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## ROTARY AID FOR RURAL AREA WATER.

# Two Million Shillings For Pinglikani ...

THERE WERE ROUSING CHEERS from hundreds of happy villagers, also representatives from the government and KANU when Sir Kailash Ramdane, Governor of Rotary International's District 920 promised that the first phase of the KShs two million project to bring water to the Pinglikani and Dindiri areas of the Kilifi District would be completed by the end of February next year.

Sir Kailash who hails from Mauritius and was guest of honour at the ground breaking ceremony at Dindiri said he had arranged to be back there on March 3 next year to hand this water project over to villagers. There was great rejoicing as for women it spelled the end of a daily slog of some five-six kms to their nearest supply. Many of the younger generation are refusing to marry if it means living in an area without water.

This marked the eighth water project for the Rotary Club of Kilindini to embark upon—the last having been initiated by its immediate past-chairman, Gianni Bonanno.

It is this club which, in the Rotary year 1989/90 won the Best Community Service project trophy in Rotary District 920 for its efforts in bringing water to the people of Kilifi.

The first phase of this Shs two million project covers an area of five-six kms between Pinglikani and Dindiri. When completed, work starts on the second phase stretching six kms and covering Dindiri/Mokata/Kaole/Dindiri/Sokini—thus completing a circuit of the Kilifi area.

**ALBERTA GOVERNMENT**  
The funding of this project has been helped tremendously by the Calgary Clubs of Canada which raised around KShs one million (approx 52,000 Canadian dollars). Of this—15,400 dollars came from the Calgary Clubs; 11,000 from the Alberta Government and 23,600 as a grant from the Rotary Foundation.

The Rotary Club of Kilindini saving the rest of the money cost.

Meanwhile, villagers have undertaken to provide the labour as well as to look after its maintenance.

At the ground breaking ceremony the DG was accompanied by the Chairman

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# Headline News

TAKE A LOOK AT Coastweek classified!



## 'Dead Shot'

AMBOSELI 'ELEPHANTS' are seen after being slain by poachers for their ivory ... Fortunately these were 'imitation' elephants made from fibre-glass and used by WDR (German television corporation) while on location in Kenya. Said Mr

Werner Fritsch, location manager, "they looked so real that we could take close up shots of them". Initially the Maasai hired to help off-load them from the film truck also thought them to be real!

SEE STORY AND PHOTO PAGE THREE

# THE MOMBASA AND COAST TOURIST ASSOCIATION CALL FOR A 'CLEAN UP'



KRISHNA PATEL

## Success In U.S.A.

MOMBASA-BORN Krishna Patel has graduated with top honours as a B.Sc. from University of Illinois at Urbana, United States.

Daughter of a former Mombasa Golf Club Captain Mr Ramesh Patel and Mrs Yasumati 'Babyen' Patel, talented Krishna is a former student of the Star of the Sea School and the H.H. Aga Khan Kensec Mombasa.

Krishna remains in the United States where she is now doing further studies for a Doctorate in Pharmacy at the University of Illinois at Chicago.

MOMBASA'S HIGH tourist season has just started—and is booming, with all hotels virtually full, and an appeal has been made by the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association for urgent action to be taken to make the town cleaner and tidier so that tourists can take away with them good impressions of Kenya's second largest town.

It was mentioned that on a Monday alone during the present 'high' season some 3563 passengers arrive at Moi International Airport (2887 of whom are there before 11 in the morning) with a similar number departing.

The chairman and officers of MCTA called on the Mayor Councillor Ahmed Mwidani on Wednesday morning to present a cheque for Shs 2,000/- to his Christmas Tree fund, and to discuss with him such burning

issues as repairs, particularly to some inner roads which are in a dreadful pot-holed state, garbage collection and to suggest Council organises a 'Clean Up' week before Christmas.

Concerning hawkers, MCTA suggested that Open Markets over weekends be allowed to take place in empty car parks where they could sell their wares, as is already happening in small towns in Kenya.

It also asked if the painting and repair exercise to the Tusk

NETA PEAL reports

Arches in Moi Avenue could now be completed.

The MCTA chairman, Zul Harunani, told the Mayor that he had been among the strong Kenyan delegation, led by the Tourism Minister, to the Sea

Cruise Convention in London to help promote cruise ship tourism here.

He reported 'it was very successful and we hope to receive quite a good number of ships which will bring

hundreds of tourists to Kenya and so increase the country's foreign exchange earnings.

Mrs Lorna Hayes, the MCTA's First Deputy Chairman, told the

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## A 'Floating University' Sails Into Kilindini ...

THE M.V. S.S. Universe, otherwise known as the "floating university" steaming into the calm waters of the Kilindini channel early this week and docked at the port of Mombasa with a total of 580 passengers and 137 crew members.

The ninth passenger ship to dock at the port in the recent months of this year, Universe, is a Liberian flag carrier and registered in Monrovia.

She is expected to stay for four days during which students and lecturers and crew members will sample Kenya's touristic beauty in the clean beaches and national game parks.

According to the details released by the agents, messrs Kenya Liner Agencies, there are 481 students on board, 77 lecturers and 22 other seniors.

Their nationalities include American, Canadian, Portuguese, Norwegian, Singapore, Mexican, German, Indian, English and Colombian.

The Universe is white but also creamy from a distance where it is berth no. 1, now specialising

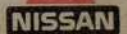
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## 'Lions Club' Kilifi Project:



DURING THE COLOURFUL foundation laying ceremony attended by hundreds of people of Mkomani Primary School, Ruruma Location at Rabai, Kilifi District, Lion Hansraj Gudka District Governor of Lions is being congratulated by the Chief of Kilifi Mr Victor K Gamimba for the excellent work done by the Lions Club of Mombasa Island who raised a substantial amount of Kshs. 1.2 million by organizing a Charity Walk to build two classrooms, one Art room, one 8-4-4

workshop, two stores and other amenities to bring comfort and joy in order to give better education to our younger generation. Gajendra Batavia Lion Zone Chairman (left) is seen with Mr Teddy a Councillor, Mr Victor K Gamimba a Chief, Chandrakant the Lion Region Chairman, Lion District Governor Hansraj Gudka, Rafiq Shah Lion Chairman, Mrs Dinu, Mrs Hansa, Mrs Lata, P.R.O. Mr Dhanjal, Mr Girish and Headmaster of the school.

## Libba's New Menu And New Management!

TEX-MEX came briefly to Mombasa and blew out again. Now, Libba's Restaurant in Ratna Square has had a change of management and menu style. The tex-mex has gone and with it the former management.

Currently the establishment is undergoing a change of decor so little can be said about this area, except that the utilitarian setting arrangements are about to be jazzed up, being provided with a dash of colour.

So what's new? Manager Aspi Konkrawala who comes from a leading hotel overseas, and chef Francis Kitui who comes from a top restaurant in Nairobi.

The management is aiming to catch the younger set, and those who would like a high quality, but lower cost meal, also offering a capacity for take away.

The Deep Fried Prawns in a light batter served with dips being fair value at shs 95/- . Alternatively the Sea-food Cocktail of prawns, lobster, and seafood in a cocktail sauce was also value at shs 65/-

The soups are big bowls almost a meal alone, ranging over shs 35/- to 40/- with an attraction in Sonorese Corn, a spicy chicken /tomato soup with sweet peppers and chilli.

Four Spaghetis, two Lasagne and one Canneloni dish could be had as a starter or main dish with an appropriate adjustment in price to match.

13 pizzas, except the 13th is designated 12A, gave a vast cross-section of dining choices to cater for every whim and fancy. Prices depend on sea food utilisation but range 83/- to 115/-.

Hamburgers offer five choices with enchilladas three choices. Came the main dishes and one discovered a three legged chicken

Normally in any chicken dish one gets two legs but in Drum Sticks Piri-Piri not only did we get the pan fried legs in an oriental spice mix, but also a special interesting piri-iri sauce, shs 150/- with rice and salad.

Still on the side of main dishes there is a good selection with fish 'n' chips, Seafood Chowder, Prawns Aspi, Chicken Milanese, Fillet and Pepper Steaks and Chilli con Carne. Prices from 100/- up to 160/-.

Vegetarians are well taken care of with a very comprehensive selection of 13 dishes, and here much thought has gone into the choice with additionally five vegetarian pizzas available.

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THE LAUNCHING of its new prestigious brochure of Safaris and Excursions by Pollman's Tours and Safaris took place at a luncheon party at Restaurant Cinnabar and was thoroughly enjoyed by its managerial staff from Mombasa, Malindi and Nairobi, as well as by representatives of associate companies including overseas tour operators for whom Pollman's handle the ground arrangements for their clients. Right is Karl-Heinz Straus, Pollman's Managing Director.

## Pollman's Launch New Brochure For Safaris!

A SUPERLATIVE luncheon party at one of Mombasa's classiest restaurants—the *Cinnabar* overlooking the idyllic Tudor creek—was hosted by Pollman's Tours and Safaris to launch its new and prestigious brochure

of safaris and excursions attractively designed and loaded with beautiful pictures of the flora and fauna of Kenya.

With it comes a pocket size booklet full of 'Travel Tips' including some important advice on malaria and its prevention, also that the export of sea shells is prohibited. Many tourists are puzzled over this after seeing large quantities being sold on the beach.

Also included are useful maps of Mombasa and Nairobi, addresses of diplomatic missions, restaurants, nightclubs and casinos on the Kenya Coast, as well as some useful 'Vacation Swahili'.

The launching of these brochures, pre-empted by a few days the start of the high tourist season which is expected to be 'very good' with more charter arriving from Europe.

Touristic Union International, the leading tour operator in Europe, has increased by between 15-20 per cent the number of aircraft seats for this 'high' season, while Pollman's which looks after TUI's ground arrangements, has added 30 'mini' buses and a coach to its fleet to cope with a much heavier demand.

### EXCURSIONS

This attractive Pollman's brochure, printed in five languages—German, English, French, Dutch and Finnish, is expected to further increase bookings for safaris and excursions.

Apart from Pollman's managerial staff from Mombasa, Malindi and Nairobi, the luncheon was also enjoyed by representatives of associate companies including overseas tour operators for whom Pollman's handle the ground arrangements for their clients.

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# Top German Stars Film Anti-Poaching Drama!

SPENDING THREE WEEKS at Mombasa's Reef Hotel is a 35-strong group of film stars and crew shooting scenes all over Mombasa, including the airport, ferry, Old Town and early hotels for a 100-minute feature film about the illegal activities of a gang of ivory poachers, which will be screened throughout Germany next summer.

The German Television Corporation (WDR) is equivalent to the BBC, and the three well known leading stars are Peer Augustinski, Hannelore-Elisner and Gottfried John. It is being directed by Martin Gies and there are also a number of Kenyan actors and amateurs among the cast, mostly from Nairobi.

The German team is being supported by the Kenyan film company 'Movieone Productions' and filming has also taken place near Mount Kilimanjaro.

They found it very hot and thirsty work filming in that area. Consequently, during the three-and-a-half weeks they were there sales of their favourite Tusker Premium beer soared. Eventually, the situation was reached when demand exceeded supplies and to their horror they found they had drunk that area dry!

On their arrival at Mombasa's Reef Hotel their first dive was not into the Indian Ocean or swimming pool, but into the bar.

Declared Bernd Tillmann, production manager "it was a great day to have an ice cold Tusker again".

Despite working to a very tight schedule, leaving the Reef Hotel early in the morning and returning after dark, some found time to make use of the 0.2 Fitness Centre and Reflexologist there so as to keep in peak condition.

The film story is about a German policeman, Fred Nowak, who is called to Kenya by a photo-journalist friend needing help in uncovering a big story. However, on arrival at Mombasa, Nowak found his friend had disappeared. He traces him to a lodge, but became suspicious when some strange looking Europeans who had known his friend, denied having seen him.

Nowak realises his friend must have discovered ivory hunters and their dealers, and that because of knowing too much had to die.

Together with a Kenyan policeman, Mulala, Nowak succeeds in getting the criminal responsible convicted.

The main location in the African bush was in the Kimana area just outside Amboseli National Park with many of the crew staying at Kimana Lodge, which is part of the Kilimanjaro Safari Club group.

Declared Werner Fritsch Location Manager "it was a new world for them, but everyone was so helpful including Rajni Desai, Managing Director, Kim.

Morbey, Group General Manager, managers and staff of Kilimanjaro Safari Club.

He went on 'the three adult elephants and lots of tusks that we used in the film were all made from fibre glass by a Kenyan company 'Filmstruck' run by Charlie Simpson.

Said Werner 'local art people did a fantastic job in making them look brutalised by poachers. They looked so real that we could take very close shots of them. Our Production Designer, in particular, was very pleased with the results.

However, there had been a bit of a problem with the Maasai they had hired to help off-load them from the trucks. They thought they were 'real' and decided many more would be needed to lift them.

Said Werner 'although we explained that the imitation elephants were made from a very light material, they were still very suspicious, tapping all over their bodies. One even asked if he could have the 'stomach'.

Some were not entirely convinced about their weight and preferred not standing in a position so as to be the first to bear the weight as it came off the truck. Said Werner "we had to point out that everyone had to be at a strategic point so as to properly balance the weight as they were being moved".

Eventually, the off-loading commenced with traditional songs helping them in an harambee effort in this exercise.

Another incident involved simulating mushrooming smoke so as to look from afar as if a truck had been blown up. In the story, the truck was carrying elephant tusks.

It took place on the Loitokitok Road being carefully orchestrated by the unit's Special Effects Department. Suddenly, said



HANNELORE ELSNER and Peer Augustinski two of the leading stars in the film about a gang of ivory poachers being made by German Television Corporation (WDR) are seen waiting for 'shooting' to commence. The scene was in a police station set up by WDR on the ground floor of the New Carlton Hotel, Mombasa.

Werner, one of the Maasai Mama's who had gathered nearby screamed at us saying we were spoiling the terrain.

This was not the case at all, he said. 'We had received permission to do this and nothing was disturbed nor anything spoiled. In fact, no truck was blown up - all!'

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Here Werner took the opportunity of mentioning that he had been most impressed by the punctuality of the Maasai and Kikuyu who had been helping them. Adding 'they did not let anyone down by being late.'

Film stars and crew flew into Mombasa on a LTU Charter from Germany while their huge truck carrying lighting equipment and generator (necessary for filming in the bush) arrived by sea.

Locations at Mombasa included the Manor Hotel (where Nowak finds his friend had disappeared) and New Carlton Hotel (the ground floor of which was transformed into a police station) also various places in Mombasa, including its historic Old Town.

Of their three weeks in Mombasa approximately 14 days were spent shooting with only three days off for the crew.

Werner mentioned that WDR has a studio in Nairobi responsible for filing them news from Africa, from which they get ideas for stories. The particular one, given the temporary name 'Ivory', was written by the Producer, Helg. Poche.



"Who sold you that parrot, mate?"



"I must be getting old, what my parents say is beginning to make sense."



"Can you think of any good reason why both your parents should have left home?"



"That's one... only ten more to go!"



"Dad's such a good wrestler, he beats the girls next door every time."



"Of course, I still love you - It's just that my foot goes to sleep faster than it used to!"



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Freretown Colony was established in 1874 by CMS at the site adjacent to the New Nyali Bridge, as the first settlement of liberated slaves on the East African Coast.

The first settlers in this area were mainly freed slaves from India, mainly Bombay, who were popularly known as Bombay Africans.

They had been rescued by the British Navy from Arab dhows and sent to India where they received education and industrial training under the missionaries.

The skilled freed slaves played a big part in assisting CMS to construct the historical 'Emmanuel Church', Kisauni in 1889 which stands proud up to this day, over a 100 years old.

Indeed its belfry (kengele) which is situated near the traffic lights is a gazetted National Monument and has transformed the name of this area from Freretown as it was earlier.

successful charity walk in aid of this project. The wazee in their part will participate in a four km celebrity walk on Saturday morning at 0800 hours, November 24 1990 starting from St. Peters Church, Nyali to Emmanuel Church, Kisauni.

Several dignitaries will take part in the walk which will be flagged off by the area MP Hon. Said Hemed, Assistant Minister for Environment and Natural Resources, among them will be Worship the Mayor, Councillor A. Mwidani and CPK Bishop C. Nzano. It will be a grand effort to raise funds for this worthy cause.

Hedley D Mokwena, Chairman of the Development Committee noted:

"When you get time just pop in at the historical church to admire its architectural design and art, also to gather more information about Freretown, not to mention the historical cemeteries situated nearby where liberated slaves, British Missionaries and Naval officers have been buried".



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# BBC Film Life Of 'Yusuf Bin Hassan'

ENDING A WEEK at Mombasa's Hotel while filming in and around the 397 year old Fort Jesus was Terry Braun—a freelance Director for BBC2 which is starting a new series called 'Seven' which takes a new look at history.

filming was in the hands of the camera, Nairobi, the cameraman being Kenya's famous behind Dhillon whom Terry described as 'brilliant'.

in an interview at the hotel Terry said the entire crew are Muslims which I am doubly pleased about.

Basically, said Terry, it is a story about Yusuf bin Hassan, of the Second Sultan of Malindi and Mombasa.

for the first eight years of his life he was raised a Muslim in Goa where he was baptised 'Dom Jeronimo' and educated as a Christian by the Augustinians.

It was at the instigation of Vasco de Mello Pereira, Captain of Fort Jesus, that his father was killed in 1614, and as a way of atonement for his murder it was decided to raise him to take the place of the third Sultan of Mombasa, Malindi and Pemba.

At the time of his accession



**BERND TILLMANN, Production Manager; Werner Fritsch, Location Manager and Brigett Fellermann, Costume Designer, all from German Television Corporation (WDR) which is making a feature film about ivory poachers for showing throughout Germany next summer. Right is Armin Dhillon, a local consultant.**

in 1626 he was 20 years old and had served for seven years in the Portuguese armed forces acquiring a good reputation as a soldier and gunner.

Married to a Portuguese-Eurasian wife his position back at Mombasa was anything but easy.

His Swahili relatives and vassals resented his conversion to Christianity, while some of the Portuguese at Mombasa suspected him of being a crypto-Muslim.

Declared Terry 'as you can imagine there was a certain amount of cultural confusion

having first being brought up as a Muslim and then raised as a Catholic'.

He said that making the film had been like opening doors into the multi-faceted history of Mombasa.

The unit worked to a very tight schedule from sunup to sundown. Said Terry 'it was wonderful being able to return and relax in such a comfortable and pleasant hotel where we have been looked after very well'.

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He went on 'I have never been to Kenya before. On the one hand while wishing I had more time to be here as a tourist as it were, I realised that because of being here to make a film I have had access to people and places which quite probably I would never have had as a tourist.

I have enjoyed being here tremendously. People we have met in the market, teachers in local schools, children, education officers and people at Fort Jesus Museum, everyone has been very kind and helpful, as well as very accomodating.

The film is scheduled for showing on BBC2 in spring 1991.

# ROTARIANS BOOST KILIFI WATER SCHEME

FROM PAGE ONE

the Rotary Club of Kilindini, Doshi, both being honoured being made Elders of the age and traditionally attired. were also garlands for Lady Ursule and Mrs Nilam Doshi.

Many other Rotarians were present to witness this momentous and happy occasion.

At the conclusion of his Coast tour when addressing a dinner at Whitesands Hotel hosted in his honour by the six Rotary Clubs at the Coast, Sir Kailash said 'I think past and present members of the Rotary Club of Kilindini have done a really arduous job in bringing water to the people'.

By profession, Sir Kailash is a pharmacist. He told Rotarians to 'see a specimen of the water you drink. It is milky with all kinds of things in it. I do not know how they survive'.

He told Rotarians 'hundreds of men, women and children begged us and I was almost moved to tears', and to Kilindini



**THE GOVERNOR OF Rotary International's District 320 Sir Kailash Ramdane (third right) and the Chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini, Lady Ursule (fifth left) are seen after being made 'Elders' during the Ground Breaking Ceremony at Dindhi of the KSSh. two million water project for the Kilifi District. Fourth left is Lady Ursule, wife of Sir Kailash and second right is Mrs Nilam Doshi.**

Rotarians he said 'water is life and you are giving life to the people there'.

He urged all Rotarians 'to go rural', adding 'you must go into areas where service is needed to show that Rotary cares'.

Sir Kailash is Co-Chairman of the Joint Business Council of the Mauritius Chamber of Commerce and the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and

Industry. He is also chairman of the PTA Federation of Chambers of Commerce and Industry covering 20 African countries.

He has a group of companies in Mauritius involved in various sectors, including agriculture and tourism.

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A CHEER WENT UP as Sir Kailash Ramdane, Governor of Rotary International's District 920 plants the first of 4,000 Royal Palm Trees planned for Diani Beach Road—a project of the Rotary Club of Diani. Right is Bryan Payne, Club Chairman. On left (in striped shirt) is Amin Merali, Co-Ordinator of the DG's visit who had donated four Royal Palms for the project.

## 'ROYAL PALMS' WILL LINE MAIN ROAD ON DIANI BEACH FRONT

**LAUNCHING** A huge tree planting exercise to beautify 12 kms of Diani Beach Road from Golden Beach to Robinson Club Baobab hotels, which will eventually have a total of 4,000 Royal Palms along it, was the new District Governor of Rotary International's District 920 — Sir Kailash Ramdane.

This project is the brainchild of the Rotary Club of Diani in keeping with Rotary International's current theme 'Preserve the Planet Earth' to help protect and beautify the environment.

Each Rotarian at Diani has made a donation towards it, while Nasir Kaham, Service Chairman, has donated 20 trees.

Four were planted near the Diani Shopping Centre by Sir Kailash Ramdane, Bryan Payne, chairman, Nasir Kaham and Amin Merali, Co-Ordinator of the DG's visit (who also donated four trees).

All are Royal Palms and this Rotary Club has appealed to others who might like to help by donating cash or a royal palm. All trees will have name tags fixed to them, and a certificate will also be presented to the donor.

### CHIPPERFIELD

The District Governor also officially opened the Chipperfield Bus Shelter at Diani. It was when a fellow Rotarian, Alan Chipperfield from London, was staying at Trade Winds Hotel that he saw wananchi getting soaked by rain while waiting for a bus. He donated around Shs 8,000 towards a shelter and it was the Diani Rotary Club which

looked after its contribution.

Said the District Governor "with this good leadership the club is going to grow".

Chairman is Bryan Payne (General Manager, Golden Beach Hotel) and among his committee members are veteran Rotarians Mick White, International Service Chairman, a Rotarian of 20 years standing, and Tom Douglas, Treasurer.

This six year old club is very active and soon will be embarking on another project that of constructing a Bruce Mackenzie Memorial Clinic. Mr Mackenzie (dec'd) a former Kenyan Minister, has a beach house in the Diani area, and his wife has indicated her interest in donating a plot of land for this purpose.

Said Chairman Payne 'we are hoping to attract international assistance from other Rotary clubs all over the world'. Other projects proposed include two water wells, Safety Signs, a double bus shelter along Lunga Lunga Road in the Kombato Location, a Polio Plus Clinic at Msambweni and the completion of windows and doors at Magutu Primary School.

A project in hand at the moment is the repair of the Tiwi Bus Shelter.

The club holds very successful money raising Christmas Bazaars. Last year, under the chairmanship of John Humphreys, it raised just over Shs. 100,000. The club is proposing that this go towards the initial development of the Mackenzie Memorial Clinic.

## MOMBASA LAW SOCIETY GREET NEW JUDGES ...

TWO NEW JUDGES at Mombasa have received a big welcome from the Mombasa Law Society which hosted a dinner party in their honour at Whitesands Hotel.

The Hon Justice R.S.C. Omolo, in charge of the Coast Province, was previously a Judge in Nakuru and Kisumu, while for Hon. Justice I Wambilyanga it was his first appointment as a Judge.

Said the Chairman of the 69-year old Mombasa Law Society, Joseph V Juma 'while those of us who were in Court gave you an official welcome there, it is a tradition with our society to host a welcome dinner as well'.

He went on 'we are all very happy that Mombasa now has three Judges, and hope we shall remain with this number so that our work load will be lightened and we shall be through with most of our cases'.

He told the two new Judges that members were delighted to see that during the short time they had been here there had been a lot of improvement in the disposal of cases.

### MOMENTUM

Said Mr Juma 'I think members will agree that things are going on very nicely. Our only hope is that we can maintain this momentum by giving the full co-operation that we always give our Judges in Mombasa'.

In reply, the Hon Justice R.S.C. Omolo thanked them all very sincerely for such a delightful evening.

Adding 'Mombasa is a nice place and we do not have to set new standards because those who were here before us set extremely high standards. We shall try our best to maintain them and with three Judges instead of two at Mombasa, we feel the situation is bound to

improve'.

He went on 'I hope we will continue working together in co-operation. We are all lawyers and the duty of any lawyer is to ensure justice is done'.

He concluded 'from what I can see you are very nice advocates, and we will continue working from 8.30 in the morning with no exceptions, and I am sure we will have no problems'.

Guests included Mr Justice E.M. Githinji, Chief Magistrate Mr J.K. Kanyi, Principal Magistrate, Mr S. Joshi and other magistrates.



ENJOYING the cocktail party hosted by the Mombasa Law Society at Whitesands Hotel are (seated, from left) Mrs Omolo, Justice R.S.C. Omolo, Justice I. Wambilyanga and Mrs Magdalen Juma. Back standing (from left) Mr S.E. Abdullah, advocate, Justice E.M. Githinji, A.J.K. Kanyi, Chief Magistrate, Joseph J. Juma, chairman of the Mombasa Law Society, and Mr J. Shah, advocate.



## Campus Afloat!

### FROM PAGE ONE

in docking facilities for passenger ships since its renovation a year ago.

The ship has a full fledged hotel services with as many restaurants and eating halls as necessary. The splendid lecture

halls and those of residence both students and lecturers a little luxury every day night.

She is owned by Seav Foundation of New York Incorporated and has a length of 563 feet and seven inches.

## The Kenya Institute Of Advanced Motorists

THE INSTITUTE of Advanced Motorists in Kenya has as its main objective Road Safety. Their major contribution to this end is the conducting of Tests for the Certificate of Advanced Driving.

Its origins go back to the days soon after World War II when policemen in Britain ceased to walk or ride bicycles and began to rely more upon motor cars.

The authorities became concerned with the number of accidents involving police vehicles which accompanied this increase in policemen driving motor cars.

The Metropolitan Police School of Driving at Hendon UK, which was established in 1935 was called upon to combat this trend and they established a street code of practice and behaviour for all road users which was universally adopted in Britain.

The standard was high, and it became recognised that the holding of a Police Driving Certificate was the highest qualification that could be achieved.

By 1954 the Police Force had cut their own accident rates by 89 per cent and this led the formation of the Institute of Advanced Motorists. Their object being to extend the same high standard of Police Driving to the general motoring public.

The I.A.M. proved to be an unqualified success and in turn led to the establishment of the I.A.M. in other countries, including Kenya.

The I.A.M. (Kenya) was established in April 1959 by a group of enthusiasts, amongst whom were a number of policemen, and others who were well known for their interests in motoring, and whose only qualification at that time was that they had been to Britain

and taken and passed the I.A.M. Test in the UK.

The I.A.M. (K) is a Non-profit making organisation, staffed entirely by volunteers and all work and Tests are carried out in their free time with no payment.

To many people, the passing of the official driving test, and the obtaining of a driving licence is the ultimate as far as driving is concerned.

However, familiarity breeds contempt and it is fairly safe to say that whilst most people develop extra skills as a result of experience, everybody develops some bad habits of which they are frequently unaware, until subjected to a test. In the I.A.M. Tests these bad habits are brought to light and hopefully they are corrected, or perhaps, more importantly-remembered.

In order to maintain the high standard of the Test, the Examiners, are themselves re-examined periodically.

## Expand Its Activities

Owing to the fact that we have "an everybody knowing everybody else" situation in Kenya, it is extremely difficult to carry out this re-examination, without some personal feelings intruding, and ideally a completely independent is required.

A Mr Keith Shuck, who is a senior I.A.M. Examiner for the County of Lancashire is visiting Kenya at the end of November, and advantage is being taken for him to re-examine our existing examiners, and to pass out other candidates, thus enabling the Institute to expand its activities.

Considerable assistance has been given by Kenya Airways,

who have arranged his fare. D.T. Doble, who have kindly loaned a car, and the United Touring Group and Block Hotels, who have arranged a safari and a venue, at which to hold a meeting.

In addition to conducting these examinations, the visitor will be giving a lecture upon "Road Safety", and an invitation is

extended to all people who d for a living, such as A instructors and patrol K.B.S., Kenya Breweries, Ke Police personnel and any ot who may wish to attend.

It is also intended that Shuck will take part in a presentation, "Professional View" on KBC, on Thurs November 29, 1990.



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# 'CLEAN UP' MOMBASA, PLEASE!

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Mayor I have taken two different Town Clerks around the town in my car and showed them the many dumping areas of garbage where there are no containers at all. Many more are needed.

She went on 'MCTA also feels there should be more vehicles, hired by the council if necessary, for the collection of gardens and parks rubbish in the town and residential areas.

It was also very important that Malindi should have a fire engine, as the only one there is based at the airport.

Side roads, particularly those leading to hospitals, had many potholes and needed urgent attention. She pointed out how agonising it must be for those with broken limbs to travel over them.

The Mayor, in reply, said he was very happy to hear that the

high tourist season is looking so good.

He said that the hospitality of the Mombasa people including its leaders and MCTA is very well known. Adding 'I am sure holidaymakers will enjoy their visit and I would assure you that the council is doing its level best to see that Mombasa is clean'.

He went on 'it is providing services to all the people, this being in line with an appeal from President Moi that we should try our level best to do so'.

## DEFAULTERS

He said that since the start of the Service Charge nearly two years ago, the council had done a lot for the inhabitants of the town. (He mentioned it brings in a revenue of around Shs 40 million a year).

Said the Mayor 'in the first

year most people paid, but this year we are having quite a number of defaulters. However, Council is doing what it can to see that they pay'.

The council has spent around Shs 32 million on roads, this representing about 33 per cent from the service charge collection by the Council since November 1988.

During 1988/89 the council had spent Shs 29 million on roads in the town, and the Mayor gave details of those which had been re-carpetted in the Shimanzi area, and those in Ganjoni due for re-carpetting.

The Dar-es-Salaam Road in Shimanzi, he said, 'is the only bad road remaining which will cost Shs two million to complete'.

The Mayor went on 'in response to public demand we have asked the contractor to re-carpet about six roads in Majengo and the Old Town for completion during 1990/91.

He told MCTA 'we are spending Shs 20 million from the service charge for the repair, re-carpetting and construction of 23kms of roads in the municipality during this financial year.

This year we are carpeting 21 roads in the town, compared to 16 last year.

The Mayor pointed out that some of the roads mentioned in the MCTA memorandum needing repair were the responsibility of the Ministry of Public Works. He declared 'the Council's name is being spoiled in this respect'.

He suggested that MCTA approach the Ministry concerned

He went on 'last year the council spent Shs 15 million to buy refuse collection vans. Six side loaders had already been delivered and are working, also one cesspit emptier and one breakdown lorry.

Adding 'we are making the containers, but do not have enough'. The council had only one prime mover and two vehicles. It was pointed out that when containers are available supervisors should ensure they are used.

Continuing the Mayor said that in response to its representations, the Kenya Government had managed to give them nine fire engines at a cost of Shs 53 million, which the council will pay for.

He said, consequently we have enough fire engines and we thank the government for its help over this.

He mentioned that sub fire stations would be opened on the north and south coast, when

funds become available.

Malindi, he pointed out to the MCTA is not within our jurisdiction, and the matter of a fire engine there should be taken up with the Malindi Municipality.

The Mayor said that other points raised in the MCTA government would receive attention.

He appealed to MCTA to co-operate with the council and its officers, especially the MOH and cleansing Superintendent.

## RESPONSIBILITY

He said 'it is a collective responsibility for all of us to see that Mombasa is clean. Adding 'we shall be very proud to see Mombasa as clean as Nairobi'.

On the question of hawkers he said that a committee comprising representatives from the Administration and Council had been formed, the chairman being the District Commissioner, Mombasa, which will look into this question.

Said the MCTA chairman 'we are very pleased to hear your comments about what the council has done and is doing, for we hope, eventually, to see the town receive City status.

## DEPUTY MAYOR

An appeal was made by Deputy Mayor Councillor Abubaker Kibarawa for people to give generously to the Mayor's Christmas Tree Fund and to emulate what MCTA has done. The target this year is more than half a million shillings to help the really needy and old people of the town.

Before leaving the Mayor presented the MCTA Chairman with the Council's Crest.



DR F. BAHADOR, Paediatrician, examines a youngster attending the very successful Primary Health Care Camp organised by the Muslim Education and Welfare Association. The examination and any prescribed medicines were all 'free of charge'.

## Muslim Education And Welfare Group Host Health Care Camp

A VERY SUCCESSFUL Primary Health Care Camp has been organised by the Muslim Education and Welfare Association (MEWA) with over 350 children receiving a thorough medical check-up.

This service was provided free of charge, as well as the medicines prescribed, the latter being made possible through the generosity of many benefactors.

It took place at the recently completed Munawar School building—an impressive, but as yet, under-utilised monument to Islamic self-help in the Mvita constituency.

The medical team comprised eight doctors from Nairobi led by Dr Hatton Awaan, and two

colleagues from Mombasa.

Parents from five locations in which MEWA is active were encouraged and assisted in sending their children to this camp. It met with an overwhelming response.

MEWA is a charitable organisation and a relative newcomer when compared to the long established Muslim and Islamic organisations.

Its main thrust is on education and welfare, and the primary health care camp is one of the numerous practical ways in which MEWA is showing in a meaningful way its desire to assist Muslims in uplifting living standards and the community spirit.

## TOYOTA POSTING

MR FRED MSAKY, is Toyota Kenya's new sales and marketing manager. He replaces Mr Dennis Awori, who was appointed general manager of another Motor Mart Group Limited company, Yamaha Motors earlier this year.

With ten years as group brand manager for BAT Kenya Limited behind him Mr Msaky brings a wealth of sales and marketing experience to his new post. Prior to joining BAT in 1980, he held senior sales and marketing positions with other leading multinational organisations.



• FRED MSAKY

## SWISSAIR Campaign Awards

SWISSAIR's international advertising campaign achieved great success at the first "International Advertising Awards" in London. The ads won the prestigious overall "Campaign of the Year" award and first prizes in two additional categories: "Best Creative Use of Media" and "Best Campaign in Pan-European Media." Swissair's entry competed against 125 of the best international campaigns submitted by 45 agencies from all over Europe.

The competition held by the International Advertising Association (IAA) and the magazine, M and M Media and Marketing Europe was sponsored by leading publications including the *Wall Street Journal*, *The Economist* and the *Financial Times*. The Swissair campaign features portraits of Swissair's passengers of the most varied ethnic backgrounds and with differing nationalities—all individuals with discerning tastes demonstrating their loyalty to Swissair with a ticket in their hands.

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## GEMINI STARCAST

- ★ **SCORPIO October 24 — November 22**  
★ You have plenty of luck which is ideal if you are playing sports. Around the shops you'll find what you want, then change your mind. A date will be happy if you are alone.
- ★ **SAGITTARIUS November 23 — December 21**  
★ Your heart is full of love, so be generous and share it out. The weekend should be good fun although lack of money will stop you from doing just what you want.
- ★ **CAPRICORN December 22 — January 20**  
★ Someone close to you will be lucky — and mean with it! A get-together at home will be a success, although there will be one absentee. Sunday is good for a visit to someone else's place.
- ★ **AQUARIUS January 21 — February 19**  
★ Cut through social barriers if they are getting in the way of friendship. If you go out for a spot of entertainment, one group could disturb your fun. Sunday is for lovers.
- ★ **PISCES February 19 — March 20**  
★ You love a breeze in your hair and someone attractive by your side, so get out into the countryside before the weather turns nasty. Don't get out of a date you have already arranged.
- ★ **ARIES March 21 — April 20**  
★ It may be the weekend, but keep your creative. Get to work on your latest master piece. There is something you can't avoid but you'll enjoy it.
- ★ **TAURUS April 21 — May 21**  
★ A happy weekend among friends, but on your own you'll feel downcast. Try to join in social activities even if means going somewhere new. Sunday could be happier especially with the family.
- ★ **GEMINI May 22 — June 21**  
★ You need company and have the self-confidence to drum up friends. If you are married, another couple will have fun with you. If you are trying to impress someone just be yourself and don't put on airs.
- ★ **CANCER June 22 — July 22**  
★ There could a touch of violence among crowds, so keep a wary eye open. Back home you'll have a lively time if there is a youngster to amuse. Gambling could show a profit as long as you aren't greedy.
- ★ **LEO July 23 — August 23**  
★ Use your leisure time to the full. There will be a good atmosphere in the family. Someone is hiding something from you, but don't try to find out more yet. Be happy on Sunday.
- ★ **VIRGO August 24 — September 22**  
★ A pleasant weekend. Don't let shyness keep you away from the action. You'll be the happiest among young people, especially if you join in their fun. If you are young yourself, be patient with the older folk!
- ★ **LIBRA September 23 — October 23**  
★ There is a happy reminder of your summer holiday or a promise of a holiday to come. Try to be attractive to your partner, even if you have known each other a long time.

## YOUR MONEY THIS WEEK

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## CHURCH ORR ANNOUNCE NEW SENIOR APPOINTMENT

THE PUBLIC RELATIONS consultancy, Church Orr and Associates Limited has announced the promotion of Shaila Mauladad to the position of Account Director, and Cosma Gatere to that of Accounts Executive.

Miss Mauladad, who joined Church Orr in late 1981 has held positions of Account Executive and Account Manager. A member of the Public Relations Society of Kenya, Miss Mauladad is responsible for a range of client consultancy programmes in the fields of tourism, the hotel industry, civil aviation, wines and spirits, and consumer products.

Mr Gatere joined Church Orr at the beginning of this year. A graduate of the University of Nairobi, Mr Gatere was nominated Public Relations Student of the Year in 1987 at the University's School of Journalism.

He holds a Master of Arts

in Communication Sciences from the University of Paris II and has worked on attachment with Reuters News Agency and Radio France International in Paris.

Colin Church, the Chairman of Church Orr said: "The demand for skilled and fully trained public relations professionals has increased considerably in the past few years, as major Kenya companies, corporations, and parastatals recognise public relations as an essential management input."

## Integrity

"This demand places a considerable pressure upon the Public Relations Society of Kenya in its committed plan to provide people of integrity and experience to fill the jobs that are needed, both in the consultancy field, and in-house public relations management positions".

## New Fund-Raising Scheme For Port Reitz Mental Home

A VERY AMBITIOUS and meaningful project by the Rotary Club of Mombasa Central is to raise Shs two million, both here and abroad, to help improve and extend the 40-bed Mental Unit at Port Reitz Hospital—the only facility of its kind in the Coast Province.

By the end of this year, the Club hopes to have raised Shs one million to enable work to commence next March.

Rotarian Yusuf Mamujee has promised to raise Shs 700,000-towards it, while Mamujee K Mamujee, the club's Project Officer (they are cousins) is going flat out to bring in the remaining Shs 300,000.

In fact, it is Mamujee K Mamujee who is the instigator of this very worthwhile project which is not only aimed at uplifting facilities for patients but also assisting the Ministry of Health in its task of maintaining standards when finance is in short supply.

The major fund raising event will be an Open Golf Tournament at Nyali Golf and Country Club on Sunday, December 16, the guest of honour (and participant) being the Minister for Health, Mr Mwai Kibaki.

The entrance fee is Shs 1,500—and it is anticipated that companies and individuals may wish to sponsor a player. Among the fabulous prizes are expensive golf equipment and weekends for two at four 'top' hotels, as well as gifts from Kenya

Breweries. Also taking place that day will be a raffle—first prize being 12 bottles of Johnnie Walker Whisky from the UK, while second prize is a night for two at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental.

Another fund-raising event is a raffle, the draw for which takes place on January 12. First prize is a return ticket Mombasa/Bombay generously donated by Kenya Airways. Raffle Tickets will be on sale by mid-December.

Proposed improvements to the Mental Unit include giving it a new wing with beds/mattresses etc; offices for the Resident Doctor and Psychiatrist a large hall for Occupational Therapy and a verandah.

In addition, the project includes the provision of occupational therapy, medical and kitchen equipment including cooker and 'frig, also uniforms.

### COMMUNITY HELP

As far as Occupational Therapy is concerned, this Rotary Club is being guided in its selection of suitable equipment by top consultants—Robert M Morse, a Professor at the Psychiatric/Medical School, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, USA, and Dr Mustafa, a Consultant Psychiatrist, Nairobi.

The Mental Unit is far too small to cater for the whole Coast Province and lacks adequate facilities and equipment. It can only accommodate 40 in-patients. Out-patients are also treated there, with long journeys often entailed, plus the problem of finding someone to accompany them.

Said Mr Mamujee 'when we have reached our target of Shs one million by the end of this year, we shall be seeking a Rotary 'match' club outside our district to exchange/sponsor the project.

He mentioned that the Club has already received confirmation from Rotary International's HQ in Illinois, USA for this dollar to dollar 'Match' fund enabling it to reach its target of Shs two million for this project.

Trustees of the Project Fund will be Yusuf Mamujee: the Club's Project Officer, Mamujee K Mamujee and current chairman, also Dr Mustafa. The club will be working in close liaison with the Provincial Medical Officer of Health and hospital doctors. It intends seeing that every cent is well spent.

Mr Mamujee concluded with an appeal to public spirited members of the community to give the Golf Competition as much support as possible, and for those unable to participate to sponsor a player instead.

## November Is Dental Month At The Coast

NOVEMBER IS a Dental Month for the members of the Kenya Dental Association. During this month the members hold free Dental check-ups throughout the country at various centres. This year the dentist in charge of the Coast Area is Dr Satish M Vagheia.

This exercise is sponsored by Colgate Palmolive Company. The month ends with a Dental Seminar in Nairobi and the Annual Dinner Dance.

On November 11, various dentists of the Coast visited the Kilifi Hospital where they held free Dental check-ups for the wananchi. A total number of 480 patients were examined. Each of these patients were distributed toothpaste and tooth brushes.

The next Dental check-up is at the Municipal Council of Mombasa's Mvita Clinic on Sunday November 18 1990 from 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon.



CAPTAIN FRITZ LUKAS (second right) and crew of the first Condor flight from Berlin into Mombasa were presented with floral tributes by Condor Station Manager, Mombasa, Thomas Buchert—the start of a once weekly operation here during the 'high' tourist season.

## CONDOR Airline Has New Berlin Connection

HARD ON THE heels of the reunification of East and West Germany just a few weeks ago, Condor has started operating once weekly direct charter flights into Mombasa from Schoenefeld Airport, Berlin, in the former East Germany.

Her first flight arrived at Moi International Airport on November 2 to a champagne and floral welcome for the Captain and crew.

At a small reception in the VIP lounge, the German Consul at Mombasa, Gerhard Mathiesen, wished Condor's new operation every success. He said the first direct flight from Berlin is a big occasion for us and is most welcome for it will not only boost tourism here, but also the country's foreign exchange earnings.

Also welcoming Condor's maiden flight from Berlin were senior officials from Condor, Touristic Union International (one of the largest tour operators in Germany) Poilmann's Tours and Safaris which handle TUI's ground arrangements here, and other operators as well as Kenya Airways, Airport, Immigration,

Customs and the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association.

It was also the first time for Condor (the charter division of Lufthansa) to operate an aircraft from its own subsidiary company-Sudflug.

It was a brand new 207 seater Boeing 757 flown by Captain Fritz Lukas from Interflug. The flight from Berlin took eight hours 30 minutes arriving punctually at 7.35 a.m. at Mombasa's Moi International Airport.

As the captain and crew alighted each was presented with a bouquet by Thomas Buchert, the Condor Station Manager at Mombasa.

Later, in an interview, he revealed that Condor anticipates flying more than 1100 holiday-makers a week from Germany to Mombasa during the present 'high' tourist season.

The Captain and crew enjoyed a week's 'lay over' at Mombasa Hotel Inter-Continental during which Mr Buchert was arranging for them to see something of Kenya while they were here.

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Richard Karisa (sitting) is seen with Anthony Gathua, Victor Pole, Kenneth Mwazoka and Nancy Kamau. Standing (from left) are Roman Tsui, Jasper Kamwaki, Mr Otmar Graml; the Teacher, Musyoka Kanoi, Joseph Nyamai, Leonard Muiyika, Shaban Kitsho and Shadrack Onkendi from the Personnel Department.

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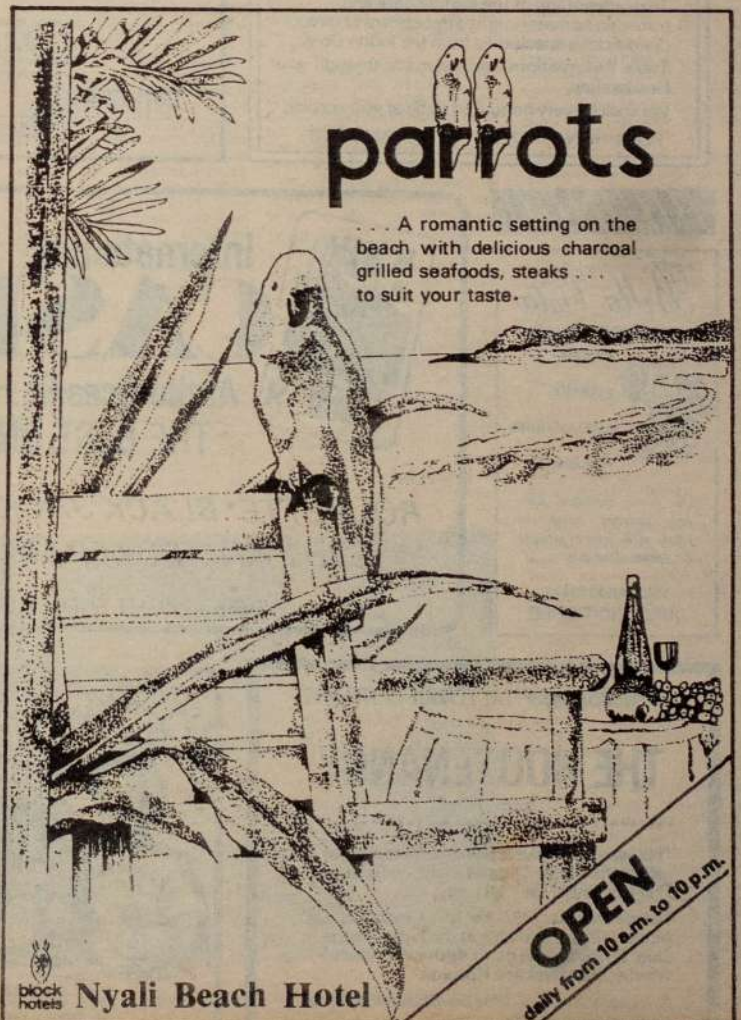
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# DR. JOHANN LUDWIG KRAPF — MISSIONAR UND SPRACHFORSCHER

IM AUGUST DIESES Jahres konnte die katholische Kirche ihr 100jähriges Bestehen in Kenia feiern. Dabei wurde unter anderem auch auf die beinahe unüberwindlichen Schwierigkeiten hingewiesen, die die ersten Missionare um die Jahrhundertwende zu überwinden hatten.

Der erste christliche Missionar nach den Portugiesen, Dr. Johann Ludwig Krapf, kam jedoch schon 1837 nach Afrika. In seinem Buch "Reisen in Ostafrika in den Jahren 1837/1855" beschreibt er realistisch das Land, seine Erlebnisse und Erfahrungen in jenen Tagen. Nach 32 Jahren intensiver Sprachforschung veröffentlichte er 1882 "Ein Wörterbuch der Suahelischsprache".

Johann Ludwig Krapf wurde am 11. Februar 1810 in Derendingen bei Tübingen in Württemberg geboren und ist, nach vielen Jahren in Ostafrika, am 26. November 1881 in Korntal, nicht weit von seinem Geburtsort, gestorben.

von **NELLY RIEGGER**

Schon früh interessierte er sich für Geographie. Wenn er den Weltatlas betrachtete und die vielen leeren Stellen sah, vor allem auf den Landkarten Ostafrikas, träumte er davon, die Gebiete zu erforschen. Er wollte Kapitän zur See werden, aber sein Vater hatte ihn aufs Gymnasium geschickt, um Rechtsanwaltschaft oder Geistlicher zu studieren. Als er sich nach den Bedingungen für die Seefahrt erkundigte, mußte er leider feststellen, daß seine Mittel dafür nicht ausreichten.

Später hörte Krapf über die Missionstätigkeit in fernen Ländern und folgte dem Rat seiner Freunde, diesen Beruf zu ergreifen. 1827 wurde er als Student der Missionsgesellschaft in Basel aufgenommen.

Durch einen Freund nahm er Kontakt auf mit der Christlichen Missionsgesellschaft in England (Church Missionary Society C.M.S.), die ihn 1837 nach Afrika schickte.

Seine erste Reise führte ihn nach Adowa in Abessinien, wo bereits zwei Missionare für die C.M.S. arbeiteten. Mit dem Schiff fuhr er nach Kairo. Dort lernte er genügend Arabisch, um die Reise ohne Dolmetscher fortsetzen zu können. Da der Suezkanal erst viel später gebaut wurde, mußte er von Kairo mit dem Kamel nach Suez reiten und von dort mit dem Schiff nach Massawa, wo er im Dezember 1837 eintraf.

Unterwegs kam das Schiff in einen gefährlichen Sturm, doch Krapf bewahrte Ruhe und war eine große Hilfe für die Mitreisenden.

An der abessinischen Küste mußte Krapf dem regierenden Fürsten zuerst ein Geschenk überreichen, bevor er die Erlaubnis erhielt, in Begleitung einiger Soldaten landeinwärts zu ziehen. Um mit seinem Gepäck einen



AUF EINER ANHÖHE steht die Krapf-Gedenkstätte mit Inschriften auf Englisch, Deutsch und Suaheli. "Sie erreichten Mombasa im Mai 1844, doch sie starb am 14. Juli 1844, und er rief die Kirche an ihrem Grabe auf, die Bekehrung Afrikas von seinem Ostufer aus zu versuchen." (Englische Inschrift).

"Der deutsche Missionar und Sprachforscher Dr. Johann Ludwig Krapf wirkte 18 Jahre in Ostafrika. Krapf war Wegbereiter in der Erforschung ostafrikanischer Sprachen. 1850 gab er die erste Kiswahili-grammatik der Welt heraus. Seine Frau und Tochter liegen hier begraben." (Deutsche Inschrift).

hohen Berg zu überqueren, mußte er 31 Ochsen mieten. Als er sich weigerte, einen maßlos überhöhten Preis dafür zu bezahlen, ließen ihn die Einheimischen einfach sitzen. Dann wurde er von feindlichen Stämmen angegriffen und nur durch das Eintreffen von 60 Soldaten gerettet, die ihm die Mission von Adowa entgegengeschickt hatte.

Krapf blieb nicht lange in Adowa. Es gab zuviele Streitigkeiten, so daß die Missionare beschlossen, die weitere Zukunft der Mission in Kairo zu besprechen. Krapf selbst nahm die Einladung des Königs Sahela Selassie an und trat zusammen mit einem Freund am 7. Juni 1838 im Königspalast in Shoa ein. Der König hatte aber kein Verständnis für ihre Missionsarbeit, sie sollten seinen Leuten verschiedenes Kunsthandwerk beibringen.

Im Jahre 1842 ging Krapf nach Kairo, unter anderem um Rosine, Dietrich aus Basel zu heiraten. 1843 kamen sie zusammen nach Sansibar. Zu dort reisten sie nach Takaungu, wo sie von den Bewohnern freundlich aufgenommen wurden und während fünf Tagen im einzigen Steinhaus in dem Dorf wohnten. Ihr nächster Halt war Mombasa, wo sie eine Zeitlang im Leven House abstiegen.

Krapf war beeindruckt von der Insel, die von 8-10.000 Afrikanern — hauptsächlich Suaheli und Araber — bewohnt war. Als er am 4. Januar 1844 Mombasa verließ, war er überzeugt, daß dieser Ort eine gute Ausgangsbasis wäre, um die Leute im Landesinnern zu bekehren.

Am 7. Januar erreichten Krapf und seine Frau Sansibar. Mr. Waters, der amerikanische Konsul, nahm sie in seinem Haus auf und schlug ihnen vor, in Sansibar zu bleiben. Krapf wollte jedoch auf dem Festland arbeiten.

Mit einem Empfehlungsschreiben von Sultan Seyyid Said kam er am 13. März 1844 allein nach Mombasa und holte seine Frau im Mai in Sansibar ab. Dann schlug das Schicksal hart zu. Anfangs Juli erkrankten Krapf und seine Frau an Malaria. Am 6. Juli wurde seine Tochter geboren, am 13. Juli starb Frau Krapf am Fieber und einen Tag später wurde das Neugeborene neben der Mutter begraben auf dem nördlichen Festland, gegenüber dem Alten Hafen von Mombasa (heute English Point, in der Nähe der Zementsilos).

Der Grabstein wurde von Mr. Waters, dem damaligen amerikanischen Konsul in Sansibar,

gestiftet "um die wandernden Suaheli und Nyika immer daran zu erinnern, daß hier eine Christin ruht, die Vater, Mutter und die Heimat verlassen hatte für die Errettung Afrikas."

Krapf aber blieb, bekehrte Heiden, übersetzte das Evangelium und ging weiter auf Entdeckungstouren. Im Oktober 1844 hatte er die Übersetzung des Neuen Testaments beendet und eine Suaheli Grammatik zusammengestellt, die 1850 in Tübingen gedruckt wurden.

**RABAI**

Nach dem Tode von Frau und Kind zog Krapf landeinwärts. Zusammen mit dem deutschen Missionar Johannes Rebmann, der ebenfalls im Dienste der C.M.S. stand und am 10. Juni 1846 in Kenia eingetroffen war, gründete er in Rabai die erste Kirche und feste Missionsstation.

Heute dienen das Haus, wo Rebmann wohnte, wie auch die erste Kirche als Klassenzimmer. Krapfs Haus, mit herrlicher Aussicht über die Hügelandschaft bis auf den Indischen Ozean, wird vom anglikanischen Erzbischof bewohnt. 1887 wurde in Rabai die St. Paul's Church gebaut, die älteste heute noch benutzte Kirche in Kenia.

Viele Jahre lang mühten sich Krapf und Rebmann ab, bauten Häuser, legten Gärten an, predigten und versuchten, den Eingeborenen das Leben zu erleichtern. Sie lernten die verschiedenen Stammessprachen, schrieben erstmals die Grammatik auf und stellten Wörterbücher zusammen.

Sie hörten von geheimnisvollen Bergen und Seen tief im Landesinnern und trotzten den Gefahren, denen damals die Reisenden ausgesetzt waren — Durst, Hunger, Krankheiten, wilde Tiere, Überfälle und Plünderungen. Oft lagen sie schwerkrank mit Fieber darnieder und hörten kaum etwas von ihren Freunden und Verwandten in der Heimat.

Krapf und Rebmann erforschten zusammen oder auch getrennt immer weitere Gegenden. Am 11. Mai 1848 sah Rebmann erstmals den Schnee auf dem Kilimandscharo. Ein Jahr später konnte sich Krapf auf seiner Reise nach Ukambani ebenfalls davon überzeugen. Sie "entdeckten" als erste Europäer nicht nur den schneebedeckten Kilimandscharo, sondern auch den anderen Schneeberg am Äquator, den Mount Kenya. Die Berichte, die sie nach Europa schrieben, wurden mit größter Skepsis aufgenommen und als Sinnestäuschung ausgelegt. Geologen und Geographen behaupteten, es handle sich offenbar um kalkhaltiges weißes Gestein, aber keinesfalls um Schnee.

Die am Fusse des Kilimandscharos wohnenden Eingeborenen glaubten, daß die Bergkuppen mit Silber bedeckt seien. Wenn sie das silbrige Material in Flaschen hinunterbrachten, hatte es sich allerdings in Wasser verwandelt. Leute, die den Berg bestiegen, kamen entweder in der Kälte um oder mit erfrorenen Gliedern zurück. Es hieß, der Berg werde von bösen Geistern bewacht. Für Krapf und Rebmann aber war das ein klarer Beweis für Schnee in Ostafrika.

**RIBE**

Im August 1855 entschloß sich Krapf schweren Herzens, aus Gesundheitsgründen Afrika zu verlassen. Aber auch zu Hause arbeitete er weiterhin für Afrika, schrieb unzählige Bücher über afrikanische Sprachen. Und schließlich kehrte er 1862 noch einmal zurück, um den englischen Methodisten-Missionaren bei der Errichtung einer Missionsstation in Ribe zu helfen.



ROSINE KRAPF und ihre neugeborene Tochter wurden auf dem nördlichen Festland gegenüber dem Alten Hafen von Mombasa begraben. In den beiden anderen Gräbern sollen britische Seeleute aus jener Zeit bestattet sein.

Quelle: Johann Ludwig Krapf, a Biography by C.G. Richards.

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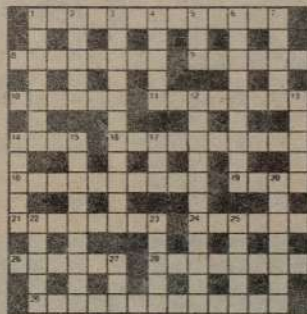
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### CROSSWORD NO.356



- ACROSS**
- You won't get the right money from him (13)
  - Some cuts may be made in personal cover (8)
  - Fearful get-up! (6)
  - Writer right off the fence (8)
  - Look back at it on a vessel without saying much (8)
  - That chap in the garden (4)
  - Give small cars in trade exchange (10)
  - Get together in a pile-up (10)
  - Enough to make a body important (4)
  - Mix a whisky after winning a round by deceit (8)
  - Gloomy and resentful about a medical man (6)
  - Make a big effort in the short run (6)
  - Sweet girl surrounded by the clever (8)
  - After this, one might feel deprived (13)

- DOWN**
- He and Carol get together in singing (7)
  - Unqualified to say (5)
  - Possibly mature Peter to some degree (11)
  - Put another way (5)
  - Be upset over Birkenhead in decline (3)
  - They're written so to make the artist see differently (9)
  - Product of an anti-growth industry? (5)
  - Fraudulent perhaps if not performed by priests (11)
  - It's a bold man who has one! (5)
  - He has some skill in showing compassion (5)
  - Not happy with potatoes even in good shares? (4, 5)
  - Late bird (3)
  - She has had nil involvement with the Army (7)
  - Quick and quiet in attack (5)
  - Agreeing about a rising artist meeting time (5)
  - Point up on the motorway in America (5)
  - One thing and another (3)

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Chudasama told COASTWEEK that participants from Tanzania and Uganda who have participated in past tournaments are again expected to feature in this year's event. Various top up-country players are also due to take part.

The Mvita Tennis Club captain announced that entry forms are available from all sports clubs in Mombasa and at the club premises. Closing date for entries will be November 30 and the draw to be held on December 1 or 2.

There will be several events for boys and girls singles and doubles under 10 to under 18. Mixed doubles are to be held on boys and girls under 15 to 18. Martin Reid has been appointed the tournament referee.

# The Problems Of The Day!

ONE OF THE LESSER known benefits enjoyed by a Club Chairman as observed by Amin Merali the Mombasa Golf Club Chairman in his speech at his Competition on Saturday November 10 1990 is not having to enter the Chairman's prize which other golfing members of the Club feel duty bound to do out of a sense of respect for the Chairman.

The Chairman can therefore watch with great relief from the cool and comfort of the pavilion the sorrows and sufferings of the golfers on a hot and humid day as they toil and sweat their way to the green duffing the second shot into the donga or pushing it into the depths of the green-side bunker or worse looking it across and out of the hole and out of play.

As Amin watched player after player continued to miss the magic circle on the 18th green the prize for making which ultimately remained unclaimed and struggled to chip up to and get into the hole which stood precariously on the edge of permissible limits.

The use of the Lady Captain Elton Sinclair trying to chip from the Valley of the Sin and finding the ball landing back in his feet again and yet again has been an extreme one but relieved even in its extremity the problems of the day posed to a great extent by pin positions which were less than friendly.

Such was the unenviable lot of his faithful followers watched by the Chairman as he sat in the Banda and thanked his luck for putting him where he was thus being spared the horrors endured by the rest.

The test was practically the entire membership of the Club who came out to pay their respect to the Chairman including long lost old veterans the Pip Barnes and Zakir Dato who is a testimony to Amin's popularity as Chairman.

Amin was obviously pleased and touched by the big turn out to which he thanked the members who in turn soundly applauded Amin in appreciation of his efforts and achievement during the year the most outstanding being the much needed reconstruction and refurbishing of the Club house which while not completed entirely are done in the most affected areas.

Amin promised to get the rest done during the remaining period of his term.

The big field of over 90 players was split into two sessions as is usual now at the Mvita Club to facilitate smooth flow of play. Play started as early as a quarter past seven in the morning and continued till half past six in the fading light of the evening.

# BRIEFS

RESULT OF Duplicate Bridge played on November 12 1990 at Little Theatre Club by Coast Bridge Association.

- S.K. Shah and S.R. Shah 219;
- A. Nathwani and J. Babla 213;
- P.C.L. Narasiman and A. Shah 208;
- R. Rupareliya and M. Sawjani 204;
- R. Malde and R. Chandaria 195;
- B. Moshe and K.V. Bhatt 192;
- Mrs Rainsford and Dr Davidson 185;
- T. Pujara and Amu Shah 182;
- R.R. Patel and R.C. Sharma 175;
- Dr and Mrs S.N. Shah 172;
- N. Malde and R. Dhanani 172;
- K. Malde and P.R. Shah 171;
- H. Malde and N. Dhanani 153;
- Mr and Mrs Mahendra Shah 147;
- Mr and Mrs J.A. Rowland 142;

RESULT OF the Duplicate Bridge played at Mombasa Sports Club on Wednesday November 7.

- P. Savla and U.B. Shah 120;
- J. Babla and H.P. Modi 120;
- T. Pujara and A. Shah 114;
- Mr and Mrs Jayanti J. Shah 112;
- P. Gandhi and R. Sharma 109;
- H. Dandia and Dr Rawal 104;
- Dr K. Vora and L.P. Gudka 100;
- Mr and Mrs D.D. Shah 97;
- Mrs T. Shah and Mrs J. Patel 96;

# 'Bird Watching' While On Nguu Tata Hash ...

LAST SATURDAY'S hash was run at Nguu Tata and set by Merchant Iqbal and Gorilla Noordin.

Due to a heavy rainstorm in the general area in the morning, much of the chokaa, it was claimed, had been washed away.

Iqbal, however, did a commendable job leading hashers from the front when confusion struck while Gorilla chugged along goading on the stragglers.

It seemed at first as if we had all assembled for a most unusual hash. Although they didn't seem to be prepared for running, four ladies had beaten us to the starting line.

Most hashers were now subdued and on their best behaviour while others struggled to change in seclusion so as not to cause offence.

But, it turned out, the ladies belonged to the Friends of Fort Jesus Bird Watching Society and had ill-fatedly chosen this

particular spot on this particular day to pursue their ornithological interests.

With the arrival of the Grand Master Bald Eagle Prem Shah the hash got underway and the relative calm of the late afternoon was shattered as the assembled runners crashed into the bush.

Immediately, every feathered species within the vicinity took to the wing to fly back to Fort-Jesus—sorry, ladies, nevertheless at least you can claim to have seen a Bald Eagle (rare in these parts) and you didn't need binoculars either.

Druggie was in great form and shouted the first "On On" and so on to the trail down a valley up a ridge and we were confronted with a three-directional arrow; we ran hither and thither but were finally persuaded to follow the other, third option.

Down-up, up-down and it was all beginning to look somewhat familiar—"On! On!" bellowed Gorilla from the back.

Those of us who had trodden these paths before decided to try a 'blind hash' that is running with your eyes closed—the next best thing to a 'live hash' where the trail is decided on the spur of the moment.

Soon, however, we were into relatively unknown terrain which ended with a 'Hold' on the murram road.

From then on it was all pretty straightforward giving the runners the first opportunity to really stretch their legs (which many declined to do until they were in full view of the cars!)

Two newcomers made an auspicious debut—Dr Mukesh The Butcher and Mr Clyde Montserrat Air India. Two visitors from UK Stewart Paxa and son James who was initiated Jewel of the Nile at the On On.

Next Saturday's hash by Jiten Balooi. So it's Manor 4.30 p.m. on November 17 1990.

THE COAST AMATEUR Swimming Association select teams that took part in the Nairobi Province Age Group Championship as guest swimmers on October 27-28 did very well and came home with a total haul of five Gold, six Silver and two Bronze Medals plus 14 Finalist Certificates shared between ten swimmers.

Probably the most outstanding performance was by nine-year-old Matthew Jay who was first in free-style, second in the Individual Medley and a finalist in Butterfly.

He would have had a second Gold Medal in the Backstroke if he had not been disqualified for a technical fault after winning by half a length.

The girls team manager also did well to win two Gold Medals in the seniors 200m. Freestyle and 4x50m. Individual Medley. Not to be outdone the boys manager Suleiman Shikely took two Golds and a Silver in the masters events for 25 years and over.

Other good performances were by Atika Sabharwal (Girls 10/11 years) with a Silver in the Individual Medley and Finalist Certificates for Freestyle and Breaststroke, Anjali Brahmhatt (Girls 12/13 years) Silver Medal in Breaststroke and Finalists in

# 'Swim' Result

Freestyle, Maureen Ndegwa (Girls 14/15) Silver in Breaststroke and Finalist in Backstroke and the four senior boys (16 years and over) Abdulaziz, Abdulmalik, Abdullahi and Twalib Ali who mustered a Silver, two Bronze and eight Finalist Certificates between them.

In the 4x50m Individual Medley the Coast boys took second, third and fourth places behind Nairobi International swimmer Albert Lihalakha.

# Mombasa Sport Beat Coast Gymkhana XI

IN A GAME of fluctuating fortunes Mombasa Sports Club XI finally beat Coast Gymkhana last Saturday by five wickets, with eight balls to spare, writes D.J.W.

Batting first, Gymkhana lost three early wickets, two to the bowling of Raju Chaniyara (two for 11), but Bharat Sawjani then took charge.

In a fine innings of 96 not out he struck 14 fours and two consecutive sixes to raise Gymkhana's total to 155 for six wickets.

Sports Club started slowly, but David Scriven started to speed up the scoring, before being well caught and bowled by Jack Patel.

Nipun Patel batted soundly for 38 runs and Asif Karim kept the scoreboard moving with a good knock of 55, including six fours.

After these two departed, Gymkhana were in with a chance but Raju steered the hosts home in the penultimate over, hitting 16 not out.

# Trevor Owen Wins At Nyali

TREVOR OWEN emerged the winner of CiproxinGolf 1990 tournament sponsored by Bayer East Africa Limited, one of the leading pharmaceutical companies, held at Nyali Golf Club last weekend where 34 participants took part. He got 35 points.

It was the first time for a pharmaceutical company to sponsor a golf tournament at the Coast and participants were mainly doctors who play the sport at the province.

However, Bayer has on several occasions sponsored golf tournaments in Nairobi for the Kenya Medical Golf Society. The company has also sponsored other events like tennis.

Bayer has an international image with two professional football teams in Germany—Bayer 04 and 05 taking part in the Bundesliga.

It has also a local Bayer Football Club in Nairobi whose chairman is Hamid Cocher. The club is doing well in the first division.

# MALINDI GOLF

THE NOVEMBER Monthly mug was played at Malindi Golf and Country Club on Saturday 10 and was sponsored by "Naivasha Management Limited", writes Greensome.

Playing conditions were excellent with the course, after recent showers in very good condition, a director of Naivasha Management Limited, Mr Des Bristow presented the prizes.

Winner Stanley Chege 19+18=37 points Runner up the golf captain Ken Green 18+14=32 points. First Lady Diani Cook 17+17=34 points and Second Lady Hanegraaf 16+17=33 points. Best First Nine S.Leka and Best Second Nine Gerald Taylor.

Menver Burnell, Fazinni -ka and Mrs Blackburn shared the ball pool.

# CRICKET FIXTURES:

SIR ALI SPORTS CLUB beat Jaffery Sports Club by 75 runs in a friendly match which was reduced to 42 overs due to heavy rain in the morning. Jaffery won the toss and invited the visitors to take strike. Akram Abbas (25) and Majid (30) put on 58 runs for the first wicket. Only 14 overs could be bowled in the post lunch session with continuous drizzle for nearly half an hour. Only Sibtain Kassamali (40) batted with authority as Jaffery's trio of spinners Salim, Karim and Hasnain allowed no liberty to the batsmen. Salim Nurmoahmed bowled best and gave away only 20 runs in his first seven overs taking two wickets. Sir Ali was all out for 163 in 41 overs—Karim 3/39, Salim 2/27, Fazle 2/28, Hasnain 2/36.

Jaffery batsman had no answer to the opening pace attack of Cleophus 2/10 in seven overs and Rajabali 1/8 in five overs. After a disastrous start of 19/3 in 13 overs, Jaffery never recovered and only Azim Karim (29) showed some batting class as Jaffery folded up for 88 in 35 overs. Mohamed AP (17), Shabbir Nazari (15) were the only other batsmen to reach double figures. Tauseef Mughal bowled well for 3/9 in seven overs, Inthikab Sheikh 1/23 and Akram Abbas 2/18.

KCA Uhuru Cup matches start with all quarter finals on November 18 1990 at Nairobi. It is reliably learnt that four out of the eight participating teams are seeded—Agakhan, Swamibapa, Nairobi Gymkhana and Ngara being the first four in the NPLA League are seeded and will be drawn against a team from Sir Ali, Nairobi Jaffery, Jaffery Sports Club and Hatim Karimjee. The CCA League standing were not considered in this unusual seeding of four teams out of a total of only eight teams.

# GOLF NEWS

the same score of 19 and 17 but a better count back on the last three holes.

Among the afternoon playes Ashok Manghani posted an early warning of his intentions by starting off with four points scored off a birdie with a long putt that went straight into the hole.

He picked up a few pars and amassed a total of 24 points which included another birdie a two-club on the seventh.

It was an indifferent Tee shot that was just saved from going out of bounds on the left and Ashok proceeded to chip the ball in from quite a considerable distance scoring four points again.

Pressure however started mounting up and the putting touch that he had displayed on the first nine deserted him and all he could do was add 15 more points on the second nine to return a total of 39 points.

No one was more aware than Ashok of nothing more than a count back possibly robbing him of victory and this is precisely what happened in the dramatic manner in which it happens quite often at big competitions by a player coming in almost at the close of the play.

While this turn of events was not so unexpected the personage of the player who did it was quite unexpected for it was none other than the self confessed nine hole wonder Atul Patel.

Atul has begun with a bang and faded away in so many competitions his biggest fall being from 24 on the front nine to a mere six for the back nine in the Cannon Assurance Competition that he was almost resigned to aiming no higher than winning nine holes club competitions and Friday Specials.

O Saturday he started well with 18 points on the first nine which included one blank and then went on over the back nine which have been the bane of his existence to actually improve his position by three points scoring a solid 21 and thereby catching up with Ashok but with a much better count back and so winning the Chairman's Putter.

A putter is perhaps just what he needs for he three putted several greens despite which managed to produce the winning score.

If Atul has the reputation of giving up the fight after the first nine Wachira Mahihu on the other hand enjoys the reputation of being a fighter to the last and not allowing any set backs in one nine to upset him.

True to the reputation he rose from a mere 14 on the first nine to make 21 on the back nine and finish with 35 which put him on the winners' board for the sixth prize after a count back with Gulam Taki.

The final results: Winner: Atul Patel Runner-up: Ashok Manghani Third: Carole Barsley Fourth: Gulam Khaku Fifth: Perviz Barsley and Sixth: Wachira Mahihu.

So ended a very enjoyable competition well supported by members and very generously sponsored by Amin Merali who in addition to the running lunch tea cocktails and dinner and lovely prizes also offered to all ladies who had participated in the competition a night at one of his Neptune Hotels with a partner of their choice an offer well appreciated by the ladies.

Thank you very much Chairman for a super day

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## Feisal Soccer XI Make A Dramatic Recovery

50-YEAR-OLD Feisal Sports Club who started this year's Coast Premier League poorly staying at the foot of the standing for most of the first round period, made tremendous late recovery during second round matches to finish in third position and qualified for the Mini-League that kick-off tomorrow involving top three teams from each group.

Feisal opens their Mini-League campaign tomorrow where they take on Coast Stima, the group B leaders at Tudor School ground from 4 p.m. If Feisal players will take every match seriously the way they did lately, the club will definitely regain its lost glory within a very short period.

Mombasa Wanderers who topped group A clash against Kenya Navy or Star Fish at Malindi Municipal Stadium while Mombasa Wanderers face Congo Boys at Mombasa Municipal Stadium.

Feisal face their stiff challenge on Sunday where they meet Wanderers at Mombasa Municipal Stadium. It is a match that could go either way but as I have stated earlier, Feisal will only win if players are serious on the provincial title.

Congo Boys who finished second to Wanderers in group B, travel to Malindi for a date against Coast Stima. The Readykiotwatt team has vowed to win the Coast crown and a place in next year's Super-League Division two. However, Congo could record an upset win.

On November 24, Coast Stima

**SOCCER SCENE** by **Abdul R. Sheriff**



play Wanderers at Mombasa Stadium, Congo Boys face Kenya Navy or Star Fish at Tudor School ground and Feisal meet Breweries at Malindi Stadium.

On November 25, Breweries clash against Wanderers at Tudor Ground, Congo Boys entertain Feisal at Mombasa Stadium and Kenya Navy or Star Fish play Coast Stima at Malindi Stadium.

There will be two matches on December 1. Congo Boys play Wanderers at Mombasa Stadium while Kenya Navy or Star Fish clash against Breweries at Malindi Stadium.

Last two games take place at Mombasa Stadium and Malindi Stadium on December 2 where Feisal takes on Kenya Navy or Star Fish and Coast Stima clash with Breweries respectively.

### THE COAST PREMIER LEAGUE STANDING AS AT TODAY:

ZONE 'A'	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
WANDERERS	18	11	7	0	26	5	29
CONGO BOYS	18	10	5	3	24	8	25
FEISAL	18	7	8	3	20	14	22
MOMBASA STARS	18	7	7	4	12	9	21
SIMBA	17	6	4	7	20	29	16
PIPELINE	15	6	3	6	14	19	15
HOTSPURS	18	4	6	8	15	21	14
CHELSEA	18	3	8	7	15	22	14
SANTOS	17	1	8	8	7	18	10
NYUNDO	17	2	4	11	5	15	8
ZONE 'B'							
STIMA	18	11	4	3	35	14	26
BREWRIES	18	9	6	3	23	10	24
NAVY	18	7	8	3	25	17	22
STARFISH	18	9	3	6	27	16	21
ALASKAN	18	8	5	5	22	18	21
L BOYS	18	7	6	5	27	20	20
YANGA	18	8	3	8	21	23	19
DIPLOMAT	18	5	4	9	19	27	14
POLICE	18	2	3	13	12	31	7
SEAMEN	18	2	3	13	11	43	7

## EXHILIRATING SAIL TO MTWAPA CREEK

THE SHANZU CUP race to and from the Mtwapa Creek was as expected, an exhilarating as well as a sociable event. Apart from seven boats competing in the race, the Barbeque attracted a varied proportion of club members and their guests.

Beleebee now Centurion guided by the Roman spirit emerged winner on both legs, in a Bosun dinghy. Tantivy's skipper who worked 48 hours non-stop prior to the race to prepare his entry is also rumoured to have paid handsomely for an out of job crew to enable him a respectable third place overall writes *Beathard*.

November 5, Guy Fawkes Day, equivalent to Diwali in some ways, only that GFD is devoted to a gentleman who threatened the British Empire. However, he was lighted and consumed

in no time as ever consumed Mumtaz's prepared samosas across moat (pool).

November 1 monthly mu on November 7 was well within the harbour. Extr proved critical for Egalase collided with Centurion, eagle eyed Blazer did r go and protested both of and had them disqualified, rules! rules!

But like any other sailing has got its rule everybody who plays the has to do it by rules, and other sport there is no on the water usually, so to the individual to in rules and if one feels th others' interpretation is then Protest! It is you But always carry a protes

Team racing on Nover proved that some sail indeed learning their Sailing in two teams of tv to a team in Force Three Three raes were sailed a Number Two proved to most interesting.

One point which was c is that one has to lo aft and forward wher others. You may hit s on the finish line and ha a penalty of 720 degrees

Coming up on the calendar on November Video Night films on Sa sharks to be followed b steak prepared by Mu Mariam.

Bosuns again will get to have a class fight on 25 in the One Design T

Yachts of all classes against each other in th Cup on November 1 pursuit race. Meteoo prepared to defend h in this event.

## HOW TO HANDLE ROAD BLOCKS

ROAD BLOCKS are a common feature along the roads in this country. One cannot travel more than 100 kilometres before coming across a road block.

What function they serve remains a mystery to most people since a lot of them are "permanent" and irrespective of the time interval between journeys on a particular road one will always find the same road block and invariably the same cops on duty.

Earlier I wrote of the cops who chose to retire rather than be moved from the road blocks due to the lucrative nature of that kind of posting.

Those cops were already operating their own matatus!

One problem about road blocks in this country is that they are put up in such a way that articulated vehicles find it difficult to... articulate round the spikes placed on the road.

The only way this type of vehicle can get round the spikes is to go off the edge of the tar and make a long sweeping curve back onto the road and then through the spikes.

This action causes the edge of the road to break up. I am sure most motorists have observed this when they have come across road blocks.

The owners of smaller vehicles will judiciously avoid straying to the edge of the road lest they do damage to their vehicle due to the rough edges of the road.

Kachumbari was driving to Nairobi one day and perchance came across a road block at Mazaras.

At the time, it was bucketing down with rain and the cops were huddled underneath a cashew tree adjacent to the road in their regulation issue "raincoat, pvc impregnated, blue, with inner lining".

The spikes and approach warnings were all in good shape and one could see the road block from a distance.

The clouds were low and so Kachumbari had his headlights

**COAST DRIVE** with **PATRICK OBATH**

on. The cops, not wishing to come out onto the road waved Kachumbari on using their favourite signalling device, a torch.

(One can never be sure what the message is since there is no police standard signal when using a torch).

He assumed it meant proceed. He only slightly reduced speed and weaved his way round the road block.

As he came out the other side he heard this loud thud and his car came to an unscheduled halt on the side of the road.

He sat in the car for a while trying to work out what had happened. The fact that it was raining also made him reluctant to get out.

Once the rain had abated, he got out and to his dismay he found that he had completely stripped his car of the front right suspension and could no longer continue his journey.

He waved down a passing vehicle and asked the fellow to take a note to a company that specialises in towing stranded vehicles.

He then looked around to find out what had caused such damage but he could not find it. All he could see were large

### 'FEISAL TROPHY' FOR UNDER-16 TEAMS

MURAD KHAKU, the secretary of Feisal SC has donated a trophy to be contested by teams whose players are under 16 years. According to co-ordinator David M Mtemi, the tournament he is organising in conjunction with the Kff Mombasa Sub-Branch, involves 16 teams and matches will be held at Ronald Ngala school ground. The tournament kicks-off tomorrow and matches are to be played daily.

He said the winner will be awarded the "Feisal Cup" donated by Murad Khaku while the runner-up to be presented with a trophy donated by Hatim Baba who is also a committee member of Feisal SC.

## TIDES



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**FRIDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.45m at 03.29 hours and 2.90m at 15.57 hours.  
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**SATURDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.50m at 03.57 hours and 2.91m at 16.26 hours.  
 Low Water - 0.32m at 10.16 hours and 0.60m at 22.07 hours.

**SUNDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.49m at 04.24 hours and 2.89m at 16.52 hours.  
 Low Water - 0.31m at 10.44 hours and 0.61m at 22.37 hours.

**MONDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.45m at 04.51 hours and 2.86m at 17.19 hours.  
 Low Water - 0.34m at 11.13 hours and 0.64m at 23.05 hours.

**TUESDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.38m at 05.20 hours and 2.80m at 17.47 hours.  
 Low Water - 0.42m at 11.42 hours and 0.71m at 23.36 hours.

**WEDNESDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.27m at 05.50 hours and 2.73m at 18.19 hours.  
 Low Water - 0.53m at 12.12 hours.

**THURSDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.14m at 06.22 hours and 2.64m at 18.55 hours.  
 Low Water - 0.82m at 00.07 hours and 0.66m at 12.46 hours.

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