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**Headline News**

## THOUSANDS CHEER PRESIDENT



H.E. President Moi.

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS of wildly cheering Coast people passionately demonstrated their totally committed loyalty and obedience to His Excellency President Moi with their mega-lumutuous welcome. Indeed, it was a record-breaking welcome!

It was the welcome that has made an indelible history; just to confirm to the President that the Coast people will always be there and ever-available to offer their toil, sweat and labour; better still all their precious possessions - to symbolize their true and unconditional love for the

## CROWDS GIVE A WARM WELCOME

Special Report  
By  
**Faraj Dumila**



Nyayo leadership. Right from Voi, in their several thousands, the Coast people; to the Mombasa State House, lined up; stirred up by several hundred cultural and traditional dancing and singing troupes to deservingly welcome the President.

Coast leaders of various cadres and dimensions, converged into

their respective, strategic centres to represent their respective communities and institutions to shake hands with the President.

At Voi, the Area Members of Parliament, civic leaders and religious personalities were at the fore-front for the welcome; including the Minister, Mr Darius Mbela, the Assistant Minister, Adiel Kachila, the parliamentary Group Secretary, MR Mwacharo Kubo and the Mayor - Mrs Joan Mjomba.

At Mombasa, the KANU Chairman, Shariff Nassir, who is also the Assistant Minister, with Mayor Councillor Ahmed Mwidani, Hon. Said Hemed, also the Assistant Minister, Hon. Kennedy Kiliku and Hon. Ahmed Mwidau; including the KANU Mombasa Show Stand Chairman, Councillor Ramadhani Kajembe whose superb organizing power deeply impressed His Excellency President Moi at the Stand which reflects the major KANU's principles.

Yes, KANU is for the welfare of the entire Kenyan population. At Kwale, the District KANU Chairman, Ali Bidu, who is also the member of parliament, along with other members of parliament in the District, including Hon. Boy Juma Boy, Hon. Kassim Mwamzandi and Kwale County Council

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# Extensions Plan For Moi Airport

### 'TEMPORARY FACILITY' TO EASE PASSENGER CONGESTION

THE KENYA COAST IS ENJOYING a 'bumper' summer season which trend is likely to continue and with it comes more good news that Kenya Aerotech has promised to finance the cost of building a 'temporary' extension at Moi International Airport, Mombasa, so as

to ease present congestion there.

The terminal building is due to be expanded later as part of a general improvements programme for the airport which is being financed almost entirely from a Shs 1.5 billion loan from the Japanese Government.

Tour operators in particular are delighted by this news particularly Thomas Buchert, the Condor Station Manager at Mombasa who prepared a 'draft' plan for this temporary extension which has been approved and the go-ahead given by government.

Mr Buchert also contacted charter airlines and tour operators in Europe with a view

by NETA PEAL

to their making a contribution towards its estimated cost of Shs 1.2 million.

Kenya Aerotech, an aircraft handling agency, started operating in Nairobi several years ago, extending their service to Mombasa recently.

Mr Buchert explained 'when Kenya Aerotech heard about our plan to try and provide a 'temporary' extension on a self-help basis they very quickly decided to assist by financially backing the whole project.

Adding 'work will start as soon as possible so as to have the extension ready, if possible at the latest by the beginning of the peak European winter season, it taking about three months to complete.'

Declared Mr Buchert, who has spent much of his time in drawing up plans and trying to get this project off the ground 'it gives me a very good feeling that this is now to become reality'. Adding 'I think Kenya

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## 'BORA BORA' BIRTHDAY PARTY

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BORA BORA - Hundreds of well-wishers packed the world famous 'Bora Bora International Nightclub' at Bamburi on the Kenya North Coast to join proprietor Peter Haist in celebrating ten great years! Miss Scarlet Paul, who stood in for her talented mother, choreographer Barbara Paul, is seen (left) cutting one of three


huge 'success' cakes, together with Swiss visitor Ersdie Schlegel, and beautiful 'Black Diamond' dancer Miss Stella Atimoni. The anniversary party went on until dawn ... and included a special show of the new 'Heat of the Night' dancing and entertainment programme.

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• MARY GRACE

## Cabaret Star At 'Terrazza'

MARY GRACE, AN international cabaret singer is presently appearing at the *Galileo Night Club* in the International Casino Nairobi.

"La Terrazza", Mombasa's finest Italian Restaurant and part of the same International Casino Group invited Mary to come and sing at the Restaurant.

This she did last Sunday evening and a large crowd of diners enjoyed her singing which included songs in Spanish and English. She was accompanied by Mombasa's African Sunset Band.

Mary tours all over the world and has recently finished a contract of the cruise liner *Sea Princess*.

Such was the success of the evening that the Tourist Paradise Investment Group plan future cabaret nights at "La Terrazza" with local and overseas stars.

## Our Heritage of Faith...

FROGS ARE NOT very attractive creatures—though Frenchmen are fond of their legs! Most of us prefer to keep them at a distance, and we would have had a lot of sympathy with the Egyptians of Moses' time who were faced with a plague of the creatures—frogs everywhere, even in their beds!

"Then the Lord said to Moses, Go to the King and tell him.... Let my people go, so that they can worship me. If you refuse, I will punish your country by covering it with frogs." Exodus 8:1,2.

The king did refuse, and as a result his subjects suffered with him. His magicians were able to bring even more frogs to add to their discomfort; but only God was able to remove them and bring things back to normal. He did this when Moses prayed.

In our lives, things easily get into a mess, but putting them right is not so simple. Like Moses, we need to ask God in prayer to intervene and sort things out for us.

In Voi there is a man whose life was changed through a frog. He found it in a bucket of water which had been brought from the river.

As he watched the creature

struggling in vain to get out of the bucket, he saw his own ineffective efforts to escape from the mess which his life had got into.

He realised that the frog would get out only if he received help, and this reminded him of God's love in sending his son Jesus to rescue sinners by dying in their place.

He put his hand into the water and lifted out the exhausted frog; and the same day he repented of his sinful ways and trusted God for own salvation.

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*was that the name of the starter?*

No, I mean the fountain . . . although the Gratinated Mushrooms were delicious

*So was the . . . eh . . . Hanna's Prawns. I love the generous black plates, the taste of the food and . . . the smell of your after-shave who's bottle I'm sure you found missing!*

. . . is that where it went, so when are you coming back?

*as soon as you'll take me back to Cafe Hanna and "the edge of the Niagara Falls"!*

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## SHREE MORARI DAS HARYANI WILL PRAY FOR HINDU CLINIC

SHREE MORARI BAPU will be in Mombasa as the guest of Hindu Council of Kenya in Mombasa.

On Saturday 31 he will perform the opening ceremony of the Hindu Council Out-Patient Clinic at Kiembeni at 11 a.m. in the morning.

His recitations will commence at the Lohana Hall on Saturday at 5 p.m. in the evening and will continue daily for three hours in the mornings from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and evenings from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. All are invited to attend.

Shree Morari Das Haryani is a young religious revolutionary, and recites the Ramayan verbatim from memory without reference to the volume.

His explanations of the situations and interpretations of the Sanskrit verses interspersed with little tales of mirth and laughter keep the audience spellbound.

His message to the youth of today is loud and clear—guide them away from drugs and addictions, hatred and violence and teach them to nurse the values of service, sacrifice discipline to restore man's moral dignity.

Spiritual efficiency makes them highly creative and constructive. Thus the seeds of a better future are planted.

"Rasik Devani, Chairman of the Hindu Council of Kenya in Mombasa told COASTWEEK:

"Hindu Council Mombasa welcomes all the youth and the old to converge onto the Lohana

Hindu Epic. It was first written in Sanskrit by Rishi Valmiki.

It consists of 24000 verses and is known to be the first poetic work in Sanskrit and Hinduism refer it as the "Adi Kavya" Ramayan is written in six Kandas and the cultural heritage of the Veda and Upnishads has reached and permeated to the most illiterate of our people through Sage Valmiki's priceless creation of Ramayan.

Sant Tulsidas wrote the Ramayan in Hindi and it is in this work of Tulsid on which the discourses of our renowned guest Poojya Morari Bapu are based.

And Shree Moraridas Haryani, today, is believed to be the greatest living exponent of Tulsid Ramayan.

Ramayan is the story of King Rama.

The qualities of the ideal man, prince and king are learnt by the ordinary people to this day from the character of Rama, of the ideal woman and wife from the strong but gentle character of Sita and the qualities of ideal brothers from the behaviour of Bharat, Lakshman and Shatrughna.

The loyalty, devotion and love are depicted by Hanuman.



\* SHREE MORARI BAPU

Hall to listen to this great orator, and in spite of the barrier of the language experience the vibrations of purity and faith in God."

Mr Devani went on to explain that Ramayan is the greatest



EIGHT HUNDRED GUESTS celebrated the wedding of Shaffique and Alshams Mitha at a reception held at Mombasa's Oceanic Hotel. The bride wore a white sari of pure silk with jasmine in her hair and carried a bouquet of white and pink flowers.

## Marriage Of Shaffique And Alshams Mitha ...

MOMBASA'S OCEANIC HOTEL was transformed into a veritable fairyland with colourful lights and flowers in the decorated garden for the wedding reception of Shaffique and Alshams Mitha whose marriage took place earlier that day (August 24) at the Ismaili Mosque. Alshams is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Aziz Kassim-Lakha—her father being chairman of the Oceanic group covering the Oceanic and Ocean View Hotels, Ocean View Plaza and Kenya's famous Bora Bora International Nightclub. Shaffique is the son of Mr Madatali Alibhai Mitha and the late Mrs Maherronnissa Madatali Mitha of London.

Some 800 guests from East Africa, USA, Canada and England celebrated the occasion which commenced with a traditional and symbolic ceremony to bring good luck, joy, happiness and prosperity to the newly weds, ending with a very 'mod' floor show from the Bora Bora Nightclub. Guests joined in a toast raised by Amin Merali, chairman of the Aga Khan Mombasa Provincial Council to wish them, 'a long, happy,

prosperous and productive life together'.

Traditional dancers and drummers welcomed arriving guests who included members of the Mombasa Consular Corps, while the Wedding March greeted the arrival of Shaffique and Alshams at the reception.

The Super Mazembe Band entertained. Alshams is the only daughter of Mr and Mrs Aziz Kassim-Lakha. Born in Kenya, she was educated here and in Montreal Canada, where she obtained a degree in Business Management at the O'Sullivan College.

Back in Kenya, Alshams has been assisting her father with his business affairs.

Shaffique was born in Uganda leaving for the UK to study at the age of 13 years. He lives in London and together with his father and brother runs a florists business there. Said the Best Man, Zaher Bhanji 'they have a lot of love for each other and I am sure they will have a very happy life together'.

During the evening two birthdays were also celebrated that of Mrs Shelina Mitha and Mrs Hayati Anjarwalla who had the surprise of their lives when they were asked to come forward to receive a birthday cake each.

The lavish buffet dinner of popular vegetarian and non-vegetarian dishes was greatly enjoyed by all.

Shaffique and Alshams spent their honeymoon on safari visiting Kenya's game parks to view her magnificent wildlife in their natural habitat.



"I'm just having a chat with mother about our snazzy telephone bills."



"I want an extra tennis session as I got a parking ticket outside."



"Been waiting long?"



"Got anything for a poor old man with nothing in this lonely world except this little gun?"



"We haven't got a Complaints Department, Fatty!"



"Wish you wouldn't do that Pertwhistle - You know the damp just ruins the leather."

# CONFIDENTIAL

## ZANZIBAR TWARAB MUSICIANS PROVE A BIG DRAW AT NYALI

OVER FIVE HUNDRED guests from home and abroad enjoyed a colourful Coastal Extravaganza at Nyali Beach Hotel with tasty traditional food and music provided by the thirty smartly attired musicians and vocalists from Zanzibar's top Taarab group—the Akhwan Safaa Orchestra.

They had been invited to Kenya's coastal strip, (once belonging to Zanzibar) by one of Kenya's top bands—the Mombasa Roots to entertain at the wedding of Mohammed Ali Juma and Zuleikha Salim Ibrahim which took place at Mombasa recently.

It was the Roots wedding present to them—Mohammed being a cousin to Emil (Roots Band Leader) Suleiman and Ebrahim.

This sixty strong orchestra was first formed in Zanzibar in 1905, its repertoire being mainly classical Arab and Swahili music, together with some of their own compositions. While they have made cassettes and videos, the orchestra's greatest problem is in making

LPs there being no recording studio in Zanzibar. So far, there has only been one LP of their music.

The orchestra is not only in great demand at private parties and at national celebrations, but has also entertained abroad—Germany, Finland, Denmark, Muscat, Dubai and England.

They have visited Kenya many times and during their recent ten day sojourn at the Coast, Nyali Beach was one of the two hotels at which they entertained— attracting many local people Taarab being among their favourite music.

The buffet area adjacent to the Pool Terrace was adorned with huge banners depicting desert scenes and among the most popular dishes were creamed pumpkin and coconut soup, baked whole fish with honey and coconut sauce, also chicken and lamb biryani, plus a whole spit-roasted lamb. Some local ladies, experts in Swahili cuisine, were brought in to prepare traditional dishes, cooking some like Samosa and Bhajia in front of guests.



A VERY POPULAR VOCALIST with Zanzibar's top Taarab group the Akhwan Safaa Orchestra during a performance at Nyali Beach Hotel was Sanura Salim. The orchestra dates back to 1905 its repertoire being mainly classical Arab and Swahili music, together with some of their own compositions.

Among the desserts were kaimati, vibibi (rice pancake) vitumbua and mahamri (a Swahili bun).

Adding to the coastal ambience were management and staff all ethnically attired in colourful khangas and kikoiis.

## 'CASH POINT' AT SAFARI BEACH



GREAT NEWS FOR Kenya residents on holiday and those living locally is that Safari Beach Hotel (part of the Alliance Hotels group) has been appointed by Royal Card as a 'Cash Point' on the south coast. It is the only hotel in this area to offer such facility. Catherine W. Njoya, Royal Card's representative at Mombasa, is seen handing

over a cheque for the 'float' to start such a 'cash point' facility, together with the imprinter machine to the hotel's General Manager, Timothy Kagambi. Looking on are Elizabeth Wanjohi from Royal Card; Raymond Matiba, the hotel's resident manager and George Anyanzwa, Front of House manager.

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**'I CANTORI DI SAN CARLO' CHOIR**



THE ITALIAN CULTURAL INSTITUTE is presenting "I Cantori Di San Carlo" specialized Polyphonic Singers for the first time in Kenya at the Little Theatre, Mombasa, on Saturday September 7 at 7.30 p.m.

**TOP ITALIAN  
SINGERS WILL  
VISIT COAST**

*I CANTORI DI SAN CARLO* on its first visit ever to Kenya during the first week of September, will be giving a concert of sacred and secular music at The Little Theatre Club at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday September 7, 1991.

The concerts being given in Kenya, including the one at L.T.C., are being sponsored by The Italian Cultural Institute of Nairobi.

*I Cantori di San Carlo* describe themselves as "Polifonia in excelsis"—masters of polyphony, which is "many sound" or "many voice" music.

This is music in which, instead of the parts moving in step with each other, rather move in apparent independence and freedom though fitting together harmonically.

The term "polyphony" was particularly applied to the age of unaccompanied choral song—the age which rose to its climax with Palestrina in Italy, Byrd in England and Victoria in Spain, and their contemporaries in other countries at the end of the 16th Century.

*I Cantori's* programme opens with "Exultate Justi" by T. Ludovico Grossi da Viadana (1560ca—1627), a Franciscan who held a number of positions in control of cathedral music. He published many madrigals and a great deal of church music of which "Exultate Justi" is a typical example.

"Exultate" will be followed by "Jubilate Deo" by Orlando di Lasso (1532ca—1594). Di Lasso, born at Mons, was the greatest representative of the Flemish School of polyphonic music.

He was a famous choirmaster and composer, who spent 34 years of his life at the Bavarian Court, living in Munich until the

end of his life. He was ennobled by the Bavarian King and awarded the Order of the Golden Spur by Pope Gregory XIII.

In addition to composing church music, he was also a very great composer of French chansons.

The first part of *I Cantori's* programme ends with four pieces by Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (1525ca—1594).

Palestrina took his name from his birth place, and was the greatest composer of the age of contrapuntal compositions of unaccompanied chorus, mostly church music, but he also wrote madrigals.

Palestrina, at the age of 18, was choirmaster and organist in his native town, but soon after moved as choirmaster to the Julian Chapel at the Vatican after his bishop became Pope.

Two of the four pieces by Palestrina are for five voices: "Duo ubera tua" and "Improprium". These will be followed by "Sicut cervus", and the final item before the interval will be "Haec dies" for six voices.

**BOOKING OPEN**

After the interval, *I Cantori* will perform seven chansons and madrigals by various composers of the late 15th and 16th centuries. Details will be given in COASTWEEK next week.

Booking for the concert is open at L.T.C. Box Office (telephone 225497). Tickets are Shs 150.00 for non-members of L.T.C., Shs 100.00 for Members, and Shs 60.00 for students and children.

The concert will start promptly at 7.30 p.m., and on this occasion bottles, glasses etc., will not be permitted in the auditorium. Refreshments will be available during the interval as usual.

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THE CHAIRMAN OF THE Rotary Club of Malindi Mr Harry Wardeni who is also the General Manager of the African Dream Hotel, is seen (right) congratulating Mr Mehboob Jin who has been installed as the new chairman of the Malindi Rotaract Club. He also presented him with the Rotaract charter and the official chain. Mr Wardeni praised the Rotaracters for the dedication to charity having in the past planted over 200 trees in the area, painted Zebra crossings in the area roads and also assisting a cross-section of the needy in the Community.

### LIONS CLUB OF MOMBASA NORTH HOST AN EYE CAMP



LIONS CLUB OF Mombasa North recently organised an Eye Camp at the Port Reitz District Hospital where over 500 people were screened, medicines and eye glasses were distributed and 11 cataract operations were performed by Dr Kamal Bhandari and his medical team. Chairman of the Club, Jinu Dhanani and Charter Chairman Parin Noormohamed are seen assisting the doctors to see a young patient.



### SATURDAY CLUB PRESENT 'ANANT PANDYA' AWARD

SATURDAY CLUB, in maintaining its tradition to commemorate founder chairman Anant Pandya, has this year, awarded Anant Pandya Fellowship Plaque to Dr Dean Larsen, medical director, Light House for Christ Eye Centre, for his dedicated services in the field of eye-care service since July 1988. Saturday Club chairman Ramnik Patel is seen presenting Appreciation Plaque to Dr Dean Larson.

## HANOMAG GOES TO VOI



BRUCE TRUCKS AND Engineering have recently ordered a new Hanomag Model 22D Wheel loader to Njimi Hardware of Voi for their river sand

business. Mr Will-ed Njiiri (right) is seen receiving keys for the Hanomag from Mr Leonard Amollo of Bruce Trucks.



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MOMBASA K.A.N.U. Chairman Hon. Shariff Nassir M.P., who is also an Assistant Minister, is seen with fellow VIPs during a tour of the recent most successful Kwale Agricultural Show.

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## GALA FILM SHOW FOR THE LOTUS!

AND GALA OPENING AT Lotus Cinema today and tomorrow is Lotus, a film about two merchants whose legendary friendship between the merchants of love and sacrifices but whose enmity between the merchants of nothing but destructions including their own.

An Indian Movie runs today at 8 p.m. and 9.30 p.m. while tomorrow will be four shows at 2.15, 5.45, 9.15 p.m.) and an extra midnight show. The screening time of the film being over three hours, the main features will start on the 15th minutes.

Mr Singh (Dilip Kumar) and Mrs Singh (Raaj Kumar) have been known as the greatest friends till they got married. They were caught up in the fire of family and individual interests which departed them and made them arch rival merchants representing farmers and industrialists respectively.

Family continued for years of next generation represented by their sons—Vishal (Jackie Shroff) and Gagan (Mukesh) fighting to protect farmers against forces of capitalists and industrialists headed by Mama Chavva (Amrish) and two younger sons of Rajeshwar (Ajay Devgan and Anand Balraj). Vishal got killed and Rajeshwar was sentenced to 14

### PREVIEW with Abdul R. Sheriff

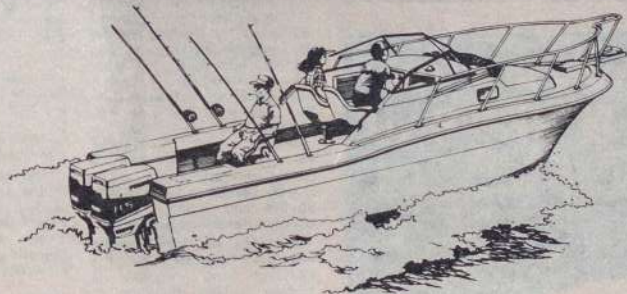
years jail.

Another childhood friend belonging to the same soil known as Mandhari (Anupam Kher), a saint, philosopher and mediator tries his best to bring back their love but in vain.

However, he was pleasantly shocked to see the grandchildren, Vasudev (Vivek Mushran) a warrior trained by his uncle Gagan and Radha (Manish) a blossoming beauty, the daughter of Gajja—tied in love.

Yes, Vasu and Radha are in deep love—but are innocent about their own grandfather's deep rooted enmity. Love did blossom under terror but it had to face the problems.

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## Delphis Bank Host A Party For Its Clients

A COCKTAIL PARTY took place on the Pool Terrace close to the sea at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental bringing together around one hundred customers and depositors of the former Mombasa Branch of the Bank of Credit and Commerce International hosted by Ketan Somaia, a Kenyan Business magnate whose London-based Dolphin group has bought BCCI branches in Mauritius and Kenya following their closure.

Renamed Delphis Bank Limited they are being managed by Mr Somaia's other company Discoll Investments.

Enjoyment of the tasty 'bitings' and drink at the party was enhanced by Mr Somaia personally briefing them about what Delphis will be doing during the next couple of weeks. He told them that Delphis would be starting in Kenya as a normal commercial bank on September 9.

All BCCI customers were very happy at being given such positive and heartening news. Declared Mr Somaia 'we shall try our best to reciprocate'.

In Kenya, Mr Somaia is among other things chairman of Marshalls East Africa Limited Tourist Paradise (covering International Casinos at Mombasa and Nairobi) and Miwani Sugar Mills Limited. He is also a Director of Trust Bank.



A COCKTAIL PARTY was hosted by Delphis Bank Limited at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental to enable customers and depositors of the former Mombasa Branch of the Bank of Credit and Commerce International to meet Mr Ketan Somaia whose London-based Dolphin Group has bought BCCI branches in Mauritius and Kenya following

their closure. Mr Somaia, chairman of the new Delphis Bank, Kenya is seen on left, with his wife, Alka, centre. Others are Divesh Gandesha, Personal Assistant to Mr Somaia; Pankaj Somaia, a director, and Abdul Malik, Managing Director Overseas Industries.

PHOTOS - NETA PEAL



THE CHAIRMAN OF DELPHIS BANK Limited Kenya, Mr Ketan Somaia (left) is seen with some of his guests during a cocktail party hosted by this new bank at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental.

They are Shiraz Alibhai, Managing Director, Coastweek Limited; Abdul Malik, Managing Director, Overseas Industries; Zahid Datto of Datto Associates and Akram Sheikh of Shankar Elect.

## Air India Records Highest-Ever Profit Despite Gulf Crisis

AIR INDIA has recorded a net profit of Rs. 81.23 crores in the financial year 1990-91. This is the highest ever profit recorded by the airline in its history. The profit achieved is up to Rs. 10.34 crores over the net profit of Rs 70.89 crores achieved by the airline in the preceding year 1989-90.

The profit would have been higher by Rs. 61.10 crores had the corporation included the capital profit realised on VT-EBO aircraft in accordance with accounting standards.

This was disclosed in New Delhi at a Press Conference today by Mr S.R. Gupte, Acting Chairman and Managing Director.

This new high in profit has been achieved notwithstanding the fact that the previous year was full of challenges and upheavals not only for Air India but for the airline industry worldwide.

The Gulf crisis took a severe toll of the entire aviation industry. Fuel, available at 60 U.S. cents a gallon, rose to two U.S. Dollars per gallon. Insurance charges likewise spurted manifold.

There were fewer people travelling and recessionary trend—signs of which are still

visible during the current year had set in the wake of the Gulf crisis.

Even though operating expenses increased by over Rs. 300 crores from Rs. 1241.15 crores in 1989-90 to Rs. 1553.70 crores in 1990-91, Air India could achieve this substantial profit through prudent financial management and a market strategy aimed at consolidation of existing route structure, improvement in yields, optimisation of handling revenue besides strict monitoring of costs.

The operating revenue during the year increased from Rs. 1368.17 crores in 1989-90 to Rs. 1626.88 crores in 1990-91—an increase of 18.9 per cent.

### GREAT IMPROVEMENT

The yield measured in terms of Revenue Tonne Per Kilometre, rose to Rs. 10.66 in the year under review from Rs. 8.59 in the preceding year. This impressive improvement of 24.1 per cent in yield is also the highest ever achieved in any single year.

The Corporation operated 546 flights deploying its own and hired capacity from Indian Airlines and Aeroflot and carried about 114,000 passengers during the period August 13 to October 16, 1990, from Amman.

Two A310-300 aircraft were acquired on lease during the year 1990-91, in August 1990. For the first time, Export credit funds were used to finance the Japanese Lease.

As against a conventional loan, the saving per aircraft in foreign exchange in terms of interest alone amounted to 12 million U.S. Dollars per aircraft over the life span of the aircraft.

The foreign exchange earned and saved during the year was Rs. 379.66 crores as compared to Rs. 301.73 crores last year.

### PROFITABILITY TREND

The trend of profitability has been continued during the current year as well.

In the first three months of the fiscal 1991-92 ending June, Air India has earned a profit of Rs. 14.92 crores as against the profit of Rs. 8.12 crores in the corresponding period of the preceding year.

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## Distance Education Talks At The Jadini Beach Hotel

TAKING PLACE AT JADINI Beach Hotel, Diani, between August 11-13 is the second session of the 1991 workshop series on Distance Education, the 23 participants coming from Uganda (two); Tanzania (two); Zimbabwe (two); and Kenya (17) representing nine Distance Education institutions from the eastern and southern Africa region.

It is jointly organised by the Board of Adult Education and German Foundation for International Development (BAE and DSE).

The aim of the workshop is to train writers how to design and develop distance education materials followed by actual writing experience.

At the end of the workshop 23 units will have been illustrated and ready for printing for the following training programmes...

Adult Education Teacher Training; Certificate in Adult Education; Special Education for Primary School Teachers; Distance Education for Co-operators; Continuing Education; Distance Education for Health Workers; Training of Health Teachers; Trade Union Studies and Primary School Christian Religious Education.

A team of nine faculty members facilitated at the workshop and ensured its success. They included F. Ndungu; L. Njeru and Mrs B. Onyonga from the Department of Adult Education; John Mungai from K.I.E.; Khalifan Mazrui from the University of Nairobi;



THE WORKSHOP ON DISTANCE EDUCATION is seen in session in the conference room at Jadini Beach Hotel. Mrs Barbara Matiru (third right) one of the Facilitators is seen with a group of participants who include Ms Maria Mnkandla; Mrs Margaret Owuor and the Rev. Lukio Otieno.

two DSE consultants—Mrs Barbara Matiru and Mrs D. Gachuhi; Ms A. Dietrich from DSE, Bonn and the workshop co-ordinator—Mrs J. Kebathi also from DAE.

This is the final workshop in the series which has been running since 1985. During this period around 150 authors were trained in the techniques of preparing distance education materials in a professional way.

### DEDICATION

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# MOMBASA NATIONAL SHOW

## IT ALL LOOKS GOOD!

MESSAGE from Branch and Show Chairman Mr Victor E. MbaJI.

THIS YEAR'S MOMBASA National Show is on as scheduled and is starting on August 29, to September 2, 1991 at the Jomo Kenyatta Showground.

The event is successfully being held on schedule despite some unavoidable setbacks caused by unexpected visitors (The Somali Refugees) recently hosted within the showground who caused substantial damage.

It is a big thanks to the Government which arrested the situation quite early by making it possible for the refugees to move out of the showground in good time thus enabling the Mombasa National Show Committee to supervise the preparation of the show and to carry out renovations where necessary without delay.

So much tribute to the exhibitors who came in good time to carry out renovations on their stands in the spirit of making the 1991 Mombasa National Show a successful event.

The dedicated show committee members despite pressures and planning complexities made sure that their objectives were met. An example - The Completion of the Presidential Pavilion and indeed the Renovation of Members Amenities.

Showgoers are most welcome to this year's annual event whose theme is "Focus on Technology in Agriculture" and in Kiswahili "Umgabaji Tekinolojia Katika Kijimo".

You will see for yourselves how the theme has been interpreted into reality and appreciate when they visit the exhibition stands.

I take this opportunity on behalf of the Branch and Show Committee to thank the Provincial Administration, the Municipal Council of Mombasa, Government Ministries, Government Parastatals, Companies, Volunteers and individuals for their co-operation and assistance in preparations work.

The construction of the Presidential Complex which comprises of rest room, dining



VICTOR MBAJI - Mombasa National Show Chairman.

room and a modern kitchen on harambee basis is one of the major capital projects the A.S.K. Coast Branch undertook.

And again many thanks to those who donated generously towards this worthy project.

These include Abdalla Zubedi of Mwangi Coffee Exporters, Access Insurance Company, KPA, Amedo, Associated Motors, Doshi Ironmongers, Bamburi Portland Cement, Mitchell Cotts Kenya Limited, Timsales Limited, Kenya Posts and Telecommunications Corporation, Signon Freight Limited, B.A.T. (Kenya) Limited, Marship Limited, Kenya Meat Commission, Dhanjal Brothers, Kenya Railways, Kenya Commercial Bank, Barclays Bank and Kenya Sisal Board.

### CRUCIAL STRATEGY

Crucial to the overall strategy is the need to satisfy the customer right from the exhibitor to the showgoer, and this has been taken care of in that this year's show is aiming at giving the best.

Local exhibitors of different categories ranging from livestock exhibitors, farm produce, industries, trade stands, commercial stands like financial institutions and district stands from all the six districts in the province namely Kilifi, Tana River, Lamu, Taita Taveta, Kwale and Mombasa have something special for the showgoers.

We also have to Pakistani companies participating. Exhibitors are displaying items of high standard in line with the theme.

Apart from the displays that

showgoers will see at the showground both the showgoers and the exhibitors will be entertained at the arena by different groups which will include traditional dancers, drama, choirs, armed forces events, special event and drop by green eagles.

The tattoo events will continue up to 11.00 p.m. You should not miss the thrilling events.

Jomo Kenyatta Showground covering about 38 acres has enough space for everyone.

There are also special parking arrangements for vehicles and all showgoers are once again welcome to see what this year's Mombasa National Show has for them.

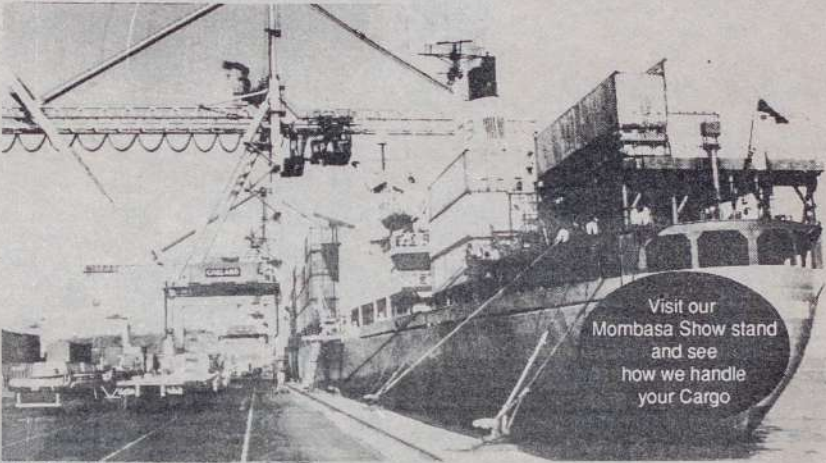
# BARCLAYS BANK LEND A HAND



BARCLAYS BANK OF KENYA have donated Shs 5,000/- towards the Mombasa ASK Presidential Complex, Coast PC. Simon Mung'ala is seen receiving the cheque from Alfred Mwaniki, Retail

Services Manager of Nkrumah Road Branch. He is flanked by Manju Mohamedbhai, Barclays Bank's Retail Services Co-ordinator.

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Kisumu which will be operational in 1992. While the Port of Mombasa is well known world-wide as the gateway to the East and Central African countries, it is also a popular port of call by cruise ships on world cruises. Cruise shipping has been flourishing all over the world. Kenya Ports Authority has taken measures to tap this business and cruise ships now call regularly at the Port of Mombasa and passengers visit our game parks and tourist attractions thus enhancing our country's foreign exchange earning.

For further information, please contact Managing Director, Kenya Ports Authority P.O. Box 95009 Mombasa, Telephone: 312211, Telex: 21243 DIRKPA, Fax 311867

# COAST PROVINCE IS VERY FERTILE AREA FOR HORTICULTURE

COAST PROVINCE COVERS an area of 83,169 square Kilometers out of which 1,356 square kilometers is water and land area is 81,803 square kilometers. It is divided into six administrative districts comprising Taita Taveta, Kwale, Mombasa, Kilifi, Tana River and Lamu.

Area classified as agricultural and is 3.4 million hectares while area already exploited is a mere 370,000 hectares. Some 2,856,312 are still available for agricultural expansion and ranching Rainfall is of bimodal pattern with two seasons, the long and short rains.

High potential areas of Taita and the Coastal belt receive an average precipitation of 900mm. Medium potential areas receive between 736-900mm while the marginal area receive less than 750mm.

The rainfall is generally poorly distributed while short rains are normally unpredictable. Soils are



J. S. MUMBA - The Deputy Chairman Mombasa Show.

varied ranging from sandy deposits and coral rag in the coastal belt to heavy black cotton

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Kenya Ports Authority



Managing the Port of Mombasa

# 'FOCUS ON TECHNOLOGY IN AGRICULTURE' 'Support For KANU Policies'

THIS YEAR'S SHOW theme "Focus on Technology in Agriculture" is very pertinent for our country, especially bearing in mind that agricultural production forms almost 80 per cent of our total Grand National Product.

While this annual event calls for celebration, it also must be seen as an opportunity to educate ourselves on the national outlook of our economy.

As we all know or ought to know the mainstay of our economy is Agriculture. Thus apart from the cash crops which we produce for the international markets the local consumer must be catered for.

We must produce adequately so that we can be self-sufficient and allow for export. A nation that cannot feed itself, is a nation to be pitied. This situation must never be allowed to occur. And therefore efforts must be



COUNCILLOR A.S. Mwidani  
The Mayor of Mombasa.

made to raise production of all our requirements.

This can best be done by using the most modern and advanced technology in the agricultural sector and also elsewhere.

Bearing this in mind our Government has set-up several research stations throughout the country to encourage not only the large scale farmers to produce greater quantities but also to enable the ordinary farming *mwananchi* to obtain the best strains and varieties of the product they intend to produce.

This is a great leap forward and we must maintain the tempo and diversify production—both crops and livestock.

In keeping up with the year's theme my Council has already constructed an Horticultural Wholesale Market at a cost of KShs. 40,000,000/-.

This project is now being utilised by farmers throughout the country. Thus one can get

bananas from Kisii, tomatoes from the Rift Valley, potatoes from Meru and such other items as onions from Loitokitok and quality mangoes from the coast region itself.

Our beloved President H.E. Daniel Arap Moi being Farmer Number One has constantly extolled us to work hard so that

is particularly proud to be associated with the show and we shall endeavour to provide such services as may arise both in and without the show ground. Let me now take this opportunity to welcome all the show-goers and visitors to Mombasa. It is our hope that you will all enjoy your stay.

## MOMBASA NATIONAL SHOW

we are self-sufficient in terms of feeding ourselves.

We must take heed of his words and intensify production so that our country may become a shining example for others to follow.

The Mombasa Municipal Council

But then Mombasa has more to offer than the show.

Please also visit our historic monuments such as Fort Jesus and the Old Harbour; and do not fail to bask on our beautiful sandy beaches.

To all members of the Show Organising Committee, I wish to say congratulations on job well-done. I on behalf of my Council pledge continued support in any areas where you may need our assistance.

May I now join all Kenyans in wishing H.E. The President, Daniel Arap Moi, a longer and healthy life.

You are all once again welcome to Mombasa and to the Show. Thank you.

A. S. MWIDANI,  
Councillor A.S. Mwidani,  
MAYOR OF MOMBASA.

KENYANS HAVE, yet again, demonstrated their total loyalty to His Excellency, President Daniel Toroitich Arap Moi, when they turned up on route in large numbers, to welcome H.E. the President when he visited Mombasa.

These sentiments were expressed by the Mayor of Mombasa—Councillor Ahmed Shahama Mwidani. "It is a matter of great pride to the Coast people, that the President often visits us," Mayor Mwidani said.

He appealed to each family unit in Kenya to uphold the philosophy of Love, Peace and Unity so as to reinforce stability prevailing in the country.

The Mayor reiterated the call that our region in Africa should not have the concept of multi-parties imposed on it. Kenyans have—therefore, been reminded to support our ruling party KANU.

The Coast Provincial Commissioner and his administration, and the chairman KANU—Mombasa Branch—were thanked by Councillor Mwidani for all their support in making the necessary arrangements for the President's visit.

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## Horticultural Crops To Improve Incomes And Supply Tour Industry

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soils in the ASAL.

Population as per 1989 census is currently estimated at 2,079,049 with an annual growth of 3.5 per cent.

It is estimated that out of the total population, 1,663,240 derive their livelihood from land.

Crop farming is fairly diversified ranging from tree crops, annual crops and perennial crops. Tree crop farming is a major activity in the coastal belt as these tropical crops thrive well.

Mangoes, cashewnuts, coconuts, are among the most important crops deriving livelihood to the local population. The higher zones of Taita are exploited for vegetable production.

A very significant irrigation potential exists along the lower Tana River. The Tana Delta has a total potential of 11,000 hectares that could significantly increase food production.

Approximately a third of the potential available rangeland is currently exploited for ranching operations.

The total number of holdings in the Province is estimated at nearly 225,627 with average size of a holding at 3.6 ha.

The farming system is predominantly subsistence oriented small holder agriculture comprising tree and food crops mix. Large scale farming account for less than five per cent land occupied by either mono-culture based or mixed crop/livestock enterprise combination.

### DEVELOPMENT

Land tenure issue have not been fully settled in the Province. Squatter problem within the high potential coastal belt has been a major drawback to agricultural development.

The total area under cultivated crops is currently estimated at 250,000 hectares. Major tropical food, industrial and horticultural crops are grown in the Province.

Food crops grown in the Province include maize, rice, pulses and cassava. Maize is grown in almost all areas of the Province and during the 1990 season the area under maize was estimated at 71,000 hectares

which produced 101,700 tons.

Rice is grown in the lower Tana irrigation schemes and valley bottoms mainly in Kwana and Kilifi Districts.

Last year a total of 3,800 hectares were grown with an estimated production of 5,500 tons. All the rice produced was consumed at farm level.

Cowpeas, greenpeas, beans and pigeon peas are the main pulses grown in the Province and last year (1990) an estimated hectareage of 14,000 which yielded 7,400 tons was under pulses.

Consumption was at farm level and local markets. Cassava is a dual purpose crop for both food and industrial use for manufacture of starch products.

### CITRUS FRUIT

Horticultural crops grown in the Coast Province include bananas, citrus fruits, mangoes and pineapples. They are mainly grown along the coastal belt.

Tomatoes, cabbages, eggplants and others are vegetables which perform excellently both along the Coastal belt and the high altitude of Taita Taveta.

The total area under horticultural crops is estimated at 30,000 hectares. There is a ready market for both fruits and vegetables in the tourist hotels and highly cosmopolitan Mombasa outlets.

Coconuts and cashewnuts are the major industrial crops grown in the Coast Province. These are mainly grown in Kwana and Kilifi Districts. Cashewnuts are also grown in Lamu District.

Area under coconut in 1990 was approximately 42,000 hectares with an output of 47,000 tons. It is estimated that the coconut industry fetches over E10 million annually. Gist, cotton, sisal, coffee and oranges are grown in the Province for industrial purposes as well.

Sugarcane is out of production since the closure of the Association Sugar Company factory at Ramisi. Farmers in the Province enjoy recommendations which are usually conveyed to them by adoption by trained field extension through various extension methods like field demonstrations and banazas.





# MOMBASA NATIONAL SHOW

## ACTION THRILLS FOR THE ARENA

MESSAGE from the Arena Chairman.

ON BEHALF OF the Arena Sub-committee, I would like to welcome you all to the Show to view the displays we have prepared for you this year. No effort has been spared and indeed every care has been taken to bring quality and variety of the highest order into the preparations.

Also, the A.S.K. Coast Branch is celebrating the 90 years Anniversary of the society, a special arena event culminating in cake cutting ceremony has been prepared.

First and foremost, you will see the usually well rehearsed and most immaculate displays by the Kenya Armed Forces supported by the marching bands and corps of drums from Kenya Police, Kenya Prisons, Administration Police and the National Youth Service.

A conspicuous change to the programme will be the introduction of three non-military displays half way the tattoo session to full up a 60 minutes break.

Another change will be the provision of a non-military programme on the first day of the show in place of the Armed Forces tattoo.

School children have not been left behind either as they will feature in the mass drill incorporated within the special event, mass choir, sing and dance troupes, and the most exciting soccer league for under 10 year olds.

We shall involve approximately 1800 children and 60 teachers in all. You will see also other sports events namely: Tug of War, Ladies Soccer, Rugby and Handball approximately spaced over the four day programme.

In addition, the committee has prepared a parade of selected super stars, herein Nick named "Jugglers". These are performers in night clubs and show business circles with particularly attractive talents invited here to stage their shows simultaneously in front of you viewers.

To excite you further, there will also be the well known entertainers in the name of Professor Juma, Aboo magician and the Comedian Abdul. Variety and class in events is

further enhanced by the presence of Zamuni Islamic display, Karate by Kenya Prisons Killifi and the Parachute Drops by the Green Eagles.

The preparations for these events have been made possible through the assistance and material support given to my committee by officers from the Armed Forces, Donor Companies, Government Parastatals, the Mombasa Municipal Council and the Provincial Administration Headquarters all of whom we are grateful for. On my own behalf, and that of my entire committee, I thank them immensely.

Your visit to the showground will certainly be incomplete if you miss the arena events. Come one come all.

L.T. COL. (RTD) S.A. MOLE  
ARENA CHAIRMAN.



HAVING PIONEERED THE now famous Nyayo Gates at the country showgrounds, the Kenya Ports Authority has again been asked to upgrade this "first" Nyayo Gate, entrance to the Mombasa National Showground. During the first VIP visit to the showground to see current preparations before the show opens it gates from August 29 to

September 1 this year, the managing director of the KPA Mr Philip Okundi said this would be an honour his organisation is taking up next year. Mr Okundi (white collar and tie) is seen at the gate accompanied by the show chairman Mr Victor Mbaji (Mr Okundi's right).

## BIG ENTRY FOR 'TRADE SECTION'

THE 1991 MOMBASA National Show starts on August 29 and ends on September 1. The annual event is in schedule and all showgoers are welcome.

This year we have 95 exhibitors who have accepted to be judged thus enhancing the general high standard of displays and quality of information disseminated to the show visitors. National Trade exhibitors have been classified into 19 categories.

It has been the committee's commitment to improve the quality of the show by instituting certain deadlines and carrying out early debriefing to the exhibitors.

It is hoped that this exercise will assist the exhibitor to be ready to receive the large crowds expected over the four days.

A deadline of two weeks given to the exhibitors, to complete all major work, has resulted in the improvement of the displays and general outlook of the show.

Judging, which has been carried out voluntarily, by the distinguished executives from both the public and private sectors, needs to be nurtured and encouraged further as it is felt that such an exhibition brings out the success or otherwise of the show.

The display of goods also enhances the competition between manufacturers resulting in the general improvement of quality of Kenyan products, an



TOM C. MUCHURA  
attractive shop window. The committee has ensured

that all arrangements are completed well in advance of the judging exercise to be carried out on Wednesday, August 28, 1991 and all preparations by the exhibitors have been completed 12 hours before judging, to avoid the usual last minute rush and incomplete shabby stands.

### COMMITTEE

In order to improve the quality of the show, in general, the committee have appealed to all exhibitors who may want to participate in next year's show to endeavour to start work on their stands in the month of May and to complete all the relevant ASK forms and payments by the end of June.

Tom C. Muchura,  
NATIONAL TRADE CHAIRMAN



Mrs MATILDA KATANA

## Theme Is 'Uzingatiaji Tekinolojia Katika Kilimo'

MESSAGE from the Chairlady of Home Industries, Mrs Matilda R. Katana.

THE ANNUAL CALENDAR EVENTS of the A.S.K. is once again here with us. It is an event that one cannot miss and all are called upon to attend this year's Mombasa National Show. The Show theme this year is "Focus on Technology in Agriculture" and in Kiswahili "Uzingatiaji Tekinolojia Katika Kilimo" is one that showgoers will see in practice in all exhibition stands at the four day Mombasa National Show at the Jomo Kenyatta Showground.

While at the showground, there will be a lot to be seen and showgoers will be able to see the high standard of displays just to

match with the theme. At the Home Industries Banda where farmers are displaying their produce, showgoers from all walks of life will be impressed by the efforts this country is making in making herself self sufficient in food production and apart from just seeing the produce and items being exhibited at the Home Industries Banda one can always make an order and get the goods required.

Infact visiting this year's Mombasa National Show will make one remember this year as a year that will add to the success that he or she has been talking about towards the efforts of national development. Once again, on behalf of the Home Industries sub-committee of the A.S.K. Coast Branch, all are welcome to the 1991 Mombasa National Show.

## The Farm And Dairy Exhibitors

MESSAGE from the Chairman Farm and Dairy Section Mombasa National Show 1991, Mr R.M. Kyandih.

TIME PASSES SO quickly that one can hardly believe that the 1991 Mombasa National Show is just at the door steps. This is another opportunity for showgoers, particularly those who come from outside Coast Province to have another chance to combine the benefit of an educative show and either a holiday or business trip to Coast by attending the Mombasa National Show 1991.

It would be incomplete to attend the show and miss the Farm and Dairy Stand. So when you attend the Show, you are welcome to our Farm and Dairy Stand, Mombasa is a National Show and Coast Farmers together with other farmers from all over the country exhibit their best farm produce in this stand for competition.

There is no other place in the whole show you can see such a diversity of crops, poultry, dairy and bee products as you would see in the Farm and Dairy Section.

You will see a lot of crops unique to the Coast such as coconuts, cashewnuts, kaka etc. Coast farmers will also see crops from upcountry which are not grown in Coast such as pyrethrum, tobacco etc.

I would appeal to the District Agricultural Officers, District Livestock Development Officers from all the participating Districts as well as all Government and Non-Government Stations which are participating to recruit more farmers through their field officers to exhibit in this annual event to meet our target of 5,000 exhibits and make the 1991 Show a success.

Don't forget when you come to the Show, visit Farm and Dairy Stand to get a picture of what the farmers are doing out in the field.

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## The Mombasa National Show Committee 1991

**MOMBASA NATIONAL SHOW** Committee Members led by their Branch and Show Chairman, Mr Victor E. Mbaji (fifth right) pose for a group photograph. They are (from left) seated are M/S J. Mwangi, D.S. Mganga, Mrs Matilda Katana, John S. Mumba (Vice Chairman), Victor E. Mbaji (Branch Show Chairman), Captain Hatimy, Juma

Ondatto, Harun Omwenga (Branch Manager) and F.S. Fakh. Back row: (from left) James Mukungu David Mungei, Fred Miriga, David Chanda, B.W. Oduor, Mrs Mariam Swedi, Joe Lithimbi, Lucie M. Mgandi, E.W. Adhig, Z. Muchuka, D.J. Adero, Florence Owino (Mrs) (Secretary) S. Iha, J. Kenga (Assistant Branch Manager) and J. Maithya.

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### 'Karibu' To This Year's Events

MESSAGE from Mr S.P. Mung'ala, Provincial Commissioner Coast, on the occasion of the 1991 Mombasa National A.S.K. Show - August 29 to September 1, 1991.

ON BEHALF OF Wananchi from Coast Province, I wish to take this opportunity to welcome you all to the 1991 Mombasa A.S.K. Show.

The Mombasa Show provides the most appropriate rendezvous for the exchange of ideas and skills in various fields of development, more so in the agricultural and technical areas.

The thrust of agricultural shows is to create an awareness of the production potential in a given area.

Here in Coast Province we produce enough food to sustain the requirements of the local population and the tourist industry plus surplus for sale in other areas.

Coast Province comprises of six Districts covering a total area of 96,500 square kilometers. Five per cent of this area is high potential land receiving between 735mm to 980mm of rain per year.

The rest is low potential land which received less than 735 mm of rain per year, however ranching and irrigated agriculture is carried out in the low potential areas.

The Mombasa Show opens its gates to the Public from August 29 to September 1, 1991 and the theme this year is "Focus on Technology in Agriculture".

### Potential For Small Industries

Showgoers will be able to discern our technological advances particularly in the field of agriculture, from the quality and diversity of exhibits at this year's show.

Agriculture has continued to play a major role in the development of this Province; this year our targeted hectareage for both industrial and cash crops is 253,550 hectares. Our main food crops are maize, rice,



S.P. MUNG'ALA - Coast Provincial Commissioner.

sorghum, millet and pulses.

We also have a good variety of cash crops such as cashewnuts, cotton, coconuts, simsim, bixa and coffee.

With regard to industrial and commercial development in the Province, most of the major industries are either agro based, chemical processing or construction industries which are concentrated in Mombasa and a few other towns.

The potential for small scale industries is also apparent and willing entrepreneurs are invited to consider investing in industries dealing with fruit processing, coconut oil pressing, cotton ginning and sisal spinning.

Tourism which is now the major foreign exchange earner plays a very important role in the economic activities of this Province.

The Kenya Coast is well known for its attractive tourist facilities and continues to experience good patronage from both foreign and domestic markets, with Coast Province accounting for 60 per cent of the annual tourists who come to Kenya.

With the advent of the high tourist season in July we are already experiencing a high bed occupancy in our hotels.

We are expecting to hit the one million target this year. Of notable achievements particularly to the tourism sector during the current year, was the opening of the multi-million Kilifi Bridge in May; which has greatly eased communication between Mombasa and the outlying Districts.

Our Province has been able to forge ahead in all spheres of development due to the prevailing stable and peaceful political climate in the country, under the wide leadership of our beloved President H.E. Daniel Toroitich arap Moi.

In conclusion, I wish to appeal to members of the public here in Coast Province to accord our show visitors the usual hospitality characteristic of people in this area.

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# Plenty To See And Do At The Mombasa Show

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS PLAY a major role in the development activities of our nation and the Mombasa National Show is counted as one of the many national activities towards achieving the noble goal—development.

Show-goers who will visit exhibition stands in this year's show which opens its gates to the public today upto September 1 at the Jomo Kenyatta Showground will use the opportunity to see Kenya's efforts in development.

Wananchi will be proud of this achievement and will have to go back to their respective areas of the Republic to practice in action what they will have seen.

The foreigners will have a word of praise and be able to buy as many goods as possible, from Kenya in the spirit of promoting trade between Kenya

and their respective countries.

Mombasa Show which expands its activities from year to year, this year is in a unique position to exploit all the opportunities despite setbacks caused by unexpected visitors (the Somali refugees) recently hosted within the Showground who caused substantial damage.

## NEGATIVE RUMOURS

This state of affair triggered negative rumours that there will be no Show this year needless to say these rumours are unfounded. To the contrary the show is on a scheduled and it is many thanks to the dedicated Show Committee members.

And despite the above mentioned setbacks the Committee managed to supervise the preparation of the Show and where major renovations were necessary, they were carried out without delay.

It was indeed an expensive undertaking and we pay much tribute to the exhibitors who came in good time to rescue the problem.

These exhibitors moved in good time to carry out renovations on their stands in the spirit of valuing this event.

The dedicated Show Committee despite pressures and planning complexities made sure that their objectives were met and the completion of the Presidential Pavilion and indeed renovation of members amenities are steps to make this year's show the best ever.

Many thanks to the Provincial Administration, the Municipal of Mombasa, Government Ministries Government Parastatals, Companies and individuals for their co-operation and assistance to make the show a success.

A review has been made to

improve the increase revenue, and how, within results led budgeting, emphasis was given to financial and performance accordingly. Crucial to this overall strategy is the need to satisfy the customer, right from the exhibitors to the Showgoer.

In the 38 acre—Jomo Kenyatta

In the trade industry exhibition stands, and in the informal sector stands namely Jua Kali—Show goers will agree with this year's theme that this country is geared to self sufficiency in Technology and finally be able to meet her requirements in all fields of development as

at the same time see an example of the implementation of government policies aimed at developing a stable nation through technology.

Companies, non government organizations and individuals who are exhibiting in the Mombasa Show are doing so too to supplement the governments efforts in making this country self-sufficient in food production—which is the key to peace and stability.

In general this year's Mombasa National Show is set to set a high standard as the exhibitors are displaying high quality products not only for the local market but also to satisfy the needs of the PTA and the world market.

Mombasa National Show is at this time of the year playing another major role in promoting both international and domestic tourism. Many visitors from foreign countries flock to Mombasa.

And Mombasa being the gateway into Kenya and Eastern Africa, we involved in the Mombasa Show, while welcoming all sorts of visitors to Mombasa and the Coast Province in general.

We assure them of our unreserved hospitality at the Show for it is an event that should not afford to miss as it is also a special attraction!

Let them feel much at home while in Mombasa, at the Coast and in Kenya as a whole.

And whenever they go back with their respective countries they carry with them memories of the friendly people of Kenya, Kenya the land of peace and hospitality—and always come back in great numbers.

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Showground where this year's theme for all the ASK Shows in the Republic is "Focus on Technology in Agriculture" and in Kiswahili "Uzingatiaji Technolojia Katika Kilimo".

Show goers will be able to see various items being exhibited from our local industries and also livestock from our Kenya farmers.

Technology is the key to development.

Local items being displayed at the Mombasa Show come from all over the Republic and this is the ideal opportunity for Kenyans from all walks of life to visit and join others to learn and exchange ideas on furthering the efforts of building a strong nation.

The six districts in the Coast Province, namely Tana River, Lamu, Kilifi, Taita Taveta, Kwale and Mombasa have individual exhibition stands to display their products. They are displaying various products ranging from farm produce to technical expertise.

Those showgoers from upcountry, will indeed find an opportune chance to view products from their Coastal province brother farmers and come to know how the coast people in general are committed to the national development of their country—Kenya and how they are tirelessly contributing to this noble goal.

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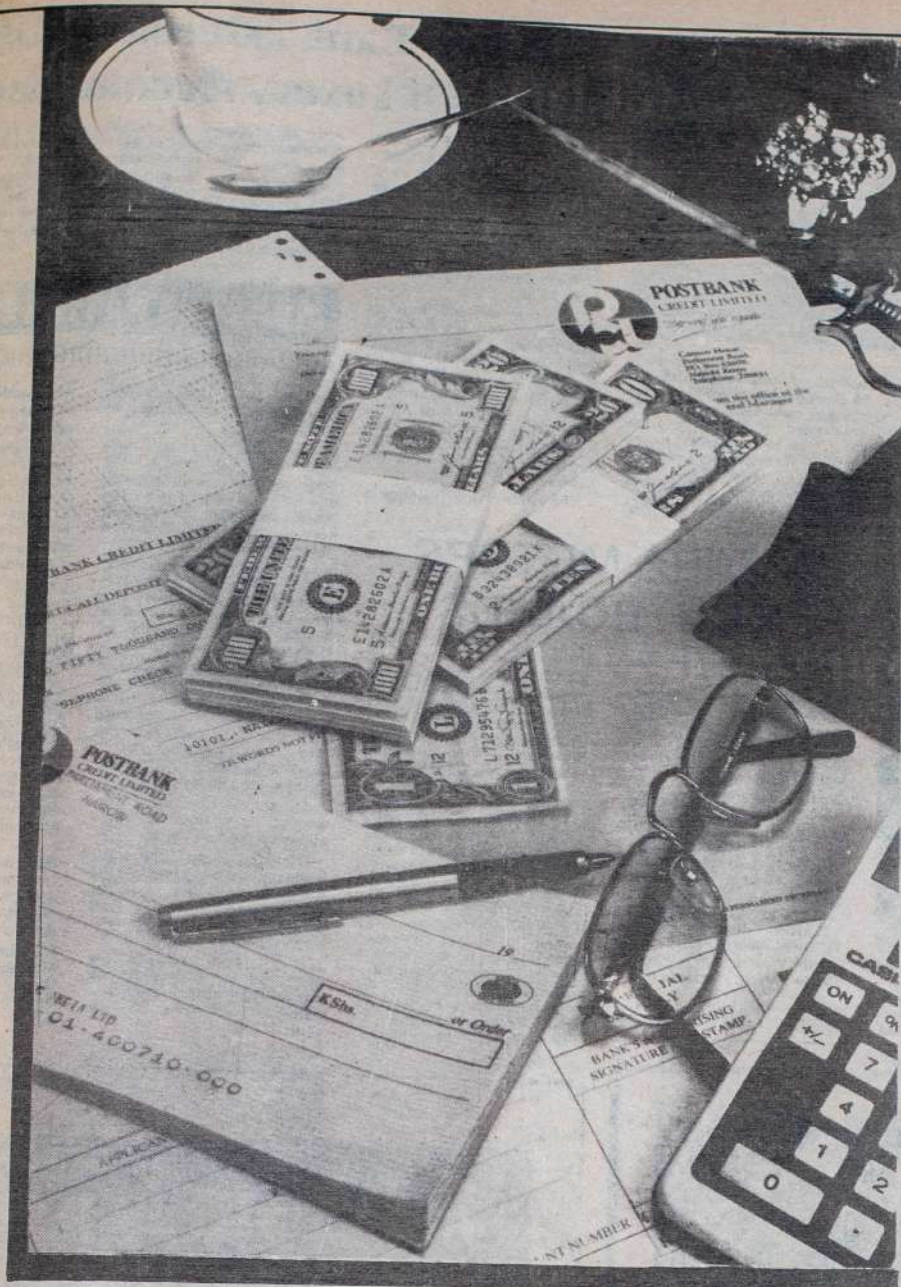
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INSTEAD OF ADOPTING the usual practice of engaging a qualified instructor from a non-African country, UNICEF has recently signed a contract with a Kenyan firm, Yamaha Motors, to provide on-the-job training in the repair and servicing of Yamaha marine outboard engines for mechanics working on the Sudan Relief and Rehabilitation Association project at Nasir, in southern Sudan. Mr John Basilio, Yamaha Motors training instructor, has already left for

Nasir where he will spend three months training the mechanics. Mr Basilio, a fully qualified Yamaha mechanic, who joined Yamaha Motors in February last year, conducts regular training courses in the repair and servicing of Yamaha outboards, motor cycles and power products for mechanics employed by Yamaha Motors 32 countrywide dealers. Mr Basilio (left) is seen instructing a group of mechanics from Western province on the servicing of an outboard



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The open sides and the glass roofing you can see from the outside ensure there is plenty of light and already the plants in the flower beds are flourishing.

As you enter the apartment, there is a utility room off to your left, with access through to the spacious kitchen. This can also be entered from the hallway.

The kitchen is well designed

with attractive wood fitted cupboards throughout, as well as a good-sized store room. The floor and work surfaces are finished in ceramic tiles.

The architects have cleverly made maximum use of the space, by installing a breakfast bar

On the other side is the master bedroom with ensuite bathroom and toilet.

The large sliding windows ensure the room is light and airy and there is a plant box outside the right-hand window, where a pretty little flower-bed

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(American-style), with folding louvre doors to the dining and living room.

When the doors are open the family can sit at the breakfast bar for a quick meal, or, for a dinner party, the hostess can close the doors to keep the workings and aromas of the kitchen from her guests.

On your right as you enter is a toilet and washroom and under the stairs there is a large box-room. The wide hallway has plenty of space and leads to the main living area.

The Lounge and dining room is very light and airy thanks to the large sliding French windows which open out onto the spacious balcony and offer wonderful views overlooking Likoni Channel and the Mombasa hinterland.

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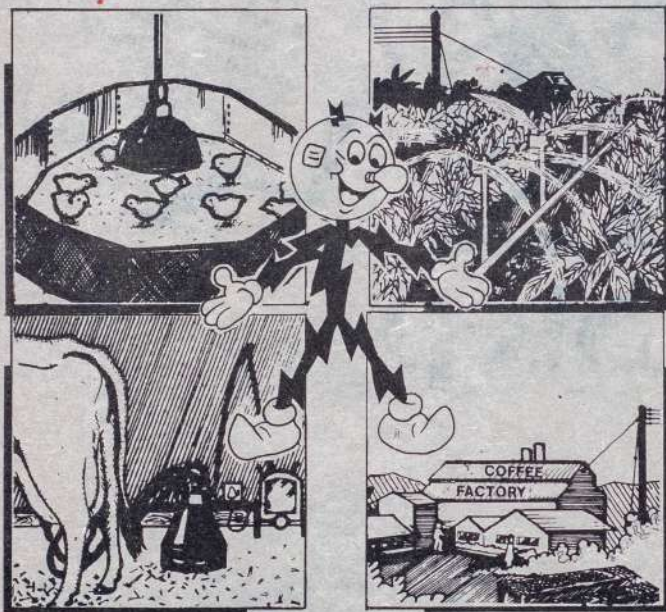
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## Jaswinder Singh Oberoi Inducted As Chairman Kilindini Rotary Club

OVER ONE HUNDRED and sixty Rotarians and guests from the Coast, Nairobi and overseas witnessed the induction of Jaswinder Singh Oberoi as Chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini for the year 1991-2 at a dinner party held at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental.

Mr Oberoi, who is Managing Director of Kudip Touring Company, in his maiden speech said that priority must continue to be given to water projects in the rural areas, as well as to boosting the club's charitable trust so that more can be done to help wananchi in need.

He appealed to all fellow Rotarians to assist the club in providing service to the community.

Jaswinder's induction as chairman of this Rotary Club fell on his eleventh wedding anniversary, and there was a cake to celebrate the occasion.

### ANNUAL REPORT

In his annual report the outgoing chairman, Lalit Doshi, said that during his year in office he had water projects in the Kilifi District—Takaungu and Mbatani—had been completed and handed over to villagers, and that he had kept his promise of launching a charitable trust for community projects with the aim of raising Shs one million. Mr Doshi, amid cheers, has surpassed this target and achieved our goal.

From this Charitable Trust Shs 1,000,000 has gone to the Mombasa Marga Mission towards building a classroom for its school, while Dindiri, Matopeni and Maweni Primary Schools in Kilifi District received 50

desks each.

The club also carried out a big tree planting exercise at the roundabout near Likoni Ferry, donated four wheelchairs also replaced and repaired, at a cost of Shs 40,000/-, road safety barriers at Mama Ngina Drive.

Fund raising activities to finance community projects included a golf tournament which realised over Shs 150,000/-, while a Fiat Uno car raised over Shs 800,000/- in a raffle.

During year year Rotarians visited two industries at the Coast—Mabati Rolling Mills and Tropical Processors. To enhance road safety, the club presented awards to the best accident free drivers in tour companies.

A Group Study Exchange team from Rotary International's District 109, England, visited the club early June. On World Community Service Day the focus by the club was on the Ziwani School for the Deaf which received a very good response from Sweden, England and South Africa. It also received a £400 matching grant from a Rotary Club in the UK.

Mr Doshi presented tokens of appreciation to Board Members and others who had assisted during his year in office.

In turn he was presented with a beautiful desk set bearing the Rotary emblem by a Senior Past Chairman, Rtn. Anand Rao Patel, as a memento from the club for a most outstanding year. Also at the Induction Night Dinner were two Past Governors of Rotary International's District 920—Pip Barnes and Jayanti Rajani.

### FROM PAGE ONE

Aerotech will do a good job

He went on 'this temporary extension will give us a chance to get rid of some of the bottlenecks and help relieve the whole situation there'

Mr Buchert has offered to supervise the internal design of this temporary extension, including counters etc 'if government can indicate that sufficient customs and immigration officers will be made available to ensure that this extra facility really works'

Meanwhile, while this summer season is proving much better than last year, a big problem is that of overbooking by lodges in national game parks and the shortage of accommodation to meet the increasing demand.

It was pointed out that while many hotels are opening on the coast, there is very little development as far as lodges are concerned with easy access of the coast.

Tour operators are having to pay out large sums of money in compensation to those booked in at a lodge being given inferior accommodation either there or elsewhere.

It is eroding the financial benefit they were anticipating during this very good tourist season. As well, many holiday-makers are returning home with a not too happy impression of Kenya—which could be very damaging to the industry.

### DOCTOR LEAKY

With this tourism boom expected to continue it is felt that urgent consideration should be given to the provision of a few more lodges in Tsavo National Parks, and the development of other protected areas for wildlife viewing in Kenya enabling tourists to stay there.

When addressing the Annual General Meeting of the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association at Severin Sea Lodge in May this year, Dr Richard Leakey, Director of Kenya Wildlife Service 'revealed that only six or seven wildlife areas are being utilised by about 90 per cent of the tourist traffic.

They include Amboseli, Maasai Mara, Samburu, Tsavo East and West, Shimba Hills, Nakuru and a little bit of the Aberdares.'

Adding 'yet we have 52 protected areas for wild life viewing in this country. Most are never visited by anyone because there are no roads, camp sites, lodges and no security'

He went on 'we expect to devote part of our investment to the opening up of these areas'

Said the chairman of the Kenya Association of Hotelkeepers' and Caterers, Joshua Mwendwa 'it is a fantastic summer season and much better than last year, and unless something else happens we hope it will continue throughout the winter season as well'

He mentioned that a big problem now was the 'shortage of accommodation in game park lodges'

He hoped that government will give this urgent consideration, as well as the improvement of the water situation at the coast. Also, the possibility of having a Causeway linking Port Reitz with Mtongwe and thus giving alternative access to the south coast for those arriving by air at Mombasa and staying at hotels on the fast developing south coast.

### JACKIE BOURNE

Thomson Tour Operations, a British tour operator, is also experiencing a booming tourist season which it is anticipated will continue into the winter season.

Said Jackie Bourne, Resort Manager in Kenya 'tourists are choosing to come to Kenya because it offers not only a good beach holiday but a safari to see wildlife in their natural habitat.

They are seeing more films about game parks but we are

## Extensions Plan For Moi Airport

finding it very difficult to get clients into lodges at the moment'

Adding 'we are being overbooked all the time and are having to use ranches, inns and camps as well as paying compensation to many who booked to stay at lodges but are having to put up with inferior accommodation elsewhere'

There is a desperate need for more accommodation in game parks'

She went on 'we are experiencing a much better summer season than last year with two charter flights bringing in around 500 tourists a week compared to 100 at this time last year.

However, problems as well as people have multiplied with overbookings in hotels and lodges. Many agents do not have enough buses for safaris that tourists want to do.

Moi International Airport urgently needs more facilities and staff to cope with the big influx of tourists arriving and departing there.

Another British tour operator, Kuoni Travel, reports an amazingly successful year and that by the end of 1991 they anticipate a 30 per cent increase in bookings for Kenya.

Its Resident Manager in Kenya, Angela Carpenter, revealed that Kuoni is bringing to Kenya in November over 50 top travel agents to experience for themselves what the country has to offer.

She also feels there is definitely a need for more lodge accommodation in game parks

as the safari market grows and mentioned that around 85 per cent of their clients go on safari while they are here

Over the last consecutive eight years Kuoni has been voted the Best Long Haul operator in Britain by British travel agents.

United Touring Company, Coast, reports that business is booming and much better than last year.

However, it is experiencing, along with other tour operators, many problems due to lodges taking the risk of overbooking in anticipation that some might cancel. Hardly anyone is doing so and instead there is a continuing heavy demand for accommodation.

### UTALII COURSE

Tourists were arriving at lodges only to be told they were 'full up'. Many were having to accept inferior accommodation there or elsewhere to what they had booked.

A spokesman for UTC, Coast, commented 'these lodges do not seem to realise that we are having to pay through the nose for every client who has to be accommodated in an inferior quality lodge or tented camp who say that because of this their holiday has been spoiled'. They are having to be refunded a considerable amount of money.

While business is good, it has brought with it many overbooking problems.

He, too, feels there is a need to open up more areas for game viewing and have more lodges. Adding 'but government must

take an active role in controlling this development as we do not want to see tented camps, lodges, mushrooming everywhere'

Another major tour operator, Pollman's Tours and Safaris, is also experiencing the same problem and feels that Tsavo East national park could possibly accommodate one or two more lodges without any problem.

The Managing Director, Karl Heinz Straus, pointed out that the problem in opening up areas

that are unknown to tourists is that it will be difficult in getting them to go there unless they are well promoted.

He said you can have the nicest game park in the world, but if you do not tell people about it, no one will go'

He revealed that Pollman's had spent more than Shs 200,000/- in compensation during July (which could be more in August) to tourists who had been inconvenienced by the overbooking problem at lodges and had no alternative but to accept something inferior.

Mr Straus also feels that the Ministry of Tourism together with the industry should decide on whether they want large numbers of tourists at cheap prices, or the more up-market client.

Adding 'as far as Kenya is concerned, I think there is no reason to go for quantity only and to sell our product at give away prices'

He went on 'I think we all have to work at improving the quality for tourists and to help in this direction suggested that Kenya Utalii College should have a branch at the coast—this being the region which attracts the most foreign exchange earnings for Kenya.

Mr Straus suggested that if this is not possible, Polytechnics might be used during vacation time for training purposes.



JASWINDER SING OBEROI is inducted as Chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini for the year 1991-92 by the outgoing chairman, Lalit Doshi. The ceremony took place at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental.

## PRESIDENT RECEIVES A WARM WELCOME

### FROM PAGE ONE

Chairman, Councillor Ali Bakari Garani formed the front line in welcoming the President and the entourage which included a good number of Cabinet Ministers.

A thunderous welcome awaited the President at Kilifi District where Hon. Katana Ngala, who is KANU Chairman in the District and Minister, Hon. Mwanza Keah who is also Assistant Minister, Hon. Bob Oya, Hon. Katana Nza, Hon. Mwanza Lewa and the Malindi Mayor, Councillor Morris Ngatia formed part of the dignified line in welcoming the President.

The Administrative cadre was led by the Coast Provincial Commissioner, Mr Simon Mwangi who did a wonderful job to make His Excellency President Moi's visit a most pleasant, superbly effective and

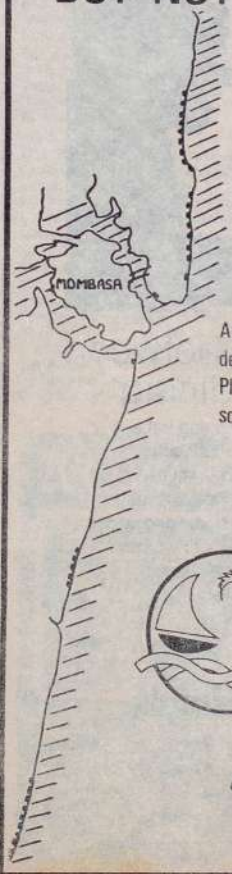
enjoyable.

All along, His Excellency President Moi assured the *wananchi* at the Coast, that the Government is here to serve them all—right from himself, as their President, down to the lowest hierarchy of both political and civil leadership. It is the supremacy of KANU, under the fatherly guidance of His Excellency President Moi, which has eradicated the evils of tribalism. He is definitely winning the war against that dragon—Tribalism and forging ahead with his noble ideal of creating a strongly united nation of Kenya.

The President, all along, acknowledged the *wananchi*'s thunderous cheers by holding aloft his baton; which the *wananchi* repeatedly and enthusiastically telling: "Sisi sote ni wana KANU waaminifu na tunampenda kidhati Rais wetu Moi."

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DESPITE LOSING HIS ARM IN ADDIS ABABA BOMB EXPLOSION:

# Cameraman Mohamed Amin Is Back At Work!

MOHAMED AMIN IS already on the road back to the frontline, cheered on by the spontaneous applause of some of the world's top media personalities such as Britain's Number One newscaster, Michael Buerk, who threw a surprise party for him here.

There were messages, too, from presidents, princes, and film stars including Stephanie Powers, starring here in the hit musical *The Matador*, who sent her "love and admiration".

Michael Buerk, who expressed his grief at the death of John Mathai, said the party was a celebration of "Mohamed Amin and the miracle of his life". Mr Buerk said that "Mo" was one of the top two television cameramen in the world and certainly the bravest.

Mr Amin, who apart from the empty shirt sleeve, looked as fit and relaxed as ever, told the guests that he would soon be back at work—even though surgeons had told him he could never use a camera again.

It sounded the death knell. But after he read through the messages of prayers and wishes for his recovery he vowed: "I will film again."

One letter in particular strengthened his determination. It was from a woman he did not know, Mrs Hirit Belai, an Ethiopian exile of Midhope Street, London.

She told "Mo", who was wounded in the aftermath of the

overthrow of the Mengistu regime:

"Like tens of thousands of other Ethiopians in the diaspora, I anxiously followed the events in Addis via the media. Your terrible accident sharply reminded us that without the brave sacrifices of people such as yourself we could never see events at home."

And she added: "Throughout the 1980s you have been our eyes, if those eyes are denied us because of your injuries all Ethiopians will be left in the dark. I very much hope that

Some acknowledged "Mo's" awesome resilience and bubbling sense of humour (and his business skills). WTN's Executive Producer Ed Helfer told him with a smile: "If anyone can bounce back it's you—and knowing you I'm sure you'll figure out a way to charge even more for your next assignments!"

Two weeks after the blast "Mo" was already bouncing back. He was, incredibly, at work in his Nairobi office, another anecdote to put in the scrapbook of a man held in awe by friends, colleagues and opposition.

Amin has demonstrated time and again that he does not know the meaning of defeat or despair. He said simply, "I'm lucky to be alive" and got down to rebuilding his life and career.

He now plans an intensive period of rehabilitation which he has begun by scouring the world for the most efficient artificial arm and hand. Fellow amputee and longtime friend Azhar Chaudry, also a distinguished Kenya photographer tried to get to "Mo's" bedside for four days—finally shouldering past doctors and nurse who barred his way.

Azhar, who lost a leg almost 30 years ago, was desperate to tell his friend:

"Don't be conned like I was." For after years of suffering forced on him by heavy and ungainly artificial limbs, Chaudry recently visited an American laboratory

**BRIAN TETLEY**  
from LONDON

you will soon recover, mentally as well as physically, from the horror."

It was Mohamed Amin's momentous and moving coverage of Ethiopia's 1984 famine that inspired the greatest act of giving the world has known. His film of victims dying of starvation sent a tidal wave of compassion sweeping across the world.

Mrs Belai's letter was just one of several thousand from such people as John Birt who takes over as Director-General of the BBC in 1992 and BBC chairman Marmaduke Hussey. And there were messages from Ambassadors and personalities around the world.



MOHAMED AMIN — "Beneath that brash and steely exterior beats a warm and generous heart!"

specialising in prosthesis and artificial limbs.

And he walked away without a limp or pain—and a new limb that is so lifelike that he can now go swimming. "You cannot tell it's artificial," says Mo. "It has synthetic flesh and hair and looks and feels like the real thing."

More importantly, 28 years after Azhar lost his leg—and he was an active sportsman—he has started running again and can take part in almost any sport.

Now "Mo" wants an artificial arm that will work as well for him for his mastery of photography, both still, cine and video, is unrivalled. And although his courage and fame as a television newsman have spread around the world, far fewer people know of his prolific work as a portrait, landscape and wildlife photographer.

"Mo" Amin has produced more than 30 magnificent pictorial books—on travel, cultures, wildlife, and religion.

And it's typical down his first major book—*Pilgrimage to Mecca*—he went ahead and published it himself.

More than 12 years and 70,000 copies later it's still in print—along with a bookshelf full of other titles such as his best-selling journey through series (Kenya, Pakistan, Tanzania, Nepal, Zimbabwe and, soon-to-be published, Maldives) which has sold almost half a million copies in six languages.

## His Talent As A Cameraman And Publisher

His talents as newsman, photographer and publisher are only equalled by his skills as producer and administrator. When he was only in his mid-20s he was production manager for the BBC's award-winning *Search for the Nile*.

Since then he has produced, and filmed, many major television documentaries, several of which have won awards.

His career, distinguished by his skill, courage and resourcefulness, so far has spanned three decades—60s, 70s, and 80s—and the world. He has filmed wars from the frontline, riots, disasters and tragedy at the centre of the action—and fame and suffering from the heart.

Countless millions have been moved to tears and resolve by the cutting edge of his lens and the fearlessness with which

he carries his cameras into action.

But if his books and films have endeared him to colleagues and audiences, his straight, often aggressive, no-nonsense talking have also earned him the enmity of a bitter few.

That's something which constantly surprises him. For beneath that brash and steely exterior beats a warm and generous heart—and a mind completely without malice or hatred.

And even though it's bound to be dangerous, even though we'll get the backlash of his tongue and temper, and even though we'll probably be underpaid and overworked, those of us privileged to work with him (as I have been the past 25 years) can't wait to be back in action—right behind but never in front—with "Mo" Amin.

# A 'Stout Effort' Award From Kenya

KENYA'S WORLD CLASS television cameraman, Mohamed Amin, has been nominated winner of the July 1991 Guinness Stout Effort Award.

Mr Amin was nominated the winner for his exceptional courage and determination to film again although his left arm has been amputated following an explosion in Addis Ababa while filming two months ago. His Soundman John Mathai was instantly killed during the explosion.

The panelists in making their nomination observed that Mr Amin has demonstrated that he does not know the meaning of defeat or despair and that he is willing to bounce back into action when he secures an efficient artificial arm.

Mr Amin becomes the eighth winner of the award which is declared every two months.

The panel of judges are Newspaper Editors in Kenya.

The panel committee sits on a non-voting Chairman, Mr Geoffrey Griffin, founder and director of Starbe boys Centre and former head of the Nairobi Youth Service. The award has no financial value and can be won by people of all ages.

TELEVISION FAME Amin's fame as a television newsman is best remembered for his moving coverage of Ethiopia's 1984 famine that inspired the world to move in and give, to save the millions of lives that at stake.

And besides filming wars, riots, disasters and tragedies, Amin has also produced 30 magnificent pictorial books on travel, cultures, witnesses and religion.

## GEMINI STARGAZING

**Virgo August 24 - September 22**  
If you have important messages to relay to people in distant places, now is the time to do so. Contacts made at this point can have fortunate results. Luck can be gained from them than had been anticipated.

**Libra September 23 - October 23**  
Your thirst for knowledge is likely to increase now and your ability to absorb and information can reach new heights. You should go about for a qualification that you need or are interested in obtaining. Your chances have never been higher.

**Scorpio October 24 - November 22**  
The present easygoing conditions can induce a rather dreamy state. You probably want to put your feet up and leave the hard work to others. And you would do well to follow your inclinations, at least to the extent of recharging your batteries.

**Sagittarius November 23 - December 23**  
It seems that people just won't be in the mood to give you the help you need. You may have to let certain chances in professional life go by the board. Existing business partners simply refuse to go along with your plans.

**Capricorn December 22 - January 20**  
Any activities outside the home that depend on the permission or backing of officials should get the go-ahead now. And many delays affecting business will be overcome for the same reasons. This is the time to keep an eye on the bottom line.

**Aquarius January 21 - February 18**  
There can be a lot of changing direction in the world of commerce today. You may have to work at a furious pace to keep up with these events. And you will maintain some grasp of the situation, losses can occur.

**Pisces February 19 - March 20**  
Differences of opinion can lead to the scrapping of projects that have already demanded a great deal of time and effort. People and circumstances conspire to bring out the worst in you. But you must avoid fights.

**Aries March 21 - April 20**  
Leave more time than is strictly necessary for travel. Assignment journeys are unlikely to go according to plan. Short trips, in particular, can be economically advantageous. Just allow for contingencies while on the move.

**Taurus April 21 - May 21**  
Your enthusiasm to reach the goals that are most important to you will be at a peak. Give all you've got to making current projects a success. And be direct attention you draw to your activities the better.

**Gemini May 22 - June 21**  
Your skill in putting startling ideas into practice will be hard to surpass. You will leave others wondering just how you do it. Your successes are likely to inspire your roots support. You may have enough energy left over to give other a helping hand.

**Cancer June 22 - July 22**  
People around you may be reluctant to give you the support you need. You will not see eye-to-eye with your over plans and arrangements. In fact, you will come in for a barrage of criticism. But this can be of an emotional rather than a practical nature.

**Leo July 23 - August 23**  
People and conditions can be unpredictable and difficult. You are likely to get into problems and delays no matter which tack you take. The harder you try to drive forward, the more stubborn the resistance will become. You are better simply to pull back and wait for more encouraging conditions.

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# SHIMBA LODGE WAITER RECEIVES AN HONESTY ON THE JOB AWARD

RECEIVING LOTS OF congratulations for his honesty was Julius Kivulai, Dining Room Waiter, Shimba Lodge, these coming not only from management and staff, but also the District Commissioner, Kwale. Mr Ali Koraine who, on behalf of Block Hotels, presented Julius with a certificate and cash award, writes *Neta Peal*.

For his honesty in handing over to management an envelope he had picked up during breakfast containing E245 sterling (KShs 11,000/-) Julius was honoured by being made 'Employee of the Month' for June.

The DC also presented 25 employees with Gold Stars and cash awards in respect of January to June. It is all part of an 'incentive scheme to help maintain high standards of service.

The service took place in the open-fronted dining room overlooking a favourite watering hole of elephant in the 75 sq mile Shimba Hills National Reserve, Kwale. The lodge is the only tree hotel at the coast and has been fully booked for June, July and August.

Present at the ceremony were Abdul Ali, Coast Area General Manager and Director, Block Hotels; Evan Mwaluma, Area Personnel and Training Manager; also Aris Lumhumyo, Manager, John Arkle, Resident Hon. Warden and Rose Nyarangi, Sales Manager—Shimba Lodge.

The DC told employees that tourism is Kenya's Number One earner of foreign exchange and noted that hotels on the south coast and Shimba Lodge (all in Kwale District) were presently enjoying very high occupancies. Congratulating Shimba Lodge



AN HONEST EMPLOYEE is rewarded. Julius Kivulai, Dining Room Waiter, Shimba Lodge (right), is seen being presented with a cash award and congratulations by the District Commissioner, Kwale, Mr Ali Koraine, on behalf of Block Hotels.

For returning the E245 sterling he had found Julius was honoured by being made 'Employee of the Month' for June. Looking on are L. Jige Manager, Aris Lumhumyo (standing) and Evan Mwaluma, Block Hotels Area Personnel and Training Manager.

on its popularity he told management and staff that this is very much due to your efforts in maintaining such good standards.

### THE GOVERNMENT

He pointed out that government depends very much on the tourist industry and asked them all to ensure that guests are looked after well and leave with good impressions of the country adding, they will not only return but also get their friends to come here as well.

The DC mentioned that last year he had visited Malaysia

where everyone makes a big effort to please tourists.

He also took the opportunity of congratulating the Domestic and Hotel Workers' Union on the south coast, as well as Joint Consultative Committees for solving problems that may occur.

Mr Abdul Ali told employees that since the Gulf War, Shimba Lodge had managed to attract very good bookings, which for June was 99.9 per cent. Adding 'this is very much due to your efforts'.

He went on 'Block Hotels is keen to recognise its best employees and will promote them so that future managers may not necessarily come from tourists but from within the group'.

Block Hotels, he said believes in 'training' and to this end had appointed a Training Manager. He urged employees to put into practise what they learn.

Continuing, Mr Ali said that in August 1991 Indian Ocean Beach Club, Diani, with 100 rooms will open. It was hoped that some employees from Shimba Lodge will be given preference in employment opportunities there.

Referring to the good relationship between management and works committee, he hoped that this might continue.

Mr Ali concluded by thanking the DC for sparing his valuable time to attend this function and to present awards.

On behalf of Block Hotels, Rose Nyarangi, Sales Manager, Shimba Lodge, presented the DC with a memento of his visit there.

Guests normally stay at Shimba Lodge for one night, which they combine with game drives in the reserve which is rich in plant and bird life, as

well as having a variety of wildlife.

John Arkle said efforts are being made to attract visitors to stay two nights for there is much to see and do.

They include interesting walks—one of about 30 minutes to Sheldrick Falls, as well as a full morning's walk along the lake at the back of the hills where there are about 50-60 species of birds, as well as elephant and buffalo.

The rare sable antelope is only to be found in this reserve in Kenya and at the moment they have many babies. There are also lots of warthogs, water buck, baboons, monkeys and quite a few leopard.

Nearly every day a herd of 16 elephant visit the Lodge, one quarter being under six months old. They love the water hole for displaying their aquatic skills, much to the amusement and enjoyment of guests. The Lodge also organises Sundowners in the reserve with camp fire and portable bar—from where there is a truly magnificent view of the setting sun over a vast expanse of Africa.

### EXCEPTIONAL

There are also 'champagne breakfast' in the bush.

Said Mr Arkle, in addition the plant life is exceptionally interesting. You have only to drive 20 minutes from here and you drop 600 feet where the plant life is completely different from that found around the lodge. You are then into a dry area as opposed to a remnant tropical rain forest. There you will see desert roses and cypresses which live up to a 1000 years and other interesting trees and plants.

Some trees are between 400-500 years old.



THERE WERE CONGRATULATIONS galore for Roble Gai, painter (second left) and Peter Mbaru, porter, who had been chosen by the Works Committee at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental as 'Employee of the Month' for July and August. They are seen with the hotel's Resident Manager Antoine Savegh (left) and Ahmed Seif, Personnel and Training Manager (right) after being presented with certificates and cash awards.

# PORTER PETER MBARU GETS DUE REWARDS

SELECTED BY THE Works Committee for being the Best Employee of the Month at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental were Peter Mbaru, Porter (July) and Roble Gai, Painter, (August) who were congratulated and presented with certificates and cash awards by the Resident Manager, Antoine Savegh, during a monthly get-together of management and staff in the ballroom.

Peter, who also assists at the reception, excels in his duties, while Roble—who has been with the hotel since it opened, does an excellent job and has had a good record throughout.

The Resident Manager took the opportunity of thanking all for their hard work, dedication and customer care which had enhanced the hotel's popularity.

He said 'business is not only excellent now but is expected to continue for some time'. He told employees how happy he was to be receiving so many complimentary comments from guests about their excellent service.

The Personnel Manager, Ahmed Seif, urged staff to maintain high standards which would not only benefit the hotel, but themselves. Adding 'because we are doing so well does not mean it is time to relax. Training programmes will continue enabling all to improve their performances'.

He concluded 'the success of the hotel depends very largely on management and staff', and appealed to all to work hard and so uplift the good reputation of the hotel even further.

# ZANZIBAR MUSICIANS ENTERTAIN AT LAVISH MOMBASA WEDDINGS

MOMBASA OLD TOWN turned into a wonder-land for three consecutive nights when residents celebrated two gigantic weddings with the Arabians nights' fantasies and grandeur from Friday evening to Sunday early morning.

They were record-breaking celebrations with both exotic and traditional activities, modern artifacts and cultural events.

They were also lavish and extravagant celebrations which attracted several thousands to both major venues of the celebrations—Bondeni and

ceremonies respectively at Nuru Mosque and Islamic Centre.

There followed huge luncheons on Sunday afternoon—with collective guests of over twenty thousands!! Historical luncheons—so well organized at both ends to the admirations of most who attended them.

The most significant aspect of

the Swahili speaking people of 'Mwambao' to such an extent that Mombasa KANU Branch seized a golden opportunity of inviting them to entertain the audiences at their political rallies being currently held at various venues.

The KANU Mombasa officials observed the pulling

his stay at the Coast for official opening of Mombasa National Agricultural Show. They have positively responded to the Mombasa KANU officials requests.

The two orchestras have also accepted invitation to K.B.C. Television production of 'Muziki Taratibu' which caters for Twarab enthusiasts.

The K.B.C. is so popular now that its popularity has extensively penetrated into up-country with an ardent request that the programme should now have its airing time changed into peak hours so that it could still afford several thousand to watch it.

Meanwhile, Ikhwani Swafaa has also accepted invitation to K.B.C. Television production of 'Muziki Taratibu' which caters for Twarab enthusiasts. The K.B.C. is so popular now that its popularity has extensively penetrated into up-country with an ardent request that the programme should now have its airing time changed into peak hours so that it could still afford several thousand to watch it. Meanwhile, Ikhwani Swafaa has also accepted invitation to K.B.C. Television production of 'Muziki Taratibu' which caters for Twarab enthusiasts.

by FARAJ DUMILA

Malindi where guests and smokers were marvellously entertained by the two famous Twarab orchestras.

Actually it was Twarab as the main attraction which superbly entertained the Old Town residents.

Hon. Said Hemed of Mombasa North Constituency and also the Assistant Minister of Forests and Natural Resources accepted the hands of his nephew: Hemed Sheikh Baitheh for his daughter; simultaneously his son got married to Binti Mohamed A. Al-Amody of Malindi.

While Sheikh Salim Ebrahim of Kikoni accepted the hands of Mohamed Ali Juma, the son of a prominent Nairobi businessman, the Managing Director of National Electronics, Mr Ali Juma whose traditional residence is at Old Town.

Their celebrations were conducted by a highly coast respected elder and a traditional Swahili leader, Sheikh Khamis Alkhang.

The Chief Kadhi of Kenya, Sheikh Nasser Nahdy and Sayyid Qadid conducted nuptial



YAHA WAKILI (left) singing "She is only interested in money", seen with KHADIJA BARAMIA "Patience has its own rewards", FATMA ALI "It is our true love", and T. BILI SILIM "Let me praise my love."



YUSUF MOHAMED (left) singing "Chori Chori... Kleptomania", seen with guitarist JUMA SAID HAMAD, vocalist BADI HASSAN "Changu ni Chako", and NASRA SALIM "Tunaridhiana"



SOUF ATHMAN (left) singing "In appreciation of our love", seen with KHADIJ OMAR "The Doctor of Love", FATMA SWALEH "We have made our own choice", and AISHA SWALEH "We have witnessed with our own eyes".

the weddings' celebrations is the invitation of the two most popular Zanzibari Twarab orchestras simultaneously. They have actually had an indelible cultural impact over

power Twarab has over crowds. The two orchestras—Culture and Ikhwani have been requested to stay on in Kenya so that they could also entertain His Excellency President Moi during

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**MOMBASA ROOTS BAND IN DEMAND**

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It is a very versatile band which also composes some of its own music and lyrics, among them being several big hits.

They are playing at Hotel Inter-Continental during Italian Night on Tuesdays (which not only offers some delicious Italian cuisine but also a sensational acrobatic show by the Fantastic Brothers,) as well as at Saturday's BBQ.

In addition, their pianist, Suleiman, entertains in the Ocean View Lounge each night of the week from 6—8 p.m., excluding Sundays.

On Wednesdays the hotel stages 'African Night' with traditional food and music, with entertainment by the Simba Six Band and the Ushikamano dancers.

Every second Thursday of the month in Le Club Discotheque there is a fashion show by Bombolulu displaying the latest creations from the Coast's first workshop for the physically handicapped.

Their designs and models are very 'with it'. The next Fashion Show will be on August 29.

**PROFESSOR JUMA TROUPE**  
Entertaining in Le Club on Fridays is 'Professor' Juma and his troupe of agile acrobats, fire eaters, limbo dancers, Professor Juma is also a very mirthmaking clown.

Sunday's Curry Buffet Lunch in the Frangipani Restaurant is very popular not only with local people but guests from all over the world. Entertaining between 12.30—4 p.m. on the Pool Terrace is the Salna Jazz Band.

**DELICIOUS NEW MENU FOR THE 'VASCO DA GAMA' GRILLROOM**

FORMERLY OF LONDON'S famous Ritz Hotel, Paul Jones, Executive Chef, Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental, has for the past few months been engaged, among other things, in creating a new menu for the Vasco da Gama Restaurant which has been described as a gourmet's paradise.

It will include Loin of Lamb wrapped in a mint crust—a dish created by Richard Shepherd of the Ritz.

Said Paul 'It was my favourite dish when I was there. I have changed it slightly and serve

of this fish each week. It is very similar to trout'.  
Paul has been at Hotel Inter-Continental for 1½ years and is getting to know what is available on the market such as sweetbreads from Vipingo

and black bass from Lake Naivasha. He said 'we are getting produce from all over Kenya and sometimes have to pay more than expected so as to obtain the best quality when in short supply'.

He mentioned that a new line being introduced in the Vasco da Gama Restaurant that of offering diners the opportunity of choosing the size and of saying how they would like them cooked.

From the Dessert Table containing ice cream, fresh fruit, cheese etc, a menu will be offered of four exotic à la carte dishes.

Meanwhile, the hotel is spending thousands of shillings on new equipment for its kitchens, as well as on general improvements there.

Regularly taking place here are courses on hygiene for the kitchen staff.



Executive Chef Paul Jones

**NETA PEAL reports**

with a port wine sauce and little pastry cases stuffed with apples'.

He explained that the Kenya Mulu Lamb is sauteed in a little garlic and then wrapped in brown bread which has been soaked in cream and sprinkled with mint. It is tightly squeezed, wrapped in foil and placed in the refrigerator for two hours. On a bed of root vegetables it is roasted for exactly nine minutes. It is then left to rest for a short while before carving.

He went on 'the new menu will be reduced from 49 to around 33 dishes so as to allow more time to concentrate on perfection'.

Due to their continued popularity three dishes so as to allow more time to concentrate on perfection'.

Due to their continued popularity three dishes are being retained these being Beef Fillet Madagascar, Chicken Vasco da Gama and marinated Red Snapper. Said Paul, with a laugh, 'I think that if I deleted the latter from the menu I would upset many patrons'.

He went on 'these will blend with the new creative dishes such as a Mille Feuille of Sweetbreads, and marinated Black Bass from Lake Naivasha.

**ENGLISH MUSTARD**

Here Paul revealed how the black bass is prepared. It is first filleted and boned, then a paste of sugar, a little salt and freshly chopped dill, English mustard and lemon juice spread over. The two fillets are placed together, wrapped in cling film and left in the refrigerator for seven days. The paste is then washed off and English mustard and freshly chopped dill spread over them very lightly.

They are then left for 30 minutes before being thinly sliced and served with a garnish.

Said Paul 'we get deliveries

**THE PROFESSIONAL TOUCH IS STRESSED**

'ON THE JOB' TRAINING is a continuous exercise at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental and benefiting from the professional expertise of the Executive Chef, Paul Jones (late of London's famous Ritz) and Abdulwahid Ali, Sous Chef, (Kenya's chef of the year in 1986 who has trained in some of the world's famous culinary centres).

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AUSLÄNDISCHE Kapitalanleger haben großes Vertrauen in die kenianische Tourismusindustrie; immer mehr neue Hotels werden gebaut, bestehende werden erweitert und verbessert.

Bei der großen Konkurrenz in der unberechenbaren Tourismusbranche ist es unbedingt notwendig, die Hotels zu modernisieren, um sie dem höchsten internationalen Standard anzupassen.

Der Besitzer eines der ältesten Hotels in Malindi, Herr Lacy von Menyhart, Managing Director des *Eden Roc Hotels*, steht an vorderster Front, um diese Herausforderung anzunehmen. Bereits wurde ein großer Teil des Hotels abgerissen, das für schätzungsweise Shs 25 Millionen neu aufgebaut wird. Das ganze Projekt sollte in rund zwei Monaten abgeschlossen sein.

Die Hotelleitung, darunter Herr und Frau von Menyhart, erachtet die Modernisierung als wichtigsten Schritt, um die Zukunft des Tourismus in Kenia zu sichern, denn in unserer sich ständig verändernden Welt werden die Wünsche der Touristen immer anspruchsvoller.

Das *Eden Roc* ist eines der beliebtesten Hotels in Malindi, besonders bei den deutschen Touristen, von denen manche seit 15 Jahren jedes Jahr wieder kommen. Es gibt sogar einige Stammgäste, die 50 Mal in diesem Hotel gewohnt haben und deshalb zu "Freunden des *Eden Roc*" ernannt wurden. Als Anerkennung für ihre Treue hat ihnen das Hotel freie Unterkunft offeriert.

Für ein Hotel, das dieses Jahr sein 25jähriges Bestehen feiert, ist ein Renovierungsprogramm angebracht und wird in jeder Beziehung nur Vorteile bringen.

Tropicana Hotels Limited - von Herrn und Frau von Menyhart gegründet, die als Touristen nach Kenia gekommen waren und beschlossen, in diesem Lande zu leben und Geld in die Hctellerie zu investieren - übernahm 1966 das *Eden Roc* mit damals 40 Betten.

In der Zwischenzeit wurde stets umgebaut und angebaut, so daß das Hotel heute über 320 Betten verfügt. Es ist immer gut besucht und wird sehr oft für Konferenzen und Tagungen benützt.

**ERWEITERUNG**  
 Zu Beginn wurde das Hotel mit Shs 2,5 Millionen hergerichtet, aber bereits ein paar Jahre später wurden Erweiterungen und Verbesserungen durchgeführt für weitere Shs 3,5 Millionen und die Bettenzahl von 40 auf 200 erhöht. Da das Hotel nun viel mehr Gäste aufnehmen konnte, war es auch an der Zeit, eine neue Empfangshalle, große moderne Küche, drei Bars und Konferenzräumlichkeiten zu bauen. Dieser Umbau erfolgte 1971, aber bereits ein Jahr später investierte das Management wiederum Shs 3,5 Millionen, um ein dreistöckiges Gebäude zu errichten mit zusätzlich 120 Betten.

# Die Erfolgsgeschichte der Tropicana Hotels

Fünf Jahre später fand das Management, daß für die jungen Besucher ein Nachtclub wünschenswert wäre und eröffnete 1975 die *Club 28 Diskothek*. Der Club ist sehr beliebt und ist das ganze Jahr geöffnet.

Herr von Menyhart erklärte, daß das gegenwärtige Modernisierungsprogramm dem allgemeinen Trend folgt, wonach die heutigen Touristen maximalen Komfort und besten Service verlangen und auch bereit sind, dafür zu bezahlen.

Herr von Menyhart führte die Pressevertreter auf einem Rundgang durch das Hotel und wies darauf hin, daß die öffentlichen Räume, die Rezeption, der Swimmingpool, der Konferenzsaal, zwei Bars und eine Bar-Disco-Halle abgerissen wurden



HOTELIER Lacy von Menyhart.

und neu aufgebaut werden.

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Wie Herr von Menyhart bemerkte, ist diese Investition von Shs 25 Millionen das beste Zeichen für das Vertrauen in die Zukunft der Tourismusindustrie in Kenia.

Er wies jedoch darauf hin, daß die Infrastruktur in einer Stadt wie Malindi sehr zu wünschen übrig läßt und forderte die verantwortlichen Behörden auf, die Straßen zu reparieren. Seit kurzem werden große Beträge an "Service Charge", eine Art Gemeindesteuer, erhoben, die auch für die Verbesserung öffentlicher Dienste wie Wasser- und Stromversorgung verwendet werden sollten.

# ÜBERRASCHENDE ERGEBNISSE AM MOMBASA MARATHON

DAS WICHTIGSTE Sportereignis in Kenia und der größte internationale Marathon in Afrika, der im Juli dieses Jahres durchgeführt wurde, brachte einige überraschende Resultate.

Unter den fünfzig ausländischen Teilnehmern war die Italienerin Maria Grazia Navacchia, die allen voran den Titel der Damen errang mit 2:51:00, vor der früheren Rekordhalterin Florence Wangechi (Kenia - 2:59:34) und Champion Blanka James (Tansania - 3:16:00).

Es ist das erste Mal, daß die Afrikanerinnen in ihrem eigenen Land von einer Ausländerin übertroffen wurden. Grazia gewann den begehrten Preis, eine Pauschalreise für zwei Personen mit Aufenthalt in der Severin Sea Lodge, einen Barpreis von Shs 20.000, eine Coca Cola Goldmedaille sowie den Serudo-Reise-Pokal. Sie hat an verschiedenen internationalen Marathonläufen teilgenommen, unter anderem in Tokio und Los Angeles.

Ein großer Ansporn für viele Teilnehmerinnen war der "Jackpot" für die Afrikanerin, die die Strecke in 2 Std. 45 Minuten zurücklegt. In den letzten zwei Jahren hat das Golden Beach Hotel für diesen Zweck je Shs 30.000 gespendet. Da es bisher niemandem gelang, den Preis zu gewinnen, stehen für nächstes Jahr Shs 90.000 auf dem Spiel! Der zweimalige Goldmedaillengewinner Dan Nzioka war auch dieses Jahr der Sieger im "Trust Bank International Marathon" und kann nun den Serudo-Reise-Wanderpokal behalten, nachdem er den Marathon dreimal hinter-

einander gewonnen hat.

Dan Nzioka, ein Angestellter der kenianischen Eisenbahn, legte die 42 km zurück in 2:20:02.

Als Sieger gewann er 1000 Dollar, den Wanderpokal und zum dritten Mal eine Goldmedaille von Coca

Cola. Zweiter war Samwel Okenwa mit 2:21:50, gefolgt von John Moundu mit 2:22:00 auf dem dritten Platz.

Die 13jährige Pamela Chepchumba aus Turkana kam bei den Junioren im 10 km Lauf als erste ans Ziel in 0:25:00. Zweite war Susan Chepkemk (15), ebenfalls aus Turkana, mit 0:28:51. Susan nimmt oft an 10 km Läufen teil und machte von sich reden, als sie mit 13 Jahren im Mini-Marathon in Rotterdam gewann.

## KANADA

Einzigartig ist der Kanadier Wally Herman aus Ottawa, der in Mombasa mit 64 Jahren am 341. Marathon teilnahm. Er begann mit 50 Jahren, als ihn ein Freund aufforderte, sich 1975 für den ersten "Toshika National Capital Marathon" anzumelden.

1985 war Wally Herman der erste Läufer, der sich in jedem Distrikt und Staat in den USA und in jeder Provinz in Kanada an einem Marathon beteiligt hatte. Als Marathonläufer bereiste er 38 Länder, zuletzt Kenia.

Der Überschuss aus dem Mombasa Marathon kommt dem Kipchoke Keino Waisenhaus und der Kinderwohlfahrt von Kenia zugute. Durch Kipchoke Keino wurde das gerade unabhängig gewordene Kenia weltberühmt in Sportkreisen, als er zwei Weltrekorde aufstellte: im 3000 m und im 5000 m Lauf.

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Der Mombasa Marathon wird hauptsächlich von der Tourismusindustrie unterstützt, von Firmen wie die unter deutscher Leitung stehende Severin Sea Lodge, Lake Nakur Lodge, African Dream Village, Golden Beach Hotel. Weitere Sponsoren sind Pollman's Tours and Safaris als offizielles Reisebüro für den Marathon, Kenya Airways und American Airways. Letztere spendete drei Rückflugkarten London - Los Angeles für die Gewinner des 42 km Laufes, des 10 km Laufes und für den "Rollstuhlgewinner".

Die kenianische Eisenbahn offerierte wiederum Transport für die Sportler von Nairobi nach Mombasa und zurück, einschließlich Verpflegung während der Reise. Der Hauptsponsor ist jedoch die Trust Bank Limited, die einen Check von Shs 250.000 überreichte. Aus diesem Grunde wurde das Sportereignis dieses Jahr "Trust Bank Mombasa Marathon" genannt.

Jedes Jahr startet und endet der Internationale Mombasa Marathon bei der Severin Sea Lodge in Bamburi (die Gründerin des Marathons). Nächstes Jahr wird der 8. Mombasa Marathon am 7. Juni 1992 abgehalten.



DAN NZIOKA, der Sieger im Trust Bank Mombasa Marathon. Da er den Mombasa Marathon bereits zum dritten Mal hintereinander gewann, konnte er den Wanderpokal behalten.

# MEERWASSERENTSALZUNGSANLAGE FÜR ALLIANCE HOTELS IN DIANI

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Alliance Hotels kontaktierte Aquifer Limited, eine lokale Firma, gegründet von Mike Kirkland, Elio Balletto und Ngari Mahiu. Sie hatten festgestellt, daß bei der ständigen Zunahme des Tourismus in Kenia der chronische Wassermangel immer schlimmer wurde. Immer neue Hotels benötigten Trinkwasser, obwohl genügend Wasser unterirdisch

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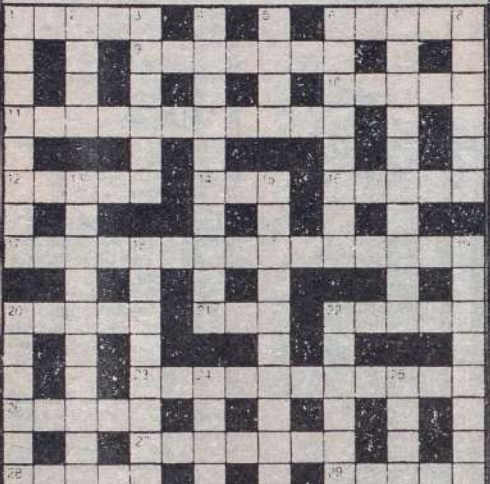
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  - Kindly barbarian taking in the old lady (5)
  - I twice get involved with the Baron to find capital (7)
  - Material connection between New York and London briefly (5)
  - Attempt to get the lot by doing some bowling? (4, 4, 3)
  - Something to be said for consumer appreciation (5)
  - World to take in when the sailors have gone (3)
  - Little weight given to a unit in the art (5)
  - Pictures of agents at work? (15)
  - Very much inclined to cause sales resistance (5)
  - The girl in the loose fisherman's jersey (3)
  - He could meet a fellow in a new town (5)
  - One may feel the breeze in this way (3, 6)
  - Characteristic art brought back with it (5)
  - A middleman would be out of place here (7)
  - Correct some of them finally (5)
- DOWN
- Such a race about a song! (5)
  - Not one of the big property men (8)
  - Growing high in status (4)
  - Revenue from entrance fees? (6)
  - They protect office information sources (4, 6)
  - One might be said to make it in boom trading (4)
  - Devil take him at last! (8)
  - Our mad solo turn stinks! (10)
  - No time for the minority? (6)
  - See how an investment might turn out well (10)
  - Layer not needing to be plugged in? (7, 3)
  - Reckoned to be due (8)
  - Healthy way of greeting a superior? (8)
  - Cunning advance and it's let converted (6)
  - Half the wine to that girl means trouble! (6)
  - She gets less from the unsparing (4)
  - Raise the position about Victor's head being bad (4)

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# The 'London Taxi' Market Is Facing A Difficult Time?

The stark truth is that the parastatal taxi company has gone upmarket and purchased (or has been bequeathed) some rather snazzy cars and they can afford to charge reasonable

**COASTDRIVE with PATRICK OBATH**

rates so they end up being the first choice for transport.

The London cab is not as popular yet among the locals and they have to rely nearly entirely on tourists or overseas guests for their custom.

This leaves them at the mercy of the various seasons when droves of visitors come into the country.

It also makes sense that recently a well known credit card company signed an agreement with the cabs that people could use that card to pay for the taxi fare.

Your average Kenyan does not use plastic money that freely but most of the outside people visiting this country have some form of plastic which they can use to pay for services.

For the credit card company that thought out the strategy we take off our hat.

It would seem that tourists and overseas visitors affect our lives in more ways than one.

Who would have thought that they would be sending Kenyans on the way to having buses where you do not pay but just whisk your card through the machine and at the end of the accounting period, your account has been automatically debited for your frolics in a bus, taxi zoo or where ever it is that one goes to have fun.

Talking of having fun, Kachumbari tells me of a bus load of tourists who went out

on a sightseeing tour round Mombasa.

They saw all the sights one would normally expect to see round town and a little bit more.

There is this fellow who keeps popping up at places where traffic is slow and asking for a shilling.

Most recently he was seen to favour the Saba Saba traffic lights. He always asks for one shilling "ya kununua chai".

A lot of people do give him the shilling or whatever change there happens to be lest the guy go crazy and start doing things like banging on the window or even spit at the

driver like I saw once in Nairobi.

The groups of tourists all donated some form of currency to this fellow and others promised to give him a change of clothing.

I was used to seeing the fellow wearing a filthy kanzu.

A few days later, Kachumbari told me that the fellow appeared at his usual haunt dressed in a smart second hand cut pair of jeans and a yellow designer T-shirt.

Obviously the tourists had kept their word.

But the mad man has since disappeared from sight or has perhaps gone to soil his new clothes till they are really black so as to give him the courage to stand at the roadside looking really awful and so justify his begging.

As Kachumbari says, life is hard these days!



ONE OF THE LUCKY winners of the Diners Club Africa "Sign Your Way to a Free Holiday" monthly draw, Mr Jackie Parmer receives his prize from Diners Club Sales and Marketing Manager, Mr Peter Ritho. Mr Parmer who is the Managing Director of Big Five Tours and Safaris was one of three Diners establishment winners in a recent monthly draw. The others were Designers Private Collection and Capolinea Limited. The "Sign Your Way to a Free Holiday" draw, gives Diners Club members and establishments a chance to win fabulous holidays at a choice of four destinations at the Coast, the Mara and Nanyuki.

KACHUMBARI WAS KILLING himself with laughter over a newspaper article that he was reading the other day.

I asked him what was funny and he pointed out an article about the threat that was looming over the Nairobi "London" taxis.

It appears, according to the article, that someone did not do their mathematics correctly and advised the folk in the co-op movement that they should get rid of their old jalopies that had yellow lines painted down the side and go for these new look and custom made cabs.

It looks as though the individual who made the wrong assumption that the consumer needs for the commuting public in Kenya would mean that more people would appreciate the extra leg room and additional comfort provided by the "London" taxi.

This would have meant that more people now than then would use taxis to get round the city.

I believe that at the same time, the only taxi parastatal still existing in Kenya had more of the dilapidated vehicles than the "freebies" that were a legacy from the meeting of the Heads of State in Kenya not so long ago.

In short the market looked good for those wishing to meet in a good looking taxi.

Volatility is apparently quite different. Money is tight in Kenya and people are not plating out as much as was thought on using taxis to get round.

The price of fuel has also put pressure on the commuting taxis. Banks do not give money for free and the interest rates have not helped soften the blow for the London taxi cab owners.

It seems that the repayment of the loans that were given is proving somewhat difficult and the owners of the money want to take back the taxis they financed.

Quite a number of people could be affected by this move as several families could have been wiped out.

## Hotels Want Action On Dangerous Road

AN ACCESS ROAD leading to several major hotels at Shanzu full of potholes and appeals to the Mombasa Municipal Council for its repair have gone unheeded—despite all paying a service charge and tourism Kenya's Number One source of foreign exchange.

The awful and dangerous state of this road leading from the Mombasa and Malindi road prompted Hotel Inter-Continental to do something out themselves and Shs 145,000/- spent by them on its repair in February.

Although approached, no other establishment was asked to contribute, its repair considered the responsibility of the Mombasa Municipal Council.

Heavy rain has, unfortunately, returned the road to its former dangerous pot-holed state and once again Hotel Inter-Continental has approached other major establishments at Shanzu for a joint self-help effort to repair it.

So far, there has been no response.

In the meantime, the hotel requests we have received a promise of help in getting the council to name and register the road will then fall under its jurisdiction and be repaired.

The hotel spokesman revealed that recently a meeting had taken place with a representative from the District Officer's Office, Kisumu, concerning the extremely bad patch of road leading from the hotel's main gate to Serena Beach Hotel.

He said "when it rains it looks like there are two swimming

pools there".

At that meeting, it was claimed, six establishments in the Shanzu area had indicated their willingness to contribute Shs 50,000/- each (totalling Shs 300,000/- towards its repair.

Consequently, said the hotel spokesman "we were expecting work to start within the next few days. However, up till now (August 20) nothing more has been heard, although this officer did promise to come back with more details".

He went on to claim that it was this officer who had promised to try and help in getting the other road leading from the main Mombasa and Malindi road adopted by the Mombasa Municipal Council and given a name.

"Everyone" he said 'had been delighted with his offer of assistance'.

The hotel spokesman pointed out that hundreds of tourists from all over the world are having to travel over this awful road to reach their hotels, and are aghast at its state.

### AN APPEAL

Adding 'these hotels are honouring all their commitments to government and council, but are not seeing any improvement, nor receiving any encouragement as to how to get the road repaired'.

He concluded 'I would once again like to appeal to the Mombasa Municipal Council and Ministry of Tourism to personally inspect the state of this road with a view to urgent action being taken'.



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## MWTAPA - KILIFI YACHT RACING

A COMPETITION HAS been arranged at Kilifi for yachts, arranged by Philip Mason and described as "a light-hearted Fun day at Sea".

It starts from Kenya Marina, Mtapa Creek at 9.00 a.m. on Sunday September 1, and is due to finish at the Swynford Boatyard at Kilifi around 1.00 p.m. in time for lunch there.

Eight yachts have been entered and some of those visiting yachts now moored in

**Our Correspondent reports from Kilifi:**

Kilifi Creek will cruise to Mtapa "in company" the day before the race.

Kenya Marinas has organised a barbecue at Mtapa Creek to take place on the Saturday evening of August 31, when the yachts arrive.

The following morning the yachtsmen will congregate at the bar of Kenya Marinas before

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**INTER-CONTINENTAL HOTEL Mombasa Football team** has recently played three friendly matches and managed to win two games with one draw. The team which comprises of young and talented players beat Nyundo - A Provincial side 2 goals-1. Other results were:- Inter-Continental Hotel (Mombasa) - 1 - Leisure Lodge - 0, Inter-Continental Hotel (Mombasa) - 1 - Mombasa

**Sports Club - 1.** The full team are: standing (from left) - M. Backy (Team Manager) K. Shahaka, A. Marisel, P. Mulwa, S. Omar, S. Ndombi, A. Mwinishee, M. Abdalla (Captain), A. Anyanzwa and S. Warui. Sitting (from left) - R. Maige, S. Ogweni, A. Athuman, M. Hassan, A. Basheikh, A. Seif, and J. Mupe.

## Ganjoni Youngsters Facing The Mombasa Wanderers

GANJONI YOUNGSTERS FC are expected to jump to the second position in the on-going Mombasa District Division One League when they clash against Mombasa Wanderers 'B' in a Zone 'A' match to be played at Mombasa Municipal Stadium today from 4.45 p.m.

Any margin victory for Youngsters today will enable

Kongowea, Brooke Bond (1), follow in that order.

In Zone 'B', Young Rovers 'A' tackle Kiziwi Leopards at Mbaraki Police ground, Soweto clash against Samia Sharpshooters at Shimanzi and Dundee United 'A' meet Libati Heroes at Tononoka ground, in matches to be held tomorrow.

Kabwe Warriors play Hippo at Shimanzi ground today in a division two league match from 4.45 p.m. Division three fixtures for tomorrow: Young Rovers 'B' vs Dayton (Police), Dundee 'B' vs Taifa Stars (Tononoka), Kikilacho vs Kilindini (Shimanzi) Matches to start at 2.45 p.m.

by Abdul R. Shariff

them to dislodge Administration Police from second spot on goal aggregate. Wanderers are warned in advance to be careful as Ganjoni striker Suleiman Rashid will try to increase his goal-scoring tally.

Currently Rashid is leading scorers' chart with nine goals to his credit. He is all set to pocket cash prize of Shs 1,000/- promised by former Feisal striker Ali Marambe and ex-Coast soccer administrator Hatim Bana who also pledged to donate a trophy.

Black Panther are still leading the Zone 'A' standing with 13 points from eight matches, minus their last night's game against Ngome. Administration Police are second with 12 points while Bayern Munich in third position with 11 points but with a game on hand.

Kenya Pipeline are fourth (10 points), Ganjoni Youngsters (10), Shooting Stars, Segwa Warriors (8), Kenya Police, Nyoka (7), Wanderers 'B', Ngome (6), Commandos (5), Chipukizi (4).

## KARIM SWEEPS DOUBLE CROWN

AASIF KARIM BECAME the double crown winner of the Trade Bank Limited-sponsored Coast Open Tennis Tournament which concluded at the Mombasa Sports Club last weekend, writes *Abdulrahman Sheriff*.

Karim proved his superiority in the men's singles, lifting the title after beating Second Seed Norbert Oduor of Nairobi 6-2, 6-4.

Later, the Coastal tennis superstar partnered with Marilyn Reid to record 6-4, 6-1 victory over a pair of Kish Shanghavi and Grace Makuku during the final of mixed doubles event.

In the men's singles semi-finals, top seeded Karim beat Number Three Duncan Odipo 6-2, 6-0 while Oduor knocked out Fourth Seed Samuel Kipkoeh 6-2, 6-0 to qualify for the final.

Letizia Bel Bue proved that her top seeding was a fair decision when she became the ladies singles champion, beating Second Seed Grace Makuku 6-3, 6-4 during a hard-fought final match.

In the semis, Letizia eliminated Peris Kimani with 6-1, 6-0 victory while Makuku sent Mary Wilunda packing with 6-1, 6-1 win to sail to the final.

Duncan Odipo paired with Samuel Kipkoeh to become the men's doubles winners after scoring a narrow 6-3, 6-4 win over a pair of Carlo Vitulli and G. Glittenburg.

Judy Aldrick and Shammim Nurmohammed emerged the

women's doubles champions when they edged Sarah Oloo and Tina Wacheka 6-2, 6-1 in the final clash.

Trade Bank Mombasa Branch Manager Suresh Patel and his wife, presented the winners, runners up, semis and quarter



• AASIF KARIM

finalists with cash prizes amounting to Shs 30,000/-.

A top official of the organizing committee, Kish Shanghavi told COASTWEEK that this year's tournament attracted more than 70 participants adding that the figure would have been high had it not been for the Kenya Junior Open being held at the same time.

Many Coast juniors could not participate in the Coast Open as they were taking part in a national junior tournament.

\* Shanghavi said they will make sure the 1992 Coast Open does not clash so Coast and Up country junior could participate

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**SUNDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.05m at 07.59 hours and 2.41m at 20.18 hours  
 Low Water - 0.74m at 01.31 hours and 0.96m at 14.20 hours

**MONDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.79m at 08.58 hours and 2.13m at 21.35 hours  
 Low Water - 1.00m at 02.13 hours and 1.22m at 15.32 hours

**TUESDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.61m at 10.41 hours and 2.08m at 23.56 hours  
 Low Water - 1.27m at 03.22 hours and 1.29m at 17.50 hours

**WEDNESDAY:**  
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**THURSDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.38m at 01.41 hours and 3.05m at 14.10 hours  
 Low Water - 1.07m at 07.30 hours and 0.73m at 20.26 hours

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GANJONI Y'STERS	7	5	0	2	14	7	10
SHOOTING STARS	8	3	2	3	11	11	8
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NYOKA	6	3	1	2	10	10	7
WANDERERS 'B'	8	1	4	3	7	6	6
NGOME	7	2	2	3	6	10	6
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