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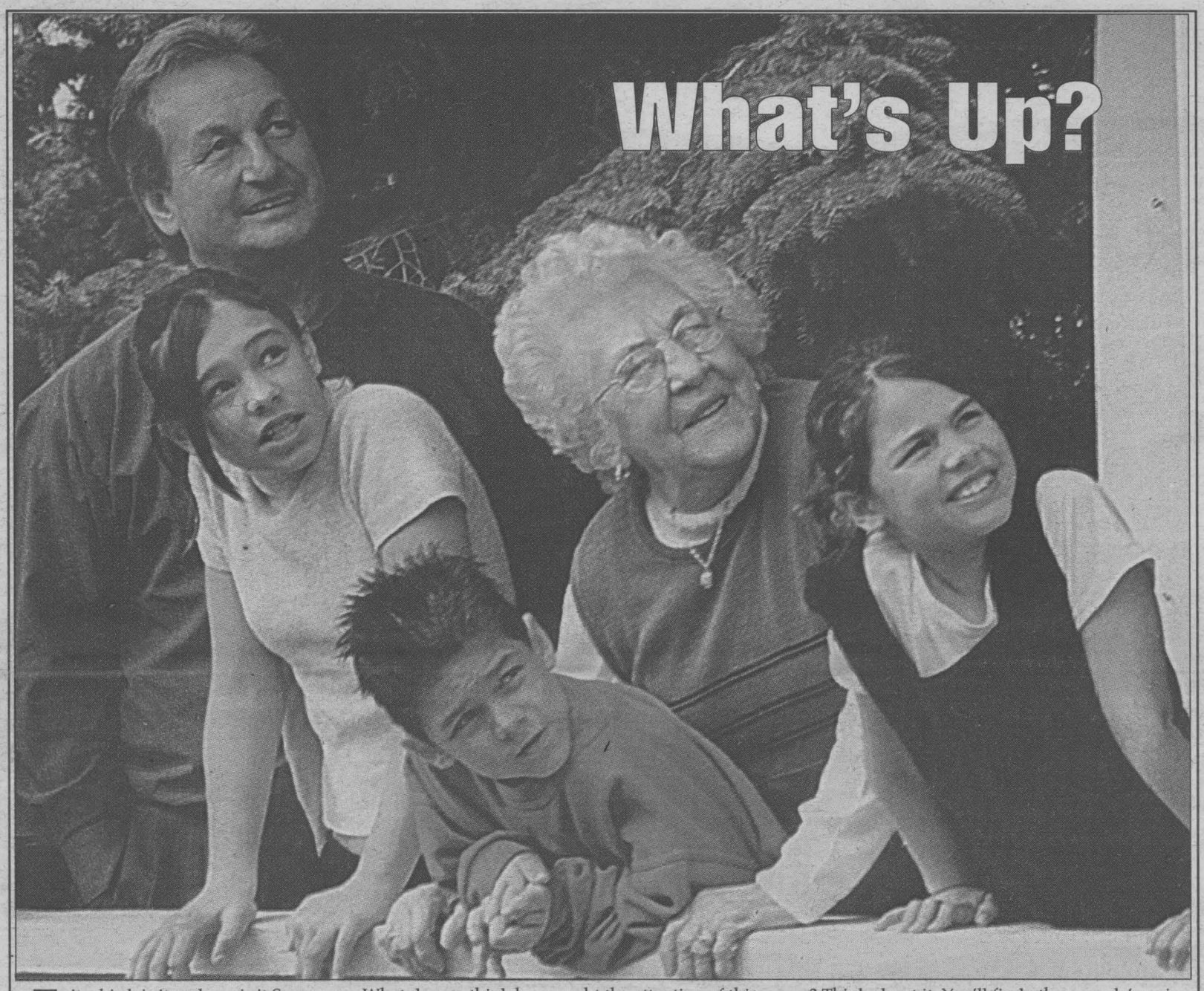

What's Up?

Is it a bird, is it a plane, is it Superman. What do you think has caught the attention of this group? Think about it. You'll find other people's opinions in our first "Folk's Quotes" on page 4. Then, on page 6, you'll find the answer. From left to right, the gazers are Roger Delorme, Rachel Seguin (11), Trevor S. (8), Jeanne Delorme (She claims to be 39, but her birth certificate says "80") and Chantal S. (8).

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The Joy Of Not Cooking

Only those who really love to cook can understand the joy of not cooking. This became clear last week when I picked up a macaroni salad at Farm Boy's deli counter in downtown Cornwall. My pocket-book allows me to splurge once in a while, but actually I enjoy cooking from scratch. And most of all, I like to use the electric slow-cooker.

While chopping up the goodies for the pot, I am reminded of stepping into an ocean of delicious smells at my grandmother's house half a century ago. Something was always bubbling in a big pot on her wood-burning stove. Today, my crock-pot creates the same magic if I leave it alone for six or seven hours. Later, I package and freeze small portions. The joy of not cooking kicks in at seeing those neatly stacked containers in the freezer. How could people manage before refrigeration became a fact of life?

The joy of not cooking is also part of family get-togethers. I used to buy the beer, and sometimes I would bring five pounds of stewing beef the week before, so my mother could prepare her Hungarian goulash recipe for the upcoming occasion. Leftovers again guaranteed another day or two of not cooking in those days. Today, I try to make beef stew the way my mother does, but I never get it quite right.

Before I went to Farm Boy last week, I was in that plaza on the other side of Ninth Street. Starting out in that plaza is a good idea. You can fill up the gas tank at the Canadian Tire gas bar there, you can pick up supplies at the pharmacy and poke around in the Business Depot (called Staples now) to your heart's content. I like spending time in stationery stores and if nothing else, will buy at least one ball-point pen to add to my collection. If there's time and the weather is just right, you can even meander over to the huge Canadian Tire store on the other side of Sydney Street. An outing like that serves as catch-all shopping every few weeks, that's why I appreciate the free parking.

When I first learned to live alone, cooking presented a real problem: women are conditioned to shop and cook for others. One day I realized it was ok to put my own tastes first and it quickly became all right to experiment and mess things up occasionally. The dog always liked my creations.

How and what Canadians eat has changed dramatically in the past three decades. Back in the early 70's it was considered expedient to pick up "English Fish and Chips" once a week on the way home from work. For many Canadian workers today it makes sense to pick up ready-made dinner often. I've chatted with cooks in half a dozen stores and found they like their work. One woman told me her in-store specialty was the pork and mixed-bean soup, using a recipe passed down from her great-grandmother. I got to try a bit for free and weeks later came back to buy a kilo to take to a friend's house.

Food preparation is a basic human activity and most of us like to cook. The manufacturers know this and keep on designing new, high-tech utensils. The other day I saw a beautiful, oval-shaped crock-pot with a two compartment glazed clay liner. The outside looks like polished stainless steel. Next time I have an extra sixty dollars, I'll get it. Using the best ingredients and giving the process time were grandmother's secret to great cooking with the simplest tools. It can be done today.

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Craft Mall Grand Opening



Linda Synott (crafts manager), Jim Bancroft (new Reeve of South Stormont Township) and Jerry Zeran (owner) officially opened the Long Sault Country Mall on Post Road. The mall is geared towards crafts and country living.

Story & photo by Chris McPhee

The Long Sault Country Mall held its grand opening on Sunday, November 19th, 2000. The craft mall has 39 different crafts people renting space and offering their wares, through owner Jerry Zeran. The Mall is at 16129 Post Road, east of Long Sault and has a wide variety of knick-knacks and craft items.

"We even have a coffee shop, esthetician, a builder in rustic furniture, and my Z-sheds," said owner Jerry Zeran. "This has been slowly developing since last year, but we started to advertise in December. We are open every day except Monday, and eventually we would like to offer online shopping."

The esthetician, Lise Prieur, commented, "Since there is no place in Long Sault, I offer a full range of esthetics with my own coffee shop for a waiting room, and I have the best prices in the area."

Zeran added, "Eventually, we would like to offer online shopping, and we are in the process of offering a web page to our tenants. We are very excited and have received a lot of good comments. Web surfers can check out our pages in the near future at www.handyfolkz.com"

PPI Evolves To Unity College

On November 20th, 2000 PPI College announced that, to distinguish itself and give a truer picture of their philosophy, a new name has been chosen. The institution will now be known as Unity College.

"This is a wonderful event," said Dean of the College, Tracy O'Flaherty. "We are still a quality educational facility. Most of our staff have been in their respective fields for 20 years. We just wanted to better reflect our community, and the structure of our school. The name, Unity College, was chosen because it means stability and being a unit."

The newly named Unity College which has been in Cornwall since 1997, offers a wide curriculum in I.T., Law, Business, and health-related courses.



Tracy O'Flaherty, Dean of PPI College, was pleased to announce their permanent name change to Unity College on November 20th. The new Unity College name depicts the structure and sentiment they wish to convey.

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Charges Dropped Against Jodoin



It was learned on Monday, November 20th, 2000 that a criminal charge against Keith Jodoin has been dropped by the Crown Attorney.

Mr. Jodoin was on temporary leave of absence from his position as Executive Director of the Cornwall and District United Way pending the outcome of the charge.

The Board of Directors is pleased with the outcome and decided to re-instate Mr. Jodoin in his former position. This will take effect upon satisfactory clearance from his physician, and we look forward to his active return as soon as possible.

This incident has taken a considerable toll on Mr. Jodoin and request that he be given time to heal and respect his privacy.

The local United Way campaign is progressing very well and look forward to the community's continued support to meet its goal.

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The Minute Auto Wash located at 1930 Pitt Street will be financially assisting the local United Way by contributing one dollar ($1) for each "Full Service Car Wash" purchased by their clients for the period of November 22nd to 25th, 2000.

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Statistical Data Demystified

In keeping with its mandate to provide initiatives of benefit to area business and regional economic development, the South Stormont Chamber of Commerce will host an information session on Statistical and Analytical Data on November 21st, 2000.

Mr. Jack Wilson, C.A. and representatives from Statistics Canada will give local entrepreneurs and members of the business community an opportunity to better understand what statistical data is available to them and how that information can be used to make important business and marketing decisions. After a 30-year career with Statistics Canada and recently retired as senior manager in the Business and Economic Statistics department, Mr. Wilson now makes his home in Ingleside and is a member of the South Stormont Chamber of Commerce.

President Deenah Kelly anticipates that this session will provide important and relevant information for local entrepreneurs and members of the business community on demographics and other statistical data. "When contemplating a purchase, expansion or new business venture, it's important to use all available information. Understanding trends, knowing what industries are in a growth mode and how we compare to our peers and competitors should certainly influence both the decisions we make and how successful those decisions will be," said Kelly.

This socio-economic profile of South Stormont and the surrounding area will look at current conditions as well as developing trends and should be of interest to business people, municipal officials and professionals who serve the investment and business community anywhere in the Three United Counties. "Participants will gain knowledge and insights into the local economy and we certainly hope that everyone, including members of our neighbouring chambers will take advantage of this valuable resource," added Kelly.

The session will be held at 7 p.m. in Osnabruck Hall located at Rothwell Osnabruck High School, College Street, Ingleside, Ontario on November 21st, 2000. There is no fee to attend this event.


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Prevost Appointed


PREVOST

Mr. Tim Kirkby, 2000 Campaign Chair for the United Way of Cornwall and District is pleased to announce the appointment of Frank Prevost as District Community Chair of the areas outside the City of Cornwall. Mr. Prevost will be responsible for the coordination of these communities around the City of Cornwall and work with officials from these areas to improve and fully support the fundraising activities that are currently underway.

Folks' Quotes - Some Opinions On "What's Up?"

What would it take to cause you to look up as intently as our cover people?

It takes something very special to get people to gaze upward these days. The novelty of seeing an aircraft fly over probably disappeared in the early 1940's. When jet aircraft appeared in the late 1940's there was a brief renewal of looking up when the distinctive sound of a jet engine was heard. When the massive Boeing 747 appeared in our skies, necks began to crane once more.

Nature still gives us much to look up to: flocks of migrating Canada geese, the all too infrequent displays of the aurora borealis and the occasional falling star. There was a brief renewal of up-gazing when the early artificial satellites appeared in the night sky.

Over-lit urban centres produce enough light pollution to have caused the three Magi to miss their appointment with the Christ child two millennia ago. Today they'd probably navigate with a hand-held GPS unit. We've come a long way since night navigation was done by celestial reckoning.

When these five Martintown Public School senior elementary students were shown our cover photograph, they speculated on what was grabbing the little gathering's attention so fixedly.

Lisa Lauzon thought that it was some unusual kind of aircraft, "...such as an army one or a helicopter."

Ryan Seale thought it could have been an airplane too, but one attempting a forced landing. Then he put his imagination to work. "Perhaps it was a parade featuring people on stilts, or maybe Shaq O'Neill, or even an eclipse of the Sun." Ryan knew they'd need welder's glasses to safely look at an eclipse of the Sun.

There must be a creative streak in Kevin Johnston. "Perhaps they were just imagining what the shapes of the clouds were imitating. Maybe it was some sky divers landing on their lawn."

Kelsey Thomson had a similar opinion. "I've seen clouds that take the shape of animals, or, before a thunderstorm, the shape of a cauliflower. If a hot air balloon passes overhead, people look up too."

If you want a really imaginative response, Stephen Dalby is the one who'll give it to you. "Believe they're staring up at the morning sky, foreseeing their future, whatever that might be. They might be seeing their occupations, or their family in the future. They may be just staring into their imagination or their hearts, beyond the clouds."

To find out what caused the Cornwall family to so intently gaze upward, turn to the story on page 6.


Stephen Dalby, Martintown


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Teachers Threatened By School Board With Lock Out

In a letter sent home to parents, the Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario has threatened to lock out its teachers as a result of the current labour dispute.

Peter Peckham, President of the Eastern Unit of the Ontario English Catholic Teachers' Association (OECTA) which represents the teachers, says that the board has indicated that it will lock out its teachers if it feels that the instruction and safety of students becomes an issue. "I can say that the teachers in this board have been very careful not to place students' safety at risk. In fact, several schools have increased the number of supervision duties for teachers. We have written to the Director of Education asking him to indicate any instances where the safety of students may be an issue."

Peckham also pointed out that the teachers once again conducted a silent "candlelight vigil" outside the board offices on Road #43 in Kemptville on Tuesday, November 21st, from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. "We will continue to send the same message as before: we want a fair, just and negotiated collective agreement. If the other three boards who's contract was stripped in September have been able to reach an agreement with their teachers, so should our board."

The Eastern Unit of OECTA represents over 750 elementary and secondary teachers in the Counties of Lanark, Leeds, Grenville, Stormont, Dundas, Glengarry, Prescott and Russell.

LOCAL

High School Chatter

Ashley **BABCOCK**

The GVSS Interact Club

General Vanier Secondary School is home to the oldest Interact Club in the district. The Club welcomes students from Saint Joseph's Secondary School to become members and take part in the many activities that provide a way for them to touch their community in a positive way.

Last year, the Club provided sight giving eyewear to people in developing countries with its Vision for the year 2000 by 2000 program, and collected funds for the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario with its Chalking it up for CHEO, chalk drawing event.

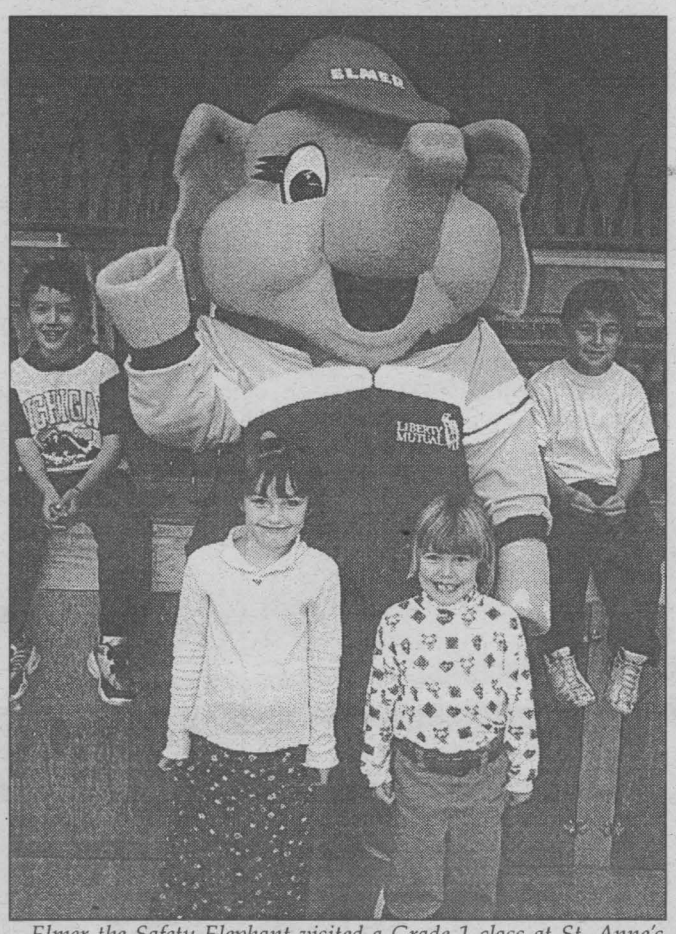
Student and current Club President, Jordan Ostler took part in a student exchange which allowed him to spend five weeks in Holland about which he provided the following comment. "It was a really good time. I got to experience a different culture and meet new friends. I strongly suggest that students apply for the exchange."

So far, the group has been very active both within the school and local community through its Adopt-a-Mile program in which Club members beautified Cornwall's Brookdale Avenue by collecting and properly disposing of litter, and the groups continuing candy sales outside of the school's cafeteria. Money collected through the candy sales goes to support Interact Club endeavours such as exchange programs. The group has also attended the annual Interact Festival which gathers all clubs from across the region to take part in idea sharing sessions and other activities. The festival takes place at Cornwall's Civic Complex. This year, the Club members took part in the painting of pictures that will bring colour and cheer to the walls of the Hotel Dieu Hospital's Pediatric Ward.

Upcoming events include carolling in homes for the elderly to spread holiday warmth and happiness to residents of such facilities, and collecting much appreciated toys for needy youngsters who would otherwise be unable to enjoy the reception of gifts that more privileged children take for granted during the holiday season. The Club is currently holding a contest entitled Kiss the Fish in which students deposit donations of spare change into coloured fish bowls located in the cafeteria. Each bowl represents a different teacher and when the contest is over the money in the bowls will be counted, and the teacher who's bowl contains the most money will kiss a dead fish in front of the school, much to the delight of many of their students. Money collected through this contest will be used to help fund the group's next student exchange program.

Members describe involvement in the Interact Club as an experience that broadens one's perception of the world and its people as well as encouraging a spirit of benevolence towards others, and providing a means through which students can develop long lasting friendships. GVSS student and former President, Amy Givogue describes involvement with the Interact Club as a fulfilling experience that allows one to take pleasure in helping others. With support from the students and staff of GVSS, the Club will be around for many more successful years providing similar enriching experiences for future generations of General Vanier and Saint Joseph's students.

Elmer The Safety Elephant Returns



Elmer the Safety Elephant visited a Grade 1 class at St. Anne's School on November 16th. The Safety Elephant Program is to help children learn to be safe-minded. Brandon Wylie (on the left) and Jazz Cook sit beside Elmer, while Melanie Deschamps-Giroux (standing on left) and Heather Conroy stand in the front.

Story & photo by Chris McPhee

The Cornwall Community Police Service, in partnership with the Canada Safety Council and Liberty Mutual Insurance, are proud to reintroduce 'Elmer the Safety Elephant Program' to Cornwall elementary schools. The Elmer flag will be flown at all schools that have adopted the safety program. Elmer the Safety Elephant Program is used to educate children between the ages of five and nine, on the rules regarding traffic safety.

"In order to give Elmer national recognition, the Canada Safety Council is revitalizing the program from coast to coast," said Constable Brenda Lawson, adding that in doing so, some very precious lives will be saved.

The Elmer Safety Program originated in 1947, when a group of parents and educators decided action was urgently needed to reduce the number of traffic accidents causing injury among children. The program was introduced in Toronto as a public service by the Toronto Telegram Newspaper, and proved to be effective in its first year by bringing the accident toll among Toronto school children down by 44 per cent.

A study by safety authorities of accidents involving children five to nine years of age showed that the vast majority of mishaps were caused by seven specific hazards. It revealed that running was a contributing factor in most accidents, indicating that lack of knowledge of safety rules was not the only reason for the accidents, but also some kind of momentary excitement to make the child forget about their safety. From this came 'Elmer's Seven Traffic Safety Rules. They are:

1. Look all ways before you cross the street.
2. Keep away from parked cars.
3. Ride your bike safely.
4. Play in a safe place, away from the street.
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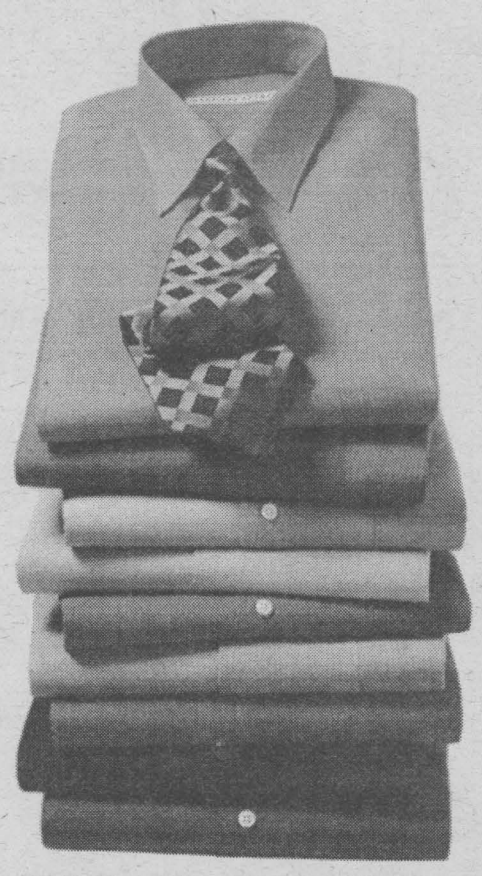

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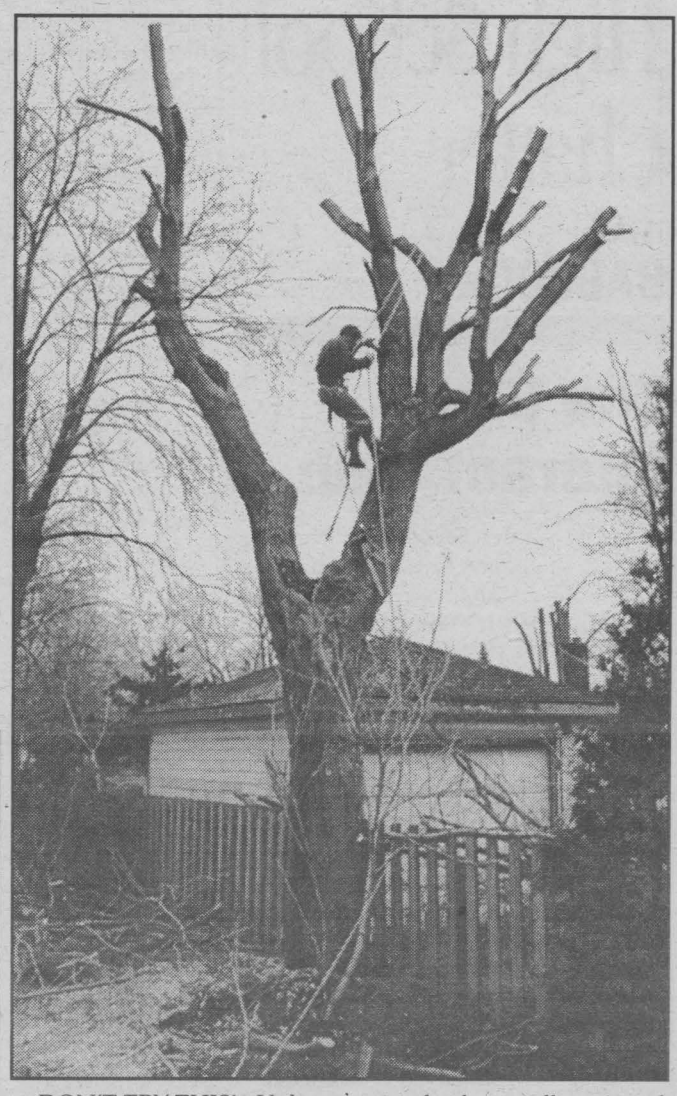
Story & photos by Nick Wolochatiuk



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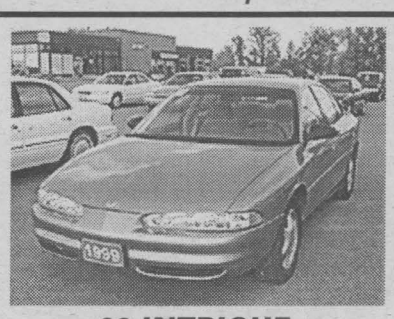
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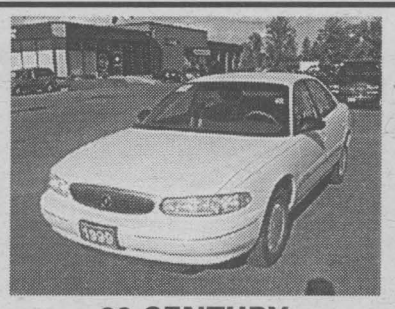
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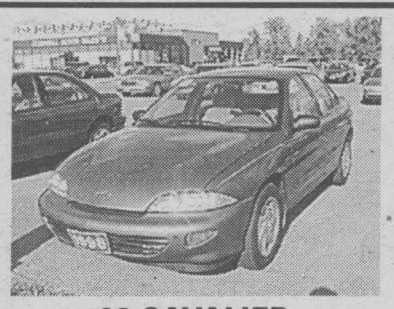
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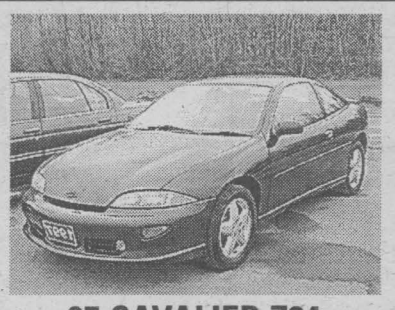
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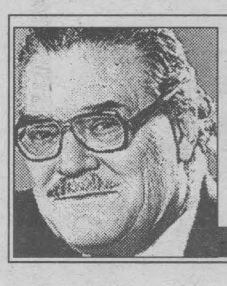
EDITORIAL

OPINION

Okay, Let's Suppose Chretien Wins. The PM Will End Up With A Lot More MP's Who Still Prefer Paul Martin To Him



Doug FISHER

In the election campaign, those taking the opinion polls on party preferences say a return of the prime minister with a goodly majority seems certain.

Despite my residual skepticism about such assurances, one must concede these forecasts have a good chance of being right. Let's accept the proposition without citing some indications against a third majority for Jean Chretien. Rather, let us consider two long-shot, but not impossible, scenarios on what may ensue in 2001 within the Liberal caucus and the governing party as a whole. Oddly enough, each of these scenarios was somewhat foreshadowed not long ago in two of my columns.

One piece developed a supposition drawn about Chretien's overmastering of Paul Martin. This was evident in the "near" budget, which the finance minister whipped up on quick order to give the PM the skyhook for this early election. Martin's known ambitions faced stifling, or at best a long postponement, if Chretien coasted to a majority win. This grim turn for Martin was emphasized when Chretien recruited so obvious a successor in Brian Tobin of Newfoundland renown.

The second scenario was on the likelihood of a Trojan Horse operation in the next Parliament. From within the Liberal caucus there would emerge 10-12 MP's of quality and much experience insisting on parliamentary reform. These are MP's fed up with the arbitrariness of the PM and his veteran handlers.

These Liberals want genuine opportunities as MP's to contribute to policy-making and particularly to scrutinize legislation, estimates and Crown agencies.

These dreamers, or agitators, or reformers – choose a tag to suit your biases – are fed up with their obscurity after their totals on election night have determined who shall be prime minister. They want to be more than live scenery and desk-pounders during question period. Either more responsibilities or else. Or else what? Or else the PM and his House leader cannot count absolutely on their votes to defeat every "want of confidence" motion.

Now let us turn to several happenings of the past fortnight regarding Jean Chretien. Some concerns surfaced among Liberal candidates, particularly in Toronto, on encountering voters' opinions about their leader being "over the hill."

'MY GREAT TEAM'

Suddenly, the leader came away from arrogance and self-regard and began to talk about "my great team." There was his superb cabinet, an industrious pack of backbenchers, and – far from least – the excellence of Paul Martin. The team had whipped deficits and opened an era of federal surpluses.

Viewers saw video snips of Martin and Chretien together, each full of praise for the other. Further snips had Martin alone, oozing admiration for his chief and ridiculing criticism by Joe Clark and Stockwell Day of Chretien's earnest efforts for his constituents. And then there were bites about a Chretien retirement before serving a full term, first from a B.C. federal minister, then from the leader himself.

Chretien and the Liberals, when (and where) they smelled trouble, had to turn to Martin – the Liberal with the most public repute – for help. This despite the fact Chretien had knocked his finance minister back with his determination to ensure his own continuance.

In short, Chretien, even with what seems to be a third majority mandate, has not disposed of Martin as the overwhelming choice as his successor and the necessary prop for himself.

Within our political parties there are always melodramas under way, matters of loyalty and disloyalty, and of undercutting, real or just feared. But rarely do parties provide such graphic cameos as the Liberal reactions to the obvious perception in the country of Chretien as aged, worn, slowing, and now, worse, as not having been as honest as they thought.

Remember this about both the Martin and the Trojan Horse scenarios. If the Liberals get 160-plus seats it means a handy majority of the MP's who fill them continue to prefer Martin to Chretien as leader.

Second, a substantial minority within that majority will have had from 7-12 years on the backbenches, and many will be impatient for more responsibilities and influence, and at this stage they know very well both their master and what he has kept them from.

Now, to close with a doubter of any Trojan Horse prospect. An e-mail is in from A. Barbetta, a voter from Scarborough-Agincourt. A Liberal candidate, Jim Karygiannis, who first won that riding 12 years ago is favoured to take it a fourth time.

Ms. Barbetta asked me if he was one of the MP's in prospect for the Trojan Horse. She judges him as a pathetic MP – lazy, of little use in debates or committees.

Aren't there a lot of MP's in the Liberal caucus as useless as hers, she asked? I had to reply: "Some, but far from all. You and your fellow constituents touch bottom with him. Just to mention him does deflate my hope of reforms from within the Liberal caucus."

Letters to the Editor

Love Came Down At Christmas

Dear Friends,

Once again, the Christmas season is almost upon us! With it brings the many days of shopping, wrapping of gifts, baking, singing and spreading the Joy of Christmas throughout our community.

Each year, however, this is not entirely so for many families who cannot afford what most of us take for granted.

It is at this time that we again come to you "the community" for assistance. With so many families in need, The Salvation Army relies on your generous cash donations or perhaps a food drive through your place of business to assist us in making Christmas a joyous event for everyone. The Salvation Army takes great pride in placing smiles back on the faces of those families less fortunate than ourselves, but we need your generous donations to fulfill these needs.

We thank you for your continuing support. May your hearts be filled with love and compassion and may the Joy of Christmas reach each and every home this coming year.

God Bless,
Captain David Payler
Corps Officer
The Salvation Army

Installation Of Recreational Equipment In Park

Dear Editor,

One of the many responsibilities of the Eastern Ontario Health Unit is to promote healthy lifestyles. Installation of the recreational equipment in Lamoureux Park was certainly another positive move towards that goal.

Hopefully, parents are aware that this state-of-the-art recreational equipment was financially supported by members of the Sunrise Rotary Club, the Kinette Club, the Cornwall Waterfront Committee, and the city's Parks and Recreation Department.

Members of these organizations are to be commended for their important contribution to filling the need for healthy outdoor activity for our youngsters.

Seeing our children – ranging from toddlers to 12-year-olds – having free, healthy outdoor fun in the park provides great satisfaction to most adults.

The time to promote this activity is while the children are young, and hopefully they will continue taking part in healthy exercise as they go through life.

Congratulations to all the sponsors. We hope that more and more young families will use these facilities in the years to come. This is, indeed, a step in the right direction!

Robert Bourdeau, M.D., FRCS(C)
Medical Officer of Health
Eastern Ontario Health Unit
Cornwall

Worried About Voting Liberal? You Should Be.



Meanwhile
Fred SAGEL

Is anybody worrying about those stories charging all that wrong-doing by the federal Liberals and most especially the prime minister?

If you listen to the polls, you'd think maybe not: they still indicate that a great many people are going to vote the Grits back into office even though it's now clear that this gang has managed to waste—and perhaps even squander—taxpayers' money on an unprecedented scale.

But not so fast.

The stories have only now began to stir up some interest and, if people are still listening, they may well put a nice dent into Liberal election fortunes. Not enough to lose, mind you, but enough to do substantial damage.

How else can anybody explain or live with all the blunders the Liberals have made or, more importantly, all the favours they've dished out to their friends, people they say need the money to create more employment?

Can the ordinary citizen living and breathing in Cornwall, struggling to make a decent wage, possibly cast a Liberal vote when he or she knows that the government has been reckless—no, make that stronger: abusive—in the way it's spent those hard-earned taxpayer dollars?

The prime minister, who has lost touch with everything he once said he stood for, is glib about what happened. No accounting for $1 billion at HRDC? No problem, he says. All part of the errors that occur everyday. Phoning his appointees to the federal bank for loans to his friends when they can't get money anywhere else? All in the course of a good day's business, he declares.

And he expects people to fall for his line.

Where else would we ever possibly get a situation where we're even thinking about voting for somebody who's done this, let alone condone it? Just what gives here?

Maybe it's just too complex. Or irrelevant.

But judge for yourself. Decide if the Liberals are a party you want back in office when you consider:

(a) they lied about labolishing the GST;

(b) they fouled up the Pearson Airport deal so badly that they got sued and the loss cost taxpayers just under $1 billion;

(c) they handed out $1 billion to people in such a reckless manner that in some instances, the money was approved before formal application was even made and, in others, the money went to their friends who had lobbied the Liberals directly.

Isn't this what they call arrogant and corrupt politics in the political science textbooks? And doesn't it carry a penalty with it? Problem is, it could be the political equivalent of the death penalty if people really catch on.

The prime minister himself, who preaches virtue but acts in the opposite vein, should hang his head for what he's done. His selfish call for the election was one thing that required punishment, but the revelation that he personally helped a friend who had purchased a hotel from—and get this: Mr. Chretien personally—to get funding for the project when everybody else had rejected it on a private basis reeks to high heaven.

Cronyism.

The RCMP is already conducting five separate criminal probes into the money dished out to Mr. Chretien's riding, and the leaders of the opposition parties smell blood.

Maybe some people don't care about abuse this like. Maybe they'll vote for the Liberals all over again just because they think it's their only option, scandal or no scandal. Or perhaps they just think it's part of everyday politics to lie and give out public money to your friends. Maybe it's just that they're going to vote Liberal with their noses held.

But what can possibly justify such a vote?

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School Board Activities

Ron **Eamer**

I must start this first report on School Board activities by thanking the Seaway News for providing this opportunity to share this type of information with the residents of SD&G. Thank you also to those who supported me as their representative for Glengarry and the City of Cornwall on the Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario.

Most Boards will hold the last meeting of existing Boards before the end of November with the newly elected Boards holding their inaugural meeting during the first week of December.

Trustees who've served for many years have just completed the most difficult three years in their trusteeship, having dealt with the challenges of amalgamation and the restructuring of Boards within the strict guidelines set out by the Ministry of Education.

Newly elected trustees will find many problems and challenges awaiting them at the Board table and must be prepared to help deal with these issues during the time we would normally use for familiarization with Board activities.

Concerns surrounding teacher contract negotiations and their effect on the students, classroom resources, special education needs and the ever-changing requirement for student spaces will certainly necessitate much effort on the part of all trustees.

While trustees develop guidelines and policies, provide input on critical issues surrounding Board operations and assist with long-term planning, it is the members of administration who must deal with the problems facing education on a daily basis. These are the people who truly carry the burden of meeting Ministry requirements and, at the same time, adhere to Board policy.

In our board (CDSBEO), a Board which covers eight Counties (Stormont, Dundas, Glengarry, Prescott-Russell, Lanark, Leeds and Grenville), this administrative team is indeed taxed to the limit and must rely more and more on the Principals and Vice-Principals of our schools, who are our on-site administrators, to share the burden. When we look at a system which reaches from Hawkesbury to beyond Gananoque, from the south-eastern tip of Glengarry to the north-western corner of Lanark County and realize Ministry guidelines allow for only three Superintendents of education to cover this vast territory, it is readily apparent there are improvements needed in Ministry treatment of rural Boards such as ours.

A truly effective system, while providing consistent quality education, must also be sensitive to the varying needs of the communities they serve. In the case of large rural Boards such as ours, these needs differ greatly. While we constantly try to meet these needs, we must try to do so within the confines of our predetermined budget. While our current budget of some $93.5 million may seem adequate, we are constantly looking for operational efficiencies which will allow us to direct more of our resources to the classroom, where it will best benefit our students.

In future columns, I will attempt to give you some insight into matters specific to our jurisdiction and changes taking place which may affect our students, schools and communities.

If you have any specific concerns that you would like addressed in future columns, please e-mail me at eamer@cornwallseawaynews.com.



And Now, The Good News



Basic Black

Arthur **BLACK**

First off – I'm guilty as charged, okay? I admit it. That is not the problem. The problem is, how do I tell She Who Knows Best?

Here's the background. There is this stretch of road not far from where I live that is straight as a runway, smooth as a billiard table and unobstructed on either side. There is seldom any traffic on this road and yet the authorities, for perverse reasons known only to them, have decreed that the speed limit on this stretch shall be 50 kilometers per hour.

It is ridiculous, uncalled for and I ignore it. I always break the speed limit whenever I drive this stretch.

And She Who Knows Best and who usually sits in the co-pilot's seat, always makes the same comment.

"You're going to get a ticket," she says.

And I always scoff. I point out that there are no side roads for radar ambushes, no billboards for cops to hide behind, the road is empty fore and aft. "Clear sailing," I say.

"You're going to get a ticket," she replies. Yesterday I got a ticket. Doing 80 in a 50. It's not the $200 I mind (well, it is, but that's a whole other whine) – it's the fact that I have to make room for a three course dinner of crow in front of She Who Knows Best.

Breaking bad news – it's an art form.

I was telling this tale to a pal of mine in the coffee shop, looking for a little sympathy. Instead he laughed, reached into his pocket and handed me a letter.

"You wanna know how to deliver bad news? Read this," he said. It was a letter from his daughter, who was studying at a university in California. This is what it said:

"Dear Mom and Dad,

It has now been three months since I left for university. I have been remiss in writing this and I am very sorry for my thoughtlessness in not having written before. I will bring you up to date now, but, before you read on, please sit down.

DO NOT READ ANY FURTHER UNLESS YOU ARE SITTING DOWN, OKAY? Well then, I am getting along pretty well now. The skull fracture and the concussion I got when I jumped out of the window of my dormitory when it caught fire shortly after my arrival are pretty well healed. I only get those headaches once a day.

Fortunately, the fire in the dormitory and my jump were witnessed by an attendant at the gas station near the dorm, and he was the one who called the fire department and the ambulance. He also visited me at the hospital and, since I had nowhere to live, he was kind enough to invite me to share his basement apartment. It's really a basement room, but it's kind of cute, once you get used to the rats. He is a very fine boy and we have fallen deeply in love and are planning to get married. We haven't set the exact date, but it will be before my pregnancy begins to show. Yes, Mom and Dad, I am pregnant. I know how much you are looking forward to being grandparents and I know you will welcome the baby and give it the love, devotion and tender care you gave me when I was a child. The reason for the delay in our marriage is my boyfriend has some minor infection which prevents us from passing our pre-marital blood tests, and I carelessly caught it from him. This will soon clear up with the penicillin injections I am taking daily. I know you will welcome him into our family with open arms. He is kind and, although not well-educated, he is ambitious. Although he does not speak English fluently, he is working evenings and weekends promoting the family business. He comes from a large family in Colombia where his father is a big name in pharmaceuticals. Now that I have brought you up to date, I want to tell you that there was no dormitory fire, I did not have a concussion or a skull fracture. I was not in the hospital, I am not pregnant or engaged. I do not have syphilis and there is no man (or drug-dealer) in my life. However, I am getting a 'D' in History and an 'F' in Science and I wanted you to see those marks in the proper perspective.

Your Loving Daughter, Amanda"

I forgot to ask my pal what his daughter's major was. Creative Writing, I hope.

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Letter *to the* Editor

We Must Not Let This Wound Fester Any Longer

Dear Editor,

There is a wonderful opportunity for the Mayor and Council to take a stand on a most important issue facing our community.

Surely no one living here can say that our current situation is helping our image amongst the families and industries we wish to attract to our community.

We mustn't allow this wound to fester any longer.

Fortunately, by simply supporting the enactment of Bill 103, the Mayor and Council will declare where they stand, without getting embroiled in any controversy surrounding the debate.

Bill 103 will help clear the air and renew our faith in our justice system's ability to protect our children, as well as to give closure to victims and their families and to restore the good names of innocent people.

Support for Conservative MPP Garry Guzzo's Bill 103 crosses party lines. The Leader of the Opposition, Dalton McGuinty, and our local MPP, John Cleary, both Liberals, support Bill 103.

Citizens in the thousands have come forward to sign a petition for the enactment of the Bill. Our Premier, Mike Harris, is quoted August 29th, 2000 referring to the Bill, as willing to "take a look at it."

Will the Mayor and Council follow the citizen's lead in this crucial matter and come forward in support? It would certainly help Mr. Harris to take a much longer, harder look at Bill 103.

Paul Scott,
Cornwall, Ontario

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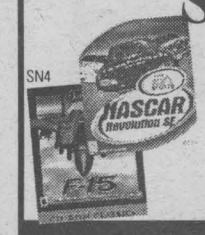

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Notes from Parliament Hill

Art **BABYCH**

Carpet Bombing Ends...

It's all over but the whining and pining. After weeks of being pummeled with innuendo, rumor, misrepresentation, and outright lies... er, inoperative statements, – voters have elected the government they deserve. Poor souls! The defeated candidates are left (no pun intended) – as the poet writes – to "lie here and bleed awhile and rise to fight again." And lie some did. Pundits agreed, it was one of the bloodiest election campaigns in recent memory. It's hard to recall another federal election campaign when truth flat-lined so early. The media gaffe brigade found newsworthy virtually every personal attack, contradiction, slip of tongue, errant phrase and racist remark of the campaign and then repeated the clips, quips and flips ad nauseum. Thank goodness it's all over with and the brigands can sit back and enjoy that warm fuzzy feeling that comes with a job well done, as did Lt. Col. Kilgore, in Apocalypse Now, when he wistfully said, "I love the smell of napalm in the morning."

Time For Change In Slogans...

The local committee of the World March of Women hosted a boisterous all-candidates' debate in Ottawa Centre in the dying days of the election campaign but the Canadian Alliance candidate was a no show. The reason that David Brown gave organizers for backing out of the debate – at least according to moderator Andree Cote – was that "he doesn't support any of the women's march demands." The organizers were "all very disappointed that he could not come to this candidates' meeting," she joked, "especially since his party took the women's march slogan, 'It's time for change.'"

An Alliance Against The Alliance...

Kudos to Heritage Minister Sheila Copps. She received unanimous backing (by secret ballot?) from "the women of Okanagan-Coquihalla" to speak on their behalf at a pre-election rally in Penticton. Copps complained in the name of the riding's women that Alliance leader Stockwell Day "wants to take away a woman's right to choose." Just how Copps, a Liberal received the endorsement of all the adult females in the Reform/Canadian Alliance constituency is a mystery rivaling that of the Colonel's secret recipe. But if she did – and politicians would never mislead us – we'd love to be a mouse at the next local chapter meeting of REAL Women of Canada, a national "pro-life" organization.

Trudeau Photo-op...

There were some touching moments for Margaret Kemper Trudeau during her private tour of a photo exhibit featuring her former husband, the late Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau. The 45 pictures rekindled fond memories of the man she described in an Ottawa Citizen report as "my Romeo." Looking at a photo of her PM hubby, snapped during a visit to the Northwest Territories, Margaret observed that the Maple Leaf on his tuque wasn't centered "because I was not there to put it on correctly." Added MKT, "He had to live a lot of years without my help." To his credit, Trudeau somehow managed to do just that, rising to the highest political office in the land even before he married Margaret at the ripe old middle-age of 51. He also persevered alone – well, almost – for another 23 years after she walked out on "Romeo." Move over Richard Hatch, here was a real "Survivor."

Pick A Number, Any Number...

The audience at the (not-even-close-to) "all-candidates" debate in Ottawa Centre was told by organizers that "up to 50,000 women" marched on Parliament Hill in the October 15th women's day rally. As pointed out previously here, the figure is considerably higher than the Canadian Press estimate of 5,000 marchers and the Ottawa Citizen's head count of 15,000 women. Even the March of Women committee's own news release promoting the all-candidates' debate claimed there were just "over 30,000 women" on the Hill that day. Now the real challenge. Were the many men who turned out to support the women in their demands counted in the totals of "women" marchers? If not, whose job was it to separate the women from the chaff... uh, the men? Just asking.

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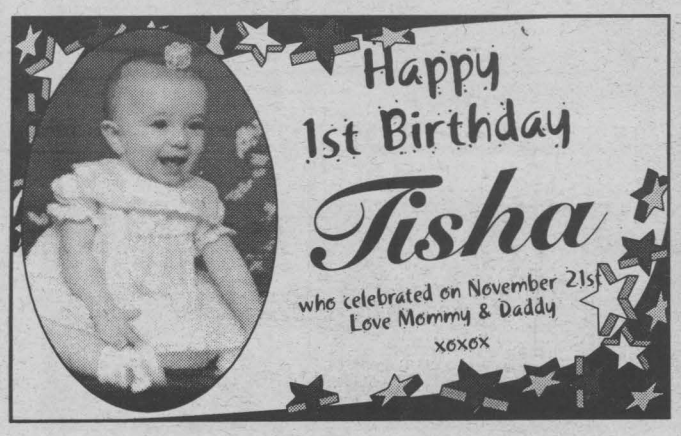

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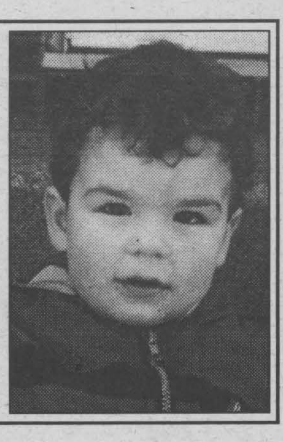

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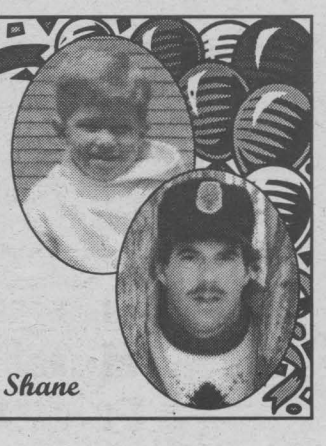

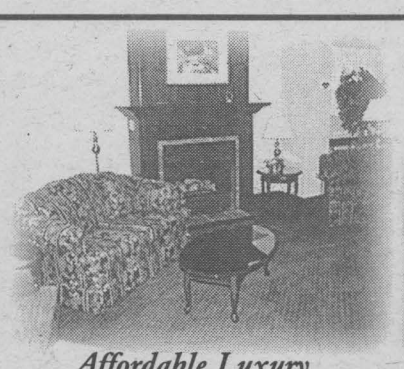

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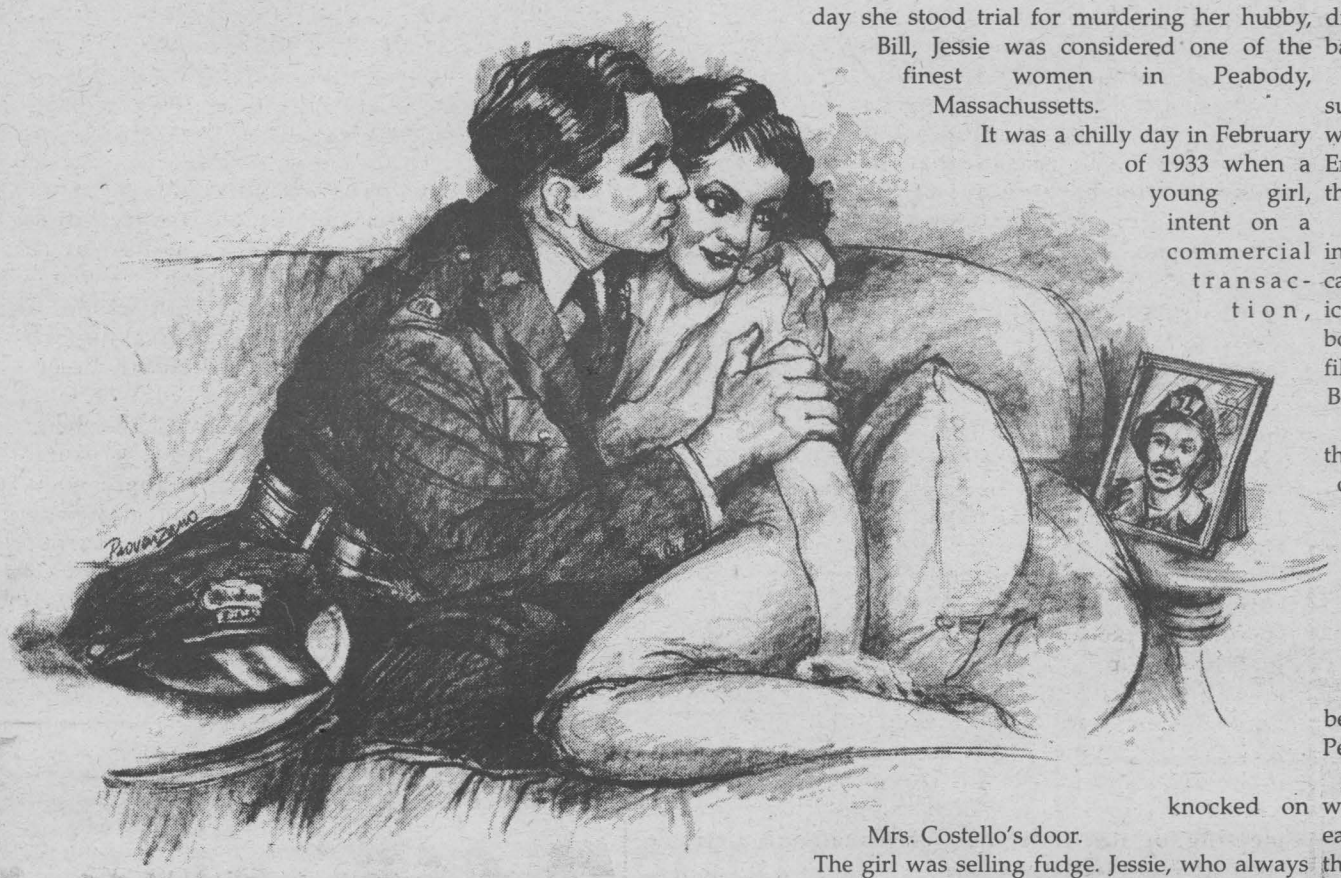
Pretty Poison - Jessie Costello Turned Heads When She Stood Trial For Her Husband's Murder



There is something about the state of Massachussetts that gives rise to some of the nastiest men and women who go around killing, not only complete strangers but relatives and friends as well.



Crime Flashback

Max **HAINES**

Who can forget Albert de Salvo, better known as the Boston Strangler, who took the lives of 13 innocent women whom he didn't even know. Then there was Lizzie Borden, who chopped up her mommy and daddy with an axe. (Don't write, I know she was acquitted.)

Not for a moment am I attempting to compare Jessie Costello with the above-mentioned duo. Heavens, no. Right up to the day she stood trial for murdering her hubby, Bill, Jessie was considered one of the finest women in Peabody, Massachussetts.

It was a chilly day in February of 1933 when a young girl, intent on a commercial transaction, knocked on Mrs. Costello's door.

The girl was selling fudge. Jessie, who always did have a sweet tooth, dashed upstairs to fetch her purse. Instead of fetching anything, she let out a blood-curdling scream, thereby letting all of Peabody, and eventually the entire country, know that she had discovered husband Bill deader than a cold-water mackerel right there on the bedroom floor.

Capt. Bill Costello of the Peabody Fire Department was a strong, husky specimen of a man who, only the day before, had been dashing about extinguishing anything remotely resembling a flame. From all reports, he was a good husband, too.

As there was no apparent cause of death, an autopsy was carried out. It revealed that Capt. Bill had ingested a large quantity of potassium cyanide. The baked beans hit the fan when authorities found out that our Jessie had purchased that very same poisonous product the day before Bill had put out his last blaze.

Without further ado, Jessie was questioned about her purchase. She had an explanation. Back in 1933, before the advent of many modern conveniences, most kitchens were equipped with hot-water boilers. Many were painted the same colour as the rest of the kitchen; others were left in their natural metallic state and were polished on a regular basis. Jessie's boiler was of the latter variety.

She claimed she had innocently purchased potassium cyanide, together with oxalic acid, to shine up her boiler. It was a great cover story, but unfortunately for her Boston's finest didn't believe it. Jessie was arrested and charged with her husband's murder.

Mrs. Costello's trial took precedence over the Red Sox that summer of 1933. A tad overweight, she was still a fine cut of a woman with enough charisma to turn even the most staid New Englander's head. Like Lizzie before her, she quickly became the star of her trial.

Prosecution witnesses gave strong evidence. Two doctors independently stated that the poison had been administered in capsule form, probably in conjunction with some regular medication. A neighbour of Jessie's, one Mrs. Bisson, a born busybody, testified she had seen her friend purchase the poison and fill capsules with it. Jessie simply didn't need friends like Mrs. Bisson.

The prosecution brought forward Patrolman McMahon of the Peabody Police Department. Up to this point in the trial, our Jessie had been depicted as a God-fearing, loyal and dutiful housewife, a sterling example to every married woman in the state.

Patrolman McMahon revealed to the world that Jessie was much, much more. Back in 1933, they didn't have ladies such as Ms. Lewinsky to titillate their imaginations. The juiciest tidbit to come along in years was Jessie Costello.

McMahon, who was a married man himself, claimed it all began while he was directing traffic in beautiful downtown Peabody.

Jessie pulled up and flirtatiously offered McMahon a lift when he got off duty. The housewife and the policeman took to each other like Pooh bear takes to honey. Folks, they did it all the time — in the back seat of cars, down dark lanes, behind bushes and on the cool grass in local parks. Blabbermouth McMahon loved to go into detail, and the good citizens of New England lapped it up.

Capt. Bill had no idea that Jessie was sharing the wealth, so to speak. When the captain was away fighting those pesky fires, McMahon was in the captain's home lighting fires of a far different variety.

I've just got to tell you this one. When McMahon had his appendix removed, Jessie paid him a visit in the hospital. You guessed it.

She joined her lover under the crisp white hospital sheets. Despite a degree of discomfort, Patrolman McMahon, stout fellow that he was, performed admirably.

Poor Jessie. What could she do but deny, deny, deny. She claimed she had no idea why this young man, whom she hardly knew, was making up such bare-faced lies.

There you have it. Jessie had purchased potassium cyanide the day before her husband was poisoned. She had a strong motive and the opportunity to do away with an unwanted husband.

Despite this evidence, the New England jury saw fit to acquit Jessie. She left the courtroom, walked briskly past Patrolman McMahon and out into the bright New England sunshine. Those sitting close to McMahon later reported that Mrs. Costello directed two very unfavourable words to the patrolman as she walked by. I will leave those two words to your imagination. They were not lady-like.



LETTERS to the EDITOR

Our Health Care

Dear Editor,

Since 1994/95, the Liberal government has reduced transfer payments to the Province of Ontario by 9.7 billion dollars. This is in Ontario alone! That is why the Liberal government has a 100 billion dollar surplus. That is why hospitals are closing. That is why we are losing doctors and nurses to the United States. That is why surgery is taking so long to get scheduled. That is why we have antiquated diagnostic equipment. To summarize, that is why our health care system is in such terrible condition.

The Liberals have promised to increase funding for health care in their budget. My question is, why did you take the money out of the health care system in the first place? Plus, these increases still will not come close to what they were in 1994/95, and after all, they are Liberal promises and we know what the track record of Liberal promises are (GST, free trade, etc.).

If we elect the Liberals to govern our country again we are as ignorant as the Liberals think we are.

Glen Grant
Cornwall



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Joël Côté

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Liberal Garbage

Dear Editor,

Eleanor Caplan, Immigration Minister, came out with the statements that all Alliance members are Holocaust denyers, bigots and racists, and Mr. Chretien apparently is backing her statements.

This Liberal party has hit a new low. Apparently making up lies to hurt a person's character has no limits with Chretien and his puppets.

Being that Stockwell Day is a Christian and respects and follows his beliefs, the Liberals have made fun of his religion and moral values, and for the Liberals to make up lies that he will impose his Christian views on this country is garbage.

There are many people of different religions in the Alliance membership. As for Eleanor Caplan, I am sure there are skeletons in her closet, but will the Alliance go that low into her garbage? I doubt it.

With the Liberals, if one lie doesn't work, make up a bigger one, like no money for health care until the election came up, and now there is a promise of money. Funny how billions went to corporations, golf courses, Shawinigan, and the hotel scam, of course.

We already have two-tier health care, to Mr. Chretien's amazement. Apparently he did not know the difference between one-tier and two-tier until now.

You want a party that has cut $25 billion from health care, cut EI payments, and increased your taxes by $24.2 billion? You're working for less and paying more in taxes than ever before.

The polls show Liberals way ahead again. I guess lies, high taxes, mismanagement of funds, and poor health care are what most Ontarians want. Not me!

Bill Kielec
Newington

An Opportunity For Change

Dear Editor,

Canadians, on November 27th, 2000, will vote. An opportunity for change.

Quebec language law, Bill 101 and John Christian, current Canadian Prime Minister of the Liberal party in Canada, also known as Jean Chretien, has accumulated 101 lies to his record.

We hear a man who speaks in haste, same as Lucifer B. There is more hope for a fool than for them.

In my prophecies, I advise our fast talking John Christian, do not boast about tomorrow for you do not know what a DAY may bring forth.

The future well-being of Canada is being threatened with global warming. A more serious political outcome for Canada is another Liberal government with John Christian, also known as Prime Minister Jean Chretien, in control.

"Agreement of equals" between Quebec and Ottawa and "Flexible Federalism" for 536 million Canadian dollars. Signs in Quebec French only are unacceptable.

P.V. Nathan
Cornwall

Teacher Bashing Is Alive And Well In Ontario

Dear Editor,

Recently, while visiting Cornwall, I had a chance to read the November 10th edition of the Seaway News. I was disconcerted to note ("Meanwhile" by Fred Sagel) that "teacher bashing" is alive and well in Ontario.

It is easy to blame teachers for the discrepancy between the reading scores of boys and girls, but one should be cautious. There are other factors which must be taken into account. When one is developing a skill, it is necessary to practice this activity. However, these days there are other activities such as play stations, Nintendo and computer games which attract the attention and time of males more than females, time which might otherwise be spent reading.

As well, when assessing test results, one must consider the tests themselves. Does this testing complement the instructional and assessment methods mandated by the Department of Education? Or, is the emphasis on instruction in schools in one direction and the emphasis on standardized testing in another direction?

With respect to comparing European schooling versus North American schooling, it is true that the former are far more rigorous. European and Asian students, including young students, often attend extra academic classes beyond their regular schooling. Furthermore, these students have many hours of daily homework. Again, spending more time practicing what is taught in a classroom does lead to better results.

As for private schools, one must keep in mind that these schools are discriminating; there is no room for behaviour problems or learning problems nor are their class sizes large. If public schools could also turn away the 'problems' and keep only the motivated, hard-working students, their achievement scores would likely improve.

I think Mr. Sagel is being unfair in presenting only some of the facts. I wonder what makes so many people think that they are experts in education.

C. Anderson
Halifax,
Nova Scotia

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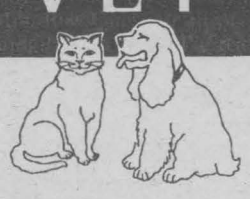

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The City of Cornwall donated a load of Cornwall Aces clothing to the United Way for their fundraising efforts this year. The clothing was sold at an auction at the Best Western on November 23rd. Some of the team that worked on this endeavour are (from left to right): Constable Tony Joseph, Sergeant Denis Moquin, Ann Bissonnette (owner of Sky-Hi Greetings), acting-Sergeant (and volunteer auctioneer) Bob Burnie and Andre Rivette.

Story & photo by Chris McPhee

Auctioning Aces Memorabilia

On November 23rd, 2000 at Winner's in the Best Western Parkway Inn, the City of Cornwall graciously donated a load of Cornwall Aces memorabilia clothing to the United Way to help them raise funds for this year's fundraising drive.

"The Aces Hockey Committee left this load of new clothing when they left the City," said Andre Rivette from the United Way. "The 125 pieces of clothing are in various sizes and styles. Thanks to Sky-Hi Greetings and the Cornwall Community Police Service for generously donating their time to this event. This auction is a plus because the money will go right back into the community."

Guest auctioneer was acting-Sergeant Bob Burnie from the Cornwall Community Police Service.

Burrell Appointed Division Chair

Mr. Tim Kirkby, 2000 Campaign Chair for the United Way of Cornwall and District is pleased to announce the appointment of Sue Burrell as Division Chair of the Retail Services Division of the current fundraising campaign.

This division of the campaign handles the following: Banks, Credit Unions, Finance Companies, Insurance Companies and Real Estates plus some other accounts that do not fall into those listed above.

Mr. Kirkby stated that Sue Burrell will handle this division well and the final results will show an increase over the 1999 fundraising results. This is Ms. Burrell's first year with the Campaign Team and all results to date indicate that this division under her leadership will show gains in our fundraising activity currently underway.

Mr. Kirkby stated that he is happy and pleased to have Sue Burrell on his Campaign Team.



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The Berwick-based conservation authority is trying to get a better line on all existing trout habitat in Eastern Ontario, excluding the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Rivers.

"The region east of Ottawa and Prescott, between the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Rivers to the Quebec border has traditionally contained habitat capable of supporting trout," said Naomi Langlois, SNC's Senior Fish and Wildlife Technician.

"The two species prevalent in our area have been Brown and Brook," Langlois said. "Some occur naturally and some have been stocked." For example, professional angler Martin Leduc, who sits on SNC's Fisheries Committee, has discovered Brook Trout near Bourget.

However, while Eastern Ontario has a well established, vigorous warm water fishery, trout are a cold water species and cold and cool water streams aren't well identified in the region.

"The sensitive stream conditions that trout need to survive are becoming rarer in these parts," Langlois explained. "SNC would like to identify these streams so that protection measures can be introduced."

Langlois invites anyone with information about streams known to harbour trout currently or in the recent past to contact the SNC office. For more information, call Naomi Langlois at (877) 984-2948.

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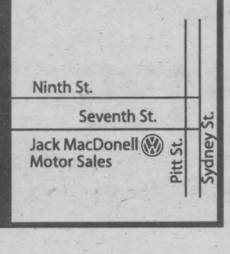

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"We have grown from a small store into a space formerly occupied by two businesses, a much larger unit that can now handle an ever-expanding offering of unique products that will please everyone, from babies to grandparents," said Jay with justifiable pride.

"We started with crafts but have expanded into all sorts of giftware, including a wide variety of Country Home Candles which we sell at the best price in town," added Betty, Jay's mother, the person you're most likely to see when you visit the shop. "As Christmas approaches, we're extending our hours," she added. Call 932-9590 for the exact times.



BETTY LALONDE AT YOUR SERVICE - The Sap Bucket, conveniently located at 353 Montreal Road, offers a wide variety of gifts and crafts.

Photo by Nick Wolochatiuk

The store is on the south side of Montreal Road, just east of the steeple of the Nativity Cathedral, conveniently located directly opposite one of the largest public parking lots in Cornwall's Le Village.

As you enter 353 Montreal Road, you'll be greeted by the subtle scent of Apple Jack, Fireside Cinnamon, or Grandma's Kitchen, three of the scented candles that are on sale.

Due to lack of space, the rest of this story will have to read like a page from Santa's shopping list. Here's just a small part of what's available: miniature water fountain centre pieces; locally-crafted stained glass lamp shades; throw blankets; all sorts of maple products; hockey memento mini frames; musical animated porcelain dolls; salad dressing oils; Venus spa kit bombs; massage oils; bubble bath; fully costumed Teddy bears; fully-rigged, fully-assembled miniature sailing vessels; traditional Mexican native face masks; wicker wine racks; circle-of-friends candle holders; musical bear savings banks.

If you want your friends to choose their gifts themselves, The Sap Bucket makes gift certificates available. A 30-day lay-away plan arrangement can also be made.

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WHAT A SELECTION! - Come see for yourself what The Sap Bucket has to offer. We took many pictures, but decided seeing for yourself is the only way to do justice to what is available.

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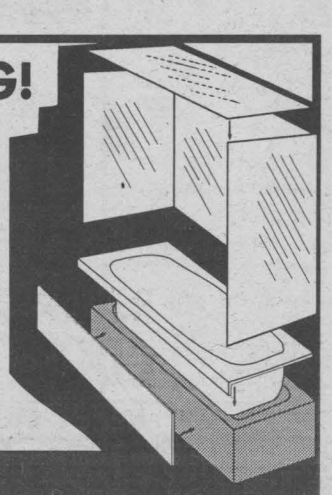
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Annual Bridge Club Award



On November 20th, 2000 Terri's Duplicate Bridge Club held its Annual Awards Luncheon at the Chateau Cornwall. The event was to recognize various winners of events throughout the year 2000.

Seated, from left to right are: Kay Barlow, Lyette Ladouceur, Rita Struthers, and Ruth Edgerton. Standing in the back (from left to right) are: Denis Carr (from Chateau Cornwall), Joyce Harrison, Ben Bouvier, Dr. Madan Seth, Ray Parmalee, Fern Blain, Bert Chaussé and Terri Lalonde (director).

Photo by Chris McPhee

Fundraising Campaign For H.O.P.E.

The group H.O.P.E. (Helping Other People Everyday) have started their annual fundraising campaign with businesses in the Glengarry region.

In addition to the financing of a great Christmas Supper for anyone lonely and/or less fortunate during the holidays, this fundraising will also provide a rescue fund for the remainder of the year. Also, it allows special community activity funds for children.

Every year, and now for the 8th consecutive year, businesses are showing a growing interest in supporting H.O.P.E. The group is expecting another great year of contributions for its involvement in the community.

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Dances With Words

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Thanks to an ever-increasing number and variety of personal methods of communication, we are able to send messages to each other more quickly than ever before.

At one time, a very long time ago, there must have been someone from Williamstown who was courting someone in Martintown who tried to send a message by one of the oldest media known to man (or woman): smoke signals. Unfortunately, local prevailing winds are from the northwest, rendering that method virtually useless, unless a low pressure area was moving in, bringing along with it a reverse from the normal wind. A present-day problem with smoke signalled messages is South Glengarry's Township's ban on open air fires and air pollution.

However, to reply, that target of affection in Martintown could slip a love note into a bottle and let it float downstream, eventually to be intercepted by her suitor. Unfortunately, the bottle method doesn't work well in mid-summer, for at that time of year the Raisin is about as dried up as a raisin. Winter communication by bottle would also be virtually impossible, as the Raisin then becomes a skating rink, except during the 'January Thaw,' an annual phenomenon that's as regular as clockwork. Almost invariably, it comes in December, February, March, April - or January.

Then came Canada Post Canada. Local old-timers tell me that at one time there was next-day dependable six day a week delivery service between local villages, and it only cost three cents. Now it sometimes takes as much as six days, the post person (or should it be 'the post' to be politically correct?) makes his or her rounds only five days a week, and the stamps cost 47 cents, plus the GST (the 'Gouge and Screw Tax'), the tax that The Red Book promised to abolish a couple of election campaigns ago. Actually, it's not the stamps that cost so much, it's the transportation cost to the central sorting stations in Loughenbourgh or Perdough, and the four day storage fee.

Today, we can communicate through highly sophisticated media such as telephones (except to people who tie up their phone line almost all day by leaving their computer online all day).

Some schools even have e-mail these days. I was recently teaching at one that has e-mail. At about 4 p.m., I overheard the principal dealing with an irate parent.

"I sent you an e-mail at 3:20 p.m. saying that little Emily was not to take the school bus home today, and that I would be coming to pick her up! Now she's not here! Don't you check your e-mail around here?"

I know what the principal would have liked to say, and it's what I would have liked to say too, but principals or teachers just aren't allowed to utter such responses these days.

Today's students are into the latest in communication toys. In a high school math class, I was supervising a test. I was instructed to lend calculators to any student who was without one. To guarantee that they'd be returned by the end of the period, I asked for a security deposit of sufficient value. Included were three cell phones, two pagers and the keys to a 1982 Chevette. I accepted each of those items, including the car keys, but only after I was assured that the vehicle's fuel tank was at least half full.

Another way we have of communicating these days is by fax. There's no bigger put-down used by today's communication sophisticates than when they say, "You mean to say you don't have a fax!"

The second rarest telephone situation you'll encounter today is a number that doesn't have some sort of voice-mail system appendaged to it. At almost all big businesses, you are greeted by "For English press one, pour service en français, appuyez le deux, and if you have a rotary phone, well, too bad!"

So you're wondering, "What's the rarest telephone situation you'll encounter today?" It's that of being greeted by a live voice that says, "Hello! How may I help you?"

When's the last time you've received a hand-written personal letter? Yes, e-mail spans the earth at giga-speed and at virtually no cost. There's no envelope, stationery, pen, writing desk or stamps to buy. There's no time and energy-consuming trip to the Post Office Canada Bureau de Poste. The only cost is a $2,000 computer system, a $500 work centre to sit the thing upon, a $300 ergonomically correct office chair to sit at, a $35 per month service provider fee and a 14-week course in how to work the darn thing.

Somehow, I don't think an e-mail will ever be able to match the warm fuzzy feeling that comes from a hand-written personal letter. It's somewhat comparable to artificial insemination as far as bulls are concerned. There's a reality to real letters that the synthetic coldness of e-mail cannot match.

There are real letters to be found in museums and archives that are virtually national treasures because they are in some famous person's handwriting. Will an 'original' e-mail ever be a valued item that will be put on display in a museum?

There's a ritual to real letters that is priceless. I can still remember the excitement of getting real mail. There used to be the interesting stamp, the community specific date and time cancellation marks and the handwritten address and return address. Some creative senders even include a little sketch or decoration on the outside of the envelope.

A careful sniff might detect a distinct fragrance or odour on the outside, or certainly on the inside of the envelope. Even before it's opened, it's given a careful tactile examination to determine if there are any potentially interesting enclosures, such as photographs, newspaper clippings or other items of special meaning.

Do you have any recollections of special letters you once received, and perhaps still have as a treasured keepsake from a lover, a relative, a friend, a fellow traveller or a buddy from The War?

To share that memory with me, if you live upstream from the Raisin River's McIntyre Rapids, just put a note in a bottle. If you prefer keeping a Post Poste person employed, address it: "RR #2, Williamstown, Ontario, K0C 2J0." If you prefer e-mail, put something for nuthill@glen-net.ca in your send box.

Out Of Ideas?

If you're lacking in inspiration this year, here are a few suggestions to get you started.

For kids, how about:
- Gift certificate for the movies
- Gift certificate for a record store or sporting goods store
- Windsurfing lessons for next summer
- Magazine subscription
- Bicycle accessories
- Roller-blades
- Disposable camera
- Tee-shirt of a rock star or sports hero
- A restaurant meal with their friends

For women, how about:
- Tickets to a play or concert
- Exotic cooking course
- Dinner at a restaurant
- Blank book for a diary or journal
- Photography session
- Leather armchair
- Framed print
- Bath pillow
- Health club membership
- Manicure session

For men, how about:
- Year of Internet service
- Tickets for a hockey game
- Roadside emergency kit for the car
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Seven weeks later he commented on how his hands and feet were hardly ever clammy and was very pleased with how warm his hands and feet felt. One year later his hands and feet still felt warm but this time he was consulting about his recent sleeping problem.
Keep in mind that Homeopathy treats the person, and not the disease, so two people with the same problem may require different remedies.
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***BARB'S SINGLES** dance schedule: Saturday, Dec. 2nd, "Christmas Dance". Dances are held at the Navy Club, 30 Sixth St. East. Info: 933-5903.

***BEREAVED FAMILIES OF ONTARIO** Support and Share nights are held every second Thursday of every month. Anyone who is grieving the loss of a loved one is welcomed to attend. Info: 936-1455.

***CANADIAN COUNCIL OF THE BLIND** hold meetings the first Monday of each month, at the Salvation Army in the basement, 7:30p.m. New members welcome. Info 936-1966.

***CANADIAN LIVER FOUNDATION** Cornwall Chapter holds support group meetings the 2nd Monday of every month (3rd Monday if 2nd Monday is a holiday). Meetings held at 216 Montreal Road, 7:30p.m. Info: 937-1781.

***CELEBRATE THE "MILLENNIUM CHRISTMAS"** with the Centennial Choir of Cornwall, Friday, Dec. 8th, 8:00p.m., St. Columban's Church. Tickets available at: KAB Gift Boutique, Kalrim Cycles & Sports, Whittaker Bros. Florists.

***"CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CRAFTS"** is being held on Sunday, Nov. 26th, 1:00p.m. to 4:00p.m. Presented by the Friends of the Upper Canada Migratory Bird Sanctuary. Info: 543-2547. Everyone welcome.

***"CHRISTMAS WREATH WORKSHOP"** is being held on Sunday, Dec. 3rd, 1:00p.m. Presented by the Friends of the Upper Canada Bird Sanctuary. Info: 534-2808. Everyone welcome.

CORNWALL GLBTQ is a support and discussion group for youth, aged 14 to 25yrs., who are, or think they might be gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgendered and their supporters. Meetings held every two weeks, on Thursday, 6:30p.m. at 533 Pitt St. Info: 1-877-874-4424.

***CORNWALL NEWCOMERS CLUB** is hosting a "Going Out To Lunch Club", on Friday, Nov. 24th, 1:00p.m. Info: Lise at 931-9095.

***CORNWALL TOWNSHIP HISTORICAL SOCIETY** next meeting will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 28th, 7:30p.m., at the Raisin River Heritage Centre, St. Andrews West. Guest Speaker: Dr. Max Irving, author of Flanders Field. Everyone welcome. Info: 527-1719.

***CRAFT SALE** is being held at Cornwall Square on Friday, Dec. 1st. Hosted by Knox St. Pauls U.C.W.

***HOPE IN LOVE/REFLET-LUMIERE,** a non-profit organization in support of couples who wish to nurture their relationship, have weekly meetings Wednesday evenings, 8:00 pm, Centre j'aime apprendre, 305 Baldwin Street, Info: 937-0829 or 938-6364.

***"KEENAGERS"** with Larry Keen, of the Seaway Seniors, will be performing at Janet MacDonnell Pavilion on Monday, Nov. 27th, 2:30p.m. Everyone welcome.

***MOOD DISORDER SUPPORT GROUP** "Over The Rainbow" hold meetings at 533 Pitt St., (The Starbright Centre) 7:00p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month. Info: 937-3703. Anyone who suffers from mood disorders, is welcomed to attend.

***PARKINSONS SELF HELP GROUP** of Cornwall meet at the RCAF Assoc. Bldg. (Wing 424) on Water St. W. on Tuesday Nov. 28th, 1:15 pm. Guest Speaker: Sandie Jones, Co-ordinator of Client Services & Education for Central & Northern Ont. Region. Anyone interested in Parkinsons is welcome to attend. Info: 936-9944 or 933-2193.

***S.D.&G. GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY** meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 28th, 7:00p.m., Room 2 at Trinity Anglican Church Hall, 105 Second St. W. Info: 933-6025.

***SEAWAY SENIORS** 205 Amelia Street, activities: Monday: "Tai-Chi" 9:00a.m.; "Beginner Line Dancing" 10:15a.m.; "Cribbage" 1:30p.m.; Tuesday: "Advanced Line Dancing" 9:45a.m.; "Euchre" 1:30p.m.; Wednesday: "Yoga" 10:45a.m.; "Scrabble" 1:00p.m.; "Whist & Knitting" 1:30p.m.; Thursday: "Keenagers" 9:30a.m.; "Chess" 10:00a.m. "Darts & Skat", 1:30p.m. Info: 932-4969

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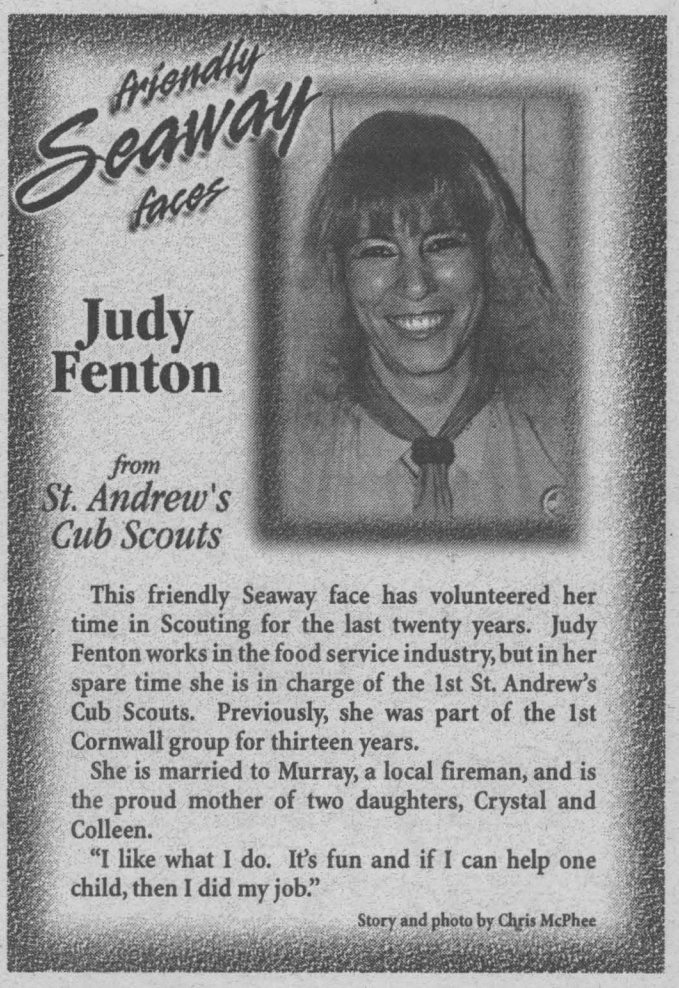
***ST. PETER'S C.W.L. LUNCHEON** is being held on Saturday, Nov. 25th, 11:00a.m. to 2:00p.m. Everyone welcome.

TOPS, ON4643 Long Sault, meets at Pentecostal Church, Bethune St. every Monday Night. Weigh: 6:30-7:00p.m. New members welcome. For info call Mary Ann at 933-2247.

***TRINITY BRIDGE CLUB** holds Bridge every Thursday at 1:00p.m., Trinity Church Hall. Everyone welcome.

***VON BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP** can help ease the burden of dealing with Breast Cancer through a new Support Group. Meetings held every third Thursday of the month at the VON Office, 205 Amelia St., 7:00p.m. For more info call Sheila Airey, VON Office at 932-3451.



This friendly Seaway face has volunteered her time in Scouting for the last twenty years. Judy Fenton works in the food service industry, but in her spare time she is in charge of the 1st St. Andrew's Cub Scouts. Previously, she was part of the 1st Cornwall group for thirteen years.

She is married to Murray, a local fireman, and is the proud mother of two daughters, Crystal and Colleen.

"I like what I do. It's fun and if I can help one child, then I did my job."

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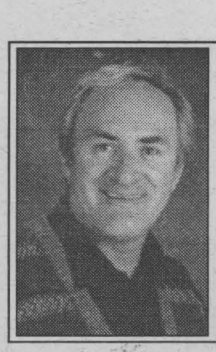

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Sarah Brightman "La Luna" - EMI. British diva Sarah Brightman showcases her hauntingly beautiful soprano in this dazzling collection of 16 songs (in 6 languages no less) in a range of ethereal styles. A super sequel to her previous effort "Eden."

Dwight Yoakam "Tomorrow's Sounds Today" - WEA. With this new offering, Dwight Yoakam brings country's past into country's present with renditions of "What Do You Know About Love," "I Was There" with Buck Owens and even a cover of Cheap Trick's "I Want You To Want Me." Great stuff!

Ricky Martin "Sound Loaded" - Columbia. Words that come to mind: exciting, colourful, alive and party-time. Check out the smash hits "She Bangs," "Loaded" and "Nobody Wants To Be Lonely."

Various Artists "Rap Essentials 2000" - C2M/BMG. Great compilation of rap tracks for those so inclined: Black Rob's "Whoa," Q-Tip's "Let's Ride," DJ Quik's "Pitch In On A Party," POW's "Crazy and Wild" and Rascalz's "Top Of The World." Party on!

Texas "Song Book" - Mercury. Texas has been one of the major success stories out of the U.K. This best of collection sports all the hits, including the much sought after remix of the #1 smash "Say What You Want" as well as three new tracks that beckon attention. Lots to enjoy!

Murray Perahia "Bach: Goldberg Variations" - Sony. Unquestionably one of the greatest pianists of his generation, Murray Perahia displays here his breathtaking virtuosity and his thoughtful reflection in his personal reading of Johann Sebastian Bach's cornerstone work "Goldberg Variations."

Various Artists "The Crew" - Milan. The movie is about four retired mobsters who hilariously team up for one last hit. The corresponding soundtrack is filled with Italian/American favourites from "Mambo Italiano" to "The Boss" by James Brown along with a small ensemble score by composer Steve Bartek. Grrrreat!

CORRECTION NOTICE

Please be advised that the Chevrolet Oldsmobile "NO/NO/NO" ad that appeared in this publication w/o November 6th and w/o November 13th included incorrect information. The 2001 Malibu 1SA does not include cruise control. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

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Valco Dispute Ends In Fair Settlement

The 89 members of Local 13292 of the United Steelworkers, employees of Valco Furniture, have ratified a new collective agreement, ending a labour dispute which started on September 14th, 2000. Workers began returning to work on Monday, November 20th, and should all be back within a week.

Terms of the settlement include severance protection, improved vacation pay, improved seniority rights, and wage increases of up to 15 per cent.

Steelworkers' Staff Representative, Stuart Deans said, "The members engaged in this dispute to achieve a fair deal in wages and protection against the threat of plant closure.

"We believe the principles for which our members walked the picket line have been achieved in a settlement that benefits both the workers and the company."

The agreement runs for two and a half years.

"The parties are committed to ensuring the long-term viability of the company in Cornwall and to ushering in a new era of labour-management relations," Deans said.



Wal-Mart Donates To Agape



Wal-Mart donated an undisclosed amount to help the Agapè Center with the growing costs in their new van.

"We purchased the van to pick up larger items like fridges and stoves," said Sue MacDonald (on left), Administrator for the Agapè Center. "We also wanted to have a safer working environment for our staff. It is much more convenient, but the costs were greater than our old van, so Wal-Mart graciously stepped forward with a donation as our corporate sponsor."

"We were just glad to be able to help," stated Greg Steeves, Wal-Mart Store Manager who has recently relocated to the Cornwall store.

Photo by Chris McPhee

Teens Still Need You!

Thanks to various program grants, the Youth Centre, "Studio 13-18" has doubled its hours of opening. We are now open 22 hours a week; Monday to Thursday from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. for the 9 to 12 year-old youths, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evening from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., as well as Sunday afternoons from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. for the 13 to 18 year-old youths. The Centre's activities vary from after school tutoring to sports activities, healthy cooking, discussion workshops, crafts and more.

The Cornwall Youth Centre, "Studio 13-18," members of the United Way, needs volunteers. We are in need of supportive, reliable adults, over the age of 19 to volunteer between 1 to 40 hours of their time a month. We need help from the community. The Youths of the Centre would like to make a public appeal to ask the adults in the community for some of their time to help out with their activities and after school programs. The volunteers wanting to share between 1 to 40 hours a month of their time should be patient, creative and energetic. Training will be provided.

If you or anyone you know are interested in lending a hand, have special skills to share with us, would like to help with fundraising and enjoy working with youths, we're looking for you! Please do not hesitate, call Josée for more information at 938-2000 (day) or 938-4999 (evening).

Advanced Ticket Sale Blitz For The Sound Of Music

Cornwall and area residents are being urged to join the huge crowds as Cornwall's Glen Productions launches an early-bird sale of tickets for the February production of The Sound Of Music beginning the first week of December.

With long lineups expected, officials have decided to start with an Advanced Ticket Sale Blitz at Canadian Tire, 201 Ninth Street East on December 2nd and 3rd, 2000 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and then officially launch regular ticket sales on December 4th at the Cornwall Seaway Valley Tourism offices at Pitt and First Streets.

The production has a huge cast, again with performers of all ages from throughout the Three United Counties. Two of the lead roles will be handled by Erin Durham who plays Maria and Jean-Guy Quesnel who plays Capt. Von Trapp. Anyone who saw the award-winning movie will know that Julie Andrews and Canadian Christopher Plummer were cast in those roles. Glen officials say they are extremely lucky to have two such talented singers locally to play these two major leads in the production.

Other cast members include Elizabeth Denis as Liesl; Victoria Ellam as Gretl; Melanie Leneau as Brigita; Katie Lumley as Marta; Mary Ann McKiver as Louisa; Tanner Rogolsky as Kurt and Nathaniel Millward as Friederich.

Others taking part in the musical classic include Marion Barnes as Frau Schmidt; Mike Galt as Franz, the butler; Tony Gross as Baron Elberfeld; Sabrina Huper as Baroness Elberfeld; Tim Labelle as Max Detweiler; Chris McGillis as Rulph Gruber; Dawn McKeown as the Mother Abbess; Lacie Kingston as Elsa Schrader; Dan Ramer as Herr Zeller; Allison Main as Sister Berthe; Natasha Vander Veer as Sister Sophia; Linda Villeneuve as Sister Margaretta and Garth Wigle as Admiral Schreider. Some 35 people have also been chosen to form the choir of nuns and postulants.

Glen officials see the choice of The Sound Of Music as an excellent one considering that a new digital CD has just been released and the fact that the movie has become a legendary annual presentation on television.

The show's producer says despite the fact that the cast has been chosen, there is always a need for more production people. Anyone who feels they have time to spare to work on the show is asked to contact the show's producer, Pierrette Groulx at 932-7009. Most of the early rehearsals are being held at the Glen building located behind the Si Miller Arena.

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LETTERS TO SANTA

Dear Santa,

My name is Aaron L. For Christmas I would like lots of snow. Also, a new train and a toy pig for my toy barn.

Please remember my friends at Debbie's and all those in need.

Love Aaron
xoxo

Dear Santa,

I hope you have a good time at the North pole. The gift I want is a game for a game boy color.

Love Keegan L.

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Lisa and I'm 10 years old. For Christmas this year I would like a coloured Game Boy. My sister Meagan is 8 years old and she would like a scooter, Pokemon Silver game, Pocahontas II the Movie and a Junior Clue game.

We will leave milk and cookies for you Santa and sugar cubes for your reindeer.

Thank you Santa.

Love Lisa & Meagan Dagg
xoxo

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa. How are you? I'm fine. My name is Kyle Marleau. I live in Apple Hill. I'm 7 years old and I am in grade 2. Mme Mélanie est mon professeure et elle est très très gentille. Je travaille très fort a l'école St. Bernard de Maxville. This year I would like:

Some Tonka truck; Walk Man; Punching bag; Pirate game; Operation game; Play Doh; Army set; Train set; Rescue Hero set; Scooter

I know you can't bring me everything but you pick the one you think I would like the most.

See you soon. And take good care of yourself and your reindeer.

I will leave you some milk and cookies and some carrots for your reindeers. Bye.

Love you,
Kyle Marleau
Apple Hill

Hi Santa,

I love you. My name is Joel Campeau and I am 5 yrs old. I've been trying hard to be good at home and at school. This year I would like a microscope set because I enjoy doing science experiments. I would like a fossil dinosaur kit and a plush reindeer. I've gotten really good at the computer so any CD ROM game would be great. If you have any movies like Scooby Doo's Christmas I'd enjoy that too. Hope Mrs. Claus is feeding you well so you will stay healthy for us!

Say 'Hi' to your reindeer and have a safe trip!

Joel
xx

Dear Santa,

My name is Marni Campeau. I am 3 yrs old. I'm a real Barbie fan so if you could bring me Paris and Princess Bride Barbie with a utility vehicle to drive them around in, I'd be thrilled. I would also like a Mary Kate and Ashley movie "Billboard Dad," Kelly collectibles and a Brittney Spears CD. I love her song "Oops, I Did It Again." Have a safe trip to Cornwall. Mom and Dad promise to feed you and your reindeer well when you get to our house. I love you!

Marni

Dear Santa,

My name is Jodie. I am the newest addition to the Campeau family. I am 9 months old. There sure are a lot of toys at my house. If you could please bring me the Little People farm set to add to our collection and a special police rocker for me that would be great! I'd also like the game Pounding Bugs by Playskool. I'm growing really fast so if you bring me sleepers I'm sure Mom would appreciate it. I'm looking forward to my first Christmas. See you at the mall!

Love Jodie
xx

Dear Santa,

My name is Bradley and I'm 3 years old. I've been nice most of the time this year. It's hard because I'm still young. I want to say thanks for last year's presents. They were great.

My wish list this year is:
- Rescue Heroes Voice Tech: Jake Justice
- ABC Wooden blocks
- Hot Wheels cars and trucks
- Clothes

My brother and I will leave you some cookies and milk beside our Christmas tree.

Love always,
Bradley Pidgeon xxx

Dear Santa,

My name is Christopher and I'm 4 years old. I go to school this year and love it. I tried to be good most of the time this year. I want to say thanks for last year's presents. I really enjoyed them.

My wish list this year is:
- Rescue Heroes Voice Tech: Jack Hammer
- Construction vehicles
- Hot Wheels cars and trucks
- Clothes

My brother and I will leave you some cookies and milk beside our Christmas tree.

Love always,
Christopher Pidgeon
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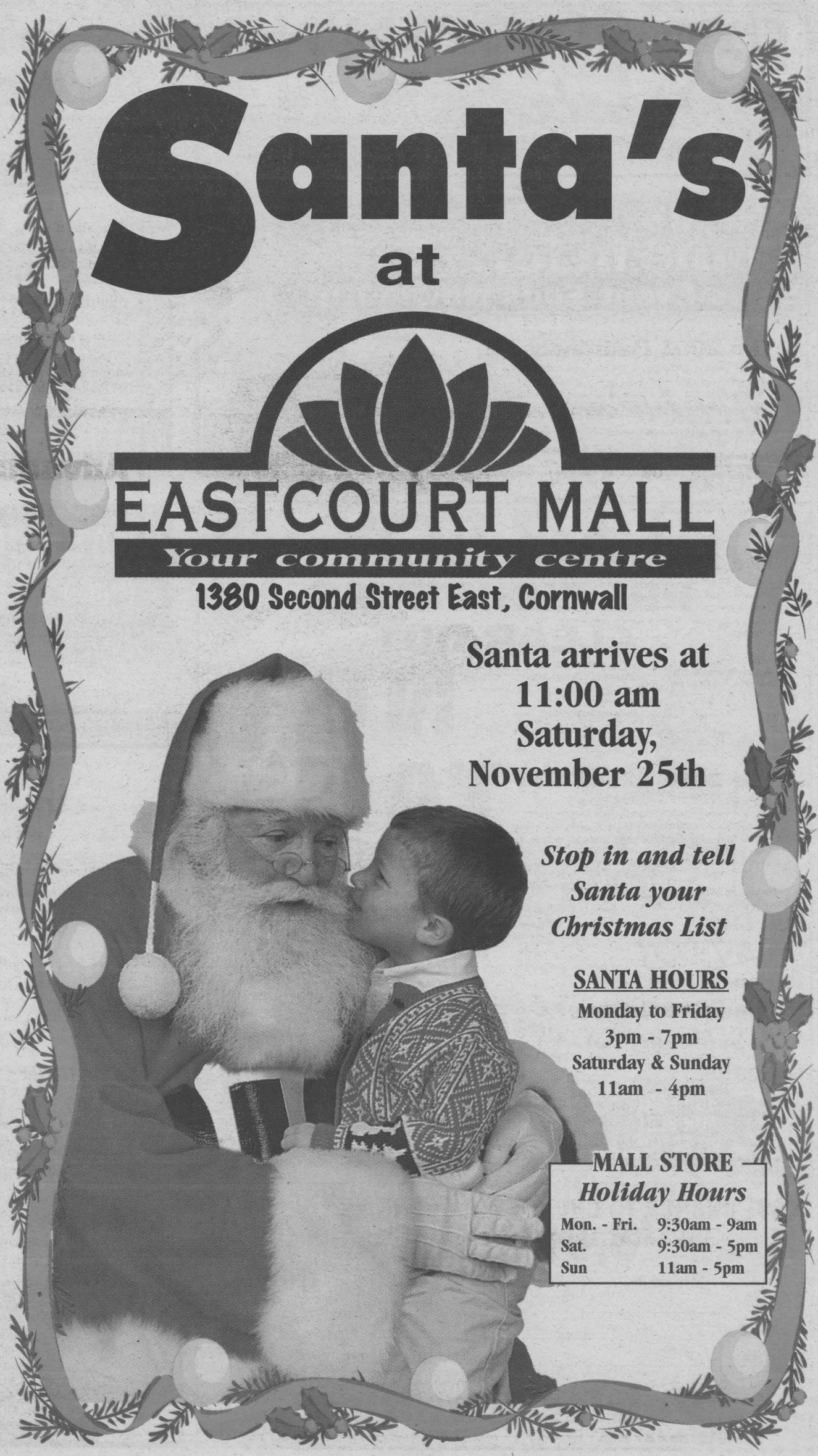



LETTERS TO SANTA

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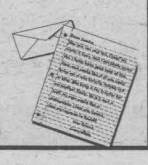


Holiday Gift Guide

Today's Dolls... And Yesterday's

Dolls have been a much-loved Christmas gift for generations of children, particularly little girls. The first dolls were invented thousands of years ago, made of natural materials and used in religious ceremonies. In modern times, dolls have been put to other uses. Some are used to promote fashion designers' clothing – Barbie wears dresses by Christian Dior, Yves Saint-Laurent and Valentino, for example. Dolls have also been used in medicine to teach anatomy. And today, dolls are the pride and joy of many a collector.



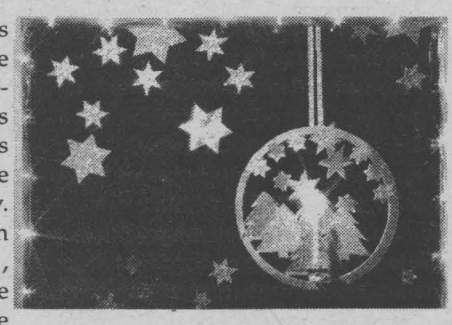
Doll houses have also been quite popular. They allow children to create their own universe, and invent games and situations that will amuse them for hours on end. In the beginning, doll houses were made by hand with very expensive materials. They were richly decorated and, not surprisingly, were bought by noble families and the very rich. Today, accessories for the affordable doll's world have expanded to include such items as the Barbie camper, in the image of outdoors-loving owners.

The Shining Christmas Star

Using stars as Christmas decorations is a tradition that has very deep roots, not just in different families, but also in religion, in history, and in many countries around the world.

Throughout North America, whether it's made of metal or plastic, with electric or flashing lights, and in any size and shape, a star is placed on top of the Christmas tree. In some families, the star must be placed at midnight, and if they really believe in tradition, placing the star is a job that falls to the youngest member of the family.

In Sweden, when groups of children sing Christmas carols, they carry a star attached to a stick. And throughout Advent, Swedes hang stars of all colours in their windows. In Germany, the star is one of the most precious symbols of the Nativity. In Finland, people make stars by hand with straw. And in the Philippines, the cities and villages are decorated with stars of all colours.



What role does the star play in your home?

A Day Planner Combines Pleasure And Practicality



At first glance, a planner doesn't seem like a very creative Christmas gift. But there are literally thousands of models on the market, each with a different format, style and appeal.

Some types can be found year after year. The Quo Vadis line of day timers, for instance, includes a model specially designed for students, as well as the popular one-day-per-page type. Some models have useful headings, such as "To Do," "To Read," "To Call," and "Do Not Forget." Some are the size of a pocketbook, others are the size of a three-ring binder.

Each planner expresses the personality of the owner. Some have themes, such as the annual Woman's Day Book, or planners featuring cartoon characters. Others sport great photographs of wild animals, or favourite pets.

Even if you've never considered a planner as a Christmas gift, when you see the wide range available in the shops, you may think again. In fact, a day planner can become a prized possession that the recipient will carry around every day of the year.

Edible Christmas Gifts

Does your culinary wizardry pass unnoticed for most of the year? Here's your chance to shine. Get in the kitchen, and whip up a few of your specialities as Christmas gifts. Home-cooked presents are perfect for those who prefer to avoid the annual buying frenzy, and carry a little more warmth than a store-bought gift, anyway.

You don't have to be a cordon-bleu chef to have your own signature dish, whether it's an hors-d'oeuvre, a main dish, a dessert or a special condiment. Are pickles your thing? How about jams or jellies? Your parents and friends will be happy to feast on the wonders of your kitchen.

Not convinced that edible gifts will do the trick? Just remember the famous fudge that great-uncle George used to make, or your grandmother's famous lasagna. Wouldn't you like to taste them again? Once your friends and family members have tasted your excellent cheesecake, you can bet they'll be pining for more.

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Holiday Gift Guide

Great Ideas For Gift-Giving Grandparents

(NC)-You promised yourself that you wouldn't wait until the last minute to start your holiday shopping. Here's your chance to make good on that resolution and spare yourself the headaches of trying to find the right gift during the holiday season rush.

Excellent options for preschoolers can be found in Hasbro's My First Games line. These preschool games include classics that parents and grandparents remember playing like CANDY LAND®, CHUTES AND LADDERS®, HI HO! CHERRY-O® and ORIGINAL MEMORY®, as well as others that are sure to become favorites like, PUPPY RACERS® LUCKY DUCKS® and FISHIN' AROUND®.

Preschool games in the My First Games category help reinforce developmental skills like counting, matching and color recognition, as well as social skills such as turn-taking, self-esteem and a healthy sense of competition. Playing games also provides a quick and easy way to enjoy quality time.

"Today's families are searching for ways to spend time together," says Mark Stark, Vice President of Marketing for Hasbro Games. "Playing games provides a fun and natural way for parents and grandparents to connect with preschoolers at an early age and helps set a positive foundation for a lifetime." Each activity is designed to be fun and help children practice key educational skills such as counting, learning colors and matching.

For kids who like to take their fun on the run, there is a wide selection of hand-held games now available. Choose from classics like Monopoly®, Yahtzee®, Bop It® and Candy Land® that each come in electronic hand-held versions. You can also find newer hand-held games, such as:

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You can be sure your grand kids will have loads of fun with any one of these terrific gift ideas.

Ornamental Balls Are Essential For Your Tree



Of all the decorations we lavish on the Christmas tree, shiny ball ornaments are undoubtedly the most popular. But how many of us know where the tradition came from? The delicate, colourful Christmas ball, which was invented by industrial companies many years ago, was inspired by early European traditions. In fact, Germans who settled in North America brought with them the tradition of hanging red apples from the Christmas tree. Today's red glass balls reflect these early ornaments by adding sparkle to the evergreen boughs.

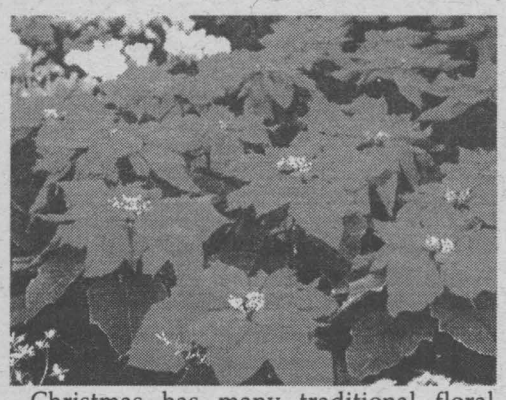
The Centuries-Old Tradition Of Exchanging Gifts



Much as we modern consumers like to shop, we didn't invent the custom of exchanging gifts. It is a practice that dates back to the most ancient tribes. In early societies, young children would be given offerings at important festivals. In 12th-century France, this evolved into the custom of presenting gifts in honour of Saint Nicholas, while nuns distributed gifts to the poorest members of society.

This custom rapidly spread throughout Europe, and was adopted by both rich and poor. Today, gift-giving has spread to all countries, but differs according to race, religion and culture. In Egypt, gifts are left at the foot of the bed while children sleep on the night of December 25th. In Greece, gifts are exchanged on New Year's Day. In Hungary, treats and small gifts are left in children's shoes on December 6th. In Vietnam, Christians give presents on Christmas Eve, while Buddhists celebrate Tet, the first day of the new year.

Flowering Plants For Christmas



Christmas has many traditional floral emblems. But aside from the holly and the mistletoe, there are also many flowering plants that make great Christmas gifts.

In North America, the poinsettia rivals the spruce tree for seasonal popularity. Known in scientific circles as 'Euphorbia pulcherrima', this plant was discovered in Mexico in 1825 by Joel Robert Poinsettie. Its bright red leaves make it the perfect Christmas decoration. If they are given enough light, poinsettias can remain attractive until the end of January.

With its small, pinkish-red petals, cyclamen is another exceptional Christmas bloomer. It requires about the same care as the poinsettia, but can be placed in areas with lower light. In fact, although you can put it in front of a window, it does best away from direct sunlight.

Hibiscus, azalea, Christmas cactus and Norfolk Pine are also seasonal plants. In some countries, fruit tree branches are also part of the celebration. According to German tradition, the branches are cut on December 4th, then put in a vase of water so that they flower at Christmas.

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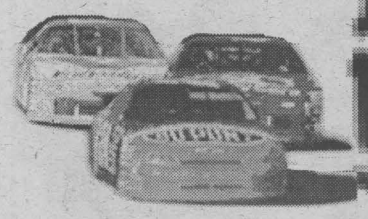

NASCAR Winston Cup Series



Ask BILL WEBER

If there is one thing ESPN auto racing analyst Bill Weber loves more than being down in the pits for a NASCAR race, it's giving the fans the inside scoop. So he's opened up his e-mail to you, the fans, this season.

But Bill took a different approach to this batch of user mail. Most of the questions have to do with the futures of Bill and his colleagues, ESPN, and NASCAR. So Bill decided to address these questions with one complete answer. Enjoy.

Q ...

"I was thrilled when I read that you, Matt Yocum and Dave Burns are going to still be involved with the races next year. I couldn't imagine who they could have gotten that would do as good a job as you guys. I think you are all great!!!! Allen Bestwick and Benny Parsons also but what about John Kernan? Also it was said that they are looking 40 miles out of Newark for location for a track, do you know exactly where they are talking about? Good Luck Guys!!!! See you next year at the races."

Doris Bradley
Oakhurst, N.J.

"I hate to see ESPN lose its rights to NASCAR coverage, but congrats to Benny, Matt, and you, Bill, for landing at the other network. It would have been a crime to exclude the best in the business from NASCAR. I wish the other networks could have had the foresight to absorb Doc, Bob and Kernan, as well. Good luck to you all in your new endeavors. You're all the best."

Jerry Kohl
Jamestown, Ohio

"Hey Bill, just wanted to let you know that I'm thrilled about you following NASCAR to the other network. It now won't be as bad a transition. Best of luck to you. P.S. -- see if you can talk the Dr. into changing his mind."

Mark Becker
Germantown, Md.

"No question, just a comment: My family and I are thrilled that we will still see you next year on NBC. Your knowledge and dedication to NASCAR are unmatched by anyone in the racing industry."

Todd Adams
Orange, Calif.

"I'm tickled to death to see that you and Matt Yocum are going to work at NBC next year (it's a shame you couldn't bring the good Doctor with you). I had the pleasure to meet Matt in the pits at Dover in September and had a picture taken with him. Unfortunately, the picture didn't turn out, so I hope that maybe next September I can get one with Matt and yourself. My question is: In your expert opinion, what problem must NASCAR address during the offseason? Thanks,"

Mike Phillips
Salisbury, Md.

"Can you please tell me if NASCAR took into consideration when leaving ESPN and the other cable networks the fact that there is another life outside of racing -- not that I would know it myself? During coverage of the Miami 300, I can't tell you how frustrating it is to have the race interrupted because they haven't picked a president yet. Also, in the past there have been many races that you miss the finale because the regular channel has different programming in mind! If I watch a race I want to see flag to flag coverage!"

Shannon Carlton
Manassas, Va.

"What was NASCAR thinking when it made this new TV deal? It may be making them more money, but what about the fans? With ESPN we always knew that we could see all of the race -- even in case of a rain delay -- either on ESPN or ESPN2. We also knew we could look forward to qualifying and Happy Hour and a group of newscasters who knew what they were talking about. I think DW will be great, but what about you, Benny, John Kernan, and Dr. Jerry Punch? ESPN will be sorely missed."

Adeline Ricci
Pompton Lakes, N.J.

"Bill, what is the fate of shows like RPM2Night, NASCAR2Day and TNN's Inside NASCAR, with the new television deals?

Hats off to ESPN/TNN/CBS for a great job covering NASCAR for these many years"

Sean Phelps
Mitchell, Ind.

... & A

Well, hello once again everybody. I hope you took the time to read all of the above questions. Instead of answering them individually, I will try to cover a great number of topics in a small amount of time.

First of all, this is just a sampling of the letters we have received. Just like my "regular" mailbag, I don't get a chance to see all of the e-mails, and of course, there is not the time or space to answer all of them. We try to get to as many as we can.

Second, and perhaps most important, thanks for your kind words via e-mail and at the track. Your friendship and support is greatly appreciated.

With one unavoidable exception, I have not discussed my future until now. As many of you have heard, I will be leaving ESPN. My last day with the network will be Dec. 31, 2000. Beginning in January, I will join NBC Sports as a member of their NASCAR race coverage team on NBC and their broadcast partner, Turner Sports. My primary duties being Happy Hour coverage, the pre-race show for the Winston Cup series and reporting from pit road during the Winston Cup races. I will join Allen Bestwick, Benny Parsons, Dave Burns, Matt Yocum and Marty Snider on the broadcast team.

I am thrilled about this new opportunity, but you should know leaving ESPN was never an easy decision. This has been my home for six and a half years. I have been a part of the weeknight edition of RPM2Night since it went on the air and a part of NASCAR2Day for many years. ESPN offered me a variety of very enticing assignments, but in the end, I feel I belong in that garage on the weekends.

I get to continue working with Benny Parsons and with Mike Wells. Mike is one of the behind-the-scenes people that makes TV so successful. He has directed our ESPN Busch and Winston Cup telecasts almost since the beginning. In fact, I remember sitting on my grandfather's knee and him telling me that Mike Wells does a good job! Just kidding, Mike.

I am also looking forward to working with Allen, Dave, Matt and Marty.

In the same breath, I will miss Bob, Jerry and John, along with a number of the hard-working people on our remote crew at ESPN. Bob will get a chance to cover another sport he loves, open-wheel racing. Jerry's future has not been announced, but he will have a great position with ESPN and you'll see him a lot. At the same time, his travel schedule will not be what it has been for so many years, and he'll have more time to spend with his family. John, as I mentioned in my article this week, has the best seat in the business, and RPM2Night will continue. And if they don't keep up the good work, well, I'll come back and kick some ... but, I know I won't have to.

I have said this before, prior to knowing I would be a part of the new TV package, so I am comfortable saying it now. I believe the new TV partners will deliver the high-caliber coverage race fans have come to expect. In fact, I expect them both to take many of the elements made successful by ESPN and weave them into their broadcast. The new partners have invested too much money to let this venture fail, or simply "fill time."

So, at the same time, I will remind you, the loyal race fan, that there is a fine line between criticizing and simply being critical. Do you think the coverage is going to be perfect right out of the box? Probably not. Will it get there? You bet. In a hurry.

As for RPM2Night, it will continue on Sundays during the offseason and return to weeknights in February. I'm going out on a limb here, but this needs to be said: RPM2Night is the flagship show for motorsports television. Any attempt by anyone to limit the use of video by the show, or limit the access to the track of the show should be met with an uproar from race fans.

And we're not talking a mild frown here.

Letter writing, e-mails, banners at race tracks. Hopefully, none of this will be needed, but do you remember what it was like before RPM2Night? Not really? Neither do I. It has been a part of the life of the race fan for five years. Sure, people are now going to try and copy it, but nothing will be better than the original. It is a news show that promotes motorsports and gives the fan a chance to meet people they would never meet and go places they might never be able to get to.

Finally (I did say I would try to keep this short), I will miss this place and these people. Rich Feinberg and Barry Sacks are two people you'll probably never get to know, but it you love ESPN's NASCAR coverage, RPM2Night or the job I have done, these are the men you should find and thank. Both will be at the track in Atlanta this weekend.I was successful because they gave me a chance. Now they have given me a chance to continue to follow a dream. How do you thank someone for that? Hopefully, you guys can do it for me.


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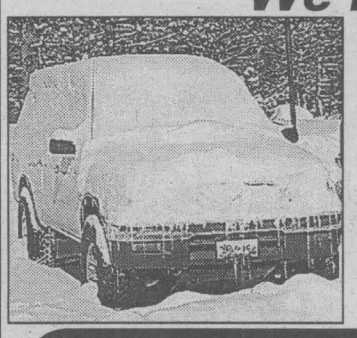
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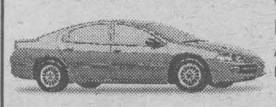
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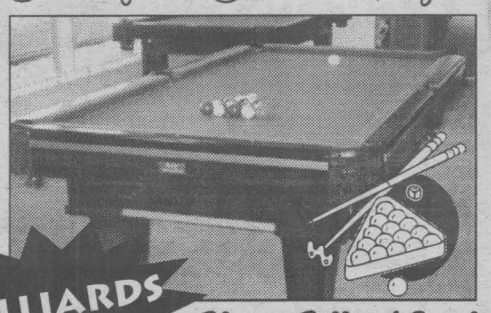
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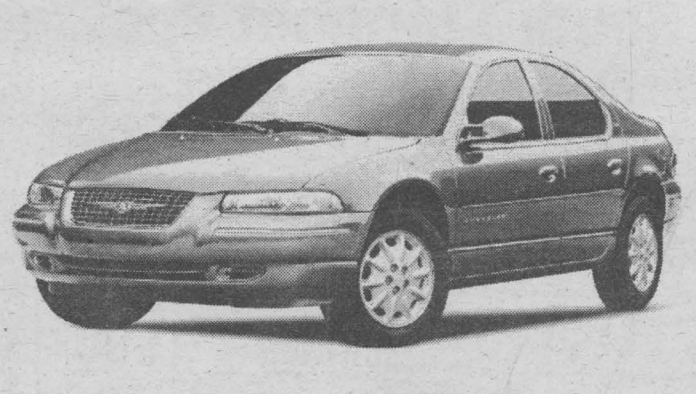

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SEAWAY SPORTS

South Stormont Bantam C Selects

It was a successful week for the South Stormont Bantam C Selects in UCMHL action. Ian Hickman led the offensive barrage in a 7-1 rout of Morrisburg with a five-point effort, including three goals. Doug Alguire, Marc Geneau, Shea Alguire and Matt Howard added singles.

It was a different story in North Dundas, however, as the Demons handed the Selects a 4-3 setback. After falling behind 4-1, the Selects staged a late rally to close the gap, and actually had the potential tying goal disallowed at the buzzer. Greg Markell, Shea Alguire and Doug Alguire scored the Selects' goals.

The Selects travelled to Morrisburg for a return encounter, and again hammered the Lions, this time 6-1. Doug Alguire was the offensive hero with a four-point night, including two goals. Geneau also scored twice, with singles going to Hickman and Matt Tessier.

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Lola's Pub And Grub Peewee A Royals

Lola's Pub and Grub Peewee A Royals celebrated team manager Suzanne Monnin's birthday in Ottawa with a 4-3 win against the Ottawa East Voyageurs. Corey Gove led the attack with a goal and two assists. Tyler Maxwell, Patrick St-Jean and Cody Jacobs also scored with Brad Crepeau picking up a pair of assists.

The Royals were not as successful in the Pembroke Silver Stick Tournament on the weekend losing all three games. Maxwell and Jacobs scored the only Cornwall goals.



Inside The Cornwall Colts

David **MURPHY**

Do you smell what the Colts are cooking? If you don't know what it is, you might want to read on because it'll be important when Cornwall's CJHL team is still playing hockey in late April, early May.

As of this writing, the Colts are on a 15-game unbeaten run. (They played Ottawa Thursday night.) While on this run, they've lost better than goal-a-game-guy, Francis Cloutier (separated shoulder) and slick defenceman, Matthiew Turgeon (various injuries). Turgeon only came back last weekend. The Colts have thrown more speed to an already lightning quick lineup when they traded for Anthony Massotto. Then they sprinkled some veteran leadership and grit when Lindsay Campbell decided to come back to play under head coach Al Wagar.

The addition of Campbell won't necessarily be measured on the scoreboard (although he did score a point a game while picking up more than 260 penalty minutes last season). Campbell's addition, as mentioned in the last paragraph, is meant to add leadership in the dressing room. Assistant coach Mike Ruest made it clear that this is not a knock against captain Jeff Legue but Campbell is more of a vocal leader in the dressing room. Legue leads by example.

The Colts are paving a path to a repeat of last year's performance. Isn't it exciting?

See you at the rink.

Here are your Cornwall Colts upcoming games:

- Friday, November 24th at Brockville, 8 p.m. (pre-game on Blaze 101.9 at 7:55 p.m.)
- Sunday, November 26th at Kanata, 1:30 p.m. (pre-game on Blaze at 1:25 p.m.)
- Thursday, November 30th vs Nepean, 7:30 p.m.
- Friday, December 1st at Gloucester, 7:30 p.m. (pre-game on Blaze at 7:25 p.m.)
- Sunday, December 3rd at Pembroke, 7 p.m. (pre-game on Blaze at 6:55 p.m.)

Cornwall Guindon Esso Atom "B" Royals

The Royals travelled up to Pembroke the weekend of November 10th to 12th, 2000 to participate in the Regional Silver Stick Tournament which is part of the biggest tournament in North America and came away with great memories, finishing with a 1-1-1 record.

In their first game vs the Gloucester Black Hawks on Friday night, the defensive game ended with a 1-1 draw with Travis Parisien solid in nets, earning player of the game honours. The goal scorer was Daniel Merpaw assisted by Andrew Kaneb.

The second match against the Russell team saw the Royals play a solid game, winning by a 2-0 score. Torry Bigtree was on top of his game stopping all shots his way, recording the shut-out and picking up player of the game. Goals provided by Daniel Merpaw and Mathieu Ladouceur with Bradley Prieur picking up the lone assist.

In their third game, the Royals needing only a tie to advance to the semi-finals, fell to the Arnprior Packers 6-3. Scorers for the Cornwall squad were Mathieu Ladouceur, Daniel Merpaw and Zachary Guindon with assists from Francois Bruyere (2) and Daniel Merpaw. Player of the game was Francois Bruyere who played a solid two-way game.

The Royals are preparing for their next tournament in Brockville on the weekend of November 24th to 26th with a couple of exhibition games vs Massena teams and league games against South Stormont and Alexandria.

Computer Sense/Rebels Char-Lan Novice Travelling Team

The Computer Sense/Rebels Char-Lan novice travelling team met the Hawkesbury Hawk in an exhibition game last Friday at the South Glengarry Arena. The Rebels got a solid performance from all their players to shutout Hawkesbury 2-0. This performance comes a week before leaving for Pembroke where they will be competing in the Silver Stick tournament, a well-known competition which is also a qualifier for a national contest held in Michigan, U.S. later in January 2001.

For Char-Lan, Reid Lepine opened the scoring in the first period completing a nice play by Tyson Spink. The Computer Sense crew's second goal came with five minutes to play in the second period when defenceman Jonathan Jasper took charge of the offence. Richard Guillet and Josh MacDonald were remarkable in the victory, sharing the shutout. Shots on nets were 15-10 for the local team.

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South Stormont PeeWee B's

The Selects had a slow beginning last weekend by losing their Friday night game to Potsdam. They travelled to Finch on Sunday to face NGS and won this exciting game by a score of 4-3. The Selects' first goal was scored by Brendan Timmers, assisted by Shane Brisson and Brad Montgomery. Kory Willard was next to add his name on the score sheet with the help of Tyler Galindo, Rodrigue Boileau and Patrick Geneau. The third goal was scored by Shane Brisson, assisted by Patrick Geneau. Just as we thought the game would finish in a tie, Patrick Geneau found an empty spot in the net and decided to fill it with the puck. Kevin Besner assisted on this last goal.

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SEAWAY SPORTS

Viau Mechanical Atom "B" Selects, "B" Division Champs

Let the season begin. The Selects got their first home game in Long Sault on Friday, October 13th, 2000 to an always exciting and fun to play Morrisburg team. The Selects lost 2-1 in a game that was decided late in the third period. The only goal scored was by Corey Fleury, assisted by DJ Cutler. Good goaltending by Colin McKay and strong defence made it a low scoring game.

Next game was on October 16th when the Selects got their first win of the season in Winchester 2-1 with both goals scored by a strong effort from Corey Jodoin, assisted by Fleury and Cutler. McKay stood his best again and kept the team in for the win.

At home on Friday, October 20th against a strong Char-Lan team ended with a 2-2 tie with goals by Nicholas Lefebvre, and a short-handed goal for the tie at 1:08 left in the third period to Cutler from a good defensive play by Daniel Bissonnette, who also picked up the assist on the first goal. Both goalkeepers were very strong, especially Travis Coughlin who was definitely feeling better. Good game guys and great way to start the season.

On Wednesday, October 25th, it was off to Spencerville for a 5-4 win that saw the Selects come out big in the first to take a 3-0 lead, but Spencerville tied it in the third 4-4. Then Fleury scored with 3:38 on the clock and got the parents cheering. Other goals went to Cutler and an assist, Jodoin, Billy Lalonde and a second goal by Fleury. Daniel Viau played a strong game, picking up two assists and one to Bissonnette. McKay made some great saves to keep his team in for the win.

At home to face a big Ogdensburg team on Friday, October 27th saw a lot of action and goals scored with a loss of 7-3. The Selects had two goals taken away that would have given them a 4-2 lead. Even after outshooting them and facing a good goalkeeper, it was a hard loss to take. The team tried hard and got two goals by Jodoin and one to Cutler who played an excellent two-way game. Assists went to Mike Wheeler, Lefebvre, Bissonnette and Viau.

The Selects were off to a busy week that started in Morrisburg on Wednesday, November 8th, 2000 with a 4-3 loss, and always an exciting team to play since it is always a challenge. The Selects tried their best to come back in the third from a 3-0 lead but the non-stop clock beat us with 1:07 left on the running clock. Goals scored by Brent Maxwell, Nicholas Lefebvre and assist and Corey Jodoin gave the game some excitement including a penalty shot that Colin McKay played to perfection to stop it and many other great saves. Other assists go to Daniel Viau, Corey Fleury and DJ Cutler.

On Friday, South Grenville were in Long Sault to play a strong game for a loss of 3-2. Goals for Selects go to Fleury and Cutler, assisted by Jodoin, Lefebvre and Daniel Bissonnette. Travis Coughlin played a super game with many saves to keep the scores low.

Saturday, November 11th was the Selects' first tournament in Morrisburg that gave them and coach Peter McKay a well deserving "B" Champs two years in a row. First game, the Selects came out with a 6-2 loss to Casselman. Goals scored by Fleury and Billy Lalonde, who was also named Hustler of the game. Next, the Selects gave it their all and came up with a 2-1 win against the same South Grenville team they played Friday night. Goals scored by Jodoin and Lalonde, assists to Fleury, Lefebvre and Mike Wheeler. Hustler went to Coughlin, who stood on his head at times to make key saves from a team he played the night before and saved the game for the "B" Final. The Selects went against Nepean Raiders who got on the scoreboard early in the game till DJ Cutler scored with 23 seconds left in the first. He scored again with 35 seconds left in the third with a good shot on net from Scott Simpson and rebound to DJ for the goal. Great way to finish with both goalkeepers sharing the game. We had parents from both teams cheering the kids on. Hustler went to Cutler with 2 goals for the win with assists going to Lefebvre, Simpson and Lucas Cryderman.

Way to go Selects and coaching staff Tim Cryderman, Gord Lefebvre and Marty Fleury. Seems like everyone on the team got some points this week. Great team work. Next tournament is scheduled for November 25th and 26th in Brockville. Good luck Selects.

Cornwall Minor Bantam Lions Basketball

This weekend the Cornwall Minor Bantam Lions Basketball team participated in a tri-meet in Ottawa.

In game one, Cornwall defeated the Kemptville Warriors by a score of 44-17. Manon Guitard led all scorers with 12 points followed by Chantal Leroux with 9.

In game two, a strong defensive effort by all of the Lions players and a balanced offensive attack resulted in a 47-14 victory over the Ottawa Shooting Stars.

South Stormont Bantam C Selects

The effort was there, but the results weren't for the South Stormont Bantam C Selects. In league play, the Selects outshot the South Grenville Rangers 25-21, but came out on the short end of a 5-2 score. Matt Tessier and Zach Grant supplied the Selects' goals.

In tournament play – also in South Grenville – the Selects started strongly with a 4-1 win over Potsdam. Single goals were notched by Ryan McDonald, Doug Alguire, Tessier, and Adam Hanniman. However, the Selects were eliminated from the tourney with a 5-0 setback to a strong Kingston squad.

CIBC Wood Gundy Minor Peewee AA Rapids

The CIBC Wood Gundy Minor Peewee AA Rapids opened the weekend with a 7-0 defeat to the Gloucester Rangers. The team rallied the next night to defeat the visiting Ottawa Sting 3-1. Scoring for CIBC was Jesse Corriveau, Derrick Villeneuve and Dwight Bero, with assists going to Corey Thomas, Mario Bissonnette, Eric Lemire, Jesse Smith and Christopher Ayotte. Justin Delormier was outstanding in nets for the Rapids and permitted the team to earn the victory.

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ICE CHIPS

by Bill Gallant

One of the most successful hockey teams to develop through the Cornwall Minor Hockey system were the Cornwall Mavericks. Not only did they achieve great honours during the early 1970's as Bantams and Midgets and during their time in the Ottawa Valley Jr. Hockey League, but several Mavericks went on to become Cornwall Royals players. The team was sponsored by the Anchor Motel and Steak House and owners John Gonzo and Andy Tothfaluse served on the team's executive during those winnings years.



The Mavericks won the 9th Annual Cornwall Invitational Bantam Tournament in 1971 as well as "A" Division Champs in tournaments in Napanee, Petawawa and Thurso that season, and were also Division Finalists and Runners-up in the Paul Sauve and Kingston Tournaments. As midgets the following year they took top honours as Grand Champions at the Drummondville event that attracted 80 teams and the Richmond Hill event with 32 teams entered. Then in 1972-73, they again won the Drummondville Tournament, and were "A" Division Champs in Ottawa, Cornwall, Belleville, Perth and Brockville. That season they also went undefeated in six games against Montreal's Elites "AAA" League and were the finalists in the P.E.I. Centennial Midget Tournament. The team was well coached during that period by Ford Markell who was named the Coach Of The Year in 1972 by the C.A.H.A. Many fans will recall that Markell was also an interim coach for a brief period with the Cornwall Royals. It was through the efforts of Coach Markell, Team Manager Rene Ouellette and sponsors Gonzo and Tothfaluse that the Mavericks grew as a team and won all those awards. The team also became affiliated with the Royals and many players got the chance to further develop their talents in Major Junior Hockey in the Quebec League. We can name players like Allan Wagar, Rick Paterson, John Markell, and Dan Geoffrion, but we leave the other names up to you to identify in this week's photo of the 1972-73 Midget Champion Mavericks.



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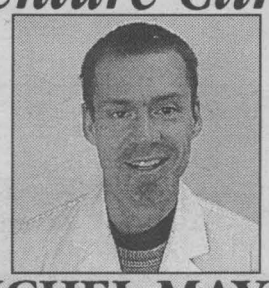

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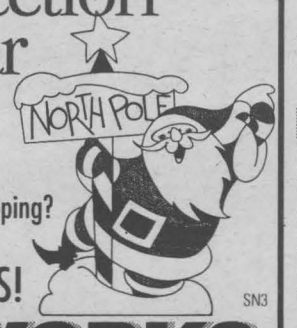

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CUCBA Bantam Boys Travelling Team

CUCBA Lions Bantam Boys had a tough start to the new season losing two games in Nepean. The Lions played well but, missing three regular players, were forced to double shift through both games.

In the first game against the Nepean Sirius, a 60-38 loss, the Lions were led by Pat Coristine's 19 points with Steven Mitchell netting seven and Ryan Mohammed five.

In the second game against the Kingston Fighting Irish, a 47-19 loss, the Lions were once again led by Pat Coristine's six points with Joel Lariviere hitting for five.

Despite not getting any points, Ryan Winters had a very strong game for the Lions, both offensively and defensively.

Bridge Results

Cornwall & District Bridge Club, Nov. 13th, 2000 (Overall)
1. Maureen Walker - Carol Reus } tie
1. Herve Chatagnier - Pamela Nisbet
3. Bruno Carriere - Richard Baird

Nov. 16th, 2000 (Overall)
1. Richard Fawthrop - Richard Baird
2. Brian McCartney - Voytek Pomykalski
3. Carol Reus - Jeanine Alain

Independent Bridge Club - Nov. 15th, 2000

Section A
N/S
1. Carol Reus - Muriel Smith
2. Peggy Seymour - Gerry Johnston
3. Madan Seth - Ben Bouvier

E/W
1. Grace Leroux - Georgette Lauzon
2. Ruth Edgerton - Ida Cadieux } tie
2. Fern Blain - Charles Lawn

Section B
N/S
1. Lyette Ladouceur - Bert Chaussé
2. Joyce Harrison - Else Dykerman
3. Jeannine Plouffe - Andre Bergevin

E/W
1. Rhea Petry - Inez Hatfield
2. Jean Forbes - Marian Lawn
3. Terri Lalonde - Muriel Contant

Kinsmen Centre Social Duplicate Club - Nov. 16th, 2000
N/S
1. Rita Crans - Nancy Lamoureux
2. Bev Sherwood - Marilyn Dorman
3. Myrna Carpenter - Lynn Cheetham

E/W
1. Nicole Smith - Shirley MacDonald
2. Marie Savoie - Tom Swift
3. Gabrielle Tremblay - Elaine McDonald

Cornwall Seniors Duplicate Bridge Club - Nov. 17th, 2000
Dorothy Donihee Memorial Trophy (Overall)
1. Ben Bouvier - Fern Blain (Trophy winners)
2. Rita O'Brien - Bert Chaussé
3. Brunelle MacDonald - Lyette Ladouceur
4. Lorraine Gauthier - Jeanette Scrimshaw
5. Dora Barrington - Hermine Ladouceur
6. Terry Forsyth - Lydia Legault } tie
6. Marielle & Yvan Morrissette

Terri's Bridge Club - Nov. 20th, 2000

Section A
N/S
1. Rita Watzenboeck - Evelyn Warren
2. Muriel Smith - Howard Peterson
3. Marian Lemieux - Rita O'Brien

E/W
1. Gloria Blanchard - Huguette Arsenault
2. Jean Forbes - Charles Lawn
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Dec. 2 **The Roof** - See that the roof of the stable is in good condition, so that the Infant Jesus is protected from rain and snow. This you will do by carefully avoiding every uncharitable remark. *Jesus, teach me to love my neighbour as myself.*

Dec. 3 **Crevices** - Carefully fill every crevice in the walls of the stable, so that the wind and cold may not enter there. Guard your senses against temptations. Guard especially your ears against sinful conversations. *Jesus, help me to keep temptations out of my heart.*

Dec. 4 **Cobwebs** - Clean the cobwebs from your spiritual crib. Diligently remove from your heart every inordinate desire of being praised. Renew this intention at least three times today. *My Jesus, I want to please You in all I do today.*

Dec. 5 **Fence** - Build a fence about the crib of your heart by keeping a strict watch over your eyes, especially at prayer. *Sweet Jesus, I long to see you.*

Dec. 6 **Manger** - Fix the best and warmest corner of your heart for the manger of Jesus. You will do so by abstaining from what you like most in the line of food, comfort and amusement. *Mary, use these sacrifices to prepare my heart for Jesus in Holy Communion.*

Dec. 7 **Hay** - Supply the manger of your heart with hay by overcoming all feelings of pride, anger or envy. *Jesus, teach me to know and correct my greatest sin.*

Dec. 8 **Soft Straw** - Also provide your manger with soft straw by performing little acts of mortification. For instance, bear the cold without complaints, or sit and stand erect. *Dear Jesus, who suffered so much for me, let me suffer for love of You.*

Dec. 9 **Swaddling Clothes** - Prepare these for the Divine Infant by folding your hands when you pray, and by praying slowly and thoughtfully. *Jesus, let me love You more and more.*

Dec. 10 **Blankets** - Provide the manger of your heart with soft, warm blankets. Avoid harsh and angry words; be kind and gentle to all. *Jesus, help me to be meek and humble like You.*

Dec. 11 **Fuel** - Bring fuel to the crib of Jesus. Give up your own will; obey your superiors cheerfully and promptly. *Jesus, let me do Your will in all things.*

Dec. 12 **Water** - Bring fresh, clean water to the crib. Avoid every untruthful word and every deceitful act. *Dearest Mary, obtain for me true contrition for my sins.*

Dec. 13 **Provisions** - Bring a supply of food to the crib. Deprive yourself of some food at meal time, or a cigarette or candy, especially when you feel like smoking or eating. *Jesus, be my strength and nourishment.*

Dec. 14 **Light** - See that the crib has sufficient light. Be neat and orderly about your person; keep everything in its place in your room. *Jesus, be the Life and Light of my soul.*

Dec. 15 **Fire** - Take care to have the crib of your heart warmed by a cozy fire. Be grateful to God for the love He has shown us in becoming man; behave with grateful respect towards your family. *Jesus, how can I return your love? How can I show my gratitude to You?*

Dec. 16 **The Ox** - Lead the ox to the crib. Obey cheerfully without making excuses and without asking "why?" *I will obey for love of You, Jesus.*

Dec. 17 **The Donkey** - Bring the donkey to the crib. Offer to the Divine Infant your bodily strength; use it in the service of others. *Jesus, accept my service of love. I offer it for those who do not love You.*

Dec. 18 **Gifts** - Gather some presents for the Divine Infant and his Blessed Mother. Give alms for the poor and say an extra decade of the rosary. *Come, Jesus, to accept my gifts and to take possession of my heart.*

Dec. 19 **Lambs** - Strive to bring some little lambs, meek and patient. Do not murmur nor complain. *Jesus, meek and humble of heart, make my heart like Yours.*

Dec. 20 **Shepherds** - Invite the shepherds to pay homage to our new born King. Imitate their watchfulness; stress in your speech and thoughts the idea that Christmas is important because Jesus will be born again in you. *Jesus, teach me to love You above all things.*

Dec. 21 **The Key** - Provide the stable with a key to keep out thieves. Exclude from your heart every sinful thought, every rash judgement. *Dear Jesus, close my heart to all that hurts You.*

Dec. 22 **Angels** - Invite the angels to adore God with you. Cheerfully obey the inspirations of your guardian angel and of your conscience. *Holy Guardian Angel, never let me forget that you are with me always.*

Dec. 23 **Saint Joseph** - Accompany Saint Joseph from door to door. Learn from him silently and patiently to bear refusals and disappointments. Open wide your heart and beg Him to enter with the Blessed Virgin Mary. *Saint Joseph, help me to prepare for a worthy Christmas Communion.*

Dec. 24 **The Blessed Virgin Mary** - Go to meet your Blessed Mother. Lead her to the manger of your heart and beg her to lay the Divine Infant in it. Shorten your chats and telephone conversations and spend more time thinking of Jesus and Mary and Joseph. *Come, dear Jesus, come. My heart longs for you.*

OBITUARIES

BOOKHOUT - Michael Kane

Passed away at the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Cornwall, Ontario on Saturday, September 9th, 2000.

Mr. Michael Kane Bookhout, in his 43rd year, born in Cornwall, Ontario and formerly of 367 Meadowvale Crescent, Cornwall.

Dear son of Walter (Tony) Bookhout and Dorothy Kane.

Beloved husband of Pauline Bookhout (nee St. Denis).

Loving father of Christopher and Patrick Bookhout both at home.

Dear brother of Debbie (Mrs. Dave Lajoie), Shelley (Mrs. Joe Soares), Tracy (Mrs. Kelly Sinnott) and Kim (Mrs. Rob Quesnel) all of Cornwall, Ontario and Patricia (Mrs. Pierre Dubois) of Granby, Quebec.

Dear son-in-law of Georgette (Trottier) St. Denis, brother-in-law of Micheline (Luc Marttin), Christine Kitts (Andre Durivage) and Francine (Gary Sanderson), godchild of Mrs. Kathleen Vallee and Norman Kane, and godfather of Tracy Sinnott, Kevin Lajoie and Derek Sanderson.

Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

The funeral took place on Wednesday, September 13th, 2000 from Lahaie and Sullivan Cornwall Funeral Homes West Branch to Blessed Sacrament Church with burial at Notre Dame Cemetery. Rev. Allan MacDonald of Blessed Sacrament Church officiated, assisted by Rev. Kevin Maloney and Rev. Denis Vaillancourt.

The pallbearers were Mark Desnoyers, Richard Carter, Luc Lefebvre, Andre Giroux, Frank Quinn and Richard Corfe.

Mr. Bookhout was employed by the St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation as a Maintenance Analyst.

DUBEAU - Gerald Henri

Passed away at the Cornwall General Hospital, Cornwall, Ontario on Saturday, September 9th, 2000.

Mr. Gerald Henri Dubeau, in his 61st year, born in Vankleek Hill, Ontario and formerly of 1218 Osborne Avenue, Cornwall, Ontario.

Dear son of the late Henri Dubeau and the late Emma Laflamme.

Beloved husband of Carmen Eva Dubeau (nee Lalonde).

Loving father of Normand Dubeau (Colette), Raynald Dubeau (Carolyn), Yves Dubeau and Joanne (Mrs. Ron Smith) all of Cornwall, Ontario.

Dear brother of Pierre Dubeau (Jackie) of Oshawa, Ontario, Rejeanne Ladouceur of Alexandria, Ontario and Dianne Perreault of Vankleek Hill, Ontario.

Sadly missed by grandchildren Karine, Jenelle, Michelle and Nicholas.

Predeceased by his brother, Rolland Dubeau.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, September 12th, 2000 from Lahaie and Sullivan Cornwall Funeral Homes East Branch to St. Felix de Valois Church with cremation at South Branch Crematorium. Rev. Roger Desrosiers of St. Felix de Valois Church officiated.

The pallbearers were the Nativity Guards.

Mr. Dubeau was a former employee of Long Sault Fabrics.

LANDRY - Clara Evangeline

Passed away at Parisien Manor Nursing Home, Cornwall, Ontario on Saturday, September 16th, 2000 after a lengthy battle with cancer.

Mrs. Clara Evangeline Landry, in her 85th year, born in Lemieux, Ontario and formerly of 439 Second Street East, Cornwall, Ontario.

Dear daughter of the late Jeremie St. Jean and the late Virginia Lauzon.

Beloved wife of the late Augustin Landry.

Loving mother of John Martel (Germaine) of Cornwall, Ontario, Pierrette (Mrs. Robert Pierce) of Petawawa, Ontario, Simone (Mrs. Leroy Martin) of Hollywood, Florida, Cecile Paquin (Merv Baker) of Cornwall, Ontario and Maurice Martel (Zaida) of Toronto, Ontario.

Dear sister of Willie St. John (Anne) of Northfield Station, Roderick St. Jean, Mrs. Claire Lamarche and Mrs. Marie-Rose Rozon all of Cornwall, Ontario and Mrs. Marguerite Brunet of Hull, Quebec.

Also survived by daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bethel Ware of Massena, New York.

Sadly missed by 20 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Predeceased by her former husbands, Napoleon Struthers and Leonard Martel, son, Gerald (Jerry) Martel, brothers, Norman, Davis, Maurice and Henry St. Jean and her sister, Miss Laurette St. Jean.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, September 19th, 2000 from Lahaie and Sullivan Cornwall Funeral Homes West Branch to St. John Bosco Church with burial at St. Columban's Parish Cemetery. Rev. Gerald Poirier officiated.

The pallbearers were Gerry Paquin, Robert Pierre, Wayne Wright, Jeffrey Martel, Derek Shane and Dale Shane.

PITEAU - Patricia (Patty) Lynn

Passed away at the Janet MacDonell Pavilion, Cornwall, Ontario on Saturday, September 16th, 2000.

Miss Patricia (Patty) Lynn Piteau, in her 55th year, born in Windsor, Ontario and formerly of Glenview Heights, Cornwall, Ontario.

Dear daughter of the late Alfred Piteau and the late Bernice Burns.

Loving sister of Robert (Bob) Piteau (Beverley) and Shannon Tremblay (Rene).

Survived by 8 nieces and nephews and 2 great nieces and great nephews, Todd (Diane), Chad (Carolyne), Brad, Ruston, Lael, Shalea, and Tyron Piteau and Ashley and Jesse Piteau.

A private family memorial service was held from the chapel of the M. John Sullivan Funeral Home on Friday, September 22nd, 2000 followed by Committal in Salem United Church Cemetery, Summerstown. Rev. Michael Hermann of Knox-St. Paul's United Church officiated.

JARVO - Margaret Eileen

Passed away at the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Cornwall, Ontario on Friday, September 22nd, 2000.

Mrs. Margaret Eileen Jarvo, in her 46th year, born in Toronto, Ontario and formerly of 323 Second St. E., Cornwall, Ontario.

Dear daughter of the late Steven Wionzek and Margaret Hosier.

Dear friend of Denis Major.

Loving mother of Richard Jarvo of Cornwall, Ontario and Adam Jarvo at home.

Dear sister of Brenda (Mrs. Gordon Little) of Toronto, Ontario and Janet Wionzek of Cornwall, Ontario.

Predeceased by her husband, Robert Jarvo.

The funeral took place on Monday, September 25th, 2000 from Lahaie and Sullivan Cornwall Funeral Homes East Branch with cremation at South Branch Crematorium.

A Memorial Service was held on Tuesday, September 26th, 2000 in the Memorial Chapel of the funeral Home. Rev. Peter Crosby of Christ Church officiated.

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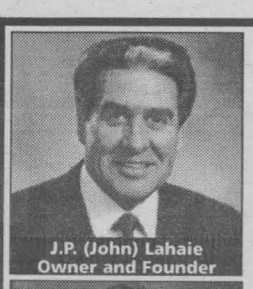
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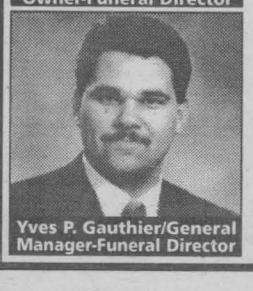
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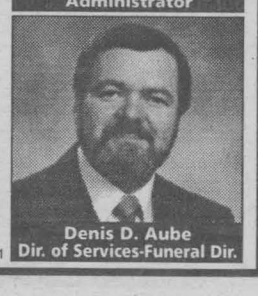
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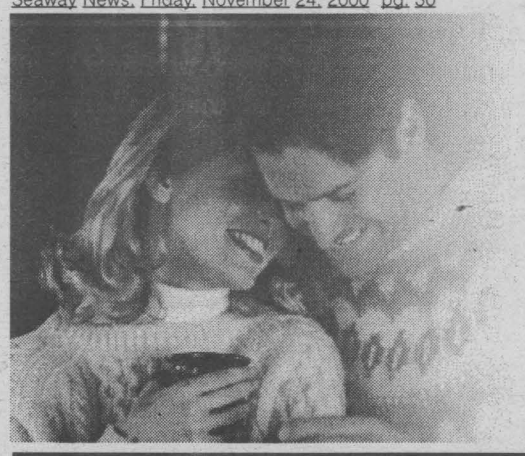

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VERY LOVING
Short, SWF, 19, who is nice, funny and very outgoing. Some of my hobbies include swimming, sports and much more. Seeking an honest, romantic, SM, over 20. Ad#: 5887

DREAM DATE
5'5", SWF, 18, with short blonde hair who is very sweet, shy and quiet. I like music, long walks, drawing and painting. Looking fo a loving, caring, SWM, 18-23, for a possible relationship. Ad#: 1571

NIGHT LIFE
I'm a SWF, 20, outgoing, down to earth, and humorous. I enjoy singing, dancing, art, music, and more. I'm looking for an outgoing, SM, 19-25, who is honest, attractive, and enjoys going out for a good time. Ad#: 9757

ROMEO, ROMEO!!!
I'm a SWF, 23, easygoing, and caring. I enjoy biking, hiking, dancing, movies, and romantic evenings. I'm looking for a humorous, easygoing, trustworthy, SWM, 23-30. Ad#: 7432

CINDERELLA'S BALL
I'm a SWF, 29, 5'6", blue eyes and red hair, who friends say is kind, caring, compassionate and humorous. In search of a tall, SWM, 30-45, who enjoys animals, children and the country. Ad#: 5836

LOVE'S MAGIC
Quiet at first, SWF, 19, 5'2", with blue eyes, brownish-red hair, likes rollerblading, horseback riding and clubbing. I'm seeking a SWM, 22-29, to get to know. Ad#: 8385

WONDERFUL
I'm an attractive SWF, 57, humorous, and a great personality. I enjoy swimming, camping, crafts, dancing, the beach, romance, and spending time with loved ones. I'm looking for a SWM, under 65, who is caring, understanding, N/S, affectionate, romantic. Ad#: 1429

SHARE MY DREAMS
SWF, 33, 5'5", 150lbs., with long brown hair/eyes, has an easygoing personality, likes having fun, hobbies are dancing, movies and long walks. I'm seeking an honest and caring, SM, 19-40, who loves children. Ad#: 9019

LET'S MEET
SWF, 31, 5'4", who is described as very responsible, dedicated and a hardworker, enjoys sketching, walks, reading and visiting. Seeking a SM, 30-40, for companionship and friendship. Ad#: 9855

SOFT-SPOKEN LADY
Petite, SWF, 48, hazel eyes, with a very quiet personality. I love country music, camping and traveling. Searching for a SWM, 50-55, with similar interests. Ad#: 7000

UNFORGETTABLE
Outgoing, friendly, open-minded, SWF, 37, 5'7", slender, with light brown hair and hazel eyes. I'm hoping to meet an honest, caring and trustworthy, SWM, 34-45, preferably over 6', who enjoys children. Ad#: 7864

MAKE A FRESH START
I am a N/S, SWF, 33, 5'2", who is shy, happy and honest. Some of my hobbies include playing darts, bowling, movies and going for walks. I would like to meet a SWM, 39-45. Ad#: 9144

VERY GENUINE
N/S, SWF, 60, 110lbs., 5'1", with long brunette hair. I love dancing, cooking, barbeques, movies and entertaining. Hoping to meet a SWM, 55-65, who is honest and likes dancing. Ad#: 7155

HOPELESS ROMANTIC
SWF, 33, 5'3", 135lbs., with hazel eyes, funny, hobbies are watching movies, reading and listening to music. I'm hoping to find a romantic, SWM, 29-37, who enjoys cuddling, candlelit dinners and much more. Ad#: 8818

GOOD LISTENER
SWF, 49, brunette and friends say I am bubbly, fun to be with and compassionate. I enjoy dancing, canoeing, bowling, working out, etc. Searching for a SWM, 47-55. Ad#: 6134

WHAT A LADY!
Short, blonde haired, SWF, 43, blue eyes, fun-loving and a great personality, I like swimming, biking, skiing and walking my dog. I'm looking for a SWM, 35-50, who is spontaneous, humorous and honest. Ad#: 1615

PRETTY & PERFECT
I'm a SWF 30, I'm easygoing and fun. I'm interested in sports, and playing the guitar. I'm seeking a SWM 28-37, who is honest, loving, not afraid to speak there mind, and enjoys the same things I do. N/S please. Ad#: 9459

INCREDIBLY CUTE
I'm an understanding and outgoing, SWF, 21, with brown hair/eyes, 5'9". I enjoy working out, walking, quiet times and more. I'm seeking a SWM, 19-25, with a great personality. Ad#: 6182

WIN YOUR HEART
SWF, 21, 5'6", 125lbs., with long brown hair/eyes, crazy, spontaneous and outgoing, seeking an attractive, tall, fun, SWM, 23-29. Honest and straightforward, I enjoy reading, long drives/walks, being outdoors. Ad#: 8466

FALL IN LOVE
Fun, humorous, SWF, 49, 5'1", with short black hair, brown eyes, hobbies are camping, dancing, crafts and crocheting. I'm in search of an honest and trustworthy, SWM, 45-55, who likes having fun. Ad#: 6610

VERY LOVING
SWF, 35, 5'2", with brown hair and blue eyes, has a very nice personality. Some of my hobbies are biking, country music, slow dancing and playing cards. Very honest, I'm seeking a SWM, 29-37. Ad#: 3432

AGE IS JUST A NUMBER
Hoping to meet an honest, thoughtful, SWM, 75-80, I am a kind, friendly, compassionate, WWWF, 75, retired, with white hair and blue-green eyes. Hobbies are card games, sports, traveling and computers. Ad#: 1697

COMPASSIONATE
5'3", SWF, 50, blonde hair, my personality is fun, bubbly and very easygoing. I like golfing, nature, traveling and socializing. Seeking a slim, honest, SWM, 45-55, for a possible relationship. Ad#: 7845

SIMPLY ALLURING
I am a tall, SWF, 34, brunette, with brown eyes, who is confident, outgoing and easygoing. Hobbies are reading, walking, karaoke, and I'm seeking a friendly, SWM, 25-35. Ad#: 8502

BE PART OF MY TOMORROW
I'm a fun-loving, SWF, 35, who's interested in meeting an honest, SWM, 34-40, for a possible relationship. My favorite activities include dancing, long walks, movies and country music. Ad#: 1015

HONESTY TOP MY LIST
I am a funny, crazy, SWF, 40, 5'3", 110lbs., with blue eyes, who enjoys reading, walking, dancing and knitting. I'm hoping to meet an honest, SWM, 41-42, with similar interests, for companionship. Ad#: 2444

TRANQUILITY
Here is a SWF, 29, 5'6", blonde hair and blue eyes, who is easygoing, honest, and enjoys many things. Searching for a SWM, 29-38, who would be honest, loyal, enjoys children and the outdoors. Ad#: 3792

LOTS OF LOVE
SWM, 25, 5'7", with long blonde hair and brown eyes, considered romantic, spontaneous and open-minded. I'm interested in meeting a SM, 25-40, who is friendly, outgoing and full of surprises! Ad#: 4927

YOUNG AT HEART
Outgoing, honest and caring, retired, SWF, 65, 5'2", medium built, blonde, blue eyes. My hobbies are the arts, crafts, gardening, traveling and much more. I'm looking for a loving and caring, SWM, 59-69. Ad#: 2324

LOVES LIFE
SWF, 51, 5'6", blonde hair, hazel eyes, outgoing, has a zest for life. Some of my interests are dancing, long walks, traveling and sports. Seeking a SWM, 42-50. Ad#: 7120

SHARE MY WORLD
SWF, 34, 5'3", 130lbs., with blonde hair, green eyes, easygoing, intelligent and personable, seeking an honest, fun-loving, SWM, 34-48. My interests include camping, reading and the great outdoors. Ad#: 7059

ONE ON ONE
I'm a tall, honest and humorous, SWF, 18, looking for an honest, cheerful and caring, SWM, 18-23. My hobbies are bowling, walking, rollerblading and more. Ad#: 6848

SIMPLY ALLURING
I am an outgoing, friendly, sensitive, SWF, 45, tall, with brown hair and blue eyes, who enjoys others. I'm hoping to find a tall, communicative, SWM, 40-60, who enjoys traveling and quiet times. Ad#: 7795

SENSITIVE & CARING
Outgoing, spontaneous, SWF, 55, who enjoys life to the fullest. I am searching for a SWM, under 65, who is also spontaneous and creative. Ad#: 4182

NO HEAD GAMES!
Honest, fun to be with, SWF, 44, 5'6", with blonde hair, enjoys walking, movies and my dog. I'm hoping to meet a SWM, 40-65, for friendship first. Ad#: 2186

LET'S CUDDLE
SWF, 43, I am 5'1", with brown hair/eyes. My personality is very pleasant and fun-loving. I like bingo, camping, swimming, long walks and more. I am hoping to find a SWM, 40-48. Ad#: 3349

SOCIABLE LADY
5', SWF, 39, who is bubbly and loves having fun, hobbies are playing darts, gardening, boating, camping, dancing and much more. Very sincere, I'm looking for a SWM, 40-50, who is fun-loving and honest. Ad#: 2933

COUNTRY AFFAIR
I have a bubbly personality, and I am a SWF, 50, 5'3", full-figured, with blonde hair, brown eyes. Hoping to meet a sensitive, funny and honest, SWM, 40-60, who loves country music. Ad#: 4646

RESCUE MY HEART
SWF, 49, 5'5", slim, with blonde hair, blue eyes, likes gardening, cooking and traveling. I'm in search of an honest, open, sincere and hardworking, SWM, 45-52. Ad#: 2475

WAITING FOR YOU
SWF, 20, 5'9", fun, honest and caring, enjoys dancing, singing and walks. Looking for a SM, 20-30, who is compassionate, honest, loves art and music. Ad#: 8420

RADIANT
Active, sociable, retired, SWF, 56, 5'2", attractive, with brown hair, hobbies are biking, walking and going to the gym. Sincere and honest, I'm seeking an attractive, true, outgoing, SWM, 48-60, who can express himself well. Ad#: 2103

QUITE THE ROMANTIC
SWF, 38, 5'3", with blonde hair, brown eyes, kind, caring and compassionate. I'm in search of a SWM, 34-44, who has a beautiful soul. Ad#: 5685

TO THE POINT
Honest, good humored, SWF, 50, 5', with hazel eyes and red hair, she enjoys all types of sports, seeks an honest, trustworthy, SWM, under 60, who's family-oriented. Ad#: 1295

HEAR MY WORDS
SWF, 50, 5'5", with dark brown eyes, has an pleasant personality, easygoing and intelligent, enjoys biking, crafts, horseback riding. I'm seeking an honest, adventurous, SWM, over 45, for a possible monogamous relationship. Ad#: 5636

MEANINGFUL
SWF, 38, 5'7", with brown hair, my personality is fun to be with, caring and respectful. I am looking for a SWM, over 35, for a possible relationship. Ad#: 7869

SERIOUS REPLIES ONLY
I'm a brown haired, SWF, 42, 5'1", who's outgoing and easy to get along with. I enjoy going to bingo, long walks, dining out, the outdoors, movies and stock-car racing. I'm seeking an honest, good looking, SWM, 36-48, who loves children. Ad#: 2428

THERE WHEN YOU NEED ME
I'm looking for a humorous, loving, caring and gentle, SBM, 18-19. I'm a short, funny, SWF, 18, who enjoys sports, walks on the beach, camping and more. Ad#: 2411

DOWN-TO-EARTH
I am N/S, SWF, 36, who is interested in meeting a SWM, 34-40. I am 5'6" with hazel eyes and a bubbly personality. I love the outdoors, biking, camping and swimming. Ad#: 3884

GENUINE
I'm a 5'2", SWF, 50, with curly hair and brown eyes. I'm told I am bubbly, sincere, honest and attractive. I would like to meet a sincere, SM, 45-65, who will build a relationship on honesty and trust. Ad#: 2417

CHEMISTRY
SWF, 26, 5'4", with blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoys camping, long walks and having fun with friends. I'm seeking a SM, 27-31, with similar interests. Ad#: 3239

EXQUISITE
I am a brown haired, hazel eyed, SWF, 23, who is open-minded and passionate. Some of my interests are socializing, music and fun. I would like to meet a SWM, over 20, to spend quality time with. Ad#: 5709

LOVELY LADY
I'm a SWF 57, who enjoys reading and the theater, I love animals and people, but not very interested in sports. Seeking a SWM, 50-67, who shares the same interests, and I expect the person to give just as much as I do. Ad#: 1657

DELIGHTFUL
I'm a SWF, 34, brunette, tall, friendly, outgoing and very confident. I like romantic walks, dancing, shooting pool, reading, watching movies, sports and camping. I'm very honest and looking for a sincere, attractive, employed SWM, 25-35. Ad#: 2106

HONESTY TOPS MY LIST
I'm a humorous, friendly, talkative, retired SWF, 60, seeking a kind-hearted SWM, 59-65. My hobbies are camping, fishing, walking and travekling. Ad#: 2159

OLD-FASHIONED
5'5", SWF, 35, I am sometimes crazy, funny, loyal and honest. I enjoy walking, dining out, dancing and biking. I'm hoping to meet a faithful, romantic, fun, SWM, 30-45. Ad#: 9928

FEEL AT EASE
Hello, I'm a caring, loving, SWF, 38, 5'7", with brown hair and hazel eyes, hobbies are walking, reading, visiting friends and family. I'm looking to meet a tender, loving and caring, SWM, 40-50. Ad#: 7563

DAZZLING
I am a SWF, 27, 5'10", with blonde hair and blue eyes. Easy to get along with and I enjoy walking, cycling and working out. Seeking a SWM, 25-32, who is loyal and trustworthy. Ad#: 5814

ALLURING PERSONALITY
Call this 5'3", blonde, blue eyed, attractive, SWF, 56, whose personality is easygoing, interests are dancing, walking and knitting. I'm seeking a trustworthy, fun-loving, affectionate, SWM, 50-60. Ad#: 8340

ALWAYS WITH YOU
I'm 5'5, sensitive and caring SWF, 47. My hobbies are fishing, boating, traveling, dining, and much more. I am hoping to find a tall, honest and open SWM, 42-48 who enjoys having fun and life. Ad#: 3631

ARE YOU THE LOVING TYPE?
I'm an attractive, SWF, 29, 5'1", with brown hair and hazel eyes, seeking a funny, attractive, SWM, 30-40, who enjoys having fun. My hobbies include dancing, kids sports and dining out. Ad#: 3142

CARING & SWEET
I'm a honest, serious and hardworking SWF, 51, seeking a sociable SWM, over 45. My hobbies are the outdoors, dancing, traveling and rummage sales. Ad#: 8927

DREAM DATE
SWF, 20, 5'6", with long brown hair and eyes, outgoing, adventurous and social. I like working out, long moonlight walks and country music. I am looking for a SWM, 20-30, with a great personality. Ad#: 6638

I DON'T BITE
I'm a fun, outgoing, SWF, 18, with reddish-blonde hair, hobbies are long walks on the beach and dining out. I am hoping to meet a cute, fun, SWM, 18-22, who is ready for a commitment. Ad#: 4099

MAGNETIC
Happy, fun, SWF, 49, 5'7", blonde hair and blue eyes, hobbies are dancing, singing, gardening and walking. I'm seeking a sincere, loving, SWM, 49-60, to share a fulfilling relationship. Ad#: 5235

MAKE IT POSSIBLE
Fun, practical, caring, SWF, 19, 5'6", 135lbs., with dark hair and changing eyes, hobbies are rollerblading and the outdoors. I'm seeking a spontaneous, adventurous and honest, SWM, 20-32. Ad#: 2937



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EXQUISITE
SWF, 40, 5'4", with dirty-blonde hair, outgoing, good humor, enjoys life to the fullest, hobbies are skiing, biking and the wilderness. I'm seeking a supportive, fun, SWM, 19-48, who is sports-oriented. Ad#: 4254

ONE SWEET DAY
Kind, sensitive, SWF, 30, 5'9", slim, with blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoy gardening, horseback riding and spending time with family. I'm seeking a tall, N/S, SWM, 29-36, who enjoys the simply things in life. Ad#: 8728

TRUE...AND ALL FOR YOU
Others find me a quite friendly, outgoing, bubbly, SWF, 60, 5'1", slim, with auburn hair and brown eyes. Retired, I'm hoping to find a N/S, SWM, 56-65, who loves the outdoors, dancing and theatre. Ad#: 9702

GENEROUS AT HEART
Fun, happy, easy going, SWF, 40, 5'8", brown hair and eyes. My hobbies are cooking, pool, walks and much more. I'm looking for a SWM, 40-45. Ad#: 2647

VERY DEPENDABLE
Fun, loving, caring, kind, honest SWF, 35, dark hair/eyes, 5'6", full-figured. My hobbies are golfing, swimming, reading, dancing and much more. I'm looking for a working SWM, 33-42. Ad#: 8096

DELIGHTFUL
N/S, SWF, 19, looking for a a SWM, 19-23, for a possible relationship. I'm 5'2", funny, outgoing and I enjoy skiing, camping, hiking, horseback riding, dancing and more. Ad#: 9932

HONESTY, CARING & LOVE
I'm a blonde, blue eyed, fit, SWF, 39, who is told to be spontaneous, humorous and sensitive. My hobbies are working out and spending quality time with that special person. I'm looking for an open-minded, SWM, 36-49. Ad#: 9040

END THE SINGLE LIFE
I'm an emotional, average-looking, SWF, 31, 5'2", who's seeking a SWM, 29-40, for a possible committed relationship. My hobbies include a variety of crafts, reading, the outdoors, computers and gaining new knowledge. Ad#: 7527

SEARCHING
I am a 5'2", SWF, 35, who friends say is bubbly and very nice. I enjoy sports, slow dancing and long walks. I would like to meet a SWM, 33-40, who is open and honest. Ad#: 5157

ARE YOU A MATCH?
Honest, straightforward, SWF, 33, 5'2", 140lbs., brown hair and eyes, hoping to meet an honest, sincere, SWM, 34-40, for a possible relationship. I enjoy wood-working, crafts, sports and anything new. Ad#: 8226

LOVES TO LAUGH
SWF, 43, I am 5'4", with brown hair, blue eyes, and my personality is shy, quiet, romantic, spontaneous. My interests are golfing, swimming, camping and movies. In search of a SWM, 42-48, for a possible relationship. Ad#: 4014

VERY LOVING
Hi guys..I'm a SWF, 18, N/S, who has blonde hair and hazel eyes. Very outgoing and I like writing and socializing. I'm looking for a good looking, funny, SWM, 19-23. Ad#: 7791

SO HOW ARE YOU?
I'm a slim, SWF, 34, 5', green eyes, who's described as being shy, very easygoing, caring, N/S, non-drinker, hobbies are horseback riding, drawing and country music. I'm seeking a trusting, caring, N/S, non-drinker, SWM, 30-42, who's fun to be with. Ad#: 5321

EVERYTHING YOU WANTED
I am a funny, romantic, SWF, 18, 5'6", 130lbs., with brown hair, blue eyes, who enjoy singing, dancing and listening to music. Seeking an honest, responsible, SM, 18-23, who isn't afraid to commit. Ad#: 7786

FABULOUS
Hello, I am a SWF, 39, with blonde hair, shy, easygoing and honest, I sometimes enjoy reading, movies, going for long walks and dining out. I'm interested in meeting a SM, under 48. Ad#: 3077

ALL THE ABOVE
SWF, 36, 5'9", medium built, with hazel-blue eyes, honest, sincere and easygoing, enjoy Straightforward and happy, I'm hoping to find a sensitive, caring, ambitious, SWM, 25-45, who likes children. Ad#: 3619

UNBREAK MY HEART
I'm an open, trustworthy and caring, SWM, 27, who enjoys working out, quiet evenings and more. I'm seeking a caring, loyal and nice, SWF, 19-35. Ad#: 2877

HERE HE IS....
If you are a SWF, 29-36, who is attractive, caring and communicative, call me. I'm a tall, dark haired, spontaneous, easygoing and caring, SWM, 32. I enjoy hockey, stock car racing, camping, etc. Ad#: 4345

A ROMANTIC AT HEART
Widower, 69, secure, active and healthy, enjoys homelife, biking, traveling and good conversation. I'm interested in meeting an affectionate, caring lady, over 55 years, for friendship and possible relationship. Ad#: 1174

UNDER THE SILVER MOON
I'm an energetic, athletic and supportive, SWM, 21, 6', who enjoys skate boarding, dirt bikes, movies and relaxing. I'm seeking a SF, 19-40, who is willing to committ into a loving and honest relationship. Ad#: 8372

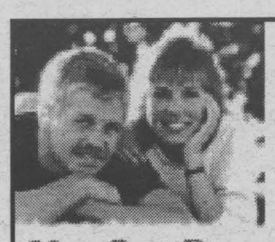
I'M A GEMINI
SWM, 45, feel like 30, slim, blond hair and blue eyes. Straightforward, I enjoy staying active, the outdoors, country life, playing pool, etc. I would like to meet a SWF, over 25, for a sincere relationship. Ad#: 4308

ALWAYS THERE!
SM, 27, 5'9", athletic, straightforward and responsible. My hobbies include working out, rollerblading, music, movies, etc. Seeking a SF, 23-35, honest, ambitious and outgoing. Ad#: 1352

UP TO LIFE'S CHALLENGES
SWM, 41, 6'1", with blue eyes, brown eyes, trustworthy, fun to be with and funny, hobbies are golfing, camping, traveling. I'm looking to meet a caring and trustworthy, SWF, 32-42, with similar likes. Ad#: 4146

GAMBLE ON ME
I am an easygoing, fun-loving and sensitive, SWM, 39, 5'7", 190lbs., with brown hair, hazel-green eyes. I'm in search of an attractive, fit, SWF, 28-45, who is open, warm and has a positive outlook on life. Ad#: 9930

HE'S YOUR GUY
If you are a SWF, who is looking for a SWM, 28, call me. I'm 5'9" with blond hair, blue eyes, funny, witty and very sociable. My interests include hockey, movies, rollerblading and dancing. Ad#: 1570



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FOUS HERE
56 year old, 6' tall, SWM, who is very happy and pleasant. I enjoy socializing, sports, skiing, woodworking and reading. I am hoping to meet a SF, under 56, who is easygoing. Ad#: 3305

HOPLESS ROMANTIC
I'm a SWM, 50, brown hair and eyes, friendly, easygoing, and loyal. I enjoy playing music, the outdoors, dancing, cooking, and movies. I'm looking for a SWF, 35-40, who is attractive, caring, and enjoys cuddling up on the couch with a good movie and me. Ad#: 4982

AT THIS POINT IN MY LIFE
Humorous, easygoing and joyful, SWM, 39, 5'9", attractive, with blonde hair, blue eyes, in good shape, enjoys skiing, dining out and going to the movies. I'm seeking an attractive, SF, over 19, who is honest, pleasant and bubbly. Ad#: 5860

ALWAYS ROMANTIC
I'm a good-looking, funny, sensitive, 5'9", SWM, 25, interested in meeting a SWF, 22-25, who enjoys racing cars, movies, long walks and much more. Ad#: 2074

COMPASSIONATE SOUL
I'm a SWM, 43, who is seeking a caring, relaxed and easygoing, SF, 30-52. I'm 5'9", with brown hair and blue eyes. Friends say that I'm serious, quiet and humorous. My hobbies are walking, music, movies, reading, concerts, bowling and trying new things. Ad#: 1467

EXTRA NICE
SWM, 45, 5'10", I am very caring, humorous and I am hoping to meet a SWF, 45-55, who is honets and loves having fun. I enjoy boating, traveling, walks, drives and golfing. Ad#: 9253

CHARMING GENTLEMAN
SWM, 79, 6'1", 187lbs. fit and a N/S,. I enjoy evenings at home golf and winters in Florida. I would like to meet a honest, outgoing and passionate, SWF, under 79. Ad#: 9476

SEIZE THE MOMENT
Fun-loving, easygoing, SWM, 48, 6', fairly attractive, with blond hair, enjoys traveling, tennis and ball games. I'm in search of an honest, loyal and intelligent, SWF, 25-55, to do things with. Ad#: 2276

HOPING YOU HEAR MY WORDS
SWM, 26, tall, with brown hair, blue eyes, friendly, outgoing, hobbies are weight-lifting, reading and movies. I'm looking for an honest, caring and happy, SWF, 18-26, to do things with. Ad#: 1630

HELLO LOVE
SBM, 40, 5'11", with brown eyes, black hair, nice, personable, hobbies are movies, theatre and quiet evenings at home. I'm in search of a pretty, SF, 20-39, who is self-assured and independent. Ad#: 8159

VERY STABLE
5'9", SWM, 27, with long brown hair, easygoing, I have a variety of interests and hobbies to share with a SWF, 24-32. Ad#: 6390

CHEMISTRY
SWM, 25, I have brown hair, brown eyes, and friends think I am honest, loyal and passionate. I am looking for a SWF, over 18. My hobbies are music, sports and spending time with my children. Ad#: 7772

SPONTANEOUS
I'm a self-employed, honest and trustworthy, SWM, 51, 5'8", 147lbs. My interests include swimming, boating, sailing, motorcycles, exercising, nature, animals and more. I'm looking for a tall, slender, beautiful, intelligent and sweet, SF, 30-42. Ad#: 1071

BE TRUE TO ME
I'm a romantic, honest and compassionate, SWM, 36, who would like to meet loving, romantic and open-minded, SWF, 22-37, to share the joys of life with. My favorite activities include home decorating, long walks and long drives. Ad#: 9804

LET'S HOOK UP
SWM, 23, 6'3", with blond hair, blue eyes, hobbies are surfing the net, long walks, movies, music and hockey. I'm seeking an atrractive and lovable, SWF, 18-25, with a great sense of humor. Ad#: 3749

ROMANTIC MOMENTS IN TIME
I'm an easygoing, SWM, 39, who is patiently waiting to hear from an honest, SWF, 26-32, who enjoys sports, nature and pool. So, what are you waiting for? Call me. Ad#: 2525

SEARCHING FOR YOU!
Easygoing, secure, responsible, SWM, 28, 6'3", 190lbs., athletic, with brown hair, hazel eyes, affectionate, enjoys water-sports, traveling and winter activities. I'm looking for a thin, fun-loving, SWF, over 19, who enjoys the outdoors. Ad#: 1142

DON'T PASS ME BY
6' tall, SWM, 45, attractive, warm, spontaneous, sensitive and fun to be with. I love children and animals. I'm seeking a SWF, 35-45, who likes outdoor activities and sports. Ad#: 3224

NONE BETTER
SWM, I am 46, with salt & pepper hair and hazel eyes. I'm bubbly and I have a great sense of humor. I like camping, hiking and more. I would like to meet a good-hearted, SF, 40-55, to grow old with. Ad#: 5802

HONESTY & COMPASSION
I'm an honest, compassionate and friendly, SWM, 38, N/S, interested in meeting an easygoing, SWF, 26-39, social drinker. I enjoy swimming, movies, dining out and more. Ad#: 7221

LIKE TO TALK ?
I'm a good-looking, funny, humorous and yet quiet, SWM, 49. I'm looking for a tall, slender, highly conservative, SWF, 35-45, who enjoys to talk and listen. In my spare time, I enjoy animals, good conversation, the outdoors and more. Ad#: 4729

TRUSTWORTHY
SWM, 40, 5'6", with brown hair/eyes, well-trimmed beard and mustache, I'm a very nice, easygoing guy. I like bowling, camping, dining out, concerts and long walks. Seeking a SWF, 34-42. Ad#: 6665

JOIN MY FAMILY
I'm a SWM, 47, 5'8", hazel eyes, reddish/brown hair. I enjoy spending time with my fabulous children, and being spontaneous. I'm looking for a SWF, 38-48, who is passionate, romantic, applies herself to her job, and has good family morals and values. Ad#: 6671

THIS IS IT
6'2", SWM, 35, with long hair and I am hummorus, fun and very helpful. My hobbies are off-roading, walking my dog and more. I would like to meet a SWF, 27-35, who is outgoing and fun. Ad#: 1531

NO DEMANDS
SWM, 19, with brown hair. Sweet, nice, open-minded and I will offer trust to a relationship. Seeking a very nice, SF, 18-24. Ad#: 2523

HOLDING HANDS
I'm looking for a romantic, SWF, 55-65. I'm a muscular, unpredictable, self-employed, SWM, 46, who enjoys walking hand and hand, quiet times, movies, car racing and romantic moments. Ad#: 8409

DREAMING OF YOU
SWM, 34, 5'10", 185lbs., with brown hair, described as being easygoing, honest and fun to be with. Seeking a communicative, SWF, 24-39, and I enjoy sports, biking, long walks. Ad#: 5031

VERY ACTIVE
N/S, SWM, 21, I am 5'10", with brown hair, blue eyes, funny and social. I am hoping to meet a SWF, 19-25. I enjoy clubbing, movies, sports and working out. Ad#: 7685

CRAZY FOR YOU
I'm an outgoing, honest, and down-to-earth, SWM, 20, My hobbies are partying, playing the guitar, and going to the movies. I'm looking for a SWF, 19-22, who is spontainious, fun to be with, attractive, and has a great sense of humor. Ad#: 4776

Females Seeking Females

ONE YELLOW ROSE
SWF, 20, 5'9", 160lbs., with blonde hair, blue eyes, fun to be with, seeking an honest, trustworthy, SWF, 20-26. I enjoy long walks with my daughter and singing. Ad#: 3775

GIVE ME A CALL!
SWF, 23, 5'7", with blonde hair, blue eyes, outgoing, fun to be with and honest, seeking a caring, compassionate, truthful, SWF, 20-30. I enjoy soccer, playing darts, music and dancing. Ad#: 1726

GENUINE
5'7", blonde haired, blue eyed, SWF, 31, who is kind and honest. Long walks, movies and friends are a few of my interests. Searching for a kind-hearted, SWF, 25-31. Ad#: 5000

PERSONABLE
Call me..I'm a SWF, 25, 5'5", with blue yes, sandy brown hair and I have a great personality. I am looking for a SWF, 27-30. I like dancing, walking, biking, romance, movies and more. Ad#: 9219

HUGS & KISSES
I'm a SWF 34, I enjoy sports, singing, dancing, movies, and long walks. I'm seeking a SWF 19-30, who shows there feelings, and shares the same interests as I do, and likes children. Ad#: 5169

I SHOULD HAVE TOLD YOU
I'm a nice looking, full-figured, SWF, 23, outgoing, very easy to get along with, likes cooking, long walks, swimming and talking for hours. I'm seeking a clean, open-minded, pretty, SF, 25-50. Ad#: 2180

NONE BETTER
Outgoing, clean, humorous, full-figured, fun-loving, honest, SWF, 25, smoker, 5'9", enjoys aerobics, swimming, socializing, singing and much more. She is seeking a fun-loving, understanding, loving, open-minded, SF, over 19. Ad#: 1835

LOOKING FOR A FRIEND?
Easygoing, humorous, SWF, 29, 5'6", with brown hair and hazel eyes, enjoy music, sports and dancing. I am seeking a SWF, over 19, for a friendship first. Ad#: 5784

JOYS OF LIFE
I am a N/S, SWF, 27, 5'3", who is generous, caring and kind. I enjoy walking, gardening, camping, music, hockey and more. I would like to meet a SWF, 26-35, who has similar qualities. Ad#: 2887

TO THE POINT
Caring, honest, loyal, single white female, 22, looking to meet a single Asian female, 18-35, who enjoys reading, music and hanging out with friends. Ad#: 7562

HOOKED ON LOVE
Caring, sensitive, SWF, 29, 5'2", with brown hair/eyes, has a great sense of humor, hobbies are sports, reading and quiet dinners. Looking for an honest, caring, SF, 19-45, who doesn't mind listening. Ad#: 5007

Males Seeking Males

ALL FOR YOU
I'm an honest, compassionate and affectionate, SWM, 35, 120lbs., I enjoy sports, walking, movies, music and spending time with my loved one. I'm looking for an honest, compatible, SM, under 35, who also enjoys spending time with the person they love. Ad#: 1602

A WONDERFUL LIFE AWAITS
I'm a fun-loving, honest and clean, SWM, 35, 5'11", who is seeking an honest and caring, SWM, 32-45. My hobbies are collecting antiques, dining out and movies. Ad#: 8440

COMMUNICATION
Outgoing, caring and romantic, SWM, 46, 5'6", 138lbs., with brown hair, blue eyes, honest and sincere, enjoys movies, walks, romantic nights. I'm seeking an understanding, SWM, 25-40, who can talk his problems out. Ad#: 9206

HOPES & DREAMS
Be true to me, I'm an honest and sincere, SWM, 22, 5'10", 150lbs., who enjoys a wide variety of interests. I'm interested in meeting an attentive, SWM, 18-30, for a possible relationship. Ad#: 3307

TO THE POINT
Easygoing, SWM, 42, 5'7", with reddish hair, brown eyes, seeking an honest, fun, SM, over 19. My hobbies are raising horses, reading and watching movies. Ad#: 4365

HAPPY
Well-adjusted, single white male, 34, tall, with brown hair, enjoy skiing, biking and jogging. I am seeking an honest, single white male, over 24, with a good sense of humor. Ad#: 9519

ONE STEP AT A TIME
SWM, 20, 6'1", 140lbs., with brown hair, green eyes, describe as being passionate and funny, likes military, soccer and more. I would be interested in meeting a SM, 19-28, who is fun to be with. Ad#: 3419

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OPENNESS & HONESTY
Well-organized, SWM, 24, 6'1", 170lbs., with brown hair/eyes, has a good sense of humor, who likes movies, walks, baseball and hockey, is seeking an outgoing, SWM, 18-30, who is fun to be with. Ad#: 5939

OUTGOING
This outgoing, humourous SWM, 24, 5'11", 150lbs, likes hockey, movies and much more. Seeking someone who is compassionate, outgoing, 18-22, who has similar interests. Ad#: 4343

MANY OPTIONS
5'5", SNCM, 29, 145lbs., with short black hair and brown eyes, is very outgoing, caring and romantic. He is looking for a SWM, 19-35, who is sincere, open minded and understanding. Ad#: 4197

HEAR ME OUT
SWM, 20, 5'10", 150lbs., with short black hair enjoys being outdoors. Spends time playing and watching hockey. Looking for a SWM, over 19, who is outgoing and confidential. Ad#: 1757

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Nov. 26 - Dec. 2

Aries – March 21/April 20
A loved one makes an off-the-cuff comment that angers you. Try not to stay mad at him or her for long. This person doesn't mean to upset you. So, don't take it personally. An acquaintance wants to get to know you better. Say yes, because he or she is sure to become a close friend. Aquarius plays an important role in all of this.

Taurus – April 21/May 21
Keep your thoughts to yourself when a close friend tells you about his or her plans for the future. While you don't agree with what he or she wants to do, try to be supportive. Remember, this isn't about what is best for you. Be understanding. The person whom you've been seeing drops by unexpectedly with a surprise. Enjoy!

Gemini – May 22/June 21
You need to be patient when you're trying to get people to help you with a personal project this week, Gemini. Pushing them to respond only will upset them. So, just wait. You're sure to hear the answer that you've been hoping for. A loved one needs a shoulder to cry on late in the week. Be there for him or her.

Cancer – June 22/July 22
You become the center of attention among loved ones early in the week. Enjoy the spotlight, because you deserve it. A close friend gets into trouble and needs your help. While you're not sure what to do, you have to do something. If you think rationally, you're sure to come up with a way to rectify this situation.

Leo – July 23/August 23
Stand up for yourself when an acquaintance tries to walk all over you early in the week, Leo. This person underestimates your sense of self-worth. Show him or her just how strong you really are. A loved one offers you romantic advice. Take it, because it's sure to help. Capricorn plays an important role on Friday.

Virgo – Aug 24/Sept 22
You get put in charge of a difficult situation on Thursday. While you're nervous, you are more than capable of handling this. Just focus on the problem, and think logically to come up with a solution. Those involved will be impressed with your efforts.

Libra – Sept 23/Oct 23
There is a lot to be done this week, Libra. So, you have to get organized. Several people are counting on you to make progress; don't let them down. You will have to work diligently, but you can get things accomplished.

Scorpio – Oct 24/Nov 22
Don't keep your feelings bottled up inside when a loved one does something that hurts you, Scorpio. Let this person know exactly how you feel. Don't be afraid, because this honesty is sure to make your relationship even stronger. A close friend needs someone to talk to late in the week. Be there for him or her.

Sagittarius – Nov 23/Dec 21
You really put your foot in your mouth when talking with that special someone this week. If you want to salvage this relationship, you're going to have to accept responsibility for what you blurt out and apologize. Don't try to talk your way out of this. Remember, your mouth got you into this situation in the first place.

Capricorn – Dec 22/Jan 20
You can make great strides in your professional life this week if you just take the initiative. Seize an opportunity that will show the higher-ups exactly what you can do. They will be impressed with your efforts. An old friend calls you out of the blue. Talk with him or her, because you're sure to learn some interesting information.

Aquarius – Jan 21/Feb 18
Don't get upset when a close friend asks for your advice, but doesn't take it. This person needs to do what he or she thinks is best. Try to be supportive. A loved one invites you out late in the week. Say yes, because it's sure to be fun. Leo plays a key role.

Pisces – Feb 19/March 20
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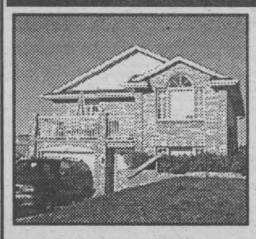
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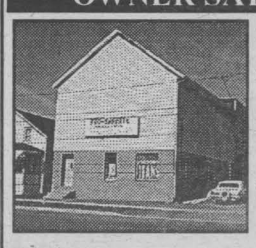
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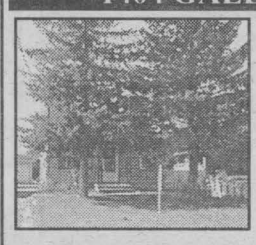
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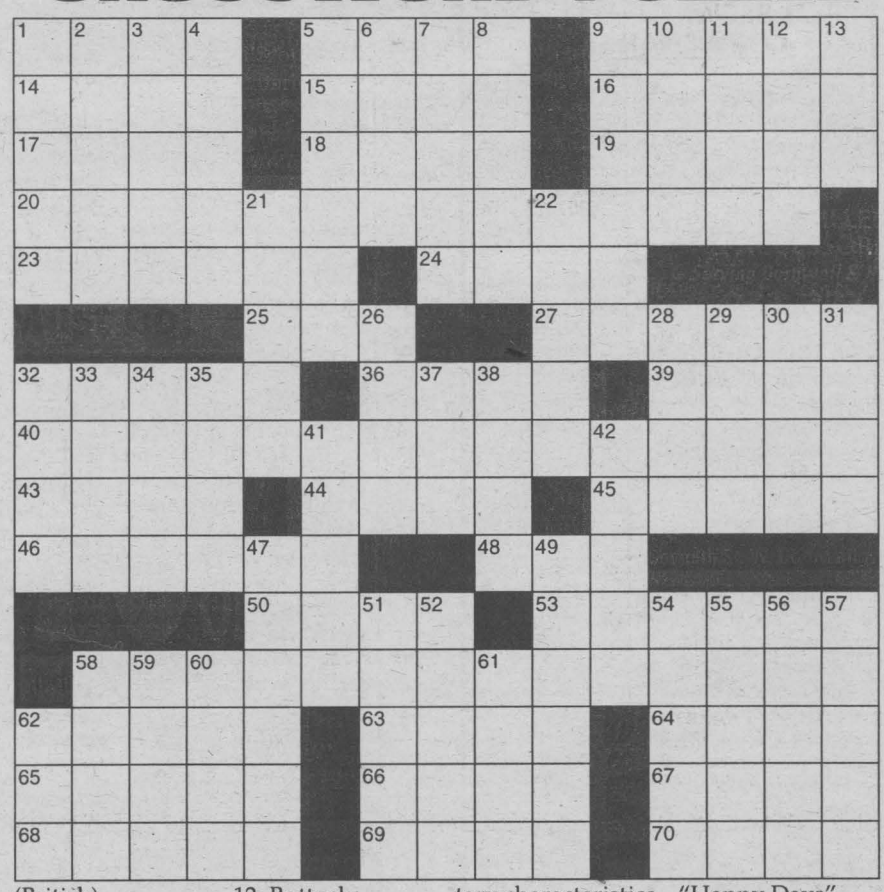

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1. Urban rodents
5. Evenings (abbr.)
9. Siskel and ____, critics
14. ____ Clapton, musician
15. Tide
16. Runs
17. Coca-____
18. North-central Indian city
19. Vertical position
20. Butterfly
23. Child's common guardian
24. Mediterranean and Caribbean
25. Volcanic mountain in Japan
27. Tormented hair
32. Mother of Ishmael
36. A thorny bush with plumlike fruit
39. Queen of Sparta
40. Dreiser's "An ____"
43. Blue blood
44. Sequent
45. Native American watercraft
46. Mr. ____, head of "Mission Impossible"
48. ____ Lanka
50. Salt Lake City state
53. Coating for wood or metal
58. 1980 Hutton film
62. Porticos
63. Ancient Greek city
64. Bedouin
65. Oyster find
66. MTV's "The ____ World"
67. Male lion's long hair
68. Slang for fidgety
69. Cow barn (British)
70. & & &

Clues down

1. Go over
2. Smell
3. Lays clay
4. Cause fear in
5. Founds
6. Star
7. Gets possession of
8. "Lost in ____," TV show
9. Move on
10. Hale-____ comet
11. Fencing sword
12. Buttocks
13. Expression of disappointment
21. City in Finland
22. One who likes oats
26. Narrow ridges (Swedish)
28. Protoctist
29. Came across
30. Root of taro plant
31. 24 hours (Old English)
32. Stringed instrument
33. House servant
34. Holds hereditary characteristics
35. Plant part
37. Liquefied natural gas
38. Native ____ American people
41. Belts
42. Grape
47. Strictly
49. Provide
51. Harsh or corrosive in tone
52. Bill ____ and the Comets
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56. African antelope
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59. Water around a castle
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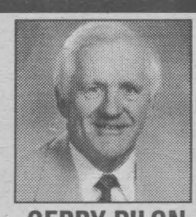

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OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 1 - 2:30



49 LENNOX $54,900
(A-MLS 0103) Older home with many renovations. Well decorated throughout. Dbl det. garage. Close to park, churches, schools, shopping & bus route.
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OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 3 - 4:30



NEW LISTING
423 ANTHONY $97,500
(A-MLS 0189) All brick bung., move-in condition,fireplace, fin. bsmt
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OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 1 - 2:30



15 CEDAR, NEWINGTON REDUCED...$62,900
(O-MLS 0125) Beautifully maintained home on dbl. lot. Large kit/dining combo, gas frpl in living rm
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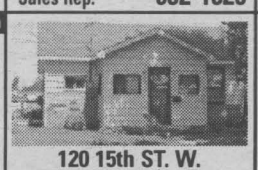

120 15th ST. W. REDUCED...$39,900
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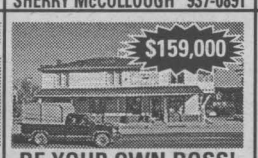

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NEW LISTING $56,500
203 EASTON
(A-MLS 0177) 2 bdrms, hardwood & ceramic floors, gas heating, det. garage.
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OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 1 - 2:30



804 CARLETON $107,000
(A-MLS 0137) Close to all amenities. Large 1250 sq.ft. bung. with modern rec room, woodstove, 2 baths, central air.
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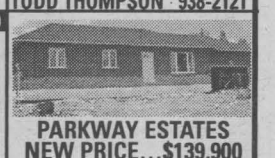

PARKWAY ESTATES NEW PRICE...$139,900
(O-MLS 0012) Just west of Long Sault,1472 sq. ft. brick bung, 2-car garage, hdwd flrs, serviced lot 100x200
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(off Power Dam Dr.) $33,500
(A-MLS 0059) 2 bdrms, oil heat, large kit, new roof. $145 monthly charge for taxes.
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683 AMELIA $68,900
(A-MLS 0169) Spotless 3 bdrm bung, new kit cabinets & flr., hdwd flrs. throughout, new paved drive
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6610 VIVIAN CIRCLE BAYVIEW ESTATES NEW PRICE $124,900
(J-MLS 0149) Large pie shaped lot with dbl car garage, 3 bdrms, 2 baths, large elevated patio deck.
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NEW LISTING
1317 CHURCHILL $89,900
(A-MLS 0188) 3 bdrms, hardwood floor in living rm, rec rm, central air, lot 50x135
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LONG SAULT $84,900
(M-MLS 0051) 3 bdrm bung features garage, rec rm, close to beaches & park
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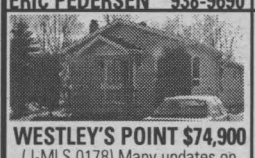

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km's

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custom, 4dr., V6, full load, 69,000 km's,

1997 PONTIAC GRAND AM
V6, auto, loaded, 2dr., 93,000 km's

1996 FORD TAURUS GL
station wagon, full load, local owner

1996 EAGLE VISION ESI
V6, loaded, auto, temp air, 114,00 km's

1996 TOYOTA CAMRY
4 cyl., 4 dr., auto, full load, 94,000 kms, nice car

1996 OLDSMOBILE 88 ROYALE LS
4 dr., V6, loaded, p.s,

90,000 km, Florida winters

1991 MERCURY
SOLD
4dr., loaded, 1-local owner

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VANS

2001 GR. CARAVAN SPORT
3.3L V6 auto, dual sliders (1 AWER) power lift gate, load leveling quad seats, side air bags, CD, security alarm new, 500 km's take a look

1998 PLY. VOYAGEUR
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1997 PONTIAC TRANSPORT
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1996 GR. VOYAGEUR SE
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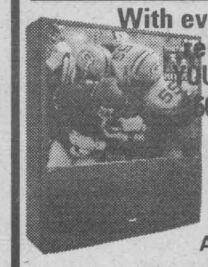
1995 CHEV ASTRO VAN
V6, 2 tone, loaded, local owner,

TRUCKS

1997 GMS JIMMY SLE
4dr., V6, loaded, p-seat, 59,000 km's



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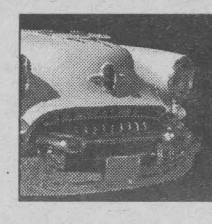

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A few of the safety tips while driving are listed below:

•If you think you are being followed while driving, drive directly to the nearest police station, gas station or well lit populated area. Do not leave your car if it appears unsafe, press your horn continuously.

• Do not stop on the roadway or shoulder and do not get out of your car, if any of the following situations occur: your vehicle is bumped from behind; another motorist advises you of problems with your vehicle, or someone on the roadside needs assistance.

If any of these situations occur, drive to the nearest well-lit public place to notify the proper authorities and to request assistance. In most areas, dial 911 for the police.

•If you have car trouble, leave your car only if it appears safe to open the hood. Stay in your locked car, speak through a slightly lowered window only and keep the doors locked. Ask the person who stops to get assistance for you. If you feel threatened, say "the police have been called and are on their way."

•If you are threatened with a gun or knife, give up your car immediately.

•Keep doors and windows locked and keep your valuables locked in the trunk. Do not carry large amounts of cash.

•When walking towards a parked car, be aware of your surroundings and check the interior of the vehicle before unlocking the doors.

•Have your keys ready as you approach your car.

•DO NOT BE AFRAID TO ASK FOR HELP.

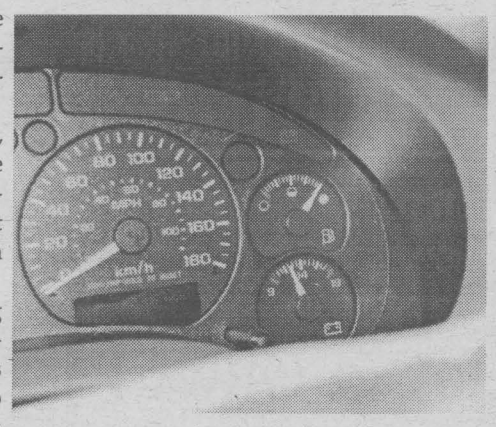
Practical Tips For Winter Driving

Winter can cause many problems for motorists. Aside from the ice and snow, which are the main causes of winter accidents, cold temperatures can also cause automotive trouble.

One of the most common problems is a frozen gas line, which prevents fuel from reaching the engine. Despite the fact that gasoline companies add chemicals to their products, this problem is still quite common. One of the best tips to prevent a frozen gas line is to avoid condensation by keeping the gas tank full.

It is also a good idea to change the oil in the fall, using a lighter grade for winter driving. The recommended viscosity for cold temperatures is usually listed in your car's owner's manual. Changing the oil in midwinter can also help prevent problems. The cleaner the oil, the easier it will be for the starter to do its job.

Finally, ask your mechanic to lubricate the door locks, as well as the rubber strip that seals the car doors, so that you'll have no trouble getting into your car on cold mornings.



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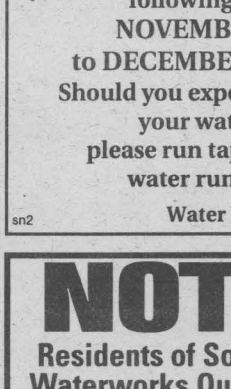

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by André A. Pettigrew

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How our days left are few
We'd surely slow down some
And meditate on Kingdom come,
We'd certainly take the time
To appreciate the Good Days,
To partake of *all* things sublime
And just a wee bit mend our ways ...

If wisdom begins at age forty
If experience is gained by the day
If Soul is purified by giving
If body is maintained by exercising
And *if* a smile is contagious,
Then Lord, let me be courageous.
Give me the strength to remain sturdy,
Bless me with a Life worth living!
I truly believe Faith begets Happiness
And Peace spells forgiveness ...!

Darlene Primeau

Cyriad's Knight

As I looked towards the fall of my life, in despair
And wondered what fate would hold, would anyone care
Alas you came along, out of nowhere
My handsome young knight from Aberdare.

Your eyes shine like stars when they look into mine
Fingers that tremble when they seek to entwine
Lips that speak words from a voice filled with love
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(From: "On Looking At Glass")

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Water Works Department
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NOTICE
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Thursday, November 9, 2000
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and TRG Canada Inc., Cornwall, Ont.

The Township of South Stormont, in co-operation with TRG Canada Inc., would like to inform the residents of Rosedale/ St. Andrews, Ingleside, Long Sault, Newington, and the communal well users of Osnabruck Centre, that copies of the Waterworks Quarterly Report for July, August and September are now available to be viewed at the Township Office and at TRG Canada Inc.

For additional information please contact:
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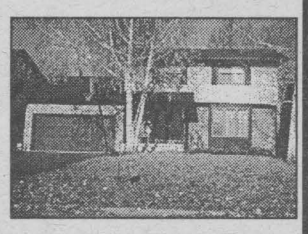

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Cornwall Police Service

Domestic Dispute

-Nov. 15/00: A 52-year-old Brookdale Ave. male was arrested and charged with careless use of a firearm, weapons dangerous and uttering a threat to life after police received a 911 call from the Brookdale Ave. residence shortly after 4 p.m. It is alleged that the man threatened the life of his spouse when he became angry with her. The man retrieved a rifle and a single shot was fired into the floor of the residence. The man's daughter, also in the residence, intervened and called police. The man surrendered without incident upon police arrival. The man was taken into custody and held for a bail hearing. No one was injured as a result of the incident.

Stolen Vehicle Burnt

-Nov. 15/00: A stolen 1997 Pontiac Sunbird was recovered shortly after 7 p.m. The vehicle was located abandoned and burnt on Cashion Rd. near the Glen Subdivision. An investigation revealed that the vehicle had been stolen earlier that day from a Deprat Ave. home in Cornwall, however the owner was not aware of the theft when contacted by police.

Election Campaign Signs Damaged

The Cornwall Community Police Service would like to remind citizens that damaging a campaign sign is a criminal offence. The police service has received complaints of campaign signs being broken and knocked down.

These types of incidents are occurring in several locations throughout the city and police will investigate any and all complaints of mischief to election signs.

One commits mischief when property is destroyed or damaged wilfully. Person(s) found guilty of mischief are liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years.

Domestic Assault

-Nov. 20/00: A 39-year-old Alexandria man was arrested and charged with two counts of assault, one count of forcible entry, three counts of breach of probation and three counts of breach of undertaking. It is alleged that on Nov. 19/00 the man assaulted his 34-year-old girlfriend while they were together in the Cornwall area. The woman was grabbed by the throat on one occasion and slapped across the face later that same night. The woman returned to her Fourteenth St. West home and the man allegedly attended and forced his way in. Police were contacted by the victim and an investigation followed. A police check on the man revealed that he was bound by a probation order and an undertaking with the following conditions, not to have contact with the victim, not to consume alcohol and keep the peace. The man allegedly breached the conditions and was charged accordingly.

Possession of Stolen Property

-Nov. 21/00: An adult and two youths were arrested by police after being apprehended with a stolen snow blower shortly after 2:15 a.m. A concerned citizen called police after seeing three individuals pushing a snow blower along Brookdale and Fourteenth St. early that morning. Police followed the tracks in the snow and located the three individuals pushing the snow blower. The officer apprehended two of the males and one fled the scene. With the assistance of other officers, the area was searched and a third male was apprehended. The three males were subsequently charged with possession of stolen property.

Public Mischief and Explosives

-Nov. 18/00: An 18-year-old Walton St. female and a 28-year-old Huntington, Quebec female were arrested and charged after leading police into a false investigation. It is alleged that the females reported to police that a man (the 28-year-old's ex-husband) was selling drugs and in possession of explosives. An investigation followed and explosive devices were seized after police executed a search warrant at a First St. East residence. However, further investigation by police indicated that the explosives were allegedly planted in the residence by the females. The 18-year-old is charged with public mischief and possession of an explosive device. The 28-year-old is charged with public mischief, possession of an explosive device, two counts of breach of probation, two counts of breach of undertaking and one count of setting a device likely to cause bodily harm.

Trees Damaged

-Nov. 16/00: The Cornwall Community Police Service is requesting the assistance of the public in identifying the person(s) responsible for the damage done to over 50 trees in a local park. Fifty-six trees were broken in half by unknown person(s). The trees are planted in the Eco Garden located at the west end of Lamoureux Park on Water St. West. The damage to the trees exceeds $5,000. If you have any information regarding this damage to our local park area, please contact the police or call Crime Stoppers at 937-8477.

Crime Stoppers

This week, Crime Stoppers is asking for your help in solving the following crimes:

- Identifying the person(s) responsible for setting a building on fire. The incident occurred on Hanes Road in South Dundas on Nov. 01/00 at approximately 3:30 a.m.

-Theft from a vehicle at a Bishop Street South residence in Alexandria. The incident occurred sometime during the evening of Saturday, Nov. 18/00. The suspect(s) entered a vehicle and removed a stereo and a CB radio.

-Robbery that occurred near the Brookdale Ave. and Eleventh St. West area on Nov. 16/00. A 1992 Buick Skylark travelling on Eleventh St. West near the Moose Lodge was rammed by a vehicle travelling northbound. Four males wearing camouflage and masks exited the northbound vehicle and assaulted the three occupants of the southbound vehicle. The three occupants (two males and one female, all from Montreal, Quebec) ran from the vehicle. The vehicle was then taken by the culprits.

One of the male victims suffered injuries to his head as a result of being struck with an object during the incident and was treated and released from hospital.

Investigation by police indicates that this incident is drug-related and not a random act of violence.

The 1992 Buick was recovered shortly after midnight by the Akwesasne Police Service on Cornwall Island. The vehicle was recovered abandoned and burnt.

We need your information, not your name. You will remain anonymous. You will not have to appear in court and you may be eligible for a cash reward. If you have any information on these or any other crime, please call Crime Stoppers at 937-8477 or for long distance callers 1-800-265-8477.

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If you suspect an animal may be suffering from abuse or neglect, like being left outside in the cold with no water or shelter to keep warm, **call the Animal Shelter at 936-0072.** Animals cannot seek help for themselves. They depend on you to stop their suffering and get help for them. And if you don't call, who will?

It's never too early or too late to start a family tradition. Here's a successful tradition that your family might like to try ... designate a cake or pudding Sunday and have everyone stir a special wish into the batter. We need to hang on to things that are familiar to us, especially in our ever-changing times.

Holiday Trivia:
- In the Christmas Classic, "It's a Wonderful Life," what happens every time a bell rings?
- Where did the Grinch steal Christmas?

Thought of the week ... put your heart into gift-giving and remember ... it's more important to give than to receive!

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English Public School Trustee

Hats off to Domtar for the great float that was featured in the Santa Claus parade. Very nicely done!

Holiday Trivia Answers -
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The author Louisa May Alcott was born on November 29th, 1832.



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Did you know ... experts believe the real Saint Nicholas lived in Turkey in the early 4th century. *Dutch settlers brought him to America where he eventually became the familiar Santa Claus.*

Celebrity Birthday; Actress Lauren Holly will turn 37 on November 28th.

Tomorrow, November 25th, is "Shopping Reminder Day" **... there's only 1 month before Christmas!**

Some of us older folks will remember in the early 1960's when the Diefenbaker government pegged the dollar at 92¢ U.S. The Liberals even printed "Diefendollars", now with our dollar approaching 64¢ *... not a peep from anyone ... particularly the Liberals.*

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Definitely a busy weekend for Pascalina's Dance Studio, who participated for the first time in Cornwall's Santa Claus Parade, with a float and energetic Christmas Spirited dancers. Then taking part in the Child's Day Talent Showcase on Monday, November 20th. *What great community spirit!* It's nice to see such a talented group taking such an active step towards bringing enjoyment to the community. The Festival of Trees is next, I hear. Congratulations!

Special thanks to **Jim & Claudette Hill, Tim Hortons, Brookdale Avenue,** for their generosity and assisting in raising $230. for Sparky's Toy Drive during the Santa Claus Parade.

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Quotable Quote: Nobody minds having what is too good for them.

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Alexandre Lacelle wishes to express his appreciation to Rich Carter (detective) of the Cornwall Police Force. I spent the day at headquarters on November 1st, Career Day for grade 9. I want you to know that I appreciated you accepting to take me in for the day. My experience I believe was UNIQUE. I truly respect the work you do....and to Officer Levere, well, anything you say ... Officer. Who's going to argue ...

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ACCOUNTING FOR TASTE

Submitted by Linda Belfry

The accountant for the law firm of Dewey, Cheatham & Howe was retiring after working for the firm for seventeen years. Cheatham was interviewing applicants, and was disappointed, as only three had even bothered to send in a resume.

After looking over the application of the first, an accountant with six years experience at Goldman Sachs, he called the first applicant in, and asked the woman what 2 plus 2 was.

She answered, "Four."

Cheatham said he would call her if she was selected.

The second candidate was a CPA from Harvard, and at the end of the interview he was asked the same question, "What is two and two?"

The CPA replied, "Four." Cheatham told him that he would call the young man if he was selected.

The third applicant was a recently-graduated philosophy. Cheatham figured that this wasn't going to go anywhere, but thought, "What the hey? I've got nothing to lose."

He interviewed the young man quickly and asked, "I know you don't have an accountancy background, but can you tell me what two plus two is?"

To which the philosophy major replied, "Can you tell me what would you want it to be?"

And was hired on the spot.

"Reader wants to know if there is *any truth to the rumour that a Kelsey's restaurant* is included in the plans for the new and improved Brookdale Centre."

This is in response to the scuttlebutt item in November 17th issue on congratulating Reeve and Council of South Stormont on expanding medical services. Just a note, that the Ingleside Volunteer Fire Fighters Association wanted to purchase the defibrillator and the training for Ingleside 2 years ago. **The Association was flatly refused by Council and told there were too many liabilities** to get involved with such an issue. This taxpayer wonders if the sudden change in heart wasn't a way to get votes.

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ENTERTAINMENT

With the American Presidential Election still front-page news these days, and the recent Municipal Elections here just a few days old, get ready to head to the polls once more folks. We now have the duty, and privilege to choose a candidate in the upcoming Federal Election on Monday, November 27th. We trust you will make that effort one more time!!

This Sunday, November 26th they are holding a special **Strawberry Pancakes & Sausage Breakfast** from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the RCAFA, Wing 424. Admission for adults will be $4 and children 12 and under, $2.50. Everyone is welcome.

Alice In Wonderland, presented by Dream Maker Productions, will be on-stage at the Weave Shed at 709 Cotton Mill Street in December. The dates are December 2nd, 9th and 10th and show times are 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

With the announcement this week that the Montreal Canadiens cleaned house with the firing of GM, Rejean Houle and Coach Alain Vigneault, and the naming of Andre Savard as the team's new GM and Michel Therrien as new coach, this weekend's NHL schedule will be an interesting TV-view. This Saturday and Monday on the tube we will watch the new coach in action when the Habs host Buffalo and the Thrashers on their home ice. The new-look Canadiens will follow that up with road games in Edmonton and Vancouver. The Habs are currently in last place in the 30 team NHL and that does not sit well with their fans. In local hockey action, our Cornwall Colts will be in Kanata to play the Lasers this Sunday afternoon. Game time on the Blaze is 1:30 p.m.Their next home game at the Si Miller Arena

Night N' Day

Entertainment - Special Events & Restaurant Review - By Bill Gallant

will be on Thursday, November 30th against the Nepean Raiders.

November 30th is also the opening day for the Lung Association's fifth annual **Festival of Trees** at the Cornwall Armoury. The event will run until December 3rd and the theme this year is Winter Wonderland. Our present blanket of white will add to that theme and everyone is invited to help create the Christmas spirit with a visit to the Armoury beginning on Thursday. There's plenty to do and see, and this event is a fundraiser for the Lung Association who are hoping to top last years $30,000.

In case you forgot to switch your radio dial this week to discover the new **1220-AM CJUL**, or the "Jewel", then we urge you to try them out. If you enjoy the music of the 50's and those earlier big band and old favourites, then this dial spot is for you. The official station sign-on marks the completion of Tri-Co Broadcasting's excellent plan that now has a trio of sound endeavours. The "Jewel" will now share the Cornwall and area radio audience with her two FM sisters. Congratulations and Good Luck to the management and staff.

Here's a chance to show support for one of our area fire departments and at the same time to enjoy a **Harvest Dance**. The Glen Walter Fire Department will be staging this event this Saturday, November 25th at the K of C Hall in Glen Walter and it will feature the AM/FM Band starting at 8 p.m. For more information you can call 933-5465.

The annual **Tri County Crafts' Christmas show and sale** will be held this weekend at the Cornwall Civic Complex. The dates are Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 24th, 25th and 26th. Drop by on Friday between 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., Saturday and Sunday between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. This is Cornwall's largest juried craft show and admission is free.

Bubba's Texas Dance Hall & Grill will be adding to this weekend's excitement with two more of the tribute bands. If you read this early enough you can catch the **Tragically Hip tribute** on Friday, November 24th and then Saturday it's **The Doors salute**. Bubba's is located at Wales Road and Hwy. 2.

Until next week, G'Day and G'Night.

Alice In Wonderland

Dream Maker Productions will be presenting the classic play Alice In Wonderland at the beautiful Weave Shed Arts Center. This adaptation of the famous novel by Lewis Carroll looks at Alice (Lenzi Laclerc) as she follows the white rabbit down the rabbit hole into Wonderland, where she meets a cornucopia of strange creatures. The wise old Caterpillar (Alison Mahoney) gives advice, the Mad Hatter (Jessica Charbonneau), with her friend the March Hare are always at tea time, and the Queen of Hearts continually cries "Off with her head!"

The Cheshire Cat states that everyone is mad in Wonderland and therefore Alice must be too. And does Alice lose her head? Only the Cheshire Cat (Tracey V. McAteer) knows for sure. But the Queen of Hearts challenges her not to a game of Cherokee, but to a dirty game of hockey. Just when you think things can't get any crazier, a wild magician (James Lucas) tries to save the day, but he has to brush up on his magic tricks first.

This presentation is the perfect show to bring the whole family to. With a ticket price of only $3 how can you go wrong? "We wanted to give the community an affordable show just before Christmas," states co-director, Natasha Gautreau. "Not only will we be presenting a great show that features some of the finest young and not so young actors this area has to showcase, but we will be presenting the all-girl singing sensation AIDAN. This great band will be opening the show with a great mix of Christmas and pop songs."

"This is also a super time to support the Weave Shed Arts Center. This building itself is something to see," echoes co-director, Sandra Leclerc.

This show has it all. A classic story, wonderful music, special FX, and a lot of fun and colourful characters that everyone can cheer or boo. The show runs December 2nd, 9th and 10th. There will be two shows per day at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. There are definitely a limited amount of seats available. Tickets are on sale at the Standard-Freeholder. For more information call 932-3510.

Christmas Tree Cupcakes

(NC)—These Christmas trees, formed out of frosted cupcakes, can be a nice surprise for your family or a quick gift for friends and neighbours.

Prep: 20 min. Bake: 18 min.

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Green food colour

Chocolate or black licorice

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Holiday candies of your choice

1.Heat oven to 350 o F (180 o C). Prepare cake mix and bake 28 cupcakes as directed on package; cool completely.

2.Frost 4 cupcakes with frosting. Top with pieces of chocolate or black licorice to make tree trunks.

3.Stir a few drops food colour into remaining frosting; frost remaining cupcakes. Arrange 6 cupcakes in tree shape above each trunk cupcake. Decorate as desired with shoestring licorice and candies. Makes 4 Christmas trees (7 cupcakes each).

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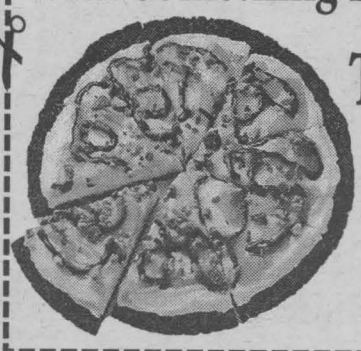
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It was an upsetting and stressful period for Michelle Zimmerman and her husband when her sister-in-law passed away last October. On top of their personal loss, the couple was faced with the financial burden of buying two full-fare airline tickets so that they could attend the funeral. The last thing they expected was a shining light of kindness: a stranger who took it upon herself to cover the expense of one of their airline tickets.

Michelle unexpectedly received a long distance call from a stranger who insisted on giving away her Air Mile points to Michelle to use for airfare to her sister-in-law's funeral. Thanks to the woman's kindness, a substantial portion of one of their tickets was covered by the gift Air Mile points. When Michelle arrived at the airport to pay the cash difference owed on the ticket she was stunned to discover that the woman had paid for the balance of the fare with her own money!

Says Michelle, "It meant that we only had to buy one ticket; the other was completely given to us out of an act of kindness. I'd never met this woman before in my life – it turned out that she was a friend of my husband's sister. I guess she wanted to help out the family in some way. I was completely overwhelmed - it was a beautiful thing to do. I don't know how many people would do that sort of thing these days."

• Kindness Crusader Spotlight: Entrepreneur Tom Matzen is an example of someone who is making kindness his business. Besides lending his leadership talents and time to a number of kindness initiatives, he also includes kindness in his bottom line. Matzen allocates time every week for a staff member on his payroll to work on a community kindness project completely unrelated to his company. Be Kind salutes Matzen for helping to put a heart and soul into business.

• *Kids on Kindness Corner: "When I help someone by giving time and effort, it makes me feel good inside because I have given something of me. When I feel bad or sad, and I help someone who needs help, I start feeling better myself. So most of the time, I get back more than I give. I think giving of your time and effort is the best gift of all." — Deirdre, Grade 2*

• *Be Kind Tip: How many of us take our parents for granted? Take a couple of minutes to reflect on some of the important things that one of your parents has given you in your life. Often these things aren't material. Then call that parent and thank them for playing a part in helping you to become the person you are today. It's quite possible that they'll remember your kind words for a lifetime.*

• *Kindness Quote: "Kindness is more than deeds. It is an attitude, an expression, a look, a touch. It is anything that lifts another person." — C. Neil Strait*

• *Win a cash prize for your kindness story! Be Kind is always looking for great leads on both kindness stories and Kindness Crusaders. Regular prize draws for your kindness quotes and kindness tips as well. Email your submissions through the Be Kind web site at www.bekind.nu or call 684-5756 within Greater Vancouver or toll-free 1-877-913-KIND outside Greater Vancouver. We also welcome your comments and ideas!*



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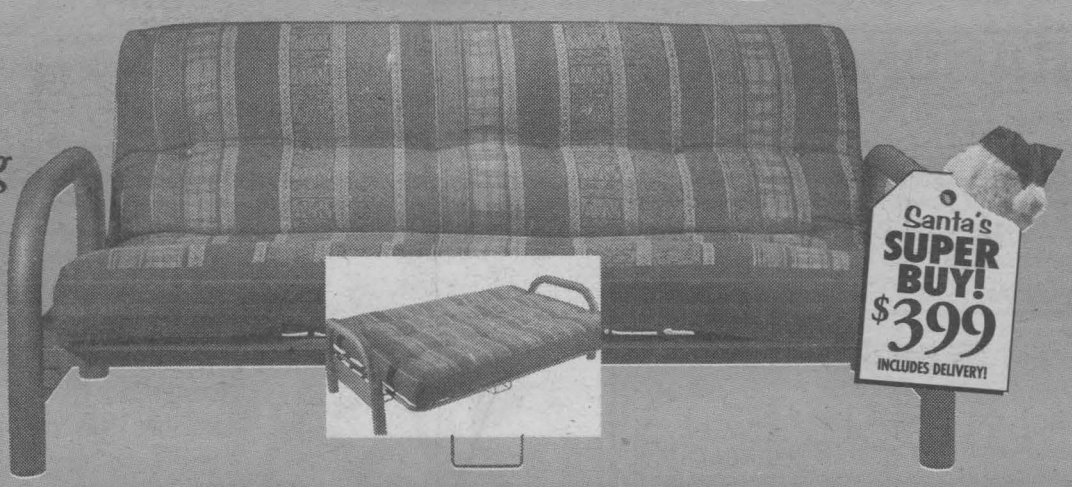

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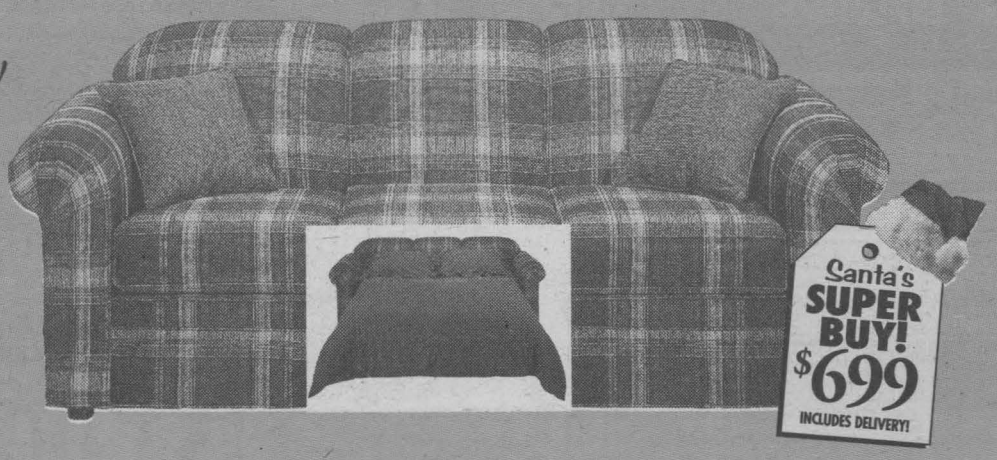



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