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1) INSTITUTIONAL EVALUATION

As part of the Institutional Evaluation, a visiting team of people from other B.C. colleges will be at V.C.C. February 20 and 21. The visiting team members will be interviewing College faculty, staff and students to validate and/or probe into the information obtained from the questionnaires completed in October and November. People to be interviewed at King Edward have been selected in our usual relatively random fashion to ensure proportional representation by division. If you or some of your students have been chosen, we hope we can count on your co-operation.

R.F. & K.B.

2) T.E.A.L. WORKSHOP

DATE: Saturday, January 27th
TIME: 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon
PLACE: B.C. Teachers' Federation at
2235 Burrard Street
TITLE: "Teaching Transitional Students"

This is a panel presentation of the instructors from the English 099 program. The following topics will be included:

Composition	Subject Matter
Reading	Student Evaluation
Oral Aural Improvement	Study Skills

Everyone is welcome.

Enquiries to Helen Cunningham.

H.C.

3) LOST, BORROWED, MISLAID, OR WHATEVER!

We are missing two teak serving trays (round) and one dozen yellow plastic coffee cup holders from the Board Room.

If "located", please return to Sharon Hemphill, Principal's Secretary. No explanation necessary!

M.G.

4) FORMER KING EDWARD HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT MAKES THE BIG TIME!

LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD ***Violinist Lea Foli acclaimed***

A Vancouver couple started their son on the road to international acclaim when they bought him a fiddle from a peddler.

Lea Foli got the gift when he was aged five. Now 40 years later, he's receiving rave notices as concertmaster of the Minnesota Orchestra.

Foli has played as soloist with the orchestra more than 50 times with reviews hailing his performance as "superlative in every respect."

He was flown to Washington specially to play at the inauguration of President Jimmy Carter and has been compared to the renowned violinist Yehudi Menuhin.

Foli's family have lived



LEA FOLI

at 1564 West 58th since 1941. He attended Charles Dickens Elementary and

King Edward High Schools. He went on to UBC to study chemistry, but after only one year turned to music professionally.

He had already made his debut with professionals, at just 13, appearing in Malkin Bowl with the VSO. He joined the Musicians' Union on his 16th birthday, and immediately began playing professionally . . . substituting, working in Vancouver radio orchestras, and then playing in the Vancouver Chamber Orchestra.

At 21, Foli was principal second violinist of the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra. He held the position for six years and Jean de Rimanozy, then

concertmaster of the VSO, claimed Foli would become Canada's finest string artist.

In 1960 Foli became concertmaster of the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra. Then, in 1966, he moved on to Minneapolis to audition for the position of concertmaster with the Minnesota Orchestra.

Although he didn't get the job, resident conductor Stanislaw Skrowaczewski was so impressed with his performance he created a new title of assistant concertmaster to keep Foli. After three years Foli was appointed concertmaster.

Foli returns to B.C. this summer to teach at The Courtenay Youth Music Centre.

M.G.

5) Attention E.L.T. Instructors:

Is this information from a recent issue of the Express of use to you?

Earful of advice from big brother

If you're an expectant mother the federal government can tell you exactly how many nursing bras to buy. And if you're Senator Ray Perrault the government has some tips on how to wallpaper the hall.

It's all part of a new dial-a-consumer-report service. The service is the latest addition to Vancouver telephone book's growing list of dial-a . . . Dial-a-bottle, prayer, date, and Song of Zion.

With dial-a-consumer-report the federal department of consumer and corporate affairs now offers advice to dialers of 263-2811 on everything from insurance policies to boots and babies.

A volunteer answering 263-2811 said 135 tapes answering consumer questions are at a caller's service. The subjects covered include food, cars, pianos, shoes, hair dyes, clothes, furniture, finance, luggage, tools, babies, household maintenance, children and sports equipment.

A spokesman for Perrault's office said Tuesday that the senator is planning to do some home wallpapering so he called in for the wallpaper tape this week.

"He thought it was terrific," she said.

She said some people had phoned to complain when the service was first announced because they thought it was a waste of government funds.

"But when we explained what it was all about and that a volunteer answers the calls, then the complainers seemed to go away happy," she said.

So what about those nursing bras? That information (you'll need two) is on the tape about babies. It helpfully explains to expectant parents that they should not buy anything more than basic necessities before the baby is born "because you don't know how large the baby will be or what gifts you will receive."

And if you want advice on where your baby will sleep the caller is advised to ask for tape C27 — how to buy a crib.

The federal government launched an advertising blitz Monday to let citizens know all about the new dial-a-service.

"Now we're very busy with calls," said the volunteer. "The most frequently asked for tapes are on how to buy furniture, dishwashers, clothes dryers, fridges and insurance."

6) WELCOME TO THE NEW DARLING OF THE DARNELL'S!

Bill, Elaine and Simon welcomed the long-awaited official arrival of the newest member of the Darnell clan.

Jesse Cameron weighed in at 4220 grams on Saturday, January 13. Mother, father, brother and baby all doing very well.

Congratulations to all!

B.C.

7) WHO IS (X) ?

A letter arrived for you on 79 01 15. The first lines are printed below. Please claim your letter from the Office Manager. It may be important!



Employment and
Immigration Canada

Emploi et
Immigration Canada

Your file

Votre référence

Our file

Notre référence

400 Cumberland,
OTTAWA, K1A 0J9

Dear A:

Each year the Occupational and Career Analysis and Development Branch of the Canada Employment and Immigration Commission prepares information for the public concerning programs to be offered by Canadian colleges and universities. This information is provided through the College and University Program Tables. To keep up-to-date, we survey each institution for possible amendments. We then alter the tables to agree with the data and information provided.

R.F.C.

10) CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS UP-COMING:

1. "Why School Desegregation Failed: Some Thoughts on the 25th Anniversary of Brown vs. Board of Education: (Seminar)
Date: January 19, 1979
Place: Simon Fraser University
Time: 12:30 p.m.
Sponsored By: Colloquium Committee
Psychology Department
2. "Faculty Evaluation (Workshop)
Date: February 22-23, 1979
Place: Richmond Campus
Douglas College
Registration: To follow
Sponsored By: B.C. Council of Principals
3. "Interpersonal Communications for Managers:
An Awareness Skills Approach" (Workshop)
Date: March 1-2, 1979
Place: Richmond Campus
Douglas College
4. "Regional Literature" (Conference)
Date: May 3-5, 1979
Place: University of Regina
Registration: Fee: \$30.00
Sponsored By: Saskatchewan Writers' Guild
Canadian Plains Research Centre

For further information, please see posting on faculty bulletin boards.

H.E.P.

11) POSITION OPENINGS

1. The College of New Caledonia invites applications for the positions of Dean of Instruction and Director, Natural Sciences.
2. Vancouver Community College requires a Librarian (Technical Processes).
3. Red Deer College (Red Deer, Alberta) has an opening for Chairperson of Science.
4. Conestoga College of Applied Arts & Technology (Kitchener, Ontario) requires a Director for an organization that makes a lasting contribution to people and their communities in Southwestern Ontario. This position, reporting to the President, exists to guide and motivate professional and administrative staff in the conduct of many innovative learning projects and programs.

For details, please see postings on faculty bulletin boards.

H.E.P.

12) POSITION OPENINGS

1. Division Chairman, College Foundations Division

Ron Fussell's term of office comes to an end on August 15, 1979. According to the current Collective Agreement, we must post this position six months before the termination. The posting can be found on notice boards throughout the Campus.

2. Department Head, English Department, College Foundations Division

Connie Kellough's term of office comes to an end on April 30, 1979. Also, this position must be posted twelve weeks in advance of termination. The position is now posted, as for the Division Chairman.

Ron and Connie are to be both commended and thanked for the diligent manner in which they have carried out their, sometimes onerous, duties.

Both have put the interests of students and instructors before their own, at the same time co-operating with administrators in ways that bring credit to their constituencies.

Whether they choose to re-apply, or whether they prefer to return to duty as full-time instructors, they do it in the knowledge that their past efforts are appreciated most sincerely.

3. Acting Co-ordinator, School Canadiana, English Language Training

As a consequence of Pat Norris, the Co-ordinator, being granted personal leave until the end of June, we have, in agreement with the V.I.A., to post the above position. Although it is of a temporary nature, it does carry the approved allowance. Applications must be received by February 9, 1979. Further details appear on the Campus notice boards.

13) ANOTHER OFFERING FROM THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT:

THE GOLDEN RULE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE:

Whoever has the gold, makes the rules.

G.P.

14) UBC 1979 SHORT COURSE:

"The Administration of Post-Secondary Institutions"

Coordinator: Dr. J.H.A. Wallin, Professor, Centre for the Study of Administration in Education

PART ONE: Current Issues and Developments in B.C.

Time: Thursday, February 8: 1000-1700 and 1900-2100h.
Friday, February 9: 900-1600h.

Place: Airport Hyatt Hotel, Vancouver International Airport.

For further information, please see posting on faculty bulletin boards.

H.E.P.

15) "PEOPLE TALKING BACK"

An experiment in democratic decision making.

People Talking Back, produced by the CBC in co-operation with the Canadian Association for Adult Education, is your opportunity to respond to television for the first time. You and your neighbours talking about your future and Canada's future. You will also talk with people in the far flung corners of Canada about their hopes, their concerns and their expectations.

Here's how it will work...

CAAE and a host of co-operating organizations in all provinces and territories are organizing thousands of discussion groups who will watch the television programs and meet together to share their own ideas and hopes for the future. Each group will report its findings to the others through a telephone network which is being set up to collect views from all parts of the country. You will say what you think and learn what the others are saying.

How to plug in...

Churches, unions, consumer groups and citizens' organizations are participating. Community colleges, libraries and school boards. If you want to get into a discussion group or even to set one up, get in touch with Connie Kellough or Peter Littleboy. You will be given a set of starter notes to help the debate along.

People Talking Back ABOUT WHAT?

About how different Canadians are from one another. About politicians and the media, and why we distrust them. About the winners and losers in our economy. About working, your job and your future. About where we go from here.

WHEN?

People Talking Back will begin on Sunday evening, February 4. The first program will be live throughout Canada for three hours starting at 5:00 p.m. Satellites will connect various locations throughout the country during this program. Telephone contact will be available to viewers. Your views will be sought by telephone. Gordon Pinsent will be your host. People Talking Back will continue for five additional programs on Sunday afternoons on February 25, March 11, March 25, April 8 and April 22. Groups will meet six times in all.

The opening special will introduce the main series' theme: So, We're Different, Let's Get It Straight, Winners or Losers, Canadians at Work, and Where Do We Go From Here?

People Talking Back is based on the hunch that most citizens are tired of nation-wide whining and mutual name calling. That most of us are more ready than before to learn from one another's experiences and insights.

This series is an opportunity to do just that. Each group is to report in priority ACTIONS and between telecasts is to receive back cross-country summaries of ACTIONS proposed by thousands of groups.

JOIN US!

R.F.C.

16) ENGLISH PLACEMENT TEST

Advance notice:

The test will be given on;

Tuesday, March 6

Please inform your students. Monday/Wednesday students will have to write on the Tuesday.

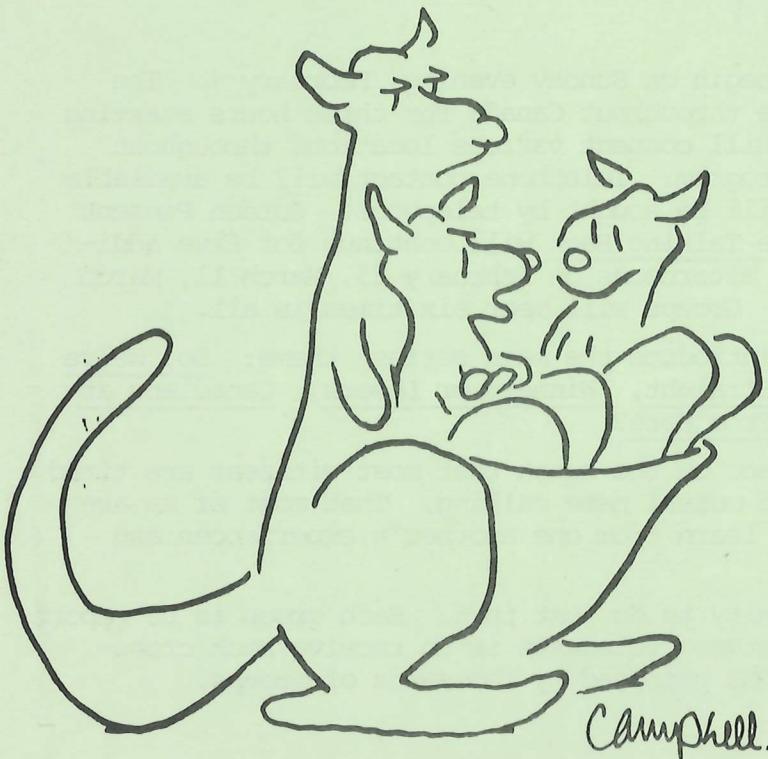
R.F.C.

17) LOCAL GRAFFITI

We the unwilling
Led by the unknowing
Are doing the impossible
For the ungrateful;

We've done so much
For so long, with so little
That we are now qualified
To do nothing with anything.

C.L.



"If I had known we were going to have
to live with your mother, George,
I wouldn't have married you."

Dedicated to Malcolm Cant

18. STUDIO 58 NEWSLETTER - Jan. 10, 1979

DEAR PATRON:

With the Christmas and New Years festivities at an end, STUDIO 58 is once again launching into an exciting new season of productions for your enjoyment. They include Alan Ayckbourn's hilarious new comedy CONFUSIONS, HINDLE WAKES by Stanley Houghton, and the exciting musical GODSPELL.

Our first production, CONFUSIONS is a set of four one-act plays, each dealing riotously but with sharply pointed undertones, with human eccentricities and the lighter side of the dilemma of loneliness - a mother unable to escape from baby talk, a disastrous fete, an unsuccessful seduction attempt and a fate-fraught dinner encounter. Alan Ayckbourn is one of the most accomplished and exciting playwrights of recent years. His string of highly acclaimed hits includes "How The Other Half Loves", "Absurd Person Singular" and "Relatively Speaking". Our regular patrons will remember Studio 58's highly successful production of Ayckbourn's "The Norman Conquests" which we presented last summer.

Directed by Antony Holland, CONFUSIONS opens on Friday, January 26th and runs Tuesday through Saturday until February 17. Curtain is at 8:00p.m. and ticket prices are \$3.00 during the week and \$3.50 on the weekend. (CONFUSIONS previews on Thursday, January 25th. Ticket price for this night only is \$2.50.) Reservations are advised and may be obtained by calling 324 - 5227.

OPENING NIGHT FESTIVITIES - YOU'RE INVITED. Join us for an opening night buffet supper. For \$7.00 you can not only have a highly entertaining evening of theatre, but a catered dinner as well. Time: 6:00p.m. Place: Langara Faculty Lounge. Date: Friday, Jan. 26th Please indicate whether you want to attend the dinner when you make your reservations. There are only 50 of these tickets available, so reserve early.

 LANGARA 100 W. 49th AVE. VANCOUVER, V5Y 2Z6. 324-5227

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January 15th, 1979

AN INVITATION

The Vancouver Community College Department of Music would like to invite you to a special concert by the Purcell String Quartet, featuring the celebrated Canadian pianist, Elyakim Taussig and oboist Jerry Domer in works by Haydn, Wolf, Elgar and Cooke on Friday, January 26th at 8:00 p.m.

The concert will take place in the *Main Theatre (A130)* on the *Langara Campus of Vancouver Community College*. No admission charge.

We sincerely hope that you will be able to join us for this exciting musical event.

Jerry L. Domer,
Department Head,
Music Program.

JLD:pc



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