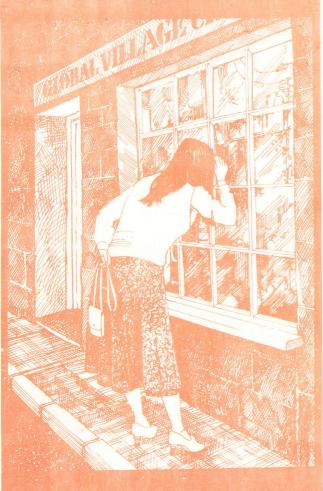
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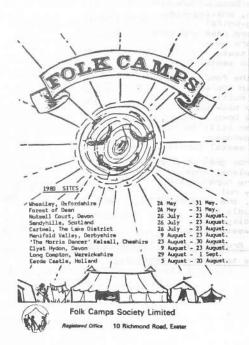
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because of atom weste! (Cho:)

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- 2 The stom-plent lasts three decades and gives us the Good Life -Electric toothbrush, shaving-sids, electric cerving-knife! When thirty years are past and gone the radiation lingers on -The very latest taste means more stomic waste! (Cho:)
- 3 There's poison in the food we buy, there's poison in the cup, For power-stations multiply and bombs are to blow up.
 Urenium can build a bomb and cripple children still to come Our country is defeced because of atom waste! (Cho:)
- 4 Let's turn aside from greed and gain, let's make the planet know:
 There's power in the human brain the power to say no!
 The wind, the wave, the weterfall will echo as we loudly call:
 We will not be disgraced by your atomic waste! (Cho:)

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| and | Buskers' tours The Square and Dance displays by around the village visiting teams - (collection) compère Jonathan Greenwood Crafe Janeth JIM WOODS, piper THE BISHOPSWOOD MUMMERS |
|---------|--|
| | CRAFTS EXHIBITION The Crown Free [until 6 p.m.] |
| 10-30 | MEET THE ARTISTS The Bell 50/25 Graham & Eileen Pratt June? No Walley |
| ll a.m. | HOBBY HORSE CLUB Marquee 40/20 John Chapman, Butterfingers has Gallad. |
| | PLAYFORD WORKSHOP Arts Centre 40/20 Pyewackett Nama lole |
| 12 noon | A SONG AND A PINT The Bell 40/20 In the yard to 2 p.m. Jul magnitude. |
| 2-30 | In the yard to 2 p.m. I'm required them song workshop Meet Vin The Bell 40/20 Nigel Chippindale way total? Sylvia? |
| | CHILDREN'S MUSIC Methodist 40/20 with Butterfingers - Rooms bring your instrument! My Goddal |
| 3 p.m. | GRAND DANCE DISPLAY Marquee 80/40 Woodfidley, Chalice Morris, Chestnut Cloggies, Hursley (mark harew?) International, Shamrock Dancers, Bristol Fashion & Bristol Swordsmen, Wessex Morris |

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| 3-30 | SONG-SWAP Drunes | Square House 40/20 |
| 5-30 | BOB PATTEN: "West Country Customs" | Church Gault 40/20 Rooms |
| 6 p.m. | BALKAN DANCE W'SHOP Hursley International | |
| 8 p.m. | GRAND CEILIDH Pendragon, Jigs for G much more; M.C. Hugh | Marquee 1.70/85 Sigs, |
| Louis? | GRAND CONCERT Vin Garbutt, Hollinmo Curates' Egg, Pyewack Nigel Chippindale Compère Dev Deverill | or, |
| 11-30 | LATE NIGHT EXTRA White Cockade | The Bell <u>Season</u> tickets |

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SUNDAY

As for Saturday [until 6 p.m.]

| 10-30 | Buskers' tours | |
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| and | Dance displays - | |
| all day | M.C. Brian Salway | |
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| Song | organiser | Dev | Deverill | reports: |
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Dance organiser Archie Bryden reports:

"HUGH RIPPON, formerly PRO for the EFOSS, one of the most popular callers in the country and an expert on the Morris, making his first visit... WOODFIDLEY, from Winchester, came to our first two festivals; they're well known for their high standard of dance-presentation; they show dances from all parts of the UK and will conduct a Manx workshop... DAVID SLATER, their leader, famous as caller and dancer; director of the Winchester Folk Festival... HURSLEY INTERNATIONAL DANCERS,

| | | NICET SUNDAY CONTINU | JED chent? | | |
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| (K) | 10-30 | MEET VIN BARBUTT | The Bell | 50/25 | |
| * | | MUSIC WORKSHOP Pyewackett | Arts Centre | 40/20 Tottle | |
| | ll a.m. | CHILDREN'S SINGALONG Butterfingers | Methodist Hall Wy. | 40/20 (odd.d? | |
| * | | MORRIS WORKSHOP with Hugh Rippon | The Crown | 40/20 | |
| | | MANX DANCE W'SHOP Woodfidley, Pendragor | | 40/20 | |
| (4) | 12 noon | A SONG AND A PINT | The Bell J.Joh | 40/20 | |
| | 2-30 | FOLK SERVICE with Festival performers | Parish Church | | |
| | 3 p.m. | SONG CONCERT Vin Garbutt plus "Director's Choice" compère John Brunner | Marquee 1. Jand Index 3 Till or | 40/70 yrie? | |
| | | SOCIAL DANCE M.C. Hugh Rippon | The Crown | 40/20 | |
| | 5-30 | BOB PATTEN: "Somer- set Story-tellers" | Methodist Hall (y | 40/20 wha | |
| | | SONG-SWAP Somes | Square House | 40/20 | |
| 62 | 8 p.m. | CLIMACTIC CONCERT White Cockade, Curate Pyewackett, Nigel Ch | es' Egg, ippindale, | 40/70 | |
| D | 8 p.m. | Andy Card, Bill & Ros | - SPAM 1.4 | 0/70 | |
| | OTHER CHURCH SERVICES TODAY SLAKE | | | | |
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Yeovil District Council who publicised the eyent in their "What's On" and also helped with financial backing;

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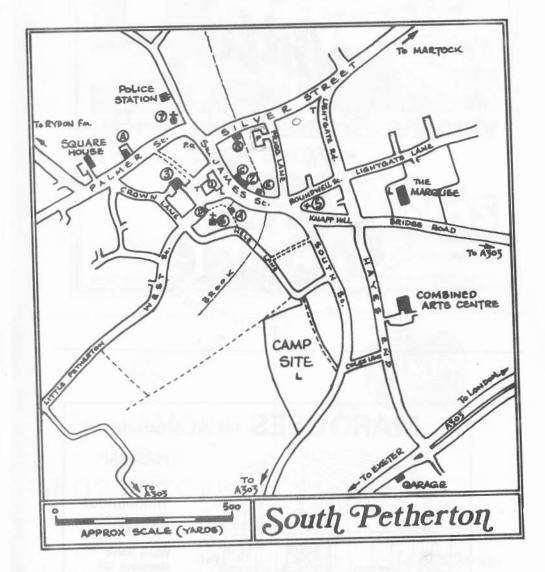
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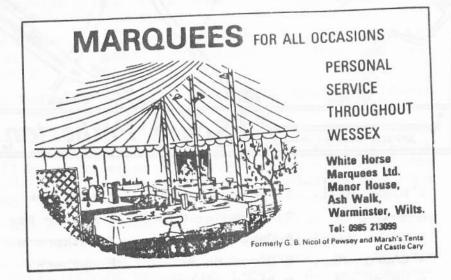
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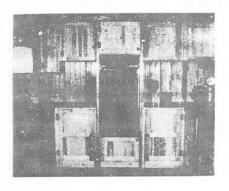
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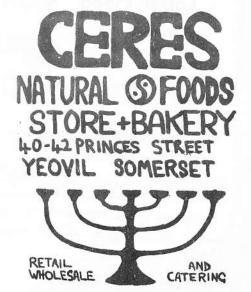
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