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"You have a choice of three courses. You could increase speed somewhat and retain your comprehension, you could increase speed considerably and reduce comprehension, or you could increase speed tremendously and eliminate comprehension completely."

KING EDWARD DAY

March 19, 1982 - King Edward Campus

Come - Discover what the future holds for you
at the NEW King Edward Campus.

Sooth Sayer, Sage or Psychic. All manner of
wisdom and truth will be at your disposal.



STORIES AND PHOTOS!

We have had twelve stories on general themes, and four on "The Fire."
That gives YOU a good chance to write the winning story about the fire!
Also, consider yourself nagged once again to write that one-pager on
your program, your experiences, so different from anyone else's.

And pictures! Audiovisual is copying them for us. So don't be afraid
to lend your precious old photos to us. They'll be on display (the
copies) on KEC Day, so be part of it!

G.N.

COMPUTER INTEREST GROUP - CONFERENCE NOTICES RECEIVED:

1. Moving Microcomputers into the Mainstream of Education

Microcomputer Conference at the University of Victoria;
May 6th to May 8th, 1982

"A formal and informal sharing of ideas, information and experiences amongst educators. The main focus will be the integration of the microcomputer into the established curriculum, into the classroom, and into the administrative offices of school districts... applications that have been tried and tested in the schools." The conference will also cover "courseware development and evaluation" and "future implications of technology in instruction."

We have sent for brochures and registration packages. When they arrive, a notice will appear in the KEC Times.

2. Microcomputer Week '82

The Third Annual Conference co-sponsored by CATALYST will be held on March 3rd to March 7th at Jersey City State College.

"The focus on the five-day international event centers upon microcomputers in education at elementary, secondary and college levels... 66 all-day seminars will be offered for professional development and improved performance."

Write: CATALYST Conference, H112, Jersey City State College,
2039 Kennedy Boulevard
Jersey City
New Jersey 07305
U.S.A.

Or phone - Dr. Michael Batoff (201) 434-2154 or 547-3094.

F.F.

EDUCATION 312: AN INTRODUCTION TO THE NEEDS OF EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

The above U.B.C. course will be offered through the Knowledge Network, Fridays, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., January 15 through April 30. For those who are formally registered at U.B.C., 1½ credits will be given upon successful completion of the course.

Although this course deals with the special needs of children, there may be some carry over into the problems of some adults who come to this campus.

R.F.C.

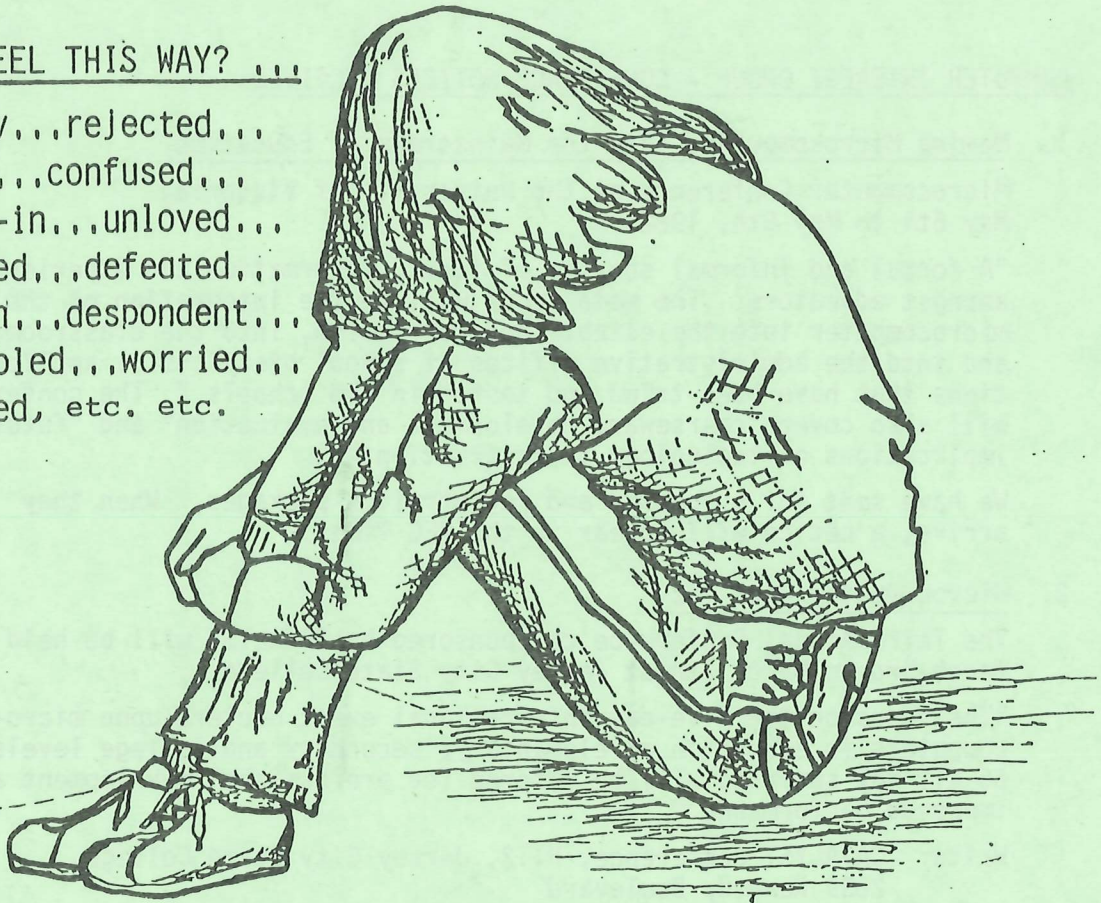
TRUDEAU????

Mr. Trudeau of Dominie Press will be on campus from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. on February 8th, 1982. He is bringing a selection of books and, in particular the book "Picture It." Instructors are welcome to Room 105 and meet him.

R.M. Watson

EVER FEEL THIS WAY? ...

lonely...rejected...
hurt...confused...
boxed-in...unloved...
dumped...defeated...
beaten...despondent...
troubled...worried...
crushed, etc. etc.



... Is it for yourself... because of a loved-one... or just out of curiosity?... For whatever reason, come and join us in our search for an answer. A workshop on:

"HOW TO FIGHT DEPRESSION"

Date : Thursday, February 11, 1982
Time : 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. or whatever time
you can spare
Place : Auditorium (Room 110)
Resource Person : Ken Morissette
Public Information Officer
Ministry of Health
Riverview Hospital

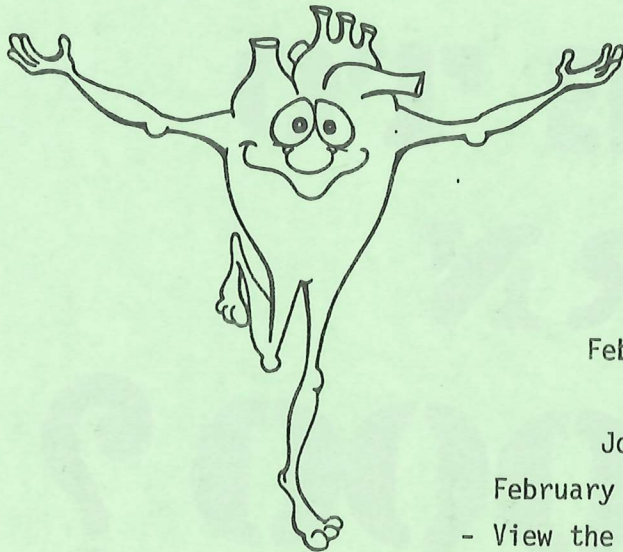
For more information, contact the Counselling Resource Centre 731-4614 loc. 17/18

**WOULD YOU
LIKE TO
EARN
\$510,000?**

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED
IN THIS FANTASTIC OFFER
PLEASE TURN THE SHEET

\$510,000 is how much money you would make, based on \$30,000 per year, if you were alive and well and working from age 48 to 65.

By not having to worry about money or health you could really plan for an enjoyable retirement.



Find out how to reduce your chances of having Heart Disease, a Heart Attack, or Stroke by taking advantage of the K.E.C. Health Services next Health Week:

"HELP THE BEAT GO ON!"

February 15th to 19th

Join us in the cafeteria on Thursday

February 18th between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. and: -

- View the films (bring your lunch)
- Try the 'Step Test' to see what your fitness

level is

- Find out what your blood pressure is and what that means
- Visit the St. John's Ambulance volunteers to find out what to do for a choking person and demonstrations of rescue breathing
- Pick up free information on heart health and diet, physical fitness and smoking

Classes on this topic can be booked through the Health Services at Local 34. We are available to teach Monday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. and Friday 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Classes can also be arranged at off-site centres.

P.R.

NOSTALGIA.....

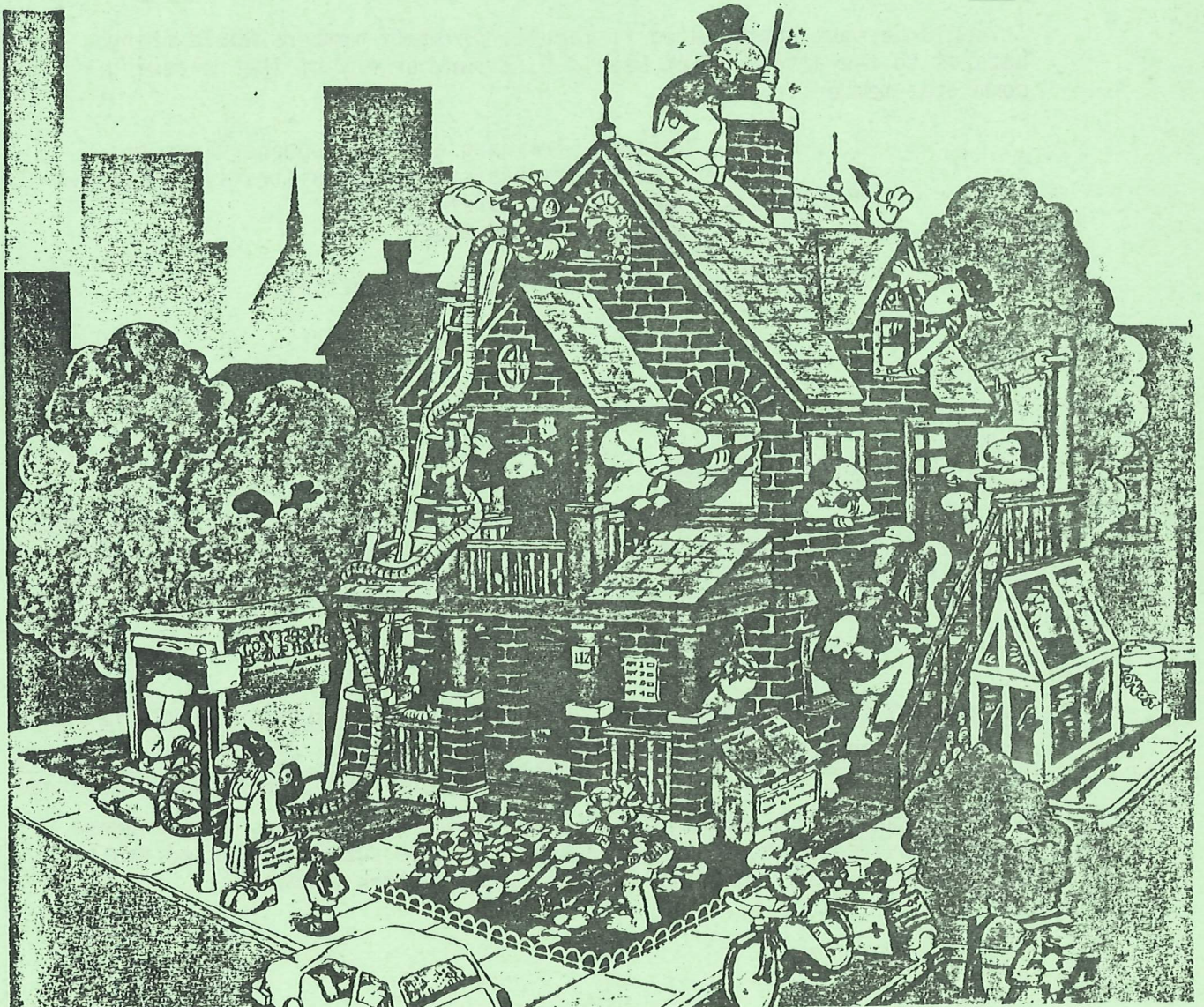
The original BEST program was held in the basement of the old building - the south-east corner. A dreadful place - all hideous yellow-buff paint on pipes, conduits, heating pipes, and small, high chicken-meshed windows. The "rooms" were so small and ugly it really was a challenge to work optimistically in them; they were like rabbit warrens.

But we "made do." We were used to making do, but one day we really thought Ted Anderson had flipped his wig. He came in with great big sheets of coloured construction paper, and he was ripping them into shreds and dropping them all around.

"Poor Ted," we thought, "he's finally gone crazy in this place."

But no - he proceeded to paste these coloured "abstracts" all over those dirty grungy walls. And you know - they didn't look too bad - instead of a décor of Early Plumbing, we had one of Abstract Plumbing.

Gordie Griffin



HEALTH AND SAFETY

The K.E.C. Health and Safety Committee met on January 28, 1982. This committee is under the umbrella of the College-wide Occupational Health and Safety Committee. One of the concerns brought to the committee's attention involved lifting of heavy objects. The following excerpt is re-printed from Industrial Health Safety and Regulations:

Manual lifting and carrying restrictions

Materials, articles or objects required to be manually lifted, carried or moved shall be lifted, carried or moved in such a manner and with such precautions and safeguards, including training, protective clothing, and mechanical aids as will ensure that the process does not endanger the health and safety of any worker.

P. Reaburn, the campus nurse, would be pleased to provide training sessions in lifting. Any faculty or staff interested in such a session should contact Ms. Reaburn at local 34.

It would be most appreciated if faculty or staff members would bring hazards to the attention of Dean J.D. Brown, or any of the following committee members:

E.C. Casey, Chairman, Training and Development Division;
R.N. Gauthier, Executive Assistant, Administrative Services;
P. Reaburn, Campus Health Nurse;
R. Shelley, Financial Aid Advisor;
L. Vetter, Clerk Typist;
H. Yarbrough, Telephone Operator/Receptionist.

R.S.

K.E.C. CONTINUING EDUCATION

K.E.C., C.E. currently has fourteen courses in operation with 242 students attending (5128.5 student contact hours, projected). We've grown a lot and we're still growing. Bring your ideas for courses to teach and courses to take to Peter Ballin, Room 308B, local 50.

P.J.B.

THE STUDENT DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10
HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24. KING EDWARD CAMPUS ROOM 110
1745 to 2100 hrs., cold supper provided.

Mr. A.S. Manera, President of Vancouver Community College, will address topics provided by students beforehand. Please submit suggested topics to either Mr. Mark Rogen (VVI) or Ms. Lydia Shimek (Langara).

R.S.

B.T.S.D. BLOOPERS - MORE??????

From a student essay on conflict:

"Man against society is a very slight feeling I myself
picked out from one sentence."

From another essay:

"The word prejudice is used by people to put down somebody
like Indians or Chinanese."

And still another:

"Illness and emotion go together, just like love and marriage."

M.N.

TOMORROW IS HERE TODAY!

Want to know what movies are available on video?
Want to know times and bus connections for the seabus?
Interested in the latest Stock Market prices, the Vancouver
Aquarium.....?

TELIDON is now installed in the Library, and all the information is
at your fingertips in glorious colour. The information is being
added to daily, so whatever your pleasure, be it Public Information,
Business, Products, Education Training, Electronic Messaging or
simply description of the present Telidon field trials, drop by the
library and try out for yourself the wonders of this modern technolog-
ical age.....

P.C.

COLLEGE BOARD MEETING

The inaugural meeting of the 1982-83 Vancouver Community College Board
is scheduled for next Wednesday evening, February 10th, at seven o'clock.
The meeting will be held in the sixth floor board room at 675 West Hastings
Street.

In addition to the agenda items related to the Board's inauguration, the
new Board will also deal with a few items of business.

H.E.P.

COST RECOVERABLE CLASSES

Student Services Counselling Resource Centre;

Counselling: M. Kellet, A. Findley.

Beginning March 1st, 1982, King Edward Campus is offering English Language Training classes for visitors and people who are in the country on Ministers' permits or student visas.

The course runs from March 1st, 1982 to June 25, 1982.

Students may register monthly or for the complete course.

Students will be assessed and preregistered into classes by the same process used for landed immigrant and Canadian citizens.

PLEASE ENSURE PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS are informed they are eligible for 3:00 p.m. classes ONLY.

B.B.

U.B.C. WORKSHOP

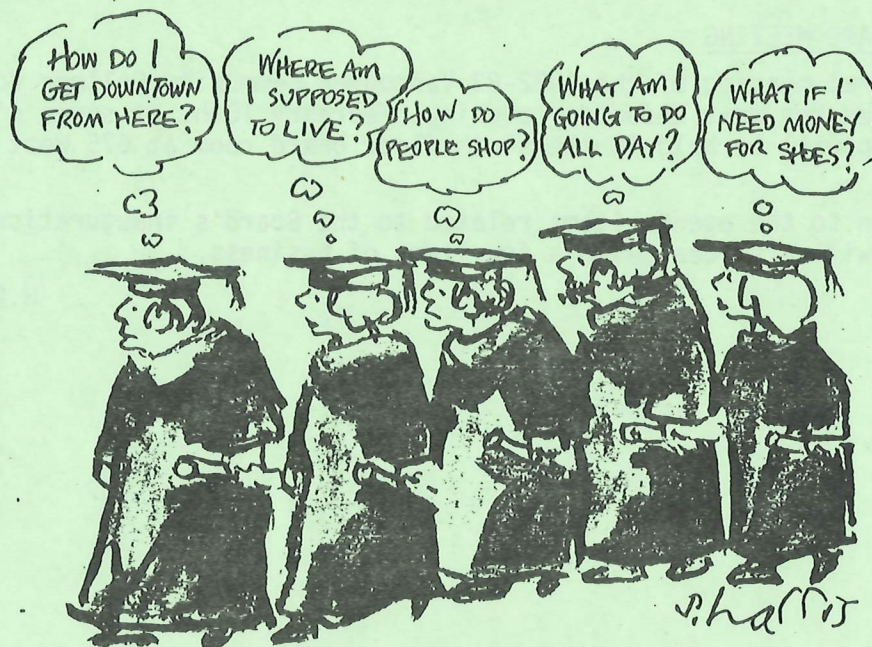
LIBRARIANS AND INTERACTIVE COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY - FEBRUARY 18 and 19, 1982. A workshop designed to assist the practicing professional in the identification of various interactive communications modes available in Canada, and to indicate what their impact may be in the future. Video-text, teletext, INET Gateway, and 'home' information access will be discussed and demonstrated.

DATES: February 18 and 19

TIMES: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

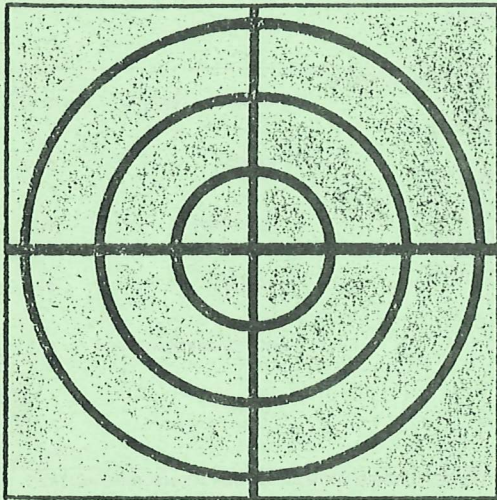
PLACE: Lecture Hall 1
Instructional Resources Centre
Woodward Building
U.B.C.

P.C.



V.C.C. JOB SEARCH SKILLS WORKSHOPS

**GET THE
JOB YOU
WANT!**



**A JOB SEARCH
SKILLS TRAINING
WORKSHOP IN
FOUR PARTS**

Your students can benefit from this C.E. College-wide workshop series - "GET THE JOB YOU WANT!" - both now (part-time or summer) and when they complete their studies (full-time).

Help them to acquire the practical skills necessary for a successful job search. Please announce to your classes that workshops will be held at King Edward Campus on:

1. Tuesday, Feb. 16 (pts. 1 & 2) and Feb. 23 - (pts. 3 & 4) - 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., Room 218;
2. Thursday, Feb. 18 (pts. 1 & 2) and Feb. 25 - (pts. 3 & 4) - 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., Room 218;
3. Saturday, March 13, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - Room 218.

Each Job Search Skills Training Workshop consists of four parts:

1. Assessing your Marketable Skills;
2. Finding Job Vacancies;
3. Writing Resumes and Letters of Application;
4. Handling the Job Interview.

Students may register at the first session of the workshop. The sessions are FREE to all VCC students.

For further information or brochures, please contact Dave Greenall (local 15), Margo Hartley, Coordinator, at 324-5511, or phone Continuing Education, Vancouver Vocational Institute, 681-6334.

M.H.

A SAMPLE OF THE ABESAP APPLICATION FORM IS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE.....



PLEASE DISCUSS WITH INTERESTED STUDENTS.

R.S.



Province of
British Columbia

Ministry of Education

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STUDENT # (IF ANY) 876 00723

ABESAP

ADULT BASIC EDUCATION STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

1. SOCIAL INSURANCE NO. 716-243-000		2. FIRST OR GIVEN NAME(S) CHOW		3. FAMILY OR SURNAME JOHN	
4. STREET ADDRESS OR P.O. BOX NO. 44 Main St.		5. NAME OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CHOW, Mary			
CITY Vancouver		POSTAL CODE V6H 1R8		6. STREET ADDRESS AND PHONE NO. OF CONTACT PERSON 1333 Birch St. Vancouver B.C. V7Q 1R4 731-9666	
PROVINCE B.C.		PHONE NO. 228-1436			
7. ARE YOU A CANADIAN CITIZEN? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		8. ARE YOU A PERMANENT RESIDENT? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		9. ARE YOU LIVING IN CANADA ON A VISA? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
10. DO YOU LIVE WITH A PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR SPONSOR? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO					
11. DATE OF BIRTH YEAR MONTH DAY		12. SEX <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		13. MARITAL STATUS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> SEPARATED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER: SPECIFY	
14. NO. OF DEPENDENTS 1 2 3 4 5 6+		15. ARE YOU FINANCIALLY SUPPORTED BY: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORK <input type="checkbox"/> PARENT <input type="checkbox"/> GUARDIAN <input type="checkbox"/> SPOUSE <input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT AGENCY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER: SPECIFY			
16. PROGRAM YOU WILL BE ENROLLED IN ELT - NIGHT SCHOOL		17. LENGTH OF PROGRAM IN WEEKS 11 weeks			
18. TOTAL EDUCATIONAL COSTS		19. LIST TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME RECEIVED FROM:			
TOTAL COST OF TUITION \$ 58.00		Expenses per month			
TOTAL COST OF BOOKS AND SUPPLIES \$		Rent \$250.00			
TOTAL COST OF CHILD CARE \$		Food 100.00			
24 (bus pass) x 3 72.00		Misc. 50.00			
TOTAL COST OF TRANSPORTATION \$		\$400.00			
OTHER EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES SPECIFY \$		TOTAL 400.00			
TOTAL 130.00		TOTAL			
20. NAME OF POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION OR SCHOOL-DISTRICT V.C.C. - King Edward		21. ARE YOU RECEIVING EDUCATIONAL FUNDING FROM ANY OTHER SPONSORING AGENCY? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES, NAME AGENCY			
22. ARE YOU APPLYING FOR ABESAP FROM ANOTHER INSTITUTION OR SCHOOL DISTRICT? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES, NAME INSTITUTION OR SCHOOL DISTRICT					
23. PLEASE EXPLAIN YOUR FUTURE EDUCATIONAL PLANS AND WHY YOU NEED THIS GRANT: Need English classes in order to get a better job. I need this grant because I am unable to pay my tuition and transportation for this course.					
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION GIVEN HEREIN IS TRUE AND CORRECT.					
RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO YOUR SCHOOL.					
February 3, 1982					
DATE					
24. FOR INSTITUTIONAL USE ONLY: LEAVE BLANK					
NAME OF INSTITUTION/SCHOOL DISTRICT V.C.C.-K.E.C.		DATE RECEIVED BY INSTITUTION		NAME OF PROGRAM	
				AMOUNT RECOMMENDED BY INSTITUTION:	
COMMENTS:					

*INSTRUCTOR COMPLETES THIS SECTION:

CLASS: V. Tech I3/4

e.g. I support this student's application. Mr. Chow attends class regularly and tries his best, etc. Student appears to have financial need.

DATE RECEIVED BY STUDENT SERVICES

SIGNATURE

Joe Instructor Smith

TITLE

ELT
Instructor

TELEPHONE

684-2227

POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C. invites applications for the position of Principal for its downtown campus, the Vancouver Vocational Institute.

Applications and enquiries should be directed by February 19, 1982 to: D.D. Jones, Director of Human Resources at Regional Offices.

V.C.C. King Edward Campus requires a Coordinator I (Beginners Level) for the Half-Time English Language Training Department. Closing date for applications is March 20.

V.C.C. King Edward Campus requires a Temporary Librarian. Closing date for applications is February 20.

V.C.C. requires a Clerk Typist I-II (temporary) for the Management Development Centre at Continuing Education located in the Main Office at 675 West Hastings Street. Closing date for applications is Feb. 8.

V.C.C. requires a Drafting Instructor for a one-year term. Starting date is March 22, 1982. Forward applications and resumes to Regional Office, Personnel Department.

V.C.C. Langara Campus requires a Clerk Typist I-II to handle mail and a variety of general office work. Closing date for applications is February 5.

V.C.C. King Edward Campus requires a Clerk Cashier. Closing date for applications is February 5.

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

H.E.P.

"WE'RE GETTING READY FOR SPRING"

Music faculty, staff and students present the VCC BIG BAND DANCE.

Saturday, February 20th

8:00 p.m. - 1:30 a.m.

Scottish Auditorium
(corner of 12th & Fir)

\$7.50 per person

Dance to the sounds of the BIG BAND under the direction of Dave Branter, supported by outstanding Combo groups. Enjoy a late evening buffet. This Spring Event is open to all faculty and staff throughout the VCC system.

Tickets will be available starting Monday, February 8th and can be obtained at KEC from Ruty Moxey or Terry Smith. See you there!

T.S.

MAINTENANCE OF CLASSROOM LIGHTING

This subject was covered in the Times last October.

Generally, two men are needed to change fluorescent fixture tubes. If the problem is a tube-change only, about ten minutes is needed to get the job done. If, in addition to the tube change, a new ballast coil is needed, the job could take 15 to 20 minutes.

Safety requirements stipulate that students may not be in the classroom when lighting maintenance work is being done. Therefore, maintenance staff will make the required changes when the classroom is not in use as, for example, during coffee breaks or when classes are changing, etc. (Because of the pressure of their regular work load, the night shift janitorial staff do not handle any lighting maintenance jobs.)

Instructors and students may be moderately inconvenienced by having to take a slightly longer coffee break or by having to delay the beginning of a class session while the maintenance work is being done. If you have a problem with your classroom lights, please alert Roger or Mike or Steve and arrange a "best time" for the work to be done.

H.E.P.

