Seaway slated to open for shipping season on April 1

by Sandra Lee Johnston
Chieftain Staff Reporter

Although the Seaway entities will continue to monitor and evaluate climatic conditions as well as the progress of winter works programs, the Seaway Authority has advised that for planning purposes it would be prudent to assume that the opening date for the 1987 Navigation season will be April 1.

According to J.M. Kroone, Director of Operations and Maintenance with the St. Lawrence Seaway, firm opening dates will be announced early next month.

Mr. W. A. O'Neil, President of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority announced last month that Canada and the U.S. had agreed to continue the freeze on tolls on the Montreal to Lake Ontario section of the Seaway for the 1987 and 88 navigation season. This means tolls will remain at the 1983 level for a period of six years, in an attempt to increase the system's competitiveness with ports on the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts and to divert cargo, largely manufactured products, from railroads and trucks hauling goods to the same ports. The diversity of the cargo mix is also to aid in the independence of the system - it was decided that too much dependence on grain was not a good thing.

On the Welland Canal section, it was decided to raise the rates by 8% in '87 and 8% in '88, representing an increase of about 4% each year for vessels transiting both parts of the system.

This increase in the Tariff of Tolls is substantially less than would be required if the Authority's costs of providing the Seaway Service were met in full. It is expectd that revenues will provide sufficient income to maintain the self-supporting mandate which has been in effect since 1978.

The 190 miles of Seaway opened along the St. Lawrence River in 1959, is capable of handling up to 80 million metric tons of cargo annuallv.

Commercial-vessel transits of the Seaway rose in 1986, with 2,816 ships passing through the locks: this is up from 1985, when 2,623 went through. Ocean-vessel transits were up from 1,096 to 1,278 this past season.

Promoting more international traffic for the Seaway to reverse the decreased tonnage that threatened the economic viability of the Great Lakes maritime industry has been an on-going task for James L. Emery since he became Seaway Administrator in 1983.

It is important to remember that last November, the Minister of Transport, the Honourable John Crosbie announced that the $175 million Welland Canal rehabilitation program would be covered by federal funds, not by tolls levied on users of the system.

In August of 1984, the sytem's first trade and traffic development offices were opened to convince potential shippers to use the Seaway. "The Seaway is the cheapest and most efficient way of moving coal, iron, grain, heavy cargoes and bulk shipments between the middle of North America and much of the rest of the world," says Paul Martin, President of Canada Steamship Lines, a major user of the system.

The first two in a series of overseas trade missions, designed to sell the Seaway as a uniified transportation system rather than as individual ports visited nine European countries. More such missions are planned.

Ports, shippers, freight forwarders and other maritime interests on the Great Lakes now can receive a daily telex service notifying them of the passage of inbound ocean freighters and their capacity available to have out-bound cargo.

A coalition has been formed of governmental agencies with an interest in Seaway commerce. Some who were infrequent users of the system have since increased shipments.

Last season almost 4,000 ships were handled in the system, which worked like a charm. In its 26 years of operation, less than 1% of operation time has been lost due to accidents or equipment malfunction.

Hoping to have a better year this time, both Mr. O'Neil (President of Canadian portion of Seaway) and Mr. Emery (U.S. cohort to Mr. O'Neil) are trying to dispel the negative image of a system that left hundreds of expensive ships sitting idle for a total of 56 days over two years due to equipment failures, a collapsed lock wall in the Welland Canal and ice jams in the St. Claire River. A trip to London, England was included in their itinerary to persuade Lloyd's not to increase insurance premiums for ships using the Seaway.

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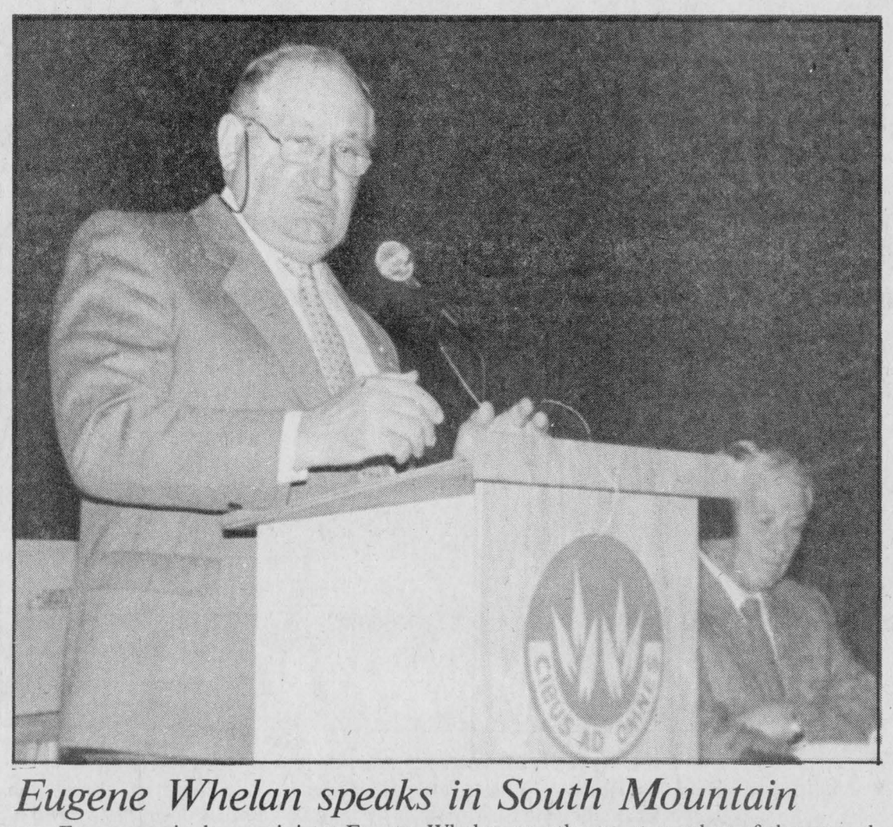

Eugene Whelan speaks in South Mountain

Former agriculture minister Eugene Whelan was the guest speaker of the annual meeting and banquet of the Dundas County Federation of Agriculture in South Mountain on Friday night. For the complete details, please see the accompanying story.

Chieftain Photo - J. Day

Jennifer Pashak chosen to reign over a very successful Cardinal Winterfest

by Joan Grant
Chieftain Staff Reporter

A capacity crowd gathered at the Benson Public School on Thursday, February 19 for the crowning of the 1987 Winterfest Queen. When the cheers and squeals died down, it was 17 year old Jennifer Pashak who accepted the crown from last year's Queen Heidi Mengies.

Jennifer is 17 years old and the daughter of Glenn and Claire Pashak. She attends Grade 12 at St. Joseph's in Cornwall, and was sponsored by Beaupe Jewellers of Iroquois.

The first runner up was Amanda Shaver 15, the daughter of Douglas and Barbara Shaver, and the second runner up was 14 year old Nicole Lafontaine, daughter of Richard and Mary Lafontaine.

The blue sash announcing Miss Congeniality went to 14 year old Tracey Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miller.

The pageant opened with a skit done by the Cardinal Cubs (Robert Perry, Jason Summerfield, Jason Presley, Brian Smail, David Smith, Bobby Saunders, Robert Robinson (leader), followed by the Cardinal Beavers dancing to "Let's Get Physical." The Beavers included Jeffery Jessome, Ryan Fraser, Ryan McCurrie, Michael Riddell, Michael Jessome, Michael McCurrie, Billy Jo Armstrong, David O'Brien, Matthew Seary, David Harrington, Jeremy Lesprance, Brian Peters, Adam Peters and Leader Carol McCallum.

The Master of Ceremonies for the evening was Danny Hoffman and the people with the big decision of chosing the new Queen, the Judges were: Joyce Magee - Prudential Insurance Agent in Cardinal; Lorraine Fader, Iroquois Councillor; Ken Booth, Cardinal Councillor, Doug Grenkie, member of Board of Directors, Resource Centre; and Claude Blanchette of the Edwardsburg Lions Club.

The girls were judged on their personality, talents, the way they answered a certain question, confidence, and dress and walk.

The 12 contestants displayed a variety of talents during the talent portion of the evening all the way from gymnastics, singing, playing the piano, to a writing about the S.A.D.D. program.

During the two short intermissions Mr. Doug Warren entertained on the piano. While the judges were talleying the points the contestants sang "Friends". Last years Queen Heidi Mengies said a few words and took her final walk.

The door prizes were won by Leigh O'Brien, a pen and pencil set donated by the Royal Bank of Iroquois, and Pauline McCurrie won a floral arrangement by Fader's Floral Design of Iroquois.

The winner of the Winterfest Button draw was Ken Reid with button number 0676. He won a $50 gift certificate from Madmacs of Cardinal.

For the complete story on this year's Winterfest, turn to page 2.

Eugene Whalen speaks to Dundas County Federation

by Jim Day
Chieftain Staff Reporter

Notably absent was the Green Stetson, but everything else was characteristic of Eugene Whelan.

The flamboyant former Minister of Agriculture was guest speaker at the annual meeting and banquet of Dundas County Federation of Agriculture in South Mountain on February 20.

But even before entertaining about 280 with a spirited speech on agriculture, Mr. Whelan demonstrated his tongue-in-cheek wit to some nearby reporters.

He informed those standing in the wings with pad and pen in hand that Brian Mulroney had requested that the media leave the building.

After eating dinner, watching some square dancing , listening to meeting business and conducting elections, the crowd came to life when Mr. Whelan moved to center stage.

Mr. Whelan, president of the Agricultural International Development Associates of Canada, spent more than one hour combining opinion, information and humor.

Much of his speech dealt with the importance of marketing boards - something Mr. Whelan strongly defended during his tenure as an

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Patenaude re-elected SNRCA chairman

Gaston Patenaude was re-elected as Chairman at last Wednesday's full meeting of the South Nation River Conservation Authority.

John C. Whitteker remains as Vice-Chairman, and Lorne Strader retains his seat on the Executive Committee as Past Chairman. The only change in committee heads was the replacement of John McIntyre by Lucien Groulx as chairman of the Water Management Advisory Board. Mr. Groulx is the provincial appointee from Plantagenet.

Lorne Strader retains his position on the Executive Committee by virtue of receiving a provincial appointment. Dropped from the Executive was Stanley Vanden Bosch, whose provincial appointment was not renewed. Mr. Vanden Bosch was presented with a memento in recognition of his past work with the South Nation Conservation Authority.

The South Nation River Conservation Authority has set higher levies against particpating municipalities for this year.

At their meeting last Wednesday, the Authority approved an increase in their annual budget, and this will mean that the 30 municipal members of the organization will be paying more. Matilda Township will be paying about 28 per cent more this year,

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Best musicians to gather at Seaway

by Michael Law

Starting Thursday, February 26, Seaway District High School will host the 1987 Youth Band for Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry schools. The project includes the three neighbouring school boards' best musicians at the High School level. Seven very competent clinicians will be showing and teaching the young musicians their skills and abilities.

In addition to this there will be two different ensemble's performing. The Woodroffe Community Jazz Ensemble will be performing at the Seaway District High School gym on Thursday, February 26 at 8:00 p.m. On Friday, February 27 the McGill Wind Ensemble will perform at 8:00 p.m. at the school gym.

On the last day of the workshops, Peter Manley, a guest conductor will lead the S.D. & G. Youth Band in two performances. The first to be held at the high school's gym at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 1 and the second show to be held at Aultsville Hall, St. Lawrence College on the same day at 8:00 p.m.

Admission for all four performances will be only $1.00.

Serious accident hospitalizes man

Garry Wells remains in the Ottawa General Hospital in serious condition following an accident on Tuesday, February 17 on the 8th Concession, Matilda Township.

Eric Thurler of South Mountain, driver of a jeep, and Todd Smail of RR 2, Brinston, driver of a 3/4-ton truck, met head-on at a one-lane bridge just east of County Road 2. Both vehicles were damaged beyond economical repair; damage to the jeep was estimated at $3,800, and at $2,600 to the truck.

A passenger in Mr. Smail's vehicle, Garry Wells of RR 1, Williamsburg suffered severe injuries and was taken to Winchester District Memorial Hospital for treatment and was later transferred to the Ottawa General. The two drivers both received minor injuries, not requiring hospitalization.

The Morrisburg Ontario Provincial Police reported that none of the occupants of the vehicles were wearing seat belts at the time of the accident.

this week

Women's Week March 1-7

Tribute to women coming next week. Please see page 3.

March is coming!

...And March is Kidney Foundation Month. Your support is solicited. Please see page 2.

Missed us at the Party?

The Skating Party was a great success, on the second round, without us. Please see account on page 5

Horticultural Fun Night

The season has opened with a flourish. An article is on page 10.

Terri-Lynn is happy!

And we are happy too over her placing first in the Legion Poster contest. A picture is on page 12.

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Tourist Council ready for season

The next meeting of the Seaway Valley Tourist Council may well be held in Prescott. This was the thinking at last week's Council meeting which was held in Morrisburg, and consideration was also given to holding the regular meeting for April in Ottawa.

The Tourist Council had received a letter from Norm Warner, MP for Stormont-Dundas, inviting the organization to hold a lunch or dinner meeting at the Parliamentary Restaurant.

The executive group also looked at the prospects of improving their image in Quebec and drawing more tourist dollars from that province by printing their tourist literature in French. Paul Lefebvre, who is a representative from the City of Cornwall, brought up the subject, noting that none of the Council's literature is in French, although Quebec is a major market for tourism. Mr. Lefebvre will be gathering more information on the subject, including the costs that might be expected for translation services, and reporting back to the Tourist Council.

The treasurer's report showed that the United Counties had approved the granting of $20,300 to the Tourist Council to assist in their work during 1987. There is a possibility that the grant may be increased later. The City of Cornwall has also approved $17,300, Leeds and Grenville an amount of $7,800, and the Town of Prescott has thrown in $1,740.

And the matter of improved signs for providing directions to tourists is still alive. The Ministry of Transportation and Communications has developed a sign policy which is less restrictive, but the criteria is still such as to preclude most of the local tourist attractions. MTC have now suggested that the Tourist Council work through the Eastern Ontario Travel Association.

The Seaway Valley Tourist Council will give their support to a new building for the Upper Canada Playhouse. The project is becoming urgent due to the deteriorating condition of the present tent.



Clown enlivens skating party

"Blessed the Clown" is pictured with a few of the costumed skaters at the Cardinal & District Community Centre on Friday, February 20. In total, 130 costumed skaters turned out.

Chieftain Photo - J. Grant

Excellent weather, good crowds make Cardinal Winterfest a large success



Jennifer Pashak - Winterfest Queen

Cardinal's Winterfest Queen for 1987 is Jennifer Pashak (seated) 17, daughter of Glenn and Claire Pashak of Matilda Township. 1st runner-up is Amanda Shaver (left); 2nd runner-up is Nicki Lafontaine (right) and standing in the centre is Tracey Miller, Miss Congeniality. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*

Winterfest is behind us for another year but not forgotten. We are very pleased with the participation this year, said Sandra Burchell, most events were up in attendance from last year.

The ski trip to Tytus mountain was very well attended and enjoyed by all, we have been asked to try to have another ski trip in March, said Sandra.

It was nice to see a good crowd at the Cardinal and District arena to see the C.J.O.H. No Stars play the Cardinal Fire Department. The No Stars were very entertaining and won 9 to 5. The proceeds of the game ($200) will be going to Muscular Dystrophy.

A sell out crowd at the Cardinal Legion enjoyed the evenings entertainment featuring impressionist Dick Coffin.

The last day of Winterfest Sunday's Snowgolf at the Cardinal Legion drew a large crowd with 38 Seniors and 8 Juniors trying their luck. The winners of the Senior snowgolf were 1st Kevin Patrick, 2nd John Fehrngruber, 3rd Tim Patterson, and a Special presentation to Dorothy Cameron for the most honest golfer.

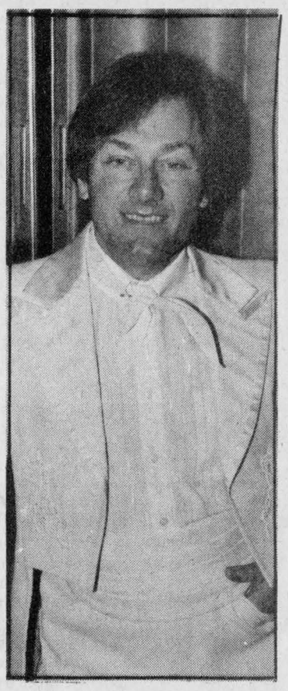
The Junior winners were 1st - Jamie Murphy and 2nd Jeff Douglas.

Winterfest Pike Derby

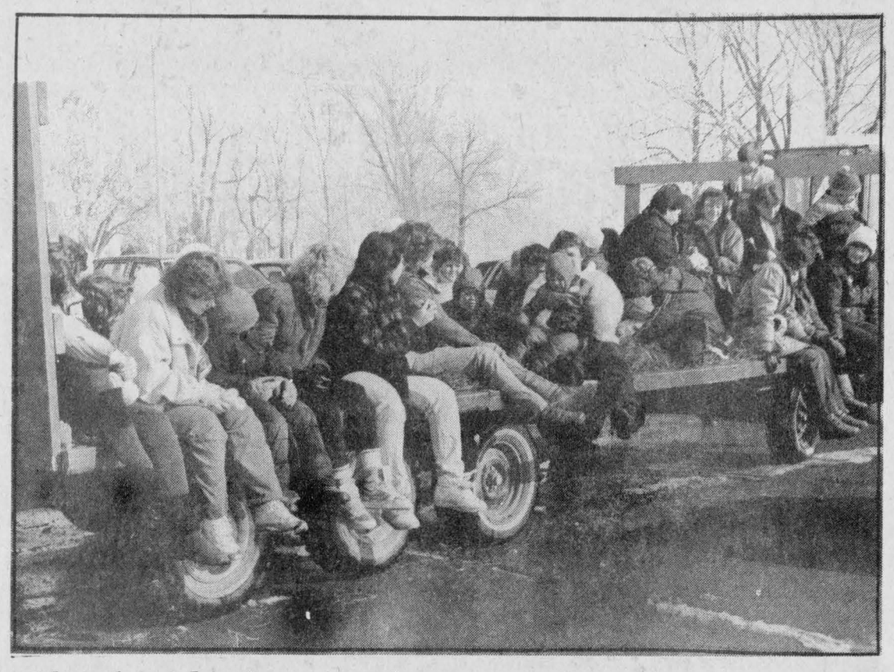
The Cardinal Fish and Game club held a Senior pike derby on Saturday, February 21 and Sunday, February 22 in conjunction with Winterfest.

Mr. Jim Read of Cardinal came in first with a 8 lb 15 3/4 oz. pike, he won $50 plus a $50 gift certificate from Robbie's Marina in Ogdensburg.

Second went to Larry Summerfield of Prescott with a 7 lb. 10 oz. pike and he won $30. Third prize $20. went to Mike Heafey Jr. of Cardinal with a 7 lb 5 1/4 oz. fish. Fourth prize a Bass Masters Trivia Game onated by Brewmaster's of Cardinal was won by Clifford Towsley of Cardinal. Clifford's fish weighed 6 lb. 9 oz.



Dick Coffin entertains



Sleigh ride time again

Sunday was a lovely day for a sleigh ride and many children and adults took advantage of it to ride through the streets of Cardinal. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*



Brownies get Skiing badges

The Cardinal Brownies had a lovely afternoon to try for their skiing and snowshoeing badges at the Benson School in Cardinal on Sunday, February 22. Two of the Brownies who passed their badges are Tracy Aimer (left) and Amy Walker (right). *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*



Snow-golf always popular

Thirty-eight people participated in the Senior Snow-golf tournament at the Cardinal Legion on Sunday, February 22. Pictured is Robert Robinson trying to get the tennis ball through the tire to complete hole no. 1. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*

FROM THE FRONT

South Nation

whereas the average increase is 38.9 per cent.

Oddly enough the increased levy comes about because of an increase in the provincial grant. Provincial grants are on a matching dollar basis, and the Authority must raise an equal share. The grant represents an increase of 77 per cent over 1986, but some funds will be drawn from reserves and from a special levy to hold the municipal increase to 38.9 per cent.

The main work to be undertaken during the coming season will be a series of bank stabilization projects between Casselman and Lemieux which will cost $300,000. The Authority will also be putting $100,000 aside to pay for legal fees that are required to fight a $2.2 million lawsuit which has been going on for the past three years.

Seaway

Since Mid-December '86, when the Seaway usually closes, dozens of ships have carried grain out of Thunder Bay to St. Lawrence River ports or directly to world markets in a rush to clean out the back logged Lakehead grain elevators after a five-week grain-handlers strike lockout last fall.

The "Maplecliff Hall", carrying 10,000 tonnes of barley out of Thunder Bay, was the last down-bound ship through the system last year. The mildest Christmas period since the turn of the century kept the waterway ice free, which is usually the most troublesome feature of the Seaway in December.

Open water has been seen all through the winter months along our strip of Seaway and may indeed contribute to an early opening of the system. This would extend the shipping season and show an increase in tonnage carried in the system for 1987.



Contestant dinner

The twelve contestants for Winterfest Queen enjoyed the dinner at the Coach House in Cardinal on Wednesday, February 18. The dinner was sponsored by Casco Company. The contestants are pictured with a beautiful cake which was enjoyed by all; the cake was donated by Joyce Kroone. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*



No-Stars defeat Fire Department

If you did not attend the hockey game between the CJOH No-Stars and the Cardinal Fire Department on Saturday, February 21, you missed an afternoon of entertainment and laughter. The game was won by the No-Stars but the real winners were Muscular Dystrophy who will receive the money from the admission. They will receive $200. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*

Kidney Foundation Month in March

March is Kidney Foundation Month across Canada, and the Iroquois unit of the Foundation will be conducting their annual door-to-door fund-raising campaign during the upcoming month.

The funds that are raised through the efforts of the canvassers are allocated to kidney research on a national basis, and to local patient services. At present there are 55 projects underway across the country, three of which are in the Ottawa area. Great strides have taken place with regards to technique and particularly as concerns anti-rejection drugs for transplants. However these drugs have severe side effects, such as cataracts which grow at such an alarming rate that they must be operated on in less than one year.

Thus, much more research is necessary. Please support these conscientious canvassers when they call.

Upper Canada seeks Young Interpreters

Organizers of the Young Interpreters' Program at Upper Canada Village are accepting application forms for this year's month-long sessions which provide volunteer participants with the opportunity to experience the typical lives of 19th century children.

Anyone who is at least 10 years of age and not over 15 years of age on April 1, is eligible for the program which runs in July and August. Each selected volunteer spends one of the months at the Village which is operated by The St. Lawrence Parks Commission.

The young interpreters fill the roles of a printer's apprentice, a farm boy, a tinsmith's apprentice, a wollen mill helper or a girl learning to do household chores. While carrying out their assigned tasks, the children are dressed in period costume.

As well, all volunteers may be expected to attend an 1860s schoolhouse for a daily lesson taught in the style and methods of the period. They may even have time to play a few of the games enjoyed by children over 100 years ago.

The provision of this unique educational experience is one of the program's objectives, but equally important is the benefit to visitors. They will have the opportunity to observe and understand how children lived in the first half of the 19th century. Thus program participants must show an aptitude for communicating with the public.

Those interested must complete the application forms, have their school principals submit recommendations and their parents or guardians sign the indemnification certificates.

Application forms are available at the Village's Administration Office located on site, 11 km east of here. Further information can be obtained by calling 543-2911.

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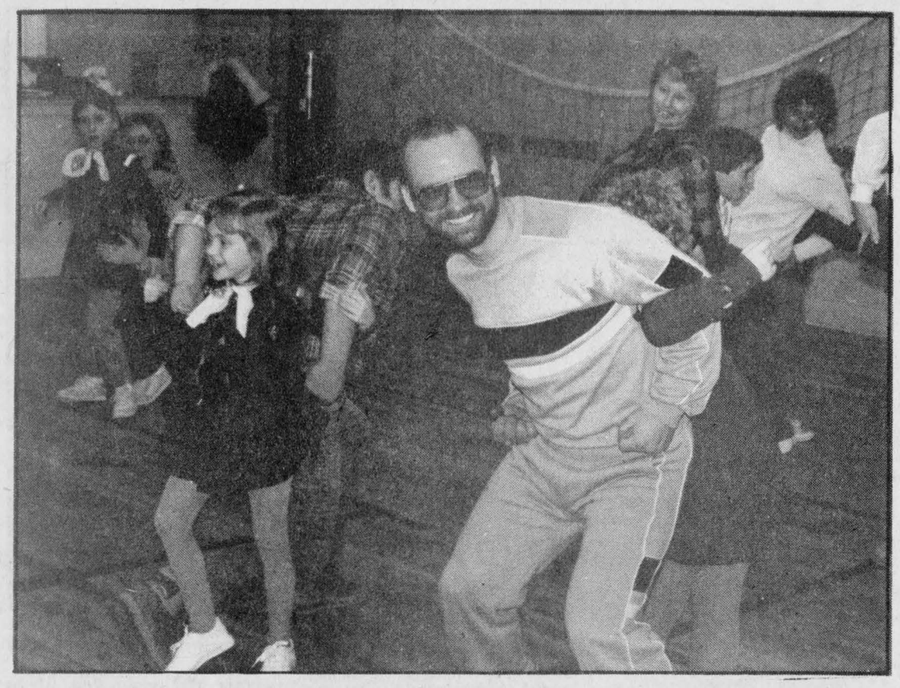


Family night at Brownies

The Cardinal Brownies held family night on Monday, February 16 at their regular meeting at Benson Public School. The Brownies and their parents enjoyed a variety of games and fellowship. Family night started off National Scout and Guide Week. The Brownies will be taking orders for cookies during the next couple of weeks at $2 a box. If you wish to place an order and are not contacted by a Brownie please call Sandra Murphy at 657-3579.

Chieftain Photo - J. Grant

Budget pleases Norm Warner

Norman Warner, MP for Stormont-Dundas is pleased with the recent federal budget as presented by Finance Minister Michael Wilson a week ago.

He has expressed particular pleasure with the progress report that was given on the state of the economy and of the government's performance. As he notes, Canada ranks number 1 among the major industrial countries of the world as far as performance goes. Mr. Warner plans a trip to the Orient during mid-April, hoping to promote Canadian trade even more.

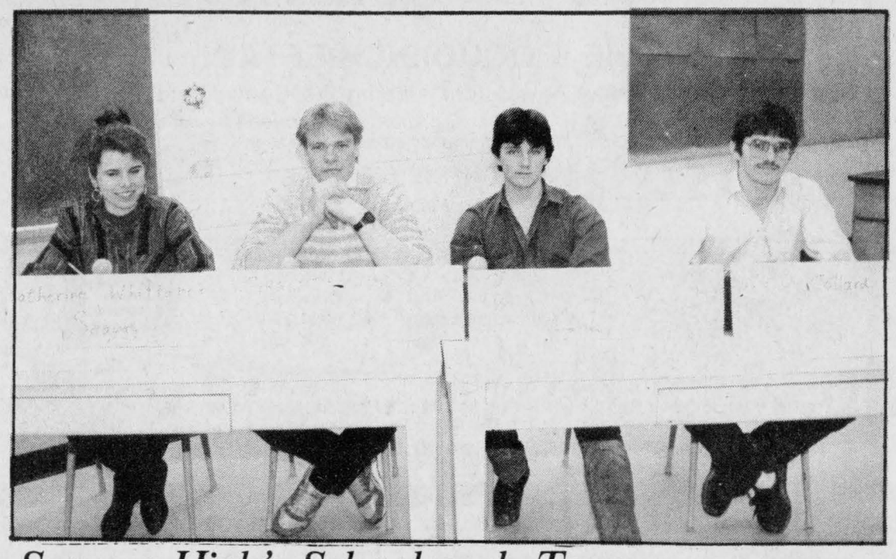
On the negative side, as Mr. Warner sees the budget document, it was inevitable that there would be some tax increases in a move to bolster revenues. However, he notes that there was no increase in liquor taxes which is generally a favourite mark, and that the modest increase in gasoling tax will generate about $400 million in extra revenue for the federal coffers.

Masquerade skating party was a success

The Benson Public School Committee would like to thank all the volunteers who made this night a success, said Nancy Vernon, there were 130 costumed skaters.

There were various draws through the evening. The winners were Bobby Wright, a silver dollar, hot dog and drink; Tracey Presley, a gift from Vanguard Drug Cardinal; Sarah Byers - finger paints; Jeffery Simzer a silver dollar, hot dog and drink; Robert Perry a snow saucer; and Jason Adams a snow saucer.

Thanks go to the following donators: Cardinal and District Community Centre, Toronto Dominion Bank Cardinal, Vanguard Drug Mart Cardinal, Bumper to Bumper in Prescott, Metropolitan - Prescott, and Cooks Delight in Prescott, Giant Tiger in Prescott, Burger King in Brockville and Cornwall, Donald in Brockville and Cornwall, Loeb Warehouse in Cornwall and National Grocers in Cornwall.



Seaway High's Schoolreach Team

Catherine Whittaker, Grant Hendrick, Greg Pietersma and Dwayne Collard are this years Schoolreach team from Seaway High. The four members travelled to Tagwi Seconday School last Thursday to play Schoolreach, the descendant of Reach For The Top.

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Surviving with Style holds meeting

On Saturday, February 14, 1987 at 1:00 p.m. at Rina Groniger's place we held our second meeting. The (president) - Gloria Culter opened the meeting with the 4-H pledge. After the 4-H pledge we had the minutes of the last meeting by Brenda Schaafsma (secretary). Then we talked about the old business we decided our club fun name would be "Six Rambos".

Ater talking about the old business we went onto the Roll Call: What is your favourite "eating away from home" meat, some members said Chinese, Clubhouse, spaghetti, french fries and burger. After the roll call our acting leader Beatrice Patterson took over the meeting by reading "There, are many ways we can feed ourselves -- we may buy meals at a restaurant, order take-out foods or prepare our own meals. No matter which alternative we choose, a meal should be certain things. You should always follow Canada's food guide. You should also include an interesting variety of texture, flavour, colour, shape and temperature. You should also look for the calorie content in your food. Some foods with more calories than nutrients are: french fries, potato chips, chocolate bars, chip dip, desserts and candy. Some foods with more nutrient than calories are: vegetables, yogurt, meats, fruits, cottage cheese and breads.

Some of the best times to buy strawberries are in June, fresh beans in August, apples in fall and rutabaga in winter.

We also looked at ways some food can keep you full until the next meal. Then we read about some meals are not as easy to prepare than others. Such as cost make a difference we found out that purchased ready made is the most expensive and Homemade least expensive. Then we read about our food budget and how we can keep down our food bills such as low price meats, coupons, specials, best before dates, and buy the bargain size.

After going through the meeting we looked at the Home Activities, then we went out to the kitchen to try some of the food that the members and the leaders made such as the pizza (Rina Groniger), Magic Mocha mix (Connie Pepers) the cookies (Larua Fawcett) made the oatmeal, Gloria Cutler; ginger and Helen Cutler chocolate chip. After everyone was finished the president Gloria Cutler adjourned the meeting at 3:00 p.m.

4-H Rambos learn about values

On Saturday the 27th, we had two meetings. The president (Gloria Cutler) opened the meeting at 1:00 p.m. with the 4-H pledge. Then Brenda Schaafsma read the minutes of the last meeting. After the secretary read the minutes then we went onto the roll call. Tell one decision you made today some members said, to get a well start on their 4-H Books, to stay inside, and to go outside.

After the members answered the roll call the meeting was turned over to Beatrice Patterson. She said, you have won 1700. in a lottery. What would you do with the $700. List them, some members said, take a trip, new television, new phone, save some and donate a little.

Then she read about values, everyone makes decisions such as, what to wear? What to eat? How to Spend our Time;, and How to get along with others? Then she read about standards, what do you find most important in a friend.

Next we read about the Goals we are about to reach in a month, a year from now and five years from now. Then we talked about spending our money, when people buy there purchases they fall into two categories "Things we need" and "Things we want". To make the best use of our money we should consider these: Do I need it? Can I afford it? and, How much do I know about what I'm shopping for?

Then we went on and did meeting four. First the president started it out by the roll call. How many loads of laundry does your family do in a week and what garment needing repair did you bring to the meeting and which repair methods do you think you'll use?

Then the meeting was turned over to Beatrice Patterson and senior leader. We talked about the care labels on clothes and other household fabrics. Then we talked about sorting laundry such as whites, pastels, medium and bright colours and dark colours. Brand new coloured items should be washed separately until they no longer "bleed" colour into the wash water. The next step is to pre treat stains, spots and heavy soil such as soaking, pre-soaking products and all purpose detergents which contain emzymes. Special treatments and for difficult stains.

The next step is to fill the washer with different temperatures, Hot water (60 C or above) warm water (38 - 43 C) and cold water (27 C), you should always rinse your clothes before drying. After drying you should always iron clothes then sort and store them in proper places.

We then looked at the Home Activities. Then the president adjourned the meeting at 3:00 p.m.

Seniors plan trip

The Senior Citizen Club of Cardinal met on Thursday, February 19 at St. John's United Church in Cardinal with 38 members present.

Arrangements are being made to charter a bus for the Ice Capades in Ottawa on Saturday March 14th. Seniors have until March 5 to make reservations.

We would like to thank everyone for donations towards the Senior Citizen Bake Sale. The next meeting will be Thursday, February 26 at the United Church Hall.

The staff of *The Iroquois Chieftain* would like to cover *your* community event! Just call the newsroom at 652•4395 or 652•4576. All we ask is that you give us a week to ten days notice so that we can arrange our schedules accordingly.

WDMHL Aux. meets

The February meeting of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary took place on February 12 with twenty members present.

The Morrisburg unit presented a cheque for $1000.00 to the treasurer Lee Wenz, donated by an Iroquois resident.

Unit director Rita Bray announced that her unit will be hosting a rummage sale on May 22 and a luncheon on May 28.

Winchester unit director, Violet Reaney announced a May 7 date for the units annual spring fashion show.

Gift Shoppe chairman Betty Barton turned over a $3000.00 cheque on behalf of the gift shoppe.

The committee also expressed a need for hand knit mitts and babies spiral socks, wool and patterns are available from Gail VanNoy at 774-3025.

Volunteers both seniors and teens donated a total of 671 hours of free time to the hospital. The Sunshine Circle is very active on First East ward, making the patients stay in the hospital more pleasant. A Valentine's party provided some relief from the bleek winter months.

Tuesday's and Friday's are music days on this ward and the music has provided a very successful means of communication for patient and volunteers. While many talented residents have given freely of their time many more are needed, as are music books and song sheets. If you possess music ability and have spare time and wish to make life happier for those confined to hospital, please contact Ethelwyn Carkner at 774-2618.

A blood donor clinic is slated for February 25 at the hospital.

The Dessert and Games party will be held on April 7 at the hospital, check local newspapers for more information.

In 1988 Winchester will celebrate a centennial year and the auxiliary will once again present "Brides of a Century", a fashion show featuring bridal gowns from yesterday. The show will be presented in the summer of 1988 and if you have in your possession a hierloom wedding gown and wish to have it presented please contact Arlene Davidson at 774-2537.

Some members expressed interest in attending the Regional Conference.

You've Come a Long Way Baby - Or Have You?

Next week, March 1 - 7 is set aside to celebrate Women's Week. For the 8th consecutive year it will be honoured in Ottawa. There are over 200 events scheduled to mark this most auspicious occasion. Rallies, fairs, exhibits and speakers will reinterate the theme of this year's observance, "Strength in the Female of the Species." It will be a time to look at women's transition from quiet, subsersive beings to those aggressive, successful presences felt in today's world.

More women are becoming executives, being more assertive in their drive to do better in their chosen field.

Remember too, it's all right to be a domestic engineer in the century that seems to stimulate work outside the home.

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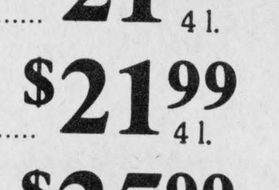

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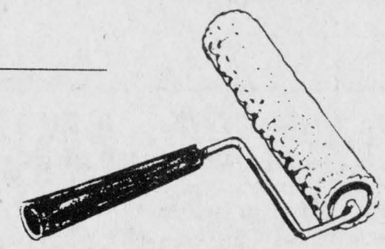

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Another rip-off

It has always been said that if you cannot say something nice, you shouldn't say anything at all. Well, during the last week we have been trying desperately to find something nice to say about our Federal Government. And until last weekend we were having no luck at all; in fact the softest word that came to mind was corruption, after the series of charges that had been leveled at various cabinet ministers.

But suddenly there was light. Finance Minister Michael Wilson has suggested that consumers apply a boycott to protest recent increases in gasoline prices. In the House of Commons, Mr. Wilson said that "the consumer has a lot of power" and that the consumer should patronize "companies that have only increased their price by one cent."

There seems to be no accounting for the fluctuation in the price of gasoline in any case. Just consider the variations locally and in neighbouring municipalities. A week ago gasoline prices in Iroquois were among the lowest along the Seaway. Now we are on a par with traditionally high price areas such as Brockville and Kemptville.

Now, the reason, or the excuse, that has been given by the large oil companies is that the price of crude increased some time ago, and now was the time to reflect that increase at the pump. But why only in eastern Canada and Ontario?

Also, if rising world crude costs are truly driving up prices, why is it that pump prices in the United States are so low?Is it that we are being gouged by the multi-nationals? When you consider the high prices here, compared to much lower prices in southwestern Ontario, it makes one wonder.

Or maybe it will turn out to be a bit of price collusion too, if all outlets join the move to raise prices by more than the one cent per litre that was provided for in the recent budget.

D.M.

More postal rigmarole

Here we go again...there's another boss at the top of the Canada Post ladder and by the sounds of things we're in for more postal rigmarole in the next year.

Frankly, after the numerous proposals, multi-year plans, deficit reduction schemes and the threat to close rural post offices and discontinue rural delivery, I have lost track of the initial reason why the post office is bearing the burden of such a large negative balance.

I do know the corporation has had such bad press that it needs a stepladder to reach the sewer, but it has been brought about by itself...what does it expect when it tells people that they no longer can have the mail delivered to their homes and in the same breath hikes the price of a piece of sticky paper that passes for a stamp.

We must have the most expensive paper in the world...almost half a dollar to mail a letter. Why don't we just tape a dollar bill to the outside of the envelope...the chances of our letter getting to where it's going would be just as good.

I mourn the changes in the postal system...it used to give a nice, secure feeling to see Mr. Postman walking down the street, mail in hand, smiling and whistling as he took the porch stairs, two at a time.

But then it used to be nice to see the milk delivered to the front step along with a carton of orange juice every morning.

Yes, the corporation has undergone changes and in doing so has gotten into trouble, but I'm not that concerned about where my mail is delivered...just as long as I eventually receive it.

I'm concerned about the rural post offices even though they are following a natural course of age and antiquity.

Remember the general store? Where did it go and why wasn't there more furvor when it went the way of the dinosaur? The sad part is that while most general stores included a post office, when the stores discontinued operation the postal cages and rooms remained open and ready for business.

It is indeed rare to find Canada Post sharing accommodation with anyone these days.

With all the problems that have been brewing and stewing in the corporation over the last year, I find it ironic that the basic premise for the service has been overlooked...to deliver the mail.

I'd like to see them solve THAT problem first...maybe someday, we won't have to write letters that say,"Wow...my letter got there in two days...isn't that amazing."

I think there is conspiracy going on, engineered by the C.P.C. (Canada Post Corporation), to divert the attention of the public away from mail delivery service...how has your delivery service been lately?

J.A.

The Iroquois Chieftain welcomes your opinion. Write Letters to the Editor, The Iroquois Chieftain, Box 529 Iroquois, Ont., K0E 1K0. Please include your name and telephone number. Unsigned letters will not be published.

Special Grains Program Committee

by Norm Warner, M.P.

Three producers from eastern Canada have been named to advise the federal government on administrative details of the Special Canadian Grains Program, agriculture minister John Wise announced last week.

As well as advising the government, the committee will also review any producer appeals with respect to payment entitlement.

The producers are Eldred Simmons, Summerside, P.E.I.; Pierre Rinfret, St. Zotique, Que.; and John Cunningham, Kent County, Ontario.

The first cheques to eastern producers for the $300 million portion of the payment were mailed on February 5, 1987.

Producers wishing further information may contact the Special Canadian Grains Program office in Ottawa at (613) 957-7078.

BRIEFLY

The sale last week of Teleglobe, a crown corporation, netted the government $608 million. This sale was the 10th privatization since 1984.

Communications Minister Flora MacDonald last week called for the creation of alternative English and French television services. The minister expressed her support for new services that would offer programming for children, senior citizens, women and minority groups.

In response to consumer concerns the government has amended the Tax Rebate Discounting Act. The Act now limits a discounter's fee to 15 per cent of the first $300 of a refund and five per cent of the remainder. On an $800 refund, for example, you are entitled to at least $730 after the discounter's fee.

LOCALLY

A special event took place last Saturday when life memberships in the Kinsmen and Kinette Clubs were presented to Don Lemeius, Peter Morgan (Kinsmen) and Jean Morgan (Kinettes).

It was a privilege to attend this ceremony and I extend my sincere congratulations to Don, Jean and Peter.

On Monday evening an important public meeting was held at the Sports Palace in Alexandria. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the possible closing of the CN Rail line between Montreal and Ottawa. I am in contact with officials of CN and will do everything possible to see the matter receives the most urgent attention of the railway.

On February 9 I was pleased to attend the annual Juveline Diabetes Foundation Dinner in Ottawa. This event raised a considerable amount of money for a worthy cause,

Last Monday I also was present at a meeting of the Maxville and District Lions Club. The guest speaker for Farmers' Night was Brigid Pyke, president of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture.



Chieftain Photo - S.L. Johnston

What is this?

The snow piles on, around and under this derelict hay rake like "the sands of time", could it be waiting for spring or has it been turn out to pasture forever?

LOOKING BACK

Ten Years Ago,
February 23, 1977

Writing on the wall for Stampville School

Residents of the south end of Matilda Township were given a chance on Monday to say why their school should not be phased out of existence over the next few years. The meeting was the final one of seven being held by the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry County Board of Education's SChool Facilities Utilization Committee to investigate closing or phasing out of seven schools within the three counties, and was later described by the chairman as the most apathetic one held so far.

Pay raise approved for Iroquois Firemen

Iroquois counil has approved pay raises for **Village firemen** follwoing a special meeting of **Council** on Monday night. The raises were contained in a budget proposal presented to Councila t their last meeting on February 10.

The raise will see a fireman go from **$150** to **$200** per year. In addition, money was provided to allow a raise for each of two maintenance men to take them to **$100** yearly. The **Fire Chief's** pay will rise from **$750.** to **$850.** annually.

Two awards for the *Post*

For the second year in a row, *The Iroquois Post* has taken two awards in a competition held by the Ontario Weekly Newspaper Association. This year's awards are for the best front page and the best photo. Last year the *Post* awards were for the best advertising and the best news and features.

Seaway Students receives Safety Award

Peter Vanderpeol, a 16-year old student at Seaway District High School in Iroquois has been awarded a **Wise Owl** certificate for warding off tragedy in an on-the-job accident. The presentation was made by **Maurice Labelle** of the school's technical department.

Peter saved his eyes from injury or blindness through conscientious use of safety eye wear. The incident took place on **October 13, 1976** when Peter was working in the auto body repair shop. Heat from a welding torch was being used to separate two chassis parts. The heat burnt out the rust and as the metal expanded due to the heat, a rivet popped out almost with the force of a bullet, smashing the safety lens and left the imprint of the frame on Peter's face, but there was no break in skin tissue.

Fifteen Years Ago,
February 23, 1972

Miss Anne Summers, Iroquois Carnival Queen

Miss Anne Summers, 17 years old daughter of **Mr. and Mrs. O.R. Summers,** Caldwell Drive, Iroquois was selected from a group of ten pretty girls to reign over the **1972 Winter Carnival** as Carnival Queen.

Public speaking competition winners

The annual **Public Speaking Competitions** sponsored by Branch 370, **Royal Canadian Legion,** was held at Iroquois Public School and Seaway District High School last week.

The winners were: Iroquois Public School, Grades 1 to 6 - **1st. - Jeanne McDonald, 2nd - Jamey Wyatt,** Grades 7, 8, 9 - **1st - Scott Payne, 2nd - Judy Balint, 3rd - Mary Smit, 4th - Kevin Fader.**

Grades 9 & 10 - **1st - Janis Thompson, 2nd - Cathy Harriman, 3rd - Cathy Hummell,** Grades 11 & 12 - **1st - Janis Thompson, 2nd - Susan Harriman, 3rd - Phyllis Gorrell, 4th - Mike Saver, 5th - Debbie Colquhoun - 6th - Cathy Harriman, 7th - Cathy Hummell and 8th - Larry Summers.**

LETTERS

Sunday opening a smokescreen

Dear Sir:

The uproar over Sunday as an enforced rest day is a smokescreen. The Scriptures proclaim the Seventh day as the Biblical Sabbath in both the old and the new Testaments. A look at any claendar will confirm that the Seventh day is indeed the day we know as Saturday. The following quotes show who changed the day: "You may read the Bible from Genesis to Revelation and you will not find a single line authorizing the sanctification of Sunday. The Scriptures enforce the religious observance of Saturday, a day which we never sanctify." James Cardinal Gibbons, The Faith of our Fathers (1917 ed.).

"The Bible says 'Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy'. But the Catholic church says 'NO, keep the first day of the week' and the whole world bows in obedience". Fr. T. Enright, Roman Catholic Priest.

So, people disobey the Creator Yahweh's Law by working on the Sabbath and uphold the Pope by enforcing Sunday as the rest day. It is a simple matter of obedience to Yahweh. Disobedience brings death (Romans 6:23). Daniel wrote about the changing of the law in chapter 7. John wrote about the religious empire that rules the world (in Revelation 17) as Babylon, mother of Harlots. Bablylon's day of worship is Sunday, and annually December 25, the Venerable day of the Sun. The Sunday law is only the beginning. The Tribulation the Bible says will result from this will make the exterminations and martyrdoms of the Early and Middle Ages (also perpetrated by the Christian Church: conservative estimates 50,000,000 deaths) insignificant by comparison. (Mathew 24:21). The time is coming and indeed is already here when All people will have to make a choice. Ignorance is no excuse. Choose Yahweh, Choose Life.

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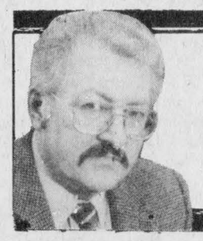
Teeth



Peter Hessel

In a story by Franz Kafka, prisoners are mentally tortured in a most imaginative fashion. The secret police discover the "private hell" of each victim. A man who fears rats is left alone in a cell filled with hungry, vicious rodents. Another who suffers from aquaphobia is almost drowned until he confesses. And so on.

Until very recently, if I had been a spy and captured by the enemy, I would have revealed the hideout of my comrades at the mere suggestion of a dentist's drill. No secrets would have been safe with me if my torturers had discovered how horrified I was of dentists. That was my private hell.

It all started when I was about five. Parenting in those days was done "by instinct" rather than by design. So when I complained about a toothache, I was told: "Stop crying, or you'll have to go to the dentist. Then it'll really hurt!"

My first trip to the dentist was a nightmare. Although I clung to my mother's hand, she was not allowed in the room but had to wait outside. Then the dentist slapped my face "to calm me down", plunked me in his chair, yelled at me to open my mouth wide and repaired my cavity with the sensitivity of a blacksmith. I can still see his hairy fingers and his brutal jaw; I can still hear the whining of that first dental drill and smell the burned enamel of my molar.

Later, as an adult, I always preferred to have an aching tooth yanked out rather than suffering through the agony of scraping and probing, drilling and filling. And I delayed visits to the dentist until the pain nearly killed me. As you can imagine, the results were disastrous.

When I realized that one half of my teeth were gone, and the others were all aching, I consulted a friend who also happened to be a dentist. "What do you suggest," I asked, "should I have the rest of these ruins demolished, should they be allowed to crumble into dust, should I have my mouth declared a disaster area, a heritage site, or what?"

He suggested that I overcome my fear, pay a visit to my dentist, and have him assess the situation. "What do you mean, my dentist?", I said, "my dentist died fifteen years ago." And I did nothing about the devastation in my mouth for a while. But my teeth took revenge on me and began to hurt - all at once.

This time, my friend quoted Shakespeare: "He that sleeps feels not the toothache." "What do you mean'" I asked. "Get your teeth fixed under a general anaesthetic."

It sounded great. I would receive a shot of something or other - and the next minute I would wake up with a mouth (half) full of healthy teeth. The leading edge of dental science was applied to diagnosing and treating my problems. Something had happened to dentistry in all those years. Dentists had become human. They had acquired sophisticated, state-of-the-art equipment that seemed to be especially made for people as chicken-hearted as me. No more blacksmith tactics, no more cast-iron pliers, no more burning enamel, no more slaps in the face. Instead, I was humoured by an attractive, smiling lady whose gentle fingers almost put me at ease.

My teeth are now in good shape. Not perfect, mind you, but serviceable. I'm proud of my own courage, and proud of our dental profession. And - like other people - I now go to see MY dentist.

What a changing world we live in! Alexander, Duncan and Stephanie actually like going to the dentist. I find this unbelievable. The last time the kids went to THEIR dentist, Stephanie cried. No, the dentist didn't hurt her. But he did something "neat" with Duncan that he didn't do with her. You see, Duncan had a tiny cavity, and Stephanie had none. To console her, the dentist took her picture with a Polaroid camera and told her she now belonged to the "No Cavities Club".

I wonder what might have become my private hell if I could have been treated by a modern dentist when I was a child? Thunderstorms? Lizards? Rats?

Afraid of dentists? Bah, humbug!

the bottom line

FOR THE LAST TWO WEEKS we have had a special reporter on our staff, learning how a *Weekly* is run.

MICHAEL LAW WAS TAKING PART IN A WORK EXPERIENCE whereby students can obtain hands-on knowledge of jobs in which they have expressed an interest.

THE PROGRAM, WORK-LIFE SKILLS, is run by many high schools and business colleges and it is an excellent way for students to see what it is like in the real world.

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DON'T MISS THE ANNUAL WORKSHOP of the Youth Concert Band. Dates and times are given on our front page, this issue.

THE WORKSHIP IS THE MUSICAL HIGHLIGHT of the careers of the students who are participating, and is also being billed as a "cultural event of significant proportion".

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IT WAS HEART-WARMING to see the response to the Iroquois United Church Musical Night last Sunday.

PROCEEDS WENT TO HELP THE DULMAGE FAMILY recover after their recent car accident and many people donated money above the admission charge.

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A DISAPPOINTMENT IN THE PAST WEEK was the lack of ice or snow sculptures around Seaway District High School.

THE ADVERTISED AND ANTICIPATED CONTEST did not materalize, and we hope that the reason was not student apathy.

FOR THAT MATTER THERE ARE VERY FEW snowmen/women in existance in the Village this year. What has happened to the artistic talents which usually come to the fore during our winter season?

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THE ANNUAL PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST has started, with two sessions having been held at Irjoquois Public School during the last week.

FOR THOSE WHO WERE UNABLE TO BE THERE, it was a tremendous display of speaking ability. The public are urged to attend the next sessions if at all possible.

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GOOD NEWS FROM THE PROVINCE CONCERNING Funding for Ontario Hospitals. Extra funds are being given out to compensate for arbitration decisions that have affected wages and working conditions.

THESE FUNDS ARE IN ADDITION TO A GENERAL INCREASE that was alloted to hospitals last November, parr of which was to provide for growth of hospital programs.

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THIS WEEK'S BOTTOM LINE: Worry is the advance interest that you pay on the troubles that seldom come.



Cardinal Pizzeria open

The Cardinal Pizzeria on Dundas Street in Cardinal opened on Thursday, February 19. The owner Tony Theondsiore (right), and staff Kim Colligan (centre) and Robin Yandeau (left) have been kept very busy since the opening. The Pizzeria is a take out or delivery restaurant. The menu consists of a variety of Italian dishes, Greek Souvlaki, hot and cold sandwiches, burgers, chicken, and of course pizza. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*

Musician entertains at Iroquois W.I.

The Women's Institute held their monthly meeting at the Civic Centre on Thursday evening, February 19.

There were 26 members present.

The speakers were introduced by Vivian Seeley and she also introduced a very young musician, Miss Amy Casselman, aged 8 years old. Amy entertained us by playing a group of four pieces on her violin, and she was accompanied on the piano by her mother.

Our first speaker was Mrs. Ruth Fetterly who enlarged upon the motto of the evening "Judicious praise is to children as the sun is to flowers."

Then a very well known lady - Mrs. Fay McAvoy of the O.P.P. gave us a very informative talk on a sad aspect of her work. The abuse of women and children; both physically and sexually and what is being done to help these unfortunate victims. A great deal of effort is put into trying to overcome the long term physcological effects on teenagers and young children, and help is now available to battered wives at Naomi House as a temporary shelter.

A delightful light supper was served by the hostesses, Dorothy McMillan, Alice Serviss and Helen Smith and the meeting closed with the singing of "O Canada".



Annual Scout B-P Banquet

Steven St. Pierre and Ryan Johnston contribute to the cub's skit at the annual Scout B-P Banquet, Saturday, February 21. The Beavers, Cubs and Scouts invite parents and sibling to join their celebration at the Civic Centre. A pot-luck supper co-ordinated by the Group Committe was followed by a sing-song (led by Debi Wade), skits and a time where leaders of the various groups were thanked by all. *Chieftain Photo - S.L. Johnston*

South Mountain IOOF holds meeting

by Gerald St.Pierre

IOOF meeting was held on Feb. 17/87. Members from the Williamsburg lodge were in attendance. On Saturday night a bowling party was held at South Mountain Lanes, about 50 adults and children attended. After the bowling we had a pot luck supper and prizes were given out, a good time was had by all.

A donation of $250.00 was given to the Heart and Stroke Fund, also a donation of $150.00 was given to the South Mountain athletic association.

On Monday Feb. 16/87 South Mountain were visitors at Brinston Lodge. A game of dart baseball was held and South Mountain came out victorious. At South Mountain on Feb. 17th, Williamsburg Lodge played dart baseball against the South Mountain Lodge, needless to say Williamsburg got lucky and beat us. Brother Tom Henderson granted after the game but I say every dog has its day and Williamsburg you'll get yours (ha ha). After the game at South Mountain. Chef Vic Hughes served up a lunch of salads and baked beans.

More members are attending our Lodge meetings every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month and it does make for more interesting meetings. We urge all members to attend. Until Mar. 3rd hope to see you all and have a good day.

—Just plain livin'—



by Sandra Lee Johnston
Chieftain Staff Reporter

Ever put your foot in your mouth? Ever do or say something you wished immediately you had not? We all know the feeling . . . don't we?

Well, Friday night last week was one such time for me. The weatherman co-operated and the Family skating party was a "go" at the local rink: I was to take pictures for the paper. Easy enough, I can remember that, so I don't tell anyone, I'll just do it when the time comes. But, it was a hectic week, a throbbing headache didn't help and so I stretched out on the sofa after supper. Yes, you can guess, the Sleeping Beauty trick worked very well. I had no prince charming arrive to wake me in time, (no one know eh?) finally two young princes did awaken me. (at 9:30 and the party was only til 10!). There had been a good crowd on the rink but everyone pretty well had heard the call of "Dallas" and gone home when I arrived. Armed with camera, film, sleepy eyes and blurry senses I was too late!! I snapped a shot of the decorations in the rink shack, withstood some verbal abuse and silently stole back to my car. All I can say is "I'm sorry".

I judged the public speaking at Iroquois Public School last Thursday, Junior division and came away impressed by these young orators. They are good. On Friday I was lucky to be present to hear a fair number of the intermediate section and I'd say I was glad I wasn't judging them! I have on occasion done some public speaking myself and so can admire how well these youngsters do. They show a maturity beyond their years.

I helped with hot dogs on Friday at the school and thesmell of close to 500 weiners is not one of my favourite aromas. Since I did it last month too I can say the children seem to appreciate these efforts by parent volunteers to provide a hot lunch once a week.

Those of us in the scouting business in town have made it through our annual buanquet and church parade with no mishaps. I hope the churches of our community relaize how we are grateful to them for the welcome we receive each February. It is a wonderful experience for the boys and girls not only to share this time in a spiritual way but also to visit and observe traditions in all denominations in our community. (We go to a different church each year).

A unique occasion presented itself on Monday: forgot that it was a Professional Activity Day for the teachers at school and so sons one and two had a holiday. The elder of us works for another board of education to the west so he left as usual while the frost was still on the windows. I should have guessed when both boys presented smiling faces about 1/2 inch from mine just as dawn was breaking in the east. (it would have been a struggle had the bus been coming out the road for me to have them ready to meet it!).

Servicemen chose the same day to clean our furnace, friends dropped in, phone calls were answered and the day wore on. Our church served dinner to the Lions' Club and I served tables as my contribution, then got to visit Ross and Nancy Dulmage with the food not used at the meal. They had company so I didn't stay but it was good to see they have people near who care. Speaking of our great area, Sunday night I thoroughly enjoyed the Musical Variety night at the United Church. It was a nice way to spend a few hours and all monies go to help the Dulmages - good stuff folks.

Everyone I've talked to took full advantage of the lovely weekend weather. It may have been the last time to enjoy the sleighride at Upper Canada Village, we say many sliders on local hills, aspiring Barbara Anne Scott's and Troller Cranstons were on ice patches everywhere and cross-country skiers truly savour such conditions.

The hoar frost that hung on the barren branches, shining and glittering as the sun hits them is so beautiful. When mother nature shows her artistic side winter seems more bearable. I like to see the wonderous miracles and transformations that can be wrought.

What about these T.V. ads; dial-a-story: you call and a taped story is heard, this is for children who have no one at home who can read? Then there is dial-a-joke: for 75c you dial the number shown on the screen and hear a joke - are they in good taste? WHo needs a laugh this badly? Oh well, maybe a lucrative business opportunity has just passed me by!!

Son number one is busy working on badges for cubs. I don't know if all the effort is going to be worth what he gets or not, for his work. I guess if I can make it through the repetition, the erasing, the striving for perfection obession he seems to possess, we'll all be proud in the end.

Talking to a special friend in B.C. on the occassion of a birthday made for much jubliant chat ting, a big phone bill and good news (helps the blahs!)

Watch for March, in like a lion, out like a lamb, we'll see next week eh?

Remember you have to believe in happiness, or happiness never comes - not so with this column. I'll be here next week whether you believe or not - take care!



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Canskaters Recreational Group

Canskaters Recreational Group are going to Winchester to participate in the Area IV Recreational Competition, Saturday, February 28. There are 14 clubs entered in this contest for Canskaters and Canfigureskaters. Angela and Leanne participate in the "Special Preliminary Ladies" event, a 45 second solo. The rest of these young, aspiring skaters are in the "Special Pre-Preliminary Ladies," a 30 second solo. Shown here, back row, left to right, Shannon Brown, Chrystal Hummel, Angela Bowers, Jaime Notman, Leanne McNairn and front row, Tanya Green and Tracy Yalden.

Chieftain Photo - S.L. Johnston

Red Devils take lead in finals

The Red Devils and the Legion are playing off for the championship in the Cardinal Men's Broomball league playoffs. The Red Devils defeated the Legion on Sunday February 22nd 4-1 in the first game of the finals to lead 2 points to 0 in an 8 point series.

Scoring for the Red Devils were Kevin Patrick, Trevor Gill, Ron Patterson and Barry Patterson scored an empty net goal. The lone scorer for the Legion was Tim Groniger.

The Legion advanced to the finals by defeating the Caldwell Raiders 5-2 to win that series 6 points to 2. Scoring for the Legion were Scott Gladstone, Tim Groniger, Steve Riddell, Randy Magee and Terry Hall. The Raiders scorers were Ray Miller and Doug Foster.

The Red Devils advanced to the finals by defeating the Angels 3-1 on goals by Steve Adams, Trevor Gill and Dan Dupperon and the Angels goal was scored by Lenny Bass. The Devils won that series 7 points to 1.

The leading scorers in the playoff are Steve Adams of the Red Devils, Tim Groniger of the Legion, Todd Deschamps of the Legion all with 7 points.

The winner of the 50-50 draw for the Broomball league was Lorna Francis of Morrisburg, winning $371.50.

News from Seaway

by Kimberly MacDonald
Chieftain Staff Reporter

Did everyone have fun during activity week at Seaway? Some of my friends and I went to the Nepean Sports Plex to swim and skate. The water in the pool was eight-four degrees. It turned that three of us had the exact same bathing suit. We had a lot of fun even though the bus ride home left something to be desired.

On Wednesday, February 18, 1987 the students were supposed to dress up like what they though they would be fifteen years from now. Out of all the students at Seaway only about four people dressed up.

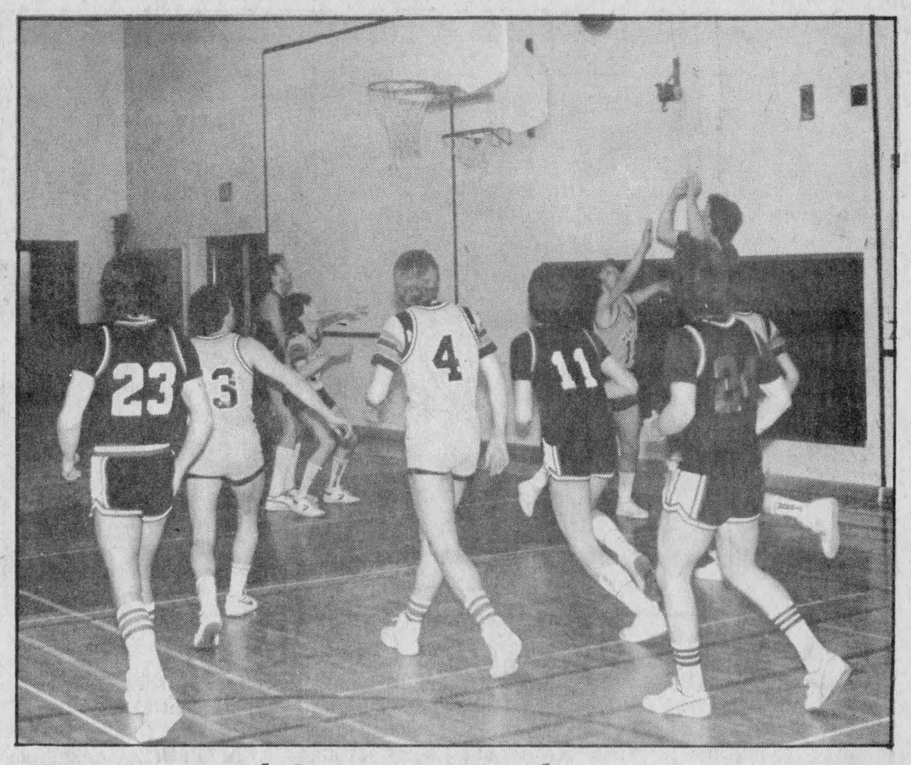
On Friday, February 20, 1987 it was fifties and sixties day at Seaway. Again few people dressed for the occasion. Where is the school's spirit? At lunch there was a sock-hop. The DJ's played music to suit the theme.

The junior boys basketball team played against Tagwi last Friday. The boys played an excellent game winning with a score of 60-38. I would also like to congratulate the cheerleaders on their well-performed half-time show during the game.

Looks like both of Seaways curling teams didn't do too badly at the Brockville International Teen-Age Bonspiel. Each team ended up with a 4-win one loss record.

Also on Friday we received second term report cards. Boo! A few people felt faint after they received the results of the second term. They still have one term left to pull up their socks.

See you next week.



Warriors and Spartans tangle

In basketball action last week, Tagwi Warriors took on the Seaway Spartans Junior boys. Seaway was victorious 61-35. Jeff Ferguson was top scorer with 28 poiints; the semi-finals go tomorrow against St. Joseph's.

Chieftain Photo - D. Moore

Morrisburg Lions end season in third, ready for playoffs

Morrisburg Lions edged Brockville for third place in the Rideau-St. Lawrence Division, Junior B hockey by virtue of having one more win than the Brockville team on the season.

And they did it on the strength of a win against Spencerville and a win against Athens last week. The Lions had two strong games. Against Spencerville the score was 10 to 5 in favour of Morrisburg, and against Athens the score was 9 to 3. Morrisburg and Brockville ended tied in the standings with 41 points each but Morrisburg took third place on the strength of their 19 wins to Brockville's 18 wins.

Playoffs will be at best of seven affair, with Westport meeting Athens in the first round, Prescott raking on Kemptville, and Morrisburg meeting Brockville.

On Wednesday, February 25 Brockville will be host at 7:45 p.m. The second game in that series will be in Morrisburg, Friday, February 27, at 8:30 p.m. Morrisburg will host the third game on March 1 at 2:30 p.m. And the fourth game is scheduled for Brockville on Wednesday, March 4 at 7:45 p.m.

Winchester Hawks win two

With only two weeks left in the regular season, the Winchester Hawks are on a winning streak. On Friday they recorded their second shut-out of the season in posting a 5-0 win over the Ottawa West team. And then on Sunday, February 22, they overcame a determined Metcalfe team to win 5 to 4 in overtime.

In the Sunday game, the score was tied one apiece after the end of the first period, but the Hawks went ahead 3 to 1 after two periods. Scoring for the Hawks were Don Laroque, Mike Sargeant, Trevor McClatchie, and Scott Konink; Scott Dexter got the winning goal two minutes into overtime.

Barry Kennedy registered his shut-out on Friday against Ottawa West. The Hawks led 4-0 after the first period. Scoring for Winchester were Kirk Barkley Tim Ouderkirk, Kevin Henry, Trevor McClatchie and Peter McGrath. Winchester is now just two points out of second place.

Ottawa South beat Char-Lan 6-2 on Saturday, and then took Clarence Creek by a socre of 11 to 6 on Sunday. Also on Sunday it was Ottawa West 6, Navan 6.

Standings

Team	W	W	T	Pts.
Metcalfe	21	12	3	45
Char-Lan	18	18	0	36
Winchester	15	18	4	34
Alexandria	10	23	3	23

Top Scorers

Player	Team	G	A	Pt.
T. McClatchie	Win.	47	47	94
Kevin Poast	Charlan	54	38	92
Mark Smith	Win.	31	61	92
Brian Downey	Met.	50	37	87
Peter Holmes	Met.	29	55	84

Brinston Express earns 12-12 tie

Last week in hockey play the Brinston Express and the Wild-Cats played to a 12-12 shoot out tie.

The Expresses' top scorer was Gary McInnis with a total 7 points. He had four goals and assisted on three more. With his hat-trick plus one more goal in one game, this made him Brinston's player of the week. In goal for the Express was Keith Johnston.

Upcoming games this week are both at Cardinal versus the Haddo Road Runners. The first of the two were on Thursday, February 22, and the return game is on the following Sunday.

Broncos bow out of playoffs

The Cardinal Broncos bowed out of the Rideau-St. Lawrence division playoffs after losing to Kemptville on the weekend.

General Manager of the Bronco's, Mitch Collison said the team played its final game on Friday in Kemptville wrapping up a disappointing season with a 7-3 loss to the 73's.

The Cardinal squad ended up in second last place, leading the Spencerville Bruins, but the final standings dictated that the Cardinal players would be hanging up their skates early.

"We weren't too happy with the season, but we're not giving up. We've got a good central core of players and we'll be back next year," he commented earlier this week.

One bright spot of the season for the Broncos was the release of the award winners earlier this week. Bronco Captain, Brent Murray, earned the sportsmanship and ability award.

Teams guaranteed a berth in the playoffs are the Westport Rideaus and they are followed by Prescott, Brockville, Morrisburg, Kemptville and Athens.

In the first round of the Junior 'B' playoffs, Westport will meet Athens, Prescott will meet Kemptville and Brockville will meet Morrisburgh for the best four out of seven games.



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DART STANDINGS
FEBRUARY 20, 1987

Team Standings - Longshots 160, Ace In The Hole 145, Three and One 134½, Bottom's Up 131, Hot Shots 129½, Together We Stand 126, Special K 122, The Elite 117.

Most Games - Jim Logie 6, Joe Roberts 5, Dennis Keeler 4, Sandra Baker 4, Duane Kirker 3, Keith Wereley 3, George Peters 3, Al Levere 3.

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Wednesday, February 25th: at 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Winchester District Memorial Hospital - a Blood Donor Clinic will be held.

Saturday, February 28th: Fourth Annual Farming Conference: Alternatives in Agriculture 9:30 to 4:00 p.. Kemptville College, Parish Building. Registration $5.00/person.

Tuesday, March 3rd: Dundas Dairy Farm Management Day. 10:30 a.m. at Sunnylodge Farms. 11:45 lunch in Chesterville Legion. 1:15 p.m. at Chestcreek Farms.

Monday, March 9th: Stormont 4-H Leaders Annual Meeting and Workshop will be held at the OMAF Office, Avonmore on Monday, 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 14th: I.O.O.F. Hall Board Spring Dance, Matilda Community Hall. Mickey & Gary Code and The Running Kind. Dancing 9 to 1. $10/couple. Lunch served.

Saturday, March 28th: Great Indoor Yard Sale at Iroquois Public School, 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. Information phone 652-2458.

Friday & Saturday, April 24th & 25th: Rummage Sale sponsored by Knox Presbyterian Church in Iroquois Civic Centre. Donations appreciated.

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Atom "C" playoffs underway

The Cardinal Atom "C" team tied Prescott 2 all in the first game of their playoffs on Monday, February 16. *Chieftain Photo - J. Grant*

IROQUOIS BRANCH 370 LEGION REPORT

Dr. Peter Playfair

The monthly Regular and Exccutive Meetings were held at the Iroquois Branch on February 18 and 19 with Comrade President Ray Delgarde in the chair. Our Treasurer, Comrade Wytze Douma presented the audited financial statement for the year 1986 which showed a favourable year despite a gloomy situation at the mid-year point. Wytze pointed out that all indications point to a good year ahead. A motion of thanks was tendered to the Treasurer for the great contribution he has made to the Branch's stability.

Comrades Delegarde, MacDonald and Tucker will represent our Branch at the District Convention in Cornwall April 24 to 26 when it is hoped that our Zone Chairman Ed Hitchinson will be elected to the office of District Commander.

Entertainment Chairman Lee Madden reported that Rick Longchamps will be entertaining at the Iroquois Legion Hall each Friday and Saturday evening from 9:00 p.m. to 1 a.m. for the next four weekends and all Branch members are urged to promote this priceless entertainment. Membership Chairman Clare Tucker presented two Fraternal Asosciates, Steve Kirker and Alan Casselman, and one Associate Member, Stewart Logie, for approval and were all accepted.

Youth Education Chairman Peter Playfair noted that the Public Speaking competition will beheld at the Civic Centre on Saturday March 7 starting at 9:00 a.m. The French speaking competition will be at 1:00 p.m. and the Secondary School speakers beginning at 1:00 p.m. Legion medals, certificates and cash prizes will be up for the winners as will trophies for the French portion. All members are urged to attend all or a portion of this worthwhile day. Our Branch will also host the Zone G3 Competition on April 5th at the Legion Hall.

Our Branch approved financial support of the Upper Canada Playhouse this year and for the Youth Concert Band Workshop at Seaway High. A large photoraph of Sir Arthur Currie will be purchased for display in Branch 370 throughout 1988, the Seventieth anniversary of the Battle of Vimy Ridge, in memory of the first Canadian Forces Commander.

A special committee will be set up to finance Branch representation at the various Conventions. Command Service Officer Percy Price will visit our Branch this week.



Tourist Council recognizes John Bonser

Roger Croxall, past president of the Seaway Valley Tourist Council, presented John Bonser with a plaque in recognition of his services to the Council in the role of Finance Chairman; the presentation was made at last week's Council meeting. Mr. Bonser has stepped down from the position after serving for some years. *Chieftain Photo - D. Mooore*

Holstein breeder awarded Master Breeder Shield

Holstein breeder, Carmin Howes, is one of the recipients of the highest award attainable in Canada. From Glengarry County, in Dalkeith, Ontario, this winner will be presented the Master Breeder Shield at the Holstein Association of Canada's Annual Meeting in April 1987.

Howe's father is credited with instilling in Carmin his belief in a trouble-free cow that "paid her own way". He had the foresight to enroll in R.O.P. and Classification. Carmin later learned to appreciate better cattle from friends and people in the Holstein business. He started with a few animals in his father's herd until September 1969 when he ventured out on his own.

There are three main cow families which comprise 80 per cent of the Lochhill herd. The cows that started it all were Wenron Beth 2nd (VG-2), Glennova Shamrock Man-O-War (GP-1), and Coteau Ligny Bolac Ginette (GP) (3).

Doreen, Carmin's wife, has been a most valuable source of moral support to him in developing the present herd. Their two teenaged daughters have also been contributors to this success. Mitzi, age 16, who's true interest in the farm's progress and is said to be a "big help". Melissa, age 15, was Ontario Junior Citizen for 1984.

Involvement has been Carmin's pattern in his community. He is presently a Councillor for Glengarry Holstein Club, is Past President and former Provincial Director of Junior Farmers, Past President of Vankleek Hill Agricultural Society, and Past President of Glengarry Holstein Club. He is also presently a People's Warden at St. John's Anglican Church.

Future ambitions include winning the Breeder's Herd class at a Glengarry County Show, at Maxville, or the Ottawa Winter Fair. Carmin would also enjoy seeing a few more Lochill bulls in A.I. units.

Carmin Howes earned 181 points out of a required 175 for Master Breeder designation. He registers, on the average, 11 females per year. One Excellent, 21 Very Good and 3 Star Brood cows were bred; and 2 Very Good bulls for this fine achievement.

Farmers Helpline started

If you're needing help in coping with a problem or problems, on your farm, call the Farmers Helpline. The Helpline was established in November of 1985 by the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, to provide support to farm families who are experiencing difficulties. The trained staff at the Helpline will listen to your situation and make the appropriate referral(s) for you. So if you are having problems obtaining this year's line of credit, if you have a legal concern, or family problems or if you're feeling that you're under too much pressure, call the Helpline.

If you need information on transition programs or in exploring alternatives to increase your income either on or off of the farm, call the Helpline.

You don't have to give your name when you call and all information is strictly confidential. Over 1,700 farmers have already made use of the Helpline. You can take the first step in helping yourself by calling the Helpline. Trained staff are on duty from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

After hours and on weekends, an answering service will page the staff person on call, and they will call you back promptly. If you need help, it's only a phone call away - 1-800-265-1511.

Summer jobs for 62,000 students

Skills Development Minister Gregory Sorbara announced recently that $45.1 million will be spent to create 62,000 jobs for young people this summer. Funding has been increased from $43.8 million last year to create 1,000 more jobs and to cover the increase in the minimum wage. The announcement was made by the Minister in a speech to the Board of Directors of the Ontario Chamber of Commerce.

In his speech, Mr. Sorbara said that the outlook for the summer job market is generally healthy, however, summer jobs are scarcer in Northern Ontario than in other parts of the province.

The Minister stated, "this Government is continuing its commitment to young people because we know that summer employment adds immeasureably to the on-the-job training and work experience of our youth. It broadens their horizons, providing them with that very important and hard to get first job experience," he added.

In announcing that special attention would be paid to Northern Ontario the Minister said that 23 per cent of the Experience jobs would be located in the north. He also said northern businesses that applied for funding through OSEP would be given special consideration.

The programs are:

Start-Up which provides interest-free loans to students for summer businesses. The Minister said he expects about 1,250 businesses to be started, creating 1,500 jobs.

The Ontario Summer Employment Program pays employers $1.25 an hour toward the salaries of young people hired for new summer jobs. About 53,000 jobs will be created this summer through OSEP.

Experience '87 will provide 7,500 career-related jobs in 26 Ontario government ministries and associated organizations.

The Minister also announced a 50 per cent increase in the amount of loans to students to start up summer businesses. The upper limit of the loans will go to $3,000 from $2,000 enabling students "to broaden the range of businesses they establish."

Young people who want further information can call the Ontario Youth Hotline, 1-800-387-0777, at no charge.

Correction

The Knox Ladies Aid will hold their Tea and Bake Sale on Saturday March 21, 1987.

It was inadvertently printed as to be held on February 21, this information being incorrect.

We apologize for any inconvenience this error has caused.

Marked reduction in accidents

OPP Commissioner Archie Ferguson reports a marked reduction in traffic deaths, injuries and motor vehicle accidents in OPP policing jurisdictions during 1986 as compared to 1985.

The number of people who died in traffic accidents in Opp patrolled areas fell from 769 in 1985 to 705 last year, a total of 64 fewer deaths.

As well, the number of personal injury accidents dropped, with 1,013 less people injured. There were over 2,500 fewer accidents in total during 1986.

According to Transport Canada estimates for 1985, this reduction in deaths and injuries represents an almost $20.0 million savings in both direct and social costs to the people of Ontario.

Commissioner Ferguson said "We feel our increased enforcement programs, particularly 'Strict Is Fair', contributed greatly to last year's decrease in traffic deaths." The Commissioner also noted that the motoring public of Ontario is now directly benefitting from these OPP traffic enforcement methods, which continue to reduce traffic fatalities and injuries.

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MILLAR: A special thank you to all who in any way made my stay at Winchester Memorial Hospital pleasant. Your concern was greatly appreciated.
Harold Millar F25-1tp

SHAVER: I would like to thank every one for cards and visits while in hospital. Thank You to Dr. Chande & Dr. Marston & nurses on G floor. Special thanks to Don Tryon and Jimmy Murphy for doing chores to my nephews who plowed my lane; also those who provided transportation for my wife to hospital.
Glenn Shaver F25-1tp

SMAIL: My sincere thanks to so many people for so many things while I was in Winchester Hospital. To Rev. Alan the Drs. & nurses in I.C.U. and second floor. To the butler and all those who took care of Bill during my absence to the V.O.N. & homemakers. For cards, flowers, gifts & prayers. Thanks to one and all.
Evelyn Smail F25-1tp

MERKLEY: The family of the late S. Dwight Merkley wish to express their sincere appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy extended to them at the time of death of a dear father and grandfather. F25-1tp

FISHER: Thanks to all those who sent cards, flowers, visits and phone calls, while I was a patient in the Brockville General Hospital. These were greatly appreciated.
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Whelan

•From the front page

agricultural minister.

After his speech, Mr. Whelan told The Chieftain "farmers are more efficient than ever before" because of marketing boards.

There are individual Federal marketing boards dealing with the egg, turkey and broiler industry. Mr. Whelan said these boards were brought on by necessity.

With the Egg Marketing Board well set in place, he said egg producers are "very happy" with the way their industry is running."

One point strongly raised by Mr. Whelan during the interview was the passive reaction dairy farmers displayed when the government recently cut $15 million from the Canadian Dairy Commission.

"Dairy farmers aren't raising enough hell."

A number of people waited around after Mr. Whelan's speech was over for a chance to buy an autographed copy of his book "The Man in the Green Stetson."

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Musical Variety Night to aid Dulmage's

"We are not alone, we live in God's world", was the theme for a musical interlude to obliterate winter's February blahs.

The proceeds from the evening, so well organized by Robert Thompson will go to the Dulmage family to help after their recent accident.



Dulmage Family fund raiser

Miss Erin Henry, 8 year old daughter of Don and Patsy of R.R. 2, Iroquois delighted the capacity crowd at Iroquois United Church's Musical Variety Night held Sunday, February 22. Singing "The Lord Loves Me", and "The Steadfast Love", unaccompanied, wee Erin showed poise and talent beyond her years. Proceeds from this are to go to the Dulmage Family to help in their time of need.

Chieftain Photo - S.L. Johnston

Church organist Mr. Lee Hanes welcomes people to the Iroquois United Church with some beautiful pinao music. Mr. Ambert Brown, master of ceremonies for the evening introduced Doug Warren who is presently the organist in the Presbyterian Church in Cardinal. Mr. Warren brought with him sixteen years of professional playing on the ivories and when he played "How Great Thou Art" the scereness and awe that spread throughout the church was very close to breathtaking.

Lisa Klaehn and the Junior Choir of the church, Crystal James, Brian Holmes, Brenda Van Allen, Tracey Hamilton, Andrew and Angela Thompson, Donald Klaehn, Stephen St. Pierre and Erin Henry brought a children's prospective to the occasion with songs such as "I Prayed in the Tub"!

Miss Henry made Mom and Dad and her small brothers quite proud as she sang two solos. Her voice like that of an angel was appreciated by even those of us with tin ears.

Rev. Herb Klaehn, accompanied by wife Lisa on twelve strings of guitar involved the audience in their duets. Mr. Brown told us that Rev. Herb is a good fisherman and hunter and preaches a bit too while Lisa plays a mean flute as well, but we heard for ourselves how well their voices blend and what sweet music they produce together.

The choir loft was quite "sharp" when occupeied by the twenty-seven voices of the Praise The Lord Choir from the Christian Reformed Church of Williamsburg.

Mrs. Jane Boyd soloed and was then joined by Bill Horner, George Cooper and Robert Thompson. (The Matilda Trio).. The enthusiasm emparted by this gorup was infectious and everyone was glad they came out Sunday night to be a part of this extravaganza of melody.

On behalf of the Dulmage's, Re. Klaehn thanked the over two hundred people who helped by attending, working at or contributing to the evening in a talent-way. Using the words of a hymn, "The church is wherever God's people are helping, caring for neighbours in sickness and need. The church is wherever God's people are sharing the words of the Bible in gift and in deed," he told how truly this evening echoed those of Carol Tkeler when she penned them. He also stated how the Good News is spread and the silence at the Dulmage home when he visited to let them know their community is responding to their trials at this time. A very real way for all to bring home their support. A terrific way to spend a few hours and help someone less fortunate in the process.



Pageant Night held by Cubs

The Cardinal Cubs with their leader Robert Robinson (left) opened Pageant Night with a skit which was enjoyed by all. Cub members performing the skit were, left to right, Leader Robert Robinson, Bobby Saunders, David Smith, Brian Smail, Jason Presley, Jason Summerfield, and Robert Perry.

Chieftain Photo - J. Grant

Renaissance Day at Seaway High

Wednesday March 4 will be Renaissance Day at Seaway District High School. Events will be in the gymnasium from 8:50 to 3:15 p.m. and again from 6:30 p.m. until 8:45 p.m.

The public is invited to attend, and the school will be open to those who wish to visit, all day long.

This day is best described as a celebration of the arts. It is spearheaded by the students of Theatre Arts, but also involves many other students outside the theatre classes, particularly enrichment students. Hopefully there will be something to interest everyone.

The gym will be set up as it was during the Health Fair. The stage, and an area in front of the stage will be kept open for the plays, dancers and gymnastic displays. The rest of the gym will be set up in special displays that can be viewed at any time during the day.

Following is a short sample of some of the events that will be taking place in the gym. There are many more.

Plays: Exerpts from The Sunshine Boys, The Owl and the Pussy Cat, The Great Western, Mellerdrama, No No A Thousand Times No etc.

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Voice and Music: Two bands featuring guitarists, trumpet players, as well as singers performing different styles of music. (The music ranges from classical to modern).

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OBITUARIES

Dwight Merkley

Simon Dwight Merkley, a lifelong resident of Dundas County died February 13 at Wellington House, Prescott.

Born May 30, 1897, he was the son of the late Reuben Merkley and Alida Briggs. In 1920 he married Phyllis Agnes Henry who predeceased him in 1965.

Mr. Merkley was a decendant of Henry Merkley, a United Empire Loyalist who settled in Williamsburg Township in 1784. He was born on the farm on the 3rd Concession of Matilda Township which had been cleared by his grandfather. Although he gave up farming in 1973, he continued to live at Haddo until 1981 when moved to Iroquois. During the last year he moved to Wellington House, Prescott for reasons of heaith. HE will be remembered for his extensive knowledge of local history and politics as well as a witty and entertaining storyteller.

Mr. Merkley is survived by a brother, Rae of Winchester; son Lloyd of Vancouver, B.C., daughters Jean Millard of Cardinal and Audrey Bailey of Kingston; eleven grandchildrn. He was predeceased by sons, Clifford and Gordon and a brother Stanley.

On Sunday evening a service was conducted by the brothers of Friendly Brother's Lodge No. 143 of which Mr. Merkley had been a member for 67 years.

The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Klaehn from the Marsden Funeral Home, Iroquois on Monday, February 16. Pallbearers were Terry Hutt, John R. Millard, David Millard and Brian Bailey. Interment will be at Spruce Haven cemetery in the spring.

Harry Robarge

A former resident of Winchester, Wales, Ingleside and Morrisburg passed away February 12, 1987. Harry Elliott Robarge, 87, died at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

Mr. Robarge was a retired manager, Canada Packers. He is survived by his wife, the former Phyllis Jane James, who he married on October 12, 1935, in Toronto. Besides his wife, he is survived by a son Ronald J. Robarge of Upland, California.

He was born on February 10, 1900 in Thurso, Quebec, the son of Frances Robarge and Louise Larouqe, both now deceased.

Mr. Robarge was educated in Thurso, Quebec. He was a member of Our Lady of Grace Church, Ingleside.

Funeral services were held in Our Lady of Grace Church, Ingleside, on Monday February 16, 1987 at 10 a.m. Funeral arrangements were under the care of the Fairbairn Funeral Home Limited, Morrisburg. Rev. Bernard Cameron officiated.

Spring interment will be at St. Lawrence Valley Union Cemetery, Ingleside.

Dewart McPherson

A long-time resident of Bouck's Hill, Ontario passed away on February 13, 1987. Dewart Brownell McPherson died at Long Sault Parkway Lodge.

Mr. McPherson was a farmer and lived in Bouck's Hill for 84 years. He is survived by his sister Mabel McPherson. He is predeceased by his other sister Ruby McPherson.

He was born in Williamsburg Township, Ontario on January 10, 1903. Mr. McPherson was a son to Stephen B. McPherson and Bertha Casselman, both now deceased.

Friends were received at Fairbairn Funeral Services Limited. The funeral service took place on February 16, 1987 at 2:00 p.m. Reverend Carson Duquette and Rev. Ted Power officiated. Interment will be at Bouck's Hill Cemetery in the Spring.

Frederick VanCamp

A long-time resident of Cardinal passed away February 19, 1987. Frederick Tunis Van Camp, 77, died suddenly at St. Vincent De Paul Hospital in Brockville.

He is survived by his wife Muriel (Kirker) of River Road East, Cardinal, Ontario. They were married on September 4, 1937 in Mainsville, Ontario.

Also surviving are daughters Sandra (Mrs. Lincoln Gardiner) of Bramalea, Maxine Van Camp of Brockville, a brother Clarence R. Van Camp of Cardinal, a brother-in-law Dalton B. Kirker of South Lancaster - St. Petersburg, Florida, and two grandchildren Nancy and Scott Gradiner. He is also survived by one nephew, Carl.

Mr. Van Camp was born on September 4, 1909 at Cardinal, the son of Royal J. Van Camp, and Elizabeth Robinson, both deceased. He had been employed as a mechanic at CASCO. He was a member of St. John's United Church, Cardinal, a member of the Cardinal Masonic Lodge No. 491 AF & AM, a member of the Loyal Orange Lodge No. 162, Cardinal.

Members of the Masonic Lodge, the Orange Lodge, and the Royal Canadian Legion each held memorial services at the Funeral Home on Sunday evening.

Carl Van Camp of Iroquois, two nieces, Karen Murphy of Kingston and Lynda Dahm of Sydenham. Also one great niece, Valeri Kampf of Fergus, and several other great nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the C.W. Marsden Funeral Home in Cardinal on Monday, February 23 at 11 a.m. Rev. Bruce Ross officiated. Interment was in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Maitland.

Pallbearers were Mansel Grant, Ron Patterson, John Connell, Vern Benton, George Brown and Gerald Seeley. Honourable pallbearers were Donald McIntosh, and A.C. Casselman.



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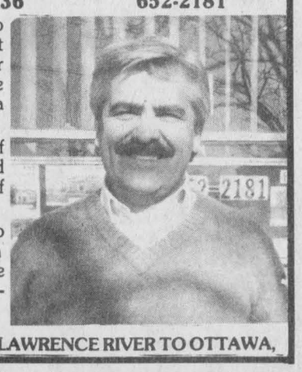

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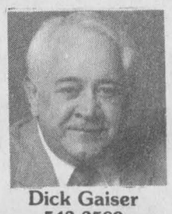

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Horticultural Annual Fun Night

A musical mix was what Catherine Whittaker offered when she tickled the ivories of the annual fun night for the Morrisburg and District Horticultural Society.

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Horticultural Society starts season

by Sandra L. Johnston
Chieftain Staff Reporter

Morrisburg and District Horticultural Society kicked off it's 1987 season in grand style.

New President Mr. Graham Wells got things moving by acknowledging the important role the society plays in local communities. Not only their work in public flower beds but the effort members put into their own private lawns and gardens and to the esthetic value of the entire area.

He suggested that each person present go out and get a friend or neighbour to join the society and appealed in particular to parents. "When the older members lay down their hoes, it will be the youngsters who will take them up and keep the society going!" They reiterated the need for junior members.

Mr. Wells then welcomed the crowd who had braved the cold to attend. thanked Doris Erratt who convened the evening, Ruth McCullough and her committee for the lunch to be enjoyed at the close of the program and all those who brought a talent to contribute.

The show began with a young, male saprano, Brian Lalande, accompanied on guitar by his dad. He sang "Bye, Bye Love" and "Morning has Broken" and did a fine job of both.

Next front and centre was the Grade 5 and 6 class from Riverside Public School who presented "Amateur Night at Radio Station BUNK. Mrs. Erratt stated how her job had been made easier with such co-operation as she had received from the pupils and their teacher Mrs. Reynolds.

Miss Catherine Whittaker of Iroquois made the piano come alive with music from Bra Rachmaninoff to Alley Cat, Charriots of Fire, Clowns, and Sweet Georgia Brown.

Susan McDonald held the audience captive as she told about her younger days as she travelled from Scotland to the Canadian West. Tales of two-holers in the backyard and famous 50 yard dashes to this epitome of early farm life, Saskatoons, sulphur and molasses mixtures, coyotes, large amounts of snow producing small amounts of water and gophers ruining crops brought tears of laughter to young and old.

The evening was rounded out by a sing-song. Mrs. Beland of Morrisburg was ably helped by her husband on his accordian and the songs were well known so her task of leading was pleasant.

Refreshments were enjoyed and everyone was reminded tha that the next, regular meeting is Tuesday, March 17 at 8 p.m. at the Morrisburg Civic Centre. The monthly competition is "African Violets" and as a treat for St. Paddy's Day the Legion Choir will entertain.

COMING EVENTS

MARCH 3rd: Pancake Supper at Knox Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, March 3 at 5:30 p.m. Tickets - 10 yrs and under $2.00; 11 yrs. and over $3.50. Sponsored by the Presbyterian Women. F25-1tp

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RENAISSANCE DAY
Wednesday, March 4th will be Renaissance Day at Seaway District High School. Events will be in the gymnasium from 8:50 to 3:15 p.m., and again from 6:30 p.m. until 8:45 p.m.

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MARCH 21st: Knox Church ladies Aid will hold their Tea & Bake Sale on Saturday, March 21st from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Church Hall. F18-1tc

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MARCH 10th: Ballroom Dancing Lessons start March 10th at Nation View Public School, South Mountain from 8:15 to 9:15 Tuesday beginning March 10th
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"Thinking Week" celebrated

The Girl Guides invited their little sisters, the Brownies to join them last week at their meeting to observe "Thinking Week". There were games, crafts and a cake to mark the good times.

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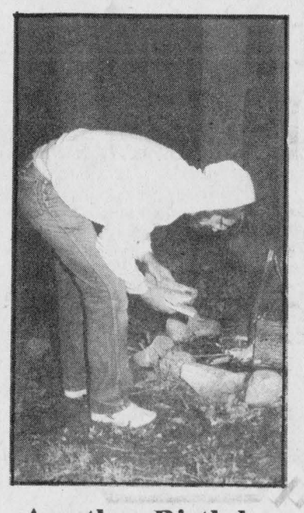
The Iroquois Chieftain welcomes your opinion. Write: Letters to the Editor, Box 529, Iroquois, K0E 1K0. Be sure to include your name and telephone number in any correspondence. Unsigned letters will not be printed.



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Grant to Edwardsburgh

Ontario Environment Minister Jim Bradley has announced that a grant of $1,869,000 has been approved for construction of a sewage works system in the Village of Spencerville in the Township of Edwardsburgh.

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Legion Poster contest winner at SDHS

Terri-Lynn Brennan, Grade 12 student at Seaway District High School, received recognition for her Remembrance Day poster from Legion Zone Commander G-3 Ed Hitchinson and Secretary of Branch 370, Maureen Hitchinson, in a ceremony last Friday. She has won top honours at the Branch, Zone and District levels, and her poster goes on to be judged at the Dominion level in the spring. *Chieftain Photo - D. Moore*

Local girl gets recognition for poster

In our issue of November 12, 1986, we pictured some of the Remembrace Day posters that had been submitted in the Royal Canadian Legion poster contest. One of the posters that was shown was the first place poster submitted by Terri-Lynn Brennan.

Now she has received prizes from the Legion for her first place showing at the Zone level, and at the District level. Competition is keen, with the Zone taking in 14 Branches from Merrickville on the west, to Manotick on the north, and Russell on the east. And the District stretches from Napanee and Deep River to encompass all of the eastern portion of Ontario.

On Friday morning, February 20, G-3 Zone Commander Ed Hitchinson and Branch Secretary Maureen Hitchinson were at Seaway District High School to present awards to Terri-Lynnn in recognition of her accomplishments. She received a cheque and certificate for her first place standing at each of the Zone and District levels. Earlier she had been presented with tokens of recognition from the Branch.

New look for 4-H

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You can improve your knowledge in numerous topic areas. 4-H clubs beginning in March include: Dairy - Herd Health and Marketing; Beef - Herd Health and Marketing; Veterinary - Muscles and Bones; Field Crops - Marketing; Horse - Management and Training; Farm to Table - Processing, Marketing and Distribution of Food.

If you or a friend would like to get more details about the 4-H clubs in your area, contact The Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, Box 488, Winchester, Ontario. Phone 613-774-2313 - Zenith 19750.

OBITUARIES

Frank Merkley

A life long resident of the Williamsburg area passed away February 19, 1987. Frank Simeon Merkley died at his home in Williamsburg.

Mr. Merkley was born in July 7, 1892 in Williamsburg. He was a farmer. He was predeceased by his wife, Evah F. Sadlemire.

He was a life long member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. He was active in Sunday School, choir and church council. He also served for many years on the Board of the old Union Cemetery in Williamsburg.

He was the son of William I. Merkley and Ella C. Saddlemire, both deceased. He is survived by Brother Lennie R. Merkley of Ottawa. He is also survived by children Joyce (Mrs. Robert Grey) of Scarborough, Mrs. Norma Harriman of Williamsburg, Virgie (Mrs. William Kurschinski of London, Ontario. He is also survived by eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Frank was predeceased by a sister, Mrs. Carrie Bailey.

Funeral services were held at St. Peters Lutheran Church, Williamsburg, on Saturday, February 21 at 2 p.m, Rev. J. Ross Thornson and Rev. Dr. Wm. Kurschinki officiated. Interment will be at the old Union Cemetery, Williamsburg.

Pallbearers were Gordon Meek, Harold Merkley, Lyle Van Allen, Charlie Whitteker, Bill Casselman, and Carl Van Allen.

Everett Empey

A long time resident Everett Roy Empey of R.R. 1 (Lakeshore Drive) Iroquois died February 15, 1987 at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital. Mr. Empey, 77 suffered from a lengthy illness.

Born in Bourget, Ontario on December 25, 1909 he was the son of Jessie Miller and Clinton Empey, who are both deceased. Everett Empey married Veronica Nolan in Ottawa in 1939, and who survives to mourn his loss.

Mr. Empey farmed with his brothers, Cecil and Gerald at R.R. 1 Iroquois for 21 years. After selling the farm he worked with the St. Lawrence Parks Commission for eight 8 years before retiring to his home on the Lakeshore Drive where he enjoyed his garden and visiting with family and friends.

Left to mourn his loss is his beloved wife Veronica Nolan, niece Shirley (Mrs. Wayne Pulfer) and her daughters Tammy and Krista. He was a cherished brother to Cecil of Maynard, Gerald of Belleville, and Mrs. Audrey Lalonde of Ingleside. Also remembered by several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by a sister Dena (Mrs. E. Rycroft) of Ottawa.

Funeral services were held at the Fairbairn Funeral Home Limited on February 17 at 3:00 p.m. with Rev. Herb Klaehn officiating. Cremation at Pinecrest Crematorium.

Frank Dobbie

John Franklin Dobbie (Frank), who had lived in Spencerville, died in Brockville General Hospital, Tuesday February 24, 1987.

Born in Edwardsburg Township, June 5, 1906 he was a poultry farmer. He founded J.F. Dobbie and Sons Limited Poultry Farm, Ventnor which is still operated by his sons.

Mr. Dobbie associated with St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Spencerville and Knox Presbyterian Church, Ventnor. He was born and raised in Ventnor and moved to Spencerville in 1958.

John Franklin Dobbie was the son of the late James Dobbie and Minnie Gilroy. He is survived by his wife Addie Shaver, formerly of Iroquois and two daughters Mrs. Robert Darling (Carole) and Mrs. Gilbert Bileau (Linda); two sons, Donald and Bert of R.R. 3 Spencerville. One sister, Mrs. Olive Allie Thompson, Smiths Falls and one brother, Dr. Herbert Dobbie, Prescott. 12 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren also survive him. He was predeceased by one sister, Mrs. Merle Henderson.

Friends may call at the Purcell Funeral Home in Spencerville Wednesday 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Funeral services will be Thursday February 26 at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Spencerville at 1:30 p.m.

Rev. Joop Eenkhoorn, officiating. Interment in spring at the Presbyterian Cemetery, Spencerville.

Grandsons will act as pallbearers.

Cardinal Darts

Standings as of February 20 -

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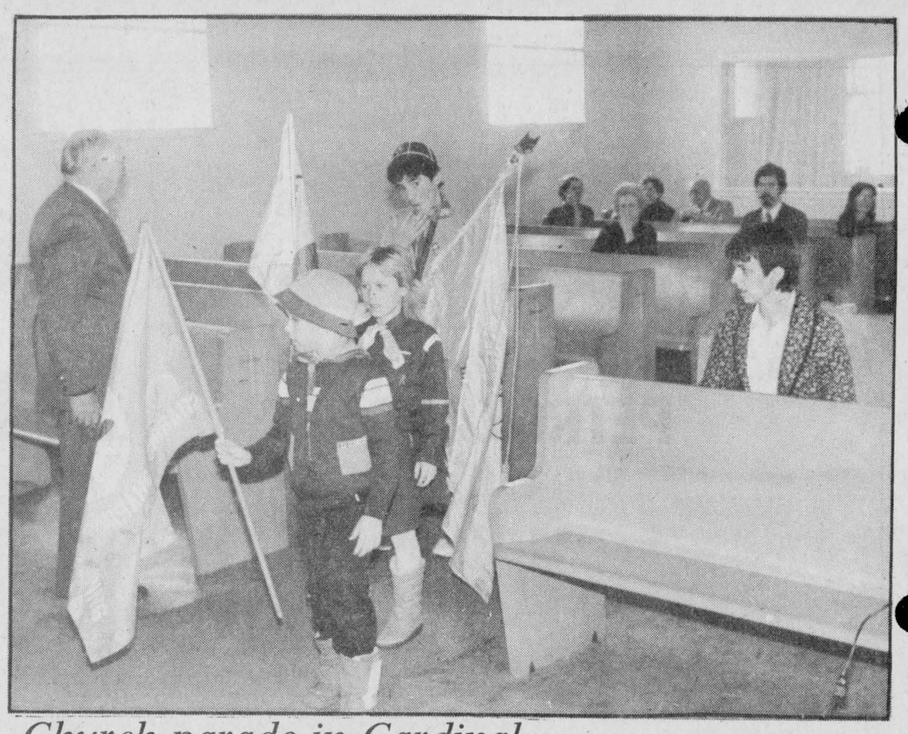
High Score - Toby Summerfield 125, Roy Douglas 117 - 112, Wally Douglas 117, Joyce Neadow 109, Olive Allin 108-100, Jim Kirkby 108, John Wright 108, Jerry Peters 108, Tom Smail 100 x 2, Doug Allard 100 x 2, Wink Amell 100 x 2, Linda Bellinger 100, Marg Kirkby 100, Mary Gilligan 100.



Church parade in Cardinal

On Sunday, February 22 the 1st Cardinal Cubs, Beavers and Brownies attended services at the Free Methodist Church in Cardinal. Rev. Robert Cox lead the young people into the Church and placed the flags. *Chieftain Photo - D. Moore*

SNRCA sponsoring Conservation Days

To help the South Nation River Conservation Authority's 40th Anniversary, the Authority's sponsoring two Soil and Water Conservation Days in early March. The days are designed as educational, informational seminars dealing with assistance programs on the following topics; erosion control, OSCEPAP, manure management, water quality, wood improvements, windbreaks and nuisance beaver control programs. Both days will deal with the same topics but will be held at two locations in the watershed to better accomodate area residents.

Although brochures have been distributed throughout the watershed, few applications have as yet, been received. In order to provide lunches for all those interested in participating, a $6.00 pre-registration fee is being charged which is required on or before February 25th.

We look forward to your participation in making these soil and water days a success.

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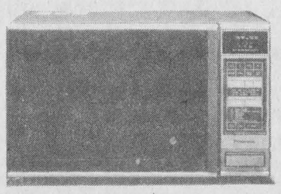
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