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• PRAESIDENT MOI

Kenias Neues Staats-oberhaupt

PRÄSIDENT Daniel arap Moi ist seit 20 Jahren im demokratischen System der Republik aktiv.

Mr. Moi wurde 1924 in Sacho/aringo Distrikt geboren. Er gehört dem Tugen-Stamm, einem der diversen Kalenjin-Stämme. Bevor er in die Politik eintrat, war er viele Jahre ein praktischer Lehrer.

1955 vertrat er seinen Distrikt im kenianischen Gerichtratsrat (legislative council). Er war einer der ersten acht Schwarzafrikaner, die diesem Rat angehörten.

Er wurde dann ein vehementer Nationalist, der sich erfolgreich in der kenianischen Politik engagierte und im Jahre 1961 Kultusminister wurde.

Später schloss er sich dem erstbesten Präsidentschaftskandidaten an, die beide die politischen Parteien des Landes zusammenschlossen. Er blieb eine Schlüsselfigur in der Regierung.

1967 wurde er zum Vizepräsidenten Kenias ernannt, diesen Posten hielt er bis zum Tode Präsident Kenyattas inne.

Nach den kürzlichen nationalen Wahlen wurde Präsident Moi einstimmig zum Staatspräsidenten gewählt.

Seine kurze Amtszeit ist vor allem markiert durch seine gedanklichen, offenen Reden, die diversen Stämme der kenianischen Bevölkerung zu vereinen. Präsident Moi ist das aelteste Parlamentsmitglied Kenias und wird als der führende Demokrat der Republik betrachtet.

THE HIGH TOURIST season has started with over 60,000 tourists from Germany alone expected to visit Kenya during 1978/9 - an increase of 30 per cent over last year.

The first big jumbo jet opening up the 'high' season arrived at Mombasa International Airport early Saturday morning on a direct flight from Frankfurt with 495 holidaymakers from Touristik Union International subsidiary companies on board.

TUI is the largest European tour operator, and these weekly flights by Condor Boeing 747s will continue throughout the high season, and be supplemented by a 180-seater Kenya Airways charter flight Frankfurt/Nairobi/Mombasa from December 22 until April 1979.

TUI which has been operating in Kenya for 14 years, plans to bring about 17,000

NETA PEAL reports

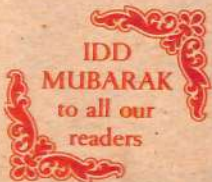
German tourists here during the 'high' season, and 20,000 throughout 1978/9 - an increase of about 20 per cent over last year.

A big welcome awaited disembarking passengers at Mombasa International Airport for Kenya's Minister for Tourism and Wildlife, Mr. Mathews Ogutu, was there to greet them with a beaming smile and a big 'jumbo' which included his Permanent Secretary, Mr. Yuda Komara, returning from a week's visit to Germany where he had met TUI officials and studied market trends.

There was also a special welcome for the group of 20 travel agents from 'top' companies in Germany who retail only TUI holidays. They will be visiting hotels and tourist attractions to 'sample what they sell'.

Accompanying the Minister at the airport were Mrs. C. Kuria, under secretary, Mr. G. N. Macharia, chief tourist officer, Mr. C. Nyamango, provincial tourist officer, Coast - all from the Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife, also Mr. Dimitri Pelteko, managing director of Pollmans Tours & Safaris, a

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•NECKERMANN's Condor Boeing 747 is pictured on arrival at Mombasa International Airport.

WOOD CARVINGS FOR VISITORS

THE high tourist season has also opened for Neckermann - the second largest tour operator in Germany - when 366 holidaymakers flew into

Mombasa International Airport on a Condor Boeing 747 aircraft from Frankfurt late on Saturday

night. There to meet them were Mr. Karl-Ho Landefeld, Neckermann's Resident Manager for

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BAMBURI CONSERVATION PROJECT WINS WORLD FAME

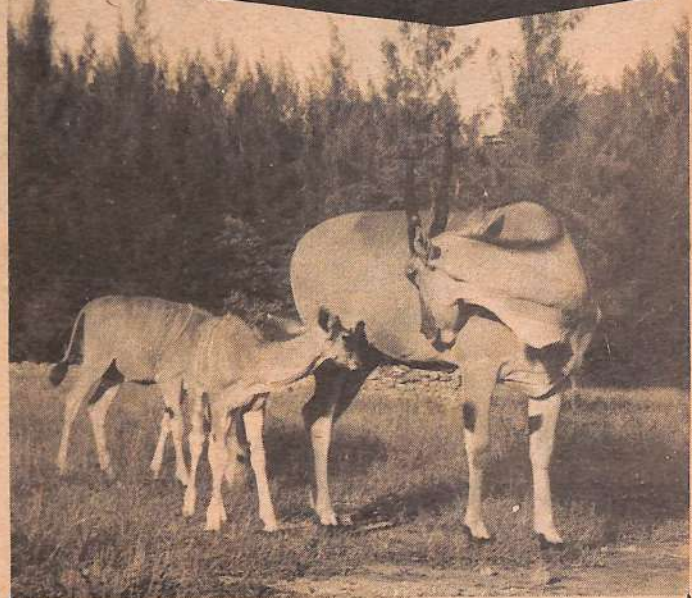


PHOTO: RENE HALLER

BAMBURI PORTLAND Cement Company's well-known quarry rehabilitation project near Mombasa has earned world-wide acclaim following the recent telecast in Europe and the United States of an hour-long documentary film.

Entitled *How green is my quarry* the film was produced by the *Survival* programme of Britain's I.T.N. network.

The film described how the dead limestone quarry had been transformed into a magnificent park, complete with wild animals.

The *Daily Mirror* in Britain commented: "Anyone who has ever put spade to garden will take pleasure in this achievement."

• ABOVE: An Eland cow and her young calf are pictured in the rehabilitated quarry forest area.



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PHOTO: FARRY

LION TROUBLE

Likoni artist, Fabby, features the three photographic lion cubs recently resident in the Taita Hills.



BINTI ZAINAB AZIZ

(NA...HARRY KOMBE)

Akiwa mzalia wa Mombasa, Binti Zainabu amekusanya mengi akiwa bingwa wa vipindi vya Television vya Ngonjera nchini Kenya. Ufanisi wake wa lugha na kina-ganga cha mitendo yake huanya michozo yake ya kuigiza kuwa kweli.

Akihojiwa alisema akiwa mwalimu wa michezo hiyo huwa na lengo la kutoa mafunzo kupambana na matatizo ya Kijamii katika Afrika mashariki inayoendelea.

Alisema Television ni chombo kinachoweza kuleta mafunzo katika kila sehemu ya maisha ya binadamu - akiwa nyumbani, kazini na hata katika jamii.

Alisema akiandamana na mtaalamu wa Lugha Bwana Kiweke kupata msingi na lugha inayofaa ya kuelimisha na kupambana na malimwengu ya kisasa. Yeye hupenda kusoma vitabu na kujielimisha Kifaransa. Hupenda sana kushirikiana na nduguye Binti Zamzam katika vipindi vyake vya NGONJERA ambaye huonekana kila mara katika Sauti ya Kenya Television.



Sanaa na Utamaduni

MZEE Omar Kozi Bakari Mwakituko wa kijiji cha Mwapala huko Shimba Hills amebuni kijiji cha Utamaduni na Sanaa za Mwafrika katika juhudi zake za kuhifadhi mambo hayo yasiyote. Kijiji hicho kilicho karibu na shule ya msingi ya Mwapala hivi sasa kina makundi ya wacheza ngoma za kisaili wakiva pamoja na kundi la Wamasai, Waduruma na Wamakonde. Alisema lengo la kijiji hicho pia ni kuwakaribisha watalii kwa bei nafuu, pamoja na wananchi wote. Baadhi ya kazi mbali mbali za sanaa zinapatikana katika kijiji hicho na watalii wameanza kutembelea huko.

Sheikh Idrees

MWENYEKITI wa Umoja wa Islamic Foundation Sheikh HA-IDH IDREES amewashauri vijana wa Kiislamu wa Ansar Muslim kueneuka na mitindo ambayo inahatarisha utamaduni wao na wa dini yao. Sheikh IDREES alikuwa akiwahutubia Ansar Muslim Youths huko Memon jamia Mosque-Kuze. Alisema Quran tukufu ndio mwangaza kwa mengi.

Wachuuzi Furahani

MAMIA ya wachuuzi katika manisipaa ya Mombasa wameipongeza idara ya afya ya baraza la Mji kwa kuondoa ile amri ya kupiga marufuku uzazi wa vitu kadha katika barabara za mji. Mwenyekiti wa chama cha Wachuuzi Bwana Kioko Muli alisema hatua hiyo imeleta nafasi kwa wananchi wengi kuweza kujimiliika na kusitiri jamii zao kwa maisha na elimu.

Waswahili wenyeji Pwani na Visiwani

WASWAHILI ni watu asilia katika sehemu za Mwanambao wa Kenya na Afrika mashariki ingawa sasa mipaka ya mataifa ya Afrika mashariki imewagawanya, lakini ni watu wamoja, wenye asili moja.

Kwa utupisho Waswahili wamegawanyika katika Makundi manne makubwa:

•Waswahili wanaoishi Mombasa na karibu ya Mombasa katika Pwani inayojulikana kwa jina la asili la Pwani ya Nyali,

•Waswahili wanaoishi sehemu za Pwani ya Kenya na hata kufikia pwani ya Banadir huko Somalia kusini

•Waswahili wanaoishi katika sehemu kadha wa kadha za Pwani ya Tanzania bara na haswa katika sehemu inayojulikana kwa jina la MRIMA na kuongea aina ya Kiswahili kiljulikanacho kama Kimrima

•Waswahili wanaishi katika Visiwa vya Pemba (Wapemba) na Unguja (Wahadimu na Watumbatu)

•Waswahili wameenea katika visiwa vya Ngazija (Comoro), Malagasy na sehemu kadha wa kadha za Msombiji, visiwa vya Sheli Sheli, Mafia na visiwa kadha katika bahari ya Hindi mkabala na Afrika Mashariki.

Ni hivi majuzi tu ambapo Tamim wa Makabila matatu ya Waswahili wa Kenya (Watangana, Wakilindini na Wachangame) alifariki naye ni Marehemu Sheikh Ali bin Mohamed bin Abdalla Mtangana. Marehemu Sheikh Ali alitawazwa kama ilivyo desturi kuwa Tamim (Mzee) wa Makabila hayo matatu, na baada ya kifo chake Naibu wa Tamim Sheikh Nassor Khalifan ambaye ni maarufu sana kwa jina la Nassor Chaka alianza kushikilia mamala ya Utamim mpaka atakapotawazwa rasmi katika sherehe inayolingana na utamaduni wa Waswahili.

Makabila ya Waswahili yanayusiano mkuuwa kati yao yakishirikiana mwani makabila 12 ya Waswahili wa Pwani ya Kenya yanalingana vile vile na Miji kumi na Mivili au Miji (thnashara (thnashara Taifa) - Taifa ambazo ni jumla ya Mataifa Matatu (Wakilindini Wachangame na Watangana) na Miji Tisa (Kati yao ni Wamvita, Wajomvu, Wajunda, Wakilifi, Wapate, Wabaajun, Wafaza, WASHAKA, Wakatwa).

Kutokana maelezo ya Sheikh Hyder Matano Mataifa Matatu ya Waswahili (Watangana, Wakilindi na Wachangame) wana-

Waisilamu -Pwani (Kenya)

UMOJA wa Muslim Youth Cultural Society utisamamia mthani wa kwanza wa Quran katika Ansar Muslim Hall, Msikiti wa Sindi-Kuze. Mthani utaanza saa mbili asubuhi, tarehe 19 November, 1978. Alisema Kati-bu Mtendaji wa Umoja huo Maalim Ahmad Bashir. Washindi watapatwa zawadi, pamoja na walimu wao. Shule kadha na Madrassa za Kiislamu zinatarajwa kushiriki.

Na S. A. Al-Ismailly

uhusiano na Wadigo na Waduruma.

Na yale makabila tisa wanauhusiano na Giriama, Rabai, Chonyi, Jibana, Ribe, Kauma na Kambe ambao wakujumlika na Wadigo na waduruma wanajulikana kwa jina la (WAMIJI) - KENDA).

Kufahamu uhusiano wa ndani kati ya makabila 12 ya Waswahili wa pwani ya Kenya, ni lazima mtu kufahamu asili za uhusiano wa kabila hizo, au ya Waswahili au jamii au ukoo, ama fuko la kila kabila.

Fuko la kila kabila ya Kiswahili hujulikana kwa jina la Mbiri ina maana muhimu na ni ya pekee. Hebu natuchunguze Kabila zifuatazo na MBARI zao:

KABILA YA WAKILINDINI (Ina jumla ya Mbiri nne)

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Nguti wa Mwinyi Mwenzangu

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Hunzi

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Kombo wa Dani

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Kae wa Pembe

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Hudumzi

KABILA YA WATANGANA (Ina jumla ya Mbiri nne)

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Muli

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Mjaka

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Umbwi

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Ngwisa

KABILA YA WACHANGAMWE (Ina jumla ya Mbiri tano)

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Kitue

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Mgosi

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Faki

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Koba

•Mbiri ya Mwinyi Ngovo.

Mwenyekiti wa Swahili Welfare Society, Bwana Mohamed Amran ambaye pia ni meneja wa Ferry ya Likoni, amesema kwamba Waswahili wana miezi yao na mwaka wao ambao wajulikana na huingia katika sehemu ya kumi la mwisho la July au kumi la mwanzo la August kila mwaka. "Kibunzi" alisema ndio mwisho wa mwaka wa Waswahili, na siku ifuatayo huwa ndio mwanzo wa mwaka.

Vazi la Waswahili na utamaduni wao ni wa asili yao pia. Vazi, la Waswahili huwa kiata-



•Marehemu Sheikh Ali bin Mohamed bin Abdalla Mtangana



•Sheikh Nassor Khalifan (Imam mpya).



•Bwana Abdul Aziz Alim Katibu Mtendaji Swahili Welfare Society (Kenya).

cha kubadhi, na kanzu yidi zi na kofia ya vito na kitaa Ususi wa mika, makawazi wala na vihangaishi ni kati ya mabibi wa Kiswahili. Watu wa Kiswahili wana michoyo o kama vile "geli", "ng'ira", "kibe", "ukuti", "kizuzi" kadhalika.

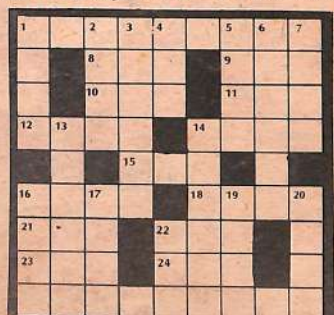
Bwana Amran ametoa mwaka kwa Waswahili kuhifadhi mita na utamaduni wao ili wawe wasije wakajinasibu kutuwa na mila hizo zao au kuzi kabisa. Alisema yakiisitika potea kwa ada za "P-hali" "ndongwa" zimetoweza.

Kuwasaidia Waliopatikana na Maafa Huko Ndau, Wila-yani Lamu.

MNAMO TAREHE 10 October mwaka huu jamaa zaidi ya mia moja zinazoishi huko NDAU wila-yani Lamu zilipoteza makao yao kwa moto mku bwa uliozuka katika sehemu hiyo. Si makao tu yaliopotewa katika moto huo, wananchi walipototea hata vitu vyao na mali nyingi mno.

Mbunge wa Lamu Mashariki Bwana M. O. Mzamil, alisema kijiji hicho cha Ndau, sasa kinakabiliwa na ukosefu wa makao kwa watu hao waliopatikana na msiba huo. Alisema ni wabuni wa wananchi wote na wakarimu wote kuwasaidia wenzao kupata makao mapya. Alisema msaada unaweza kupotelewa kupitia kwake kama Mbunge wa Lamu Mashariki Sanduku la Posta 33, Lamu. Msaada wote uandikwe kwa jina la "Msaada wa Ndau"

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Shindano la fumbo la kujaza maneno
Uamuzi wa majaji utakuwa wa mwisho. Hakuna malalamiko yoyote yatakayokubalwa. Washindi wawili wa kwanza kila mmoja atapatwa bandali moja la Unga Wa Mahindi chapa Jembe. Shindano hili limeshaminiwa na COASTWEEK LTD. pamoja na ATTA LTD, Mombasa. Jawabu za fumbo hili, lipeleke kwa muhariri COASTWEEK, sanduku la posta 87270, Mombasa, Kenya, siku alhamisi tarehe 16.11.78, saa sita mchana shindano hili litakuwa mwisho.

MOI SHIKA USUKANI, UIONGOZE JAHAZI

Hapa nashika kalamu, karatasi mkononi. Nazipeleka salamu, na pongezi kwa ilani. Zitikie kwa mahashumu, Raisi Moi jamani. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Sitaki iwe fununu, natooa uwanjani. Hizi ni habari tunu, za Mombasa kisivani, zoko Raisi wa Kanu, na wa nchi kirauni. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Mcheza kwa hutuzwa, tunu isiyu kifani. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Washasema wa fahari, Wazee wetu zamani. Maneno yao twakiri, ni wasia wa thamani. Subira huvuta heri, akataae ni nani? Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Kwa wako mwema utuvu, ulosubiri mwandani. Ukawa mvumilivu, na tena mwenye makini. Leo umelia mbivu, nakupa yako nishani. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Heko wetu kiongozi, ambaye twakumini, Wastahili pongezi, pasi shaka asilani.

SAID KARAMA
Mombasa High School
Fanya hima mtumia, Raisi twakutamani. Kwa hamu twakungojea, Mombasa kwetu mjini. Tupate kushangilia, karibu wetu mgeni. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Iongoze Kenya changa, isifikie duniani. Ili iwe na muanga, chini na juu angani. Hakuna wa kukupinga, kiongozi nam-bawani. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Ewe kiongozi bora, chomboni ndiwe rubani. Usukani barabara, uzuie mikononi. Chombo kifuate dira, tuwasili bandarini. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Moi hapana maneno, sote tuo turahani. Inshalla mambo mamono, hakuna ila amani. Twakuunga na mkono, na hasidi awe chini. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi.

Wastahili halisi, sifazo nazibaini. Wananchi sote sisi, twakupa yetu yakini. Weve ni wetu Raisi, kaa makini kitini. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Twakutakia la heri, na watu wako nyum-bani. Kisha uishi vizuri, kwa afia ya mwilini. Uzidi wako umuri, upendekeze nchini. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Ikwepuke kila dhiki, kwa nguvu zake manani. Na wako mwema rafiki, ambaye ni muhisani. Naye ni Bwana Kibaki, shime Kenya jengeni. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Liliptika shairi, karibu ya kituoni. Kwa uwezi wa kahari, Mola atakuumini. Pamoja na mawaziri, na wote wali-bungeri. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi. Tamani kumi na tano, kima hiki wastahili. Yakizidya maneno, ya tangia walajini. Wa tosha huno mfano, penye kosi samahani. Moi shika usukani, uiongoze jahazi.

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HEART BREAKER

LOVELY Christina Cornelius, singer and filmstar - and recently resident at the North Coast's Serena Beach Hotel, will this month launch her laTEST month launch her latest epic "Wild, Wild Land" much of which was actually shot on location at the Kenya Coast. Martinique-born Christina seems to traditionally portray the girl who gets her man... understandable.

PHOTO: AKRAM SHEIKH



LIZ MITCHELL DOWN AT DIANI

SINGING SENSATION Liz Mitchell, lead singer of the 'Boney M' group, has returned home to west Germany after a quiet two-week holiday at the Kenya South Coast's Leisure Lodge Hotel. Manager Peter Adams Ludaava reports that Liz was eventually persuaded to join the resident band 'The Back-Beats' for a short show session. 'Liz was a very charming visitor everyone could really understand why she is such a popular person.'

WELCOME HOME ANWAR

AFTER a break of one year, Mombasa's most popular disc jockey, Anwar Tufail is back in action.

has already proved a big success.

This time, Anwar plays at the Disco Tropicana at the Ocean View Beach Hotel which is known at the coast for its latest disco hits.

Started on the 1st of November, 1978, Anwar's comeback

MALINDI HOTELIER Kim Morby has again been re-elected Chairman of the Kenya Association of Hotel keepers and Caterers.

HOLLYWOOD CALLING

NORTH COAST Author Errol Trzebinski, writer of last year's best-selling biography on Karen Blixon's lover, Denys Finch-Hatton, is believed to have a Hollywood film concern 'sincerely interested' in taking the film option. Latest news is that a script-writer is being sought for the project.

Coast, who offered her services free of charge.

Printed by Rodwell Press they are now available for sale at Shankar Electronics, D.T. Dobie or through Mr. Gurdip Nayar of Atta Ltd.

The have been designed so that companies can, if they wish, print their own message on the Christmas Cards, and arrangements can be made for bulk orders to be delivered.



PHOTO: AKRAM SHEIKH

The three birds in the picture are no models. They are in fact part of the cabaret dance group who perform weekly on the world cruise ship, the *Eugenio c.* which visited Mombasa last month on its twelve week cruise which takes it to 27 ports in all, including Mombasa. The countries the ship visits include, Italy, Egypt, Kenya, Seychelles, Singapore, Japan, Honolulu and San Francisco.

The girls, Gina Zubieta (20), Dianne Hoffman (25) and Carolyn Dodd (22) have worked as dancers on cruise ships for more than three years and enjoy their work very much.

During a port stop, the girls have all the time to themselves to go to the beach or for sight seeing. They are pictured at one of the Mombasa beach hotels.

Do yourself a favour

CHRISTMAS is not only a time for celebration but for spreading a little happiness around as well.

This can be done by buying Christmas Cards produced by the new Mombasa Nyali Round Table No. 25 to raise funds for their first project - an S.O.S. Village at Mombasa for orphaned and destitute children.

Costing Shs.6 million to build it will accommodate over 100 children and is due for comple-

tion in April next year.

It has already received considerable financial support from the Mombasa Round Table, LI-BELLA, a Dutch magazine, a number of Scandinavian charitable institutions, and the World Council of Young Men's Service Clubs to which the Round Table is affiliated, leaving Shs. 2.5 million still to raise.

The Christmas Cards have been designed by Jette Botschinsky, a well known artist at the



PHOTO: NETA PEAL

60,000 TOURISTS FOR KENYA

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subsidiary of TUI in which the Kenya Government, through KTDG, now hold 50 per cent of the shares.

Outside the airport, Pollman's vehicles were lined up waiting to take holidaymakers to their beach hotels, some as far afield as Malindi on the north coast, and Diani on the south coast.

TUI has been operating in Kenya for 14 years, during which time her subsidiaries - Touropra, Scharnow, Trans-Europa, Dr. Tigges and Twen Tours International have sent nearly 100,000 tourists here.

Interviewed at the airport, Mr. Ogutu said 'while we are all delighted that tourism is booming at the Coast, we would like to see some of this 'tourist cake' spread around Kenya a

little more, particularly to the 'high potential' up-country areas which are virtually unexploited.

In this context he appealed to tour operators from Europe and Kenya 'to explore the new areas which are opening up in Western, Northern and Eastern Kenya, including the Marsabit area, and to also consider investing in tourist developments there'.

Tour operators could sell many more Coast holidays during the 'high' season if it were not for the shortage of beds, and Mr. Ogutu said how delighted he was at the way in which so many coast hoteliers were making substantial extensions to their hotels to cater for this need.

He felt that with the gigantic Sabaki Water Scheme nearing

completion, giving Mombasa Island, the south/north coasts a sufficient supply of water, and later Malindi and Kilifi, more hotels could now be built. But he stressed that this must be an 'orderly, and not haphazard, development.

Mr. Ogutu said he was also impressed by the attitude of local financial institutions in their willingness to invest in various enterprises, particularly at the Coast.

Asked about the projected Diani Beach complex, for which a feasibility study had already been carried out, Mr. Ogutu said 'It is still being discussed'.

Adding 'it has aroused a lot of interest' but they now 'wanted re-actions from potential investors to justify going ahead with the project'.

In the meantime he said 'we just have to wait for government to make a decision regarding its implementation'.

He pointed out that 'with so many areas along the Coast already developed, Diani would be one of the solutions to providing more beds'.

more jobs

At a luncheon party hosted by the Ministry of Tourism & Wildlife at Mombasa Beach Hotel, attended by German travel agents and Coast hoteliers, Mr. Ogutu said that 'investment opportunities abound in Kenya which would not only help in the country's economic development, but in creating more job opportunities as well'.

He said that Kenya continued to enjoy economic and political stability under the wise leadership of President Daniel Arap Moi 'as moulded by our late President and Father of the Nation, Mzee Jomo Kenyatta'. This confidence in Kenya was demonstrated by her continued tourist development, and that Coast hotels were fully

booked until April 1979.

In a tribute to hoteliers, the Minister said they had been 'very co-operative throughout'. Within fifteen years there had been rapid development with over 20,000 beds now available in Kenya compared with less than 2,000 in 1963.

There was also a big tribute to TUI for their continued support, with Mr. Ogutu remarking that their 'confidence in Kenya would undoubtedly persuade many more to invest'.

wild animals

Speaking at the luncheon party Mr. Yuda Komora, permanent secretary, said that TUI was aiming at a target of bringing 20,000 German holidaymakers to Kenya each year.

He pointed out that tourism was the second biggest foreign exchange earner after agriculture, and as such was an 'important component in our economic development'. Hotels were well organised, and Kenya had banned hunting, and the sale of game trophies to preserve her wildlife.

Also on the jumbo jet was Dr. Wolf Tschierschke, TUI's director of Public Relations, who presented the Minister with a book entitled 'The Federal Republic of Germany' as a token of 'our gratefulness for the hospitality and friendliness extended to us and our clients by the people of your country, as well as for the open-mindedness of the authorities with whom we deal'.

He went on 'the increasing number of passengers TUI has brought to Kenya in the last few years demonstrates that your country is the most important destinations our long distance programme'.

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mombasa MOVIES

THE Kenya Cinema opens tonight with a love story, *Coming Home*, which is a result of close association with the events reflected in the film by people who star in it.

Jane Fonda and Bruce Dern who are starring in the film, came up with the idea of the movie, which deals with vietnam war veterans, through their close contact with the anti-Vietnam movement, and association with the enormous veterans in the nation.

Coming Home is a love story set in the background of war, but without a single battle scene. Jane Fonda stars as Sally Hyde, an officer's wife, who volunteers to work in a veteran's hospital while her husband (Bruce Dern) is fighting in Vietnam. Also starring in the film is Jon Voight, an embittered Viet-

with AKRAM SHEIKH

nam veteran whose love for Jane Fonda helps him to regain a new sense of value in his life. The film has been directed by Hal Ashby.

Close Encounters follows *Coming Home*, next Thursday and this will be reviewed in our next week's issue. Today and tomorrow, the Naaz Cinema is screening, *The Deep*, which is followed on Monday by *The Old Gun*.

Next weeks, high light is *Don't Steal My Baby* which will again be reviewed next week.

At the Regal Cinema, both this week and the next, it is *Kung Fu* time with Bruce Lee. Until Tuesday they are screening Bruce Lee in *The Invincible* followed by Bruce Lee's *Secret*.



On leave from the Marines, Bruce Dern enjoys the Hong Kong sights with his wife, played by Jane Fonda in *Coming Home*, showing from tonight at the KENYA CINEMA

asian FILMS

COMMENCING at the KENYA from Sunday is the grand ldd attraction *Doosara Aadmi* starring Rishi Kapoor, Neetu Singh and Raakhee Gulzar.

Timsi and Kanu were two young people, very much in love and uncaring for what went on around them. As time went on Kanu crossed the threshold and entered the realm of manhood.

Now he wanted to be a person in his own rights; not just a shadow of his father's. He launched his own advertising agency, without any help from his father. With his wife, he set on for new horizons far afield.

Success was theirs for the taking. But, just when everything seemed to be so well, for both of them, a forgotten song, a melody full of sweetness and pain came into their lives. This song was Nisha who searched for a companion.

But now her search was over, her song regained its tune in the companionship of Kanu. In Kanu she saw her own hazy image.

Her loneliness was soon forgotten as she walked a new path with Kanu. Her footsteps started echoing his, the past overlapped future, desires filled the emptiness, youth merged with experience and their closeness crystallised into a sparkling gem.

Timsi was thunderstruck, shocked. Her heart was shattered, her love had been betrayed and her trust broken. Timsi, Kanu and Nisha found themselves caught in a cruel whirlpool. Each of them was right, was true to the self. Then, who was to blame?

Showing at the Naaz, for the third great week, is the star-studded *Amar, Akbar, Anthony*. The story of how three brothers are separated, first, from their mother, then their father and finally from each other, one

with ANJUM MANJI

rainy night. The eldest is found by a Hindu Police Inspector, the second by a Christian priest and the third by a Muslim tailor. And hence, *Amar, Akbar, Anthony* are borne forth.

The dialogue is full of humour and wit, romance is displayed to the extent when Inspector Amar wins his unfortunate (but pretty) lady from her stepmother, when the notorious Anthony manages to win his Jenny bypassing a barrel-chested, very strong bodyguard and when Akbar manages to remove the veil of his sweetheart despite repeated efforts by her four foot four inch father to keep them as far apart as possible.

Hilarious

Regal will be showing a come back of Rishi Kapoor as the *Rafoo Chakkar* with Neetu Singh. The hilarious consequences when two youths disguise themselves as girls and join a girls' band of musicians to escape a murdering thug, is revealed on the screen.

There are laughs galore, the usual fights and cabaret numbers but this time is one with a difference. The two "girls" performing are actually two boys!

Chox has a variety of repeat films starring with Rishi Kapoor as *Zehreela Insaan* on Saturday. From Tuesday is *Keemat* starring Dharmendra & Rekha. From Thursday is *Mehmood* as one of the *Do Phool*.



*NEETU SINGH and RISHI KAPOOR are pictured during a romantic episode in their forthcoming film *Doosara Aadmi* which opens at the KENYA CINEMA on Sunday.

COAST THEATRE

THIS Christmas will see a traditional pantomime at the LTC for the first time for many years - "ROBINSON CRUSOE" by John Crocker, directed by Julie Williams. Traditional?

Well, there is one departure from the traditional in that the part of the principal boy will be taken by Ralph Cooper and not by a girl as is usual. However, in all other respects everything runs true to form with high-kicking chorus girls, knock-about comedians, plenty of love interest and, of course, the Dame which is to be played by Roy Williams.

Roy and Julie Williams came to Mombasa from Kampala in 1972. Since then Julie has been in four LTC productions (most recently "Correspondence Course") but this will be the first time that Roy has set foot on the LTC STAGE.

In Kampala, where Roy was at one time President of the Kampala Amateur Theatrical Society, they were together involved in no less than eight pantomimes, all written by John Crocker.

Julie was Principal Girl in "Sindbad the Sailor" and Dandini in "Cinderella" and Roy was the Dame in all of them. In their last year in Kampala "Cinderella" was produced for a second time and directed by Roy and Julie together.

From all this it is clear that there is no lack of experience, and indeed Roy's fame had spread to Mombasa almost before they had arrived here. We have been waiting patiently for this production ever since, but it has taken six years to persuade Roy to return to the stage and Julie has always refused to direct unless Roy was the Dame.

'The main trouble' said Julie 'is that he doesn't really enjoy it, although this is hard to believe when you actually see



• JULIE WILLIAMS



• ROY WILLIAMS

him on the stage. When asked why only he would do for the part of the Dame, Julie replied quite simply and without hesitation 'because he is the greatest Dame I've seen on any stage.'

Anyone who has met Roy will know that he is a natural comic, and wherever he may be there is sure to be laughter.

I understand that rehearsals are often brought to a complete standstill when Roy's clowning and "ad libbing" reduces the rest of the cast to attacks of hysterical giggles; and the director is forced to make good threats of punishments to be meted out later if he doesn't behave.

In spite of this, rehearsals progress well and Roy's antics keep the cast smiling who should make for light-hearted Christmas entertainment.

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Saturday, Sunday & Monday at 6.30 & 9.30p.m. "ZEHRELA INSAAN" Rishi, Neetu, Moushumi

Tuesday & Wednesday at 6.30 & 9.30p.m. "KEEMAT" Dharmendra, Rekha

Thursday at 6.30 & 9.30p.m. "DO PHOOL" Mehmood

THE WEEK IN PICTURES



PHOTO: AKRAM SHEKH

A GROUP of 38 labour officers participated in the African Regional Labour Administration Training Course at Jadimi Beach Hotel, Mombasa. The course was organised by

the German Foundation for International Development and the Kenya Ministry of Labour. The participants came from Botswana, Malawi, Lesotho,

Zambia, Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Somalia, Uganda, Tanzania and Kenya.

Mr. J. Mutugi, Labour Commissioner of the Ministry of Labour, Course Director, Mr. W. Ulitzsch, German Foundation for International Development and General Manager of Jadimi Beach Hotel, Mr. C. Modigell, are pictured with the delegates.



PHOTO: NETA PEAL

PICTURED at Lawford's Hotel, Malindi, are 14 'trainee' receptionists who start work at Mombasa International Airport in November.

Led by Shadrack Y. Mwanguye, Instructor/Operations Officer, Mombasa Airport, and Miss Foulata Mutemi from the Mombasa & Coast Tourist Association's Information Bureau which arranged the tour, they had spent four days visiting hotels and catering industry before commencing work.

They are employed by the Ministry of Power & Communication, and are among some 22 receptionists receiving comprehensive training in airport work.

Theoretical training included three months at the Kenya Institute of Administration which also covered voice training and production. They have also attended classes in First Aid by St. John's Ambulance Brigade, public relations, customs and immigration procedures, as well as

aviation and meteorology.

Among the hotels visited were three managed by Associated Hotel Management Services - 'Safarers' at Watamu, Blue Marlin, Malindi, with lunch being hosted by Lawford's Hotel where Mrs. Marjory Friman, assistant general manager, outlined the facilities, accommodation and entertainments available, as well as the fully equipped apartment being offered at Bamburi and Malindi.



PHOTO: NARENDRA PATEL

Breaking Ground

THE governor of the Central Bank of Kenya, Mr. Duncan Ndegwa has commended his staff for their hard work and dedication to duty. He said such dedication had enabled the bank to become an outstanding institution.

the ground-breaking ceremony at the site where the bank is building 10 modern flats for its staff in Mombasa at the cost of 3.5 million.

Mr. Duncan Ndegwa is seen breaking the ground while other officials of the bank look on.

Mr. Ndegwa was performing



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Neckermann clients jet in

NECKERMANN, one of the largest touring companies in the world, have commenced their 'high season' in Kenya with the weekend arrival of their now regular Condor

Boeing 747 Jumbo jet charter service carrying 360 tourists direct from West Germany to the Coast.

Pictured on hand to greet the

first arrivals were Neckerermann's Karl-Ho Landefeld (centre) and United Touring Company's Coast Operation General Manager Mr Geoff Mason-Smith (left).



PHOTO: COASTWEEK

ARZI Director Mr Dhuru Shah is seen presenting a brand new 'chopper' child's bicycle to one of the lucky winners who joined in the fun during this year's traditional DEEP NAGAR Diwali festivities of the special communal charity fete hosted at the Patel Samaj grounds.



PHOTO: AKRAM SHEKH

FRED KIURU (right) Food and Beverage Manager of Serena Beach Hotel checks out the display of canapes during a cocktail party held at the Hotel in honour of the directors of Condor, a subsidiary charter company of Lufthansa, who were in Mombasa during their visit to Kenya as guests of Serena Lodges and Hotels.



PHOTO: NARENDRA PATEL

DISTRICT GOVERNOR of Lions Club district 411 Mr. Harcharan Mangat paid a courtesy call during his recent visit to the Coast and visited various projects of the Lions Club of Mombasa, Pwani. One of them was the Polytechnic Village at Kisauni

Mr. Mangat is seen looking over the work done by the pupils of the Polytechnic at Kisauni while members of the Lions Club of Mombasa Pwani look on.



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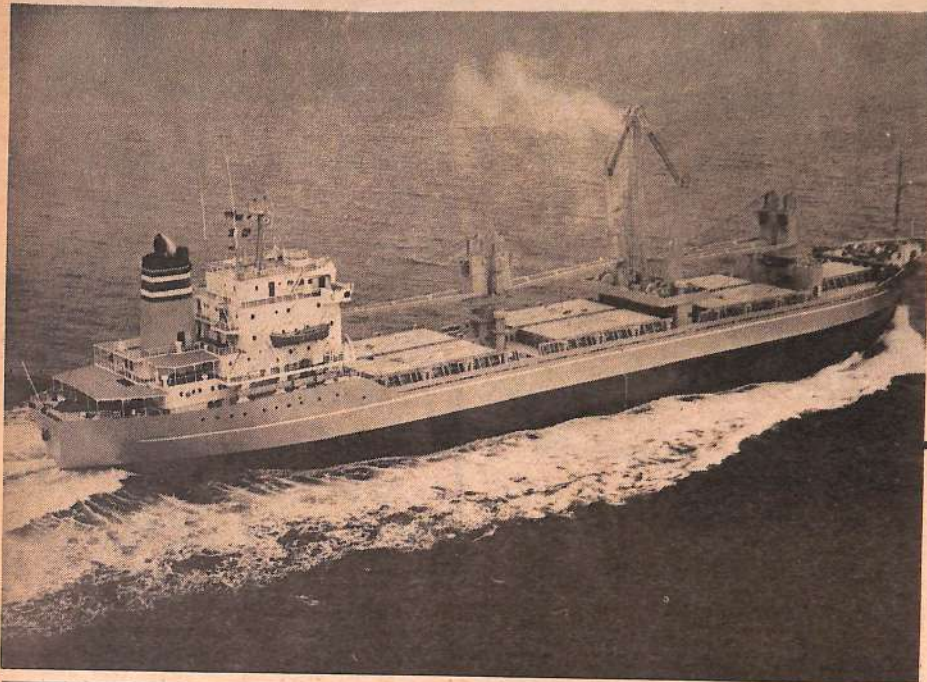
LITTLE SISTERS of the Poor, an institution that looks after old people, are doing a very fine job of looking after the people who really need caring for.

Dr. Bachu Bhrambhatt - chairman of Lions Club of Mombasa - is seen presenting a cheque for Shs. 6,000/= on behalf of the club to the Little Sisters, for their plan of constructing a new Cess Pit, at their Home for the aged.

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New ships acquired

TWO new 20,000 ton fast freighters, the sister ships *Tabora* and *Tagama* (pictured), have been acquired by the West German East African Line D.O.A.L. for use on their regular liner service linking East Africa with ports in Europe. Both ships are specially designed for East African conditions with multi-purpose cargo facilities, including up to 400 20-foot containers. They also carry 16-ton cranes and a single 180-ton jumbo derrick for extra-heavy lifts. Both vessels are rated for up to 18.9 knots full speed and are already in service on their way to East Africa.

Economist Bradley writes:

Premium Bonds - Your best bet!

HAVE YOU ever dreamed of being able to gamble without losing your stake money? Now you can do so with the launching this month of the Premium Bond scheme by the Kenya Post Office Savings Bank.

From November 1, bonds have been on sale at all the main Post Offices and at branches of the major banks. Each bond costs ten shillings and bears a number. Three months' after a bond is bought it goes into the monthly draw and stands a chance of winning a prize.

First prize each month is Shs. 50,000 and there are over 2,000 other prizes ranging from Shs. 10,000 to Shs. 10. After a bond has been held for at least three months, the holder can surrender it and receive his money back.



GARRY BRADLEY

Where does the prize money come from? The money used to buy bonds is a loan to the Post Office Savings Bank, which in turn lends it to the Government. A rate of interest is paid for the use of the money, but instead of paying it in small amounts to individual bondholders, it is put into prize fund.

Out of this, the lucky winners receive their prizes after the bonds have been drawn each month.

Such a scheme has been in operation in the U.K. for twenty years, and large sums of money have been raised for the Government to spend on capital projects. At the same time thousands of bondholders have won prizes.

It is hoped that the scheme will have similar success in Kenya raising money for development purposes. If more saving can be generated by this method, the rate of economic development can be increased and the reliance on foreign aid will be reduced.

The only drawback is that although the bondholder doesn't lose his money, its value may be reduced over a period of time through inflation. This is a small price to pay, however, for the chance to win a large prize and to contribute to nation building.

The Bank of Credit and Commerce International (Overseas) Limited Mombasa branch manager Mr. Amin M. Jindani, 35, has reported considerable new business in Kenya since opening their new office at the Coast.



NEW DIANI HOTEL

Alliance Hotels are opening on the 15th December, 1978 a new hotel on Diani Beach, close to Jadini.

This hotel is to be called AFRICANA SEA LODGE and will initially consist of 76 twin rooms in duplex roundoval cottages dotted around coral gardens.

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GOODS CLEARANCE

THE KENYA Institute of management (Coast Branch) in conjunction with the Kenya external Trade Authority conducted a seminar this week from Wednesday to Friday at the Oceanic Hotel on the subject of clearance of goods through Mombasa.

The seminar has been organised by Miles C. Thompson, the Trade Facilitation Adviser of

the KETA to bring local port users up to date on the changes that have been introduced and are likely to be introduced in the documentation and clearance procedures in Mombasa port.

Twenty one senior and middle level executives of local organisation involved with importing and exporting are attending

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ERROL ON FOOD

BREAD and butter pudding seems unlikely to be the stuff from which cookery columnists enhance their reputation. Yet there is an exception to every rule and I believe that the following recipe for this old fashioned English pudding illustrates the point resoundingly.

Not only that, it comes from Kenya and there can be no denying that Taita Hills Lodge is a far cry from the English scrubbed-top kitchen table. Nevertheless it is quite the best version I have ever come across and I can even see it stealing the limelight from the elephant for

which the nearby Game Sanctuary of Salt Lick is justly famous. But the mammoths are elusive whereas the Bread and Butter Pudding may be relied upon to be there. My family have always gone back for more so I was determined to learn the secret of its golden caramel toast and the first unforgettable mouthful. But not all guests approve of its appearance on the menu. One tourist, a school teacher, recently felt so incensed that so plebian a dish should be served in a hotel, he wrote a letter of complaint to the management but of course had not ventured so far as to taste it! And after all, the proof of the pudding is in the eating. With the help of Taita Hills' young chef Obedo Ominde who obligingly showed

me each step in its preparation I offer you:

TAITA HILLS BREAD AND BUTTER PUDDING:

Prepare an ovenproof baking dish (fairly shallow) by rubbing it liberally with softened butter and coating this with fine sugar.
2 slices of toast cut into 4 triangles.
Scant tablespoons currants or raisins (optional)
Melted butter approximately 2 tablespoons
1 pint of milk
2 tablespoons of white sugar
2 teaspoons of Vanilla essence
4 whole eggs.
Dip the slices of toast on both sides in melted butter and place on the bottom of the prepared dish. Scatter the dried fruit on this. Next bring the milk to scalding point, add the vanilla essence, the sugar and the eggs and whisk thoroughly until blended. Pour into the bowl. The toast will float to the top. Now place the bowl in a shallow baking tin, half-filled with cold water and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for approximately 45 minutes. Keep an eye on the pudding and when the top becomes golden reduce the heat to 300 degrees until firm. Serve luke warm; serves 4. Cream may be handed separately.

in Mombasa at a reasonable price so that the exotic tone does not make it an expensive or complicated dish.

SUN PRINCESS SOUP

2 whole avocado pears, skinned
2 pints cool chicken broth
Half pint fresh cream or 1 small tin double cream
Cayenne Pepper
Dash of Worcester Sauce
4 tablespoons sherry (dry)
The meat from 2 boiled crabs - flaked
Slice the avocado pears into the blender discarding the stones. Add a cup of cold chicken broth and blend. Add the remaining liquid to this thick puree plus the cream and blend. Add pepper, salt, cayenne and Worcester sauce to taste then stir in the sherry. Chill. You will find that the soup thickens considerably while in the refrigerator. Check the seasoning before adding the flaked crab-meat and serve after stirring in. Serves 8.
NB: In very hot weather it pays to chill the bowls or serving bowl too as nothing is worse than cold soup which is not really chilled or hot soup which is only luke warm.

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NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that world shipping is presently having to surmount the worst slump for nearly 50 years (principally liner companies and tanker owners), national fleets continue to spring up with regularity.

The latest, which I read about recently, was the formation of the Royal Nepal Shipping Corporation Ltd. of Calcutta with shareholding held by the Nepal Government and the Royal family.

Seeing the large variety of national flags on ships in Kilindini, and preponderance of the Liberian ensign (vessels registered in Monrovia) reminds me that the gross tonnage of world shipping today approximates 395,000,000 gross tons, with the Liberian fleet having the largest tonnage, followed by Japan, then UK with Greece and Norway.

It is a welcome sight to see the familiar Union Castle livery hull after such a long absence from the E.A. Coast. The

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7,900 ton m.v. "BALMORAL CASTLE" she has recently been in Kilindini and she will shortly be followed by her sister ships the m.v. "WINCHESTER CASTLE" and m.v. "DOVER CASTLE". These vessels are discharging general cargo ex London on the P&O/Union Castle joint service.

These three vessels were built 13 years ago and form a quartet originally commissioned for the Clan Line known as the "R" class, which used to call at Kilindini regularly mainly ex West Coast UK. Due to a re-shuffle in the British & Commonwealth Group last year, they adopted Union Castle livery and perpetuated names so well known over the past century in Union Castle history.



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• PICTURED at a barbecue party hosted at the Mombasa Beach Hotel to wish bon voyage to Mr and Mrs E.E. Reeve, who were going on long leave are Mrs Millicent Reeve (third left), Eddie Reeve (fourth right), with Jack Steadman, Manager Kenya Bus Services (Mombasa) Ltd., John Mvovi, General manager Kenya Shipping Agency Ltd., Mr Ambrose J. Nguri'Ngare, Manager of Kenya Wine Agencies Ltd., Jack Schouten, Manager Nedlloyd [E.A.] Ltd., and Tom Miller, Managing Director of Bos Shipping [E.A. Ltd.]

Containers are the future

EXPERIENCE IN OTHER parts of the world indicate that once 'containerisation of cargo' is introduced it grows at an alarming rate.

It was, therefore, up to Kenya to try and keep pace with these developments.

So, said Mr. Eddie E. Reeve, Managing director of the Combined Warehouses and chairman of Freight Forwarders Kenya Ltd. just prior to his departure on long leave during which time he will be studying new trends in 'containerisation' which will be of help in the future development of an 'inland port' in Kenya.

Containerisation means a quicker turn round of ships and distribution of goods - as well as more security, and as these benefits become more widely known, so the demand is bound to increase.

However, although there should be a financial saving in this more efficient form of cargo handling, these are presently being offset by a general escalation in costs. Despite this, its popularity is not expected to diminish in any way.

Mr. Reeve mentioned that the most recent development appeared to be that Kenya Railways were planning to establish a major 'inland' container depot in the Nairobi area,

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followed by other depots at strategic points in Kenya.

He hoped that commerce would continue to play a very big role in the collection of export cargo and disbursement of imports.

In this context, Mr. Reeve mentioned that Combined Warehouses intend having a large area in the vicinity of Nairobi for the development of a distribution point for the handling of goods imported and exported through Kenya.

Combined Warehouses is one of the largest locally established and locally owned warehousing companies in Kenya, with Diamond Trust holding a large portion of the equity.

They recently completed a Shs. 3 million expansion programme to provide more facilities for Kenya's growing import/export industry with Diamond Trust helping in this development with a Shs. 1.5 million loan.

This now gives Combined Warehouses a total of well over half-a-million square feet of covered space.

TANZANIA SHIPPING:

SURCHARGES WITH DELAYS

DAR ES SALAAM, THURSDAY.

TANZANIA PAID more than 154 million shillings in port surcharge to Conference Lines for delaying ships at the Dar es Salaam port between January 1977 and June 1978.

The Tanzanian junior Minister for Communications and Transport, Mr. Edgar Maokola-Majogo told the National Assembly recently that the ships were delayed because of cargo pile-ups at the port and because of problems experienced in establishing the Tanzania Harbours Authority following the collapse of the East African Harbours Corporation.

Although he did not elaborate, the obsolete port handling at the port and increased cargo as a result of dealing with Rwanda, Burundi and Zaire goods also contributed to the delays.

Productivity, he added, between July 1977 and September this year had dropped to 400 tons per day per ship at the as opposed to the international agreed mark of a harbour loading and discharging a minimum of 600 tons of cargo per ship per day.

But with Zambian goods now on the decrease following her recent re-routing with Rhodesia and the arrival of modern port handling equipment and hope-

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fully higher productivity from the workers, the situation should improve early next year.

If this works out, the United Kingdom-Europe East African Conference Lines might well review their 15 per cent surcharge on the Dar port following a request from the T.H.A.

The T.H.A. contend that the surcharge is no longer justified as it has cut down the waiting time for vessels with the introduction of the cargo unitisation method. (Ships with 50 per cent unitised cargo get berthing priority at the port.

Meanwhile, the freighter, M.V. 'Umoja', one of the three vessels released by Kenya early this year, has started trial operations between Mwanza and Bukoba along Lake Victoria.

Repairs on the two other vessels - M.V. 'Victoria' (passenger) and M.V. 'Nyangumi' (oil tanker) are continuing.

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Usha will be back soon

reports
IVOR DAVIS

I'M convinced Usha started it...a new breed of Nairobi showbiz entrepreneurs watched thousands thronging the International Casino early this year experiencing the phenomenon (there's no other word) called Usha.

The Calcutta housewife charmed everyone with her singing dynamism, her wit and that *Je ne sais quoi* that equals stardom.

They decided, rightly in my view, there was a tremendous potential of Nairobi people who enjoy light, popular entertainment - our local TV station isn't, let's face it, the greatest - and they set about providing it.

There have been the inevitable 'problem areas' and organisation in some cases needs tightening up. Some of the changes have been a bit way out; but I'm the first to admire guts and the pioneering spirit, and I feel the groups bringing out Boney M, Helen Shapiro and Millie Jackson deserve every encouragement.

I don't go along with my friend Joram Amadi's moan about visiting artistes using up valuable foreign exchange.

Not all the ticket receipts go to the artistes, and we wouldn't like Kenyans who make the big time overseas (and there are some) being told: We can't employ you...no foreign exchange.



• USHA and Ivor Davis, our man in the Capital City, are pictured discussing the lovely singing sensation's latest project - a 'live' cassette recording for Kenyan fans.

Before I go further, I ought to declare my own interest in showbiz - I was on the periphery of Usha's Kenya performances and I'm involved in the production of a new cassette - Usha Live! Her many fans in Nairobi - and Mombasa - will be pleased to learn that she'll be heading again in this direction early next year.

And returning to this influx of visiting artistes to the capital, I do have one particular

beef that I'd like to get off my chest. Helen Shapiro, whom I know personally, was top-of-the-bill when she appeared on tour with the Beatles when they were first making a name for themselves in Britain.

When she sings "Don't Treat Me Like A Child" and "Walking Back To Happiness" - the songs which made her famous when aged 14 - even a middle-aged Beethoven enthusiast like myself gets caught up in the excitement.

And like Usha, Helen is a del-

ightful and genuine person.

So why do they have to guild the lily?

Why do they have to say she's heading for some Las Vegas spectacular when she has no intention of making such a safari? Who cares anyway where she's heading after Kenya? Why does she have to be 'involved' with John Travolta and Ryan O'Neal...when she has never even met those gentlemen?

Joe Kadhi, please forgive me, but WHY?

Dinosaurs and false alarms

THE FIGHTING along the Tanzania-Uganda border between defence forces of the two armies was the talk of the town with most people - Tanzanian and non-Tanzanian alike - trying to read between the lines from the bickerings of 'Big Daddy' Amin and the war communiques from the Tanzania defence forces.

Many people were however taken for a ride when a false alarm saw shoppers and drivers jamming groceries and petrol stations to replenish their existing stocks in case of any unexpected rationing or shortage.

Dar es Salaam residents were caught by surprise last week when European tourists took photographs in remote and off corners of the city.

Also people wondered whether they belonged to the American C.I.A. or the Russian K.G.B. The visitors were part of a group of 30 Russian tourists brought down to Tanzania by 'Kearlines' - the tours wing of Kearsley (T) Limited.

During their stay in Tanzania, they made a hectic tour of the city, viewed game at the Mikumi National Park some 300 Kms. west of Dar, and rounded up their stay with an evening - a sort of cultural mosaic from the two countries.

But one wonders whether the 'Iron Curtain' has become ductile, for it is understood that 'Kearlines' are working on to bring another group of 25 early next year.

It is gratifying to note that a private company is breaking the ice in soliciting tourists from Eastern Europe following the Government's policy of tapping every market.

Tanzania will once again feature in a universal film on

from
TONY BARROS

an unusual subject - *The Biological life of Dinosaurs* - the large extinct reptiles which lived on the earth some 40 million years' ago.

The site is not the Olduvai Gorge or some Tourist spot in Northern Tanzania but the Tendaguru Hills, 50 Kms. west of Lindi in southern Tanzania.

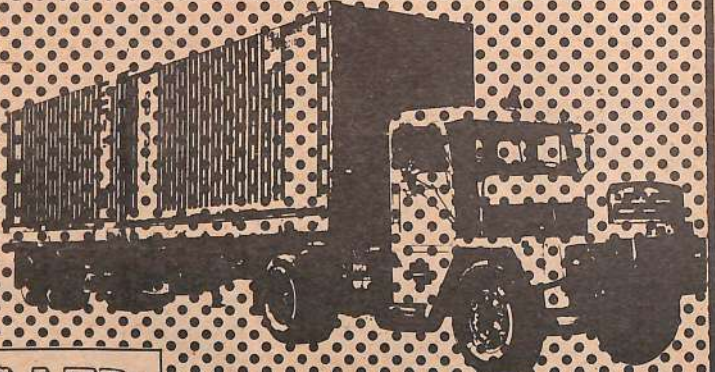
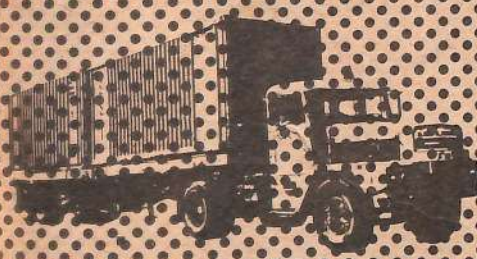
The film which will be partially shot in Tanzania in late 1979 follows the completion of the research and script by a three-man team from Canada - Mr. Roger Tetreault of the National Film Board of Canada and Dr. Dale Russel and Mr. Pierre Beland - Paleontologists with the National Museum of Canada. They spent four days at the site. Mr. Tetreault told COASTWEEK that all beasts - be they extinct or not - stimulate the imagination of man, and form an important chapter in the history of the earth.

The Bahari Beach Hotel on the outskirts of Dar es Salaam which was gutted by a fire last month is returning to some normality although the hotel will only be in full operation early next year.

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WHEN THERE is talk of Mombasa as a musical centre, a wistful mood steals upon music enthusiasts, and nostalgia is in the year. Yes, those were the days when Mombasa was the proper place for music. Perhaps the nostalgia is really not appropriate because Mombasa still has enough good bands and musicians equal to any town in the country.

And so it is no wonder that irrespective of the fact that for sometime now Nairobi continues to dominate the music scene in Kenya, music lovers and professionals still regard Mombasa with respect, curiosity and sometimes with enthusiasm.

There are today three main

The scene with GRAY PHOMBEAH

centre of music in Mombasa, namely the North and South Beach resorts, the Kilindini Night Spots and a number of downtown drinking joints. The discotheque is a late-comer and although it has attracted quite a following among the music loving population of Mombasa, it has yet to prove itself a force to reckon with.

Naturally, the major output of music has come and continues to come mainly from the Beaches, where western pop music is like a Bible. It is here that we find the home of some of the leading bands in town, such as the "Mombasa Roots Band", the "Vikings Band", the "Mushrooms", the "Bahari Boys" and the "Spartans Band" - all being the big names representing the Mombasa music lineage.

For those who dig straight western music, the "Roots Band" is unmistakably their group. Monotony is anathema to them and you would never find them playing the same stuff over and over again - a speciality with some of the local bands in town.

The "Vikings Band", which until recently was billed as the hottest property in Mombasa Music Industry, appear to have fallen victim to this year's ruthless purge of the established names in the Coast Music Scene.

I am, however, glad to report that, although now a shadow of their former self, their long love affair with the tourist seems not to have worn off and they continue to play, as usual, at the Reef Beach Hotel.

Talking of musical fashions, the history of Mombasa music shows different forms in succession - a phenomenon to be encountered in any big town or city in Kenya.

However, the Mombasa music has always drunk from two streams, from western pop music and Congolese music. Thus we find the "Les Noir Band"

have played a big part in the total Zairean music since the 1960s. Not only have they been good in their own right, but they have been exposed to all sorts of un-Zairean music influences which appear to have enriched their music.

Admittedly, quite a number of other local bands have, too, been strongly influenced by Zairean music. Despite some half-hearted emphasis on originality one can still detect marks of copied beats and rhythms at times boiling down to blind mimicry and copycatting!

On the other hand, the "Bahari Boys" have been experimenting on a separate stream of music which actually amounts to a crossover of western music and traditional beats. Their bid, however, to interpret music to original roots has not met yet with much success - apart, perhaps from regular airplays on Radio and a heavy load of invitations to wedding parties.

Musicians

It is unfortunate that an idea has been formed that the Coast musicians are somehow cutoff from the rest of the country. Given the lack of studios, music publishers, show producers and other facilities allied with music, this is understandable. However, the Coast musician, despite these disadvantages, is a major and very important element in the common pool of music in the country.

And although Mombasa is no longer the "Paris of Kenya" it has got a sure place in the musical history of this country.

Surprised by the absence of a number of regular faces around Mombasa music spots late last month, I set out to find out the cause. My findings, a unprecedented trek of Mombasa music lovers to Nairobi to see the famous Boney M.

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Wie lange schon stehen die Deutschen mit Kenias Kueste in Verbindung? Ueberrascht es Sie zu hoeren, dass schon vor ueber 500 Jahren, naemlich 1505, deutsche Gesellschaften ihre Vertreter nach Mombasa gesandt haben? Tatsaechlich haben die Firmen Fugger & Welsler, Hoehstetter, Hirsvegel und Imhof zwei Vertreter per Schiff nach Mombasa delegiert, um eventuelle Handelsmoeglichkeiten zu untersuchen. Das Schiff stammte aus einer Flotte von 22, die die damalige deutsche Regierung zur Verfertigung stellte, um Mozambique, Mombasa und indische Haefen anzulaufen.

1841 errichtete der deutsche Konzern W. Oswald & Co. eine Niederlassung in Sansibar, welche sich zum Lagerhaus

fuer die ostafrikanische Kueste entwickelte. Das ging so schnell vor sich, dass die Firma Oswald bald eine Flotte von acht Schiffen benoetigte.

Aber erst 1844 liess sich der erste Deutsche an der Kueste nieder. Dann erschienen zwei Missionare, Dr. Ludwig Krapf und Johann Rebmann, und gruendeten eine Missionsstation in Rabai, nicht weit landeinwaerts von Mombasa. Das war der Anfang europaeischer Taetigkeit in Kenia. Die Missionare und Lehrer fuehrten ihr Werk unermuedlich fort. Sie brachten ihre Religion und verfassten das erste suahelische Woerterbuch.

Zwanzig Jahre spaeter fuhr Baron Karl Claus von der Decken, der erste der deutschen Erforscher, von Europa durch den gerade eroeffneten Suezkanal. Sein Schiff, die WELF, war das erste Dampfschiff, das in Mombasa anlegte. Spaeter fuhr er den Jubafuss hinauf, wo die WELF Schiffbruch erlitt. Ungluecklicherweise wurde der Baron durch einen Speer getoetet, als er versuchte, zu Fuss nach Mombasa zu gelangen.

Die Gefahr solcher Begegnungen war an der Kueste gering. Anders im Landesinnern. Die Masai verweherten jeglichen Zutritt zu ihrem Gebiet. Aber die Zeit der grossen Entdecker war angebrochen. Afrika sollte ein offenes Buch werden. 1882 war Dr. E. A. Fischer entschlossen, ins Hochland von Kenia vorzudringen.

Er brach von Pangani (an der Suedkueste) auf und marschierte mit vielen Traegern ostwaerts bis Naivasha. Dort versperren ihm 6000 Masaikrieger den Weg. Immerhin war er weitergekommen als je ein weisser Mann zuvor. Nicht einmal die arabischen Sklavenhaendler hatten sich so weit ins verbotene Land vorgewagt.

Und dann, um 1880 machten zwei weitere Maenner Geschichte. Ludwig von Hohenel und Graf Teleki drangen bis zum grossen Rudolfsee vor. Die Safari dauerte vier Jahre und fuehrte sie zum Kilimanjaro, durch das Kikuyuland und Masailand, an der Nordgrenze vorbei zum Rudolfsee und Stefaniensee. Eine bemerkenswerte Leistung, die wissenschaftliches Material sowie Landkarten hervorbrachte, welche einen unschaetzbaren Wert fuer die Geografen dieser Zeit darstellten.

Die erste Eisenbahn in Ostafrika von Tanga ins Landesinnere wurde von Deutschen gebaut; spaeter auch die zentrale Eisenbahnlinie von Dar es Salaam ins Hinterland.



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KOMMT IHNEN dieses Maedchen bekannt vor? Es ist Ingrid Steeger, bekannt durch ihre Kilimbim-Sendung im deutschen Fernsehen. Das Bild zeigt Ingrid waehrend ihres letzten Aufenthaltes in Mombasa.

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The recently established Lamu Tours have acquired three adjacent stone houses which are being prepared to accommodate 12 guests, with communicating interior courtyards surrounded by shady trees and shrubs.

Alberto Soprani, director, is personally supervising the preparation of these houses to ensure authenticity, assisted by manager Farau Ahamed.

They will be ready for occupation mid-November, when the peak tourist season starts.

A 'Swahili Evening' will then be staged in one of these 18th century houses with tasty traditional Swahili food, much of which is cooked in coconut milk, with entertainment by a Tarabu group playing and singing traditional Swahili/Arab songs.

Leading members of the community are also being invited along to the Swahili Feast enabling guests to meet some of the local people and

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There is lunch of fresh crab at Peponi Hotel situated on the magnificent sand-duned Shela Beach, after which they can go swimming, sailing, visit Manda Island to see the extensive Takwa Ruins, or just laze on the beach.

The day ends with a Swahili Feast.

On the second day, the tour takes them to Matandoni and on to Kipungani, where there is a fabulous beach on the south tip of the island.

Also being introduced by Thorn Tree Safaris tours from Mombasa to Lamu by road, with stops at the Gedi Ruins, Malindi, Robinson Island en-route and at Lamu being accommodated in an 18th century stone house, enjoying the Swahili Feast there and visiting the Takwa Ruins on Manda Island.

Kiwaiyu

Lamu Tours also have available on Lamu Island five 18th century stone houses for renting for any period, complete with house-servant.

In addition, the company has two locally built dhows to take visitors around the Lamu Archipelago to the new Kiwaiyu Safari Village owned and run by Liza and Alfredo Pelizzoli.

It is situated on the mainland about 40 miles north of Lamu near the Dodori National Reserve and elephants have been seen slowly wandering their way around the sand-dunes for a dip in the sea.

The luxurious twin-bedded thatched tents, with shower, w.c. and 'fridge can accommodate 22 people, and the open-sided makuti roofed restaurant offers a wide selection of fresh sea food and Italian specialities.

The beach at Kiwaiyu is described as one of the most beautiful in Africa and very similar to the Caribbean with its powdery white sand and sparkling blue/green sea.

Nearby there are some fabulous ruins. Between Kiunga and the Somalia border lies Ishakani with a ruined walled city and several groups of tombs close by, which - according to historian, Jim de V. Allen, constitute by far the most striking indigenous monuments in Kenya which probably date back to the 15th or 16th century.

South of Kiunga there are many interesting ruins and tombs.

Kiwaiyu Safari Village is open from mid-August until April. It is a unique experience in holiday living especially for those who want to 'get away from it all' as it offers fresh unpolluted air and wide open spaces. There are facilities for aqua sports including skin diving and deep sea fishing, as well as for wildlife viewing.

Lamu Tours are running excursions to Kiwaiyu and historic sites in the Lamu Archipelago, and bookings can be made through their associates, Thorn Tree Safaris at Nairobi, Mombasa and Malindi.

A variety of tours are offered around the Lamu Archipelago one being for five days.

This includes sea travel in a motorised dhow with a three day stay at Kiwaiyu Safari Village and a visit to Pate with a conducted tour of the ruins of its old city - once the principal sultanate between Somalia and Mozambique.

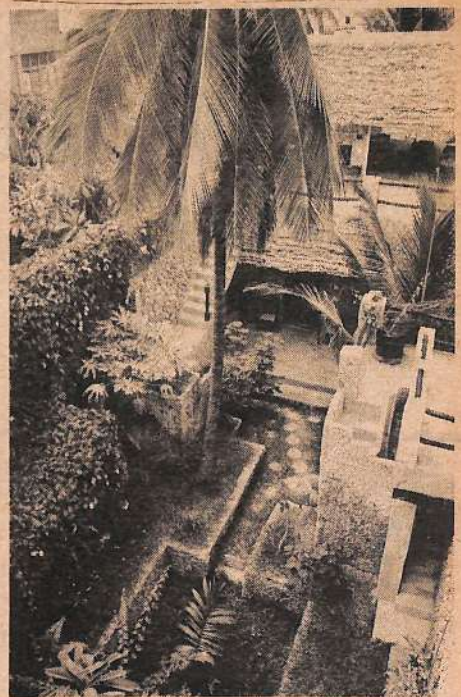
Pate was also once the centre of the goldsmiths industry in the archipelago, and much gold jewellery is still worn by the women there.

There is an overnight stop at Pate with guests staying in the unique 17th century renovated villa, with a traditional Swahili dinner being served on its rooftop.

A short distance away is the well preserved 'early 1900' Fort at Siyu.

Lamu Tours were the first to open up these islands and to introduce properly organised tours, with guides trained by the Lamu Museum. They can offer between 2 - 7 day safaris from Lamu, as well as arranging special tours for groups, also for diving parties wishing to visit Kiwaiyu.

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FARAU AHAMED, Manager of Lamu Tours with Alberto Soprani, a Director, pictured outside their office on the quayside of Lamu Island.

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MECCA CALLS

Sameer, why are you in Mombasa?

The reason I came to Kenya was to establish contact with Muslim leaders and to introduce the Mecca Inter-Continental Hotel to the local Muslim community. The few days I spent in Nairobi were dedicated to establishing contact with the Supreme Council for Kenya Muslims, headed by Sheikh Ahmed Abdalla, who is also Deputy Governor of the Central Bank of Kenya. Another important meeting was held with senior officials of 'Kenya Airways' in order to brief them about our plans and a possible joint promotion campaign.

The Intercontinental Hotels Corporation always insist on using the national airline wherever we operate, and I have already held useful discussions with 'Kenya Airways' in order to make them aware of the special discount rates we are offering to Kenya Muslims. We hope these rates will encourage them to perform 'Umra' the lesser pilgrimage to Mecca, and stay with us at the Mecca Inter-Continental.

Could you, just for a moment, briefly explain to non-Muslims the meaning of 'Umra'?

'Umra' means performing the lesser pilgrimage, in other words it takes place during the time when the 'Haj' is not on. Actually 'Haj' is an obligation, while 'Umra' is not, those who can afford to come do so during 'Haj', while others may perform 'Umra'. Now, 'Umra' and 'Haj' are similar except for the obligation where in the Muslim religion every Muslim, if he can afford to do so, must perform 'Haj' once in a lifetime. This is a subject of possibilities and financial capacities if he can afford it. It is emphasised and clearly stated in the Muslim religion that these pilgrimages are undertaken only if one can afford it.

What sort of costs are you talking about?

Well, Mecca Inter-Continental is giving Kenya Muslims a facility for 50 (fifty) per cent off the Government approved rates. This will include free transportation, pick-up from Jeddah Airport to the Mecca Inter-Continental for a stay of six and a half days. Transportation will also be provided five times to perform prayers in the mosques, and free transportation back from the hotel to Jeddah

Airport. Now this is an inclusive deal which we shall package with Kenya Airways for Kenya Muslims. Once the national airline knew about the Inter-Continental rates they gave the idea considerable thought and I believe they are going to give a similar grant — a 50 (fifty) per cent discount on the return air fare. Thus, incorporated with our rates it will create a Group Inclusive Tour (G.I.T.) package which would be a maximum 5,800 (five thousand eight hundred) Kenya shillings payable in Kenya by Kenya Muslims.

How will this scheme actually work? If Muslims at the Coast wish to take advantage of this unusual opportunity how would they go about it?

We are now in contact with people in Mombasa who will sell, market and promote this tour for Kenya Muslims, and when we have finalised arrangements with Kenya Airways it will be quite straight forward.

"We will have someone to talk to them in Swahili..."

What facilities are you offering visitors to the Mecca Inter-Continental?

The Mecca Inter-Continental is a modern hotel in the standard of Inter-Continental hotels everywhere. The accommodation is deluxe with international and oriental cuisine. There are 215 rooms, a large Islamic conference centre complex accommodating upto 1,400 (fourteen hundred) people in the main auditorium, complete with a simultaneous translation system and audio-visual aids. There are also three other seminar rooms which can hold upto 250 (two hundred and fifty) people each. The hotel is not too far from Haram ... Haram is the mosque where pilgrims perform their prayers, and it is just five minutes drive. The hotel can easily arrange free transportation for this journey.

My immediate assistant is Kenyan. He is originally from Mombasa and his name is Mr. Omar al Haj ... people who will visit us from the Coastal towns of Mombasa, Malindi, Lamu and elsewhere will have someone to talk to



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• SAMEER AYOUBI Inter-Continental Man in Mecca

them in Swahili ... which is another facility they may not expect!

Sameer, why you concentrating on this particular part of the world for such a promotion? Have you been elsewhere for this same scheme?

In fact we are promoting this idea on the whole African continent. We have started with Kenya as we were convinced of the great potential offered by the local market here. Actually the rates we are offering are far below commercial rates ... we don't want them to be taken as commercial rates, because we want the Mecca Inter-Continental to do its duty, which is to serve the Muslim population around the world. That is the reason it was built by the Saudi Government, which is encouraging all Muslim activities everywhere. This too is one of our goals. I emphasise that

an interview with SAMEER AYOUBI

this rate is far below commercial rates, and actually includes the cost of three meals a day

If there were some people at the Coast interested in visiting Mecca during the 'Haj' period would they still be able to stay at the Mecca Inter-Continental?

During the 'Haj' we have great difficulty to accommodate people because the hotel is one hundred per cent fully booked by the Government. It is used exclusively for accommodating visiting Heads of State and special guests invited by the Saudi Government.

How long is the period of 'Umra'?

It is approximately ten months of the year. The time excluding the 'Haj' and the Holy month of Ramadhan, the period of fasting.

During your brief stay in Mombasa you have met with a number of leading Islamic figures, can you elaborate on your discussions?

Yes. My first meeting was with Sheikh Abdalla Farsy, who as you know is the Chief Khadi of Kenya and Head of the Muslim Magistrates. I had a very good talk with him and he is encouraging this idea of people visiting Mecca during 'Umra'. I also met with Imam in the AL-Azhar Mosque, where I was introduced to the gathering after the prayer meeting and was allowed to explain the purpose of my visit. Another important meeting was with Mombasa Central M.P. Hon. Sharif Nasser who also expressed his wholehearted support for this schemes.

I also met with the Saudia Arabian Ambassador in Nairobi and the Consul and during two meetings requested them to facilitate visa arrangements for any Kenyan Muslim taking advantage of this travel offer. From speculation I heard in various places it seems some people thought it might be very complicated or difficult in obtaining the necessary visas, but I was assured that no such visa delays would be encountered for those wishing travelling for the Umra pilgrimage.

When does the forthcoming period of Umra start?

Umra will start immediately after the 'Haj', which this year will hopefully begin as of the first day of December.



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Together with Salt Lick Manager John Bundy, Brian mothered the young orphans after they were found abandoned by a lioness in the Lion Hill area of the Hilton Wild Life

Sanctuary surrounding the Lodges.

Now into their third month the cubs are being found suitable homes within Kenya, and it is likely that they will eventually return to the bush and assume their normal identity as 'Kings of the jungle'.

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SEND IT ...
this was the scene at the Mombasa Motor Sports Club Coast Scramble when Mombasa rider A. Hamed took all the honours riding a series of beautifully med races on his Suzuki 250 R.M. The good news for cycle fans now is that Car and General are sponsoring an invitation scramble at the Nguu Tatu track this weekend. Bill De Garis is expected to hold court again ...

PHOTO: AKRAM SHEIKH

Forgiving and forgetting

THIS YEAR's Coast cricket Association League is dead and buried. Let us also bury the anger, the frustration and the bad blood that went with it.

The league is dead - and producing the corpse will do nothing better than to foul the atmosphere.

Let the cricket community of the town wipe the slate clean and begin afresh with the knock-out. For the game of cricket as such is alive, and well, and kicking.

While we are in the process of wiping clean the old, bitter memories, let us also take a fresh look at the game and ask

CRICKET with ANVER VERSI

ourselves "Why is cricket at the Coast not as enjoyable as it should be?"

Cricket, after all is said and done, is still only a game, an amateur sport, a weekend pastime.

True it is the finest, manliest game in the world, and a cricketer is a cricketer to his last day - but let us not forget it is also the most expensive game in the world!

The game of cricket costs at least one full Sunday each week of your life; it costs countless practice sessions, it costs megawatts of thinking and planning energy, it costs endurance under a hot sun, it costs time taken from your family, your hobbies, your business.

Should the game also cost you undue worry? The loss of friendship? The loss of your peace of mind? Isn't the price that an average cricketer pays for the game already enough? A better question would be: Is the reward from cricket worth such a sacrifice? Are we paying too much for too little?

The answer can be both 'yes' and 'no'. If the pleasure from the game is great, if we make a net profit of general goodwill from each game, if the community members better understand and appreciate each other; if the children watching the game learn to take a sporting fair play attitude to life; if the game better develops our sense of justice and graceful acceptance of the inevitable, then the answer is a resounding 'YES'!

KNOCK - OUT

But if all we reap from the game is frustration, bitterness, poor relationships, weak qualities of character, anger, bitterness and pain, instead of pleasure, then we are making a grand net loss. Then we are throwing away precious time and energy for trash.

The knock-out, if all goes well, will be played soon. The enterprise is entirely in the hands of the whole body of men who form the clubs that constitute the town's cricket world.

Whether this enterprise will succeed or fail depends on the attitude of mind of these men, their decision making, and their ability to recognise priorities.

We, spectators and players alike, can only hope that after so many disastrous seasons, the forthcoming one will be both fruitful and profitable.

'MANIACS IN MUD'

WHEN first approached by the Editor-to-be of a new publication, all sorts of ideas leap to mind:

"I'll write about coming motor sports events, give the results afterwards, and offer a platform for motorists to air grievances, and test drive new models on the market by having weekends in Malindi, and ask Nyali residents to select their favourite matatu

COASTDRIVE with JOHN GARDINER

driver, and suggest what the prize should be, and interview local motor sports personalities and ..."

Well, that's the articles for the rest of 1978 all but written, but there's still a special one required for the first edition, to explain what the column is all about.

It is hoped that the series will

appeal to a fairly wide spread of motorists. Although motor sport will feature regularly, the readership will not be limited to the maniacs who rush out every weekend to find mud holes to get stuck in.

The column will offer space to mention new motoring products, and will act as a sounding board for complaints from drivers, and will be happy to print replies from the authorities concerned. If you don't have time to write, use the telephone - we can't all be Jimmy Mohamed!

COASTDRIVE will handle publicity for the Mombasa Motor Club, and let the public know of motor sport events. M.M.C. run quite a range of activities, from the 1,500 kilometre Malindi Rally to Scrambles and Auto-crosses.

Next week, COASTDRIVE will concentrate on the 21st Malindi Rally sponsored by African Safari Club, with all the interesting names taking part.

LMSC on the ball

HIGHLIGHT OF THE local Squash scene this year was undoubtedly the recent Inter-Club Squash League, which drew entries from the Mombasa sports Club, the Nyali Golf Club, and a single entry from the Mombasa Club.

All games were played on a home and away basis, with the Mombasa Sports Club entering three teams, two from Nyali Golf Club, and a single entry from Mombasa Club.

After many strenuous and competitive games Mombasa Sports Club 'A' team emerged as the winners. Mombasa Sports Club 'C' team were second, followed by Mombasa Club, Mombasa Sports Club 'B' team, and Nyali Golf Club.

Although Mombasa Club were exceptionally strong with an established player like Kanji (a U.K. student and County player for Kent), they failed to capture the cup due to losing their key players. Kanji is probably the best player at the Coast and it is sad that he has

SQUASH with WAINOGA KIMANI

not played a lot, especially in Nairobi.

There was a marked interest and potential in all the matches although Coast players rarely meet their upcountry counterparts.

The situation at the Coast is still rather depressing and it is hoped that Coast Kenya Squash Rackets Association Representative Mr Tom Murchura will step up his efforts to popularise the game locally.

Tom represents the parent Association and helps organise tournaments and arrange coaching clinics. He took over from Mr P. Neep, who has recently returned to the U.K. Tom is a keen, persistent player, known for his long reach and picking of any shot - apart from a 'dead nick' in the corners.

Another leading light is of course Ted Kabetu, who has an excellent style and is fit even when not on a rugby pitch.

The social side in division two had some exciting matches. Stalwart player Vic Newcombe gave his opponents a run for their money, which proves that it is not age that counts ... but the technique and fitness.

Next event on the local Squash calendar will be the Coast Closed Tournament, for local residents. This will be played on a knockout basis and will determine the 'number one' at the Coast.

All interested parties are requested to wait for further details. Very little interest has been shown by the ladies, although there is considerable talent there. Let us have more ladies in the courts, please!

CROSSWORD by LEON

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PHOTO: NETA PEAL

ROGER JOCELYN's 153 lbs. Black Marlin helped his boat 'Tina', fished with Mr and Mrs Ken Jocelyn, win the recent British Airways - Air Canada fishing competition hosted at Malindi.

Runners-up were Geoff Mason-Smith and James Adcock while the Sowerby family took third place.

• Winners, sponsors and

organisers are pictured (left to right): Roger Jocelyn, winner of the competition, Mrs June Dirks Mr Ken Jocelyn, Mrs Sonya Baker of British Airways, Mr Sid Dirks, regional Manager Africa, Air Canada, Mrs K. Jocelyn (with trophy), boat Captain Mr Mohamed, Malindi Sea Fishing Club Chairman Mr K. Morson, and Mr Peter Baker British Airways Manager East Africa.

CARDINAL SINS

THERE WAS ONLY a mild thud as the boats collided soon after the Commodore (Peter Laughton) committed the cardinal sin of tacking onto port with an adversary only a waves' length away.

As this occurred on a Wednesday evening when the infringement penalty means the loss of a place or two in the result list rather than disqualification, he was able to round South Reef buoy and continue joined in battle with an only slightly dented *Push Mari* (Rowland).

With their spinners aloft the two five-o-fives soon overtook the fleet, but made only very moderate speed down Kilindini Harbour against the ebb-tide. The more sedate coots (boats not birds) manage very well in these light conditions and, as has been the pattern for much this season, filled the top places in the final result.

Another boat that has shown its paces and held up well to its handicap in this year's Zephyr-like conditions has been Chris Soper's Laser. Two good wins in the Dan Cup held on Sunday October 29 GAVE HIM THIS TROPHY. He sailed well-judged boats out to the turning buoy and had the advantage of marginal planing on

SAILING with TONY ROWLAND

the reaches to black and cheered navigation bouys.

On the same afternoon Edwin, Eileen and Paul steered their venerable one designs round the harbour to good effect whilst unhappy Heron (boat again) skipper Horsefall (man not beast), unaware of his own strength, snapped his tiller and thereby relinquished his control of the boat (and the lead that he had in the trophy).

So with the M.Y.C.'s season half-way through many of the helms and particularly those with performance planing dinghies are looking forward to the fresher conditions that should materialise when the North-Eastern monsoon is really set and steady.

There is nothing quite like shearing along under spinaker with the surf streaming by and everything under control and this experience is available at our door-step in Mombasa.



PHOTO: NARENDRA PATEL

FORMER COAST CYCLING champion Colin Aglae was recently beaten within a wheel's gap by Philip Andrady who was riding a French 'Peugeot' bicycle.

Edward Kuria, riding a British 'Viking' bicycle took the third spot. The junior section was won by Leslie Aglae, who followed home by Lawrence Albert and Raymond Sonon, who finished in this order behind him.

• PICTURED in the winning order are Philip Andrady, Colin Aglae and Edward Kuria.

SPORTSVIEW

Our athletes must always come first!

COAST SPORTSMEN and sportswomen have often complained of not getting a fair mention in our national press and on numerous occasions many of them have openly wished that Coast had its own newspaper to serve their cause well.

At long last their wish has been fulfilled with the birth of COASTWEEK, a media which will give full priority to what Coast sports enthusiasts achieve on various sports fields. We shall endeavour to highlight our athletes and their performances in the best possible way, and a sincere effort will be made to cover all the sporting activities each week, both in words suitable pictures.

Sports pages of COASTWEEK will, we hope, mirror talents of our athletes as we feel it is the athletes who are the most important people in the sporting world and that all others, including the administrators, take the back seat, when it comes to reviewing any sporting event.

And, the following wise saying from a wise man clearly explains our point; "It is the athletes who make the sports administrators great and not vice versa."

Coast Province has plenty of sports talent but far too little is being done to unearth it these days. Let us never forget that Kipchoge Keino, Kimaru Songok, Seraphino Antoa, Peter Francis, and a host of other such stars, along with a number of our former popular international footballers, hockey players, cricketers and boxers, were actually groomed at the Coast. But today we have nobody to champion.

Our sportsmen must improve their standards, and our administrators must put their heads together to find ways and means of achieving these goals. That is the challenge: the future of Coast sports calls for a sporting Harambee effort from all of us.



WESTERN STARS SHINE ON

by **KHILADI HOSHIARPURIA**
 WESTERN Stars Football Club is all out this season to regain its lost prestige.

The Stars showed their new power and initiative most recently when they won the Kenyatta Cup Tournament in a big way. They hammered luckless *ajengo Heroes* 5 - 1.

The Stars netted two goals in the first half through Sammy Kwaro and Suleiman Makau, before the *Heroes* got their only goal via Swaleh Sanguru.

The Stars went on the rampage in the last 15 minutes when they scored three quick goals through Edward Mzee, Jakau and Charles Anderson.

The Stars are one of the leading football clubs at the coast but in the last few years they have performed with mixed fortunes. In the early 1970s the Stars were a real treat but in 1975 their image was greatly devalued when they were relegated from the

Super League. They spent the whole of 1976 playing second-class soccer but they re-entered the Super League last year after winning the division two national league (Coast Zone) title in 1976.

However their performance in the Super League last year

left a lot to be desired and they finished last. Once again they were relegated and are currently playing in the division two league.

Today they have played four matches and have won three and lost one. They have scored 14 goals and conceded only three - they now have six

points to their credit.

On their current showing the Stars are one of the likely candidates to win the title but they can't afford to take things lightly as some of the other teams are no push-overs.

•The full team line-up for Western Stars are pictured

Malindi Starfish sting

STARFISH Football Club have won the Malindi Kenyatta Cup Tournament.

In the final which was seen by a huge crowd gathered in the Malindi stadium, *Starfish* downed *Midzi Kenda* 2-0. After a blank first half *Starfish* showed greater pace and vision in the second session and hit the back of the net twice to lift the trophy.

In the semi-finals *Starfish* thrashed *Express* 6 - 0, while

Midzi Kenda pipped *Seamen* 3-2.

Football because of improved organisation and greater participation, is rapidly gaining popularity in Malindi. The matches are watched by large crowds and the standard of competition has also improved considerably.

•NYOTA F.C. currently lead the division two national league table with ten points from six matches, having won five and lost one. They have scored 13 goals and conceded six.

Black Panther are second with nine points from five matches. They have won four and drawn one, their goal tally being 11 for and three against.

Feisal are third with seven points while *Western Stars*, *Burnley* and *Ngome* have six points each.

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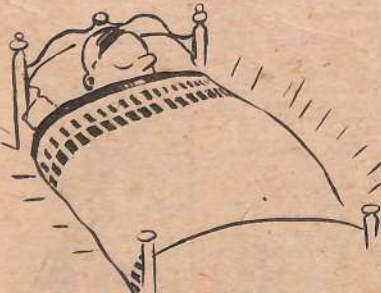
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SHARK AND SAILFISH ALSO TAKEN:

GIANT MARLIN OFF MOMBASA ISLAND



PHOTO: BAHARI CLUB

• ANOTHER GIANT FISH - Angler Maurice Robinson poses with his fine 503 lbs Black Marlin landed off Mombasa over the weekend during the Elianto Fishing Competition hosted at the Bahari Club. The fish is the largest ever landed off Mombasa on a rod-and-reel.

JAMES ADCOCK reports

THE ELIANTO Fishing Competition hosted at the Bahari Club turned out a great success with a total entry of 27 boats.

The highlight of the competition, in which 4 marlin, 5 sailfish and 1 shark were weighed in, was the landing of a black marlin of 228.2 kilos (503 pounds) by Maurice Robinson fishing with 36 kilo tackle aboard Mac Spence's TAMAAM - a 22 foot Hartley hull.

After the first day's fishing, OONA, fished by Jim Chaudhri and Tessa Murphy, was in the lead with a black marlin, while KAREN (Geoff Mason-Smith) with a striped marlin was lying second and TAMAAM (Mac Spence, George Spence, Denis Patience, Maurice Robinson) third with a sailfish.

Until late on the second day, it seemed that positions would remain the same, except that CHEETAH (Naylor, Wiles and Sonen) had reported landing a marlin which would put them in the running. However in the last hour of fishing the whole position altered as both TAMAAM and KAREN reported landing billfish. These were both taken near the harbour entrance which left them time to reach the finish by 2 p.m. TAMAAM ended up overall winners, followed by KAREN and then CHEETAH.

Maurice Robinson's black marlin is the largest fish ever weighed in at Bahari Club and in fact the largest fish ever caught on rod and reel off Mombasa. The fish took a honolulu lure two miles off the harbour entrance and took only 25 minutes to gaff.

The prizes were presented by Mrs. Bertelli, wife of the manager of Elianto (Kenya) Limited, Dr. Bertelli. The winners received the Elianto Trophy - a magnificent polyester bronze blue marlin, made by Kenyan sculptor Tim Nicklin.



PHOTO: HAROLD COLLINS

A WORLD RECORD!

THIKA ANGLER Harold Collins has something to smile about... he is claiming a new World record for his superb 106 lbs. Karambeze which he landed successfully off the Kenya North Coast last weekend.

The fish took a soli soli bait and took more than an hour and 50 minutes to bring to gaff

on an 80 lbs. line. Harold was fishing from the Watamu boat Concorde when he struck the fish about four kilometres out of Watamu on the Malindi side.

• PICTURED ABOVE: Harold Collins shows off his giant fish to an admiring onlooker in Malindi during the official weighing in procedures.

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| Overall results of the two days fishing were: | Smith) 1 striped marlin, 1 sailfish
486 points | Elianto Billfish Trophy - Maurice Robinson Black marlin
228.2 kilos |
| 1st TAMAAM (Mac Spence, George Spence, Maurice Robinson, Denis Patience) | 3rd CHEETAH (Brian Naylor, Derek Wiles, Sonen) 1 blue marlin + mixed bag 383 points | Elianto Shark Trophy - N. Dees Shark
19.1 kilos |
| 1 black marlin, 1 sailfish
1295 points | 4th OONA (Jim Chaudhri, Tessa Murphy) 1 black marlin + mixed bag
318 points | Second Heaviest Billfish - Derek Wiles Blue marlin
77.3 kilos |
| 2nd KAREN (Geoff Mason- | | Light tackle - Geoff Mason Smith Striped Marlin 46 kilo on 10 kg line
Ladies - Margaret Taffe Barratuda 14.5 kilos
Heaviest Sailfish - Geoff Mason-Smith Sailfish 48.7 kilos
Heaviest other fish - Derek Wiles Wahoo 15.8 kilos
Crew Prize - Captain Kassin KAREN |

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U.K. COACH FOR DAR

THE WITHDRAWALS of Tanzania mainland and Zanzibar from the East and Central African Soccer Challenge Cup as a result of the country's war with Idi Amin's Uganda disappointed many fans.

But this was off-set by news from the chairman of the Tanzania Sports Council, Mr. Joseph Mungai that Tanzania will receive sport experts and from various agencies in Great Britain.

Ndugu Mungai who returned from a two-week tour of sports organisations in Britain, noted that the 'packet' would include coaches to train local sports-enthusiasts and scholarships for advanced coaching at the famous Loughborough Institute for physical education.

As the deadline for submitting names of players to the Af-

MOMBASA Golf Club Monthly Mug, 'A' Division:
Winner - M. Mzee 68 nett
Runner-up: H. Mahajan 68 nett
'B' Division:
Winner - K. Kasmani 69 nett
Runner-up: K. Trayner 70 nett.

DAR ES SALAAM, THURSDAY:
from **TONY BARROS**
Dar es Salaam Simba Sports Club, the club champions are understood to have signed players including from their arch-rivals in Dar es Salaam - Young Africans and Pan Africa Sports, the cup winners representatives.

TIDES

MOMBASA, Nov 10 - 17, 1978

TODAY:
High Water - 2.7 metres at 00.21 hours and 2.7 metres at 12.52 hours.
Low Water - 1.0 metres at 06.38 hours and 0.8 metres at 19.04 hours.

TOMORROW:
High Water - 3.0 metres at 01.30 hours and 2.9 metres at 13.57 hours.
Low Water - 0.8 metres at 07.48 hours and 0.7 metres at 19.59 hours.

SUNDAY:
High Water - 3.3 metres at 02.22 hours and 3.0 metres at 14.49 hours.
Low Water - 0.5 metres at 08.40 hours and 0.5 metres at 20.46 hours.

MONDAY:
High Water - 3.5 metres at 03.05 hours and 3.1 metres at 15.31 hours.
Low Water - 0.3 metres at 09.22 hours and 0.4 metres at 21.24 hours.

TUESDAY:
High Water - 3.6 metres at 03.45 hours and 3.2 metres at 16.09 hours.
Low Water - 0.2 metres at 10.00 hours and 0.4 metres at 21.59 hours.

WEDNESDAY:
High Water - 3.7 metres at 04.20 hours and 3.2 metres at 16.44 hours (Sp).
Low Water - 0.2 metres at 10.35 hours and 0.4 metres at 21.59 hours.

THURSDAY:
High Water - 3.6 metres at 04.52 hours and 3.1 metres at 17.16 hours.
Low Water - 0.2 metres at 11.08 hours and 0.5 metres at 22.33 hours.