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WARM WELCOME FOR LUXURY LINER 'MARCO POLO'



PRIDE OF THE SEVEN SEAS - newly re-furbished 'Marco Polo' luxury liner seen entering Mombasa's Kilindini Port.

CRUISE VESSEL "NAMED" IN KENYA

A NEW BRITISH company founded last year, the Orient Lines, is due to "launch" (Marco Polo) its 800 passenger capacity luxury liner, Marco Polo, at Kenya's port of Mombasa at 4.00 pm today.

The liner which will be in Mombasa for five days will also undergo christening ceremony, and has a total of 35 countries on six continents in her first voyage calling on ports in the Far East, South Pacific, Indian Ocean and Antarctica.

According to the Cruise Ship Facilitation Committee's Pre-arrival Sub-Committee meeting held in Mombasa, the US 60 million dollar rebuilt ship is to arrive with 140 technicians who are awaiting on the final touches.

After the inaugural voyage, the liner will make a three time annual call at Mombasa, next year.

The committee chaired by Mr. Edwin Yinda, who is also the Chairman of the Kenya Ships Agency Association, said the liner has already confirmed 622 passengers half of whom are currently on a country tour of Kenya.

Also on board are 350 crew members.

The ship will also call in Seychelles and South Africa, after Mombasa.

Owned by Entrepreneur Gerry Harrod, the former chairman of Ocean Cruise Lines, Pearl Cruises and Travellers International - Europe's largest tour operator for Americans "Marco Polo" has on board two restaurants, four lounges, a casino, health club, juice bar, library, beauty centre, swimming pool and three out-door Jacuzzis.

The cruise ship arrived in Mombasa earlier this week.

Bursary Scheme To Aid Students

DAWOODI BOHRA COMMUNITY TO OFFER 'FREE TUITION'

THE BURHANIYA Bohra Education Society intends to launch a scholarship program in January 1994 for The Burhaniya Secondary School after the Historic visit of His Holiness Dr. Syedna Mohammed Burhanuddin Saheb and in celebration to his 82nd Birthday.

This is a four year Program where

the Board will give and continue to give for the next four years or so more and more sponsorship every year to a number of students.

This scholarship program will cost The Burhaniya Bohra Education Society in a tune of Kshs. 2.5 million when it is completed.

Murtaza Dugarwalla, Board Member In-Charge of Burhaniya

Secondary School, told COASTWEEK:

"We are offering Scholarships to any outstanding pupils in KCPE 1993 who have achieved 70 points and above.

"We shall give them free tuition for the full four years providing they meet and maintain their high standard of integrity, discipline and level of education.

"The opportunities are worth seizing and open to any boy or girl of any religion, tribe, class or financial standing.

"There is a limited number offered by The Burhaniya Bohra Education Society and urge anyone interested to let us have their names as early as possible.

APPLICATIONS

"Early application could result in securing places in Form One provisionally subject to their Mock results."

The Burhaniya Bohra Education Society manage various schools and institutions for the children of Mombasa as well as running other religious and secular institutions.

The aim of the Society is to impart with the best education at all times although a very difficult task indeed.

Some schools and institutions that are popular amongst the people of the Coast are The Burhaniya

Nursery School, The Burhaniya Primary School, The Burhaniya Secondary School, and The Burhaniya Finishing College.

'PAUL HARRIS' FELLOW



THE CHAIRMAN OF COMMUNITY Service of Rotary Club of Mombasa Central, Rtn. Kulwant Singh Main is seen receiving his Paul Harris Pin and Certificate in recognition as Paul Harris Fellow by the District Governor District 9200, Rtn. Francois De Grivel CBE., during a grand Banquet hosted for him by five Coast Clubs on his official visit to Mombasa.



PAMELA LAURENCE

Music Is Pamela's Life ...

PAMELA LAURENCE'S one ambition has been to pursue her Music Career - as she always says:- *Music Is My Life!*

She was a gifted student of the Late Ted Shorrocks in Mombasa and went on to acquire her Bachelor's Degree in Music at the University of Mississippi, United States of America.

Pamela's further determination and hard work has now earned herself a rewarding Master's Degree in Music at the Columbus College, Georgia, U.S.A.

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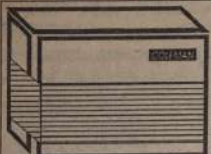
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SAVING TURTLES

KWS AND In particular Mr. David Olendo are to be lauded for their ongoing conservation efforts to save the Kenyan turtle population.

This was said by Mr. Alain List, General Manager of Severin Sea Lodge who was conducting a group of Portuguese tourists on a tour of the North Coast Hotel.

Mr. List was explaining how the KWS had set up the Turtle programme to save the animals from extinction.

Mr. List said that the Severin Sea Lodge had implemented a programme for guests to be involved in a scheme where each person was allowed to release a baby turtle into the sea on a payment of 100/- which went towards the company's turtle fund.

RECENTLY YOUR favourite store (for outfits) was hidden with scaffolding and aluminium sheets.

People were speculating in town as to what would happen to Lighttex.

And, funnily enough, when it opened and one peeped inside one saw the counter in the same place and the lovely array of ladies dresses.

But, as you step inside Lighttex you will see the surprise transformation, for upstairs is a men's department with every conceivable item of clothing including hand luggage to carry it in!

Lighttex is in Digo Road, between Haile Selassie Road and Jomo Kenyatta Avenue.

It is beautifully lit, very clean indeed (we noticed the vacuum cleaner at work in the evening so that the clothes don't become soiled or dusty), and there are adequate salesmen and sales ladies.

Prices vary so much to suit everyone's pocket, so it is no wonder the place is always full of a mixed clientele.

Clothes are from the locally turned out mass production kind to the exclusive imported ones.

As we entered on our left we found a lot of cotton underclothes for ladies (ideal for this climate); on the right were everything knee-length deliberately patched (local and imported) jeans for teenagers to maternity-wear, modern, simple,

Big Surprises At LIGHTTEX!

and more flashy two-piece suits, and biouses.

Those smart ladies who cover themselves with 'bulbuis' won't

upstairs at Lighttex are world famous 'Polo' Socks and such names as 'Gucci'.

Men's underwear is 'His' and 'Piccadilly'.

There are lots of jeans and trousers, the most popular being Shandy's 'News' trousers.

If you are a Kaunda Suit man there are those too.

Men's ties are downstairs, and are the latest narrow ones.

They are near the boy's section, rear ground floor, opposite the little

ELAINE On SHOPPING

be disappointed, for they are for sale too.

Now you go upstairs - the new stairs to the newly constructed Men's Department. Here the fitting rooms are really excellent.

You'll find the world's best t-shirts by 'Lacoste'; shirts in viscose or pure cotton.

Predominantly the viscose are multicolour overall designs, while the cotton are mono-colour.

You can also find cotton stone-wash shirts.

For reserved people are 'Eurochic' brand.

Know a man by his socks. Here

girls department.

But back up again to our men's department. Near the good clothes in this section are beautiful brief cases, in addition to the hand luggage already mentioned.

Men's shorts are from the plain to the colourful Bermuda beach, with asymmetrical luminous panels.

Telephone numbers of Lighttex are 220039 and 316637.

As the hand-outs say round town "Let's go to Lighttex Limited for fashion clothing for all." How true!

But do please concentrate on and benefit by a visit and shopping spree to the Men's Department, and you, madam, if you really don't know what he wants for Christmas, then you can give him a gift token.

Sunday hours are 9 - 12.30 (mornings) starting from this weekend.

HEALTH TIPS

HOW TO COPE WITH HAEMORRHOIDS ...

EVER HEARD OF piles?

This is a relatively common condition, also called haemorrhoids.

Piles are dilated veins inside the anal canal, similar to the varicose veins common with women.

Piles often present as bleeding during defecation as these veins are injured by the stool.

In some people they start off as irritation or fullness in the anus.

Late, if untreated, the veins may prolapse (extrude) out of the anus and be seen or felt with the finger.

During this time there is discomfort in the lower intestine, a feeling that the stool has not completely been evacuated after visiting the toilet, some discharge of mucus and local irritation.

Pain does not occur unless the piles develop complications such as ulceration, infection, clots or twisting of the veins.

When these happen, there is a good deal of discomfort.

Another characteristic is that the problem associated with piles occur intermittently as 'attacks' rather than continuously.

Several months may go by without trouble.

The cause of piles, as with varicose veins, is unknown. Heredity has a part in some patients.

A useful theory of causation is obstruction of the veins that drain blood from the intestines.

When blocked they fill up like balloons, causing piles.

Blockage can occur if the veins are pressed from outside by stools, muscle contractions and so on.

So piles are more likely if there is chronic constipation,

the bowel changes that accompany anxiety, the habit of straining at stools and use of powerful purgative.

In pregnant women the pressure of growing foetus often causes piles to occur.

For most, however, they disappear shortly after delivery.

Most cases of piles do not have an identifiable cause.

Piles or haemorrhoids often present a vicious cycle.

As pain occurs during defecation the sufferers become anxious about their motions and may withhold passing stool.

This leads to constipation making the next visit to the toilet a very painful affair.

If this leads to more withholding the Piles get worse.

Here are some simple ways to treat mild cases or prevent a recurrence of Piles.

DIET - the digestive system works best if one drinks plenty of liquids. Drink a minimum of six glasses of water or other beverages a day. Promote bowel movements with a high fibre diet including bran, vegetables and fruit.

EXERCISE - regular exercise helps the bowel to develop regular movements.

HYGIENE - many people strain to pass a small motion each day out of a sense of duty. This increases

the pooling of blood in the bowel so it is better to wait for a proper call.

Never strain. Creams and Ointments - some home made, help to relieve the pain and swelling of haemorrhoids.

More serious cases need to see a doctor.

PRISCILLA'S PIANO STARS



ZAHRA SAEED

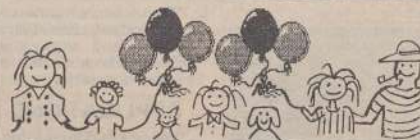


AARTI SHAH



SHILAN SHAH

STUDENTS OF Miss Priscilla Lawrence have gained excellent results in the March 1993 Theory Music Exam of The Associated Board of The Royal Schools of Music, London. Zahra Saeed gained 95 per cent Distinction - Grade One, Aarti Shah gained 92 per cent Distinction - Grade Two, and Shilan Shah gained 83 per cent Pass - Grade Three.



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NEWS FLASH

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Delicious Austrian Specialities Now At Nyali's 'Bistro Mchana'

IT HAD to happen! With an Executive Chef, Hans J. Gruber, from Austria - international cuisine at Nyali Beach Hotel has been given an added zesty Austrian touch which soon will include a Pastry Buffet by the Poolside.

Presently, chefs are being trained in the preparation of Austrian specialities which include the famous Apple Strudel and Sacher Torte.

The Austrian influence is also felt in Bistro Mchana where to be found on the menu is Wiener Schnitzel and Escalope of Pork Viennoise fried in butter and served with vegetables, parsley potatoes and tartar sauce.

Hans has worked at Hilton Hotels in Vienna, Khartoum and Nairobi.

He was with the latter for five years leaving as Executive Chef. He is also a Master Butcher.

Joining him at Nyali Beach Hotel is Patrick Kemoli, Bistro Chef, who worked at the Nairobi Hilton as Chef d'oeuvre for 6½ years.

Patrick has been in the hotel and catering industry for 19½ years, ten of which he has worked together with Hans.

Bistro Mchana, with shady patio, offers a menu to suit all tastes as well as pockets, and you can be sure of receiving good value for your money.

It is open between 12 noon and 12 midnight each day of the week.



A WICKEDLY DELICIOUS dessert in Nyali Beach Hotel's 'Bistro Mchana' is a 'Crocant Tulipe' with fresh strawberries and 'Creme Anglaise'. Seen with one he prepared is Bistro Chef Patrick Kemoli. Looking on is Executive Chef Hans Gruber.

Horn filled with sausage and Gauda cheese.

Under the heading 'Something Fishy' is a 'Mosaic of Seafish' which comes with a delicious sauce served in a sea shell.

Called 'Nyali Bail' is Open French Bread with a large 'minute steak', tomatoes, cucumber and crispy lettuce served with French Fries.

Popular local dishes are Limuru Beef Stew with vegetables and Iric; fresh fish in coconut sauce, or 'Curry of the Day' prepared by Joshua Onyango, Curry Cook, popularly known as 'Mr. Patel' because of his fame in Far East cuisine.

Desserts include a fruit puree topped with ice and whipped creams, also a Crocant Tulipe with fresh strawberries and cream anglaise.

Vegetarians are also catered for and there is a Buffet of Hors d'Oeuvre with a selection of market fresh marinated salads which are very reasonably priced.

There is wine by the bottle or glass, including a selection from South Africa, as well as tea and coffee, milk shakes of your choice, iced coffee and tea.

DIWALI SPECIAL AT CHILDRENS' HOME



THE SALVATION ARMY's Mombasa Children's Home enjoyed a 'Diwali Visit' from two friends Mr. Jagdish Mistrya and Mr. Idris Abu who entertained the children with sweets, drinks, small gifts, a cash donation to the Home, and lots of fun ... which included a 'Magic Show' performed by that famous Master of the Mystery 'ABU'.

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BARCLAYS' BANK Communications Manager Gina Din is seen presenting a cheque of KShs. 30,000/- to Mombasa Round Table No. 3 chairman Salim Anjarwalla to assist rehabilitation and expansion projects at the Port Reitz Polio Clinic and the M.S.S.P. School. Looking on are Tablers Jitesh Malke and Arvinder Jamdu.

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Ballet Of 'Jack And Beanstalk'

WITH ONLY a few days to go before the opening night of the children's ballet *Jack and the Beanstalk*, the Little Theatre Club is buzzing with activity.

The set is being painted, the beanstalk is growing, houses are being constructed, costumes are being made, the cast of 83 young dancers are enthusiastically rehearsing their steps and Jean Koch is constantly remembering what she has forgotten to do!

However, I'm sure it will all be fine on the night.

The majority of the cast are students of the Mombasa Academy but Coast Academy and Ken Sec students are also participating.

The children's ages range from four years to 12 years.

A surprise for Mombasa audiences will be the first appearance of two of Jean's Tappers!

This delightful and colourful production commences on Wednesday November 24 and is bound to appeal to the entire family.

The Theatre Club Booking Office is now open.

IT IS 'beautiful' declared top travel agents from Italy following a conducted tour of the neo-Swahili style Indian Ocean Beach Club which opened nearly a year ago at Diani.

Sixty had been invited for a 'Familiarisation' tour of Kenya by Francorosso International - Italy's leading tour operator which reports a 20 per cent increase in bookings for Kenya between November 1992 and end of April 1993.

They are also quite optimistic that with good marketing this upward trend will be maintained despite recession.

The travel agents were accompanied by the Managing Director of Francorosso International, Paolo Rosso and Marketing Director, Claudio Pataccini.

In two separate groups they visited IOBC receiving a big welcome not only from the General Manager, Mark Holden, and his management team, but also the 'Take Five' Band which greeted them with Rock 'n' Roll.

Greatly admired in the reception area was the huge 180 year old chandelier - a combination of three units which once graced the Sultan of Zanzibar's Palace.

Hot towels were offered by traditionally attired staff to cleanse their hands before being escorted to the Spices Restaurant for tea and to enjoy the panoramic view over swimming pool and sea.

The hotel's neo-Swahili architectural style as well as the lovely decorative plasterwork on some of the walls in the public

INDIAN OCEAN BEACH HOTEL PROVES A HIT WITH ITALIAN TOURISTS

areas were greatly admired.

The hotel has 100 airy deluxe rooms facing a beautiful white sand beach and Indian Ocean.

They loved the large Swahili-style beds with draped mosquito

IOBC managed by Block Hotels is attracting much interest by tour operators and during September over ten such companies inspected it, as well as organisers of incentive groups looking for a good up-market product for their clients.

Special Report by NETA PEAL

nets (absent in many other hotels) as well as the traditional planter's chair for total relaxation.

They were interested to hear that the dinner venue alternates between the Bandari Cove, Spices Restaurant and Ocean Terrace, as well as the fact that there are inter-charge facilities with sister hotels - Nyali Beach and Shimba Lodge.

Birthday celebration of

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Romantic Entertainment With Sidevi And Pran ...

LOTUSCINEMA will be screening *Chandra Mukhi* today and tomorrow with Sidevi, Salman Khan, Pran and Tinu Anand playing leading roles.

Karisma International's *Chandra Mukhi* revolves around a fairy who descends on earth but ends up falling in love with a young man.

A different plot, the first few reels of the film are extremely engrossing.

However, the narration loses its grip once the lead pair is shown on the run.

The second half especially can do with trimming.

The film does have its share of plus points, the main one being that the narration is technically speaking, very well presented but the contents are too ordinary.

Performance-wise, Sidevi looks a fairy and does an excellent job. Salman Khan looks fresh and does very well.

Pran is good. Gulshan Grover impresses. Asha Sachdev is passable. The child artists are a

Abdul R. Sheriff At The CINEMA

delight to watch. Mohnish Bahl, Tej Sapru, Shiva, Avtar Gill and Punit lend good support.

Production values are excellent.

A lot of money has been pumped into the project and it shows on the screen.

Cinematography (W.B. Rao) deserves full marks.

Dialogue (Anwar Khan) are nice. Musically (Anand-Milind), melodious. "*Chha Raha Hai Pyar Ka Nasha*" is the pick of the lot. Direction (Debaloy Dey) is fair.

GEMINI STARGAST

SCORPIO October 23 - November 21

Try not to influence a younger family member, but only give a lead. Your prestige improves and your finances increase.

SAGITTARIUS November 22 - December 20

There is an opportunity to get ahead with personal plans and arrangements. You won't waste time waiting for things to happen, but go out and get them.

CAPRICORN December 21 - January 19

You'll be much in circulation this week, and find it difficult to fit in all your activities. Make sure you remember an important business appointment.

AQUARIUS January 20 - February 18

Some indication arises that all is not as it should be. People make heavy demands upon you. A hectic time at work leaves you exhilarated.

PISCES February 19 - March 20

Home atmosphere improves after a straight talk. Wednesday brings a surprise. Don't let your feelings influence your work.

ARIES March 21 - April 20

Something takes on a new meaning and you become more involved. Not the best of time to pick an argument. Tempers are short and people unreasonable.

TAURUS April 21 - May 20

You realise your limitations and call a halt. Honesty may not be the best policy and you try a white lie with good effect.

GEMINI May 21 - June 20

Team up with the family if you want to make headway. A near neighbour is likely to give offense. Be prepared with some answers.

CANCER June 21 - July 21

Something goes wrong mid-week that bothers you. Don't involve others. A journey is likely to cause misunderstanding without a phone call first.

LEO July 22 - August 21

Pay more attention to detail or you will invite criticism. Stop worrying about another's problems which are of their own making.

VIRGO August 22 - September 22

Officialdom is likely to dog your path if you run risks. Keep criticism to a minimum in case you hurt a colleague's feelings.

LIBRA September 22 - October 22

There is no cause for boredom, as your time is much in demand. A business partner points out some obstacles in time.

Famous 'Dhow Terrace' Restaurant Re-Opens At Mombasa's Luxurious Hotel Inter*Continental

THE DHOW Terrace at Mombasa Inter-Continental Resort with a grandstand view of a romantic tropical scene - palm trees, beach and sea - has re-opened after many improvements have been carried out.

The old 'Fish Market' comprising the daily catch of fish and crustacea from the Indian Ocean has been replaced by a 'Refrigerated Display' to ensure absolute freshness.

Here guests can choose what they would like to eat and say how they would like it prepared in the large open kitchen there.

New crockery is all shell shaped and there are 'mini' jikos to keep food warm on the tables.

The restaurant now has its own well stocked bar making it much easier and faster to get a drink.

Among the new internationally popular cocktails introduced are White Russian, Blue Lagoon and Zombia.

Spicy Thai Tom Yam Goong soups with shrimp, lobster or fish (served with garlic bread), as well as chop suey, are all cooked in traditional Chinese woks thus retaining their natural flavour and vitamins.

Meanwhile, the Swiss Chef, Jorg Merit, not to be overlooked, highly recommends his Bouillabaisse which he and many others regard as the best.

Oyster delicacies include fresh jumbo oysters and Oyster Rockefeller, while among the Appetisers is a combination of lobster and sweet melon with a tangy touch.

The refrigerated display includes lobster, calamari, crab, prawns - giant, jumbo and king size - red snapper, yellow fin, tuna, barracuda, king fish and seafood skewers, while among the fresh water fish are tilapia, black bass

and trout.

Extremely popular is the Mixed Seafood Platter - a feast for two!

Meat eaters are not forgotten and also included are huge T bone steaks, Molo lamb chops, pork chops and baby chicken which come served with lightly cooked Chinese vegetables, French fries



CRABS COME NO FRESHER than at Mombasa Inter*Continental Resort which receives supplies of live crustacea each day. *Sous Chef Javan Misoge and Head Waiter Raphael Laika are seen in the re-opened 'Dhow Terrace' Restaurant which boasts its own 'Fish Market' where guests can make their own choice of fresh sea food!*

or baked potatoes.

There is also a Dhow Kebab Fantasy with tender marinated lamb, chicken, beef, served with a spicy Tandoori Salad, chapatis and chilli tomatoe sauce.

Each table has an attractive sauce tray, containing four sauces - sweet and sour, pill-pill, soy and tomatoe concasse.

In addition, a Dhow Salad can be prepared at your table and topped with baby prawns, calamari and lobster.

Among the desserts is a coconut cream, described as 'absolutely delicious'.

Another big attraction is an Espresso Machine for those who like Italian style Espresso and Cappuccino coffee.

The Dhow Terrace which is open fronted, is open each day of the

entertaining on the piano.

It is a most comfortable place in which to enjoy a drink with cosy sofas and large armchairs in which to totally relax.

Future plans for the hotel include completely changing the Poolside Snack Bar and giving it added facilities including a Pizzeria and 'Chicken on the Spit'.

Meanwhile, the hotel's outside catering service is being kept pretty busy now that it has re-opened its former Snack Bar at Moi International Airport providing a 24-hour service each day of the week to Unosom personnel operating to Somalia.

"WONDERFUL"

Between September 1992 to April 1993 it had provided thousands of meals from a well equipped caravan to those in the US Air Force, Army, Navy and Marine Corps involved in the US Joint Task Force Provide Relief-Operation Restore Hope in sending famine relief supplies by air to Somalia and Northern Kenya.

Sometimes they were operating twenty flights a day and the Hotel Inter-Conti Snack Bar was appreciated by all.

In recognition of its service, the hotel's Food and Beverage Manager, Karim Ismail in May this year was presented with a certificate conveying the personal thanks of Robert B. Oakley, Special Envoy to Somalia and Lt. General Robert B. Johnstone USMC Commanding.

Presenting it was Captain Gierke of USAF, who also took the opportunity of thanking the hotel for such a wonderful effort.

More good news is that at long last the Mombasa Municipal Council is re-carpeting the access Tourist Road leading to the hotel.

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Hassles With Engines, On 'Dirty Tankers', Luxury Cruise Ships, Flying 'Eight Sheets' And Always "Remember: It's Women and Children First"

THE PORT CONTINUES to be rather quiet generally, with still roughly five to six general cargo berths open for customers. *Marie H* arrived last Thursday and is presently berthed at Number Four, however she is scheduled to complete discharge and sail out this Tuesday. You may recall that she was the vessel which needed some assistance to start her "gennys" roughly 60 miles South of Mombasa three weeks ago, and the locally based supply vessel *Steve B* sailed and rendered the necessary assistance, thus enabling the *Marie H* to sail to Tanga and Dar-es-Salaam where she offloaded cargo for those ports prior to steaming for Mombasa, where she discharged the balance.

There were a couple of hassles concerning the discharge here, because she had of hassles concerning the discharge here, because she had suffered ingress of water into one of the hatches.

Nothing inordinately overwhelming, but it did cause some consternation in various circles, as can be imagined, nevertheless matters were ironed out and the *Marie H* sailed on Tuesday afternoon.

Another of the M.S.C. chartered vessels entered Kilindini on Tuesday morning.

This time it was the *American Condor*, visiting from Mogadishu. Built in 1981 at Melmo, she was known as the *Kuwait Express* until 1983 when she traded under the name of *Zenit Express*, but only briefly, for she became the *American Condor* just one year later in 1984.

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She would appear to be the twin sister of the *American Eagle*.

Have a guess at what the good ship *Bituma* is coming in to discharge towards the 20th of the month?

No doubt you've got it right. She comes in to discharge 2,400 tonnes of bulk bitumen.

She's what they call a 'dirty tanker' however this in no way reflects the condition onboard, but rather describing the product she carries, which is oil, or bitumen.

who apparently fell between two vessels working at the ex KF jetty, the workers, perhaps not unreasonably, would not recontinue until the body had been retrieved, things however appeared to have calmed down during the afternoon.

I wonder how many people know where the phrase "women and children first" originated from?

In 1852 the paddle-wheeled steamship *Birkenhead* set sail from England for the Cape in South Africa with a full complement of military personnel as well as

civilians comprising women and children.

On February 26, she struck a reef.

Some of the ship's life boats could not be launched, and the total number available were three, quite insufficient to carry all the passengers.

The officer in charge of the troops, a Major Seton of the 74th Highlanders who together with the Captain, knew there was only one thing to be done, and the next order shouted was to become a lasting pattern of behaviour in

shipwrecks ever since.

The words were "women and children first" and so it was.

The troops were kept to order while the women and children were bustled into the available boats, as a result not one woman or child was lost.

The men left onboard perished when the ship took her last dive, while a drummer boy kept up a steady tattoo.

Which caused Rudyard Kipling to write "But to stand art" be still to the Birkenhead drill is a damned

tough bullet to chew".

Encouraging to note that the Indian Ocean, due to its richness in plankton, plays a part, so we are led to believe, in reducing the effects of global warming, or the green house effect, by absorbing the excess carbon dioxide emitted from the atmosphere.

It certainly is heartwarming, but nevertheless let's hope it doesn't encourage the 'developed' world from producing more 'excess CO2' just because our little patch of plankton is, for the moment, able to cope with it.

Gordon Guthbert On SHIPPING

The *Pearl Reefer* spent a couple of days at 'B' anchorage, taking place of the *Aspla* which had been there for a couple of days as well.

Pearl Reefer at first glance looked very similar to the *Khalaf* which ran aground on the Leven Reef opposite the Nyali Beach Hotel in November of last year.

The *Aspla* presented a little spectacle while she was at anchorage flushing out what appeared to be ballast water all along her shipside through an array of holes and spouts along top of her antifoul line, port and starboard.

More investigation as to what was actually happening is necessary I fear.

It certainly wasn't the result of a late night!

The cruise liner *Royal Viking Star* looked a majestic sight as she sailed in during the early evening of it is late afternoon last Friday.

While the "lubbers" were getting ready for the start of the week and "celebration", one chap at the New Outrigger Hotel, an American waiting for flight home was well on his way to flying "eight sheets", a comment was made and he mentioned that he was "on medication".

I met him a night later and asked how he was, and he assured me that he was still very much "on medication".

Talking of Liwatoni, there was quite a "kerfuffle" on Tuesday morning, with lots of people hollering and I wondered what it was all about.

It appeared that the crowd were voicing their opinions concerning the tragic death of a co-worker



AMINA S. Ali, the Zanzibari Minister of Finance.



FATMA Said Ali, Minister of State, Tanzania.



ALI Atlas - B.B.C. producer hailing from the Coast.



RUKIA Ramadhan known as "Twarab Dove".



FATMA Juma - Actress and great Twarab singer.



ASHA Abu also (Malika) Undisputed Queen of Twarab.



ZIYANA Saif a BBC Broadcaster from Zanzibar.

"Such A Rare, And Often Astonishing, View Into The Hidden World Of Swahili Baraza ..."

A COLLECTION of social, cultural, political, sexual and moral conversations as might be over heard at various conversational 'Councils' popularly known as 'Baraza' has formed a uniquely fictional piece of Literature in Kiswahili.

The items include pithy profiles of prominent Coast personalities whose contributions to the welfare of the Kiswahili Speaking Community have made indelible impacts on their educational progress, social well-being and political status.

Such figures of senior official, cultural or religious positions include Sheikh (Sir) Mbaraka Ali Hinawy as the most distinguished former Lwali for the Coast.

He often used to attend 'Baraza' in the afternoon at Sheikh Khamis Bin Juma El-

Mutafy.

Sheikh Maftouh Mackawy is a remarkably renowned social, sports and political leader in the Arab Community whose tenure as a member of Legislative Assembly is remembered as 'The Lamu Road' - as he persistently appealed to the Government to Tarmac the road from Mombasa up to Mokowe and so be passable throughout the four seasons.

Shariff Abdalla Salim Mechale is often discussed in 'Baraza' as an Arab leader who had the opportunity of being appointed the first Arab Assistant Minister and who opted to remain at the Coast and attend to his work at the Department of Works; popularly known then as (Punda wengi Duniani).

He was reputed for being a helpful leader to poor students who used to seek 'Remission Fees' and remained a popular figure till his death at the old age of ninety; whose most distinguished son is Salim (Sal Davis) - a renowned pop-singer at the Coast.

Sheriff Mohamed Shatry is highlighted as a distinguished elder for his leadership qualities which include honesty, sincerity and a good public speaker in the three languages - Arabic, Kiswahili and English.

Also as a merchant of Persian carpets and dates, the business which he inherited from his father.

He is the elder brother of the first Kenyan Ports Manager - Sheriff Abdurahman Shatry.

Hon. Abdalla Ntovu Mwidau is described as an astute politician with photographic memories, a self-made man who came to the Coast of Kenya as a poor young man; unknown, and died a famous personality throughout the Coast.

He also knocked on the doors of 'Blue Blooded Arabs' and had his hand accepted by the grand-daughter of Sir Ali Bin Salim - Bi. Shoo Soud Ali and also by the Lamu prominent family of Almsawy.

The commons concerning 'Buibu' affairs have been collected from their own types of 'Baraza' which are usually

held during attending funeral rites known as 'Matanga' or widowhood celebrations 'Eda' and now at their chawing 'Miraa' sessions.

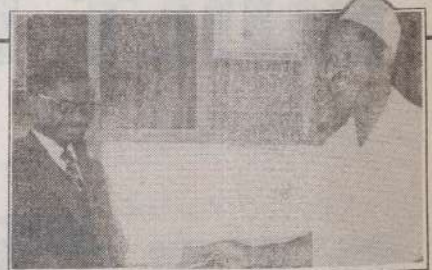
In certain cases they gather themselves in cliques and spread their mats to either sit or sleep on while gossiping against their men's sexual affairs, either for them or against them as the case might be, but mostly as to how docile some are and how mean others.

Often in their gossiping against their men they paint a terribly bad picture, while on the part of such women, it reflects their naivety and lack of some useful subjects to engage themselves with their

Information and Tourism, and the popular 'Twarab' stars including Fatma Khamis, Nihitachi Abdallah, Saïda Mohamed, Fauzia Abdallah, Fatma Omar, Rukia Ramadhan, Mwanacha Hassan and a score of them.

Asha Abu (Malika) stands as an indestructible monument of Kiswahili lady public entertainer - the ever shining star, a highly talented and deeply gifted Twarab singer whose personality embodies an institution of public education in a Kiswahili speaking environment.

Farej Dumila has just mentioned a few 'Baraza' in their real names and locations of existence such as



A FORMER Mayor of Mombasa and M.P. for Likoni, Late A.N. Mwidau, receives at his parlour "Wasiti Wa Kariyaba" a book in praise of President Kenya, from its author, Mr. Farej Dumila of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.

conversations.

The Kenya Coast 'Buibu' women are compared and contrasted with and to Coast Tanzanian women - particularly of Zanzibar, especially those women in public offices.

The book also highlights the Zanzibari women in public offices or public entertaining world.

Bi. Amina Salim as the Zanzibari Minister of Finance, Bi. Fatma Said as the Tanzanian Minister of State in the President's office, and Bi. Refeya Mbarouk as the Minister of Communication and Transport in Zanzibar.

Also Bi. Maryam Hianan as not only a great poetess but also Deputy Secretary of the Ministry of Culture,

"Lancaster Baraza" which has been known for its members such as Sheikh Abdillahi Nassir Juma Balo, Sheikh Omar Basaadi, - the members of Legislative Assembly who fought for 'Miyambao', Sheikh Nuru Hussein as its Chairman and Sheikh Abdurahman Bin Ibad as its Deputy Chairman, and their political and social topics of liberal significance.

Other 'Baraza' have remained anonymous and their members fictitious as quite a number of their topics remain hard-hitting and controversial.

Over thirty 'Baraza' have been involved in the collection for painting a scenario of the Coast Kiswahili Speaking Community and their often unusual and intriguing lives.

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SEVERIN LODGE



SHEIKH (Sir) Mbarak Ali Hinawy was the epitome of an Arab gentleman whose administrative and leadership qualities were described by that great English writer, Miss Elpheth Huxley who writes that he was "a cool-minded, far-sighted, well read and thorough gentleman". The British Colonial Government used to genuinely respect Sheikh's ideas. He was an influential supporter establishing Mombasa Institute of Muslims School (M.I.O.M.E.), the idea of which was conceived at Sheikh Khamis Bin Juma's Baraza. Sheikh Mutafwy later offered three hundred acres on which the institution buildings now stand.

PHOTO: FAMAMY M.A. HINAWY.

PEN PAL WANTED

I AM A twenty six year old first year student (Bachelor of Arts) and I would like to have penpals from the Coastal area of Kenya plus the Middle East.

I would prefer penpals of both sexes, and of all races residing in Mombasa, Malindi, Lamu, Zanzibar, Pemba, and the United Arab Emirates.

They should be aged between 23 to 30 years old.

My hobbies include reading novels and magazines, music, exchanging news and ideas and last but not least travelling.

Matthew Aoro Ocitti, Mitchell Hali, Makerere University, P.O. Box 19005, Kampala, UGANDA.

HOW I WISH KENYANS WOULD USE MORE GLASS BOTTLES!

WITH THE devaluation of the Kenya Shilling, life has become very tough for mwanainchi in general.

It is said, though, the population has not risen to the occasion and is still keeping passive to the invasion of the market place by foreign goodies.

Why should Kenyans eat South African confectionery, use European greeting cards and French crockery; spending valuable foreign exchange?

Why should Kenyan manufacturers use plastic packaging, using raw materials such as PVC, LDPE, HDPE or PET which are 100 per cent imported when glass packaging which uses 100 per cent local raw materials is available in Kenya?

I am particularly concerned about pharmaceutical, food and health products packed in plastic containers which not

only can be hazardous to personal hygiene but also are an eyesore composed to the same products packed in glass containers.

It is quite some time that we had the pleasure of buying some known brands such as Tree Top, Lady Gay, Preseol, Peptang Sauce, Zesta Jam, Cleartone and Good Morning Lung Tonic in

glass bottles.

How I wish that these products be available in glass again so as to retain the hygienic qualities and for the sheer visual appeal glass offers!

Further, Kenya can save millions of dollars in foreign exchange wasted on plastic raw materials.

Donald Mutuku, MOMBASA.

AIRPORT WORKERS MISS LATE 'SURINDER RATTAN'

ON BEHALF of the Airport Manager and members of staff of the Kenya Airports Authority, I should like to commend the memory of the Late Mr. Surinder Rattan.

The late Surinder joined the civil service in 1955 and worked for the Kenya Ports Authority (formerly known as Aerodromes Department) rising from grade to grade with a clean record of service until he met his untimely death.

Very many of our colleague remember him as someone who was intelligent in his work, dedicated and quite social.

It is unfortunate that the office lost somebody who never thought of his colour as a barrier to communication, and especially at this time when our organisation was being transformed into a fully fledged parastatal.

God give and God takes away all he has given of which no human has control. Ours is therefore to pray hard that God may rest his (Surinder) soul in eternal peace and also to strengthen the bereaved dependants with the mighty power at this time ad time to come.

Muchiri E. Githinji, MOMBASA.



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Keeping The Wolf From Your Door ...

WHEN A wolf comes in sheep's clothing, he should be done away with.

Similarly those who peddle items outside schools, or rather hawkers should be banned from schools for some of these hawkers are a 'dangerous disease'.

The presence of these hawkers around the schools causes the students tend to know the language spoken by hawkers which is not correct English but broken English which then gives the teachers a headache to correct.

Hawkers do not only sell rubbish like 'achari, mabuyu and mabungo' but also stationary, which might be inferior or sub-standards (or also stolen from the same students!)

Immorality is another bad behaviour brought about by hawkers who lure school children to this bad behaviour. They become intimate friends of the children, especially girls whom they then teach undesirable things.

The hawkers introduce cigarette smoking which virtually leads to drug consumption like 'bhang', 'marijuana' and many others whose results are well known.

Sometimes certain hawkers loiter and sell in the vicinity of school and try to study the school's security.

When the time is ripe, in they swoop in and make off with anything they find.

Sometimes they even take very large sums and other items from the bursar's office, and then go and sell the items at a 'cheap price'.

These days nearly every school has got a canteen run by its own students.

These canteens teach the students organisation, teamwork and above all practical skills necessary for earning D/Education in the Kenya Certificate for Primary Education examination.

My earnest request to all schools to have their own canteens within the school compound.

These hawkers who come to schools are young, uneducated children who at this age should be schooling

and not selling to us half-cooked food which include their literal sweat and sneezes.

By all standards we are committing 'offence' by allowing them to operate in schools.

Sometimes truth is stronger than fiction but strangest of all are the hawkers and they should be banned from schools.

Abdulgafoor. M. Bachanli.

Proposed 'Television Permit' Is Rotten News For Viewers!

THE NEWS that 1,000/- per year will be charged for a Television permit is not very welcome. Many people are complaining about it.

However, if KBC can give us more value for money like improving its programme schedules, then there would be fewer complaints.

If a full-length Hindi movie were screened every week (which is enjoyed by a great majority of Kenyan Cinema-fans) then the permit may become acceptable.

I think it is high time KBC conducted an opinion poll on the programmes it wants to screen to the public. This will help it to improve its programme schedules and more people will watch KBC and hopefully will be willing to pay for the services it renders.

Karim A. Karimjee, MOMBASA.

A PIONEER Kenyan journalist, Henry Gathigira was the epitome of an African nationalistic communicator whose pen relentlessly and with formidable power fought for Pan-Africanism and Kenyan

nationalism.

He served in all leading Kenyan newspapers and journals in both English and Kiswahili; right from his hey-days in (Jicho), Baraza, Taffaleo and in the early sixties

he was a leading columnist of Sunday Post during which tenure his pieces reflected his deeply set aspiration for stability, unity and harmonious co-existence between and among Kenyans of different races, tribes and faiths.

Henry, all along, presented himself as a friendly person, humane, deeply devoted to his journalistic career.

He was a helpful leader to his colleagues; particularly the upcoming African journalist and

used to offer adequate opportunities to all young journalists under his leadership.

This writer greatly enjoyed

HENRY GATHGIRIRA WAS A VETERAN KENYAN JOURNALIST



Late HENRY GATHGIRIRA

working with him at The Sunday Post in the late sixties as then I had my own weekly columns for

cultural and literary writings.

In the Nation House, as the news editor he proved to have a good nose for exciting and fascinating news items.

He had an admirable knack for picking up appropriate splashes and leading headings.

Kenyan journalists is definitely poorer without Henry Gathigira.

As the Chief Editor of The Standard he made a remarkable achievement as the paper acquired consistent high circulation by picking items of news which appealed to African readership.

Having left Kenya Times as its Editor in Chief, the KANU Headquarters at Kenyatta International Conference made great use of his journalistic talents up to the last days of his active, journalistic career.

Faraj Dumila, MOMBASA.

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BIRGID KALKOFEN GETS A BIG SEND OFF FROM POLLMANS TOURS AND SAFARIS

GLASSES WERE raised by over 100 guests, including tour operators, hoteliers and staff in a toast wishing Birgid Kalkofen, Marketing Manager, Pollman's Tours and Safaris 'all the very best and lots of success' at a cocktail party hosted by the company at *Il Duetto* Restaurant to wish her farewell.

Birgid left Mombasa for her home in Majorca, Spain, on Thursday November 11.

She has been in the tourist industry since 1970 joining Touristic Union International in Germany (the largest tour operator in Europe) in 1978.

She came to Mombasa eleven years ago first working with TUI here for eight years and then three years with Pollman's which looks after TUI's ground arrangements here.

Birgid has worked in many countries of the world including Hong Kong, Bangkok, Sri Lanka, Bali, Greece, Yugoslavia, Egypt, Spain, Sicily and London.

Commenting on Kenya she said 'It is a beautiful country and the people very nice.'

'EXPERIENCES'

'I shall miss the safaris, as well as the food in restaurants here which is fantastic'.

She resigned from Pollman's and as far as her future is concerned Birgid told colleagues 'I still do not know what I am going to do, but will have lots of time to decide and

will let you know'.

It was her boss, Karl-Heinz Straus, Managing Director, Pollman's who had proposed the toast to Birgid.

He told guests 'we have done a lot of work together and it is

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really a pity Birgid is leaving us for she is part of the success that Pollman's has experienced over the past three years.

'We have changed many things and developed, adding with a laugh 'Birgid has Pollman's and myself much better organised'.

He presented her with a gift 'A Guide to Majorca' saying 'after being away so long you might have forgotten what is going on there'.

There was also a gift from the Service-a la carte-Product Departments presented by the Service Manager, Simon Onyiah.

Mr. Straus then took the opportunity of introducing Birgid's successors - Mrs. Rahab Mwendwa, Product Manager, Overseas Tour Operators 'responsible for contracting with our clients overseas', and Mrs. Nancy Mburu-Douglas, Marketing

Manager 'responsible for any kind of promotion, advertising, trade fairs and for our News Letter which will come out very soon'.

Rahab was previously Sales and Marketing Manager, Whitesands Hotel and for eight years prior to that was Marketing-Food and Beverage-Export Manager, Mamba Village which she helped develop from the start into a very successful venture.

Previously she was Guest Relations-Sales Manager, Mombasa Beach Hotel (part of the A T and H group) and before

then Travel Manager, A.A. Travel, Mombasa for two years.

Rahab is also First Deputy Chairman, Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association, while Mr. Straus, Pollman's MD is Chairman of Kenya Association of Tour Operators', Coast.

Nancy was formerly Editor and General Manager of Signature magazine, prior to that she was running her own public relations and marketing consultancy F.Y.I. for five years which had included a lot of consultancy work for Block Hotels. Before then she had worked for East African Industries.



BIRGID KALKOFEN, MARKETING MANAGER, Pollman's Tours and Safaris receives a gift from her boss, Karl-Heinz Straus, Managing Director during a farewell party for her at *Il Duetto* Restaurant and attended by over one hundred guests. Birgid has been in Mombasa for eleven years aught with Touristic Union International and three with Pollmans. Said Mr. Straus 'It is really a pity Birgid is leaving us for she is part of the success that Pollman's has experienced over the past three years.' Adding with a laugh 'Birgid has Pollman's and I much better organised'.

Lorraine de Souza Confirms That Tourism Bookings Are Showing Big Improvement

CONFIRMING indications that tourism to Kenya is picking up again is Lorraine de Souza, Director of Sales, Mombasa Inter-Continental Resort who is just back from a five week business trip to Europe.

She was also delighted to find on her return that the hotel in the second week of November was enjoying a nearly 100 per cent occupancy, this being a period when bookings are usually depressed.

Lorraine was among those who attended the Kenya Tourism Day in London co-sponsored by Travel

Trade Gazette and the Kenya Tourist Office.

She had been greatly impressed by its presentation of a 'Fresh Look at Kenya' and thought the speech



LORRAINE DE SOUZA

by the Director of Kenya Wildlife Service, Dr. Richard Leakey, 'brilliant'.

Such a seminar had been highly necessary to counter negative reports about Kenya so that tourism could flourish again.

Lorraine mentioned that the panel discussion which followed at which some British tour operators had asked some very leading questions, mainly on security, had further helped clear the air on what government and KWS are doing to beef up security.

'Bhangra' Dancing At Mamba Village ...

ENTRIES HAVE started coming from different dancers for Saturday's first ever Bhangra Dancing Contest at Mamba Village.

All other interested participants have upto 10.30 pm on Saturday November 20 1993, to give their entries to Jiten Maide and the "Cock-pit" at Mamba Disco.

Four rounds of Dancing of which ten best dancing pairs will be selected for the finals, will kick-off at exactly 11.00 pm.

The selected finalist can carry along with them their own Bhangra Music to dance.

'Those not participating remember to put on (dress) your best Bhangra Suits for the "Special Outfit present", said a spokesman.

Such is the impact it made that Lorraine feels such seminars should be held in all major tourist destinations to give them a 'Fresh Look at Kenya'.

Advertising was also extremely important as a follow up.

She visited Italy, Switzerland, Spain, France, Germany, Stockholm and London and has been very happy with the response wherever she went.

Commenting on Spain, Lorraine said 'Kenya is being promoted by tour operators and travel agents and has a big potential market if only there could be a direct charter into Mombasa again'.

Meanwhile, with lots of charters going to Mexico and South America, Spaniards were mainly going there.

In Paris she had found an increasing interest being taken in Kenya, particularly as an up-market destination for large incentive groups.

The German market has also perked up, and while in Stockholm, Lorraine again found a big potential tourism market for Kenya.

She wondered why Kenya Airways had closed its office, while continuing to operate there, at a time when more business could be generated through promotion.

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ALLIDINA VISRAM SWEEP MOMBASA ROTARACT CUP



JAYK PATEL OF ALLIDINA VISRAM High School receiving the overall floating trophy from District Governor Francois De Grival. Centre is the Chairperson of Rotaract Club of Mombasa Shilpa V. Shah. Looking on is Zahir Salyani, Director of Vocational Service.

SERENA COMPUTER



THE SERENA GROUP RECENTLY completed the installation of a Kshs. 22,000,000 computer system and H.I.S. software which will streamline all the operations of their reservations, accounting and credit control departments. Serena Group Operations Manager Mr. Mahmud Janmohamed (pointing) is seen discussing the system with Mr. Phyl Myhre (right) who installed the H.I.S. System, as (from left) Mr. Boniface Njuguna, Mr. Peter Kariuki and Mr. Steve Irungu of Serena look on.

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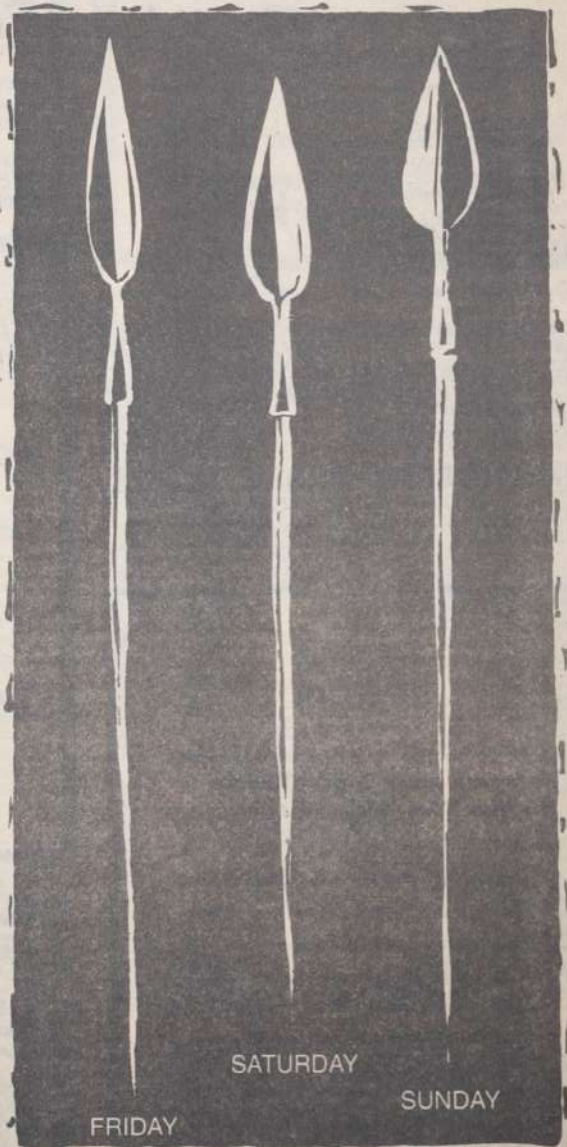
POWER CUTS ARE NO LONGER a problem for those who have acquired standby Massey Ferguson diesel generators from Yamaha Motors, the agents for Massey Ferguson's 10 to 1200 KVA generators. The new range complements the 6.5 to 10 KVA Yamaha generators already marketed countrywide by Yamaha Motors. Those who are no longer threatened by power cuts include a large banking group, which has purchased 20 Massey Ferguson generators for its branch network and a number of companies at the Coast, including Express Kenya Limited, where Yamaha Motors Mombasa Manager, Mr. Maurice Omolo (far left), recently supervised the commissioning of a Massey Ferguson 60 KVA in the company's Shimanzi warehouse. Looking on (from left), are Express generator set attendant, Mr. Nathaniel Mwanjye; electrical consultant, Mr. Salim A. Abdalla and Express warehouse supervisor, Mr. Isaac Karenga.

NAVNET BHAGINI KENDRA LADIES' DIWALI DECORATIONS



DIWALI DISPLAY: As part of Diwali Festival Celebrations, ladies of Navnet Bhagini Kendra made several displays, among them a replica of the Temple which was the prime attraction. The participants were (from right): Mrs. Chanchikaben Shah, Mrs. Prakasha Vora, Mrs. Meenaben Vora, Miss Kelpena Vora, and Mrs. Meenaben Doshi.

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Es ist bekannt, daß seine Firma im Dezember 1993 bis April 1994 ein Boeing 767 Air Europe chartern (insgesamt 544 Plätze) hat, die ausschließlich für Kenianer Kunden einmal in der Woche nach Mombasa fliegen.

Im Rahmen einer massiven Werbekampagne, die zur Zeit durchgeführt wird, sind 60 Vertreter von Reisebüros in Italien nach Kenia eingeladen worden, die sich selbst davon überzeugen können, was Kenia als Reiseziel zu bieten hat.

Die Gruppe wurde begleitet von Mr. S. Banin, Marketing Direktor von Francorosso.

Die Reisebüros hatten insgesamt 20 Prozent des Umsatzes von Francorosso im Jahr 1992 beigetragen.

Francorosso ist 40 Jahre alt und wurde vor 20 Jahren die erste Chartermaschine nach Kenia.

Im Interview erklärte Mr. Rosso: "Trotz der Rezession in Italien und obwohl die Leute ihren Urlaub sorgfältiger aussuchen und weniger Geld dafür ausgeben, war dies ein gutes Jahr für unsere Kenia-Touristen, das ihr den höchsten Umsatz in ihrer Geschichte brachte. Wir versuchen, diesen Erfolg zu beibehalten."

Kenia betrifft, erwähnte er, daß im November 1992 und im April 1993 die Geschäfte um 20 Prozent zunahm und während der Rezession zwischen Mai und September 1993 jede Woche ein Boeing 767 von Air Europe auf dem Flug Mailand-Mombasa, die einmal in der Woche jeweils am Montag morgen nach Mombasa ankommt, voll ist.

Die Maschine war ausschließlich für Kenianer Kunden von Francorosso gechartert und wurde nicht mit anderen Reisebüros geteilt wie im vergangenen Jahr.

Die Gruppe überraschte die Kenianer Reiseveranstalter, die Kenia eingeladen waren, als sie auf dem Moi International Flughafen in Mombasa ausstiegen und eine Dame eine Nelke überreichte.

Bei ihrem Empfang wurden die Kenianer als afrikanische Stammesangehörige begrüßt.

Die Kenianer wußten nicht, daß gerade der Welt-Tourismusstag gefeiert wurde, sagte Mr. Rosso.

Während ihres 4-tägigen Aufenthaltes im Safari Beach Hotel, wurde eine Verkaufsförderung abgehalten, in welcher die Möglichkeit in Kenia von Francorosso und von Intra-Tour, verantwortlich für die



PAOLO ROSSO, Managing Director von Francorosso International (links), der 60 Vertreter führender Reisebüros aus Italien auf Informationstour nach Kenia brachte, hier zu sehen mit seinem Marketing Direktor Claudio Pataccini (2.v.r.) im Diani Reef Grand Hotel, wo sie begrüßt wurden von Mr. S. Banin, Managing Director von Soricetels Kenya Limited (2.v.l.), Mrs. Wendy James, Direktorin des Diani Reef Grand Hotels, und Sigi Jogschat, General Manager des Hotels. In der Mitte Mr. Fabretto, einer der Reisebürovertreter aus Italien.

Transportarrangements der Francorosso-Kunden, erläutert wurde.

Die Reisefachleute machten einen Bootsausflug auf die Insel Wasini und segelten auf der Tamarind-Dhau den Tudor Creek hinauf.

Während dem Dinner am Bord fuhren sie an der historischen Altstadt von Mombasa vorbei.

Seit Francorosso vor zwanzig Jahren den ersten Charterflug nach Kenia durchführte, wohnen die Kunden auch heute noch in den gleichen Hotels wie früher: Leopard Beach, Jadini Beach und Africana Sea Lodge - die beiden letzteren gehören zur Alliance Hotelgruppe.

Später kamen noch weitere Hotels hinzu, seit kurzem auch der Indian Ocean Beach Club und das Safari Beach Hotel.

Die Kunden von Francorosso wohnen nun in zwölf Hotels an der kenianischen Küste, einschließlich zwei in Malindi - Tropical Village und African Dream, im Besitz und

Ich glaube, die Leute sind sich hier bewußt, daß der Tourismus eine wichtige Rolle spielt und das Land davon viel profitiert."

Touristen bezahlen freiwilligen Beitrag an die Meeres-Nationalparks

DER "Mombasa Marine Park Conservation Fund" ist am 1. November in Aktion getreten und hat die in den Strandhotels zwischen Canon Point, Shanzu, und English Point, Nyali, wohnenden ausländischen Touristen aufgefordert, einen freiwilligen Beitrag von zwei US Dollars für die Dauer ihres Aufenthaltes an den Kenya Wildlife Service (KWS) zu bezahlen.

Mit diesem Beitrag können alle den Mombasa Meeres-Nationalpark und das Reservat jederzeit besuchen und müssen nicht mehr jedesmal Shs 300.- Eintritt bezahlen, wie es bisher vorgeschrieben war.

Für "Kenya Residents", die in diesen Strandhotels wohnen, ist der freiwillige Beitrag Shs 50.- pro Aufenthalt oder Shs 30.- pro Besuch im Meeres-Nationalpark oder Reservat.

Dies ist eine neue Vereinbarung, die zwischen dem Kenya Wildlife Service (KWS) und dem Kenianischen Verband der Hoteliers und Restaurateure getroffen wurde, um das Projekt zur Führung und Erhaltung der Strände und des Riffs im Meeres-Nationalpark zu unterstützen.

Mit eingeschlossen ist das Sauberhalten der Strände und die Überwachung, daß

die gültigen Vorschriften eingehalten werden.

Die Hoteliers kassieren die Beiträge von den Gästen und leiten das Geld an den KWS weiter.

Es ist ein Versuch und wenn er sich lohnt, soll dieses System entlang der ganzen kenianischen Küste eingeführt werden.

Bunte Plakate auf Swahili, Englisch und Deutsch (später auch auf Französisch und Spanisch) sowie Informationskarten an den Türen der Gästezimmer erklären die Funktion des Kenya Wildlife Service und was unternommen wird zur Erhaltung und zum Schutz der Strände.

Bisher waren die Aufseher des KWS hauptsächlich damit beschäftigt, die Eintrittsgelder einzuziehen und hatten kaum Zeit für andere wichtige Aufgaben.

Mit dem neuen System soll auch die Sicherheit am Strand verbessert werden. Mit dem Geld werden zusätzliche Boote für Patrouillen angeschafft.

Überdies werden die Strände gereinigt und saubergehalten.

Die fliegenden Händler werden nicht vom Strand verbannt, aber sie müssen sich an gewisse Regeln halten und die Touristen nicht belästigen.

Spezialbericht von NETA PEAL

unter dem Management von Francorosso.

Auf die Frage, ob die Buchungen in letzter Zeit durch die Aufstände und Unruhen in Mombasa, Malindi und Lamu zurückgegangen sind, antwortete Mr. Rosso: "Das hat sich bei uns überhaupt nicht ausgewirkt."

"Wir haben genügend solche Probleme in Italien und darüber wird soviel geschrieben, daß wir nicht so besorgt sind."

"Es gibt auch in Europa Aufruhr und Striks und die Leute sind mehr oder weniger daran gewöhnt."

Die Vorkommnisse waren ja nicht gegen die Touristen gerichtet.

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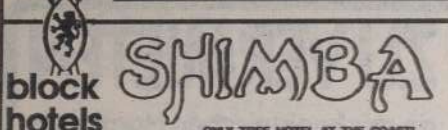
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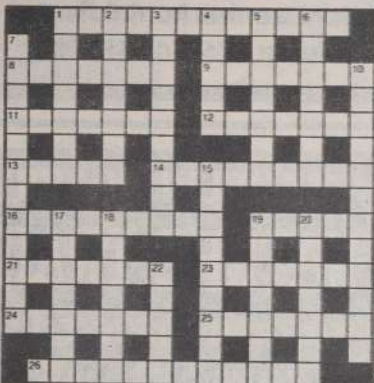
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ACROSS

- Her foundations are at Oxford and Cambridge (4, 8)
- He keeps the wheels of industry going (7)
- He's all behind! (7)
- Could be great at a race meeting (7)
- Conduct that often gets a medal (7)
- Arrangement of borders without borders (5)
- These things will happen! (9)
- Don't sample so many - it's unbecoming! (9)
- All right giving a piece of pie to an animal (5)
- Heads with sharp features (7)
- Child accompanied by a princess (7)
- ISO intrigue, making a confused noise (7)
- Make it lively! (7)
- All the same, it's always the greater (12)

DOWN

- Had a lay time in the hotel (7)
- Apparently sinister boat (7)
- It frequently ends up on a boat (9)
- Flow, deep in natural philosophy (5)
- Maddened the Mad Grandee (7)
- Noise rising around Vice-Admiral making escape (7)
- We'd like to have this control over the weather (12)
- Thoroughly at home, at home (12)
- Push! The players I confine to college (9)
- Leek as a chopped vegetable (3-4)
- This unpleasant sight could be a cry (7)
- Between ball and opponent's goal (7)
- Books and flowers? (7)
- Fish proverbially thrown to catch another (5)

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Captain's Prize At Nyali and Mombasa

AMANDA STOKES, Lady Captain at Nyali Golf and Country Club and Trevor Owen, Men's Captain at Mombasa Golf Club, hosted their prize competitions last weekend, writes *Followthru*.

When the fixture lists were drawn up at the end of 1992, it was not realised that these events would clash with the Diwali and New Year festivities.

However there was very good support from the members of their Captains, although, understandably, those able to attend the Men's prize-giving on Sunday at Mombasa Golf Club were limited.

The weather conditions were extremely tough with the continuing high temperatures and no breeze.

Both courses have become drier and dustier in the past week.

Some rain is desperately needed especially before the Nyali Open due to take place in four weeks.

At Nyali there was a very large entry of 44 ladies and three markers striving to beat the course and the Lady Captain.

Mandy set off ahead of the field playing with professionals Saleem Hajj and Peter Jamieson.

She challenged the ladies for a small bet to beat her score and most ladies felt they could do that and accepted the bet.

The scoring was modal for the first nine and stableford on the second half.

The majority of players struggled in the heat and there were very few reasonable scores.

Mandy herself could not find the magic touch and had to concede defeat to two-thirds of the field.

Saida Samji has been playing steadily for the past two months.

On Saturday she started slowly having 39.5 nett on the first nine but she followed this with an excellent 19 points for a differential of 20.5 to win by half a point.

Rekha Patel played very well until she reached the last two holes which caused her all sorts of problems.

In spite of two blanks, her differential was 21 and she was the runner up.

Two players tied on 22 and Zebi Anjarwalla took third place on countback having had a good 18 points on the second nine.

The unlucky loser was Frances Cook.

Ann McConnell won the Best First Nine with a good nett 36.5 counting out Cathy Kimanathi and there was no doubt about the Second Nine winner - Vera Erat scoring unbeatable 22 points.

The Hidden Holes (4, 6 and 11) were won by Samira Carey who scored eight points.

Tamsin Mamujee emerged as the Best New Golfer with 104 gross and the Lady Captain congratulated all three new golfers Tamsin, Jane Munyi and Mercy Wambugu for completing 18 holes in such difficult conditions.

The best score of the day, 72 gross, came from, not a lady, but recently returned professional Saleem Hajj.

He received a prize from Mandy who thanked him and Peter and all in the Pro Shop for their co-operation with the ladies' section.

Mandy also had special words of thanks for all who had helped

her throughout her year and she gave away token presents to her Committee.

In her winner's speech, Saida Samji thanked Mandy for a most enjoyable competition and for all her hard work as Lady Captain.

The Lady Vice-Captain Sue Williamson presented Mandy with a bouquet of flowers on behalf of all the ladies.

The Men's Captain's prize at Mombasa as is usual, was played over two rounds on two sweltering days.

Morning or afternoon seemed to make no difference to the heat, but in spite of this there

was the same result of 32.

In third place one shot behind was Ramesh Patel who played two steady rounds - 72 nett followed by a very good 39 points.

He counted out Ben Okello on the same score who must receive a mention for the consistent standard of his golf week in, week out.

Playing off one handicap, he scored 69 nett on Saturday and 36 points on Sunday.

The best Saturday nett score was won by Hamza Anjarwalla with 68 and the runner up was Narinder Sagoo on 69 counting out Ben once again and also Jyoti Doshi.

Sunday's best score went to Yogesh Patel with a fantastic 41 points (five over par). Akid Khan was the winner of the ladies' prize with 30 points.

Trevor Owen thanked all the members of the main and golf committees for helping him throughout the year and also all the golfers, the ladies and the members of staff who had made his task as Golf Captain easier.

An Extra KLGU Medal was played at Mombasa Golf Club on Thursday November 11.

The winner was Lady Captain Jean Elms with nett 75 and Eileen Sinclair was runner up on nett 77.

Saida Samji had the Best Gross of 91 and Jean was the best putter with 28 putts.

Full results: Lady Captain's Prize - Nyali: Winner: Mrs. S. Samji 20.5, Runner up: Mrs. R. Patel 21, Third: Mrs. Z. Anjarwalla 22, Best First Nine: Mrs. A. McConnell 36.5, Best Second Nine: Mrs. V. Erat 22, Hidden Holes: Mrs. S. Carey 8, and Best New Golfer: Miss. T. Mamujee 104.

Men's Captain's Prize - Mombasa: Winner: I. Pasta 32, Runner up: J. Pereira 32, Third:

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were some excellent scores and also, plenty of poor ones.

46 golfers played both days with 10 taking part in a subsidiary on Saturday only and three ladies joining the men on Sunday.

The Captain Trevor Owen offered several bets against the field on both days - his rewards being somewhat more profitable on the first day than on the second.

Jeff Pereira set the pace on Saturday morning with a fantastic 63 nett well clear of the next best on 68, with several players on 69 and 70.

One of these was from 17 handicap Ibrahim Pasta who followed his 70 nett with an even better 39 points, which included three blanks, for a differential of 32.

He was the winner on countback as Jeff's second round could not match his first and with 31 points he returned



LADY CAPTAIN'S PRIZE: Winner: Saida Samji with Lady Captain Amanda Stokes.

R. Patel 33, Best Saturday: H. Anjarwalla 68, Runner up: Sat. N. Sagoo 69, Best Sunday: Y.N. Patel 41, and Best Guest: Miss A. Khan 30.

Extra KLGU Medal - Mombasa: Winner: Mrs. J. Elms 75 nett, Runner up: Mrs. E. Sinclair 77, Best Gross: Mrs. S. Samji 91 and Best Putter: Mrs. J. Elms 28.

"Last Over" Finish Sees Karimjee XI Into A Win

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only 23 runs and Shiraz Esmailji destroyed the middle order, taking five for 34.

Useful innings by Selee Maloo (49), Huzaila Maloo (24) and Mustafa (21) swung the game back into Sports Club's favour, but two late wickets by Ali Dar restricted the home side to 230 for nine wickets after fifty overs.

The Hatim Karimjee openers started confidently, with Juzer attacking for 28 runs and Muffadal playing steadily. Asghar junior showed his old style with 28 runs and at 149 for two wickets, the visitors were odds on favourites. There was then a dramatic change, when four wickets were lost for four runs, two each to Hatim and Mustafa, leaving Karimjee struggling at 153 for six wickets.

Shiraz Esmailji and Kutub played sensibly to work towards the target, aided by some bad misfielding and unnecessary overthrows, but three more wickets fell, to set up a tense finish.

Three runs were required in the

last over, but last man Moiz Chuma became the hero of the day, when he struck the ball high over mid-wicket for a dramatic win, whilst all the fielders were crowded in to stop the expected singles.

All credit goes to both teams and the umpires, for providing on enthralling days cricket.

Who says cricket is dead at the Coast?

NAIROBI JAFFERY TRIUMPH

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Although having won the toss Captain Muffadal Yusuf fell plied to field.

Accurate bowling to Kutub Gulamabbas, Mulla Shabbir Hassanali, Shiraz Esmail and Moiz Yusuf all controlled the run rate and Jaffery were 43/4 in the first ten overs, but a fine contribution by Captain Asif Karim (52) with a dynamic partnership with Mohsin Khimjee (69) took the score upto 139/4 when Asif Karim was caught by Hatim Kaika off Moiz Yusuf ball, however the game was slayed again by Asger Bandali (two) and at one time Jaffery were 146.6 in 31 overs.

Shahid Bwibo contribution of (26) with some miss fielding finally brought the score to 234/9 in the allocated 50 overs.

Hatim Karimjee batsmen started well although the first two wickets fell fast, and were on average of four runs for the first 25 overs, but a collapse in the middle order batting line shattered the hopes of a win, however Shiraz Shabbir (48) and Asger Junior (22), Shabbir Hassanali (19) and young Ali Dar Mamnu (26 not out) finally took the score to 174/9 in the last ball of the game.

Although Hatim Karimjee Sports Club lost the game they played gallantly and proved that if given exposure they can equal Nairobi Cricket standard.

The game was played in a very friendly atmosphere with no ugly incidents however.

The host did not only provide a lavish lunch to the visiting team, but to all supporters who travelled with the team.

It was reliably learnt that 10 matches of the ICC have been allocated to the Jaffery Sports Club.

New Date For Cycling Club

THE MOMBASA Cycling Club event which was to be held on November 27 has now been pushed back by one day and will now take place on November 28, 1993, according to Shafiq Ebrahimjee.

The route, time and all other relevant details still remain the same.

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Annual Butech Soccer Journey Kicks Off

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Those who do not play in the soccer are given the opportunity to display their skills in other sports.

One of the notable features is the Butech Youths made up of school boys and girls sponsored by Butech Limited.

The tournament is expected to be a success for the future soccer players.

Kenya Football Association has called upon all clubs to maintain a high standard of discipline on the field.

Preliminary Round (Continued)

13	Rangers v Mita
14	Butech v Burhani
15	Bhadala v Agakhan
16	M.Mart v G.T.I.
17	Burhani v Rangers
18	Mita v Butech
19	G.T.I. v Bhadala
20	Agakhan v M.Mart
21	Rangers v Butech
22	Bhadala v M.Mart
23	Burhani v Mita
24	Agakhan v G.T.I.

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'LASER RADAR MOUNT CHECKS THE SPEED AND THE DISTANCE'

WE CONTINUE our gaze into the future with a look at some concepts that are being investigated with a view to improving driving safely.

With the end of the cold war, a little of the "peace dividend" could potentially come to motorists.

The bane of a motorists life is the traffic jams, crowded roads and the need to find out where one is going by becoming an expert map reader.

Military satellites are becoming increasingly under utilised with the thaw in the long standing East-West stand off.

One car manufacturer is using recently vacated satellite links to provide motorists with instant information on where they are and how to quickly get to where they want to go.

This single link is to be developed into an entire safe driving package that will give motorists maximum information on the road ahead, automatically keep their vehicles at a safe speed for the conditions and at a safe distance from the vehicle ahead.

The system is now still in prototype and being tested on a so called "mule" mobile test bed.

At the heart of the system are three in-car cameras mounted on the front edge of the car roof above the windscreen.

These cameras will monitor a vehicle's position and tell the driver where he is in relation to the road boundaries.

It will tell him, for example, whether he is in the middle of the road, approaching a bend too quickly or whether he is meandering across the lanes.

Warning lights as well as a voice box are used to announce the mistakes.

The speech warnings include -leaving lane, distance too close and excess speed.

There is also a laser radar mounted at the front of the car bumper height.

This checks the speed and distance of the vehicles in front.

When the car controls are set to "follow mode" or "traffic mode" information from the laser feed into a central computer that automatically controls the accelerator and brakes and keeps the vehicle in front at a safe distance away.

This, according to the manufacturers, will allow the driver to concentrate solely on

steering without having to worry about the car in front stopping suddenly.

The driver can also pick up



information on which roads are busy.

An aerial mounted on the car receives information from a central traffic control centre via road side beacons.

This information is displayed on a screen in the dashboard.

The system is already being used by one of the car manufacturers in Japan who sponsored its development.

It uses a computer data bank of maps covering the whole country.

The driver can simply pull over, check where he is and ask for the best route to his destination.

Though a bit on the expensive side (an optional extra priced at Kshs. 350,000) it is foreseen that it will come down in price within the next ten years.

As Kachumbari says, who wants all these gimmicks when the speed warning chime on the Japanese cars is infuriating enough!

Pastor Washington Ondiek Odeny Leaves For Nyanza

MEMBERS OF the Church of Christ in Africa CCA Coast Branch at Railways Estate Shimanzi, Church, Mombasa, have bid farewell to their pastor Washington Ondiek Odeny who is being transferred to Nyanza region, writes G.K. Oyogo.

The pastor received many gifts from members of 13 churches of the Province.

Those who brought gifts included Mrs. Millie H. Adeya, a Likoni Church representative provincial in charge of

maendeleo on religious affairs Mrs. Mary Ougo and the evangelist Mr. Joshua Ogol Mahulo.

Pastor Ondiek, advised the members to respect their leaders and carry on with their church activities.

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Ganjoni Youngsters Clash With Mighty Western Stars

GANJONI YOUNGSTERS took the field at Mombasa Municipal Stadium today after a three weeks' break to clash against Western Stars, former superleague side, in a Coast Premier League (CPL) Zone 'A' match to kick-off at 4.45 pm.

Releasing the CPL and National Division Two Coast Zone League fixtures, the Kif Coast Branch Fixture Secretary Stephen Ngala said two zone 'B' matches will be played this weekend, both at Utafti ground.

Utafti FC will be at their home ground to tackle Finika tomorrow and Kilifi Plantation facing Finika at the same venue on Sunday.

In zone 'A', Kongowea United clash against Ngombeni Stars at Baobab ground tomorrow while Kiweke of Kwele host the visiting Mombasa Shooting Stars at Tiwi ground also tomorrow.

On Sunday, Sowelo entertain Kisite from Kwale at Changamwe ground, Warriors face Chelsea at Tudor ground, Black Santos meet Kiweke at Baobab ground and Zaire play host to Dundee United at Mwabungu ground.

Soccer Scene With Abdul Sheriff

On Monday, Ganjoni Youngsters will test their strength against a revitalised Lake Warriors at Mombasa Municipal Stadium.

Turning to the National Division Two Coast Zone League, Burnley Amateur tackle their traditional Majengo local rivals Cosmos in a local derby at Mombasa Municipal Stadium on Sunday.

It is a match which could go either way. A large crowd is expected to flock at the Stadium to see the two teams in action.

What fans expect from the two teams is clean football whatever the outcome.

The Mackenzie Maritime division one Mini-league continues tomorrow with three matches arranged.

Leader Nyoka play Libati Heroes at Mbaraki Police ground, Kizwi Leopards tackling Kisauni United at Shimanzi ground and Hippo Contractors meeting Canyon Rangers at Tononoka ground.

In the first round of the mini-league, Nyoka crushed Hippo Contractors 3-1, Libati Heroes bowled down 0-1 to Kizwi Leopards and Canyon Rangers settled to a one-all draw with Kisauni United.

The winner of the mini-league crown gets an automatic place in next year's Coast Premier League.

Bandari, Black Dragon, Libati Heroes and Wananyuki advanced to the quarter final of the Mayor's cup competition after winning their first round matches played at Mombasa Municipal Stadium.

Bandari knocked out Black Panther with 3-1 win, Dragon eliminated Bayern Munich by beating them 1-0 while similar score margin victories were recorded by Heroes and Wananyuki over Cosmos and Sunrise respectively.

Toyota Kenya Limuru Racing

HARD TIMES for the business community usually mean fewer donations to charitable organisations but one charitable event which goes on without abatement this year is the Toyota Kenya Charity Limuru Gymkhana Race Meeting on Boxing Day, December 25.

With overall sponsorship from Toyota Kenya for the past nine years now, the popular gymkhana meeting has raised close on two million shillings for different charities.

Last year the organising committee managed to net a record sum of shs 700,000, which was distributed to 16 charities, including a special donation of shs 90,000/- to the hosts of the meeting, the Limuru Cycling Club, who distributed the money to further charities of their own choice.

The eight-race card for the 1993 meeting will include the usual exciting pony and flat races, a polo pony scurry, a six-bar show jumping competition

for B and C grade horses, a team baton relay over hurdles and an open handicap hurdle race.

With the Jockey Club of Kenya having lifted last year's ban on professional jockeys riding in the Alico Cup, Kenya's only remaining hurdle race promises to be well worth watching.

Prize money for the winning riders has been increased this year and there will be special prizes for the winning owners on the senior races.

GYMKHANA

Schedules for 1993 Toyota Kenya Charity Gymkhana Race Meeting have already been sent out and entries close on November 24.

Schedules can be obtained from the Racing and Planning Committee, P.O. Box 24867, Nairobi.

'Last Over' Finish Sees Karimjee XI Into A Win

MOST CRICKET games that, at the end of a long hard day, have a "last-over" finish are considered to be good games, writes D.J.W.

Such was the case when Mombasa Sports Club hosted Hatim Karimjee Sports Club in the K.C.A. Senior Knock-out tournament.

At the end of a competitive and fluctuating game, the visitors scored the winning runs off the last over, with nine wickets down, to earn a visit to Nairobi Jafferys in the next round.

With the advantage of batting first, Sports Club opened steadily, with good contributions by Jayesh (28) and a fine innings by Hatim of 62 runs.

The game swung Karimjee's way with the appearance of their spinners.

Juzzar bowled his ten overs for

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MACKENZIE MARITIME DIVISION ONE MINI-LEAGUE STANDING AFTER FIRST ROUND:

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
NYOKA	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
KIZWI	1	1	0	0	1	0	2
RANGERS	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
UNITED	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
HEROES	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
HIPPO	1	0	0	1	1	3	0

The 'Old Hands' And 'Any Hands' Help Out At The Sports Club ...

IT SEEMS that the recent policy of Mombasa Sports Club cricket on Saturdays has been to get as many former and occasional players on the pitch as possible, writes D.J.W.

Recent games have included Hussein Storey's team, the Law Society and the Tea Traders.

Following that was a game against Navnat XI, another team with several rare performers.

Navnat batted first and compiled 153 all out, with good contributions from Nilesh (36), Deepak (20) and Hitesh (27).

Veteran spinner Vinod captured the last three wickets for only eleven runs.

In reply, Sports Club reached this target in the twenty ninth over, scoring 155 for three wickets.

Jeff Harvey led the way with 51 runs, assisted by Rajesh (20), Nalin (42 not out) and guest player Visram (28 not out).

Last Saturday saw more new faces, when the guests were an Anjumane XI.

Anjumane batted first and a hard hitting innings of 64 by Sheikh Quresh, including seven fours and three sixes, laid the basis for a big score.

Hatim (27) and Saifoo Malco (31) pushed the score along and Ailhusein Badi attacked all the nine bowlers used to score a good fifty, with four boundaries and three sixes.

At the close, their score was 207 for eight wickets, a formidable total.

Sports Club started well, putting on fifty in the first ten overs through Dave Fawcett (24) and Aziz Kaderbhoy (20).

However, five wickets fell quickly and the scoring rate slumped.

A dramatic innings by Huzefa Maloo, well assisted by Zaheer Abbas Khaku (20 not out) swung the game back into Sports Club's favour.

Huzefa hit five fours and four big sixes in scoring 75 not out, but darkness fell and the game was abandoned as a draw with eleven balls to play and sixteen runs needed.

However, 398 runs in an afternoon makes an exciting spectacle, in spite of some mediocre bowling.

This Saturday, Sports Club host Kenya Kongonis in a full day fixture.

NAIROBI JAFFERY TRIUMPH

NAIROBI JAFFERY won by 60 runs against Hatim Karimjee Sports Club at the multi million Nairobi Jaffery Club in the KCA Quarter Finals.

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TIDE TABLES

MOMBASA, November 19 - 25, 1993.

FRIDAY:

High Water - 3.1m at 07.16 hours and 2.6m at 19.56 hours.
Low Water - 0.8m at 00.57 hours and 0.7m at 13.43 hours.

SATURDAY:

High Water - 2.7m at 08.02 hours and 2.5m at 20.54 hours.
Low Water - 1.1m at 01.47 hours and 1.0m at 14.32 hours.

SUNDAY:

High Water - 2.5m at 08.59 hours and 2.4m at 22.10 hours.
Low Water - 1.3m at 02.52 hours and 1.2m at 15.36 hours.

MONDAY

High Water - 2.3m at 10.15 hours and 2.5m at 23.40 hours.
Low Water - 1.4m at 06.10 hours and 1.2m at 18.13 hours.

TUESDAY:

High Water - 2.2m at 11.54 hours.
Low Water - 1.2m at 07.10 hours and 1.1m at 19.11 hours.

WEDNESDAY:

High Water - 2.6m at 00.50 hours and 2.3m at 13.11 hours.
Low Water - 1.0m at 08.08 hours and 1.0m at 19.56 hours.

THURSDAY:

High Water - 2.8m at 01.40 hours and 2.4m at 14.02 hours.
Low Water - 0.8m at 08.46 hours and 0.9m at 20.34 hours.

NOTE: Standard Port is Kilindini. ADD 40 minutes for Lamu and ADD five minutes for Malindi. Kilifi and Diari 'No Change'.