

CHAPTER INSTALLATION :- 1973

Ted McAlpine, past Evergreen District president and currently a member of the international board, assisted by Area Counsellor Ross Relyea, and the FOUR FORMALDEHYDES.... helped to make installation night one to remember... if only for the sobriety and solemnity of the entertainment provided by the FOUR FORMALDEHYDES.

There was one familiar face in the quartet... and it makes one wonder what happens= if the same face is put on when prospective customers enter the bank at which same "LEAD" works.

It was a night of fun and frolic, with a good turn out of members, plus several from other lower mainland chapters, Burnaby, North Van., and the Thunderbirds, plus an additional group of newcomers - present to taste the joys of barber-shopping for the first time.

The new executive appreciated this turn out. ... And Programme chairman GRANT WARD will have his work cut out if the excellent calibre of the programme on this night is to be maintained for the rest of the year.

The entertainment by the Four Formaldehydes fitted the solemnity of the occasion and is beyond description. The Fraser Highwaymen were on top form and had to be called back for encores... the other one they know.

Bill Goodwin needed little persuasion to come forward and teach a tag-did you ever see such effort. The programme was rounded off by having TED McALPINE also get into the tag-teaching business.

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CHAPTER TRAVEL FUND - gets off the ground at the first meeting of the new executive A big consideration, when a chapter goes on the competition trail - is the cost of travelling---- to Edmonton, Calgary, or destinations in Idaho, Montana, or Oregon. Chapters can usually cope with Vancouver, Seattle or Burnaby ... if they live in the lower mainland.... but a trip to Edmonton would cost around \$80 for air fare alone.

What is a new chapter to do? .. Wait until competitions are held only within driving distance of home... or raise money to build a travel fund so that such ventures do not make a heavy drain on members' pockets.

The executive started up a fund with \$50 in the kitty and every six months they will take a look at their financial position and hopefully add to this. Six monthly appraisal of the situation in Langley sees us take a look just after our big money-maker of the year... the ANNUAL SHOW... and at the end of the year... when we see how we have left in the kitty...

Such a procedure will be a fine one to incorporate in the chapter's local rules and regulations so that this can be an annual consideration and one only changeable by a motion to change a local by-law.

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PERSONNEL REPORTS CLARIFIED

For the benefit of members who are subject to such reports being made of their work, the bulletin offers these interpretations:-

EXCEPTIONALLY WELL QUALIFIED = Has committed no major blunders to date.

ACTIVE SOCIALLY = Drinks heavily.

QUICK THINKING = Offers plausible excuses for errors.

OFTEN SPENDS EXTRA HOURS ON THE JOB = Has miserable home life.

TAKES ADVANTAGE OF EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO PROGRESS= Buys drinks for the boss.

FLASH !!!! MORE TO FOLLOW IN SUBSEQUENT BULLETINS

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS :

MAY 17 :- QUARTET CLINIC - to be held in Langley... MACK HUFF presiding

JUNE 2 :- LANGLEY CHAPTER'S ANNUAL SHOW at TRINITY COLLEGE.

PHALLACIOUS PHRASES ;

Should programme chairman GRANT WARD come out one night with the following
".... implementations of this suggested approach should assist materially
in consummating our programme objectives...."

He really means I think we should... do it my way

And if the Music Director WEIR MUIR says :-

".... We trust the enclosed data is pertinent to and fulfills your
requirements...."

He means :- This is all we can tell you now; the rest is classified.

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WHAT BECAME OF?????

The following names are of men who have walked in the door some Thursday night-
stayed an evening.... walked on out and not been seen again. Perhaps all they want is
another phone call to bring them back again:

DON ROPER , a bass; JERRY LOEWN (859-9589) also a bass, and an ex-Abbotsford
member; MIKE TOLMAZOFF (581-6923) tenor and one with 5 years musical training;
HOWARD WEBB (856- 2366) lead, in Nick's trailer court ; JOHN JORDAN(856-2115) lead;
JACK SCHULZT (581-2762), ten years musical experience and a TENOR;

In more recent weeks we have seen :-John Verkerk (531-1662) ; Don Johnson (536-6172;
Alfred Donauer 856-7324; Isaac Dueck , Abbotsford; Bob Banerd, Surrey; Al Burrill 946-
6500

YES! ALL IT TAKES IS PROBABLY A PHONE CALL AND AN OFFER TO PICK THE GUY UP

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AROUND OTHER CHAPTERS:

Eddie Langford - takes over as president oof Thunderbird Chapter.
Thunderbirds have set MARCH 10/73 as date for their ANNUAL SHOW..... : "Memories"
"FUN FAIR NITE" run by Thunderbirds netted profits between \$700 and \$750

North Vancouver Chapter proud of being second highest contributor to LOGOPEDICS FUND
During the last 12 months they contributed \$275.

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Question of the month : What colour is a G string?..... (Plink)

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GOING TO INTERNATIONAL AT PORTLAND? If you are a camper ... Ross Relyea hadan odd
trailer space left when he was present in Langley on Installation Night.

If you haven't got you reservation in for tickets ... dom't leave it
much longer. Present reports indicate that the number of tickets left is rapidly
declining. Get off you cheque tonight to Kenosha. Secretary Keith WESTERLUND can
supply the address.

WHO IS FOR EDMONTON?

It's not too soon to be thinking of this big event in the Evergreen's
calendar of events. We look forward to the Klondike theme of Bill Dickson's OIL
CAPITAL CHAPTER. This hard-working chapter of 40 members deserves our encour-
agement. So let's be there.

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LANGLEY ' ANNUAL SHOW:

One meeting held already - Chairman Tom MADDEN, Music Director WEIR MUIR
and Chapter President RICK BUCK..... Chapter awaiting final clearance of date -
JUNE 2nd from KENOSHA before it can confirm the tentative bookings already made.
MODEL T FOUR expected to headline, supported by a comedy foursome- perhaps the ALIENS
or the CAT'S PYJAMAS..... and for a change.... in visiting choruses ... the SWEET
ADELINE CHORUS from LION'S GATE CHAPTER.

When the call comes for you to work on a committee.... you'll be
there, won't you ?