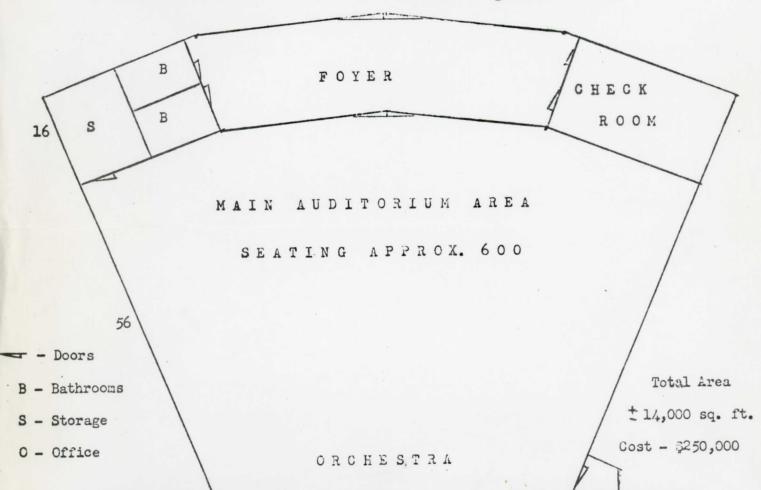
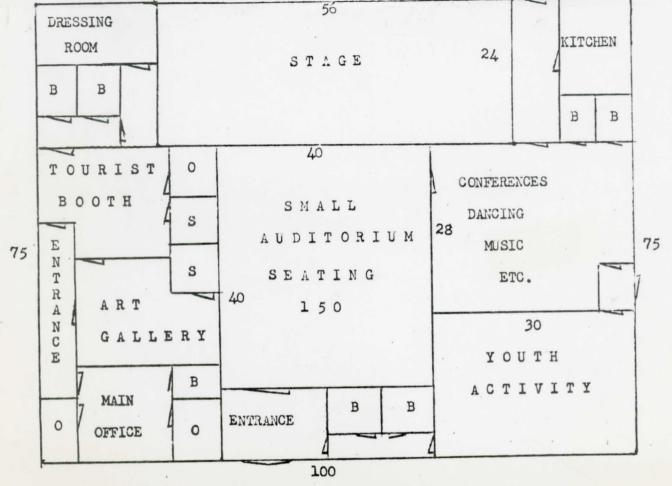
A SPACECRAFT?... A NEW SCHOOL?... A BAD DREAM?





FULL BASEMENT 75 x 100 UNDER THIS AREA FOR MUSEUM-TYPE DISPLAY AREA

NO IT'S THE \$3-A-MONTH.

PROPOSAL BY YOUR FSJ GENTENNIAL COMMITTEE.

AS WE WERE SAYING

IT'S THE COMMUNITY CENTRE PROPOSED AS A COMMEMORATIVE PROJECT BY YOUR FORT ST. JOHN CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE.

Way back, when the centennial committee was young (about six months ago) the public was asked for suggestions for a 1971 commemorative project. A community centre was the most popular choice, so we have come up with a plan.

IF WE BUILD THIS:

We can use it for - * Teenagers

* Conferences

* Art groups

* Music groups * Square dancing

* Festivals

* Practices and rehearsals

* Public forums

We can invite - * Travelling shows

* Conventions

* Regional meetings

We will have space for

- * A permanent tourist booth
 - * Museum-type displays

* Offices

- * Conference rooms
- * Large auditorium
- * Art gallery
- * Stage & dressing rooms

In the large basement can have displays of big game trophies, or rock displays, or displays of local industry, or commercial displays, or displays put on by the Department of Travel Industry.

We can even charge admission!

WHICH BRINGS US TO ANOTHER POINT:

How will it be run? It will have to have a manager and a board of directors. It should be self-supporting. Revenue will come from office rentals, auditorium rentals, concessions, and basement display area.

WE'RE NOT SAYING YOU MUST SUPPORT THIS PROJECT

We're only saying that this is what people seemed to want, so we planned it. We're also saying that this is what this town needs.

We've been in the bush league long enough. Now it's time to move ahead in our thinking. The Peace River country is big news these days, and we're sitting right in the centre of it. Fort St John is the place for a centre like this, where we can attract people from outside to gather in conferences and seminars, to get to know us and to help the growth of our town.

Now it's time, too, for us to have a public building we can be proud of. If the people of the community accept this plan, we can all throw out our chests, and we'll be able to promote a better community spirit all over.

WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT \$3 A MONTH?

Oh yes, that's all it would cost, if we all pitched in and paid our share. We believe we can get contributions and grants, but folks, without your support we can't even go out an beg.

This isn't the only possible thing. We could put up a monument, or make a park, or plant a tree, but we think this is what this town needs, so please phone us up and let us know what you think.

Tony Brummet, Bert Larmand, Joan Simpson, Al Finch, Dorse Prosser, Fred Hendricks, Mary Humphries, Gordon Adlard, Cora Ventress, Mel

Clarke, Dave Horrey.

THE FORT ST. JOHN CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE