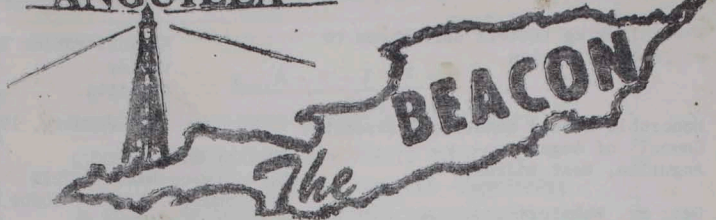


ANGUILLA



NO. 116

Saturday, January 17th 1970.

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GOV. - GEN. OF CURACAO VISITS ANGUILLA.

An informal visit was paid to Anguilla on Saturday Jan. 10th, by a party from Dutch St. Maarten. The Governor of St. Maarten, Mr Rainier van Delden piloting his motor launch "Eureka" arrived at Blowing Point shortly after 11 a.m. The St. Maarten Governor was accompanied by his wife, Mrs Eunice van Delden and the Governor-General of Curacao, Doctor Nicolas Debrot, the Gov. Gen.'s adjutant, Naval Captain van Hees and other officials.

They were met at Blowing Point by H.M. Commissioner, Mr. W.H. Thompson, Mr. Ronald Webster, Mr. Charles Fletcher the First Secretary, Lt. Col. John Waymark, R.E. and Chief Superintendent Paterson of the Anguilla Police Unit.

After a buffet lunch at the Commissioner's home, the party visited two of the island's beaches, Meads Bay and Road Bay before returning to Blowing Point. The visiting party left for St. Maarten the same afternoon.

ANOTHER ANGUILLAN FOR TRAINING

It has been announced from H.M. Commissioner's Office, that Miss Eva Rogers, Clerk at the Treasury will be going on a three months training course.

Miss Rogers will be attached to the Treasury Department of the

MAN STABBED - WIFE HELD

Mr. John Harrigan of Island Harbour was taken to the Cottage Hospital on Thursday night, suffering from a knife wound.

A hospital report said that Mr. Harrigan when brought to the Hospital, was semi-conscious, and in a very critical condition.

Three volunteers of the Royal Engineers donated three pints of blood for the transfusion that was administered immediately to the wounded man.

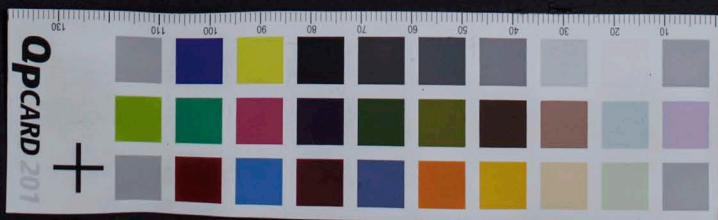
Since the blood transfusion, his condition has improved, but was still on the danger list. As we go to press, The Doctor said, Harrigan was stabbed in his chest, about four inches deep with a rusty knife.

It is reported that Harrigan and his wife Marina were quarrelling at their home when the stabbing took place. His wife was taken into custody by the police, but no charge was made up to press time.

He was attended to on the scene of the incident by the Army Doctor Dr. Mark Conroy, who accompanied him to the Hospital where the case was handed over to Dr. Peter Fenwick, the Medical Officer. The blood donors were, Corporal J. Jones, Sappers P. Marshall and R. Mack.

Cayman Islands.

She is due to leave Anguilla by Valley Air Service on Tuesday morning arriving Grand Cayman the same day via (Cont'd on Page 2)



The following letters were given to us for publication.

Dec. 23rd, 1969.

Honorable Ronald Webster, President Council of Anguilla Anguilla, West Indies.

Dear Mr. Webster:

May I take this opportunity to wish you and all the citizens of Anguilla a very Merry Christmas and a happy new year. May the coming year bring continued peace and prosperity to your Island.

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Again, with kindest best wishes for the new year.

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With thrilled hearts we again thank you for your kind and hearty remembrance. May God bless and keep you safely under his tender care.

I will submit a copy of this letter for publication.

Bye for now.

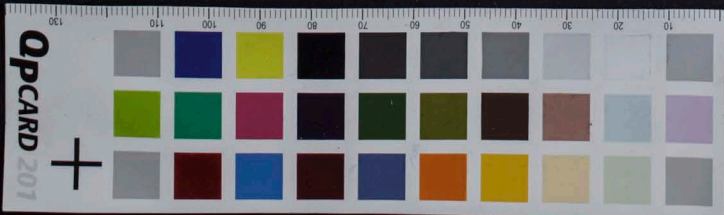
Yours faithfully,
(signed) Ronald Webster
(for Council)

ANOTHER ANGUILLAN (Cont'd from P.1)

St. Thomas, Puerto Rico and
Jamaica.

ANGUILLAN ORDAINED IN TRINIDAD

News has reached the island this week that Mr. John Flemming and his wife Mrs. Gwendoline Flemming, who will be known to many friends in Anguilla, were recently ordained together as Ministers of the New Episcopal Orthodox Church (Greek Commission) in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad. The impressive ceremony was performed by His Eminence the Rt. Rev. Supt. Job Snagg and other ministers. (Continued on page 3)



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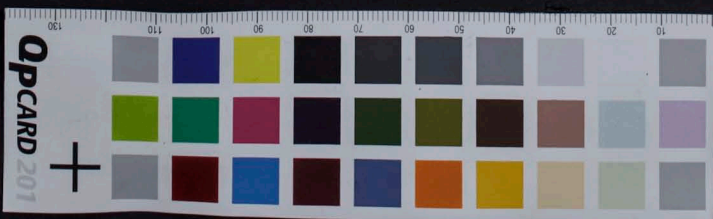
Applications should be addressed to the Chairman, Public Service Committee, c/o H.M. Commissioner, and should be enclosed in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the title of the post for which the application is intended. Original testimonials and certificates should not be enclosed and if it is the intention of the applicant to forward certificates, copies should be sent.

All applications must be received not later than 26 January, 1970.

ANGUILLAN ORDAINED IN TRINIDAD:
(Continued from page 2).

The Rev. John Flemming was born in Long Bay, Anguilla and lived here for some years. He went to Guadeloupe in 1933 and then to the Adventist College in Trinidad to train for the ministry. He also served as Inspector of police there and was, at one time, a secretary to Dr. Eric Williams, Prime

Minister of Trinidad & Tobago. He also built and taught in his own school in Trinidad; he visited Anguilla, Mr. Charles Flemming and Mr. Philip Flemming of Long Bay and sister, Mrs. Florence Richardson as well as many friends throughout the island.



BOOKS ON ANGUILLA.

We have received news that one of the books written on Anguilla by Professor William Brisk has been released. Prof. Brisk and Mrs. Brisk are presently in Albuquerque, New Mexico, but hope to visit Anguilla later this year. As soon as we have further information on Prof. Brisk's book we will publish more details. Meanwhile Mr. Colin Rickards, editor of the Conch Shell a publication by the Friends of Anguilla in London, has accepted a position as Managing Editor of a new monthly newspaper called "Caribbean Business News" with head Office in Toronto, Canada. Mr. Richards said that this means that he will be spending a great deal of his time in the Caribbean, and hopes to visit Anguilla this year. So far we have not received word of his book on Anguilla that was supposed to be published late 1969.

This week we had a writer, Mr. Donald Weslake of New Jersey, U.S.A. who is also writing his first fact book, which is based on Anguilla.

LAW FACULTY AT U.W.I.

Bridgetown, Barbados, Jan. 5th: The first meeting of the Legal Advisory Committee of the University of the West Indies opened today at the Cave Hill Campus - About six miles from here.

Sir Hugh Wooding, Chairman of the Committee said on arrival yesterday the establishment of a faculty of law at the University was essential because, it will not be long before West Indian students will not be accepted at the Inns of Court, Britain.

Sir Hugh was expected to issue a progress report today on the activities of the committee.

He said there was a different concept of law in the West Indies now than in the past and added that formerly English or Commonwealth

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solutions were tried on indigenous problems.

There are a large number of areas in which we have to orient law to suit our particular needs, he stressed.

Sir Hugh said that students coming from Countries overseas in which there were Universities would be given the last priority to admission to the Inns of Court in the future.

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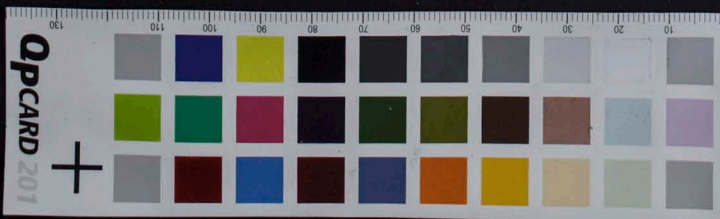
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The last line which read "sponsors next door", Was faintly printed, why, we do not know; The reason now is, that 1/10 is not paid. Of the profits made in the store. How do you expect the Pastor to live,

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MEDICAL EMERGENCIES PROCEDURE

There have been enquiries recently about the proper way of getting medical attention in cases of emergency, especially at night. In the interest of all concerned may we outline the correct procedure as a matter of general information. It is emphasized that this is the Emergency Procedure for use outside normal Clinic hours.

Patients should go first to the Cottage Hospital where there is a senior Nurse on duty at all times. The hospital can reach the Doctor at any time by telephone. DO NOT GO to the Doctor's house, if he is not at home, much valuable time may be lost in an emergency. In addition, many emergencies can be dealt with quickly and efficiently by the hospital staff. To repeat in cases which occur outside Clinic hours, patients should go first to the Cottage Hospital for immediate attention.

MARGO & HEATHER DUNLOP RETURN TO U.K.

Margo and Heather Dunlop, teenage daughters of Mr. Roy Dunlop, Director of Radio Anguilla and Mrs. Dunlop, flew to Antigua via R.A.F. this week to catch the VCLO flight to London.

Margo is attending Cambridge University and Heather is a 5th Form Student at the Friends' School in Saffron Walden. During their month's holiday with their parents at Sandy Hill the visiting young ladies made many Anguillan friends and expressed themselves on leaving as extremely impressed with the beauty of the island and the friendliness of Anguillans.

WORRELL (Continued from back page)

scene, he sees Australia and England as "having to play second fiddle to the Worrell-Moulded West Indies of

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"MY PERSONAL EXPERIENCE"

A few words of good cheer
At the dawn of the year,
Take your eyes off your fear
which tends to bring despair,
look beyond, it is clear,
you'll see one who draws near—
Tis Jesus.

(Leonard A. Gumbs).

STATUTORY HOLIDAYS IN ANGUILLA 1970.

- 1) New Years Day, 2) Good Friday, March 27th, 3) Easter Monday, March 30th, 4) Whit Monday, 5) Anguilla Day, May 30th, 6) Queen's B/day 7) August Monday, Aug. 3rd, 8) August thursday, Aug. 6th(½ hol.) 9) Christmas day, 10) Boxing Day.

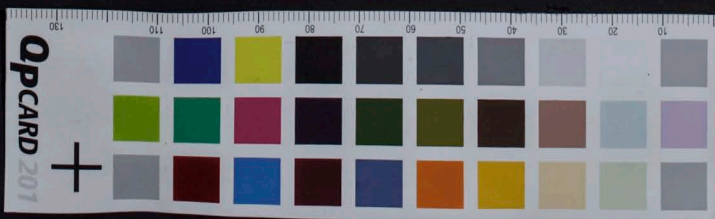
1963-66". Neither Australia nor England could produce an outstanding side.

"For the first time in history they (The West Indies) were the team of the decade, just as in Sobers they had, superfluous to add, the greatest all-round exponent".

Mr. Swanton's survey appeared in his Cricket Commentary Column in The Daily Telegraph yesterday, sixth, January.

COMMISSION ON ANGUILLA.

According to an Associated Press report, printed in the Home Journal of Jan., 13th, 1970. It said that the Commission would hold its first meeting before the end of this month. The report quoted the Chairman of the Commission as saying that the meeting was "purely procedural".



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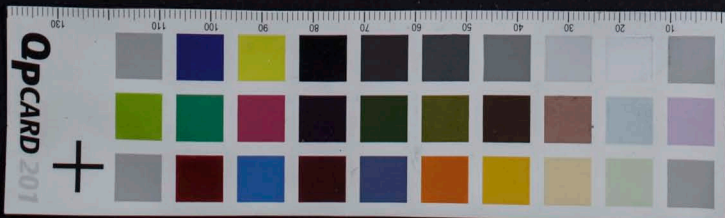
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Signed: Albert A.R. Lake.

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Civil Service VacancyCHIEF WORKS OFFICER.

A vacancy exists for a Chief Works Officer in the Public Works Department. The officer appointed will be required to organise and administer and control the department. He will be responsible for the planning and supervising of various projects, including roads, airfield improvements, and building and water supplies, some being undertaken by contract and others by direct labour. The officer will be required to organise maintenance work as well as new construction. The appointment will be on contract for a period to be negotiated.

The applicant should have served an apprenticeship in one of the major building trades with Higher National Certificate or the equivalent in building or engineering subjects. He should also have at least 15 years practical experience in the building or engineering industry, of which at least 7 years should have been in a supervisory capacity. It is essential to have had general practical site experience in all building trades, concreting, bitumen surface dressing and road construction and layout.

It is desirable, but not essential, to have had experience in a Government Public Works Department, in tropical countries or similar, including simple administrative, stores and accounting experience.

The salary will be subject to negotiation and dependent upon the successful candidate's experience.

Applications should be addressed to the Secretary of the Public Works Committee, C/O H.M. Commissioner, Anguilla to reach him not later than 10th, February, 1970. Copies (but not originals) of testimonials and certificates should be forwarded with the application. The envelope should be marked Chief Works Officer.

MEDICAL NEWS.

On Friday 9th of January the old people from the infirmary were taken out for an afternoon by the sea by the Doctor and Nurses of the Cottage Hospital. Thanks go to father Bennett for the loan of his mini bus and to Mrs. Randall and the staff of Maundy's Bay Hotel for generously supplying a meal and helping to care for the patients.

At present in Anguilla there are two epidemics sweeping the island. One of influenza and one of measles. It is only possible for the Doctor to visit the more serious cases owing to the time involved so here are a few hints on how to care for the less serious

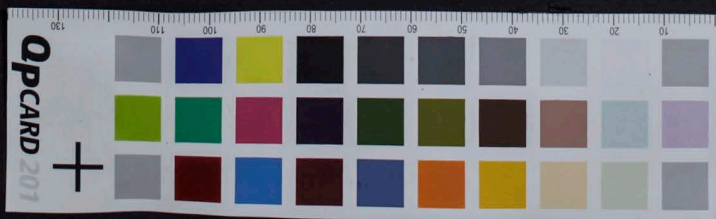
cases. If a call by the doctor is necessary please leave a message at either the Clinic or the Hospital if outside clinic hours.

MEASLES:

A viral disease spread by droplets from coughing and sneezing. One attack confers a high degree of immunity thus you should only have measles once in your lifetime. Measles starts like a common cold with fever, sneezing and red eyes, a cough & hoarseness may develop by the second day. By the fourth day the rash appears and fever increases. When the rash goes after a few days the fever will fall.

The patient should be kept in bed in a well ventilated room-leave the windows open- he should also be given

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MEDICAL NEWS: (Cont'd from page 7).

plenty of fluids to drink if the fever is high. Also from the date the rash appears he should be kept from school for 14 days. Also any children in a house with the measles if they have not had measles should be kept from school until the house is clear owing to an incubation period of the virus before the symptoms appear.

INFLUENZA

is an acute infections viral disease. Immunity from attack of "Flu" only lasts a short while compared to the lifetime of the measles virus. "Flu" presents with general aches and pains, fever and lack of appetite. Recovering is usually uncomplicated in three to five days but sometimes further respiratory infection may follow. All cases should be put to bed, kept as cool as possible and given as much milk, water or juice to drink as possible during the stage of the fever.

Dr. P.R. Fenwick
M.B.Ch.B.

ROAD SAFETY CAMPAIGN

Radio Anguilla is conducting a "Road Safety Campaign", broadcast over Radio Anguilla periodically. The Management of Radio Anguilla has asked the elected members of the Anguilla Council to make a recording, appealing to motorists to drive safely on the roads. Here are some of the recordings that will be heard over Radio Anguilla.

(1) "In Guyana, 162 persons died in road accidents in 1969. Think of that: 162 deaths, that could have been avoided by careful courteous driving. Remember the ABC of road safety - Always Be Careful! Courtesy on the roads, plus slow and careful driving will pay dividends in human lives."

(2) "By slow, careful driving you can keep the roads of Anguilla safe and you can keep down the dust. Careful driving is the sign of good motoring. Always drive carefully and remember that speed thrills but kills. An ounce of caution is worth a pound of cure. Be sensible on our improved roads, and do not try to pass another car. Courtesy and careful driving is the essence of road safety in Anguilla".

WORRELL'S WAS CRICKET "SIDE OF THE 60"

London Jan. 7th 1970;

The West Indies Cricket Team led by Frank Worrell was "The Team of The Decade" in the judgment of Doyen of English cricket writers, Mr. E.W. Swanton.

Swanton reviews English cricket in the last decade. MCC Tours which he accompanied - with Dexter and Smith to Australia, and May and Cowdrey to the West Indies -- were "in most important respects an improvement on their fore-runners of the fifties" England won two of the four major rubbers and drew two. The number of draws (14 out of 20 matches) were the result less "the lack of will to win than of paucity of great match winning bowlers".

On the English stage he chooses Dexter as the Batsman of the period and his innings against Hall and Griffiths at their fastest at Lord's in 1963 as the batting performance of the decade.

He also recalls, as among the best in batsmanship, Cowdrey's and Gravenev's innings against fast West Indies bowling at Kingston in 1960 and Port of Spain in 1967.

He suggests that, if there was a bowling moment of the decade, it was when Freddie Trueman took his 300th test wicket against Australia on his way to taking more test wickets (307) than anyone else.

Then in a quick look at the international (CONTINUED page 5)

