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CHILD CARE FACILITY AT NEW CAMPUS

This afternoon (Friday, May 22nd) at three o'clock in the auditorium (room 110), a special meeting is scheduled at which the Minister of Human Resources, the Hon. Mrs. Grace McCarthy, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGregor, Sr., previous owners of our new campus site, will be presenting cheques to the College for the construction of a child care facility at the new King Edward Campus.

If schedules permit, interested members of faculty and staff are invited to attend the presentation ceremony.

H.E.P.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Eloah Giacomelli who has been invited to give a workshop at the S.P.E.A.Q. Conference in Montreal. The workshop, Writing as an Effective Learning Tool with Upper Intermediate E.S.L. Students, will be held May 20 - 23, 1981.

For those interested in learning more about Eloah's work on Writing as an Effective Learning Tool, there is an article published in TEAL Occasional Papers, Vol. 5, 1981.

B.B.



King Edward Campus

VMREU NEGOTIATIONS

Steve Baker, Receiver will be attending VMREU negotiations -

Monday	-	12 noon to 5 p.m.
Tuesday	-	All day
Wednesday	-	" "
Thursday	-	" "

In his absence if you have any pressing problems, please phone Dorothy Moutter, Office Manager - local 30.

D.M.

INSTRUCTOR'S DIPLOMA EQUIVALENT COURSES FOR SALARY INCREMENT PURPOSES

To satisfy Article 9.5 of the current Collective Agreement some instructors choose, instead of taking Instructor's Diploma courses, to take university credit courses as being equivalent requirements. For example, an instructor may prefer to take Education 302: Introduction to Education Evaluation - at the University of British Columbia or Education 325-3: Measurement and Evaluation - at Simon Fraser University, instead of I.D. 104

A complete listing of summer session and intersession courses at the University of British Columbia, Simon Fraser University and the University of Victoria is to be found in the April edition of Education Today, copies of which can be found on the back counter of the Administration Office or with my secretary, Mrs. Akin.

If you wish to take any courses in lieu of I.D. 101, 103 or 104, please consult with me before registering.

A word of warning. Although completion of such courses may be accepted by the College for increment purposes, there is no guarantee that the same courses will be accepted by the Continuing Education Branch of the University of British Columbia as actual substitute courses for the Instructor's Diploma itself. Enquiries or substitutions for Instructor's Diploma courses should be directed to Nigel Macklin at U.B.C. telephone 228-2181, local 277.

R.F.C.

COLLEGE FOUNDATIONS DIVISION

I will be on vacation from Monday, May 25/81 through Friday, June 19/81. In my absence, please refer queries to the Division Chairman's secretary, Carol Ritchie, or to Robert Cunningham, as appropriate.

R.F.

RECEIVING ITEMS OF SUPPLY

If you receive shipments by mail or pickup against a purchase order, please remember to submit the packing slip together with P.O. Number to Steve Baker, Receiver.

Failure to do so creates a problem for both the Purchasing Dept., Accts. Payable and our Receiver.

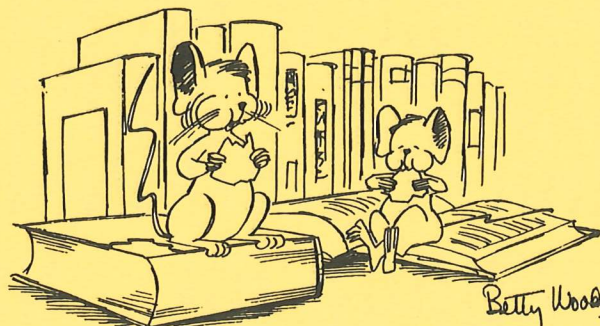
D.M.

FROM THE LIBRARY

Hello folks. Well, have you figured what was meant by Earthy Alchemy???

Warren Cocking's POTTERY is still on display and will be until May 29th. All the pieces are for sale and just ask me about the prices - very reasonable! And, wait till you see, and hear, what's happening in June. Just keep on checking this column!

G.L.



"YOU'RE RIGHT. SHAKESPEARE IS BETTER
THAN ROBERT FROST."

The numbers game

Buying a house in large metropolitan areas today is extremely expensive and surely is the most important economic decision most of us ever will make. The most obvious considerations tend to centre on the market price of the dwelling as well as the possibilities for resale and the monthly carrying charges of the mortgage, taxes and so forth.

While these are formidable hurdles, once you have decided to buy a house and have established your ability to pay, you must then choose where you will live.

Such was the problem I faced when I was moving to Toronto several years ago. I knew very little about the boroughs that make up Metropolitan Toronto and nothing about the neighborhoods in each area. I was finding it frustrating and almost impossible to make any progress in narrowing down the choices between the west end, the east end or the central core.

Fortunately, I decided to try a more scientific approach and I resorted to using data from the Census of Population and Housing.

Results put to use

The first task was to list the characteristics of most importance to me in a neighborhood. Because I had three children I wanted a detached house with four bedrooms close to a school. The house should be relatively new and in an area where the houses were lived in by the owners and had a specified median value.

I also thought it important to live in a neighborhood where English was the predominant

language spoken and where there existed a good cross section of occupational and educational groups. Having given some thought to the demographics I would prefer for my family, I then set about determining which areas of the city could meet my needs.

My analysis led me to three potential areas that I could then explore in detail. Ultimately I bought a house and am living in one of the three areas which seemed to fit my needs. The demographics I searched for are in fact evident in my neighborhood.

This has confirmed my faith in the usefulness of the data emanating from the population census done every five years and it has helped countless numbers of others in similar ways. In fact, roughly every six minutes of each day Statistics Canada receives an inquiry from someone wanting to use census data. Many of these inquiries can be answered by referring to the same series of publications I used for my house hunting.

These census tract bulletins give detailed data by neighborhoods (tracts) for every municipality in Canada of 50,000 or more population. They cost only a few dollars each and come

The census gets you the data you need



with a map outlining the entire area under consideration. Of course for the rest of the country or even for areas that don't conform to the census tract boundaries, all of the data collected is easily accessible upon request.

The next census will be conducted on June 3 and it is estimated there will be 24.3 million people residing in 8.2 million private households. Detailed statistics on the number of people per household, age, sex, marital status, language, type of dwelling, education, income, etc. will be collected. In total every household will answer 12 basic questions while every fifth house will answer an additional 36 questions.

First task

From past experience we know the results of the 1981 census will be used to locate sites for plants or retail outlets, for targeting direct mail promotions, planning sales territories, developing advertising strategies based on demographic characteristics and locating target customer groups based on race and ethnic heritage.

In fact it is strongly felt the study of census characteristics (demographics) will be the

lation, according to an official of the U.S. Census Bureau.

While business executives and government officials follow economic conditions closely and base strategies and policies upon economic statistics, they have paid far less attention to demographic forecasts and statistics.

Census Tract Bulletins. Statistics Canada Catalogues No. 95-800 to No. 95-831

Compiled from Statistics Canada publications. Gerry Finn is regional director, Statistics Canada. All publications available from Statistics Canada.



COUNT YOURSELF IN!

K.E.C. FACULTY/STAFF ACTIVITIES

Bowers, B.	P.D. - Management Skills Workshop; UBC, Vancouver	June 8-10
Cunningham, R.	1) P.D. - Same as above	June 8-10
	2) Conference - Program Development Conference; Kwantlen College, Surrey	June 15
Funk, J.	Ass'n. Bus. - Meeting of VIA Board of Directors; Vancouver	May 19
McClure, S.	P.D. - Management Skills Workshop; UBC, Vancouver	June 8-10
Pawelchak, G.	P.D. - Same as above	June 8-10
Pletcher, F.	Conference - VIA Delegate to A.C.C.C. Conference; Winnipeg, Manitoba	May 29-June 3
Sawkins, M.	P.D. - Ass'n. of A.B.E. of B.C. Conference; Richmond	May 15-17
Turpin, H.	1) P.D. - Management Skills Workshop; UBC, Vancouver	June 8-10
	2) Conference - Program Development Conference; Kwantlen College, Surrey	June 15

S.M.

HIGH FIDELITY FOR THE SENSATION OF MUSIC

KEC Mount Pleasant Centre Library (W. 8th Library) is building up a record and original cassette collection for music. At present we have a collection of about 200 titles of classical music records and about 100 titles of popular music records and original cassettes. Instructors and students are able to use them in the library or check them out for classroom teaching or simply for home enjoyment. Interlibrary loan is also available through KEC Library, Strathcona Centre Library and Italian Centre Library.

W.H.



COMPUTERS IN THE 80'S WHAT NEXT?

The Canadian Dietetic Association invites you to attend the 31st Annual Ryley-Jeffs Memorial Lecture on Tuesday, 1981 June 16 at the Hotel Vancouver from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

The speaker is Dr. James M. Kennedy, Vice President, University Services, U.B.C. Many of us still remember him as a College Board member and Chairman during 1976-80, when he was a great friend of King Edward Campus.

R.F.C.

LANGARA GRADUATION CEREMONIES

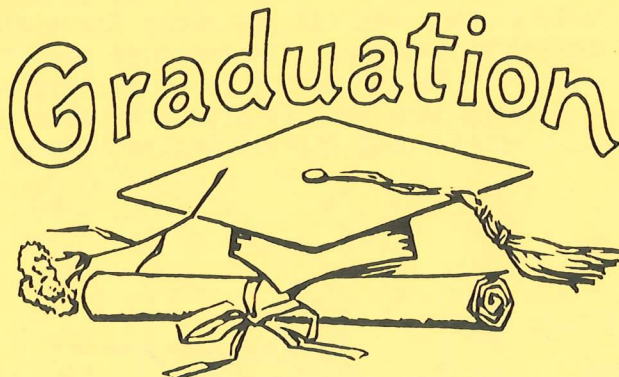
At the graduation ceremonies at the Langara Campus last night, eight King Edward Campus students were awarded their diplomas in Fine Arts (Music).

All are to be congratulated, particularly David Stewart and Kristine Theurer, both of whom were on the Dean's List. To be on the Dean's List the student has to have at least 3.5 Grade Point Average for three semesters.

The Silver Medalist was Sandy Kahlman, who was on the Arts & Science (Canadian Studies) Diploma Program.

The ceremonies were enhanced by the presence of members of the King Edward Campus Music Department, whose playing was superb.

R.F.C.



POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires Auxiliary Instructors (part time) to instruct students on a daily basis as required for the following programs:
Auto Body Repair - Auto Mechanics Repair - Building Construction (Carpentry) - Diesel Mechanics - Machinist - Power Engineering - Printing Production - Welding.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Hairdressing Instructor. Closing date for applications is May 22nd.

V.C.C. Executive Office requires a Recording Secretary. Applications for this position must be made by May 29th.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Word Processor Operator for the Program Development Department. Closing date for applications is May 26th.

V.C.C. Langara Campus requires part-time Instructors for the Fine Arts Program. Applications must be in by June 3rd.

Okanagan College in Kelowna invite applications for a Director of Institutional Research. Closing date for applications is June 5th.

V.C.C. King Edward Campus has a temporary position for a Clerk Typist I-II at the Provincial Resource Centre for Visually Impaired. Closing date for applications is May 28th.

For further details on the above positions, please see postings on the bulletin boards.

H.E.P.

CHAIRMAN - TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

It is with pleasure that Mr. A.S. Manera, College President, announces the appointment of E.C. Casey for another three years, in effect from 1982 January 01.

H.E.P.

ABE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND CONFERENCE

I wish to express my appreciation for the initiative, industry and dedication of those faculty members who helped to make last week's conference such a success. They certainly insisted that all recognize the role of King Edward Campus as in the provincial ABE spectrum.

R.F.C.

