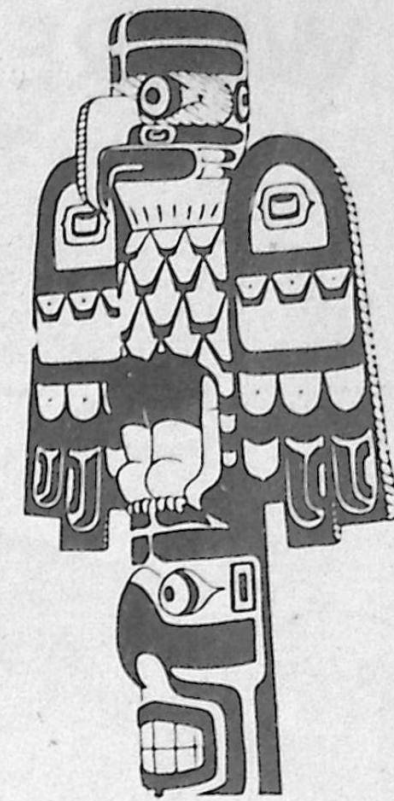




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NEW TOTEM INN IS OFFICIALLY OPENED



"WELL," MAJOR FORD SEEMS TO SAY, "there goes three dollars and eighteen cents worth of ribbon out of base funds, and us on an economy kick." Staring directly into the camera lens from l. to r. are: Cpl. Cummings V/PMC, Cpl. Gurr PMC, Cpl. King entertainment chairman, Major Ford B.ServO, Col. Lett base Cmdr. and MWO Tousignant. — CF photo

The Base Commander, Colonel K. C. Lett recently cut the ribbon and officially opened the New Combined Airmen's and Corporals' palatial lounge.

During the opening ceremonies of the new lounge the PMC, Cpl. Gurr thanked all the members who worked so hard to make the new lounge possible, with special thanks to the B. Serv. O. Major Ford, the entertainment committee and members of the other committees.

It all started back when there was getting to be a lot more Corporals than Airmen. It soon became obvious that the old Corporals' club couldn't handle the large numbers of new bodies. The Airmen's club membership likewise decreased, so it was decided to switch clubs. This worked alright for a while but soon it became apparent that it would be financially expedient to combine the two clubs. After a great deal of renovations the Cpls. and Airmen now find themselves with two clubs. But now they find they have two clubs together.

Colonel Lett, in his address, noted the untiring efforts put forth by Cpl. Gurr and his members. The Colonel went on to advise the members' wives for letting their husbands out so often but felt sure they would agree that it was well worth the effort.

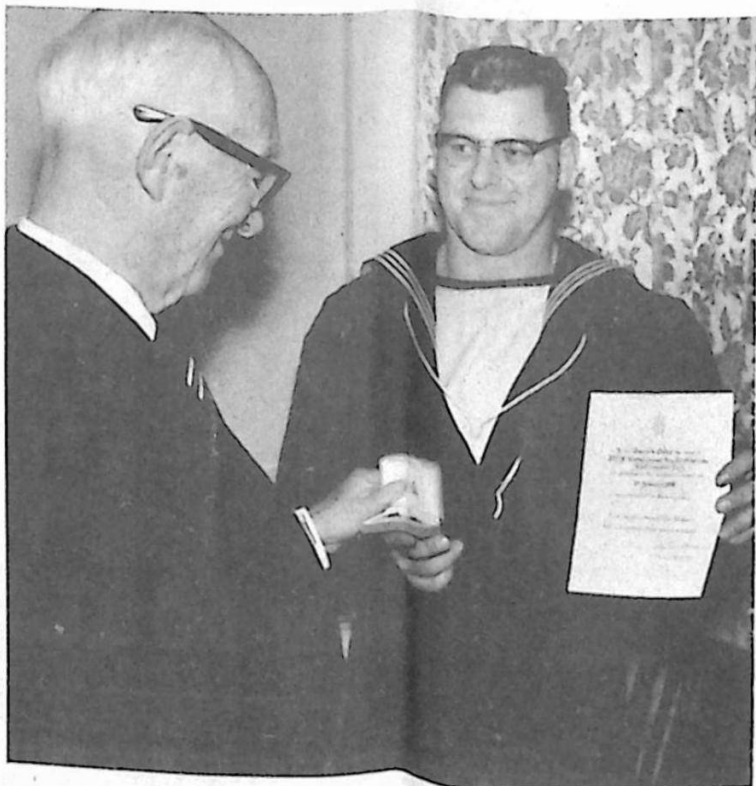
FIRST CF 5 ROLLS OUT



DEFENCE MINISTER Leo Cadieux and General Jean V Allard take part in the roll-out of Canada's first CF-5 tactical fighter from the Canadair plant in Montreal. Side view pictures of the aircraft were forbidden in order that neither French nor English readers would feel slighted. The man on the ladder in the right foreground is in charge of the snow making machine. — CF photo



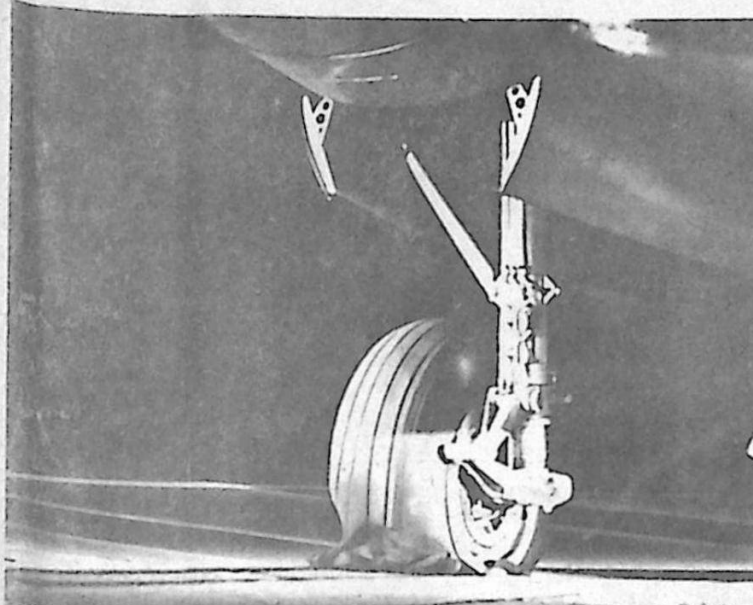
LET'S SAY HELLO to 407 squadron, say the 435 boys.



QUEEN'S COMMENDATION FOR VALOUR . . .

The courage of a Royal Canadian Navy sailor at Annapolis Royal, N.S., on May 20, 1967 has earned him a Queen's Commendation for brave conduct. While off duty at Annapolis Royal, Leading Seaman Ray McCarriston, 31, South Porcupine, Ontario, was assisting J. F. Simpson in the repair of his private boat. Suddenly a flash fire trapped Mr. Simpson in the cabin. L/S McCarriston pulled him to safety only to see him make a dash for the water some 100 yards distant. "Realizing this action would fan the flames," reads the citation, "he caught Mr. Simpson and, rolling him on the rocky ground, removed the jacket and smothered the remaining flames with his own body and bare hands, receiving minor injury to himself. "His presence of mind and complete disregard for his own safety undoubtedly saved Mr. Simpson, who suffered second and third degree burns, from further serious injury."

Corporal Receives Commendation



COMMENDATION: 613-446-061 Cpl LF Quinlan FE 1. It has been brought to my attention that you displayed a professional approach to your duties when on the night of 07 Feb 68, while employed as a Flight Engineer on a Neptune aircraft, a tire blew on landing and a fire started on the damaged port tire. You displayed excellent airmanship and alertness in extinguishing the fire so quickly, which could have developed into a magnesium wheel fire and possible total destruction of the aircraft. 2. I wish to commend you for this quick action in blowing the fire out and preventing further damage to the aircraft.

— (Signed) H. E. Smale, Lieutenant-Colonel, CO 407, VP Squadron 203

Let's Run It up the Flagpole, and . . .

Promotions, Promotions Everywhere . . .



"I ALWAYS wanted to be a chief" says the fire halls new Chief Warrant Officer, CWO Tom Murphy. I'm partial to white helmets".



121's NEW Master Warrant Officer, MWO Gerry Dupuis signs an E200 for his new masters whip.



NEW SGT. Andre Bouchard of the Base Comptrollers Office, staples his new Sgts. stripes on. "Just in case they're kidding me" he said.

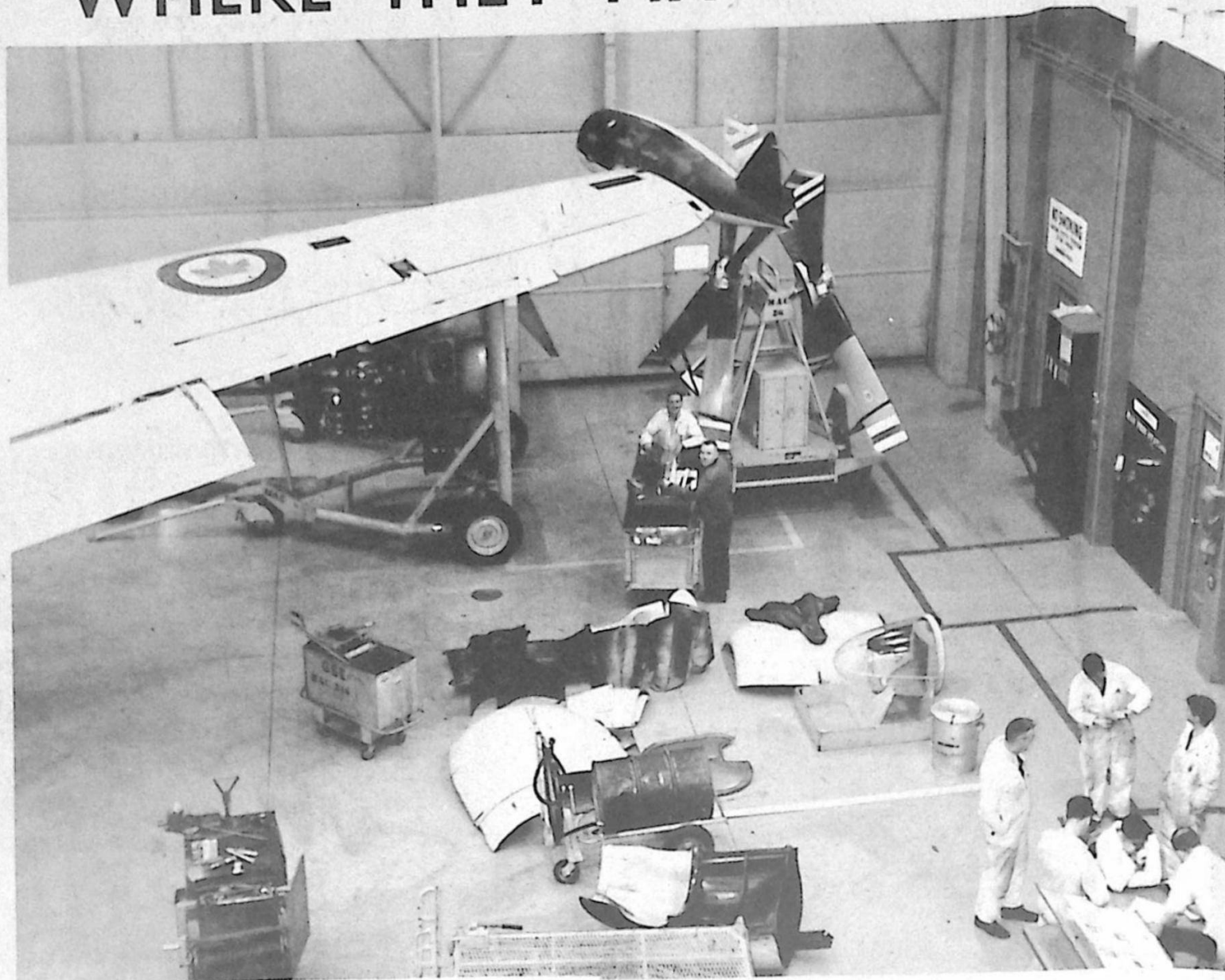


IN 409 engine bay, new fitter Sgt. G. E. Woddard slams the padlock closed on his tool box forever. "That's the last greasy wrench I'll ever use" he said.

& not a drop for Seemore

THIS PHOTO JUST RECEIVED by our night editor, from the ferry terminal at Nanaimo shows lights left on all over the ferry fleet in the hope that the striking ferry workers will get homesick and return to work. The curtailment of the island to the mainland service has swamped AMU with requests for bookings on the Vancouver passage runs. Captain Johnny Sorefleet has offered to help supplement the service with a daily non-stop jet service.

WHERE THEY FIX THE BIRDS



MAJOR COMPONENTS can be seen here on the floor during an inspection cycle. In the background, two mighty propellers are awaiting installation. Sgt. Kil-

burn and Cpl Benoit (center) are making preparations for the change of props. — Tremblay photo

A FRONT VIEW of a Neptune power-plant being scrutinized by Cpl. Benoit and his crew prior to being installed, all 3,750 h.p. of it. — Tremblay photo



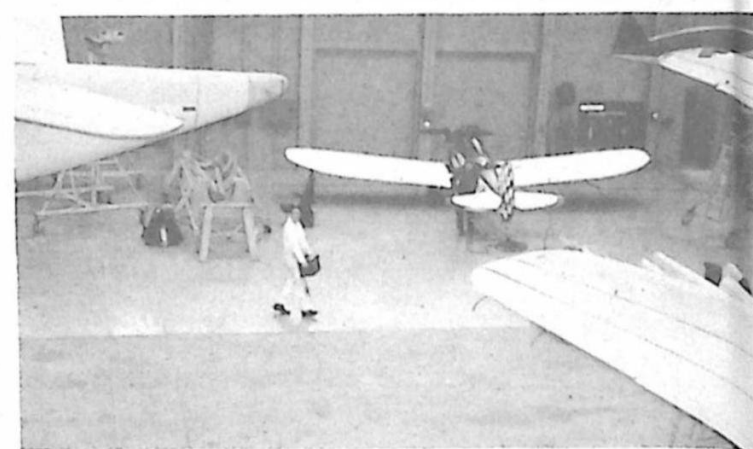
TOP VIEW of the sleek bird shows at least two men working, actually aircraft is being readied for a post-inspection run. Some components will be removed to compensate for the weight of the paint to be used for the bilingual markings. — Tremblay photo



THESE TWO metallurgic technicians are making minor repairs to an engine nacelle. The work is carried out while most people are watching the night life on television. — Tremblay photo



A HAPPY CREW exchanges a few jokes. From left to right, Sgt. Chuck Keating, Cpl. Vern White, Cpl. Guy Benoit, Warrant officer McLeod and Cpl. Frank Nemeth. These men were installing a mighty power plant for the Neptune at night time. — Tremblay photo



SITTING AMONG the two large beasts is a new get-away plane for 407. Lots must be drawn among the crew members since there is only room for one man. RO's don't even get a chance to draw. — Tremblay photo

Behind the 407 Scene

The repair section located in Number 3 hangar is a busy busy place all the time. This is where the Neptunes are maintained by a handful of highly skilled and dedicated technicians.

Under the leadership of F/L Gary Brown (now a Captain) and his staff these men are ready and can perform their duty of carrying out periodic inspections, anywhere, anytime, day or night, except on weekends. A Neptune usually gets a stripdown or check, which lasts anywhere from one to two weeks, every 200 hours.

During that time, components which have a given life are removed, and new ones installed. Also, extensive repairs are carried out. This is the time where inaccessible places in the air-

frame section are scrutinized under the supervision of Sgt. Kilburn and his men. Sgt. G. Keating is the supervisor for the Engine technicians. The men here are well experienced and have worked on many types of aircraft, most of these men have served in their respective trades at least 10 to 12 years. When an aircraft is ready for a test flight, technicians usually fly with the aircraft to rectify last minute problems. These snags are far and few between and easily rectified. If you are interested what 407's aircraft looks like inside out drop in at the repair section, see Warrant officers R. Pegden and McLeod and ask questions. The answers are all there.

Jim Tremblay (integrated)



PART OF THE 407 repair section, located in seven hanger, under the guidance of Sgt. Gordie Kines, an old hand at Neptune trouble shooting. The engine bay boys, left to right are: Sgt. Kines, Cpl's Ruthven, Smallwood, Ahaneke, Bailey, Hancock and Cumming. — Photo by Jim Tremblay, Another of the Bal Bunch



A FEW bugs are found here and there, but not always of this type, this one is comfortably sleeping near the tail de-icer. Actual size 1/2" long.

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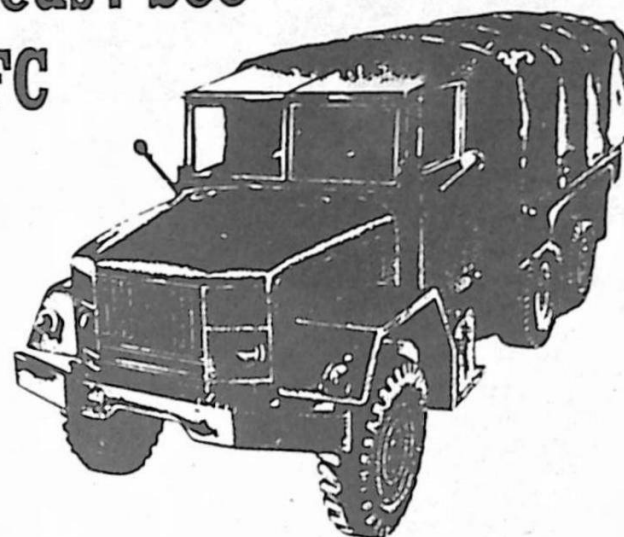
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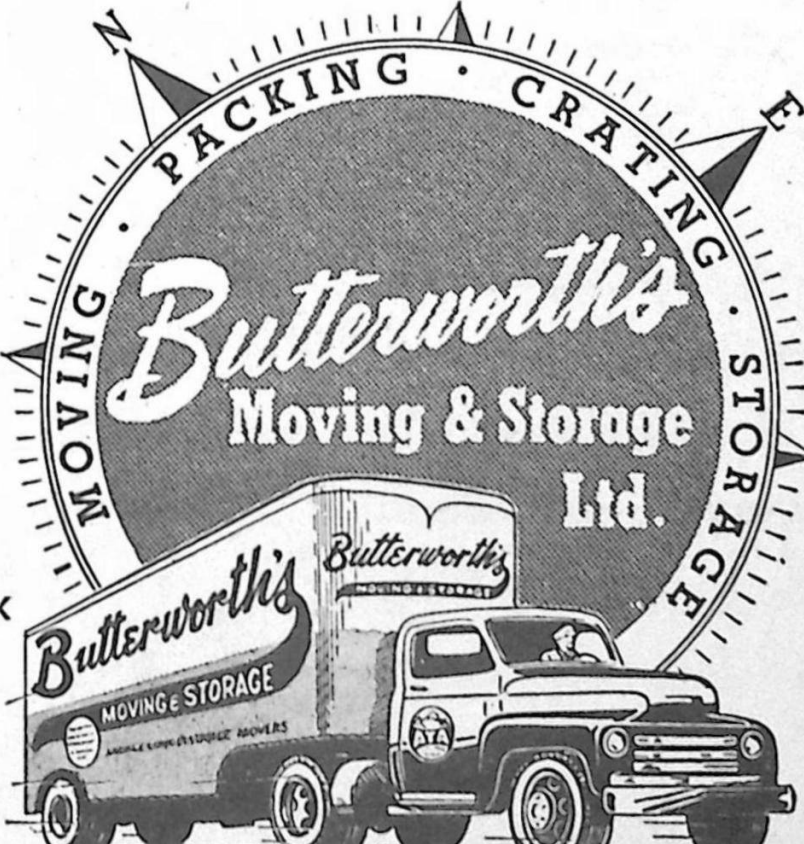
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The Phantom Stamper?

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Something which always comes as a surprise, even to the most experienced, is just how well qualified we are. Something which is not so obvious is just what these various qualifications mean. For instance:

HAVING A CURRENT HAL- (tri-annual) This means that sometime in the last three years you were in Cold Lake for a trip in the "Gas Chamber." What you probably did was come to loggerheads at the bar with some 104 Jock who thought a 104 made more noise than a 101, mentally (at least) rated all the Schoolies on their physical attributes, closed the bar went back to your room--if you could find it, (it's amazing how easy it is to stray into the female officers quarters), then slept in and missed the ride in the tank, or, if you did make it you probably gained a reputation as a real "gasser."

HAVING RECOVERED AT AN ALTERNATE AND/OR HADSAGE CROSS TRAINING (quarterly/annually) This means that you recovered in McChord one day and were subjected to a three hour prepared lecture on NORAD and the trials and tribulations of being an IND. The unwritten measure of success of this exercise is how many flying suits and jackets you managed to scrounge, if you were able to find a co-operative Canadian with a key and whether or not you forgot John Knickerbocker's cigars.

HAVING COMPLETED ONE REAR SEAT CF-101 TRIP (quarterly) To the pilots this is a one hour plus ordeal crammed in the back of 466 with a bag over your head doing intensive instrument practice (terrifying the front seat occupants) including not less than three GCA's and one single engine approach. What most likely happened was you crammed yourself into the back of 466, turned on the radar and found out just how easy it is to be a navigator, said your beads while the wiper in the front seat fought the aircraft around final turn, or, if it was a really junior wiper gave the trip to a navigator and put your name on the F-17.

HAVING COMPLETED DINGHY DRILL (quarterly) The Phantom Stamper (Mel Warren) found your log book.

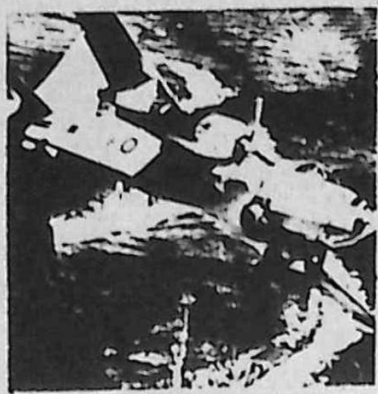
HAVING COMPLETED 5.3 HOURS T-33 INSTRUMENTS (quarterly) This means that you have strapped yourself into the back of a T-33 and carried out 5.3 hours of instrument practice and could pass a green ticket ride at any time. That's what the Sqn. UICP thinks. Actually, you have been scheduled for nothing but PEGES and done nothing but read pocket books or count the rivets on the wings and the only time you are proficient at instruments is the day you have your ticket ride. If you have more than 5.3 hours rear seat T-33 per quarter you must have something of more than passing interest in Toronto or Bagotville.

Van Doos Collect Ski Honors

SOEST, Germany, (CFP) - Soldiers from the 1st Battalion, Royal 22nd Regiment ski team have won four top awards and placed fourth in a field of 18 teams in the 2nd British division 1968 ski championships held at Oberjoch, Germany, a picturesque mountain village located in the Bavarian Alps.

Until running of the final event the Van Doos appeared unbeatable. Faultless performance and near record breaking runs earlier in the week won easily for them the open downhill, open slalom and Alpine combination. Veteran skiers with the British army described their performance as "red hot" and named the Van Doos the odds-on favorites, needing only to place in the final event to gain the championships.

Members of the R22ER team that won the open downhill, open slalom and Alpine combination were: Capt. Guy Legault of Pa-mour, Ont. (team captain); Cpl. Andre Corbell of Montreal; Cpl. Gilles Fillion of Ottawa and Cpl. Jacques Beaulieu of Chicoutimi. Winner of the individual open slalom event was Cpl. Andre Corbell of Montreal.



Demon Doins

The news is out; two more members of 407, Capt. Don Blair and Jack Mann have been chosen to go through ASC (Aircrew Selection Centre) in Toronto in preparation for pilot training. Don and Jack were chosen last week and I can assure you we have two more happy pilots to be. Currently Capt. Tom Griffin and Skip Hiler and Lt. Joe (Globe Trotter) Barnes are in Toronto attending ASC and we hope to have them back next week.

We had two promotions in the squadron on Monday with Tom Griffin and Gord Kruger making the Capt's list, congratulations. Lt. Joe (Bwana) Barnes has received so much publicity from his excursions around the world exploring uncharted areas that two other stalwart members of Coboc Lt's Hank Klein and Norbert Bartels have decided to take some of the limelight away from Bwana? And are currently on their European ski tour with unknown mountains and trails to conquer. We expect them back in a month with all sorts of wonderful articles to be published in the Totem Times.

While we are on the subject of skiing we are sorry to report Lt. Marv Davis had quite a serious fall last week on our local ski slope and required attention at Naden. Skiing is a wonderful sport but you can easily be injured so be careful.

Now that physical fitness tests have been re-instated in the Canadian Armed Forces (Air Force Division) 407 Squadron is hoping to snarl Capt. Dudley Hill the Stn. Rec. Officer to lead them in their new program. We will kick off the schedule with the semi-annual 407 two mile protest march to maintain fitness. This is the first part of the two part

test. I hope to inform all squadron members in our next issue what the second part of this new two part test will be.

The Flight Engineer of Crew #5 Cpl. Quinlan received a commendation letter last week for his quick handling of the situation when Crew #5 blew a main tire on landing some two weeks ago. Congrats.

VP#1 paid 407 an exchange visit last week when Lt. Ron Meeker and his crew flew in from Whidby. Crew #2 were hosts and the group visited all the areas of local interest including the Elks the first night. On board the visiting aircraft was quite a celebrity. Their crew chief is a para-jumper extraordinaire! He has over 500 jumps and recently became famous when he jumped out of the back of a Neptune to demonstrate you would clear all the antennae. He made it easily. Nice to know.

Quite a number of personnel are on leave or on courses at the current time and those that are free from flying will visit DREF (Defence Research Establishment Pacific) some time this week. It should be quite an interesting trip.

Capt. Vern Lewis was back to work yesterday fresh from the UICP course in Winnipeg. He said he loved his stay and the weather was perfect for polar bears. Glad to have you back Vern and I know Stu will be glad to see you also.

To round out the news this week the 407 basketball team is currently on a hot streak and are on top of the league. Good going fellows and keep up the good work.



A REBUILT, Second World War Lysander aircraft spluttered into action and soared over the frosty prairie countryside here Dec. 29, breaking 23 years of silence. The 20-minute flight, reminiscent of aviation almost three decades past, capped a year-long Centennial project of airmen at Canadian Forces Base Winnipeg. Less than a year ago the 30-foot long machine was a derelict hul of scrap in a Saskatchewan farmyard. At the controls of the 300 mph machine, Dec. 29, was the man who conceived the Centennial project, 31-year-old F/L Bernard M. Lapointe of Pembroke, Ont.

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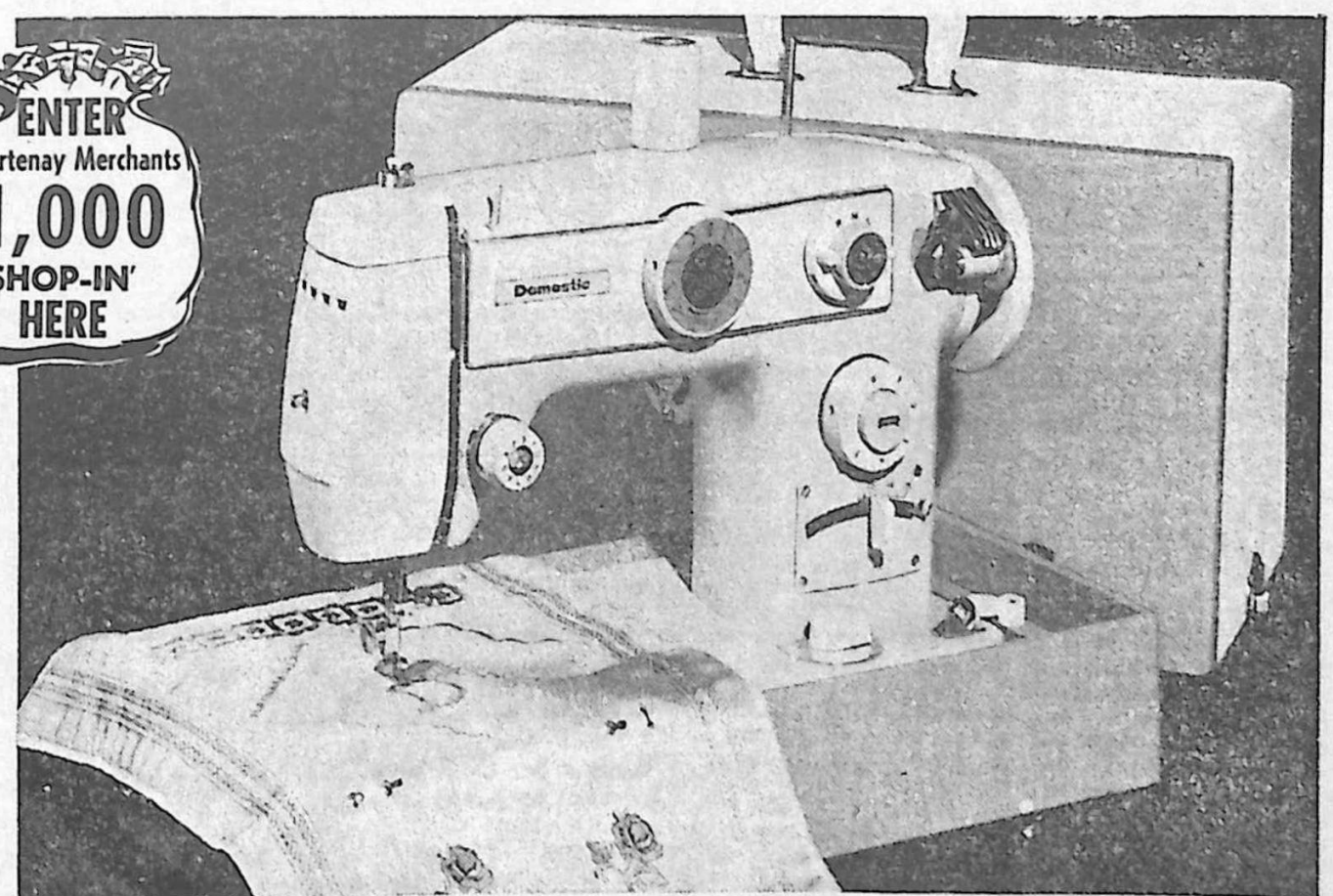
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It wasn't too long ago when this paper commented on the ability of our Canadian National Hockey team. It wasn't so much an attack upon the team than on the cry-baby attitude that we Canadians adopted when we lose. The team itself can be rather proud of themselves for their showing in the Olympic tournament. Although the Finns surprised everybody by taking a game away from Canada at the beginning of the tournament, the Canadian team came back with some pretty fantastic playing which made everyone back here at home darn proud of them. They went over to Europe to come back with the Gold medal and anyone who doesn't think they didn't play their best series ever, hasn't been following International Hockey. One couldn't help but think of the result of the Olympic Hockey Tournament if Canada hadn't had that unfortunate loss to the Finns. With a little help from the Czechs, Canada could have walked away with the Gold, even if Russia had beat them 100 to nothing.

The Russians must be complemented on their hockey game however, as are the Czechs. Russia came through with the big game when it counted, and they deserved the championship. They have made some tremendous strides in hockey in the last decade, but they will soon learn that the amount they improve each year will taper off considerably.

Canada should continue to improve her National team with better incentives, better competition and more support from Canadians. Defeating the Russians is not impossible, and if the Nats get the right kind of support, they have just as much chance at the Gold in '72 as anyone.

To the Nats of '68, (if any of you should read this), a hearty "well done". We're proud of you.
And Nancy, we're proud of you, too...

The Joke's on You

How many times have you heard someone say, "If you can't take a joke you shouldn't have joined"? As hackneyed as this phrase has become, it still has a message. A message that doesn't only apply to a selected group but to everyone. It says, "have a sense of humour". A sense of humour defined, is the capacity for a sympathetic understanding of a comical situation. However, having a sense of humour means more than the ability to laugh at someone else, more importantly, it is the ability to laugh with someone at yourself. The reason it is so easy to laugh at someone else is because we can stand back, with a minimum of personal involvement, and objectively assess the situation and decide whether it is humorous. When it is ourselves who is the primary involved we often do not take time to be objective, usually the immediate reaction is one of embarrassment, and as the fellow said, "it's hard to smile when you have egg on your face", but, the same fellow also said, "when you are flat on your back, there is no where to look but up".

If you find it harder to laugh with people than at them, then perhaps you should reassess your values. This is a pretty competitive world we live in and if you have a soft spot, if you like to dish it out but can't take it, then you are going to have a hard time. But, if the next time your knife slips and you end up with your peas on the floor and your steak in your lap, if you can't put yourself on the other side of the table and see that bumbling embarrassed idiot for what he really is, a bumbling embarrassed idiot with all the human failings and genuine attributes that are common to the human race, then laugh — but, don't pick your peas off the floor.

Hands Off

With the introduction of the new Canadian Forces Ensign, it wasn't hard to find people around who looked upon it with a certain amount of distaste. Any antagonism towards the force flag will die off rather rapidly as we become more accustomed to seeing it around.

Not so with the Canadian flag however, according to one of the daily papers there is one particular member of the B.C. government who doesn't think that the Maple Leaf flag the Canadian flag, is much of a flag at all.

It is understandable how someone, a Canadian whose ancestors were British could hold a special place in their hearts for the Union Jack, and hate to see it go out with the Red Ensign. But to be against a flag that in a few short years has become known all over the world as something truly Canadian is little else than pettiness. Having personal views of the beauty or aptness of this particular flag is the right of the individual, but to get up, in public, as a representative of the people and denounce one's country's flag is surely in very bad taste. It might be a different case if the majority of the people in Canada were against the

Maple Leaf flag, but such is not the case.

Most of the people who denounce their flag are of British descent, and they still haven't realized that the Victorian era is over, or that there are people of other nationalities in this country.

By denouncing Canada's flag they do a great disservice to Canada, and to ALL other Canadians, especially those who are of British descent.

There's a story about two Japanese prisoners of war, who were picked up out of the Pacific by an American destroyer. They could both speak English and so they spent most of the first day on board ship denouncing the American system, American ships, and the president. Finally one of the prisoners was so overcome by his tirade of everything American, that, to show his disgust, he walked to the ships railing and spat over the side. At this point a burly American sailor grabbed him by the collar and lifted him up in the air and said, "Look fella, you can say anything you want about our ships, the American system or the President, but don't you dare spit in our ocean."

A lot of Canadians feel the same way about their flag.

Survivors Benefits Begin in February

OTTAWA — Survivors' benefits under the Canada Pension Plan will first become payable to February, 1968. Benefits include a lump sum death benefit, a widow's pension, a disabled widow's pension, and benefits to the dependent children of a deceased contributor.

Details of this aspect of the Canada Pension Plan were made public today by National Health and Welfare Minister MacEachen.

For a survivor to claim any of these benefits, the deceased

person must have contributed to the Plan for at least three years. Any required contribution to the Plan is considered to be a contribution for a year. Thus, Canada Pension Plan survivors' benefits become payable in February 1968, to the survivors of deceased persons who have made the required contributions for the years 1966 and 1967 and for the month of January, 1968, provided the contributor died in January, 1968, or had commenced to receive his retirement pension effective from February, 1968 and

More Fringe Deficits?

T'was a couple of Octobers ago when they decided to make single men in the service equal to the married men. That is, materially. Single men weren't to have the love and attention that the married man gets when he comes home from a tough day at the base and/or golf course, but the single type is the object of unfair treatment.

The living-in Officer, for example, has to pay the horrifying sum of fifty-five dollars a month for his food. Imagine, all you poor living out types, what a burden this can be upon him. At fifty-five dollars a month, and three times thirty is ninety meals that's, lets see now...Sixty one cents a meal. Hey, that's not bad is it? And we didn't even count those late night snacks those single, whoops, living-in types are always eating. A fella that lives on the base does pretty well when it comes to buying food, you can't even buy a Comox-burger for sixty-one cents.

Those darn living-in types are doing so well that we better get deeper into the facts to see just what those guys are getting away with.

During the month of January for example there were approximately 2,700 meals dished out in the officers mess, and approximately 1,350 were eaten by living-out members. Let's see now, at 30 meals from the sandwich bar per working day, that's 600 meals. Then there's about 10 noon meals per working day and three breakfasts and say, three suppers giving a grand total of 920 meals. Hey, what about those other 430 meals. Let's say they are eaten up in candlelight dinners. Now at \$2.50 for candlelight dinners, 75¢ for supper, say 50¢ for sandwiches and noon meals, and 35¢ for breakfasts, the living out officers pay to the mess for their 1350 meals the sum of \$1,141. That's a lot of money, and it averages out to 84¢ per meal too.

Now just for fun let's see what the living in types pay for their meals, on the average, that is. At 38 living in types, and 55 bucks a month, and 1,350 meals, it works out to just about, letsee \$2,090 divided by 1,350 is \$1.55 per meal.

"But then," say the living-out types who are busy counting their money, "Why don't those barrack boys just get themselves a white meal card and pay for their meals as they eat them?" Too bad it isn't that easy. Someone who probably hasn't lived in barracks since he was last on TD has made the rule that, if you live in the barracks, you must buy your rations by the month.

The simple solution is to move off the base. "Then you'll see how much it really costs to live," say the wise brown baggers. Fact is, that living on the base here at Comox isn't the most posh setup around. The freedoms of living off can be well worth the extra rent. At 40 bucks for a room with a bed, a bureau, a bedside table and a sink, the rent is just about right. But to get back to moving off the base, let's just look at the situation that would occur if everybody moved off. There would, in all probability, be the same amount of meals sold in the mess. Only instead of having \$3231 to spend on meals and service, the food services officer would have only \$2282. The extra thousand dollars or so would have to be made up in increased cost of meal tickets. Meals would now cost the living off type \$1.20 on the average. The above seems to indicate that the brown baggers are living off the barracks boys to the tune of \$1,000 per month, and indeed, that is the case. But if there are 38 barracks boys, why don't they eat 3,420 meals a month, and that way get their money's worth. Outside of the fact that many meals are eaten while on alert or in the air (free meals to brown baggers), the living in types eat out quite a bit. This allows the messing staff to catch up on their rations and as a result everyone eats better, "Trouble is," say the living-in types,

The Full Circle

After several years of difficult, sometimes bitter endeavor, the Armed Forces were finally and formally unified, in the operational sense, on the first of February this year. In addition to the increased operational effectiveness of this new unified force, we are told that there will be increased opportunities due to the breakdown of barriers between the three old Services. Unfortunately, during this same period, this great country of ours has been in the throes of a cultural revolution that, it appears, must inevitably lead to complete French/English cultural segregation. Now we see what appears to be an attempt to segregate the Armed Forces, in a cultural sense, by the formation of French Canadian Squadrons, Regiments, and Ships. We have just spent several years deciding how we can eliminate duplication in logistics, communications, administration, etc. Aren't we now creating a situation which will force us back into duplication of administration and planning? Is this not a step backward? To the man or officer who is English speaking or French speaking only, are the career opportunities widened? Are we now subjected to a penalty if we speak only one of these languages? Is this segregation a result of an honest desire on the part of the French or the English speaking Serviceman to be segregated? There was a time when a person joined the Armed Forces to travel, to expand his experience. Is the English Serviceman going to be deprived of the opportunity of doing a tour in Bagotville, for some, the closest they will ever get to Paris? If a French Serviceman can only look forward to joining a Squadron or Regiment in Quebec, has the Service not lost a strong recruitment incentive?

I am sure that there has been extensive planning and thought put into this plan, but, to the little man, who has nothing to draw on but rumour and gossip, this is a most perplexing if not incomprehensible state of affairs.

A Good Troop

By LAC LANCE STIRLING

The New Performance Evaluation Reports have arrived and are things of beauty. No more plain white forms with the same old hum-drum questions and the huge space for fifty words or less why the head of the class. No sir, these forms are modern, printed in pastel shades, made to be used with the latest in personnel equipment and technology.

The form for the Privates is a delicate shade of green — as befits one who is new and green in the service. The form for the Corporals and above is an exuberant pink, indicative of a rosy future complete with yearly promotions and infrequent postings.

The front side of both forms shows all of the new changes. All of the various qualities which you are supposed to possess, such as "performance under stress", are listed and next to each of these is a row of boxes. Your leader, after much deliberation, is supposed to put a mark in one of these boxes indicating the degree of your outstanding abilities. Another set of boxes has room for all of your Social Insurance Number and some of your name. This rather unusual arrangement is so that the folks who are empowered to read reports can use optical scanning equipment in processing the forms.

Optical Scanning Equipment is not a downtown name for bifocals. It is a machine that reads only the marks of esteem your boss makes and ignores the pretty green or pink instructions. It works on the same principle as the machines that process IBM cards only without the holes. All-in-all, there is only one thing wrong with the forms. There is just not enough room for your fearless leader to express, in glowing prose, all of those intangible qualities that cannot be brought out by pencil marks alone. Those few short phrases are important. Some will argue that a supervisor that is not satisfied with the written word may not be able to express his true feelings. This is not necessarily so. Take my last report card for instance. All of the marks were all the way to the fire wall on the extreme right hand side, as you would expect of an acting Corporal with 22 years in grade. Yet, as one member of the promotion board expressed it, one could not get the "flavor" of my unique capabilities without those extra words of explanation.

The report reads: "Corporal (whatever pen name you decide upon) is a good troop. He has never been no trouble to me or

when a fella eats downtown, he is paying for two meals. The one he is eating, and the one he didn't eat at the mess."

If the barracks boys were to eat all their meals in the mess, the number of meals served would increase by 2,700 but the money collected would remain the same, 2,700 extra meals at 85¢ a meal would show up a discrepancy of \$2,295. Now where would the mess make up the difference. They would probably have to increase the price for meals sold to living out members, and de-

nobody else in this here section. He has a heap of times volunteered for jobs that were not even his. A few days ago, he was an instrument and a big help in fixing an airplane that was sick. A bunch of men trying to fix it and they couldn't get it to do what the pilot said it was doing. So Cpl. went out and checked the work order against the tail number of the airplane and told them they were working on the wrong one. This is a typical example of Cpl. 2 high degree of technical knowledge and troubleshooting abilities. Another example of his fine demonstration of excellent qualities was when one of his men was gone three days and he did his work for him. This shows his outstanding dependability. As a matter of fact he is always an outstanding man except when he is drunk. He come in the main gate doing about 70 miles an hour and run over one man and tore down the orderly room. He was fortunate he didn't break his neck. One of his strengths, however, is his skill with a hammer and saw and he should get some notice for the fine job he did for this outfit fixing the orderly room back. Another of his strengths is his hand grip. He loads scrap iron on trucks with no difficulty at all. He loaded one piece (an extra control head left over after fixing an Aliber) that weighed at least 200 pounds. He also helps unload beer off of the truck at the Corporals Club. His only fault is his inability to understand women. He brought a girl out to the club the other night and they started arguing over who was going to buy the next round. About that time her boyfriend came in and he got in the argument too, so Cpl. had them both thrown out for creating a disturbance. They were yelling at each other outside the club for about 30 minutes when the OO and some MPs showed up and tried to throw them off the base. She broke the Lieutenant's arm, run down the street and got away. She also threw a rock at another MP by the main gate and when he tried to arrest her she run over him with her car. Right now, her base driving privileges are revoked, her boyfriend is in jail, the Lieutenant and the MPs are doing well, and Cpl. is demonstrating outstanding initiative by voluntarily fixing the MP shack by the main gate which was damaged pretty good one night when some crazy woman tried to kill the MP who was inside calling for help."

Those may not be the kind of words you can find in Ottawa but the meaning is understandable — and you just cannot get that sort of insight from pencil marks alone.

crease the quality of the meals for everyone.

Anyway you cut it, the living-in types are taking a beating, and this fact is not just applicable to officers. It's time that the barracks boys were given a break. If everyone were given a white card, and the prices were increased to make up the loss of that sure \$55 a month from the boys from the barracks, then the whole situation would be fair to everyone.

of her deceased husband's retirement pension. Widows' or disabled widowers' pensions may be as much as \$65 monthly. Lesser amounts are payable, of course, where the deceased contributor's earnings were less than the maximum pensionable earnings.

Dependent children of a deceased contributor will qualify for a benefit of \$25.50 per month for each of the first four children and \$12.75 for the fifth and each additional child.

A lump sum death benefit is also payable. This amounts to six times the monthly retirement pension of the deceased contributor, up to a maximum of \$510.



Now that the bow and arrow braves, canoe braves and the pony braves have been unified into one tribe, the Hurons want to form their own bands of bow and arrow braves, canoe braves and pony braves.

Excerpts from Hansard

FEB. 5, 1968 PAGE 634

Hon. D. S. Harkness (Calgary North); Mr. Speaker, I wish to direct a supplementary question to the minister. Why was the naval Tracker aircraft, which crashed at Downsview, on that particular flight on which no training for its particular function could be secured?

Mr. Cadieux (Terrebonne): As I said, Mr. Speaker, it was practicing flying. There is no particular requirement for a naval plane to practise only over the sea. This was just a routine flying and operational trip.

Mr. Harkness: As a supplementary question, does the minister not think trips of this sort are really unnecessary, in that the flying training required can be secured from the base at which these aircraft are normally found?

Mr. Speaker: Order. The Hon. member is asking for an expression of views from the minister, and I do not think this is in order.

(Mr. Cadieux (Terrebonne).)

FEB. 7, 1968 PAGE 6465
NATO — INQUIRY AS TO POSSIBLE WITHDRAWAL OF CANADIAN FORCES

On the orders of the day: Mr. H. W. Herridge (Kootenay West); Mr. Speaker, I wish to address a question to the Acting Prime Minister. Is the government giving consideration to withdrawing Canada's air and land forces from Europe?

Hon. Paul Hellyer (Minister of Transport): Mr. Speaker, this question should really be directed to the Secretary of State for External Affairs or the Minister of National Defence. As has been explained on numerous occasions, the policy which was set out in the white paper of 1964 indicated a certain reduction in the forces that we would have in Europe. This has been the policy in the years since and is still the policy of the government. The Secretary of State for External Affairs and the Minister of National Defence are now in the process of working out with our NATO allies what the contribution will be for the next year, and a projection for the next five-year period.

FEB. 9, 1968 PAGE 6555

SUMMERSIDE — POSSIBLE PHASING OUT OF AIR BASE

On the orders of the day: Mr. David MacDonald (Prince); I should like to direct a question

to the Minister of National Defence which arises out of the meeting the minister had yesterday with the premier of Prince Edward Island and the premier's statement which appeared in the Charlottetown Guardian. There is a suggestion that the defence department wishes to phase out the Neptunes flying out of the Canadian forces base at Summerside. Can the minister assure members of this house and the people of Prince Edward Island that no major cut-backs will be made in that establishment, because of its vital importance to the already depressed economy of Prince Edward Island?

Hon. Leo Cadieux (Minister of National Defence): I can give assurance that no reduction will be entertained so far as the base at Summerside is concerned without prior consultation and preparation with the provincial authorities.

Mr. MacDonald (Prince): While the minister was kind enough to assure us that no such cut-back would take place without consultation, can he assure us that no cut-back will take place?

Mr. Cadieux (Terrebonne): Unfortunately I cannot; because as the hon. member knows we are contemplating phasing out the Neptunes and redeploying the Arguses which, of course, will apply to Summerside, Comox and other places in Canada. I cannot say there will not be any reduction.

FEB. 12, 1968 PAGE 6612
SUMMERSIDE — POSSIBLE PHASING OUT OF AIR BASE

On the orders of the day: Mr. David MacDonald (Prince); Mr. Speaker, I intended to direct this question to the Minister of National Defence had he been here. In his absence perhaps I can put the question to the Prime Minister. On Friday, in reply to questions I put to the Minister of National Defence about the future of the Canadian Forces base at Summerside, he suggested that in respect of the phasing out of the Neptunes redeployment of the Arguses was being contemplated. Will the Prime Minister assure members of this house and the people of Prince Edward Island, in view of the disastrous economic effect of closing the base outside of Summerside, whether a special task force is being set up by the department to consider alternative use for this establishment?

Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister): Yes, Mr. Speaker, I should like to ask the Prime Minister whether consideration is being given to moving the Downsview establishment to Summerside?

Mr. Pearson: Yes, Mr. Speaker, that is one possibility I mentioned myself.

Hon. J. A. MacLean (Queens): Mr. Speaker, I should like to ask the Prime Minister whether any study is being made by the Department of National Defence regarding ways and means whereby a permanent unit, either of national defence or the Defence Research Board, could be stationed at Summerside in order to provide some hope of continuing permanency for this base?

Mr. Pearson: I can assure my hon. friend that every aspect of this question is being considered exhaustively. We realize the importance of this matter to the island and we realize we should do everything possible. This is a very complicated problem and we are trying to find a solution.

FEB. 13, 1968 PAGE 6668
PROPOSED NEW SYSTEM OF CONTINENTAL AIR DEFENCE

On the orders of the day: Mr. Andrew Brewin (Greenwood); Mr. Speaker, I have a question I intended to put to the Minister of National Defence, but I think it is of sufficient importance to put it to the right hon. Prime Minister. The United States secretary of defence in a recent report to the United States senate armed services committee stated that the Canadian government has already indicated that it intends to continue its co-operation in the air defence of the continent. This statement was made in the light of a \$13 billion new air defence system —

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. Would the hon. member ask his question?

Mr. Brewin: Yes; I am just coming to the question, Mr. Speaker. I would like to ask the Prime Minister whether the government has in fact indicated the intention stated by Mr. McNamara.

Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister): Yes, Mr. Speaker. It has already been announced in the house, I believe, that we intend to continue our co-operation with the United States in the field of continental air defence, but that has nothing to do necessarily with the program referred to by my hon. friend.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

Dear Editor:

Three Cheers for Captain Silbert. I hope a man of his caliber gets to be CDS. He should at least get a Centennial Cog. If more of our officers spoke up from time to time maybe the "Word" would be heard "up there now and then."

Captain Silberts dollar and sense analysis of the rent situation was excellent. The new

If a contributor had not reached pensionable age at the time of his death, a retirement pension would be calculated as though he had in order to determine the amount of the widow's or disabled widower's pension and the death benefit.

The calculation of a widow's pension is dependent on a number of factors, including her age when widowed, whether she has dependent or disabled children or is disabled herself. Canada Pension Plan staff at district or local offices should be consulted for details in individual cases.

PMQ point system makes it again clear that the longer a guy stays in this outfit the fewer the advantages. It used to be some comfort to have a hope in...of getting a PMQ when you were posted. Can't somebody do something about this?

I must have been on leave when those guys came around with all those questions about rents, point systems etc.

Yours truly
Cpl. McCannopy.
Ed's Note: Is anyone up there listening?

Dear Editor:
For the past 2 years, I had been breaking the regulations about affixing base decals to the left of my car's windshield. However I was finally told one morning to have a sticker placed in the center of the windshield or else, I did plant a brand new one. You know what happened?

Regulations changed overnight, now it goes on the left. But I have a solution. My car is for sale, I'll have a bicycle with the sticker up my arm.

JIM

Dear Editor:
I wonder how many people are like myself when they go to the movies. After sitting through a movie I find myself standing to attention to "God Save The Queen". Now I wasn't born in Quebec and I understand about constitutional monarchies and all that, but I'd like to stand up to hear "Oh Canada" once in a while, even if it was on an alternate basis.

Yours truly
PEEVED
With a little bad luck you would go to the show on the alternate nights when they were playing "God Save The Queen. Ed.

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"The best laid plans of mice and men often go astray or better than me."

Two of our fearless leaders Nobby Bartels and Hank Klein found out the hard way recently that getting to Europe and ATOCC don't necessarily go together. They each spent a hopeful week in Trenton trying to get overseas but discovered to their disbelief that they were in the wrong element of the service and no room was available for them. Consequently they jumped on the band wagon and soared home with pleasant and much appreciated service bought by them on Canada's largest commercial airline-- that is the airline next to ours.

One of our able skiers?? is awaiting an operation in Naden for repairs to his left elbow. Marv Davis was unhappy about the groundhog going back into his hole and proceeded to give chase but soon discovered his elbow was not the right tool for

the job. I hope someone is keeping his Cougar happy! COBOC's favorite jinx John Scott fouled 407 again! On the way to Kodiak Tuesday he woke up to peer out his window and hurt the poor windshield because it cracked. Before anything else happened the crew put John back to sleep and returned to QQ.

Big, fat, black Doug MacArthur is going on a reducing campaign. After a long and most arduous discussion in which he convinced everyone that he was not really small the quorum decided Doug was right. As a result big, fat black Doug is cut off!

The rumor of the week also stars Doug! It has been heard that his golf game is somewhat above Palmers. Doug gets more eagles than mother eagles! Bob Richter has switched to cokes. His shakes were so bad when he returned from Vancouver this week he decided (all by himself) to switch his liquid diet and help American progress.



DRAWN UP in squadron formation and awaiting inspection as the fathers watch with admiration. The 386 RCAC Sqn. held its Father and Son Parade Thursday, February 8th. — Canadian Forces Photo

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121 KU

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RCAC, with ceremonies being held in the Royal Canadian Legion hall of Penticton.

As has been mentioned earlier, 121 KU also carried out several medical evacuations during the past month, the first evacuation was from Comox to Vancouver on the 19th of January - this was carried out by 121 KU Search Flight. Search Flight also carried out medical evacuations on the 1st of February from Port Alice to Vancouver and again on the 6th of February from Comox to Victoria.

Two more evacuations were carried out by Transport Flight-one from Kamloops to Vancouver on the 20th of January and the other from Comox to Victoria on the 1st of February.

Rescue Flight was also involved in a medical evacuation -

this one, on the 25th of January, was from Bella Coola to Vancouver.

The latest incident that 121 KU has been involved in, was an intercept and escort of a Cessna aircraft which was having fuel problems. This incident took place in the local area and an Albatross aircraft intercepted the Cessna at Campbell River and escorted him to Comox, where he landed.

Canadian Forces Art

The 1968 Art Exhibition is planned to be held at CFB Esquimalt from the 2nd to the 26th of July. Start your artwork now. Further information will be published when received.

The History of the Master Potato (PEI)

By F/L Dennis Simpson (RAF)

In days of long ago when PEI was founded The seas did melt, and leave an isle with water all surrounded, But sad to say, not much would stay upon this virgin land.

"Twos barren, nought but shining rock, And just a hint of sand.

And then one day a shipwrecked man from Ireland (unknown date) arrived upon this rocky isle, exhausted by his fate.

The poor man died upon these shores but from his pocket, - THUD! — an IRISH MURPHY, POMME DE TERRE, a good old fashioned spud.

It lay there for a day or two just dormant in the sun, And as it slowly gathered strength, it's task it was begun.

Its tubers sank both long and deep onto this barren land. And by its strength the rock was crushed to dusty reddish SAND!!

This master spud did multiply to cover all the land, and now there was all greenery where once there was but sand. It tried to leave the island but the seas did make it yield And confined its active passions to P.E.I. fair field.

There is now a point of balance not too small, and not too grand. The spuds at last are held in check, but THIS PLEASE UNDERSTAND, —

The master spud it here must stay, YES, HERE MUST BE CONFINED, for once this virile master leaves then CANADA'S ENTWINED . . . ! !

And now my tale is almost done, for this you'll rise and cheer, I'll not keep you back much longer from the ladies, and your beer, But remember all I've told you and at last you'll understand Why you'll NEVER GET YOUR CAUSEWAY AND THE ISLAND'S MADE OF SAND.



"AREN'T YOU supposed to have a CD up there, Airman?" asks Lt. Col. H. E. Smale as he inspects the first year cadets. — Canadian Forces Photo

Keeping Fit in the Family



BROTHER AND SISTER wind up Sweethearts. On February the 9, the YAA Club held their Valentine's dance. With the drawing of cards, Coleen and Joey Fogarty became the King and Queen of the evening. The dance was a real howling success with 81 teeny boppers in attendance.

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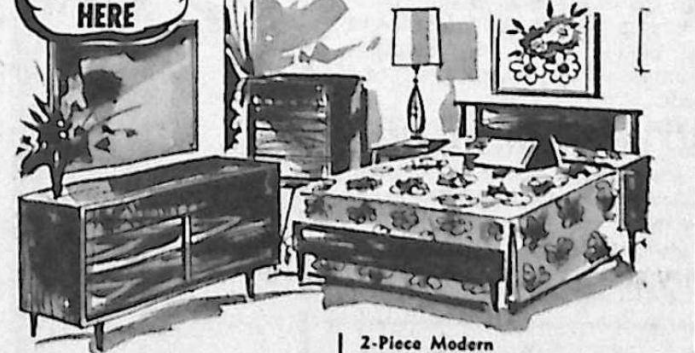
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Adults and Young People 13 years and older.

Family Service - Sunday, Feb. 25 at 11 a.m. There will be no Sunday School. Members of the Brownies, Guides, Rangers, Cubs, Scouts and Venturers will parade to this service.

VALENTINES by Padre Archer

Now that Valentine's Day is over, this story may be told. It seems that a sailor was looking at a display of greeting cards, and finally found a valentine which really appealed to him. It had a big red satin heart on it, and lace, and it said, "Here's my heart and soul for the only girl I have ever loved." He took it over to the sales clerk and said enthusiastically, "This is just the card I am looking for. May I have two dozen of them, please!"

Our English word, "love," is a many splintered thing. As someone has said, it "covers everything from Hollywood to Heaven," and somehow it manages to do service (although not without some confusion), where, in the Greek, there are four different words to cover its variety of meanings. In the month of February it is called upon to do exceptionally heavy duty as St. Valentine's day come and goes.

Historians do not completely agree upon the identity of St. Valentine. There were apparently two memorable Christians in the late third century who were known by this name, and both of them became martyrs. One of them was a priest who lived in Rome and who was imprisoned at the time of Emperor Claudius II for giving assistance to persecuted Christians. He was beheaded about A.D. 270 on the Palatine Hill in Rome.

The first Valentine's kind of love was far removed from that we now normally associate with the name. When the day comes around next year let us temper our romanticism with the knowledge that St. Valentine gave his life for his belief in Christ.

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."



"HERE I AM, at the front of the line, and I can't make up my mind whether I want a hamburger or a hotdog. Shucks! Maybe I'll have both. Now let's see, will I have mustard and relish, or catsup and relish?"

Second and Sixth Skate and Swallow

A joint skating party was held Wednesday, January 31 for the Brownies of the Second and Sixth Packs. The activities began at 3:00 in the Glacier Gardens Arena where the energetic Brownies displayed their skating prowess until 4:30 when Brown Owls, Mrs. M. Bourchier (6th Pack) and Mrs. B. Sirois (2nd Pack), along with Tawny Owls, Miss K. Bourchier and Mrs. A. Fredricks led the girls to the Parish Hall for the long-awaited food.

Having worked up hearty appetites, they did justice to the hot chocolate, hamburgers, potato chips, hot dogs and assorted sweets.

The leaders of the sixth and second packs wish to extend their thanks to Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Elliot, Maria McLaughlin, Kathy Brooks, Brenda Cronmiller and Debbie Poirier who were on hand to prepare and serve the supper, to Mrs. Routledge who lent assistance in the initial preparations and to the mothers who donated some of the food, thanks also to Cpl. Elliot, Cpl. Bourchier and Mrs. Patterson who helped with transportation. This co-operation was greatly appreciated and resulted in an enjoyable and memorable afternoon for the Brownies.

Last year more than two million Heart Fund dollars went into medical research in Canada.

CUB AND SCOUT MOTHERS TO HOLD MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the cub and scout Mother's Auxiliary will be held on the last Monday of every month at 8 p.m. A cordial invitation goes out to all mothers who have boys in Cubs, Scouts, and Venturers.

Communion Breakfast Success



ON SUNDAY, 11th February, ladies from Comox, Courtenay and Cumberland were guests at a Communion Breakfast hosted by Our Lady of the Airways CWL. Guest speaker at the breakfast was Mrs. Grace Schilling, of Chemainus, who is Victoria Diocesan Social Action Convener for the CWL. Mrs. Schilling spoke on the need for more Catholic ladies to take an active part in the work of the parish and urged that an effort be made also to involve young people similarly. Members of the airport Girl Guides served the breakfast, and Mrs. Schilling commended them on the excellent job they had done, adding that this was one example of how children received invaluable experience in taking part in parish functions. Following the breakfast, Mrs. Schilling presented three of the guides, Sharon Potvin, Joanne Lathian and Debbie Geneau, with Religion and Life emblems. Among the guests at the breakfast were Father P. LaHaye, Base Chaplain (Roman Catholic); Sisters Cyrilla, Eugenie, Martin-Marie and Mary Alacocque from St. Joseph's Hospital; Mrs. Paul Wilson, Courtenay; Mrs. Ruth Hazlett, Comox; Mrs. Josie Graham, Cumberland; and Mrs. W. Fenn, CFB Comox.

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Barbecue Anyone?

FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

You wouldn't think of keeping a few sticks of dynamite in the basement, would you? Of course not. Yet you do have something in your home that is almost as explosive. That something is a flammable liquid.

Gasoline, naphtha, certain cleaning solvents - these are flammable liquids. They will evaporate and make a flammable vapor unless they are kept in proper type containers. When flammable vapors are mixed with the right amount of air, an explosive mixture is formed. When it is ignited by a match, a spark in the electric switch, or a pilot light, the result is a bad explosion and sometimes, injury to yourself.

Flammable liquids should NEVER be stored inside the home - it is bad enough to store them in the garage. Children should never handle them.

What is a proper container for them? It is a heavy metal can having a self-closing, screened, liquid-tight cover for its pouring spout. It will have a brass label of the Underwriters' or Factory Mutual Laboratories firmly attached to it. If overturned, its contents will not leak out.

Light metal cans with a screw-type cap on the pouring spout are not approved safe containers.

Originally, they may not leak. But if the building in which they are stored ever catches on fire, the heat of the fire will expand the liquid inside, burst the thin metal can, and thus intensify the fire. Also glass jars or jugs should never be used for these liquids.

Some people use flammable liquids for home dry cleaning. Don't take a chance on losing your home by fire just to save a few pennies on a dry cleaning job. If a non-flammable spot remover cannot do the job, take the garment to a professional cleaner. Home dry cleaning with flammable liquids is decidedly unsafe - your kitchen stove pilot light can ignite the vapors - and you.

The vapors from flammable liquids are heavier than air - they will flow down stairs to the basement and be eventually ignited by your gas water heater or your furnace. That is the chief reason why they should never be used inside the home.

If you have a power lawn mower, you'll need a small amount of gasoline on hand to keep it running. Get an approved 1-gallon can, BE SURE IT HAS THE U/L or F/M label on it, keep it out of reach of your children.

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BROOMBALL — Final Standings

| Team | P | W | L | T | P |
|------------|----|----|----|---|----|
| 407 Demons | 15 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 21 |
| 407 Un. | 15 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 16 |
| Oper. | 15 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 16 |
| Ad. Hust. | 15 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 15 |
| Techn. | 15 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 15 |
| 407 Tor. | 15 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 7 |

After the last game of the season, Operations and 407 Un-touchables were tied for second place. However, the Untouchables were awarded second place by virtue of winning more games than Operations. Also, Technical and the Admin. Hustlers were tied for the fourth playoff spot which called for a sudden death

game with Admin. coming out on top by a score of 2 to 0.

BASKETBALL STANDINGS:

| TEAM | P | W | L | P |
|-----------|---|---|---|----|
| 407 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 16 |
| Technical | 9 | 7 | 2 | 14 |
| 409 & 425 | 9 | 3 | 6 | 6 |
| Teens | 9 | 0 | 9 | 0 |

"B" LEAGUE VOLLEYBALL STANDINGS:

| Team | P | W | L | P |
|------------|----|----|----|----|
| Accts #1 | 36 | 28 | 8 | 28 |
| OPS ME | 36 | 28 | 8 | 28 |
| Accts #2 | 36 | 17 | 19 | 17 |
| OPS Supply | 36 | 12 | 24 | 12 |
| OPS ATC | 36 | 9 | 27 | 9 |

HOCKEY STANDINGS:

With just two postponed games to play between Technical and 121 here are the statistics as of 20 Feb. Technical and 121 will play a 4 point game on Wed. 21 Feb. at 1800.

| TEAM | GP | W | L | T | GF | GA | AVG | PEN | PTS. |
|------------|----|----|----|---|-----|-----|------|-----|------|
| Technical | 18 | 15 | 3 | | 145 | 49 | 2.72 | 245 | 30 |
| Mustangs | 20 | 15 | 5 | | 127 | 78 | 3.90 | 210 | 30 |
| 121 Sqn. | 18 | 11 | 7 | | 92 | 68 | 3.77 | 205 | 22 |
| Oper. | 20 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 88 | 122 | 6.0 | 195 | 17 |
| 407 Demons | 20 | 4 | 14 | 2 | 68 | 123 | 6.15 | 227 | 10 |
| Admin | 20 | 3 | 16 | 1 | 61 | 125 | 6.58 | 273 | 7 |

Ladies Bowling League

This is the first time this league made the paper and to do this feat we had to invite six ladies from CFB Holberg to come visit us. The six stalwart bowlers had to leave home by 7:30 a.m. on Friday morning the 2nd of Feb. and by bus, a two and half hour boat trip and then an airplane ride to Vancouver they finally arrived here at 3:30 p.m. We hustled them off to the various homes for a fast supper then made them come out for their first three strings of bowling at 7 p.m. Their team consisted of: Jean Matthews, Grace Clarke, Robbie Whyte, Pearl Allen, Rita Fortier, and Marie Frantz. Their opposition from Comox was Eileen Gooding, Eileen Stuart, and Alice Miles, Marg Morris, Ellie Taylor and Audrey Boyce. The first string Holberg won 917 to 903. The next Comox 980 to 909 and we had them tied by this time and won 950 to 836 for a difference of 171 pins. Saturday the girls enjoyed a rainy day of shopping and were then hostessed with a social evening in the Social Centre. A good time was had by all, with all the noise I doubt if anyone heard what another person

had to say, at least there was lots of food and drink (would you believe coffee and tea).

On Sunday afternoon we met once again at the bowling alley for another three strings but I guess our girls had too much rest as Holberg won the first string 972 to 807. Comox took the second one 897 to 885, with Holberg taking the third 976 to 948 and ended up with the trophies by a total of 5495 to 5485. Individual trophies were given to the Holberg team with High Single to Robbie Whyte, High Triple to Grace Clarke, and Low Triple to Pearl Allen. Congratulations girls but we hope to meet you again some time. The Holberg team extended their thanks to all the league here for their enjoyable weekend and hope they can return the favor in the near future. My special thanks go out to Eileen Stuart, Betty Churchill, Bev Williams, Ellie Taylor, and to Kay Ingram who billeted the visitors for the weekend, and to each and every one who helped me with the last minute details for the weekend and to Joan Makowichuk who did most of the arranging before sneaking off to the hospital for a rest.

Shotgun Spiel '68

The 1968 Shotgun Bonsel at the Comox Valley Curling Club attracted fifty-one rinks from many various locations on Vancouver Island and mainland British Columbia. There were teams from Squamish, Richmond, Vancouver, Victoria, Duncan, Nanaimo, Qualicum, Ucluelet, Port McNeill, Powell River, Gilles Bay, Campbell River, and of course from the Comox Valley Club.

After the smoke had cleared and the teams had completed four days of intensive competitive curling the Thompson rink of Nanaimo walked off with the shotguns. They had a last rock victory over Ralph Boyd of Campbell River in the John Labatt Main Event. Boyd had previously won the Malkin Ford event with an 8 to 5 victory over Lyle Gordon of Victoria.

Final Bonsel results are as follows:

JOHN LABATT MAIN EVENT
1 Thompson-Nanaimo
2 Boyd-Campbell River
3 Meyers-Comox Valley
4 Carlson-Comox Valley

MALKIN FORD MAIN EVENT
1 Boyd-Campbell River
2 Gordon-Victoria

Zone One Competitions

BROOMBALL — 3, 4, 5 Apr at CFB Comox
BASKETBALL — 28, 29 Mar at CFB Esquimalt
GOLF — 12, 13 Jun at CFS Kamloops
CURLING — Date TBA at CFS Ladner
BOWLING — Date TBA at CFB Chilliwack



COBOC MEMBERS undergo a rigorous physical workout each morning. Due to the great emphasis being placed on fitness these days the members of the bachelor officers' club have taken it upon themselves to keep in trim. Under the guided direction of Gord Jeffries a brown bagger who is donating his services the COBOC members are put through their paces. Jeffries can be seen in the background shouting directions to Al Cooper and Les Putland as they partake in an exciting game of doubles handball while other COBOC members shout encouragement. The game was held in the officers mess and as can be seen in the photo a large crowd was on hand to watch the game.

Totems Start Play-off Series This Week-end

Friday night at 8:30 p.m. the local Totems will start a two out of three series with the Powell River juniors as part of the Vancouver Island play downs. The winner of the Powell River-Totem series will then move on to play the winner of a Nanaimo-Port Alberni series which also gets under way this weekend. Port Alberni would seem to be favoured in that series from what we have seen here.

The Powell River team are an unknown quantity here since no one has seen them play, it is known that they have been beaten by Port Alberni and that they have in turn beaten the Port Alberni team. They have also traded wins with the rough tough Nanaimo crowd — so when you sift it all out it would seem that they could well be right up at the top of the pile when the Island championships are over and the winner takes on the mainland champs. In play on the mainland the Nor Wes caps are now one game up in a series with Coquitlam while Richmond is one game up over Burnaby in the other side of the top four play off in that league. Probable winners are either Nor Wes Caps or Richmond who would pick to meet the Vancouver Island Champions for the Pacific Coast Laurels. The winner will then go on to meet the Interior champs in the Provincial play-off series for the Cyclone Taylor trophy presently held here at Comox and won by last year's Totems.

Age and military transfers took a heavy toll of the last year championship team but there are four of the originals here. These are Steve Sweeney and Terry Smith who line up normally with a new centre, Bill Cartwright. Others still with the Totems are Alf Cashman and Jim Baker who both play defence along with newcomers Kevin Edmondson, Roger Gagne, Bob Hanes. Others you will see as forwards are John Simonin, Wilf Johnston, Andy Bilodeau who work as a line and Gord Palmer who centres a line with Steve Christianson, Robi Robichaud and Steve Erickson as wings. Erickson and

Christianson double at defence as required.

And so its now do or die for the Totems and unfortunately one of the biggest problems this season has been that old bug a boo that caused so much problem with the Intermediate team of two seasons back. How do you keep a full team out when there are things like work, school and household responsibilities which come along. It's not easy. This season the problem has been added to as the Totems have now found themselves competing with a base team for fan support this to say the least along with other problems has proved pretty rough.

A good hard look will be required before next season gets under way so that plans now in the thinking stage be finalized. Talk is of course very strong for formation of a Junior league and into which the junior totems would fit very well and on a most competitive basis insofar as ability is concerned. But there are many things to be considered before such a move could be finalized. There will be a meeting called very soon now to discuss plans for next year's junior hockey on the island and teams from Victoria, Royal Roads, Nanaimo, Port Alberni, Powell River and Comox will be attending. The results will be very interesting for junior hockey fans and will pass on the words as it is received.

So there you have it. Friday night 8:30 p.m. the Totems first game against Powell River and then Saturday night same time for a second game. Oh yes and for those of you who are not in on the story the Totems are NOT repeat NOT a base sponsored team even if the team does consist of fairmen and dependants (and one mountie). The team either goes or folds on fan support so it's up to you. But in any case we'd recommend fast action if you want a good seat reserve it now. Indications are that there will be big crowds out for these games. Call the arena snack bar at 339-2211 Local 315 or see Mrs. Barnes at the box office but do it fast or you could be out of luck.

Big Qualicum River Study

Weekly summary, February 5-11 of the Big Qualicum river project.

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|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Fence trap count for week | 1 |
| Cumulative total fish above fence | 323 |
| Angler catch Zone 1 | 13 |
| Cumulative total Zone 1 | 62 |
| Angler catch Zones 2-6 | 9 |
| Cumulative catch Zones 2-6 | 64 |
| Steelhead released | 04 |

Total fishermen — 94
Total fish caught — 22
Ratio — 4.3:1
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CFB Uplands Captures Gov. General's Trophy

A pair of CFB Uplands curling rinks using the blank-end strategy here earlier this month defeated Montreal's Hudson Curling Club foursomes to win the Governor General's Trophy.

It was the first time in the 94-year history of the coveted award that an armed forces club had won the Canadian Branch double-rink championship. His Excellency personally presented the trophy.

Skipped by Sgt. D. E. Sterling and Cpl. W. C. Aikenhead, the Uplands rinks took the lead on the third end and never lost it. Sterling won his match 8-7 and Aikenhead finished on top, 7-4.

Members of the Sterling rinks were: CWO A. J. Couillard and Cpl. W. H. Paterson and J. P. Brega. The youthful trio to Roger Cyr, Bill Ward and Steve Skinner made up the Aikenhead foursome.

First for Forces Nordic Skiers

Nordic ski teams from Ottawa's Forces Ski club and the Castor Ski club of CFB Valcartier, Que., earlier this month captured firsts in the touring and racing events, part of Canada's 1968 Marathon Ski Tour.

The Valcartier skiers won the 20-mile, five-man relay race, and the Ottawa servicemen took the five-man touring event. A second Valcartier quintet finished third in the relay.

The 100-mile hike from Morin Heights, north of Montreal, to Fortune Lodge in the Gatineau Hills near Hull, Que., was shortened to 50 miles because of poor weather conditions. A week of sleet and rain made some parts of the trail impassable.

Competing for the Ottawa Forces Ski Club, Capt. Bruce Cameron, finished fifth in the 50-mile single racing event, and naval

Lt. J. Littlefair and Sgt. K. Wheeler placed third in the two-man team event.

Other service entries in the cross-country contest were: teams from the Royal Military College of Canada, College Militaire de St. Jean and CF Station Sioux Lookout; two, five-man touring from CFBHQ, Ottawa, and the family teams of Majors M. Aller, and D. M. Letson.

The Canadian Amateur Ski Association has given its blessing to the cross-country marathon, which was launched last year as a centennial ski tour. If the tour receives the necessary support, it will become an annual affair.

Governor-General Michener joined the last mile of the ski-in to the Fortune Lodge where he and Gen. J. V. Allard, chief of the defence staff, presented individual and team awards.

National Park and Outdoor Recreation Scholarships

Ottawa, January 12, 1968 — Six scholarships valued at \$2,000 each will be awarded for graduate work in planning and management of natural park and outdoor recreation areas by the National Parks Service of the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

"The ever increasing challenge to meet the demands for parks and recreation areas will be a continuing need," said the Honourable Arthur Laing, Minister responsible for the National Parks of Canada. "Every effort to encourage professionalism in the field must be made, and the scholarships will greatly assist to that end."

Mr. Laing said park planning and outdoor recreation management are vocations born of modern social and economic patterns, and the administration of the National Parks of Canada have been made greatly aware of this fact by the entry of more than 12 million visitors into parks during 1967, compared with a mere 500,000 in 1936.

"One of the objectives of the Department, in meeting this trend of increased visitation to National Parks, is to give vocational direction towards the na-

tural resource based park planning and outdoor recreation management fields," said the Minister.

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Brier Time Again

The McDonald Brier Emblematic of Canadian Curling Supremacy will be held this year in Kelowna B.C. from March 4th to March 9th.

For the fifth time since 1963 it will be Calgary's Ron Northcott representing Alberta in the Curling Classic. All provinces have now decided on their representatives and the provincial

champs are as follows:
British Columbia - Bob McCubbin; Alberta - Ron Northcott; Saskatchewan - Bob Pickering; Manitoba - Burke Parker; Northern Ontario - Herbie Pile; Southern Ontario - Don Gilbert; Quebec - Bill Tracy; New Brunswick - Jim Ayer; Nova Scotia - Don Fleming; Prince Edward Island - Allan Smith; New Foundland - Bill Piercey.

Willie Weiler Enters Hall of Fame

A young German tool and die maker, who came to Canada 10 years ago on a sponsorship to help improve amateur sports here, has been elected to the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada Hall of Fame.

Sergeant Wilhelm F. (Willie) Weiler, German-born physical training instructor-gymnast, reached the pinnacle of his gymnastic career in November with the announcement by the hall's chairman, Colonel Jack Davies.

In 11 years of local, national and international competition between 1956 and 66, the 31-year old Weiler racked up an impressive all-round record of 45 firsts, five seconds and three thirds. In other meets in the United States, he scored a pair of firsts in the long horse and vaulting events.

In 1950, Weiler, the second son, of a German factory worker took to gymnastics. Six years later he was Germany's junior gymnastic champion. In 1957, he came to Canada under the sponsorship of a Toronto brewery, and within six weeks had become the all round Canadian men's senior gymnastic champion.

Weiler's individual performance at the 1963 Pan-American games in Sao Paulo, Brazil, was hailed by Canadian coach, Chuck Sebestyen, as one of the outstanding individual performances in the history of gymnastics. At the games, he took three gold, four silver and one bronze medal.

Sgt. Weiler repeated his Canadian senior men's win five times between 1958 and 1966. He was named Canada's male amateur

athlete of the year in three consecutive years, 1961-63, for which he received the Norton H. Crowe Memorial Award. It goes annually to the athlete making the outstanding contribution to any AAU sport.

JOINS ARMY
Hearing of athletic opportunities in army physical training, he enlisted as a private in the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps in 1958 and within a year was a Corporal at the army physical training centre in CFB Borden. While there, he spent much of his spare time coaching at the gym club.

Sgt. Weiler, who has never been coached professionally, gives a lot of credit for his success to his fellow PTIs. He was the first North American gymnast to perform in competition, the Yamashita Vault, a hand push-off into a piked front somersault over the long horse.

During a meet at Essen, Germany, he astounded the audience with another first, a piked back somersault dismounted off the horizontal bars. Weiler was also the first Canadian to perform a double back somersault on the still rings as part of a competitive routine.

In 1964, Sgt. Weiler moved to CFB Chilliwack, B.C. In 1966 he coached the Canadian national gymnastic team at the Pan-Am Games in Winnipeg last summer. At the 1967 Winter Games in Quebec he coached the British Columbia juniors and later, Canada's Senior team at the North American championship in Chicago.

Comox Valley Minor Hockey

The Comox Minor Hockey Leagues played full schedules during the past two weeks with many exciting and crowd pleasing games.

The Pee Wee Island championship playoff will take place at Glacier Gardens on Feb. 24 at 12 noon and the second game of the total goal series will be played at 11 a.m. Feb. 25 between Comox and Powell River.

| MOOSEHORN DIVISION | |
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| Jays | 1 Ponies 3 |
| Jays | 3 Apaches 0 |
| Apaches | 1 Blackfoot 0 |
| Blackfoot | 1 Ponies 0 |
| BANTAM | |
| Falcons | 1 Algonquins 1 |
| Falcons | 4 Comanches 3 |
| Comanches | 3 Iroquois 0 |
| Algonquins | 2 Mustangs 0 |
| BIG FIVE | |
| Brones | 3 Cherokees 0 |
| Brones | 6 Sioux 2 |
| Sioux | 3 Hawks 2 |
| Cherokees | 3 Hawks 5 |
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CAMERA CLUB

The Base Camera Club will be holding a "color clinic" on 11th, 18th and 25th of March at 7 p.m. under the direction of Jim Tremblay. There will be a display of slide duplicating equipment, demonstrations on how to duplicate slides using different light sources and the evening will finish with a demonstration on how to develop and process your own slides. The clinics will not be restricted to club members and any camera enthusiast who is not familiar with this aspect of photography is most welcome to come.

"My department has been pleased to assist the CASA in building a strong National ski team and in developing the sport across this country."

"Miss Greene's success will surely encourage more young Canadian skiers in a sport which can be enjoyed by people of virtually all ages and all levels of ability."

The CASA is one of the national sports governing bodies supported by the Fitness and Amateur Sport Program.

Football Grants

Two grants awarded under the Fitness and Amateur Sport program, total \$25,675.

The regional coaching clinics are to be held at the University of Alberta, Edmonton; University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon; Bishop's University, Lennoxville, N.S.; St. Francis Xavier, Antigonish, N.S.; and one other university, to be selected in Central Ontario. Approximately 270 coaches, most of them at the high school and minor football level, will receive advanced instruction at the regional clinics.

The National Officials Clinic, the first ever held in Canada, is slated for mid-summer at the University of Manitoba.

In announcing the grant, Mr. MacEachen noted the interdependence of professional and amateur football in Canada. "I've

always felt that amateur and professional sport were interdependent on each other," he said.

"This National Officials Clinic is a prime example of what mutual co-operation can accomplish. Officials of the Canadian Football League have been more than generous in assisting in the planning of this clinic."

"Amateur football can only benefit through this upgrading of officials. And professional football too will benefit in the long run in ensuring a continuing supply of properly trained and experienced officials," observed the minister.

Ontario will send nine officials to the clinic; eight will attend from Quebec, four from the Atlantic provinces, three from British Columbia and two each from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.



THE TOTEM TIMES HAS DONE IT AGAIN: Once more Newt and Black Hawk were in the right place at the right time. Our men in Toronto recently swiped this photo from the files of well known hockey scout Flash Murphy. Seems that the Toronto Maple Leafs are thinking about bringing up this new player from the minors. The prospect of joining the NHL doesn't seem to phase "Ace" (We were able to learn his name by checking the name on his stick with a magnifying glass). When confronted with the highly incriminating evidence, a Leaf official admitted "Yes, we figured on bringing him up. One thing about us, is that if our team isn't doing so well, we can always count on our depth." Rumor has it that Knobby is betting on Toronto for first place.



SUMMER MUST be here. While out near Air Force Beach last week, during our balmy spell, NEWT and Black Hawk came across this happy group frolicking in the warmths of Georgia Strait. These are the pleasant sights that will soon be seen along our sandy shores and the lord knows — we can hardly wait. Rumor has it that these girls were heading home from the recent COBOC Fly-In. — Tremblay photo

Hockey, Ski Grants

Fitness and Amateur Sport grants to Canada's two major winter sports — hockey and skiing — were announced today by Health and Welfare Minister MacEachen.

The Canadian Amateur Ski Association received grants totalling some \$113,000 in support of its 1967-68 program. The CASA program includes national championships, international competition and training for the National Ski Team, clinics for ski coaches and assistance for recreational skiers.

The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association was awarded grants amounting to \$85,000, most of which will assist the Ottawa and Winnipeg-based national hockey teams. The grant also includes support for participation of Canada's hockey team in the Olympics in Grenoble in February.

The grant to the ski association includes: \$25,705 to assist in the staging of national championships (senior and junior) in alpine, cross-country and jumping; \$7,660 to help the National Ski Team participate in international competitions excluding the Olympics; \$45,625 to assist in the training of National ski teams — alpine, cross-country and jumping — in Canada and in Europe prior to the Olympics; \$20,851 for clinics for coaches; \$10,750 towards the cost of annual and executive meetings and office administration and to reproduce touring maps and mark trails for recreational skiers.

Government Support for National Championships

National championships in 21 different sports will receive support through a group of Fitness and Amateur Sport grants announced today by the Hon. Allan J. MacEachen, Minister of National Health and Welfare.

Largest of the grants announced by the minister, \$32,310, goes to the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association. It will cover half the travel costs of athletes competing in the senior men's and women's and junior men's and women's championships.

The championships are to be conducted this year in the form of four regional playoffs and a four-team final. The senior men's championships will be held in the home town of the Atlantic regional winner; the senior women's at the home of the Western regional winner; the junior men's at the Pacific regional winner's home grounds; and the junior women's at the home court of the Central regional champions.

The Canadian Amateur Football Association was granted Fitness assistance amounting to \$25,705 to conduct national championships for seniors and juniors in alpine, cross-country and jumping events.

The Canadian Soccer Football Association will conduct national championships in senior and junior regional playoffs and final with the aid of two Fitness grants totalling \$18,620. One hundred and eighty athletes, coaches, managers and officials will participate in the senior playoffs and final, while 160 will take part in the junior championships.

A \$15,024 grant to the Canadian Volleyball Association will support national championships for both men and women, junior and senior. The championships are scheduled for McMaster University in Hamilton, March 7 and 8.

Total Fitness and Amateur Sport grants for assistance in holding national championships, announced today by Mr. MacEachen were:

- BASKETBALL - \$32,310
- Junior "A" Women's Championships \$7,260; Junior "A" Men's Championships \$8,310; Senior "A" Women's Championships, \$7,320; Senior "A" Men's Championships \$9,420.
- BOBISLEIGH AND LUGE - \$740.
- Canadian Luge Championships at "La Reserve" at St. Donat, Quebec, \$390; Canadian Bobisleigh Championships at Lake Placid, New York \$350.
- FENCING - \$4,353
- National Fencing Championships Toronto, May 17 to 20, 1968, \$4,353.
- FIGURE SKATING ASSOCIATION - \$8,119
- National Figure Skating Championships, Vancouver, January, 1968, \$8,119.
- GYMNASTICS - \$6,429
- National Senior Championships and Olympic Trials - Toronto, July 5 and 6, 1968, \$2,344; National Junior Championships, Toronto, July 5 and 6, 1968, \$4,085.
- HANDBALL - \$3,344
- Open and Closed 4-Wall Championships, Edmonton, March 1968 \$3,344

HORSE SHOWS - \$1,873

Canadian Equestrian Championships in Ontario in the summer of 1968, \$1,873

KARATE - \$685

Canadian Karate Championships, Montreal in the spring of 1968, \$685

KODOKAN BLACK BELT - \$7,782

7th Canadian Judo Championships, Saskatoon, May 18, 1968, \$7,782.

LACROSSE - \$6,097

Senior "B" Championship finals between East and West in the City of the Eastern Championships, \$2,180; Junior "B" National Championships finals in Winnipeg, Manitoba, \$3,917

LAWN BOWLING - \$2,471

National Championships Toronto, \$2,471

WALLACE GARDENS COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEWS "PLAY AT HOME BINGO" COMMENCING 5 MARCH

- Cards at \$1.00 each may be purchased at No. 7 Hangar Canteen, No. 1 Hangar Canteen, 121 KU Canteen, Base Snack Bar and from representatives.
- Numbers will be drawn each working day at 0830 hours. An initial draw of 10 numbers will be made to commence the game and 3 numbers will be drawn each working day until all prizes for the game are won. Ties will divide prize money equally.
- Numbers will be posted at No. 7 Hangar, No. 1 Hangar and 121 KU canteens plus the Base Snack Bar, Combined Mess and Post Office daily. Numbers may be obtained at 339-2211 Local 449 between the hours of 0845 and 1200.
- A winning card must be declared and presented for checking at the MP Training Section (Rear of Bldg. 22) before the next numbers are drawn.
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Sunday, February 25
CARRY ON SCREAMING
Kenneth Williams, Leslie Phillips
Guaranteed to be enjoyed by all

Thursday, February 29
ONE MILLION B.C.
Raquel Welch, John Richardson
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MATINEES

Saturday, February 24
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| " Female | 45.00 |
| " Man/Wife | 90.00 |
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| Non-Resident | 25.00 |
| Social | 2.50 |

A feature of particular interest to members of the CAF. A rebate of half the regular rates will be paid to members transferred from the area before 1 July of the current calendar year.