

KING EDWARD TIMES

VOLUME IV, No. 40

January 20, 1978

1) COLLEGE COUNCIL MEETING

The next regular meeting of V.C.C. Council is scheduled for next Wednesday, January 25th at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at 675 West Hastings Street (sixth floor).

H.E.P.

2) "JACQUES BREL...."

Last Saturday I attended the opening night of the musical "Jacques Brel Is Alive And Well And Living In Paris" and thoroughly enjoyed it. It's a Langara Studio 58 production and features several of our Music Department students: Michael Creber, Hugh Fraser and Alan Medcalf. "Jacques Brel..." plays Tuesday through Sunday at 8:00 p.m. until February 5th. It's well worth an evening at the \$2.50 or \$3.00 admission fee. Reservations are necessary. (See press release on bulletin board near letter boxes.)

H.E.P.

CONDOLENCES

Our heartfelt sympathy to Dave Greenall on the death of his mother this week.

We wish to extend sympathy to Mrs. Grace Shaw on the death of her mother yesterday, January 19.

Faculty and Staff

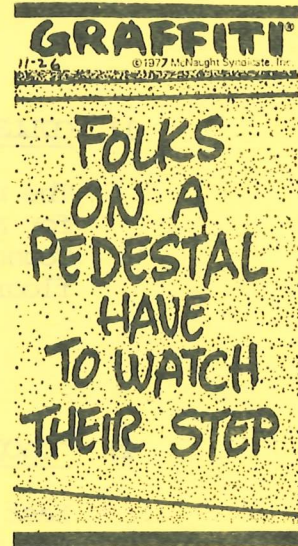
3) "BITS AND PIECES"

Newton

The metric unit of force (newton) is derived from three basic units: kilogram, metre, and second. One newton is the force which, when applied to a mass of 1 kg, gives it an acceleration of 1 m/s^2 . ($1 \text{ N} = 1 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}^2$). The newton is roughly the force required by your hand when supporting two golf balls. The unit was named in honour of Sir Isaac Newton (1643-1727) an English physicist, mathematician, and astronomer whose research with the forces of gravity led to his three laws of motion. In 1703, he was elected president of the Royal Society and in 1705 was knighted by Queen Anne. He is buried in Westminster Abbey.



Photo Courtesy Smithsonian Institute



*The plain man is the basic clod
From which we build the demigod
And in the average man lies curled
The hero stuff that rules the world.*

-S.W. Foss



"In this line, you're only as good as your last memo."

4) **GUIDELINES RESPECTING COPYRIGHT**

The attached guidelines with respect to copyright were adopted at the KEC Management Committee meeting held on January 16, 1978.

I hope they will prove helpful to all faculty insofar as reproduction of copyright materials is concerned. Also, the guideline should be particularly useful for those of you who may be involved in particular projects (such as manuals, workbooks and the like).

J.D.B.

GUIDELINES RESPECTING COPYRIGHT

A. Use of Copyright Materials

1. Sound tapes, video material, print material or any other copyrights or patents not owned by Vancouver Community College must not be reproduced, in whole or in part, without written permission from the holder of the copyright or patent.
2. Material purchased by the College cannot be reproduced without permission of the copyright or patent owner; copyright is not acquired through the purchase of a film, book or any other material.
3. The College cannot condone or support illegal reproduction of copyright material. However, should duplication of copyright material be required, the College will assist -
 - (i) in ascertaining who holds the copyright and
 - (ii) in obtaining the necessary rights for duplication from the copyright or patent holder.

The Library should be contacted when assistance is required. In each instance, however, all factors (costs, urgency of need, etc.,) must be evaluated: in many instances, it would be cheaper to buy the additional items required.

4. Before the above actions are initiated with respect to audio-visual materials, particularly sound tapes, the possibility that duplicating rights are already available (often indicated on cassette or box) must be checked with the Library and, if they are, those rights can be utilized.

B. Instructional Materials Created Within the College

1. The College wishes to encourage authorship of materials on or related to instruction and may assist in a number of ways: typing, printing, binding, distribution, etc. However, prior clarification of the project is essential; while a "contract" may not be necessary, parameters of the project should be clearly understood before the assignment is undertaken. In other words, authorship and ownership should be dealt with as a matter of negotiation prior to initiation of the project.
2. While in no way reducing the importance of prior clarification and understanding with respect to authorship/ownership of materials, the following statement may serve as a guideline:

When an employee is assigned by his employer (immediate supervisor, department head, co-ordinator, etc.,) to develop instructional materials either as a specific assignment or as part of his normal teaching load, the copyright of such materials rests with Vancouver Community College in the first instance. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the copyright on such instructional materials may, upon request therefor by the author, be released to him/her on the following conditions:

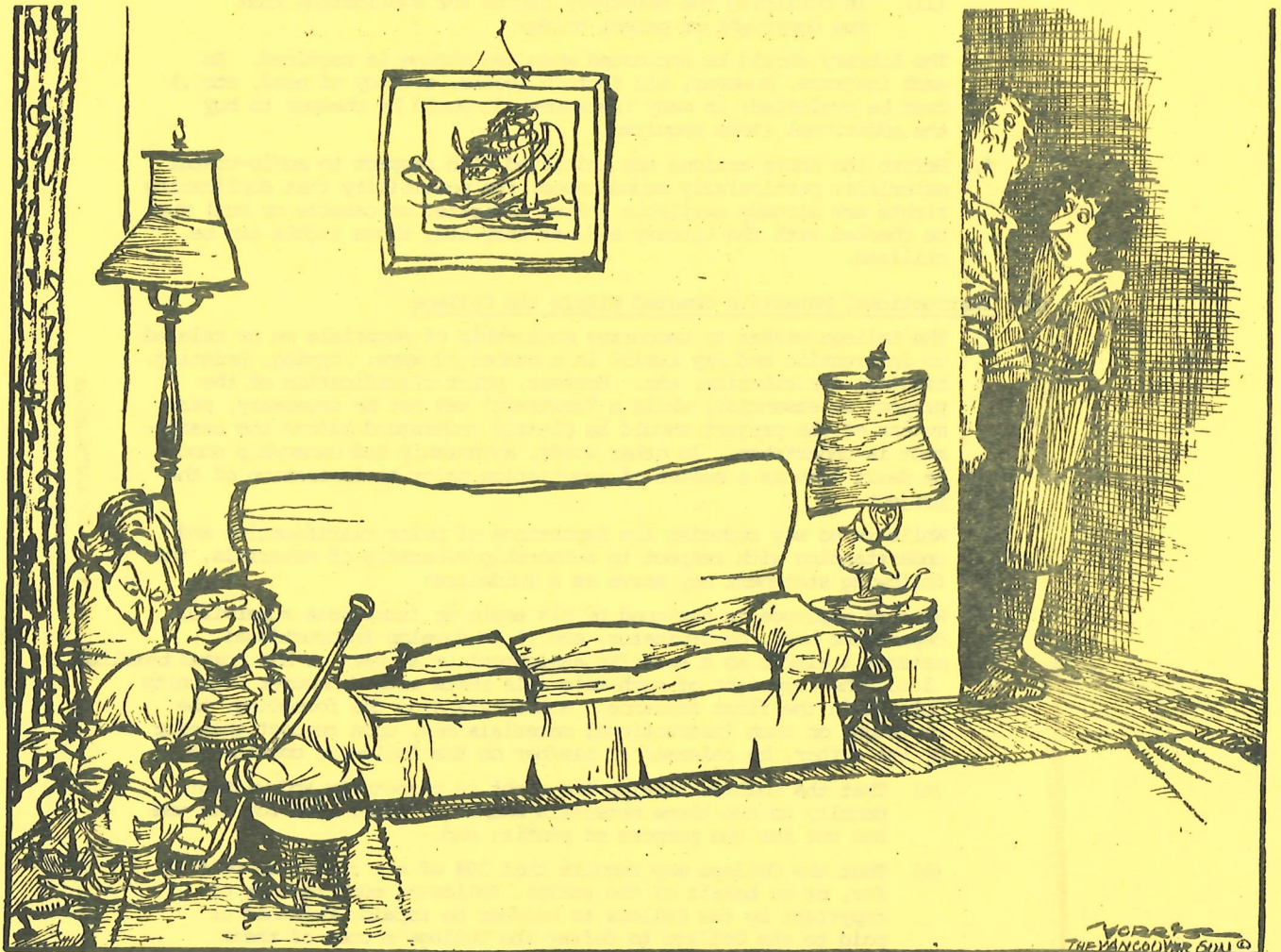
- (a) That the College retains the right in perpetuity and without penalty to use these materials and/or to alter them for its use but not for the purpose of profit; and,
- (b) That the College may require that 10% of all royalties paid to, for, or on behalf of the author, following such release of copyright by the College to him/her be repaid, retained or paid to the College to defray the College's cost of their development.

Jan. 4, 1978

Dear Sir,

Brian's foot has been cutted from
the christmas ornament last night.
He will not be able to join gym to-date.
Please excute him from P.E.

Yours truly,



"See . . . they're plotting in metric again."

5) REPLACEMENT CAMPUS FOR KING EDWARD

We try to remind the Ministry of Education regularly that action on a new campus is urgent. This is done whenever opportunities arise to speak to Ministry officials and frequently in correspondence. On December 2nd, 1977, a letter was sent to Dr. Hardwick (Deputy Minister) reminding him of the June, 1979 deadline for expiration of our lease and, at the same time, summarizing the rationale for keeping the programs now at King Edward together in the future. This letter was forwarded over Dr. Denholm's signature.

On January 3rd, 1978, Dr. Hardwick replied, indicating that "King Edward Campus is very much in my mind." He also revealed that a number of initiatives are in progress:

- (1) The Superintendent of Facilities Services (Victoria) is pursuing with the Vancouver School Board the possible availability of a major school building.
- (2) The progress of the Medical Teaching Expansion Project is being watched with an eye to extending the lease past the June 30, 1979 deadline (UBC plan to utilize our instructional building after our departure.)
- (3) Dr. Hardwick is waiting for Prof. Wiesman's report on program rationalization before final decisions are made on the allocation of facilities and programs in the lower mainland area.

Currently, I am working on a letter to the Superintendent of Facilities outlining our needs, indicating our programs, etc., and inviting him to visit KEC to learn at first hand of the problems and concerns we have regarding the future of our operation.

J.D.B.

6) I.D. 103

The Centre for Continuing Education is offering the above course at:

Pacific Vocational Institute
(B.C. Vocational School Burnaby)
31 January - 2 March

Tuesdays and Thursdays
16:00-19:00

There are six places available to instructors of this College. If you are interested in enrolling, please telephone:

Sandy McGechaen at 222-2181

as soon as is possible.

R.F.C.



"Its started as Mr. Peterson's new Phys Ed program . . . a run in the rain . . . some push-ups on the desks."

98

MRS KATZEL'S