

Many museums, including the New York State Museum, Albany, and the National Geographic Society's Explorer's Hall, Washington, D.C. — display numerous examples of Weaver's work. (Bulletin — Carling Community Arts Foundation, November 1976.)

Artist/teacher from Taiwan

Hsiu Cheng an artist and a teacher was born in Taiwan. She taught fine arts and Chinese painting for 15 years in Taiwan and had several exhibitions of her work in art galleries and museums there.

Hsiu Cheng, her husband and two children came to Canada on March 28, 1975, and settled in Toronto.

Last October the Toronto Public Library Eastern Branch displayed some of her beautiful art work. (*Newcomer News*, January 15, 1977.)

Cabinet-maker from Denmark

In March 1960, Willy Kjarsgaard opened a small shop in Hamilton, Ontario, for the design and manufacture of cabinets for kitchens and bathrooms. A year later his son Eric joined the firm, and in 1965 another son, Torben, began his apprenticeship in cabinet making.

They called the firm Danica Cabinets, and as its reputation grew, and its volume of business grew, it needed more than the original 900 square feet.

Today, Danica Cabinets in Hamilton covers more than 17,000 square feet of floor space and employs more than 30 people, a flourishing business built on the hard work of a Danish immigrant family. Willy is the Chairman of the Board, Eric is the President and Torben is the Vice-President of this successful business. (*Scandinavian Canadian Businessman*, May 1976.)

Actor from Hungary

The Hungarian paper, *Magyar Elet*, published in Toronto, carried an illustrated article showing Lajos Strauss with his TV partner, Lorna Anderson, from the production *The Accents*. Mr. Strauss seems to have succeeded in overcoming one of the greatest handicaps — that of language, and is enjoying success in various TV and theatre productions. The article mentions a few of his roles in *Side Street*, a drama with the CBC-TV; *Poor Alex* in *Always on Sunday*, a play; and in Fairview Mall Library Theatre *No U-Turn*, a musical. (*Magyar Elet*, October 30, 1976.)

Canada Games review

On August 19, Canada Games '77 concluded with a flourish in St. John's, Newfoundland. An estimated 2,300 athletes, representing all provinces and territories, attended the events this year and displayed the enthusiasm and sportsmanship which have characterized the Games since their inception in 1967. Ontario athletes captured first place standing with 136 ½ points, Quebec accumulated 133 points, and British Columbia placed third with 121 points.

Although the Games were intended to bridge geographical and cultural gaps between various regions in the country, they have also provided athletes with invaluable preparation for international competition. With the assistance of Sport Canada, a section of the Fitness and Amateur Sport Branch of the Department of National Health and Welfare, athletic organizations have been able to improve sports facilities, to organize competitions, and to relieve the financial burdens of athletes who would otherwise be unable to devote their time to training programs. Many of the athletes are now preparing for the 1978 Commonwealth Games to be held in Edmonton, the 1979 Pan-American Games in Puerto Rico and the 1980 Olympics at Lake Placid and Moscow.



When he officially launched this year's Games, May 16 on Parliament Hill, Prime Minister Trudeau noted that every athlete would "be a winner for having had the occasion to take part in this sports spectacular". (Above) Sacha Trudeau meets "Rideau", the Newfoundland dog presented to his family by the St. John's Games Association.

Former Canada Games participants

Millions of Canadians witnessed the success of Canadian athletes at the Montreal Olympics last summer. Many of them were Canada Games alumni:

- Greg Joy, of Vancouver, British Columbia, placed first in the high jump, setting a new Canadian juvenile record at the Burnaby-New Westminster Games in 1973. In 1976, at the Olympic Games, he gave Canadians one of their greatest moments when he earned a silver medal against tremendous competition.

- Robert Forget, of Laval, Quebec, placed second in the high jump competition at the 1973 Canada Summer Games. Like Greg Joy, he broke the former Canadian juvenile record and went on to become a member of the national track and field team at the Montreal Olympics.

- Stephen Pickell, of Vancouver, British Columbia, a veteran national swimming team member, won three gold medals in the 1973 Canada Games. He and the other members of Canada's 4 x 100 men's medley relay team received silver medals at the 1976 Olympics.

- Becky Smith, of Edmonton, Alberta, won a gold medal at the 1973 Canada Summer Games and shared the bronze medal in the women's 4 x 100 freestyle relay at the 1976 Olympic Games. Other team members were also Canada Games alumnae — Barbara Clark, Ann Jardine and Gail Amundrud.

- Cindy Shatto, of Willowdale, Ontario, first appeared at the 1973 Canada Games. Three years later, at the Olympic Games in Montreal, she placed fifth against formidable competition.

- Terry Paice, of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, wrestled to a gold medal in his native province at the 1971 Canada Winter Games held in Saskatoon. He has continued to distinguish himself as a national team member ever since, finishing fifth overall in the 90 kg freestyle event at the 1976 Olympics.

- Anne Dodge, of Fall River East, Nova Scotia, placed first in all three of her canoeing events at the 1973 Canada Games. At the 1976 Olympic Games, she was fifth in the K2-500 m. event.