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# Concern Expressed On Water Supplies

'LOW PRESSURE' AND CONTINUING SHORTAGES WORRY COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY AND COAST TOURIST TRADE

THE MOMBASA AND COAST Tourist Association is most concerned about the water situation along the Kenya Coast and on Mombasa Island—despite assurances that the government over the past two years has been doing more than ever before to provide sufficient water, including the tapping of additional sources.

The target of one million tourists is expected to be achieved this year—this representing 30 per cent more than originally anticipated. In addition, many new hotels at the Coast will be opening.

With the 'peak' tourist season drawing near the Association invited the National Water Conservation and Pipeline Corporation's Regional Manager, Coast, Mr P.G. Munoru to its recent committee meeting at

being filled. Consequently, booster pumps cannot work to supply water above ground floor level.

For a long period many have not enjoyed the luxury of a shower and many toilets are stinking.

Many on the ground floor receive water for only a very short period each day, while others may go without water for several days.

While there was an improvement in the situation during the time of the Mombasa ASK Show—since then the situation has deteriorated.

**'FULL CAPACITY'**

Mr Munoru told MCTA that the pumping equipment for Sabaki Pipeline Water Supply Scheme is presently being overhauled and that before the start of the peak tourist season in November the Baricho Station, Malindi, should be fully operational and running to full capacity.

He also gave an assurance that the equipment there would be regularly maintained and revealed they are considering contracting a reputable firm to look after the maintenance of the electro-mechanical equipment there. Mr Munoru stressed that the most important point now is to ensure that current production levels are maintained and, where possible, to augment them.

However, he said 'you will appreciate that something more substantial cannot be done before November'.

He went on 'there is a population of around 1.6 million in the Mombasa and Coastal areas (the coastal corridor and hinterland areas to Mzima).

**'NEW FINANCE'**

We do realize that the current production levels meet only a small proportion of what is seen as the current demand'.

However, said Mr Munoru 'we are seeking sources of finance for major development work'.

We hope some funds might shortly become available from the World Bank to carry out some remedial work on existing sources of supply, notably at Baricho and part of Mzima Pipeline, as well as some minor augmentation to the present supply system.

He pointed out, however, that such developments will not benefit the peak 1991-92 tourist season.

He went on 'the intention as far as Baricho is concerned

is to sink wide diameter wells on the banks of the Sabaki River to extract sweet clean water from an underground river which does not need to be treated chemically. This will not only enhance production but also reduce production costs'.

Two of these boreholes he said 'would be funded by KFW under some earlier funding for Malindi.

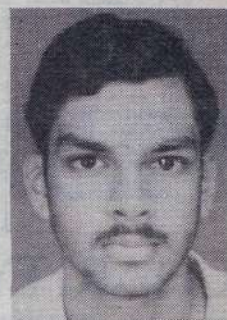
Work on the two boreholes will start before the end of the year, water from which will go directly into the Sabaki system'.

Mr Munoru continued 'then, subject to the outcome of discussions with the World Bank some of the initial credit will be used to develop other boreholes'.

He mentioned that four boreholes will probably boost production by about 40,000 cubic metres a day (nearly 10 million gallons).

Said Mr Munoru 'we believe

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ASHISH GUPTA

## 'KENSEC' STUDENT SUCCESS

OUTSTANDING PERFORMER at Kensec: Ashish Gupta of Aga Khan Kenya Secondary School, Mombasa secured top grades in the London G.C.E. 'A' Level Examination held in June 1991.

He obtained A in Mathematics Chemistry, Physics and B in Biology. This was a truly outstanding result considering that he offered four subjects at 'A' levels.

Ashish is the son of Dr and Mrs N.C. Gupta. He will be proceeding to Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, India for further studies.

He has been studying at Kensec for the past six years, completing his 'O' and 'A' levels.

**Have a smile!**

"Most of us just do with a photograph of our wives on our desks!"

**Mombasa Central Lions Club Host Gala 'Fashion Passion'**

IT WILL BE A FASHION SHOW of the year at The Hotel International Mombasa on Saturday September 14 1991. International and local models will be showing off the latest designs of various styles from Ruh Arts Boutique, Quintessence, Rage Designs from Nairobi while Perry's Salon of Nairobi will be organising the hair styles.

**Mombasa Nyali Lions Club Help**

CLUB OF MOMBASA NYALI held an Eye cum Dental Camp at the Kilifi District Hospital on September 7 and 8, 1991. Screening eyes and Cataract Operations was carried out by Dr Kamal Mandari and his able team. A total of 275 patients were screened and 15 cataract operations were carried out. While the Dental examinations was carried out by Dr Rajesh Kotecha who was assisted by Doctors Chudasama, Makwana and Solomon. A total of 315 patients were examined.

**TRUST BANK Sponsor 'Ram Katha'**



MR AJAY SHAH Chairman Trust Bank Limited addressing the gathering at the Ram-Katha transmissions of Poojya Morari Babu. Looking on are Mr. Raaj Devani, Chairman Hindu Council of Kenya, Mr Manu Majithia, Mr Natu Nathvani and Mr Vasant Makwana. Trust Bank Limited were the sponsors of the television transmissions of the Ram Katha for ten days.

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TAKE A LOOK AT Coastweek classified!

# BLESS THEM

ONCE AGAIN PLEASE allow me to convey our gratitude and thanks to all those various communal Ladies Groups and individuals who took part in Charity Walk for Mji Wa Salama Children's Home.

We have collected a grand total of Shs 141,761/-.

My very special thanks to Khatija Aboo who went out of her way to help me succeed.

When it comes to help a destitute child, all ethnic barriers are transcended. How gratifying to watch them pitching for these children. Bless them.

Kusum K. Modi,  
Vice Chairlady,  
Child Welfare Society,  
Mombasa Branch.

## Muslims Scholars Join Workshop To Discuss Religious Publications

MUSLIM SCHOLARS, UNDER the co-ordination of National Union of Kenyan Muslims, have organized a most successful workshop for authors of text books of Islamic studies for primary schools religious instructions.

The three week workshop for 20 participants has produced excellent results for potential authors who managed to acquire appropriate skills for preparation of relevant reading materials for pupils at various levels of primary education.

This was confirmed by the NUKEM Chairman, Sheikh Ali Amin when welcoming the guest of honour, the Chief Kadhi of Kenya, Sheikh Nassor Al-Nahdy who was represented by his deputy, Sheikh Ali Mwenzagu.

Sheikh Mwenzagu, at a closing session of the workshop, asserted

the importance of good upbringing of Muslim children in accordance of Islamic principles and tenets.

Text books could only provide the required information that might guide the pupils but could

by FARAJ DUMILA

never effectively instil good behaviour and commitment to Islamic ethics in themselves without good, well trained and committed Muslim teachers.

The workshop was funded by the Quran Charitable Society Jeddah, under the supervision of Sheikh Omar M. Shimbwa, who is also the Headmaster of Bomu Primary School, at Changamwe.

Sheikh Shimbwa thanked the Director of Early Childhood Education Project Resource Centre for providing all the necessary facilities for the workshop. The Centre is funded by the Aga Khan Foundation.

Writing, of any discipline, calls for a good knowledge of the subject to be written about, vision, creativity, dedication and extreme hardwork.

It is even more so writing on religious subjects; which often are surrounded with inhibitions and restrictions; particularly so in Islamic Culture whereby the Prophet Mohamed's personal image and his household family and great commanders of Islam features is a taboo to graphically illustrate.

Modern teaching heavily rely on graphical illustrations but Islamic text books would have to do without such relevant graphic illustrations and depend on oral and linguistic descriptions



MUSLIM SCHOLARS [seated, from left] Juma Sulaiman, secretary Mwinyi Kibwana, SWaleh Abdi Sheikh, Munir Mazrui, Ali Mwinzagu, Sheikh Ali Amin, Sheikh Matano of K.I.E., co-ordinator Omar Mwinyi Shimba, Mohamed Mwinyi Pembe of K.I.E. and Abdulla H. Miyenje. Back Row [standing from left] Twalib Bwana, Abudi Omar, Abad B. Muyango, Twalib Bwana, A.A. Adam, Omar and A.H. Miyenje.

of personalities of such positions.

The NUKEM Chairman, Sheikh Ali Amin said books authored by the budding authors would tremendously help in reducing the cost of buying Islamic text books as the authors would be writing on voluntary basis and most of their works would be published by Islamic institutions such as NUKEM and Quran Charitable Society Jidda.

He also expressed the Muslims gratitude to the Ministry of Education for allowing them to undertake such a heavy responsibility and offer its guidance whenever required.

## S. Khamis Mohamed Bin Juma

A PROMINENT SWAHILI elder, Sheikh Khamis Mohamed Bin Juma has thanked the many hundred guests who responded to his invitation to the wedding celebrations of his nephew at his residence at Kaloleni and Mombasa Islamic Centre. The guests response to the celebrations made the occasion deservedly successful.

Sheikh Khamis Mohamed Juma is a highly Coast respected personality for his social and economic contributions to both the Swahili community and Islamic Society.

His integrity and dignity, coupled with his remarkable generosity are well recognized at the coast.

He recently built a beautiful mosque at Changamwe for which the Changamwe Muslim residents have expressed deep gratitude to Sheikh Khamis Mohamed Juma.

### BENEVOLENCE

Coast Cultural writer Faraj Dumila is particularly thankful to Sheikh Khamis M. Juma for his benevolent response to the request of providing photographs of the Ikhwan Swafaa stars and of the groom with his bride-Mohamed Ali Juma and Bi. Zuleikha Salim Ibrahim, who last weekend extended their celebrations in their Muthaiga home in Nairobi.

## الكتاب العالَمِيّ الْمَدِينِيّ

ASK YOURSELF OR anybody else the following question. What is the job or work of our hands, that is our arms, palms and fingers? It sounds a childish, if not childlike, question but have a go at it.

We use our hands for, err.... holding or moving things; okey, eating sure; balancing our bodies when walking or running, mhuh; hitting other people with, oops, okey; and so on and so on. The list, dear earnest reader, may be endless!

But there is one use of our hands that you probably did not think of. That what our hands send on to the judgement-seat of God before we do ourselves good!

The last Revelation of God to Mankind, the Qur'an, says, and I quote the English interpretation of it:-

Al-Baqara 95: But they will never seek for death, on account of the (sins) which their hands have sent on before him. And God is well-acquainted with the wrong-doers.

Al-Nabaa 40: Verily, we have warned you of a Penalty near—The Day when man will see (the Deeds) which his hands have sent forth, and the Unbeliever will say, "Woe unto me! Would that I were (mere) dust!"

Al-Baqarah 110: And be

steadfast in prayer and give in charity; And whatever good you send forth for your souls believe you, ye shall find it with us. For God sees well that ye do.

In al-Baqarah 96 the Qur'an talks about our sins only, in al-Nabaa 40 the Qur'an talks about both our good and bad deeds, and yet in al-Baqarah 110 the Qur'an isolates specifically refers to our deeds.

This is the way of the Qur'an self-explanatory, clear leaves no doubt or loophole for the reader. It is God's Truth.

So, fellow Mankind, what our hands send forth before Wa-salaam.

Mohammed S. Sahara.

## CHARITY WALK FOR GIRL GUIDES

MOMBASA GIRL GUIDES has organised a "Charity Walk" on Sunday September 15 at 8.30 a.m. from Patel Samaj on Haile Selassie Road. This is for the worthy cause to raise money for the Transitional Workshop for the Handicapped Girls, who have no school after Standard Eight. It will be started at the Girl Guide Campsite, where Lions Club Mombasa Pwani and Lion Dhiru Shah has build Dormitory, and multi-purpose hall for the workshop. We still need to build the kitchen and Dining hall and Mothers' Wing.

Division Commissioner and Trainer, Coast Province, Mrs D.P. Shah commented: "Please help us in cash and kind to achieve this goal. Please send your donations to Mombasa Girl Guides Division, P.O. Box 87262, Mombasa. Guest of Honour for this association to Flag of the Walk is His Worship the Deputy Mayor, Councillor Kibarawa so please come in big numbers. Please honour your pledges also. The prizes will be given to the highest collector in the following sections. Brownie, Girl Guide, Ranger Guide, Leader, Public. Thank you for supporting us."

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## Harsha Gohil Inducted As First Chairlady Of 'Kilindini Rotaract'

MOMBASA NOW HAS four Rotaract Clubs—the latest being the Rotaract Club of Kilindini whose chairman, attractive Harsha Gohil, was installed during a Charter Night Dinner at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental hosted by its sponsors—the Rotary Club of Kilindini.

She was invested with the chain of office for the year 1991-92 by the immediate past chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini, Lalit Doshi. It was during his term of office that the club decided to sponsor this Rotaract Club.

In congratulating her, Rtn Doshi said 'I can assure you of our full support'.

The installation ceremony was witnessed by many Rotarians, their Anns and Rotaractors. They included the Chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini, Jaswinder Singh Oberoi; District Rotaract Officer, Abdulhamid Aboo and District Youth Exchange Officer, Vijay Talwar.

Rtn Lalit Doshi, in his speech,

said that the role of Rotarians was to provide guidance and counsel on all activities, programmes and policies of the club. 'Our common goal' he said 'is to contribute towards the needs of the less fortunate members of our society'.

He went on 'young people are cultural astronauts, irresistibly drawn towards exploring new ideas—but if the vigour and idealism of youth is not properly channeled it might cause grief'.

'Rotary Clubs throughout the world aim to help youth fulfill its potential. In doing so Rotary has produced a variety of youth activities with two overall goals:

- to give young children everywhere a favourable start in life and

- help youth become happy and productive citizens by presenting them with opportunities, challenges and by encouraging high ethical values'.

Adding 'it is rightly said by the world famous soccer star, Pele, that if we want to have a better world, we have to invest in its future, and the future of the world rests with its growth'.

In her maiden speech, the charter chairman of Rotaract Club of Kilindini said 'this is a momentous day for all who have joined together with Rotaractors of the world in the ideal of service'.

Adding 'we give our sincere thanks to the Rotary Club of Kilindini for sponsoring us'.

Continuing she said 'we are twenty-one young people between 18-29 years of different faiths, caste and colour but with the common goal of serving those in need in the community'.

She went on 'we have already planned to embark on various projects—community, vocational and international service and have been inspired and guided in doing so by Rtns Anil Dodhia and Abdulmajid Aboo'.

The club's first fund raising project will be a Swimathon—the proceeds going to various needy organisations.

The first task, she went on 'had been to get to know one another better and promote fellowship. Helping in this direction had been two visits to the Bamburi Beach Villas, by courtesy of Lalit Doshi, attending a Rotary luncheon and visiting its water projects

at Mavueni and Takaungu.

'I am proud to be your charter chairman' declared Harsha Gohil, and concluded by introducing officers for the year. They are—Vice Chairman, Andrew Migwi; Hon Secretary Sakina Sayed; Hon Treasurer, Suray Dave; Director of Community Service, Faiz Salyani and Director of International Service, Ketan Doshi.

She then presented small tokens of appreciation to Lalit Doshi, Jaswinder Oberoi, Abdulmajid Aboo and Anil Dodhia, as well as conveying a 'big' thank you to all donors and sponsors.



HARSHA GOHIL IS SEEN being installed as Charter Chairman of the Rotaract Club of Kilindini by Lalit Doshi, Immediate Past Chairman of the Rotary Club of Kilindini which sponsored this Rotaract Club. The installation took place during a dinner party at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental.

## CONFIDENTIAL

### FAMOUS SWISS MUSICIANS TO PLAY AT SERENA BEACH HOTEL

ONE OF SWITZERLAND'S best known music groups will provide the entertainment during the forthcoming Swiss Festival at Serena Beach Hotel on September 30 and October 1. Members of the 'Kapelle Oberalp' will be jetting to

Mombasa on *Swissair*, sponsors of the food and music extravaganza which coincides with the 700th anniversary of the Swiss Confederation.

The group, who were formed in 1968, come from the town of Chur, in the Swiss canton of

Grisson in the foothills of the Swiss Alps. Grison is a popular tourism region and the home of St Moritz, the world famous ski resort.

Kapelle Oberalp, are one of the leading laendler (Swiss country) music groups. They are so popular in their own country that they even have their own fan club and have made no fewer than 32 popular LPs.

The group have toured all over the world, including North America, the Far East and Cameroon and Senegal. However, this is their first visit to East Africa.

Swissair will also be flying leading chef Rudolf Honegger, from Badrut's Palace Hotel, St. Moritz, to give a genuine Swiss touch to the cuisine. The festival is being staged at Serena Beach after a week at the Nairobi Serena Hotel.



MUSICIANS from the 'Kapelle Oberalp' country-style band.

#### LATE DUTY CHEMISTS:

Saturday 3.00 p.m.-6.00 p.m.  
Sunday 9.00 - 12.00 noon.

September 14 and 15 - Popular Chemists Maungano Road and Coast Medical Stores Digo Road, Mombasa.

SULEIMAN JUMA, A very experienced musician and a member of the Mombasa Roots Band entertains in the Ocean View Lounge of Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental each evening of the week (except Sundays) from 6-8 p.m. and in the Vasco Da Gama Restaurant on Thursdays and Sundays from 8.30 to 11 p.m.

## SIRI GURU SINGH SABA:



THE LADIES SECTION (Istri Sabha) of Siri Guru Singh Sabha Mombasa have organized their first Cookery Competition in the hall of the temple. There were 44 entries comprising of three sections—sweets, savoury and cakes prepared by the best cooks and younger members of the society. The convenor Mrs Ravinder Lall in her opening speech congratulated all the winners and participants who took part in this first successful, well organized and well attended Cookery Competition. The judges complimented on the

very high standard of dishes prepared, quality of lay out and taste. The Guest of Honour—Mrs Ranjit Kaur Sohal gave away the prizes to the winners. Rashpal Lall (left standing) is seen with Jasvir Birdi, Kamaljit Ranjodh, Satwinder Kalsi, Harvin Dhanjal—overall winner, Ravinder Bhamra, Harpreet Birdi, Sukhwinder Jandu and Kiran Dhanjal. Sitting (from left) Mrs Harminder Birdi (Secretary), Mrs Ranjit Kaur Sohal (Guest of Honour), Mrs Jaspal Kalsi (Chairperson) and Mrs Ravinder Lall (Convenor).

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# WATCH OUT

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## SUPERB EVENING PERFORMANCE

MOMBASA MUSIC LOVERS enjoyed an excellent evening of unaccompanied choral music last Saturday at the Little Theatre Club. "I Cantori di San Carlo", a group of 22 professional singers under the skillful direction of Maestro Claudio Di Albergo, sang works by 16th

and 17th century composers. The first half of the programme, made up of sacred works by mainly Italian composers, showed the full range of expression and technique of this wonderful choir. The opening piece, "Exultate Justi", had everyone sitting on the edge of their seats. But it was the group of Palestrina pieces that the choir gave their most assured and polished performances. The last of this group "Haec Dies", in an

## 'QUIET THUNDER' AT THE LOTUS CINEMA

**QUIET THUNDER**, AN ADULTS ONLY movie, filmed in Africa, starts at the Lotus Cinema on Monday. This action-adventure film promises audiences a rollicking time through the wilds of deepest Africa.

After landing his plane in the wrong African country, Cocky, anything-for-a-buck tour operator Max Macklin leaves his passengers and goes to the airport bar.

PREVIEW with  
**Abdul R. Sherif**

In the classic tough guy tradition, he tries seducing a beautiful American stranger, Karen who ignores his advances and leaves the bar. Max gives a chase, a big mistake!

Just as he runs from the bar, the country's President Zalabok is viciously assassinated nearby. The soldiers see Max running after Karen and mistakenly think they committed the murder.

As soldiers pursue them, Max drags a confused Karen to his waiting plane where Max's copilot and partner in crime, Two Days, has the aircraft primed for lift off.

They escape amid a blaze of gunfire into the sky, hoping to reach the border where they can explain their innocence; however, the plane runs out of fuel and they are forced to land in the jungle.

Karen cannot believe she's gotten herself into this situation trapped with a man she wants nothing to do with. If things weren't bad enough, Max's troubles increase when he discovers Karen is a US Senator's wife!

Police reports portray Max as the assassin and Karen's kidnapper, and the story goes on...

Showing at Lotus Cinema on Sunday is *American Ninja Four* which commenced last week.

Kenya Cinema is showing *Revenge* today and tomorrow before paving way for *P.O.W. The Escape* from Monday.

## THE POETRY, THE PASSION AND THE PAIN OF ROMANTIC LOVE

THE PAIN, THE PASSION and the poetry of love are some of the ready-made messages for the Asian filmgoers who will start flocking at Lotus Cinema today to watch *Saajan*, starring Sanjay Dutt, Madhuri Dixit, Salman Khan and Kader Khan among others.

Aman (Sanjay) is a hand-capped orphan living in Father De Mello's (Kishore Kapoor) orphanage. He is befriended by Akash (Salman), the son of a wealthy builder Rajiv Raj (Kader).

Seeing Aman's attachment to Akash, Raj adopts the former, so that he would get proper care. The two grow up and become totally different personalities. Aman takes to books and while Akash becomes an incorrigible flirt.

Aman's poems become rage and his books are written under the pseudonym of 'Saagar'. Pooja (Madhuri), a bookshop owner is obsessed with Saagar's poetry and is in love with him, without even knowing him.

**BIG CO-INCIDENCE**  
Fate brings Pooja and Saagar together and the latter instantly falls in love with her but does not express his love for her. By a strange coincidence, Akash on a visit to Aman, also bumps into Pooja and is struck by her beauty.

When Aman learns that Akash is also in love with Pooja, he decides to sacrifice his love for his friend and tells him to pose

### INDIAN FILMS

as Saagar. The castles build on stands cannot stay for long and in time, Pooja learns the truth and feels cheated at the hands of Aman.

The unending chords of friendship between Aman and Akash are also heavily strained upto a breaking point when Akash learns that Aman was in love with Pooja. Three souls—Aman, Akash and Pooja—are in turmoil.

On Sunday (four shows) and Monday (at 5.30 p.m. only) Kenya Cinema will be showing *Kaun Kare Kurbani*, starring among many others Dharmendra, Govinda and Anita Raj.

## KENYA CINEMA LAST TWO DAYS

Today at 5.45 and 9.00 p.m.  
Saturday at 2.45, 5.45 and 9.00 p.m.

## 'REVENGE'

Kevin Costner; Anthony Quinn;  
THE ONLY EMOTION MORE POWERFUL THAN LOVE

Sunday at 10.00, 2.30, 5.30 and 9.00 p.m.  
Monday at 5.30 p.m. only

## 'KAUN KARE KURBANIE'

Dharmendra; Govinda;  
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## GEMINI STARCAST

**VIRGO August 22 - September 22**  
You should be able to heave a sigh of relief where personal finances are concerned. Conditions are favourable for buying and selling operations. You will meet success if dealing with large numbers of people. Consistent drive will get you where you want to go.

**LIBRA September 23 - October 22**  
It can be difficult to keep close relationships harmonious. Loved ones may be hard to please now, and might even want to break out of partnerships. You must try to be less domineering and rigid. Adopt a more flexible approach.

**SCORPIO October 23 - November 22**  
Your own diffused state can make it difficult to get much done, even without the added complications of others. You may be rather disoriented by unfamiliar feelings or physical symptoms. Travel can pose more hazards than usual.

**SAGITTARIUS November 23 - December 21**  
Creative energies will be high and should be channeled into imaginative projects. Inspiration and original ideas can come from family members. They may get you going on an artistic venture. But recreation and entertainment can cost you a pretty penny.

**CAPRICORN December 22 - January 20**  
Although domestic relationships may seem to be harmonious enough on the surface, the true picture is likely to be entirely different. If you are contemplating home improvements you may need all the resistance you can get.

**AQUARIUS January 21 - February 18**  
Depressing factors are probably the creation of your own imagination rather than due to any conditions around you. For some reason you are allowing minor irritations to assume huge proportions. If you can shake off the blues, you can spend happy hours with loved ones.

**PISCES February 19 - March 20**  
Don't rely on your own limited experience and knowledge if you are faced with the insoluble problems of partners or spouses. Hesitating to get advice from professional counselors is not wise.

**ARIES March 21 - April 20**  
All team efforts are likely to be blessed by good fortune. This is a good time for bringing news of your products or services to a wider public audience. You can never get too much publicity. These should be less rocking of the boat in emotional relationships.

**TAURUS April 21 - May 20**  
Parties and social gatherings can give rise to meetings with new and interesting people. Contacts you make now are more likely to have an academic or intellectual bent. You will probably receive inspiration for creative and intellectual interests.

**GEMINI May 21 - June 20**  
Cupid will most certainly be spreading his romantic influence. Those of you who are waiting for romance to come your way should be in luck now. Unexpected happenings can bring you face-to-face with attractive prospective partners. Seize any chances you are offered.

**CANCER June 21 - July 20**  
The way ahead should be clear and unhampered for your financial plans. Any pressures and complications surrounding mutual funds should disappear now. You should have more freedom to use your savings as you see fit. Joint owners are more likely to go along with your plans.

**LEO July 21 - August 21**  
Don't draw attention to your activities. Confidential operations can give the best results. Honesty and straightforwardness can help to separate the good guys from the bad. Once you see where the opportunities really are, you should go all out to take full advantage of them.

## Green Crescent Maternity And Nursing Home Now Offers Children Immunization Services

A NEWLY OPENED hospital in Mombasa, the Green Crescent Maternity and Nursing Home, is offering immunization services to children, and parents have been urged to bring their children to the hospital.

The immunization services have been launched by Mrs Helen Nyaga who is the nurse in charge of the programme in Mombasa District.

Mrs Nyaga who was accompanied by the doctor in charge of the hospital Dr Abdullahi Buran and the local councillor Abdulla Tifu Ubwa said the new introduced services will go a long way to help the parents who have their children near the area.

The hospital is located along Kaloleni road near Lotus Cinema and apart from providing services to pregnant mothers it will also accept other medical cases at reasonable rates.

Mrs Nyaga maintained that the hospital wishing to start



MRS HELEN NYAGA THE NURSE in charge of immunization within the Mombasa Municipal Council is seen together with the staff of the newly opened Green Crescent Maternity and Nursing Home. Mrs Nyaga was the Guest of Honour during the launching of the immunization services at the hospital. She was accompanied by Dr A. Buran who is the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital and the Area Councillor Tifu Ubwa Ali.

immunization programmes should ensure that it had well trained and adequate staff with the required health facilities.

The proprietor of the hospital Mr Abdillah Bafadhili says the hospital was mainly set in its present site because many people from the area have to walk for long distances to the nearest hospital.

"We have brought services near to the people" he said.

The hospital has a maternity wing, antenatal clinic, children health care unit and the out patient clinic.

During the launching ceremony, Mrs Nyaga noted that measles continues to be a threat to lives of many children.

She appealed to mothers to ensure that their children were immunized within the required period after their birth so as to prevent them from diseases.

The hospital charges Shs 60/- for children while Shs 70/- for adults.



MALA SHAH



KAMAL SHAH



MAIZAM FAZEL

## Top-Level Results At The Coast Academy

THREE PUPILS OF THE Coast Academy have excelled themselves in the 'O' level examination.

Maizam Fazel gained nine A's and three B's and has already been awarded a scholarship to pursue his 'A' level studies at Oakham Public School in England.

Kamal Shah gained eight A's and Mala Shah seven A's and a B. Other pupils who did very well were Mehboob Dossa, Payal Gudka, Hassanat Hassan and Sapna Shah.

In the following subjects a 100 per cent pass rate was obtained in Chemistry, French, Kiswahili, Pure Maths, Art, Music and Literature. In Gujarati, Hindi and Accounts the entry was small but all pupils obtained 'A' grades.

In other subjects the school obtained a very good pass rate as follows, Maths 93.5 per cent, Physics 92.9 per cent, English 88.2 per cent, Geography 82.8 per cent, History 78.6 per cent and Biology 75 per cent.

In all subjects the quality of the results was outstanding and the overall pass rate of 92.79 per cent was very pleasing indeed.

## Corporate Management Training At Inter•Conti

CORPORATE MANAGEMENT training programmes take place continuously throughout the entire Inter-Continental Hotels group, including Mombasa.

With the hotel presently bursting at the seams with guests, they had to seek a meeting place elsewhere.

### 'COMMUNICATION'

Last Saturday morning senior managers gathered in the open-sided Cinnabar Restaurant, near Nyali bridge and overlooking Tudor Creek, to learn more about 'Effective Communication' conducted by Ahmed Seif, the hotel's Personnel and Training Manager.

Afterwards, all enjoyed lunch there, putting into practice what they had learned about 'effective communication'.

There have been a series of courses, one being for 'Line and Supervisory Management'.

These will be enhanced by two-day in-house training on September 4 and 5 by Know How International—the major subjects being 'time management techniques, motivation etc'.

## ROBERT FOULSER MARRIES PATRICIA

SUCH IS THE romantic ambience of Kenya's tropical coast that Robert Foulser, a Management Consultant from the UK with Know How International, decided that it was the perfect venue for his marriage to Patricia Birr Jepngetich, a computer operator with Hawkins and Associates, Nairobi.

KHI is part of Hawkins and Associates—the first recruitment consultancy in Kenya.

Robert had been conducting a two-day course for Hotel Inter-Continental's Senior Management on Communication and Motivation and Customer Care when the opportunity arose to marry. The wedding took place on September 6 at the Nyali residence of Amanda Stokes, a free-lance Consultant with KHI.

That evening Hotel Inter-Continental hosted a cocktail party in their honour complete with wedding cake. Glasses were raised in response to a toast by the Resident Manager, Antoine Sayegh, wishing them a long and happy life together.

The newly weds were also given a "complimentary" weekend at the hotel, which due to pressure of work, they will be taking later. Joining in the congratulations was Mr Ibrahim Zakhem, Managing Director of Equatorial Beach Properties the owning company of the hotel.

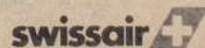
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SENIOR MANAGEMENT OF Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental are at the Cinnabar Restaurant—the venue of a training workshop 'Effective Communication' conducted by Ahmed Seif, Personnel Training Manager (second left front). It is all part of the Inter-Continental Hotels group Management Training Programme. Second from left is the Resident Manager, Antoine Sayegh, and left Lorraine de Marketing Manager.

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**'KWA HERI' TO ENGINEER:**



THE GENERAL MANAGER of Kenya Petroleum Refineries Limited in Changamwe Mr Simeon Obudo is seen (right) thanking the firm's Chief Engineer Mr N.A. Visram, who has been transferred to London. He wished Mr Visram and his family a safe flight back to London, and said they should not forget to visit Refineries during his next visit to Kenya.

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FASHION PASSION — Models preparing for the Saturday Night Mombasa Central Club Charity Gala At InterContinental.



MITSUBISHI FUSO TRUCK — The current market leader in its class penetrates deeper into the Malindi Market: Leonard Arnold of CIP Trucks and Engineering Services is seen delivering an FR 455 to two Italian ladies, the wives of directors of Gatcob Limited.



THE ROTARACT CLUB OF Mombasa donated a wheelchair to Mr Mohammed Ramadhan who lost both his legs due to diabetes. He is seen receiving the wheelchair at the Coast General Hospital. Looking on (from left) are Rotaract Chairman

Mr Faran Aloo, presenting Welfare Chairman Mr Solomon Patel, Mr Naushad, relatives, past Chairperson Mr Shakkil Latha, Treasurer Shaffiq Mollu and Riyaz Khan Director Vocational Services. Kampaka Pecky

**'ROTARACT PAINT THE TOWN'**



MEMBERS of Mombasa Rotaract Club are seen after having successfully completed painting a 'Zebra Crossing' to clean up the town and improve

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**Robin And Patricia Married**



ROBIN AND PATRICIA FOULSER cut the wedding cake at a cocktail party hosted in their honour by Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental to celebrate their marriage that day. Mr Foulser, a Management Consultant from the UK with Know How International had just completed a two-day course for Senior Management at this hotel who were at the

party to wish them both a long and happy life together. Left is the Resident Manager, Antoine Sayegh. Third right is the Personnel and Training Manager, Ahmed Seif; fourth right Lorraine de Souza, Sales Manager. Just behind Mr Foulser is Ibrahim Zakhem, Managing Director, Equatorial Beach Properties, the owning company

**Sadolins Managing Director**

SADOLIN PAINTS (East Africa) Limited have announced appointment of Salim Alibhai to the post of Managing Director.

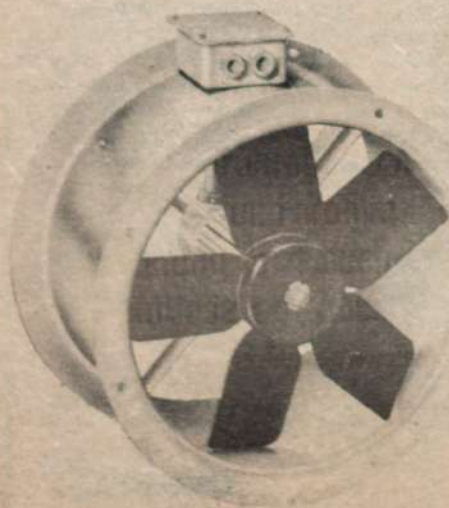
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# Lions Club Of Mombasa Pwani Host 'Health Camp'

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In Kenya also, for over 33 years, they have rendered such services in different parts of the country in various fields like education, rehabilitation of the handicapped building bus shelters, road signs and various Medical services.

At the Coast, for the last ten years Lions have extended their services to the rural areas as it has been noticed that a good number of poor patients cannot afford to come to Mombasa.

To add to the continued free services, and paying heed to the call of our beloved President Hon. Daniel Toroitich Arap Moi to go to the rural areas and assist the needy and poor people, members of the Lions Club of Mombasa-Pwani have held a Medical, Diabetic and Dental Camp in Ruruma Location in Rabai.

This area is about 35-40 kilometres out of Mombasa.

The camp was held in response to a request from the Councillor of Ruruma Location Mr Teddy Gege, asking for assistance to hold a Medical Camp in his location.

Ruruma is a rural area without electricity and water facilities.

It has a population of over 20,000 people most of them are uneducated and unemployed and cannot meet the expense of travelling to Mombasa let alone pay the fees for Specialist's Consultations and drugs.

The Convenor of the Medical Committee Lion (Dr) Asad Sheikh made repeated trips to the location in order to organize the Camp and make sure that all the requirements were met.

## MAWEMA

The Camp was held at Mawema-Bomu Nursery School building which is also used as an adult literacy centre for adult education and becomes a church for Sunday Mass.

Posters were printed and distributed well in advance in Rabai, Ruruma and Kaloleni. Provision had to be made for water and stoves to sterilize the medical equipments.

The Camp was preceded by Sunday Mass and was officially opened by the Chief of the area who hailed the good spirit of Lionism. The Camp included Diabetic Screening of the population apart from specialist E.N.T. and Dental check ups.

Over 600 patients were examined by a team of ten doctors assisted by Lion members in rendering the treatment and free distribution

of medicines. '47' Dental extractions were also carried out. About 25 patients with Cataracts were also seen.

These patients will now be operated on a later date sometimes during October this year when proper arrangements for the same would be made explained Lion (Dr) Kuldip Dang, the Club's Chairman.

What better reward the participating Lions could have asked for when the villagers, at the end of the Camp brought fresh *madafus* picked from the trees as a token of thanks and gratitude to the Lions for honouring the Lion's District Governor Avtar S. Bhamra Slogan for the year "Commit To Serve".



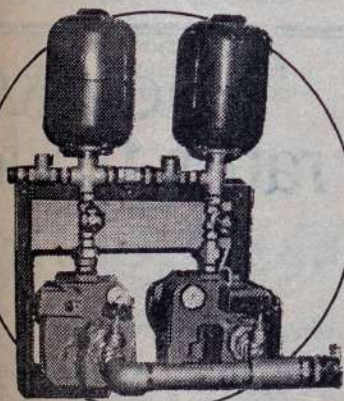
AIR INDIA HAS placed a formal order on Boeing Company for acquisition of four 747-400s passenger aeroplanes. An agreement to this effect has been signed by Mr S.R. Gupte, Actg. Chairman and Managing Director and Dr D.A. Keskar, Director, International Sales, India, Boeing Commercial Airplane Group at Air India Headquarters in Bombay

The signing of the agreement followed the Government's approval of Air India's proposal to purchase this aircraft. While the first of these four aircraft will be delivered to Air India in August 1993, the other three will be delivered in November 1993, December 1993 and June 1994.



LION CHAIRMAN DR KULDIP DANG as E.N.T. specialist examines patient while Lion Lady Dr Lata Magon looks on.

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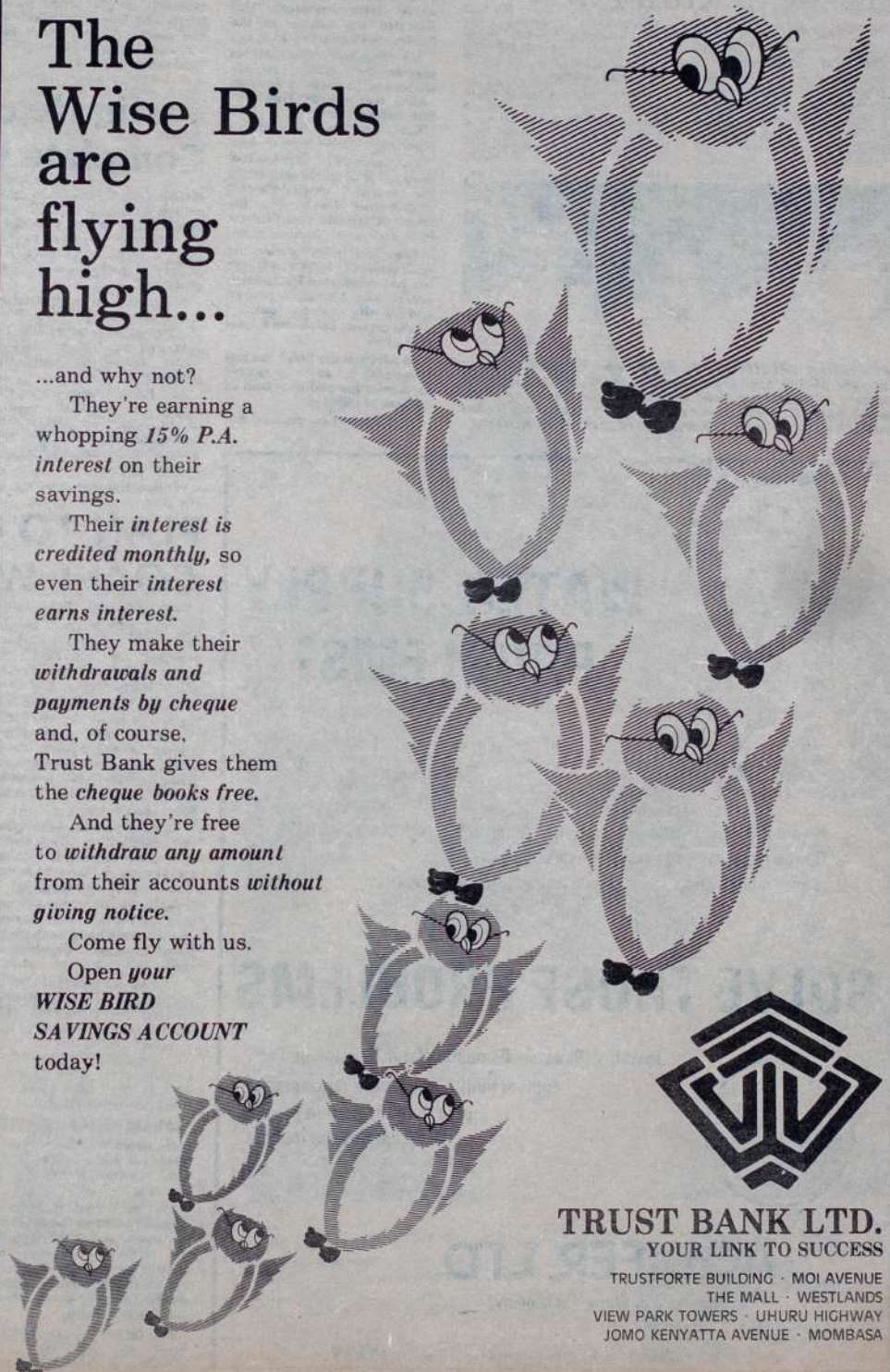
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THE BRANCH MANAGER OF Geminia Insurance Company, Mombasa Mr Kirit Shah (right) is seen with some of the many guests during a cocktail party at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental where they had the opportunity of meeting the chairman, Mr S.M. Githenguri, and four directors. Looking on are S.K. Raitatha, Managing Director, Compriate Company Limited, Mrs Reshma Suwani and Zaher Suwani Managing Director and Branch Manager of Safari Seekers.

## Geminia Insurance Host Cocktail Party

A COCKTAIL PARTY was hosted by Geminia Insurance Company Limited, in the Ballroom of Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental to give its clients here the opportunity of meeting the chairman, Mr S.M. Githenguri, and four directors of the company.

It was also a great social occasion, the 250 guests enjoying a variety of popular and exotic vegetarian 'bitings'.

The company which deals in general insurance opened in Nairobi in 1982, followed by a Mombasa Branch in 1989, the manager of which is Kirit Shah.



SEEN WITH A DIRECTOR and General Manager of Geminia Insurance Company, Mr B.R. Shah (right) during a cocktail party hosted by the company at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Continental are Pravin Shah, Reliable Power; Mr Kotari, Branch Manager, Unicorn Insurance Brokers and Anil Kamdar, Manager, Kilimanjaro Safari Club's Mombasa Office.

## Skills Management Training Course At The Reef Hotel

THE MOST RECENT Management Development course hosted at the Reef Hotel was concentrated on the skills concerning Managing People, as these are the most important skills for Managers.

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appreciate the need for greater co-operation between functions in organisations and to develop their ability to manage their subordinates to achieve improved performance.

The topics covered included Communication, Leadership, Team-building, Customer Care,

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K.H.I.'s styles of training is highly interactive, making great use of group exercises and case studies, with emphasis on team-work.

The next course is Quality of Service (Customer Relations), from September 25-27. This programme demonstrates the desirability of being customer-oriented and shows the means to develop the necessary skills.

### RECEPTIONIST

For three days from October 30 K.H.I. will be holding the Efficient Receptionist programme in Mombasa.

Anyone interested in any training should contact Amanda Stokes, K.H.I. Coast Representative, on Mombasa 472328.

## Lacy Von Menyhart Donates One Million

CORPORATIONS SHOULD assist those projects which help speed up development in the country.

These were the comments of the Managing Director Tropicana Hotels Mr Lacy Von Menyhart who recently donated shs one million to President Moi to be used in a project of his choice, where later President Moi allocated the money to the Presidential Bursary Fund.

Mr Menyhart said that his organisation will continue supporting projects in Malindi adding that already Tropicana had helped to build a high school, and had funded an orphanage.

He appealed to Malindi residents to continue supporting the tourist industry as it contributed much to the country's economy, particularly in Malindi.

Eden Roc Hotel under the management of Tropicana Hotels has just celebrated its 25 years anniversary. Mr Lacy Menyhart and his wife were the founders of the present hotel, the largest in Malindi.

In addition the hotel has just completed an extensive modernisation and over-haul of millions of shillings.

Mr Menyhart commented that

he has spent 25 good years of his life in Malindi and felt that here was his real home, and that he was more Kenyan than German.

He noted that the residents of Malindi had received high hospitality extending the hand of friendship, and has always received people with warm hearts with whom he found he had much rapport. Both his wife and himself had been given local names.

## Tasfiq Health Centre Complete Phase One

PHASE ONE OF THE shs four million Tasfiq Health Centre in Malindi has been completed, the chairman of the Tawfiq Muslim Youth Association Mr Abdala Buckshuwein has confirmed.

The phase was completed at a cost of over Shs 1.5 million. The project was started about a year ago by the Association whose aim is to assist the community in health.

Mr Bachshuwein said the project will eventually consist of an outpatient section for males and females separately, a maternity section, a laboratory and a pharmacy.

Mr Bachshuwein said that the

project was being built on Harambee basis. He was addressing patients and members of the public during a free eye clinic camp at the clinic, the camp was organised by the organisation.

Over 450 eye patients were screened with most getting free medicine and reading glasses.

A Mombasa eye specialist Dr Kamal Bhandari conducted the eye camp assisted by Mr George

Binns and Mr M. Kombo from Kilifi and Malindi hospitals respectively.

During the clinic 34 cases of cataract were identified and victims operated.

## PLAN TO UPGRADE THE NORTH COAST WATER RETICULATION

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that this amount could be put into the current pipeline provided we activate some booster stations between Baricho and Mombasa.

He said 'we expect to see these four boreholes bear fruit in one or two years time'. Adding 'it will have a major effect on current levels giving nearly 100 per cent additional production from the Sabaki pipeline.'

He went on 'we are also going to upgrade the reticulation system within Malindi. Tenders are already in hand and work is expected to start this year'.

He warned that this will only enhance the system in Malindi and Watamu 'because there has been so much development there'.

Mr Munoru revealed that the Corporation's forward planning covered the period to 2015. The intention is, he said 'to have a second Mzima Pipeline which will probably double the current production from this source, as well as to double production from the Marere Pipeline'

### SABAKI REHABILITATION

He noted that these developments will add a further 100,000 cubic metres a day in this planning horizon.

He mentioned that current discussions cover the rehabilitation work at Sabaki (including the renewal of pumps, new transformers etc) engineering studies for the main investment project, as well as the Marere and Tiwi boreholes.

If agreement is reached, funds are expected to be available by March next year.

Mr Munoru concluded by asking members to contact him

if they have any problems concerning water, and promised to look into various points raised by MCTA committee members.

(However, it is difficult to reach Mr Munoru through the main telephone exchange at his Mombasa office, as well as to make contact with offices at Likoni and Kisauni, as these telephones have been disconnected since November last year).

The chairman thanked Mr



JUERGEN WEBER

## Lufthansa Chairman

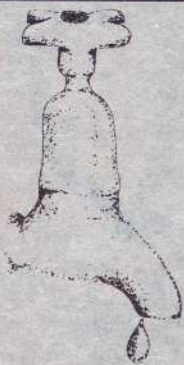
MR JUERGEN WEBER, chairman designate of Lufthansa, will at the helm of the airline in September 1. Mr Weber replaced Mr Heinz Ruhnau, who retired after heading the airline since 1982.

Mr Weber joined Lufthansa in 1967 in the engineering department of Hamburg and rose rapidly in rank in senior management, joining the executive board in 1990.

Forty-nine years old, Juergen Weber studied aeronautical engineering at the technical university of Stuttgart. In 1981 he graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Senior Management Training Programme, specialising in Business Administration.

During the year 1990 Lufthansa carried 26.6 million passengers and 955,000 tons of freight. It thus remains Number One in the international airfreight industry and retains its ranking as third largest carrier of international passenger traffic.

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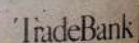
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# Food Festivals, Fashion Shows And Traditional Dancing At Coast Mark 'African Tourism Week'

ANNAPERS WILL SOON be going to the town to mark 'African Tourism Week' from September 23 to 28 during which all tourists arriving at Moi International Airport will be presented with a carnation and, possibly, a miniature bottle of Kenya Cane and coffee by attractive African hostesses.

Many hotels and restaurants along the Kenya coast and on Mombasa Island (Oceanic, La Terrazza, Castle, Capri and Shabani) will be staging African Food Festivals with ethnic cuisine and decor from different regions of the continent, while 'repeat' guests at hotels will on September 24 be given the honour of planting a tree to mark their continued association with Kenya.

The Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association's Information Bureau on Moi Avenue will also be inviting a VIP to plant a tree in its front garden on that day which will be witnessed by dignitaries in the town.

To mark World Tourism Day on September 27 a cocktail party will be planned by MCTA to take place at Fort Jesus Museum.

It is the fervent hope of all in the tourist industry that for the auspicious occasion the Mombasa Municipal Council might repair and paint the Tusk gates which are presently in a deplorable state. Some time ago Crown Paints had, through MCTA, donated sufficient paint for this purpose.

It is the World Tourism Organisation, of which Kenya is a member, which designated 1991 as The Year of African Tourism among its objectives being to 'contribute towards

tourism education and awareness among the African people, to foster better understanding among peoples, to promote greater awareness about Africa and to develop tourism while preserving the environment'.

Tourism to Kenya is presently booming and this year its target of one million tourists is expected to be reached.

According to the Minister for Tourism and Wildlife, Mr Noah Katana Ngala, 'Kenya received 702,000 tourists in 1990 and earned KShs 10.7 billion in foreign exchange. Over 110,000 people are employed directly in the tourism industry while

## NETA PEAL reports

about 50,000 derive employment indirectly from multiplier effects generated by tourism income'.

It is the Ministry of Tourism which set up an organising committee for the 'Year of African Tourism' which among other things published a calendar of events for 1991.

At the Coast, the Ministry is working together with the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association, Kenya Association of Hotelkeepers' and Caterers', and Kenya Association of Tour Operators' in organising events for Tourism Week.

This was discussed at the recent MCTA committee meeting which took place at the Oceanic Hotel under the chairmanship of Zul Harunani with members promising to help in whatever way they can after hearing a report from the Tourist Officer, Coast.

As far as the 'Temporary Extension' to Moi International Airport is concerned, Kenya Aerotech was thanked for financing the whole project which will help ease congestion there. Work has already started and should be completed by mid-October, before the peak tourist season starts.

It has been hoped that the necessary finance could have been raised through an 'harambee' effort. The meeting heard that while the German tour operators/charter airlines had replied positively, there had been no definite response from others regarding making a contribution towards its cost.

Congestion at the airport is very bad on certain days of the week and it was Thomas Buchert, the Condor Station Manager, Mombasa, who had come up with the brilliant idea of a 'temporary extension'.

Plans drawn up by him were approved by government, and he was then soliciting funds to make its construction possible on an harambee basis. Not all tour operators and charter airlines had responded, as had been hoped, and time was running out.

Consequently, everyone in the industry was delighted by Kenya Aerotech's very timely and generous offer.

MCTA also once again thanked Thomas Buchert who had master-minded the whole idea.

Work on this 288 square metre temporary extension is being undertaken by Franco Engineering making it possible to add eight more counters in the departure area.

On the question of roads, while commending the Ministry of Public Works, Coast, and Mombasa Municipal Council for their work on repairing some of them, members were sorry to see that no improvements had been made to Customs Lane (by the side of the Manor Hotel) which now ranked as probably the worst road on the island over which much tourist traffic passes. It is riddled with potholes. It was noted that several other roads, not in such a bad state, had already been re-carpeted or repaired.

A list of tourist roads, including Customs Lane, had been submitted to the Municipal Engineer.

Although Digo Road had been repaired, this had not covered all potholes there. Members wondered if there might be a reason for this?

The association hopes that roads repaired will be properly maintained, and that extra drainage will go in where necessary.

Members heard of the horrifying number of injections being recommended for Kenya by some tour operators and travel agents in the UK. An Officer from the Port Public Health Office said that from the UK no health certificate is required. The only requirement

is that of Yellow Fever for those entering Kenya from an infected area.

It was suggested that tour operators and travel agents in the UK should advise their clients accordingly.

Problems posed by Beach Boys are on the increase. The chairman said he would be reporting recent incidents to the next meeting of the Joint Provincial Tourism Liaison Committee to see what further action can be taken.

Some tourists are being told it is no longer safe to go on the beach and as a result are staying in their hotels.

## 'HARASSMENT'

It was suggested that groups of tourists staying at the same hotel and suffering harassment on the beach should send a signed letter to the hotel's general manager. This could then be forwarded to the police. This had been tried, with excellent results.

More security was also called for at the Likoni Ferry and along Moi Avenue where tourists are being robbed, as well as near Fort Jesus where they are being harassed.

On the question of harassment on the beach by those selling woodcarvings, jewellery, tours etc. a member referred to the fact that Handicraft Villages are being established on the

north and south coast giving beach boys an alternative place in which to sell their wares without depriving them of a livelihood.

Such hawking could then be prohibited on the beach. It was urged that the opening of such villages should be speeded up so as to end this endless harassment of tourists.

Kenya Railways District Manager, Mombasa, Henry Bwore, gave a report about the de-luxe weekend day train service and assured MCTA that staff training is a continuing exercise.

The question of supervision was stressed and Mr Bwore revealed that there is a trained Steward on duty in the Restaurant Car. It was suggested that KR should get passengers to complete a questionnaire about the service so as to get a feed back on what improvements are needed. Said Mr Bwore 'I think we have such a questionnaire, and I will look into this'.

Another member reported how difficult it was getting to travel on this train. He said 'we include in our holiday brochure in Europe a journey by train to help promote this day time service.'

'We find it somewhat embarrassing when we have booked First Class accommodation in advance to be told at the

railway station that First Class is full up and our clients will have to travel second class.'

MCTA suggested that more First Class coaches be readily available to meet any increased demand, as well as an extra restaurant car.

The chairman urged that as the peak tourist season is drawing near that KR ensures that those who have booked First Class accommodation on this train-get it.

Said Mr Bwore 'I am very surprised to hear about such downgrading and will look into the matter'.

It was mentioned that this is also happening to local people.

## CANCELLATION

Mr Bwore assured members that KR does not cancel reservations so as to make way for others.

As far as garbage collection is concerned, the Chairman reported that the council is doing its best to improve this service. A member suggested that the council be requested to consider the privatisation of garbage collection in certain areas of its municipality.

It was reported that street lighting in certain areas is very poor and needs attention especially on the road to Bamburi (where often they are not functioning) also from the Port area into town.

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 welt mit bunter, exotischer Flora  
 und Fauna ist ein Wunder der  
 Natur. Riffe bieten den  
 Menschen auch Nahrung und  
 dienen überdies als Wellen-  
 brecher zum Schutz der Küste.  
 Die Zeit ist nun gekommen, wo  
 die Korallenriffe vor den  
 Menschen geschützt werden  
 müssen. Obwohl sie sich in  
 abgelegenen Gebieten befinden,  
 werden sie auf der ganzen Welt  
 von den Menschen ausgebeutet  
 und beschädigt. Eßbare Fische  
 und Schalentiere kommen auf  
 den Markt, lebende exotische  
 Fische werden für Aquarien  
 gehandelt. Außerdem werden  
 Millionen von Rifftieren  
 getötet, vor allem Muscheln, um  
 die Andenkenläden mit Souvenirs  
 zu füllen.

Der Souvenirhandel mit Meerestieren ist einerseits ein einträgliches Geschäft, andererseits richtet er oft Schaden an, der nicht wieder gutzumachen ist.

# HELFEN SIE DEM KORALLENRIFF ZU ÜBERLEBEN!

- Korallen werden abgebrochen und gesammelt, obwohl sie viele Jahre brauchen um nachzuwachsen und als Lebensraum für andere Rifftiere zu dienen.
- Seltene Muscheln sind besonders begehrt und werden dadurch nur noch rarer, bis sie schließlich gar nicht mehr vorkommen.
- Sogar ganz gewöhnliche Muscheln gibt es immer weniger, weil viel zu viele gesammelt werden.
- Eine früher weitverbreitete Muschelsorte, die Conch, hauptsächlich zum Essen gesucht, aber auch für den Souvenirhandel, ist nun vom Aussterben bedroht. Mindestens 12 Millionen werden jährlich aus der Karibik entfernt.
- Die besonders attraktive Tritonmuschel (bis zu 30 cm lang) ernährt sich hauptsächlich von Seeigeln. Wenn die Tritonmuscheln verschwinden, können sich die Seeigel unmaßig vermehren und beschädigen das Riff, denn sie fressen die Algen, die an den Korallen haften und brechen ganze Stücke davon ab.
- Wahlloses Sammeln von Rifftieren (Muscheln, Schnecken, Korallen) ist der rascheste und

sicherste Weg, um die Riffe zu zerstören, denn das komplizierte Ökosystem wird dadurch aus dem Gleichgewicht gebracht und die Korallen sterben ab.

Sie werden denken: Ein einziges kleines Souvenir fällt nicht ins Gewicht — FALSCH! — Eine kleinere oder größere Muschel, ein getrockneter See stern oder ein Stück Koralle mag Ihnen unbedeutend erscheinen. Wenn man aber berücksichtigt, daß jährlich mehrere 100.000 Touristen die kenianische Küste besuchen und alle so denken würden, ergäbe das eine riesige Menge Muscheln. Wenn Sie aber darauf verzichten, ein Andenken aus dem Meer zu kaufen und sogar Ihre Freunde auch noch davon überzeugen können, dann helfen Sie dem Korallenriff zu überleben!

## Marine Nationalparks in Kenia

SCHON VOR VIELEN Jahren hat die kenianische Regierung erkannt, daß etwas zum Schutz der Korallenriffe unternommen werden sollte und errichtete 1968 die ersten Marine Nationalparks in afrikanischen Gewässern (Malindi und Watamu an der Nordküste, Kisite und Mpunguti an der Südküste). Heute gibt es in Kenia vier Marine Parks und fünf Reservate.

Zuletzt wurde der Mombasa Marine Nationalpark im Jahre 1987 dekretiert. Dieser erstreckt sich über ein Gebiet von rund 10 km<sup>2</sup>. Er beginnt auf halbem Weg zum Riff und zieht sich über einen breiten Streifen von der Einfahrt zum Mtwapa Creek bis zur Kenyatta Beach in Bamburi. Als Schutz- und Pufferzone ist der Meeres-Nationalpark von einem Reservat umgeben, das weiter seewärts rund 200 km<sup>2</sup> umfaßt, von Mtwapa bis zum English Point (Einfahrt zum Alten Hafen von Mombasa).

Im Meeres-Nationalpark ist das Fischen verboten, da er als

kommen können. Der Tourismus ist nun der wichtigste Devisenbringer dieses Landes.

Der florierende Tourismus bringt aber auch gewisse Nachteile. Hoteliers, die sich über die schlechten Zustände am Riff beschwerten, mußten erfahren, daß sie einen großen Teil der Schuld an dessen Zerstörung selber tragen, und zwar durch die Abwässer, die von Hotels und Privathäusern unbehandelt ins Meer geleitet werden.

Die Touristen wollen einen Blick in die Korallengärten werfen. Sie fahren mit einem Boot zum Riff, das mit seinem Anker in den Korallen hängenbleibt und Stücke davon abbricht. Dies geschieht täglich mit vielen Booten, immer an den gleichen Stellen, wo die Unterwasserlandschaft am schönsten ist.

Muscheln sammeln ist in den Marine Nationalparks und Reservaten verboten. Es ist jedoch unmöglich zu sagen, woher die Muscheln stammen, die von den Händlern zum Kauf angeboten werden.

In diesem Zusammenhang soll hier auf die aktive Mitarbeit der Besucher hingewiesen werden, die unbedingt erforderlich ist, damit die Korallenriffe geschützt werden und die bereits stark beschädigte Unterwasserflora und Fauna sich mit der Zeit wieder erholen kann.

Denken Sie daran: Wenn Sie Muscheln kaufen von den fliegenden Händlern am Strand oder in der Stadt, fragen Sie zur Zerstörung des Korallenriffs bei. Am wirkungsvollsten wäre ein generelles Verbot, Muscheln zu sammeln, Tropenfische, Muscheln und Korallen zu exportieren. Aber bis es so weit ist, kann noch viel Schaden angerichtet werden.

Aufklärung ist ein weiterer wichtiger Faktor. Kürzlich haben die Nationalmuseen von Kenia, in Zusammenarbeit mit Unterstützung internationaler Organisationen, in Kikamba an



GEHEN SIE BEIM TAUCHEN vorsichtig um mit dem Korallenriff, damit sich auch zukünftige Generationen an der exotischen Unterwasserwelt erfreuen können!  
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Brutplatz für viele Arten von Fischen und Schalentieren dient, die später anderswo vor der kenianischen Küste gefangen werden. Im Park und im Reservat sind touristische Aktivitäten wie Schnorcheln, Schwimmen, Surfen und Tauchen erlaubt, im Reservat in begrenztem Umfang auch Angeln mit der Handleine.

Das Marine Reservat ist für lokale Fischer mit kommerzieller Lizenz weiterhin zugänglich: Sie müssen jedoch die von der Regierung erlassenen Bestimmungen, vor allem bezüglich der Größe der Netze und ihrer Maschenweite, strikte einhalten.

Dank dem vorgelagerten Riff sind die wunderschönen Strände Kenias entstanden, die viele Kapitalanleger anlocken, um Hotels zu bauen, damit immer mehr Touristen nach Mombasa

der Nordküste ein zweiwöchiges Seminar durchgeführt für Biologielehrer, die in Sekundarschulen im ganzen Land unterrichten. In diesem Kurs wurde ihnen gezeigt, wie sie den Kindern in der Schule ihre Umwelt am besten erklären können, damit sie verstehen, daß auch sie Verantwortung für die Erhaltung der Natur tragen.

Übrigens sollte sich jedermann klar werden, daß wir uns nur vorübergehend und sozusagen "zur Miete" auf der Erde aufhalten. Wir sollten deshalb unseren Planeten möglichst unbeschädigt und in gutem Zustand hinterlassen, damit sich die Generationen, die nach uns kommen, auch noch an den Wundern der Natur erfreuen können!

KORALLENRIFFE zählen zu den komplexesten und gleichzeitig am wenigsten widerstandsfähigen Ökosystemen der Erde. Kenias Meeres-Nationalparks wurden in Gebieten eingerichtet, in denen der "Korallengarten" besonders anziehend und für Besucher leicht zugänglich ist. Es sind die äußeren Skelette von Kolonien mikroskopisch kleiner Tiere, sogenannter Polypen, die die eigentliche Struktur und Masse eines Korallenriffes ausmachen. Lebendige Polypen leben jedoch nur in einer wenige Zentimeter dicken Schicht des Riffs.

Die wunderbare Vielfalt an Fischen, Krustentieren (Hummer, Krabben) und Weichtieren (Schnecken, Muscheln) sowie auch an anderen Tierarten, die in den Korallenriffen zu Hause sind, ist auf die lebenden Korallen sowohl als Nahrungsquelle als auch zum Schutz und als Unterschlupf angewiesen. Obwohl Fischen in den National-

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**BITTE DENKEN SIE DARAN:** Im Gebiet der Nationalparks ist das Sammeln von Korallen, Muscheln und anderen Tieren verboten! Der Ankauf solcher Dinge von Händlern ermuntert den Abbau des Korallenriffs. Bitte helfen Sie uns und kaufen Sie keine Muscheln!

parks selbst nicht erlaubt ist, so sind sie doch Brutstätten für viele Fischarten, die an anderen Teilen der kenianischen Küste gefischt werden.

Hartkorallen wachsen nur sehr langsam: nur etwa 10 bis 25 mm pro Jahr. Es kann 7000 bis 10.000 Jahre dauern, bis sich

ein Korallenriff gebildet hat. Obwohl Korallen hart und solide erscheinen, zerbrechen sie leicht. Einmal abgebrochen, stirbt ein Stück Koralle. Mehrere Jahre können vergehen, bevor sich erneut Korallen dort ansiedeln, und viele weitere Jahre, bevor

sie zu vergleichbarer Größe des ehemals abgetrennten Stückes herangewachsen sind.

Manchmal ist die Zerstörung nicht wieder gutzumachen. Wenn es zur Beschädigung oder Störung von Korallen über größere Gebiete hinaus kommt, nimmt sowohl die Artenvielfalt als auch die tatsächliche Zahl der Tiere ab.

Menschliche Füße und Bootsanker gehören zu den größten Gefahren für die Unterwasserwelt der Riffe. BITTE STEHEN SIE NIE AUF DEN KORALLEN!

Wenn Sie beim Schnorcheln eine Pause einlegen oder Maske und Schnorchel zurechtrücken möchten, schwimmen Sie entweder zum Boot zurück oder schwimmen Sie auf der Stelle (Wassertreten). Bitten Sie Ihren Bootsmann, an einer Ankerboje festzumachen (falls vorhanden) oder den Anker an einer von Korallen freien Zone zu werfen.

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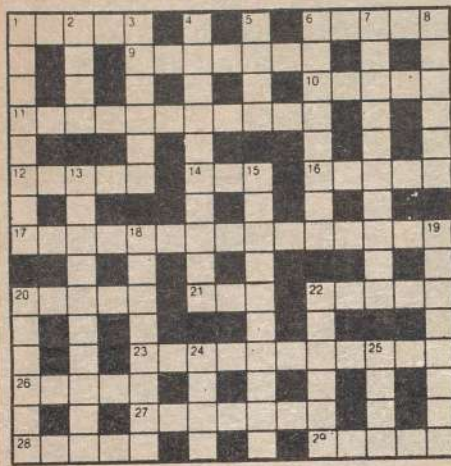
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**CROSSWORD NO.376**

- ACROSS**
- Keep an eye on the time (5)
  - Give an impression of bad temper (4)
  - Moved last in the wrong gear to make a row (7)
  - Come to the point (5)
  - Move the seat and take a drink with a man of property (6, 5)
  - It's just one thing after another (5)
  - She's inside unavoidably detained (3)
  - Be slow at first in an escape (5)
  - RMS London (6, 7)
  - Victim of a switch of funds (5)
  - Undrinkable highball (3)
  - Genuine chaps lose points in the country (5)
  - Put down what may be read as showing balance (7-4)
  - So graphic it's just like the pictures (5)
  - It makes a change from a sit-in (4-3)
  - All was clear when she sustained a note (5)
  - The foreign projection is small and delicate (5)
- DOWN**
- We get a blooming rise from that legendary beast! (8)
  - Try to keep Los Angeles out of the news (4)
  - Mad party man (6)
  - It doesn't make sense to take part in a rail crash (10)
  - Humble supporter (4)
  - Pay for a rise? (6, 2)
  - Staid Paris possibly going to pot (10)
  - Allow a suggestion as to madame's hair? (6)
  - Such a salesman is always looking for openings (4-2-4)
  - Metropolitan maybe, but his authority is provincial (10)
  - Don't accept a move towards recession? (8)
  - Milk line taking a hot turn (8)
  - Girl not French, as the plain features show (6)
  - Go round to start a romance with old Harts (6)
  - A lot of money to be made in carpets? (4)
  - He could reform if he'd use his loaf (4)

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THE CHAIRMAN OF THE board of trustees of the Toyota Kenya Foundation, Mr Mark Newman (seated centre) seen at the launch ceremony at the Norfolk Hotel, Nairobi with members of the Foundation's selection committee. They are Mr Dunstan Oman (seated left); chairman of the selection committee and chairman of the Motor

Mart Group Limited; Mrs Grace Muniagoni, (seated right), company secretary and group personnel manager, Motor Mart Group and standing, left to right, Mr Jan Thoennes, managing director, Toyota Kenya; Mrs F. Dualeh, the Foundation's executive officer; Mr N. Otaki, Toyota's local representative and Mr Sam Waruhii, chairman of Barclays Bank and Express Transport Limited.

## New Toyota Kenya Foundation To Support Environmental Campaigns

THE TOYOTA KENYA Foundation is a private, non-profit making organisation, which aims to contribute to the social development of Kenya through donations towards undertakings and promotional activities intended for the purpose of furthering education and environmental preservation.

The Foundation was launched by Mr Mark Newman, the chairman of the Foundation's board of trustees and managing director of Lorho East Africa Limited, at a ceremony held at the Norfolk Hotel, Nairobi.

The Foundation, formed in April last year at the instigation of the Toyota Motor Corporation of Japan and its sister trading company, the Toyota Tsucho

Corporation, has an endowment fund in excess of Sh5 10 million, 75 per cent of which has been contributed by Toyota.

The other benefactors are Lorho East Africa and the Motor Mart Group Limited, who hold the Toyota franchise in Kenya.

students at secondary schools, universities, polytechnics and other institutions of learning, wishing to embark on engineering, agro-based and health courses, courses which will enable them to develop the skills needed to provide the backbone to Kenya's further economic development.

### Scholarships

The Toyota Kenya Foundation is the seventh foundation established by Toyota, dedicated to realising the goals of greater human fulfillment and contributing to the development of a human orientated society, through grant making activities.

The first foundation was established in Japan in 1974. The other foundations are in the USA, Canada, Indonesia and the Philippines.

The Toyota Kenya Foundation will award scholarships to

Present at the launch ceremony were members of the board of trustees, which includes Mr Kevin Gika, the managing director and chair executive of the Motor Mart Group.

Also present were members of the selection committee, which is chaired by Mr Dunstan Oman, who is also chairman of the Motor Mart Group and the Standard Chartered Bank, and the principals of 11 colleges and institutes of learning from all over Kenya, at which some of the courses for scholarship students will be awarded.

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## ROYAL CARD GOLF TOURNEY

NYALI GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB will this Friday (September 13, 1991) host the Royal Card golf tournament. Over 80 players have already confirmed for the tournament which will be the first to be hosted by the card company in the Coast. Welcoming the sponsorship of Royal, Nyali golf captain George Ndegwa declared that the Club was delighted to host the Royal Card day which 'I am sure will be a success'. The event will be played on stableford format and prizes will be awarded to the first, second and third players. There will also be additional ladies and numerous consolation prizes.

## MARTIN DIAS TIES THE KNOT



MARTIN DIAS HAS SAID farewell to his bachelorhood when he married the former Miss Innocentia M.A. Fernandes at the Holy Ghost Cathedral Mombasa. Both work for Barclays Bank of Kenya Limited with the bride at Moi Avenue Mombasa branch and the groom at Nkrumah Road Branch. The couple were given a surprise welcome after the service when Mombasa cyclists formed an arch with bicycle wheels. Martin was the Chairman of Mombasa Cycling Club from 1981-1989 and is still a keen supporter of the cycling sport.

## Our Heritage of Faith...

HAVE YOU EVER been deeply depressed, or even just discouraged? Then you will be able to understand how the prophet Elijah felt when he was alone in the wilderness and prayed:

*'I have had enough Lord, take away my life. I've got to die some time and it might as well be now.'* 1 Kings 19:4.

What was God's reply to his prayer? Did he grant Elijah's request? No. Instead he dealt with Elijah's real need. First he sent his angel to provide food for him, as he had not eaten for many days. He needed strength for the journey ahead to the place where God would speak to him.

Then God challenged Elijah about how he was dealing with his discouragement. The prophet replied:

*'I have been working very hard for the Lord God Almighty, but the people have broken your covenant and have torn down your altars: they have killed every one of your prophets except me, and they are trying to kill me too.'* 1 Kings 19:10, 14.

In despair Elijah had hidden in a cave thinking that he had worked for God in vain. He thought that the only way to come to give up God's cause.

Then God spoke to Elijah in the midst of his discouragement. His message came not in a spectacular way as it had often come in the past, but as a gentle whisper, which required that he should listen carefully.

God told him that there were still seven thousand people in Israel who were loyal to him. Elijah was not the only one left.

Then God gave Elijah further work to do for him. He was to return to his people and appoint a king for Israel and another king for their neighbours the Syrians. Then he was to appoint Elisha to be his successor in the prophetic ministry.

In times of discouragement and depression we need God's perspective on things. The way we get this is to wait quietly on him in prayer and listen to his 'gentle whisper'.

Neman Mwangi/mba.

# BRITISH AIRWAYS COMPETITION VERY KEEN AT MOMBASA

SUCH IS THE popularity of the British Airways Golf Competition which coincides with the ending of the four-day Mombasa ASK (Show) that it attracted 108 players from Mombasa and Nyalali golf clubs, including BA agents from Nairobi among whom was the Minister for Health, Mr. Mwai Kibaki.

British Airways is presently embarked on a worldwide 'Fly and Drive' promotion together with Hertz which joined in by awarding some of the outstanding prizes as well as sponsoring six guests. They arrived at the Nyalali Golf and Country Club in style on Sunday September 1, in an open-sided car wearing Hertz caps, 'T' shirts and being welcomed with a cold drink.

The 18 hole stableford competition again sponsored by BA attracted a bigger entry than last year with Mrs Wendy Mwanjira winning with an excellent 39 points, and playing five or six shots better than her handicap.

She took up golf only two years ago on arriving here from the UK, her husband being a communications advisor to the Kenya Ports Authority under the British Government's Business Development Aid programme.

Only two weeks ago Wendy came second in a competition winning a golf trolley. Her prize in the BA competition being not only a beautiful baggy but a smart red golf trolley (to go with the trolley!) as well as BA golf umbrella, cap and towel.

In thanking British Airways for such wonderful prizes and sponsorship of this lovely competition she told participants, "I am sure you will all agree that British Airways are one of the best international Airways in the world".

Runner-up was Luciano Aonzo who received a golf trolley.

# DEBBIE LEVATON WINS NYALI LADIES' SEPTEMBER PENDANT

NYALI GOLF CLUB this was another month when the Bronze Division ladies brought in some excellent results, with the winners vying for places on well earned net par, writes "Tudlub".

September is also the month when the L.G.U. Pendant is played for with the best nett result overall winning.

This year Debbie Levaton was the convincing winner with a net 65, she also won the Bronze Division, with Marinella Looce, a relatively new player in competitions, coming second with net 67.

The net 69's of Yvonne Edge and Amanda Stokes did not get a look in, but Yvonne won the Best Gross on 88 and Amanda the Best Putter on 29 putts.

In the Silver Division, two prizes featured on the winners board—the winner and Best Gross was achieved by Cathy Kimanthi on 71 nett, 85 gross and the runner-up and Best Putter was Carilyn Nawijn on 72 nett 82 putts.

The course was playing well, but the fairways had not been cut and the grass was getting rather long, leaving a good Tee shot on some unattractive lies.

The greens were true but drying out fast now the rain has more or less ceased.

Coca-Cola sponsored a two-day girls golf competition at Mombasa Golf Club on September 7-8.

The format was Greensomes on Saturday afternoon and foursomes on Sunday morning, with the pairs being drawn out a hat.

There was a good field of 28

The course was in excellent condition. Said Dick Roberts, a past Club Chairman 'it was the best I have ever seen'.

BA's Sales Manager for Kenya Ephraim Kamonjoh said 'I cannot promise anything right now, but it is most likely that we will be here next year depending on circumstances then prevailing'.

He mentioned that the Gulf war had hit the aviation industry pretty hard. Adding 'most of you patronise British Airways and this is one way of saying thank you very much for the support you have given us'.

The prize for the 'Hidden Hole' (the sponsor's choice) went to Mr Mwai Kibaki, Minister for Health—a Patron of the Kenya Golf Union. He was presented with a smart weekend bag, golf umbrella and towel by Mr Kamonjoh.

## Bridge Results

RESULT OF the duplicate bridge played at Mombasa Sports Club on Wednesday, September 4.

H. Dodhia and Dr Rawal 137; P. Gandhi and R. Sharma 127; K.C. Shah and U.B. Shah 126; S.K. Shah and Mrs Reid 121; D. Trivedi and P. Savla 116; T. Pujara and H. Malde 116; H.P. Modi and J. Babla 109; Mr and Mrs Jayanti Shah 102; K. Vora and L.P. Gudka 100; K.P. Shah and C.P. Shah 100; Mr and Mrs D.D. Shah 93; Mukhopadhyay and Amit De 73.

RESULTS OF Duplicate bridge played at L.T.C. on September 9, 1991.

R. Patel and J. Babla 101 points; R. Malde and R. Chandaria 91; R. Ruparella and M. Sawjani 91; Dr and Mrs S.N. Shah 82; Mr and Mrs M. Shah 81; P.C.L. Narashiman and Avinash 80; S.R. Shah and S.K. Shah 78; K. Malde and P. Chandaria 68.

pairs, despite the clash of competitions.

The easier Greensomes format brought in some good good scores on the Saturday, with Kishor Chohan and Kanti Chudasama leading the field with 42 points.

However they could not maintain the pace on the Sunday as they had a poor showing with only 31 points in the Foursomes, resulting in 73 points altogether and were beaten into second place overall by, on form, Jacob Okello and Hanif Walli who brought 40 points on Saturday and a consistent 39 points on the Sunday to leave them well ahead with 79 points.

Third was the partnership of H. Ramadhan and Gulam Taki with 37 points in the Greensomes and 35 in the foursomes, overall 72 points, just beating A. Jooren and H. Somji into Fourth place with their 38 and 33, altogether 71 points.

## SUNDAY MORNING

The course was playing well and the rain on Sunday morning added interest by slightly affecting the speed of some greens.

The Coca-Cola sponsorship and hospitality over the two days was excellent, with generous prizes and good food, especially the Sunday lunch.

Coca-Cola also made a donation to the Likoni School for the Blind, who entertained guests over lunch with live band music.

Vanraj Patel of Coastal Bottlers said that Coca-Cola was known for its sponsorship of sport and would continue to do

THE ROMANS HAD THEIR time in history going down as a great race that was out to conquer the world.

They made great strides towards this goal by finding their way to all the continents that were then "known".

They had a very common trademark that is still recognised today. They were revered as warriors and as great charioteers.

Many a tribe tried them out with disastrous effects.

In fact a comic strip that is a favourite amongst adults tries to capture some of the lighter moments of this period.

I am sure most of those who read this column must have at some stage been addicts of the indomitable Asterix and his Gaelic friends.

The thing about the Romans that interested Kachumbari when I last spoke to him was the fact that they were a very straight forward race.

They used to build their roads in absolutely straight lines and just wide enough for the type of traffic they thought would pass.

They also used a distinctive type of road surfacing material... cobblestones. (Perhaps this is where the makers of the paving blocks got their inspiration...for shape at least!!)

The rules about roads were

# 'Asterix' And The Romans

therefore very simple. If one were trying to put a road from one point to another then the shortest line would be the correct one.

Everyone understood this rule and there were no quarrels if one found a gang of masons busy

COASTDRIVE with PATRICK OBATH

laying down some cobble stones in their back garden.

In the ensuing time, however, the rules have become a bit more complicated. People have a right to own land and with that right they also have the right of access to the land.

Some clever fellow in the past developed the land tenure system and the rules applicable to it.

The sad thing is that it is not straight forward as one would

# Hatim Karimjee Stars Humble Sports Club

MOMBASA SPORTS CLUB suffered their second successive defeat last Saturday, when they were beaten by Hatim Karimjee S.C., the margin being 85 runs, writes D.J.W.

Although the wicket appeared to have some bad patches, it turned out to be perfect for batting, as three visiting batsmen made half centuries.

Mustan Khanbhai (54), Mufaddal (56 not out) and Hatim K. (54) helped to achieve a high total, and assisted by Kutub (25), the innings closing at 210 for five wickets in 30 overs.

In reply, the Sports Club

opens chased this total from the start, 34 runs coming in the first five overs.

However, after Upendra (17) was caught, the scoring rate fell. Huzeifa, who hit seven fours and a six in a good innings of 51, lost partners regularly to the spin of Shiraz and Juzer.

It was soon evident that the home side would be far short of the total and only a late 21 not out from Nalin helped them to reach 125 for nine wickets at the close.



COCA COLA WINNERS: Standing (from left) A. Jooren (fourth), Hanif Walli and Jacob Okello (Winners), Steve Mbote (Golf Captain), K. Chudasama (Runner Up), Vanraj B. Patel (Sponsor) Gulam Taki (Third) and Alfred Dunda (Coastal Bottlers Marketing Manager). Sitting: K. Chohan (Runner up) and Hanif Somji (Fourth).

# Excellent Attendance

like to believe.

There are many test cases that have happened in the past and one has to be careful before one takes the law into their hands.

Kachumbari mentioned this to me because apparently it is not uncommon to find people in town purchasing a house or plot of land and then waking up one day to find that some fellow has turned up claiming that your access road is part of his land and that they then expect you to move your access elsewhere.

You are then given a few days to find an alternative access and by the time you know what is going on the place has been fenced and a few lorry loads of ballast and sand have been poured on the plot.

Short of seeking a court injunction to stop the activity whilst the matter is being investigated, there is no recourse for the common man.

Imagine if the self same fellow who was making your life miserable was either a professor, doctor, lawyer, cop or alderman, it would be hell trying to make some headway.

When the fellow then turns up his nose and says that try as you may, he has poured money in some quarters that will block any action you might want to take, the nail sits comfortably in the coffin!

Unfortunately, it is those in the know that make people's lives hellish...for whatever reason.

There is the most crooked street somewhere in the United States and it even features in the Guinness Book of Records and has been touted in postcards for quite a long time.

If one digs into the background of the road one may find that that was all the access left after everyone had drawn their boundary in great detail.

The council had no choice but to put the promised access in the place available!

As Kachumbari says, every man has a right to access to his place and no man has the right to block or move it.

A GOOD TURNOUT of 26 bashers left Manor Hotel only to find that Merchant Iqbal had used his professional skills to get out of setting the hash. Instead the 'evergreen' Gorilla had set the run yet again!

The hash started at T-junction to the famous water tanks in the Nguu Tatu area. It took some time for the first 'On! On!' to be shouted. The pack headed towards the creek with Premium Bharat at the helm.

With help of the hare, Imping Merchant managed to lead the pack to Junda Creek. Most of the runners were thirsting for a hold, but a hold there was not to be.

Thus Lubricant Zaveri started this routine of groaning and shouting insults at the hare.

The pack was then made to run across the damp creek. Simba Kirti having just returned from U.K. with a new pair of shoes, had to ruin his 'clean image'.

The strenuous uphill path back to the road was eventually found by Mustang Mustafa Gorilla was astonished by the quiet Lubricant at the rear with a smile on his face. It was soon explained that Lubricant had found a new joy in admiring the scenery!

The pack reached the road and the start of home run after having run for an hour was fairly short.

The procession of cars made its way back to the Manor with a short 'Pitstop' at the West End bar in Mushomoroni. Many a laugh was had by all.

Special thanks to Gorilla for a super hash and Premium for a round of drinks in celebration of his wife giving birth to a baby hasher.

Next week's hash will be set by Sarit. Please meet at Manor Car Park 4.30 p.m. sharp on Saturday September 14.

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## Mombasa Institute Triumphant

MOMBASA INSTITUTE WHO made a flying start in the Guru Nanak Perpetual Hockey League by beating Kenya Navy 2-1 last weekend, clash against Mombasa Youngsters in their second game to be played at Aryans ground from 4.30 p.m.

Baobab who settled to a two-all draw against Youngsters, face an uphill task when they tackle Kenya Navy at the same venue from 3 p.m.

Meanwhile, Mombasa Institute made a flying start in the Coast Hockey League when they crushed Kenya Navy 6-1 at M.I. ground.

However, Navy managed to collect two points after beating Mombasa Youngsters 1-0 at Aryans ground.

Another Coast League match saw Baobab settling to a barren draw with Mombasa Youngsters at Aryans ground.

Other League fixtures: October 26-Mombasa Institute vs Baobab (MI ground), November 2-Mombasa Institute vs Mombasa Youngsters (MI ground) and Nova Baobab vs Kenya Navy (Baobab ground).

Second round matches will start on November 11 and ends on December 21, 1991.

## Sida Water Face Black Santos XI

SIDA WATER FC OF Kwale, one of top contenders for this year's Coast Premier League clash against Black Santos at the Mombasa Municipal Stadium. This Zone 'A' match take place today from 4.45 p.m.

Sida Water started the league on a flying note maintaining eight match unbeaten run before Cosmos upset them with a 3-0 win. Sida Coach Ibrahim Kingunge is expected to field his strongest line up today.

There will be two National Division Two League matches at Mombasa Municipal Stadium tomorrow where Mombasa Posta face the visiting Barclays Bank at 4 p.m. while Kenya Navy meet Eastleigh at same venue from 2 p.m.

Navy Coach Oliver Bongo is expected to steer his team to a good margin win while it was not immediately known if Barclays will this time honour their fixture having failed to travel to Mombasa last weekend for a date with Mwenge.

Meanwhile, in the on-going Mombasa District Football Under-17 Youth League, All Blacks who are leading Group 'A' takes on Jomvu Youth at Jomvu Primary School ground on Sunday at 10 a.m.

At Tononoka ground at same time, Super Star who occupy

by Abdul R. Shariff

third position in Group 'B' tackle lowly placed Miritini Youth.

Tomorrow, Mtongwe Youth, lying third in Group 'A', meet Kisauni Youth at Tom Mboya School ground at 10 a.m. Kuze Youth clash against Miritini in a Group 'B' match at Tononoka ground the same day.

All Blacks leads group 'A' with four points from two matches. Their striker Bakari Omar also topped the scoring chart with three goals to his credit. Kongowea are in second spot, Mwenge third, Jomvu fourth and Kisauni last.

### CHANGAMWE

Rest of The World top Group 'B' with five points from three matches, followed by Changamwe who have four points. Super Star, Kuze and Miritini Youth follow in that order.

In another development, Mandingo completed their Under-15 League group 'A' matches with an unbeaten run after collecting maximum six points from three matches.

Tiger Boys and Young Juventus jointly occupy second position with three points each but Juventus have better goal-aggregate. Najjah are last without any point.

Future Stars and Myvta Olympic jointly top Group 'B', each having snatched five points but the former have better goal difference. Bantu finished third with two points while Guraya last with nil point.



CHARTER CAPTAIN Peter Ready seen with his new 'All-Africa' record Blue Marlin of 724.5 Lbs landed on 'White Otter' off Shimoni.

## An 'All-Africa' Record

A NEW ALL-AFRICA line class record for Blue Marlin may have been broken this week as a result of the fine angling skill demonstrated by well known charter fishing Captain Peter Ready and the crew of Pemba Channel Fishing Club's "White Otter".

Having fished in Malindi waters for over 10 years, Captain Ready and long-time fishing companions Bruce Buckland and Robert Hellier thought they would try their luck in the Marlin rich waters of the Pemba Channel off Kenya's South Coast.

Teamed with Captain Saidi Ahmed, Kadiri Nahoda and Suleiman Kadir, one of the most experienced crews in Kenya, on a boat with over a thousand Marlin catches to its credit, he was able to subdue a monster Pacific Blue Marlin of 724 1/2 Pounds (329 kgs) on 50 Pound (24 kg) line in a cool one hour and 20 minutes.

Not only does this put Captain Ready into the exclusive 10:1 Club (where the weight of the fish exceeds the breaking strain of the line by at least a factor of ten) it qualifies under International Game Fishing Association regulations (pending ratification) as a new all Africa line class record.

This was held previously by Mr R. Pays whose 486 Pound (220 kgs) Blue was caught while fishing from another of Pemba Channel Fishing Club's boats "Pinguini" in 1988.

## TIDES



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**FRIDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.44m at 06.45 hours and 2.85m at 18.59 hours  
 Low Water - 0.40m at 00.24 hours and 0.54m at 12.56 hours.

**SATURDAY:**  
 High Water - 3.15m at 07.16 hours and 2.57m at 19.31 hours  
 Low Water - 0.65m at 00.55 hours and 0.81m at 13.33 hours.

**SUNDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.84m at 07.51 hours and 2.28m at 20.11 hours  
 Low Water - 0.94m at 01.27 hours and 1.11m at 14.16 hours.

**MONDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.53m at 08.37 hours and 2.03m at 21.15 hours  
 Low Water - 1.23m at 02.05 hours and 1.38m at 15.27 hours.

**TUESDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.29m at 10.16 hours.  
 Low Water - 1.51m at 03.21 hours and 1.48m at 17.40 hours.

**WEDNESDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.00m at 00.21 hours and 2.35m at 12.43 hours  
 Low Water - 1.58m at 06.01 hours and 1.29m at 19.37 hours.

**THURSDAY:**  
 High Water - 2.25m at 01.51 hours and 2.59m at 13.52 hours  
 Low Water - 1.36m at 07.40 hours and 1.05m at 20.22 hours.

**D.T. Dobie**

### 1991 MOMBASA DISTRICT FOOTBALL UNDER-17 YEARS LEAGUE STANDING:

| GROUP A        | P | W | D | L | F | A | PTS |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----|
| ALL BLACKS     | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 4   |
| KONGOWEA       | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 4   |
| MTONGWE        | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 2   |
| JOMVU YOUTH    | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1   |
| KISAUNI YOUTH  | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1   |
| GROUP B        | P | W | D | L | F | A | PTS |
| REST OF WORLD  | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 5   |
| CHANGAMWE      | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 4   |
| SUPER STAR     | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 3   |
| KUZE YOUTH     | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 1   |
| MIRITINI YOUTH | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0   |

(LEADING SCORER SO FAR IS BAKARI OMAR OF REST OF THE WORLD WHO HAS SCORED THREE GOALS).

## HATIM KARIMJEE XI EASILY SWEEP COAST GYMKHANA

HATIM KARIMJEE SPORTS CLUB easily beat Coast Gymkhana in the only CCA League match. Opener Kamlesh (50) and Hitesh Kamdar (22) scored for Gymkhana as the side totaled 131 all out. Moiz Yusufali 3/16 and Juzer Albhahi 2/19 were the main wicket takers with two run outs.

Hitesh Kamdar 2/25 removed Asgher Adamali (11) and the promoted Moiz Yusufali (26) and Kirit Trivedi claimed Huzeifa Maloo (5) to get HKSC to 60/3. Shiraz Shabbir (40) and Muffadal (32 not out) saw Karimjee home 132/4 in 32 overs. Weekend fixtures: Jaffery Sports Club v/s Coast Gymkhana at JSC and Union Cricketers v/s Patel Sports Club at HKSC.

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