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## 'WORLD RECORD' SEYCHELLES FLIGHT

THE FIRST BOEING 767 for "Air Seychelles" has set a new distance record across the Atlantic, Europe and Africa for commercial twinjets on a 16-hour 49-minute nonstop delivery flight from the United States to the Republic of Seychelles, an island nation in the Indian Ocean. The 767-200 extended-range aircraft departed Boeing facilities in Seattle, Washington and arrived the next day at the Air

Seychelles home base on the island of Mahe after flying a great-circle route of 8,893 statute miles (14,311 km). Passengers included President of the Republic of Seychelles France Albert Rene and members of his cabinet; the executive chairman of Air Seychelles, Conrad Benoiton, and other personnel from the airline; and representatives of Boeing, ILFC and General Electric.

## DATELINE: DAR ES SALAAM

# Growing Inflation Begins To Hurt Tanzania Tour Industry

THE recent devaluation of the Tanzania shilling by 4.8 per cent would have served well for the tourist industry under normal circumstances because visitors holding foreign exchange would have stronger convertible currencies.

However the Government also raised the airport tax, petrol prices, drink prices and introduced once again the excise duty on some commodities, mainly luxurious which however have direct affect on tourism tariffs.

For instance consumers have now to pay substantially higher

duties on fridges, airconditioners, vehicles, television sets and video cameras. The duties are exorbitant in some cases with assessments working out at upto 180 per cent of the original value.

from MUNIR DAYA

A video camera for example is valued by custom authorities at a minimum of US dollars 1000 irrespective of the fact that some models are inferior and that some countries like Saudi Arabia actually subsidise prices. On a value of 1000 US dollars the pertaining levy would be US dollars 1800 which is about Shs. 260,000 in local currency.

Departing non-residents now have to pay 20 US dollars as airport tax instead of the previous 10 dollars whilst residents pay 500/- instead of the previous 300/-. Tourists visiting the country also have to change 50 US dollars at the airport which is non-refundable.

### COMPLAINTS

Some tourists have complained that when they change the 50 dollars they get the convertible amount of shillings in packed envelopes barely giving them a chance to count the money and have doubted that the exchange rates used are at times incorrect.

The increase in local costs plus tariffs for visitors has put some tour operators, travel agents and hoteliers into a state of worry and those who have already given fixed fares to tourists for the coming season are certainly going to suffer losses because they cannot amend prices now.

## Headline News

### Premium Export!

A CONSIGNMENT of 1,070 cartons of Kenyan beer has been loaded on board the MV Voyage for shipment to Yokohama in Japan.

To witness the loading of the Tusker Premium lager into a container at the Kenya Breweries depot in Mombasa was the branch manager, Mr Dan Owino flanked by export trade representative, Mr Jimmy King'ori, head brewer, Mr N.N. Mose and deputy bottling manager, Mr Robert Kinuthia.

Mr Owino said this will be the third order to Yokohama in Japan. The first order was made late last year.

# Big Boost For Rural Areas!

## ROTARIANS PROVIDE Shs. 300,000/= KADZINUNI PROJECT

AROUND 1500 men, women and children at Kadzinuni in the Mavueni-Takaungu Location of Kilifi District turned out to give a rousing welcome to the Governor of Rotary International's District 920, Mr Yusuf Kodwawala, the chairman of Rotary Club of Kilindini, Giovanni Bonnano and other Rotarians whose visit spelled the answer to their fervant prayers for "water".

The village has over 3,000 inhabitants with the nearest supply of water being five-eight kms away, leaving women with little time to do anything else.

At the ground breaking cere-

by NETA PEAL

mony for this Shs 300,000/- water project the Chief of the location

Henry Mbagu, told Rotarians "your help is very much appreciated and we are ready to dig trenches for the water pipes and help wherever we can".

As the first ground was broken so came the rain - regarded by villagers as a "blessing".

There were songs of praise for Rotary by school choirs, also ngomas, with the DG and chairman of the Kilindini Rotary Club being persuaded to join the Bado Sisi Women's group in a dance. The Dindiri and Makata Women's groups also entertained.

It was the first Rotary project for this village. Shs 20,000/- towards it has come from a fellow Rotarian in the UK following his visit to Kadzinuni.

### PRIMARY SCHOOL

This Rotary Club has done much to bring water to the people and has so far laid 22 kms of pipes in the dry areas of Mtwaipa and Junju locations. After Kadzinuni other water projects are planned for the villages of Dindiri and Makata.

The Rotary DG also inspected the Kadzinuni Primary school which has 507 pupils. Of the 11 classrooms, only five are in good condition. There is a great need for more classrooms and desks.

When Gianni Bonnano saw that only three had concrete floors, he said he would pay for more to be concreted. Rotary also promised to see if it can give further help. This was

## MOMBASA SHOWGROUND TOUR



MOMBASA A.S.K. Show Executive Committee Chairlady Coun. Shuweikha Rashid is seen while escorting a V.I.P group of Coast politicians who visited the Jomo Kenyatta Showgrounds to witness preparations for this year's gala A.S.K. Mombasa National Show - being staged from Thursday,

August 31, through to Sunday, September 3 The tour group included Tourism and Wildlife Minister Hon. Noah Katana Ngala, Lands and Settlement Minister Hon. Darius Mbela, Malindi M.P. Hon. Francis Tuva, and Mombasa North M.P. Hon. Assistant Minister Said Hemed.

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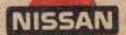
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Recently though, the electrical department has undergone a complete transformation and is now a paradise for the housewife and the "Do-it-Yourself" man.

Their showroom which is at the far end of their main hardware store on the corner of Meru Road and Baluchi Street, facing the Municipal Car Park, has been fully carpeted with attractive display counters offering a wide range of domestic-ware.

One can browse around at leisure amongst displays of fridges, mini-cookers, food processors, grinders, mixers, toasters, coffee-makers, pressure cookers, pedestal, table, ceiling and wall fans ..... the list is endless.

Products sold here are of high quality with names like Ignis, Philips, Moulinex, Morphy Richards etc.

### DISC GRINDERS

For the DIY man, Doshi offers a range of power tools, from sanders to disc grinders, jig saws to drills (with optional hammer action) and welding machines. These are all of the highest quality, made by Perles of Switzerland.

What is really an attractive feature of the new showroom is that one can freely walk around and examine first hand, the items on display without a salesman following you around behind your shoulder.

The shop assistants are available whenever you need assistance and are extremely helpful.

Doshi still continues to supply electrical hardware of all kinds from light fittings, plug points and switches to cables and conduits as well as various other accessories which are all mounted on a massive display board at their showroom.

### RACK SYSTEM

At the moment a rack system is being set up where one can just pick up one's requirements as in a supermarket.

For the industry, Doshi still continues to supply all the various switching devices, contractors etc.

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82 YEAR OLD Anna "Mama" Sigrist of Geneva, Switzerland, and her son Ernest are seen while being welcomed by Nairobi Serena Hotel rooms division manager, Mr Daniel Abonyoh, recently on their 14th consecutive visit to the hotel. The mother and son pair have spent their hotels together in Kenya for the past 18 years, each year touring the game parks of Kenya with Big Five Tours and Safaris and celebrating her birthday in the Maasai Mara. Mama Sigrist, as she has been affectionately

named by the Serena staff, says she likes the friendly atmosphere and personalised service she and Ernest receive at Serena and enjoys the beautiful garden of the hotel. Mr Abonyoh comments: "Our staff is always pleased to welcome Mama Sigrist and Ernest back on their annual visits. It has been especially nice this year to see how impressed long-standing guests are with the "new" Nairobi Serena with all its renovations."



MR SHARDRAK OPIYO, Chief Commandant, Deputy Officer-in-Charge of the National Youth Service mechanical and transport branch, and a group of NYS drivers take delivery of the first eight cars of a fleet of 29 Peugeots ordered from Marshall's

(E.A.) Limited. Handing over the keys is Manisha sales and marketing manager, Mr James Othman (left). The 29 Peugeots, which consist of eight 518 saloons, 15 504 pick-ups and six 504 estates will be used throughout Kenya for road construction

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## D.H.L. Expand New Sorting Facility

DHL's Africa customers can be assured of even better service with the recent opening of a new expanded sorting facility in Brussels, Belgium.

The updated "superhub", the largest outside the United States, offers twice the floor space and three times the output of the company's original centre, which was built just three years ago.

Already fully operational, the new hub is designed to sort some 120,000 consignments - weighing up to one million kilos - in two hours.

But the real technical advance is in data processing, where

customs data on packages can be validated at a rate of 500 pieces per minute.

"For Africa customers, it means that DHL will be able to offer an even more effective service," explains Jeremy Preston, the Regional Manager of Africa.

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## VISIT BY 920 D.G.

THE ROTARY clubs district Governor of District 920, Dr. Yusuf Kodwawwala who has been on a week long tour of the Mombasa Rotary clubs projects was presented on behalf of the Rotary Club of Mombasa Central, three trophies to Jaffery's high school and another three trophies to Shimo-La-Tewa high school.

These trophies will be presented to the best students in forms one, two and three at the end of every year. This is to give the students the incentive to compete among themselves in their studies.

He also went all the way to Kwale to tour yet another Rotary Club of Mombasa Central's project at the Kwale school for the deaf.

The club had built pit latrines for the school and District governor officially handed over the latrines to the chairman of the schools board of governors.

Present during the handing over ceremony at the Kwale school for the deaf were among others the clubs chairman Rtn Masumali Meghji, immediate past chairman Rtn Vijay Talwar members of the Rotary club of Mombasa Central, members of the schools Board of governors, the schools headmaster and his staff members.

## LIONS CLUB HOST 'EYE CAMP'

A MAJOR Rural Eye Camp is being organised by Lions Club of Mombasa Central at Galana Hospital in Malindi on September 2 and 3 1989 commencing at 9.00 a.m. on both days. Those requiring eye operations will be performed by Eye Surgeons at no cost to patients. Eye examination and public mass screening will be on September 2 1989 upto 12.00 Noon. After care including food and bedding for operated patient only will be provided by the clubs. Follow up care including provision of eye glasses will be organised by the club. This whole activity is being sponsored by generosity of R.H. Paroo Charitable Trust.



SATURDAY Club, Mombasa has hosted a lunch to bid farewell to their most senior member Saturdonian D.D. Doshi who is retiring to Pondicherry to devote the rest of his time to the services of Shree Arindoo Ashram. Sat D.D. Doshi - a very prominent criminal lawyer in Mombasa was also a founder member of the Club and he was the person to nurture the club to such great heights as it stands today. He is seen receiving a copper plaque - specially made for the occasion from the Club chairman Sat Rasik Devani.

## GENEROUS TICKETS DONATION



ON Saturday, August 19, 1989, a ceremony was held at the Red Cross Centre (Youth Room) of handing over of five air tickets each by local representatives of L.T.U. and Balair - M/s Skajo Airline Handling Agency and Universal Safari Tours Limited, to enable the Kenya Red Cross Society's Youths to attend the "Supercamp '89" at Solferino (Italy) from September 1-14, 1989. The chairman of Mombasa Branch of the Society who is also a member of the Executive Committee, Mr A.A. Molu (in white Kaunda suit) is seen receiving five

air tickets donated by L.T.U. through their representative Miss Scholastica Ajode of Skajo Airline Handling Agency. On his right is Mr Swaleh Nyoka representative of Balair and next to him is the General Manager (Coast) of Universal Safari Tours Limited, Mr Jean Noel Levaton. Extreme right is Mrs K.A.A. Molu the branch secretary and extreme left is Mrs Batul Chakera (Committee Member). Behind Miss Ajode is her Operations Manager Mr Harrison. Others are Red Cross Youth Members.



PHOTO - EVANS MUHALI

THE Minister of Tourism and Wildlife Hon. Noah Katana Ngala cuts the tape to officially open the classrooms block immediately after the receiving it officially from the District Governor Dr Kodwawwala (on the Ministers right) looking on are the chairman of the Rotary Club of Mombasa Rtn. Aboo (extreme right), members of the club and wananchi.

# CONFIDENTIAL

## KENYA RED CROSS YOUTHS WILL ATTEND 'SUPERCAMP 89'

A GROUP of ten youths of the Kenya Red Cross Society selected from different branches will participate in the International "Supercamp '89" to be held at

Solferino (Italy) from September 1-14, 1989.

Solferino has been chosen to hold the Supercamp '89 in celebration of 125 years of the founding of the Red Cross movement and in the place where the idea of the Red Cross was conceived.

In 1989 two large European countries France and Austria were at war. Their armies were fighting in Italy near the village Solferino.

There were 300,000 soldiers in the battle. For 15 hours from dawn to dusk they fought. The French army was victorious. But the dead and wounded were counted. There were 42,000 wounded.

Throughout the night on the plain of Solferino their groans could be heard. Next day a Swiss man arrived at the scene of the battle, determined to help the wounded soldiers and to enlist the help of the peasants. That man was Henry Dunant.

For several days efforts were made to heal the wounds and to save the lives of the wounded soldiers. But for many it was too late. They had been abandoned too long on the battlefield; they had lost too much blood and their wounds had become infected.

Henry Dunant said to himself: "Things should not be like this. Even if men have to fight, they should be wise enough and civilised enough to pick up the victims and take care of them."

He came back to Geneva in Switzerland and wrote a book about what he had seen and done.

"Could we not", said he, "in

## Senior Appointments For Copy Cat At Coast

COPY CAT Coast has announced three senior appointments to boost their expanding services to customers in the region.

Mr Shabir Haji, who becomes Copy Cat Coast technical manager holds a Diploma in Electronics from Reeswood College of Electronics in the UK. He has a wealth of experience having worked with a wide range of electronic office equipment for several years. Among Shabir's interests are rallying, he frequently participates as a navigator.

Mr Abdul Husein, who joins Copy Cat Coast as accountant, is a Certified Public Accountant. He has much experience having formerly worked in similar posi-

tions with large companies. Mr Husein is married with one child and enjoys swimming and cricket.

Ms. Sheikhha Abdulla has joined Copy Cat Coast as a sales executive. She has several years experience in marketing having worked in senior positions in the service industry. An Active hockey player, Sheikhha is in the Baobab Club team.



• SHABIR HAJI



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Narelle who hails from Australia is a qualified health and fitness instructor and has been an aerobics instructor for the last seven years in a number of gyms. Her working experience include being guest liaison manager for a resort in North Queensland, Tour Manager for Conflit Holidays, Aerobics Instructor

• NARELLE HODGES

for Total Fitness Centre and a primary school teacher for physical education.

Narelle has also been a gymnastic instructor for a community centre teaching children the correct use of gym equipment.

Whitesands Hotel has a new gym with a spring floor which is commended for comfortable and safe exercising. When fully equipped the gym will have universal weights, bicycles, jogging machines and mini trampolines.

## 'Mushrooms On Toast'



**ELDOR**

MRS KATHERINE Kihara gets a taste of Eldore mushrooms on toast from Eldore Supermarket in Westlands. Mrs Kihara, who is a familiar face at the Eldore promotions, says she buys at least one punnet of fresh mushrooms per week for her family and enjoys the mushroom recipes she is given at the promotions. Commented Eldore Limited sales representative, Mr Samuel Njenga: "Our regular promotions have become quite popular in Uchumi stores throughout Nairobi and Mombasa. The recipes and cooking tips are showing more and more people how tasty mushrooms really are."

## GEMINI STARCAST

**LEO July 22 - August 21**  
A dreamy romantic week that will make a life-long impression. Do not squander hard earned cash on unnecessary expenses.

**VIRGO August 22 - September 21**  
Your honesty and dedication will prove your capabilities to many who are ignorant. A week full of inevitable problems.

**LIBRA September 22 - October 22**  
Don't be inclined to negative thinking. A week full of fun and happiness.

**SCORPIO October 23 - November 21**  
Sincere advice from a loved one should be accepted. Try and control your financial outlays.

**SAGITTARIUS November 22 - December 20**  
You may lose a friendship of someone you are very fond of. New projects should be avoided this week.

**CAPRICORN December 21 - January 19**  
Your expressive power receives great attention. Accumulate energy by resting this weekend.

**AQUARIUS January 20 - February 18**  
An article of beauty catches your eye. Sharing of confidence from colleagues will prove useful.

**PISCES February 19 - March 20**  
Plan your visit before visiting a far relative. Success is all yours this week.

**ARIES March 20 - April 20**  
Friends continue to play a helpful role. Be careful over all your aspects of travel.

**TAURUS April 21 - May 20**  
Make every effort to push ahead with your personal plans. Fatigue is the cause of your illness - take a good rest.

**GEMINI May 21 - June 20**  
Your career requires a long term planning. Your inborn character is bound to be revealed.

**CANCER June 21 - July 21**  
Your loyalty and politeness saves your dropping love-affair. Impartiality among colleagues should be avoided.

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## mombasa MOVIES

### THE 'MAFIA' AND 'MOB JUSTICE ...

COHEN and Tate, now showing at Lotus Cinema is the story of American kind of mob justice, two mafia employees and a little boy Travis Knight (Adam Baldwin) is wanted by the mob in connection with something he saw them doing in Texas.

Knight (nine) together with his father and mother are taken into state protection and taken to Houston where he is guarded by secret service people round the clock.

But the mafia has its way and they soon learn where the three have been hidden. Cohen (Ray Shreider) and Tate (Harley Cross) are sent to bring the little boy to Texas so that they can learn exactly how much he knows.

Cohen is a good/bad guy. He does not want violence in the mission and the little boy gets to trust him despite the fact that he had kidnapped him.

Tate on the other hand is a killer and would have no qualms about killing the little boy and a run for it.

Much of the story takes place on the road between Houston and Texas - and in a car.

Kenya Cinema is showing *The Prey*, a sexy, action movie which is strictly for adults.

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# SERENA SAY 'ASANTE ...'



SERENA LODGES and Hotels said "asante sana" recently to nearly 300 secretaries from local firms, with a cocktail party held at the Nairobi Serena. A raffle was held at the party which will send two lucky ladies, Ms Joyce Musende of Bayer (E.A.) Limited, and Ms. Sylvia Sambo of World Education (pictured centre left and right), on return trips to Europe, compliments of Kenya Airways. The top prize winners are seen being congratulated by

Ms. Naomi Cidi (left), district sales manager for Kenya Airways, and Nairobi Serena Hotel general manager, Mr Peter Mbogua. Additional prizes in the raffle were four two-day holidays at Serena properties throughout the country; two dinners for two at Nairobi Serena's Mandhari Restaurant and Cafe Maghreb; and a quarterly membership to the hotel's Matsha Fitness Centre.

# This Week On TAMARIND DHOW!



MR N. KOSEKI of Subaru Rally Team is seen "very enjoying" in his own words an evening on board the Tamarind Dhow. Mr Koseki is in Kenya with 14 Japanese Mechanics for ten days testing of the new Subaru Legacy Motor Car. The tests proved the car to be very fast (230 kms/hour, 140 miles per hour), and very strong. For the technically minded the car has a four cylinder 16 valve turbocharged engine with an intercooler

and produces 265 b.h.p. Suberu will enter this car in next year's Safari Rally. Also seen are Mr Meurebauer and Mr Hitzensauer of Ford Austria who were on board to see how the Tamarind Dhow operated. They reported that they had heard that Tamarind Dhow was good but they found it even better than expected and immediately booked 107 of their top salesmen for two evenings on the Tamarind Dhow.



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# SWISS TOUR FIRM REPORTS 'SELL-OUT' SEASON BOOKINGS

KUONI Switzerland - one of the first tour operators to send tourists to Kenya, reports that October flights to Mombasa are already "fully booked", while the forthcoming Winter Season looks "very good".

It is in October that the Swiss take a Autumn holiday before the winter sets in and mountain skiing starts.

However, with lots of sunshine in Europe this year, bookings to Kenya during the summer season fell by an estimated eight to ten per cent compared with the same period last year.

To help boost Kenya holidays, boosted a week's visit here by 20 of its travel agents from Austria, Germany and all over Switzerland.

Some had been here before on holiday but were interested in visiting all hotels and lodges at which their clients stay.

Said the leader of the group, Luca Poloni, Deputy Manager, Kuoni, Lugano, on his first visit here "I heard that hotel standards were very good, and my visit has confirmed this".

It is United Touring Company which has been looking after Kuoni Switzerland's ground arrangements for over 20 years.

A cocktail party in their honour was hosted by UTC, Coast, at Severin Sea Lodge followed by a dinner party in the Galana Steak House hosted by the hotel at which they stayed that night before flying back to Switzerland the next morning.

They were in Kenya for one week staying at Nyali, Reef, Lagoon Reef and Diani Reef hotels before going on safari

to Tsavo and Amboseli with lunch en-route at Taita Hills Lodge and overnight stops at Kilaguni and Kilimanjaro Safari Lodges. There was also visits to Salt Lick and Amboseli Serena. Said Mr Poloni "I was really impressed by the lodges".

All were excited to see such a variety of wildlife in their natural habitat and the landscape in Tsavo National parks was greatly admired, as well as the sight of Africa's tallest mountain Kilimanjaro.

However, they considered it sad to see one cheetah surrounded by around 30 "Mini" buses, while the dust thrown up by these vehicles made animals difficult to see.

Meanwhile, they all enjoyed their safari and the only animal they did not see was a lion.

## TWO FLIGHTS

The friendliness of the people was also noted which they considered to be a very important component of a holiday. In some countries an anti-tourist attitude was being observed.

Mr Poloni also felt that tourists



LEADING a group of 20 Kuoni travel agents from Austria, Germany, and all over Switzerland was Luca Poloni, Kuoni's Deputy manager, Lugano (third right-back). He is seen at Severin Sea Lodge where a cocktail party hosted for them by UTC, Coast, Shaiket Pervaiz, utc's General manager, Coast is

on right. Looking on (from left) are Salim Rahemtullah, UTC representative; Daniel Omondi, the hotel's Food and Beverage manager; Beat Koch, the hotel's General manager; Rita Roeoesli, kuoni representative and Anna Conte, Kuoni (Switzerland) Resident manager, Kenya.

coming to Kenya should not miss the opportunity of going on safari. It was an experience of a lifetime.

He works in Lugano where the Italian newspapers are read. "Exaggerated" reports about people dying from malaria after a holiday in Kenya had resulted in some cancellations", he said. However, after reading more informed reports, bookings were again increasing.

During the Winter Season Balair will be having two flights a week into Mombasa with Kuoni taking between 60-70 seats per aircraft.

# AGIP HOST SEMINAR AT NEW REEF CENTRE

THE NEW conference centre at Mombasa's Reef Hotel situated just a few yards from the sea, is a popular venue with Agip Petrol of Italy which recently held its second seminar there

this year. Agip Petrol is the eighth largest company involved in the marketing and distribution of petroleum products and lubricants in the world. In Italy it enjoys more than a 50 per cent share of the market.

Said Dr Giovanni Galloto, International Training Manager, Agip Petrol, Rome Italy "we held our first seminar at the Reef in January and liked it so much that we decided to return".

The two day seminar was attended by 12 dealers and service station operators in the Mombasa area.

Other seminars are being held elsewhere in Kenya before Dr Galloto leaves for Tanzania.

## STATIONS

Agip has 95 petrol stations in Kenya including 19 in the coast province. The company continues to expand with new petrol stations recently opening at Nakuru, Nyahuru and Mombasa, while all existing ones at Mombasa have been renovated.

Dr Galloto was accompanied on his Kenya tour by Christopher Wambugu, Consumer Manager, Agip Kenya Limited.

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THE Governor of Rotary District 920, Mr Yusuf Kodwawwala, is seen with the goat presented to him by Elizabeth Sirya, Chairman of the Bado Sisi Women's Group (left). Centre is the DG's wife, Marie. On her right is Rtn Gurdev Singh Birdi. The presentation was made at Kadzinuni following a ground breaking ceremony for the Rotary Club of Kilindini's Shs 300,000/- water project.

PHOTOS - NETA PEAL



THE Governor of Rotary District 920 Mr Yusuf Kodwawwala is seen admiring the Coast Composite Maize being grown by the Rotary Village Corps at Kapecha Village. Left is the Chief of Junju Location, Alec Nyingeh, who told the DG "we very much appreciate what Rotary is doing. Thank you very much and come back again for we look upon you as residents of this location".



AT THE end of the day after inspecting many projects by the Rotary Club of Kilindini in the Kilifi District, the Governor of Rotary International's District 920, Mr Yusuf Kodwawwala was able to relax and enjoy some excellent cuisine prepared by Libba Bonnano of "Il Duetto" fame. She is seen explaining to the DG (left) about Zighini, a delicious beef stew with Ethiopian spices. The occasion was a dinner party hosted by the chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini, Gianni Bonnano (second left) at his Nyali residence.

# Hectic Week For Coast Rotary

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greeted by loud cheers.

The DG told villagers "your prayers for water have been answered". Adding "the Rotary Club of Kilindini has enough money to buy the pipes to bring water here. In the spirit of Harambee we are going to supply all the necessary equipment and you are going to help us with the digging".

He assured them that the project would be finished "within a few months, despite the drawback of a very bad road".

He mentioned that Rotary had brought water to sub-locations near their village.

A goat was presented to him by Elizabeth Sirya, chairman of the Bado Sisi Women's group. It will be auctioned by Rotary with the money raised going towards the water project.

Rotarians also took their DG to Kapecha village to see the water project they had handed over to the people last year and the 50 desks recently provided for the school. Before, women were having to walk five or six kms for their nearest supply which was not too clean.

The DG was also interested in seeing how well the Village Corps was doing with Rotary giving it guidance and help with equipment and seeds. A market garden has been converted from bush on which Coast Composite Maize, tomatoes, brinjals, simsim, and yellow peas are being successfully grown.

This Rotary Club together with the Inner Wheel Club of Mombasa has also provided three classrooms for its primary school.

Hence a big welcome awaited Rotary which included specially composed songs of praise, while the DG was presented with three goats, a sheep, two chickens, bananas, madafus etc, by William Hamis Yawa, chairman of the Kapecha Full Primary school and Luyuno Kalu, chairman of Hindenimbere Women's Group.

## VILLAGE CORPS

The DG told them "I am touched by your lovely gifts and are very glad that the Rotary Club of Kilindini is assisting you with your projects. I am particularly pleased to see that they have supplied you with water and have built school classrooms together with Inner



IT WAS a very happy moment for the Governor of Rotary District 920, Mr Yusuf Kodwawwala, to break the ground for a Shs 300,000/- water project for Kadzinuni Village in the Kilifi District where people have been walking five to eight kms for their nearest supply. The project is being undertaken by the Rotary Club of Kilindini and the ceremony was witnessed by Location Chiefs and leaders, also by half the village.

Wheel". Adding "I am proud to see you are keeping the school so clean and nice".

He said it was also particularly good to see that they have their own Rotary Village Corps which is so successfully growing vegetables and fruit.

He went on "I am sure that the Rotary club of Kilindini will assist you further".

It was mentioned that the village needs another six classrooms as well as a home science block and workshop.

Said the DG "I am most grateful for your gifts. (The goat and sheep were later auctioned at a joint Rotary dinner raising Shs 4,100/- which will go towards assisting this village).

Said the chief of Junju location, Alec Nyingeh "we very much appreciate what Rotary is doing. Thank you very much and come back again for we look upon you as residents of this location".

At Gongoni, another rousing welcome awaited them with choirs and traditional ngomas joined by villagers from Kolewa and Mapawa to thank Rotary for bringing them water.

Rotary also provided the Gongoni primary school with 150 desks and cemented the floors of four classrooms. The Inner Wheel Club of Mombasa provided a carpentry workshop in 1987. The school is still

trying to raise money to equip it.

Said the chairman of the Gongoni primary school, Herbert Kasswa "we have Shs 30,000/- in the bank for a Home Science class, but it costs Shs 100,000/- to build. We are hoping that Rotary will help. The school was built on an Harambee basis and has 342 pupils.

School children ceremoniously opened this function in honour of Rotary's DG and Rotary Club of Kilindini by raising the Kenya flag and singing the National Anthem. There were also choirs from primary schools with special "thank you" songs they had composed themselves.

## MAJOR PROBLEM

They asked Rotary to continue thinking of the children of the area for more classrooms are badly needed.

The village had gone to great effort to give Rotary a very warm welcome.

It was learned that at one time the village was faced with a major problem with the girls refusing to marry and live in the village if they had to walk six kms to get water.

The headmaster of the Gongoni Primary school, Emmanuel Chitsao told Rotarians that three village had come together to say "thank you" for Rotary's friend-

and measles. Said the DG "so we thought that once we had finished with polio we will use the excess funds to try and combat the other five diseases.

He explained that Rotary International is donating all the vaccines from its funds and will distribute them to government of all countries in which Polio exists. He said that Rotarians locally are expected to support the programme by arranging refrigeration and transport of the vaccines, as well as motivation and monitoring.

## Kenya Polio Programme

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## VACCINATION

He went on "Polio is just one of the six childhood diseases which can be prevented by vaccination. The others are diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, TB

ship and help in bringing fresh water to them.

He went on "but we need more help". Said the headmaster "each of the schools has contributed Shs 30,000/-. We want to give you this Shs 90,000/- so that you can build three workshops for us".

Said the Chief of the location Alec Nyingeh "I am very thankful to Rotary for its help. Rotarians are like our brothers. We are particularly grateful for water and the children are doing much better in school now that they have proper desks".

Replying the DG said "I feel very much at home here. I was born in a village like this and I went to school like this and you are very lucky to have desks for I did not have any in my school".

He went on "God has given us a beautiful country including some of the best beaches in the world. It remains for us to develop the resources we have. I am very grateful that the Rotary Club of Kilindini is helping you develop this area".

Rotary has decided that we must try and help educate every child in this world. It has also decided to give injections to every child against polio and we hope that by the year 2000 there will be no polio in Kenya".

This was greeted by tremendous applause.

The DG went on "we realise that every day in the world in which we live 75 children die of polio and 750 are deformed and maimed by it. We want to make sure that you and your children will never have, or suffer from this terrible disease.

"So when the scheme starts make sure you bring your children to the Ministry of Health or Rotarians for the necessary vaccination against polio".

He told villagers "I am very pleased that we are following the spirit of harambee and Nyayo of being mindful of other peoples needs. That is why the Shs 90,000/- you have collected is such a great contribution towards education in this area.

Now that you have joined the spirit of self-help I am going to ask the chairman and members of the Rotary Club of Kilindini to adopt Gongoni, Kolewa and Mapawa as their own children, so that when I come here again, I will find schools full of desks and you will have your Home Science block functioning. I also hope there will be better roads to enable people to get here more easily".

The Shs 90,000/- was for a Home Science block at Gongoni, also workshops for Kolewa and Mapawa schools.

The DG also thanked President Moi for helping to raise money for schools in the area.

Unfortunately, time did not allow the DG to visit the Mkoman Health Clinic where the Rotary Club of Kilindini has provided two clinic rooms and a microscope, also the Zwan school for the Deaf which was given an Assembly Hall and TV.

The DG lunched that day at the new Country Farm at Mtwapa, an excellent development by Rtn Gurdev Singh Birdi where the cuisine is first class, and dined in the evening at the Nyali residence of Gianni Bonnano who, conveniently, has a readily available "outside catering service from the Italian Restaurant Il Duetto" which is run by his son and daughter-in-law Giancarlo and Libba.

This culinary gourmet feast took place in garden marquees and included Zighini, a delicious beef stew with Ethiopian spices, Lasagne, calamari and prawns, while dessert included a fantastic lemon cheese cake and mouth-watering Dolce Torinese with rum and nuts.

The DG's wife, Marie, was presented with a Queen Ann tray as a memento of her visit by Paolo, the wife of Gianni Bonnano.

# Dr. KODWAWWALA IS BOTH SURGEON AND AUTHOR

THE new Governor of Rotary International's District 920, Mr Yusuf Kodwawwala, is well known both inside and outside of Rotary.

He is a surgeon and author of five books, while the manuscript of his sixth "Water Under the Bridge" is with the publishers.

He is attached to the Kenyatta National Hospital as a lecturer in Surgery. As far as his private work is concerned he is attached

to Nairobi, Aga Khan, MP Shah and other hospitals.

Mr Kodwawwala is no stranger to the coast and his favourite hotel is Mombasa Beach at which he has now stayed 45 times over the past 15 years.

He was at the Coast for eight days which commenced with courtesy calls on the Provincial Commissioner, Coast, and Mayor, then visiting projects in which

five Rotary clubs here have been involved.

In an interview he said that District 920 covering Kenya, Uganda, Mauritius, Reunion, Seychelles, Somalia, Djibouti, Ethiopia, is the largest, geographically, in the world. With 48 Rotary Clubs it has a membership of around 2,000.

It is a very active district. Said the DG "we are trying

to focus on the rural areas because in the eight countries comprising District 920 - 90 per cent of the people live in such areas. Rotarians are, therefore, trying to reach the grass roots by providing villages with badly needed water, schools and classrooms, and soon will be helping eradicate polio from all areas.

Referring to Rotary International's Polio-Plus Programme he said "Rotary had considered there would be no better way of celebrating its centenary in 2005 than by eradicating one disease, polio, from the face of the earth.

Said the DG "that was our original plan but when we started collecting funds we received so much money and witnessed so much enthusiasm and co-operation that the target for eradicating polio is now the year 2000.

Asked why the programme was called "Polio-Plus" the DG explained that a feasibility study on the eradication of polio had shown that Dollars 120 million were required. When Rotary called for funds they received Dollars 240 million from all over the world, including governments and private donors, Aid Agencies etc. They then had to decide what to do with this extra revenue.

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# Mayor Appeals For Patience!

the support of all the people, both those who benefit and those, expected to provide it.

As I always said this is not an easy task and demands the support of all the people, both those who benefit and those, expected to provide it.

The Council renders very important services that are basic to the survival of towns and cities in general.

It is a strong vehicle of development as it concerns the wananchi being directly concerned in Nation building.

His Excellency the President, Honourable Daniel T. arap Moi shows very serious concern in the operation of the Local Authorities.

He understands that we are a direct link to the Wananchi and seeing that people pay to get a service, then they should get it without any excuses.

This has been his stance towards Local Authorities.

The Mombasa Municipal Council is trying very hard to improve these services. As has been said over and over again, the introduction of the services charge was a shot in the arm for the Council's ailing finances.

We have since the beginning of this year carried out a number of projects which constitute just the beginning of a large programme set for implementation.

Our condition (financial) has not improved dramatically as may think but, it has helped ease an debt situation.

We have designed a programme aimed at revamping the roads in three phases, and also purchase of new equipment and machinery; necessary for our work.

At this particular time of the year (August) the Town experiences an increase in the number of people here as it is a holiday month, coupled with the A.S.K. Show to be held as from the August 31 to September 3, 1989.

Our Show has proved to be ever popular as most people know that they can combine their visit to the Show with a well-deserved holiday.

A lot of these visitors also constitute very senior government

officials and other V.I.P.S.

This is the time when the onus of every citizen is called into play and each and everyone of us is expected to be courteous and friendly to the visitors.

In preparation, my Council has organised to repair the roads, ensure that there is no pile-up of garbage, intensify the fight against mosquito and crow menace, ensure that the streets are adequately lit, cut bushes and generally decorate the town.

The Council is also heavily involved in most of the works along these same lines at the Showground itself.

The residents are on the other

hand requested to assist by ensuring that their premises are clean.

The Medical Officer of Health has been requested to inspect and issue notices to Landlords whose buildings need a coat of paint.

Landlords are asked to ensure that they decorate their buildings with clean and presentable flags as a mark of respect to our Nationhood.

The town people should ensure that they avoid littering the streets with sweet papers, polythene bags, maize husks, groundnut shells and fruit peelings.

This does not help the street

sweeper who has to do the jobs only to have it spoilt minutes later.

All must try to use a litter bin and those engaged in hawking these commodities at bus-stages must ensure that the area they operate in is not dirty due to their wares.

Residents of the estates are also asked to use the drums and batteries provided to them for disposal of rubbish and not just dump it anywhere.

Let us all join together and see that Mombasa becomes the Town we would all wish it to be. Let those coming here to holiday, enjoy their stay in Mombasa our concerted effort. Thank you.

A.S. MWIDANI,  
HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR OF MOMBASA.

I WISH to take this opportunity to thank the residents of Mombasa town for their continued support and patience as the Council has worked steadily in an effort to better the services to the residents.

As I have always said this is not an easy task and demands

## أطلب العلوكن المفرك اللخل

The Holy Quran says: *The believers are surely brothers; so make peace and reconciliation between your brothers and fear God, that ye may obtain mercy* (Chap 49:10).

Brotherhood is one of the strongest and deep-rooted relationship of mankind.

Islam as a religion of equality and unity regards this social relationship much importance and in order to strengthen it has given all the true believers free tickets of being a real brother to one another.

Just as two brothers are linked and joined together through blood having one common father, Islam considers the holy Prophet the father of the Ummah and all Muslims his offsprings.

Simply because human beings are all descendants of the same parents and none of them enjoy superiority over others irrespective of race, colour, language, family or wealth.

But the most honourable one is he who fears God. The holy Quran says explicitly:

*O Mankind! We have created you from a single pair of male and female and have made you into nations and tribes that you may know each other. Lo! Most noble of you in the sight of Allah is he who is most righteous among you* (49:13).

The human brotherhood in Islam is laid on an unshakeable belief in the oneness and universality of God.

Therefore Muslims as brothers love one another and sympathise with each other whether in weal or woe. Anyone who enters to the fold of Islam becomes a part and parcel of the brotherhood.

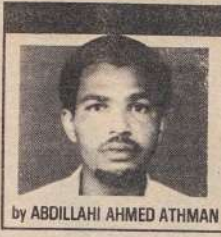
The greatest practical expression of universal Islam brotherhood can be observed during Haj which

is the fifth Pillar of Islam.

In the holy Quran Allah Almighty have repeated several times concern over this brotherhood when He said:

*Surely this brotherhood of yours is a single brotherhood and I am your Lord and cherisher therefore fear me. But people have cut off their affairs of unity into sects: each party rejoices in which is with itself* (23:52-54).

There are occasional differences that may arise between two



by ABDILLAH AHMED ATHMAN

brothers which can cause anxiety but this is so soon changed into love and affection through forgiveness.

It is very important to bear in our minds that the different sects which are existing today came as a result of the level of understanding and interpretation of Quran and Sunnah.

The same manner applies to men who do not possess equal standard of understanding or sharpness of brains.

Hence, such minor differences should not discourage Muslims from uniting together on the bond of Islamic brotherhood.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

# VIEWPOINT

## Tourist Suffers From 'Marungi' Fall-Out ...

ACCORDING to research to date a number of youths in Mombasa are now addicted to Marungi. Furthermore, it is estimated that the number of Marungi eaters is increasing every single day.

Some of the reasons for the above figures are:

- Tension and stress in individuals leads them to such addictions.
- The fact that an idle mind is a devil's workshop i.e. jobless people have nothing better to do.
- This staple food is grown in Kenya and therefore there is plenty of supply and is cheap as well.

Although the above mentioned reasons sound genuinely convincing, on the whole Marungi can be termed as "slow poison".

I confess that I had tried some of this "rubbish" myself when I had come to Mombasa as a tourist. As soon as I was back

in the UK, I visited my GP (doctor) who was astonished about my health and asked me if I had just come out of an acid chamber.

After further tests it was diagnosed that a rare plant (Marungi) had caused all this trouble. The following are just some of the health problems caused by Marungi:

- It destroys brain cells thereby weakening your brain.
- It is rich in carbohydrates and therefore makes you feel temporarily strong and kills your hunger. Thus you eat less food than your body requires which in the long run is fatal. Marungi addicts must have noticed an overall physical and mental weakness in themselves.
- Its chemical composition produces excess acid in the stomach which can lead to stomach ulcers.

• It often blows your head off what the locals refer to as "steam". This condition can easily result in fatal sickness.

• Infact, Marungi is more deadly than smoking.

In conclusion, I strongly advise the Marungi chewers to stop doing so before its too late. Instead they should take up some useful hobbies like grass cutting, playing cricket, fishing etc.

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## Ashok Khosla Is Delayed!

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# Stowaways Discovered At The Very Last Minute!

EAGLE tug's supply tug *Sea Eagle II* moved back to Liwatoni from outside the M/V *Mungo* at No. 1 where they'd loaded a quantity of piping destined for construction project at Zanzibar. The *Mungo* is still discharging general cargo at time of writing but is expected by Thursday to complete. I understand that difficulties have arisen concerning the discharge of cartons of vegetable oil destined for the WFP Rwanda.

The *Mungo* incidentally brought in the second consignment of petrol bogies destined for the Uganda railways.

The previous vessel to discharge the first batch was the *Irenes Diamond* which sailed last Tuesday for Dar-es-salaam where she completed discharge before being redelivered to her owner's who then fixed a cargo for her out of Maputo.

Her sailing was delayed somewhat, for at the last minute, eight stowaways were discovered aboard.

One of them refusing point blank to come out of the mast house, probably for sake of modesty, for he was completely

**Gordon Cuthbert**  
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naked. Clothes found, and the chap disembarked, in haste.

The vehicle carrier *Cosmobile Ace* caused a little excitement and tragedy at Dar.

Just as she was entering, a taxi boat, ferrying folk from one side to the other broke down in mid stream just ahead of the *Cosmobile Ace* and capsized dumping its passengers into the sea, a number of whom drowned.

The *Cosmobile Ace* tried to

avoid the accident, but unfortunately drifted aground just inside the harbour.

However, she was easily re-floated that afternoon, using the combined efforts of the THA tug's *Mamba*, *Kongoni* and *Simba*.

*Lady of Lorne* completed her loading of bulk soda ash and hauled astern to No 8, her place at No 9 being taken by the coaster *Adventure* which is also loading bulk soda ash.

I see that the vehicle carrier *Crystal Ace* is due in to discharge a consignment of 351 motor cars and some packages.

The Oldendorff vessel *Hugo Oldendorff* is expected at the beginning of next month to discharge general cargo. She was last here at the end of May early June under time charter and discharged general.

Perhaps the high light of her last visit was the mysterious evaporation of 20 per cent fuel between the suppliers craft and the vessel.

The conveyors at No. 9 will be pretty busy, for once the *Adventure* has completed and sailed, yet another vessel is due to load. She's the *Al Baky* scheduled to lift some 13,600 tonnes in bulk.

The *Maha Sen* is due in towards the week end to discharge a reported 1000 tonnes bitumen in drums and 1000 tonnes bagged salt.

*Alba* will be discharging 5000 tonnes bagged salt, upon completion of discharge she will then load bulk maize.



AN EXAMPLE of the unorthodox distribution of butter oil at a port roughly 500 crow miles north of here, as mentioned in the column a week or so ago.



IN order to meet their increasing demands, the Station Manager of Avis Car Hire, Mr Joseph Gicheru is seen receiving five new Nissan Sunnys which

were delivered recently at their Depot, by Mr Joseph Kaburu of D.T. Dobie and Company Limited while Mr Wilson Njau of Avis looks on.

## Diners' Club Aid Show



IN CONTRIBUTION to President Moi's call to District Focus Development policy, Diners Club Africa Limited has built up gate 'D' in Mombasa A.S.K. Show ground which will open to public use during the forthcoming show. The gate comprises A.S.K. ticketing office on one side and Diners Club Cash Point Office on the other side. The Marketing Executive Coast region told COASTWEEK that Diners Club members can comfortably draw cash while at the show. Ms Muthoni is seen keeping close check of the future gate as the construction goes on.

## YOUR MONEY THIS WEEK

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1 Norwegian Kronor	3.0135
1 Australian Dollar	16.3768
1 Danish Kronor	2.8271
1 Finnish Markka	4.8816
100 Italian Lira	1.5333
Commercial Financial	52.4893
100 Japanese Yen	0.5239
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1 Indian Rupee	156.3697
1 UAFPA	1.2950
	26.8361
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1 Zimbabwe Dollar	9.7173
1 Zambian Kwacha	1.3289
1 Swazi Lilangeni	7.7735
1 Ethiopian Birr	10.3843
1 Rwanda Franc	0.2612
1 Burundi Franc	0.1335
1 Mauritian Rupee	1.3483
1 Tanzanian Shill	0.1482
1 Uganda Shill	0.1074

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## Kiplagat Stresses On Importance Of Good 'Public Relations' Skill

"The Government of Kenya recognises the key role that Public Relations is playing in society".

Mr Bethuel Kiplagat, Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation, made this observation when he opened a Public Relations seminar in Nairobi hosted by his Ministry.

The seminar was organised by the Ministry for its officers, senior civil servants from other government ministries and executives of a number of government parastatal organisations.

The principal presenter at the seminar was Dr Arne van der Meiden, of the University of Utrecht in the Netherlands who is in Kenya for discussions with the University of Nairobi about the establishment of a post graduate Masters degree course in Public Relations at the University's College of Humanities.

Introducing Dr van der Meiden, Mr Kiplagat said:

"The significance of Public Relations in modern times cannot be over emphasised. We live in an age of dependence in which nations and individuals are increasingly reliant on one another for economic, social and other needs.

"The growing complexity of the world and the inevitable problems that each of us must grapple with, more than anything else underscores the need for Public Relations to enhance understanding between nations and the public institutions that serve them.

"The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation, and indeed the government of Kenya, recognises the key role that the art of Public Relations is bound to play in Society".

He went on "There is no question that the basic principles of Public Relations as we know

them today are consistent and enduring and its function has become better understood and more fully accepted and appreciated both in the private and public sector.

Challenging Kenyan Public Relations practitioners, Mr Kiplagat continued:

"As a result of Public Relations taking centre stage in human relations at various levels, Public Relations practitioners will increasingly find themselves in situations whereby they will be called upon to be accountable and to show that they do really contribute to the achievements of their employer's goals".

### POSITIVE IMAGE

"As Public Relations practitioners you have a duty to always explore and demonstrate through research and other measurement techniques that what you do is effective.

"To this end it is worth noting that public and private institutions

are looking upon Public Relations practitioners to contribute substantively to their objectives, cardinal among them the building of positive public images".

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs seminar was addressed by Public Relations Society of Kenya Chairman, Shabanji Opukah, who outlined the Society's commitment to achieve the highest professional standards in Kenyan society.

The seminar's sessions were chaired by Mr Colin Church, the National Co-ordinator for Kenya of the International Public Relations Association and a member of the Public Relations Society of Kenya's Executive Committee.

Mr Patrick Orr a partner of Raitt Orr and Associates in London spoke to delegates on the rapidly changing world of information and international communications as Europe prepares itself for 1992 and its impact on Kenyan Society.



KENYA'S Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation, Mr Bethuel Kiplagat, is seen opening the seminar for government officials at which the principal speaker was Professor Arne van der Meiden (right) of Utrecht University. Seated on Mr Kiplagat's left are Ambassador Mageto of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation, and Colin Church, IPRA National Co-ordinator for Kenya.



# ELEPHANT AND RHINO FIND PROTECTION AND PEACE ...

VERY horrifying experience baby elephant and rhino is to see their parents brutally murdered before their eyes.

For the few lucky enough to be rescued, they receive lots of loving care and attention from Daphne Sheldrick and her team of dedicated assistants at the orphanage in the Nairobi National Park with magnificent views over the Athi Plains.

The lucky ones there at the moment are six elephants and one rhino. It is the David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust which is piloted the hand-raising of infant African elephant calves orphaned by poachers. It was the first time they have ever been successfully raised from such a young age in captivity.

One baby elephant there which witnessed not only the death of his mother and the breaking away from their faces in Tsavo.

A long time after his arrival Daphne Sheldrick's home in Nairobi, "Dika" was in deep shock, and stricken and plagued by nightmares. He is now one year old and a happy and playful baby.

When the orphan "Ol-Meg" helped with his rehabilitation, as well as the companion of "Boozie" a fat-tailed, black-headed Persian sheep of local origin.

"Ol-Meg" (meaning "outsider" in Maasai) joined the Sheldrick family when she was three weeks old. She goes on record as being the youngest African elephant to have been raised.

Contributing greatly to the successful hand-raising of infant African elephant calves orphaned by poachers is Wyeth Laboratories, which came up with a formula for special premature elephant milk (S.26 or S.M.A. (E)cap). All requirements of the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust have been "donated" by these laboratories which has been of enormous benefit.

"Ol-Meg" was orphaned in the bush. It is believed that his mother was killed by poachers.

## NETA PEAL reports from NAIROBI

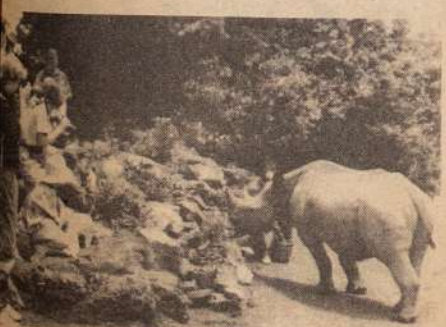
was found alone and dying in a deep ditch by local tribesmen and taken to a nearby Safari Camp.

He was later flown by Charter Air to Nairobi. Ol-Meg was severely sunburnt, dehydrated, emaciated and weak on arrival and it was doubtful if he would survive.

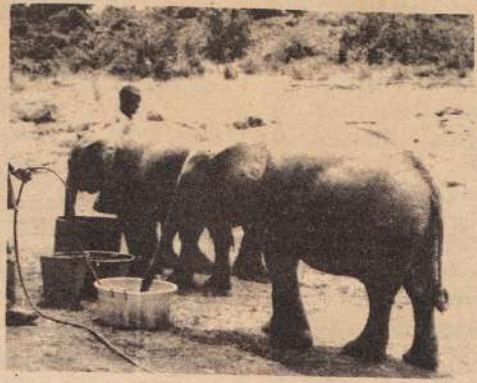
For many weeks his ears had been annotated with Sunblock and an umbrella held over his head.

Now two years and five months old he is weaned and ready for the next phase of his upbringing when he and "Taru" will have to learn the ways of elephants under the tutelage of protection of Tsavo East National Parks famous adult elephants - "Eleanor".

"Eleanor" now 30 years old,



This orphaned rhino at the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust poses for his picture to be taken by a group of Kellogg Fellows from the USA. Six orphaned elephants and two rhino are being raised there. All the elephants are victims of poachers.



ORPHANED elephants at the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust take some liquid refreshment before their mud-bath. Some preferred taking their water through the hose-pipe!

PHOTOS - NETA PEAL

was orphaned at the age of two years in Samburu National Reserve. She later joined Tsavo East's famous orphan herd of mixed species and grew up to become the self-appointed leader and matriarch. "Eleanor" has foster-mothered many calves over the years.

She has also voluntarily chosen to retain her close links with humans. She does, however, mingle freely with wild elephants when the whim takes her.

Visiting the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust Orphanage in Nairobi recently were a 29-strong group from the USA comprising 19 outstanding American professionals awarded a three year Fellowship under the W.K. Kellogg Foundation Programme.

They were accompanied by their spouses, also advisers.

So far, the interest of the Kellogg Foundation (with more than three billion dollar assets) has been mainly in Latin America. It is understood that the group's visit here might possibly lead to it taking a long term interest in Kenya.

Their visit to the orphanage was arranged by Kim Morbey, Group General Manager of Kilimanjaro Safari Club which is a great supporter of conserving Kenya's wildlife.

Said Roy Smith, the group's co-ordinator "we have been most impressed by the very meaningful work being undertaken here". The group donated Shs 1,000 to the Wildlife Trust to which was added many individual donations.

At the orphanage they were addressed by Lisa Ruben, who has known the Sheldrick family for many years and has been assisting for 18 months in Tsavo East and Nairobi National Park.

She told these Kellogg Fellows, who included doctors, lawyers, university professors and community leaders "to spread the word about banning the sale of ivory. Only if there is no market for it can the elephant and rhino survive".

Lisa continued "it is said that an elephant never forgets. I think this is absolutely true. When they arrive here they have to be persuaded to live. They go through an awful lot of trauma and stress and sometimes you really think they are not going to make it".

### CUT WITH PANGAS

She mentioned that the elephant "Ndume" was unconscious when he arrived and had to be put on a "drip", while "Malaika" (both from the same herd who were flown in from Mount Kenya area) went into deep shock. Both were about three months old when they arrived at the Sheldrick orphanage in April this year.

They had been beaten and cut with pangas, while a third calf was clubbed to death by local tribesmen. They had allegedly trespassed into cultivation unattended. It is probable that a tragedy had befallen the herd for them to be unattended by adult elephants.

Said Lissa "elephants are incredibly sensitive and very intelligent". She said that "Ndume" was running after anything moving in the bush, thinking it was his mother".

She explained that the little ones are fed every three hours during the day and night with the special premature milk donated by Wyeth Laboratories, UK. Said Lissa "we are most grateful to them".

Adding "during this period their keepers never leave them alone. They sleep with them, go out with them and are totally dedicated and wonderful people".

### SIX BODYGUARDS

They have two rhino. One is Sam who came to them when he was six weeks old and is now just over three years. He was born in the Maasai Mara and was one of the two remaining rhinos near Governor's Camp.

All his mother's previous calves had fallen prey to lion, and despite a six strong body guard, Sam almost suffered the same fate. He and his mother were moved to what was considered a safer location after the first lion attack.

But his mother, Halima, wanted to return to her former territory and so swam across the river leaving Sam unattended. Hearing his wails, the lions swam the river from the other bank and got him.

But for the proximity of wildlife rangers who heard the commotion he would undoubtedly have been killed.

He was severely mauled and in a very sorry state. "Boozie" helped comfort him at the Sheldrick orphanage.

The other rhino "Amboseli" born in Amboseli Park in April 1987, was orphaned after his mother was speared to death by that year. "Amboseli" gallantly protected the body of her mother from vultures and all other pre-

dators until captured.

The David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust was initially established as a special project of the African Wildlife Foundation in memory of David Sheldrick, founder Warden of Tsavo East National Park.

A small territory Committee comprising David Sheldrick's closest colleagues assists the Trustees in determining policy and projects to be supported or initiated by the Trust.

Both Trustees and Committee members work on a purely voluntary basis with donations to the David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust going entirely to benefit animals and wilderness in the most practical and direct way possible.

The Trust's committee is probably the most experienced in wildlife matters of any body in Africa since many members have a lifetime involvement with wildlife in Kenya and are well versed in the local conditions.

Among the ranks are two of the longest serving wardens in Africa.

It has given help in many ways including providing finance for the protection and surveillance of rhino on private land and outside of national parks, also providing food for translocated animals to bridge the acclimatisation period to new conditions.

It has also supported and assisted wherever possible the creation of Kenya's first Special Rhino Sanctuary in Lake Nakuru National Park, as well as the establishment of the Tsavo Rhino Sanctuary, funding the day to day operation on an on-going basis.

It has hand-raised over the years seven orphaned rhino calves,

including "Sam" and "Amboseli", and trained orphan attendants in the husbandry and care of orphaned rhino calves.

Undoubtedly, the orphans at the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust would have been delighted with the reassurance given by Doctor Richard Leakey, Director of Wildlife Conservation and management when addressing these Kellogg Fellows at the Jacaranda Hotel that:

### "STOP POACHING"

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ITS playtime for orphaned elephants and rhino at the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust - the highlight being a mud-bath assisted by their attendants who thoroughly enter into the spirit of the thing.

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# MIT DEM HEIßLUFT- BALLON ÜBER DIE TAITA HÜGEL

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Gemäß dem berühmten Tierfotografen Alan Root hatte Jules Verne bereits im Jahre 1852 die Idee einer Ballonfahrt über Afrika, als in seinem Roman "Fünf Wochen in einem Ballon" der Vorschlag gemacht wurde, von der Insel Sansibar aus den afrikanischen Kontinent westwärts zu überfliegen.

Die moderne Wirklichkeit ist nicht weniger esoterisch, obwohl der rund fünfzig Minuten dauernde Flug in einem komfortablen, sicheren Korb erfolgt, der an einer riesigen, aus dem Raumzeitalter stammenden Nylonhülle hängt.

Ballonpassagiere, die als Gäste in der Salt Lick Lodge oder in der Taita Hills Lodge wohnen, werden am frühen Morgen geweckt, mit frischen Hörnchen und Kaffee versorgt und in der Morgendämmerung durch den Busch zum Startplatz gefahren.

## MORGENRUHE

Ausgebreitet auf der Savanne liegt die schlafende Ballonhülle, die mittels tragbarer Gasflaschen rasch mit heißer Luft gefüllt wird.

Nachdem der Pilot die Passagiere kurz über ihr Verhalten und ihre Sicherheit während des Fluges informiert hat, besteigen die acht Ballonfahrer mit mehr oder weniger gemischten Gefühlen den großen Korb aus Rohrflecht, der mit dicken Seilen an dem Ballon festgebunden ist.

Wenn die ersten Sonnenstrahlen den Busch ringsum erleuchten, steigt der Ballon langsam in die Höhe; wie in einem Lift gleitet man in dem Korb sanft nach oben in die kühle Morgenbrise.

Sein Schatten am Boden wird immer kleiner, wenn der Ballon hundert Meter über den Baumkronen Richtung Bura Bura Fluß schwebt.

Die friedliche Morgenruhe wird unterbrochen durch einen gelegentlichen Schub Heißluft aus einer Gasflasche, sorgfältig überwacht von dem Piloten, der versucht, mit dem Wind über die Salt Lick Lodge zu fliegen.

Die Tiere lassen sich kaum stören durch den großen, orangefarbenen fremden Besucher; nur einige Elefanten begeben sich vorsichtshalber in Abwehrstellung.

Den Passagieren bietet sich eine märchenhafte Aussicht aus der Vogelschau über die urwüchsig afrikanische Landschaft mit dem Kilimandscharo im Hintergrund und dem Löwentfelsen in der Nähe. Kleine Wolken ziehen über die Taita Hügel, und in der Ferne kann man die auch im Dunkeln liegende Usambara Bergkette in Tansania erblicken.

## SCHAKALE

Unterhalb des Ballons sieht man kleine Herden von Impalas, Buschböcken und Zebras. Paviane, Riedböcke und Schakale kommen in Sicht und werden von den Passagieren aus der Luft eifrig gefilmt.

Der Pilot manövriert den Ballon in eine große Kurve, damit jedermann eine Panoramansicht über die Taita Hügel genießen kann.

Dann verliert der Ballon an Höhe und sinkt immer tiefer, direkt auf die weitausladende Krone einer Schimkakezie zu, die am Rande des Supfgebietes steht. Die Passagiere sind ein wenig besorgt über diesen plötzlichen Höhenverlust. Doch der war genau berechnet von dem kundigen Piloten, der den Ballon schwerelos nur wenige Meter über den Baumwipfeln schweben lässt.

Man segelt tief über die Salt Lick Lodge, und ein Luftzug treibt den Ballon auf die Ebene hinaus. Dort gibt es weniger Tiere, doch ist die Landschaft umso eindrucksvoller. Weiter geht der Gleitflug über die Dornenbüsche.

Dann sieht sich der Pilot nach einem geeigneten Landeplatz um, möglichst mit viel Gras. Die Passagiere werden gebeten, sich in den unteren Teil des Korbes zu begeben und auf die Landung vorzubereiten. Der Ballon sinkt, und mit einem sanften Stoß landet er auf der Erde.

Die Bodencrew, die dem Ballon auf den Wegen des Reservats gefolgt ist, verankert den Korb, die Luft wird aus dem Ballon

abgelassen und die Passagiere können aussteigen.

Nach ein paar weiteren Fotos werden die Ballonfahrer von einem Fahrzeug zu einer nahen Schimkakezie gebracht, wo ein spritziges Champagnerfrühstück serviert wird. Hier wird dieser einzigartige Höhenflug noch einmal ausgiebig durchgesprochen – vor allem im Hinblick auf spätere Erzählungen für in der Ballonfahrt unerfahrene Zuhörer – und auf die glückliche Landung angestossen!

## CHAMPAGNER

Zurück in der Lodge verabschieden sich die Passagiere von dem Piloten und der Bodencrew und erhalten als Erinnerung an diesen denkwürdi-

## TUSKER PREMIUM



gen Flug ein "Ballon-Zertifikat", persönlich signiert vom Piloten. Aufgeführt sind überdies alle Tiere, die man während der Tairnsafari gesehen hat.

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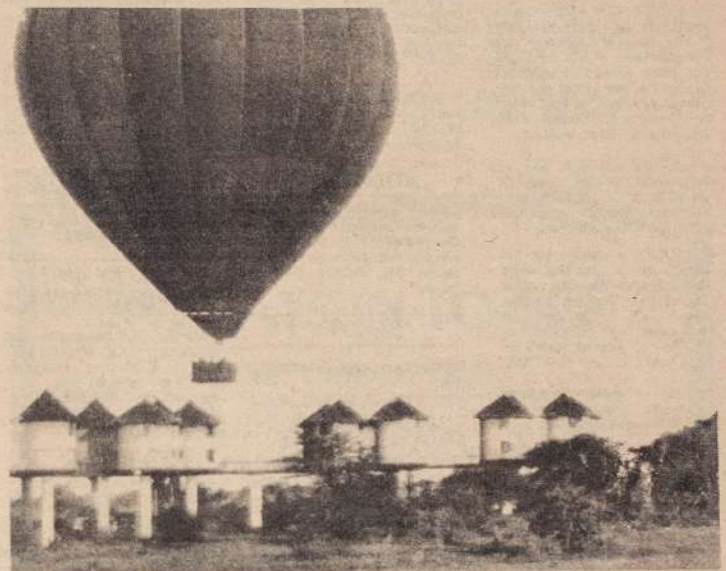


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## Ein Kühlschrank für die Elefanten



DIE FÜTTERUNG der verwaisten Elefantenbabys im David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust Reservat in Langata wird in Zukunft wesentlich erleichtert durch einen Kühlschrank, der von Toyota Kenya gespendet wurde. Daphne Sheldrick und ihre Assistenten können nun die Flasche mit der Spezial-Milchmischung schon am Abend für die ganze Nacht vorbereiten und deshalb etwas länger schlafen. Die "Waisenkinder", deren Mütter

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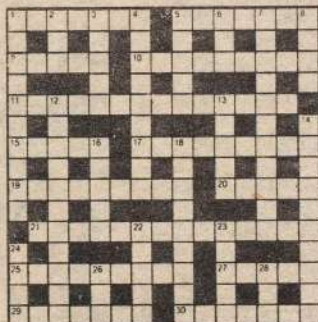
### CROSSWORD NO.331

#### ACROSS

- 1 Supporter of literary standing (4-3)
- 5 Drink provides some compensation for a sofite (7)
- 9 One can get blood out of him! (5)
- 10 Protection offered by a man where the money is (9)
- 11 In sum, it may work out this way (14)
- 15 Mistake the foreman can put right (5)
- 17 Cabin-boy or some other small creature? (3-6)
- 19 Not like a clockwork soldier (9)
- 20 One way a nice change can make one shrink (5)
- 21 It governs the speed at which one takes subterfuge (4, 2, 8)
- 25 Groom's girl flourishing in jail (9)
- 27 Double support? (5)
- 29 Leaving the circle straight away (7)
- 30 Fresh drink in the Isle of Wight (7)

#### DOWN

- 1 No good will come of this business (3, 7)
- 2 Don't deny possession (3)
- 3 Universal change of heart (5)
- 4 Sad perils stirred up by lack of concentration (9)
- 5 He lays down the law but not in uniform style (5)
- 6 Support for part of the journey (3)
- 7 What's in your pocket won't make much difference! (5, 6)
- 8 They give protection when one fails to make a hit (4)
- 12 Giving a telling appearance of flying discipline (11)
- 13 It may be sent in search of gold (5)
- 14 Capital provision for all-round hostilities (10)
- 16 Foreign coin offered under par (5)
- 18 A doctor finds a girl bringing up nothing but hormone (9)
- 22 Swift accumulation of vehicles (5)
- 23 Joint product of the Spanish politeness (5)
- 24 Help Lincoln to start talking (4)
- 25 There's a point at which we seem woolly (3)
- 28 Much of it is of no significance (3)



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**DRIVERS** in Mombasa have recently become very well mannered. This was pointed out to me by Kachumbari as we were nursing our jars of Triple J at one of the down town watering holes.

The purpose of our visit to this unusual haunt was that Kachumbari wanted to show me some aspects of "the other side of tourism".

The noise in the place was quite loud the gaudily masked ladies and the loudly dressed pimps went about their usual business which at the time of the night was purely for "commercial" reasons. Anyway I digress.

What Kachumbari was telling me was that a lot of drivers these days seem to drive around town at very close to the speed limit set by law.

Even the matatus are beginning to come to terms with the fact that speed of ten kills.

After a period of trying to

## 'Well Mannered ...'

determine the change in attitude by drivers, Kachumbari thinks he knows why.

The cops are beginning to slowly win their battle against dangerous driving. Speed checks are springing up in the most unexpected places and a lot of drivers have been caught unawares, sometimes in the most ridiculous places.

The most marked change has taken place in the Bamburi area where now even tycoons in mercs drive with some semblance of normality.

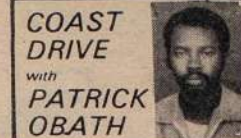
The traffic cops have made it a habit (and a good one I would say) to set up speed traps along that road.

What used to fix them in the past was that drivers had their own means of communication. Flashing lights meant that there was a speed check ahead so

everyone would slow down till they went past the check.

But now the cops never stay in one place long enough for the message to get through to many motorists.

The inevitable happens. One sees cars flashing at each other



COAST DRIVE with PATRICK OBATH

and everyone slows down. The slow cars keep a lookout for the cops and they see none.

So after a short while the drivers presume that the cops have gone and in their impatience they speed up.

As they go round the next bend, there are the cops with their guns pointed and one is picked up. Before the message can be passed on the cops have moved again.

Well done to the boys in blue and long may you catch the offenders.

Another area where drivers have been driven to some form of discipline is at the toll booth on Nyali Bridge.

Once upon a time the matatus and other non pass holders used to go through the passholder lane at the booths.

The reason for this was they would be processed quite to allow the passholders to through.

Inevitably when one process the ticketing officer with Maasai then it would take to give them change and impatient passholders would start hooting. This noise would have got onto the nerves of ticketing officers.

So in a surprise turn of they stopped issuing tickets whilst the offending vehicle clogging up the lane.

Instead, the offender is to move to the side of the road park and then walk back to toll booth to collect his ticket.

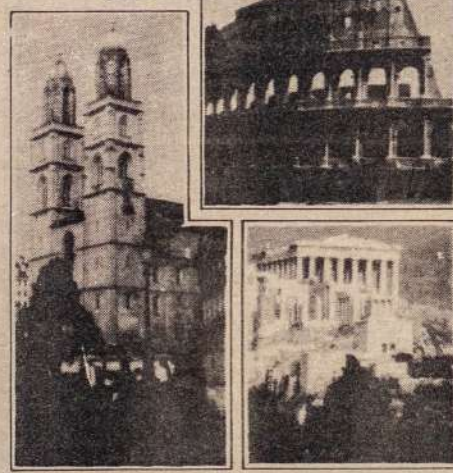
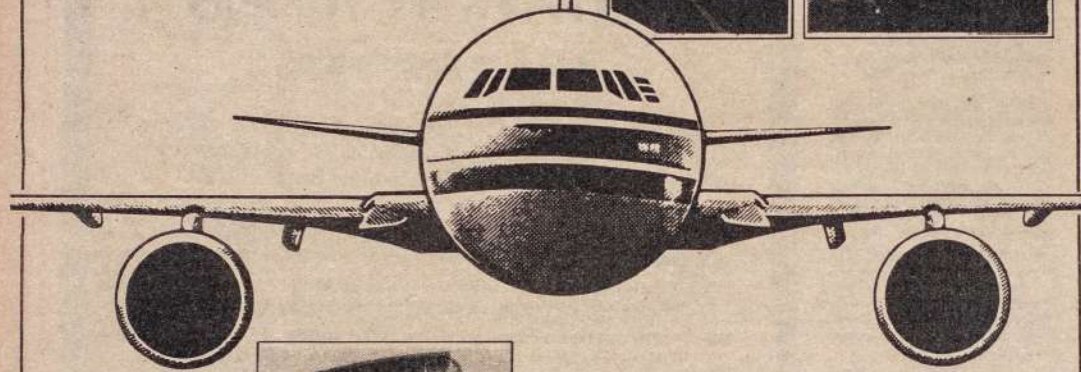
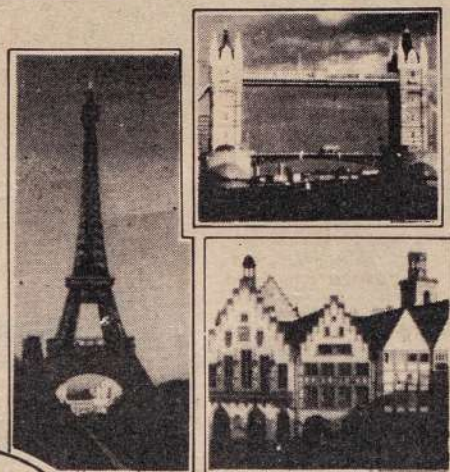
They do this irrespective of sex, race, colour or creed.

This is a real show of concern for those who have taken off to complete the formalities of obtaining a bridge pass that they can go through the area without too much wasting.

The net result is that passholders lane moves fast and the ticketing officer concentrate on issuing tickets for those who believe in membership and also cut down on the time they spend on queue.

As Kachumbari says, even bat head downwards can see the way other birds fly.

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## MOTOR CLUB PRESENTATION

THIS EVENING, Friday August 25, the Mombasa Motor Club will be presenting awards for the members who officiated in the recent held B.P. Visco rally. The event won high praise from the competitors and public alike and this was due to the efficiency with which officials handled the competitors and public.

The presentation will be done during the weekly club night Bahari Club from 7.00 p.m. Prospective members who either wish to rally or officiate will have an opportunity of getting to know who is involved in either aspect of motorsport.

## Girl Guides Join Up For Hard Hash In Mtwapa

LAST Saturday hashers were alive with excitement and many were licking their lips in anticipation of a run with the Girl Guides. Even the usual hash attire was replaced by colourful outfits and things like combs were seen sticking out of back pockets. Serious running seemed far from the minds of many as they were pondering whether they would come or go after the run.

Three runs of different lengths were set and of these the longest was in a farm in Mtwapa set by Hiten Boxer, Jinesh Fiji and Vicky Kingo.

Whilst setting, the hares were chased by dogs and it was only with super-human efforts that they managed to get away. Boxer's recent haircut which makes him look like a Marine soldier must have helped.

Astonishingly some 50 girls decided to select this run and hashers watched in awe as many bottoms, some exquisitely shaped and others not, started moving. Nash Molu and Themba stood speechless looking at this incredible sight and consequently were left behind. Recovering quickly with bulging shorts they uncomfortably sprinted to catch up and then lead the pack all the way round the course.

The 13 km run was through fish ponds, poultry and cattle ranches and through agricultural land and ended at 7.00 p.m. in the Guide's Camp site.

The other two runs had the same starting point but with a short cut halfway through, they were split into the long and short run.

These runs were set by Shripal Senior Eaglet, Satyen Thorny and Bejal Trashman.

The runs began from the quarry behind the camp site and the remaining girls joined these runs. To provide assurance and perhaps receive a close encounter of the beautiful kind afterwards, Fartarse immediately proceeded to hold the hand of a girl of his choice.

But the look of horror received was so vehement that with his tail firmly limp between his legs, Fartarse embarked on the run an unhappy man. Sympathy Druggi offered a hand but Fartarse rejected it quickly.

This run was through beautiful residential land and the road went past Serena Beach Hotel and the tourist stalls opposite. Girls being Girls, some decided to stop for window shopping and three overseas guides sat to have their hair plaited. The hares just gave up and the remaining pack to a hotel on the beach after which the home run followed.

### SERENA BEACH HOTEL

All in all the runs were interesting but somewhat chaotic. The conclusion of the hash was that some girls do and some don't - run.

The on-on was at the Serena Beach Hotel and downtown were awarded to the guides which they completed admirably. A lively evening enjoyed but unfortunately cases of close liaisons were reported.

The hash next Saturday - August 26, 1989 will meet its normal state and will be by Nikesh Bullshit, Manohar Hotel at 4.30 p.m.

### BRIDGE RESULTS

COAST Bridge Association Duplicate Bridge Tournament held at Little Theatre Club August 21, 1989, results:

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A. Shah and T. Pujari  
R. Ruparelia and M. Fok  
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D. Trivedi and K.V. Shah  
Amit De and S. Sharma  
S.R. Shah and S.K. Shah

## Micron Cup

COMMENCING next Monday, August 20, 16 teams will be competing for a new football trophy, the "Micron Cup".

The tournament is sponsored by East African Motor Industries, makers of Micron Silencers and exhaust systems, by courtesy of managing director Vishnu Dhutia.

Hosted by Mombasa Sports Club, this is an invitation event for teams not affiliated to K.F.F.

There are many such teams in Mombasa, who seldom have the chance to play competitive football.

The aim is to encourage the younger players, who will enjoy the experience of competition and hopefully will graduate to the league teams in due course.

The competition is a straight "knock-out", next weeks games opening with Action Boys v. Nyali Beach Hotel on Monday, followed by Admiral v. Makupa Rangers on Tuesday and By-Order v. Intercontinental Hotel on Thursday.

All games will start at 5.00p.m. at Mombasa Sports Club and the entrance fee to the ground will be Shillings Two.

Games will continue about three times weekly, with the final scheduled for September 23.

## CYCLE RACE:

THE plans for the next league race have been put back by one week; the race will now be held on September 3, instead of August 27, as previously announced.

The route has been changed to the circuit in town, passing Mama Ngina Drive, Law Courts, Ambalal House and back to Mama Ngina Drive.

Seniors will race 11 laps, juniors will race eight laps and ladies and youth will race five laps. Start line is at the Florida Night Club at 7.00 a.m.

This race will be sponsored by Gilano Fashions. They have donated seven trophies which will be presented to winners of various categories.

Shahq will be one of the top contenders for the new time-trial course of five kms. The race will be open to all Coast cyclists, whether members or non-members of the club.

Sponsors are wanted for this race and any small amount will be highly appreciated.

## NEWS BRIEFS

THE 1988/89 fishing season off Mtwapa Creek was again highlighted by a terrific run of sailfish which began in November and continued right through to early April writes James Adcock in his annual fishing report to clients and friends.

The final score at the end of the season was 321 which beat the previous season by 17. The marlin total was 27 which was an increase of five from the season before.

There were only seven shark (in excess of 15kgs.) landed which was an all time low — this could be attributed to the death of little tuna and skipjack tuna although there were vast shoals of frigate mackerel about.

The largest marlin of the season was a black of 131.8 kgs. caught

# MOMBASA MARATHON SUCCESS



**OLDEST PARTICIPANT** and finisher in this year's Mombasa International Marathon was a visiting West German athlete Mr Gerhard, seen here holding aloft his trophy generously donated by 'Royal Card'. He also received a beautiful crystal decanter as a souvenir of his epic run!



**ANOTHER V.I.P.** to visit Severin Sea Lodge was one of the main sponsor, Kenya Duty Free Complex representative Mr Nassir Ebrahim, (left) seen talking to Reservations Manager Mr Steven Sapaya.



**V.I.P. VISITORS** to Severin Sea Lodge for the Mombasa International Marathon were the Ethiopian contingent, seen being officially

welcomed (left) by Severin Sea Lodge General Manager Mr Beat Koch.



**PUBLIC RELATIONS** Consultant Major Aussie Walker is seen conducting a Press Conference at Severin Sea Lodge during promotion of the Mombasa International Marathon. Looking on

are International Marathon champion Douglas Wakiihuri, who was present to flag off the main 42 kilometre event, and former Olympic gold medallist Kipchoge Keino.



**WOMENS SERVICE** Corps runner Jane Ngotho is seen holding aloft her trophy, generously donated by Kenya Duty Free Complex, after winning the 10 kilometre event in the Mombasa International Marathon. In addition she received Shs. 6,000/=.



**KENYA POWER** and Lighting Co. Ltd. runner Mrs Emily Mkamburi, the youngest lady to complete the 42 kilometre Mombasa International Marathon is seen receiving her trophy from Kenya Duty Free Complex representative Mr Nassir Ibrahim. Emily also received a return air ticket to Dubai as well as a cash cheque. This was her first time in the 42 kilometre event. In the past she has successfully completed several 10 kilometre competitions.

## Adcock On Fishing

by Guy Verbeck, a regular visitor from Belgium, while fishing on Denise.

Manfred Bust (who was fishing with us for the first time) took the biggest stripy — a fish of 66.8 kgs. caught from Raha. There were many more black marlin around than the season before but a number of them were very reluctant to take the bait.

Will van der Ent from Nairobi caught a fine sail of 49.1 kgs from Samvuke on 15 kg. line — this turned out to be the best sail of the season. It made up for the day before when Will fought a black marlin on his 15 Kg tackle for 40 minutes only to see

the fish regurgitate the bait close to the boat.

The best catches of sail were made by the boat Oona which recorded six on two occasions. On the 21st December Gotz Bless and his son Christoph came home with six red flags flying, and one week later Russel Crawford, Ron, David and Julian Albon also took six as well as a fine dorado of 21.3 kgs.

Gunter Seippe, fishing Samvuke on February 18, boated five sail including a triple strike all landed. The largest fish of the season was a hammerhead shark caught by Kenneth Adcock from Samvuke. Kenneth was out with only crewman Humphrey Kombe when they spotted the hammerhead cruising on the surface — the largest bait they had to offer was only a panga but the shark obliged and swallowed it down. The fish tipped the scales at 150 Kgs and gave birth to 20 young while being weighed.

Hermann Reichensperner from Germany caught the only mako shark — a fine one of 113.6 kgs taken from Denise.

There were a few large mako about — Michael Keri fought a monster from Samvuke for 45 Minutes before the line broke — the angle and crew were very disappointed but it was undoub-

tedly a blessing in disguise!

Ralf Mohr, one of our regular anglers from Germany, came for two weeks fishing at 9.00am on his first day he got stuck into a very large mako whilst fishing aboard Oona.

Ralf's 14/0 Penn reel filled with 80 pound line could not tame this fish, and after four hours and 20 minutes the shark broke the trace. Ralf unfortunately missed the next week's fishing due to severe sunburn!

There were two other long battles that both ended in victory for the fish. Kenneth Adcock fishing with Kenneth Rodwell on his canoe, hooked into a black marlin on 50 pound line, and fought it for over four hours before the line parted, while Tony Broadhead from England struggled with a giant manta ray for more than three hours aboard Oona before the 80 pound line gave way.

According to the crew of the boat the manta actually took the panga bait — a most unusual occurrence.

Drift fishing again proved successful and a number of sail were caught including a double strike for Wilfried Wegner and Kenneth Adcock on Samvuke. Wilfried also had an unusual catch of a bull shark drifting off the White House from Samvuke, while Fritz Zwickbauer caught a small black marlin drifting from Oona.



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## DATELINE: DAR ES SALAAM

TANZANIA will have its first glass back squash court by the end of this year following the launching of the project at the Dar-es-salaam Gymkhana Club last month.

The squash complex is estimated to cost 24 million shillings and will also cater for table tennis players.

The glass wall which will facilitate spectator viewing will be fitted at the back of the squash court just behind the service

boxes. The glass has been donated by Amin Kashmiri who has been associated with Tanzanian squash for many years and has also been a prominent player himself.

Work on the complex is progressing fast and the complex court plus gallery is already shaping out. The work is being undertaken by a firm of local contractors, V. Riarsi and Company.

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## Warriors Play 'Congo Boys'

MWEMBE TAYARI'S Congo Boys FC play Mombasa Warriors in a Coast Premier League Group 'A' clash at Mombasa Municipal Stadium tomorrow in what is expected to be a thrilling affair. The question is: Will Wanderers surrender their unbeaten record to Congo? The match kick-off at 4.00 p.m. and ends at 5.45 p.m.

Wanderers and Bandari, both in Group 'A', remain the only teams in the two groups yet to lose a match. Last Weekend, Malindi Alaskan surrendered their unbeaten record in Lamu when they were crushed 4-1 by a revitalised Diplomat team. Alaskan returned home with only a point through a 2-2 draw with Lamu Jews.

Congo Boys improved their position in the standing when they hammered Kiweke 4-1 to occupy third position. They will definitely try to shatter Wanderers record. Wanderers players have vowed to return to Superleague next season.

Mwenge returns to action with a fixture against an unpredictable Black Santos at the same venue on Sunday. Santos who made a poor start have improved a lot at late and it won't be a surprise if they shock mighty Mwenge or share the spoils.

On the other hand, Mwenge currently in fourth spot, will field their strongest line-up to beat Santos. The Kisauni boys are warned to keep a close watch on Mwenge strikers who could score at will on their day.

Early this week, Mombasa Stars FC, from Majengo received good news. The local KFF Coast Branch lifted the club suspension after Stars paid their participation fees. Stars returns to the league with a date against localational neighbours Nyundo.

The match to take place at Mombasa Municipal Stadium on Wednesday could go either way but Stars could better their opponents as they want to resume their campaign with a bang. Nyundo improved their place in the standing in their past three matches.

Turning to Group 'B', Alaskan still fresh from their debacle performance in Lamu Island should quickly forget the 4-1 whipping they received from Diplomat when they tackle Coast Stima in a match to take place at their home Malindi Municipal Stadium tomorrow.

On Sunday, Mombasa Breweries

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are expected to climb the standing up the ladder when they face lowly placed Seamen at Malindi Stadium.

Meanwhile, the clash of the "Giants" between Al-Nassir and Horohoro in a Lamu District First Division League ended in a 1-1 draw at Lamu Sports Ground. The meeting between the two sides attracted a crowd.

In another match, Eleven Tigers improved their position in the table when they defeated bottom of the table Brighter Stars of Shella 2-1. Top contenders for the Lamu crown are Al-Nassir, Horohoro, Uwambe and Lamu Wanderers.

Harambee Stars, Kenya's national soccer team toured Coast last weekend where they managed to win both their games against Coast Select XI 3-1 and Mombasa Wanderers 1-0. Anthony "Pikipiki" Ndolo scored a hatrick against Coast and Sammy "Jogoo" Onyango netted against Wanderers.



LIVERPOOL Fan: Former Mwenge FC Secretary, Mr Ismail Mboya, an admirer of Liverpool Football Club of England made a special visit to the club premises - the Anfield recently where he was presented with among other items a football signed by players of the star-studded team. A Liverpool official, Mr Tony Judge seen here handing over token gifts to Mr Mboya. Mwenge of Mombasa was formerly known as Liverpool.

## 'NEPTUNE BEACH' GOLF

NEPTUNE Beach Hotel sponsored their second Greensomes Competition last Saturday at Nyali Golf and Country Club writes Followthru.

This is a competition "with a difference" in that all the entrants names are put in a hat and pairings depend on the luck of the draw. This year there were some very interesting combinations and there were several couples who looked capable of producing winning scores.

It certainly promised an afternoon of very enjoyable golf, and even the sun was shining to encourage everyone.

Mother Nature has not been

kind to golfers of late and sure enough round about 3.00 p.m. the heavy clouds came rolling in and there followed three-quarters of an hour of very pleasant conditions. This did not seem to affect most people's scores however, though a few did temporarily falter.

The lesson we should all learn from Greensomes is how important a good drive is, for it appears that if one has two chances at this opening stroke on each hole, a par or at worst a one-over is sure to follow.

Scores were very good indeed with many couples playing below their handicaps and totals of 36 to 39 points were never in contention.

The winners with a magnificent score of 43 points were Anjay Talwar partnered by Ann Wambua, who is a much sought after foursomes player especially because of the reliability of her drive.

Following closely on their heels were the "outsider" pair of Jayant Shah and Yusuf Mamujee with 42 points and third were Satish Talwar and young Carole Barnsley with 40.

Carole proved to be the foursomes partner of the moment for the second week running her steady game and the number of strokes she contributes off her handicap make her a very valuable partner.

The First Nine on 21 points went to Ramesh Patel and Ashok Manghani after a countback with Ben Okatch and Mustapha Yusufali and the Second Nine to Bob Davidson and Cathy Kimanthi with an excellent 22 points.

The Golf Captain, Dave McConnell, thanked Neptune Beach Hotel and Mr Amin Merali for their sponsorship, the lovely prizes and for the tea which was enjoyed by all the competitors.

Mr Antony Mutua, the hotel's General Manager, presented the prizes to the winners and said they hoped very much to be back next year.

The Finals of the Nyali Club Championships takes place next Sunday, August 27. The Greenwood Trophy will be played over 36 holes and last year's champion Wachira Mahihu will again be meeting Ben Okello in the Final.

Ben beat Chairman Ted Kabetu in the semi-final 5/4 and was

## 'BOMBAY XI' TOUR

BOMBAY Gymkhana, on whose ground the first ever test match India was played back in 1934, are currently in Mombasa as guests of Mombasa Sports Club. They have played a few matches already in Nakuru and Nairobi. On Saturday the visitors shall play full days match against Coast Gymkhana invitation XI and on Sunday August 27, they play their hosts, Mombasa Sports Club. Both matches start at 10.00 a.m.

The team has regular club cricketers from Bombay. The two former test players in the team are their captain, K. Jayantilal, who played against the West Indies on India's 1971 tour (which also was the Gavaskar's record breaking Maiden Tour) and Yajurvedra Singh, who still shares two world records in test cricket - He took five catches in his very first test innings and seven altogether in that match, against the visiting MCC in 1977.

## Hatim Karimjee Fall To Coast Gymkhana

COAST Gymkhana upset unbeaten Hatim Karimjee Sports Club in one of the Sigma Paints league match on Sunday. In the other two matches Patel

Sports Club beat Union Cricketers and Jaffery Sports Club and Shree Cutchi Leva Sports Club. Scores: Coast Gymkhana 138 - Mohamed 40, Kirit 30. Jaffery Sports Club 114/3 - Jaffery 3/20, Kutub 2/10, Mufadal 2/20. Hatim Karimjee 95 all out - Shabir 15, Hatim 11, Hitesh 3/10, Kirit 3/16.

Union Cricketers 113 all out - Murtaza 19, Gulamabbas 10, Muslim 15, Iqbal 4/10. Patel Sports Club 114/3 - Jagdish 2/20, not out, Munir 30.

Jaffery Sports Club 194/7 - M. Karim 52, Riyaz 32, Salim 30, Tommy 24 not out. Rawji 3/43.

Shree Cutchi Leva 80 all out - Rasik 24, Riyaz 3/10, M. Karim 3/17, Muntazir 2/8.

Weekend Fixtures: Jaffery Sports Club meet Shree Cutchi Leva Club on Saturday August 26, 1989 at JSC in the KFC Cup Knockout Finals. The match starts at 1.30 p.m.

Sigma Paints League - Sunday: Hatim Karimjee vs Jaffery at HKSC, Union Cricketers vs Coast Gymkhana at CC, and Cutchi Leva vs Patel at JSC.

### COAST PREMIER LEAGUE GROUP 'B' STANDING AS AT TODAY.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
MLD ALASKAN	13	7	5	1	24	14	19
LAMU DIPLOMAT	12	8	2	2	19	13	18
KENYA NAVY	13	7	3	3	40	13	17
MOMBASA POSTA	11	7	3	1	24	6	17
MSA BREWERIES	13	7	2	4	26	10	16
MLD STARFISH	13	5	5	3	19	15	15
COAST STIMA	11	5	4	2	11	7	14
LAMU JAWS	13	5	3	5	20	24	13
MALINDI YANGA	13	5	2	6	19	25	12
KILIFI KOROSHO	14	3	4	7	11	15	10
HOLA POLICE	11	4	0	7	16	19	8
MALINDI SEAMEN	12	1	4	7	10	35	6
TANA MAROON	11	1	3	7	12	24	5
TANA KILIMO	12	2	0	10	8	36	4

## TIDES

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### FRIDAY:

High Water - 2.66 metres at 10.30 hours and 2.04 metres at 23.33 hours.  
Low Water - 1.18 metres at 03.18 hours and 1.29 metres at 17.27 hours.

### SATURDAY:

High Water - 2.63 metres at 12.28 hours.  
Low Water - 1.38 metres at 05.20 hours and 1.16 metres at 19.27 hours.

### SUNDAY:

High Water - 2.21 metres at 01.40 hours and 2.83 metres at 13.59 hours.  
Low Water - 1.23 metres at 07.27 hours and 0.90 metres at 20.34 hours.

### MONDAY:

High Water - 2.52 metres at 02.43 hours and 3.09 metres at 14.56 hours and 3.09 metres at 14.56 hours.  
Low Water - 0.95 metres at 08.32 hours and 0.65 metres at 21.18 hours.

### TUESDAY:

High Water - 2.82 metres at 03.27 hours and 3.30 metres at 15.38 hours.  
Low Water - 0.70 metres at 09.17 hours and 0.47 metres at 21.50 hours.

### WEDNESDAY:

High Water - 3.06 metres at 04.02 hours and 3.43 metres at 16.13 hours.  
Low Water - 0.52 metres at 09.52 hours and 0.35 metres at 22.19 hours.

### THURSDAY:

High Water - 3.25 metres at 04.33 hours and 3.47 metres at 16.42 hours.  
Low Water - 0.40 metres at 10.23 hours and 0.28 metres at 22.42 hours.