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## Open House for Gifts

Once again this year, there will be an Open house and Sale of Hand Crafts on Sunday, November 30th at 4759 Whitteker Road, Williamsburg. Beautiful hand-crafted items and Christmas ornaments are for sale, and refreshments available. This is a fund raiser for Winchester District Memorial Hospital, Dundas County Hospice, and Upper Canada Playhouse. Call Isobel Williams at 535-2757 for more information.

## Festival of Trees

This event is a Victorian Christmas Wonderland featuring spectacular trees and wreaths decorated by top Ottawa artisans, a gingerbread village, crafts for kids, live entertainment, and a decorated tearoom. It's a great way for kids to have fun while you shop. In support of Big Sisters of Ottawa-Carleton, the event is November 27-30 at the Canadian Museum of Nature on McLeod and Metcalfe` in Ottawa. Admission cost of $4 for adults, $3 for students, seniors and children $2 and $9 for family includes your visit to the Museum too. For information, call (613) 729-2242.

## Choral Christmas

"A Choral Christmas" is presented by the Cornwall Centennial Choir on Friday, December 12 at 8 p.m. in St. Columban's church, Fourth and Augustus, Cornwall. Advance tickets are available at $6 from choir members or at Kalrim Cycle and Sport (beside Fabricville) in the Seaway Plaza, Vincent Massey Drive. Come and join in this evening of song. For more information, call 1-613-534-8300.

## Christmas Open House

Dundas Federation of Agriculture is hosting an annual Christmas "Open House" on Wednesday, December 3 at 8 p.m. in the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture Food and Rural Affairs boardroom, Winchester. Everyone is welcome to attend a short business meeting, enjoy refreshments, and meet the Executive, Township Coordinators and Provincial Director. Newly elected municipal councillors and mayors of North and South Dundas are especially invited.

## Ontario Education Alliance meets

The first meeting of the SDG chapter of the Ontario Education Alliance will be held on Tuesday, December 2 at 7 p.m. in the basement of Jazz Magnolia, 1541 Vincent Massey Drive, Cornwall. The Ontario Education Alliance is an independent province-wide coalition of parents, students and education workers committed to building a strong public education system that prepares all students for active citizenship.



**SD&G basketball championship celebration**

The Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers upset the Seaway Spartans in Iroquois last Tuesday night to win the SD&G single "A" senior girls' basketball title. Angela Wilson (left) and Amanda Beaudette, two R/O veterans, were key to the victory. See story and team photo on page 9 on this week's Leader. —*Day photo*

# Martel to represent at County Council

**Catherine Thompson**
Leader Staff

MORRISBURG—Ward Three or Morrisburg's representativ-Cam Martel is the lucky one chosen to represent South Dundas along with mayor Johnny Whitteker at County Council meetings next year.

Martel's name was drawn out of four at an information meeting of the new council last Tuesday.

"We had to make an appointment because the swearing in of the new Warden is in mid December," said Whitteker. Each of the newly elected councillors for South Dundas including Robert Gillard for Williamsburg, (Ward 1): Audrey Rooney for Iroquois (Ward 4) and Beverley Sabourin for Matilda (Ward 2) expressed a wish to represent South Dundas at County Council, presenting a problem.

"I didn't feel like making the appointment, so we put the names in a box, and the administrator treasurer (Mike Waddell) pulled the name," said Whitteker.

"All the councillors there would have been good selections, and anyone could do it," Martel stated.

Martel said he doesn't know yet what his new job will involve. "There will be some learning to do on how County Coucnil works, but with my background, I think I can handle it."

The framework of meetings and committees for the new 12 member County Council has not yet been set up, nor have the committees for the South Dundas Council.

Another information meeting was set for yesterday evening, and the issue of committees may be discussed. Martel said he believed the idea of a committee as a whole will be considered.

Martel believes Whitteker and he are both expected to attend County Council meetings, although he may act as an alternate if Whitteker can not attend.

"The mayor is the spokesperson for the area, and because we represented the previous municipalties we are each approachable for our own ward, but it's not restrictive. Someone from Matilda or another ward may approach me or anyone on council," Martel said.

# Amalgamation, office location top the list

**Catherine Thompson**
Leader Staff

WILLIAMSBURG—Amalgamation and a place for the new council to meet and house its administration are priorities that will occupy the new elected representatives for South Dundas.

"I think one of the major issues facing Dundas is amalgamation itself, to mold the four municipalities into one," said newly-elected mayor Johnny Whitteker.

Whitteker said he thought the task was well within the scope of the group. "They all have experience and we have mixture of two ladies and three men. I think they all show a lot of common sense, I knew them before they were elected, and I feel sure we'll have a good working council."

During an information meeting last Tuesday, administrator treasurer Mike Waddell brought a number of issues to their attention, including the need to have a procedural bylaw and personnel policies in place by January 1, since at that time the municipalities will officially change into South Dundas.

"Another big thing is where we'll meet," Whitteker stated. "We don't want to lose the courts in Morrisburg. There's

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# Playhouse Christmas auction great success

**Catherine Thompson**
Leader Staff

MORRISBURG—Christmas came early to Upper Canada Playhouse during an auction of more than 70 Christmas gift packages on November 22.

Well-known Ottawa restaunteer and philanthropist David Smith joked and cajoled over 100 bidders to part with their money during the joint fundraiser for the Upper Canada Playhouse and the Chamber of Commerce.

Smith proved to be a very effective and entertaining auctioneer when it came to selling items as divers as Prime Minister Jean Chretien's cravate, bank services, dental visits, or two nights in a luxury suite with two dinners and extras at Club Tremblant.

Some of the lower-priced items went for less than $100, while higher-priced packages like the Wine Tasting Party went as steep as $450, or Joanne Notman's hand-decorated Christmas tree for $325.

Smith was helped by Playhouse supporter Fran Laflamme, who promoted items and joked, filling in for auctioneer Flora Dumochel. Dumochel was double booked that evening due to a date change, but she showed up towards the end, and sold a few items to help the good cause.

Both auctioneers donated their efforts, as did Santa's Helpers, the Stage Crew and volunteers who worked to collect donations, decorate the stage in a toy shop theme, and drape the gallery walls in pinebow garlands. Other volunteers helped package items and engaged in creative cooking to provide refreshments for the crowd.

Over 160 tickets were sold although not everyone showed up, but organizers counted 130 to 140 in the theater.

"We're really thankful for the responses of the donors, the purchasers and the volunteers," said Teri Martel, co-chair of the committee.

"The Playhouse has a lot of support out there, and it was nice to see that. Not just from the contributors, donors, but those involved in food preparation, and decorating who worked day and night to make it look really beautiful rom a visual point of view," Martel added.

"I'd like to thank all the people who worked hard to make this an entertaining evening and a success."

"It was nice to have services like the Electrically-Challenged package as well as the regular gift certificates," Martel said. "There was something for everyone to meet their needs."

"We're very pleased," said Anne-Marie Dawley, co-chair of the Auction committee, and Chamber manager. "Everything went extremely well, and all those who attended had good things to say afterwards."

A co-sponsor in the event, the Chamber will share in proceeds to cover its costs, and the cost of a previous Chamber Art fundraiser. Then it will donate the rest of its proceeds back to the Playhouse as a sponsor.

On Tuesday, Board member Lois Rosenquist reported $14,000 had been raised from ticket sales, live and silent auctions, Christmas Tree gift packages and private donations. Upper Canada Playhouse proceeds will go to theater operating expenses.



**Auction a success**

Upper Canada Playhouse raised approximately $14,000 from a Christmas auction on Saturday. Some 200 guests and volunteers experienced the Christmas spirit, enjoyed the food and good fun. Pictured at back from left to right are Auction co-chairs Teri Martel, Anne Marie Dawley. At front are Ottawa restauranteer David Smith and Playhouse volunteer Fran Laflamme.

### Winchester District Memorial

# Hospital boasts new mammography unit

by Catherine Thompson
Leader Staff

WINCHESTER—The Winchester District Memorial Hospital has an new $78,000 mammography unit, funded by the Hospital Auxiliary.

The monies were raised from $40,000 in the In Memoriam fund, and $38,000 from a general fund including proceeds from bazaars and the gift shop.

In February 1994, the hospital officially opened its breast screening unit. Funding for the entire mammography unit was provided through the estate of William Marcellus of Chesterville. The current new mammography unit replaces the previous machine.

"Patients won't see much difference, it's the same procedure. But with the new imaging system and a different film, you get a far better image and the machine itself is updated and more user friendly," said Sandra Jennings, director of diagnostics Therapeutics.

"You will be able to detect far smaller lesions than with the old one," said Billie Donaldson, X-ray technologist.

Hospital chief executive officer Joseline Sikorski said the Hospital has applied to become a satellite program of Ontario Breast Screening.

"We're very confident there will be an announcement and we'll be a satellite of that program. Certainly this state-of-the-art equipment and the generosity of the Auxiliary enhances the opportunity to provide a satellite service to the residents of the area."

Sikorski noted how hard the Auxiliary canvasses for support to provide equipment. "The In Memoriam fund is a wonderful example of the community support and awareness, and a nice way of showing how the money is reinvested back into the community."

Jennings said currently most referrals for mammography come from physicians. "But if we link up with Ontario Breast Screening, women in the area will be able to refer themselves directly, and there will be an RN component of teaching in the program.It certainly needs to be promoted for the prevention and early detection of cancer."

Statistics for 1996/7 indicate there were 1,449 patients for mammography at WDMH. It is expected these statistics will increase to 2,000 in the coming year.

With the purchase, WDMH can continue to locally offer women in the community an enhanced screening and diagnostic mammography service.



**Auxiliary provides new unit**
The Winchester Hospital Auxiliary recently provided a new $78,000 mammography unit. At back from l-r are Edith Baker, chair of Purchasing, Billie Donaldson, X-ray Technologist, Graham Barkley, Auxiliary treasurer. At front are Rita Bray, In Memoriam Fund, Joan Farlinger, Auxiliary president and WDMH CEO Joseline Sikorski.

## Office location

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no possible way you can do $115,000 in renovations and have the courts or the admnistration in that building, so we'll discuss it at next Tuesday's meeting."

Whitteker said the new administration may be moved to Williamsburg "because it's the only place that's large enough to house it on a temporary basis, I wish to emphasize that."

He said he hoped lawyer Doug Grenkie and MPP Noble Villeneuve would become involved in keeping the courts in Morrisburg, because he thought this was very important to the Village and its residents.

"It looks like Williamsburg is the only place that's large enough to house the administration on temporary basis, I wish to emphasize that."

In the meantime, renovations involving duct work, removal of windows, and electrical work will be put on hold, "until we make a final decision."

Whitteker hopes the new council will be able to accomplish his previously-stated goals of completing a bicycle path along the front to Mariatown next year.

He anticipates progress by the committee to look at a South Dundas museum to house historical materials from the four previous municipalities. The Transition Committee has set up a Museum subcommittee to recommend a location, and artifacts which should be preserved.

Morrisburg's reeve Gord McGregor acts as the liaison between Council, the Transition Committee, and the Museum committee which has citizen representatives from four municipalities.

While the location of the new administration is temporarily unsettled, the staff has been decided. In administration, there is a staff of seven, including administrator treasurer, clerk and five assistants. The road department has the same number of employees as under the old municipalities.

## ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH #48 MORRISBURG, ONTARIO

## NEWSLETTER

November 11th was a cold overcast day but it did not prevent the people from Morrisburg and area gathering at the Legion to observe Remembrance Day. A capacity crowd were there to remember and Honour those of Morrisburg and district who had fallen in the service of their country and sovereign. The Legion Choir opened the service with an anthem, the Veterans and Members of the Legion were piped in by Comrade Gord McGregor. Prayers were offered by our Padres Rev. Don Smith. O Canada was sung and the Colors were marched under the command of Sgt. at Arms Mahlon Casselman. Hymns were sung, President Lloyd Merkley read the names of the fallen and those who had passed on since last Remembrance Day. The Last Post and Reveille were played. Wreaths were placed by the Official Party and those who desired to do so, and the names of all Organizations, Businesses and individuals who had supported our Poppy Campaign were read by Poppy Chairman Judy Laurin. Those attending were invited to a light lunch and a chance to chat with veterans and their friends.

The pupils of St. Mary's School from grades two, three and four who attended the service brought with them Thank You cards with a Remembrance Day theme which were presented to the veterans after the service. The veterans were touched by the thoughtful gesture.

Wreaths were placed after the service at the Cenotaph at Morrisburg Civic Centre and at the waterfront memorial. Earlier in the day wreaths were placed in the Canadian and British Courts of honour at the Chrysler Battlefield Memorial centre, to commemorate the Battle of Chryslers Farm where a small band of British Regulars and Canadian Reservists with the aid of a few aboriginal Canadians defeated an American Force on its way down the St. Lawrence River to attack Montreal. This event is neglected by the Canadian and Provincial Government agencies and a little bit of Canadian History has been shoved onto the back burner.

A the General Meeting held on Wed., Nov. 19th nine members were sworn in by 1st Vice-President Judy Laurin.

A vote of thanks is owed to Comrades Fred Diegel and Frank Marriner for organizing the very successful Open Dart Tournament held on Sat., Nov. 15th, which saw a near capacity number of teams in attendance.

Winners of the euchre held on the 16th saw a tie for first place by Freeman Beckstead and Evelyn Schwerdfeger and a tie for 2nd by Marg Hunt and Terry Laurin. The cribbage on the 23rd was won by Evelyn Schwerdfeger, 2nd Terry Laurin and tied for 3rd were Gerry Duchesneau and Cindy Walsh.

On Saturday, members of Branch 16, Ottawa, came out for an afternoon of darts and comradeship. The teams were drawn up with members of both branches. This exchange of visits was started by the late Comrade Frank Oake and we will be visiting Br. 16 in the New Year. After the games supper was served to the participants.

All members are reminded that you have only until Sunday, Nov. 30th to renew your membership, receive your early bird sticker and get a chance on a free membership for 1988. This Sunday will also see the Branch being decorated for the holiday season, so come out and help trim the tree at 1 p.m.

Tickets for New Year's Eve with entertainment by Dayton and Eric and on sale at the Legion Bar. The cost is $25 per couple, $15 single. Price includes party favours and a midnight buffet lunch. Tickets are limited so get yours early.

'There will be a box in the entrance hall where members can drop off non-perishable goods for the South Dundas Christmas Exchange. If you are coming to the branch drop any goods you want to share with the less fortunate and drop your pennies in the jar to help with the taxes for 1998.

This week's meat draw is for a 10 lb. Boneless Prime Rib Roast. Remember – you can't win if you don't have a ticket. Tickets are available to anyone at the bar for only $2.00.

***Branch 48 Coming Events***

- Sunday, Nov. 30 – Dart Steak Shoot at 1:00 p.m.
- Sunday, Dec. 7 – Euchre Tournament at 1:30 p.m.
- Every Thursday Night – BINGO at 7:30 p.m.


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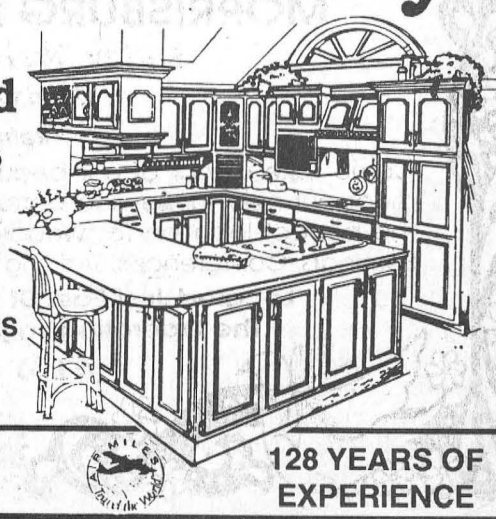

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# Old identities will remain in South Stormont

**Catherine Thompson**
Leader Staff

LONG SAULT—South Stormont reeve Jim Brownell is really looking forward to his new office.

"These are very exciting times, and it's exciting to be part of something that is historic, creating a new township."

"Seeing the end of the former township is kind of sad, I've been a resident of this Township for 49 years, but the people will all go on, and we'll all work hard to develop our new Township of South Stormont," he said.

As a member of Cornwall Township Historical Society, Brownell is quite conscious of the concerns about identity. He believes the amalgamation between Cornwall Township and Osnabruck Township is basically "an administration thing, you will have a new title to the municipality, but you will keep your identity."

"I think we'll all go on just as our little communities such as Gallingertown, Newington, Sandtown, Northfield Station and Bonneville. They have always held on to their heritage and their past and their history."

"They have retained their name, and there's a strong sense of community in all this, although some have dwindled to not quite what they used to be. I think there will always be that sense of being in that former municipality of Cornwall Township or Osnabruck Township," Brownell stated.

He and deputy reeve Jim MacGillivray will represent the new municipality at County Council.

To Brownell, provincial downloading is a major concern for the amalgamated community. The facts and figures regarding costs of transferred services have not been released, except for the cost of policing, estimated at $1.1 million for South Stormont by the O.P.P.

"There's all that information to check into, to see what the consequences are for the Township and all that information relates back to two townships, so we have to put it all into one to see what the consequences will be."

"A lot of things are still fluid, and no clear figures have been given yet, they haven't made it perfectly clear it will happen," Brownell stated.

For example, legislation to download provincial costs for libraries has been put on the backburner. "Personally, I'm delighted," Brownell stated. "The libraries should be a fair amount of provincial responsibility, and I think that will continue."

Brownell said citizens from both municipalities had spoken at public meetings in favor of continued support from the province. In particular, Counties Library Board chair Frances Marin had made a presentation supported with good solid facts. "I'm proud of what she did for the local area and what other people did," he said.

During the election campaign, Brownell said he never had promised a "whole lot, and nobody else at the public meetings did that. But we all have things we've very interested in, whether it be economic development or support for the agricultural community, or the joint water study."

The province recently announced it will partly fund Osnabruck Township's portion of a joint water study. This will enable the amalgamated municipality to continue with the study, which Cornwall Township had temporarily put on hold, while Osnabruck applied and waited for an answer.

One of Brownell's strong personal interests is in economic development. "I'd like to see us continue to work with the Counties and City, not see us go off on our own tangent, and strive to set up an economic development committee that just looks after Cornwall Township."

"What we have here will get benefits throughout SD & G, so all of should be working on one goal, to establish the best economic plan for our area and work together on it just as tourism is doing now," he stated.

Brownell said he is delighted with the way tourism is going, with cooperation between Counties and City under Cornwall Seaway Valley Tourism.

One issue the new council will discuss is the establishment of committees for recreation, public advisory waterfront committee. At this point, it is yet to be decided if there is to be an Economic Development Committee for South Stormont.

Due to the hectic schedules of reeve and clerk, the new council had not yet met by the end of last week, however a strategy meeting was called for December 10. New councillors must sign their papers before the transition to South Stormont January 1, and the swearing-in ceremony.


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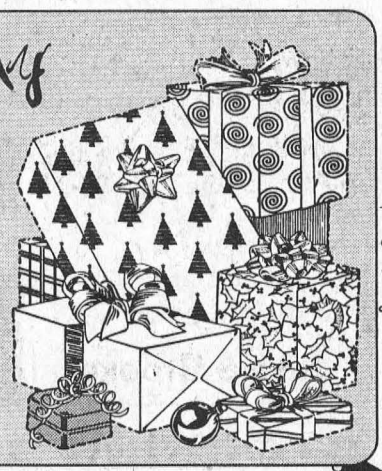
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# *Last Minute Strategies to Minimize '97 taxes*

Although time is rapidly running out for implementing effective tax-saving strategies for 1997, it's not too late to reduce this year's tax bite.

The best news, says Eileen Maltinsky, CA, senior tax manager for Arthur Andersen in Ottawa, is that 1998 personal tax rates will be lower than in 1997, so you should try to defer income to 1998 and speed up deductions where possible. "For example, take that bonus in January, not December and make that charitable donation in December rather than January or February."

John Bowey, CA, a partner in the Kitchener office of Deloitte & Touche recommends that, if you hold securities that have dropped in value and are unlikely to appreciate in the near future, "sell them, thereby realizing a capital loss. This loss might cancel out the year's capital gains. And, if you were taxed on a gain in 1994, 1995 or 1996, your 1997 capital loss could be applied against it, resulting in a tax refund."

Maltinsky says that RRSPs are still an excellent way to reduce taxes. Contribute your maximum allowable amount as soon as possible, including contributions to a spousal RRSP. These must be made within your own contribution limits but can result in future income-splitting with your spouse."

She adds that, if you are past the age at which you must convert your RRSP to retirement income (69 in 1997), but your spouse is not yet past this age, you can still make spousal RRSP contributions as long as you have business, employment or other qualifying earned income or unused carry-forward contribution room from earlier years.

And, if you have the extra cash, Maltinsky suggests contributing the $2000 over-contribution to which you are entitled. "Even if this is not deductible right away, the income generated will be sheltered in your RRSP."

Bowey advises that when you borrow to acquire property to earn income, "the loan interest is generally tax-deductible. If you expect to sell the property at a loss in 1997, you can still deduct the loan interest if certain conditions are met."

Maltinsky says that new rules on charitable donations may make it more worthwhile to donate stocks instead of cash. "Better tax breaks are now available."

These are general tax tips only, stress the two CAs. Ask a chartered accountant to identify which of these— as well as other—tax saving strategies will work for you.

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***One of the many foreign boats to tie up at the old canal wall, Lock 23, Morrisburg.***

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## This Week In Morrisburg's History

Compiled from The Leader's fyles by Laurie Day

**1987**

Residents of Morrisburg were asked to conserve energy because work was being done on power lines along the St. Lawrence between Brockville and Cornwall. This meant there was going to be less electricity to go around, so users in the affected areas were asked to shut down all unnecessary electrical loads over the course of the first weekend in December.

Barry Degray, a former Morrisburg resident, was to carry the Olympic Torch when it made its way across Canada on December 17th. Degray, who played with the Kanata Valley Lazers Junior A hockey team, kept in shape by jogging and lifting weights, and the required five-kilometer tryout run was completed in 20 minutes.

After three years of trying, the Williamsburg IOOF curlers came home with the Inter-Lodge championship from the annual bonspiel played at Arnprior. Pictured in the sports' section of The Leader were Ralph McIntosh, Dwain Hess, Ernie Fling and Gerald Adams.

Keith Robinson, chairman of the Save the Rink committee accepted a cheque for $1,000 from Shirley Cassell to be put towards the fund, which was now over the $25,000 objective. The cheque from Cassell was donated by ESSO through its gas outlet at Charlie's (Cassell) Sport Shop.

**1979**

Headlines in the November 30th, 1979, issue of The Leader read: *Drugs stolen at Seaway Pharmacy.* A break-in at the Seaway Valley Pharmacy outlet in Morrisburg resulted in the theft of a large quantity of drugs, many of which were lethal. Thieves kicked in the window of the rear door of the pharmacy immediately adjacent to The Leader office, and entered the dispensary at the rear of the store. Approximately $700 worth of heavy narcotics were stolen. The OPP office at Morrisburg received reports that a number of packages of drugs had been picked up by children on their way to school and turned in at the Morrisburg Public School office. Numerous quantities of the pills had been found in different locations from Ottawa Street almost to the eastern limits of the village along Highway 2.

Harry Gatward, managing consultant for LanCol Credit Ltd., had initiated the construction of three blocks of townhouses north of Fifth Street at the west end of the village on a new street named Carraway Crescent.

Members of the Morrisburg Leader staff were honored guests at the 10th anniversary celebration at the National Museum of Science and Technology in Ottawa. A feature of the celebration was the opening of the printery and a feature of that section was the old flatbed press used for 80 years to print The Morrisburg Leader newspaper.

Pat McCourt of Bouck's Hill was elected President of the Morrisburg and District Horticultural Society.

**1967**

The December 1st issue of The Leader reported on the official opening of Seaway District High School on November 25th. The $2 million addition to Iroquois High School gave South Dundas a complete range of education programs. Seaway High was planned to accommodate an anticipated enrollment of 900 students by 1970. Two new wings had been added to the original school building surrounding an interior court which was to be landscaped to provide a quiet area for study and relaxation. The new addition included 14 classrooms, two laboratories, shops, occupational centres, business and commercial rooms, and a library. Also, the gymnasium and cafeteria had been enlarged. In 1967, there were slightly over 500 students, 40 teachers and an additional 13 staff employees occupied with office, kitchen and maintenance duties.

Residents of the area were treated to an outstanding amateur performance in the performing arts by members of the Morrisburg Ballet School under the direction of Mrs. Lee Jeffrey.

In hockey news, it was rumored that the Morrisburg Knights of the Central Junior A League were about to call it quits for the season and that three players had already signed with the Cornwall Royals. The Knights had earned only one point on a tie during the season and found themselves in an untenable situation.

**1957**

Headlines in the December 3rd, special edition of The Leader read: *Modern shopping mecca opens Thursday.* Various new spots in the shopping centre included: Ford's Jewellers, Dominion Stores Ltd., McGillis Hardware, Coligan's Grocery, The Dutch Shop, IGA, Rexall Drug Store, Casselman's Shoe Store, R.A. Beamish Stores, McNeeley's Drug Store, Bank of Nova Scotia, Valance Store, Merrill Furniture, Quality Meat Market, Bradfield's Hardware, Family Outfitters, Bank of Montreal, New York Cafe and Burling's Lunch.

The new six-unit self-contained housing units at Victoria Park, located within easy

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## Seen 'n Heard

# Around The Town

Congratulations are extended to, Norma Smith of Matilda Township, the winner of the Victorian print, which was raffled off as a fund-raiser for the Stampville Centre. Janet Levere called us at The Leader to pass on the good news, and the fact that the fund-raising event brought in approximately $350 for the centre. The draw was held on Thursday last week.

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Santa Clause is making a special stop at Rooney's Feed Store in Irqouois Saturday from 8 a.m. to 12 noon, prior to his visit in Morrisburg. Bring in your pet, and have his photo taken with the jolly ol' elf for just $6. All proceeds will be given to the OSPCA.

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Friends of the Upper Canada Bird Sanctuary are offering several programs during the fall and winter season, including a Wreath Decorating Workshop on November 29th from noon to 3 p.m. Guests are encouraged to bring in any color coordinated ribbons, along with cutting pliers. The cost of $10 will get you a grapevine wreath and some natural and man-made decorating materials. Snacks and beverages are available. Then on November 30 from 1-3 p.m., a Winter Bird Feeding Workshop will be held, and the cost is $5 per person, including suet cake. All aspects of coaxing your fine-feathered friends to a banquet in your own backyard will be explored in this workshop presented by local naturalists. The best diet and varied designs of feeders will be examined, and a suet mixture made to use in a log suet holder will be made available that day. Wear your grubbies at this workshop, as it is a hands-on experience! Call Madeleine at 537-2193

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Kudos to Rob Hamilton on his recent posting to Fire Chief for the Morrisburg Volunteer Fire Department. However, Rob is a little 'gun' shy, and failed to drop by The Leader office on Monday for a photo so we could put it in this week's edition. "It's no big deal," he told us last week. "Surely you could find something more exciting to write about than me." Perhaps the reason for his shyness, or his nonchalantness is the fact that he has been acting chief for the past year or so, but just recently, was appointed chief 'officially'. Congrats and best of luck at the new posting.

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The Santa Claus parade is next weekend, Saturday, December 6th. Don't forget to take in the floats at this year's annual festive activity, put on by the Morrisburg BIA. Then, after the parade, there will be a Christmas party, complete with treats for the kids, happening at the Operators' Training Institute...more next week.

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If you are having a problem with a provincial government organization, Ombudsman Ontario may be able to help. The Ombudsman investigates and resolves complaints about Ontario ministries, boards and commissions. Julie Bertrand, the Ombudsman representative will be visiting Hawkesbury on December 18, at the Prescott-Russell Family Services Centre, Suite 201, 144 Main Street East, from 9-11 a.m. and Cornwall at City Hall, 360 Pitt Street, from 1-3 p.m. to meet with people who wish to discuss their complaints. Services are free and confidential. For info call 1-800-721-0009.

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# *Melville Boys* now showing at Winchester Community Centre

**Catherine Thompson**
Leader Staff

WINCHESTER—Canadian playwright Norm Foster's comedy *The Melville Boys* is a social commentary with elements of comedy.

The story takes place at a cottage on the lake, and features four characters. The two major characters are brothers, and they are trying to solve problems of family relationships in a situation of isolation.

One of the brothers Lee Melville is ill, and wants his brother Owen to face up to his responsibilities in that situation, but the other doesn't want to face up to it.

Lee played by Matthew Defalco depicts the serious older brother and Owen is the younger, carefree one who always sees the lighter side of any situation.

"He's always trying to get away from his problems and Lee is always there to remind him of his responsibilities," said Ray Besharah, who plays Owen. "But I think he's a great guy, he's fun, spontaneous, loves life, but isn't really responsible."

Lauree Laing takes Mary's role as the older of two sisters, while Tammy Walkden plays Loretta, the younger one.

"Mary is a very complicated woman in that she has done everything right in her life, and still bad things have happened to her; and she can't quite come to the realization that that can happen. She is afraid to change, but through the events which occur on this weekend, she grows up a bit," Lauree said. "Mary's a good person, she tries hard, I really like her."

Tammy depicts Loretta, Mary's selfish counterpart, but more certain in her direction in life and in her dealings with others.

"She seems selfish, but really she's not. She appears a little flirty, and is funny like a typical blonde. She comes out with some good one liners. Mary's the original nice girl, and she's just the opposite. She's the 'I don't care what people think of me, in your face' type," said Tammy.

Director of this production Gail Bailey has eight years experience working in professional theater, including Upper Canada Playhouse, Theater Brockville, Piggery Theater in North Hatley, Quebec, and a theater in Thunder Bay.

Produced by the Dundas County Players, *The Melville Boys* is being produced at Winchester Community Center this Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 p.m. and Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. Tickets at $8 may be purchased at the door, at Stedman's, or from members of the theater company.



**Melville Boys**
The *Melville Boys* is coming to the Winchester Community Center this Thursday, Friday, Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon. Pictured at back from left to right are Ray Besharah, who plays Owen, and director Gail Bailey. At front are Tammy Walkden (Loretta), and Lauree Laing (Mary). Absent from the photo is Matthew Defalco (Lee).

## This Week In Morrisburg's History

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walking distance of the new shopping centre, were rapidly being filled as families were being moved out of their old quarters and into the new.

The new Civic Building at Morrisburg was expected to be ready in the spring. The contract had been awarded to the Dodge Construction Co. of Cardinal for the sum of $193,700. It called for the erection of a 10,400 square foot building and was to be situated in what had been planned as Government Centre facing Fifth Street. It was to be flanked on the east by the new building for the post office. The War Memorial at the corner of No. 2 and Highway 31 was to be relocated and placed at the front of the building.

**1947**

The November 28th issue of The Leader reported Fred H. Broder was again to be the Reeve of Morrisburg, being the only nominee for that office.

At Beckstead's Grocery tendersweet smoked ham was 68 cents a pound, and cleaned chickens were 39 cents a pound.

The Aultsville correspondent reported there had been a lively time at the wharf when some of the men were bringing their cattle and horses home from the island where they had been grazing during the summer.

**1937**

The December 3rd issue of The Leader reported one new member joined Morrisburg council this year. All members of the council had received their seats by acclamation. The newcomer was Nelson W. Morton, manager of the Cameo Theatre. Returning were Reeve Arthur Flynn, and councillors Fred H. Broder, J.E. Christensen, John Harback and F.H. Broder.

Quarters of the Brockville Golf and Country Club, half a mile west of Brockville, were destroyed by fire. The frame building was built in 1914.

At Beckstead and Rae mixed nuts were 20 cents a pound and salted peanuts were two pounds for 25 cents.

## *Meeting for new S-D Liberals Thursday*

MONKLAND—The Stormont, Dundas, Glengarry and East Grenville Provincial Liberal Association in conjunction with the Cornwall, Cornwall Township, Charlottenburgh Provincial Liberal Association will hold a founding meeting for the new Stormont-Dundas Provincial Liberal Association on Thursday, November 27 at 7 p.m. at the Cornwall Royal Academy of Hockey, Fourth Street and McConnell Avenue, Cornwall.

"As a result of Ontario provincial legislation, riding boundaries have been redesigned to take effect next election along federal lines," said Denis Sabourin, president of the SDG and East Grenville P.L.A.

"The new riding will be made up of the counties of Stormont, Dundas, the City of Cornwall, Charlottenburgh Township and Akwesasne," explained Sabourin.

He went on to say, "Present members in good standing with either provincial liberal association will be eligible to vote for the new executive of Stormont-Dundas. Immediate past members of either riding will be able to renew their memberships and new members are welcome." For more information, call Denis Sabourin at 1-613-346-5416 or Alana Lafave-Bissonnette at 1-613-936-2188.


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*New coordinator hired*

# Rural transportation in Eastern Counties

CORNWALL—The Eastern Counties Community Transportation Planning and Coordination Committee is pleased to announce that Josee Potvin has been hired as a Community Transportation Consultant to develop a coordinated rural transportation system in the Eastern Counties.

This project is funded by the Community Transportation Action Program of the Ontario Government and sponsored locally by the Canadian Red Cross. The Canadian Red Cross is a part of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and, together with over 165 national societies is focussed on improving the situation of the most vulnerable.

In 1992, as a result of the Provincial Long-Term Care Reform Consultation Process, "transportation" was recognized as a required core community support system. It is based on this recognition and an initial consultation with service providers, consumers and agencies that the Community Transportation Planning and Coordination Committee was formed.

Composed of over 30 individuals representing transportation providers, the Committee successfully sought and received in May 1997 funds to initiate a pilot demonstration for the coordination of transportation for less abled persons residing in the Eastern Counties.

In announcing the grant, Debbie de Wit, chair of the Transportation Committee commented: "I feel this grant recognizes that there is a need to work towards a coordinated transportation for our communities. I am optimistic that the work Josee is doing for us will provide us with a strategy and demonstrate the real care and financial benefits of coordinated transportation for our communities."

Marjorie McCoy, branch manager of the Canadian Red Cross in Cornwall and sponsor of the project added: "We know that there are many people in our region that require transportation assistance to and from appointments because we often receive their calls here. We know that there are many people in our region that require transportation assistance to and from appointments because we often receive their calls here. We also know that there are many volunteers dedicating their valuable time and skills to making sure that most people can make those appointments.

It is our hope that Josee can assist us in finding the way to bring the needs of our clients together with the transportation that is available."

Results of the project and the consultation with community members, agencies and care givers will be available in March 1998. This information will be forwarded to the Ontario Government for approval to initiate implementation.

For more information regarding this project, please call the Canadian Red Cross at 613-932-0231.

# Everyone welcome to attend open house

MORRISBURG—Situated on the beautiful St. Lawrence River, just 20 minutes from Cornwall and minutes from the Village of Morrisburg and Upper Canada Village, the Morrisburg Meeting Center is now officially open for business.

On Friday, November 28, the Center will be hosting an Open House for the general public between 6 and 8 p.m. EVERYONE'S INVITED to drop in, enjoy a few refreshments and take a tour in this unique facility.

Over the past several years, only a few lucky individuals and organizations in the area have had the opportunity to see and use the Morrisburg Meeting Center. Past guests have included organizers and guests of memorable wedding receptions and delegates to the most memorable LLAMA convention.

Owned by the International Union of Operating Engineers of Ontario, this facility has been known in the area as the Operating Engineers Training Institute. The Operating Engineers Union purchased the facility a number of years ago to ensure that training was available for its members, but it is now also gaining a reputation in the United States as a first class training center. . you might have noticed those large earth moving machines and cranes next to the Center moving aimlessly back and forth!

It is now possible, to not only book other types of Training Programs at the facility, but also meetings, banquets, wedding receptions, conferences and even sport events or tournaments.

The Morrisburg Meeting Center has two banquet/function rooms, several classrooms, an auditorium, a gymnasium, boardroom, several multi-purpose areas, large areas for outdoor sports, as well as overnight accommodations.

Porto Bello Catering, with close to 15 successful years in the restaurant and banquet business is the Center's new full service caterer. Another definite asset to some groups will be the accessibility to the Center's partner tenant, the T.R. Leger Alternative School.

If you've been wondering what that building on the waterfront just near Morrisburg is all about, November 28th is your chance to find out! Plan to drop in to the Morrisburg Meeting Center and take a tour.

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor—On behalf of the teachers in all the schools in SD & G, I would like to thank the many members of the public who supported us during our recent political protest. It was a difficult decision for everyone who was out on the line but one in which we committed ourselves to our goal.

The encouragement, assistance and support you gave us reminded us of our key role in the community and of the reasons why we are fighting to preserve public education.

Yours sincerely,
Greg McGillis

President District 21 OSSTF
(Ontario Secondary School Teachers Federation)

# Williamsburg seniors

WILLIAMSBURG—On Tuesday, November 18th, 18 members attended the regular monthly meeting that followed a delicious Pot Luck dinner. The meeting opened with singing O Canada, accompanied by Hilda Garlough on the piano.

Everyone was welcomed by the president and the reports of the secretary and treasurer were heard. A motion was made and carried to send $200 to the Children's Hospital Foundation.

Plans for the Christmas dinner and meeting were made. Members who were not asked for anything specific can bring salads, jellos, desserts etc. There will be invited guests, and special entertainment.

For the Christmas euchre on December 17th, members are asked to bring a dozen squares or cookies.

Cards were enjoyed during the reminder of the afternoon.

**Winners at Williamsburg Seniors Euchre**

Winners at the Williamsburg Township Euchre on Wednesday, November 19th were as follows:
Ladies: Evelyn Swerdfeger; Sharon Munro; Zeta Godard.
Gents: Enid Dalrymple; Graham Pemberton; Ralph Casselman.
Door Prize: Lois Sweeney; Audrey Whitteker.
Draw: Helen Gillespie; Zeta Godard; Lynn Gilmour; Betty Barkley; Helen Crump, and Phyllis Scott.

The next euchre will be held on Wednesday, December 3rd, and everyone is welcome.

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Joseph will be working alongside of his father, Peter B. McCooeye, who has been servicing the financial planning needs of people in the South Dundas area since 1981. With Peter's years of experience and Joseph's technical knowledge, McCooeye Financial Planning will continue to effectively service families and businesses in the areas of Life and Disability Insurance, Critical Illness Insurance, Estate Planning, Annuities, Mutual Funds, Mortgages, and Health Care Programs. To speak to either Joseph or Peter about your financial planning needs, call 652-2728 or 543-3144. Nobody ever plans to fail...they just fail to plan!

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# South Dundas Christmas Exchange progressing well

MORRISBURG—A letter from a concerned and grateful resident of South Dundas really hit home for the organizers of the Christmas Exchange.

*I wish to express my sincere thanks to you and your coworkers of the South Dundas Christmas Exchange. The young woman I called you about was in a temporary find, waiting for Mother's Allowance to kick in. As usual, at Christmas everyone is busy and these little people often get lost in the crack...You have no idea what a help a box of food is to an empty cupboard.*

*Since then, her circumstances have improved and it seems she will manage. My husband and I have always donated to this worthy cause, but this is the first time we have come so close to the cause. Believe me, I will do all I can to talk this up to all the local groups which I am involved in...*

That letter just about says it all.

The South Dundas Christmas Exchange will begin a three-week campaign to collect food for families within our community who are worthy of the help this year.

It is expected that over 275 children will benefit from food suitable for a nutritious Christmas dinner plus a toy per child provided for by the Lions' Club and Chieftain's Angel Trees.

Food bins will be strategically located at Wheeler's Valu-Mart, and both banks in Iroquois. Money jars will be situated in convenience stores in Williamsburg, all local banks, the Beer Store, Gilmour's Drug Store, Food Land and Whittekers.

The royal Canadian Legion in Morrisburg will be a beehive of activity on Wednesday, December 17th, as willing persons from our community gather together to sort food and pack boxes of perishable food which has been purchased from local stores as well as canned items donated.

The Christmas Exchange organizers have been assured that once again, the local schools will collect food at assemblies, basketball games and Christmas Concerts. As in the past, Seaway High School provides the Christmas Exchange with students to help carry food on distribution days. The Alternative T.R. Leger School is expected to provide helpers on both days and their contribution is much appreciated.

Craig Packaging is to donate the cardboard boxes needed and the Iroquois-Matilda Lions' Club has agreed to assemble all the boxes readying them for volunteers to pack.

All local churches in the area have contacted organizers and have expressed their support of this project. Churches have promised food collections, donations of money,"book trees, an Angel tree from Williamsburg United Church, fancy cookie trees, and mitten trees.

Donations of money may be taken in person to the treasurer, Sharon Jones, who works at the LCBO, Morrisburg, dropped in the jars located in various locations or mailed to South Dundas Christmas Exchange, Box 1114, Morrisburg.

Local businesses and industries are welcome to participate in this year's drive and may contact any of the following committee members for further information: Robin Lane, Ruth Shearing, Sharon Jones, Melinda Wouters, Carol Richer, Joan Findlay, Jean Marsten, Rev. Bill Byers, Mark Hart, and Leona McIntosh.



**Craft Open House**
Isobel Williams is pictured with a handcrafted Christmas angel, against a backdrop of decorative hats and wreaths. She is holding an Open House and Sale of Handcrafted Gifts this Sunday at 4579 Whitteker Road. Proceeds are for the Winchester Hospital, Dundas Hospice and Upper Canada Playhouse.


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# Marilyn Arsenault guest speaker at CWL

BY MAGGIE SMITH

MORRISBURG—Thirty-two members and guests attended the November meeting of the Catholic Women's League held at the St. Mary's Church on November 17th.

Mass was celebrated by Father Shea at 7:30 p.m., and the business meeting followed.

The evening's roll call was 'Your Favorite Prayer". Minutes of the October meeting were read and the conveners gave their reports.

The annual Christmas Dinner and Auction will be held at the Morrisburg Legion on Monday, December 1st, starting at 6:30 p.m. The cost of the dinner is $9 per person, and the proceeds from the auction will be used to buy flowers for the altars at St. Mary's and St. Cecilia's during Christmas and Easter.

As in the past, Christmas poinsettias will be delivered to the CWL shut-ins and lap rugs, donated by Olive Higgins, will also be given out.

Spiritual Convener, Catherine Van Moorsel has donated a beautiful hand-crafted picture of the Blessed Virgin Mary to be raffled off by the CWL. The pictured, crocheted by Catherine, is crafted in white and mounted on a pale blue background. It is glass covered and framed. Wonderfully made and beautiful. Tickets are now available for the draw which will be held in Iroquois on May 25, 1998. Tickets are $1 each with proceeds going to the Hope Fund, and Camp Trillium, a camp for children with Cancer.

The business meeting of the CWL was then adjourned, and the guest speaker introduced.

Marilyn Arsenault, a local Morrisburg resident, and her husband Jeff, suffered the loss of their second child, a baby girl named Emilie, in 1995, from a rare muscle disease. The tremendous grief they all felt as a family, and Marilyn's subsequent "Road to God" was the focus of her evening's program. Speaking to a hushed audience, Marilyn admitted that during the time of her daughter's illness and death, she did not pray. "I shouted at God, I yelled out to Him, I was very angry with Him," she said. "But I could not pray to Him."

"I now realize that He was there all the time, and He was listening."

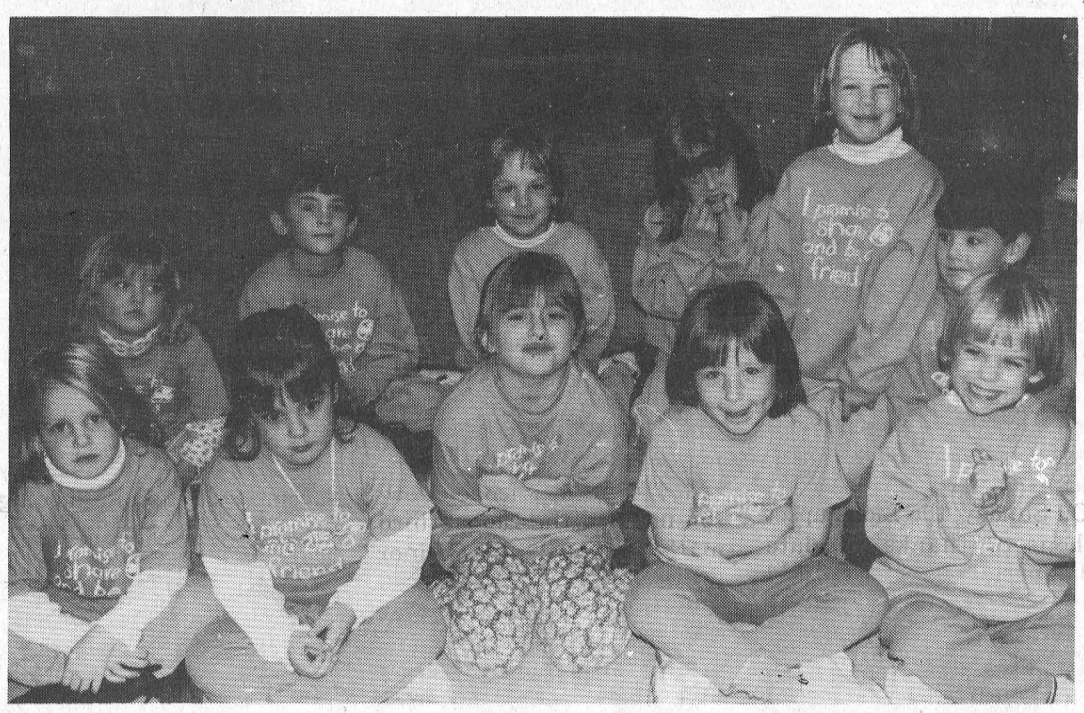
Marilyn read her favorite bible passage, the 23rd Psalm, and told the audience that God did in fact, restore her soul, and led her to faith and inner healing. During the long hours spent at the Children's Hospital and the following weeks at home with Baby Emilie, Marilyn and Jeff met many new people. Some of whom are good friends today, and Marilyn now knows that God sent her these friends.

The Arsenaults still visit the hospital. Every year in early spring and at Christmas time, they take gifts of "Gardening Kits" to the hospital; kits of flower pots and seeds from Jeff's Garden Foundation in Morrisburg, a foundation he began as a living tribute to his daughter's memory.

When Marilyn is visiting with parents who are experiencing the grief she nows so well, she usually tells them, "I am a Christian, and God will help you through this. He will help get you through the bad times."

Marilyn continued to tell her audience that after her baby's death, she felt a tremendous void, and as her family tried to get back to a 'normal' life, they knew that life would never be the same. However, this tragedy has brought them all closer together, she said, more loving, more understanding.

The five steps of healing are: Denial, Despair, Anger, Guilt and finally, Acceptance, and although Marilyn and Jeff will probably never fully accept the loss of their baby, we admire them for their courage and we thank Marilyn Arsenault for her enlightening program.



**Williamsburg Sparks enrollment**

Eleven new Sparks were enrolled at Williamsburg last Wednesday night. They are (front) Amber Helder, Amy Winterburn, Emily Allison, Jackie VanHoof, Allison Moore (rear) Jessica Sullivan, Meagan Froats, Amy Neagle, Jenny Vaughan, Melissa Neagle and Brogan Miner. *—Day photo*

# Dilmarter appointed to new board

CORNWALL—The members-elect of the new District School Board #26 are pleased to announce that, at their initial caucus meeting on November 22, Mr. James Dilamarter was appointed Interim Director of the new Board.

Mr. Dilamarter is currently in his tenth year as the Director of Education with the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Public School Board. He is in his 34th year in the education system, having spent years in teaching, as a principal for five schools in Oxford County between 1966 and 1983, and a superintendent at the SD & G Public Board from 1983 to 1985. In September 1988, he was hired as Director of Education here and has served in this capacity since then.

Dilamarter indicated he did not intend to apply for a permanent position,when he would be retiring in a year and a half at the end of his current contract in August 1999.

"I've thoroughly enjoyed working in education and with this Board. I will enjoy working with the new Board and a new director until it's time to retire," he said.

"It's been fun and will continue to be fun. But you should go when you can go, because there's lots of people who can do the job as well or better," he said.

This appointment was arrived at through mutual consent. In accepting this position, Mr. Dilamarter said that this decision by the new Board respected his requests completely. He said he would not apply for the Directorship of the new Board but seek a mutually satisfactory arrangement that would reflect his desire to serve the Board in some worthwhile capacity and to support the needs of the Board at this time.

Mr. Dilamarter's first responsibility will be to organize the process by which the new Board will select its Director of Education. He will also be responsible for the overall administration of the new Board until the new Director assumes his responsibilities.

Ms. June Timmons, Interim chair of the District School Board #26 expressed her satisfaction with this decision and belief that this appointment will facilitate the director selection process while allowing for the maintenance of service to the communities of the new Board.

"All of the Directors of Education have been tremendously supportive to the LEIC (Local Education Improvement Commission) in its work since the later spring. Each is bringing his talents to the task of making the new system in reality. Don Farrow, director of the Prescott Russell Board, who has indicated his intention of retiring in August, has been an outstanding Co-ordinator," says Ms. Timmons, who is also chair of the Local Education Improvement Commission.

The selection process will begin immediately with a view to having the Director in place at the earliest possible time. This will allow a new organization structure to be prepared by that individual, in consultation with the Board.

The new District School Board #26 looks forward to working with its staff in meeting the exciting challenges ahead.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# LEADER SPORTS

## Seaway Spartans drop R/O Lancers in senior boys' volleyball championship

**LAURIE DAY**
Leader Staff

INGLESIDE—They weren't the favorites, but the Seaway senior boys captured the SD&G single A volleyball championship here Friday with a 2-1 upset over the home town Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers.

"They played great," said an elated coach Sharon Last, who was close to passing out on the bench in final minutes of the game.

Seaway fielded a team of the minimum requirement, six, and fended off their R-O rivals, who dumped Char-Lan in two straight in the semi finals.

"The guys tend to have a negative attitude towards each other," added the coach. "But today, they put all that aside, and played really well...like a team, even though one guy wasn't here today. Despite that, they held together great."

The Lancers, who finished the shortened season in first place, played a tough match, but they weren't quite 'tough enough.'

"I knew in here we'd win it," said Seaway captain, Brandon Cassell, as he tapped his chest after the match. "It was pretty close there for a while though.

Seaway easily captured the first set 15 - 7, but dropped the second set 15-9.

After numerous side-outs in the third and final set, Seaway took command upon reaching 10 points, and sailed on to win it 15-9.

In semi-final action, the Spartans ousted the Tagwi Warriors in three sets, 15-5, 5-15, 15-13.

Rothwell-Osnabruck managed to eliminate Char-Lan in straight sets, 15-12 and 15-11.

Seaway will represent SD&G at the EOSSAA championships in Gananoque (today) November 26.

The four-team tournament is slated to begin at 9:30 p.m., according to Jim Laird, Gananoque Secondary School's Physical Education Deptment Head, with the championship scheduled for 3 p.m.

The other three teams included in the action are Athens from the Leeds and Grenville area, Madawaska from the Upper Ottawa Valley, and Vankleek Hill from Prescott-Russell.



**EOSSAA bound**
Seaway's Senior boys' volleyball team captured the SD&G title Friday with a 2-1 win over the Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers. Pictured are: Andrew Torrence, Brandon Cassell, Derrick Casselman, Matt DeJong, Randy Spear, Duane Vandermeulen and coach Sharon Last. Absent from the photo is Travis Thompson. The team heads to Gananoque today for the EOSSAA championship. *—Day photo*

## Rothwell-Osnabruck wins basketball cup

**LAURIE DAY**
Leader Staff

IROQUOIS—The chances of a three-peat were denied late Tuesday when the Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers upset the home team Seaway Spartans in the SD&G single 'A' senior girls' basketball finals.

"Finally, we've only lost out to them every year since I can remember," said Amanda Beaudette. "This one feels fantastic."

Rothwell-Osnabruck was beat out last year by the Spartans...and the year before that.

"I really didn't think we'd ever beat them," she added.

However, teammate, Alexia Campoli was very confident that R/O would win.

"I knew at half-time," she said. "I could just feel it."

By half-time, the Lancers had a slim one-point lead, 24-23.

Coach Bob Thompson was pleased for his team, especially for his nucleus of four girls who have been with the squad for the past five years: Amy Snider, Amanda Beaudette, Tara Thompson and Angela Wilson.

"There are a lot of good ball players on this team, but I have to say that Angela Wilson is the best point-guard in Eastern Ontario," he boasted of his 'small but mighty' set-up girl who paced the team with nine points.

Tara Thompson added eight points, while Snider and Beaudette had seven each. Megan Gibson collected six, while Diana DeJong had five.

Leading Seaway was Megan Gilmer with 16, Jen Banford with nine, Shanna Dawley with eight, Jen Mellan three, and Nadene Easter with two.

Dawley, a veteran with the team, and one of the top point-getters, was disappointed iwith their effort.

"We usually beat them by 20 points," she said. "We just weren't focused."

Coach Irv Francis said it was a tough loss for the girls, especially Dawley and Gilmer, who are in their final year at Seaway.

In the senior semi-final game, the R-O Lancers knocked off the CharLan Crusaders 53-38, but not before trailing 27-19 at the half.

Wilson hit for 17 points to lead the Lancers, while DeJong (10), Snider (9), Beau-dette (7), Gibson (6), Campoli (4) also contributed.

Char-Lan got an impressive 20-point game from Shonna Atchison, while Stephanie Bateman hit for eight.



**Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers take Sr. girls' basketball title**
The R/O Lancers senior girls claimed the single 'A' basketball championship last Tuesday night at Seaway in a close 42-38 upset over the defending champs. They are: (front ) Jennifer Ouderkirk, Amy Snider, Angela Wilson, Diana De Jong, Amanda Merkley, ar) Coach Ray Glenn, Alexia Campoli, Ang Ware, Amanda Beaudette, Meghan Gib- Tara Thompson, Jenn Donkers and Coach Bob Thompson. *—Day photo*

## Novice B2 Lions take slim win

MORRISBURG—The Morrisburg Novice B2 Lions played an exhibition and a league game in Upper Canada Minor Hockey League play here last week.

On Sunday, the Lions upset Athens 4-3 thanks to a late third-period goal from Todd Irven, assisted by Brandon Elliott and Matt Hummel with 3:08 on the clock.

The Lions held a 2-1 lead after the first period with Jordan Tryon scoring both counters. Assists were chalked up by Andrew Adlington and Ryan Morrow, each with two.

Brad Healey scored Athens' only marker of the first period, and he was assisted by Andrew Warren.

Jonah Porter and Graham Peters kept the creases clean at both ends of the rink in the second period, as Morrisburg retained the 2-1 edge at the whistle.

In the third, Michael Dowson notched the Lions' third marker, assisted by Connor O'Brien at 9:18.

Warren dropped one in at 5:33, assisted by Brad Healey to close the gap. The visitors then tied the score at three apiece with Spencer Graham's unassisted goal at the 4:08 mark.

Irven's game winner followed at 3:08, as Peters earned the win between the pipes.

The Lions were issued just one minor offence, as opposed to Athens' four, by referee Jamie Smith.

***Exhibition action***

The Novice B2 Lions dropped a 4-2 decision to Casselman at home on Thursday November 20, despite holding a 2-1 lead after the first period.

Adlington and O'Brien did the damage for the Morrisburg squad, with assists counted by Tryon and Elliott. Peters was in the crease once again.

Scoring for the Casselman team were Christopher Masson, Christopher Souliver, Miguel Villeneuve and Steven Cain, as the visitors tied the rally in the second, and went ahead with the winning goal in the final period, along with the insurance marker.

## Morrow notches natural hat trick

MORRISBURG—A natural hat trick by John Morrow triggered a 9-7 upset for Nick's Sports Bar over KBD in town league action here Thursday night.

Morrow went on to add another goal and two assists to his scoring total, as all his counters were scored in the first half of the game.

Gary McInnis picked up two goals and a pair of helpers, while Mark Stevens, Jeff Van Moorsel and Donald Black added single goals.

Assists were credited to Black with four, Stevens with three, and one to Jim Bennis.

Mike Barclay was the winning net minder.

Replying for KBD were Kirk Barkley with a hat trick and three helpers, Billy Dillabough with two goals and three assists, and Darrin Mullin and Dale Adams (4 assists) with one goal each.

RJC shut down Impact Sports 5-0 in the other game of the night.

Andy Lee, Mike McMillan, and Robbie Casselman all scored in the first period, with Scott Corden and Jamie Smith taking charge in the second.

Corden, Casselman, Robert Jordan, Robert Currier, and Bruce Wells counted the assists, while Frank Waytowich earned the shutout bid.

## Peewee Bs continue streak

The Morrisburg PeeWee B II's continue to coast through their UCMHL action, as they won their last two games 5-1 and 9-4.

On November 23, Morrisburg played N.G.S. and handed them a 5-1 loss. Scott Carswell chipped in two and Ian Tait, Richard Banford, and Tyler Strader added one each. Tait and Cole Dingwall were credited with the assists.

On November 24, the Lions hosted Brockville and skated to a 9-4 victory.

Ian Tait put on a scoring demonstration by firing four goals by the Brockville netminder, and adding one assist.

Tait opened the scoring in the first period with help from Chris Marshall, then it was the "High St. Kid", Justin Elliot, bulging the twine for the Lions, with the assists going to Dingwall and Andrew Van Moorsel.

In the second period the Lions scored four goals making the game 6-3 heading into the third period.

Carswell, Tait, Chris Cullen, and Dingwall scored the goals and Dingwall, Strader, Cullen, Tait, Banford, and Elliott were credited with the assists.

Brockville scored one more in the third but Morrisburg answered back with three ending the game at 9-4.

Tait scored two in the third to round out his night and Banford scored the other. The assists went to Strader, Marshall, Elliott, and Nick Groves.

## Midgets upset 9-4

MORRISBURG—The Morrisburg Midget Lions hosted Athens in UCMHL action here on November 18, and dropped a 9-4 decision.

Morrisburg was first to the scoreboard when Joel Adams netted one, assisted by Thomas Casselman and Joey Dufresne.

Athens answered back with two goals giving them the lead at 2-1 heading into the second period. The visitors continued to build their lead in the second frame as they scored four more goals to Morrisburg's one.

Bobby Bird was the lone goal scorer for the Lions in the second period, with the assist going to James McConnell.

Athens scored three more in the third period, while the Lions only scored two to end the game at 9-4. Adams scored the last two goals for the Lions and the assists went to Brad Boivin, with two, and Josh Tambash, and Brian Scott each with one.

# Legion dart play

MORRISBURG—Fred Diegel fired five of the six outs captured by Three To One over Luckey Seven A in mixed dart league action at the Legion last Tuesday night.

Diegel also tossed three 100 highs, as the team combined for 12 of a possible 14 points. Diane Fernell took the single out in game two.

For the Lucky Seven A team, Dale Baker had the out.

Sparing Jim Scott took four of five outs for the Wing Nuts over the Golden Oldies. He also had a 111 high score. Barb Marriner had the single out.

Shooting the wins for the Golden Oldies were Lillian Thatcher, and Tina Carbino (BE).

Mike Osborne took three of five outs for Hit and Miss over the Three Roses and a Thorn. He also shot a 135 high score. Vicki Marriner and Laura Yates had one out each.

For the Roses, Stan Mabo (spare) and Carol Birch had the outs, while Jeff Julien tossed scores of 120 and 100.

Whoops took five games over the Tags led by George Baker with three and a 100 high. Rob Fernell and Diane Baker (BE) had one out each. Ann Lewis also shot a bull.

Terry Laurin (100, BE) had the two outs for the Tags. Audrey Henophy had a pair of bullseyes.

***B side***

After a slow start, the Top Flights captured their final five games over the Legion Hot Shots for 10 points. Frank Marriner (116) had three wins, while Sarah Merkley took the other two. Susan Baker had one bullseye.

Bryan Elliott and Lisa Lewis had the outs for the Hot Shots.

D-D-Dorothy Simpson shot three outs for the D-D-Diddlers in their five-game win over the Dream Team. Darren Tyo (123) took the other two outs, and Sharon Lewis struck a bull between the eyes.

Vera Burke had both outs for the Dream Team, while Tara Lewis had a 121 high and two bulleyes.

It was the Turtles over Four Play five games to two, with Merle Burke (100) and Mike Yates taking two games each. Linda Birch (100x3, BE) had the single out. Helen Baldwin shot two bulls.

Mert Carbino (100) had both outs for the opposition.

The Buck Snorts took four games over the Newfie Bullets with Shawn Baker winning three, and Carl Lapierre, one. Diane Tyo shot a 100 high.

For the Newfie Bullets, Cecilia Fradet had two wins, and Denzil Tousant had one. Sandra Julien shot a 127 high.

# Lions lose to 73s

MORRISBURG—Hosting Kemptville # 3 on Saturday November 22, the White Lions ended up on the losing end of a 4-0 decision.

Kemptville was first to the scoreboard at 13:26 of the second period. They then continued scoring with three more goals in the third frame. The Lions played a wel fought game butjust couldn't come up with any points.

On Friday November 21, the White Lions travelled to Spencerville where they fell by a score of 5-2 against South Grenville # 1.

South Grenville opened the scoring with three goals in the second and another two in the third.

The Lions fought back with goals from Jason Keeler, assisted by Cameron Levett, and then Levett scored, assisted by Chris Ladouceur, near the end of the third, but it wasn't enough.

Osler and Thompson did the honours between the pipes for both games. The weekend games have set the Lions record to 4-5-1.



**Seaway juniors are SD&G champs**

The Seaway Spartans junior girls' basketball team upset Tagwi last Tuesday night to win the SD&G single A title. Pictured are: (rear) Coach Scott Corden, Dana Hasson, Andrea Munro, Laura Baker, Samantha Vandermeer, Coach Mark Lewis, (front) Katherine Adams, Karin Verhoeven, Jessica Edwards, Lindsay Mellan and Robin Hamilton.

*—Day photo*

# Seaway juniors win SD&G single 'A' basketball final

**LAURIE DAY**
Leader Staff

IROQUOIS—The SD&G junior and senior girls basketball championships were played at Seaway last Tuesday afternoon, and both matches looked like a repeat of last year—except this year, it wasn't the same result

The junior Spartans ousted last year's SD&G champions, the Tagwi Warriors for the single 'A' title, with a 56-24 win.

However, the favored Seaway senior team failed to retain their title over the Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers in an emotionally hard-fought 42-38 upset.

Junior co-coaches Scott Corden and Mark Lewis were quite impressed with their championship, despite the lopsided score.

"Everyone scored today. They played a great game," said Corden.

Jessica Edwards led the attack with 15 points, as Seaway dominated the court at half-time sporting a 27-9 lead.

Dana Hasson, Lindsay Mellan, and Robin Hamilton had nine each, while Andrea Munro picked up four. Laura Baker (three), Katherine Adams (two), Samantha Vandermeer (two), Alison Irven (two) and Karin Verhoeven (one) also contributed in the win.

J. Yelle led Tagwi's scoring with eight points, while M. Hamilton and C. Toxopeus had four each.

In the semi-final game, played prior to the final here, the Tagwi Warriors dumped the Char-Lan Crusaders 51-36.

W. Jacques had 14 in the win, with 11 from M. Hamilton, nine from Toxopeus, six from G. Tibbits, and five from C. Wright. Yelle, Boszormeny and Reich also contributed two apiece.

Christine Ranlan has 16 for Char-Lan, while Liz Rankin had 10, and Colleen Atihisan came in with four.

# Atom C action

MORRISBURG—The Morrisburg Atom C Lions beat South Grenville in UCMHL action here on November 22.

Morrisburg was first to the scoreboard when Thomas Toonders scored in the second period, unassisted. Andrew Peters netted one two minutes later making it 2-0, Toonders assisted on Peters' goal.

South Grenville put one by Anthony Knapman late in the third after Morrisburg's Chad Aubin gave the Lions a 3-0 lead. The final score was 3-1, two penalties were handed out in the game.

## PeeWee C Blue

MORRISBURG—Brandon McKendry had an excellent night leading the PeeWee C Blues to a 5-1 win over North Dundas in Sunday nights game.

The Blues started fast with a goal at the two minute mark of the opening period. The goal came off the stick of Brett Derue with assists going to Brad Francis and Matt Julien.

Then McKendry took command with three goals for a natural hat trick. Helping McKendry to find the back of the net were Chris Mellon, with two assists, and Francis and Corey Lanthier each with an assist.

Morrisburg's final goal was set up by McKendry and Mellon with Lanthier sending it home.

North Dundas' lone goal came from Benjamin Mead with Devon Brown claiming the assist.

With plenty of hard hits and fast paced action in the neutral zone North Dundas could claim only 12 shots on net for the night.

Dan Adams and Andrew Chung were up to the task between the pipes. Chris Mellon also had an exceptional night taking credit for three assists. This young team is starting to come together and will be a force to reckon with in the future.


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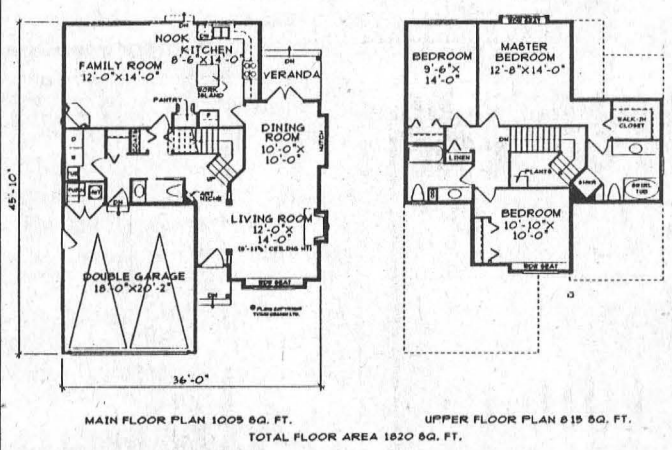


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Michael Goodwin
Sunday, November 30, 1997
Advent I
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Sermon Title
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1 John 1: 1-7
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## EOJBHL action

# Jr. Lions optimistic in playoff hunt

MORRISBURG—The Morrisburg Jr. B Lions have struggled a bit in their last two games in EOJBHL action, as they dropped two decisions after leading in the late minutes of the game.

"We outplayed Char-Lan and the kids are working their butts off but we just can't get any breaks," said coach Rick Lalonde.

On Wednesday, the Lions met up with Char-Lan and lost 4-3, after outplaying, out-hustling and out-shooting the Rebels, 41-22. Morrisburg had the lead late in the game but undisciplined penalties killed them.

On Sunday, the Winchester Hawks were in town and it took them an overtime period to knock off the Lions. Again Morrisburg had a two-goal lead with four minutes to go in the game and then the penalties came and they lost 6-5 in O.T.

"This was an unfortunate loss. We outplayed the Hawks then some dumb penalties let them tie. In overtime, we had the powerplay and they scored, it was just a bad break," said Lalonde.

Winchester scored first when Favreau beat Troy Sayeau at 14:25 of the first period.

The Lions answered back, and looked poised to coast to the win as Wayne Garlough scored. Matt Collins followed off a nice set up by Wayne Distotell for the second goal. Distotell assisted on both markers.

Winchester answered back in the second frame with two goals to take the lead at 3-2.

Morrisburg tied it up with just over a minute to go in the period when Rob Darling bulged the twine with help from Chris Barkley and Les Haggett.

In the third the Lions let loose and scored two goals as Stef Champagne and Darling did the damage, and looked as if they would take the win, but late minute penalties rescued Winchester.

Morrisburg assists were credited to Jamie Barkley, Haggett, and Warren Libman.

The Hawks made it a one - goal game when Favreau beat Sayeau, and then the Lions gave Winchester a two-man advantage which they capitolized on, scoring the tying goal and sending the game into overtime with just seconds left on the clock.

The Hawks knocked in the winning goal at 4:17 of the extra period, handing the Lions their second, heartbreaking loss in as many starts.

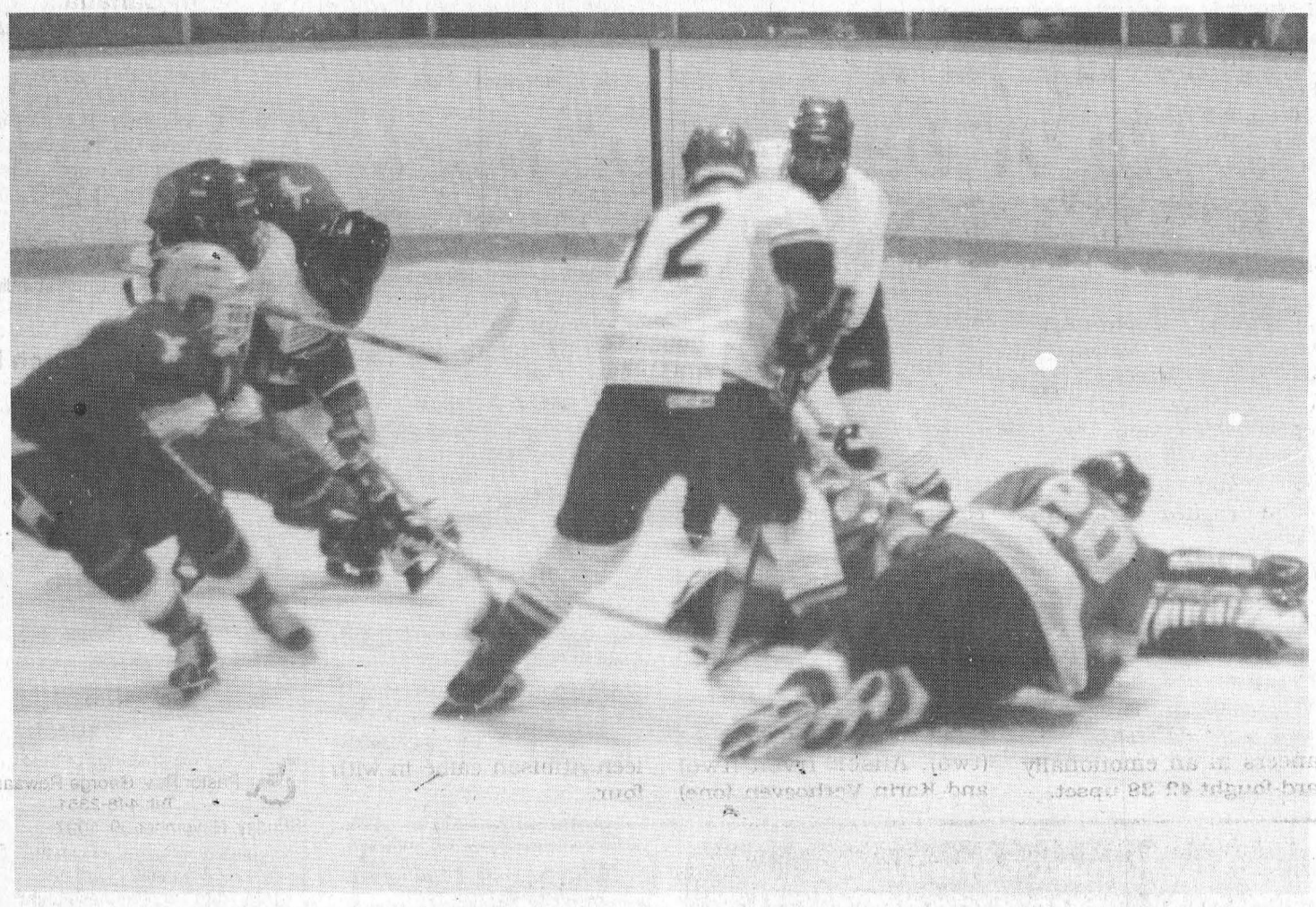
"Our team is a much improved team," added Lalonde. "The guys are playing great hockey. We are comparable with any other team in the league, (but) we just have to find a way to win some games."

The Lions next five games are very crucial, as they play all the teams in their division in the next two weeks.

"It's do or die time for the team, we need to get these points in order to make the playoffs", said Lalonde.

"We try to stay positive and encourage the guys on our positive achievements like winning five and tying one in our last 10 games. If we just chip away at every 10-game segment we will make the playoffs. We just have to bear down."

Morrisburg hosts the Alexandria Glens at 8:30 p.m. Friday, and then they travel to Kemptville on Sunday to face the 73's.



**Lions lost to Winchester in overtime**

The Morrisburg Junior B Lions looked like they were going to upset their rivals from Winchester Sunday, but lost a 6-5 overtime setback. They also lost to Char-Lan last Wednesday, but Coach Rick Lalonde is hopeful that they are still in the playoff hunt. "It's do or die time," he says, and hopefully, these next few games will put the team back into the thick of it.

# Atom Kings in tournament action

The Rideau St. Lawrence Minor Atom Kings were in North Bay this past weekend. The Kings were matched up against four Toronto teams in round robin play.

The Kings only won one game but fought hard throughout the whole tournament.

On Friday the Kings played Brampton and lost 3-2. Tyler Atkins and Scott Pitt supplied the goals while assists went to Pitt, and Vince Francica.

Later that day the Kings played Halton and lost 6-4. The goal scorers were Kyle Whitford, with two, Kent Nugent and Scott Pitt,each with one, and Nugent added an assist.

On Saturday the Kings were matched up against Barrie and fell 2-1. Whitford scored the only goal.

On Saturday night the Toronto Marlies were matched up against the Kings and the Kings came away 3-2 winners.

Whitford, Pitt and Atkins scored the goals and the assists went to Nugent, and Pitt. Congratulations on your tournament play.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**Eying the goods**
Tagwi teammates eye the trophy after winning the SD&G midget volleyball championship at Seaway last week as they ousted the home team two sets to one.
*—Day photo*

## Riverside Mixed Darts

# There's hope for No Hope

RIVERSIDE HTS.—No Hope had a little hope last Wednesday when the mixed dart team captured 10 points in league play.

Ernie Beckstead (100x2) led the parade with six games, while Roger Trudeau (111) had three, and Robert Montroy (115) one.

Denzil Tousant (125) had four of eight wins by the Love Machine, and Chris Sloan took three games. Floyd Elliott (100) had the single win.

Down and Out wonseven games with Lawrence Hunter (100x2) claiming three. Cindy Montroy (spare) and Ross Markell (123, spare) had two each. Judy Scott (spare) tossed a 123 high.

Fred Diegel (121, 100, 56 finish) fired six of seven outs for the Bad News Bears. Gerry Sypes had the single out.

David Wells (140) tossed five outs for the CDAQ's as they remain just one point out of first place. Both Wendy Wereley (131) and Cecil Tyo had one out each.

Hit and Miss won seven games with both Guy Hart (100) and Barry Pemberton (101) taking three each. Carol Birch had one out, and Grace Langabeer shot a 104 high.

The Golden Ones remain at the top of the standings after winning seven games. Frank Marriner (100x2) had four outs, while Linda Birch took two, and Gus Dickson one.

Double Trouble claimed seven outs on three from Maureen Loynahan, two from Alex Hart, and one each from Larry Day (119, 100) and Vera Burke.

Big Pete's won six games led by Cecil Lewis (133, 117) with three Jay St. Pierre (120, 100) had two, and Mary Casselman (100) had one.

Also with seven was the Rat Kingdom. Sherry Wereley (140, 100), Ernie Duval (140, 134) and Elaine Baker had two each, and Darren Tyo (100) took one.

The Gummie Rubbers ended with six outs on three from Roy Gummeson (87 finish), two from Pat Hart and one from Laurie Day.

The Hot Shots won five with Wayne Hunter (100x3) and Edna Barkley taking two each, and Brent McCooeye (119) taking one.

Ivan Shearer (121, 100x2) had three and Al Loynachan took two as the Misfits won five games.

Shearer Luck had four outs with both Tom Shearer and Barb Marriner taking two each.

Liz Gummeson won two of four for Ever Hopeful, while both Jim Scott (125, 100x6) and Jeff O'Neil had one each.

The Do Gooders took four games, with Darwin Markell (100) shooting two. One each came from Ron Bradford (132, 121, 100) and Eric Sypes.

Howie's Helpers took four games, as Steve Laushway (100) had a pair and Roger Markell and George Baker (100) had one each. Jean DeJong tossed a 100 high.

With three games were the Flip Flops as Mike Osborne (100) had all three outs. Highs were thrown by Peter Montroy (100) and Gary Bradford (spare 100).

**STANDINGS**
Golden Ones 64, CDAQ's 63, Flip Flops 58, Big Pete's 58, Love Machine 58, Shearer Luck 57, Ever Hopeful 57, Double Trouble 56, Gummie Rubbers 54, Bad News Bears 54, Hot Shots 53, Do Gooders 52, Rat Kingdom 52, Down and Out 51, Misfits 50, No Hope 50, Howie's Helpers 44, Hit and Miss 41.

# Tagwi wins SD&G title

IROQUOIS—The SD&G midget boys' single A volleyball teams played a final tournament here last Thursday afternoon, where the Tagwi Crusaders claimed the championship.

Each of the four schools represented, Tagwi, Seaway, Char-Lan and L'Heritage, played a semi-final round before the top two teams were decided.

Seaway met up with Char-Lan in their semi-final bout, where they dropped the first game 15-10.

However, after a total change of players by coaches Derrick Casselman and Brandon Cassell, the second-string squad was a little more commanding on the court.

Seaway shot back to win the second set 15-8 and the third, 15-12.

In the other semi-final game, L'Heritage was ousted by the stronger Tagwi Warriors in two straight sets, 15-10, 15-12, to meet Seaway in the final.

In game one of the SD&G championship match, Luke Stime was strong with his powerful overhand delivery to serve up the win, 15-12.

Some great kills by Casey Strong, Chris Bjergso and James Morrell, who were aptly set up by Brian Verhoeven, were instrumental in the win.

Seaway struggled in the next two games, losing both, 15-9 and 15-12.

Other Seaway team members included James Delegard, Victor Schraner, Jason Locke-McIntosh, Jason Klassen, Mathew Hartle, Trevor Hanes, Troy White and Kevin Joldersma.

According to the coaches, Seaway had a tough time staying off the net, and weren't utilizing the three-hit strategy.

## Ingleside Lanes Pin Tales

**Osnabruck League**
A class: Vera Burke 205 HS, 568 HT, 193 HA; B class, Nelson Archambault 192 HS, 536 HT, 195 HT; Dianna Rodger 223 HS, Bonnie Cameron 564 HT, +63 HA, Judy McDonald 180 HA; C class, Gerard Riley 219 HS, 542 HT, +59, George Julien 181 HA; Phyllis Whittaker 252 HS, 588 HT, 155 HA, +135; standings, Beetles 104, Wasps 102, Butterflies 101, Bumblebees 95, June Bugs 89, Hornets 76.

**Wednesday Ladies' League**
Vera Burke rolled all the high scores at the Wednesday Ladies League afternoon session last week, with a 254 high single, a 701 triple, 200 average, and an impressive 110 pins over average. Standings, Savory 50, Thyme 45, Rosemary 45, Basil 35, Garlic 28, Parsley 28.

### YBC Action

**Wednesday Results**
*SMURF* Shauna Lapensee 104 HS, 189 HD, 66 HA, +65.
*PEEWEE* Cory Rupert 135 HS, 234 HD, +98, Megan Ouderkirk 89 HA.
*BANTAM* Marc Lavallee 141 HS, 352 HT, Jordan Woods 119 HA, Christopher Hannah +70; Stephanie Coleman 181 HS, 387 HT, +84, Sara Marsolais 118 HA.
*JUNIOR* Leighton Woods 155 HS, 412 HT, 142 HA, Mathew Lavallee +44.
Standings, Pin Heads 142, Ravens 136, Blue Jays 130, Twisters 130, Rug Rats 129, Men in Black 126, Team 4 114, Team 6 110.

**Thursday Results**
*PEEWEE* Cali Anne Baker 112 HS, 216 HD, 108 HA, Amanda Schmitz +55; Justin Brisson 141 HS, 248 HD, 91 HA, +80.
*BANTAM* Farran Baker 138 HS, 387 HT, 129 HA, Mandy Dicola +63; Cory Looyen 194 HS, 457 HT, 121 HA, +139 .
*Jr. Sr. GIRLS* Shelley Derooy 198 HS, 391 HT, Karen Jones 121 HA, Kelsey Schmitz +123.
*Jr. Sr. BOYS* Shawn Jones 288 HS, 632 HT, 190 HA, James Elliott, +73
Standings, Foul Ups 147, Jackpots 146, Fabulous Five 130, The 5 Muskateers 128, Team YBC 119, Mighty Ducks 117, Canadians 114, Road Runners 111.

**Saturday Results**
First Shift: *SMURF*, Ben Pyper 91 HS, Jessica Brownell 68 HD, 61 HA, Chelsea Schwerdtfeger +40.
*PEEWEE* Angela Brownell 115 HS, 227 HD, 92 HA, +47.
*BANTAM* Staci Marsolais 162 HS, 441 HT, Cassidy O'Neil 147 HA, Samantha Kuhn +78.
*JUNIOR* Kevin Glaude 223 HS, 629 HT, 185 HA, Isabelle Glaude +118.
*SENIOR* Natasha Glaude 236 HS, 622 HT, 185 HA.
Second Shift: *SMURF* Robbie Meyers 87 HS, 148 HD, Vincenzo Petralia 60 HA; Alyssa Lalonde 86 HS, 154 HD, 60 HA, tied with Krista Baker.
*PEEWEE* Tyler Leroux 85 HS, 161 HD, Mathieu Pagé 82 HA; Miranda Loos 115 HS, 223 HD, 90 HA.
*BANTAM* Justin Dixon 158 HS, 403 HT, 128 HA; Melanie Burgess 148 HS, 385 HT, Natasha Pagé 116 HA.
*JUNIOR* Chris Getz 140 HS, 385 HT, 130 HA; Veronica Loos 202 HS, Shayla Loos 536 HT, 140 HA.
Standings, Jitterbugs 147, Monkeys 146, Champs 140, Panthers 135, UFOs 135, Tigers 124, Cougars 124, Nike Air 95.
Third Shift: *SMURF* Dillon Shaver 80 HS, 149 HD, +95, Spencer Schipilow 50 HA; Alexsandra Lalonde 76 HS, 131 HD, 67 HA, +23.
*BANTAM* Billy Lalonde 122 HS, 323 HT, 95 HA, +44; Natasha Schipilow 106 HS, 292 HT, 83 HA, Sara McAllister +65.
*JUNIOR* Ryan Cavers 299 HS, 725 HT, 163 HA, +263; Krista Lalonde 150 HS, Deborah Locke 391 HT, 153 HA.
*SENIOR* Derek Lackey 284 HS, +141, Shane Peever 666 HT, 204 HA; Alison Legault 223 HS, Lisa Currier 554 HT, 205 HA, Melissa Johnston +53.
Standings, Mopheads 115, Clumsies 113, Funky Monkeys 109, Gutterballs Anonymous 91, Avalanche 85, Transmission 75, Falcons 43, Jokers 41.

# EOJBHL Stats

## Rideau-St. Lawrence Division

**Rideau Division**

| | GP | W | L | T | F | A | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Westport | 17 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 97 | 69 | 22 |
| South Grenville | 19 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 88 | 84 | 21 |
| Gananoque | 19 | 7 | 8 | 4 | 75 | 80 | 19 |
| Brockville | 19 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 104 | 108 | 19 |
| Athens | 20 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 73 | 141 | 6 |

**St. Lawrence Division**

| | GP | W | L | T | F | A | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alexandria | 20 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 113 | 81 | 33 |
| Winchester | 19 | 14 | 5 | 0 | 123 | 90 | 28 |
| Char-Lan | 19 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 80 | 65 | 24 |
| Kemptville | 19 | 11 | 8 | 0 | 102 | 85 | 23 |
| Morrisburg | 20 | 5 | 14 | 1 | 76 | 122 | 14 |

*•Teams losing in overtime or after shootout receive one point.*

**Results**

**Wednesday, November 19**
South Grenville 3 at Brockville 1; Morrisburg 3 at Char-Lan 4
**Friday, November 21**
Gananoque 3 at Westport 6; Kemptville 6 at Winchester 8; Char-Lan 5 at Alexandria 4 (SO)
**Saturday, November 22**
Athens 2 at South Grenville 9
**Sunday, November 23**
Westport 8 at Athens 4; Brockville 3 at Gananoque 4; Alexandria 3 at Kemptville 4 (OT); Winchester 6 at Morrisburg 5 (OT)
**Boxing Day Tournament Standings, as of November 24**
Westport 19, South Grenville 17, Brockville 17, Gananoque 15, Alexandria 25, Winchester 22, Kemptville 18, Char-Lan 17

**St. Lawrence Division Top Scorers**

| | G | A | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ryan Nichol, Winchester | 19 | 22 | 41 |
| Eric Savard, Winchester | 12 | 23 | 35 |
| Yves Ruest, Alexandria | 23 | 23 | 32 |
| Dave Weagle, Kemptville | 13 | 9 | 32 |
| Jeff Leonard, Winchester | 16 | 19 | 31 |
| Nick Besner, Alexandria | 11 | 16 | 27 |
| Stephane Loyer, Alexandria | 13 | 13 | 26 |
| Josh Dixon, Kemptville | 12 | 14 | 26 |
| Ghislain Valade, Alexandria | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| Kurt MacSweyn, Alexandria | 9 | 17 | 26 |


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I would like to express my thanks to all those who supported me in South Dundas during the November 10 election campaign.
Also I want to extend a very special thank you to anyone else who supported me in any manner up to and including the 1997 election in my bid for mayor.
*Charles Barkley*

# Van Moorsel contributed greatly to Catholic education

**Catherine Thompson**
Leader Staff

MORRISBURG—Peter Van Moorsel is hanging up his hat as school trustee after 18 years of service to the SD & G Separate Board.

"I'm proud of the fact I have represented the area, and I also have to thank my supporters who have supported me through the times I have been trustee," he said.

Van Moorsel is also proud to say he has been in each school in the area, both English and French.

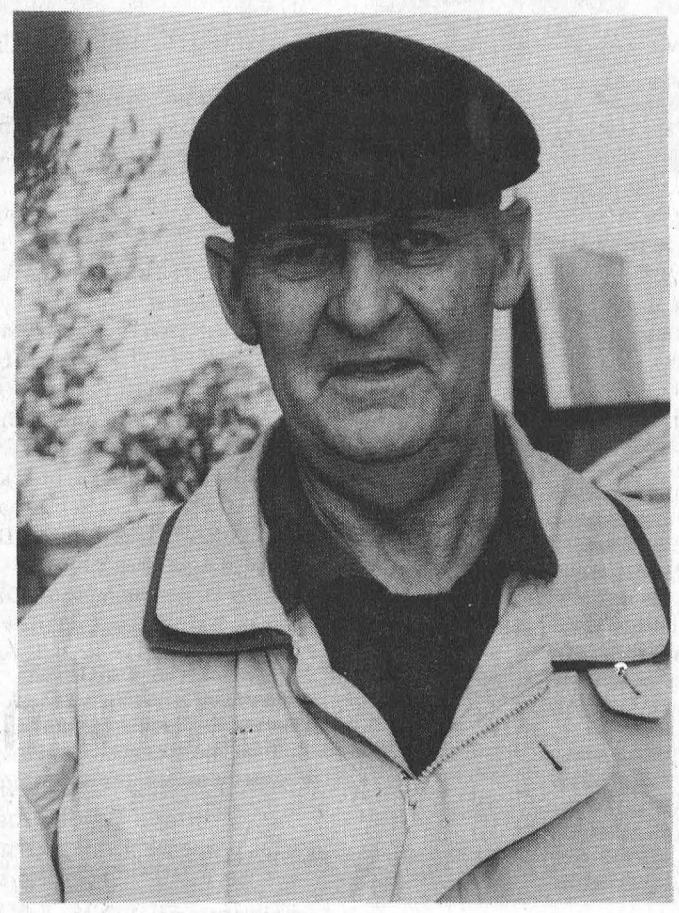
Citing personal reasons and not a desire to leave the work, Van Moorsel is succeeded by Denis Sabourin, who was acclaimed in the recent election for Stormont Dundas. If Van Moorsel had let his name stand for election, he would have represented Catholic schools in the Villages of Morrisburg, Iroquois, Ingleside, Finch and Chesterville in the above two counties.

During his 18 years of service as trustee, Van Moorsel only ran for election twice, and has represented the Board at almost every level. During the 1980's, he chaired the Board for two terms consecutively and has also been vice chair.

He has chaired and vice chaired the English section, as well as vice chairing the Finance Committee and chairing the negotiating committee.

Even before he was a paid trustee, he worked as a volunteer trustee for the School Board over St. Mary's here from 1964 until 1969. After 1969 and the amalgamation to the SD & G Board, he took time off until 1979, when he was elected trustee.

While sorry he was not able to run for Separate Trustee in this election, Van Moorsel believes the SD& G Board is in relatively good shape, and has come a long way over the years.



**Van Moorsel retires**
After 18 years of serving the community, Peter Van Moorsel decided not to run again for Catholic trustee in the recent municipal election. Van Moorsel has served as trustee for schools in Morrisburg, Iroquois, Chesterville, Finch and Ingleside and cited personal reasons for not letting his name stand.

**New facility at St. Joseph's**

Van Moorsel played a big part in acquiring a new facility for students at St. Joseph's Secondary School in Cornwall, working together with the SDG Public Board to share resources with General Vanier. At first a school was started at Bishop Macdonell, but after several years, the student population outgrew the facility. That started a process of negotiation with the government and the Public Board, resulting in a recommendation by the implementation committee.

"Eventually, with financing an addition was made to replace the temporary portables which were housing the students. And that's the way it is now, the part we're occupying is for the most part new, except we share a cafeteria and some central areas. We enjoyed great success there and we had lots of support from all our staff," Van Moorsel said.

Van Moorsel was also successful in acquiring an all-purpose room and a small addition to St. Cecilia's and in hooking up three portables at St. Mary's to the main building.

He succeeded in having a big addition to St. Mary's in Chesterville, an all-purpose room at St. Bernard's in Finch, and improvements at Our Lady of Good Counsel in Ingleside.

Even though Van Moorsel never represented the areas of Long Sault or St. Andrews, he was instrumental in getting all purpose rooms and a big addition at St. Andrews.

**Changes over the years**

Van Moorsel remembers what it was like to be a volunteer trustee when there was a small board for almost every school in the area. Since then, and the amalgamation to the SDG Board, there have been many changes over the years.

According to Van Moorsel, similar issues arose during the previous amalgamation, but were not nearly so contentious as in the current restructuring. A small change occurred in the early 1990's, under the NDP Education Minister Dave Cooke and the Social Contract, when was a reduction in the number of trustees from 14 to 12.

Van Moorsel hopes one bone of contention will be solved by the new education legislation. The issue of finances has affected both separate and public boards. Assessment poor areas including many rural boards have had considerably less money to spend per student than Ottawa and some larger boards. While government grants were basically the same for every board province-wide, inequities came from over the ceiling spending.

"That was money raised locally, and the more assessment you had, the easier it was for a board to access those monies," Van Moorsel said. "Some boards were spending up to $2,500 to $4,000 more per student than in our area," he pointed out. SDG traditionally had less assessment than the majority of boards, ranking among the lowest 15 in the province.

"The new education legislation Bill 160 is supposed to deal with inequity by providing equal funding for everyone," Van Moorsel said.

Another contentious issue has been the recent ongoing amalgamation with boards in Prescott Russell, Leeds Grenville, and Lanark. But Van Moorsel believes amalgamation will work, although there will be some glitches in the process. "I strongly believe that people who are interested in becoming part of the new Board will make it work, if they have the best in mind for everyone."

**Less representation**

The fact of less local representation will be something to deal with. Parents and taxpayers may find the quick and easy access they have had through their local trustees may "not be as quick as it was at one time. At the school level, if the school councils work the way they are intended to work, it may very well be a good communications for parents to air their grievances. Eventually if not solved, they will have a way of getting to the board," Van Moorsel said.

"In the long run it may all work out, but there's no doubt the areas for trustees to represent are large," he stated.

Current trustee Denis Sabourin attributes much good advice to Van Moorsel, who took him under his wing in 1991 as a new trustee. At the time, Sabourin was asked to apply to fill a vacancy left by Terry Wheeler, the trustee over Cornwall Township, Roxborough Township, Village of Maxville and Town of Alexandria who had passed away.

Sabourin's application was accepted, and he was acclaimed as trustee, but the real work and learning was just beginning. One of Sabourin's first memories in his new job was travelling to the Annual Convention of Trustees in Toronto.

"Peter sat by me in the train. I learned more sitting by him in that train on issues of the day and what to expect than in any other way. I appreciated his guidance and counsel," Sabourin said.

"Peter had served on negotiating committees over the years. He had been there so many times, he always had some comment to make in his wisdom."

"A lot of what you see in Catholic education in the area, you can say 'thank you' to Peter Van Moorsel," Sabourin said.

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# Police Blotter

## Man charged with theft over $5,000

A Montreal man was charged with theft over $5,000 early Saturday morning, as he failed to stop the 1997 Pontiac Sunbird he was driving at a police RIDE check. Sean Gregory, age 21 of Montreal, was also charged with dangerous operation of a motor vehicle contrary to the Criminal Code, in addition to charges of failing to stop for police, and driving with no drivers' licence, contrary to the Highway Traffic Act of Ontario.

## Drug charges laid

As a result of an investigation conducted by members of the Upper Canada OPP on the evening of November 21, 1997, one man has been charged in relation to a drug related offence. Terry Weegar, 18 of Williamsburg Twp., was charged with possession for the purpose of trafficking contrary to the Controlled Drug and Substance Act, and obstructing a peace officer contrary to the Criminal Code. Weegar is scheduled to appear in provincial court, Morrisburg, on December 9th, to respond to the charges.

## RIDE program update

RIDE spot checks in Dundas County over the weekend, resulted in two charges for Criminal Code related drinking and driving offences being laid, in addition to one 90-day administrative driver's licence suspension, and two 12-hour drivers' licence suspensions.

With the coming of the Christmas season and the increase in the number of house and office parties, please keep in mind the danger presented by drinking and driving, and do your part to help reduce the risk of accidents, injuries and deaths. When you drink, don't drive.

## Sidewinders broken into

On November 22, police responded to a report of a break and enter at Sidewinders (bar and grill) in Williamsburg. Forced entry was make which resulted in the theft of liquor, cigarettes, and coins from the pool table in the building. Const. P. Robertson is investigating this incident.

## Snowblower stolen

On November 17, police received a report of a theft from a residence along Waddell Road in Matilda Twp. Overnight, a 1993 Craftsman 10 hp snowblower, gray in color, was taken from the residence. This item has not been recovered, and Const. P. Como is investigating.

With the onset of snowy weather, property of this type becomes more of a target for thieves. When not in use, be sure to secure your snowblowers, small tractors, and snowmobiles.

## Highway Safety

Over the past week, there have been six motor vehicle collisions involving deer in Dundas County, with the majority of these taking place in Williamsburg Twp. While drivers should be mindful of this potential hazard at this time of year, the incidents of car-deer collisions were a continual concern throughout all of 1997. *(Ed. note: deer whistles really work!)*

### Crime Stoppers

## CPS needs help locating wanted person

This week's Crime Stoppers together with the Cornwall Police Service are asking for your help in locating a wanted person in connection with an alleged sexual assault that occurred at 3 a.m. on November 19th, 1997. Christopher Ronald Simon is a 27-year-old white male, with short, brown hair, and brown eyes, 5'10", and 200 lbs. Simon has a tattoo of the word 'magic' on the right side of his neck, and numerous other tattoos on both arms.

If you have any information on this or any other crime, you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to $1,000. Call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-265-8477 with your information.

## Snowmobile patrols

Across Ontario, the OPP have incorporated the use of motorized snow vehicles as part of their winter patrol programs. In the counties of SD&G, the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs maintain approximately 1,000 kms of trails for the use of riders throughout the winter. OPP officers patrol the trails and other public areas to promote a voluntary compliance with the provincial and federal laws towards the goal of reducing injuries and death related to snow vehicle accidents, and to reduce the incidents of drinking and driving.

The OPP maintain a fleet of 20 snowmobiles within the east region, along with an additional eight all-terrain vehicles. These vehicles are made available to detachments which have qualified officers to be used for patrol, and enforcement functions in addition to their use in searches, rescues, and public displays.

The Upper Canada Detachment, which serves the SD&G area, now has 13 officers qualified as snowmobile operators with an additional eight qualified for use of the ATVs.

This year, 1997 saw the return of the snowmobile patrol to our area in Dundas County since they were last used in the mid 1980s, and was the first time ATVs had been used when they were brought in to assist in the search and recovery of marijuana crops.

With the onset of winter, the OPP will be working together with the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs to promote a safe and happy snowmobile season.

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**BINGO**
Sponsor: Morrisburg & District Lions Club. Every Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Morrisburg Civic Centre. 10 games at $20. 5 games at $25. 3 special games, $50. each. Special 50/50 games. Bonanza pays 60%. Winner take all, $300.00 Jackpot, $100. Consolation: 50 numbers. Jackpot given away if 60 or more people participate; 70 people $400.00; 80 people $500.00. Everyone welcome.

**BINGO**
Sponsored by Morrisburg Legion Branch 48 Ladies Auxiliary every Thursday, 7:30 p.m. in the Legion Hall. Specials $50.00. Jackpot $300. If 60 present Jackpot goes.

**BINGO**
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Sat., Nov. 29, I.O.O.F. Hall, Williamsburg. Social hour, 5-6 p.m., dinner 6–7:30 p.m. For tickets, $18, call 535-2264. Dance tickets, $5, at door, 9–1 a.m. Music by Dennis Whitteker & The Canadian Strangers. 48p

**DUNDAS FEDERATION OF AGRICULTURE CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE**
Wed., Dec. 3, 8 p.m., OMAFRA boardroom, Winchester. Join us for a short business meeting and refreshments, meet the executive, township coordinators and our provincial director. As with all DFA meetings, everyone is welcome to attend. A special invitation is extended to the newly elected municipal council members and mayors of North Dundas and South Dundas. 48c

**CHORAL CHRISTMAS BY CORNWALL CENTENNIAL CHOIR**
Fri., Dec. 12, 8 p.m., St. Columban's Church, Fourth and Augustus, Cornwall. Advance tickets only. Tickets, $6, available from choir members or at Kalrim Cycle & Sport (beside Fabricville) in the Seaway Plaza, Vincent Massey Drive. Come and join us in this evening of song. 48-49c

**POT LUCK DINNER**
Williamsburg Community Association invites their neighbors Sat., Dec. 6, 6:30 p.m., in the senior's room, Williamsburg Township building. This dinner is to mark the beginning of the Christmas season and coincides with the lighting of the village lights. A short informal annual meeting to follow dinner. 48-49c

**MORRISBURG GOLF CLUB**
Seniors' pot luck and Christmas carols, Thurs., Dec. 4, 6 p.m. Bring a friend. 48p

**CHRISTMAS CRAFT SALE**
Sat., Nov. 29, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church. Crafts, bake table, children's activity corner, brunch and much more. 48c

**CHUBBS' NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY**
Morrisburg Golf Course, 8 p.m. For tickets, $30 couple, Cam 543-2885, Jeff 543-3755. D.J. Midnight buffet. 48-49p

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Presents "The Melville Boys" by Norm Foster at The Winchester Community Centre Nov. 27, 28, 29 at 8 p.m. and Nov. 30 at 2 p.m. Tickets $8, on sale at Stedman's, Winchester, or at the door. 47-48c

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**BABY SHOWER**
In honor of Tracy Whyte (Brugmans) Wed., Dec. 3, 7 p.m., Chesterville Presbyterian Church Hall. Everyone welcome. 48p

## IN MEMORIAM

JOHNSON–In memory of a dear father, Dwayne, who passed away Nov. 23, 1993.
His smiling way and pleasant face
Are a pleasure to recall:
He had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all.
Some day we hope to meet him,
Some day, we know not when,
To clasp his hand in the better land,
Never to part again.
–Sadly missed by Donald, Angie and boys 48p

DESROSIER–In memory of Jean who died at Cornwall Hospital Nov. 26, 1996.
Quietly remembered every day
Still loved and missed in every way.
–Always loved by mother, Ida Alkenbrack, sisters and brothers 48p

HESS–In loving memory of a dear "Nan" and mother-in-law, Emma, who left us Nov. 29, 1996.
There's a family who misses you dearly,
In a home where you used to be.
There's a family who wanted to keep you,
But God willed it not to be.
You left many happy memories,
And a sorrow to great to be told,
But to us who loved and lost you,
Your memory will never grow old.
–Forever loved and missed, Elzeon, Denny, Amy, Rob and Rusty Raistrick 48p

HESS–In loving memory of a dear mom and best friend, Emma, who left me Nov. 29, 1996.
No one knows how much I miss you,
No one knows the bitter pain,
I have suffered since I lost you,
Life has never been the same.
In my heart your memory lingers,
Sweetly tender, fond and true,
There is not a day, dear mom,
That I do not think of you.
It's been a very painful year without you.
–Forever loved and always missed, Judy 48p

HESS–In loving memory of a dear wife, mother and grandmother, Emma, who passed away Nov. 29, 1996.
In tears we saw you sinking,
We watched you fade away,
Our hearts were almost broken,
You fought so hard to stay.
God saw you getting tired,
When a cure was not to be,
So He closed His arms around you,
And whispered, "Come to me".
But when we saw you sleeping,
So peacefully free from pain,
We could not wish you back,
To suffer that again.
You didn't deserve what you went through,
So He gave you rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
For he only takes the best.
–Sadly missed by husband, Graham and family 48p

SADDLEMIRE–Stuart, December 2, 1995.
Do not stand at my grave and weep.
I am not there. I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow;
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am sunlight on ripened grain;
I am the gentle autumn's rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft star that shines at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die.
I live on
In my children
And in the hearts of those who remember me. 48p

## CARD OF THANKS

FRIGON–We, the family of the late Eddy Frigon, wish to thank everyone who helped us at our time of loss. Special thanks to Bonnie and Graham Casselman, Linda Casselman, Ethel Britton, Marion Hall, Jean DeJong, Karen Gorrell, Audrey Lafontaine, pallbearers Dave Cheetham, Syd Thew, Allan Walters, Dosithe Gagnon, Curtis Young, Tony Cheetham and honorary pallbearers Walter Casselman, Dale Cheetham and Travis Casselman. An extra special thank you to Rev. Joachim Barkley-Probst and Marie and Curtis Young. Many thanks to family and friends for food, donations to the Heart & Stroke Foundations, St. John's Lutheran Church and Winchester Hospital. Thanks to David Lapier, Marsden & McLaughlin Funeral Home, Williamsburg, Morrisburg ambulance attendants, Upper Canada Detachment O.P.P. and Dr. Marsden for all their care.
–Beatrice, Bernadette, Iona, Theresa, Mariette, Tammy and families 48p

SMIRLE–Joan and I would like to thank Dr. Coolican, Dr. McLean, the ambulance attendants and the nurses and staff of Winchester District Memorial Hospital for their excellent care during my recent illness. Special thanks to Lloyd Eady for driving Joan back for visits and for bringing me home. Also, thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their care and concern.
–Lloyd Smirle 48p

To all my friends in Morrisburg and Iroquois, especially the Reddick family, for your friendship over the past year. To the special people that I love, Mom, Betty, Graham, Pam, Matthew, Jennifer, Aunt Pearl, Uncle Gerald, Aunt Lois, Donna, Ernie and Laurie, I will miss you. You will always be in my heart and prayers. I wish you all the happiness in all your families and may God be with you and protect you every day. Good luck and best wishes to Chrisie and Darrin. To my friends, especially all of you, Doug, Cheryl, Sharma, Tracey, Len, Barbara, Tammy, Dennis and Cindy and family, Allan and Kim and family, may God keep you in good health and spirits every day and to help each other, one another, and be a close family. If I missed someone, please, I won't forget you. If I ever did anything to you, I'm asking for your forgiveness and love. Thanks also to Lisa, the cook, and Faye, Lisa and Mike for letting me sing at the karaoke.
–Anonymous 48p

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## Obituaries

# Harold Oliver Merkley passes on

A resident of the Hartford Home, Morrisburg, for the past two and a half years, and lifetime resident of the Iroquois area, Harold Oliver Merkley died at the Hartford Home on Tuesday, November 18th, 1997, at the age of 83. The former Caldwell Linen Mills employee, who retired from there in 1979, also worked for the Village of Iroquois Town Crew, and had served as the Town Constable for many years.

Mr. Merkley was a life member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 370, having held various offices, including a term as president. He was also a former member of The Big Brothers organization of Cornwall and district.

Mr. Merkley was renowned for his 'handle bar' moustache, which he was very proud of. He liked watching wrestling on television, and hunting. In his younger years, he enjoyed making quilts with his wife, Leona.

Born July 21, 1914, he was the son of the late William Merkley and the former Nettie Dillabough.

On February 10, 1941, he was united in marriage to Leona Casselman, at her parents' home in Toyes Hill.

Mr. Merkley will be sadly missed by five sons: Robert (Cindy) of Surrey, B.C., Alan (Dianne) of Brockville, Donald (Karen) of Iroquois, Lawrence (Sherry) of R.R. 1 Iroquois, and Jay (Jennifer) of Iroquois; and five daughters: Darlene Riddell (Dick McEwen) of R.R. 2 Brinston, Marlene (Bill) Stearry of Delta, Kathleen Barkley (Jim Dinsmore) of Prescott, Jean (Bryce) St. Pierre of R. R. 2 Iroquois and Christine Curry of Vancouver, B.C.; a sister Isabelle Antoine of Cornwall, as well as by many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Friends called at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home on Thursday from 7-9 p.m., and Friday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral service took place from the home on Saturday, November 22, 1997, at 11 a.m. with Rev. Doug Carnegie officiating. Interment followed at the Iroquois Point Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Jay Merkley, Robert Merkley, Lawrence Merkley, Alan Merkley, Donald Merkley and Paul Saddlemire, while honorary pallbearers were Angela Saddlemire, Chris Merkley, Michael Barkley, Jacinda Stearry and Tracey Merkley.

# B. Joyce Berry

A resident of Brockville for the past two and a half years, B. Joyce Berry died at the Brockville General Hospital on Saturday, November 22, 1997. The former homemaker was 66 years of age.

Born May 15, 1931, at Hainsville, she was the daughter of the late Hudson Steinberg and the former Lera Whitteker.

Mrs. Berry lived in many areas including Toronto, Ottawa, Johnstown, and Germany, because of her husband Stanley's work in the various aspects of education caused him to relocate quite often. She enjoyed reading and travelling, and was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother.

On February 4, 1950, at the Prescott United Church, she was united in marriage to Stanley Berry, who survives.

Mrs. Berry will be sadly missed by four daughters: Marilou (William) Hayes of Orangeville, Susan (Stephen) Lucas of Manotick, Patricia Berry-Quade of Brockville and Pamela (Stuart) Spurrell of Brockville, and by a brother Paul Van Steinburgh of Mississauga. She will be remembered by six grandchildren, as well as by nieces and nephews.

Friends called at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home, Williamsburg, on Monday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Service was held from the home on Tuesday, November 25, 1997, at 2 p.m. with Rev. F.E.A. Macpherson officiating.

Interment followed at the New Union Cemetery, Williamsburg.

Pallbearers were William Hayes, Stephan Lucas, Stuart Spurrell, Dwaine Berry, John Mellan, and Christopher Berry.

Donations to the Alzheimer's Society would be appreciated by the family.

# Janice Morrow

A resident of Williamsburg for a number of years, Janice Morrow died at the Winchester Hospital on Friday, November 21, 1997. The former Health Aid at Lynnwood Lodge, Nepean, was 61 years of age.

Born June 19, 1936, at Dunbar, she was the daughter of the late Bismark Barkley and Lillian McMillan.

Mrs. Morrow will be sadly missed by her husband Donald, as well as by children Paul and Carol of Iroquois, Patricia and Don Middleton of Sharbot Lake, Shelley and Jeffrey Pashak of Morewood, Carol Lee and Chris Pemberton of Elma, Angela and Almon Morrow of Williamsburg. She will also be missed by brothers Edward Barkley of Kingston, Emerson Barkley of Scarborough, Garnet Barkley of Kingston, Clifton Barkley of Elma, and by sister Cheryl Short of Cornwall. Mrs. Morrow will be fondly remembered by grandchildren Nicholas, Amanda, Annette, Chad, Jocelyn, Mark, Kim, Daniell and Ashley.

Friends called at the Daniel Funeral Home Inc., Chesterville. Funeral service was held at the home on Monday, November 24th, at 2 p.m. with Rev. Diane Raddatz officiating.

Interment followed at the Maple Ridge Cemetery. Pall bearers were Roy Steele, Rick Barkley, Lloyd Whan, Gord Short, Ken Beattie and Robert Short.


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**Page 5.** 50' garland, 51-8812-8. Copy should read: 25% off, NOT 1/3 off.

**Page 22.** Item 7. Mastercraft paint, 48-8142x, is not available at the sale price.

**Page 26:** Shop-Vac Bags, 54-0001-0. Copy should read: Pkg. 3, NOT 5.

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## TENDERS - SNOW CLEARING

Sealed tenders plainly marked as to contents will be received by the undersigned up to 4:00 P.M. Thursday, December 18, 1997 for the following:

Snow Clearing at the Municipal Building in Brinston & Stampville Centre for the 97/98 season. Area to be cleared by 8:30 A.M. Monday thru Saturday. Tenders to be submitted on a per cleaning basis. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W.E. Horner
Clerk-Treasurer

## COMMUNITY CARE ACCESS CENTRE FOR THE EASTERN COUNTIES - 1997

## NOTICE OF PRE-QUALIFICATION FOR PERSONAL SUPPORT SERVICES AND HOMEMAKING SERVICES

The Community Care Access Centre for the Eastern Counties (CCAC) requires the services of qualified agencies to provide personal support services and homemaking services to its clients in the Counties of Stormont, Dundas, Glengarry, Prescott, and Russell and the City of Cornwall.

The Community Care Access Centre for the Eastern Counties is pre-qualifying parties who may be interested in performing this work.

Qualified agencies who can demonstrate experience and success in the performance of this type of work may phone and request a pre-qualification package from Ms. Yolande Villenevue at (613) 936-1459 (Extension 147). Packages will be faxed by no later than 4:30 P.M. on December 11, 1997.

All submissions for pre-qualification must be received by Ms. Yolande Villeneuve in the Cornwall Office of the CCAC at 709 Cotton Mill Street, by no later than 4:30 P.M. local time on January 6, 1998.

David Marshall
Contract Management Officer

**VILLAGE OF MORRISBURG**

## NOTICE

## WINTER PARKING REGULATIONS

Please note that no person shall park a vehicle or permit a vehicle to remain parked on a highway or street between 12:00 midnight and 7:00 a.m. from November 15, 1997 to April 15, 1998. This is to permit the removal of snow and ice from the streets, to allow safe travelling. Vehicles parked in violation of By-Law #32-90 may be towed away at the expense of the owner or operator.

Please note that **Sir James Morris Drive** and **Ontario Street** are included in this parking ban.

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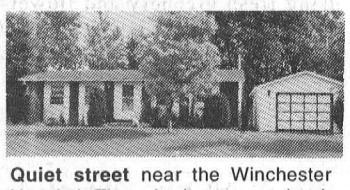
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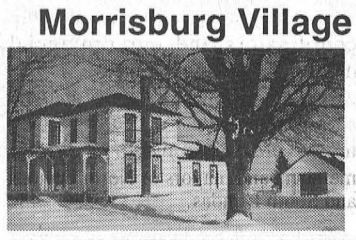
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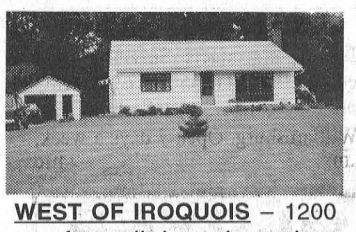
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# Seaway Valley Presbyterial UCW meets

CHESTERVILLE—Ladies of Seaway Valley Presbyterial United Church Women met in Trinity United Church here on November 11.

A warm welcome was extended by president Erna Witherspoon, by Chesterville's U.C.W. president, Gladys Smith and by Reverend Roy Harwood. Hilda Belsher gave highlights of Trinity's history, beginning with the sod turning in 1907.

Winchester U.C.W.'s June Armstrong and Lillian Moore presented a Remembrance Day worship which was followed by one minute of silence at 11.00 a.m. and the singing of "O Canada". The ladies choir closed the service with "In Flanders' Fields".

Guest speaker, Sylvia Whitaker, was presented to us by Muriel Eastwood, and for the remainder of the morning we were introduced to "Nicaragua and Its Poor". Background history and present conditions were explained. Fifty per cent of their problems have been caused by war.

Save the Children is one organization which works in partnership with local groups to help better conditions. Three steps for any group coming in to help:

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3. The project should be one which in time, they can take over and run themselves.

Sylvia told many stories, some happy, some sad, in her lively and refreshing style, and Janice Reynolds expressed appreciation.

Lois Johnson and Joan McEwan reviewed selections from the book tables, whetting appetites for resources.

The ladies served soup to go with our bag lunches, and appreciation was shown in the donations to the Native Healing Fund.

The afternoon session was business and reports. Ina Poole read a letter from CHEO, voicing their thanks for the ABC Baby quilts.

This could be a worthwhile project for any U.C.W., as the need is always there. Call Ina at 448-3422.

Muriel Eastwood reminded the group of the current study, "Uprooted Peoples" and the special kit that goes with it.

Betty Beckstead mentioned the Christmas cards made by the Sunday School children, produced by Presbytery for sale in the congregations.

Funds raised will go to the Mission and Service Fund. Communications stressed the importance of appreciation of others efforts and the beneficial effect that a good word may have.

The House of Lazarus is again collecting toiletries for their Christmas bags. Please spread the word in your congregations. Articles should not be wrapped, but just come in their bags.

Nominations mentioned several offices to be filled. . vice president, secretary, and stewardship for three. Call Louise Shaw at 989-5240 if you could offer your services.

Next meeting will be held in Morewood United Church on February 10th (snow date is February 11th). Registration at 10 a.m. See you there!

## Meeting for Bereaved Families

Bereaved Families of Ontario will hold a Support and Share evening November 27th at 7.30 p.m. at Morrisburg Public School Library. Everyone is welcome.

## NOTICE

### COUNTY LIBRARY BOARD APPOINTMENTS

The Council for the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry is inviting applications for consideration to appointment on the County Library Board.

The County Library Board is composed of seven members, three of whom need to be non-members of County Council.

The appointments will be made by County Council in January, 1998, and will continue for a period of three years.

Applications should be submitted to the undersigned prior to December 17, 1997.

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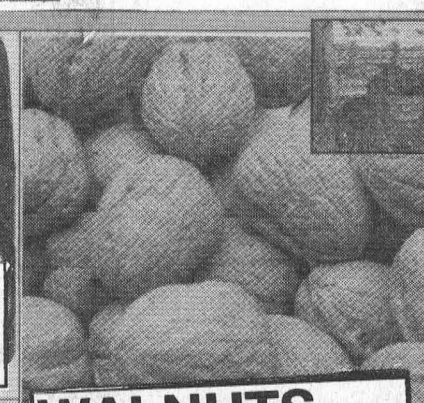
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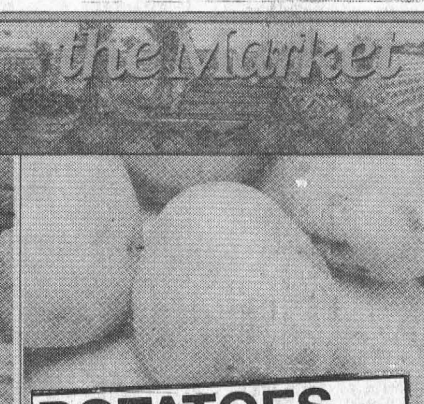
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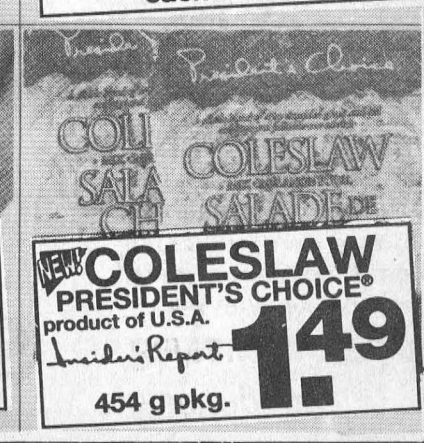
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