Guild in the Chapel each Sunday during the Church service. For further information about Sunday School, do not hesitate to phone F/L Bob Sibbert, su-

perintendent or Padre Archer.

RC CHAPEL

SUNDAY MASSES: 0900 hours and 1100 hours SUNDAY MASSES: 1930 hours Tuesday through Friday

WEEKDAYS: 1930 hours SATURDAY; 0900 hours CONFESSION: Saturday evening 7 to 8 p.m. and before each mass FIRST FRIDAY; 1930 hours FEAST OF OBLIGATION: 1130

hours and 1930 hours CWL; First Tuesday of the month at 8 p.m. in the Parish Hall at p.m. following Mass in the Chapel at 7:30 p.m/ CATECHISM CLASSES: Saturday

1245 to 1345 hours in the PMQ School. CHOIR PRACTICE: In the Chapel

Saturday at 2 p.m. BAPTISM: By appointment. You are requested to phone the Chaplain's office local 274 one week ahead of time and give full particulars. COMMUNION FAST: One hour

for solid food, alcohol and beverages. Water at any time. NOTE: St. Joseph's Missals in English are obtainable from the Chaplain's office in the Headqua-

# Van's Verbality

by WO1 JW Van Buskirk MAN ABOUT TOWN The bright city lights are

dazzling and the poor, old eyes dimmed through years of threading lines through fishing hook eyelets have not yet adjusted to the new sights. Mini skirts are even semi mini sometimes which seems to help considerably in eye training generally and in re-focusing. I hope the eyes won't be like an electric light bulb just before it burns out — one blinding flash and then total darkness. I have obtained a set of dark glasses for preservation purposes which should help.

The traffic whizzes by incessantly and in haste, Many motorists give you the impression of drag racers and their challenging, flendish leer, as they scrape the paint of a heretofore virgin fender seems to cause them great delight. And you can't take your eyes off the road long enough to make a face or shake your fist, either.

There are all types of uniforms around here; brown, blue, green, etc. Some with red sashes and others with red flashes! I have stopped asking what they all represent as the answers are too confusing. Much to my chagrin I saluted a milk man the other morning but he was a good sport and tipped his cap.







Fire Feeds on Careless Deeds, as well as on wood and other combustible material. Will your home look like this today? . . . tomorrow . . . ? Fire Prevention Week is a good time for you to start a continuing program to rid your home of fire hazards.

# Only You Can Decide

If you seem to be having trouble with your drinking, or if your drinking has reached the point where it worries you a bit, you may be interested in knowing something about Alcoholics Anonymous and the A.A. program of recovery from alcoholism. After reading this brief outline, you may decide that A.A. has nothing to offer you. Should this be the case, we suggest only that you keep an open mind on the subject. Consider your drinking carefully in the light of what you may learn. Determine, for yourself, whether or not alcohol has truly become a problem for you. And remember that you will

always be most welcome to join the thousands of men and women in A.A. who have put their drinking problems behind them and now lead "normal" lives of constructive, day-by-day sobriety.

WHO WE ARE We in A.A. are menand women who have discovered, and admitted, that we cannot control We have learned that alcohol. we must live without it if we are to avoid disaster for ourselves and those close to us.

With local groups in thousands of communities we are part of an informal international fellowship with members in more than 90 countries. We have but one



HUNDREDS OF servicemen queued up recently to get their last look at the Honorable Paul Hellyer prior to his leaving the department of national defence to take over the Transport portfollo. The above photo shows members of the air arm of the Canadian Armed Forces as their part of the line goes past Mr. Hellyer.

primary purpose: To stay sober ourselves and to help others who may turn to us for help in achieving sobriety. We are not reformers and we

are not allied with any group, cause or religious denomination. We have no wish to dry up the world. We do not recruit members. We avoid imposing our viewpoint on problem drinking on others, unless we are asked to do so.

Within our membership may be found men and women of varying age groups and many different social, economic and cultural backgrounds, Some of us drank many years before coming to the realization we could not handle alcohol. Others were fortunate enough to appreciate, early in life or in our drinking careers, that alcohol had be-

come unmanageable. All the great faiths are represented in our Fellowship and many religious leaders have encouraged our growth. There are even a few self proclaimed atheists and agnostics among us. Belief in, or adherence to, a formal creed is not a condition of membership.

We are united by our common problem, alcohol. Meeting and talking and helping other alcoholics together, we are somehow able to stay sober and to lose the compulsion to drink, once a dominant force in our lives.

We do not think we are the only people who have the answer to problem drinking. We know that the A.A. program works for us and we have seen it work for every newcomer, almost without exception, who honestly and sincerely wanted to quit drinking. Interested persons can make a confidential inquiry about A.A.

in this area by writing Box 515

TV reception is wonderful but I will have to take a French course to understand most stations. The programs sound good and look interesting so I just laugh when everyone else does and boo

in unison, too. I find the barracks real modern and sophisticated. The BWO asked me if I wanted a suite and I thought that he meant "sweet." I reminded him that I was a proper married man but we soon got that straightened out. The food is excellent and my tunic is already tight from lack of table restraint. If it keeps up I'll have to discard my uniforms and go to work with my raincoat over my foundation garment.

I see a number of familiar faces and meet old acquaintances all over the place. I had no idea that there were so many affable geniuses located in one area working out difficult and complex problems. I too am learning to play that game X's and

When I left home I told the heir apparent that he was the man of the house so he should act like his father I hope he didn't take me literally and get into the

How about that!

# Fire and

So Mrs. O'Reilly's cow kicked over the lantern on October 9, 1871 and burned down Chicago. What does that mean to you?

In these days of brush fire wars, air disasters and weekend death tolls, the thought of 200 dead and 100,000 homeless doesn't make much of an impression. Even the \$168,000,000 loss doesn't raise much of an eyebrow in these days of billion dollar deficits and such.

Fire Prevention Week has to be reduced to a personal thing before it begins to rate your attention. You have to imagine yourself standing in a snowdrift, unsure of the whereabouts of your family, watching your home go up in smoke, and even then you say, "It can't hapen to

But it can. As long as there is a mother who "only stopped for a quick cup of tea next door', leaving her sleeping baby at home. As long as there are those tidy souls who pile great heaps of combustible materials under basement stairs, it can happen to you.

Fire is not something that happens to nameless, featureless people millions of miles away. Fire is something that can destroy your home and your happiness today, right now.

Think for fire, check for fire, and watch for fire. Then pray that it isn't your turn.

### Life with the Hatch Family

Hatch's Mill, hacked out of the 19th century Upper Canada backwoods by patriarch Noah Hatch and his family, is a cross roads for the adventurers, the wayfarers, the military and professional men in pursuit of their duty, the immigrants, the con men in search of a sucker, the clowns of the road.

Life is colorful, boisterous and tough in Hatch's Mill - a new CBC-TV series of 10 one-hour comedy-dramas, in color, scheduled to debut on the network on Tuesday, October 24, at 9 p.m.

Starred are Robert Christie, Cosette Lee, Marc Strange and Sylvia Feigel as the Hatch family -Nov (the father), Maggie (the mother), Saul ( the son), and Silence (the daughter). They operate the mill, the inn, the general store, and it is around them that the community revol-ves. Noah is also the local

magistrate. The village is situated on the rough and lonely road that leads south to Toronto, north of the hinterland of bush and waterways. The time is somewhere between the War of 1812 and the Mackenzie Rebellion in 1837.

Created by George Salverson, who wrote an earlier half-hour pioneer drama series for CBC-TV's The Serial (it was titled The Road) Hatch's Mill grew out of a pilot production, Hero at Hatch's Mill, seen on the network two seasons ago. Scripts for the new hour series are by Salverson, Munroe Scott, Donald

Jack and Leslie McFarlane. Filmed at Studio City, Klein-burg, Ont., last fall and winter, the series is produced by George McCowan, who directed all but one of the episodes. Associate producer is David Peddie; executive producer, Ronald Wey man (of Wojeck, and Quentin Dur-

# Rags will Send Boys to Camp

Those torn sheets, pillow cases and curtains; those shirts with worn collars and sleeves; those kneeless pants; in fact, all kinds of cotton rags can still be put to good

Dig them out of the cupboards, the drawers, and the basement, make sure that they are clean, and have them ready for pickup Monday morning, October 16th, when the mothers of the 2nd Comox Scouts, Cubs, and

Venturers will be visiting all PMQ's. If this pickup time is inconvenient, call 339-3489 and we will arrange for pickup at an earlier time.

There will be a sorting and cutting bee at the Scout Hall during the evenings of the 16th and 17th of October. Bring your scissors, we need all the help we can get, and perhaps we can find time for a cup of coffee and a

# Why Are There No Men

Even the youngest cub in the pack may be able to answer that question, but how many other questions about the Mothers' Auxiliary could you answer?

One that is frequently asked is "Why do we need a Mothers" Auxiliary at all?" There are several reasons, but some of the more important ones are; to help the group committee by raising funds, to act as a gobetween the mothers and the group committee, and to enjoy the sociability of some strictly feminine chatter over a cup of coffee at the end of the meet-

How is the money raised? Any and every method that a group of mothers can dream up, but the major source is the twiceyearly rag drive. Rags to riches becomes a reality when we convert these rags into wiper cloths that sell for up to 25 cents a pound. So if you want to help us raise money, please have your clean cotton rags ready for pick-up on Monday, October

How is the money spent? In

the past we have provided neckerchiefs for the boys and leaders, books for assisting leaders in program planning, and pack totem poles. We have also financially assisted boys travelling to Jamborees and Camporees. bought thank-you gifts for departing Scouters, put on refreshments for special pack and troop meetings, and provided money for many other worth-while activities in support of scouting.

Who can become a member of the Mothers' Auxiliary? Sorry Dad, not you, but any mother with boys in the 2nd Comox Group be they in Cubs, Scouts or Venturers. We need your support if you qualify because we want our group to continue being one of the most active in the District. Meetings are held on the 4th Monday of each month at 8:30 p.m. in the PMQ School. The elections have been hdld for this year so don't worry about being railroaded into a job that you don't want.

Remember, though, have your rags ready on the 16 and come to the meeting on the 23 to see how we did!

### Classified

FOR SALE - Corsa conv. 140 h.p., 4 speed, new tires. F/O Davis Loc 241 or Rm 215

FOR SALE - 1 pair girls figure skates, size 12, good condition, \$4.00 PMQ 67 or phone 339-3947.

FOR SALE: 1964 Honda 90cc Model C-200 \$150. Call Local 295 Cpl. Wagner.

FOR SALE: Transistor radio, Eatons Viking 10 transistor AM/FM new, never used. Catalogue list \$69.95. Take best offer around \$50. Call Wagner Local 295.

FOR SALE: 35mm Reflex camera, Kodak Retina 2.8 with 135mm lens and closeup lenses. Cost over \$300. Sell for \$150. Call Local 295 Cpl. Wagner.

WANTED - Girl's bicycle. PMQ 67 or phone 339-3947.

WANTED New style Guide

uniform size 12. Ph. 339-3829

RELIABLE babysitter available evenings or weekends. Call 339-3887.

WANTED Your clean cotton rags by the 2nd Comox Mother's Auxiliary. Shirts, pants, shets, drapes, etc. can all be turned into cash. You'll never use them again anyway so clear out those cupboards and have them ready of pickup Monday, Oct. 16th. FOR RENT: Furnished onebedroom duplex, \$90 close to town on 11th street Courtenay. Available now. Phone 334-2626, Mrs. G. A. Kirk,

FOR RENT: 2 Bedroom house, south edge of Courtenay, space heater. Water and garbage included for \$65 per month. Cable TV for \$3.50. Call 334-4386.

Box 879 Courtenay

1 bedroom turnished cottage south edge of Courtenay. Water and garbage included for \$60 per month. Cable TV at \$3.50. Call 334-4386.

# Carey Agencies

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

589 Cliffe Ave. - 334-3166 **EVENINGS PHONE:** GORDON BLACKHALL ROSS MacBETH PEGGY SILLENCE ED MUNRO 334-3728 334-2625 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT — BENT HARDER



## Real Estate and Insurance

P. Leo Anderton & Co.

Established 1911

P.O. Box 550

Phone 334 - 3313

EXPERIENCED SALESMEN TO SERVE YOUR EVERY NEED

Evenings Phone Wilf Anderton at 334 - 4257

# ELK HOTEL

ANNOUNCES THEIR FAMOUS

## SMORGASBORD

52 Assorted Dishes BIGGER AND BETTER

EVERY SATURDAY NITE. 6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M. BY RESERVATIONS

339 - 2261

339 - 2262



HEAD OFFICE: TERRACE, B.C. TELEPHONE: 843-2980

Custom Mobile Home Sales Ltd.

and Squire

Exclusive Vancouver Island Dealer KNIGHT and SQUIRE Telephone 758-7831

Nanaimo Office: Country Club Plaza Box 189 Wellington, B.C.

VIC PAGES, Mgr.

# LAVER'S

MAIN FLOOR

Gothic Padded Lacy Bra - In colours yellow, pink, blue and white. Sizes 32 - 38 .....

Also matching colours in Girdle and Panty Girdle. Sizes 32 - 38 ..... S-M-L \$4.00 to \$5.00

Shift Dresses — In bright Autumn colours. Turtle neck style with long sleeves. Sizes 10 - 16 .....

We also have a fine selection of ladies' Pant Suits in two and three pieces. Assorted colours and sizes. \$19.95 . \$42.50

DOWNSTAIRS

Boys' Corduray Shirts - A fine selection of solid Fall colours. Tapered fit styling with Perma Stay collar. 8 - 16 .....

Satin Bound Blankets-Non-allergenic, warmth without weight. Brushed Viscose, rayon and nylon blend. Machine washable. Assorted colors, Only ......

MEN'S WEAR

A fine selection of Casual Jackets in nylon and corduroy with pile lining. New Fall styles and shades. From ....

Perma Press Dress Shirts in white and pastel colours. Price ......FABRIC FLOOR

FALL BALL? ELEGANCE AT HOME? CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR?

Beautiful Beauty by the yard . . . Finest selection Jacquard Lame's, Lame's Peaudesoir, Lace bonded to Lurex, \$2.49 to \$12.50

Come and see them at Laver's Fabric Floor and plan your own individual Coutura Gown.

"THERE'S A REASON MOST PEOPLE ON NORTH V.I. SHOP AT LAVER'S"

## **Brig.** James Gardiner

COL. James C. Gardner, 46, Regina, will be promoted to brigadier January 1, 1968, and will take command of the 4th Canadian Infantry Brigade Group, Germany, from Brig. E. A. C. Amy, 49, Kentville, N.S., later in the month. Brig. Amy's new appointment will be announced at a later date. Col. Gardner is presently at the Imperial Defence College, London.



BE A BLOOD DONOR

# 1968 Postage Stamps

niversaries of historic signifi- stamp issues but at this time the cance, the nation's involvement Postmaster General saidhe could in international affairs, sport, not enlarge on this item by men-Christmas and a commemoration tioning the names or the dates of the 1918 Armistice will be of issue. This is an area where themes for Canada Post Office the Department prefers to have stamps during 1968, Postmaster an open period in order to take General Jean-Pierre Cote an- advantage of such material that nounced.

Mr. Cote confirmed that, beginning in 1968, contracts for the production of Canadian postage stamps will be shared by the Ca-Bank Note Company limited, both of Ottawa. Canada Post Office contracts for the production of the bidding procedures were altered this year in order that the facilities of both security printing companies would be available to

the Department. The two companies are installing new equipment for the production of multi-color stamps using a variety of techniques. Coincidental with the introduction of new processes, the Post Office Department has developed a design program to take advantage of the printing methods available. The overall total of new issues in 1968 will, however, not be as large as in the Cen-

tennial and pre-Centennial years. Consultations with Officers of the National Museum resulted in selection of the Narwhale a comparatively little known mammal of the far-north, as the first to be used in a resumption of the Canadian Wildlife series initiated at an earlier date. The Gray Jay as a design subject for a stamp will illustrate an example of bird life in Canada. Long range plans formulated by the Post Office are expected to result in a completion of the animal and bird series during the next four years.

One or two prominent personages from the pages of Canada's

Canada's Wildlife heritage, an- history will also be honoured by could gain importance through

current events. The need for optimum use and conservation of water resources will be reflected in a stamp recognizing Canada's active parted and the British American ticipation in the International Hydrological decade. The early opening of Canada's West through the fur trade will be marked by stamps have always been awarded on a tender basis, however, Anniversary of the Voyage of the Nonsuch.

As in 1956, when the Canada Post office prepared a hockey stamp, the Department will recognize Canadian sport by releasing a Lacrosse issue. Known to have been played by Indian teams before white men arrived, Lacrosse is recognized as the oldest organized sport in North America. This stamp is planned as the forerunner of others to complete a sport series within a few years. Another issue will emphasize the importance of the nation's meteorological service by commemorating the 200th Anniversary of Canada's first recorded observations of barometer and thermometer. Readings at Prince of Wales, Fort Churchill, Manitoba, commencing in 1768, are recorded by the

Christmas stamps in two denominations, to be released in October for overseas mailings, will constitute the continuation of a policy initiated in 1964 when the first Canadian stamps especially prepare d for this season were

Department of Transport as the

first by established scientists

continuing over the period of a

### Town Honors Trenton Airmen

The freedom of the town or Trenton, Ont., was given to air-men of CFB Trenton Sept. 22. The base opened in 1931.

Festivities began with a parade through town commanded by Group Captain D.R. Adamson, base commander. On the reviewing stand were the mayor of Trenton, D. James MacDonald; Air Marshal F.R. Sharp, vice-chief of the defence staff and members of parliament George Hees and Lee Grills.

The airmen marched to Centennial park where Group Captain Adamson was presented with an illuminated scroll and the key to the town. The scroll granted the freedom of the town to the RCAF personnel "in grateful appreciation of the services of the personnel, past and present, of this glorious service, to the town, the reigning monarch and to Ca-

Following the presentation, Queen's commendations were presented to Flying Officer Robert Simpson for brave conduct, and to Flt. Lt. Joseph Gagnon for valuable services in the air. The awards, presented by Air Marshal Sharp, concerned an incident in the Middle East in which the two pilots were involved.

Concluding the afternoon ceremonies was a dedication of an F-86 RCAF Golden Hawkaircraft which was handed over by the commanding officer of 6 Repair Depot, Group Captain A.J. Pudsey, to Mrs. John Tripp of Beta Sigma Phi, who then handed it over to the town of Trenton represented by Mayor MacDonald.

Evening festivities included entertainment by the CFB Trenton centennial singout group followed by a social hour for the town and RCAF personnel and a dance.

### Brits Join Mallard Project

OTTAWA - The British have joined Canada, Australia and the USA in a project to develop a tactical trunk depth investigation of the availcommunications system for the battlefield.

Project Mallard which was publicly announced last February, will take about eight years to complete and will provide secure, fully automatic, switched communications in the battlefield area from an army headquartes down to battalion. All mode (voice, written message, data and facsimile) will be incor-

There was a year of meetings among the four countries to produce definitions of the operational and technical requirements and a research and development plan.

In April, 1967, Canada, the USA and Australia ratified an agreement to proceed with the project and Britain became a partner in August after resolving cost and work sharing arrangements.
In the initial phase, elec-

tronics industries of Britain and the U.S. will carry out competitive system design studies. Industrial concerns in all partner countries are conducting supporting technique efforts, the U.K. share being phased in with the others.

Project Mallard headquarters is in Fort Monmouth, N.J. Program manager for Canada is Lt.-Col. Douglas C. Coughtry.

Help fight MULTIPLE SCLEROSI

Support Your UGN Campaign

- DND Photo



"Give it another flick, Pierre," the colonel seems to be saying to his RSM as the two men shake the world's smallest bedsheet. "You should see the tiny soldier

who sleeps in this," added the colonel. The sheet's regular occupant was, unfor-

tunately, cropped out of the bottom part of this photo.

Help fight MULTIPLE SCLEROSI

Support Your UGN Compaign.



This advertisement is not published or displayed by the Liquer Control Board or by the Government of British Columbia

# **UBC** Undertakes Study

when they feel ill?

Do they consult a physician? Talk it over with the corner druggist? Appeal to neighbors for advice? Go to a chiropractor?

And when they're really sick, do they get the kind of help they need, from doctors, nurses, social workers, dentists, rehabilitation therapists? What pills and medicines do

they take routinely, and why? Do they wait too long in their doctor's office before he can see them? Will he come to their home if necessary? How do they feel about doctors and other health workers? These are some of the ques-

tions that will be explored in a major study to be undertaken next spring by the University of British Columbia, in cooperation with the various professions in the health field. The study, including computer-analysis of masses of statistical data, will take three years

nation project known as the International Collaborative Study of Medical Care Utilization. The B.C. study will cost an estimated \$500,000. The newly formed Donner Canadian Foundation of Montreal will contribute

and will form part of a seven-

from the federal government. The study will be conducted by the Department of Health Care and Epidemiology of the UBC Faculty of Medicine. Dr. Donald O. Anderson, head of the de-partment, will be project dir-

\$42,000 the remainder will come

Acting as a steering committee for the project will be the B.C. Health Resources Council, a grouping of organizations representing the health profes-

sions, the provincial government, the UBC Faculties and schools concerned with education of health workers.

This will be perhaps the most ambitious project of its kind ever undertaken in Canada. The information it provides should be of great importance to governmental authorities and health planners as they seek to meet the increasing demands of the public for health care.

The UBC study will be an in-

resources in two typical Fraser Valley communities, code-nam-ed Jersey (Langley) and Fraser (Mission).

In general, the study will seek to answer four major questions: What health personnel and facilities exist in these two communities?

How are they now being used? 3. How could they be used to

better advantage? 4. What additional facilities and manpower (or womanpower) are

The study will be divided into two parts. One will be a complete inventory of health resources in the two communities. The other will consist of exhaustive interviews, covering the whole field of personal health care, with 1,000 families in each commun-

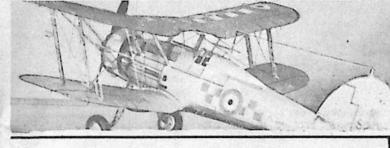
Heading the separate studies will be two senior research associates in Dr. Anderson's department: Dr. Hart Scarrow for the inventory of resources, and Miss Brenda Morrison of the household survey.

The resources study will be conducted from May 1 to Sept. 1 1968 by a group of UBC pharmacy, dental and medical stu-

They will make a detailed census of all health workers and facilities in the area, and by means of questionnaires, will attempt to establish the total number of man-hours available for personal health care, the time given to each patient, and the length of time patients must wait for appointments with doctors and dentists.

The household survey will be conducted by two teams, each composed of 12 interviewers and supervisors. Each team will interview members of 250 families in each of four six-week periods spread over the 12 months beginning May 1, 1968. Each interview will take about an hour.

All information given by the interview subjects will be kept confidential. Data from the survey will be sent, in coded form Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md., which will act as the central processing facility for all data collected



### SERGEANT'S MESS GOLF TOURNAMENT

October 13th - 1300 hrs. - Comox Golf Club

Entry Fee \$1.00 to Comox Golf Members \$3.00 to Non Members

For information call Sgt. Trynchuck, local 329

GLUB

ENTERTAINMENT for OCTOBER

SAT. 7th

SUN. 8th WED. II th Tuesday



REG. DRESS. FREE ROOD. FDXISSIDN 50%

SUN 15th FREE RESORD HOP!

McCONOCHIE'S FURNITURE AND APPLIANCES LTD. Courtenay, B.C. 430 Fifth Street

Your Westinghouse, Speed Queen, Motorola, Admiral Dealer

WHERE SERVICE FOLLOWS THE SALE

# TOTEM JUNIOR HOCKEY Player Try-Outs

Players interested in playing for the Junior Totems should be at the arena FRIDAY, OCT. 6 - 8:15 P.M. SATURDAY, OCT. 7 - 8:00 P.M. SUNDAY, OCT. 8 - 9:00 A.M.

**Bring Your Skates** 

THE

# King George Hotel

IN CUMBERLAND

Invites you to drop in and enjoy the friendly atmosphere

"Bring your friends and meet new ones"



## Drive-In

Williams Beach Road Gates 7:30 Show at 8:00

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

### **BLOCKBUSTERS!**



SUNDAY, MIDNITE - October 8 TRIPLE Horror Bill!

THREE FEATURES

Curse of Werewolf - Kiss of the Vampire -The Mummy

All in TERRIFYING COLOR

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY October 9, 10, 11





Visit Our APPETIZIN



THE REVOLT





## Van Doos Honored by German Town

sands of citizens of this 1000year-old town packed its market square to witness a ceremony unique in its history - granting "Freedom of the City" to the 2nd Battalion, Royal 22nd Regiment, the French Canadian unit of Canada's NATO land force in Europe, based near the

This honor permits the battalion to march through Werl with "bayonets fixed, band playing and the regimental colour at the carry". Some weeks ago Frau Doc-

tor Rohrer, burgermeister (mayor) of Werl announced the granting of the privilege, first time in the history of

Ages including troops of the

One of the newest devices

for safety on Canadian high-

ways has been adopted by

the Canadian Armed Forces,

following rigorous testing by

the Department of National

vance warning apparatus

known as the Safety Red

Triangle, for use when a ve-

It has no batteries, bulbs,

fuel or breakable parts and

The light-reflecting tri-

SOLTAU, GERMANY - En-

thusiasm and good training

make the best soldier, Gen-

eral J. V. Allard, Chief of

the Defence Staff, told troops

of the 4th Canadian Infantry

Brigade Group training near

this north German city, dur-

The 6,000 troops of the bri-

gade are spending two weeks

in the field practising battal-

ion battle group tactics, pre-

paratory to Exercise Rob Roy.

This is the climax of the

year's exercises when Canad-

ian forces will take the part

of the "enemy" in a mock

war involving the 2nd (Bri-

tish) Division, Dutch and

General Allard visited the

brigade during a tour of

NATO defence units in Eur-

ope. From September 10 to

17 he attended a meeting of

the military committee of

the chiefs of staff of NATO

While with the brigade,

General Allard visited service

units and the 2nd battalion,

Royal 2nd Regiment. During

his tour, General Allard

spoke to many of the 294

militia personnel who join-

ed the brigade in mid-Aug.

for two months training with

the Regular Force,

Danish troops.

in Denmark.

ing a four-day visit.

requires no upkeep.

**CDS** Reviews

CIBG

Triangles for Traffic

It is a new highway ad- Made of light, rust-resistant

hicle is disabled on the road. also urging individual ser-

angle, conceived by the Unit- It sels for about \$4.00 retail.

cenaries, English, French and Russian soldiery and more recently American, British and Belgian armies.

The honour was bestowed "in recognition of the efforts made by its officers, noncommissioned officers and men in developing and main- trees. taining a high standard of co-operation and understanding with town officials and citizens alike during the past two years."

The battalion paraded through the narrow cobblestoned streets to the market place to hear the burgermeister announce the granting of the Freedom of the City and read the wording of the official scroll before Werl has witnessed men presenting it to Lt.-Col. R. G. under arms since the Middle Therriault, commanding officer of the battalion along

Road Trafic, can be dropped

bent or severely damaged

without loss of efficiency. It's

visible to oncoming motorists

for as much as a quarter-

mile, even in the most ad-

verse weather conditions.

metal, it stands 16 1/2 inches

vicemen to use the triangle

for protection of themselves

and their families when

SOEST, GERMANY - Can-

adian troops are being bran-

ded "bad guys" in northern

Germany these days, but un-

driving privately-owned cars.

The Defence Department is

high when assembled.

Rob Roy

der orders.

in Werl which is being developed by the battalion as a football field, and the Werl forest where the unit has installed five benches and planted six Canadian maple

Earlier in the day, the of-

ficial party visited an area

# Recipe of

You can always say, "Stay for lunch or Sunday night supper," and come up with an unusual and attractive company meal in a matter of minutes, when you keep a few cans and frozen packages of Canadian-Oriental food products on hand.

For a quick luncheon idea, try Scrambled Eggs with water chestnuts, created by The Kitchens of Chun King, Bits of crunchy water chestnuts and a dash of soya sauce turn this standard egg dish into something special. Accompany the eggs with some fried rice with chicken (which comes already prepared in canned form for your convenience) and for a touch of color some juicy slices of fresh tomatoes, if desired. Serve tea or coffee, wind up with some fresh fruit, and you'll have a lunch to be proud of.

Unexpected guests for Sunday night supper? Serve Chicken-noodle Chow Mein, a casserole with an exotic flair from The Kitchens of Chun King. The use of prepared frozen chicken chow mein cuts preparation time to a minimum, and you can enjoy your company while the casserole bakes. Round out the meal with a tossed green salad, hot rolls with lots of butter, and a beverage. This "spur of the moment" supper is sure to please you and your company.

Both recipes can be doubled for additional guests. SCRAMBLED EGGS WITH

WATER CHESTNUTS: -

6 eggs, well beaten 1/2 tsp. salt

1/4 cup water

Along with 2,000 Dutch, 1/2 cup sour cream British and Danish soldiers, 2 tbsp butter they're the mainstay of a 7,000-man enemy force do-

ish formation 13,000 strong. Scene of the confrontation is a 35-mile front near the Pied Piper town of Hamelin, but the mythical aspects end right there. They're engaged in a large-scale, no-Exercise Rob Roy.

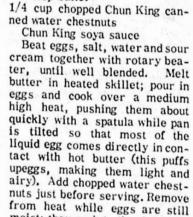
ing battle with a larger Brit-

For the troops, between now and Oct. 5, it's hard rations and sleep on a catchcan basis. Mobility and down-to-earth realism highlight the operation as they tackle asault river crossings and night-time moves at a moment's notice.

Aim of all is to test concealment and phases of war such as the breakthrough and penetrations in strength To protect newly-constructed bridges from sabotage, 12 combat divers, specially flown from Canada, will carry out underwater pat-

A team of Defence Research Board scientists and armed forces observers from Ottawa will watch from the sidelines, along with Mobile Command's new deputy chief operations, Maj.-Gen. J. A. Dextraze.

The exercise winds up a year's training cycle for the Canadians, Earlier they completed a series of warm-up exercises in Germany's north country.



Makes 4 to 6 servings. CHICKENOODLE CHOW MEIN 1 package (17 oz.) Chun King frozen chicken chow mein

moist; they cook to the right con-

sistency in their own heat by the

time they reach the table. Serve

sprinkled with soya sauce.

1 cup egg noodles (any width) 1 tbsp. Chun King soya sauce 1 1/4 cups hot water

1 cup shredded cheddar cheese Place frozen block of chicken chow mein in 1 1/2 quart casserole, cutting off corners of block to make it fit dish, if necessary. Surround chow mein with noodles; blend soya sauce and water and pour over noodles, moistening them thoroughly. Cover and bake in 375 degree oven for 35 minutes. Remove cover, fold in cheese; let stand a few minutes before serving to melt cheese. If doubling, use 3 quart casserole bake from 35 to 45 minutes, or until heated through; then fold in cheese as instructed. Makes 4 servings.



"April Fools," cries the pilot gleefully as this team of frogmen look around in be-wilderment. Having been promised a ride to the seashore the frogmen were bit-terly disappointed to find themselves let out at a spot ten miles north of Elbow, Sask., and told to wait until the South Sask. Dam had taken effect. "Hurry up and wait, is one thing," said one of the men, "but this is ridiculous." Three of the frogmen have already packed their fins in disgust, and reboarded the heli-



BE WELL EQUIPPED ON THE JOB IN COMFORT-ABLE, ROOMY, STURDY WORK CLOTHES



Stanfield Work Sox

HEAVY DOESKIN

Work Shirts





LOGGER'S DENIMS BIG HORN BRAND Strong 111/4 oz. Denim Braces Buttons Large Roomy Cut Double Knees

Strong Seams Sizes: Waist 30" to 46"

.50

FULL STOCK STANFIELD'S WINTER UNDERWEAR ON HAND BILL RICKSON MENSWEAR LTD.

"YOUR MONEY'S WORTH OR YOUR MONEY BACK"

# When did Niagara come into the picture?



A medical bill. A clothing bill. A car repair bill. They all seemed to come at once. Jack needed money in a hurry.

Answer: A Niagara Loan. Jack talked it over with the manager of the nearest Niagara Office. Besides getting the money, he got a lot of good advice on budgeting. With a Niagara Loan, Jack was able to pay all his bills at one time. And repay the loan on easy terms to suit his budget.

When you need extra money for any good reason, you can expect the same courteous, quick service at any one of 300 Niagara offices.

NIAGARA FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED Member of the (ac) Group of Companies

### Whatever your banking needs may be...

borrowing-saving sound advice...

> you'll find a helpful ally in The Bank of Nova Scotia. Visit us soon for prompt, friendly, courteous service.



.........

# New from DuBarry Shadow Dusters

Brush-on Powder Eye Shadow

Four fashion co-ordinated shades to 

DuBarry Saphicti-Creme. Specially offered at \$1.50. Regular 2.00

New DuBarry Royal Shampoo in the new plastic container.



H. A. ROBERTS (Courtenay) LTD

439 Cumberland Road

Opposite Court House

MEMBERS MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE



Young couple's special — Attractive 2-BR home on ½ acre close to Air Base — Recently renovated — New w/w carpet — New H/A gas furnace — Drilled well with unlimited water — Plan designed for easy, economical addition of 2 bedrooms now or later — FP only \$9,300.00 with reasonable down payment and \$80.00 per month. Owner will consider the defendant of the second seco sider trade for equity in a house trailer.

COURTENAY HOMES

3 BR home on large, well-landscaped lot — Hardwood floors — Pine panelling — Fireplace — \$21,500.00 — Terms.

Near new — Well-located rustic 3 BR home — 15'x20' living room with w/w carpet — 9'x11' dining room — Double carport — \$21,000.00 — Terms.

3 BR bungalow — Natural cedar exterior — Close to school — \$14,000.00 — Terms.

SURROUNDING AREA HOMES

EXCLUSIVE — Arden Heights — Smart, stucco, modern 3 BR home — Fireplace — Separate dining room — Can qualify for VLA — \$21,000.00 — Terms.

2 BR home on one acre - Separate work shop - Anderton Road close to ferry turn-off — \$7,000.00 — \$1,000.00 down — Balance \$75.00 per month. 2 BR home, well located south of town on 112 acres, good

residential property, \$12,000.00 - Terms. FARMS EXCLUSIVE - 235 acre dairy farm - Half cleared - 110

head Holsteins - 1850 lb. milk quota - good buildings and equipment - ample water for irrigation - full particulars

100 acres close in - 4 BR home with new plumbing, wiring, and heating - Good barn - \$45,000.00.

EXCLUSIVE - 71 acres - Good soil and water supply -

3 BR family home.

Several waterfront lots available - Also good semi-water-

Good selection residential lots.

Half acre lots - Close in - \$1,100.00 each.

SEPCIAL PROJECTS DIVISION

This division deals with subdivisions, property develop This division deals with substitution of value to new or mand specialized knowledge can be of value to new or prospective developers. Ask for Dick Farrington.

MEMBERS MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE Phone 334-2471 EVENING PHONES:

Hal Helgason - 339 - 2178 Gordon Vilven - 339-2485 Dave Strach



Badminton - Sept. - May Basketball - Oct. - Mar. Broomball - Jan. - Mar. Bowling - Sept. - May Curling - Oct. - Mar. Flag Football - Sept. - Oct. Floor Hockey - Nov. - Dec. Hockey - Nov. - Mar. Judo - Nov. - Mar. Softball - June - Aug Table Tennis - Oct. - June Volleyball - Oct. - Mar.

## From the Sports Editor's Desk

rays have vanished and the any of the other hockey clubs long dreary days of rain and but consensus up to press wind are upon us. This is the time reveals a battle royal time of year when all we sports enthusiasts must exchange our water skiis and fishin' poles for blades and

On the subject of blades, I hear via the grapevine that the Glacier Gardens will be in full swing very soon with hockey and skating galore for those who are so inclined. I am also told that the Demons are going to wipe out the Nighthawks when the hockey season does get underway. Could there be any truth in this rumour? I have not as yet received any word

Well the summers warm on the proposed strength of between the Demons and Nighthawks with a team from Courtenay thrown in for the sake of competition.

> The curling season is also looming on the horizon. The local Comox Valley Club is running a mixed Spiel over the long weekend and there is still time to get an entry in. The president of the club Mr. A. Thompson is the wheeler dealer down at the Elks club in Courtenay and can be contacted there for further information regarding this seasons curling.

## Sports Report **Tabled**

A story of increased success by Canadian athletes in international competition is all in the 1966-67 annual report of the Federal Government's Fitness and Amateur Sport Program.

The report, tabled in the House of Commons, spells out the program's involvement in the 1966 Commonwealth Games in Jamaica, the Pan-American Games, First Canadian Winter and other special projects relating to fitness and sport.

the British Empire and Commonwealth Games earned 57 medals, according to the report. This was 26 more than Canada won at the games in Perth, Australia, in

The First Canadian Winter Games, held in Quebec City in February brought more than 1,800 Canadian athletes together and represents "one of the most exciting milestones in Canadian financed by grants totalling \$700,000 under the Fitness Pro-

Federal grants that totalled \$2,450,000 were made toward support for the organization and staging of the Pan-American games in Winnipeg, and further grants amounting to \$500,000 were made available for Centennial sports events, including world championships and tournaments in badminton, water skiing, lacrosse, rowing, fencing and lawn bowling.

closely associated with the Symposium on Recreation, held in Montreal in June. More than 1,500 delegates representing some 170 affiliated agencies attended the week-long Symposium.

Committees of the National Advisory Council on Fitness and Amateur Sport were involved in two significant studies during the year. They included an in-depth study of the state of amateur hockey in Canada, and its relationship to professional hockey.

Council also probed the state of amateur boxing in Canada, and recommended withdrawal of support for the sport until "adequate supervision of training and competition, safeguards against injury, and changes in rules governing amateur boxing" could be effected. The investigation into

boxing is continuing. The Program took significant steps toward assisting in strengthening the structures of sports governing bodies throughout the country. It has encouraged the organizations to prepare longrange developmental programs, initially on a three-year basis. The plans would be under continual review by a committee that includes a council member and members of the sports-governing bodies concerned as well as university and provincial of-

Grants totalling nearly one and a quarter million dollars were made to national associations during the year. These grants went to support national and international compeitions, leadership training and administrative

One million of the annual five million dollars provided through the Fitness Program, is allocated to the provinces under a federal-provincial agreement that is

worked out on a per capita basis. Under the agreement the federal government pays 60 per cent of the cost of approved provincial projects, the province providing

the other 40 per cent.

One hundred and ten scholarships and fellowships were awarded during the year to students pursuing advanced studies in physical education and related Games, Centennial sports events fields. The \$188,675 in such awards supported 37 students working toward doctorate degrees and 71 working toward masters' degrees. Since the start of the scholarship program nearly 300 students have received post-graduate assistance.

The Program also supported research projects in fields related to sports and physical education. A total of \$346,000 went toward 16 individual studies and to support research units set up at the universities of sports history." Thegames were Alberta, Montreal and Toronto.

In co-operation with the Queen's printer and the National Film Board the Department produced a variety of audio-visual promotional and instructional aids. They included a promotional film on water sports, track and field wall charts, and several other booklets and pamphlets. Work was also initiated on additional promotional and instructional films on volleyball, badminton and recreation. As well as these informational aids, the The Fitness Program was program provides a consultant service for the more than 50 national sports organizations receiving assistance through the program. The service includes technical advice on the organizations' programs and assessment of the projects that have received federal support.

> Thirteen members were appointed to the 30-member National Advisory Council on Fitness and Amateur Sport. They replace members whose terms on council have expired.

The 20-page report was tabled in the House today by Health and Welfare Minister MacEach-

3 MAN VOLLEYBALL

BASE SPORTS

The 3 man volleyball lea-

gue is just underway and it

is running fairly well. One of

our original teams has drop-

ped out but 407 has put in

a second team. New sched-

ules are now out so let's get

those postponed games

caught up. Here are the

standings up to and includ-

407 "B" (Just entered this

Rec Centre .....2 0 2

Accounts ..... 2 1 1

ing the 29 September.



VAST STRETCHES of secluded sandy beaches await the sun worshipper in the Comox Valley, With Summer only nine months away, the bikinis should be at the ready and the winter bulge tucked away.

## **Zone Softball Finals**

by GORD PALMER

NAVY WINS CHAMPIONSHIP CFB Comox competed in the zone softball finals held at Esquimalt from Sept. 20 to 22 and unfortunately were eliminated in a semi final by Esquimalt. The six teams in the tournament were Esquimalt, Ladner, Baldy Hughes, Holberg, Kamloops and

In the first round Comox played against Esquimalt and was defeated 9 to 8 in thirteen innings. It must be said that this was one of the best ball games seen in a good many years, with both teams going all out and giving it everything they had. The leading batter in the game was Jim Sommen who came up with three big hits, one of which was a home run. Comox pitchers were Frank Britton and John Zigarlick, both turning out fine performances.

In other first roundgames Ladner defeated Kamloops, and Baldy Hughes defeated Holberg. When Comox took the fields to play the secondgame they were faced with the problem of having to defeat Kamloops as it was a

double elimination tournament. hey managed to win the game by a score of 12 to 4. During this game they had a couple of players slowed down by injuries. Bill free, Rough took a foul tip on his bare hand and Jack Mercer came up with a nasty blister on his heel. These injuries along with Jim Sommen's bad leg didn't do much to help the cause. In the second round games Esquimalt defeated Ladner and Baldy Hughes defea-

ted Holberg. On Friday morning the tournament had reached the quarter finals when Baldy Hughes defeated Ladner to eliminate them from further competition. In the third game Comox faced Esquimalt who

game had begun on Thursday night but was called due to darkness after nine innings, the score being tied at three all.

Friday morning saw a renewal of the battle, with Esquimalt finally coming out on top by a score of 5 to 3 in twelve innings. The final saw Esquimalt wipe out Baldy Hughes and so gain the championship and all the glory.

A big sincere congratulations goes out to the boys from Comox for an excellent showing and job well done. They proved that they were worthy contenders and had it not been for injuries the score may have been reversed.

This brings a close to the '67 softball season so good cheer, I'll see you in a year.

includes practices. Bill Lothian, our Head Coach, has asked that I pass on to all interested persons that he is

The ice is coming along very well and unless we get ninety degree weather everything should The lads in each division will

only have skating drill, no sticks or pads required. The Coaches and Referees will be giving instructions and explanations of different infractions with demonstrations of each infraction so the lads will have a much better understanding of the game.

Dick Merrick, the President of

Minor Hockey News

the Hockey Association returned from the B.C. Minor Hockey meeting and reported on a number of changes in the Minor Hockey rules.

proaching with registrations just

about all in. Cut-off date for re-

gistrations was Sept. 30.

be ready by the Oct. 7.

One change which is most important is: "The use of suitable mouth guards will be compulsory in all divisions." These mouth guards are available at the Sportman's Centre and at Glacier Gar- fellows.

dens. So please remember boys you must use mouth guards to play hockey this year, this

still short of Coaches and Assistant. So, if anyone wishes to help out please give Bill a call.

The schedule for skating practice and instructions on Saturday has Mosquitoes from 0700 to 0830. Pee Wees 0845 to 1015. Bantam 1030 to 1200. Midget and Juvenile 1215 to 1400 hours. So fellows lets get the blades sharpened and we will see you at

the rink Saturday, Oct. 7. The Executive and hockey fans wish to thank the Comox Lions' Club for their generous support of hockey in the area. The Lions' Club Bingo raised a considerable amount of money and I hope everyone will make an effort to let the Lions know how much we ap-

### Flying Club Goes Commercial

The announcement this week that the Base Credit Union has backed the Comox Flying Club's Fly-now Pay-later plan has been met with a clamour for the Club to gopublic and put its shares on the market. The immediate effect of the announcement, however, is seen as a tremendous upsurge in the number of students which means more instructors, more aircraft, and more

hangar space. While already a twin engine operation (one in each of the Club's two aircraft) no immediate confirmation has been given to the rumour that the club is soon' to get jets. A club spokesman who asked not to be quoted was quoted as saying: "When we do go jet we'll go all the way. This ridiculous idea of hanging jet engines on conventionally-powered aircraft is like equipping a girl with falsies. They look great but fall apart under actual opera-

Apart from the tremendous interest shown by the investment world, the announcement now brings a pilot's licence within easy reach of any serviceman. For nothing down and only \$30 a month he'll find himself at the controls of one of the Club's

into his throat was saved by fast

crowd around a girl who had

stopped breathing. He immed-

lately applied artificial respira-

breathing by the time the am-

not as serious. They range

through nose bleeds, splinters,

headaches, scrapes, fainting,

twisted ankles, cut feet, blisters,

bruises, sunburn and just plain

exhaustion - a not uncommon

state among Expo visitors. By

the time Expo ends, it is esti-

mated that more than 30,000

cases will have been handled.

One of the busiest spots from

first aid standpoint has been

the Meditheatre in the "Man and

His Health' pavilion, where re-

alistic films of operations are

shown. In mid-May, in re-

sponse to an urgent request from

Expo authorities, St. John estab-

lished emergency first aid facil-

itles in the building. It is man-

ned by four St. John Brigade

members who have treated as

many as 404 people for fainting or

The reaction of Expo-goers to

the St. John first aid service has

been one of surprised delight.

Many of those treated are Am-

ericans who are amazed at the

free service - the St. John Bri-

gade not being active in the United

While Expo has been in pro-

gress, other teams of St. John

volunteers have been providing

first aid coverage for such func-

tions as the Pan American Games

the Canadian National Exhibition

the Calgary Stampede and

the Centennial Train and Cara-

States.

light-headedness in one day.

bulance arrived with oxygen.

A dedicated band of men and fied it as a severe allergic reac-

An off-duty

women - 2700 strong - are giv- tion and rushed her to the medi-

ing up some or all of their hol-days to help the sick and injuryal man whose tongue had fallen back

unteers and the service they pro- from Port Arthur came upon a

Members of the ST. John Am- action.

ulance Brigade, they are all vol-

vide at nine first aid posts is

day tours of duty at Expo. One

man took a week's leave with

out pay to do his bit. Two Bri-

gade members from Great Bri-

tain found service at Expo a

great way to get to know the

lives to the St. John volunteers.

A young girl's throat began to

swell rapidly and she would have

choked to death, if the St. John

Brigade member had not identi-

Several Expovisitors owe their

They come from all parts of

modern aircraft taking his final licensing test from one of the Club's own instructors. The friendly, relaxed atmosphere of

preciate their help. Thanks again

dealing with service pilots with thousands of hours air experience from first flight to final test guarantees the maximum in enjoyment, proficiency and thoroughness of training. No one has lived until he's "Danced the skies on laughter-silvered wings". The experience has never been easier

to attain than right now. Fly-now Pay-later has already generated a great deal of interest amongst the girls in our community. The Club welcomes this interest and everyone else's although it did turn down a request for flying lessons from agroup later thought to be radio officers. They had explained the lessons weren't for themselves but for some person referred to only as "The Skipper". The number of hours involved was such that little time would be left for re-

gular training. The rumour that 409 Sqn. flying training would start a gradual shift to the weekends as a result of the anticipated rise in Flying Club activity is thought to be premature. Search and Rescue operations could increase, how-

### NATO Hockey Gets Canadian

louch SOEST, GERMANY (CFP)-Hockey schools and refered

clinics had the professional touch in Canada's NATO brigade in Germany last month. Dicky Duff, Yvan Cour-Canada to put in seven or 14 tion and was able to restore noyer and Jacques Laperriere teamed up with referee Frank Udvari to improve the Most of the cases treated are brand of hockey in the Can-

adian forces overseas. The NHL agreed to send the hockey group after Col. C. P. McPherson, commander CFB Soest, wrote to Clarence Campbell, NHL president.

Besides officials and coaches there were more than 2,00 hockey players in the brigade area. There are three adult leagues at the brigade level, four intercompany leagues, and a total of nine children's leagues in Soest, Werl and Hemer as well as a senior boy's team for each of these areas.

Although Canadians have ample opportunity to display their hockey ability in competition with European countries, this is the first time such clinics have been held in the brigade.

SPECIAL PURCHASE

RGA whirlpool Auto Washer



Special Trade .....101:10 PAY ONLY -24885

Delivered and Installed Only 13.00 Month



LIMITED QUANTITY Phone 334 - 4711 20-21

## Glacier Auto Parts CONDENSORY ROAD

NEW AND USED PARTS 20% OFF USED PARTS IN STOCK FOR ALL SERVICE PERSONNEL

**TELEPHONE 338-8380** 

## GENERAL CONTRACTORS

P.O. Box 700

Comox, B.C.



TALCO ENTERPRISES LTD.

Bus. 334 - 3523

Complete Financing to Any Stage of Construction A. J. Thomsen O J. R. B. Langlois O L. L. Doolittie

## Your One Stop REAL ESTATE CENTRE

\* RENTAL BUREAU

\* RENTAL MANAGEMENT

LOTS, SMALL ACREAGES

\* FARMS

★ HOMES

**★** BUSINESSES

★ CONSTRUCTION

★ MORTGAGE INSURANCE

For All Your Needs

Contact

Theatre

## Arnett & Wensley Ltd.

Across from The Bank of Montreal

In Courtenay Phone 334 - 3127 From Cumberland to Campbell River

THURS., FRI., SAT. Oct. 5, 6, 7 John Wayne Drive-in

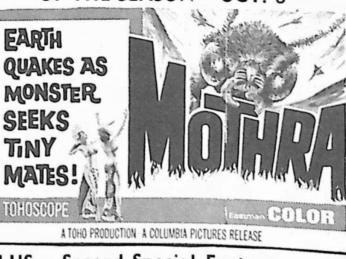
Starring in

"The Searchers THE BIGGEST, ROUGHEST AND MOST BEAUTIFUL

WESTERN PICTURE MADE. Plus Second Feature . . .

■18 TONS OF HORNED FURY in a thundering charge against the gun that cannot kill!

LAST SUNDAY MIDNITE SHOW OF THE SEASON - OCT. 8



PLUS - Second Special Feature . .

THERE'S ONE FOR EACH MEMBER OF THE FAMILY AT

PLEASE NOTE:

EARTH

For the remainder of the season—starting October 9, we will be open . . .

> ONLY THURS., FRI., SAT. For your weekend entertainment,

Team

Supply

407 "A"

409 "B"

week)

BASKETBALL The Upper Island Basket- the applicants.

3 0 3 0

P W L Pts.

2 0 2 0

... 2 2 0 2

ball League gets underway on the 4th of October and we have a team entered. Persons wishing to try out for the team should contact F/L Newman at Loc. 241 for information. Our team played an exhibition game last Sunday against a team from Campbell River and lost by a score of 69 to 60. The Campbell River team must have had a cool team because a player by the name of KOOL scored 23 of their points.

ROUNDUP

HOCKEY REFEREES CLINIC We are holding a referees clinic on the 10, 11, 12 and 13 of October at 1830 in the Recreation Centre. Also the BCAHA referee for the Island will be here in mid-November and will be testing NSURANCE FARRINGTON'S

It's our only Business Phone 334-3195 Box 1630 - Courtenay

time again and the above photo I'm sure, warms many an old fans heart. The year was 1919 and was especially significant because it was the first game played

at Lewis Park after the first Great War. The series had pitted against each other, two of the greatest teams in history. The Black Creek Badgers and the Union Bay Uniques fought for 13 long and dreary games before the Uniques finally came up with a

victory and the coveted world series.

WORLD SERIES time again. Well it's world series

# Sportsmen's Notebook

Sports Editors Notes - The are hurt and require immediate following article appeared in assistance, repeat the three the last issue of the Totem shots. Times but unfortunately not in its entirety. As it is a very worthwhile article and of particular interest to the many outdoor minded people at Comox I have decided to print the article again. My thanks go out to F L Bob Rivers and the rest of the Comox Rod and Gun Club for their enthusiasm.

Have you ever been shot at? Not on the battlefield, the sea, or in the air; but in our own "friendly" woods? There are several sportsmen on this base who have been, and it produces varying reactions, like anger, fear, and outright terror. If you enter the woods this fall looking for a trophy rack; or just for freezer meat, and we all appreciate a venison steak, you may be shot at. Not all hunters are sportsmen, some will shoot at anything that moves or makes a sound, thinking they are the only human beings in their selected hunting area. So- What would you do? The first thing to do is take cover, drop to the ground and call out, and if this does not register with the idiot behind the gun, trigger off a couple of shots, not at him, but straight up in the air. He should then realize that someone, other than a deer is involved. Once he realizes this, the idiot will likely take off at a fast pace hoping no one will see him and link him to the indicent. The moral of this story is for all hunters to observe the highest possible safety standards while in the woods. The following basic rules should be followed: \* Don't shoot unless you clearly see and identify what you are risk. shooting at. It may be a cow, or a man.

\* Don't discharge firearms from your car. This is both dangerous and unlawful.

\* Refrain from shooting too near a building, or in the direction of a public road. \* Protect the property of other

persons at all times. This includes road signs, which are public property, and don't cook up at all well. \* Protect and respect the rights

of others. Report all infractions of the law to the local RCMP or a Conservation Officer. Don't enter a car or boat

with a loaded firearm.

\*Know your firearm and handle it with respect at all times. \* Don't drink if you are hunting, and don't hunt if you are drinking. Bullets and booze do

not mix. \* Ask for permission to hunt or travel over private lands. Bear in mind that your hunting licence can be cancelled or suspended for a violation of the Wildlife Act. One violation is that of trespass.

Have you ever been lost in the woods? Or even unsure of the way back to your car or camp? Not a very pleasant sensation is it? Adequate preparation on your part could greatly ease your mind, should you be faced with this experience. In this regard the following helpful hints are offered, and may help to prevent a needless, costly search:

\* Leave word at home as to the area you will visit, and when you plan to return. In case of a mishap to your car or person, this will make it easier for help to reach you.

\* Make sure you are out of the woods before dark.

\* Obtain a large scale map of your hunting area, and carry a compass. It is not difficult to lose your bearings in roughcountry, especially if the weather closes in.

\* Keep checking your map so you can locate your approximate position at all times.

\* Carry supplementary rations. Candy bars, nuts or raisins will be welcome if you are delayed or lost.

\* If you lose your way completely, do not panic and wander. Stay where you are, and before it gets dark find a nearby place of shelter, preferably close to an open area where you can be spotted from the air.

\* If you have a gun, remember that three shots spaced at equal intervals of three to five of distress. The response to hunting and fishing on Vanthis signal is one shot. If you couver Island.

As most sportsmen are aware, the major logging operators on the Island MacMilland and Bloedel Ltd., and Crown Zellerbach Ltd., permit access to many hundreds of square miles of wilderness area. These companies also publish excellent roadmaps covering each division of their operations. To obtain maps and information concerning areas adjacent to the Courtenay-Comox area write to Crown Zellerbach Canada Ltd., Public Relations Dept., 1030 West Georgia St., Vancouver 1, B.C. It must be borne in mind that public access to these areas was permitted only after many years of negotiation by Vancouver Island Fish andin Game Clubs, and abuse of the regulations involved could result in the gates being locked again. So if you do take advantage of the privileges available, follow the rules, be a true sportsman, and ensure continued access. Ingenthe followin g guidelines

\* Pick up anentry permit at the Compan y gate. \* Access if normally permit-

ted on weekends or holidays only. \* Do not plan an overnight camping, in most cases it is not permitted.

Do not hunt in posted areas where logging is under way.

Park your car off the road. Do not proceed beyond a No Entry sign. It could indicate that the road is unsuitable for

private cars. Observe fire precautions at all times.

\* Obey all traffic signs. Remember your use of Company roads is entirely at your own

\* Do not leave litter, bottles, or garbage in the woods.

For the winter fishermen, and we live in one of the best, if not the best steelhead fishing areas in North America, a few words of advice. While it is possible to catch a two fish limit of steelhead in local rivers five minutes drive from Courtenay, the ardent fisherman will likely visit more remote areas in search of a "big one". Just remember that the water runs cold from December to March, so don't take needless chances to reach that enticing looking pool. If you are several miles from your car and soaking wet you would be well advised to build a fire and dry out before slogging back. Carry some

wooden matches in a waterproof case, plus a couple of candy bars. Its amazing how your outlook will change it you dry out and have a snack. In wading the rivers exercise caution at all times, use a good stout staff to help you over the fast runs, and if in doubt, fish somewhere else. In fact, fish those fast runs, you may hook the big one you are looking for.

All winter sportsmen should obtain copies of the B.C. Sport Fishing Regulations at a sporting goods store or the Dry Canteen. Study them well, they contain much more information than regulations alone. Detailed maps of local areas may be obtained at a reasonable cost from the 'Director, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Dept. of Lands Forests and Water Resources

Victoria, B.C." For the dedicated sportsman, who wishes to dig a little deeper into Hunting and Fishing literature, the following books are recommended:

"Big Game Hunting in the West" by Mike Crammond. "Game Fishing in the West" by Mike Crammond.

"The Western Angler" by

Roderick Haig-Brown. "A River Never Sleeps" by Roderick Haig-Brown.

These books are all available at local book stores, and they contain a wealth of information on local hunting and fishing. Mike Crammond is the Hunting and Fishing editor of the Vancouver Daily Province, and Roderick Haig-Brown of Campbell River is well-known for his literary achievements. They both write with authority on

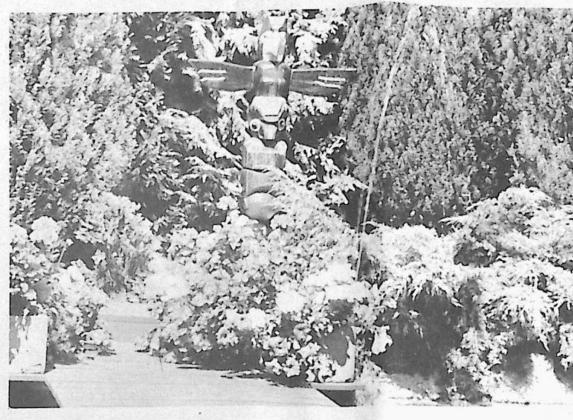
### SERGEANT'S MESS GOLF TOURNAMENT

October 13th — 1300 hrs. — Comox Golf Club

Entry Fee \$1.00 to Comox Golf Members \$3.00 to Non Members For information call Sgt. Trynchuck, local 329

# Big Contest Announced In Sympathy BUSINESS DIRECTORY





BIG CONTEST announced by Times sports department. In place of normal sports news, which failed to turn up this week for some reason, the sports editors of the Totem Times have rooted through their "crazy old pictures" file and take pleasure in announcing another big Times contest.

The rules are simple but the contest can be entered for fun and profit by old and young alike. Simply send in your answer to the Totem Times sports editor, the answer to the following questions: "Which of the above bodies of water is the Kokanee spawning grounds and which is the Comox Piranha - pool (also known as Pinkie's Pruning Pond)? Deadline for entries is Wednesday, October 4. So rush along over and make your entry and win a big yet to be announced prize.

# Amateur Football

OTTAWA - With the football season in full swing, Health and Welfare Minister MacEachen today invited Canadians at all levels of ability and interest to observe the third week of September as "Amateur Fotball

Mr. MacEachen, through his personal and departmental interest in the Fituess and Amateur Sport Program expressed his continuing suport of amateur football, and pointed to his department's support of the game through the Fitness Pro-

"For the past three years," said the minister, "Amateur Football Week has been conducted under the auspices of the newly-organized Canadian Amateur Football Association. Each year has proven more successful than its predecessor.

"Nearly 150,000 boys are currently playing amateur football in Canada. From it they are receiving guidance in discipline and team cooperation, as well as the positive benefit of increased physical fitness. It is toward these increased fitness levels that our Fitness and Amateur Sport Program is aimed. And it is because of this aspect of amateur football that I heartily endorse 'Amateur Football Week'."

For the past two years, explained the minister, the Fitnes Program has supported amateur football through financial assistance toward the sponsoring of coaching clinics. This program of leadership training has helped to improve the calibre of amateur football being played throughout the country, he said.

"At this time I would ask that all Canadians join me in recognition of Amateur Football Week in Canada as a means of encouraging the youth of our nation to continue to participate in the

# Forthcoming Books

and Jim Hunt are the authors be published this fall by The Ryerson Press.

In Foster Hewitt: His Own Story: the "Voice of Hockey" relates his early days as a boxing champ at Upper Canada College, memorable moments in his career, meetings with interesting personalities, including Winston Churchill, and the highlights of his forty-four years in broadcasting. Fans who havewarmed to his familiar "It's hockey night in Canada!" will find this autobiography and his candid appraisal of hockey greats absorbing and enjoyable.

Few, if any, are better qualified to write the story of hockey's Flying Frenchman thanveteran sportswriter Andy O'Brien. Written in racy style, his Fire-

factor in Canadian Hockey's continuing appeal.

It takes a special kind of courfor the coveted Vezina Trophy.

Montreal Canadiens, tells how of three new hockey books to all-time superstars Joe Malone, "Newsy" Lalonde, Howie Morenz, Rocket Richard and Jean Beliveau worked their magic sur la glace, the team's controversial career and how their fire-wagon hockey - a crime wave on ice has been the greatest single

> age to strap on forty pounds of equipment and act as human target for pucks fired up to 120 miles per hour. The Men In The Nets: hockey's tortured heroes, have been doing just that in the NHL for years. In his new book, Jim Hunt writes about the personalities behind the padding -Glen Hall, Roger Crozier, Gump Worsley, Johnny Bower - their hopes, their fears and their battle

TRY AS WE MAY WE CAN'T GET BLOOD OUT OF A HAT. WE NEED BLOOD DONORS

Widows

Curling Widows: -

Here in the Totem Times

Sports Department we are for-

tunate enough to have our own

Ann Landers who after a great

deal of coaxing has consented to

write her first article on the

misfortunes of the curling widow.

Written In Sympathy with the

upon us, and as the eager curl-

ers trim their favorite brooms

and pull their sweaters from

the mothballs, in anticipation of

the months to come, the wives

sigh in resignation, knowing that

for the next six months, they

must step back and allow their

husbands first love to engulf

him once again. It is a well

acknowledged fact among curling

widows that if you can't beat them, join them. But this usually only

allows the wife as close as the

glass partition, where she waits

with all the other wives, girl-

friends, etc., for her man to stumble from the ice weary but

exalted, only to have him pat

her on the head and rush off

once again, revived by the know-

that all social events she will

be attending during the curling

season will be associated with

the curling club, whether it be

parties, dances, or bonspiels,

more rightly known as endur-

ance tests for the wife. If she

is lucky she may get the odd

weekend away, at bonspiels spon-

sered by other clubs. Her ward-

robe should consist of slacks

warm sweaters, boots and snug-

As the season wears on the

womens feelings of submission

wears off and feelings of rage

and injustice take over. Just

when she is near breaking point,

the big break through for the

curler comes and his dreams are

answered, he wins the last bon-

spiel of the season and with it glorious prizes and most im-

portant his woman's forgiveness

ALAKAZAM

and approval.

O

The curling widow also knows

ledge of yet another game.

The curling season is again

... PEOPLE . . . YOU. MAKE A DATE TODAY TO GIVE THROUGH YOUR RED CROSS.

### DRESSMAKING & ALTERATIONS

CONTACT Mrs. Pat Hacking Apartment 110-H

Phone 339-3024

Monday to Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Sale Starts Thursday, Oct. 12

RUNS TEN BIG DAYS! October 12 to October 21 inclusive

WATCH THE MAIL FOR OUR LARGE HANDBILLS FOR VALUES TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION

Shop Early & Save

REXALL REMEDIES and PURETEST PRODUCTS STATIONERY - SUNDRIES

**Buy One at Regular Price** Get Another for Only 1c

Over 400 Items Listed on 1c Sale

Phone 334 - 2481

219 Fifth Street, Courtenay

# With Curling

### MOVING TO TRENTON? Write for

free map and information Homes

Rentals . E. Forchuk Mortgages

Trenton Realtor 392-1201 54 Market Square "EVERYTHING IN HOUSING" Continental

J. GOLIASCH

Hair Stylist

New hair styles to go with the new look of fashion.

Imported Cosmetics European Trained Fashion Wigs, Hairpieces and Pony Tails

565 England Courtenay Phone 334 - 4734

## Upholstering

Auto - Boat - Furniture

\* Custom Modernizing \* Recovering

\* Custom Built Furniture Courtenay

Upholstery Phone 334 - 3912 143 - 5th Street, Courtenay

### The Courtenay Florist

Complete Floral Service here and abroad. Fast local delivery and World Wide Telegraph Service. Night 334-2027 491 - 4th St. Day 334-3441 Courtenay

# Courtenay

A COMPLETE REAL ESTATE SERVICE

Phone 334 - 2324

# VINCE COVENEY

## Hill's

Sewing Supplies Vacuums, Polishers and Typewriters Easy Terms - Trade-ins Accepted

441 Cliffe Avenue Ph. 334-3852 Courtenay

### TARBELL'S HARDWARE

-SPORTING GOODS -HARDWARE

-CHINA AND GLASSWARE -PLUMBING -PAINTS AND

-VARNISHES Dunsmuir Avenue Cumberland Phone 336 - 2312

> FRANCHISED DEALERS FOR

HARLEY-DAVIDSON -TRIUMPH - BSA - BMW NORTON - DUCATI Plus HONDA CARS

Speed Equipment

Mags — Knock-Offs Ranger Roof Racks

Financing Arranged We Service All Makes

Sales and Service 1585 Comox Road Phone 334 -3395

COURTENAY HOME SERVICE LTD TOYOTA, ISUZU CARS Alex Bell and Bob McKie R.R. 1

COURTENAY Island Highway South Phone 334 - 2342

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

## HAPPY'S

Tire and Sporting Goods Ltd.

Fishing and Hunting Specialists Everything For Every

Sport Phone 334 - 4143 256 - 6th St., Courtenay

### COMOX PARK APARTMENTS

Realty

Sewing Shop Singer Representative Sewing Machines

See CEC HILL

### O Two bedroom Furnished or Unfurnished Close to Air Bose

Rates you can afford By week or month Close to shopping

For Reservation or Appointment call 339 - 3248 or write Box 1048 - Lazo

# STUDIO

Formerly Silence Studios PORTRAIT STUDIOS PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES FRAMING

Phone 334 - 4042

Courtenay

## Comox Paint & Floor Covering

We Stock Rolls of Carpet and 12' Linoleum Carpet and Chesterfield Cleaning is Part of Our Business

1803 Comox Ave.

Phone 339 - 2273

**GUARANTEED** WATCH, CLOCK and JEWELLERY REPAIRS

## **COMOX JEWELLERS**

BOB EMBLETON

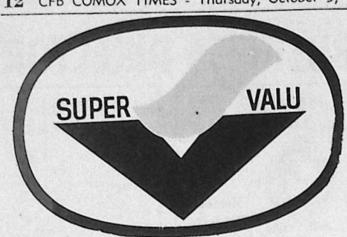
OPEN ON WEDNESDAYS

1828 Comox Avenue Phone 339 - 3113

### MISSION HILL MEAT MARKET

WE SPECIALIZE IN MEAT PACKS BEEF WHOLESALE

BY THE SIDE Phone 334 - 4500 Mission Hill Mile North of Courtenay



# THANKSGIVING SAVINGS

# 

GOV'T. INSPECTED ● FRESH ● "WILTSHIRE"

lbs. avg. Grade

FRESH TURKEYS AVAILABLE WEDNESDAY TO SATURDAY ONLY

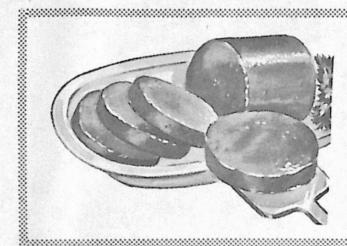
B.C. QUALITY FOODS • GOVT. INSPECTED

DRESSING

GOV'T INSPECTED

**READY TO SERVE** 

INSPECTED . FRESH FROSTED "AUSTRALIAN"



TRADITIONAL THANKSGIVING VEGETABLE FRESH PICKED LOCAL . No. 1 GRADE



FIRST OF THE SEASON!

CALIFORNIA - No. 1 GRADE

**GOLDEN YAMS** 

NABOB • FANCY

NABOB NO. 3

FANCY PEAS

NABOB

WHITE OR BROWN

NE BREAD

NABOB . FOR HIGH QUALITY TARTS AND PIES

ELUXE TEA BAGS ORANGE PEKOE

SUPER-VALU

INSTANT COFFEE 15c OFF 7 9 C 30c OFF 12-oz. JAR JAR

ROSE MARGARINE

41 lb. prints 1.00

Prices Effective: Wed., Oct. 4 to Sat., Oct. 7

SUPER-VALL BUY BETTER - SAVE MORE!

