# Matilda Council discusses maintenance of secondary road

#### by Don Moore Chieftain Staff Reporter

Matilda Township Council met Thursday evening January 9 on a windy night of drifting snow, with Deputy-Reeve Charles Barkley and Councillor Peter Swank absent.

It was an apt setting as township resident Lorna Seibert brought a petition to Council asking that a portion of the 4th Concession Road be plowed. It was Seibert's contention that the road should be kept open year-round, since it was designated as a public road, and in fact was always used during summers. She maintained that someone was apt to be hurt on the road sooner or later if snow was not cleared.

Besides, she was annoyed that travellers who became stuck on the road would knock at her door in the middle of the night, seeking assistance. She was also concerned that the need for medical assistance, say, might be complicated by ambulances not being able to traverse the road.

Reeve Lorne Mellan pointed out that this was a secondary road that had never been maintained during winter months; and even in summer, while never having been closed, had only received a minimum of maintenance. The Reeve was of the opinion that the Township could not be liable for accidents that might occur on the road, since the road had never been maintained during the winter.

Matilda Councillors were of the general opinion that it would set a precedent to plow this road, and besides the road might have to be rebuilt if plowing was to be undertaken. Councillor Tinkler thought that local travellers would be aware of the condition of the road, and would avoid its use during winter months. And although the Reeve promised to look further at the problem when the full council was available he could only offer sympathy to Seibert at the present time.

For her part Seibert is not prepared to drop the subject, and is prepared to add another 100 names to the petition if that is necessary to get some action.

And although Council had thought that the matter had finally been put to rest, a letter from Clarence Levere concerning drainage problems brought up the Harbour Drain once more. His letter to Council said that if proper precauctions had been taken earlier, a lot of hassles would have been avoided. He also questioned the assessment that had been made, and went on record as being opposed to any further work being undertaken on his side of the fence.

The John Hanes Municipal Drain also came to Council's attention again via a request from Doug McInnes for minor maintenance. The Drain is only of a short length and has been in existance for many years, and the work now required is to replace a culvert. Some time back it had been proposed to do some work of a more major extent on this Drain, but when many of the affected landowners with-drew support, the project was dropped. The subject was forwarded to the Drainage Superintendent for his attention.

Matilda Township Council decided to request extra funding for the work required on the Broken Second. The estimates which were prepared last year were considered to still be valid, with total costs expected to be in the neighbourhood of \$325,000. The

work that is contemplated would include ditching, and widening the road between Lot 28, and the western boundary of the Township, a distance of 4.5 km. Council considered that it would be an unbearable burden on the Township if a subsidy could not be obtained.

In connection with Ault sub-division, Council discussed the merits of taking parkland or money in lieu. Members were not certain if land, once ear-marked for parkland, could be used for any other purpose. Reeve Mellan was of the opinion that cash would be preferred, but the matter was put over until a meeting could be held witht he planner, Brian Weir.

In other Township business Matilda Council dealt with 13 tax appeals for the year 1985, and a number of tax write-offs. The tax appeals, on the recommendation of the regional assessment office, were approved for rebates. Clerk-treasurer Bill Horner indicated that three more appeals were also being processed. The tax write-offs which were approved by Council were the result of last audit, and concerned cases dating back several years.

For the present the Recreation Committee and the Hall Committee will remain unchanged. But it is the Reeve's aim to have one centralized recreation body, with other committees who would be involved in local affairs. One member of the local groups would serve on the overall Recreation Committee to oversee Township-wide matters, such as the Winter Carnival.

The next regular meeting of Matilda Township Council is scheduled for Monday evening February 3.





by Don Moore Chieftain Staff Reporter It is Carnival time again in at the Hall in Dixons Corners. Matilda township, and the festivi-

**Entries up for** Queen contest

A great deal of interest is being shown in this year's Queen Pageant, being held in conjunction with the 11th Annual Matilda Winter Carnival. A record number of entries, 14 in all, have been registered.

The girls and their sponsors are: Christine B , C &

ties will get underway at 8 p.m. will be CJOH Sports celebrity this coming Friday, January 17, Brian Smith. One highlight of this, the 11th Master of Ceremonies this year

the Hall parking lot. Scheduled to Annual Matilda Township Winter begin at 12:30 p.m., there will be Carnival, will be the Carnival events for men, women and Queen Contest. It is expected that children. Featured will be a 14 lovely girls will vie for the tug-of-war event, with a maxhonour of being Queen for 1986. imu weight per team of 1250 lbs. The judges this year will be Noble The Matilda Recreation Mixed Villeneuve, MPP for Stormont- team is ready to challenge all Dundas-Glengarry, T.R. Leger of pullers!! the School Board, and Jane Free Free babysitting services will

Gilbert of CJOH News. The Queen will reign over the events, and will also appear at Morrisburg BIA

Also on Sunday, the Woodsbe available Sunday afternoon in men Funtime will take place in the Hall, courtesy of the Brinston Hi-C Group. Puppetry will be by Rev. Allen Tysick

> And to wind-up the Carnival, there will be an ecuminical church service at 8 p.m. Sunday. A number of groups will be taking part in the service, including clergy from various denomina-

with budget and other planning.

Wearing his other hat, that of

legal counsel to Council, Peter

Remillard explained the legal

intricacies and bylaw require-

ments related to the acquisition of

was prepared and given first and

second reading. The next step is

publication of the bylaw in the

newspaper, followed by a 21 day

waiting period to give residents

an opportunity to register objec-

tions, should they feel they have

cause. If objections are filed, it

could set the proejct back several

months while awaiting a hearing by the OMB. Council is working

the question of what might be

ment's fiscal year.

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debenture from the Ontario



### Old-tyme sleigh ride

Visitors to Upper Canada Village last Sunday, although prevented by weather from skating or skiing, enjoyed an old-fashioned sleigh ride among the village's snow-clad buildings. The St. Lawrence Parks Commission hosts a wide range of outdoor activities in the winter months as weather permits. Chieftain Photo - S. Dea

L Seeds, Dixon's Corners; Julie Burns, Harland Veinotte Trucking; Tracey Crozier, Garry Murphy Sales and Service; Cathy Gibson, Shaver Sand and Gravel; Kitty Hubbard, Mr. Grocer, Morrisburg; Lila Jollota, The Iroquois Chieftain; Kim Keller, Country Clippers Hair Styling, Dundela; Kelly Lapier, Prunner's Auto Care; Missy Marsden, Jim's Moto-ski; Jennifer Pashak, Employees of Frank Ault Ltd.; Alyson Robertson, S & F Freshmart; Johanna Sluiskes, Lloyd McMillan Equipment; Cindy Warren, Seaway Survival Games Ltd.; Andrea Zandbergen, Dundas Agri-Systems, Brinston.

The Carnival Queen judging will take place in the Hall in Dixon's Corners at 8:00 p.m., Friday, January 17. The Master of Ceremonies will be Brian Smith of CJOH Sports. Judges will be Noble Villeneuve, M.P.P.; T.R. Leger, School Board, and Jane Gilbert of CJOH News.

The girls will be judged on their poise, appearance, attitude, personality and on their originality in answering •continued on page 9

and dance. Registration for the rally will be held at the Hall in Dixons Corners from noon until 1:30 p.m. A hot dinner will be featured in the afternoon, with

special activities through 1986.

The Carnival continues on

continuous serving from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. Dinner highlight will be roast pork and scallop potatoes. Music will be supplied by a DJ from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. The dance, Saturday evening, will feature Bob Beriault and

Canadian Country, at Dixons Corners Hall. The dance will run from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. The traditional Pancake Break-

fast will get going on Sunday morning with service from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Organizers point out that there will be "real maple syrup'

# Saturday January 18, with a snowmobile and car rally, dinner and dance. Registration for the

#### by Pat Hare Chieftain Staff Reporter

During the Council meeting, January 13, chaired by Deputy-Reeve Shearing, the following persons were recommended by the Business Improvement Area It is expected that the first phase Board of Management during the term of the present council.

President, Peter Remillard, Vice-President, Tom Morrow, Secretary, Sam Laurin, Treasurer, Allan Bell; also Gordon Lane, John Morin, Roger Bouchard and Gordon Thom.

Discussion took place on the condition of the Morrisburg Plaza and Remillard confirmed that the Merchant's Association is in

#### Mountain insurance rates favour of making improvements. to increase by 68 percent The cost, as always, will be a significant factor. Remillard stressed the need for assistance from outside consultants to help

#### by Margaret Gladstone Staff Reporter

will be a core study, with specific It seems that Mountain, like projects outlined. Recommendaother municipalities, was unable to tions to date range from glassing avoid an increase in liability inin the plaza from Mr. Grocer to surance rates this year. Insurance the Liquor Store, he said, which is rates have increased in Mountain the high end of the scale, to 68% over last year to \$211,305.00 facade improvement, which is at liability coverage. the low end of the scale cost-wise.

One item on the insurance list is Conflict of Interest clause. A \$50.00 premium per individual allows for \$25,000 coverage for legal expenses incurred as a result of any conflict of interest charges. This was once known as Errors & Municipal Board for the planned sewage improvements. A bylaw Ommission Coverage.

Mountain will be able to maintain its Spray Insurance for one more year. Fire Insurance is up from \$85,100 to \$122,000 this year. Council may be able to save some money if they opt to increase their deductable. If the deductable is raised from \$250.00 to \$500.00 they could save \$559.00 in insurance costs. If they increased their deductable to \$1,000.00, they could save \$1,132.00.

within a tight deadline, as they The Firehall in South Mountain must endeavour to firm up the is insured for only \$2,000.00 due to agreement with the OMB by April the nature of the building. However, if the building were lost to stay within the Ontario governcouncil realizes the township would Councillor Rosenquist raised face a serious problem.

The total fire insurance on the building was not known to council done to improve the condition of as the building is shared by the

# Weather blamed for area accidents

a few minor accident over the past the shoulder of highway 2, week

Last Thursday conditions seemed to be worst, as an eastbound motorist hit a patch of ice on highway 401 just west of Iroquois, temporarily went out of control. crossed through the median and ended up on the west-bound

or damage reported. 9, Dave Fowler of Spencerville found the road very icy as he approached Iroquois from the east on highway 2. At a point 150

Agriculture Society. The insurance company was requested to look in- the firemen and the agricultural to the matter and report back to council

John Palmer, representing the agricultural hall, approached council, together with the Fire Department, to request a "work together project" be undertaken on the building which houses the Fire Department and the Agricultural Hall

He suggested that if the department and the agricultural society worked together a building could be developed. If the building were a municipal project, reports Mr. Palmer, it could be eligible for a 50% grant under the Neighbourhood Improvement Project. This requires that council have towards the purchase of an a property standards bylaw. An

look at the building.

Mr. Palmer advised council that society have agreed to pay \$500.00 each for a good plan. The deadline for applications is the end of January and the two groups have already completed some of the

preliminary work. The application itself does not have to be signed by council, advised Mr. Palmer, but a resolution is needed. Council resolved to have Bill Buchanan prepare the application for the grant.

The Fire Department and the Lions Club also approached council to request the support of council in a fund raising drive.

The drive would be organized by the Lions Club, and directed Emergency Vehicle for the Mounengineer would have to be hired to tain Township Volunteer Fire •Continued on page 9



**Baseball** interest signifies spring? Plans for minor baseball are being laid, and volunteers are required. For more details see page 6.

Maintenance at the Iroquois Locks Winter has taken over but work must continue at the Iroquois Locks to ensure trouble-free operation next season. See pictures on page 9.

The "Hat Man" is to appear on TV

Iroquois' Hat Man, Bill Ewing, has been interviewed by CBC Television for their program Country Report. Story and picture on page 12.

Mountain Lions promote Ident-a-kid Positive reaction has met the program for the identification of children in Mountain Township. For details see article on page 11.





Carnival Queen Contest in Matilda Township Winter Fourteen girls are in the running this year for the title of Queen in Matilda Township. Judging in the contest will be done Friday evening when the 11th Matilda Township Winter Carnival gets underway. Festivities will continue on Saturday and

Sunday at the Community Hall in Dixon's Corners. Left to right in back: Cathy Gibson, Missy Marsden, Kitty Hubbard, Cindy Warren, Alyson Robertson, Julie Burns and Kim Keller. Left to right in front: Kelly Lapier, Tracey Crozier, Lila Jollota, Christine Bosma, Andrea Zandbergen and Johanna Sluiskes. Missing from the picture is contestant Jennifer Pashak.

Chieftain Photo - P. Moore

The blowing snow and icy roads feet east of County Road No. 2 his conditions have been the cause of semi-trailer slid into the snow on

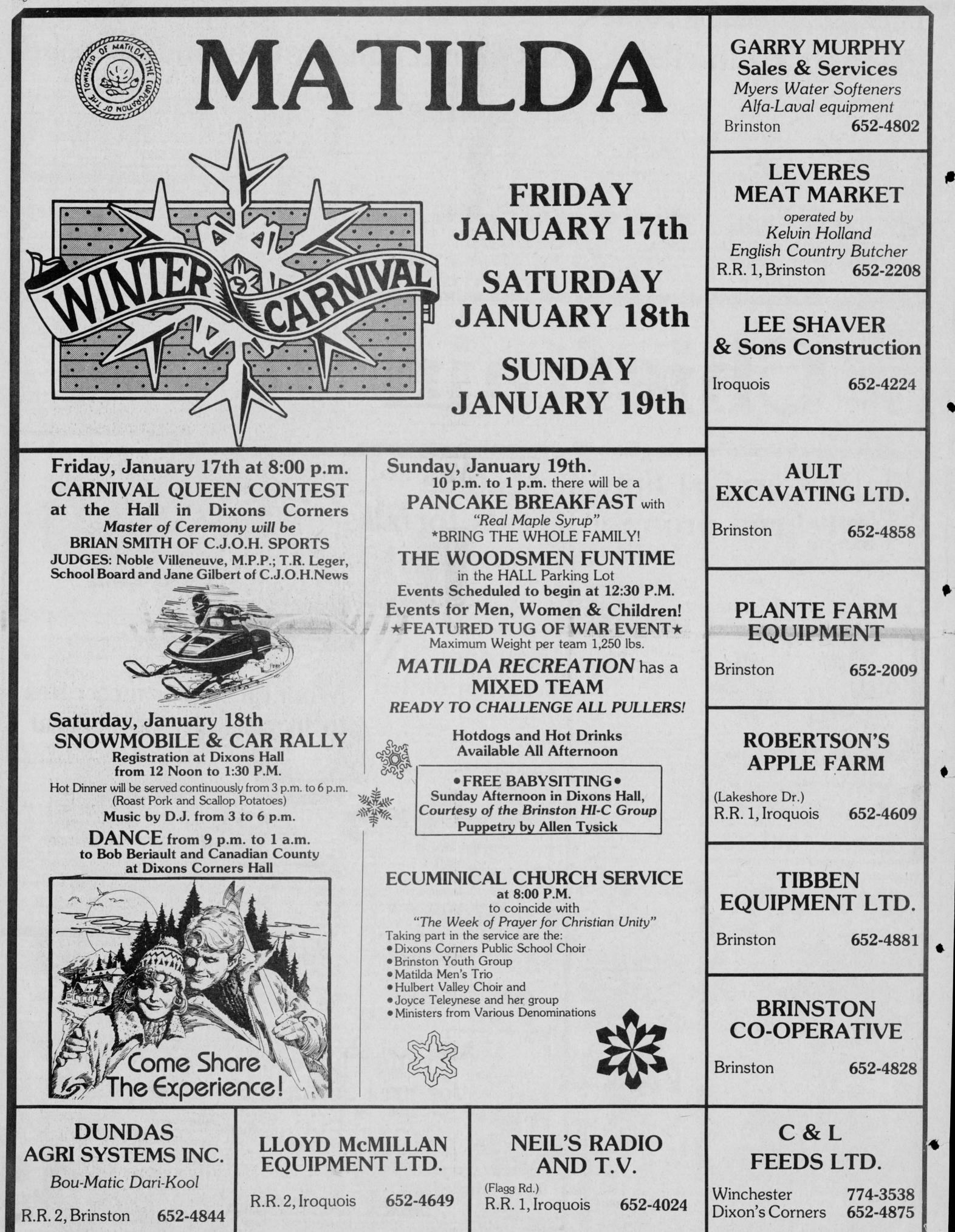
sustaining \$3000 damage to the rig, and \$200 damage to the guide rails. No injuries resulted, and no

Prescott Ontario Provincial Police reported a number of minor accidents due to the weather conditions and slippery roads, but with no injuries.

Morrisburg OPP report only Later on the same day, January one impaired driving violation being processed, and Long Sault OPP have reported only 2 liquor license violations over the past wcek.

charges were laid. shoulder. There were no injuries

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## Local prize winning poem

Shelley Robertson, a student at On behalf of all God's children Iroquois Public School, recently placed first in Royal Canadian Legion contest in Iroquois, in the intermediate poetry class. The Legion has now forwarded Shelley's poem to the District for judging at that level.

This is Shelley's poem

**ODE TO SAMANTHA** (In memory of Samantha Smith, a young American girl my age who, in 1984, wrote to Russia's Premier Andropov to ask him not to start a nuclear war. He was so impressed with her words that he invited her to go to Russia and discuss her ideas with him.)

"Dear Premier Andropov, I'm writing

To ask you from my heart,

## **Mountain Lions** plan to purchase van for firemen In addition to this project, the

The main goal of the District A Lions Club of Mountain Township in 1986, is to see the Mountain Volunteer Fire Department outfitted with an Emergency Vehicle Van. Andy Etherington informed Mountain Council on January 9th that the Lions Club has now raised \$10,000 towards the \$20,000 they estimate necessary for the purchase of a cabin chassey and box. The work necessary on the inside of the van is not included in the \$20,000 estimated cost.

At the council meeting Mr. Etherington requested that council undertake to purchase the vehicle when all funds have been raised. This would make the van township property. The van would be similar to Winchester's Emergency Vehicle. Council gave full support of the endeavor.

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She taught us with her courage Don't let a battle start." To keep our brothers free. We must follow her model Else - what will this world be?

Samantha's no longer with us But her words ring out this cry . . Some kids my age complain, Why must we fight our neighbours It's hard to be a kid No one wants to die? But if we stand show we care Like young Samantha did

Her convictions she upheld. She made statesmen stand to gether

#### If I were brave like Smantha, I'd stand up and face them all Her example gives me courage To shout for peace for all.

### **Arthur Irving has** high cribbage

There were 22 people at the cribbage party held at the Anglican Church hall on Monday January 13th. The high player of the day was Arthur Irving with 840 points. second was Orphan Bottan with 832 points. The door prize was won by Dorothy Iriving. The next cribbage party will be Monday January 20th starting at

#### **Euchre held**

The winners of the euchre held at the Sacred Heart Church Hall were ladies, first, Marla Seeley with 82 points, second was Grace Eratt with 80 points. The mens first was won by John Vanderspank with 78 points and Ken Baynham was second with 71 points. The door prize was won by Marjorie Fairfield.

at grades 7 and 8. The focus will The Lions Club is indeed a com-**False Alarm** munity support group. It can,

1:15 p.m.

The burglar alarm sounded at Ron Fader Furniture Ltd. premises in the Iroquois Shopping Plaza about 8 p.m. Monday evening January 13, but Morrisburg OPP were unable to determing what caused the alarm to trip, and there was no sign of an attempted break-in.

Nothing had been disturbed inside the store, and the cause of the alarm had been attributed to a malfunction in the alarm system.

### **OFFIR** extension

Jack Riddell, Minister of Agriculture and Food announced in the Provincial Legislature on Monday January 13 that an extension to March 15 would be allowed for applications in the Ontario Family Farm Interest Rates Reduction Program.

The extension was deemed necessary by the government to allow farmers more time to take advantage of the program.



#### Chieftain Photo - P. Hare Cross country skiing at Iroquois

Cross country skiing has always been a popular pastime in this area during the winter months as these local residents will attest to. With temperatures reading -20° and below this week, many enthusiasts will be awaiting warmer temperatures before practicing their sport.

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## Kenneth Carkner passes

Kenneth George Carkner, a fifty-eight year resident of Morrisburg, died in Winchester District Memorial Hospital on January 1, following a lengthy illness

Born in Winchester Township in 1918, he married Madeline May Duvall, in the Lakeshore United Church Manse in September, 1973. Besides his wife, the late Mr. Carkner is survived by a brother Alfred of Chesterville and sisters Mrs. Bessie Conn of Ottawa and Gertrude (Mrs. Rodger Taylor) of Amherst, Nova Scotia. He was predeceased by his parents, Cyrus Carkner and Elizabeth Edith Rodney, and by

two brothers, Roy and Harold. Mr. Carkner was active in the community as a member of I.O.O.F. - Zeta 311 - Morrisburg for 39 years, and in Knox Presbyterian Church as clerk of Session for 10 years and as a Church

Elder. Funeral services were held at the Fairbairn Funeral Home Ltd., Morrisburg on Firday, January 3, with Rev. Bruce Kempt officiating. Pall bearers were Earl Baker, Carson Baker, Ken Scott, Bill

Hoenselaar, Mitch Cassel, George Baker. Interment was in Maple Ridge Cemetery, Chesterville



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A schoolgirl made a difference, Then people learn that we do In the generation past. know Without her what can we do And listen to us too Sam showed us it's not the size To make this feeling last? that counts. It's what's inside of you. A schoolgirl made an impact

And question how they felt.

Lions Club has many plans for

1986. Beginning January 25, 1986,

the Ident-a-Kid program will be set

up at Inkerman School, then South

Mountain, Mountain and Hallville.

to take interested youths to the

Gloucester Indoor Pool for a first

aid program. This is hoped to pro-

vide an incentive for adolescents to

take part in the swimming program

offered at Winchester in the

In September, a skills for

adolescents program will be aimed

however, only continue to do good

works with reciprocal assistance

from those it serves.

be on alcohol and drug abuse.

summer

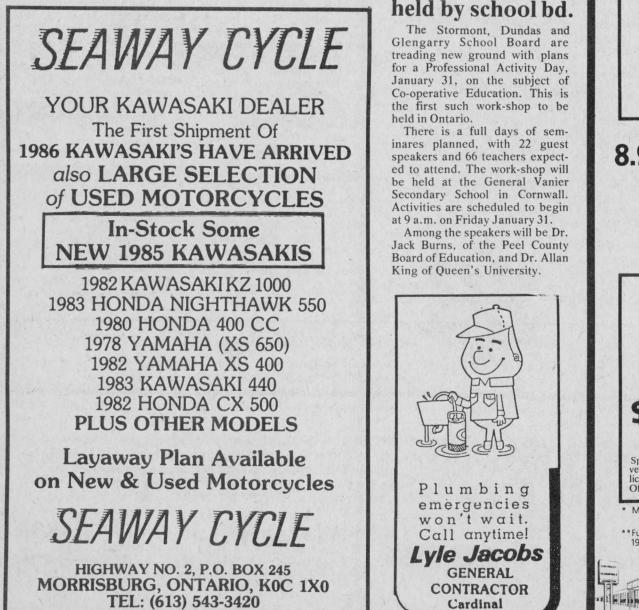
In April, a bus will be operating





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## **Iroquois** News

Recent visitors of Clifford and Clara Hall and family of Iroquois, was daughter-in-law Sharon and grandson Brandon of Dartmouth, N.S., during the period of Jan. 2 to Jan. 9.

Tony, Sharon's husband, and Clifford and Clara's son is stationed in the Navy at Halifax. Tony was unable to accompany his wife and child, as he is on special course. The visit was a special event as Brandon is only 10 weeks old and

travelled with his mother to visit relatives in Ontario.

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## **Insurance** abuse

Most people accept insurance as a companies on the other hand have produced necessary part of their lifestyle, budget for it, statistics which show that insurance settleand if they are fortunate, rarely, if ever, have ments have increased dramatically over the to apply for it. The general acceptance of past several years, and have seriously insurance has made it possible for insurance affected the profit level of many companies. companies to garner large sums of money themselves financially should disaster strike.

Insurance should be viewed in the context of protection against unforseen medical costs and/or material losses far beyond the saving ability of most. Insurance is a good investment for individual participants, and contributes also to the economy of the country through the investment capabilities of the insurance companies.

There are always some who abuse any system, but in recent years there have been substantial award is made against local increasing indications that more and more communities in this area, who, heretofore, Canadians believe that unemployment insurance, personal insurance, or any form one million dollars? of insurance is fair game. Some members of the legal system seem also to have thrown as suggested by the Ontario Minister of reason to the wind. Lawyers are Consumer and Consumer Affairs, Monte encouragingsenting liability claims which are totally out of step with reality, and municipalities and motorists with their finally some judges have capitulated to the current trend, and are awarding astronomical amounts to claimants. One of the better known settlements is the \$6.1 million which the town of Brampton, stop politicking and sit down together to Ontario has been ordered to pay to a young man who is now paralyzed as a result of an accident while driving his dirt bike over municipal property.

The trend toward exhorbitant claims and settlements started in the United States approximately five years ago, and has now crept into Canada. It is difficult for a layman abhoring the situation, when someone tells to find his way through the current us how they bilked the insurance company, statements of politicians and insurance or the government through false claims companies. The politicians seem to take the and/or tax evasions. Remember, no matter view that insurance companies are using the which group is minding the money pot, all few large settlements to make unrealistic contributions come from your pocket and premium increases. The insurance mine.

Wherever the fault lies, we must all deem through investment of the premiums paid. it as serious, and detrimental to the well-These activities, in turn, make it possible for being of Canadians, if liability insurance is people from all walks of life to protect not available to cover our homes, our automobiles, our hospitals, our villages, towns and cities. When a city the size of Metropolitian Toronto can't get liability insurance, when municipalities such as Cardinal, Prescott, Morrisburg and Iroquois might face premium increases up to 200 or 300 per cent in 1986, when hospitals and all public service units face the same probability, what will happen to legitimate claimants, with legitimate claims? Where will the money come from, if a were expected to carry liability insurance of

> If local governments pay the claims, or if Kwinter, the province seeks a way to help premiums, there is but one source of money - the taxpayer must foot the bill.

Wouldn't it be better if the Ontario Liberal party, and their opposition, would seek a solution for the public good; if the legal system would police its own activities and set reasonable guidelines in such matters and if the general public would work toward a change in attitude. Abuse of social systems is everyone's business. We should not chuckle, while inwardly P.H.

# Heavy workload facing legislature

by Noble Villeneuve M.P.P. Stormont-**Dundas-Glengarry** 

keep.

We are now well into 1986 which sees many who have taken keep them or having already found some very logical excuses why what looked like a good ideas a week ago is now impossible to

The Legislature reconvened on Monday, January 6th, following the Christmas and New Year holiday break. No one is quite sure at this particular point in New Year's resolutions either time how long this session of the struggling in an honest attempt to legislature will last, however, the government does have considerable legislation it wishes to bring forth including major changes involving the medical and pharmaceutical professions along with

lation. I personally intend to present a Private Member's Bill when my turn comes up which is scheduled

for sometime in January. I also wish to bring the agricultural community a final reminder that the OFFIRR program will receive applications up to January 15th, 1986 which is the deadline. As farm costs continue to

numerous other items of legis- increase, I think it is very timely significantly. to consider some of the following energy conservation measures particularly around our agricultural and rural communities. ENERGY CONSERVATION ON

THE FARM IS IMPORTANT As farming costs continue to escalate it becomes increasingly important for farmers to find ways to save money. Energy is one of the way costs can be cut

Canada spent \$1.2 billion on energy. Energy has since accounted for an increasing portion of farm overhead, but with some thought and effort can be controlled and even reduced. The Saskatchewan government undertook a joint energy management program with the federal Continued on Page 5

and

By Kay Kay

There

In 1981 alone, farmers in

FIRST LORD BEAVERBROOK ... THEN LORD THOMSON OF FLEET ... AND NOW LORD BLACK OF FLEET ... MMMMM....NO... BARON BLACK OF FLEET ... NO.... LET'S SEE... AH YES ... KING CONRAD OF CANADA!



We wonder how many people went on an immediate crash diet right after New Year's dinner or supper? How many are still on their diet?

Here

Giving up smoking, dieting, leaving the car in the yard and walking to the store or church or work, these are the things we seem to have a hard time adjusting to. Human nature is basically lazy nature. One look at parking around the Iroquois or Morrisburg shopping plazas will show how little walking people want to do.

Participaction for most means stepping out the back door into the car door, start the car, drive to the parking space closest to where we want to be, struggle to get out from under the steering wheel (burns about 10 calories if you're over 150 lbs) so that you can get into the nearest doorway for a cup of coffee (with sugar?, a hot beef, bacon and eggs, or whatever the stomach craves, and struggle once more to get under the wheel for the return journey home.

Sounds drastic or harsh or ridiculous? Not in the least.

This writer does it regularly and if we smoked as well, we'd spend most of our day "puffing--one way or another.

Could it be that Canadians are getting out of shape. Oh, sure, we see the odd person with all that will power to lose weight; they always look great, don't they? Starve yourself and you can look like that to, as long as you follow certain health rules, eat certain foods, exercise the way you're told . . . and you'll still be a year older (albeit better shape, perhaps) the first week of January 1987.

Well, even though we're putting ourselves in a real spot . . . we intend to lose at least ten pounds this year and keep them off. We feel sorry for the grocer who will sell us fewer groceries, but that's the price to be paid. Off it will come, starting with the rather bulgy front, and if any of you want to accept this as a challenge we'll gladly weigh in at Great Shakes once a month.

ONCE upon a Christmas time, there was a little boy with a skinny

freckled face and big solemn blue

eyes. He was old enough to know

that there was something called The

Depression and that he and his

family was right in the middle of it.

connected with the fact that pea

soup and homemade bread were

very often the staples for supper;

that he had to wear his big

brother's trousers, cut down; that

his Dad came home so often look-

ing very tired; that on rare and

terrible occasions, he would come

in and find his mother, who was

afraid of nothing on earth, sitting

at the sewing machine, with her

head down on her arms, crying.

too much. Small boys are very

tough little characters, for the most

part. They can adapt to almost

anything. The only things that real-

ly bother them are the things that

And that was this kid's trouble.

For two years now, he'd been wan-

ting a pair of skates. Oh, he had

skates, but he'd got so sensitive

about them he wouldn't even wear

them any more. They were an old

pair his mother had worn when she

was younger. They had long tops,

almost up to his knees. He had to

them. His ankles wobbled badly in

them. And every time he showed

up at the pond, somebody would

skates.?"

yell: "Where'd ja get the girl's

real skates, tubes, they called them

in those days, hockey skates,

they're called now. He had a

hockey stick. At the first game of

the year, when the seniors were

playing, he'd had a real stroke of

What he wanted was a pair of

go on in their heads.

But none of this bothered him

The Depression was somehow

"Boy, will she ever be glad to get goodnight to his parents. He didn't

# Justice for all

campaign it is unfortunate that some peo- treated as first offenders? ple charged with second impaired driving ofimpaired driving crusade.

A Perth woman appeared in provincial court in Smiths Falls facing her second im- or the justice system loses the respect of the paired charge, but the charge was treated as public. A first offence is a first offence, a a first offence and the woman was fined. Earlier this year another Lanark County ter what the circumstances or the woman facing her second impaired charge background of the accused. was treated in a similar manner. A second impaired charge calls for a mandatory going to treat im-14-day jail term.

In Toronto last week it was revealed that cases differently a charge of impaired driving against a lawyer then the antiwas dropped, even though the lawyer had impaired driving a breathalyzer reading of .14. The legal limit crusades must is .08.

charge was dropped in the first place.

perhaps has a family to support, have to drinking, or if, or if ..... serve a jail term for his second impaired of-

During the current anti-impaired driving fence when others, for whatever reason, are

Why should members of the public take fences have been treated by the courts as first anti-impaired driving crusades seriously offenders. It makes a mockery of the anti- when impaired driving offenders receive differing sentences?

Justice must appear to be done in all cases second offence is a second offence no mat-

If the courts are Guest paired driving **Editorial** 

reflect these differing sentences.

Much to his credit, Attorney-General Ian Perhaps some day we'll hear Justice Scott ordered the impaired charge against the Minister John Crosbie say, "If you drink lawyer reinstated and has asked the Crown that's your business, if you drink and drive Attorney in the case to explain why the it's our business, and for the second offence you will go to jail, but if you're a good Incidents like this whittle away faith in the mother, or if you've been a good citizen, or wear three pairs of socks to fill justice system. Why should a man, who if you're a good father or if you've stopped

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luck. After climbing in the window of the rink, in the middle of the second period, with some other kids, he'd wiggled his way right down beside the players' box.

He was just nicely settled, and trying to peer around a large, violent hockey fan in front of him, when one of the players dashed up to the bench with both parts of a broken stick, and threw them at the coach. The latter looked around, straight into a pair of beseeching eyes, and said: "Here, kid, here's a stick for you." With the help of his Dad, who spliced the stick, and some tape, he had wound up with a dandy stick.

But no skates. He'd tried to earn money for a pair, by shovelling snow. The first time out, he'd asked an old lady if she'd like her snow shovelled. She said yes. He shovelled like a little demon for an hour. He knocked on her door, red in the face, and told her it was done. She said: "and I have something for you, for your trouble." And handed him a cookie. That soured him on snow shovelling and nice old

ladies for some time. All his other sources of income: empty beer bottles, scrap iron and old tires, were covered by snow. He spent an hour and a half siphonand a backyard full of kids. ing the money out of his penny

bank, with a knife. There was only 13 cents. His kid brother's bank yielded only another 8 cents.

A Christmas to remember

As the days went on, and the other kids played hockey on the pond, while he had to pretend he didn't want to play, the desire for skates became more and more of an obsession. A hundred wild schemes went through his mind, to raise the money. All sorts of stories, like the one in which he sprang out and stopped the runaway horse, and the cowering driver, in gratitude, gave him five dollars, ran through his head.

It was Christmas Eve. He'd delivered on his sleigh a basket of food his mother had sent to a family that was down and out on the other side of town. He'd done it, ran all the way home, heart thumsullenly, his inner eye seeing nothing but those feverishly desired skates. He was walking home, down the main street, looking in the bright store windows with envy and despair in his heart, and kicking viciously at chunks of frozen snow

Suddenly his foot struck something that clinked. He bent and picked it up. It was a change purse. Excitedly he opened it. There was also a receipt. It bore the name of a woman he knew well. She had a useless burn of a husband

nero, immediately making himself the central figure in a Christmas Eve drama in which he returned the poor woman's money as she sat keening with her ragged children in their freezing shack. His spirits lifted, he shoved the

purse in his pocket and was off like shot to return it. He was tearing along, his sleigh banging his heels, his whole body tingling with pleasure. Suddenly he stopped in his tracks. There in his mind's eye, was a picture of himself gliding over the ice on a new pair of tube skates, with the rest of the kids trying hard, but unable, to catch him. And in the same second came the realization that he had enough money in his pocket to buy them. He walked on, for another block, very slowly now. He was sick with temptation. He came in sight of the woman's house. Satan was whispering. He got to the door. Twice he raised his hand to knock and dropped it. Then he tiptoed down the steps and ran like a rabbit back to the hardware store,

ping, stomack sick. He sneaked in the back way, and was hiding the skates in the woodshed. His mother and father were talking in the kitchen. "That was foolish, Dad," she was saying. "You know we owe grocery bills, and there's fuel to buy, and we all need clothing." His Dad answered: "I don't care if we're all starving by spring. I know what it's like to want something that badly."

bought the skates, white-faced, and

The boy went around to the front door, came in quietly and crept off to bed, after murmering

get to sleep for a long, long time

In the morning, his kid brother excitedly dragged him out of bed, to go down and look under the tree. He was feeling wretched. He knew there'd be nothing under the tree but some nuts and candy, and an apple, and maybe a new suit of long underwear, wrapped in gift paper. That was The Depression.

When he saw the new skates sitting there, his insides gave a lurch. He knelt beside them and saw the card: "To Bill, with love. Mother and Dad." When his parents came down, he was still on his knees, the tears streaming down his face. His Mother thought he was crying for happiness, and loved him up. His Dad tried to joke him out of it. talking about the great hockey star he'd be.

It would be nice to end the story by saying he told them the whole story, the skates he'd bought with the found money were returned, the woman got her money, all was forgiven, and he never stole anything again as long as he lived.

But that's not the way it was. He took the skates out of the woodshed that night, ran with them to the river, and threw them over the bridge into the black water. He played hockey every day. When summer came, he stole apples, and grapes, as he always had. He planned to save all his money and give it to the woman whose money he'd stolen. But he never got around to it. He planned to do something wonderful for his parents, and never got around to it.

But he'll never forget that Christmas as long as he lives.

'TIS THE SEASON TO BE NICE TO A HERO. That doesn't mean plunking down five bucks to add to Rambo's material comfort or to see Rocky triumph over Evil for the IVth time.

THESE CHARACTERS ARE HEROES - for better or worse - in the conventional sense, the sense that says that fame is an essential ingredient of heroism. To be sure, most of the big-time heroes have "famous" or "infamous" connected with their names. But there are two points to consider.

FIRST, ANDY WARHOL, THE AVANT-GARDE AMERICAN ARTIST, may have had something when he said everyone will be famous - for 15 minutes. The fast pace of our society has tended to push new heroes into the spotlight, then out again, with numbing rapidity. How long will it be before Monday's pop/movie/sports hero is the subject of Friday's "Whatever happened to ...?" column?

OF COURSE, THERE ARE PEOPLE WHOSE HEROISM ENDURES - Terry Fox comes quickly to mind - but more and more we appear to be living in the age of the disposable hero. That situation only makes it more important that we recognize the second point. That is, we cannot lose sight of the fact that fame and heroism are not connected at the hip.

EVERYWHERE AROUND US, EVERY DAY, PEOPLE ARE DOING HEROIC THINGS. Of course there are the ones we read about - those who rescue drowning children, or corral a fleeing suspect, or shelter someone stranded in one of those fierce prairie storms known as Alberta clippers. Their fame is fleeting as well. But more, there are thousands of people who, without

publicity, perform heroic deeds all the time, feats we don't even notice until they're not being done.

TAKE THE LOCAL MERCHANT who sponsors a minor hockey team which raises money for treats to distribute to the needy at Christmas. Or take the thousands of volunteers who give their time - that most precious commodity - to help others; coaching or tutoring young people, running Scout or Guide troops, visiting hospitals and other institutions and a host of other good works.

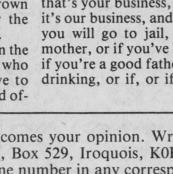
NO SINGLE ACTION OF THESE INDIVIDUALS can stand alone against the prodigious accomplishments of, for instance, a Mother Teresa. But this unsung heroism is an essential glue of our society. Almost certainly, few think of themselves as heroes, but they are. For heroism is a very personal thing. One generous act by an individual can create a role model in the wink of an eye. Similarly, one rude rebuff of a small fan by a hockey star can swiftly turn an idol into a brutish lout.

IN THE END, IT COMES DOWN TO THIS: heroism is in the eye of the beholder, whether that eye belongs to a world uplifted by the struggle of a Terry Fox, or whether it's that of a child awed by the bounty under the Christmas tree, placed there by an anonymous benefactor known only as Santa. So many give so much and ask for so little. And we all profit from it.

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THIS WEEK'S BOTTOM LINE: Silence is sometimes the severist criticism.

the bottom line



## LETTERS

### **OXFAM** asks for your help

Dear Sir: buying food for the drought survive and make better lives. devastated areas of Africa. Moments ago I arranged for the immediate transport of another 1,000 tons of grain for distribution in the hardest hit regions.

I, like you, feel deeply moved carried on our televisions . . . and I feel a special pain, because I have been there, and have seen the situation growing worse. But I also feel hope.

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you now.

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Department of Mines and

Resources to investigate means to

reduce these costs. I would like to

Clean, well-tuned equipment,

using proper equipment for the

job at hand, reducing the depth of

tillage, and less frequent tilling

are some of the more obvious

energy savers. The side benefit to

reducing the frequency of tilling

is that moisture loss and soil

Ensuring that smaller vehicles

erosion are both cut.

share some of their findings with

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OXFAM-Canada has been working in Africa and other parts of the world for over 20 years. We have established a partnership between concerned Canadians I have spent most of this day and people who are struggling to

> With this support we have been increasing assistance to the drought stricken parts of Africa, bringing relief and developing long range solutions.

In Mozambique and Zimbby the images that have been abwe, in the south of the continent, we have helped develop water resources and irrigation systems so that millions can grow crops with which to feed themselves.

use a block heater on your car or

truck, put in on a timer. This will

allow the engine tohave two or

three hours of heating rather than

mileage.

The most severely affected region on the continent is the north of Ethiopia, in Eritrea and Tigray, where over 2 million people lie beyond the reach of official government aid. Oxfam-Canada has been work-

deal.

ing in this region for over two years, digging wells and developig water catchment systems, helping with food production and supporting public health programs. We know the area, its people, and its problems.

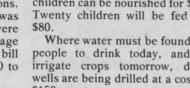
The ongoing war between Ethiopia and the peoples of Eritrea and Tigray makes the delivery of assistance difficult, but the people of this region work with courage and determination, and have accomplished a great

Now that the situation has reached emergency proportions there is immediate and urgent need for aid on a large scale. We are sending food, medicine, tents and blankets. We need your help to purchase and transport these life-saving supplies. Through the international

an entire night. Along the same line, maintaining your tire pres-OXFAM network, there are OXsure will ensure good gas FAM teams of medical, nutrition, and other relief personnel in the New machinery is often reworst hit areas, right now - in designed to assist with energy Ethiopia, in Eritrea and Tigray, conservation, as demonstrated by and in the Sudan, where large narrower cultivators. Their drag numbers of people are forming is considerably reduced over the new refugee camps in an attempt to escape the drought.

older models resulting in lower energy requirements and less Throughout these areas we are wear on the equipment. The joint energy program resulted in detailing many other

establishing feeding stations for children. A complete station for 150 children costs \$1,000. Ten children can be nourished for \$40.



We can only do this work with

will be felt.

**OXFAM-Canada** P.S. Please don't feel you have P.S. OXFAM-Canada's work



### Slippery roads to blame

Dave Fowler's semi-trailer didn't manage the curve east of Iroquois last Thursday afternoon as Highway 2 was extremely slippery at this point. The accident happened at 4:15 p.m., and the semi was pulled back onto the road after 7:00 p.m. the same day. Chieftain Photo - D. Moore

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# **Hospital Auxiliary** holds Jan. meeting

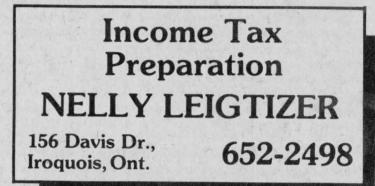
The regular monthly meeting of the W.D.M.H. was held in the Conference room of the hostpial on January 9 at two p.m. The President, Rose Campbell, welcomed the members and opened the meeting with the Auxiliary Prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. The treasurers report was given, and was followed by the Units.

The Administers report was given by Mr. Stel. He told the members that new equipment, recently purchased, would be ready for inspection next week, he also stated that the letters to recent patients, requesting donations, were showing good response.

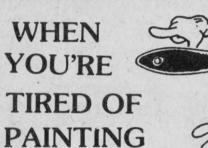
An excellent report for the gift shop was given by Lillias Lancaster, and she handed in a cheque in the amount of 1000.00 dollars. She also reported for the "In Memoriam" fund. The Volunteers report was given by the assistant co-ordinator Doreen Acres.

Plans for the Valentine Dance, to be held on Feb. 15th to be held in the Community center, and the tickets are now available, and there will be door prizes.

It was decided that plans for the spring Dessert and Card Party should be discussed at the next meeting, on Feb. 13th, after which the meeting was adjourned.







# Winchester Hawks post win and loss to remain in fifth

and lost a game to remain in 5th then completely ran out of steam. place in the Alex English Division of Jr. "B" hockey.

On Friday, January 10, the Metcalfe Jets downed the Winchester Hawks by a score of 8 to 6. Winchester lead 4 to 1 at the end of the first period, and lead by

hours.

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**Iroquois rink** 

being well used

The efforts of the Iroquois been kicked in, the padlock

Recreation Committee are paying installed instead, was opened

off and Lorraine Fader reports the Sunday, without damage to the

Victoria St. rink is being well used lock, and the Committee must

by hockey players and pleasure now look for another type of

skaters during the appointed lockup. Finally, last Monday

Winchester Hawks won a game 5 to 2 at the end of the second, but Three Jet's players each had 2 goals on the winning side. For the Hawks, Peter McGrath had 2 goals, Rene Bongard had 2 goals and an assist, Mark Smith counted goal and 1 assist, and Scott Dexter put in 1 goal.

Also, on Friday, Navan Grads overcame the Alexandria Glens by a score of 6 to 5. And it was Clarence Creek Beavers 13, Vanier Senators 2. Clarence Creek lead all the way in a one-sided game. Greg McEachern had 4 goals and 1 assist for the Glens.

A wild game on Saturday, January 11 saw Winchester overwhelm Alexandria 15 to 5. Winchester was ahead 4 to 1 at the end of the first period, and lead 12 to 2 at the end of the second period of play. Mark Smith was the main scorer for Winchester with a 5 and 1 record, with Kirk Barkley right behind with 4 goals and 1 assist. Jeff Thompson rang up 2 goals and 2 assists, Chris Lynch came in with 1 goal and 3 assists, Ben McIntosh had 2 goals and an assist, and Trevor McClatchie was in one

and 5 effort. Also on Saturday, January 11, Char-Lan downed Clarence Creek 8 to 4. Clarence Creek was ahead

many of the scoring plays with a 1

# Minor baseball plans underway for summer

Councillor Lorraine Fader, Chairman of the Recreation Committee, Iroquois, says they are already making plans for minor league baseball this summer.

The committee would like interested parents to help with the program. In this way many will share the work and it won't become an onerous task for one person.

Parents of children who plan to play minor baseball would be welcomed as volunteers, as would anyone with an interest in the program. Please call Leo DeBelefuille, 642-2123.

# **Basketball teams at Seaway** heading towards playoffs

The Seaway District High School basketball teams are scheduled to take on General Vanier Secondary School tomorrow, Thursday, January 16. Seaway will be looking to improving their on-the-road record.

When play recommenced after the Christmas-New Year break, SDHS Seniors overcame a determined La Citadelle team, playing on January 6 to a 52-47 victory. This brought the Senior boys record to 3 wins against 1 loss. However, the results of yesterdays game against Cornwall Collegiate Vocational School, are not yet known.

The SDHS Juniors did not get away to such a good start in the new year, going down to defeat 47 to 32, at the hands of the visiting La Citadelle Patriotes. This game dously



was also on Monday January 6, played in Iroquois.

Basketball playoffs are scheduled for February 17 through 21, with the top four teams of the league making it into the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Finals. Coach Don Fairweather is confident that the Seaway Senior team will be in the finals. Last year they had a hopeless record and missed the finals, but this year, with some of the last year's junior players with them, their record has improved tremen-



On the other hand, the SDHS

Juniors are not up to their last

year's record, and Coach Fair-

weather is not optomistic about

their chances of getting into the

finals. Last year the Juniors were

runners-up in the Eastern Ontario

area, and winners in the class



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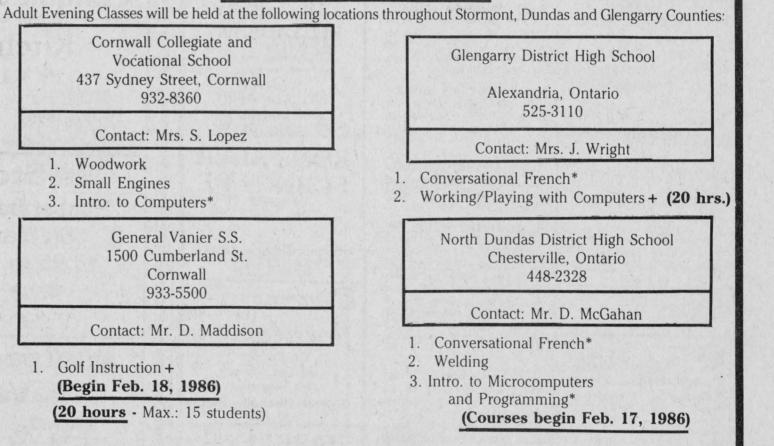
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The secondary schools of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry will be holding Orientation Nights for Grade 8 students and their parents or guardians on the dates and times indicated below.

The purpose of these sessions is to better acquaint the future high school student and his/her parents with the programmes and services of secondary schools.

Should any information be required, please contact the Principal.

SCHOOL	DATE	TIME 7:00 p.m.		
St. Lawrence High School	Jan. 15			
La Citadelle	Jan. 10	All day (toute la journee)		
Cornwall Collegiate & V.S.	Jan. 14	7:30 p.m.		
General Vanier Secondary School	Jan. 13	7:30 p.m.		
<b>Glengarry District High School</b>	Jan. 27	7:30 p.m.		
E.S.R. Glengarry	Jan. 30	7:30 p.m.		
Char-Lan District High School	Jan. 13 & Feb. 4	7:30 p.m.		
Tagwi Secondary School	Feb. 12	7:30 p.m.		
Rothwell-Osnabruck School	Jan. 14	7:30 p.m.		
Seaway District High School	Feb. 4	7:30 p.m.		
North Dundas District H.S.	Feb. 6	7:30 p.m.		



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All applications should be submitted by

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## **COMING EVENTS**

fhe Iroquois Women's Institute will hold their **REGULAR MEETING** at 2:00 p.m. in the Civic Centre, Thurs. Jan. 16. Guest Speaker -Linda Brown, Upper Canada. Special Invitation to Grandmothers. J15-ltc

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# **Phillips Cable** downs Raiders 13-0

the Raiders.

Standings

Red Devils

Legion

Phillips Cable

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"I guess we must have

patience and wait for govern-

ment,", he added and at the

same time explained it is not an

easy issue. The previously

licensed company, Trillium, did

not go ahead with the project, and

CRTC spokesperson, Jeff

Atkins, could not provide a dead-

line when a decision might be

expected, "There is no legal time

because over 4,000 requests per year are processed." Atkins

suggested that a decision might be

forthcoming within the next few

of whom must be considered.

Caldwell Raiders 12 3 5

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On Thursday, January 9th, the Phillips Cable team trounced the Caldwell Raiders 13-0. Scoring for Phillips Cable were Fred Richardson with 4, John Reddick with 3, Mike Toupin with 2, Ray Lafontaine with 2, Aurel Sauve with 1, and Bruce Kidd with 1. The shutout was got by Pat McLean. The Angels defeated the Red Devils 3-1 in the second game of the evening. Shawn Patrick got all three goals for the Angels while Rodney Stitt got the Red Devils goal.

Angels On Sunday, January 12th, the Legion defeated Phillips Cable 2-1 Scoring Leaders: on goals from Tom Deschamps and John Johnston. Doug Wells scored the goal for Phillips Cable. The red Devils and Caldwell points.

## No decision yet on cablevision

The Canadian Radio-Television ario, said Keith Walsh, Ottawa and Telecommunications Com- Cablevision Limited. mission has not yet made a

decision on the applications to supply cable TV to Eastern Ont-

### Notices

**100 CLUB WINNERS** Knights of Columbus -Council 6882 Winners

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**BRIDGE WINNERS** Ladies -Doreen Empey Helen Bouck **GENTS** -Garnet Empey Clare Tucket

**Morrisburg Council** discusses W.C. changes by Pat Hare ministry policy on the issuance

weeks

**Chieftain Staff Reporter** 

A letter from William Wrye, tional and safety laws was one of

and enforcement of orders under the act will ensure that the act is Minister of Labour, Ontario, deal- enforced with substantially greating with enforcement of occupa- er vigour, and finally, the ministry's policy on prosecution is being revised to expand the number of situations where prosecutions will be launched.

raiders tied 1-1. Scoring for the Red Devils was Ron Patterson and for Caldwells was John Garlough. The Caldwell Raiders second game of the day was also a tie but this time it was with the Angels 0-0. the shutout was got by Ron Earl of the Angels and Doug Crawford of G W L Pts. 16 15 11 10 King of the Castle Mike Toupin of Phillips Cables with 12 points and second Barry Patterson of Red Devils with 11

Alan Leightizer and Donald Klaehn, both of Iroquois, took advantage of the magnificent mound of snow across from the public school here Sunday as they enjoyed a game of "King of the Castle". Chieftain Photo - S. Dea

## Firefighters' insurance discussed

Volunteer firefighters are what appeared to be a heart attack while on the way to a fire. covered by the provisions of

#### now there are numerous appli-Menard hits perfect score cants throughout the province, all

Congratulations goes to Brenda Allan Amell 5; Roger Menard 5; Menard for hitting a perfect score Doug Allard 5; Tom Smail 4; of 180 at the Cardinal Mixed Darts Kathy Woodward 4; Toby held on Friday, January 10, at the Summerfield 4; Roy Douglas 3; Stan Woodward 3; Mary Gilligan Cardinal Legion.

limit assigned to the various applications under consideration Standings as of January 10: Hot Rods 112; Mousecateers 105; Menard 3; Wayne Bellinger 3; and by the CRTC", he said, "primarily Black Birds 105; Big Birds 102½; Porky's Revenge 100; Olive's Gang Stan Plume 3. Die'no'mights 99; Tom's High Score: 99: Tombs 961/2; Mudcreek 95; Toby's Brenda Menard 180; Tom Smail Tons 95; Lucky 13's 93; 134; Ben Allard 134; Len Crawford Heavyweights 93; Born Losers 126; Allan Amell 122-100; Peter 911/2; Al's Angels 89; The Bunglars Graham 120; Muriel Allard 120-87; Jokers 83 and Ma & Pa Kettle

Most Games:

Wally Douglas 8; Muriel Allard 7; Shirley Bishop 6; Lee MacDonald 6; Terry Reid 6; Len Steele 6; Joanne Kavanaugh 6; Len Crawford 5; Marie Jessone 5; and Stan Woodward 100. and the firefighter has been left to pay his own bills. London Township have been circulating a motion which they have passed, and are asking for

support from other Townships with volunteer firefighters to have the provincial government extend the benefits of Worker's Compensation to cover such cases. While Williamsburg Township Council have not supported the motion, Reeve Whitteker was of the opinion that part-time firefighters faced the same risks as fulltime firefighters and really should receive the same insurance protection.

At the last meeting of Matilda Peter Graham 3; Brenda Township Council, the London motion was filed. Councillors thought that any additional coverage would prove to be expensive and decided to stay with the regular Worker's Compensation package.

On the other hand, Cardinal 100; Wally Douglas 119; Roger Menard 116; Shirley Doran 115; Council, at their regular meeting last week decided that they could Jim Ried 105; Doug Allard 100; support the London motion. christine Windsor 100; Huck Morrisburg Council, at its meeting Magee 100; June Douglas 100; on January 13, voted to support Ken Doran 100; Len Steele 100the resolution. Iroquois Council 100; Toby Summerfield 100-100; was expected to deal with the matter at their meeting last night.

## FROM THE FRONT PAGE

### **Morrisburg BIA**

some of the sidewalks on village streets in winter. All too many people are being required to walk down the centre of the street, he said. It was agreed that some discussion should take place with the village foreman, and perhaps some experiments tried with existing or modified equipment to see if improvements could be made, at least to main thoroughfares which bear heavy vehicle traffic.

Tenders were opened for carpeting for the Council Chamber to comply with a request from the Attorney General's Ofice. The chamber is used as a courtroom and it is stated that the scraping of chairs and other noise adversely affects the quality of the recordings. Two Morrisburg companies provided estimates, with one marginally higher. Thus the job was awarded to the lowest bidder, Black's.

## **Cardinal Queen**

questions. The Queen will preside over the remaining festivities of the Carnival, and will be eligible to enter the Miss Eastern Ontario contest to be held in Perth later in the year.

Besides selecting a Queen, the judges will also name a runnerup. And the girls themselves will select a Miss Congeniality.

### Mountain

Department. Council gave full support of the project.

The Fire Department also presented to Council its concerns for the 1986 expansion of the Fire Department was discussed. Chief Jim Scott reported to council that the department feels expansion would be best if expansion were towards South Mountain rather than Hallville. The reason for this, says Chief Scott, is that there is little or no daytime help available in Hallville. "The manpower is in South Mountain", says Scott, and expansion to South Mountain would be around "1/3 of the cost" of expanding to Hallville.

Marian Graham, a representative of the Dundas Federation of Agraiculture, approached council with an invitation to attend a three hour seminar on fence viewing. The seminar would be given by

the Federation, to council members, at the convenience of council.

Mrs. Graham expressed concern over the question of protection, in Mountain Township, of "the right to farm". The Federation is addressing this issue and exploring the possibilities of issuing warnings to new property purchasers in the area

regarding the hazards of living in taxes. The roll for equalized assessment will not be received until an agricultural area. Lot severance, she says, tends to result in com-February 11, 1986. The due date plaints regarding noise of livestock for payment of taxes is March, 27. and farm machinery. 1986. Joan Maxwell advised coun-

"Education is a problem", says cil that the tax collector is legally Graham. Council should consider required to give 14 days notice to drafting up something like a bylaw stating that "this is the way country people live... Your neighbour may plow your driveway out but he held February 10, 1986 at 7:30 p.m. may also have a heifer that cries all

night' Other issues covered included burning at the dump. It was not clear to council as to whether no burning was allowed, or merely that certain non-toxic items might be subjected to flames. The clerk was asked to look into the matter as residents have been complaining. Engineering reports will be obtained for a number of bridges in the township so that repairs may be made if necessary.

Tenders for fuel oil were received from Petro-Canada and Emery Fuels. Emery, as lowest bidder, was given tender.

Those applying for tender were asked to give prices on diesel, fuel oil, 15W40, and hydrolic oil. Petro Canada gave prices only on diesel and fuel oil. Mr. Jack McIntosh approached Iroquois, Ont. graduated from

council and requested the zoning of the east part of lot 24, totalling 2.39 acres, be changed from Rural to Highway Commercial.

No specific purpose for the land has been set, but Mr. McIntosh of 85 per cent. He is now postd stated he had been approached by an automobile dealership and a restaurant for the lot.

John Palmer will be attending the Drainage Superintendants Association Conference in London. Council approved Fees for membership to the Ontario Farm Drainage Association at \$95.00. Mr. Palmer will be accepting the presidency of the Drainage Superintendants' Assocation for Ontario at the conference. Council approved payment of Mr. Palmer's out of pocket expenses for the conference.

Council concluded with a discussion regarding the '86 property



the older Disney films.





**IROQUOIS** - North on Carman Rd. - Three bedroom

#### Workers' Compensation, but the extent to which they are covered The Board ruled that the stress has been called into doubt by a of the call did not cause the heart recent ruling of the Worker's attack, and therefore the Compensation Board. The case in firefighter was not entitled to benefits. The muncipality did not question involves a volunteer firefighter of the Hamilton Township have long-term disability insurance to cover the situation, Fire Department, who suffered

the agenda items of the Morrisburg Council meeting, January 13

The minister's document stated there are three major changes to the Occupational and Safety Act. First the Act is being rewritten to provide greater protection to workers who may be exposed to toxic substances. Second, a new

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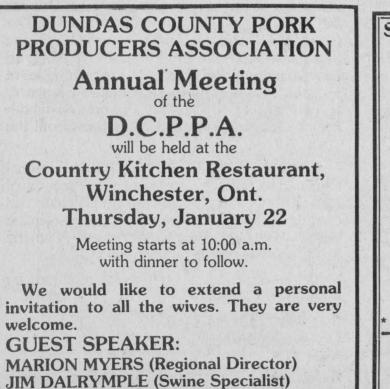
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What effect the changes will have on the village of Morrisburg is yet to be seen but in the opinion of Lloyd Barkley, Clerk-Treasurer, they can expect more frequent visits from inspectors. They must also ensure that any village employee entering an area containing toxic chemicals is accompanied by another worker. Some examples would be chem-

icals used in water purification or sewage treatment plants.

## Rabbit derby

The Cardinal Fish and Game Club will be holding a Snowshoe Rabbit Derby on Saturday January 25th. This is a guns only derby. The prizes for the heaviest rabbit will be \$30, \$20, and \$10. One prize per person. Member \$2; Non-member \$4. The weigh in will be at the boat ramp east of the Cardinal Legion from 5:30 p.m. - 6 p.m. Tickets must be purchased before midnight January 24th and are available from the executive.



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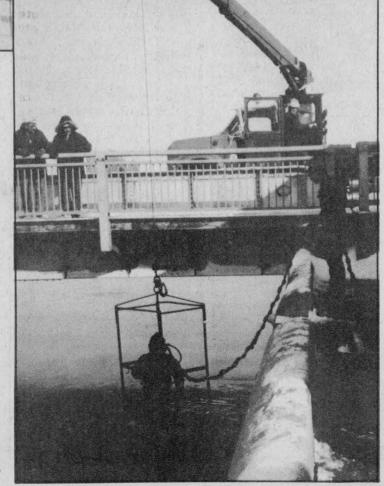
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on the Iroquois locks was in full swing last week. Pictured above, a helicopter aids in the inspection work along the spillway sides; the weatherman has co-operated, and the major portion of the work is expected to be completed this week.

On the right a diver is shown being lifted from the water after inspecting under-water portions of the locks. Before the "stop logs" are lowered it is necessary to ensure that they will seat properly. The "stop logs" are placed ahead of the normal lock gates in order that the locks may be completely drained.

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# **Government has introduced** many new programs

by Norman Warner, M.P.

Since September 1984, the Progressive Conservative Government has initiated new programs and improved existing ones which will directly benefit Ontario in areas such as forestry, mining, tourism, agriculture and transportation. For example; a \$226 million funding agreement for economic and regional development was signed by the federal government and Ontario.

The five year agreement, with each government contributing 50 per cent, will provide joint funding for federal-provincial initiatives in forestry, tourism, mineral development and planning. As well, the federal government has undertaken the most comprehensive environmental protection

plan ever in the fight against acid rain. \$300 million has been committed to help cut sulphur dioxide emissions in half by 1994. More stringent emission standards for vehicles have been put in place.

The fight against acid rain will preserve Ontario's lakes and forests and ensure the future of the province's tourism industry. In the area of agriculture, changes to the Advance Payments for Crops Act have doubled maximum payment levels for crop storage. Under the Act, the government provides interestfree payments prior to harvest time to producers of storable

crops. These and other initiatives help Ontarians in their pursuit of a better place to live. Investment intentions in

Ontario are up 12.3 percent or \$3.1 billion for 1985

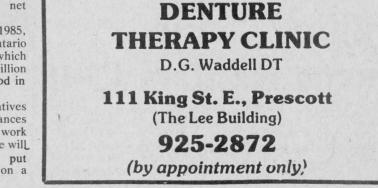
- Bankruptcies have fallen from 8,280 to 6,830, a decrease of 18 K0C 2K0 percent on a year to year basis. 206,000 new jobs have been created during last year.

- unemployment is down from 9.6 percent to 7.9 percent, a net reduction of 1.7 percent.

In the first nine months of 1985, exports originating from Ontario have gone up 10.7 percent which translates into an extra \$3 billion over the corresponding period in 1984.

The Government's initiatives are turning the country's finances around. With much more work still remaining to be done, we will continue our efforts to put government finances back on a solid footing.





Ice fishing popular

Ice fishing, a popular sport during the winter freeze-up. These huts, on Doran Creek, at the foot of Saver Road, accommodate some of the avid fishermen of the area. Chieftain Photo - P. Hare

# Winchester Resource Centre will be operating soon

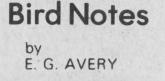
The Winchester Resource with problem children. In Resource Centre is to reach out may soon be operating.

Carol Thompson of Iroquois started Monday, January 13 on public relations work, to acquaint residents of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Counties of the need and purpose of the Resource Centre. Erva Durant, Chairman of the steering committee, has been on the job since October of 1985, and was instrumental in selecting Thompson for the job. On monday last a meeting was held with Mark Charron of the Ministry of Community and Social Services to outline a course of action.

for the job that Thompson is are spending their time. Bird undertaking, and which is being funded by a \$25,000 grant from the provincial government. This money will pay wages and operating expenses, and will cover office expenses when an office is - has been coming to a feeder in the found. The committee is hoping Irena area. Flickers are usually to find office accommodation in Winchester in the near future.

centres in Ontario, and these are Downy and Hairy were seen all in the northern part of the there, and another Irena resident trant. She reported a flock of Blue Jays, and Province says Frva

Centre for victims of family abuse general, the purpose of the to the community.



The question most often asked these days is "where have all the birdies gone?" When the wind blows they all stay home, and who can blame them. We have found out where at

There were some 30 applicants least some of our usual visitors watchers who live in the country tell us they are handing out the seeds in record quantities. The first phone call of the year brought news of a Flicker which seen in Summer on our lawns and gardens, eating ants; this one was There are only 3 such resource probably enjoying the suet. Nut-hatches and Woodpeckers, both

weak to do the necessary preening to keep the natural oil on the plumage. However, he was fed and "dunked" regularly, has responded well to treatment, and has now been returned to Newfoundland, to a park where he will be looked after for a while.

Perhaps those readers who watch "Regional Contact" on TV saw the story about the Puffin. It looks like a duck with a large head.

The only unusual visitor this week as a female Hairy Woodpecker who spent quite a time clinging to the seed bell; we couldn't tell whether she was finding a few seeds left on it, or whether she liked the sticky substance. In any case, it certainly seemed to hit the spot, and we



believes that a visit to one of them more Chickadees than could be may be necessary, in order to get accurately counted. a better understanding of their operation.

also be available, and the are shed in winter, making the Centre's services will also be bird look different from the available to the abuser, and to pictures we usually see. This victims of stress. It is hoped that particular bird was in a weakend the Centre might also act as an imformation outlet, and deal in health-related problems, and the Cubbs of Verona. It had lost provide counselling to parents its water-proofing, being too

loin our

A very interesting bird turned up in Eastern Ontario, creating The Resource Centre that is quite a stir among the naturalists, proposed will focus mainly on the it was a Puffin, a sea-bird which needs of women and children who lives along the North Atlantic are the victims of family abuse. coast. It has an unusual bill which However, general counselling will is formed of layers, some of which

condition and was taken to the

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# **Mountain Lions Club** organizes Ident-a-Kid

#### by Dawn Severenuk **Chieftain Staff Reporter**

"I hope that people don't have to use and colouring. it, but these days you never know," says Lions.

Lecuyer, who is a member of the the Lions branch. Mountain Lions, says that the program has received positive reaction from those be held at the Inkerman School on people in Mountain who have heard about January 25th. The club is planning to go the program.

put their fingerprints--or their footprints, to wait for the program to come to their if they happen to be less than two years town before they have it done. He stresses of age--on a piece of paper so that the the point that any parent can have it done parents are able to keep a permanent anywhere because the OPP detachments physical record of the child. Since the do not keep records of what kids have and footprints or fingerprints of a child do not haven't been identified. The records stay change much over a long period of time with the parents and the parents choose the prints are useful for a number of to use the records if the child goes missing. years.

The procedure is that a parent takes a child to wherever the Ident-a-Kid program area in February. For more information is being held. The child is fingerprinted Gerry Lecuver can be reached at 989-2835.

on a special form and several specifics are put on the form, such as the child's height

Lecuyer got the idea from a trip to Fort Gerry Lecuyer, who is organizing the McMurray, Alberta where he assisted in Ident-a-Kid program with the Mountain an Ident-a-Kid program being held there by the local detachment of the RCMP and

The first session of identifying kids will to two areas every month, but Lecuyer The program involves getting kids to states that it is not necessary for parents

There will be other sessions held in the



### Home, sweet home

These 1st Iroquois Cubs, and their parents, beam as they return home after their two-day stay at Openicon Bay Scout Camp just west of Perth. The youths left Iroquois at 8:30 Saturday morning and returned at 3:30 the next afternoon. Chieftain Photo - S. Dea

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# Seaway band plans bottle drive

(IROQUOIS) - Last month, the Seaway District High School Senior Band donated \$200 to two local charities. In turn, members are soliciting community support for their scheduled bottle drive this Saturday.

The drive will be the first of a number of similar fund-raisers to be held monthly until May by the band in an attempt to raise the

approximately \$5000 additional dollars necessary for their upcoming trip to Virginia Beach, Va. The excursion, which will centre around the band's participation in a high school band festival in that city, will be entered upon on the weekend of May 17th and will be the final culmination of weeks of anxious preparation by the students.

# Jamaica trip planned for March

Linda Logie hasn't left on her concerning the trip. All she knows trip to Jamaica as yet. In fact she is having a hard time finding out any details concerning the trip that she won in a TV Guide contest back in November 1985.

is that transportation will be via Air Canada, and she will probably be staying in an air Canada hotel in Jamaica.

The Logies will be leaving for their holiday on March 22, three days ahead of their 25th wedding anniversary.

However, the date is now firm.

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To date the TV Guide people have been in contact with Linda only once since she was declared the winner, and have not been able to give her many details

# **Beauliah Martin dies at age 84**

Mrs. Beauliah Henrietta Martin, aged 84, died in Winchester, Ontario on January 6.

Born in Matilda Township in both deceased, she later became a September 1901 to Henry Walter Hall and Sarah Eliza McPhee,

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nurse and lived in Ogdensburg and Grotton, New York, returning to Morrisburg several years ago.

The late Mrs. Martin is survived by a brother Walter Hall and a sister Yvona McLaughlin, both of Morrisburg. She was also predeceased by her husband, Louis Martin in 1965, and by four brothers and four sisters. A member of the Lutheran

Church, the funeral services were held at the Fairbairn Funeral Home Ltd., Morrisburg, with Rev. Jens Kjaer officiating. Pallbearers were Floyd Reddick, Clair Reddick, Ed Robertson and Steven Dusa. Interment was in Flackville Cemetery, New York, U.S.A





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industrial fires \$5000, a motorhome fire \$1,000 and storage shed fires \$3,000. The department also fought one silo fire but a dollar figure has not be indenti-

fied." The offending statistics were the man hours at the scene inadvertently copied from the wrong column. Our apologies to all concerned.



Mrs. Pfeffer of Grand Rapids Michigan died, following a brief illness on December 31, 1985 at the Spring Brook Manor.

Born at Brinston, September 29, 1908, she was a daughter of the late Albert Payne and his wife the late Harriet Bush. She received her education at

the local schools and after receiving a business diploma migrated to the U.S.A.

She was married to Edd Pfeffer on March 17, 1928.

Mrs. Pfeffer is survived by her husband and a sister, Mrs. Alice Taylor of Morrisburg, as well as a number of nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by two sisters, Mary and Kathleen.

## **Fish and Game Club Banquet**

The Cardinal Fish and Game Club will be holding their annual banquet on Saturday February 1st, at the Sacred Heart Church Hall in Cardinal. Tickets are \$10 per person and can be purchased from any member of the executive.

The Junior Fish and Game Banquet will be held on Thursday January 30, from 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Church Hall in Cardinal. Awards and refreshment will be presented.

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# **Spartan Speaks**

#### by Shannon Dea Chieftain Staff Reporter

Well, it's been a week now and nobody seems to have died yet. (Of course, nothing is definite until after the exams!)

And now that everybody has had a chance to lie about what they did on the holidays, ignore everybody else's lies, and slip in the occassional snide growl at the few students who came back from their two-week "R and R", with tans like catcher's mitts, things should settle down substantially.

Of course, it is always quietest before the storm ... or, in this case, exams; so, any resemblance to peace obvious in our hallowed corridors over the next couple of weeks should not be taken too seriously.

Actually, the exam week isn't as bad as it's made out to be! Apart from the exams themselves, it's really quite enjoyable. I mean, school is the only time when one can see all (or, lamost all) of their friends together in one place. Weekends are great, but how many kids can really fit into one '74 Buick?

This great social aspect is inhanced by the fact that the long stretches between exams can quite comfortably be spent hanging around Great Shakes with all the kids who didn't fit into the Buick!

Sure, maybe drinking coffee for hours upon end with a bunch of teenagers (Ick! That word conjures up images of sex, crime and social diseases to many people, I've observed) is great, but if you wanted romance and intrigue you probably wouldn't (and definitely shouldn't) be, in smalltown Ontario anyway!

So, it's been established that the periods between exams are useful for caffeine consumption, etc., etc. But, still the exams themselves remain. I have one comment - SO WHAT? For years, we've been crying and complaining over the sad fact that we have to spend approximately 24 hours out of the year, which, incidentally, has 8,736 more hours just like them, and write a small fraction of what's been pounded into our heads for the past couple of thousand hours. At the risk of sounding ultra-philosophical, I'd like to mention that this is hardly comparable to -say- fighting in Libya or starving in Ethiopia, or trying to maintain a tiny bit of freedom in the U.S.S.R. Good God, it hardly even compares to this week's trial in Perth! Now, I'm not advocating a boycott of exams for the good of humanity, but, really, how important is it that we worry ourselves sick over them? After all, people generally don't die of "examinitis"... which is more than can be said for many of the villamies of the rest of the world!

Have a nice week guys!

# Soccer tournament slated for May 17-18

Representatives of the Seaway Valley Spartans Soccer Club made an appearance at the Morrisburg Council meeting, January 13, with spokesperson Ben Norgaard seeking confirmation that the soccer fields used in the past would be available to them this year, May 17 and 18 are particularly important dates as a tournament is planned.

A resolution was passed by Council indicating that the existing facilities or alternative facilities will be available to them. enough to affect the Seaway Spartans schedule.

The tournament is expected to draw 16 - 20 men's teams, 12 - 16 women's teams and 4 - 8 juniors and oldtimers teams. They would represent four divisions, the senior men's, senior ladies, junior men's and oldtimers. The majority of the contestants are likely to come from Ottawa and Cornwall, with others from Montreal and Kingston.

In the past the tournament was scheduled for Canada Day, but this year Norgaard said they

## The Hat Man of Iroquois talks to CBC

Bill Ewing is back in the camera lights again as he talks to the CBC Television crew; the interview will be seen later Chieftain Photo - D. Moore this month on the CBC's Country report.



within the past three years. So from local paper, to Country Report, the Ewing collection will seen by CBOT-TV fans throughout the Ottawa, Rideau and Seaway Valleys within the next few weeks. Report is shown by various CBC affiliates across Canada, including the Northwest Territories

Rostad pointed out that Country Report is the highest rated regionally produced show in its time slot on Mondays at 7:00

## Letitia Casselman passes at the age of 86

Letitia Murlah Casselman, a resident of Morrisburg for most of her 86 years, died in Winchester, Ontario, on January 7. She is survived by her husband, D. Edward Casselman, whom she married in St. Paul's Lutheran Church Manse, Morrisburg, in

She is also survived by a son Lorne of Morrisburg, and a daughter Elizabeth (Mrs. James Larocque) of Ottawa, and 5 grandchildren. She was predeceased by her parents Leonard Phillips and Lucy Irene Hall of

Williamsburg Township, and by brothers Earl and Harvy Phillips. The late Mrs. Casselman was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and was active in the Lutheran Women's Church group. The funeral service was held at the Fairbairn Funeral Home Ltd., Morrisburg on January 8, with Rev. Jens Kjaer

officiating. Pallbearers were Keith Casselman, Graham Van Allen, Earl Baker, and Bob Forbes. Interment was Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Morrisburg.





## Winner of Lions draw

Early Bird winner of the cash draw of the Iroquois-Matilda Lions Club, Percy Robertson, Brinston, seen here receiving his \$100 prize from Ross Dulmage, Iroquois. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes of \$1,000, \$100 and \$50 will be drawn during the Lions' St. Pat's Dance at the Civic Centre,

# appear on CBC p.m. It has topped over 100,000 viewers, he said.

ling many of the 175 hats he has Fee increased acquired from all over Canada

club's liability insurance, the Cardinal Fish and Game Club membership fees that will be raised this year. THis is the first time in four years that the fees have been increased. The 1986 fees will be regular membership will now cost \$6, Junior fees \$3, couples \$11, families \$14. The year long fishing derby tickets will be \$12 and are on sale now from any member on the execu-

"In my six years of producing this

never ceased to be amazed by the

number of valley people, such as

Bill Ewing, who have developed interesting hobbies and occupa-

Due to the increase in the

While there are some future plans for the park opposite the Town Hall, Councillors Rosenquist and McCooeye felt certain that they would not be implemented early

decided to run it earlier because there is so much activity on July 1st it is difficult to find people available

BEAUPRE **JEWELLERS NEW HOURS** Mon., Tues., Wed. & Thurs. 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. Fridays 9:00 A.M. to 9 P.M. Saturdays 9:00 A.M. to 6 P.M. **Iroquois Shopping Plaza** 

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Saturday, February 14. The event is in support of playground equipment for parks in Iroquois and Matilda. Tickets are still available says Dulmage. Chieftain Photo - P. Hare

## **IPS** students get help selecting courses

The students in Grade 8 in content of subjects offered in Iroquois Public School have had French Immersion at the secondtheir first visits from the guidance ary level.

people at the high school. This is Guidance personnel from Seaway will visit the grade 8 class-room on January 27th to discuss the time when these students must make up their minds about course selections. All pupils will the courses they will be taking next year. Many of this year's receive a course selection booklet graduates have been in French and personalized course selection sheet at that time. On January Immersion for the past two years. These students and their parents 30th all grade 8 pupils will visit are invited to meet with Ms. Seaway for a tour of the school Marlene Hamilton, Mlle Legris and will have an opportunity to and Mr. McAllister in the I.P.S. meet with some of the teachers. gym on Monday, January 20th at 7:30 p.m. Students will have an The Guidance Dept. at Seaway has already extended a written opportunity to discuss course invitation to all parents of grade 8 pupils to attend an information

meeting in the school cafeteria at Seaway on February 4th at 7:30 p.m. Parents and guardians of involved students are urged to attend and to present any questions or concerns.

## **Iroquois Mixed Darts** League

Player of the Week -

Bob Hartle had the big finish last Friday night, finishing a game from '158'. Throwing triple twenty, triple twenty, double nineteen. Super Darts Bob. Standings as of Jan. 10, 1986 Just for Fun - 107, Longshots -1041/2, Unicorns - 95, Double Vision - 90, Lonely Cats - 87, The Muppets - 851/2, Mix and Match -82, Go Get-em - 77 Games Won - Bob Hartle - 5, Larry Mills - 4, Teri Lyn Peters -4, Duane Kirker - 3, Gale Kirker -

Joe McDonald - 3, Percy Roberts - 3, Randy Simpson - 3, Pat Strader - 3, John Trayner - 3. High Scores - Glen Adams -160-100, Bob Hartle - 158, Lorne

Thompson - 140 - 104, Glen Strader - 132 - 111, Gale Kirker -118, Joe McDonald - 111, Pat Strader - 108, Stan Moore - 105, Sheila Holmes - 101, Duane Kirker - 101, Larry Mills - 2 x 100, Jim Logie - 100

