

IN FOCUS

with
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Sailboats and photographers seem to attract each other like powerful magnets, and when they finally get together, it's love at first sight.

A prime example of this affair is seen annually during the South Peel Camera Club weekend sailing trip on board the square-rigged brigantine St. Lawrence II. This year, 16 photographer-sailors from the club spent the young summer's most perfect week end sailing from Kingston to Picton and back.

Highlights of the trip included the fabulous meals served on board by vice-president Don Tapping, that earned him promotions from acting galley swab to chief chef within the space of two days, and a brisk steady breeze on Sunday morning when the crew ran the rail under water for a full hour presenting the opportunity for some pretty dramatic pictures.

From tales that are told by the survivors of the aft head, there are quite a few members bearing scars on a most unique quarter of their anatomy. The villain

was a cotter pin that had been installed the wrong way around and waited patiently for the unsuspecting to sit down. I am considering presenting the wounded ones with an award such as the 'purple heart' whenever I can think of an appropriate printable name for it.

Art Allen has recovered from his 'almost broken' leg, acquired in leaping six feet between bat and dock at Picton. Bob Hunter still swears he wasn't sea-sick. There must have been something wrong with the seven hot dogs he ate. Ken Wooley is still catching up on all the sleep he lost between the clanking of the anchor chain, the creaking of the rigging and Lloyd Palmer's snoring. Herb Martin fell off his diet and treasurer Harvey Barlow reports a minor fattening of the club coffers.

C.V.C.C.

I had the pleasure of speaking to a meeting of the Credit Valley Car Club last week and enjoyed their

company thoroughly. I came away with a good deal of respect for the club and their work. If more of our young people took the interest in their vehicles and the operating of them that C.V.C.C. members do, we'd have a lot less high-way accidents. Incidentally, they meet in the old club house of the Credit Valley Golf Course on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. I can assure you, guests are made welcome.

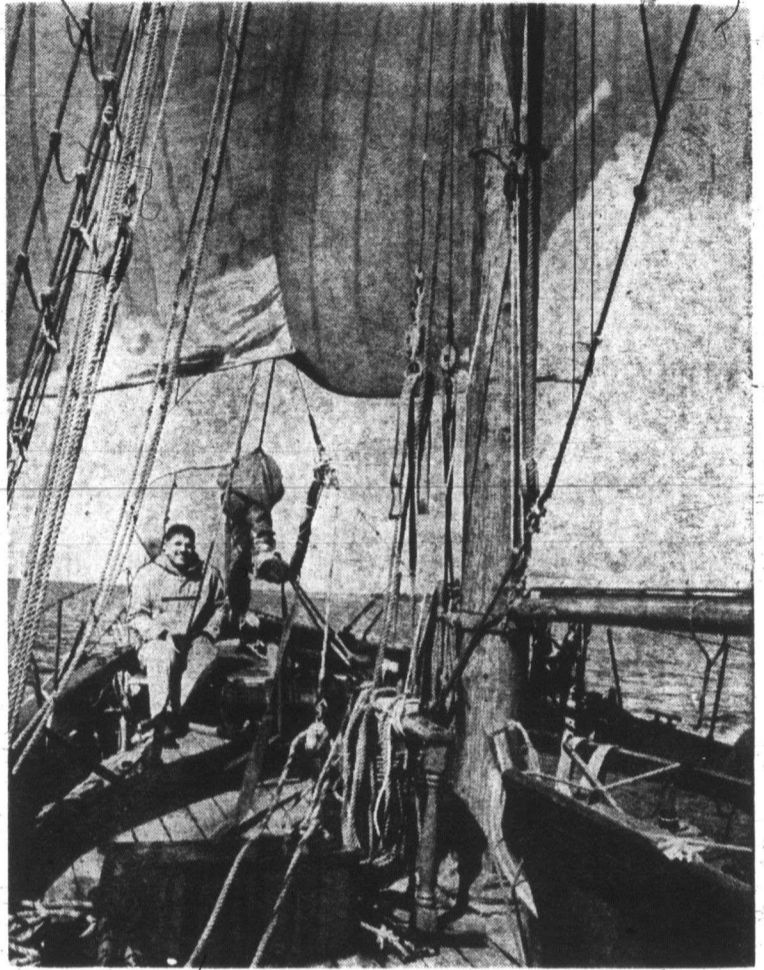
ANSCO

Rumors are drifting out of General Aniline and Film that Anscochrome film will be sold with processing included in the near future.

Mailers will be addressed to a G.A.F. box number and film will be processed by specific commercial processors under contract. G. A. F. believes that closer quality control can be maintained in this way. I hope the rumor proves to be fact. Some Toronto processing plants are doing a lousy job.

SINGLE EIGHT

I am shooting some Fujichrome movie film this week in the new Single-eight format. The test report should appear in August and will be a side by side comparison with Kodachrome Super-Eight.



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