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Charlottenburgh lends support to dump opponents

By Sue Harrington
***News* correspondent**

Charlottenburgh's new council was initiated into the mega-dump furor Dec. 13, as representatives from groups opposing three proposed sites in the municipality crowded township offices during a regular meeting.

And although a resolution was passed supporting the concerned citizens of Sites 28, 31 and 32, it did not quite fill the citizens' wish list.

Mike Beaudin, chair of the Friends of the Wetland (Site 31) said that although he saw the township's resolution as "a move in the right direction," he wished it could have been "stronger."

The citizens group had submitted its own resolution, asking that the township "support the efforts" of the citizens group, and not just morally. The group had asked the township for up to $5,000 in cash for legal and professional advice and assistance.

Council decided instead to pass its own resolution, prepared by its Administrator-Clerk, Marcel Lapierre.

The resolution reads, "That staff report 114-94 be received and furthermore, that the council of the township of Charlottenburgh support the concerned citizens of Sites 28, 31, and 32 in so far as the removal of these sites as candidate sites given the data being presented at this time."

In the staff report, Lapierre queried the municipality's authority "to expend general tax dollars in respect of a private interest group....given that this matter is a county process," and wondered about setting a precedent to fund "groups and ratepayers who are opposed to specific actions."

While the citizens group did get all it was seeking, council members said they felt their resolution showed support for it

"We agree with you totally," said Deputy Reeve Don Kannon. "But I can't support your resolution which asks us to 'support the efforts of the citizens group' because I don't know what your efforts are. You're not mandated by this council."

Steve Crutcher, co-chair, site 28 opposition group, said that council was under a "delusion" if it thought that by eliminating the three sites, everything would be all right.

He said that if all the sites are eliminated, then the criteria for selection would be changed, and the sites could find themselves back on the list.

Kannon, however, urged support for the proposed "go slow" process of selection.

"Maybe I'm cynical. But if we slow this down and have a change of (provincial) government, I think the whole notion of a mega-dump will be put on the back burner."

Reeve Les O'Shaughnessy praised the citizens for all the work they had done in their submissions of information and data, which outlined why their sites were not suitable choices for the dump.

"The work you have done here is very impressive," said the reeve.

Mike Beaudin said that despite their submissions, which were given to consultant Dave Merriman of MacViro and to John McAllister of the United Counties Waste Management steering committee, in mid November, the groups' questions remain unanswered.

"We're not getting answers. We're getting stone-walled," said Beaudin.



A royal wish

A royally-coiffed young girl is all smiles while visiting with Santa in Dalkeith on Sunday afternoon. Jolly Old St. Nick brought bags of treats and a listening ear during a stopover at the Optimist Hall. Christmas activities and concerts throughout the county kkept kids, parents and grandparents alike hopping all week long.

Staff photo -- J.L. Lefebvre.

Honored local artist Ted Sonne dies after head injury

By Brenda-Jane Kerr
***News* reporter**

Green Valley artist Ted Sonne died last week following a freak accident at his home. He was 74.

Sonne died at the Ottawa General Hospital on Dec. 14 after suffering a head injury while working on his property on Dec. 9.

He had been trying to move a boulder when a plank he was using for leverage broke and struck him.

He is survived by his wife Kay, children Brenda, Brian and John and seven grandchildren.

Originally from Montreal, Sonne moved to Green Valley in 1975 and was well-known locally for his water color nature painting and portraits.

Sonne was honored last summer by the Cooper Marsh Conservation Authority as the artist of the year, winning the recognition over 29 artists from Ontario and Quebec.

His water-color painting of two wood ducks was made into 1,000 postcards and posters as a fundraiser for the authority's outdoor education programs.

Since retiring as a commercial artist for Canada Post Corporation, Sonne spent some of his time teaching seniors and children to paint.

In a recent interview with The News, Sonne said he also enjoyed carving and he used to teach his grandson the art when the boy was young.

Sonne added that the table had turned recently and he had begun taking carving classes at St. Lawrence College, taught by his grandson, John Sonne.

Sonne also liked to make his own maple syrup and was an avid gardener.

Against all odds, family of eight reunites

By Brenda-Jane Kerr
***News* reporter**

When we're young we think Christmas is about the morning when bright packages are piled under the tree.

As we get older we realize the holiday is about giving, loving and being together.

One local family was deeply touched by the yuletide a little early, when they were able to come together - against the odds.

On a Toronto-based talk show, Bruce Chisholàm of St. Raphael's held his seven brothers and sisters in his arms on Nov. 21, something he had hoped he would do for many years.

The eight children, from one mother and three different fathers, had been given up for adoption or sent to foster homes at young ages.

The children ended up separated and though some knew they had one or two other siblings, none of them knew there were eight children.

Bruce's mother had suffered from schizophrenia, had problems with her marriages and at different times of illness was forced to give up her children.

Twice she gave up three children at once because circumstances were such that the fathers were also unable to care for the children.

Two years ago, Bruce, 35, started to look for his birth mother and through a series of coincidences he found more family than he had ever dreamed.

"It's quite a miracle," said Bruce.

"It's hard to explain. It's a very good feeling.

"I found the key now for the door. A lot of questions are answered."

Bruce said he is filled with emotion, to the point of still being teary, but has few words to describe the overwhelming feelings he felt when he met his family for the first time.

Bruce was adopted at the age of three and grew up not knowing he had any siblings.

Thirty years later, Bruce became curious and started to look for his mother.

As he got into his search, he began to find siblings, one by one.

Eventually he was able to meet with three of them, the other four lived out west and he felt he would never see them.

But in July, Bruce's wife, Sylvie, wrote to a talk show called Shirley to ask if the show could unite Bruce with his siblings.

The show's producers responded to the story promptly and brought the family together in late November, with it airing on Dec. 8.

Bruce said the security was tight in the hotel and the eight siblings actually didn't see each other until the show was taping.

"It was hard to realize until it actually happened," said Bruce.

He said he hasn't been the same since the union when he was able to meet two brothers and two sisters he had only written to once.

Bruce said the best part was after the program, when the siblings were able to spend two days together, compliments of the show.

"I tell you it was more of a high," to be able to talk with them and get to know them, said Bruce.

"But the most emotions were after when they went to leave," said Bruce.

He said it was hard to see them load into a car and watch them drive away.

"When they left, I fell apart, and I felt like I may never see them again.

"For everyone to see each other again, for all of us to be in the same room again, I don't think that will ever happen again."

Bruce added that the reunion has changed him and he is now experiencing some regret for not having looked for his siblings sooner.

"Not a day goes by that I don't think of them."

Bruce began the search into his background by writing a letter to the Children's Aid requesting information.

He received letters containing general information that included minor details of his siblings, a description of his mother and an account of how the adoption came about, without names.

One of Bruce's siblings, a sister was also writing in and eventually the two exchanged letters.

Soon after, Bruce made the startling discovery that one of his long lost sisters was his next door neigbor, Marie Lecours.

Bruce Chisholm holds his sister Barbara Williams at a family union episode of the Shirley show that brought him together with seven siblings he didn't know he had.

"I've known her since the age of three," said Bruce. "I went to her wedding."

He said the adoptive parents of both families were close and that Marie used to chum around with his adoptive sister.

"It was quite exciting but not the same as meeting someone new," said Bruce.

The only other information Bruce and Marie had about their birth family was that there were three siblings out west, one had died and one sibling lived in an eastern province.

The search went on hold for about a year, until one day several titbits of information came together in an obituary spotted in a Cornwall newspaper for Lauria Briere.

The obituary mentioned the family names Bruce had found, along with some other details that made him certain the funeral was his mother's.

"I said, 'we're going to the wake'," said Bruce. "It was kind of a weird feeling, it was a gut feeling."

Bruce said when he saw the woman in the casket, he was certain judging by her features it was his mother.

He said it was hard to see his mother for the first time at her funeral.

"A week or two earlier could have made a difference, but at least I saw her," said Bruce.

"I met her the first time when I was born and the next time was at her funeral."

He said there was some awkwardness at the wake when two aunts started asking Bruce and Marie who they were, but soon found the aunts knew their sister had had several children.

A floodgate opened at the funeral and Bruce had made a connection that would help him find the rest of his family.

Bruce and Marie were told the had two sisters and two brothers living out west and that a third brother, Serge Briere, was expected for the wake.

"There was quite a bit of excitement," said Bruce.

When Serge arrived, "they were all pushing us, 'go tell him who you are'," said Bruce.

Bruce later learned his brother Serge lived only one and a half miles away in Glen Roy while growing up and Serge went to school in Martintown.

The two had also attended the same parish.

"Everybody was so close and yet so far," said Bruce.

Serge also told Bruce of a another brother, Lucien Briere who had been adopted at about the age of seven.

The three spent the next while looking for Lucien and eventually felt they would not be able to find him.

But coincidences continued and about one year after the funeral, Lucien found them.

"He got on the phone and called all the Brieres and finally reached an uncle who knew Serge," said Bruce.

The four were now united and wanted desperately meet with their four remaining siblings living out west, Shirley Winstanley, Barbara Williams, Ralph Olson and Jean-Paul Briere.

The dream was finally realized with the help of the Shirley show but the search is still continuing.

Now Bruce is set on finding his father and says he has some clues of who he may be.

Bruce is also looking for information about a sister, Lillianne Lea Williams who would today be 34.

Deadline for next issue is tomorrow

As a result of the Christmas holidays, the advertising deadline for The Glengarry News' next issue is tomorrow, Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 5 p.m. The paper will be published on Wednesday, Dec. 28.

The News will be closed for the holidays at noon this Friday, Dec. 23 and will re-open on Tuesday, Jan. 3.

The first issue of 1995 will be published the following Thursday, Jan. 5. The advertising deadline for that issue will be Tuesday, Jan. 3 at 3 p.m.

The staff and contributors of *The Glengarry News* wish you and your family a Merry Christmas.

Newsprint hikes prompting ad rate increases

Record price hikes in the cost of newsprint will lead to an increase in *The Glengarry News'* advertising rates, effective Jan. 1, 1995.

News Publisher Joe Banks said the increase is necessary to offset heavy increases in the cost of newsprint, which is expected to gradually rise by up to 50 per cent by the end of 1995. The increases had already started in 1994 and the next ones are scheduled by the producers for Jan. 1 and March 1., 1995.

As a result, the standard and preferred advertising line rate for in-county advertisers will rise two cents a line from .45 to .47 and from .43 to .45 a line respectively. Out-of-county ad rates will similarly rise by two cents a line.

Classified word ads will now cost $4.65 for 20 words plus 20 cents a word, but the second insertion discount increases to 75 cents from 50 cents.

The News has not raised its rates since October of 1993.

See our annual Christmas Greetings section inserted in this week's issue

Alexandria Copy Cup

Parade winners

Winners for the annual Alexandria Santa Claus parade were: first prize Club Opitimiste d'Alexandria, $250; second prize, Club Optimiste Green Valley, $150 and third prize Alexandria Builder's Supplies Ltd., $100.

Special Olympics

The Glengarry Special Olympics requires donations of snowshoes and cross-country skis.

Those wishing to donate equipment may call Judy Poulin at 525- 4357 or 525-2645.

Coffee Club

The coffee club euchre was held on Dec. 12.

Apologies are sent to those who attended for the hall not being set up and the games' late start.

Winners were: men's high, Alex Titley, men's second, Lucien Theoret; women's high, Myrtle MacMillan; women's second, Dorina Theoret; 50/50 draw, Reg Harris, Lucille Faubert, Marie Claire Campeau, Roger Brazeau and Bill MacMillan. The door prize went to Janice MacIntosh.

The next euchre party will be Jan. 9.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

Highland Society

The Glengarry Highland Society is again offering highland heritage courses at Glengarry District High School in Alexandria every Saturday from Jan. 14 to Feb. 25 from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m.

These informal get-togethers have proven very popular during the past three years for anyone interested in the history and traditions of Glengarry.

There is no charge for the courses, but donations to the Highland Society would be appreciated.

Call 874-2681 for more information and to reserve a place. Space is limited.

Fraternite News

Fraternite had the last card party of the year on Dec. 15, hosted by Helena and Jean Noel Campeau.

Euchre winners were: Guy Quesnel, Evangeline Campeau, Georgette Proulx, Gisele Titley, Annette Vaillancourt, Lilly Rozon, Rolande Decoeur, Rachel Diotte and Aline Lalonde.

The skunk was Yvonne Carriere and the door prize went to Lucie Massie.

The 50/50 draws were won by: Florence Montpetit, Benoit Lafrance, Jaqueline Sabourin, Annette Vaillancourt and Nap Sauni.

The next card party will be Jan. 19, to be hosted by Pauline and Guy Quesnel.

Activities will recess for the Christmas and New Year's holiday. Bingo will resume on Jan. 13 and card games on Jan. 19.

More details will follow on the Soiree Canadienne to be held on Jan. 14.

Bridge club

Winners of the Dec. 13 the Alexandria bridge club were: North - South: Ron Allison and Gerri Tibbals, Doris Lambert and Lorne Norman, Fran Conolly and Lila Mogelon.

The East - West winners were: Dot Burnett and Rannie MacLeod, Earl and Jeannine Graham, Duncan and Barbara MacDonell.

The Alexandria Duplicate Bridge Club plays on Tuesdays all year round except when a Tuesday falls on Canada Day, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve or New Year's Day.

Draw winners

The winners of the St. Finnan's Knights of Columbus draw were: first prize, R. Renzetti of Dalkeith, $500; second prize, Sharyn Thompson of Maxville, $300 and third prize Les Michaud of Alexandria, $200.

Golden Glens

The first regular meeting of the new year will be on Jan. 4 at 11 a.m. in the Canadian Legion Hall.

The guest speaker will be from the United Senior Citizens of Ontario.

Gisele Sauve accepts Burlington position

Business Beat

By Joe Banks, 525-2020

Gisele Sauve, an associate broker with the Alexandria Royal Lepage office for six years, has accepted the position of marketing co-ordinator of the Burlington area for the company.

Gisele starts her new position in that southern Ontario city with Royal Lepage Jan. 2. Her responsibilities include general promotion of the agents and the agency, as well as the design of marketing packages for the office.

Gisele, an Alexandria native and graduate of GDHS, has been a member of the Alexandria police auxiliary since 1991.

Old computers

The SD&G Industry-Education Council is encouraging people and businesses to donate their old computers to schools throughout Glengarry.

The council, in a written notice to parents, said it will act as a "clearing house" for distribution of the computers. It is looking for almost any working printer, software or com-

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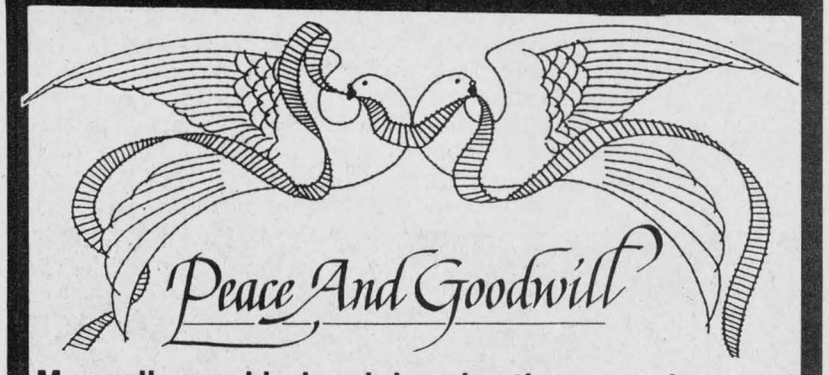

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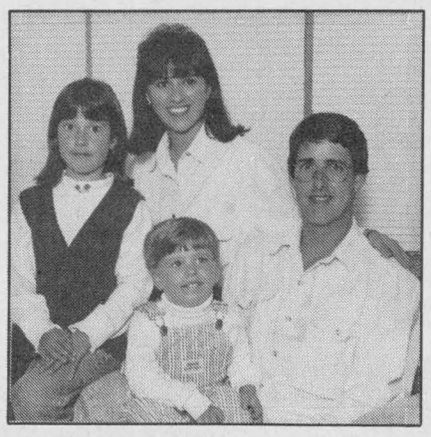

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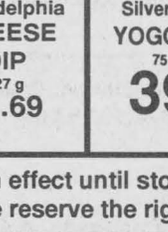

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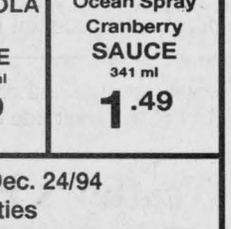

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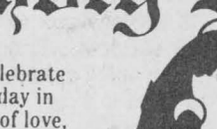

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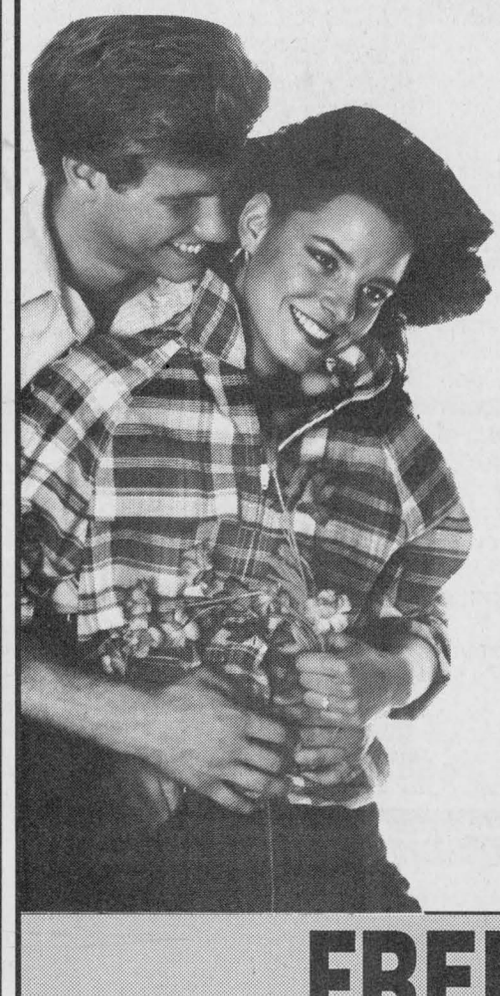

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Time to revise social security system

Glengarrians want more accountability in the system, says MP Boudria report

By Greg Kielec
News **editor**

It is time that Canada's social system is revised, says a report prepared by Glengarry-Prescott-Russell MP Don Boudria.

That is the message the local member of Parliament says he received from participants of a forum on social security reform in Alexandria Nov. 26.

"Based on the comments and suggestions of the participants at this meeting, it is time our social security regime be revised," says Boudria in the report compiled for the government standing committee on human resources development.

"This report expresses the people's desire first, to respect our traditions of compassion for the disadvantaged in our society, and second, to be mindful of the real resources that are available to us for guaranteeing the welfare of our fellow citizens."

The forum was held to talk about proposed changes to the educational system, social security programs and employment services. Boudria's comments come in the conclusion of the 12-
page report based on the Alexandria forum.

The message he received is that people want more accountability — that individuals be responsible for the services they receive from the government, Boudria says.

"In addition, people are asking that we use all the means available to us to put an end to the humiliating dependence of the needy on social assistance and give them back their self-sufficiency."

The meeting participants would like to see, in light of the country's finances, that social assistance be limited to the people who need it the most.

And "the vast majority of people are willing to assume their share of responsibility in this reform, as long as it is done in an equitable manner."

The report is broken into three sections, each relating to the main themes of social security reform: employment, education, and security.

Each subject was examined in relation to the present situation, the government's proposals and the solutions advocated by the participants at the meeting, according to the report's introduction.

Social security

"A majority of the people are of the opinion that the social security system as it is set up at present does not encourage recipients to solve their problems. Rather it traps them in a cycle of dependency on public assistance," Boudria says.

To encourage social assistance recipients to find and keep jobs, the government should supplement their earnings if they take home less pay than they receive on social assistance.

Forum participants also maintain social security should be funded and administered on a global basis and centralized at the national government level. And they say more funding should be directed at assisting children.

They also propose high-income parents receive fewer benefits than low-income parents and that parents with lower incomes should receive supplementary benefits to guarantee the welfare of their children.

Employment

In the area of employment, a majority of participants want resources to be used more to improve job prospects for unemployment insurance recipients rather than be used as a form of income support.

But job seekers must have access to the tools they may need to secure a new job, such as guidance services and in-classroom and on-the-job training, even making it mandatory for some participants to enrol in programs to find new jobs.

Participants also suggest the amount a person contributes to UI should be geared to the frequency by which the person draws from the plan and that UI should not be competing with employers, keeping employees away from potential jobs.

The delivery of services was also an issue for forum participants. They suggested all services related to employment be merged into one central location.

"Individuals could then go to this central location in their area to receive the advice and services they require concerning training, employment, social welfare, children's aid and so on," Boudria says.

Education

Participants, because of the large amount of tax dollars that are devoted to education, want the government to make the educational system as effective and productive as possible.

"The participants recognize that we have one of the best educational systems in the world, but that government resources are limited," Boudria says.

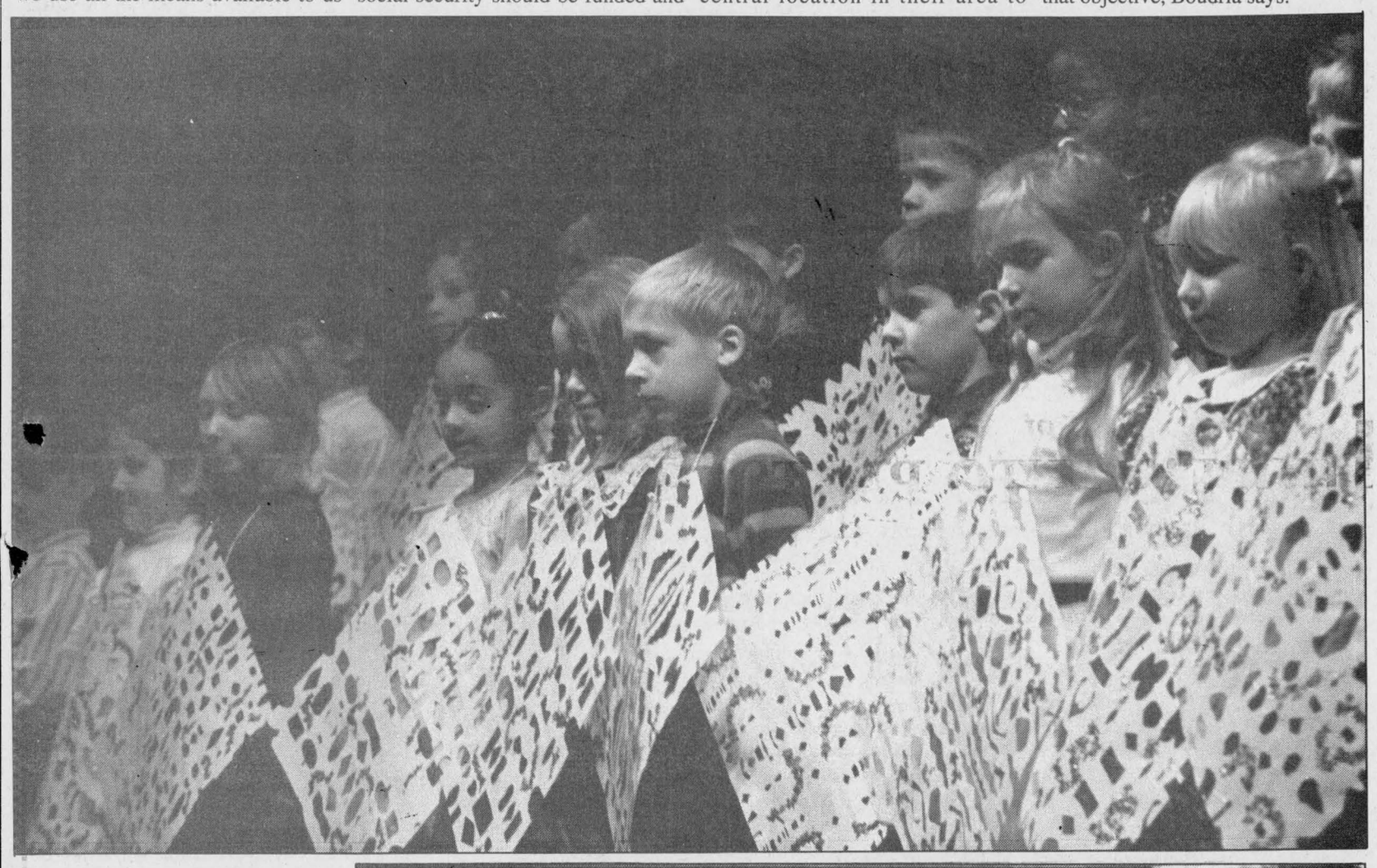
Participants also feel it is the government's duty to overhaul the entire structure of post-secondary education.

Suggestions include stricter admission criteria, closer monitoring of expenditures by institutions and students, and new teaching methods based on the society's requirements.

"The general opinion of the participants is that students can bear a greater share of responsibility for funding their education, as long as it is easier for them to borrow."

"However, a portion of the funds that the government transfers to the provinces for post-secondary education must be given directly to students (primarily in the form of loans)," Boudria says.

The Income Contingent Repayment Loan Program as proposed by the government seems likely to achieve that objective, Boudria says.



There's no business like snow business

Over 200 students from Laggan Public School put on a dazzling Christmas concert entitled "Christmas is a Gift" in front of a large audience of family and friends last Thursday evening. Each grade put on a special performance while the school choir sang a variety of Christmas tunes during the interludes. Highlights of the evening included a number entitled "It's a Marshmallow World" by the Grade 2 class (above) and "O Tell Me Little Shepherd" by the Junior Kindergarten class (right).

Staff photos-J.L. Lefebvre



Kenyon Township

Council Briefs

The following were among the items discussed by the new Kenyon Township council at its first regular meeting, held Tuesday, Dec. 13 at the township hall, Greenfield.

Dump opponents visit

A delegation from the Clean Kenyon Coalition addressed council thanking it for its support in opposing the establishment of a Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry United Counties mega-dump.

"We believe it was Kenyon's decision to support opponents of the mega-dump that led to a two-months stay in proceedings for site selection," Coalition spokesman Roy MacMaster told council.

"This will give us time to get more information on other options and alternatives."

Councillor Kent MacSweyn commented that, after attending a recent public meeting on the mega-dump proposal, he could not understand how anyone could support the idea.

"It's going to cost more, and we're going to set up another transportation monster. We're already busing school children and trucking milk. Now we're going to be moving garbage all over the place, too."

Road extension nixed

Council discussed at length (and for the fourth time in three years) a request by Mr. and Mrs. David Romaniuk to improve and maintain a portion of the McDonell Side Road adjacent to their property, near Baltic's Corners.

Council decided against any such improvement.

"They were told before they built their house that the road was unmaintained," said Planning and Development Officer Ken Robbers.

"It would cost big bucks to bring the road up to standard," added Roads Superintendent Allister Baggs. "And if we did it there, we'd have to do it a lot of other places, too."

"The only way we could do it if there were more assessment," said Councillor MacSweyn. "But the land around there is low, and there's no possibility of further development."

Legal action

A decision was made to proceed with legal action against Vincent Poirier for operating an unlicensed salvage yard at his residence on Highway 43 just east of the Greenfield Road.

"I've been dealing with him for a year and a half to get him to clean up the place," Bylaw Enforcement Officer Ken Robbers told council. "Let's let the lawyers handle it."

Pay rate advisers

A committee of three citizens is to be recruited to advise council on appropriate remuneration for Kenyon councillors.

The committee is to be composed of one former council member, one resident with business experience, and one long-standing resident.

"Sixty per cent of the people voted in favor of a pay raise," commented Councillor Norman MacLeod. "Why can't we just decide?"

"We'll still have to decide," said Councillor Blair Williams. "They'll only advise."

Meeting times

Council will experiment with a new meeting schedule beginning in the new year.

It will meet in the evening of the first Thursday of every month, and on the morning of the third Friday.

It is intended that council will hear public delegations and discuss township business "in an open atmosphere" at the Thursday evening meetings, while the Friday morning sessions will be to approve resolutions and other "regular township business," with no public delegations.

In addition, it was decided that council would periodically hold its regular meetings at locations other than the township hall, and also that council would occasionally meet informally and in retreat to consider overall goals and objectives.

Meanwhile, the next regular meeting has been scheduled for 1 p.m. on Dec. 29 at the township hall.

Standing room only for council inauguration

by Sue Harrington
News **correspondent**

Charlottenburgh Township's new council was inaugurated on Dec. 13 with plenty of witnesses present.

A standing room only crowd of family, friends and landfill site objectors filled council chambers in Williamstown to see Leslie O'Shaughnessy sworn in as reeve of the municipality.

Father Thomas Villeneuve gave the invocation, asking that council receive the guidance to "always see people first," and that peace and understanding reign throughout the next three years.

After taking the oath of allegiance, Reeve O'Shaughnessy said.

"We have lots of tough decisions to make, but we also have lots of good ideas. I hope we will work as a team."

New Deputy-Reeve Don Kannon said he was also looking forward to seeing things through as before.

He pointed out that Charlottenburgh's last council had been able to keep tax expenditures down, and as a result, other governments have tried to follow suit.

Referring to the grants available from provincial and federal governments, Kannon promised this council would try to "judiciously spend money for the good of the township."

Returning councillor, Frank Prevost said that he was pleased to be back for another term. Prevost and new councillors, John Lounsberry, and Jim McDonell were sworn in together.

Councillor Lounsberry admitted he would be doing some "on the job training" for awhile until he learned more than the few basic guidelines with which he was familiar.

McDonell echoed Reeve O'Shaughnessy's prediction about having to make some hard decisions in the coming term.

"I hope we can work well with other governments and with the people," concluded McDonell.

Lancaster Township

Council Briefs

The following items were discussed at the inaugural meeting of Lancaster Township on Wednesday, Dec. 7 in North Lancaster.

New man – no raises

Lancaster council welcomed newly elected councillor Gerald Carriere to the roster for the next three-year term at the inaugural meeting of council Dec. 7.

Continuing to hold down costs, council approved the same stipends and meeting payments struck three years ago.

Council members get $95 per meeting and 29 cents a mile on township business. In addition the reeve gets an annual stipend of $2,750, the deputy reeve $1,750, and each councillor gets $750 annually.

Smuggled garbage is problem

Lancaster council discussed what to do about residents from other townships "sneaking garbage into our dumpsite."

Councillor Janet McDonald suggested tighter control and stickers to identify residents.

Clerk Mike Samson said the dump supervisor has a list of the names and addresses of all Lancaster property owners.

"The supervisor can ask for license identification anytime he suspects someone lives in another area," Deputy Reeve Steve Preston explained.

"If we don't stop people from outside the township driving in, our dump certificate could be cancelled," Reeve Charles Sangster warned. "The dump is certified for Lancaster residents' use only."

Preston predicted outside dumping "will get worse because several municipalities only open dumps for occasional use to residents and others charged tipping fees of $50 a truckload."

Steel and tin is sold to dealers from the dump and aluminum cans are in demand too. So far paper, cardboard and glass is not being recycled at the dumpsite. The township hopes soon to get permission to put bins in place for these items.

Appointments made

In a round of appointments, Reeve Charles Sangster and Deputy Reeve Steve Preston will serve on the Glengarry Sports Palace Management Board, and Roch Major will continue to sit on Glengarry Memorial Hospital Board.

Roch Major and Gerald Carriere serve on the Green Valley Joint Sewer committee, and Steve Preston was re-appointed to Lan-Char Medical Centre. Preston will also continue on Glengarry Outreach committee.

Roch Major serves on North Lancaster Recreation committee, and Sangster continues at Raisin River Conservation Authority. Janet McDonald goes into her sixth year attending meetings of St. Lawrence River Remedial Action Plan Public Action committee, and she stays on Westley's Point Study committee.

Gerald Carriere will serve on Green Valley Recreation committee. Reeve Sangster and Janet McDonald will serve on Lancaster Joint Fire committee.

Creg Quay jurisdiction

A letter from David Hughes representing Creg Quay Ltd., asked Lancaster council for a meeting Dec. 21, to discuss handing over Creg Quay water, sewage and roads to township jurisdiction, in an ongoing conversion of the riverside complex from a private to a public community.

Westley's Point study

Clerk Mike Samson said Raisin River Conservation Authority is billing Lancaster Township $7,200 for the ongoing study of Westley's Point, water, septic and waterfront problems.

So far $14,054 has been spent on the study which is still in a preliminary stage, determining which problem to attack first.

Samson gave payments breakdown as $3,750 charged to the township, and $3,750 to be paid by Westley's Point residents. Lancaster collects from residents, Samson reported, because Raisin River has no authority to bill private organizations.

Land division amendment

Council did not object to an application from Suzanne Gohier for a zoning amendment allowing a variance for 97 feet frontage instead of 100 feet, on a property at Lot 2, Con. 1, being split into two lots each with one house.

An application from Don Bouchard to sell 27 acres to an adjoining neighbor from a 48 acre property at Lot 23, Con. 9, was not objected to by council.

Council did not object to an application from John Roulston, at Con. 4, to sell 27 acres from his property to an adjoining neighbor.

Council also had no objection to an application from Frank Guindon to sever 41,000 square feet from a property at Forced Road and the South Service road, separating a house from a storage barn.

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The spirit of giving lives on in Glengarry

The Christmas season can be a time of mixed blessings, of bittersweet emotions. Family deaths or personal tragedies can mar the holiday and turn what should ordinarily be a happy time into a depressing event. Even the prospect of solitude at Christmas for the elderly or the infirm can lead to a feeling of dread as the holidays draw near.

It's why continuing efforts and gestures made by individual, corporate and service elements of the Glengarry community, some annual and some spontaneous, underline how many citizens here grasp and embrace the significance of Christmas, and the concept of giving not only now, but year-round.

An example, but by no means the only one, is how the community has rallied behind the Connah family, the Kenyon Township family of five whose home was destroyed by fire Dec. 8.

All of the family's belongings were lost including newly-purchased Christmas presents. Some of them can be replaced. Others, including pictures and family mementoes can't. And while insurance should eventually cover most of what the family needs to get back on its feet, claim delays and simply the time needed to re-equip an entire home meant the Connahs including their young children, faced a depressing holiday.

Within 24 hours of the news filtering through the community, however, a fund and a drop-off centre had been established at the Fassifern General Store. Posters had been printed and distributed, and calls were placed. Soon, donations of toys, presents, furniture, clothing and appliances arrived, prompting Nancy Connah's comment: "The way this community has rallied around to help is just phenomenal."

Phenomenal may well be the best word to describe what happened here, but surprising, it is not. The Connahs did not ask, nor as a proud family, did they expect anyone to help them. It was the community's decision, motivated by a widespread, deep desire to help spare others the pain of loss, especially for the children.

It has been shown time and again, year after year, against the backdrop of the decade of change, this county possesses a proud tradition of helping others — all year round. That collective desire to help obviously has not changed.

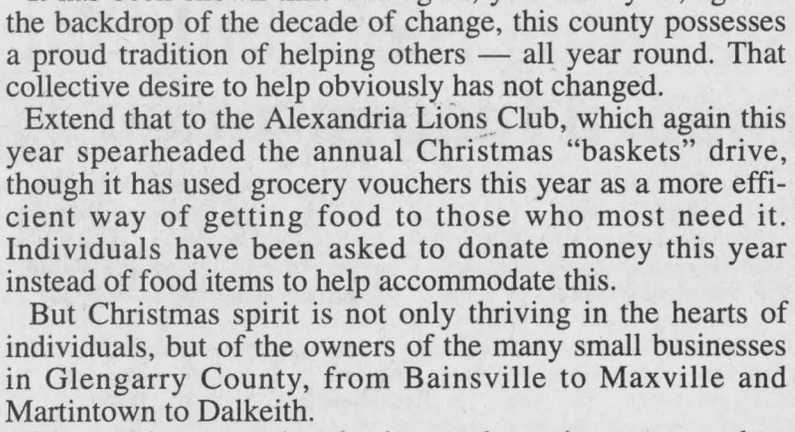
Extend that to the Alexandria Lions Club, which again this year spearheaded the annual Christmas "baskets" drive, though it has used grocery vouchers this year as a more efficient way of getting food to those who most need it. Individuals have been asked to donate money this year instead of food items to help accommodate this.

But Christmas spirit is not only thriving in the hearts of individuals, but of the owners of the many small businesses in Glengarry County, from Bainsville to Maxville and Martintown to Dalkeith.

Often without question, businesses here give to a countless array of causes, from charity golf tournaments to prizes for parades. They are approached countless times to aid countless causes, and rarely do any of them say no, spending thousands of dollars on efforts from the Crime Stoppers sign erected on the town garage at the south end of Alexandria to food and cash donations for a Christmas Eve turkey dinner for lonely people.

These people and organizations make a difference, not just at Christmas but throughout the entire year.

To them, and to you, our best wishes for a merry and joyous holiday. You have earned it.



Card's anniversary

This antique Christmas card was brought into our offices just before deadline by Bernie MacCulloch of RR1 Apple Hill, just in time to mark its 100th anniversary. It was accompanied by a separate card which said "With R.R. McLennan's Compliments and Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year." Unfortunately, as the card was printed in gold-colored ink, the detail in its ornate pattern is limited. Mr. MacCulloch tells us he doesn't know who the card was sent to or exactly who R.R. McLennan was; it was given to him by a cousin Mary-Rose Newman about a year ago. Can anyone out there help solve the mystery?



The wish list surfaces yet again!



Faces N' Places

by Joe Banks

Our unnamed source from the North Pole has done it again. Don't ask how, don't ask when, and don't ask who; he leaked to us Santa's wish list yet again for the sixth year in a row. Personally, I think the jolly old guy's workshop needs a security review.

Close to the top is the file from Glengarry, the one we quote from in this space every year. It's chock full of those hopes and dreams from prominent local folks we here at The News have dealt with at one time or another over the past year. A few of them still even talk to us.

Seriously, Glengarry's municipal leaders have a special place on the list, right here in the "Brace Yourself" index.

First off is the note here from the new Alexandria Mayor Grant Crack, who is asking for lots and lots of patience not from Santa, but from the voters as he and his team strap themselves in for the busy job ahead. Actually, insiders like his better half Nathalie know that's not REALLY what he wants. He'd actually rather golf all day long while daughter Chloe drives the cart, but Santa can't afford the plane tickets.

Here's one from Police Chief Paul Deveau who has a rather lengthy list, but Santa has circled his request for a second chief's suit, a new piece of plywood that will replace the one he brought from home to make into an office desk and 160 rolls of duct tape to hold the police station together.

Reeve Francine Richer is asking St. Nick for a new, nicely-wrapped, Terry Hart-friendly town plan, finished off with a big pretty bow. Deputy reeve John Hope, aside from some new playground equipment for Island Park, wants three years worth of Tylenol 3, in anticipation of sitting on county council's waste management committee.

And speaking of waste, Kenyon Reeve Gwen Morris, her colleagues on council and about 1,000 other Glengarry residents say in their letter that, rather than receiving something, they would prefer Santa TOOK AWAY the waste management master plan and the consultants who designed it. It doesn't say whether he should landfill, recycle or reuse them.

Lancaster Township Reeve Charlie Sangster is asking Santa for a modest $1 million, repayment to the ratepayers of SD&G for the waste plan and related expenses. Lochiel Reeve Ron MacDonell says he wants a cup of Santa's magic dust to toss into the Delisle River to render it drinkable for his cows.

Oh, and here is Kenyon reeve Gwen Morris asking Santa to send Wilfred Vallance a "No Hard Feelings" bouquet. What a lady.

On the non-political list, Glengarry Memorial Hospital CEO Kurt Pristanski, like Grant Crack stated above, would like patients — for a couple of new family doctors to set up shop in Alexandria.

Over in Maxville, all Michael Cowley-Owen wants for Christmas is to see the abandoned train station there rescued. A little more cooperation from the publisher of the local newspaper would be nice too, he writes.

Hey, look at what Gordon Winter wants — a 50-foot square composter big enough to hold all that kitchen waste, eel-sized red composting worms, an industrial-strength birdfeeder and a 100,000,000x pair of binoculars to spot the wings on that warbler sitting on a fence-post in Apple Hill.

In the sporting world, Thom Pritchard, the pride of the Alexandria Curling Club, says he will give up asking Santa for anything ever again if the Cornwall rink for which he is playing wins the Canadian championship in January. Go get 'em Pritch!

And speaking of curling, it says here that Doug Baxter would appreciate an eight-ender from Mr. Claus.

"There are some things that even Santa can't deliver," Mr. Claus wrote in the margin.

In the business community, the requests are plentiful too. Here's one from Sheila Olson asking Santa for an eighth day in the week (or at least a 25th hour in the day), chamber President Dean Picher requests a quorum at his meetings and Giant Tiger's Ron Poissant wants Santa to stuff another 20,000 square-feet of floor space down his chimney.

Up in Dunvegan, James Joyce, the talented direct-mail practitioner, is not asking Santa for anything, but rather inviting him to direct-mail presents as a cost-efficient way to cut down on his sleigh time, sparing wear and tear on the reindeer.

Here's another entry related to the reindeer. Kenyon hog farmer and restaurateur Jim Gillessie is asking for a little more market share for his Caesar salad dressing and wonders in his letter if Santa would like to try running his sleigh with pigs this year. Santa's footnote: "Sure, as long as you can assure me they will eat only carrots and not roof shingles."

Sorry, that's all I can tell you. Our source doesn't want to give too much away lest St. Nick figure out who leaked the memo. All I can tell you about him is that Alexandria Hydro is negotiating a deal to harness cheap energy from his nose.

Hope you all have a great Christmas. And that's a genuine wish.

An Alexandria Christmas wish



News to me

by Greg Kielec

Twas four days before Christmas, and here at The News, people were scrambling to publish not one — but two issues.

It was part of a plan, a great plan you see, to allow the fine staff a yuletide holiday.

The first issue was easy, we had almost a week, but with less than four days for the second, things were looking real bleak.

The sales people struggled to solicit some ads, while the search for new news drove the writers here mad.

We fretted, we panicked, we pulled out our hair (those of us who still have any), we looked up to the heavens in a state of despair.

We appealed to the mayor; do you have us a scandal? He said no I don't, and who is Tony Randall? (Hey, it rhymes).

I said Tony Randall is that character, you see, who, with his Odd Couple show, gained television infamy.

But pardon me mayor, aren't you ducking the question? Could you not come up with one little suggestion?

Just then he was interrputed, a councillor taking a fit. "You're heading the toy committee; it should be St. Nick."

Grant said he had to go, and dropped the phone with a clatter. With Godspeed he was off to deal with the matter.

Now Archie and John, now Francine and Gary, listen Roger, Gail, Richard, and Fern (not you Terry).

Off the top of my head, I don't really recall. For the toy committee, St. Nick, was he given a call?

For once and for all, they tried to put it to bed, while visions of what could have been, raced through their heads.

No, he wasn't called, how could it have happened? Their faces were crestfallen, they were so terribly saddened.

Then they got an idea, make Grant Crack the chair. He is the closest thing we've had to Santa, this mayor.

So make him chair, for lack of an elf, and he took a park plan off the town office shelf.

We don't have any toys, for townsfolk living here. But we do have a park, a gift that gives throughout the year.

What a marvellous idea, the kids would be estatic. It is a wonderful idea, although a wee bit pragmatic.

Let the record note our Christmas wish, they told the clerk. He said, that is all fine and well, but who is doing the work?

Don't worry, they told Leo. It is under control. We'll draw on community spirit, yes everyone will have a role.

And when the snow left the ground, they were as busy as Santa's elves. Everyone pitched in, they just couldn't help themselves.

So this is the story of Alexandria's Christmas wish for the park. Yes it is fictitious, if not whole, at least in part.

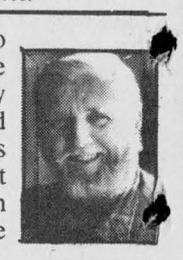
But it certainly is a good wish for people to hold. The park, this town's jewel, could soon become gold.

It'd be a heck of a story, but I'll let it end here, and wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

R. L. S.

Highland Paths

by Ken McKenna



There are two persons in the English literary world recognized by their initials alone: Robert Louis Stevenson and George Bernard Shaw.

This year, 1994, marks the hundredth anniversary of the death of R.L.S. He was born in Edinburgh in 1850, the son and grandson of famous light-house builders, whose works are still standing all around the British Isles. But Robert Louis Stevenson did not follow the family profession. He became a poet and a writer. He was a sickly child and spent much of his early life as an invalid. Even as an adult, he suffered from weak lungs and was in and out of hospitals and sanatoriums for much of his life. At one time he was within a short distance of Glengarry, in the T.B. centre in Saranac Lake in the Adirondacks of New York State. As an adult, he moved with his wife to the South Sea Islands where he died at the age of 44. When he was young his father would take him, if his health permitted, to visit the places where Stevenson lighthouses were being built, particularly around the Scottish coast. From those early experiences he developed a great interest and love for the Highlands, which resulted in "Kidnapped," one of the greatest adventure stories ever written. Although Stevenson was a Lowlander, he had a deep knowledge and respect for the romantic history of the Highlands and for the Highland people. In "Kidnapped" he showed an intimate familiarity with the geography of the Highlands and all his references to places there can be easily verified. For instance, he has the hero of "Kidnapped," David Balfour, shipwrecked on the small island of Earaid, off the coast of Mull near Iona. He thinks that he is marooned, and shouts to a passing fishing-boat to rescue him. But the men shout at him in Gaelic and continue on. He only finds out the next day that he is on a tidal island and can walk ashore twice a day at low tide, as anyone can see today if they visit the area.

But Stevenson did not write only about Scotland. His "A Child's Garden of Verse" has been enjoyed by young people (and their parents) for over 100 years. "Treasure Island" and "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" belong to the ages. Spencer Tracy, the great film actor, played the part of Dr. Jekyll in one of the many movies based on the book. He used no make-up to effect the change from the decent Dr. Jekyll to the monster Mr. Hyde, unlike other actors who played the part on stage and screen. His portrayal of the change from one to the other was electrifying. He seemed to have a complete understanding of what a personality change was all about. Tracy told his long-time companion Katherine Hepburn: "There was no magic potion in that beaker that Jekyll drank to become a monster, Katie. It was booze." He knew. Spencer Tracy was an alcoholic.

Stevenson rebelled against his strict religious upbringing. He became what in those days was called a "Bohemian," the 19th century equivalent of a hippie. He hated the cant and hypocrisy of the Victorian age and the arrogance of the establishment. But he never lost his love for his native land and for his own people. In his writing, he often expressed his feelings and his optimism for the fate of humanity, sometimes in simplistic terms: "The world is so full of a number of things,/I'm sure we should all be as happy as kings." Or in a sentimental vein: "But all that I could think of, in the darkness and the cold,/Was that I was leaving home and my folks were growing old." His verses on the Highlands reflect his memories: "In the Highlands, in the country places,/Where the old plain men have rosy faces,/And the young fair maidens/Quiet eyes." He added his own verses to "The Skye Boat Song": "Sing me a song of a lad that is gone,/Say, could that lad be I?/Merry of soul he sailed on a day/Over the sea to Skye." And from his "Requiem": "Under the wide and starry sky/Dig the grave and let me lie./Glad did I live and gladly die,/And I laid me down with a will./This be the verse you grave for me:/'Here he lies where he longed to be;/Home is the sailor, home from the sea,/And the hunter home from the hill'."

Nollaig Chridheil – Merry Christmas

Letters to the editor

Our environment and the Mega-dump

To the editor:

The Province of Ontario legislated the Environment Act at least six years ago or more. The act implies that we are trying to keep our land, as little polluted and contaminated as possible. We need clean water and clean air and therefore commend the foresight the Environment Act promises. But what is the reality?

A waste management master plan committee is in the process of deciding on a site for a megadump that requires a minimum of 100 acres. Such dump is expected to last 20 years or hopefully more. Are we to understand that within 100 years up to 500 acres will be uninhabitable? That is a gross lack of foresight, considering our next generations and population increases.

Even if we reduce our garbage, the only answer to the problem is incineration without pollution. Such technology is available. Europe has been using it for years.

The committee claims that the Environment Act does not allow for incineration. If the act does not lock technology and progress into a time capsule, in other words, if any particular technology to treat garbage is not mentioned in the act, then we are not fighting a law but only the opinion of one or more persons. It is inexcusable not to consider all means of garbage disposal before ruining large tracts of land which will be irreparable, perhaps for centuries.

One big question: Why did the committee choose as candidate sites what seems to be mostly-wooded areas? Don't we need the trees to supply ozone? We are shocked by the fast pace at which the Amazon forest is disappearing, mainly to grow food for poor people, while we do the same here just to bury garbage. We have to hang on to our natural resources, they are irreplaceable.

The Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR) has set out wolves and wild turkeys in our wooded areas as part of an environmental restoration project. These animals are extremely shy and need isolation from people, also large tracts of forest to survive. We are losing our songbirds because of their dwindling forest habitations.

A megadump would surely ruin completely what the MNR is trying to do for us, with our tax dollars. Shall we call this "the left hand does not know what the right hand is doing"?

To compare incineration to a megadump: Incineration without pollution has been used and no ill effects have ever been reported. With a megadump we are not so sure. If leaching is detected, will the dump be scratched and started all over again? Leachate can never be completely taken out of the soil and will eventually contaminate our drinking water. A megadump outside Toronto had the liners disintegrate after only 10 years. The fact is that we are facing a trial-and-error situation with a megadump while incineration will not leave us with unpleasant and very costly surprises years down the road. We know at the beginning what the outcome will be.

After all that, we are still left with the huge garbage problem. The North American continent is producing twice as much garbage than the rest of the world and nothing, absolutely nothing has been done about it except mentioning it occasionally. The slogan "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle" is hardly making an inroad to the general public. The Recycling Council of Ontario has declared the week of October 17-23, 1994 "Waste Reduction Week" but it came and went completely unnoticed by the public or media.

This is a challenge to the government to re-think the garbage situation before many more millions of dollars will be spent on something that is not suitable for us.

One can conclude that we seem to be fighting an environmental act to save forests and land. It is time for common sense to prevail.

Marianne Nicholson,
Glen Robertson.

Kenyon praised for stand on dump

To the editor:

I applaud the leadership role undertaken by the Kenyon council! I admire the courage and good sense exhibited by the Kenyon council members. The municipality listened to its property owners and is the first township to support its growing army of concerned citizens both morally and financially on the landfill issue.

The council of the township of Kenyon at a meeting on Nov. 29, 1994 passed a resolution which states "Whereas this township has serious reservations about the concept of a large regional dump and the short and long term consequences it may hold for the environment and the quality of life of the residents of this area; and whereas it seems evident that other approaches to waste disposal, such as waste incineration and/or a contractual arrangement with a private waste disposal company, have not been adequately considered; and whereas the people of this region feel that the process of public consultation has not been well managed – that they have not been adequately informed, and their ideas and opinions have not been taken into account."

Resolution #2 for the Township of Kenyon then goes on to state, "That this township supports efforts to slow down the process of waste site selection." Not only did Kenyon Council provide moral support to its citizens, they then state "That this township will support the citizen's initiative with up to $5,000 in cash for legal and professional advice and assistance."

LeFay's cartoon in *The Glengarry News* edition of Nov. 30 illustrated a very real nightmare. Imagine your life savings, your home, your business, to many their retirement (peace in the country). Think of the schools where we send our children and remember our drinking water sources, wells dug or drilled, Loch Garry, the list is endless which would be affected by the proposed mega dump. Just how safe is a 500 meter buffer zone?

On Thursday, Dec. 8 at 7 p.m. at the Glen Robertson Recreation Centre, there was update meeting for concerned Lochiel and Lancaster residents affected by sites 37 and 39. The Lochiel township officials will be meeting on Dec. 13th at Lochiel Township hall. The first item on the agenda at 10 a.m. will be discussion pertaining to the mega-dump site selection process.

In closing, Resolution #2 of Kenyon Township also states, "that this township requests that other municipalities in Glengarry indicate their support for the efforts of the citizens committee."

Janet Lalonde, D.V.M.,
RR#2, Alexandria.

Community will miss artist, Ted Sonne

To the editor:

Glengarry County lost a special citizen this Yuletide season. Ted Sonne, an exceptional artist, passed away.

"How are you doing?" would be his friendly greeting whenever he called, or stopped by our store. He was always interested in how business was going, and often went out of his way to purchase a sheet of watercolor paper or a tube of paint from us.

It isn't a simple task to express one's sympathy during the unexpected death of a friend. I will always be grateful to have known Ted, to have experienced his encouraging comments to me about my painting, and the pleasant chats we had regarding the state of the arts in the area. Some artists are selfish; they wouldn't dream of sharing a thought or a word of technique with anyone in fear that someone just might do a little better. Ted was open hearted in his attitude, and therefore was able to teach and encourage both young people and his peers.

He often remarked the past few months that he was getting a lot of commissions and having a "better year." The portrait of Noble Villeneuve, the award from Cooper Marsh; each was another victory for an artist who loved to paint.

We will miss him, and we pray that it will comfort his family to know that his warmth and kindness touched many hearts.

Joan Levy Earle,
Cornwall.

Councillor defeat inexplicable

To the editor:

More has been achieved in the last three years in Kenyon Township than in the whole of the previous 20 years. This makes the defeat of Owen Walker last Monday totally inexplicable.

Thanks to the efforts of Owen Walker, Blair Williams and the other members of the last council, Kenyon residents could at last discard the feeling of being the poor relations of Glengarry. Among other innovations during their term, we led the county in recycling, we got a property standards bylaw, and we even got a concession road paved. The council worked hard for little compensation to try and improve the quality of the lives of **all** Kenyon residents and we hoped that this excellent start would continue for at least another three years. We can only hope that the new council will use the momentum and keep moving on.

We would like to thank Owen Walker for all the time he has spent on our behalf over the last three years and to ask him to please try again three years from now.

Yours truly,
Elizabeth and Jan Funnekotter,
Concession 6, Kenyon.

'Angels' on nursing home staff

Editor's note: The following appeared as a "Letter to the Editor" in the Nov. 20, 1994 *Toronto Star* and is reproduced here at the request of Norman Quenneville, administrator of the Community Nursing Home, Alexandria.

To the editor:

My mother and father were together in a nursing home for five years until Oct. 17, when my mother passed away from a massive stroke.

The Community Nursing Home in Alexandria, Ont., has angels from heaven for staff. Although they are understaffed, they care with gentle hands, big hearts, smiles and tears and work so hard with each and every resident who lives there.

My father, Patrick Mulcahy, can sometimes be very hard to care for. He not only had a stroke but he also has Alzheimer's.

My mother, Margaret Mulcahy, had Alzheimer's and then on Oct. 11 had the stroke.

My husband Bob and I drove down and sat beside my mother's bed and took turns also visiting my father for six days and nights and watched her die.

She is at peace now but I have pain like no other in my lifetime. It doesn't matter how old she was; she was my mother.

My father understood when we told him the sad news. His stroke affected his speech and his memory but he knew my mom. He came to the visitation and the service at his request and my heart breaks for him, too. In some way, he understood everything that happened. With the help of everyone at that home, they managed to find time to spend with him and shave and dress him in his suit to look his finest -- and that he did.

He stood proud and walked out of the church without the use of a wheelchair. When we brought him back to the nursing home, they were waiting to fuss over him and serve his lunch. They made it so much easier on my family.

I miss my mom terribly and find this pain sometimes more than I can bear but I am happy I was there to hold her at the end.

I know one day I will do the same with my father and as long as there are people like that who work at the nursing home, I know they will help me again.

Dorothy Morrison,
Mississauga.

Hydro rules and prices change again

To the editor:

Ontario Hydro, by producing another code book, has again changed the rules delineating the proper method of doing electrical installations. I don't know what this one will cost, but my last one, purchased a couple of years ago, cost $39 plus $12 for the supplement, which by the time the other vultures got theirs, probably put the cost at somewhere in the area of $60.

Hydro's management has done a tremendous job, eliminating 10,000 personnel, and investing in Puerto Rican rain forests, but recent experience has shown that Hydro has been left with far too few Indians, and an overabundance of Chiefs. Perhaps, at $60 a book, Hydro should abandon the utility end of the business and go into full-time publishing.

A. Macdonell,
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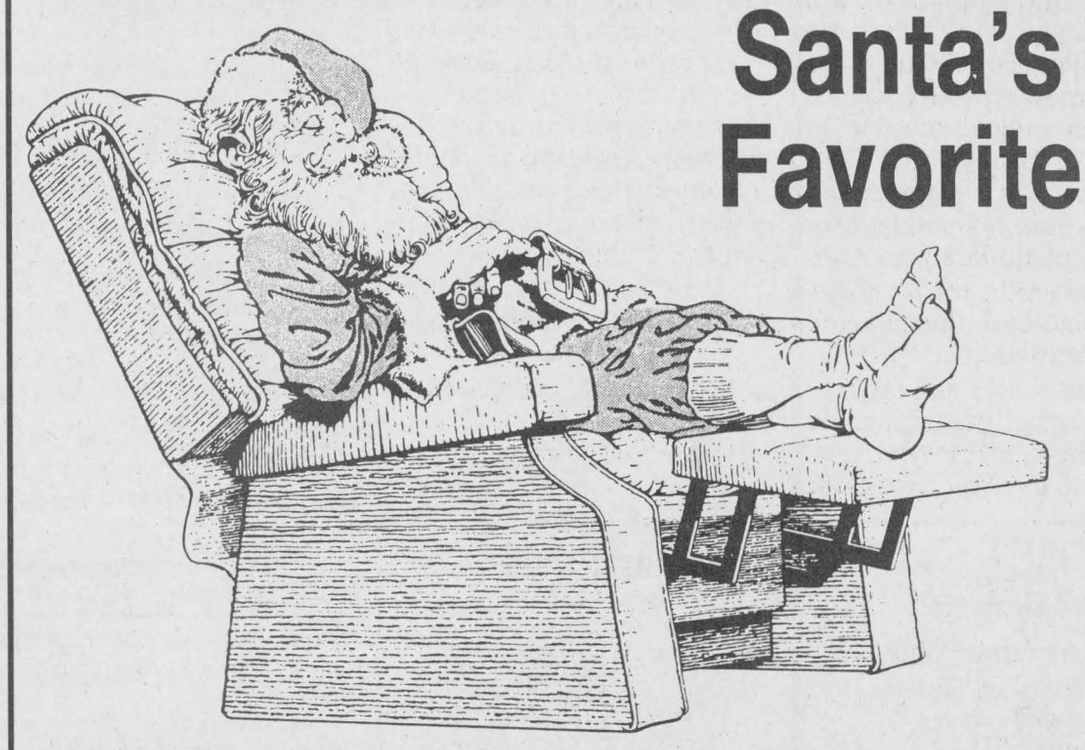

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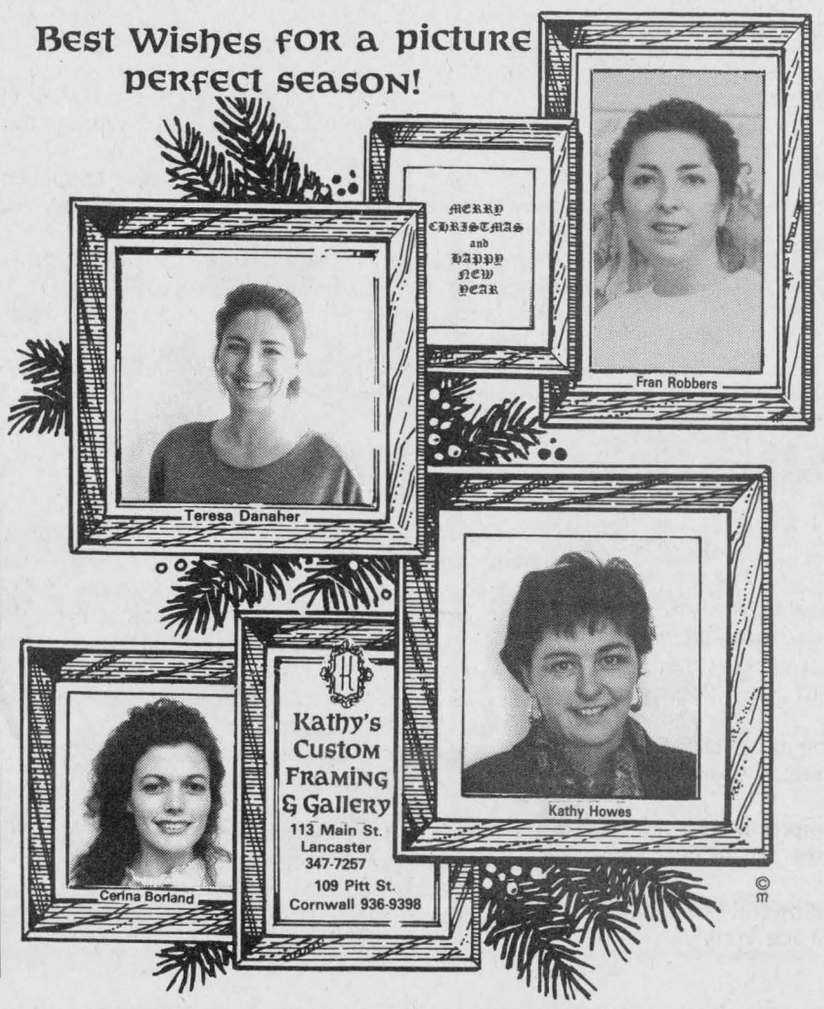

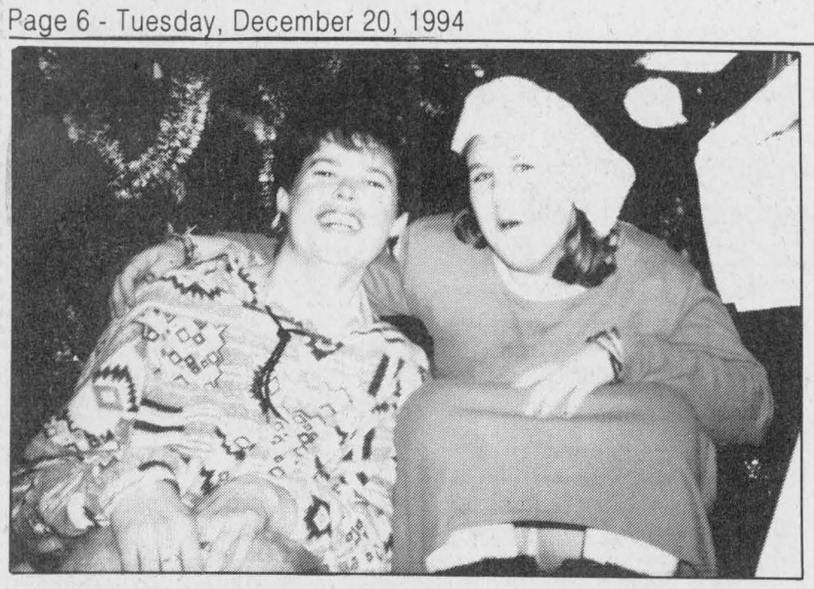

Big/Little Christmas party

Big Brothers/Big Sisters Recreation Association held its annual Christmas party on Sunday, Dec. 11 at the Chumps banquet facility in Cornwall. Santa made an appearance and gave out gifts to all the Littles. A hundred and twenty Bigs and Littles attended the event. Joining in the fun were Big Sister Micheline Villeneuve and Little Sister Chantal Lavictoire.

Submitted photo by Jean Shago

"Jesus, the light of the world!"

The following is Bishop Eugene LaRocque's annual Christmas message, submitted to *The News* for publication.

Darkness for some time has been invading us; lights go on at 4 p.m. Our elder brothers, the Jewish people, have celebrated Hannukah, the feast of lights, at the beginning of December. A growing number of residences are beautifully decorated with a display of multi-colored lights.

The human being is not made for darkness but for the light! God is that light in whom there is no shade of darkness; by his resurrection from among the dead (Hades of eternal gloom) Jesus is the light of the world; and through Baptism he makes each believer a child of light. In the power of the abiding Spirit in each of us and with the support of one another we try to spread the light of the Gospel, of faith, around us beginning with the family, the domestic church.

Jesus, God-made-man, willed to be born, to grow up and be formed as a member of the holy family of Nazareth. He willed to restore marriage, the covenant of love between a man and a woman, to the original plan of the Creator by raising it to the dignity of a Sacrament, efficacious sign of the marriage of Christ with his bride the Church, source of grace for a wholesome life of love-agapé, a love which gives of itself, which pardons, which carries its cross and which already partakes of the joys of the eternal nuptuals. Thanks be to God for the numerous families who witness to this true love! May they come to the help of the single-parent families, their neighbors, especially at this Christmas time!

And you, our youth, Christmas is your feast day and that of all those who are child-like! The child Jesus, response to so many promises, of the family of David whose town is Bethlehem, is like you a sign of hope. In him a new world is born! In you, open to the Holy Spirit, violence must give way to love; murder, to respect for life; individualism, to the common good; the profit-god, to the well-being of the poor; fleeting momentary pleasures, to joy which lasts!

In this New year of the Lord (A.D.) 1995, may we search out every means to reach out to our young people and encourage them to help us to grow in the knowledge, the love and service of the one true God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

In these five years before the year 2000 let us prepare together the way of the Lord who visits his people in many various ways and who comes again to do away with the darkness of sin, suffering and death and establish a new heaven and a new earth where light will be eternal.

A Merry and Holy Christmas and a New year of the Lord full of his mercies!



Lochiel Township

Council Briefs

The following items were discussed by Lochiel Township council at a meeting in township hall Dec. 13.

Property cleanup

Bylaw officer Dorothy Irvine reported 11 people volunteered to serve on the citizens committee for property cleanup at an organizational meeting Nov. 24.

Most volunteers came from Glen Robertson where the push for a property standards bylaw started in September, because of old cars, and unsightly refuse problems in the village.

Council discovered that without property standards or yard maintenance bylaws on the books, they could do very little to force or encourage owners to clean up.

Council will continue advertising for citizens to serve on the committee to get representatives from all areas of the township.

Big building year

A total of $1.9 million worth of building permits were applied for in Lochiel this year, close to the boom years of 1987-88 when over $2 million was chalked up.

Building Administrator Dorothy Irvine said not as many homes and structures were actually built, but increased cost of materials shoved up cost totals.

She said there was more agriculture building activity than usual this year. Farmers built large equipment and hay bale storage sheds.

Severances

Lochiel did not object to the following four severance applications from residents.

Ida Beaty applied for an agriculture severance of 40 acres from a 140 acre farm at Lot 16, Con. 7.

Graziella Salvatore applied to sever a residential lot off a 30 acre hobby farm, in a rural marginal zone at Lot 32, Con. 3, Eigg Road.

Two residential lot severances were applied for by Anita and Gary Masterson from a 50 acre hobby farm on County Road 10, east of Glen Robertson.

A retirement lot was applied for from a 100 acre farm owned by Eugene and Betty Ewaschuk, lot 21, Con. 2.

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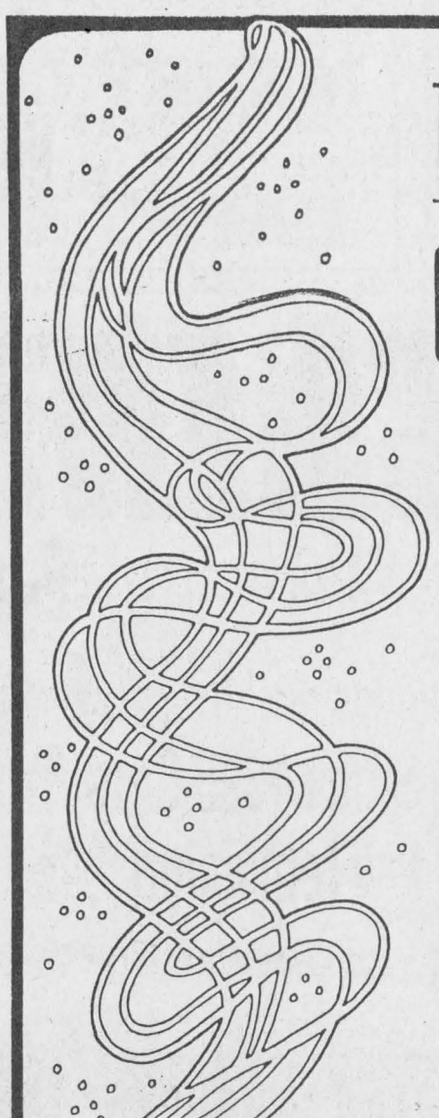

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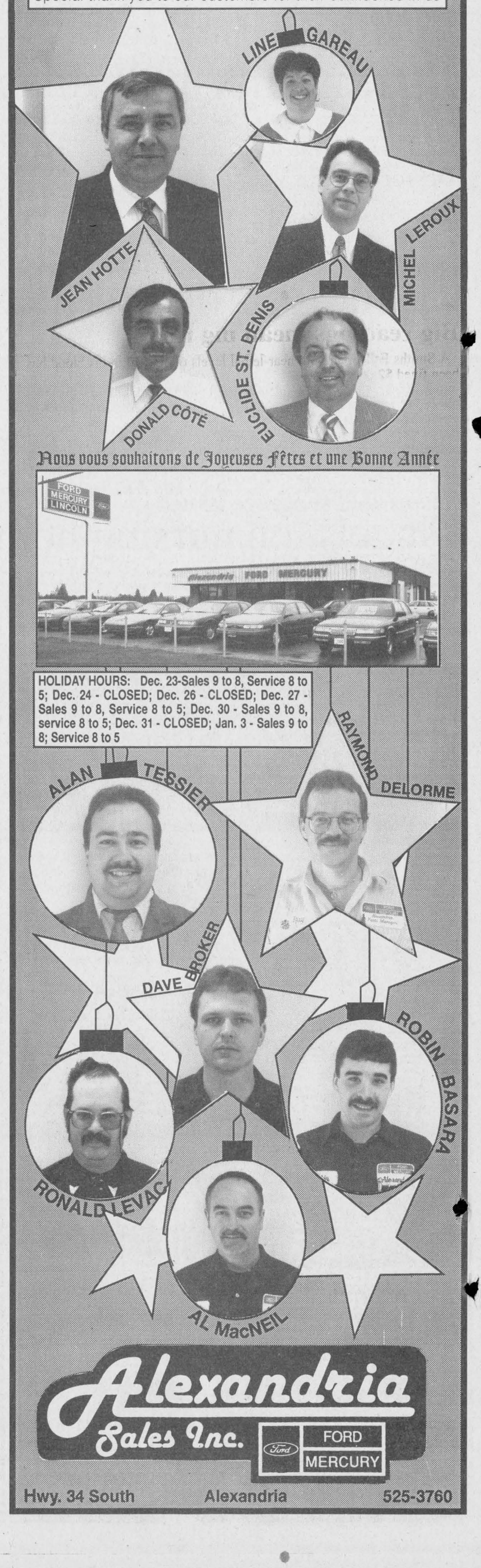

Warden calls for calm over dump issue

by Pauline Ashton
***News* correspondent**

Newly elected United Counties Warden Floyd Dingwall called for "cooperation and understanding" on the contentious county landfill site issue.

At the inaugural meeting of county council Dec. 19, Dingwall said he hoped "ratepayers acknowledge and accept the fact we need a waste site and that we will have their cooperation so we can come to a mutual understanding."

Dingwall admitted the year ahead would be "difficult with a number of our municipalities running out of dump space and many problems to be solved by the waste management steering committee."

Dingwall, who is reeve of Finch Township, was a local dairy farmer who retired recently after building an award-winning Jersey herd.

He worked his way from councillor to reeve, serving 15 years on Finch council, and six years on County council.

Dingwall pledged to complete installation of the 911 Emergency system in the counties.

He also promised a high level of services for the counties and to hold taxes down "even though the province is reducing our grants."

Cornwall MPP John Cleary congratulated Dingwall but spoke of challenges he faces "with 911, waste management, and new land-use legislation."

Nobel Villeneuve, MPP for Stormont, Dundas, Glengarry and East Grenville, said "garbage seems to top the heap of local problems but reductions in transfer payments from both the provincial and federal governments is just something we have to learn to live with too."

He speculated "things might get better in 1995 after the provincial election."

Cornwall Mayor Ron Martell promised to work with Warden Dingwall on 911, the Green Team project, and sharing administration of Glen Stor Dun seniors lodge.

Dingwall introduced his wife Muriel, daughter Brenda, son Richard, his mother, and other close relatives.

Guests attended a civic reception with the warden and his family following inauguration ceremonies.

Seventeen newly elected members attended the inaugural meeting of county council, which totals 37 members representing 20 municipalities in the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

New faces on county council from Glengarry included Alexandria's newly-elected Reeve Francine Richer and new Deputy Reeve John Hope; Kenyon's Reeve Gwen Morris; Charlottenburgh Reeve Leslie O'Shaughnessy (former deputy reeve), and Deputy Reeve Don Kannon; Lancaster Village Reeve Janette Abbey, Lochiel Deputy Reeve Bill Hagen, and Maxville Reeve George Currier (back after a three-year break).

Gisele Sauve accepts Burlington post

(Continued from page 2)

puter including old XTs and 286s.

"It is important to our community that we have enough computer equipment in the schools, not only because it should be integrated into the curriculum, but also to ensure that the students are able to use it effectively in the workplace," said Gail Kaneb, IEC president in the notice.

Donors can designate a specific school to benefit if they so wish. And anyone who wishes to obtain a tax-deductible charitable donation can arrange to do so with the council.

To make a donation, contact the IEC at 936-6564 or fax 933-9689.

Art for Christmas?

You may have noticed yet another storefront on Alexandria's Main Street taking on an active look.

A temporary art gallery at 48 MainSt. N. beside the chriopractor's office has been set up by Monique McCracken of the Glen Sandfield area. Open for about two weeks now, the gallery is open every day from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

McCracken explained that the art exhibit and sale showroom will only be open for a month during the Christmas shopping season.

However, she said if there proves to be a demand for art among area residents, she may open for a longer period.

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Court Report

The following are among the items dealt with recently by Alexandria provincial court.

Driver fined $500

A Cornwall woman has been fined $500 for refusing to provide a breath sample to police.

Beverly MacPhee was arrested on Nov. 20 when she was stopped at a police RIDE checkpoint on County Road 20 in Charlottenburgh Township. MacPhee refused to blow into the roadside screening device when requested to do so by the officer on duty.

In addition to the fine, MacPhee was prohibited from driving for one year.

Big readings mean big fine

A Smiths Falls man with near-lethal levels of alcohol in his blood has been fined $2,000.

Larry Rever, 48, had blood-alcohol level more than four times the legal limit of 80 milligrams of alcohol per 100 millilitres of blood when he was arrested by Lancaster OPP on Aug. 15.

Rever has since undergone treatment for alcoholism, and the court ordered that he continue to seek alcohol abuse counselling as part of an 18-month probation sentence.

Rever's driving privileges were suspended for one year.

Suspended sentence issued

A 33-year-old Spencerville man has been placed on probation for 12 months after pleading guilty to assaulting his wife.

The court suspended the passing of sentence in the case of Daniel Leroux. The court head that Leroux was a first-time offender and that both he and his wife had been drinking on the day of his arrest. The wife did not receive any serious injuries as a result of the assault.

As part of the terms of probation, Leroux must complete 50 hours of community service.

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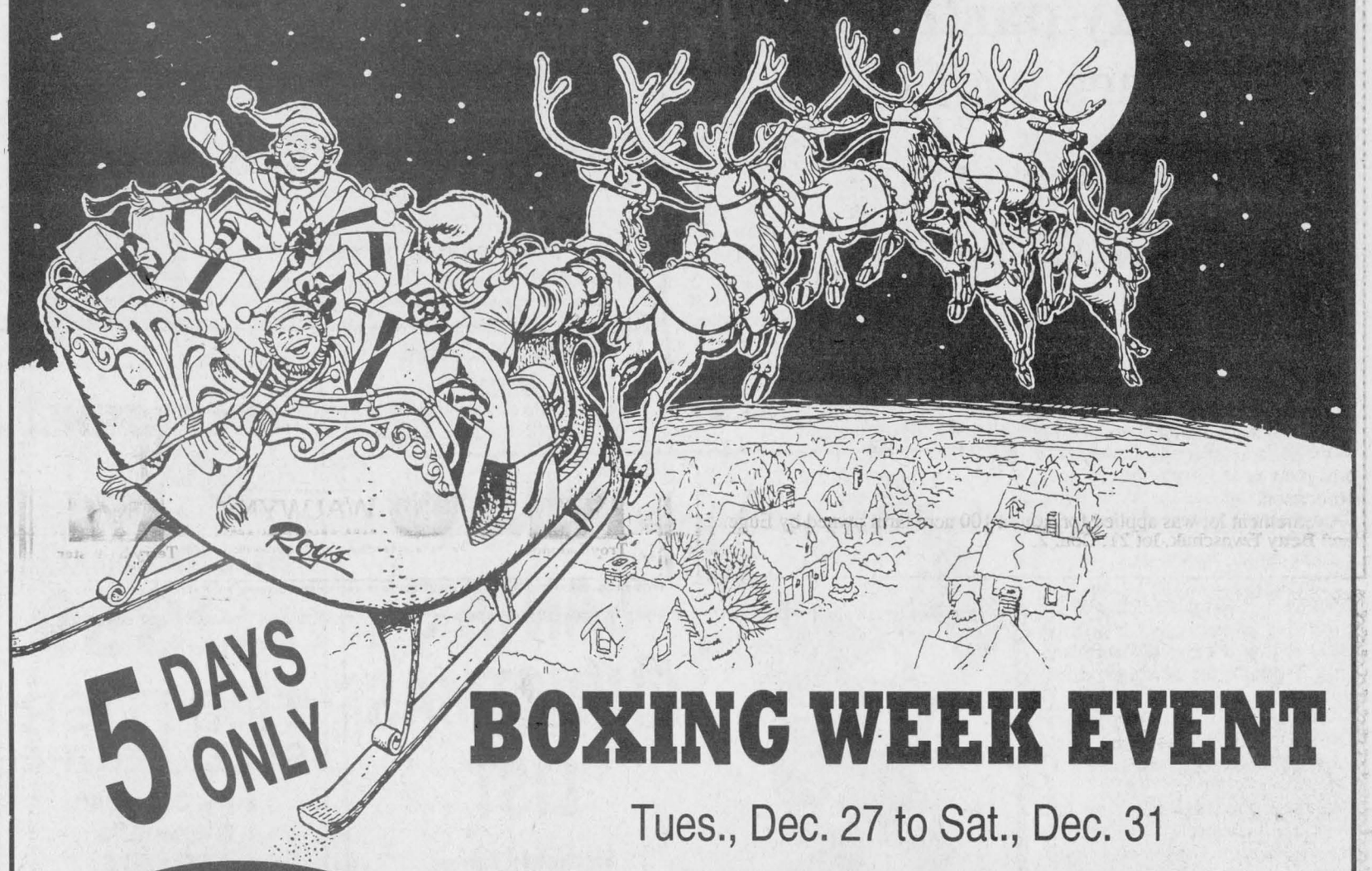

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Agriculture now in the domain of international treaties

The Glengarry Farmer
by Ian Cumming 347-2949



Dear Mac:
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We thought you might appreciate a positive practical Jersey info-kit for your collection of odd artifacts.

We hope your parents will understand, and, if you do ever feel the urge to "think Jersey" please don't repress it.

Best regards,
Russell Gammon, in Jerseyland.

P.S. Best regards to Ian and Dorothy.

Dear Mr. Gammon:
Thanks for all the Jersey stuff. Mommy's gone to England for Granny's 70th birthday -- she'll be back on the 15th -- so I'm staying at Grandmas and Grandpa's because I fight with my sisters when Daddy's in the barn. Daddy says not to bring the Jersey books down there or Grandpa will get provoked. We'll keep it a secret for now between us little people.

My great-great grandpa first registered Ayrshires 108 years ago. I like them too. Are there any Jersey families that old?

If I buy a Jersey I won't be the first Cumming to do something weird. Grandpa bought his Cadillac from a man that had a picture of Mulroney on his desk -- and never yelled at him -- and Uncle Malcolm wasn't able to get the paper stuff to join the Orange Lodge. Maybe he should try the Masons.

I turned eight on Oct. 29th and got $37 from different people., Will that buy me a Jersey? Professor -- he's the smartest trucker -- says that "Jersey bull calves ain't worth a '---' thing" (he swears) "at the sale barn because there's no meat on them." If boys are worth nothing, will a Jersey girl be worth $20?

Chuck, the classifier, says that a nice Jersey is worth a lot of money. He used to classify our Ayrshires every week whenever Lisa from England was here but only does once a year now.

Grandpa said once that "the Jersey will do to the dairy industry what Toyota did to the car industry." We have a Toyota truck with holes in it and 205,000 km. Mr. Donald Anderson had his truck stolen twice at work in Montreal so Daddy's going to let him have ours and he'll keep his new one safe around here.

I think Mommy and Daddy will understand if I have a nice Jersey with my Ayrshires. They're a lot like other people around here that have some Jerseys with their Holsteins. Daddy does the talking and writing stuff and Mommy does most of the work. MacLachlans do our plowing; so Mommy hasn't had to plow when Daddy -- sometimes -- takes us kids to church. Do all Jersey mommys work that good?

Maybe they'll get me a nice calf for Christmas? There's one thing though; before I get my licence Daddy will have to drive me to the Jersey meetings. Do you want Daddy at your meetings?

See ya,
Mac.

It's been, and will continue to be, an honor and privilege, granted by the *News*, to showcase Glengarry's farmers, and through them the soul of our farming community. It's also a forum granted -- and expected -- to debate "what's wrong" with agriculture.

I'm grateful for the numerous complimentary remarks and constructive criticism.

However, being maligned is also part of the "privilege." Agriculture is no longer in the domain of national laws but rather of international treaties. I was troubled by this during the Free Trade debate and am troubled by it now. But even more disturbing are the assurances of our farm leaders that nothing has happened and "phone your MP" and everything will be the same. They are mine -- and I their's -- most vicious critics. I'm beholden to them -- they motivated me to write.

Every one of my Christmas days have been in Glengarry, surrounded by a caring family, trusting neighbors and friends. It's a joyous time of year but also a time -- for some -- of poignant reflection. Dorothy's first Canadian Christmas away from her family and the first one without my kid brother at the table, are etched in memory. Those whose day will be filled with bittersweet memories; you're foremost in our thoughts.

Witnessing the pent up excitement of children trecking through the bush for a tree and the shrieks of glee on Christmas morning, reflects its magic. The reverence of a Christmas Eve service celebrating the birth of Christ; who never owned any property or travelled more than 30 miles from home; touches us with the real meaning of Christmas. From our house to yours -- Merry Christmas.

Company parties keep employees well fed

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Parties, parties, parties! Besides the upcoming family reunions, many groups have gathered for the annual company party. The employees of Major Poultry Farm would like to thank Denis and Claire for a lovely meal and a good time while exchanging anecdotes of the past year. Yvan, our grocer, took his gang out for a "balogna" treat where they were relieved to be served a very delicious meal after a lot of kidding. (inside joke)

Jean and Lise Major of the Feed Mill welcomed their employees last Saturday evening for a holiday meal followed by games and dancing. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Attention volleyball players: Tonight is your Christmas party (Dec. 21) in the Optimist hall.

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At their monthly meeting last week, the ladies of UCFO held the draw for a quilt and the lucky winner was Angeline Poirier of Curry Hill.

A Christmas card was signed by all members and sent to Carmen Roy and Yvonne Leblanc who can no longer attend the meetings.

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Happy birthday this week to Luce Cholette on the 18th, Jean-Luc Desautels Dec. 23 and Manon Vachon on Christmas day.

To all my readers I wish a happy, peaceful and holy Chistmas.

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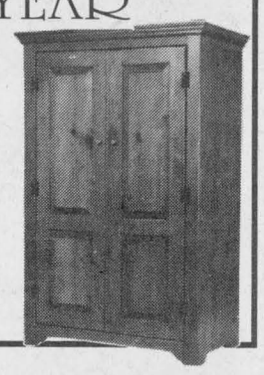

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CHANGE OF DATE

Effective January 10, 1995 the monthly Council meetings will be held as follows:

1) "Committee of the Whole" meetings will be held at 7:30 p.m. the

FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH.

Delegations will be heard at this meeting and items requiring Council action will be discussed informally.

2) Regular Council meetings will be held at 9:00 a.m. the

THIRD FRIDAY OF THE MONTH.

This meeting will approve resolutions and transact regular Council business.

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Club 65 seniors club celebrates 20 years



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by Colette Sauvé
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Happy birthday wishes to my brother-in-law Carl Collette on the 21st, to Michel Rozon this Thursday the 22nd and to Gabrielle Jodoin on Christmas day.

Library news

The library has received a number of booklets on Personal Tax Planning published by the Certified General Accountants Association of Ontario.

These are available to patrons on a first-come/first-serve basis. Please note that the library will be closed from 9 p.m. Dec. 22, 1994 until 6 p.m. Jan. 3, 1995.

Dépanneur opening

Héritage Corner Store official opening took place last Thursday.

The dépanneur which is situated at 21950 Main Street will be open seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Besides groceries, lottery tickets will be sold and video movies are available for rent.

Deputy Reeve William Hagen was on hand for the ribbon cutting ceremony.

To the owners, André and Madeline, Mario and Diane Pepin, we wish them the best of luck with their new venture.

MPP Noble Villeneuve dropped in a few days earlier to congratulate them.

20th anniversary of Club 65

In 1974, a motion was proposed by Clara Decoeur that a club should be organized and seconded by Charlie Wilton.

On December 13, 1974, Mr. Berthiaume officially declared the club a Senior Citizens' Club with the name to be – Club 65 of Glen Robertson. Social gatherings followed.

Over the years, bus trips were organized to Montebello, Plattsburg, N.Y., Montreal.

Horse racing was a favorite pastime of many seniors and a special luncheon at Parliament building dining room with Denis Ethier, MP was enjoyed by many.

Card parties are held every second week and many suppers on special occasions are a nice treat.

First aid, arts and crafts, cameo painting, quilting and line dancing are some courses that seniors follow.

The club has had four past presidents – Mrs. Cecile Menard and Mrs. Leona Decoste (now deceased), Mrs. Marie-Anne Roussin and Mrs. Perle Sabourin who gave so much of their time and leadership to keep Club 65 active.

Let's not forget our active president, Florence Montpetit who does an excellent job.

A special thank you to Lauréat Decoste for all the work he did for Club 65 to save money for repairs and to Reeve Ron MacDonell for the help in rebuilding the centre of which the community is so proud.

Over 150 people gathered at the centre last Tuesday to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Club 65 and a delicious meal was served.

Lill MacDonald who has served the club for 20 years as secretary-treasurer was offered a bouquet of flowers and congratulated for the thorough work she did in all those years.

Also receiving flowers were Marie-Anne Roussin for her good work as past president, Beatrice Lalonde for her loyal service on the committee for 20 years, Perle Sabourin for the many years she served as president and to Florence Montpetit for the devotion and hard work as president and the excellent job she did in preparing for this special night.

Reeve Ron MacDonell, accompanied by his wife, Monique, handed out merit certificates to all the committee members and to all the present volunteers and those who worked hard in the past and put in countless hours of their time to build up the club as it is now.

Gerard Roy, president of the Fraternité Club in Alexandria presented Florence with a certificate of congratulations for their 20th anniversary and to show the friendship that exists between these two clubs.

Many prizes were won and everyone had a jolly time joining in the line dancing or playing cards.

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A very merry Christmas to all the staff at the *Glengarry News*, all my column readers and a special thank you to all those people who provide me with some news for my column!



On behalf of Simone, Tony and myself, we would like to take this opportunity to wish all our clients and volunteers a healthy, safe Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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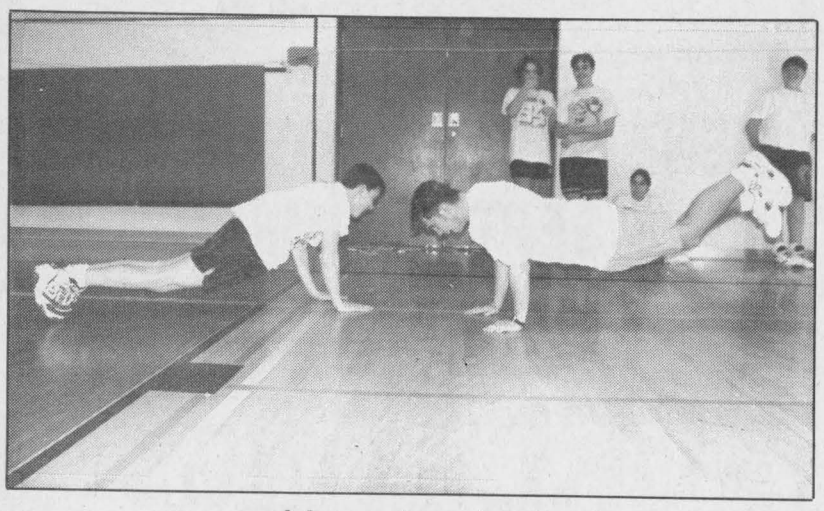

Hopping to it

Grade 9 and 10 students from Glengarry District High School and Ecole Secondaire Regionale de Glengarry were hopping to it on Dec. 8. Raising funds for the Heart and Stroke Foundation, 200 students skipped rope for two hours as part of the school's seventh Jump Rope for Heart event. Held every second year, students have skipped their way to raising more than $20,000 over the years, with the latest event bringing in about $2,000.

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We're happy to have this opportunity to express our gratitude and offer our very best wishes to all of you at this joyous time of year. Thanks!

Nous sommes très heureux de profiter de cette opportunité pour vous exprimer notre gratitude et vous offrir nos meilleurs voeux à l'occasion des fêtes. Merci!

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8:30 to 6	8:30 to 6	8:30 to 9	8:30 to 9	8:30 to 5	CLOSED	11 to 5

McCrimmon WI celebrate Christmas



Glen Sandfield
by Lorna Chapman
874-2408

The McCrimmon WI members and guests met at the St. Colomba Presbyterian Church at Kirk Hill on Dec. 9 for a special Christmas meeting that began with a turkey dinner catered by the ladies of the church. The meal was delicious and was topped off with traditional Christmas pudding and lemon pie. The service was exceptional and cheerfully given with a smile; what more could one ask?

President Margaret MacPherson invited the caterers to come out for a well deserved vote of thanks. The meeting opened with the singing of O Canada, the Ode and Mary Stewart Collect. The roll call was a card for a shut-in, a Christmas thought or poem and a "highlight of your year." This part covered a lot of ground; some members remembered trips both near and far, others fondly spoke of new grandchildren (quite a few of those), several weddings occurred in the past year too, and these were remembered as very happy times. Some wedding anniversaries too had been celebrated and one lady was grateful that a neighbor's little lost boy was found safe and sound. Some ladies were glad of good health, several women said this meeting was their year's highlight, but the one that got everyone laughing was the lady who was thankful that there were "no more cows" so that she wouldn't have to go to the barn anymore. Her husband accused her of becoming "citified," imagine! One visitor was most kind in her remarks about the people she found here, "The city is so different." She said she was surprised to find country folk willing to welcome her without reservation and this actually was quite unexpected. What a nice sincere compliment! Sadie MacMillan brought a box of quilt blocks, all cut out and ready to sew, to hand out to the women.Many of them took several blocks home to work on over the holidays. The January meeting will be held on the 19th in the Lochiel Township hall and this will be the director's meeting. The baking exchange took place by drawing numbers. Clara MacLeod came up to play the organ for the singing of the Christmas carols, in the absence of Bessie MacLennan. She taught the women a new carol called, The Holly, and they picked it up right away. Lorna Chapman led the group for the singing and they ended with We Wish you a Merry Christmas and Auld Lang Syne, since the group will only be meeting again after the holidays. Betty McDonald requested a little help in taking the gifts for Montee d'Elle to her car. She was to deliver them herself to the hostel on McCrimmon WI's behalf, that very day.

Happy Christmas greetings filled the air as the women took their leave in the cold on that brisk December afternoon.

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Our sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ian MacLeod (Karen) on the sad occasion of her father's passing. The whole family will be feeling his loss and our condolences are sincerely offered to all.

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Get well wishes are extended to two 39'ers who are in hospital at the time of writing this column: Muriel Moore and Betty Malpass. Let's hope you both will be able to be home for Christmas, and feeling much better.

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Christmas Eve service at Glen Sandfield will be at 8 p.m. and at East Hawkesbury, it will be 8 p.m. also. Everyone is most welcome to attend any of these services.

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May we, here in Glen Sandfield, offer our good wishes to all our readers for a safe, healthy, happy Christmas holiday. While we are enjoying our family gatherings, let us be aware that this time of year is very sad for some people. Wouldn't it be nice to invite some lonely neighbor in on Christmas day? The essence of the Christmas spirit is sharing, caring and love. Do you have a little love to spare? The ones who need it most are probably the ones who cannot ask but would be very grateful for a little warmth and company at the holiday season. Everyone please be careful on the roads so that we may have you all back with us after the New Year, safe and sound. Have a joyous time one and all, but let us not forget the Christ child's birth on a night long ago; the real reason for our Christmas celebrations.

St. Columban's celebrates 100th anniversary

In June, 1996, St. Columban's Parish in Cornwall will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the dedication and blessing of its present church building.

The first Bishop of the Alexandria Diocese, Alexander Macdonell,laid the cornerstone in an impressive ceremony on August 19, 1894. The Bishop returned two years later to officiate at its dedication and blessing.

In anticipation of the anniversary **Rolland Fobert** was invited by former pastor Gary Ostler and the chair of the parish's historical committee, Gertrude Johnson, to chronicle the history of St. Columban's. The history has been published in a 250 page hardcover book entitled **Faith Is Our Strength - The Story of St. Columban's Parish 1829 to 1993.**

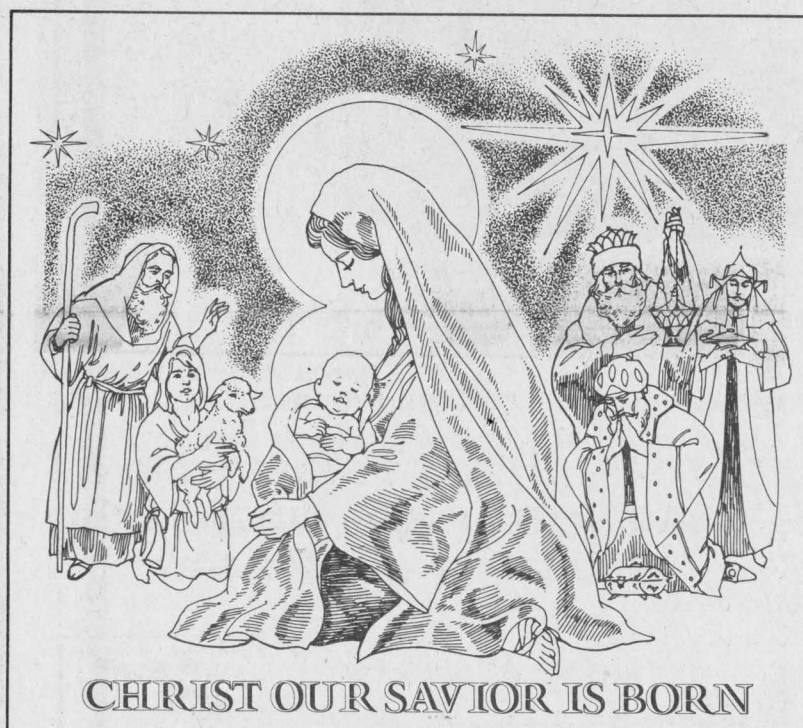
The story describes the humble beginnings of the parish from the late 1700's when the Catholics of early Cornwall were ministered by the priests of St. Andrew's parish to the arrival of the present pastor, Rev. Kevin Maloney, in September 1993. It documents, among other events, the founding of Catholic schooling in Cornwall, the founding of the Hotel Dieu Hospital and the arrival of the Religious Hospitallers of St. Joseph, the arrival and work of the Notre Dame Sisters and the presentation Brothers, the building of the first Catholic high school in Cornwall, the purchase and renovation of the parish hall on Pitt Street in the 1930's and the construction of the parish centre in the early 1960's.

The book also identifies some of its distinguished parishioners including John Sandfield Macdonald, Darby Bergin, Judge George Brennan, Dr. John A. Tallon and his father James Tallon, Dorothy Donihee, Frank Lally, Merchant Mahoney, Mildred Cleary and Dr. Archie MacPhee.

One of the fascinating features of the book is its history of the various parish organizations which have been prominent in the life of the parish such as the Catholic Women's League, the Holy Name Society, the Children of Mary and the Social and Dramatic Club.

The book will make a handsome addition to any bookshelf and will be of interest to all students of local history as well as those who are or have been parishioners of St. Columban's Parish.

Faith Is Our Strength is available at the Sanctuary on Pitt Street in Cornwall and at the ministry centre on Fourth Street West also in Cornwall.



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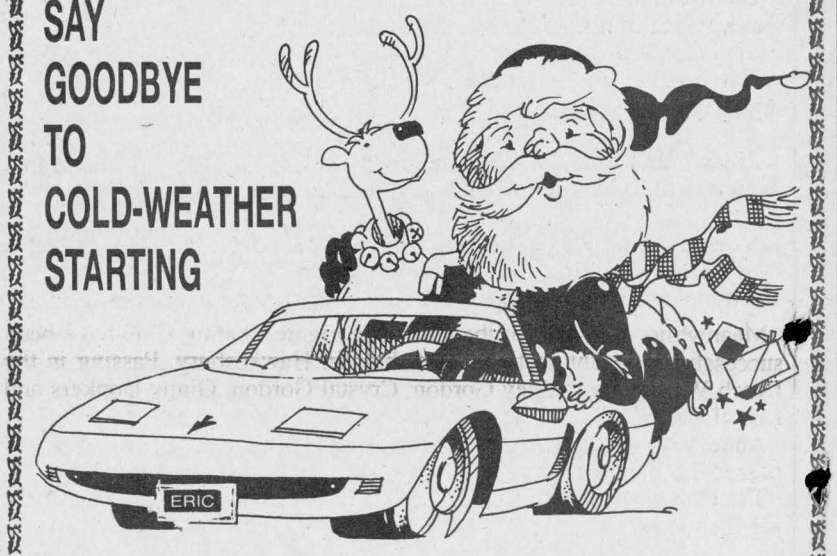

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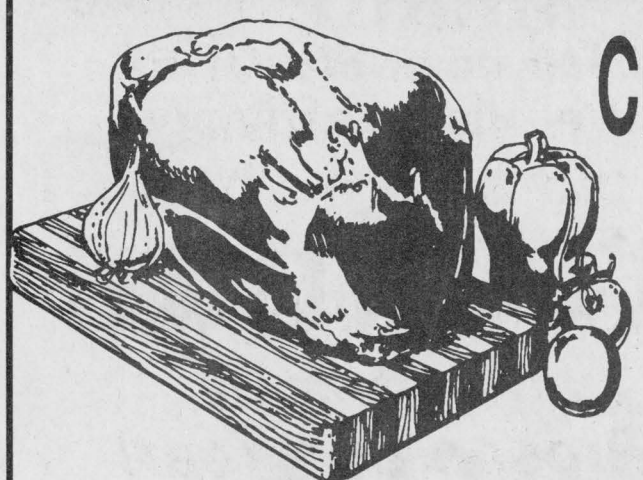

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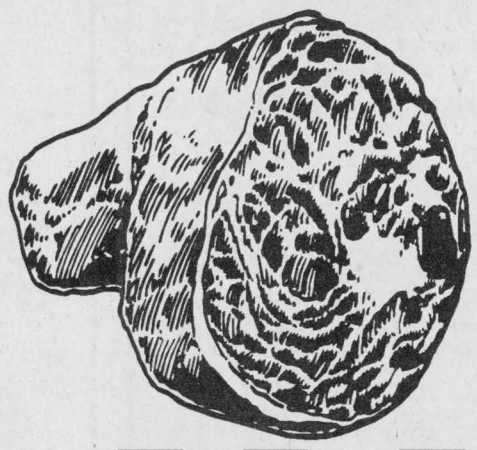

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Manor tour brings mystery



Williamstown
by Sue Harrington
347-2279

Frank and Joe Hardy, where are you? Calling Nancy Drew, Miss Marples, or Hercule Poirot! We have a mystery here in Williamstown and the more we delve, the more complicated it gets.

Sir John Johnson's Manor House, long suspected of harboring inhabitants of a celestial kind, is now posing other mysteries, perhaps of a more finite variety: the "what-has-happened-to" variety.

A Sunday or so ago, members of the Friends of the Manor and Parks Canada officials, were treated to a tour of the building. For many it was their first peek at the unused wing of the house, and their first peek of their tour leader, Patrick Devaux.

Mr. Devaux, now living in Brockville, resided in the Manor House with his parents from 1938 to 1950. As he led those present from room to room, he related anecdotes of his times in Williamstown, often mentioning village residents who were connected in some way with the prestigious house.

He also told what each room was, what his family had changed in it, what furniture went where, what was on the walls, the floors, etc.

The tour was extremely interesting, but also vaguely disquieting. Mr. Devaux mentioned an oil painting of Sir John Johnson that had hung in his mother's den. He said he believed it had, along with other things, been given to the museum. Where? The local Nor'Westers and Loyalist museum was not yet operating at the time.

Mr. Devaux also said there were brass door knockers on all the doors. Where are they now?

Photographs which he brought show the main wing of the house (where the library is now), without the French windows which we all thought had been there forever. When were they put in? An early photo of the house in the Robertson era (loaned by Diane Christie) also shows just a plain exterior wall.

The photographs also show canons, a pair of them, which were lawn landmarks in the memories of Williamstown natives. Rumor has it the canons are now living at Upper Canada Village, but how, when and why they were relocated remains unknown.

The millstone, which until the last 10 years or so, was situated in front of the steps into the building, is also nowhere to be seen, although some say they have been told the stone has been covered up by gravel on the driveway, in order to protect it.

As the Friends proceed with their intentions of re-establishing the house, many stories are being told by locals. Do you have one? If so, do tell. Who knows? Maybe some ambitious soul will write them down and make them into a book about the house!

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David Anderson has received a letter from Sir Peter Johnson, in England, telling of his pleasure at the local interest in fixing the house.

Sir Peter is a direct descendent of Sir John, who was his great great great grandfather, and in the letter he tells of his intent to visit Canada again before too long.

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Please note that the Williamstown Library, located in the Manor House, will be closed for holidays from Dec. 24 to Jan. 2 inclusive.

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Skating on the Raisin made its yearly debut a few days ago – but that was before the rains. The outdoor rink has also been receiving some attention, and should be operative soon if the temperature drops a little.

Meanwhile, members of the Char-Lan Figure Skating Club have been successful at recent sectional tests held in Hawkesbury. Passing in the Dutch Waltz were Ashley Gordon, Crystal Gordon, Ginny Donkers and Lisa Haddow.

Anne Viau was successful in the Canasta, while Katie Ann Lariviere passed the Baby Blue.

The club wishes to thank Lisa Cooke for partnering the candidates during their tests.

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Christmas dinners are a thing of the past for some groups; those that held them in the weeks before Christmas. Getting an early start was the Glengarry Community Club which ate theirs at the Recreation Centre on Dec. 7.

Live entertainment was provided by the Williamstown Public School Choir.

Margaret McLennan made a cake for the occasion – a birthday cake – to honor those who celebrate in December: Florida Legroulx, Edna Edmunds, Kathleen Theoret, Germaine White and Dorothy Croll.

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There were 42 diners at the Friendly Neighbors Christmas dinner, held Dec. 15 at St. Mary's Centre.

Father Villeneuve was present to say grace before the meal, which, besides the usual Christmas turkey dinner fare, this year featured homemade tourtiere.

Alice Portant was the lucky winner of the turkey (her third!) which was donated by Joan Abrams and Rena Major. Other draws were won by Ethel Clark and Therese Bourdeau.

At the group's December birthday party, Germaine White, Florida Legroulx and Terry Vendette were honored with a cake made by Ella Bergeron.

Card winners included Annette Chretien, Rena Major, Roger Pilon, and Austin Abrams. Door prize winner was Beatrice Labelle, while Alda Major, Catherine Gourlay and two-timer Anna Krol, won the 50/50.

A special draw for a jar of jam made life sweeter for Eleanor Gibson!

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President Pat Carter of the Picnic Grove Women's Institute welcomed members and guests – the Martintown WI – at a special Christmas meeting of the group held at the home of Nancy Woollven.

Sheila Urquhart, Glengarry District President, gave an interesting description of life as she knew it, growing up on 8th Ave. in Rosemount, Que.

This year's WI scholarship winner, Julie Rogers, was presented with her awards in absentia.

A social time followed, with prizes going to Onagh Ross and Nancy Woollven. A lovely lunch was prepared by Joyce Cumming, Muriel MacLachlan, Maggie Blackmore, Audrey Pasco and Ina Byatte.

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Sandra French got a bit of a start on Friday. It seems she was listening to the local radio station, when suddenly she thought she recognized the voice that she heard. She thought it sounded like her son, Paul French, who is serving with the NATO forces in Bosnia. Of course, like most of us, Sandra hadn't heard the introduction to the story, and hadn't caught the name.

A phone call to the radio station confirmed that it was indeed Paul French who had been speaking about spending Christmas in Bosnia, and Sandra was told the interview had been arranged through the Ministry of Defence.

"Will it be playing again?" Sandra asked radio officials, anxious to tape it it for her family to listen to. It was, and she did!

Best wishes are sent from the community to Paul who has been in Bosnia since Thanksgiving.

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Two local last-minute gift ideas to slide in here: the Charlottenburgh Nursery School is selling recipe books at $8 (available at Alex MacDonald's) and the Char-Lan Heritage Committee still has copies of Char-Lan High School's, "Book of Memories," if you missed yours at the reunion. (Contact Robbie MacLachlan).

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Williamstown welcomes Denise and Floyd Lafave and family who are residing in the little brown house beside Ken and Muriel Ferguson, following a fire in their home in Summerstown Station last weekend.

We only wish their arrival had been under more pleasant circumstances.

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Due to holiday deadlines, submissions for this column must be received by tomorrow, Wed.(!) for the issue to be published on Dec. 28.

Santa visits Beavers



Martintown
by Lillian Rouleau

The Martintown 1st Beaver Colony, sponsored by the Optimist Club, is now officially organized, with the investiture of 13 Beavers held Tuesday evening, Dec. 13.

Family and friends were in attendance at the community centre, where Scouting leaders heard the 13 five to eight-year-old boys recite their motto and promise, and presented each new Beaver with his badges and kerchief with the Martintown pin from the Optimist Club.

Santa made a surprise visit to the group, and handed each boy a bag of candies, a coloring book and a whistle. The evening ended with singing and a game of tag, and refreshments for the visitors.

The leaders provide parents with a newsletter entitled "Beaver Chatter," and encourage parents to participate and support their sons in their accomplishments in scouting. Meetings will resume after the holidays.

School committee meets

Following the first general meeting of the Martintown School Committee members held on Sept. 20, the newly-elected executive committee, as well as the sub-committee heads, met recently to set some objectives for the current school year, assess the school's needs which would not be funded by the Ministry of Education/SD&G Public School Board, as well as maintain the excellent lines of communication between parents, principal and teachers.

A variety of topics were discussed at the executive meeting, and a short synopsis follows.

Library: The school library has become a quality resource centre for the students, thanks to Virginia Winn, and the committee will continue to support its further enhancement. There is still a need of more volunteers to help with the day to day functions of the library.

Computers: The committee plans to purchase at least one more personal computer this year, as computers will continue to play an ever-increasing role in our lives and all schools are committed to ensuring that students are exposed to them as an integral part of their education.

Violence in schools: Martintown

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Lancaster grants approved

Two projects worth $108,500 in Lancaster village are among five Glengarry works approved under the Canada/Ontario Infrastructure Works program, Municipal Affairs Minister Ed Philip, Glengarry-Prescott-Russell MP Don Boudria and Reeve Janette Abbey announced Dec. 12.

Funding of $80,000 will be used to extend Monk Street for 125 metres west from Victoria Street. The extension will include utilities, water, sewer, hydro, phone and cable lines.

Funding of $28,500 will also be used to reconstruct deteriorating sidewalks on Oak Street from Maple to Elm streets.

Work on both projects, which will create an estimated 64 person-weeks of work, is expected to be completed by September 1995.

"The projects in Lancaster reflect the priorities of council for the benefit of its taxpayers. I am proud that the infrastructure program has approved funding for this essential infrastructure," said Boudria.

"We are pleased that our infrastructure program has been approved and that council's priorities have been met for our taxpayers," said Abbey. "The Village of Lancaster feels that with the completion of these projects the economical enhancements will be most beneficial."

Funding for the other Glengarry projects will be used to:

• reconstruct County Road 45, from King's Highway 34 west to mid-Lot 5 in Kenyon Township, including grading and paving;

• upgrade County Road 30, north of Baltic Corners, including grading, paving and restoring the boulevard, and,

• restore two salt and sand storage domes – one in Glengarry County and one in Dundas County – by replacing sills and reshingling the structures.

The intent of the infrastructure program is to create jobs and stimulate the local economy, while improvements are made to the community's infrastructure.

"The success of the Canada/Ontario Infrastructure Works program is well represented in these projects for Glengarry. The funds allocated to the counties will create jobs; enhance the quality of life for area families; and improve essential infrastructure for the convenience of residents and visitors. In addition, I am confident that this work will contribute to the future economic development of the counties," said Boudria.

"The projects will enable the United Counties to proceed with improvements to infrastructure that are essential and fundamental to the counties' highway system, which is an arterial network of roads serving to enhance the economic well-being and quality of life in Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry," said Sangster.

Canada/Ontario Infrastructure Works is a $2.1 billion shared-cost program designed to create jobs through local priority projects which will improve the province's infrastructure and therefore its competitive position. Canada, Ontario and local partners are each contributing one-third of the project funding.



Hope – Rouette

Julie Rouette and John Hope were married April 9, 1994 at Sacré Coeur Church in Alexandria. Julie is the daughter of Francine Rouette and the late Pierre Rouette. John is the son of Helen and Wallace Hope. The ceremony was officiated by Reverend Patricia Gale-MacDonald and Reverend Claude Thibault.

Santa visits area Brownies

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Public School had adopted a zero tolerance policy with regard to violence, be it physical or verbal, and this is a process that needs to be reinforced at home as well. Video tapes and literature are available from the school, and parents are encouraged to review them.

Fundraising: This sub-committee reviewed previous years' results and submitted their proposal to the executive. After considerable deliberation, it was decided to try something new for the major fall fundraising project, and the Christmas "Holiday Traditions: from Panda Promotions was chosen. Initial results seem to indicate that this will be the most successful fundraiser ever.

Thanks are extended to all parents and students for their superb efforts in making this possible.

Blueberries will be sold again for the spring campaign, and more information will be made available in the new year.

The weekly hot dog program is working well, and the parent volunteers are to be thanked for their involvement of time and assistance.

A reminder that "Your Independent Grocers" continue to support the school committee's fundraising efforts when you turn in your cash register receipts, which are then turned in for cash. The school committee also accepts Canadian Tire cash coupons.

Reminder to beginning pipers

A class of beginning pipers will begin on Jan.7, if a sufficient number enrolls, but a firm commitment is required. More information is available from contact person, Judith Blackadder, at 528-4691.

Nancy Beerwort president

Congratulations to Nancy Beerwort who has been elected president of the Glengarry Holstein Club at the annual meeting held Dec. 7 at Kirk Hill United Church hall. She will serve on the executive for 1995.

Condolences

Condolences are extended to the family of John Buchan, who passed away at the Cornwall General Hospital, on Sunday, Dec. 11, at the age of 57. The funeral service was held Dec. 14 with Rev. Janet Evans of St. Andrew's United Church, Long Sault, officiating.

Condolences are also extended to the family of well-known area artist Ted Sonne, who passed away Dec. 14, at the age of 74. Mr. Sonne lived in the St. Raphael's area and participated in numerous artistic events over the years, with his lovely paintings of landscapes on exhibit.

Goodtimers euchre results

The following were winners at the Christmas euchre party sponsored by the Martintown Goodtimers on Dec. 8.

First ladies, Rita Seguin, second ladies, Ann Michaud, third ladies, Yvonne Jarvo; first men, Kenneth MacLeod, second men, Norman MacLeod, third men, Howard Eamon. Draws: Nancy Colbran, Marie Brabant, Howard Eamon, Georgette Lavoie, Claire Van Putten, Vina Brown. Door prize: Marie Brabant. Special prizes: Howard Eamon, Catherine MacRae, Vina Brown, Ella Van Putten, Norman MacLeod, Yvonne Jarvo.

The next euchre party will be held Jan. 12, at 1:30 a.m. in the community centre. Everyone is welcome; lunch and prizes.

Note

The next Martintown news column will be published in the new year. Best wishes to all my readers, for a blessed Christmas and good health in the coming year.

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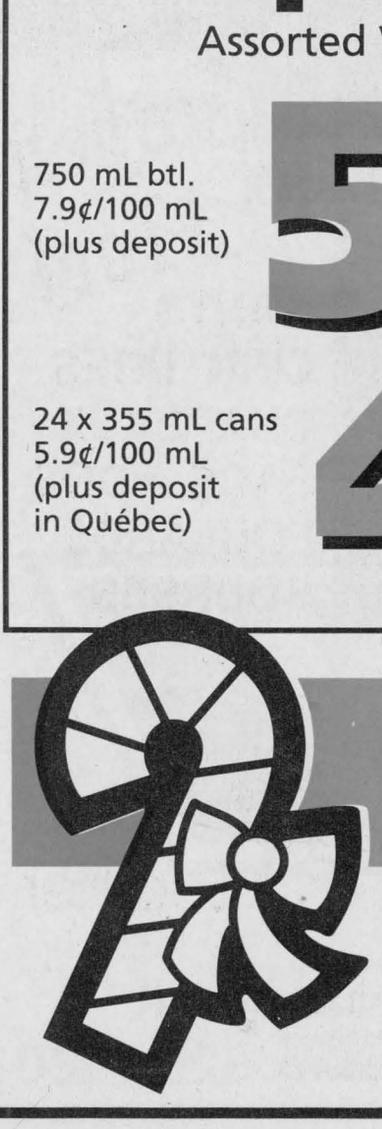

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Busy Beavers making crafts for Meals on Wheels



Lancaster
by Janice Montreuil
347-7464, 347-2420

Before beginning this next to last 1994 column, I would like to mention that the mailbox for news items has been moved next door onto the green garage at 20397 Church Street in South Lancaster. The telephone number for news is now 347-2420 and the fax number (24 hours/day) is 347-7464. Remaining the same is the deadline for news items – the Friday or Saturday before the following Wednesday edition. Most groups know well in advance of their upcoming events, so please get them in early.

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Christmas church services

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in South Lancaster will hold its service on Saturday, Dec. 24 at 8 p.m. Christmas Day service will be on Sunday, Dec. 25 at 11 a.m. New Year's Day service on Sunday, Jan. 1/95 at 11 a.m. conducted by Rev. Robert Fourney.

Knox United Church in Lancaster will host the St. Lawrence Pastoral Charge Christmas service on Saturday, Dec. 24 at 8 p.m. There will not be services on Christmas Day or New Year's Day.

St. Lawrence Parish at Curry Hill will hold Christmas Eve mass at 10 p.m. St. Joseph Church will hold Christmas Eve mass at 8 p.m. and again at 12 midnight on Saturday, Dec. 24. There will be mass at 11 a.m. on Sunday, Dec.. 25.

The Community Protestant Church will hold a Christmas Eve service at Lan Char Centre at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 24 with refreshments and fellowship after.

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Tickets are still available for the New Year's Eve dinner/dance at Royal Canadian Legion Branch 544 in Lancaster. Cost per person is $18 and includes a roast beef dinner at 7 p.m. with dancing following at 9 p.m. to the music of Reggie the DJ. There will also be party favors, prizes and spot dances. Bus service is available home. Cut-off date for tickets is Dec. 24.

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The annual Christmas meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Women was recently held at the home of Guelda MacRae. Thirty members and friends enjoyed a festive evening which began with a worship service from the Glad Tidings. This service consisted of scripture readings, prayer, carol singing and a time for reflection on the season. Anne Milne was the guest speaker and gave an informative talk concerning her work as area educational consultant for the Presbyterian Synod of Quebec and Eastern Ontario. Following this, a few amusing and entertaining games were played, secret friend gifts exchanged and a delicious luncheon served by Pat Carter, Eileen Fourney, Marg Leslie and Guelda MacRae.

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The 1st Lancaster Beavers/Cubs and their families were busy recently preparing their float for the Santa Claus Parade. The theme was "Santa's Family" and their efforts were rewarded with second prize overall. Thanks to the parents for their help, the Cubs and Beavers and the Rombough's for the use of their garage. Special thanks go to Bruce Overbury, one of the Cub leaders, who drove the float. The Beavers were also busy lately making crafts for Meals on Wheels and Christmas ornaments for their families and the residents of Chateau Gardens where they and the Cubs will be carolling.

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At a meeting of the Community Protestant Church ladies, held last Monday morning at the home of Joan Readman, plans were finalized for the delivery of Christmas gifts of groceries, toiletries, toys, etc. to Baldwin House and Margaret and Sheila were authorized to do the shopping again for some very special people at the local nursing home, in time for their Christmas party on Dec. 21. It has been the custom to give away a portion of the money raised at the fall bazaar and, this year, the Lights of Hope project at the Hotel Dieu Hospital will be the recipients of $100.

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Ecole St. Joseph in Lancaster would like to send a special thank you to Mme. Louise Beauvais (Bourdeau) who, in November, gave a complete course on first aid to the students after school hours and to Mme. Audrey Viau who organized an arts and crafts course for the month of December where 48 students registered. The school and the Christmas float committee are very proud of their first prize won at the recent Santa Claus parade for their float "Un Noël famille." A reminder to all in the community that the school will hold their Christmas concert at St. Joseph Church on Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 7:30 p.m. and their Christmas school mass on Friday, Dec. 23 at 9 p.m. It is a rendez-vous to get into the Christmas spirit. All are welcome to both events.

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Several local students will be taking part in the annual Glengarry District High School Christmas concert. North Dundas High will also perform, the two bands totalling 110 students. The GDHS senior band and Grades 10 and 11 bands will play as well. Tickets for the Tuesday, Dec. 20 at 8 p.m. concert, to be held in the school cafeteria, will be sold at the door or from band members in advance.

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The Sunshine Gang members, meeting each Tuesday afternoon in the Lan Char Senior Centre, have enjoyed another month of activities. They visited Château Gardens when "Silvert's" were there selling clothes for seniors. They celebrated St. Andrew's Day by each member wearing some tartan article whether they were of Scot descent or not. A Christmas shopping spree took place in Cornwall after which they had lunch at a restaurant. The drive home along the river was beautiful and enjoyed by all. Vivian Shipley spoke to the group one afternoon on a workshop she had attended on relationships among seniors and "Elder Abuse – The Hidden Crime." Many questions and answers were dealt with and lessons learned. Many cards were signed for the members not able to attend and for several volunteers who were leaving to spend the winter in the south. A card and cake were presented to birthday member Edna McDonald. Susan David of Alexandria assisted the members in making Christmas decorations from dough which will be painted after being cooked.

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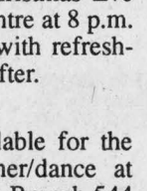
A Christmas dinner was held on Friday, Dec. 9 at Lan Char Senior Centre. Fifty/fifty winners were Florida Legroulx, Gerald McGillis, Theresa Bourdeau, Kathy Preston, Anna Verkuylen, Johanna Oetelaar, Annette Chretien and Eileen Fourney. Winning other prizes were Donald McGregor, Bill Kitching, Oliver Legroulx, Terry Vandette, Kathy Preston, John Krol, Gerald McGillis, Florida Legroulx and REgina Sommers. There will not be a card party held until Friday, Jan. 6/95. Best wishes for a happy holiday to all.

Chamber wants more members, involvement



Glen Walter
by Ron Holla
931-2658

Draw results

Great turnout and lots of prizes were how Pauline Benson of the Blue Anchor described the Christmas draw held Dec. 16 by the Glen Walter and Area Chamber of Commerce.

Winning the grand prize eight foot stocking was Tammy Lemay of Cornwall, Benson said. The dartboard was won by Mike Roy of Glen Walter while Jim Cote of Cornwall won the club steering locking unit.

Rounding out the winners were Daryl Leger who won two of the four remaining stockings and Terry Bigtree who won the other two stockings.

Perfect evening

The rains which came down on Glen Walter and area last Saturday, Dec. 17, stopped long enough to ensure a successful caroling effort by members of the Precious Blood Elementary School community.

"After all that rain, we were really worried," Sandy Esdale, PTA president said. "But it didn't rain at all from the time we started until the time we finished."

About 50 parents, teachers and students came out to the carol sing, Esdale said. Riding on the back of a transport truck trailer, the participants went up and down the streets of Glen Walter.

"We went through the streets of the village, then through the Glen Walter Regional Park to the Bayview Estates, down Purcell Road back to the school," Esdale said.

Arriving back at the school, participants were treated to hot chocolate and snacks followed by games and movies for the children.

"It was a real family evening," Esdale said.

Christmas mass

A Christmas mass for Precious Blood Elementary will be celebrated at Precious Blood Parish on Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 7 p.m.

Nutcracker presentation

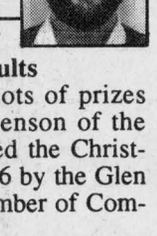
The enrichment class of Precious Blood Elementary will be presenting the Nutcracker for parents and friends at the school, Thursday, Dec. 22 at 7 p.m., Sandy Esdale, PTA president, said.

No admission will be charged and all parents and friends are invited to view this special presentation.

Christmas wishes

At this time of year, with this the last column before Santa comes down the chimney, I would like to wish all readers of this column a happy holiday.

New business venture in village



Greenfield
by Mary Couture
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Christmas Eve mass at St. Catherine of Sienna will be held at 8 p.m. on December 24.

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Celebrating birthdays are: Catherine McDermid and Sue Brown on Dec. 3; Marion Cadieux on the 12th, Donald McDonald on the 14th, Garry Masson from Dunvegan on the 18th; Fern Wensink and Cody St. Denis both celebrate on the 22nd. Get well wishes to Lucien Cadieux of Maxville, father of Susan Smith from the village.

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Much success to Glengarry Auto Wreckers, formerly Pete's auto wreckers in their new endeavor in the village.

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You win some, you lose some

Char-Lan Rebels goaltender Luke Mulvaugh reaches to cover a loose puck as defenceman Kevin O'Farrell attempts to clear Alexandria's Jason Murree from the front or the net (above). At right, Mulvaugh and teammate Corey Payment look away as the Glens celebrate a second-period goal by Luc Chaumont. Alexandria went on to win the Eastern Ontario Junior B Hockey League game 8-4. The Glens extended their unbeaten streak to 12 games with a 5-4 overtime victory in Kemptville on Sunday night while Rebels bounced back for a big 4-2 win over the Morrisburg Lions on Saturday.

Staff photos-J.L. Lefebvre

Char-Lan wins duel with Lions

A .500 weekend was good enough to allow the Char-Lan Rebels to move two points closer to the Morrisburg Lions for fourth place in the Eastern Ontario Junior B Hockey League's St.Lawrence Division.

After losing 8-4 in Alexandria on Friday night, the Rebels took a 4-2 win in a head-to-head battle with the Lions at the Charlottenburgh Recreation Centre on Saturday.

Tim Corput scored power-play and shorthanded goals to lead the Rebels to their first win in five tries against Morrisburg this season.

"It was a pretty big game for us tonight," said Corput, who doubled his season goal total on the weekend by scoring once against Alexandria and twice against the Lions.

"Now (the Lions) are only three points ahead of us and hopefully they'll lose tomorrow (Sunday)."

Corput got his wish as the slumping Lions were hammered 11-3 on home ice by the Winchester Hawks.

Morrisburg - the three-time defending playoff champions in the St.Lawrence - has fallen on hard times.

Despite a solid nucleus of returning players and the addition of talented rookies, the Leos are five games under .500 and in the midst of a four-game losing streak.

Last week, Morrisburg management fired first-year head coach Jim Notman. Johnny Morrow, who was behind the Morrisburg bench last season, will take over tomorrow night when the Lions host Alexandria.

Despite Morrisburg's miseries, Rebels coach Jeff Carter says he isn't setting his sights on Morrisburg or anyone else.

"I really don't know who we're going to have to catch to make the playoffs," said Carter after Saturday's game.

"We're just trying to stay focused on our own games. Our next four games are big ones because they're all within the division.

"We're getting better every time out and now we're looking to put a streak together like the other teams in the division did earlier in the year."

For that to happen, the Rebels will have to show Saturday's intensity level on a consistent basis.

"We played 60 minutes, the guys were focused right from the beginning, they hit, they worked hard and they played disciplined hockey.



Tim Corput had three goals in two weekend games for Char-Lan.

"The discipline was the key because you don't want to give Morrisburg a chance on the power play."

When the Lions did get a man-advantage opportunity, it was the Rebels who capitalized as Char-Lan scored two shorthanded goals - one by Corput and one by Rob Curran.

Terry O'Farrell had the Rebels' only even-strength goal of the night while the Lions got goals from Jason Prierri and Mike McAllister, who scored on a first-period penalty shot.

Char-Lan netminder Luke Mulvaugh stopped all 23 Morrisburg shots in the last two periods to preserve the Rebels' win.

Rebel Yells: Char-Lan midget **John Fisher** was used as an affiliated player on Friday and picked up an assist...**Tim Corput** was a double winner on the weekend, picking up the Chumps Road Warrior award for Friday's game in Alexandria and the St.Hubert offensive game star honor for Saturday's contest. **Rob Curran** was the defensive star...**Lyle Sproul**'s career with the Rebels is presumably over. The 20-year-old forward has missed the last four games...Rebels play back-to-back games this week - Wednesday night in Winchester and Thursday night at home to the Kemptville 73's.

Glens break through in Kemptville

By J.L. Lefebvre
Sports editor

It wasn't easy, but the Alexandria Glens finally came home from a trip to Kemptville with two points.

Carl Bougie chipped in his own rebound 2:44 into overtime to give the Glens a 5-4 win over the 73's on Sunday night. Bougie helped force OT by setting up Derek Durocher for a power-play goal with 1:27 left in regulation time.

The win is Alexandria's first in three visits to Kemptville this season and prolongs the Glens' unbeaten streak to a dozen games.

"This was a special game for us," said Glens coach Robert Boisvenue. "In beating them tonight, it gives the players the confidence to know we can win here. That could be very important if we have to play (the 73's) in the playoffs.

"Because we lost our first two games here, this was probably our biggest game of the year."

Besides having to deal with the Kemptville Arena factor on Sunday, the Glens were also plagued with penalty trouble. Alexandria was forced to play shorthanded 14 times including five separate occasions when the Glens were short two men.

The Glens limited the 73's to three power-play goals on those 14 chances while going two-for-six on their own man-advantage opportunities.

"We didn't practice the penalty-killing on Wednesday, but we had a good workout killing penalties on Friday (against Char-Lan) and again tonight," remarked Boisvenue. "I've said it before, but these guys show a lot of character.

"They didn't lose their heads tonight even if we had all those penalties called against us."

Along with the Glens' penalty-killing, the key to Alexandria's success was surviving the first period.

The 73's were on the power play for almost nine minutes in the opening frame and despite dominating territorially, Kemptville could only manage a 1-0 lead.

"Our game plan was to avoid falling into their trap," said Boisvenue. "(The 73's) like to dump the puck in, send the first guy to take out the man and have the second guy pick up the puck. That's how they scored their first goal."

Shawn Forbes' goal gave the 73's a 1-0 lead after 20 minutes, but the Glens soared ahead with three goals less than five minutes apart in the second period.

"(The 73's) hit and hit in the first period. In the second, we were the ones that were doing the hitting," said Boisvenue.

Nygel Pelletier scored on the power play to tie the game, and the Glens went ahead on goals by Jason Murree and Carl Cadieux.

The Glens got into more penalty trouble late in the second and early in the third, and the 73's capitalized with power-play goals by Hal Thompson, Mike Hutt and Eric Jansen.

The 73's opened the door for the Glens to come back when Shawn Forbes took a roughing penalty with 3:10 left in the third.

The Glens cashed in with 17 seconds left in the power play as Bougie set up Durocher for his 15th goal of the season.

Bougie completed a four-point night by scoring the overtime winner while extending the 73's losing streak to three games.

"Inconsistency is killing us," said Kemptville assistant coach Derek Brannan. "We can't hold on to the lead in the last few minutes.

"We have to use our heads and play disciplined hockey and we have to learn how to play in the pressure games."

The next big game for the 73's comes tonight when they will host the Athens Aeros.

Alexandria beats Rebs again

Karl Hehn scored a pair of goals as the Glens defeated cross-county rivals Char-Lan for the fifth consecutive time this season at the Billy Gebbie Arena on Friday night.

Alexandria broke open a close game by scoring three straight goals in the third period for an 8-4 win. In addition to Hehn's two goals, Daniel Methot, Randy Gebbie, Luc Chaumont, Chancy Lajoie, Richard Hutt and Derek Durocher scored for the Glens.

Kevin O'Farrell, Rob Curran, Terry O'Farrell and Tim Corput replied for the Rebels.

An Alexandria-Char-Lan game is always a little special, but at least one Glen has an extra source of motivation when playing the Rebels.

"They cut me earlier in the season so that helps me get a little more up for the game. I feel like I've got something to prove when we play them," said Derek Durocher after Friday's game.

The Massena native has been a key factor in Alexandria's dominance over Char-Lan this season, scoring six times in the five meetings between the rivals.

Overall, Durocher is the Glens' third leading goalscorer so far this season with 15 tallies.

"(In training camp), the Rebels told me I was a border-line case and then they let me go. Afterwards, I was fortunate enough to get the chance to come up to Alexandria."

After playing for his high school team at Massena Central last year, Durocher says it took him about 10 games to adjust to the clutch-and-grab style of junior B hockey. But now he says he's developed a fondness for the league, not to mention the Glens' first-place standing in the St.Lawrence Division.

"I'm happy here in Alexandria. I think we've come a long way since the beginning of the season."

He does notice that the games are getting a little tougher for Alexandria.

"There's a little more pressure when you're the first-place team because everyone wants to knock you off."

A Kemptville win will aloow the 73's to join the Glens as St.Lawrence Division representatives at the Boxing Day Tournament in Metcalfe on Dec. 26.

If Kemptville loses, the second Boxing Day berth will go to the Winchester Hawks.

Glenformation: The Glens continue to win the close games. Alexandria is now 3-0 in games decided in overtime in addition to being 2-0 in shootouts. **Carl Bougie**'s overtime winner in Kemptville was his second extra-period goal of the year. Bougie has also scored a game-winning shootout goal...Defenceman **Michel Jeaurond** was the only scratch for Sunday's game. The 73's list of missing in action included top scorer **Rob Gavalucci** and ex-Glen **Jamie Nelson**...After going scoreless in his first eight junior B games, hard-working rookie **Chancy Lajoie** is starting to find the net with some consistency. Lajoie has seven goals in the Glens' last 11 games...Sunday's game featured plenty of penalties, including one strange call to Glen **Derek Durocher**. Durocher was standing in front of the Kemptville net, minding his own business, when he was hammered to the ice by a 73's defenceman. The impact of the hit caused Durocher to loose the grip on his stick, which somehow wound up in the hands of Kemptville goalie **Chad Beaulieu**. When Durocher snatched the stick from Beaulieu, he was assessed a two-minute penalty for goaltender interference...Glens can match last season's point total of 44 by beating the slumping Lions in Morrisburg tomorrow night. The Glens host the Winchester Hawks in the final game before the Christmas break on Friday.

Glengarry spikers steamroll Vikings

The Glengarry seniors and juniors recorded their second consecutive sweeps in Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry girls' high school volleyball action last week.

The Gaels were at General Vanier Secondary School in Cornwall on Tuesday where they blew past the Vikings in straight sets.

The senior Gaels won 15-1 and 15-5 while the juniors won by scores of 15-7 and 15-13.

Glengarry also won a third "practice" game 15-5.

The seniors and juniors are both undefeated after two matches this season.

The Glengarry midgets have a 5-1 game record after winning two of three games from General Vanier on Tuesday.

The Gaels were whipped 15-0 in the first game of the set, but bounced back to take the final two games by scores of 15-8 and 15-5.

All three Glengarry teams are back in action today as the Gaels open the home portion of the 1994-95 schedule by hosting the St.Joseph's Panthers. The La Citadelle Patriotes visit on Thursday.

Benton hands Tapis first loss of campaign

Art Benton snapped Tapis Richard Ranger Carpet's winning streak at eight games by recording a 1-0 win at Alexandria's Billy Gebbie Arena last Wednesday night.

Debbie Nadon scored her seventh goal of the year with 2:56 left in the third period to hand the Ladies' Sponge Puck League leaders their first loss in nine games this season.

Natalie Theoret picked up her fourth consecutive shutout in nets for Benton, which moves to within four points of Tapis Richard with one game in hand.

In Wednesday's other game, M and D Sports earned its second win of the year by blanking L.C. Electric 5-0.

Chantal Legault had a three-point night for M and D with one goal and two assists.

Sylvie Major, Johanne Flaro, Melissa Mallette and Julie Beriault also scored while Kim Kennedy set up a pair of goals. Sylvette Decoste recorded the shutout.

Crusader volleyball teams get '94-95 season under way

The Char-Lan junior girls' volleyball team won five of six games to begin the 1994-95 Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry league season last Wednesday in Williamstown.

The junior Crusaders, who are seeking their sixth consecutive SDG "A" division crown, swept the Seaway Spartans 15-10, 15-10 and 15-10 while taking two of three games from the Rothwell-Osnabruck Lancers - 15-4, 10-15 and 15-8.

The senior Crusaders also won five of their six games on Wednesday.

Char-Lan swept Rothwell-Osnabruck 15-0, 15-1 and 15-13. The Crusaders defeated Seaway 15-9, 13-15 and 15-3.

In other senior matches played last week, Tagwi defeated Rothwell-Osnabruck and Seaway.

In junior play, Tagwi defeated R-O while losing to Seaway.

The Crusaders next action will be tomorrow as Char-Lan takes part in a league tournament at R-O.

County Scoreboard

Eastern Ontario Junior B Hockey League
Standings
St.Lawrence Division

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Alexandria Glens	**24**	**19**	**3**	**2**	**146**	**97**	**42**
Winchester Hawks	24	12	11	1	115	108	27
Kemptville 73's	24	12	12	0	113	113	26
Morrisburg Lions	24	9	14	1	113	139	21
Char-Lan Rebels	**25**	**7**	**17**	**1**	**114**	**134**	**18**

Rideau Division

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Gananoque Islanders	25	17	7	1	138	100	36
Athens Aeros	24	14	8	2	127	99	30
Westport Rideaus	24	11	10	3	105	94	28
South Grenville Rangers	24	9	15	0	76	113	18
Brockville Tikis	24	5	18	1	82	132	11

(Teams losing in overtime or shootout get one point. Teams winning shootout get one point for a tie and one bonus point).

Results
Tuesday, Dec. 13
Gananoque 5 Kemptville 4 (OT)
Friday, Dec. 16
Kemptville 7 Winchester 8
Char-Lan 4 **Alexandria** 8
Saturday, Dec. 17
Morrisburg 2 **Char-Lan** 4
Sunday, Dec. 18
Alexandria 5 Kemptville 4 (OT)
Winchester 11 Morrisburg 3

Top St.Lawrence scorers
(Through Dec. 15)

	G	A	P
Carl Bougie, Alex	**22**	**35**	**57**
Jason Hall, Alex	**25**	**21**	**46**
Mike McAllister, Mor.	21	18	39
Chad Duguay, Mor.	13	22	35
Rob Curran, C-L	**18**	**15**	**33**
Rob Gavalucci, Kempt.	16	17	33
Francis Briere, Mor.	16	14	30
Chad White, Mor.	11	19	30
Karl Hehn, Alex	**11**	**18**	**29**
Tim Waldroff, Mor.	11	15	26
Randy Gebbie, Alex	**9**	**17**	**26**

Minor hockey standings
Novice (East Division)

	G	W	L	T	P
Alexandria	**13**	**10**	**1**	**2**	**22**
Kemptville	12	7	2	3	17
Morrisburg	9	6	2	1	13
Cornwall	8	4	3	1	9
South Stormont	10	4	5	1	9
North Dundas	10	2	7	1	5
Char-Lan	**12**	**1**	**8**	**3**	**5**
North Glen-Stor.	7	1	6	0	2

Atom (East Division)

	G	W	L	T	P
North Glen-Stor.	9	6	3	0	12
Cornwall	11	4	4	3	11
Char-Lan	**10**	**3**	**4**	**3**	**9**
Alexandria	**8**	**1**	**5**	**2**	**4**
South Stormont	9	0	8	1	1

Peewee (East Division)

	G	W	L	T	P
Alexandria	**8**	**5**	**3**	**0**	**10**
Char-Lan	**8**	**3**	**4**	**1**	**7**
South Stormont	5	1	3	1	3
North Glen-Stor.	8	0	8	0	0
Cornwall	10	0	10	0	0

Bantam (East Division)

	G	W	L	T	P
Alexandria	**10**	**8**	**1**	**1**	**17**
North Glen-Stor.	10	6	3	1	13
Char-Lan	**10**	**4**	**6**	**0**	**8**
South Stormont	8	1	5	2	4
Cornwall	10	1	9	0	2

Midget (East Division)

	G	W	L	T	P
Alexandria	**8**	**6**	**1**	**1**	**13**
South Stormont	8	6	2	0	12
North Glen-Stor.	11	3	7	1	7
Char-Lan	**8**	**3**	**5**	**0**	**6**
Cornwall	8	1	6	1	3

Alexandria Lanes
League results (Dec. 11-18)
Golden Age (Monday):
High singles - Claire Boucher (221), TerryNewcomen (253).
High triples - Claire Boucher (581), Mathieu Charlebois (628).
Golden Age (Tuesday):
HS - Lilianne St.Onge (231), John Vanklankers (249).
HT - Eva Cuerrier (551), Lionel Glaude (627).
Golden Age (Wednesday):
HS - Michelle Pugh (183), Elmer Richer (265).
HT - Michelle Pugh (521), Elmer Richer (745).
Golden Age (Thursday):
HS - Aurore St.Pierre (249), Gerard Seguin (275).
HT - Aurore St.Pierre (681), Lionel Dorie (652).
Ladies' Commercial:
HS - Joanne Nadeau (321).
HT - Joanne Nadeau (777).
Men's Commercial:
HS - Rejean Menard (418).
HT - Rejean Menard (992).
Tuesday Country:
HS - Johanne Gareau (261), Eugene O'Connell (268).
HT - Rachel Bourgon (648), Eugene O'Connell (704).
Wednesday Night Mixed:
HS - Nicole Decoeur Sauve (316), Gerard Carriere (258).
HT - Nicole Decoeur Sauve (690), Tom Guindon (705).
Sunday Five-pin:
HS - Melanie Poirier (234), Guy Menard (286).
HT - Mandy Duval (592), Gilbert Dorie (697).
Monday Ten-pin:
HS - Michel Menard (217).
HT - Michel Menard (562).
Monkland Ten-pin:
HS - Donald Sauve (197).
HT - Phil Massia (507).
Wednesday Mixed Ten-pin:
HS - Dorothy Burnett (189), Daniel Massia (180).
HT - Dorothy Burnett (430), Sylvain Brunet (444).
Thursday Ten-pin Mixed:
HS - Monique Maheu (133), Francois Legault (187).
HT - Kathleen MacLeod (357), Alain Menard (482).

Sunday Ten-pin:
HS - Louise Roy (167), Roger Bellefeuille (182).
HT - Bertha Colette (430), Andre Seguin (486).
YBC Friday:
HS - Staci-Lee Robinson (259), Patrick Boisvenue (254).
HT - Staci-Lee Robinson (600), Michel Leo Quesnel (643).
YBC 10-pin:
HS - Jessica Goulet (164), Chris Ladouceur (139).
High doubles - Jessica Goulet (302), Chris Ladouceur (237).
YBC Bantam (11:30):
HS - Brigitte Leduc (179), Scott Robinson (158).
HD - Brigitte Leduc (306), Scott Robinson (272).
YBC (1:30):
HS - Jessica Lalonde (127), Pascal Quesnel (154).
HD - Jessica Lalonde (221), Pascal Quesnel (287).
YBC Peewee:
HS - Josee Campeau (131), Adam Massia (112).
HD - Gabrielle Carriere (246), Alain Carriere (216).
YBC Junior:
HS - Mandy Duval (209), Shawn McGregor (195).
HT - Tierney Bowen (564), Shawn McGregor (483).
YBC Monday:
HS - Ashley Munroe (131), Guy Robert (354).
HD - Ashley Munroe (237), Guy Robert (354).
YBC Tuesday:
HS - Erin Gerard (162), Eric Lajoie (216).
HT - Erin Gerard (454), Eric Lajoie (534).

Women's sponge puck
Standings

	G	W	L	T	P
Tapis Richard	9	8	1	0	16
Art Benton	8	6	2	0	12
L.C. Electric	8	3	4	1	7
M&D Sports	7	2	4	1	5
Atlantic Storm	8	0	8	0	0

CHAR-LAN Rebels JR "B" HOCKEY CLUB

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Team scoring
Char-Lan Rebels

	G	A	P
11-Rob Curran	21	17	38
14-Terry O'Farrell	13	14	27
4-Kevin O'Farrell	5	19	24
17-Jamie Harrington	11	11	22
9-Dave Campbell	10	12	22
10-Pierre Rozon	5	17	22
25-Brent Lauzon	7	14	21
6-Tim Graham	6	11	17
27-Lyle Sproul	7	7	14
5-Paul Rozon	2	9	11
20-Tim Corput	6	3	9
12-D.J. Zaluski	4	5	9
18-Corey Payment	4	4	8
23-Ken MacLeod	2	4	6
7-Jason McCuaig	0	4	4

Alexandria Glens

	G	A	P
16-Carl Bougie	24	44	68
10-Jason Hall	24	24	48
25-Karl Hehn	13	20	33
18-Randy Gebbie	10	18	28
31-Derek Durocher	15	7	22
15-Carl Cadieux	10	12	22
14-Luc Chaumont	7	14	21
19-Richard Hutt	6	13	19
5-Chancy Lajoie	8	7	15
2-Hamish Cunning	6	9	15
4-Marc Menard	2	13	15
20-Darcy MacDonell	5	9	14
22-Nygel Pelletier	5	9	14
8-Mike Closs	0	8	8
7-Jason Murree	2	5	7
9-Michel Jeaurond	0	7	7
6-Richard D'Aoust	3	3	6
17-Daniel Methot	1	2	3



The original GSL champs

This past year marked the 70th anniversary of the formation of the Glengarry Soccer League. Pictured above are the the first ever champions of the GSL, the 1924 edition of the Dunvegan Soccer Club. Members of the team included (front row, left to right) Chisholm MacLeod, captain A.A. Grant, William MacLeod, (middle row) D.R. Campbell, John Carpenter, John D. MacLeod, Stewart Grant, (back row) Cameron MacLeod, Ian MacLeod, A.R. Gray and A.J. Campbell.

Lowe levels Chumps with hat trick

Jenny Lowe scored three goals and Lisa Poirier added a pair as Kirk Hill defeated Chumps 5-1 in Cornwall Indoor Soccer League women's division action on Sunday.

Kirk Hill is undefeated in its last seven games and has moved into sole possession of third place.

The Minimax Hearts still lead the division after outscoring the Roelee Rovers 9-4 on Sunday.

Bonnie MacLeod scored four goals for the Hearts, Melissa MacPhee scored twice and Sharon MacMillan, Lynn Marie Legault and Wendi Lawson chipped in with singles.

Rudi Payer Sport earned in its first point of the season by holding Paddy's to a scoreless tie.

Christine Sloan for Rudi's and Laura Urquhart for Paddy's earned the shutouts.

In the other women's division game, Rachel Denner scored a hat trick as the Bergeron Chargers defeated the Bootleggers 4-0.

Storm crushes Roadrunners

Travis Giroux's five-goal effort led the way as the Atlantic Storm ran over the Roadrunners by a score of 15-2 in men's division action on Sunday.

Alain Decoste and Brian Cameron added hat tricks for the Storm, Shawn McClements scored twice while Robbie Starkauskas and Jay Major added singles.

The CIMF U2's posted their 10th consecutive victory by shutting out Cornwall BBQ 8-0.

Garry Benson moved into a tie for the scoring lead in the second division by scoring three goals.

Benson has 16 goals on the year as does teammate Pat Clarke, who scored twice on Sunday.

Brian Deschamps also scored a pair of goals for the U2's while Ben Pregent rounded out the scoring with a single.

The Apple Hill Flyers posted their third win of the season by edging Jiggers 5-4.

Eric MacDonald scored twice while singles went to Nelson MacPherson, Chad MacCabe and Jason Libbos.

Rudi Payer Sport's record fell to 7-3 after a 2-1 loss to Filion Trophies. Benjamin Pye scored the lone Rudi's goal.

Elsewhere in the men's division it was Best Western over the Osnabruck Cosmos 5-1, Jovana's and Roadrunners II playing to a 3-3 tie and Mr. Sub doubling La Maison 6-3.

Deuces for Smith, Clarke

In old-timers' play, Chris Smith and Pat Clarke each scored a pair of goals as Rudi Payer Sport defeated Pizza Hut 4-1.

Bruno Pongallo scored for Pizza Hut.

Thomas MacPherson and D.A. Macmillan had goals as the Atlantic Storm played to a 2-2 tie with the Ital-Can Rangers. Gino Zoppas and Donnie Saucier scored for Ital-Can.

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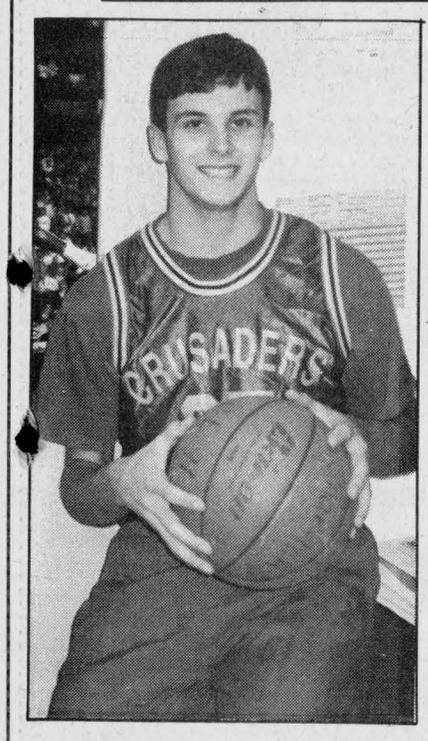


THE FACTS
Name: Mike Bissonnette
Age: 18
Team: Senior boys' basketball
Position: Guard-forward
Number: 25

FAVORITES
Athlete: Michael Jordan
Sport: Basketball, Volleyball
Singer or group: I'm not fussy
Food: Spaghetti
TV show: The Simpsons

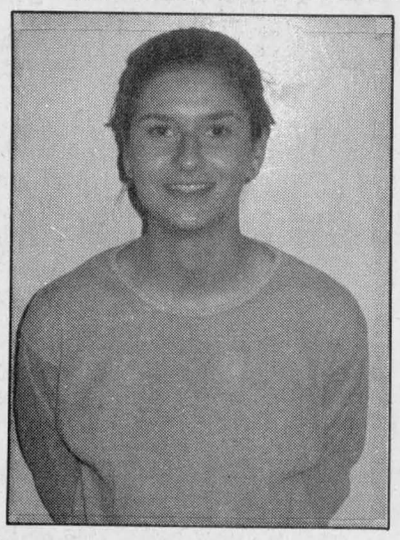
THE INSIDE SCOOP
Best high school sports memory:
Scoring 33 points in a game last year.

Person who has most influenced you in sports (and how):
Michael Jordan. He inspired everybody, athletes and non-athletes alike and now I want to be like Mike.

If you could be granted one sports-related wish, what would it be?:
To play in the NBA.

Something about yourself that your friends may not know:
I'm not as quiet as they think.

High school profiles



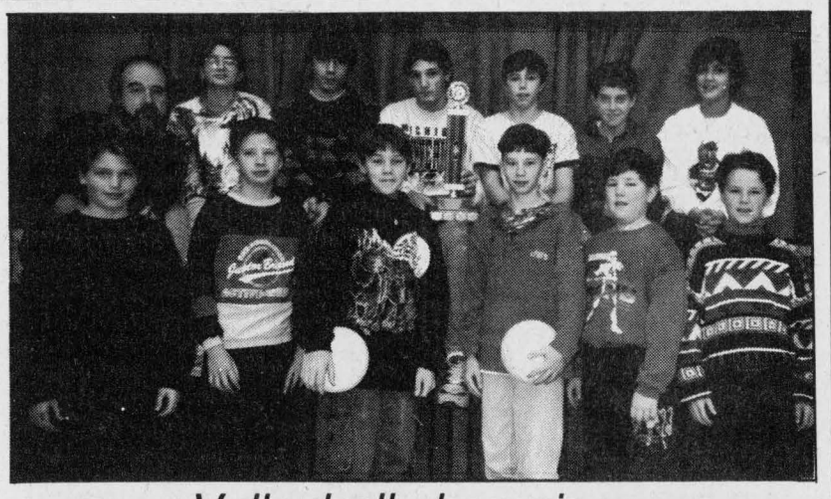
THE FACTS
Name: Jaime Claude
Age: 18
Team: Senior girls' volleyball
Position: Power hitter
Number: 20

FAVORITES
Sport: Skiing
Singer or group: Offspring
Food: Froot Loops
TV show: Saturday Night Live

THE INSIDE SCOOP
Best high school sports memory:
Winning the SD&G championships in junior volleyball when I was in Grade 10.

Person who has most influenced you in sports (and how):
My dad is really involved in sports and he has always encouraged me to do the same.

If you could be granted one sports-related wish, what would it be?:
To be really good at any sport.



Volleyball champions

Ecole Laurier Carriere of Glen Robertson won the boys' championship at an elementary school tournament held at Iona Academy last month. Team members were (front row, left to right) Pierre-Paul Decoeur, Mark Van den Oetelaar, Gregory Hagen, Shaun Sutton, Marc Sauve, Travis Hagen, (back row) coach Paul Hurtubise, Lisa St.Denis, Yvon Guays, Steven Van den Oetelaar, Luc Lanthier, Sylvain Decoeur and Emilie Ranger.

Staff photo-J.L. Lefebvre

Fontaine nets three goals

The following is a list of Char-Lan Minor Hockey house league scores for the past week:

Novice: Fontaine Renovation 6 (Mike Fontaine 3, Tim McKay, Patrice Brunet) Curry Hill Lumber 2 (Patrick Lemay 2).

Rozon Insurance 7 (Alain Lalonde 2, Chris Smith, Corey Lalonde, Bradley MacCulloch, Julien Borris, Willie deWit) St.Pierre Garage 0.

Atom: MacDonald Grocery 5 (Steven Rogers 3, Ed Hadzocos 2) Glengarry Kinsmen (Justin Lalonde 2, Chris Houle 2).

McCuaig Plumbing 4 (Jean Charles Dumont, Troy Shaver, Jorin Parthenais, Jason Cooper) Cornwall Aviation 2 (Matthew Gordon, Brian Brownlee).

Aviation 1 (Matthew Gordon) Kinsmen 1 (Nicholas Buckle).

McCuaig 6 (Jason Cooper 2, Jean Charles Dumont 2, Troy Shaver, Jorin Parthenais) MacDonald 1 (Joel Lemay).

Bantam-midget: Mac's Marina 5 (Scott Martin 2, Dan Olsson, Pat Alguire, Reid Guest) Poirier Bus Lines 3 (Chris Wereley 2, Robert Martin).

Gauthier's Greenhouse 4 (Mike Quenneville 2, Trevor Atchison, Steven Alguire) N.G.S. 0.

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The Char-Lan atom travelling was in Canton on Friday where they won an exhibition game 8-1.

Leo Dignard, Matthew Verdone and Kyle Fraser each scored twice. Robbie Kinloch and Steven Jarvo scored once.

Char-Lan juniors hit win column

Shawn Brabant scored 11 points and Rory Blackadder added 10 as the Char-Lan junior boys' basketball team won its first game of the year last Tuesday at Tagwi.

The Crusaders defeated the Warriors 47-39 as part of a Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry high school tripleheader at the Avonmore school.

Kevin O'Farrell had eight points for Char-Lan while Kevin Anderson had 14 for Tagwi.

Peter Jack scored 22 points as the senior Warriors routed Char-Lan 91-36.

Todd Stelmach (15), Darryl Sobering (12) and Kevin MacKillican (10) also scored in double figures for the Warriors. Jeff Proctor (13) and Mike Bissonnette (eight) were Char-Lan's top scorers.

Tagwi won the midget game 26-16. Doug Ferguson scored eight points for Tagwi while Tim McCuaig had five for the Crusaders.

Midget Glens shade Selects

Pascal Decoeur, Eric Lavigne and Alain Decoste each scored once as the Alexandria Midget Glens defeated South Stormont 3-2 in Upper Canada Minor Hockey League action at the Billy Gebbie Arena on Saturday.

Eric McCarthy had two assists for the Glens.

On Dec. 12, Alexandria blanked the Morrisburg Lions 2-0 behind the shutout goaltending of Julien Oetelaar.

Pascal Decoeur and Marc Gauthier were the Alexandria goalscorers.

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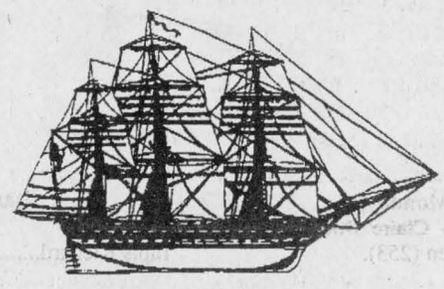

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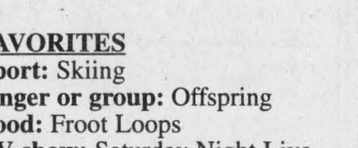

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Jessie Lucas is a busy Manor resident who grew up in Ottawa but who has deep roots in the Maxville-Moose Creek areas through the McDougalls, McLeans and Grants. Mrs. Lucas enjoyed a very special event in November. She wrote an account of it for the Manor Chatter and in part explained, "In the summer of 1994 I realized that the 60th anniversary of the opening of the Montreal Neurological Institute would be in September, so I wrote to them asking if there would be a celebration to mark the occasion. I received an invitation to attend it. On Nov. 9, my son Don drove me to Montreal for a day to remember with many activities. I was hoping I would see some former associates from 1934 but it seems I was the only one still around. They took pictures of me, presented me with a huge bouquet of flowers and I assisted in cutting the birthday cake with 60 candles on it."

Mrs. Lucas also explained about obtaining work at the Institute: "My twin brother Bill was interning in neurosurgery in Montreal under Dr. Wilder Penfield and for our February birthday invited me to Montreal to meet Dr. Penfield and perhaps find employment under him. I was successful in that and started work in September 1934 when the new building was due to open."

We thank Mrs. Lucas for sharing these experiences with our readers. Kingston Hospital. We extend our condolences to his wife Margaret, his two daughters and their families and his siblings and their families, Margaret Munroe, Maxville, William, Palmer, Alaska, Robert, Regina and Donald, Saudi Arabia. He was predeceased by his brother Her daughter, Janet Marr is a former Glen Robertson correspondent for the *Glengarry News*.

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Last Sunday in the United Church, baby Daniel Heinz Speuhler was admitted into membership of the Holy Catholic Church through the sacrament of baptism. Daniel is the son of Alice and Martin Speuhler who farm north of St. Isidore and his godparents are Karen Villeneuve, Moose Creek and his uncle, Heinz Keesler, Clarenceville, Que., Grandparents from Crysler and St. Isidore were also in attendance.

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The Valley Farmers Forum carried the following news item: "The Ontario Federation of Agriculture has hired Allison Shannon of Mallorytown as a Member Services Representative for the counties of Frontenac, Leeds, Grenville and Dundas. She is a graduate of the Crop Science program at the University of Guelph and currently lives on a beef farm.....She grew up on a dairy farm at Maxville in Glengarry County." Allison is the daughter of Gwen and the late Stewart Arkinstall, Athol.

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When your correspondent referred to some of his readers as oldtimers, he often had in mind, Herb MacKillican of Bath. After a lengthy illness that he bravely accepted, Mr. MacKillican died last Friday in a Douglas and his parents C. Gordon and his wife, the former Katie Cass.

Many of his letters are on file with reminiscences of the olden days.

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Martial Brabant, a village firefighter has been busy with educational projects at our local schools. During Fire Prevention Week in October, coloring contests were sponsored and the submissions judged. At the St. Bernard School, Jessica MacRae and Katrina Allard earned top prizes and were treated to a pizza lunch and a rescue unit truck ride around town. Melanie Richer and Jamie Lacombe earned a fire prevention mug with a $10 bill tucked inside.

At the public school, the same prizes were awarded to April MacPherson, Sheena Hillier and Trevor MacKay.

On Nov. 29, Mr. Brabant spoke to all grades at the St. Bernard School on fire prevention at Christmas time and on Dec. 1, he gave another day of his time to the students of Junior Kindergarten to Grade 6 at the public school.

His message to our readers is to keep Christmas trees away from all heat sources, to water the trees regularly and for all to have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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The winners in last week's Lions Club Calendar draw were Bob Haggart, Ville St. Laurent, Que., Jason McIntosh, Apple Hill, Madeleine Greene, Cornwall, Bernie MacDonell, Cornwall, Maria Paquette, St. Albert, and Lyla Dupuis. The next column will carry the names of the winners of real big prizes.

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We received an early Christmas present in the form of a new grandson born to our daughter Beverly and her husband Russ Fisher in the Grimsby Hospital on Sunday. His name is William Wray and he has a 3-year-old sister all ready to help look after him at home.

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The congregation of St. Michael and All Angels Anglican Church served a full house of diners at the sports complex last Friday evening. It was its annual Christmas dinner which was shared by all those who were able to purchase tickets. The food was abundant and all enjoyed the evening of dining, carol singing and fellowship.

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Corn producers in the area are eagerly waiting for the announcement that an ethanol plant will be constructed in Cornwall. The corn starch is converted to sugar in the process and then the sugar to ethyl alcohol and carbon dioxide by yeast. A local daily paper referred to ethanol as "an alcohol-like substance." In fact ethanol and ethyl alcohol are the same substance, used in alcoholic beverages, many industrial processes and now as a 10 per cent additive in gasoline.

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A very appreciative audience, including residents from here, enjoyed the Christmas concert given by Ken Roach in St. Finnan's Cathedral in Alexandria on Sunday. The magnificent church was tastefully decorated for Christmas and Mr. Roach's tremendous voice and repertoire ensured a very enjoyable time.

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Ubald Cardinal reported seeing two robins at his country property southwest of the village ten days ago. They had plenty of protection there but food would have been very limited and hopefully they migrated soon after this sighting.

On Monday, a small flock of evening grosbeaks appeared at our feeders for the first time this fall. There were 10, a sufficient number to feed for the winter.

Also on Monday, a red squirrel scurried by the window. It was the first red squirrel I have seen here for a long time. There was a black one out too. These become less troublesome at the feeders as the cold weather approaches.

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Ninety years ago, among the debaters at Alexandria High School was Ross McDougall, the father of Sybil MacPhee of Dunvegan. He was also a relative of Jessie Lucas.

Seventy years ago, Alma MacLeod joined the first nursing class at the Ottawa Civic Hospital. She later became Mrs. O. F. Villeneuve and the mother of Ronald, F.B. and Brian. This summer, Mrs. Villeneuve left her home and became a Manor resident. The late Mr. Villeneuve, as our MPP, played a large part in having Maxville Manor built.

There should still be a few around who remember the carloads of Western horses brought east for sale. They were cheap, a bit of a gamble and prone to heaves, an ailment of the lungs. Some of these horses were hard to sell until the price dropped to rock bottom. In those days, horse meat was not sold for human consumption.

Thirty years ago, E. W. "Willie" Munro was killed in a car-truck accident. He was the Glengarry game warden and the father of the late Arnold Munro.

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The Community euchre at the Manor is next week on Dec. 28 at 1:30 p.m.

Starting in the new year under the S.O.S. program will be dancing lessons, rummy games and a cooking club. Tai chi lessons are also resuming in January.

Director Phyllis Burtenshaw and coordinator Kim Aube of the S.O.S. program wish to extend compliments of the season to all.

Appointments announced

The French Language Section of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry public schools has announced two important appointments within the area of French language education.

Thérèse Chaput, currently principal of Horizon-Jeunesse, will be assuming the leadership of the new French-language elementary school in the east end as its principal as of September 1995. Site work is already under way on Second Street East and construction will begin early in the new year to accommodate the increasing demand for French-language public education in Cornwall.

Mrs.Chaput brings with her the experience she has gained as the founding principal of Horizon-Jeunesse which, since 1991, has soared from an enrolment of 145 to its present enrolment of 402.

Odette Lamontagne, presently vice-principal, has been appointed as principal of Horizon-Jeunesse effective Sept. 1995. Before her arrival within Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, Mrs. Lamontagne had gained experience teaching at the elementary and secondary levels in Oshawa, North York and Toronto besides having taught at Lahr in Germany for four years and earlier in Africa for three years. Immediately prior to her arrival at Horizon-Jeunesse, she was a program consultant at the Ministry of Education in Toronto.

The French Language Section is proceeding on these appointments as a result of identifying school needs and in consultation with the individuals involved. According to Mr. Saint-Aubin "the French Language Section is proud to entrust these schools to such competent educators and remains very conscious of the importance of such decisions."

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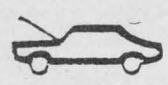



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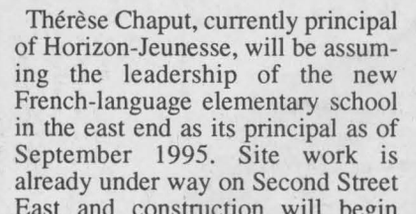

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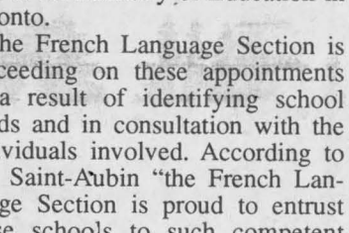

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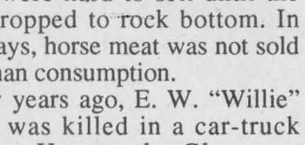

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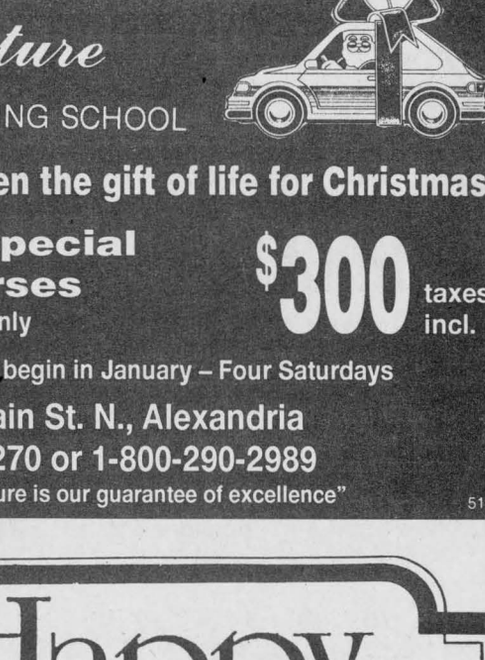

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Dosage: The dose or daily intake recommended depends on your body size, for a 155 lb. male 35 international units is satisfactory. The vitamin E is packaged in tablet form (labeled Vitamin E succinate) or in gelatin capsules (labeled Vitamin E acetate) but either form is easily absorbed by the body providing you remember it's one of the fat-soluble vitamins so best taken with a slice of buttered toast or a croissant.

Cost: Depends on whether its extracted from natural sources or is manufactured (synthetic). The natural vitamin E is more expensive (almost double) but is more potent. A container of 100 tablets (synthetic) costs about $4. The natural vitamin E undergoes some 10 distillations compared to only four for the synthetic, hence the difference in cost. North Americans are so enthused that they buy more than $425M worth of vitamin E and our local drug store says it's a top seller, about equal to the sale of vitamin C.

Evidence: The pharmaceutical industry, governments and the scientific community have been very active in determining the efficacity of vitamin E for over four decades. The U.S. government is currently funding 20+ trials. Some of these are epidemiological (comparing statistically and geographically, people with differing normal intakes of vitamin E) animal studies (mostly involving lab rats), and clinical (juxtapositioning vitamin E takers with those people on placebos). Some of these trials have indicated no clear advantage in vitamin E as a dietary supplement but in other instances there are distinct advantages. One of the largest of these studies took place over five years and involved a very large number of people in China. The chief result was in finding a significant lower risk of terminal cancer – it gave a 13 per cent lower risk. The test was conducted in Linxinn province, a rural part so we must recognize that their normal diet is quite different from North America as they eat a lot of fibre (mostly vegetable so low in cholesterol). Half of the people took vitamin E together with selenium and beta-carotene while the comparison group received placebos. Another major study which came out last year was the Harvard study involving 87,000 women, and a companion study with 40,000 men. In both the vitamin E supplement takers (for at least two years) had a 40 per cent less heart disease. This significant finding must be tempered with the thought that people more aware of health hazards, i.e., the vitamin E taker have better health habits, such as being nonsmokers, so are far less at risk.

If you're looking for natural sources of vitamin E, Nellie Snyder points out that the rind of oranges is rich in vitamin E but make sure it's well rinsed as citrus growers are heavy on pesticide usage. As most Glengarrians appreciate the Scots were creatively right to invent marmalade.

Warning: One thing in this complicated scenario of vitamin therapy is that the cosmetic industries who add vitamin E to lotions, even sunscreens and claim increased protection against skin cancer, are not honest. The amount of vitamin E added to such products is too dilute to have any effect.

A word of caution, vitamin E can cause bleeding in people who are on anticoagulant blood thinner. Finally, vitamins, like most enzymes, do not function on their own. They require co-factors, often minerals, in very small amounts, so-called trace elements. We need, for instance, a daily intake of selenium (0.05 mg/day), chromium (0.05 mg/day), copper (2 mg/day), molybdenum (0.5 mg/day).

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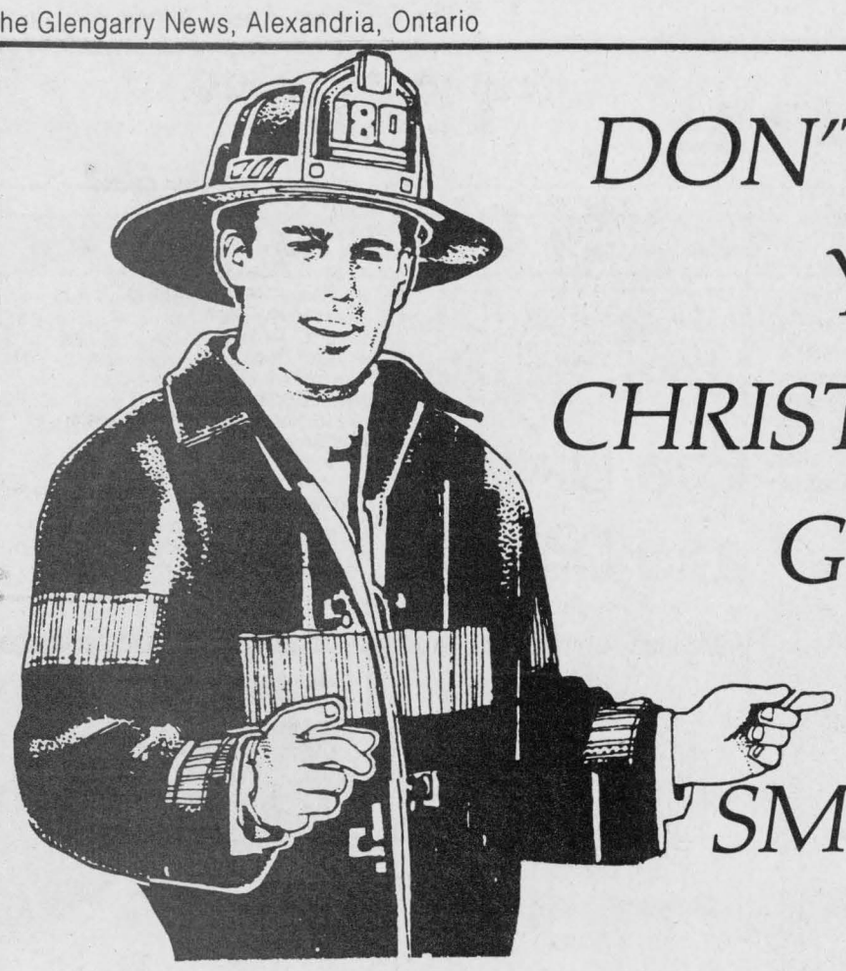

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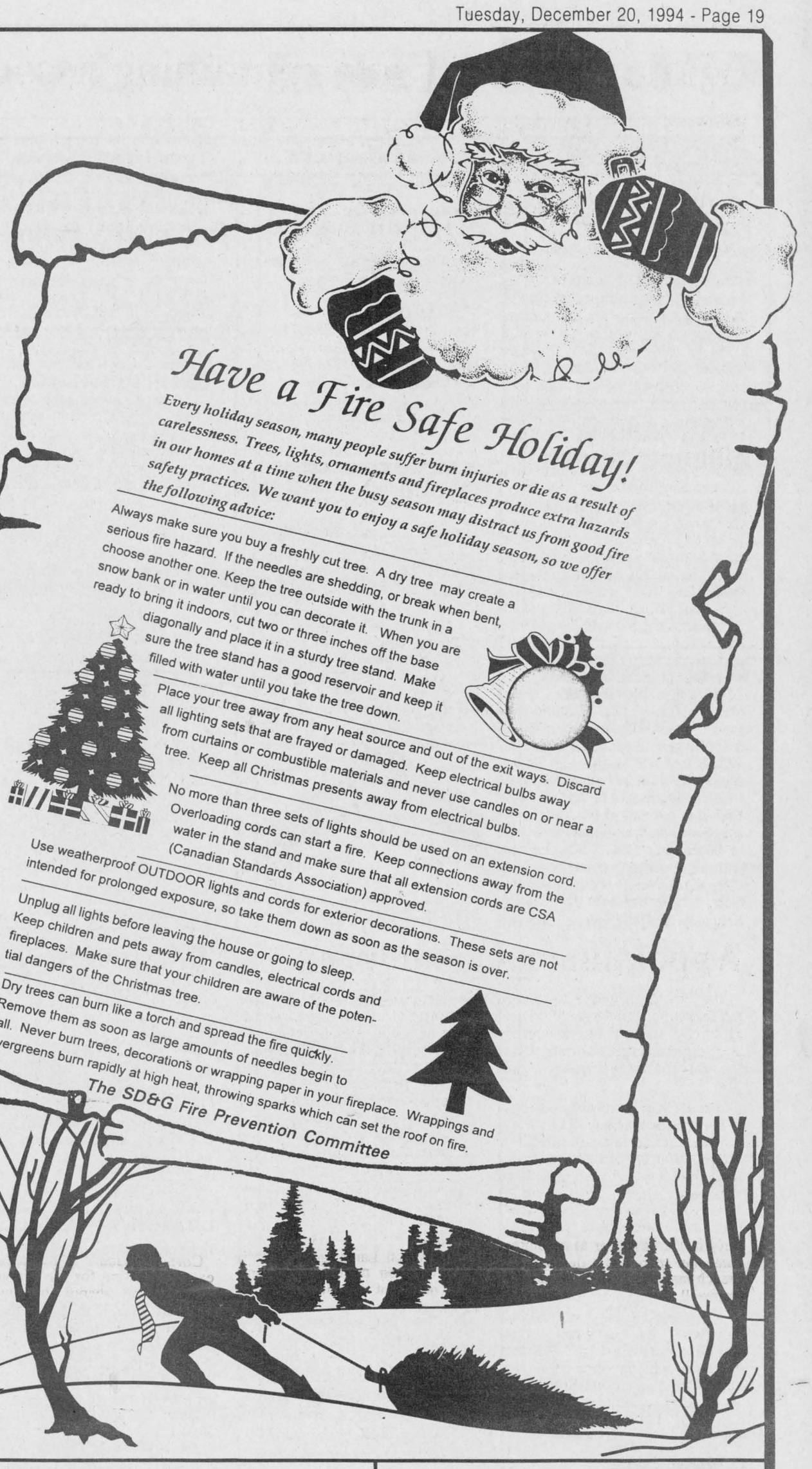

Have a Fire Safe Holiday!

Every holiday season, many people suffer burn injuries or die as a result of carelessness. Trees, lights, ornaments and fireplaces produce extra hazards in our homes at a time when the busy season may distract us from good fire safety practices. We want you to enjoy a safe holiday season, so we offer the following advice:

Always make sure you buy a freshly cut tree. A dry tree may create a serious fire hazard. If the needles are shedding, or break when bent, choose another one. Keep the tree outside with the trunk in a snow bank or in water until you can decorate it. When you are ready to bring it indoors, cut two or three inches off the base diagonally and place it in a sturdy tree stand. Make sure the tree stand has a good reservoir and keep it filled with water until you take the tree down.

Place your tree away from any heat source and out of the exit ways. Discard all lighting sets that are frayed or damaged. Keep electrical bulbs away from curtains or combustible materials and never use candles on or near a tree. Keep all Christmas presents away from electrical bulbs.

No more than three sets of lights should be used on an extension cord. Overloading cords can start a fire. Keep connections away from the water in the stand and make sure that all extension cords are CSA (Canadian Standards Association) approved.

Use weatherproof OUTDOOR lights and cords for exterior decorations. These sets are not intended for prolonged exposure, so take them down as soon as the season is over.

Unplug all lights before leaving the house or going to sleep.

Keep children and pets away from candles, electrical cords and fireplaces. Make sure that your children are aware of the potential dangers of the Christmas tree.

Dry trees can burn like a torch and spread the fire quickly. Remove them as soon as large amounts of needles begin to fall. Never burn trees, decorations or wrapping paper in your fireplace. Wrappings and evergreens burn rapidly at high heat, throwing sparks which can set the roof on fire.

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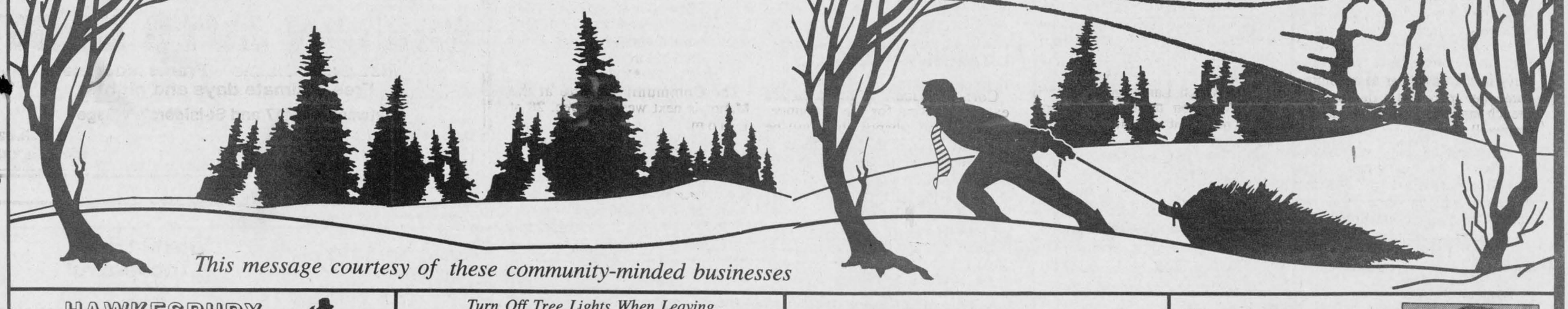

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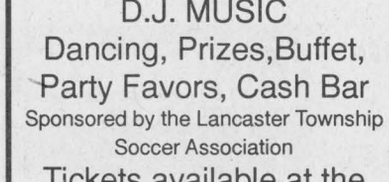
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Births

GAREAU – Mark, Jackie (Huot) along with big sisters Caralyn and Gabrielle are thrilled to announce the early and safe delivery of a special "Christmas Angel." Patrick Raymond was born on Friday, November 25, 1994 at the Ottawa Civic Hospital, 11:46 a.m., weighing 6 lbs. 11 ozs. Proud grandparents are Catherine and Real Huot, Alexandria and Patricia and Mario Gareau, R.R. 1, Lancaster.

In Memoriam

McNEIL – In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Anna Mae (Sally) who was called away December 21, 1988.
No longer in our lives to share
But in our hearts you're always there,
With broken hearts we whisper low
"God bless you Mom, we miss you so,"
Memory is the only friend that grief can call its own.
– Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by yur children, Alan, Bonnie, Maney, Norma, Pamela and families. 51-1p

ARCHAMBAULT – In loving memory of a dear nephew, Jason, who passed away 13 years ago.
He was a flower too sweet for earth
Sent but for a while;
God marked him at his birth,
And took him with a smile.
– Always remembered by aunt, Barbara. 51-1p

MacMILLAN – In loving memory of a dear mother, grandmother and great grandmother, Janet, who passed away December 22, 1992.
A silent thought, a secret tear,
Keeps her memory ever dear,
Time takes away the edge of grief,
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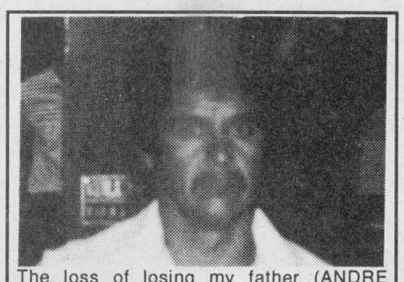
ST. LOUIS – In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Yvonne, who passed away December 27, 1987, and father and grandfather, John, who passed away Jan. 10, 1971.
If I had the world to give,
I'd give it, yes, and more,
To hear your voices and see your smiles,
And greet you at my door.
But all I can do, dear parents,
Is go and tend your graves,
And leave behind tokens of love,
To the best parents God ever made.
I like to think, when life is done,
Wherever heaven may be,
That you'll be standing at the door
Up there to welcome us.
– Sadly missed by son, David and Jacqueline and family. 51-1p


The loss of losing my father (ANDRE DUMONT who passed away on Dec. 25th, 1993 at age 44)
He was here, loved and gone
His life had true meaning
How could he let it end
I laugh, I smile, I play the part
But beneath it all is a broken heart
I hide the tears when I speak his name
As well as memories
Many things still remain.
The pure heartache and pain
I'd give my very soul
For one final goodbye
Then he'd know how I feel
And no price is too high
Now our family ties are broken
Miss you so dearly, love your children Julie, Marc, Samantha Dumont and granddaughter 51-1p

Card of Thanks

THE nieces and nephews of the late Alex John McDonald wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to family and friends for mass offerings and floral tributes at the time of his death. Special thanks to Ron Munro and staff, and the of St. Raphael's Parish for the lovely luncheon. A very special thank you to Donald McDougald for arranging through the Black Watch Regiment for the services of an excellent piper for a final tribute to a true Scottish Glengarrian. –Shirley, Walter, Willa and Gwenyth (Gunn).

McDONALD – I would like to thank family, friends and relatives who helped celebrate my 90th birthday. I want to especially thank Bishop LaRocque and Father Cameron for dropping in at the Legion hall and Father Vaillancourt for his congratulatory telephone call. The musical entertainment was so enjoyable, the cards, gifts and good wishes were much appreciated. Having my son Bill home from Edmonton, together with the rest of my family for this occasion, was the greatest gift of all. Thanks again. – Irene McDonald. 51-1p

OSBORNE – We extend a heartfelt thank you and deep appreciation to relatives, friends and neighbors for many acts of kindness during the recent loss of a husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather. We gratefully acknowledge your prayers, visits, cards of sympathy, floral tributes, memorial donations, food and calls of encouragement and support during our difficult time; also for the excellent service and personal care given from the Red Cross Homemaker Services and the VON for the past number of years.
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Deaths

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SONNE, EDWARD (Ted) - suddenly at Ottawa General Hospital on Wednesday, December 14th, 1994. Age 74-yrs. Beloved husband of Kathryn Carre. Dear father of Brenda, John Sr. and Brian. Will be sadly missed by 7 grandchildren, one sister Betty and one brother Robert. Relatives and friends called at Munro & Morris Funeral Home, 114 Main St. South, Alexandria on Thursday, December 15th. Funeral service was held in the funeral home on Friday, December 16th at 2 p.m. followed by cremation. In lieu of flowers donations to the charity of your choice would be greatly appreciated by the family 51-1c

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FERGUSON, KENNETH - suddenly in Cornwall hospital on Wednesday, December 14th, 1994. Age 67 yrs. Beloved husband of Gilberte Gobeil. Survived by his children, grandchildren and 2 brothers, James and Lance. Relatives and friends called at Munro & Morris Funeral Home, 114 Main Street South, Alexandria on Friday. Funeral service was held in the funeral home on Friday, December 16th at 3 p.m. Cremation followed.

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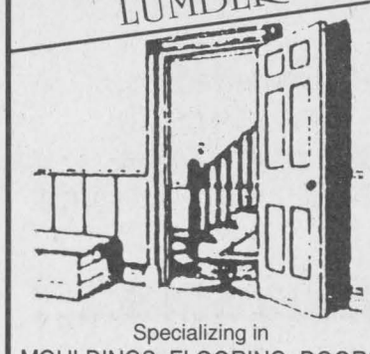

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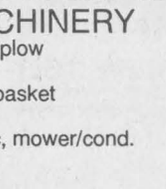

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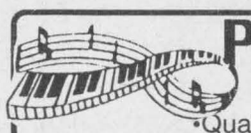

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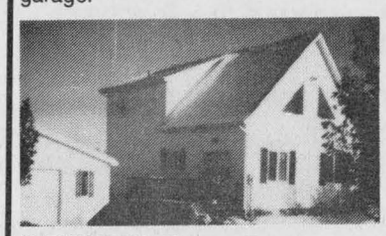

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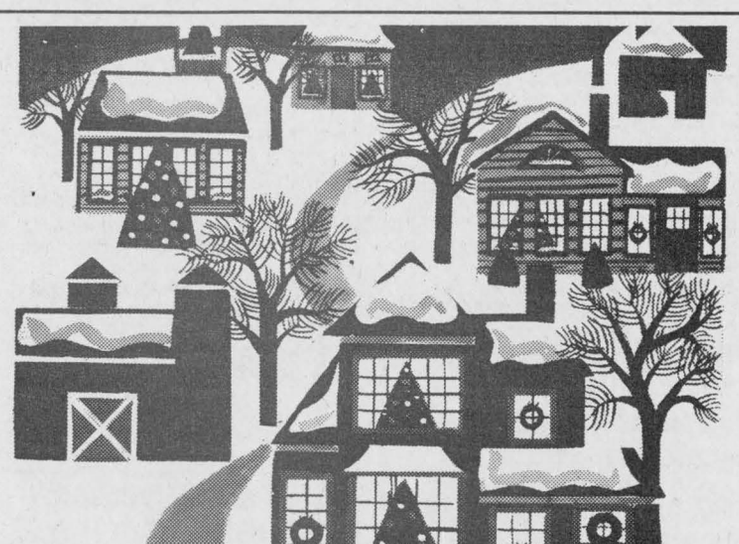

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– Barbara McDonald. 50-1p

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Roger Davidson, Director of Education
Alphonse Lafrance, Board Chairperson

AVIS

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AUCTION SALE
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BLUE BOX PROGRAM

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LOOSE MATERIALS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

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LANDFILL SITE HOLIDAY HOURS
Dec. 24 and 31 - 9:00 - 12:00

HAVE A MERRY AND SAFE HOLIDAY SEASON

Waste Management Co-ordinator
Township of Roxborough

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NOTICE
LOCHIEL RESIDENTS
Garbage and Recycling Pick-up
Monday, December 26th
will be done
Tuesday, December 27th

Usual pick-up days will resume for the remainder of the holiday season
By order Lochiel Council
525-3283

AVIS
Résidents du Canton de Lochiel

La collection d'ordures et de recyclage du lundi, le 26 décembre sera fait mardi, le 27 décembre
mais retournera à l'horaire habituel pour le restant de la saison des fêtes.
Par l'ordre du Conseil du Canton de Lochiel
525-3283

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FINAL NOTICE
TO RESIDENTS
1995 LAY COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
TOWNSHIP OF CHARLOTTENBURGH

The Township of Charlottenburgh is seeking qualified, interested Residents to sit on the following Lay Committees:

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT
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PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE
NORTH LANDFILL PUBLIC LIAISON COMMITTEE
CHARLOTTENBURGH RECREATION, PARKS AND COMMUNITY CENTRES ADVISORY COMMITTEE
LOCAL ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Residents wishing to submit their names for these Committees may do so in writing (clearly stating the Committee of their choice, complete mailing address, telephone number) before

DECEMBER 28, 1994.

MARCEL J. LAPIERRE
ADMINISTRATOR-CLERK
TOWNSHIP OF CHARLOTTENBURGH

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CHARLOTTENBURGH TOWNSHIP
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WILLIAMSTOWN, ONTARIO
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NOTICE
TOWNSHIP OF KENYON

The regular Council Meeting of December 27, 1994 has been cancelled and rescheduled to

DECEMBER 29, 1994 AT 1:00 P.M.

BY ORDER OF COUNCIL

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FORM 1
PLANNING ACT, R.S.O., 1990

NOTICE OF THE PASSING OF A ZONING BY-LAW BY
THE VILLAGE OF MAXVILLE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Maxville passed By-law No. 95-05 on the 13th day of December, 1994 under Section 34 of the Planning Act.

AND TAKE NOTICE that any person or agency may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the by-law by filing with the clerk of the Village of Maxville not later than the 11th day of January, 1995 a notice of appeal setting out the objection to the by-law and the reasons in support of the objection.

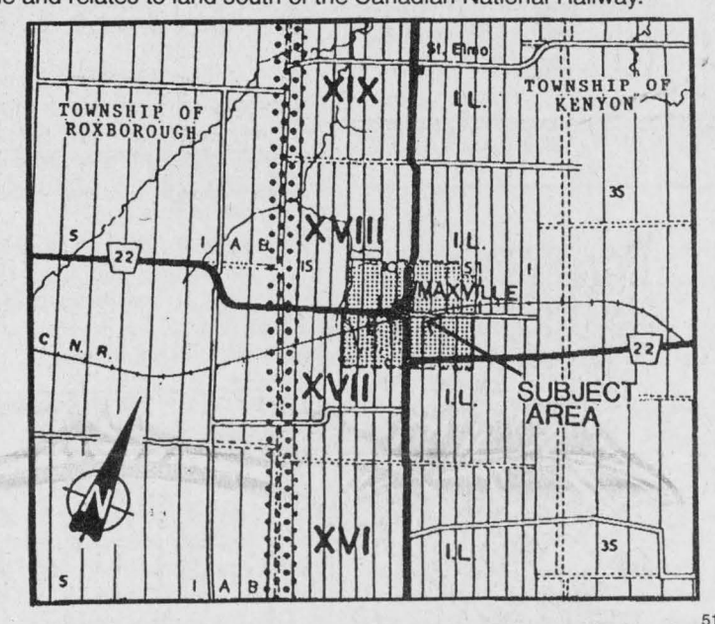
An explanation of the purpose and effect of the by-law, describing the lands to which the by-law applies, and a key map showing the location of the lands to which the by-law applies, (or alternatively, an explanation as to why a key map is not provided) are attached. The complete by-law is available for inspection in my office during regular office hours.

DATED at the Village of Maxville this 16th day of December, 1994.

Mrs. Connie Charbonneau
Clerk-Treasurer, Village of Maxville
P. O. Box 277, Maxville, Ontario K0C1T0
Telephone: (613) 527-2705

EXPLANATORY NOTE
AMENDING ZONING BY-LAW NO. 95-05

The Zoning By-law Amendment rezones approximately .63 hectares (1.56 acres) of vacant land located on Lots 14-17, Block "D", Registered Plan No. 39, in the Village of Maxville (as shown below), from "Rural and Holding (RU)" to "Residential, First Density (R1Z1)" to allow the property to be utilized for residential purposes to be serviced by well and septic tank system. The "Z1" zone refers to special standards within the "R1" zone and relates to land south of the Canadian National Railway.



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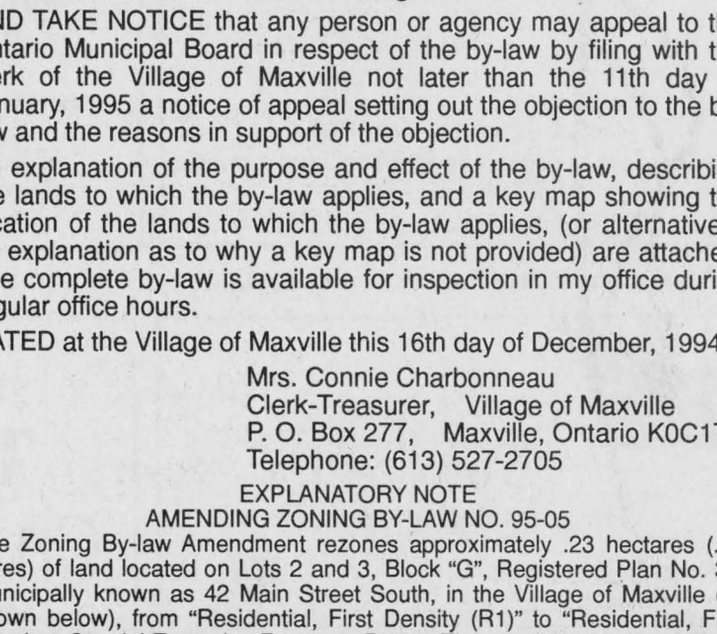
EXPLANATORY NOTE
AMENDING ZONING BY-LAW NO. 95-05

The Zoning By-law Amendment rezones approximately .23 hectares (.57 acres) of land located on Lots 2 and 3, Block "G", Registered Plan No. 32, municipally known as 42 Main Street South, in the Village of Maxville (as shown below), from "Residential, First Density (R1)" to "Residential, First Density - Special Exception Zone - 1 (R1-1)". The special exception zone is required as the proposal to utilize the property by the owner and resident, as a home occupation to operate a bake shop, tea room, bed and breakfast and ancillary craft shop, requires that 22 per cent of the floor area of the dwelling unit be devoted to said uses and that parking for more than one vehicle be permitted. It has been determined that sufficient parking could be made available to meet the requirements of By-law No. 82-08. At present the by-law permits not more than 10 per cent of the floor area to be utilized. Appropriate definitions are also added to the comprehensive By-law.



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Auld Lang Syne

NINETY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, December 22, 1899

•Miss Catherine McPhee of the New York Conservatory of Music, arrived in town yesterday to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. A. D. McPhee, Kenyon Street.

•The trustees of SS No. 5, Fassifern, have finished the erection of the new school house, which is complete in every detail. Angus P. McDonald was the contractor.

•W. B. McDiarmid and Howard Munro, medical students at McGill College, are spending their holidays at their Maxville homes.

•J. R. McLaurin of Vankleek Hill, has purchased the south half of Lot 9 in the 9th Con. of Lochiel, from R. A. Campbell of Douglas, Ont.

•Donald Kennedy and wife of St. Elmo, left on Tuesday evening on an extended visit to their sons in Idaho.

EIGHTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, December 24, 1909

•The Sunday morning eastbound passenger train left the tracks a little west of the Buffalo cut when tires on the trucks of the tender were lost. There were no injuries among the crew or passengers.

•Misses Tena, Annie and Ella Macdonald were in Montreal on Saturday attending the ordination of Ewen J. Macdonald as Deacon, which took place in St. James Cathedral.

•Mr. and Mrs. Donald McPhee are taking possession of their handsome new residence on Kenyon Street East, this week.

*Charlie McKinnon arrived in Greenfield from Nipigon last week.

•Miss Amy McPhee, nurse-in-training, St. Joseph's Hospital, London, Ont., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McPhee.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, December 26, 1919

•Much oratorical ability was displayed by students of Alexandria High School in the contest held Tuesday evening in Alexander Hall. The winners were: Miss Della Douglas, whose subject was "Public Speaking in the 20th Century," Alexander F. McDonald, who spoke on "Patriotism"; Alexander F. McDonald, who spoke on "Patriotism"; and Miss Ella Dever, whose subject was "Canadian Literature and Canadian Poets."

•We understand Dr. A. L. Raymond has disposed of his property, corner of Elgin and Harrison Streets, to Peter Morris of Lochiel, who shortly purposes taking up his residence in our midst.

•The Misses Barbara Costello, Eunice Simpson, Margaret Duggan, Ernest Sauve and Franklin McIntosh, Queen's University students are holidaying at their respective homes here.

•Rev. Ewen J. Macdonald, who is taking a post graduate course at Washington University, is at the Palace for the holidays.

•Clarence Ostrom of Toronto, is spending some days in town.

SIXTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, December 27, 1929

•Louis, Paul and Romeo Huot, Rolland Rouleau, Maurice Pilon and Leopold Lalonde, students, Ottawa University, are at their respective homes for the holidays.

•Levi Pilon, an elderly resident of Maxville, had a narrow escape from serious if not fatal injuries at the level crossing in that town Tuesday afternoon. His horse was struck by a freight engine and killed, the cutter being reduced to kindling. Mr. Pilon escaped with a severe shaking up.

•Wallace Morris, who spent several months in Cobalt, arrived home on Sunday and has resumed his duties on the local staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

FIFTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, December 22, 1939

•Thrown eight feet by a bull while attending his stock, Hugh Blair of Athol, was saved by his hired man wielding a pitchfork when the bull started to charge again. Mr. Blair suffered two fractured ribs.

•The First Canadian Division landed in Britain, Sunday.

•R. H. Cowan was elected president of the Alexandria Curling Club, succeeding Dr. R. J. McCallum.

•F. L. Pommier returned Tuesday following treatment in Cornwall and Montreal hospitals. Mr. Pommier was seriously injured in an automobile accident near Lancaster on December 3rd.

•Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lariviere and little son, Roger of Spring Creek, left Friday to reside at Malartic, Que., where he has secured a good position in the gold mines.

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, December 23, 1949

•Roderick McDougall of Dalkeith was awarded damages of $4,253.34 and costs during current sessions of the Ontario Supreme Court. He was seriously injured by a hit-run driver on Christmas night, 1948.

•Fraser Campbell of Dunvegan was elected secretary-treasurer at the annual meeting of the Glengarry Federation of Agriculture.

•A Moose Creek truck driver, Hormidas Cuerrier, 50, was seriously injured Tuesday in a two-truck collision in Ville Emard.

•A native of Glengarry, Miss Olga MacDonald, of the editorial staff of "The Ensign," flew to Rome this week to represent her paper at the Christmas eve ceremonies at Vatican City of the opening of the Holy Door.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Thursday, December 24, 1959

•Highway 34 at Lancaster was blocked for three hours Sunday evening after 27 cars of a fast freight left the rails. One line was restored to traffic Monday as railway workers coped with bitter cold.

•Papers were signed Monday turning over the Sacony plant to the Perth Shoe Company.

•Raymond Filion, Glen Roy merchant, suffered a broken arm early Tuesday while helping a motorist who was stuck. He was taking his car out of the garage when it was struck by a truck. Harvey Quesnel, 19, of Apple Hill, suffered facial lacerations.

•Dalkeith has its own skating rink, organized by the recently formed Dalkeith Recreation Association.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Thursday, December 23, 1969

•The Robert McKay family had their home one mile north of Alexandria badly damaged in a Friday night fire.

•Publisher of the Eastern Ontario Review at Vankleek Hill, Andrew Boyer was honored last week by members of the Counties Council of Prescott and Russell. Completing his third term as warden of the United Counties during a period of 29 years in which he served as reeve of Vankleek Hill, Mr. Boyer retired this fall from the field of municipal politics.

•Additional office space and enlargement of the van parking space are in the works at Glengarry Transport Ltd. just south of the town limits.

•Members of the Alexandria Lions Club entertained at a Christmas party for the children of Lions members Sunday and later packed and distributed 32 Christmas baskets to town and area families.

•Holiday shoppers need not feed those hungry parking meters over the yuletide. As was the case last year an "unofficial" holiday is being observed by the police and no tickets will be handed out for meter "violation."

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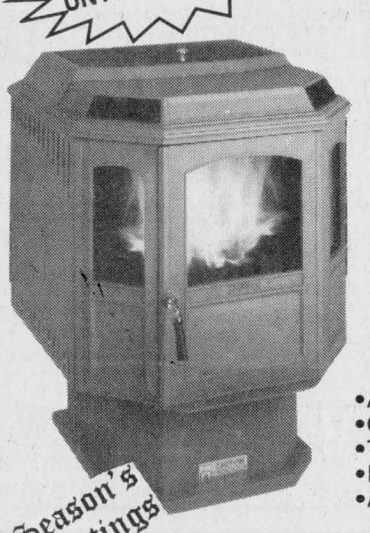
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Obituaries

Albert Lajoie

Albert Lajoie passed away peacefully at his home in Dalkeith on Saturday, Nov. 26, 1994. at the age of 84.

Mr. Lajoie was born at St. Eugene, a son of the late Frank and Elizabeth (Massia) Lajoie. He lived and worked most of his life in the Dalkeith area. In his latter years he enjoyed gardening and carpentry work.

Mr. Lajoie is survived by his wife Marie (Auger), Dalkeith, and five daughters, Barbara (Bernard Massia), Hawkesbury, Shirley Lajoie, Kingston, Mary Jane (Gilles Chabot), Alexandria, Betty Anne (Thomas Cooper), Cornwall, and Linda Laferriere, Indian Rock Beach, Florida. He will be sadly missed by many grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren.

He was predeceased by an infant daughter Florence and by son Rene and daughter Laura; also by two brothers Omer and Leo Lajoie and a sister Emily Smith.

Mass of Christian burial was held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 29 at St. Alexander's Church, Lochiel. Rev. Bernard Cameron officiated. Burial was in St. Alexander's parish cemetery.

Pallbearers were: James, Angela and Thomas Cooper Jr., Richard and Gilles Chabot, Grace Gauvreau and Allan Hassel, and Kevin Titley.

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To the staff of the *Glengarry News* and all who read my column I want to wish a very Merry Christmas. Many thanks to the many people who supply the news to me each week. Don't forget to call me with your holiday visitors or holiday trips.

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Shirley Lajoie, Kingston and Linda Laferriere, Indian Rock Beach, Florida, stayed over with their mother, Marie Lajoie following the death of their father, Albert. Also here at the time of his death were Cecile Lajoie, Kingston and daughter Sandra Pringle, Napanee.

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The snow was white and glistening, the sun was bright and shimmering, the air was crisp and invigorating when members of the Hillview Women's Institute set out for a sleigh ride on Tuesday, Dec. 13 at 11 a.m.

With the help of Murray Howes and his team of horses, Dennis and Birdie, the breath from their nostrils vaporizing in the frigid air and their harness of leather and silver polished and glistening in the noon day sun, we all piled onto the sleigh and snuggled down under blankets of fur. Off we went over fields and through the woods, ringing our sleigh bells and singing our hearts out. It was a lovely experience – one of the members said she had to wait 61 years for her first sleigh ride!

The fresh air had sharpened our appetites so we were ready for the homemade soup (which had been simmering on the wood stove) sandwiches and sweets awaiting us back at the home of Claudia Peterson. Following lunch we entered into the holiday spirit with singing of the familiar carols accompanied by Clara MacLeod on the organ thus bringing our Christmas meeting to a close.

If anyone is interested in joining us as a guest please call Claudia Peterson at 525-5140 or Jean Anderson at 678-3544. Our next regular meeting is Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1995 at the home of Mary Fulton, Chisholm St., Alexandria. In January we will hold another bingo game at the Heritage Lodge, Vankleek Hill at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 24. Why not come and join in the fun?

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The L.E.P.A.G.E. school in Dalkeith had their Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 15. The teacher here is Suzanne Labelle, Alexandria.

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A Christmas Eve service will be held at St. Columba Presbyterian Church on Dec. 24 at 8 p.m. There will be no service on Christmas Day.

The Kirk Hill United Church will have a candlelight service at 8 p.m. on Dec. 24 and no service on Christmas Day.

St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church will have no Christmas Eve service but there will be a service at 11:15 a.m. on Christmas Day.

Breadalbane Baptist Church will have a candlelight service at 7:30 on Dec. 24 and regular service at 11 a.m. on Christmas Day.

Laggan Public School

The Christmas concert was held on Thursday, Dec. 15. There were many proud relatives and friends watching as the students and staff produced another evening of excellent entertainment. This year's theme was "Christmas is a Gift" and there were many varied skits and plays which delighted the audience. After all the frenzied preparation activity, it came together beautifully.

To supplement the gift theme a Children's Christmas Shop was held in the library. Students purchased inexpensive gift items for friends and family during the course of the evening. Local crafters displayed their wares and offered a great selection of items from which the children selected the perfect gift. There was a wrapping section and most gifts were ready to go right under the tree by the end of the evening.

Christmas baskets

The school community has been asked to donate items of food, cash or Canadian Tire money for local charities who will be putting together Christmas baskets for the needy. The drive is well on its way and a good supply of items has already been collected. Students have until Dec. 21 to get their donations to the school.

Old-fashioned concert

An old-fashioned version of the Christmas concert is planned for one evening next week at the Big Beaver School located at the east end of the Laggan School grounds. Members of the school's Gaelic Choir will be performing. Due to space limitations, concert attendance is by invitation only. It should bring back memories to some of those in attendance.

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The Glengarry School of Piping and Drumming will resume regular classes on Jan. 7, 1995 at the Maxville Public School. Some interest has been shown in a beginners class starting with the new term. The new class would be held at 1 p.m. if there is sufficient interest. If you require more information you can contact Elizabeth MacGillivray, 525-3201, or Nancy Murray, 874-2497.

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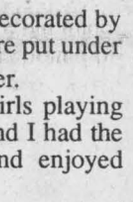

Well, this will be my last column for this year, so I would like to wish family and friends, and to you who read this column, who call in news to me, thank you and a very Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

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Birthday wishes going out to Noel Leger Dec. 25, Chloe Chisholm Dec. 27, Lorraine Beriault Dec. 29, Natasha Larocque, Michelle O'Connell, Stephanie St. Denis Dec. 30. Happy wedding anniversary to John and Michele Pugh on Dec. 28.

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The Green Valley Brownies held their Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 15.

A Christmas tree was decorated by the girls and presents were put under the tree to be opened later.

The leaders had the girls playing games, singing songs, and I had the pleasure of assisting and enjoyed myself with them.

A supper of pizza, ice cream and desserts with juice was enjoyed. Then the girls sat around the tree and opened their gifts.

The Brownies and their leaders wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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The Daughters of Isabella held their Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 14. A pot luck supper was enjoyed by everyone. The winner of the draw for a basket of groceries was Gerard Lefebvre of Alexandria.

They would like to wish everyone happy holidays.

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Food for thought: A friend is one who comes in when the world has gone out.

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