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RECRUITS SELECTED AS BASIS FOR MEN ANGUILLA POLICE FORCE:

Thirteen Anguillans have been offered appoints as recruits for the new Anguilla Police Force, and these 13, selected out of 26 applications, by the public Service Commission, with the present four members will bring the strength of the local police force to 17 when it is established.

The new recruits will be trained by Sergeant Frank Tabor of the Metropolitan Police who have recently arrived on the island from the world-famous police training school at Hendon, England to give instruction to the Anguillan Force along lines of courtesy and service to the public which has long been the reputation of the Metropolitan police in London. The training course which will begin on Monday, 4th, October, will be formally opened at the Police Club by H.M. Comissioner, Mr. Arthur Watson, and will be under the general direction of Chief Inspector James Bailey, and Mr. W.A. Crennell, Police Adviser to H.M. Commissioner's Office.

The training programme for the Anguilla Police Force will include criminal Law, police procedure, First Aid, life-saving, physical training and foot drill.

The public Service Commission has announced that the following men are being offered appointments as recruits for the new Anguilla Police Force: Donald Maquire Connor, the Valley; Conneth Ainsworth Bradley, South Hill; Jeremy Gumbs, North Hill; Hewlette Evans Gumbs, Chalvilles; Renyx Webster , Island Harbour; Vanden Eudoxie Brookes, The Quarter; John Cyris Connor, South Valley; Christopher Hughes Glasgow, Quarter, (Cont'd page 3)

MAYOR OF ST. BARTHS -DIVING IN WRECK OFF SCRUB ISLAND.

On Thursday afternoon police boarded the M/V Angie off Scrub Island and warned the owner Mr.Remy de Haenen the Mayor of St. Barths not to dive into the wreck again without seeking permission.

The wreck lying about ten yards off Graften point on Scrub Island is believed to be over 200 years old. Fishermen from Anguilla have taken many pounds of brass ware in the area over the past years. One fishermen, Mr. David Webster of Island Harbour stated that there are a number of canons with two huge anchors embedded into the coral.

On Wednesday afternoon the M/V Angie was seen in the area for the second time in a year. Thursday when the boat returned the police were notified and on boarding the police said, Mr. de Haenen who was on board said he was taking pictures to make a film. Divers said that explosives were used to remove the coral and some of the canons were blown out.

The police said that Mr. de Haenen was asked to leave and not to return without permission from the authorities.

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THREE ANGUILLA STUDENTS AWARDED ENTRY TO U.W.I.

Three Anguillan students have gained entry to the University of the lest Indies for the coming term, They are Miss Anne Edwards of North Hill, Mr. David Carty of North Hill and Mr. Roland Kentish of the Forest.

Two of the Students, Miss Anne Edwards and Mr. Roland Kentish will be going to the Cave Hill Campus of the U.W.I. in Barbados, and the third Mr. David Carty is scheduled to attend the Mona University near Kingston, Jamaica,

Miss Edwards will be taking her B.A. Degree course at U.W.I. during which, for the next several years, she will be majoring in Economics.

Mr. Roland Kentish has been accepted by the Faculty of Natural Sciences, on the completion of his first year's work, Mr. Kentish plans to transfer to the Mona University to read Medicine.

Mr David Carty, who will be going direct to Mona Campus, will be working towards his Social Science Degree.

ROAD ACCIDENT- SCOUT CONTINSSIONER'S CAR BADLY DAMAGED.

A road Accident occurred shortly after 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon on the airport road in front of the home of Mr. T.R. Lake, Commissioner for Scouts in Anguilla, No one was injured.

Mr. Lake was driving. his Morris Oxford Sedan, A 118, out of his driveway and a Chevrolet Acadian, A 547 owned by Kenzie Lake of Stoney Ground and driven by Leroy Gumbs also of Stoney ground was proceeding from the direction of the Mahogany Tree. The Acadian collided with the right front fender of Mr. Lake's Car causing it to turn striking the wall

resulting in considerable damage to the entire front of Mr. Lake's car.

The Acadian was able to drive away however, with crushed left fender only.

NEW NAME FOR BARCLAYS BANK D.C.O.

An announcement was made on Thursday by Mr. Monty St. John, Manager of Barclays Bank that the Bank has adopted the title of "Barclays Bank International Ltd," It was stated that the change of the name does not signify a change in the legal identity of the Bank or its constitution. The new name was decided upon as being more appropriate in reflecting the continued expansion of the Bank's business in the international field and the increase in the scope of these operations likely to develop in the future.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR:

Deær Editor, Allow me space in your paper to express myself towards the advantage taken of the police recruits by certain Metropolitan Officers in this island who had the authority of supervising the examinations.

These men have been using the Public Service Commission as a cover-up during the interview as the ones who did the choosing.

To you my interested Anguillans who have stood up for prosperity in this island let us take this for an example. This type of thing if not stopped will soon ruin us.

Imagine young persons who have left their jobs in St. Thomas to come back home and serve the public faithfully after undergoing all exams successfully were turned down by these men. Non-Medically fit recruits have been given a chance in front of these young men.

This matter my interested Anguillans will be taken before the Council and next to H.M. Commissioner as a result of the interview(Cont'd page 7)

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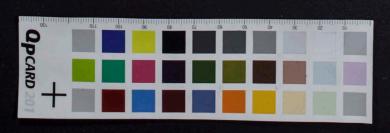
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ADRIAN HAZEL, HEADMASTER OF ROAD SCHOOL LEAVES FOR TRAINING IN U.K.

Mr. Adrien Hazel, Headmaster of the Road School South Hill, left Anguilla last weekend for England where he will take up his studies at the University of Birmingham, as the result of being awarded a year's scholarship for a special course for headteachers and administration at the School of Education in Birmingham.

The course opens on September 28th and was made possible by arrangements and other aspects of Anguillan life. with the British Development Division for the Caribbean through H.M. Commissioner's Office in Anguilla,

The Commonwealth bursary awarded to Mr. Hazel is similar to that which was won by Mr. Morris Vanterpool last year, Headmaster of East End School, and who attended the course in Birmingham from September last year to June this year, Mr. Hazel expects to be in England until June 1972,

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I O'Farrel Hughes would like to say that in lieu of the fact that Anguilla Christmas Festivities Mrs. Evangeline Hughes of Long Bay Anguilla has deserted me as her husband for twenty one years, I. therefore declare that my marraige with her is dissolved by reason of such separation.

O'Farrel Hughes.

RECRUITS FOR NEW ANGUILLA POLICE: (Cont'd from page 1)

Stanley Athelston Carter, Sandy Hill; and was one of three contestants Clarence Lionel Gumbs, George Hill; Harold Emanuel Vanterpool, Mount Fortune; Weldon Adlai Lake, Chalvilles and Joseph Ganymede lake of Island Harbour,

MAYOR OF ST. BARTHS DIVING IN WRECK (Cont'd from front page)

The M/V Angie formerly named the Florence C. was seized in Tortola a few years ago when she was

caught exploiting wrecks in their territorial waters, - a substantial sum of money was paid to redeem the boat.

ANGUILLA FORU! BEING ESTABLISHED FOR DISCUSSIONS ON SOCIAL SUBJECTS:

According to an announcement from Captain Hubert Hughes of South Hill, an Anguilla Forum is to be established for general discussions on social, economic

The first meeting was held at the Community Centre on Friday, 1st, October at 8 o'clock and the panel of four speakers included Mr. Clive Carty of the Quarter, Mr. Franklyn Connor of Long Bay Miss Carmen Rogers of Caul's Bottom and Captain Hubert Hughes of South Hill. The Cahirman is Mr. Sinclair Buchanan of North Hill.

MISS AUGUILLA '71 TO ATTEID FESTIVAL III CURAÇÃO.

According to word from the Committee, the Anguilla Carnival Queen for 1970-71, Miss Maria Lake of Long Path, has been invited to represent this island at the Curacao Queen's Spectacular Festival in Willemstad from December 10 to 15th this year.

Miss Lake, it will be remembered, was the winner of the Anguilla Carnival Queen contest last December, in the island wide contest.

Word has been received from Mr. E.M. Bronswinkel, secretary of the Curacao Queen's Spectacular Festival to invite the Anguilla Carnival Queen, accompanied by a chaperone, to visit the Curacao festival; all expenses are to be paid by the festival committee, and the Anguilla Queen has been asked to bring with her one evening dress, (Cont'd on page 5)



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EDITORIAL:

The logical step following the return of Anguilla to legal status has been the plans to organise and train an Anguilla Police force, and according to the news this project is already well under way. Anguilla is to have its own police force of 17 men- all Anguillans.

After four months intensive training under Hendon police training instructors Sgt. Frank Wernham and Sgt. Peter Tabor the Anguilla Police Force will be graduated at the end of January and will take over the enforcement of law and order on this island.

We are grateful to the highly expert specialists from the Metropolitan Police in London who have come all this way to train our police force along the lines of courtesy and service to the public, which is the enviable reputation held by the Metropolitan Police, and for which it is world famous.

Every state, no matter how peaceful and law-abiding, needs an honest, intelligent, and upright force of men (and women) to whom the public can turn for polite and helpful assistance in case of trouble or emergency. We commend the Anguilla Council and the A.P.U. through H.M. Commissioner's Office for the quick action in organising the training of the Anguilla Police Force. It is now up to the men to take full advantage of their training to make an efficient police force.

OFFICIAL OF BANK OF ENGLAND HERE FOR DISCUSSIONS.

Mr. Ronald Lusty, an official of the Bank of England visited Anguilla on a general tour of Commonwealth Caribbean islands.

On Wednesday Mr. Lusty met H.M. Commissioner and Mr. Ronald Webster, Leader of the Anguilla Council for discussions. He also met the acting Anguilla Treasurer, Rev. Leonard Carty and later visited officials of Barclays Bank International Ltd., and the Bank of America.

Mr. Lusty left the island on Thursday morning.

THIEVES BREAK INTO WALL BLAKE TENTINAL:

According to a police report, the Wall Blake Air Terminal Building was broken into by a person or persons unknown, sometime after 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 28th September. Entry into the building was made through one of the western windows from which the wooden panes had been removed.

Upon arrival at the Airport building Wednesday morning the Valley Air Service's Clerk - Miss Evadney Rogers - discovered that the cupboard under the counter which she occupies and which was left locked, had been broken into and certain property taken. At about 7,30 that morning Mr. Clayton Lloyd of Valley Air Service reported the matter to the police who are making investigations.

SECONDARY STUDENTS SCORE HIGHEST RECORD IN YEARS ON G.C.E. RESULTS:

Anguilla Students of the Valley Secondary School made generally higher marks than for many years, in the returns, received this week, on the University of London "O" level examinations, and the summer G.C.E. "O" level tests conducted from Cambridge University. In all 29 students received passes, some with distinctions. Three gained "A" level subjects.(Cont'd page8)

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New Programmes for Next Week

Saturday, 2nd October at 6.30 pm - "Guest Spot" with Miss Vida Sasso

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Sunday, 3rd, October at 8.30 pm -"Theme for Sunday" with the Rev. Leonard Carty

Sunday, 3rd, October at 3pm and 9pm - "Symphony Hour"

AUBER -"Pas Classique" - Ballet

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TCHAIKOWSKY - "Symphony NO. 4"

Monday, 4,0ctober at 8.30 pm - "African Theatre" the Play: 'Yon Kon' Pat Maddy, Sierra Leone

Tuesday 5, October at 8.30 pm "Hobbies Corner" Interview with Mr. Reuben Hodge

Wednesday, 6, October at 8.30 pm -"Sherlock Holmes"
The Play" 'Shoscombe Old Place'

Thursday, 7 October at 8.30 pm - "Visitors' Album Menes Hodge interviews Mrs Fenella Stanford

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MISS ANGUILLA '71: (Cont'd from page 3)

one bikini-style bathing suit and the costume she wore when she won the contest here.

It is expected that Miss Lake will leave Anguilla on December 12;
A meeting will be held to select the chaperone to accompany Miss Lake.

ANGUILLA (ADMINISTRATION) ORDER 1971. (Cont'd from page 8)

in which event he shall forthwith report the matter to a Secretary of State with the reasons, for his action.

(To be continued next week)



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LETTER TO THE EDITOR: (Cont'd from page 2)

by the Public Service Committee. Signed: John Thomas George Brooks.



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ANGUILLA RAINFALL FOR SEPTEMBER WAS LESS THAT THAT OF 1970

The rainfall for the first few days of September was quite encouraging, but unfortunately this pattern did not continue, and the greater part of the month was comparatively dry.

Eowever, the Agricultural Department in the Valley recorded 2.41 inches of rain which was well below the 3.38 inches which fell there in September of 1970.

Meanwhile, over at Little Dicks 2,64 inches fell this September - about half an inch less than the 3,17 inches recorded there during the same month 1970.

The total precipitations at the Agricultural Department for January to September 1971 is 25,25 inches as against 33,38 inches for that period last year.



ANGUILLA (ADMINISTRATION) ORDER 1971, (Cont'd from last issue)

(b) If on any question the votes of the elected members are equally divided, the Commissioner may give a casting vote

(7) The Commissioner, acting after consultation with the Council, may make rules regulating the procedure of the Council and the

consultation with council 14,-(1) Subject to the provisions of this section, the Commissioner shall act in co-operation with ly shall consult with the Council in the formulation of policy and in the exercise of the powers vest- Pass in History. ed in him by any law other than this Order.

(2) The Commi**\$S**ioner shall not be obliged to consult with the Council in the exercise of any power than this Order that he is empowered or directed by that or any other law to exercise without consulting the Council.

(3) The Commissioner shall not be obligedby subsection (1) of this section to consult with the Council in any case in which his Judgement (a) the matters to be decided are too unimportant to require consultation with the Council thereon; (b) such consultation would involve material prejudice to Her Majesty's service; or

(c) the matters to be decided are too urgent to admit of such consultation by the time within which it may be time for him to act.

Provided that in any case falling within paragraph (c) the Commissioner shall report the action he has taken to the Council at the first convenient opportunity. (4) In every case in which the

Commissioner is required by section 5(1) 7(2) or 13(7) of this Order

SECONDARY STUDENTS SCORE HIGHEST

RECORD: (Cont'd from page 4)

The University of London "O" level tests resulted in pass with a distinction in Biology for Rodney Rey, who also had a pass in Mathemetics. Eleven other students secured Passes in Geography, Biology, French & Mathematics orderly conduct of its proceedings. Marcia Gumbs, Norma Hodge, Franklin and these included: Valdama Brooks, Hughes, Albert Lake, Crefton Niles, Cossilda O'Loughlin, Fabian Proctor, Orris Proctor, Lucia Richardson & Claudel Romney.

In the Cambridge "O" level examinathe Anguilla Council and according tions, the results for Anguilla students gave a Distinction in English to Oral Bynoe who also secured a

Claudel Romney took passes in five subjects and four passes were secured by Gloria Banks, Cossilda O'Loughlin Lucia Richardson, & Rosemary Richardson. Passes in three were awarded to conferred upon him by any law other Carmen Fahie, Marcia Gumbs, Margaret U.I. Hodge, Ophelia Hodge, Maria Lake C. Banks and P. Hunte.

Franklyn Hughes passed in History. Cambridge "A" level results gave passes in History and Economics to Wendell Proctor, a Pass in English to Rhoda Hodge and a Pass in Economics to Errol Brooks.

According to officials at the Valley Secondary School, local students had a much better showing percentagewise than in previous years.

or by subsection (1) of this section to consult with the Council, he shall act in accordance with the advice of the Council unless in any particular case he has first obtained the approval of a Secretary of State for Acting otherwise:

Provided that, if in his judgement the matter is too urgent to admit of his obtaining such approval within time in which it may be necessary for him to

act in any particular case he may act in that case without such approval, (cont'd on page 5)

