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Study blazes trail to tourism revenue



Get hoppin'

Nationview Public School's Junior Kindergarten to Grade 4 students took to the stage Tuesday evening to entertain parents and friends at the school's Primary Winter Concert. Pictured; Mother Rabbit, Kristen Keyes is comforted by Father Rabbit, Alex Meek as Melissa Fawcett looks on, during a performance of the operetta, "Get Hoppin'". Students also performed the operetta "Oh, My Deer", "Circle Left", "Surfing with the Beach Boys" and rhythm band selections. Press Photo — Fetterly

by Michelle Valiquet
Press News Editor

BERWICK — An extensive network of recreation trails could soon be leading tourism dollars into the five-county area.

The South Nation River Conservation Authority, the Counties of Prescott and Russell, Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, the Ministry of Culture, Tourism and Recreation and the St. Lawrence Parks Commission have joined forces in a $74,000 recreational trails study.

Aimed at determining the feasiblity, costs and environmental impact of the development within the five-county area, the six-month study will also examine linking existing trails with trails in Quebec, the northeastern United States and other regions in Ontario.

The network will encompass all manner of byways including everything from walking tracks to bike paths, from equestrian courses to snowmobiling and cross-country ski trails.

Last November the study received approval and funding by the two Counties Councils (SD&G and Prescott-Russell) and the SNRCA board of directors. In late December the project received funding approval from the provincial government. The Orleans consulting firms of Rheal Leroux and Associates and McNeely-Tunnock Ltd. were hired to conduct the study on Feb. 15.

Dennis O'Grady, SNRCA general manager, says funneling tourism dollars to the region is a shared vision of all the study's participants.

"It is a joint venture with the main intent of drawing tourists into the area, we want to get that tourism dollar," says O'Grady. "We've got some fantastic natural features here on par with anywhere else. This (trail network) is a way of selling them to tourists."

"There is an awful lot of money being spent on these types of (recreational vacations)...we just want to syphon off some of that revenue into our backyards," explains O'Grady.

Terry O'Reilly, executive director of SD&G Economic Development office and part of the original concept team along with O'Grady, agrees the trails could also be an effective marketing tool to attract visitors from other regions and parts of the United States and Europe.

O'Reilly states there is a dramatic increase in popularity of physical, outdoor activities and a need in the five-county area for a major, destination attraction to lure active vacationers who are seeking different and interesting venues.

Use of the trail system by the region's general population is also an important facet of the study, says O'Grady. Public consultation meetings will be held throughout the study period to tap into local knowledge to be offered by special interest groups, trail associations, business and farm communities, local government and the tourist industry.

$3 M waterfront project unveiled

Elizabeth Moreau
Special to the Press

MORRSIBURG — Hoping to counter falling attendance and revenues, the management at Upper Canada Village has unveiled plans for a waterfront development project that would extend the 1860s- style tourist attraction to the St. Lawrence River.

A draft proposal of the $3-million project was presented at a St. Lawrence Parks Commission meeting last Wednesday. The 10-member commission is expected to approve the project at its next meeting in March.

The facelift would be the first major change for Upper Canada Village since it opened near Morrisburg in 1961. Officials hope to give the village a new image, one that will both encourage tourists to stay longer and spark a renewed interest in local residents.

The plans centre around extensive waterfront development since although the village is situated on the St. Lawrence, little use is currently being made of the water. New streets, stores and buildings along the waterfront are all part of the project.

The proposal calls for major changes to the shoreline, the addition of a horse-powered ferry, construction of a boat building, chandler's shop, mariner's house, and a building for pottery and brick works. There are also plans to develop neighboring Ault Island with nature trails and picnic areas.

Through activities like pottery-making, the village hopes to generate more revenue by selling products made on-site to visitors.

"Upper Canada Village has existed for a long time without any changes," said public relations officer Gabriele Thomas. "To give people an incentive to come back again and again it would be really great to have something like this, and something which really fits in with the history of the area."

The development project has been planned in two phases. The first, estimated

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Budget crunch cuts staff

by Michelle Valiquet
Press News Editor

MORRISBURG— A shrinking budget is forcing the St. Lawrence Parks Commission to trim 40 to 50 employees from its staff.

It is the second year in a row the commission has adopted cost cutting measures in order to balance its operating budget. Last year it shortened the regular operating season by three weeks in order to accommodate $600,000 in funding cuts.

General manager Frank Shaw issued a memo to all staff last week detailing the 1993-94 budget cuts, saying 20 to 25 contract employees would not be recalled and, in addition, 20 to 25 vacant positions would not be refilled.

"The primary cause of this restraint is the commission's shrinking salary budget in difficult economic times," stated Shaw, adding it will also attempt to trim an extra $100,000 in other operating expenses in 1993-94.

The commission has eliminated more than 125 positions in the past five years through salary reductions and program changes. In 1992, it employed 88 full-time staff, 269 seasonal or reoccurring positions and 303 unclassified workers.

Gabriel Thomas, communications director for St. Lawrence Parks Commission says attempts are being made to cover most of the staffing cuts through attrition. She says the "first priority" is to place them somewhere in the Parks system.

"A decision had to be made to cover the funding cut. Everybody lost something last year, it affects everyone in a small way by shortening the season," explains Thomas. "This year, we looked at what was most important to us...it's always been to keep the visitors happy."

"People get confused if we change our core season, so we decided to address our budget shortfall by getting rid of extras and some staffing."

The Commission's core tourism program begins in mid-May and continues to mid-October at both Fort Henry and Upper Canada Village and the operation of most parks continues until Labor Day. The golf course and the marina will also maintain their core season.

Quarry bylaw kicks up dust

Garnet Quail
News Correspondent

METCALFE — Osgoode Township took initial steps towards avoiding any further controversy over gravel pits and concrete plants by introducing changes to its bylaw governing those operations.

Last Tues., Feb. 16, a public forum was held to introduce a draft amendment to the ME - Industrial Extractive Zone in current legislation. The amendment is designed to allow the township more control over various land uses in those areas.

Upwards of 30 concerned individuals were present to hear township planner Karen Ostafichuk introduce the proposal.

The Aggregate Resources Act, a relatively new piece of provincial legislation detailing the operation of sand and gravel pits— leaves the power of zoning these areas up to municipalities.

Ostafichuk stated the amendment means each zoning application would be weighed on its own merit. Since each potential site is unique as to size, configuration, lot line setbacks, etc., no blanket regulations can be fairly enforced, he explained.

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Students at Metcalfe Public school pack their care package for Russia.

To Russia with love...

Garnet Quail
News Correspondent

METCALFE —Grade 5/6 teacher Mary Schoones at Metcalfe Public School and her eager room of 30 students have recently completed their part of a class project of international proportion.

What started as an exercise to explore the scope of love around the world, considering the fact that Valentine's Day was approaching, has turned into a true labor of love.

During studies about countries and culture around the globe, the class decided that some of the children in northern Russia would be the recipients of collected articles and toys from the Metcalfe students.

The goods would be delivered courtesy of Schoones' brother, Capt. Robert Jenkins, who currently is involved in flying relief missions to Russia. Jenkins, based in Trenton, would provide the ideal way to deliver the collected items to their destination.

The chosen destination was a community by the name of Stravropol, situated between the Black and Caspian Seas in the Caucus Mountains.

In areas so far north, where memories of the horrors of Chernobyl are still vivid and where modern technology is not very evident, the children don't have many diversions.

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Award-winning volunteers were recognized last week. 5

Char-Lan Rebels score 7-3 come-from-behind win to lead the Hawks two games to one. 7

The secrets of the ancient Nile River drew Marilyn Sullivan to its shores. B-1

Forestry Canada announced the Eastern Ontario Model Forest in Kemptville last week. B-3

Auxiliary buys $14,500 tub

by Carol Allan
Auxiliary Reporter

WINCHESTER — The Feb. 11 meeting of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary was called to order by President Rita Bray.

Minutes from the December meeting were read by secretary, Mary Fisher. They were approved as read. Also read was a reminder that the gift shop will be closed until April 1 due to renovations. Thanks were received by mail from the director, Don Smith, for the donations by the auxiliary to complete their commitments to the HELP Fund.

Thanks was also given for the $14,444.87 bathtub for the chronic care unit.

The Annual Spring Conference will be held in Renfrew on Tues., April 13. The theme for the conference will be "My hospital, my community, myself". Those auxilians wishing to attend please contact Rita Bray. The fee is $25.

The treasurer's report was given by Graham Barkley. A refurbished table was purchased for the obstetrical department. The nurses and doctors have said they are very pleased with the table... and we're sure the patients will be as well.

Jocelyne Contant, vice-president and director of Patient Care Services, gave us a construction update. Everything is moving along nicely. Plumbing projects will be pursued while walls are down. Permission is required from Toronto and this will include ministerial restraints regarding time for completion.

Summers-Cass Bridge-Maple Ridge report was given by Margaret Johnstone. Tickets are on sale by that group for a lovely Dresden Plate quilt. Draw wil be in May.

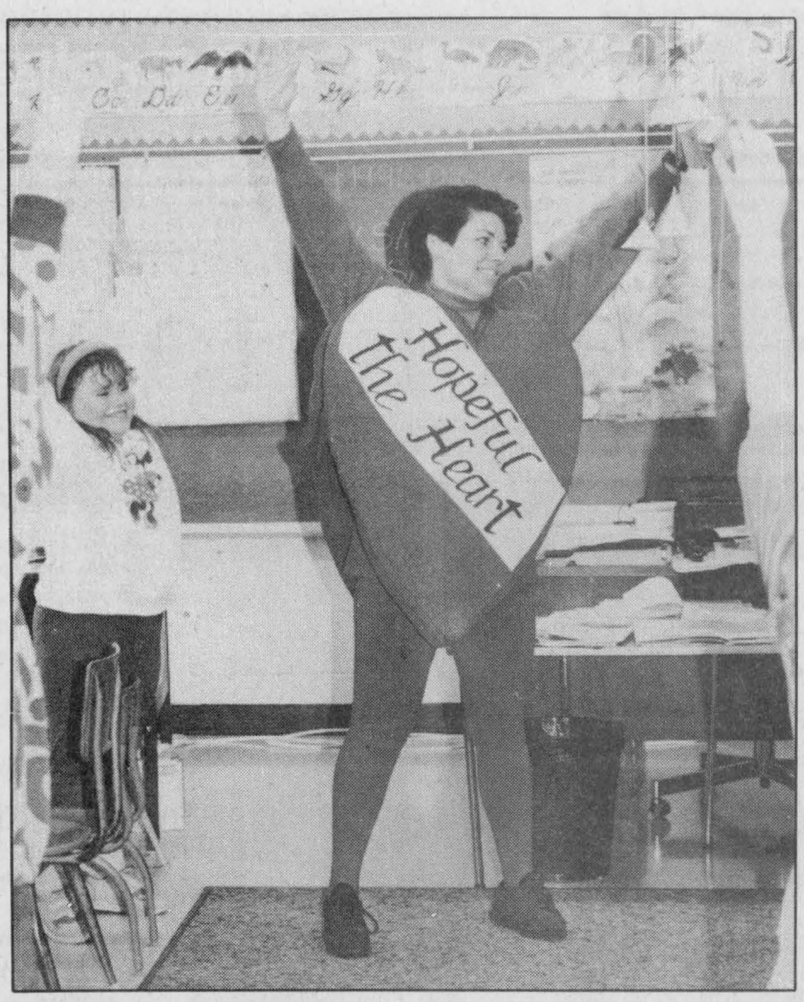
Gift shop co-ordinator, Betty Barton turned in a cheque for $3,000. Anyone interested in knitting for the gift shop please get your yarn from Virley Edwards, Chesterville.

In memoriam co-ordinator, Lil Lancaster, reported that donations have increased and that two new funeral parlors have opened in the area. Writing all the cards and thank-you notes has become an ever-expanding job.

Volunteer co-ordinator Edna Levere, reported 234 hours for December and 250 for January. Thanks to all who braved the snow and ice to serve their hospital and community.

Teen volunteer Co-ordinator, Louise Shaw, is retiring after three years service and we thank her for her dedication and hard work. The auxiliary will be looking for a replacement, so maybe someone out there could find the time to help these willing young people on the road to volunteering and commitment as part of their life. Purchasing committee report was given by Ruth McCullough.

Cubical curtains for 1 East have been approved. A life pack for the operating room is being discussed further. A high-low stretcher for day care is still being studied. Calendars for each room is also a goal for this hard-working committee.



Hearty help

Members of the Eastern Ontario Health Unit visited Elma Public School as part of February's Heart Month activities. Students met Hopeful the Heart and learned about healthy ways to promote heart care.

Press Photo — Valiquet

Police blotter

Driver charged

WINCHESTER SPRINGS — A Winchester area woman was charged with failure to yield when she backed into another car near Winchester Springs Wed., Feb. 10 at 12:40pm.

Joanne Chaloux, 33, of RR4, Winchester was backing a 1984 Ford onto Webb Rd. when she pulled out in front of Myles Munro, 65, of Chesterville who was driving a 1979 Chrysler. Both vehicles were damaged.

Car damaged

WINCHESTER — A 1985 blue Chevrolet belonging to Ross Boal of Pakenham sustained damage during the day of Sat., Feb. 13 while it was parked at the Winchester arena. Someone scratched the sides, hood and trunk.

School break-ins

IROQUOIS — Morrisburg OPP are investigating break-ins at three area schools during the weekend of Feb. 12-14.

Someone stole $75 and a cash box at Stampville Public School near Iroquois, $60-$70 from Seaway District High School and $75-$80 from Iroquois Public School.



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Waterfront

at $3.1 million and including all the changes to the shoreline, would be government funded. The second phase would rely on private-sector investment and could include a brewery, steamboat, and development of Ault Island.

According to the proposal, construction of the first phase would begin in 1995 and take one year to complete. Officials project increased annual revenues of $335,000, mainly due to a 10 to 15 per cent increase in admission fees that would accompany the changes.

In 1992, Upper Canada Village had 185,000 visitors, down 15 per cent from the previous year. And while some of that decrease can be blamed on poor weather, Thomas said both attendance and revenue have been falling gradually over the past few years.

With the new development project, the village could also extend its season to include historical winter activities such as ice-cutting and hauling.

Pit bylaw

The proposal stipulates that aggregate storage, concrete processing and batching or asphalt processing plants would only be allowed on sites where the existing pit supplies the material for the operation.

He said the new legislation does not prohibit aggregate development, but instead, enables its reasonable promotion.

Representatives from existing quarrying operations within the township, although not present at the meeting, have made it quite clear that they will strongly object to and possibly appeal any amendments to existing legislation. These companies include Greely Sand and Gravel, Osgoode Sand and Gravel, Dibblee Construction and White Bear Mining Corp.

Residents at the meeting were most concerned about a proposed concrete batching plant at the site of the Leblanc Sand Pit on lot 25 Conc. 3 of Osgoode Township.

Kevin O'Connor of Blanchfield Rd. said he is "generally pleased with the provisions of the proposed amendment." He went on to say, "It would seem that this proposal will give the municipality some balance when dealing with government acts."

Glen Perkins wondered how much punch the new legislation would have, saying, "Up until now quarry operators have certainly not always followed the stipulations of the acts or the intent of the law."

Mayor Albert Bouwers made it very clear that, "A bylaw cannot be designed to control one property. It must be remembered that, when enacted, it controls the entire township."

Russia

To that end the Metcalfe school children collected stuffed animals, including personal favorites in bygone days, wind-up toys, since batteries are not available, and items of warm clothing such as mittens, toques and scarves.

The items were placed in a huge box with the words 'To Russia With Love ... From Canadian School Children' printed on the sides.

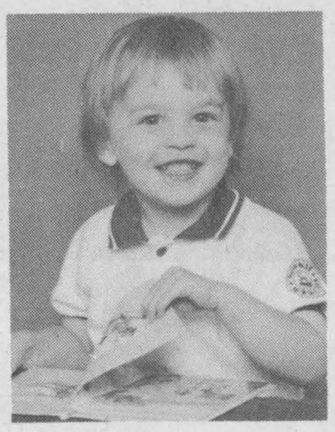
A class photo, a quantity of Canadian flags and a large number of Canadian flag lapel pins are also included. A couple of large bags of goods round out the shipment.

All of the gifts were turned over to Capt. Jenkins on Feb. 16. They were bundled aboard his airplane— a mercy flight carrying medical supplies and asthma relief medications meant primarily for children 15 years of age and younger.

Schoones said her brother intended to videotape the delivery of the package to its recipients and bring the video back to Metcalfe.

In this way the children may see that their expressions of affection really made a difference on the other side of the world.

Goodbye Terrible Two's
Ryan's three!



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Funding forces library closures

VERNON — The Township of Osgoode Library Board would like to advise patrons that each of its branches will be closed for a two week period during 1993.

The first branch to be affected will be the Vernon library. The Vernon branch will be closed from March 2-13 inclusive.

The three other branches located in Metcalfe, Osgoode and Greely will remain open at their regular hours during this period. This measure has become necessary in order to maintain a balanced budget for the year, according to Blaine Ball, library board chairman. The Board regrets any inconvenience to library patrons, but feels it is important to take affirmative action in order to maintain a balanced budget, he said.

For further information, please contact any branch; Greely at 821-3609, Metcalfe at 821-1330, Osgoode at 826-2227 or Vernon at 821-3389.

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UCP brings back dinner theatre

MORRISBURG — Upper Canada Playhouse and the Best Western Parkway Inn, Cornwall are busy preparing for their fifth annual February Dinner Theatre Production, *Love Letters* by A.R. Gurney. The production will mark the Eastern Ontario premiere of this hit play, and will feature popular Ottawa performers Abby Hagyard and Bill Luxton.

Love Letters is a very unique play in that it tells a captivating tale portraying the lives of Melissa Gardner and Andrew Makepeace Ladd III all through the reading aloud of letters, starting with their first scrawled valentines of childhood and culminating with their last guilty goodbyes following a lifelong relationship.

Their "love affair" is one which is manifested almost entirely by written correspondence, giving us a touching, poignant play which is part love story, part testament to the written word. Melissa and Andrew take their audience on a gentle and touching journey of lost opportunity and love squandered in a tender sketch of the bond between two people who cannot live with, or without, each other.

Love Letters has been an unqualified hit in major centres such as New York, Los Angeles, London, England and in 1991 at the Stratford Festival. Past cast members have included the likes of Jason Robards, Colleen Dewhurst, Kathleen Turner, Douglas Raine, Jane Curtin and Elaine Stritch.

Playhouse artistic director Marshall Button is directing this current production, and is very excited with both the script and cast.

Says Button "Love Letters is undoubtedly one of the best scripts I have had the pleasure of working on. It is very unique in that it is structured in very many ways, to avoid the potentially meddlesome influences of a director, designer and crew, so as to simply allow the script to stand on its own. Bill and Abby are doing a lovely job."

Button is being assisted in his directing duties by Playhouse newcomer Alun Seguin.

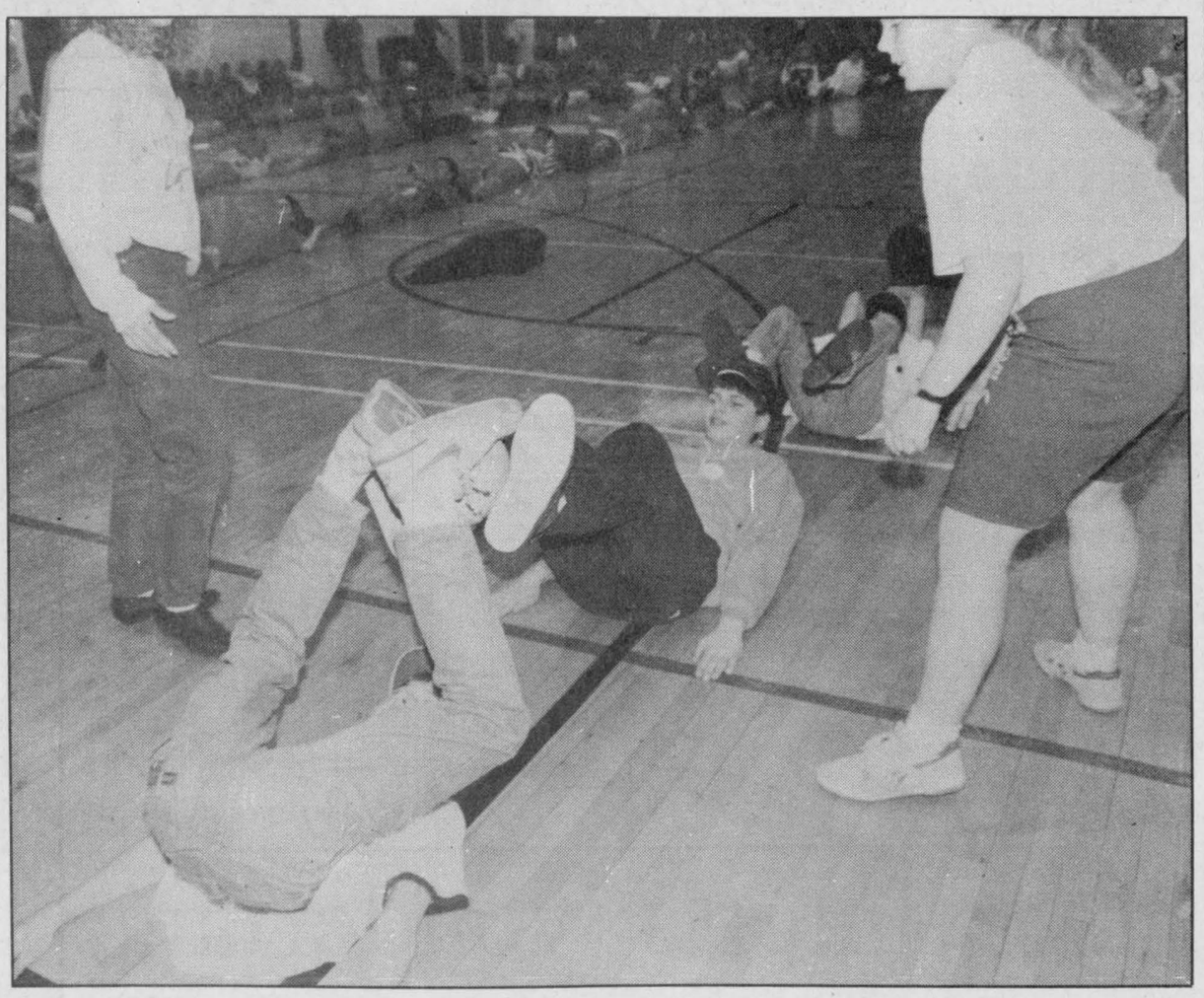
Bill Luxton and Abby Hagyard are no strangers to the Eastern Ontario entertainment scene. Both are well-known television personalities and both are accomplished stage actors.

Hagyard is an internationally syndicated television comedy actress; her hit series *You Can't do That on Television* has been shown in more than seven countries for over twelve years. She is an accomplished acting teacher, playwright and author.

For Upper Canada Playhouse, Luxton has performed in *The Gin Game* (1989) and *bingo night!* (1991).

Love Letters will open on Thurs., Feb. 25 and run until Sun., Feb. 28. Prices for the gourmet meal and performance are only $25 on Thursday evening and Sunday brunch and $30 on Friday and Saturday evenings.

For reservations and information call the Best Western in Cornwall at 932-0451.



Students from North Dundas District High School held their winter carnival last Friday. Here students try to pass a volleyball with their feet as part of the day-long activities at the school.

Press Photo— Valiquet

Vice-principal sells for 100 smackers

MAPLE RIDGE — Other than carnival day itself, I would say the two highlights of carnival week were the slave auction and the sexy legs contest.

The slave auction raised $355 for the student council - the highest amount ever raised from such an event at North Dundas. For those who are wondering what a slave auction is, it is an auction of volunteer slaves from within the school.

The highest bidder gets the right to make his/her slave do whatever the owner wants as long as it doesn't go against school policy. Mr. Fairweather, our vice-principal, was sold for $100 to the cafeteria ladies. Mr. Fairweather reported that the highlight of his day as a slave was serving food to students. He also washed the ladies' cars.



NDDHS NOTES
by Hazel Booth

The sexy legs contest held on beachwear day, Thursday raised a few eyebrows.

Sean Hachey had the sexiest legs; Jamie Kennedy and Marty VanLanen were voted runner-ups.

As for carnival day itself, it turned out to be quite a success. Students were divided into four groups: cows, sheep, ducks, and pigs. The cows won the scavenger hunt, tramping through all of the snow. Cory Butler, Jeff Greenslade, Jamie Savary, Marc Dion, Bob Lafontaine, Chris Hallam and Jason Vanores were the snow football champions.

In the second annual euchre tournament, Mr. Chambers and Kent Young are stil invincible.

Mike Singh, Mrs. Corbett-White, and Sean Hachey won the 3-on-3 basketball tournament.

A chubby bunny contest consisted of fitting as many marshmallows in the mouth as possible; however, after each marshmallow is placed in the mouth, the person must say "Chubby Bunny". Jamie Kennedy and Satnum Mead tied with 28 marshmallows in each of their mouths.

Band reorganizes

by Ruby Steele

WINCHESTER — The manager of the Hy Shy Nigh Senior Band for 16 years, Ruby B. Steele, recently came out of a two-year retirement, and reorganized the band again.

Twenty members have now joined and are practising in the Common room at Beachcroft every Tuesday afternoon at 1:30pm.

Sat., Feb. 13, 30 people enjoyed a pot luck supper, afterwards playing progressive euchre the remainder of the evening. All reported it was worth braving the stormy weather.

Seniors if you like music whether it be playing an instrument or singing, you are welcome to come along and join or just listen.

Winners of the euchre were Isobel Lewis, Mary Simpson, Eva Cinnamon and Nelson Docksteader.

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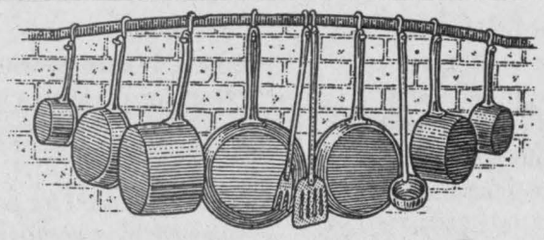

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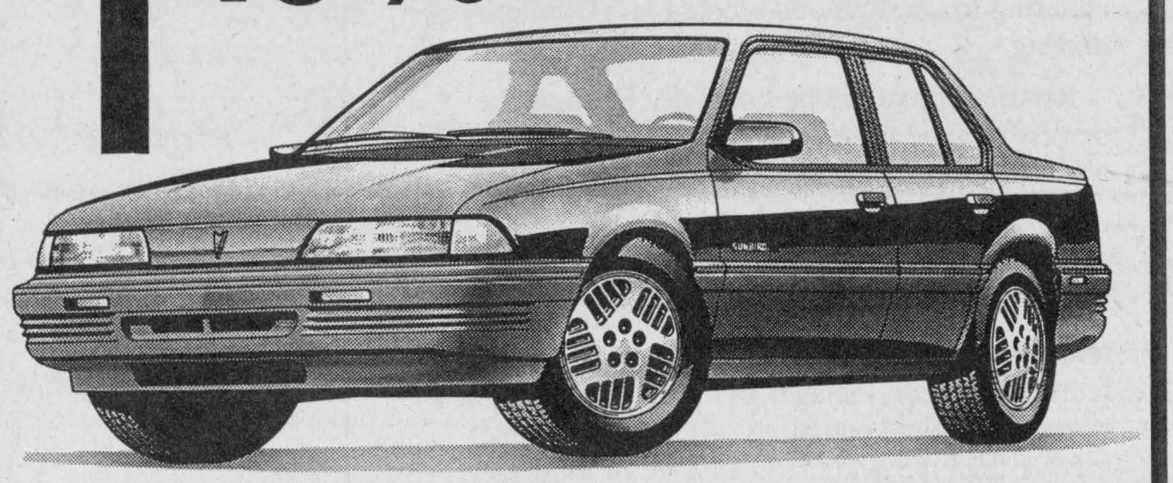

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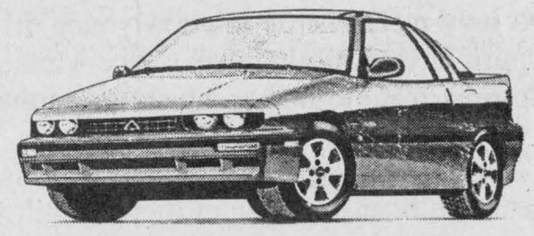

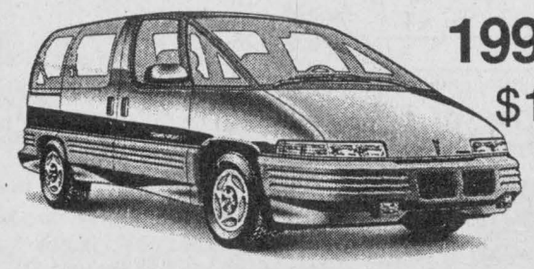

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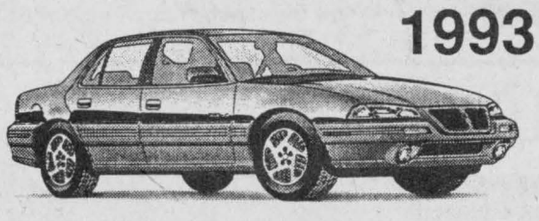

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Editorial/Opinion

EDITORIAL

Learning to drive

A recent statement by the Ontario Medical Association has brought the issue of a graduated licensing system for young drivers back into the spotlight.

The OMA strongly supports a system that would give novice drivers an opportunity to gain the experience and knowledge essential to the safe operation of a motor vehicle while placing some restrictions on their driving freedom.

The envisioned system would entail certain restrictions being placed on drivers under the age of 18, including driving only during daylight hours, maintaining accident-free and infraction- free driving records, limiting passenger numbers and adhering to a zero blood-alcohol level while driving.

Restrictions would be gradually lifted as the driver became more capable.

Statistics show motor vehicle accidents are a major cause of death and injury among young drivers.

In 1987, 46 per cent of deaths among Canadian males and 40 per cent of deaths among Canadian females between the ages of 15 and 19 were caused by motor vehicle collisions — that's three times greater than the average death rate of all drivers.

The graduated system of driver licensing has proved successful in other countries.

In New Zealand, where a graduated licensing system was introduced in 1987, deaths and injuries among 15- to 17-year-old drivers dropped by 40 per cent within two years.

Australia followed in New Zealand's footsteps in 1990 by adopting a graduated system and certain areas of the United States and Europe are also considering the initiative seriously.

It only makes sense to allow young drivers the opportunity of gaining experience while gradually exposing them to riskier situations on the roads.

The provincial government has discussed a graduated licensing system, hopefully it won't run out of gas before it delivers the goods.

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Worn out by winter's wonderland

I speak the secret fantasy of everyone I know, when I say I would prefer to be communing with nature on the sun-swept beaches of southern climes than freezing my fingers and toes off smack in the middle of another Canadian winter.

I know I should be positive about winter.

Dress properly.

Greet each day with a smile and childlike wonder of this winter playground.



I mean I have had enough experience confronting cold, ice, snow and the like.

But something deep inside me rebels at the thought of dragging on my burgundy headband, winter coat, lambs-wool-lined gloves, neon pink boots and plaid scarf, each time I exit a heated building.

It's as though each time I go outside I have to mentally give myself an extra push out the door.

And that push is requiring more and more strength recently.

I must explain I don't consider myself some kind of cold weather wimp.

Under normal circumstances I can brave the frosty temperatures. I don't keep my thermostat jacked up to 80 degrees nor do I wear three sweaters around the house.

I enjoy cross-country skiing, and skating on the canal or any outdoor rink. I have also been known to take a walk in the evening to enjoy the fresh air.

I am not the first one to run for cover when the weather turns bad.

But when I find myself reaching for socks the last five nights in a row before heading to bed, I begin to think the plunging mercury is having some effect on me.

I'm beginning to look at the contents of my refrigerator in strange ways.

Everything I take out of it, I am heating up in search for some semblance of warmth.

Yesterday, I actually considered warming up my orange juice. Raw vegetables give me chills. I have avoided opening the freezer, because it is too reminiscent of my present situation. And the only milk I am consuming these days is included in my hot chocolate.

When I reach for a glass of water these days, I am taking it hot instead of cold.

Is this any way for an intelligent adult to live?

I think my Canadian forebearers who initially settled the frozen north should have demanded their money back and sailed further south.

Anything south of Atlanta would have been acceptable.

My girlhood friend who presently resides in that city manages to tell me ever year she can play golf and tennis year-round, although she does find she must draw on a sweater during the winter months.

Sounds like my kind of place.

The present state of deep freeze is not helped by the fact the heating register in the Press office is not operating very well.

People are vying for the warmest spots in the office.

The women's washroom is in my considered opinion the winning place of shelter. But there tends to be quite an uproar if you spend extended periods in there.

Besides its holding capacity is four, after that it gets a bit ridiculous and someone is forced to perch on various pieces of porcelain.

When I read the newspaper these days, my first glance is to the weather forecast and world temperatures.

It seems to give me comfort knowing that if I was in Palm Beach I would have to deal with 26 degrees Celsius weather (slight chance of precipitation), or that Alcapulco is currently nestled in 31 degrees Celsius of sunshine.

I am hoping this cold weather infirmity I'm feeling will pass soon. I expect it's just my body making its annual adjustment to the state of affairs.

Any day now I'll be springing out of bed to pick up my shovel and plow my way through the drifts and blowing snow with a smile frozen to my rapidly numbing face.

On the other hand, I could just decide to pull the covers over my head and decide not to come out until spring (which they say is officially 24 days away).

I wonder if the boss would consider hooking up my computer bed-side, or send me on an in-depth investigation to Rio de Janeiro.

I hear it's going to be a toastie 32 there tomorrow.

Oldtimers hockey blues

OUT MY WINDOW
by Tony Welland

It's 10:30 on Sunday morning and we Dunbar Dragons have just lost a squeaker 3-2 to the Chesterville Wolves. Relaxed and with some time to kill, the dressing room conversation drifts from issue to vital issue. We narrow it down to the problems of streaming versus destreaming of children's hockey. Most think the Minor Hockey system in Russell is superior to that in Winchester/Chesterville. In Russell, House League kids are put in A, B, or C according to their ability; there's a place for each child to feel good about the skill level they're at and to play in a league where all the kids are close in ability. In the Chesterville/Winchester House League the A, B and C players are all mixed together; a few of the children get most of the goals while a few others hardly ever get to touch the puck. Makes you wonder.

As I leave the rink this day I also wonder about my own hockey and where it is going. We call it Oldtimers; I've been playing it for years.

Hockey must be the most popular recreation in our area; it certainly is for men. It seems that every small town has an Oldtimers team. Oldtimers can be as young as 30. Some teams are Over-35 and others claim to be Over-40 but allow younger players if they "play as though they're 43 or so". As a longtime member of the famous, mainly Over-40 Dunbar Drag-Ins, I play against teams like the Kamikazis, 40 Pounders, Coasters, Huslers, Pride and Pirates, Grizzlies, Wolves, Hawks and Old Hawks. Teams play for the pride of places like Winchester, Chesterville, Morewood, Williamsburg, Embrun, Berwick, Crysler, Osgoode, Metcalfe, Greely, Cardinal, Iroquois and Mountain. We're a sub-culture. We organize ourselves, make up our own rules, like no contact, no slapshots and no fights, play about 50 regular season games each, and have tournaments against each other. We strive to stay in some kind of shape so we can get up and down the rink a couple of times without a rest. We try to play as close to home as possible. We have a good time. We are getting older quickly but are still almost as keen.

Each team is made up of a loose group of friends, many of whom have played together for 10 or 15 years or more. We see our teammates at least twice a week and teams are held together by a combination of the pursuit of camaraderie, fitness, personal belonging, and simply the joy of playing hockey. Hockey, as amazing as it may seem to the casual observer, is not nearly as hard on a stiff, aging body as many other activities; padding covers pretty well everything delicate. Unfortunately, as we old hockey players find our feet don't move nearly as fast as they used to, it becomes increasingly difficult to keep up with the 'young guys'. I remember the days when I was proud of my ability to keep up with people ten years younger. I've slipped a bit in that pride area in recent years. Now I think I'd much rather be able to catch at least some of the guys some of the time.

As our Over-40 'league' matures there seems to be an increasing need for co-operation between teams to adhere to the rules we have set for ourselves. The age rule is perhaps the most important. Our team is as guilty as any. Age is only adhered to in tournaments it seems, and even then an Over-40 team is often allowed one or two 35 year olds. This is fine, but during the regular season teams often load up with young players to replace regulars who are away. The caliber of the 'youngster' is often determined by how badly the recruiting team lost last time to the upcoming opposition: "They kicked our butts, but did you see how young those guys were that they picked up? I'm old enough to be their father. Let's get Wayne and Mario and Pavel and Teemu out next time we play them. We'll show them." And we do. But then the next time they show us. It escalates and we borderline, aging jocks wonder just where it will end. Unfortunately for many it ends in early retirement from the game we have loved so much for so long. I've seen far too many of my teammates and opposition-mates of 15 years disappear. The fun just goes out of it.

Our Oldtimers streaming needs to be a bit more like Russell Minor Hockey and less like that in Winchester. Call me a C player if you like. I can handle it. Just don't let those As skate past me week in and week out.

ExPRESSion

PERSPECTIVES



Dawn Runnalls



Marilyn Johnson



Jill Lamb

125 medalists driven by volunteer spirit

by Michelle Valiquet
Press News Editor

WINCHESTER— Volunteers are a special breed of people.

They dedicate their time, energy and skills without thought of monetary reward, mostly toiling in obscurity, with only the satisfaction of a job well done to fuel their continued contributions to numerous organizations.

Recently 25 residents of Stormont-Dundas were recipients of commemorative medals for the 125th anniversary of Canada's Confederation.

All are volunteers to some degree and magnitude within their community. And in talking to a few of the medalists you soon discover their experiences with volunteerism has enhanced their lives.

DAWN RUNNALLS

Dawn Runnalls of RR1, Winchester is a 16-year veteran of farming organizations including being a founder of Women for the Survival of Agriculture (WSA), and Agriculture in the Classroom.

Runnalls' volunteer commitments grew out of her concern and interest in agriculture. "I have a real desire for farming to be a healthy industry and to do that, volunteering or being involved with farm organizations seemed to be the best way to work towards that end," she explains.

Runnalls never expected to be as caught up by the various volunteer demands on her time. The process was so gradual she hardly noticed it.

"You don't plan to get as involved as you do. You go to a meeting, and then another and before you know it you're involved and it becomes your second life," admits Runnalls.

Volunteering is not without its drawbacks, according to Runnalls, the benefits do come at some cost. "You do lose out in your own personal life because your private time is edged out by your volunteer commitments."

All things considered, however, Runnalls wouldn't change her participation with volunteer organizations.

She says, "It's a community commitment. You don't think about it, you just do it because it's something you owe back to the community."

"I felt really humble when they called out my name. There are so many people who have committed their lives to their community...I'm just one of many."

MARILYN JOHNSON

Marilyn Johnson of RR1, Chesterville has certainly racked up a long list of volunteer accomplishments. She has been involved with the Guides and Brownies for 22 years, on the Chesterville Fair Board for 18 years, part of the annual Chesterville Christmas toy drive, treasurer of the Second Hand Shop, secretary-treasurer of the Dundas Federation of Agriculture, Dairy Princess coordinator and a founding member of the WSA.

And like Runnalls, Johnson is somewhat surprised with the depth of her involvement.

"It was a gradual progression. The more you do, the more involved you become because the more you see that has to be done," reveals Johnson.

"Initially I started volunteering with the Brownies because it was a good way to meet people. And I continued long after my daughter had grown up. It must run in the family though, because now my daughter is a Guide leader and my granddaughter is a Guide now."

Johnson credits her organizational abilities with helping her juggle her varied duties. "You have to be organized and know pretty well where everything is...I have my little files."

Her husband, Gordon, also puts in his own volunteer hours with the Dundas Milk Committee, the Central Canada Exhibition Association and as a Winchester Township councillor.

"Sometimes we pass in the night with just a wave."

But despite the hours, the endless meetings and the innumerable details, Johnson finds her volunteer work rewarding.

"I like it...it is something to keep you busy and it's a pleasure to work with other people. Or you just enjoy what you're doing...I always tell people I stay with the toy drive because I get to play with all the toys," chuckles Johnson.

"I guess I've been doing it most of my life, running around from one organization to another, and I'll continue doing it for the rest of my life."

JILL LAMB

The simple act of attending a meeting drew Jill Lamb of South Mountain into her volunteer roles. She has concentrated her volunteering on two organizations — the Mountain Township Agricultural Society for eight years and the Canadian Cancer Society for five years. She is presently the campaign chairman for the local Cancer Society and a director with MTAS and chairman of the flower committee.

"Someone knew I was interested in flowers and she asked me to a MTAS meeting and then I was on the flower committee and it grew from there," says Lamb.

When asked to explain her volunteering, Lamb states it springs from a desire to put something back into a society which has given her so much.

"I have always been involved with something because I really believe people should. We live in a good community, a wonderful country and we should put something back. And that's why I volunteer."

Just as Runnalls and Johnson were modest about their accomplishments, so too is Lamb ready to give credit to other individuals in the community who selflessly carry on their volunteerism.

"This award was a bit of a surprise for me. I know a lot of people who volunteer, it's not hard to find that cooperative spirit in this community, it's all around us. It's a way of life really, in the country."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Literacy

The editor:
The aim of the Dundas Community Learning Centre is to enable adults to learn to read as quickly and enjoyably as possible. The motto: "Each One Teach One" indicates a completely confidential approach in which the learner is tutored privately at his or her own speed.

"The Laubach Way to Reading" materials have been used with considerable success in teaching adult non-readers. Volunteer tutors learn to use the carefully structured materials by attending a 12- hour workshop.

A second workshop centered around the "Challenger Series" was recently conducted for those tutors whose students have advanced to higher levels. We are proud to report that we have 18 students matched with 18 trained tutors. We have been blessed with a goodly number of volunteers in the Dundas area.

Some of these people work in our office at 512 St. Lawrence Street staffing the office and working at the weekly used book sale and exchange, and at our fundraising events.

The most difficult task we face is publicizing our services and having students come forward. It is not easy to admit inadequacy in our literacy skills. For this reason we stress that these services are strictly confidential. In the past new students had to go to Cornwall for testing and we are happy now to say the testing can be done at our local office.

We hope to be able to continue our services, but as you know there are costs involved in maintaining an office even though the staffers are volunteers. Right now we are low in funds and hope, as in the past, you can offer us financial support. We thank you for your warm hearted help in the past and anticipate your support in 1993.

Cheques may be made payable to the Dundas Community Learning Centre, Winchester, Ontario. A receipt for income tax purposes may be obtained.

Shirley Fawcett
Board Member, Volunteer Tutor

Open letter

The editor:

This letter was written as an open letter to MP Don Boudria.

Dear Mr. Boudria:
I am a supporter of the fundamental right of Sue Rodriquez, or any other terminally ill or severely disabled person, to decide the issue of her own life or death.

Such a decision, whether it be to adjust to her condition and fight for life until the end or to seek release through death when the condition becomes unbearable, requires tremendous courage and is one that the rest of society must respect and do everything possible to actively support.

At this time, the Criminal Code of Canada, a federal statute, specifically denies this right, by making active support for a decision to die a criminal offence.

As the elected member of parliament for this constituency, and the person responsible for representing it, I would very much like to know how you would answer the question posed by Sue Rodriguez to the Parliamentary Committee on Justice in November 1992.

She said and I quote, "I want to ask you gentlemen, if I cannot give consent to my own death, then whose body is this? Who owns my life?"

Do you believe that Sue Rodriguez should have the right to decide this matter for herself, in which case the federal Criminal Code requires amendment, or do you hold some other view?

I would be very interested to hear your views on this issue. Thank you for your consideration.

Dr. Richard Thain
Citizens For Choice, Embrun

Animal rights

The Editor:
Help save the animals.

The animals such as water animals are hurt because of the boat propellers and buffalo are being pushed off the mountains for their skin and horns.

Deer are shot for fun or for meat and fur. The animals are in jeopardy because of hunters.

Put a stop to killing animals.

Alex Meek
7 years old.

Snow clearance

The Editor:
Once again we are in the snow season. The time when getting about requires care, concentration and preparation. An integral part of your ability to reach your destination is the road crew. The counties have 16 such crews (each operating a plow/spreader combination unit worth $100,000) on its 750 km of roads.

Each storm has three clearing phases: One - plowing the road open; Two - breaking the bond between the pavement and any ice or packed snow; and Three - cleaning up, including pushing snow back to make room for the next storm.

The eventual result is a clear, relatively ice-free pavement closely approximating summer driving conditions. We clear approximately 40 per cent of the road allowance, and have little choice as to where this plowed snow can be stored.

A potentially dangerous (and illegal) practice by some unthinking owners of property abutting rural roads often negates the road crews' efforts. (It is an offence - Section 181 of the Highway Traffic Act - to deposit snow or ice on a roadway.)

Snow that is blown, pushed or tracked onto the road becomes a hazard. This snow especially when deposited on the road after the road has started to bare usually refreezes, causing unexpected slippery spots on otherwise clear roads. This element of surprise has caused accidents.

Driveways comprise five per cent or less of a residential lot; there is much more snow storage available off than on the road allowance. The County Road Department asks owners abutting its roads to plan their entranceway clearing so that snow is not pushed or blown onto, nor tracked across the road.

Co-operation will make the roads safer for all those who must be out driving during the winter season.

D.J.McDonald, P.Eng.
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Road Superintendent

OPINIONS

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OBITUARIES

Elma "Naomi" Burd

Elma Naomi Burd of St. Lawrence Lodge, Brockville died on Wed., Feb 17, 1993 at Brockville Hospital. She was 81.

Born in St. Albert, Ontario on Dec. 14, 1911, she was the daughter of the late J. Arthur and Elizabeth (nee Wagner) Burd.

She was survived by her daughter Elma (Lorne Miller), RR3, Athens; grandchildren Elaine Miller and friend Ian Hunter, Woodlawn; Stephen Miller (Nancy), Kemptville; sister Annable Baker, Crysler; Aggie Gallinger, Cornwall; brother Walter, Finch; and Carl, Niagara Falls.

She was predeceased by sisters Emily Ferguson and Ella Ouderkirk and brothers Charles and Ralph.

Funeral service was at J.R. Vice Funeral Home, Winchester on Fri., Feb. 19, with Rev. Heather Jones officiating. Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Lloyd Harper

Lloyd Harper of Bonnie Brae Nursing Home, Tavistock, Ontario died on Sun., Feb. 21, 1993. He was 87.

A former resident of St. Marys and Chesterville, he is survived by his children Betty (Mrs. John Beal), Lindsay; Frank (Norma Harper), Arden; Jean (Mrs. Ray Boals), Oakville; Gail Thomson, St. Marys; Barbara (Mrs. Don Shaw), Thunder Bay; Otis (wife Lucille) Harper, Stratford; Wayne (wife Joan), Toronto, 22 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his wife Velma May (nee St. Pierre).

Funeral service was held at the L.A. Ball Funeral Chapel, St. Marys on Wed., Feb. 24, with Pastor D. McIntyre officiating.

Spring interment is planned at Maple Ridge Cemetery. Donations to the charity of one's choice would be appreciated as expressions of sympathy.

Howard James Kittle

Howard James Kittle of Richmond, Ontario died at the Queensway Carleton Hospital on Sat., Feb. 20, 1993. He was 92.

A former RR3, Chesterville resident, he was born in Chesterville on Nov. 6, 1900, the son of the late Samuel and Mary (nee Durant) Kittle.

He was a farmer and a member of the Trinity United Church in Chesterville.

He is survived by his children Betty (Mrs. Gordon Steinburg), Richmond; Arnold Kittle, RR3, Chesterville; 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his wife Margaret C. (nee Sproule), son Gerald Kittle, daughter-in-law Dolores and sister Nina Merkley.

Funeral service was held at J.R. Vice Funeral Home, Chesterville on Tues., Feb. 23, with Rev. Roy Harwood officiating.

Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery. Pallbearers were grandsons Randy Steinburg, Barry Steinburg, Stephen Kittle and Kevin Kittle.



Open house

Howard Giles and Pam Sherrer discuss computer problems at Winchester's T.R. Leger School of Alternative Studies. The facility, which offers up-to-date workplace training to mature students, held an open house last Friday.

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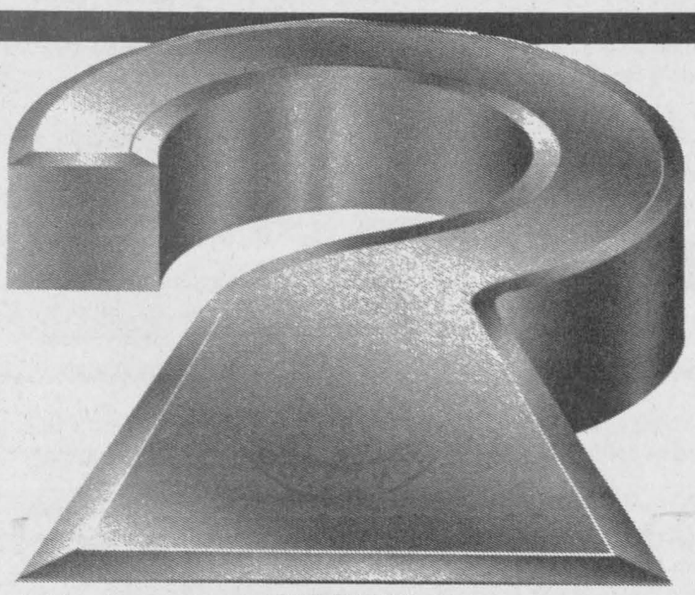

When the Question is Financial, turn to your neighborhood professionals for answers.

Tax laws change for common-law spouses

As of January 1993, some Canadians may find themselves in multiple marriages, at least in the eyes of Revenue Canada. That may be one of the consequences of the new, expanded definition of "spouse" in the *Income Tax Act*, which takes effect on Jan. 1. The change is targeted at common-law couples, and so those couples should now be reviewing their existing tax plans and considering whether they should be redone.

The new definition of spouse sets out two circumstances in which a person will be your spouse at any time for tax purposes. The first is if that person cohabits with you at that time in a conjugal relationship, and has done so throughout a consecutive 12-month period ending before that time. The second circumstance in which a person will be your spouse at any time, is if that person cohabits with you at that time in a conjugal relationship, and is a parent of a child of whom you are also a parent.

Therefore, as of Jan. 1, 1993, individuals now living in qualifying common law relationships will automatically be deemed to be married to each other for income tax purposes if they have been in those relationships continuously since Jan. 1, 1992.

In addition, there are also certain "deeming rules". For example, if you at any time cohabit with a person in a conjugal relationship, you will afterwards be deemed at a particular time to be cohabiting in a conjugal relationship. The exception is if you were not cohabiting at the particular time for a period of at least 90 days that includes that time, because of a breakdown of your conjual relationship (this is known as the "90-day rule").

The expansion of the definition of "spouse" for tax purposes was announced in the last federal budget, which was tabled on Feb. 25, 1992. Details were provided in the Notice of Ways and Means Motion tabled on June 19, 1992, which proposed that the expanded definition will apply for *all* purposes of the Act.

The change will affect a lot of Canadians. Census data for 1991 published recently by Statistics Canada stated that the number of common-law couples in Canada almost doubled between 1986 and 1991 to about 725,950 in 1991.

As indicated in the first paragraph of this article, the expanded definition of "spouse" may have some unusual consequences. For example, an individual who is legally married to one person and living in a common-law relationship with another will be regarded as being married to both individuals for income tax purposes.

That kind of situation will likely be relatively rare. However, there are other, more common potential problems for common-law couples. They will have to combine incomes for purposes of the GST credit, and will no longer be able to claim the equivalent-to-married credit for a dependent child. The attribution rules which govern loans and transfers between spouses will now apply to common-law couples.

Principal residence arrangements will also be affected. Some common-law partners have arranged their affairs to take advantage of separate principal residence exemptions. However, now that they will be deemed to be married, there will be only one principal residence designation available for the two of them.

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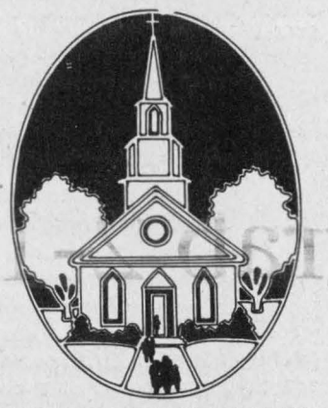

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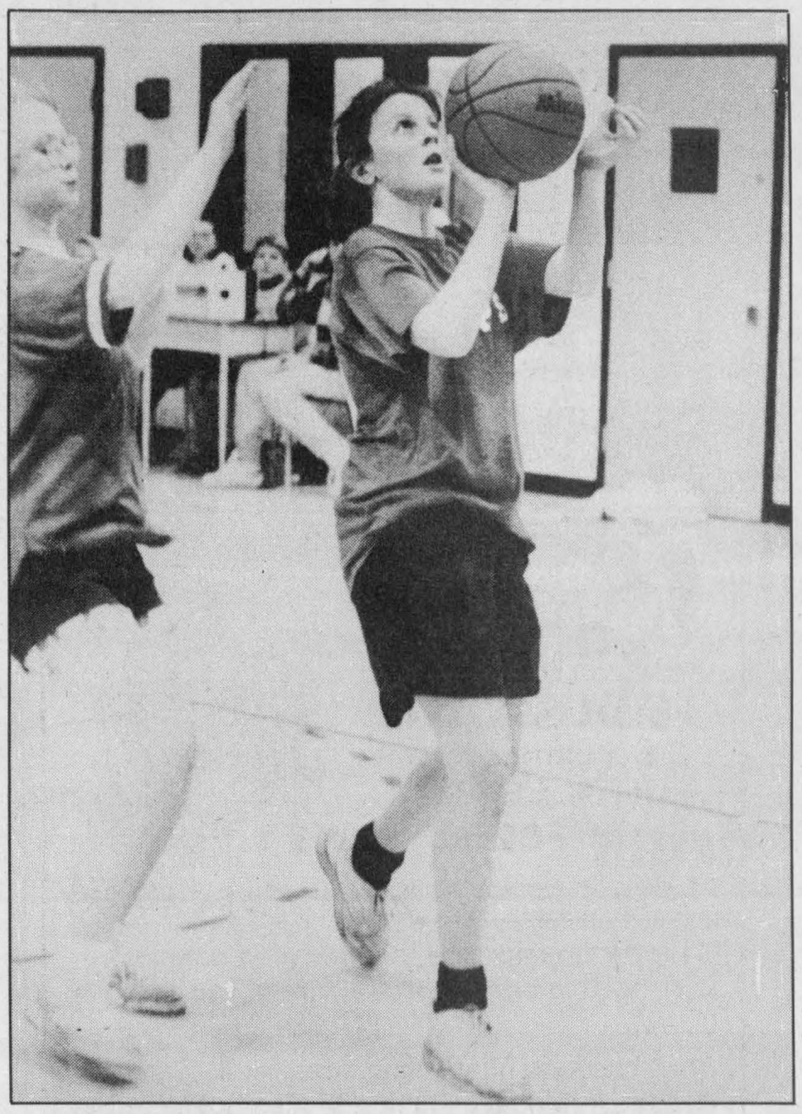
Gilmer, Dillabough power NPS championship drive

MAPLE RIDGE—Their timing couldn't have been better, if you like down to the wire finishes.

Nationview's "A" team left their rally a little late but they pulled it off here last Wednesday and defeated the host Maple Ridge girls 12-10 in a nail biter to become the 1993 Dundas County Elementary Senior Basketball champions.



NPS forward Meghan Gilmer cashed this set shot in for the tying bucket in the final minute of last week's championship match against Maple Ridge. Spring Dillabough then dropped in a deuce to win it 12-10. Press Photo—Van Bridger

Meghan Gilmer set the stage for the rally running the ball into scoring territory as the clock ticked into the final minute. She hit for a deuce and cut the Maple Ridge lead to 10-8. Seconds later Gilmer was draining the ball for a 10-10 tie.

The clock was down to the final 10 seconds and it looked as if overtime might decided the issue but Spring Dillabough took matters into her hands and gave Nationview their championship victory with a perfect 15 foot set-shot from just inside the free-throw line.

Dillabough's bucket gave NPS a dramatic 12-10 win and stopped the clock with one second left leaving the Ridge with no opportunity for any kind of a rally.

Maple Ridge was looking to make it a sweep and add the Senior Girl's title to the Senior Boy's championship they had won last Monday at Seaway District High but the cards didn't fall their way twice.

Deanne VanLoon guided the Maple Ridge boys to three victories in the Monday tournament and they defeated Nationview "A" 21-11 in that final match. Victories over St. Cecilia and Nationview "B" preceeded their championship win.

Jen Davidson scored eight points in Maple Ridge "A"s 15-3 win over Nationview in the event's opening game. Dianna Dauphinee, Amanda Stewart and Mindy Holmes added a basket each, Pam Dawes (3) and Cindy Merkley hit on free throws. Amanda Dillabough drained three for Nationview "B".

Maple Ridge "B" and Stampville tied it up at 12-12 in game two and it was Diane Charron and Liz Berry leading the way for the Ridge with four points each. Megan Brundige, Rachel Casselman and Christina Linton completed the scoring. Angie Thompson was Stampville's top scorer with six.

Game three produced a 10-8 win for St. Cecilia over Nationview "B". Shanna Dawley led the Saints with six points while Amanda Dillabough had four for NPS.

Nationview "A" got a four-point effort from Spring Dillabough in a 12-4 win over Stampville in game number four. Amy Berends, Rachel Brooks, Kylie Adams and Meghan Gilmer hooped the other deuces.

Maple Ridge "A" stopped St. Cecilia 10-4 in game five as Mindy Holmes led the way with four points. Cindy Merkley, Michelle Chambers and Pam Dawes nailed the other two-pointers.

Meghan Gilmer was top shooter scoring eight points in Nationview's 19-10 win over Maple Ridge "B" in game six. Brooks drained five and Berends four points. Simpson (2) and Dillabough (1) also found the twine. Charron (4), Casselman (4) and Linton (2) replied.

Charron (4), Linton, Brundige, Barkley, Casselman and Mandy Knapp all supplied points as Maple Ridge "B" stopped Nationview "B" 16-10. Jennifer Mellan and Amanda Dillabough hit for four points each in a losing cause.

The "B" final produced an 18-10 victory for Stampville over St. Cecilia. Angie Thompson's eight points led the winners to their championship. Jennifer Baker sank six and Nadine Foster fired four points through the iron ring to complete the scoring.

Sharma Moran, Tricia Weagant and Alanna Kaddie supplied St. Cecilia's offence.



NPS "A" champs

Nationview scored six points in the final minute defeating Maple Ridge 12-10 in the Dundas County Senior Elementary girls basketball championship. Front, left, Spring Dillabough, Kylie Adams, Kathy Collins, Kelly Fawcett. Back, left, Julie Simpson, Shannon Hamilton, Meghan Gilmer, Rachel Brooks, Amy Berends. Press Photo—Van Bridger

Sports '93

Rebels grab 2-1 lead from Hawks

WILLIAMSTOWN—A three-goal effort by newcomer Gary Masocco wasn't enough to ignite the Winchester Hawks here Monday night.

The 19-year-old right winger who has been playing with Canton College scored from Ken Corp and Derek Brannan at 2:06 of period one. He and Corp teamed up again at 15:41 of the same frame to give Winchester a 2-0 lead.

When Masocco dented twine behind Rebs' Brett Thompson a third time (assisted by Scott Barkley and Ken Corp) at 13:22 of the middle session he gave the Hawks a 3-2 lead in the third game of their EOJBHL St. Lawrence Division semi-final series.

But, unfortunately for the Hawks, the final tabulation showed more than one Rebel was able to score and that varied offence sparked a 7-3 come-from-behind victory.

"Masocco can score goals. He had three and with any luck might have had six," explained Winchester G.M. Bill Wammes Tuesday morning.

"Too bad nobody else did anything (scoring). We were all over them (Rebels) in the first period but couldn't get a big lead," he added.

"They (Char-Lan) scored two quick ones in the third period and that turned things around. We then went to offence and it backfired. They started scoring on us."

The Hawks' G.M. said after last Friday's opening 5-4 win in OT the Hawks have let the Rebels back into the best of seven series.

"We had them 4-2 on Sunday (lost 6-4) and let them come back. The same thing last night (7-3 loss)."

The series returns to Winchester this Friday night (Feb. 26) for game four. Game five is set for Saturday (Feb. 27) in Williamstown and game six goes Monday, (March 1) in Winchester at 8:15pm.

Adam Morris and Cory Maxam notched Char-Lan's first-period goals in Monday's 7-3 win. Terry O'Farrell tied it up 3-3 1:41 into period three. Denis St. Jean won it at 3:24. Goals by Marc Bellemare (9:23), John Edgerton (12:31) and Bellemare (16:24) put it away for the second-ranked Rebels.

Dale Wilson, making his first playoff appearance of 1992-93 took the loss. Brett Thompson was the winner. Each team took 18 penalties and the Rebels out shot the Hawks 45-39.

Doug Armstrong remains out of the Hawks' lineup because of injury. Dan Adams was another scratch.

FIRST TWO GAMES

Here Friday night the Hawks got a goal from defenceman Bruce Cameron (assisted by Ken Corp) at 2:43 of overtime to take a 1-0 series lead and a 5-4 game victory from the host Rebels.

Hawks led 2-1 after one and 4-2 after two periods.

Char-Lan started their comeback 0:17 into the final frame on Terry O'Farrell's goal. Cory Maxam tied it up 4-4 scoring at 17:38.

Winchester's four goals all came on the powerplay and were counted by Jason Quesnel and Derek Brannan in the first frame and by Brannan and Bruce Cameron in the second. Cameron netted the winner in OT.

Ken Corp (3), Tallman (2), Jesse Pulfer (2), Cameron and John Hamel all drew assists for the Hawks.

Adam Morris, Denis St. Jean, O'-Farrell and Maxam replied for the Rebels.

Chad Smith stopped 39 shots for the win while Trevor McMillan handled 34 in the loss.

In Winchester Sunday afternoon the Hawks led 3-2 after a period and 4-2 after two but gave up third -period goals to O'Farrell (17:52), Derek Ryan (10:46), Greg Wylie (4:52) and Cory Maxam (0:11) who scored into an empty net tying the series up at a game each.

Marc Bellmare and Greg Wylie scored Char-Lan's first-period goals.

Jason Quesnel, Bruce Cameron with a pair counted the Hawks' first three markers. Derek Brannan netted the final one at 2:14 of period two. Pulfer (2), Steve Johnston (2), Corp, Brannan and Jason Quesnel picked up assists.

Chad Smith stopped 44 shots working the Hawks' net. Thompson stopped 29 of 33 for the win.

Devils finish third

MAPLE RIDGE—North Dundas High's trip to St. Joe's to play the Panthers last week wasn't very profitable but enough points were picked up to place the Devils third in both the SD&G "AA" Junior and Senior Girls Volleyball League final standings.

Senior Devils' coach Patti Hall, who was in charge of both her team and the Junior Devils, said the day just wasn't a good one. From the bad weather conditions, which left the trip to the Seaway City on hold until the last minute, to the girls' play - it was a downer.

The Senior Devils were the only squad to post a win in the triple-header, defeating the Panthers 2-1.

The Devils took game one 15-13, game two 15-12 and dropped game three 7-15.

"We had to fight back every game. We were down 12- 6 in game two and came back and won it, but it sure wasn't very easy," she said.

The Junior Devils took their opener 15-11 but lost 14-16 and 7-15 decisions for a 1-2 finish to their season.

The Midget Devils lost all three of their tests and completed their season with an overall record of 13 wins and eight losses. They will compete in a playoff tournament next week.

With their 2-1 victory the Senior Devils finished in third place with a record of 15 wins and 9 losses. They will take on second-ranked LaCitadelle this week in a best of three semi- final match. The winner will advance to the SD&G "AA" final.

North Dundas Junior Devils also earned a third place finish and posted a record of 16 wins and eight losses. They will also take on the second- place Patriotes this week with the winner going to the SD&G final.

Lions edge Demons with roaring finish

WINCHESTER—It was exciting playoff hockey here Monday evening but a heart-breaking 3-2 loss for the home town North Dundas Demons.

The visiting Morrisburg Lions scrambled from a 2-1 deficit and pulled out a 3-2 victory on goals by Brad Casselman who tied it up at 2-2 with 1:44 left and the winner by Joel Adams who scored on the wrap-around with 1:25 showing on the game clock.

The decision left coach Earl McBean's squad with an UCMHL Atom "B" playoff record of 2-1-0 and just one game left to play.

If the Demons can defeat South Grenville this week and Morrisburg loses their final two games the Lions and Demons would be in a dead heat for the UCMHL Eastern Division championship title.

In earlier post-season action the Demons had defeated Ogdensburg 4-3 and the NGS Braves 4-2.

In tournament action over the past weekend in Athens the Demons played their way into the "A" championship match only to lose 5-3 to Canterbury Gold.

Julian Whittam gave the Demons a 1-0 first-period lead scoring from Patrick Hamel at 5:36. Morrisburg's Bob Paladis knotted it up scoring at 6:50 of period two but North Dundas gained a 2-1 lead when Hamel tucked in a relay provided by Scott Drummond and Matthew McBean with 5:15 left in the game.

North Dundas couldn't clear the puck on a Morrisburg rush in the final two minutes and turned it over to Brad Casselman who shoved in the tying goal at 1:44. Joel Adams wrapped the puck in around the left goal post and won it for the Lions with 1:25 left on the clock.

Last Thursday in Maxville the Demons skated to an impressive 4-2 win over the NGS Braves. They led 1-0 after a period and 2-1 after two. Tyler Hoy, Becky KleinSwormink, Scott Drummond and Matthew Cormier scored in that order. Drummond netted the winner with 2:20 left in the game. Chris Wyatt drew two assists, including one on the winner. Drummond also assisted on a goal. Bobby Hamelin posted the win.

Chris Wyatt turned a relay from Patrick Hamel and Matthew McBean into the deciding goal in a 4-3 win over Ogdensburg. Wyatt scored with 3:35 left on the clock. The winner was Wyatt's third goal of the game. Julian Whittam added a goal and one assist. Hamel drew three assists.



Tying goal

North Dundas goalie Bobby Hamelin and defenceman Tiffany Holmes couldn't prevent Morrisburg winger Brad Casselman, dark jersey, from firing a loose puck into their net during Monday night's play-off game. Morrisburg scored twice in the final 1:44 to steal a 3-2 Atom "B" play-off victory. Casselman's goal tied it up at 2-2. Press Photo—Van Bridger

Jr. Novices travel tourney circuit

RUSSELL—Winchester's Little Demons (second-year Novice) posted a pair of exciting victories here recently during the Russell Winter Carnival Tournament.

Mathew Gilmer got things rolling for Winchester scoring from Adam Guy. Devin Kelly and Scott Brennan then assisted on Tory Baldwin's goal. The Demons' third goal was engineered by Gilmer and scored by Devin Kelly. Gilmer picked up another point as he scored from Baldwin and Kelly to tie it up at 4-4.

Winchester cracked the 4-4 tie and sealed a 5-4 win over Morrisburg as Devin Kelly scored from Dale Dellaire and Tory Baldwin in the final minute of regulation.

In their second encounter the Demons doubled Russell 4-2 to complete their day with two wins.

Oliver Last and Fadi Mahfouz engineered Dale Dellaire's opening goal and then Dellaire helped Devin Kelly score his team's second marker.

Tory Baldwin assisted Travis Leach and then scored his team's fourth and final goal on an unassisted play.

Adam Guy and Oliver Last shared Winchester's goaltending duties.

NDMHA TOURNEY

Winchester's older first-year players took on a second-year squad from Manotick in the recently staged NDMHA tournament in Chesterville and defeated them by 8-1 and 12-0 counts.

Fadi Mahfouz led the Demons to the two wins with an eight-goal, three-assist effort. Kyle Kloosterman scored five times and assisted on a sixth goal while Craig Moran notched five goals and one helper. Kyle Holmes had a goal and one assist.

Derek Kelly (4), Zarley Hutt (2), Bradley Switch and Scott Bradley all earned assists. Johnathon Suffel and Adam Besharah also helped their teammates sweep the two games.

The next day the Demons faced another second-year Manotick team and they posted another win. This time Fadi Mahfouz scored four times and assisted on a fifth goal in a 10-3 victory.

Kyle Kloosterman netted three goals and assisted on a pair. Johnathon Suffel bagged a goal and set up two others. Craig Moran snapped in a single tally.

Scott Bradley and Zarley Hutt chipped in an asist each. Oliver Last held Manotick to just three goals with some stellar goaltending.

FIRST-YEAR DEMONS

Winchester's first-year Demons split a pair of games in the NDMHA tourney losing 5-2 to Chesterville and defeating Morrisburg 5-3.

Ben Collins and Scott Smail potted the Demons two goals in their loss to Chesterville. Ryan Patterson and Brendan Stewart drew the assists.

In the 5-3 win over Morrisburg Shawn Gilmer scored a pair and assisted on a third goal. Blaine Moran, Darrel Moore and Ben Collins chipped in the other goals.



Novice runners-up

The Lannin Lumber Mart Demons dropped a 4-1 decision to the Winchester Blackhawks in the "A" final of the recently played NGS Junior Novice hockey tournament. The "A" finalists are, front, left Derek Vingerhoeds, Michael Zubatuk, Jonathan Bradley, Brett Bird, Mark Harrison. Back, left, coach Denis Hamelin, Mike Ryan, Cory Waugh, Jason Vingerhoeds, Tyler Panchuk, Brendan Flowers, Bruce Hamelin, assistant coach Ed Ryan.

Atoms earn three points

KEMPTVILLE—A three-goal first-period stood up here for the North Dundas Atom "C" No. One Demons as they battled Kemtpville No. Two to a 3-3 UCMHL play-off tie.

It was North Dundas No. Ones second of eight round robin playoff game and the result left them with three of a possible four points.

Demon coach Bill Brannen indicated the goaltending of Robbie Brannen and the strong play of a defensive unit made up of Jamie MacDonell, Jonathan Gyde, Adam Raby and Tony Vanderveen were key factors in the game.

Derek Murdoch's unassisted goal gave North Dundas a 1-0 lead at 9:28 of the first period. Kemptville tied it up on Brandon Arthurs' tally at 8:07 but the Demons were up 3-1 by the time the opening stanza had been completed.

Trevor Morozuk snapped the 1-1 deadlock scoring on a feed from Josh McRoberts and Craig Panchuk 3:09 before the end of the session and then Murdoch connected for a 3-1 lead after Jonas Dawson and Todd Levers had fed him the puck.

Kemptville closed the gap and tied it at three on third period goals by Darryl Catherwood (9:05) and Ben Juneau (2:21).

Coach Brannen's defensive corp included just MacDonell, Gyde and Raby but the bench boss said those three were able to do the job in a 7-3 playoff victory over North Dundas No. Two.

It was a 2-2 game after a period, but the No. Ones were up 5-2 after two.

Craig Panchuk had a two goal, two-assist effort in a winning cause. Todd Levers also banged in a pair of goals. Kris Lent, Trevor Morozuk, and Derek Murdoch supplied the other goals. Josh McRoberts (2), Jamie MacDonell (2), Lent, Morozuk and Murdoch all earned assists.

Andrew Douma scored twice and assisted on a third goal while Chris Koopman had a goal and two assists for the No. Two Demons. Brad Lynn also picked up a point.

C's edge Lions

CHESTERVILLE—North Dundas No. Two Demons won, lost and tied games during the final stages of their 1992-93 UCMHL Atom "C" season.

A three goal third period highlighted a 3-2 win over the Morrisburg Lions here in January.

The Lions broke up a scoreless contest with Brian Scott's unassisted marker in the second period. Glen Mellan scored with 9:38 left on the clock to make it 2-0 but Marty Little's squad roared back and posted a 3-2 victory.

Chris Koopman connected on Andrew Douma's feed with just 1:21 left in the game to cut his team's deficit to 2-1. Grant Booth tied it up with assistance from Chris Wall at 1:04 and Andrew Douma snapped in a relay from Booth and Koopman with just 0:54 left on the clock to make it a 3-2 final.

Another third-period rally netted the Demons a 2-2 tie with Kemptville.

Kemptville was up 2-0 with 8:49 left in the game but let the Demons loose and had to settle for a 2-2 tie.

Andrew Douma sliced a goal off the deficit scoring from Jonathon DeJong 7:39 before the end of the game.

Grant Booth tied it up at 2-2 finishing off a play started by Koopman 6:27 before the end of the contest.

Kemptville No. Two Royals then snapped North Dundas' unbeaten string nipping them 2-1.

Kemptville broke up a scoreless contest with two second-period goals and once again North Dundas mounted a comeback. But this time the third period brought them just one goal.

Chris Koopman gave the Demons their lone goal scoring from Booth 9:01 before the end of the game.

FRANKLY SPEAKING



by Frank Morgan

HAWKS DOWN 2 TO 1 HERE THIS FRIDAY

The Winchester Junior B Hawks started their best of seven semi-finals series against the Char-Lan Rebels with an overtime win in Williamstown last Friday and in spite of a 4-2 lead and great goaltending going into the third period on Sunday, came away with a 6-4 loss, with Char-Lan going ahead in the dying minutes to tie the series in a good fast skating encounter. We have yet to get the details but the Hawks dropped the third game in Char-Lan last night to give the Raisin River Boys a one-game lead in the closely fought encounter. This has been a cleanly played fast-skating series and fans have not lost faith in the team's ability to even things up on home ice this Friday night when the fourth game is played in Winchester. It will be back to Char-Lan on Saturday and should the series stretch to extra games the sixth game will be played in Winchester next Monday. If that is not enough the series will finish up in Char-Lan on Wed., March 3 in order to have a team ready to face the winners of the Kemptville-Morrisburg series which the Lions lead 2-0 at the moment. For fans who enjoy fast clean hockey this series has so far been a treat with both teams forgetting the cheap play and going all out from end to end in their quest for supremacy.

LAST CALL FOR TRIP TO PHILLY

A busload of Terry Carkner fans will be leaving Winchester this Friday at 4pm en route to Philadelphia to see favorite son Terry and the Flyers play the N.Y. Islanders in the Spectrum and at the time of writing this column there is still space for two more twosomes. The cost per twosome is $360 which includes travel, hotel and tickets to the game which when figured out on a per person deal is a real opportunity that you shouldn't miss, if you can find the time to get away. It is my understanding that Terry and some of the Flyers will be going out with the hometown fans and I know that some memorabilia buffs will be going along for autographs. If you ever thought of seeing Terry play in the Spectrum this is your chance of a lifetime. If you're interested call Larry Berry at 774-2384 for booking or additional information.

SO YOU THINK WE HAVE LOTS OF SNOW

On reading some statictics in the Citizen this week on our current snowfall I was reminded of the winter of 1970-71 when I was a member of council and appointed to the roads committee in charge of snow removal. To date according to quoted figures in the Citizen we have had 54.2 cm in February compared to 159.5 in 1971 when our total fall for the winter was recorded at 444.1 cm or 14.8 feet, compared to the 185.4 cm or 6.2 feet which this year has yielded to date. I well remember Redmonds piling snow in great pyramids on the main streets to allow for movement, while hauling took place when convenient time was found; then having to bring down a big earth mover from their gravel pit to move back the corners when visibility became impossible. Yes, those were the days. Oh yes and we did get complaints at council when there was snow on the streets at 9am in the morning. Sound familiar?

First-years post two wins

WINCHESTER—Ben Collins scored a natural hat trick leading the Winchester No. One Demons to a 4-1 win over Morrisburg on Saturday.

Matthew Holmes assisted on Collins' third goal while Darrel Moore scored the fourth goal on an assist from Blaine Moran.

The same day Winchester and Chesterville's first- year novices were combined to form the North Dundas first-year Demons and that squad skated to a 7-1 victory over Russell.

Fadi Mahouz scored five times for the winners. Kyle Kloosterman fired in the other two markers.

Derik Kelly (2), Johnathon Suffel, Craig Moran, Zarley Hutt and Adam Besharh all drew assists.

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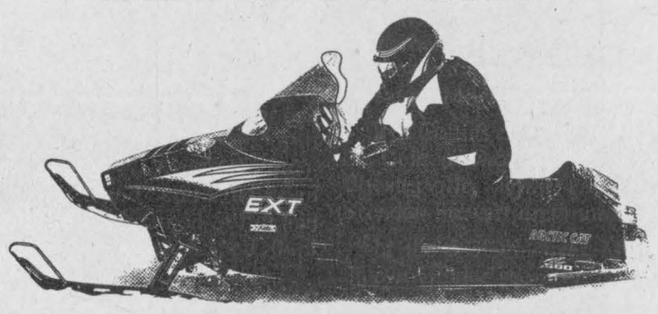

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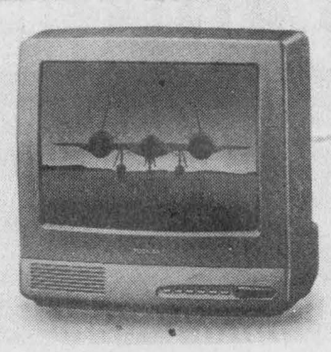

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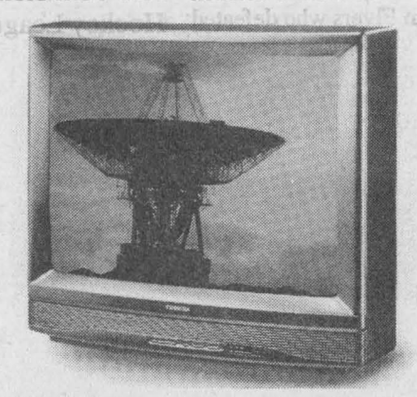

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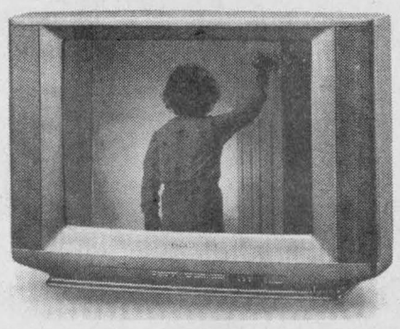

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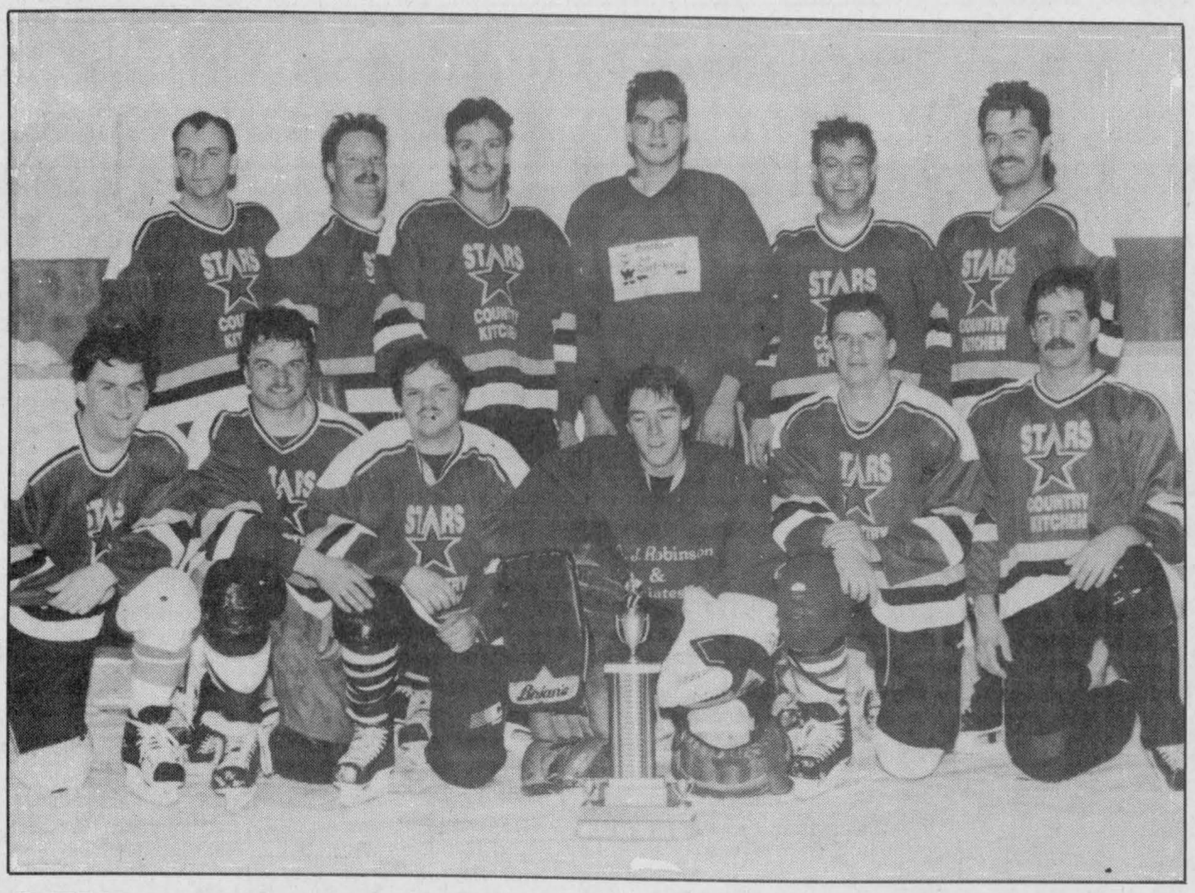

WTHL pennant winners

The Country Kitchen Stars won 12 of 19 games to earn the 1992-93 WTHL regular season championship. Members of the Stars are: front, left, Mike Guy, Rudy Grisel, Mark Smith, Kenton Holmes, John Guy, Jamie Utman. Back, left, Mark Guy, Rob Saunders, Mike Goddard, Rene Boulanger, Fred Young, Vince Cousineau. Missing - Steve Plummer, Ken Quaile.

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Midget Demons become 'spoilers'

KEMPTVILLE—Demons' goalie Denis Desormeaux came up with back-to-back saves in the final minute of the game here Monday to allow North Dundas to hold on to a 3-3 tie with the Kemptville Royals.

The game's result gave the Midget "A" Demons their fourth UCMHL Western Division round-robin playoff point and a record of 1-2-2.

"Denis (Desormeaux) played an exceptional game for us. We had a powerplay and were really pressing for the victory but they (Royals) got two break-aways and he (Denis) stopped them both," explained Midget "A" coach Mike Arnkvarn.

After opening their post season with a tie North Dundas has defeated the Perth Blue Wings (6-4), lost 8-3 to the South Grenville Rangers, lost 5-1 to the Brockville Warriors and tied Kemptville 3- 3.

"We are out of it (hunt for the West Division championship) now but we want to keep things together and play the role of spoilers. We have had a great season," the coach said.

Arnkvarn says the teams to beat right now are South Grenville and Kemptville and holding the Royals to that 3-3 tie Monday just might have knocked them off their game.

"We played well and won handily in Perth. In Prescott we were up 2-0 and tied 3-3 after the first period. We seemed to stop skating the and they (Rangers) came on and really hammered us, maybe the worst beating we've taken this year."

Against Brockville, Arnkvarn felt his team played well but couldn't find the net in a 5-1 loss.

"We had a meeting and talked about the losses. It seems we were lacking team defence and I think we put it togehter for last night's game in Kemptville."

"Team morale is good in spite of everything. We want to keep the team together as long as we can and will probably finish the year off with a tournament, maybe Pembroke."

Clint Holmes scored unassisted in the second period of Monday's game against Kemptville. Jason Desormeaux and Chris McFarlane then drilled in goals in the third period to tie it up 3-3. Craig Halpenny set up both of those goals and Dave Sears helped out on Desormeaux's marker. Kemptville led 3-1 after two. McFarlane tied it up at 11:20.

Ben Comfort scored the Demons' lone goal in Sunday's 5-1 loss to Brockville. Brett Hillis and Jason Desormeaux set him up at 6:08 of period three.

Jason Desormeaux, Craig Halpenny and Brett Hillis gave the Demons a 3-0 first-period lead against South Grenville last Friday but the Rangers rode on to an 8-3 win. Hillis (2), Desormeaux (2) and Phillip Brisebois (2) assisted on the goals.

North Dundas led 3-2 after two periods and went on to defeat the Blue Wings 6-4 in Perth on Feb. 16.

Clint Holmes scored twice and drew one assist in the win. Jason Desormeaux, Barry Bell, Phillip Brisebois and Grant Williams netted the other goals. Brent Barkley (2), Desormeaux (2) and Chris McFarlane drew the assists.

Grant Williams scored the winning goal with help from Chris McFarlane at 12:21 of the third period.

Klein-Swormink MVP in Atom B tournament

ATHENS—An MVP effort from Becky Klein-Swormink wasn't quite enough to give North Dundas Atom "B" Demons a championship.

Competing against some high caliber talent here in the Athens District Minor Hockey Tournament on Saturday North Dundas knocked off Aylmer, Que. 1-0 and eliminated Almonte 5-2 before dropping a 5-3 decision to Canterbury Gold in the "A" Division championship match.

Becky Klein-Swormink, later named North Dundas' game MVP, scored with 0:02 left in period one and again at 8:11 of period two to keep the Demons tied with Canterbury. By the time Patrick Hamel was able to find the net at 2:59 of the final period the Demons were down 5-3 and that's the way the game finished.

Hamel (2), Chris Wyatt and Blake Barnhart drew assists on the three North Dundas goals.

An unassisted marker by Hamel with 3:30 left in the game gave North Dundas an opening 1-0 win over Aylmer. Bobby Hamelin posted the zero.

In the semi-final round Patrick Hamel potted three consecutive goals and led the Demons to a 5-2 win over Almonte. Chris Wyatt snapped in the other two.



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Stars shine in WTHL opener

WINCHESTER—John "Slim" Guy scored three times here last Tuesday leading the Winchester Town Hockey League pennant-winning Country Kitchen Stars to an exciting 4-3 victory over the CountryBoy Kings.

Guy scored his squad's first three goals but it was Stars' captain and playing G.M. Jamie "Uptown" Utman who pumped home the winning disc with just 0:07 left on the clock.

When asked how the winning goal had transpired Utman said, "I don't know where the puck came from but it bounced right out from the net. I heard "Slim" (John Guy) yelling at me to get out of the way but I jumped on it (puck) and fired it home."

The victory gave the Stars a big 1-0 lead in a very short best of three series.

In the other half of the playoff twinbill the second-ranked Boyd Chrysler Rams were dealt a setback by the Aqua Fun Flyers who defeated them 4-2.

Following their opening victory Country Kitchen received the Royal Bank Trophy from WTHL president John Ralko. 1992-93 Scoring champion Jeff Johnston was also presented with the scoring award.

Stars' captain Utman explained that the Royal Bank Trophy was the first piece in solving the big "Melvin Cup" puzzle.

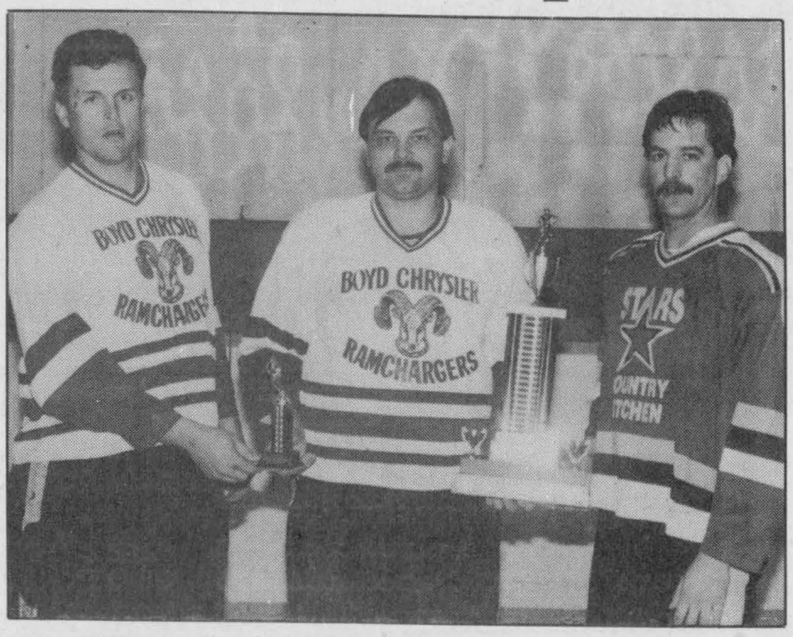
John Guy got things started when he cashed in a relay from Rene Boulanger and Utman at 17:56 of the first period.

Marty Little evened things up when he scored the CountryBoy's opening goal at 12:09. Neil Bartholomew and Pete Marriner engineered the tying marker.

Guy's second goal opened up a 2-1 lead for Country Kitchen at the 12:19 mark of period two. Fred Young and Utman drew assists on that play.

Bill Bakker's unassisted tally with 4:20 left in period two knotted it up at 2-2.

John Guy struck again with 5:36 left in the game as he stole the puck at centre ice while killing a penalty and broke in alone on Kings' Greg VanDellen. A forehand to backhand move at close range netted him his third goal and a 3-2 lead.



Jeff Johnston, left, accepted the 1992-93 Winchester Town Hockey League scoring champion trophy from league president John Ralko. Country Kitchen captain Jamie Utman, right, picked up the Royal Bank Award on behalf of the pennant-winning Stars.

Press Photo—Van Bridger

CountryBoy pulled VanDellen in the final 1:07 and the move paid off with the tying goal.

Bakker crammed into Kenton Holmes' crease and shoved in the tying goal with 1:00 left in regulation time. Todd Findlay and Marty Little picked up assists on the play.

But 53 seconds later Utman, breaking straight toward the Kings' cage had the puck bounced right into his path. He was able to snap in into the twine and break the 3-3 tie to put his squad up 4- 3.

Mark "Freddy" Smith and Vinny Cousineau set up the game-breaking goal.

FLYERS 4 - RAMS 2

Referees John Mackler and Don Marcellus had their hands full as the "B" series encounter between the Boyd Chrysler Ramchargers and the Aqua Fun Flyers boiled over in a heated finish.

But when the shoving and pushing had subsided the Flyers had posted a 4-2 victory and taken a 1-0 lead in the series.

WTHL scoring champ Jeff Johnston gave the Rams a 1-0 edge when he drilled a 10-foot blast into Craig "J.B." Smith's cage at 7:55 of the opening stanza. Wally Vandekemp and Neil Kittle helped out on the play.

Larry Simms evened it up scoring from John Marquette 5:05 before the end of the period.

Darrell Shelp clicked on a Brad Holmes' feed at 7:14 of period two and the Flyers were up 2-1 after two.

The count remained stalled at 2-1 until the dying moments of regulation.

James Milne connected from Dean McIntosh and Dwayne Fawcett with 2:04 left and it provided the Flyers with a comfortable 3-1 lead but with 0:20 showing on the clock Steve Dillabough poked in a loose puck and the Rams were close at 3-2.

Dean McIntosh then ruined any hopes Boyds had for a comeback when he scored with just 0:01 left. Darrell Shelp assisted on the insurance marker.

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Bantams lose tourney final

STITTSVILLE—Kris Young converted a relay from Stephen Henderson into the first goal of the game but that was the lone scoring play the North Dundas Bantam "B" Demons could come up with.

Rockland tied the game up at 7:28 of the opening stanza and then drilled in the winner at 13:21 of period two. A second goal by Norm Shank scored at 6:34 of the final frame gave Rockland a 3-1 victory and the Stittsville Minor Hockey Bantam "B" tournament championship.

North Dundas opened the event by putting Kanata in the consolation round. The Demons led 2-0 after a period and 3-1 after two sessions en route to a 5- 2 victory.

Robbie Raistrick scored from Jamie Hyndman at 7:02 to win the game.

Anthony Mann and Raistrick each scored twice while Hyndman notched the other. Jason McDonald (2), Hyndman and Ryan Holmes drew the assists.

Goalies Troy Elliott and Darryl Beck took turns guarding the North Dundas twine.

Andrew Roach potted a pair of first-period goals leading North Dundas to a 3-2 win over Stittsville in the elimination round.

Stephen Henderson snapped in a Rob Raistrick relay with 4:44 left on the clock to break up a 2-2 tie and win it for the Demons.

Ryan Filion assisted on Roach's first goal and Wes McLeod engineered the second.



Ridge tops

Maple Ridge captured the 1993 Dundas County Senior Elementary basketball championship defeating Nationview "A" 21-11 in the final match. The boys champs are: front, left, Chris Barkley, Troy Elliott, Rob Desormeaux, Mike Casselman. Back, left, Evan Porteous, Brian Slowey, Aaron Lannin, Dan Huizinga, coach Deanne VanLoon. Press Photo—Van Bridger

Devils will face Pats

MAPLE RIDGE—Brendan Bumbaco's first two shots of the game proved to be crucial ones.

Bumbaco hit two free throws with 45 seconds left to lift North Dundas District High School senior boys' basketball team to a 64-61 win over the St. Joseph's Panthers Tuesday.

"Those were very crucial points," said Devils coach Deanna Corbett-White. "If he'd missed, they could have tied the game."

The Panthers, who hit eight three-point shots on the afternoon, drained one just before fouling Bumbaco and nailed another at the buzzer. North Dundas had a three-point lead when Bumbaco went to the line.

"This was a very important game for us," Corbett- White said. "A loss would have meant playing St. Lawrence in the first round of the playoffs."

The Devils have won their last three starts and finish the SD&G "AA" regular season in third place with a 6-2 record.

Tuesday's win kept North Dundas out of a showdown with the undefeated St. Lawrence Saints, but the second-place La Citadelle Patriotes are not going to be any easier.

The Devils lost two meetings with the Pats, the season opener 58-57 and a tournament game in overtime.

BLOCKING THE DRIVE

Long distance shooting played a significant role in each team's game. The Panthers dialed in eight from long range, five in the final quarter, while the Devils answered with five. Mike Singh hit three and Sean Salter added a pair.

St. Joe's had a lot of success driving to the basket in the first half, forcing Corbett-White to change her defensive strategy.

The Devils switched from man-to-man coverage to a two-three zone late in the second quarter and Corbett-White credits that with turning the game around.

St. Joe's jumped to a 10-point lead in the first half and held it until late in the second when the Devils changed strategy.

North Dundas cut the margin to six points, 38-32, by the half, and took the lead for good midway through the third.

Salter led all scorers with 22 points while Rodney Merkley hit for 16. Singh contributed 15 and Sean Hachey added 12. "It's the best game I've seen him play all year," Corbett-White said of Hachey's performance. "He was all over the place on defence."

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St. Joe's won both the junior and midget games. The Panthers won the Junior contest 55-22 and took the Midget 46-22. The losses leave both North Dundas teams winless for the SD&G season.

Quesnel nets Hawks a third-place goal

WINCHESTER—Jason Quesnel came up with a big goal here last Wednesday as he gave the Winchester Hawks an exciting 3-2 overtime victory over the Char-Lan Rebels.

The win enabled the Hawks to break a tie with the Kemptville 73s and take over sole possession of third place in the EOJBHL's St. Lawrence Division standings.

The same evening Kemptville suffered a 13-7 defeat at the hands of the pennant-winning Morrisburg Lions and settled into fourth place in the final standings.

Since those games were played the third-place Hawks have split their first two games with the second-ranked Char-Lan Rebels beating them 5-4 in overtime in Williamstown and losing 6-4 here on Sunday afternoon.

In the "A" semi-final series the high-scoring Morrisburg Lions have dealt the Kemptville 73s 8-3 and 8-6 and lead their best of seven 2-0.

After losing six of seven games to the Rebels this season the Hawks finally solved their problem beating Char-Lan 3-2 in overtime in the final game of the 1992-93 campaign.

Chad Smith tended the Hawks' nets and turned back 35 of 37 shots he faced en route to Winchester's fifth consecutive victory. The decision left the Hawks' record at 22-20-0.

John Hamel gave Winchester a 1-0 lead when he finished off a play started by Joe Barressi and Norm Decoste at 14:50 of period one.

Char-Lan knotted it up 1-1 at 4:22 of period two when John Edgerton completed a play started for him by Shane McDonell and Adam Morris.

Rebs' sniper Denis St. Jean snapped a Marc Bellemare relay into Smith's cage with 5:15 left in the final period and Char-Lan had a 2-1 lead with time running out.

Hawks' little Kenny Corp then came through with a very big goal. Corp was able to find space behind Trevor McMillan 4:54 before the end of the game and tie it up at 2-2. Derek Brannan and Steve Johnston helped Corp send the game into OT.

With just 0:50 left in the extra 5:00 session Winchester struck for the winning goal. Jason Quesnel won it with help from Kirk Tallman and Jesse Pulfer.

Each team had two men tossed for a late third- period fight. Norm Decoste and Peter Feletar missed game one of the playoffs as did Rebels Bobby Bowels and Chris Petry.

Scoreboard

Eastern Ontario Junior "B" Hockey League

GAME ONE, "A" SERIES
Feb. 19: Morrisburg 8, Kemptville 3
GAME TWO
Feb. 21: Morrisburg 8, Kemptville 6
(Lions lead series 2-0)
GAME THREE
Feb. 24: Kemptville at Morrisburg

GAME ONE, "B" SERIES
Feb. 19: Winchester 5, Char-Lan 4 (OT)
GAME TWO
Feb. 21: Char-Lan 6, Winchester 4
GAME THREE
Feb. 22: Char-Lan 6, Winchester 3
(Rebels lead series 2-1)
GAME FOUR
Feb. 26: Char-Lan at Winchester, 8:15pm
GAME FIVE
Feb. 27: Winchester at Char-Lan, 7:45pm
GAME SIX
March 1: Char-Lan at Winchester, 8:15pm

Metcalfe Town Hockey League

RECENT RESULTS:
Feb. 21: Hicks Insurance 3, Ross Realty 2
31 Esso Flyers 4, BC Aluminum Kings 2
Carleton Mushroom 9, Dewan Painting 3

STANDINGS	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts.
BC Aluminum Kings	14	7	3	84	57	31
Carleton Mushroom	13	6	4	95	65	30
Ross Realty Stars	14	9	0	94	65	28
Hicks Insurance	11	12	0	55	73	22
31 Esso Flyers	6	15	2	63	116	14
Dewan Painting	5	14	4	71	82	14

TOP SCORERS	G	A	Pts.
Barry Kerfoot, Leafs	20	28	48
Moe Robinson, Kings	7	32	39
Rick Bloom, Sharks	15	23	38
Jeff Stanley, Stars	18	15	33
Rudy Grisel, Kings	19	13	32
Mike Stanley, Kings	15	17	32
Steve Wade, Flyers	13	19	32

Osgoode Town Hockey League

RECENT RESULTS:
Feb. 16: Pypers 6, Manotick 5
Feb. 18: Osgoode 5, Greely Eagles 4
Metcalfe 7, Leitrim 5

STANDINGS	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts.
Osgoode Pypers	14	5	0	111	77	28
Metcalfe Stars	11	7	2	116	83	24
Osgoode Outlaws	11	8	0	91	75	22
Manotick Sharks	10	9	1	91	81	21
Leitrim Flames	6	12	2	78	107	14
Greely Eagles	4	15	1	70	140	9

TOP SCORERS:	G	A	Pts.
Tom Wardle, Metcalfe	32	23	55
Tim Oshier, Metcalfe	26	27	53
Jamie Henkel, Pypers	19	18	37
Kevin Downey, Pypers	15	20	35
Rick Downey, Pypers	14	21	35
Doug Clunie, Manotick	18	14	32
Dale Carson, Leitrim	15	14	29
Jim Bezanson, Greely	15	14	29
Bob Kemp, Outlaws	11	18	29

Winchester & District Broomball League

1992-93 PLAYOFFS

"A POOL" SEMI-FINALS
Series "A", Game 1 - Prescott Rd. 4, Ormond 3
Series "B", Game 1 - Morewood 5, Manotick 1
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Bantams take B title with overtime marker

CHESTERVILLE — Bryan Heuff scored with 40 seconds remaining in overtime to give the North Dundas Demons the consolation title at the North Dundas Bantam "C" hockey tournament in Chesterville Sun., Feb. 14.

Heuff rifled in a clearing pass from goalie Daryl Holmes as the Demons downed the Gloucester Cougars 3-2.

Massena, behind the netminding of Darryl Paige, blanked North Stormont 5-0 in the championship final.

North Dundas tied the consolation final at the 7:40 mark of the third period on a Matt Foley shot. Sandra Brunner assisted.

The two sides traded goals in the first period — Jason Douma for the Demons and Scott Dayton for the Cougars — before Gloucester opened a 2-1 lead late in the second frame.

North Dundas dropped its first round contest 2-1 to North Grenville Stormont, but upended South Grenville 4-0 in the "B" semi-finals.

Todd Anderson and Kevin Anderson scored for NGS while Curtis Sears, on a pass from Derik Gates, replied for North Dundas.

Holmes earned the shutout against South Grenville while Gates buried a pair and Clint Berry and Lance Bowman collected singles. Berry also drew a pair of assists.

After a 6-5 win over Gloucester in the opening round, Massena had little trouble reaching the championship. It downed Morrisburg 3-0 before facing North Grenville Stormont.

After demoting the Demons to the "B" round, NGS edged the Nepean Raiders 1-0 on a goal by Todd Anderson with 30 seconds left in overtime. Pascal Paquette posted the shutout.

Imrie leads Green Team into playoffs with pair

CHESTERVILLE—Don Imrie scored a pair of goals to propel Team Green to a 4-2 win over Team Blue as the Chesterville Town Hockey League playoffs kicked off Wednesday night.

The win gives third-place Green a 1-0 lead in the best-of-three semi-final series.

In the other contest, last-place Team Red tied pennant-winners Team Black 3-3.

Both semi-final series continue tonight (Feb.24) at the Chesterville Arena.

Imrie placed bookends on Green's opening night win, tipping in a Ray Sherrer pass in the first period and converting a Dean Williams and Kevin Byers play in the third.

Jeff Williamson and Dale Williams also scored for Green, with Jeff Moore and Greg Sullivan drawing assists.

Kevin Moore and Rodney Casselman tallied for Blue.

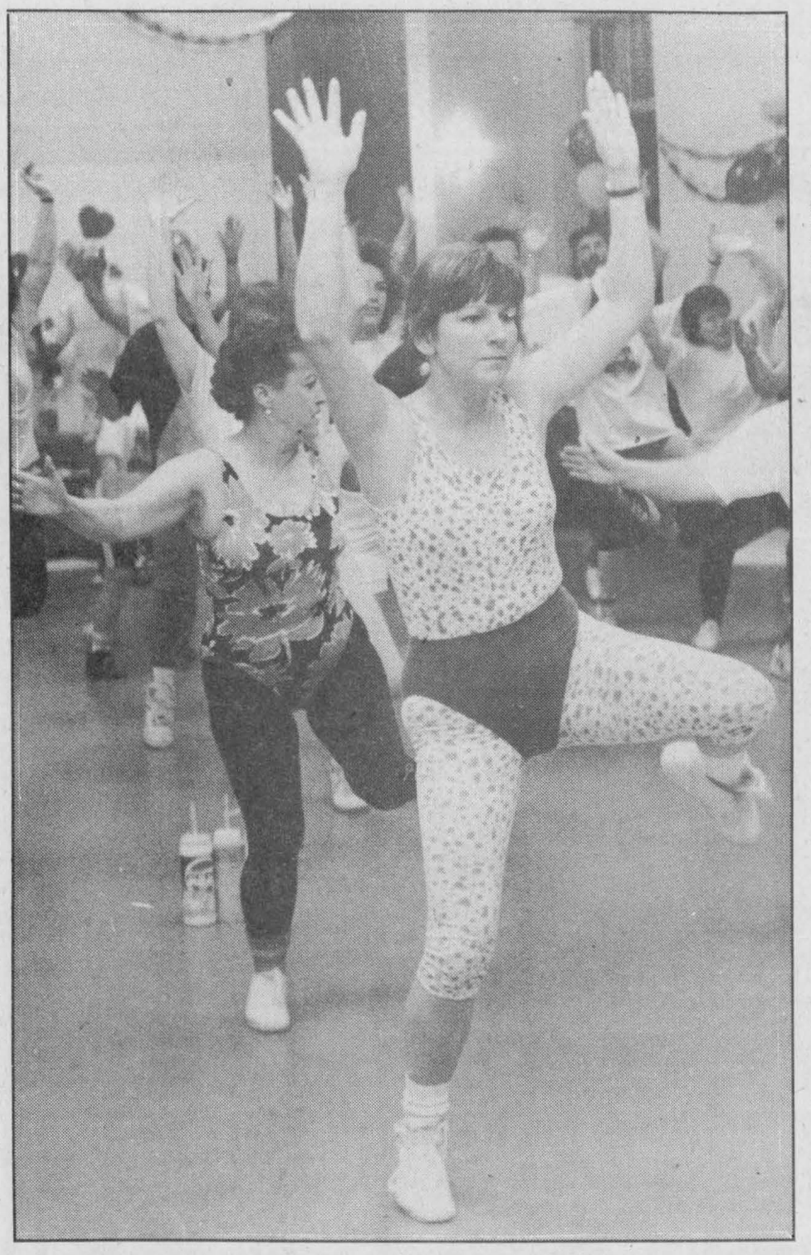
RED 3 - BLACK 3

Dolton Henry, John Guy and John Luimes counted markers to give the upstart Red squad a draw with Black.

Guy and Luimes collected assists as did Jerrold Boulanger and Dave Appleby.

Dan Dubois, John Mackler and Jamie Utman countered for Black, which dominated the regular season with a 13-5 record.

Dubois, Chris Guy, Pat Kelly and Kent Tolly nabbed helpers.



Dance for Heart

The Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario was the big winner from last week's Dance for Heart in Chesterville. Organized by Jennifer Gregoire, the annual event raised a sweat amongst participants and $55,000 for heart and stroke research during the past seven years. Press Photo — Moreau

Baldwin earns hat trick in Sr. A Novice playoffs

WINCHESTER—Scott Baldwin scored a goal a period leading the North Dundas Valu Mart Demons to an impressive 6-2 UCMHL Senior "A" Novice playoff victory over the visiting North Leeds Rideaus.

Last Friday the Demons posted another post-season victory beating the Kemptville Royals 3-1.

North Dundas led North Leeds 2-1 after a period of the Thursday night encounter. Stefan Gravelle tied it up 1-1 when he scored from Eric Toonders 1:25 before the end of the session. Scott Baldwin made it 2-1 with his first goal which was set up for him by Shawn Smail 22 seconds later at 1:03.

Mike Hill had given the Rideaus a 1-0 edge when he connected on an unassisted play at 3:10 of the first.

Baldwin took a feed from Smail and opened up a 3-1 gap for the Demons at 9:40 of period two and North Leeds answered quickly when Peter Bastedo dented twine at 8:38.

Shawn Smail completed a solo dash with 4:08 left in the period and North Dundas led 4-2 after two.

Baldwin completed his hat trick scoring from Jeff LaFrance at 7:44 of the final frame. Aaron Kelly iced the win when he finished off a play started by Stefan Gravelle and Kelly Beckstead 4:45 before the end of the game.

Goalies Alexander Last and Chris Currie turned in another strong effort the following night backing North Dundas in their 3-1 win over the Kemptville Royals.

The pair surrendered just one goal and that came from Royals' Todd Templeton at 9:09 of period one.

Demons tied it up at 1-1 0:56 before the end of the first period. Billy McRoberts evened things up using a feed from Dean Byvelds.

Byvelds then engineered the winning goal which was scored by Francis Dagenais at 7:56 of period three.

Stephan Gravelle was quick to pump in an insurance goal when he made it 3-1 with help from Eric Toonders at 6:41.

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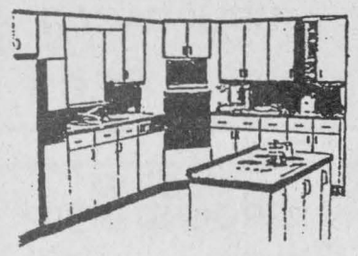

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WINCHESTER—Winchester's Centennial Old Timers split a pair of recent exhibition games losing 12- 6 to the rapid firing Shakey Shooters here last Thursday and blasting Greely 15-3 Monday night in Metcalfe.

Paul Sheard, Owen Shortt and Dave Coleman each potted three goals in Monday's 15-3 victory. Doug Coleman, Dan Lecours and Larry Moore came through with two each. Steve "Bear" Johnston tended the nets and Dave Coleman earned himself another "Mario" award.

Keith Moore scored twice in the loss to the Shakey Shooters. Dan Lecours, Larry Moore, Mike Arnkvarn and Dave Coleman added the others.

Euchre party

WILLIAMSBURG — Winners at the Williamsburg seniors' euchre on Wed., Feb. 3 were as follows:

Ladies: Muriel Gow; Elizabeth Brooks; Enid Dalrymple.

Gents: Tom Henderson; Doug Gow; Doris Hill.

Door: Helen Gillespie; Tom Henderson.

Draw: Ralph Casselman; Zeta Goddard; Peggy Thompson; Basil Hollister; Doug Gow; Betty Henderson.

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