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Due to the unseasonably mild weather, the Newsletter staff has decided to take advantage of this unnatural phenomenon. In other words, an abbreviated edition.

The May publication will carry the report on the Gathering, etc. as well as all other correspondence.

GENERAL MEETING

The last knock-out of the season will be held on May 7th at 8:00 p.m. in the Scottish Auditorium. Featured at this meeting will be Victoria #2 and C.P.Air Senior #3 trios competing in the second semi-final. The winner will earn the right to accompany Triumph Street to the final to be held at the Annual Dinner. In addition, the "Kids' Ceilidh" will also take place. Perfect attendance pins will be awarded and a small selection will be given by the aggregate winners in each class from the mini-gatherings. Light refreshments and full bar service will be available.

NEW WESTMINSTER GAMES

The Sons of Scotland are once again sponsoring the New Westminster Highland Games to be held in the Queens Park Stadium, June 12, 1976. In addition to the usual display of Piping, Drumming, Dancing and Pipe Bands, a five-a-side soccer tournament featuring six rival teams from the Lower Mainland League will provide a welcome change.

Following the day's activities, a Ceilidh will take place in the Queens Park Arenex. Two bands, one modern and one Scottish, will provide the entertainment as well as full bar service and light refreshments being available.

One \$3.00 ticket will entitle the holder to both the Games and the Ceilidh.

For more information regarding events and tickets, please phone Donald Ross at 526-7905.

COURTENAY SCHOOL

The Western Canada Summer School of Highland Dancing, Piping and Drumming will be in session July 4 to 10, 1976 at Courtenay, B. C. The services of R. G. Hardie have been secured as chief piping instructor while Robert Barr of Shotts & Dykehead will head up the drumming. More information will be available in the May Newsletter. Interested applicants should address their enquiries to Heather Jolley, 2767 Mountainview Place, Burnaby, V3J 1E5.

GAMES DATES

Victoria	-	May 22, 1976
Trail	-	May 23, 1976
New Westminster	-	June 12, 1976
Bellingham	-	June 15, 1976
Ottawa	-	June 26, 1976
Vancouver	-	July 3, 1976
Courtenay or Nanaimo	-	July 10, 1976
Portland	-	July 17, 1976
Coeur d'Alene	-	July 24-25, 1976
Athena	-	July 24, 1976
Spokane Piobaireachd	-	July 4 - 16, 1976
Summer School		July 18 - 30, 1976

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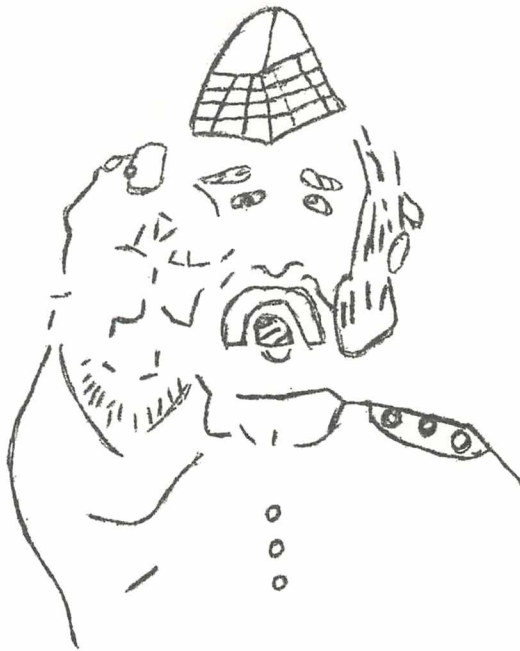
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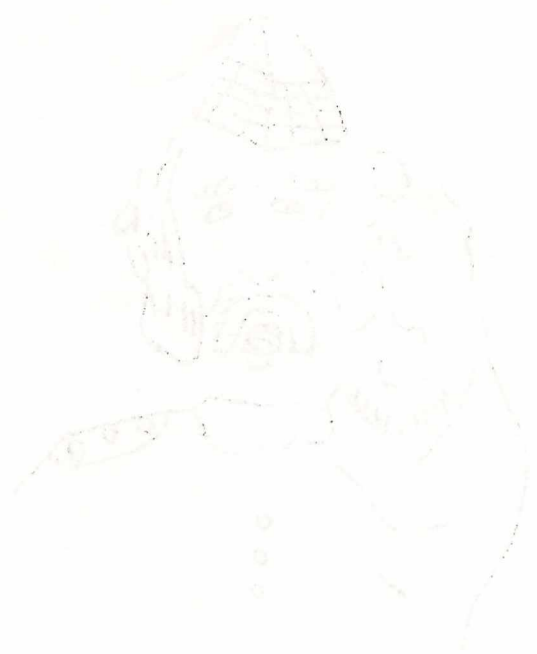
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