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Local man killed in roll-over accident

Kurt Scott Krenn, age 26, of Princeton, was fatally injured in a roll-over accident on Green Mountain Road, 1 km. from the Highway 3 intersection. Penticton RCMP responded at 10:02 p.m. Friday, March 20. Krenn was found at the scene.

Another Princeton man, Chad

Corsi, was picked up by a passing motorist 5 km. up Green Mountain Road. Corsi was walking to seek help, but had gone the wrong direction in the dark.

Police are still investigating the cause of the accident.

Kurt Krenn is the son of Jack and Lenore Krenn of Princeton.



Solana Allison (left) and Marlin St. Cyr fill portable water reservoir to create a water source for pumps used to fight brush fire. See story below. Photo courtesy of Gerri Logan.

Brush fire becomes training ground for local fire-fighting students

by Gerri Logan

On March 19, the 14 members of the Ground Crew Fire Suppression Training came in direct contact with the reason for their training: fire.

Under the supervision of Larry McIntosh of Similkameen Emergency Services, the crew set a controlled fire just east of the Stirling Creek bridge. They began the preliminary work in the morning, and by 1:30 p.m., the fire was underway.

The students put to the test all of the training they received in the previous two weeks. Students Wes Ramsey, Mike Hearty and

Cathy Gallichan were assigned crew boss responsibilities. Under their instructions, the students monitored the fire throughout the day. By the time mop-up was done and the crew arrived back at the Community Skills Centre, it was well after 7:30 p.m. The crew was exhausted, dirty and proud of a job well done when they returned to meet with Program Manager Gerri Logan.

Some of the training topics covered were Basic Fire Suppression, Safety and Fire Behaviours, Fundamentals of Fire Suppression and Fireline

Communications. All students received First Aid training and Transportation Endorsement Certificates.

Tom Lacey, manager of the Protection Branch of the Ministry of Forests, instructed the students one afternoon and was very pleased with the group's progress and enthusiasm.

All of the students graduating from the course stand an excellent chance of employment through the fire season. The course opens doors for those interested in furthering their fire fighting training.

Weather Watch

	High	Low	Precip
Mar 16	7	-1	.2 mm rain
Mar 17	11.3	-1.8	
Mar 18	12.8	-3.7	
Mar 19	11.2	-5	trace rain
Mar 20	16.5	1.3	.4 mm rain
Mar 21	13	2.5	.6 mm rain
Mar 22	16.7	2.7	1.4 mm rain
Wed	Cloudy, rain, low 3, hi 13		
Thurs	Same, low 2, high 11		
Fri	Same, low 3, high 10		

Mar 27, Sunrise-5:53 a.m.
Sunset: 6:24p.m.
Daylight equal to Sept. 16.

Town buys extra land

The Town of Princeton has purchased 150 acres adjacent to the landfill site, between Highway 40 and Weyerhaeuser, to be used as a buffer zone between industrial and residential development.

Mayor Randy McLean made the announcement at the March 16 Town Council meeting, adding that the \$150,000 land acquisition would facilitate future easements for utilities servicing the business park.

Otter valley will remember Ray Brewer



Ray Brewer

People loved his hot dogs, his warm smile, and the twinkle in his eye. Ray Brewer was the heart and soul of Otter Valley Fish and Game Club, and a dedicated promoter of Tulameen Community Club. He will be missed greatly.

Horace Raymond Brewer died suddenly on March 17 at age 66, leaving a large family and a host of friends to mourn his passing.

Ray was an avid outdoorsman, with a love for wildlife and sensible conservation. Over the years he taught the C.O.R.E. program to aspiring hunters, and passed on his knowledge and his attitudes to hundreds of local young people.

Ray was born in Lumby, B.C. to John and Edith (Carbonara)

Brewer. He was one of nine children. His early years were spent at Nickel Plate, then in Keremeos.

He left school at an early age to go logging and ranching. He spent considerable time in the lower Similkameen working for native relatives, Jack Cohen, Suzette Showdy, Susan and Joe Dennis, and the Terbasket family. He became involved in the rodeo circuit in 1948, and became proficient and successful as a bareback and saddle bronc rider.

Ray was with a group who added bucking chutes and holding pens to Terbasket's old corral, and used local bucking stock to practice. Some of them became well-

known rodeo riders: Ellie Lewis, Les Johnson, Tunie Glover, Bud Sharpe, Glen Harvey, Eddie Kruger, Harry and John

Shuttleworth, Bill Copeland, Manny Squakin, Robert and Henry Dennis, and "Honey" Richter.

Ray moved to the Tulameen area in 1953, where he lived with, and worked for, uncle Len Brewer on the Rabbitt ranch (now Brewer ranch). Ray loved to go fishing with Grandma Rabbitt. He met his first wife, Myra, in Tulameen.

Ray took over the trap line and guider outfit belonging to his father-in-law, Bill Manion. It was Bill who worked to form Otter

Valley Fish and Game Club, and insisted that Ray become the first president (in 1959). He was awarded a Life Membership.

A memorial service was held for Ray at the Otter Valley Fish and Game clubhouse (one of his dream projects), where current club President Ron White spoke of Ray's many contributions to the club.

Ray is survived by his wife, Carol-Ann, children Yvonne (Shorty), Lennea, Rayleen (Ted), Valerie, Robert (Natalie), and nine grandchildren, as well as sisters Edith, Bella, Bernice, and brothers Darryl, John, and Doug.



Hospital Auxiliary and Museum Society members select period clothing for the Strawberry Tea and Fashion Show with the theme "The Gold Rush of '98". Left to right Betty Gauvin, Rosemary Doughty, Cathie Orser, Ruth McLeod, Margaret Stoneberg and Evelyn McCallum.

Care of elderly underfunded

Region needs strategy for long term care

Too little money is spent on long-term care services in the Okanagan Similkameen Health Region. Penny Lane, Chief Operating Officer of Central Okanagan Community Health Services, presented facts and figures to the Health Region Board of Directors at the March 18 meeting in Oliver. Lane showed that long-term care funding for programs and facilities in this Health Region is well below the provincial average.

The population of the local Health Region has increased significantly in recent years and is projected to continue to grow in the future. As a result, the Health Region's age 65+ and 75+ is proportionately higher than elsewhere in B.C. However, funding for long-term care services for this aging population is below the provincial average, and in most cases, the lowest in the province.

There are long waitlists at long-term care facilities, and patients being admitted to facilities need more care and support. A group working on developing strategies to address the problem have submitted a brief to the Minister of

Health. The report shows there are fewer beds per capita in the local Health Region than in the province overall, while projections show that the number likely to need facilities and care will nearly double by 2004.

The report states, "Currently the demand for long term care services in our community significantly exceeds our capacity to provide services into homes, in day programs and in residential beds."

The report continues,

"Utilization rates for Home Support, Direct Care, Adult Day Care, Intermediate Care beds and Extended Care beds show that the observed utilization rate in Okanagan Similkameen Health Region is lower than expected, given provincial utilization rates. The low utilization rate is due to under-capacity resulting from a lack of resources. The growth in the elderly population has exceeded the growth in the supply of community based services and residential beds."

Health budget will suffer

Region is \$2 million short

The most recent financial statements for the Okanagan Similkameen Health Region show a \$2 million deficit. The Board of Directors met on March 18 in Oliver to discuss the situation and has directed the Chief Executive Officer, Murray Ramsden, to take the necessary steps to control over-expenditure

in the region and develop a plan to eliminate the present deficit over the next budget year, which begins on April 1, 1998.

Existing cash reserves will be used to balance the budget by the fiscal year-end on March 31, 1998.

The Board, and Regional staff, will work together to implement strategies to correct the health care underfunding in the region.

Collision injures three

Three people were injured in a head on collision on Highway 3 at Similkameen Falls on March 20. Jenn Guthrie, age 18, of Red Deer, Alberta was eastbound and collided with a car driven by Kelly Macdonald, age 38, of Abbotsford. Three passengers in Macdonald's vehicle were taken to Princeton General Hospital, treated, and released.

The most serious injury was a broken shoulder suffered by Macdonald's mother, 61 year old Rose Johnson.

The accident is still under investigation by Princeton RCMP.

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Cathy Montgomery, left, and Karen Allen, owners of Garden Pride Produce Market, are sponsoring a scavenger hunt to raise money for Princeton Search and Rescue Society. See story below.

Game helps Rescue Society

Garden Pride produce market has found an entertaining way to support the Search and Rescue Society. Garden Pride is offering a HUGE Easter basket for the winner of a scavenger hunt they are sponsoring.

Garden Pride sells a new clue each day that will help locate a piece of paper saying "Grand Prize Winner". The paper is hidden somewhere in Princeton.

Each clue costs a loonie, and each clue sold will put a loonie into Search and Rescue coffers.

"The town has been good to us," says Karen Allen, "We appreciate the support and we want to give something back."

The Search and Rescue truck will be in the Princeton Plaza parking lot this weekend. Take a look at it, talk to the crew, and find out about their life-saving work. They

are not funded by the government and all of the work is done by volunteers.

"I don't know what we would do without them," says Cathy Montgomery, "We need them here."

The people at Garden Pride, and their customers, are making sure our rescue truck stays on the road for emergencies.

Curling Club asks for Council help

Gary Angstadt and Sharon Beausoleil went to the March 16 Town Council meeting to ask for help for the Curling Club. They explained to Council that the people who make ice at the curling rink are not certified ice makers. As time passes and the present volunteer crew no longer wants to continue making ice, the Curling Club fears that future workers will be required to be certified and will expect high wages the club cannot afford.

Club representatives pointed out to Council the club's financial picture, saying the club would be "\$10,000 in the hole if we have to pay an ice maker."

Mayor Randy McLean made it clear that he would not be sympathetic to local taxpayers taking over the cost of maintaining the curling rink ice.

"Volunteers are the backbone of the community," said Mayor McLean, "When I speak, I'm speaking of help we need from volunteers."

He added, "I'm really squeamish about us getting involved in paying maintenance costs. If people want it enough, they'll have to get out and support it."

Concerns about having a certified person available for ice making may be solved in a different manner.

"It may be possible to have an

arena worker being on hand to do some of it," Mayor McLean said, "There are some answers there."

Mayor McLean told Beausoleil and Angstadt that Council did not mind helping with a loan, or occasional capital costs, but wanted no part of the "forever" costs of maintenance.

"It's not in the best interests of the taxpayers for the Town to take over the problems of every organization. People have to realize there's going to be no curling club if there's no volunteers," Mayor McLean said.

At the same time, he assured the delegation that he would speak with Recreation Director Lyle Thomas to see if there are alterna-

tive solutions to the problem.

Councillor Jim Manion added the information that Thomas is attempting to have an ice making course put on at the Community Skills Centre.

A meeting between Council, the Recreation Director, the Recreation Commission, and the Curling Club will be arranged to discuss the situation.

Councillor Dan Sulentic stated there will be no decisions until the matter is taken to the Recreation Commission.

The presentation and discussion were friendly, in a spirit of co-operation in finding a solution in the best interests of everyone.

Vermilion Rebekah news

We were sorry to learn that two of our members are leaving Princeton. Sister Rita Scott is moving to Penticton and Sister Gail Commandeur to Osoyoos. We wish them happiness and success in their new homes.

Several sisters will be travelling to Kamloops next weekend to a regional meeting. We are proud to have our Sister Pam Ottas elected as the President of the Regional Association for the coming year.

A mystery gift donated by Sister Betty Reheis was auctioned and won by Sister Caronen. While the

parcel that was passed around to music was also won by sister Caronen.

The table gift was won by Sister Betty Gauvin while we all enjoyed sandwiches and cake with our tea and coffee.

submitted by Dorothy Stenvold

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Ralph Robson: 80 years young

Family and friends joined in helping Ralph Robson celebrate 80 years of a good life.

Robson was born in Gem, Alberta, on March 24, 1918, to Jan and Ralph Robson. He grew up on a prairie farm. He had a passion for horse, and learned to ride and rope well as he helped local ranchers with their branding and cattle drives. He attended and competed in local rodeo events. The Gem stampede has a reputation for attracting aspiring young rodeo riders.

Like many young men, Ralph Robson had a wanderlust to see and do more. In his late teens, he struck out for B.C. He met Wayne Sellers, who hired him as a ranch hand. During the winter, Robson was caretaker at Penask Lake fish hatchery and lodge. He learned to cook and use his wits to survive in the wilderness. He became an able trapper. The land teemed with beaver, mink and muskrat. Robson was a good shot with a rifle, and later showed this skill in popular "turkey shoots".

When his father passed away suddenly, Robson returned to the

prairie homestead to help his mother on the farm. During this time he met, and fell in love with, a school teacher named Kay who had boarded with the Robsons. Kay left her teaching position to marry Ralph and followed him to Princeton, where he worked for Wayne Sellers. Wayne was a mentor to Ralph, who dreamed of owning a ranch and raising horses and cattle.

Robson's dream began to become real when he bought a piece of land 15 miles up the Five Mile Road. For six years, he struggled



Ralph Robson

to provide for his growing family. He started a small sawmill, and with the help of Jerry Harker, and some plow horses, he added to his ranching income.

Kay's poor health, and the health of his two older daughters, forced him to move to town. He built first one small log house, then a larger one, on the hill overlooking the tunnel area. He was the first to build on the "Third Bench" as it was called, and was chided by some of the townspeople for building so far out of town. Ralph Robson loved the view and still marvels at it today.

He was a member of the volunteer fire department, and a member of the Eagles Lodge. He saw an opportunity for work at the Copper Mountain Mine and bought two dump trucks. He learned the business of driving

and maintaining a dump truck. This created enough income to think of owning another truck as well as starting a "dream" home for Kay and his three girls.

When copper prices dropped, the mine closed. Ralph briefly tried his hand at hauling logs, but found more lucrative work in road construction. He helped build the Trans-Canada Highway. Many summers were spent in the Sicamous to Revelstoke area while still maintaining the home in Princeton. Later, after the highway was completed, Ralph worked at various mines on Vancouver Island.

By 1967, Ralph Robson had had enough of living away from home. He came back to Princeton and started his ranch on the Luke Gibson Ranch next to Wayne Sellers. By this time, Racing Days had begun in Princeton, and he became the proud owner of a thoroughbred mare. Kay and Ralph became heavily involved in the thoroughbred breeding industry. Over the years, they raised and raced many horses. At this time in his life, Ralph was able to turn some of his attention to the town, and was elected to the town council. He saw his three girls complete university and become teachers as well as mothers, producing seven grandchildren, and three (going on four) great grandchildren.

Ralph Robson still makes the trip up to the ranch daily, to feed, water and care for the cows and few horses. He enjoys the views of the countryside from his home on the Third Bench and his ranch out the Five Mile Road. Ralph has many interesting stories to tell of his life's adventures, which taught him to be a resourceful and common sense kind of guy. He always enjoyed having a good time at dances, and continues to do so today. He has a quick, easy smile for both friends and strangers, and loves to share a good laugh.

B.C. now offers outdoors woman course

"Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" (BOW) treats women in nine provinces and 44 states to an introductory workshop of outdoor skills.

Pat Everatt, co-ordinator of BOW workshops in B.C., says, "The idea is to teach hunting and fishing-related skills in a comfortable, non-threatening atmosphere, with patient, enthusiastic instructors."

Those current instructors, and people who are interested in getting involved in teaching at a BOW workshop, are invited to meet at Camp Winfield, near Kelowna, for a free training session on April 3-4. The session will discuss women's learning styles, adult learner needs, and working with beginners. The workshop will have a strong international flavour, with "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" international director Diane Lueck and Arkansas-BOW co-ordinator Phyllis Speer conducting the training session. Coordinators from several other provinces and states will also attend.

Any person interested in working with the "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" program as an instructor may call Pat Everatt at 250-499-7771 for information. There is a limit of 40 people in the workshop. Please register early. Men and women are welcome as instructors.

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Memories The Cappos wedding day.

by Leona Brewer

One of my fondest memories is of the Greek wedding which took place around Easter 1925, if I am not mistaken, of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cappos and Mr. and Mrs. Letsuidas, (spelling probably wrong on the latter).

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cappos lived in the little bungalow near the Canadian Pacific Railway station in Tulameen. Here the two couples exchanged their vows.

The brides looked radiant in their beautiful white gowns and veils. The men were handsome in their white starched shirts and dark suits.

My mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rabbitt, were one of the lucky families from the local community to be invited.

After the ceremony, a great feast followed. Everyone made their way to the station house where dancing and feasting continued. My father played the violin for a time each day for three days.

The most exciting event for me was the cutting of the cake and the mens' dancing. Alex Cappos really impressed me as he was so light on his feet. They had a gramophone or phonograph, whichever (a record player), with the Greek music playing. They formed a circle (like a quadrille as we know it). They held handkerchiefs instead of holding hands. I recall that every so often they would yell "Hoy Tss". Of course, this impressed me, a child of five or six.

The abundance of food and drink and the hospitality impressed me very much as this was during the Depression, as we knew it. I believe this was why I always liked a party, because people were all light-hearted and carefree for a time.

Years later, 1939 or 1940, whenever we went to the Coast (Vancouver), we would meet Mr. Letsuidas as he owned the Melrose Cafe. He was always a most congenial host.

Man blames booze for problems

Duane Daniel MacLellan blamed alcohol abuse for the attack on Dichelle Foss on May 28, 1997. MacLellan appeared in Provincial Court on March 19 to plead guilty to an assault charge.

The 27 year old man had placed himself on his own program to stay sober, and claimed to be free of alcohol and drugs since the attack on Foss.

Judge Barry Grannary expressed the hope that MacLellan had seen the connection between his drinking and his criminal activity. He sentenced MacLellan to a year's probation with a recommendation for substance abuse, and ordered a \$15 victim surcharge.

Horoscopes for the week of March 24 to 31

ARIES - You feel energetic, ready for success. This is your best month in 1998. If you have projects, now is the time to work hard at what you want to achieve.

TAURUS - You feel lazy, out of sorts, restless. It is time to bring some of your feelings into the open. Look within yourself and deal with issues.

GEMINI - Strange challenges come out of nowhere these days. You need to plans what you really want out of life and how to achieve it. You can be really creative now, but watch out for a person who forces you to do what you don't want to do by using his manipulative power plays.

CANCER - You begin another challenging month of great activity. Your efforts this month will pay off in May. You are making gains, even though you feel you are run off your feet.

LEO - A good two weeks begins now, but there is heavy action ahead. Use these good weeks to put your house in order. Work done now will save time later.

VIRGO - You still have to go through some hard work, but the time is coming very soon when the past is healed and you emerge the winner. Hang in there.

LIBRA - Set better goals for yourself and stick to them. Meet problems with energy and constructive decisions. The opposition may seem strong, but you must stand up for yourself.

SCORPIO - Your life will be smoother for a short period of two weeks. Use this time to clear up work at home and put your life in order. Pay bills, prepare legal documents. You are going to have to solve nagging problems to be free of them.

SAGITTARIUS - Your need to rebel against the past YOU comes to the surface now with greater force, but it is positive. See opportunity and seize it, but don't do anything really crazy.

CAPRICORN - Try to keep your temper, but don't keep quiet. You have a challenging month ahead, but you can succeed by meeting the challenges and overcoming them. Analyze messages you receive.

AQUARIUS - Good times can be enjoyed for a while longer. This is a good week. Expect surprises and positive growth.

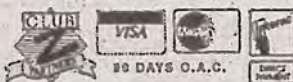
PISCES - Relationships can teach you a lot about yourself now. If you have been on the 'outs' with some people close to you, now is the time to heal the wounds.

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Hedley Pensioners recognize devoted workers



Irene Golly, OAPO District Supervisor, at left, presents Life Membership to longtime Hedley resident Myrtle Sawiuk.

Myrtle Sawiuk worked long and hard for what she believed in, and on Sunday, March 15, Hedley Old Age Pensioners Organization presented her with a Life Membership, a corsage, a pin, and a decorative plaque for her home.

The presentation was made by District Supervisor Irene Golly at a tea held in the OAPO hall. Sawiuk looked pleased and happy with the recognition she received. "I've lived in Hedley all my life," she told the 50 people gathered at the tea, "and I helped out whenever I could."

Other workers received thanks for their work on bingos and in the kitchen during pancake breakfasts, potluck suppers and lunches. All of the women received corsages, handed out by President Bill Pybus. Mabel Johnson, Grace Johnson, Chris Pybus, Lynda Lying, Bonnie Collinge, Ruth Uren, Ila Nelson, Vivian Dubuc, Margaret Skaar, Molly Davidson, Peggy Sheppard,

Roberta Johnsen, Jan Bruce, Lois Williams, Kay Lorraine, Ann Casperson, and Ruth Woodin pinned on their corsages.

Irene Golly had another duty to perform: she pinned Past President pins on Lois Williams,

Hank Bartel, Don ReQua and Red Collett.

The President had the tables turned on him when Ruth Uren presented him with a gift from the membership in recognition of his hard work as president.

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Minor Ball

sets schedule

Princeton Minor Ball Association has set dates for this year's tournaments. Except for the District playoffs, all tournaments will be for girls and boys. Squirts will play on May 9 an 10. Bantams and Midgets will play on May 23 and 24.

Peewees will hold their tournament on June 6 and 7, and the District playoffs for the boys will be on June 20 and 21.

Merritt offers

spring golf deal

The executive of the Merritt Golf and Country Club have offered Princeton golfers a friendly deal. Princeton golfers can play an 18-hole round of golf any day of the week until the Princeton course opens. The fee will be \$12 per round for the duration of the offer.



Hank Bartel, at left, receives his Past President's pin from Irene Golly.



President Bill Pybus, at left, receives an award from Ruth Uren on behalf of Hedley OAPO members in recognition of his hard work.

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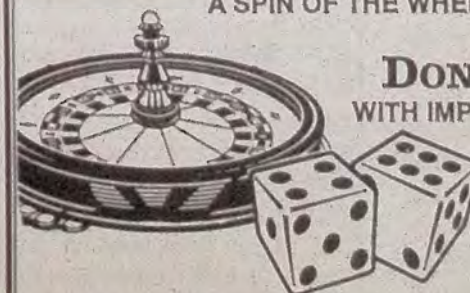
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Disappointed bingo players waited for the St. Patrick's Day \$50,000 Bingo cancelled due to a computer breakdown at the B.C. Lottery Centre in Kamloops. The dedicated bingo buddies above collected the shamrock flags and lined them up to say "NO BINGO". Left to right: Gerri Swanson, Sharon Johnson and Sandy Crimmon.

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Jamboree ends hockey season

Princeton will welcome 160 youngsters from 27 different towns to the Second Annual Invitational Hockey Jamboree on March 27, 28 and 29. Games start at 5:15 p.m. Friday and will finish at approximately 8:00 p.m. Sunday.

Invitations are issued in an equal player draft to create three teams in each division. Players are invited as individuals. Princeton Minor Hockey evaluates each player's skills and decides where to place them in the teams

formed.

Thirty-four Princeton players were drafted. Every player who was here last year received an invitation, and came back if it was possible. They made many friends last year.

On Saturday, March 21, Princeton Minor Hockey players will host a dance for all of the local hockey players, and all of the visiting players.

Four different divisions will play during the weekend: Peewees,

Bantams, Female, and Midgets.

There will be players who played in national hockey in Czechoslovakia and in the B.C. team, a girl who played select hockey in Sweden, a boy who

played national hockey in Australia, and some who played top triple A hockey. There is a goalie who played in the B.C. Best Ever program. Then there are others who have played only recreational hockey.

Peewees end great year

by Marjorie Brewer

The Hamilton Peewee Tier 1 Hockey Team finished the season winning two games against Revelstoke. Throughout the first game Kiel Dodds posed a continual offensive threat and scored a hat trick. Bobby Nault had a hat trick of assists. Dwayne Costa played a strong defensive game initiating offensive team plays end to end. The team captain, Tyler Hogg, scored two goals and two assists. Chance "The Train" Lintick was a rushing defense man and was always on the move. John Quinnell demonstrated great goal tending allowing Revelstoke only one goal. Princeton won the game 7-1.

During the second game, we saw great defensive teamwork by Craig Lemotte and Ryan Brewer. Scoring for Princeton were Bobby Nault 2 goals, 1 assist; Todd Gereau 2 goals, Tyler Hogg 1

goal, 1 assist; Kiel Dodds 2 assists; Chance Lintick 1 assist; Ryan Brewer 1 assist. The final score for this game was 5-4 for Princeton.

It has been a great year for the Peewee Tier 1 Hockey Team. We played a total of 47 games with 22 wins, 18 losses, and seven tie games. The players have shown a willingness to commit themselves to improvement. They participated in dryland training and extra

Council hesitates on shooting range

Princeton Fish and Game Club asked Town Council to okay a new firing range on the reclaimed tailings area, but Council members had some doubts about locating a range so close to the expanding golf course.

The Fish and Game Club sent a letter to Council stating that the present range is inadequate

because it does not meet safety standards set out by law, there is no liability insurance if somebody is injured or killed, and there is no traffic control when the range is active, although it is located adjacent to public roads. Council will meet with club members to discuss the matter further.

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The "Community Access Program" is a federally funded program designed to assist in effective community access to information technology.

A "Princeton Online" Web Site has been created with a variety of community information, which may be accessed world-wide.

You are invited to a presentation of the Web Site and to meet the CAP Committee, Webmaster and Students who have created this Project. Coffee/Tea and donuts will be provided.

Time: 7:00 pm Tuesday, March 31
Place: Princeton Community Skills Centre
206 Vermilion Ave.

POINTS OF VIEW

OUR VIEW

Full time workers build an economy

A sudden governmental flap is occurring because fifty-three per cent of our provincial workforce is employed part-time. The government wonders if these workers will be poverty-stricken at age sixty-five.

Retirement age is not the major issue. Government and employers have not looked at the impact of high numbers of part-time workers on our economy. If our economy is slumping, part-time workers are not going to help change the situation. In fact, employers' preference for part-time workers may be a contributing factor to our current economic problems.

If we use our common sense, we know the impact. We know that a partially-employed person is not putting away savings, is not buying a home, is not paying much income tax, and is possibly receiving social assistance just to survive. With over half of our workforce in that income bracket, common sense tells us they are not going to contribute to economic growth.

Part-time workers will not buy the big-ticket items such as good furniture, new cars, fancy vacations, or costly clothing. We may note that clothing stores, furniture stores, car dealers, real estate sales companies and fancy resorts are suffering sectors of our economy.

It might make more economic sense to employ half of the part-time workers in steady, full-time work which would bring full-time workers up to seventy-four per cent of the workforce. The improvement in the economy would take a few months to show, and we might see a sudden growth in the welfare rolls, but the security of steady, full-time employment will give workers the confidence to spend. Then the economy will become stronger.

EDITORIAL GUIDE

We would like you to write to us, but please remember to abide by anti-discrimination laws.

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YOUR VIEW

Kingston lady likes the News Leader

Dear Editor;

Just a note of congratulations to you in the production of your own paper. I am impressed!

I like the size of it - much easier to handle for osteoporosis victims. It also depicts the warmth of a small town - newsy, but also informative.

I do appreciate receiving a copy of it, and am curious about "out of province" rates. I had to cancel the other newspaper some time ago, but this paper is different somehow. The layout seems easier to spot the items that are of special interest to me.

I do miss Princeton, and was very distressed to learn of the hoispital and medical crisis that has been brought to light.

Wishing you much success in your venture and thank you again for the copies I've received.

Arena roof costs

A leaking arena roof is a bigger problem than appears by the leaks. The roof has rusted from the inside and will have to be replaced at a cost of \$100,000.

The arena will not be paid for until the year 2000, but there is nearly enough money in reserve to pay for the roof.

The roof needs a new vapour barrier as well as structural replacement and should be upgraded to R-20 insulation value.

Council will go to Regional District to discuss cost sharing and working out the details of contracting, as the arena is jointly owned and operated by Town of Princeton and Regional District.

Yours truly,

Mona King,

Kingston, Ontario

P.S. What a treat to be able to read a whole page minus typographical errors. The Kingston paper just received an award as

one of the ten best papers in the world, I was amazed! The spelling and grammatical mistakes obviously were not one of the criteria in judging the merits of the newspaper, in this particular case.

Community Datebook

March 27 - Cheescake Concert

March 27,28, 29 - Hockey Jamboree

March 28 - Royalty Car Wash

March 29 - Concerts Society Guitar Trio

April 5 - Daylight Saving time begins

April 10 - Good Friday

April 12 - Easter Sunday

April 25 - Foundation Gala fundraiser

May 1,2 - Princeton Trade Show

May 8 - Hospital Auxiliary/Museum Society Strawberry Tea and Fashion Show

May 9,10 - Squirts minor ball tournament

May 16,17,18 - Keremeos Elks Rodeo,

Cathedral Lakes Powwow

May 23,24 - Bantam, Midget minor ball tournament

May 29 - International Pony Express Ride

May 30 - Princeton Rodeo

June 6,7 - Peewee minor ball tournament

Princeton Secondary School Grad

Tonasket Founder's Day and Rodeo

June 13 - Route 66 rally in Coalmont

June 14 - Route 66'ers go to Hedley

June 20,21 - Boys minor ball playoffs

June 26,27,28 - Racing Days

July 18,19 - Merritt Mountain Music Festival

September 12,13 - Princeton & District Fall Fair

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TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1998

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6 AM	Little House	(Off Air)	Open	Sesame	Maury (R)	Medicine	McCloud	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Big Garage	Maya-Bee	Sportsdesk	The View (R)	Bay. 2000	Love Boat	Busy World	Maury (R)	BugsDaffy
:30		Okanagan	Learning	Street (R)	Street (R)	Woman	Banacek	thie	(R)	(R)	Bingo	Kitty Cats	(R) (R)		Guerilla		Mermaid (R)		Animaniacs
7 AM	Mama	Body	Dudley	Barney	Montel Williams (R)	Little House		Martha	(7:10) Canada AM		Pappyland	Rupert (R)	Sportsdesk	Rosie	Foodstuff	Paid Prog.	Chip-Dale	Cityline	PinkyBrain
:30	Mama	Tiny Toon	Wishbone	Mr Rogers				Gayle King			Skinmrk	Wishbone	(R) (R)	O'Donnell	Homeworks	Computer	Katie-Orbie		Batman
8 AM	Hillbillies	Care Bears	Bus	Storytime	Jenny	Price Is	Quincy	People's	(Joined in	100 Huntley	David	Ghostbstrs	Sportsdesk	Price Is	Travelers	Pictionary	Quack	Ziggy	Griffith
:30	Hillbillies	Gadget	Johnson	Reading	Jones (R)	Right (R)		Court (R)	Progress (R)	Street	Gnomes	Ballooner	(R) (R)	Right (R)	"Las Vegas"	Paid Prog.	Kleo (R)		Griffith
9 AM	Matlock (In Stereo) (R)	Robison	Fireman	Charlie	News (R)	News (R)	Northern	News	Regis & Kathie	Dinner	Work in	Marie Soleil	Off-Record	News (R)	Discover-y.ca (R) (R)	Judge Judy	Wonderland	News (R)	Geraldo
:30		100 Huntley	Kitty Cats	Tots TV (R)	Jeopardy!	Young-	Exposure (R)	Pt. Charles	thie	Company	Progress	Hamster	Workout			Judge Judy	Franklin (R)	City	Rivers (R)
10 AM	Movie: "Hangman's Knot" Randolph Scott.	Street (R)	Salut	Sesame	Days of Our	Restless	Law & Order (R)	All My Children (R)	Movie Show	Dave Rutherford	Oninside	Bananas	NBA	Neon Rider	House-smart! (R)	Martha	Busy World	Movie: "Babylon 5: In the Beginning" (1998)	News (In Stereo) (R)
:30		Mr. Dressup	French	Street (R)	Lives (R)	Bold & B.		Children (R)	Home		Great Inns	Katie	Bowling:		Gayle King	Chip-Dale			
11 AM	"Knot" Randolph Scott.	Young-	Out of the	Barney	Another	As World	McCloud	One Life to	Travel	News (R)	Intimate	Dudley	Ten Pin	As World	Country	H. Patrol	Almost	the Begin-	Empty Nest
:30		Restless	Past (R)	Couch	World (R)	Turns	"The Dis-	Live (R)	Coach (R)	Movie Show	Intimate	Couch	Snow Trax	Turns	Foodstuff	Paid Prog.	Van Dyke	ning" (1998)	Empty Nest
12 PM	Flintstones	All My Children (R)	Math Shop	Arthur (R)	Sally (R)	Guiding	posol Man"	General	News (R)	Days of Our	Wedding	Menace	Boating	People's	Divine	Metallix	Movie:	Cityline (R)	Beauty and the Beast (R)
:30	Flintstones	dren (R)	Japanese	Magic Bus		Light (R)	Banacek	Hospital (R)		Lives (R)	Wedding	Woody	Motoring	Court (R)	Magic	Spider-Man	"Doctor Bull"		
1 PM	Looney	News (R)	Can. Theatre	Sandiego	Jerry Springer (R)	Oprah Winfrey (R)		Oprah Winfrey (R)	Another	General	MenTilts	Tell-A-Tale	World	Real TV (R)	Behaving	Rangers	Will Rogers.	Baywatch	Beverly Hills, 90210
:30	Dreams	Okanagan	Wishbone						World (R)	Hospital (R)	Hometime	Take Part (R)	Wrestling	Movie Show	Behaving	Life-Louie	Mouseter (R)		
2 PM	Saved-Bell	Tax Talk	Science	Creatures	News (R)	News (R)	Quincy	News	Bold & B.	Mad-You	Hometime	Station	Federation	Extra (R)	Travelers	Beverly Hills, 90210	Mermaid	Keenen	Fam. Mat.
:30	Saved-Bell	Coronat'n	Basics	Bill Nye					Living	Rosie	HomeSvy	Groundling	Raw (R)	News (R)	(R)	Hills, 90210	Tale Spin (R)	Ivory	Dreams
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	BugsDaffy	Science	News-	News (R)	News (R)	Northern	News	Videos	O'Donnell	Renovation	Garfield	Off-Record	News (R)	LstFronter	Hollywood	Goof Troop	News (R)	Saved-Bell
:30	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Connexions	Lehrer	NBC News	CBS News	Exposure (R)		Real TV (R)	Young-	Renovation	Uh Oh! (R)	Sportsdesk	News (R)	Movie	Cops (R)	Darkwing		Saved-Bell
4 PM	Griffith	Rosie	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order (R)	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey (R)	Restless	Home Again	Bugs	Hockey	Wings (R)	Discover-y.ca (R)	Simpsons	Bonkers (R)	Friends (R)	Fam. Mat.
:30	Griffith	O'Donnell	Jupiter	Back-Back	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!	der (R)	Ent. Tonight	News (R)	Home Again	Hey Arnold!	Boxing:	Mad-You	Kingdoms	Titanic-	Flash	Deep Space	Buffy Vampire	
5 PM	(5:05)	News (R)	French	Nova (R) (In Stereo) (R)	Mad-You	JAG "Tiger, For-Love Tiger" (R)	Biography: Ida Lupino	Home Imp. News (R)	News (R)	Trauma: Life	Rugrats (R)	Phillips vs. Sanchez	Houseful Newsradio	Kingdoms of Survival	Titanic-Ground	SpaceCase 9	Deep Space	Buffy Vampire	
:30	Movie: "The Horse Soldiers" (1959)	Friends (R)	By Design	Frontline (R) (R)	Frasier (R)	Public Eye	Movie: "Cracker: White Ghost"	Home Imp. News (R)	Chicago Hope (R)	Spanish-Amrcn	Odyssey (R)	Boxing (Live)	Prey "Veil" (R)	Terra X (R)	Why Planes Go Down (R)	Movie: "Double Switch"	Movie: "The Craik" (1996)	Movie: "The Craik" (1996)	Dawson's Creek (R) (R)
6 PM	Horse Soldiers" (1959)	Frasier (R)	Metropolis		Lateline (R)			That's Life											
7 PM	John Wayne. (7:40)	Home Imp. Extra (R)	Dotto's	No Time to Be a Child	Dateline (In Stereo) (R)	48 Hours (In Stereo) (R)	White Ghost"	NYPD Blue	Fortune	Mad-You	Science	My Home	New York Undercover	Search-Fleet	Xena: Warrior	Jonny Lang	in Concert	News (R)	Beverly Hills, 90210
:30																			
8 PM	Movie: "Herbie-M. Carlo"	Market Pl. Venture (R)	Inform (Part 1 of 6)	Served	News (R)	News (R)	Law & Order (R)	News	Spin City (R)	NYPD Blue	Trauma: Life	Freaky Student	Sportsdesk	News (R)	Discover-y.ca (R) (R)	Keenen	in Concert	News (R)	Beverly Hills, 90210
:30																			
9 PM	Police	Fifth Estate	Cars	Nova (R) (In Stereo) (R)	Jenny (R)	Jenny (R)	Biography: Ida Lupino	Am. Journal	Just Shoot	3rd Rock	Spanish-Amrcn	You Afraid? Breaker	NHL Shots	Wings (R)	of Survival	Universe	Movie: "Stanley's"	Movie: "Deliverance"	Simon & Simon
:30																			
10 PM	Academy (10:45)	National/CBC News	Men's Show	Frontline (R) (R)	Jones (R)	Late Show	Movie: "Cracker: White Ghost"	Politically	W Five (In Stereo) (R)	Sprts Nite	Science	Trainer (In Stereo) (R)	Be a Player	VanImpe	Terra X (R)	Cops (R)	Movie: "Dead End"	Movie: "Dead End"	Reynolds. Paid Prog.
:30																			
11 PM	Movie: "The War Wagon"	News (R)	Inform (R) (Part 1 of 6)	No Time to Be a Child	(11:07) Late Night (R)	America's Store	White Ghost"	Videos	CTV News	Married... Murphy	Home Again	Tarzan (R)	Sportsdesk	Northern	Search-Fleet	Gayle King	Zorro (R)	Movie	Paid Prog.
:30																			

TUESDAY MARCH 24, 1998

10:00 am WTBS (3) *** "Hangman's Knot" (1952, Western) Randolph Scott. Confederate soldiers who robbed a Union gold shipment become fugitives after discovering that the Civil War has ended.
CITY (12) "Babylon 5: In the Beginning" (1998, Science Fiction) Bruce Boxeliner. Prequel to the futuristic television series involving the events surrounding the war between Earth and the Minbari.
12:00 pm FAM (26) ** "Doctor Bull" (1933, Comedy) Will Rogers. A dedicated doctor proves himself to small-town citizens when he battles a typhoid epidemic.
5:05 pm WTBS (3) *** "The Horse Sol-

ders" (1959, Adventure) John Wayne. A Union cavalry officer leads his men deep into Confederate territory to demolish a strategic railroad junction.
6:00 pm A&E (9) "Cracker: White Ghost" (1996, Mystery) Robbie Coltrane. The brilliant forensic psychologist assists police in Hong Kong when a serial killer stalks the British colony.
FAM (26) ** "Double Switch" (1987, Comedy) George Newbern. Feeling the need to get back to a simpler lifestyle, a teen idol trades identities with an unassuming look-alike.
CITY (29) ** "The Craik" (1996, Horror)

Robin Tunney. A teen-ager grows alarmed when her and her new friends' involvement with witchcraft gets dangerously out of hand.
7:40 pm WTBS (3) ** "Herbie Goes to Monte Carlo" (1977, Comedy) Dean Jones. The "Love Bug" finds love and larceny while in Europe for the Paris-Monte Carlo road rally.
8:35 pm FAM (26) "Stanley's Dragon" (1995, Fantasy) Judd Trichter. A college student and a journalist friend fail in their attempt to keep a rapidly growing dragon hatching a secret. (In Stereo) (R)
9:05 pm CITY (29) *** "Deliverance" (1972, Drama) Burt Reynolds. Four Atlanta

businessmen encounter unexpected terrors during a rafting trip down a raging backwoods river.
10:00 pm A&E (9) "Cracker: White Ghost" (1996, Mystery) Robbie Coltrane. The brilliant forensic psychologist assists police in Hong Kong when a serial killer stalks the British colony.
10:05 pm FAM (26) *** "Dead End" (1937, Drama) Humphrey Bogart. Youngsters in an East River slum fight to overcome their environment.
10:45 pm WTBS (3) *** "The War Wagon" (1967, Western) John Wayne. A cowboy defrauded of his gold-rich land plans a spe-

cial type of vengeance with the help of four diverse allies.
11:25 pm CITY (29) ** "Cop and a Half" (1993, Comedy) Burt Reynolds. An 8-year-old murder witness forms an alliance with a misanthropic police detective. (R)

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1998

	WTBS ③	CHBC ④	KNOW ⑤	WTVS ⑥	WDIV ⑦	WTOL ⑧	A&E ⑨	WXYZ ⑩	BCTV ⑪	CITY ⑫	TLC ⑬	YTV ⑭	TSN ⑮	CHCH ⑯	DISC ⑰	FOX ⑱	FAM ⑲	CITY ⑳	WGN ㉑
6 AM	Little House (On Air)	Open Learning	Sesame Street	Maury (R)	Medicine Woman	(5:00) McCloud	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Big Garage	Maya-Bee	Sportsdesk	The View	Bey. 2000	Love Boat	Busy World	Maury (R)	BugsDaffy	Animaniacs
7 AM	Mama	Body	Dudley	Barney	Montel Williams	Little House	Equalizer	Martha	(7:10) Canada AM	Pappyland	Rupert	Sportsdesk	Rosie	Foodstuff	Paid Prog.	Chip-Dale	Cityline	PinkyBrain	
8 AM	Hillbillies	Care Bears	Bus	Storytime	Jenny	Price Is Right	Quincy	People's Court	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley	David	Ghostbstrs	Price Is Right	Travelers	Pictionary	Quack	Ziggy	Griffith	
9 AM	Matlock	Robison	Fireman	Charlie	News	News	Northern	News	Regis & Kathie	Dinner	Work in Progress	Marie Soleil	Off-Record	Discover-y.ca	Judge Judy	Wonderland	News	Geraldo	
10 AM	Movie: "The War Wagon"	Street	English	Sesame	Days of Our Lives	Restless	Law & Order "Virus"	All My Children	Movie Show	Dave Rutherford	Onlnside	Bananas	Skiing	Neon Rider	House-smart (R)	Martha	Busy World	Movie: "Cop and a Half"	News (In Stereo)
11 AM	(1967) John Wayne.	Young-Restless	Modern Art	Barney	Another World	As World Turns	McCloud	One Life to Live	Coach	Travel	Intimate	Dudley	Intimate	Country	H. Patrol	Almost	Van Dyke	Reynolds.	Empty Nest
12 PM	Flintstones	All My Children	World at War	Arthur	Sally	Guiding Light	Shark	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Menace	Wedding	People's Court	Body: Inside Stories	Metallix	Movie: "Room Service"	Cityline (R)	Beauty and the Beast
1 PM	Looney Dreams	News	Literature	Sandiego	Jerry Springer	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	General Hospital	MenTibits	Tell-A-Tale	Soccer: Brazil at Germany.	Movie Show	of Survival	Life-Louie	Mouseter	"Blindside"	Beverly Hills, 90210
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4 PM	Griffith	Rosie	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order "Virus"	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	Restless	Home Again	Bugs	Preseason	Wings	Discover-y.ca	Simpsons	Bonkers	Friends	Fam. Mat.
5 PM	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Orlando	News	English	Bernstein's	Newsradio	Nanny	Biography:	Spin City	News	News	News	Ultrasci	New York	Working	Danger-Sea	Hills, 90210	SpaceCase	Voyager	Movie: "Distant Thunder" (1988)
6 PM	Magic	Home Imp.	Moments	The Art of Singing	Law & Order (R)	Chicago Hope	Foot Soldier "The Allies"	Primetime Live	Fortune	Significant	Extreme	NBA Dunk	That's Hockey	Primetime Live	Our Time in Hell-Korean	Pensacola-Wing	Young Musicians	Old Men (1995)	HoneyMnr News
7 PM	Movie: "Red Dawn"	Dharma	(Live)	Keeping Up	(8:35) To-night Show	(8:35) Late Show	Biography:	Edition	Ask Harriet	Nightline	Veronicas	Dharma	Sea Tek (R)	Reboot	WCW Nitro	Grace	Universe	Alone	News (9:05)
8 PM	(1984) Patrick Swayze.	Nine	Rough	Bernstein's	New York	(9:37) Jenny	Eliot Ness	Am. Journal	Working	Am. Journal	Working	Hayes	Sides	Breaker	Wings	Danger-Sea	Paid Prog.	Van Dyke	Movie: "The Mother's Boys" (1994)
9 PM	Movie: "The Forgotten"	News	Independent Eye III	The Art of Singing	(11:07) Late Night	America's Store	Foot Soldier "The Allies"	Videos	CTV News	Married... Murphy	Home Again	Tarzan	Sportsdesk	Sprint	Our Time in Hell-Korean	Gayle King	Zorro	Movie	Paid Prog.

Wednesday March 25

10:00 am WTBS ① *** "The War Wagon" (1967, Western) John Wayne. A cowboy defrauded of his gold-rich land plans a special type of vengeance with the help of four diverse allies.

CITY ② ** "Cop and a Half" (1993, Comedy) Burt Reynolds. An 8-year-old murder witness forms an alliance with a misanthropic police detective.

12:00 pm FAM ③ *** "Room Service" (1938, Comedy) The Marx Brothers. Penniless entertainers try to stay in a hotel for free by convincing the management they have the measles.

5:00 pm WGN ④ ** "Distant Thunder" (1988, Drama) John Lithgow. After 15 years of self-imposed isolation, a Vietnam vet emerges from the wilderness to reconcile with his teen-age son. (In Stereo)

6:00 pm CITY ⑤ *** "Grumpier Old Men" (1995, Comedy) Jack Lemmon. Two crochety seniors resume their bickering ways when marriage plans between their two children go awry.

8:00 pm WTBS ⑥ *** "Red Dawn" (1984, Adventure) Patrick Swayze. Colorado teenagers adopt guerilla tactics to combat the

Soviet and Cuban troops that have taken over their hometown.

FAM ⑦ *** "She Stood Alone" (1991, Drama) Mare Winningham. An 1830s teacher risks her career and personal safety by admitting black girls to her all-white New England school.

9:05 pm CITY ⑧ *** "Mother's Boys" (1994, Suspense) Jamie Lee Curtis. A manipulative woman returns to wreak havoc in the lives of the husband and sons she abandoned several years earlier.

10:00 pm FAM ⑨ *** "The Mouse That Roared" (1959, Comedy) Peter Sellers. A small country in the Alps decides to bolster its floundering economy by declaring war on the United States.

10:35 pm WTBS ⑩ *** "The Forgotten" (1989, Suspense) Stacy Keach. Six Green Berets, released after 17 years in a Vietnamese POW camp, are stalked by mysterious government agents.

11:05 pm CITY ⑪ *** "Hex" (1973, Suspense) Tina Turner. Two Nebraska farm women use witchcraft to defend themselves from a post-World War I motorcycle gang.

Films made in B.C. this month

Television filming is in high gear in British Columbia at this time. The Betaville series, Da Vinci's Inquest, The Outer Limits, First Wave, Millennium, Poltergeist: The Legacy, The Sentinel, The X-Files, and Stargate SG-1 are all television series being filmed in B.C. studios at this time.

Nilus the Sandman is an animated film under production now. The Charlie Horse Music Pizza, a children's live action film, is currently filming.

There are six feature films being produced in B.C. Convergence,

starring Christopher Lloyd and Cyndy Preston, has a shoot in Vancouver. Disturbing Behaviour stars James Marsden, Katie Holmes and Nick Stahl. Golden Receiver, I'll Be Home for Christmas, Snow Falling on Cedars, and West of Sarajevo continue filming until later this spring.

Movies made for television include Cupid, Daybreak, Futuresport, Ghost Cop, In The Dog House, It's True, Odd Man Out, Someone to Love Me, Storm Chasers, and Strange Days.

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	WTBS (3)	CHBC (4)	KNOW (5)	WTVS (6)	WDIV (7)	WTOL (8)	A&E (9)	WXYZ (10)	BCTV (11)	CITY (12)	TLC (14)	YTV (18)	TSN (19)	CHCH (22)	DISC (24)	FOX (25)	FAM (26)	CITY (29)	WGN (32)	
6 AM	Little House (Off Air)	Open Sesame	Maury (R)	Medicine (5:00) Col-umbo	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	5:00 News	Big Garage	Maya-Bee	Sportsdesk	The View (R)	Bey. 2000	Love Boat	Busy World	Maury (R)	BugsDaffy				
7 AM	Mama	Body	Dudley	Barney	Montel Williams (R)	Little House	Cosby Mys-teries	Martha	(7:10) Car-ada AM											
8 AM	Hillbillies	Care Bears	Bus	Storytime	Jenny	Price Is	Quincy	People's Court (R)	(Joined in Progress) (R)	100 Huntley	David	Ghostbstrs	Champion-ship -- First	Price Is	Travelers	Pictionary	Quack	Ziggy	Griffith	
9 AM	Matlock	Robison	Fireman	Charlie	News (R)	News (R)	Northern	News	Regis & Kathie	Dinner	Work in	Marie Soleil	Round.	News (R)	Discover-y.ca (R) (R)	Judge Judy	Wonderland	News (R)	Geraldo	
10 AM	Movie: "W.B., Blue and the Bean"	Street (R)	Courage	Sesame	Days of Our Lives (R)	Restless	Law & Or-der (R)	All My Chil-dren (R)	Movie Show	Dave Ruth-erford	Oninside	Bananas	Ski Lift	Neon Rider	House-smart! (R)	Martha	Busy World	Movie: "Grumpier Old Men" (1995)	News (in Stereo) (R)	
11 AM	Young-Restless	Destinos	Barney	Another	As World	Columbo	One Life to Live (R)	Travel	News (R)	Intimate	Dudley	WorldWres-tling	As World	Country	H. Patrol	Torkelsons	Movie: "The Informer"	Cityline (R)	Beauty and the Beast (R)	
12 PM	Flintstones	All My Chil-dren (R)	Economics	Arthur (R)	Sally (R)	Guiding	Light (R)	General	News (R)	Days of Our Lives (R)	Wedding	Woody	The Players	Real TV (R)	Mission	Rangers	(1935)	Baywatch	Beverly Hills, 90210	
1 PM	Looney Dreams	News (R)	Abnormal	Sandiego	Jerry Sprin-ger (R)	Oprah Win-frey (R)	Cosby Mys-teries	Oprah Win-frey (R)	Another	World (R)	Hospital (R)	MenTibbts	Take Part (R)	Champion-ship -- First	Movie Show	Danger-Sea	Life-Louie	Wolves	Keenen	Fam. Mat.
2 PM	Saved-Bell	Tax Talk	Dotto	Creatures	News (R)	News (R)	Quincy	News	Bold & B.	Mad-You	Hometime	Station	Round.	Extra (R)	Travelers	Beverly Hills, 90210	Tale Spin (R)	Ivory	Dreams	
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	BugsDaffy	Sky to Sea	News-	News (R)	News (R)	Northern	News	Videos	O'Donnell	Renovation	Garfield	Off-Record	News (R)	LstFrontier	Hollywood	Goof Troop	News (R)	Saved-Bell	
4 PM	Griffith	Rosie	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Or-der (R)	ABC News	Oprah Win-frey (R)	Restless	Home Again	Bugs	Hockey	Wings (R)	Discover-y.ca (R)	Simpsons	Bonkers (R)	Friends (R)	Fam. Mat.	
5 PM	(5:05) Thun-der (R)	News (R)	Destinos	Workshop	Friends (R)	Promised	Biography:	Prey "Col-laboration"	News (R)	News (R)	Medical	Rugrats (R)	NHL	Tom (R)	Tracks	Disaster	Flash	SpaceCase	MovieTV	
6 PM	Friends (R)	Studio BC	Sportsman	Seinfeld (R)	Diagnosis	New Explor-ers (R)	Movie: "Crimes of Passion"	Fortune	Star Trek: Voyager (R)	Warriors!	Odyssey (R)	Hockey: To-ronto Maple	Airight	Italians (R)	New York	Movie: "The Undercover	Movie: "The Liberator"	Movie: "Crimes of Passion"	Three "The Games" (R)	
7 PM	Home Imp.	Learning a	Mystery:	ER "Falli"	48 Hours (in Stereo) (R)	Unex-plained (R)	Passion"	Jeopardy!	Stargate	Deep	Stickin'	Leafs at Dal-las Stars.	Stargate	SG-1 (R)	Fortune	One Day (R)	News (R)	Beverly Hills, 90210		
8 PM	Police Acad-emy 3"	Friends (R)	Encounter	Served	News (R)	News (R)	Law & Or-der "Wager"	News	Promised	Friends (R)	Medical	Felix-Cat	(Live) (R)	News (R)	Discover-y.ca (R) (R)	Keenen	Movie: "The Challengers"	Speakers	In the Heat of the Night	
9 PM	(8:55) Thun-der (R) (R)	Nature of Things	Hemisphere South II	Backstage	Workshop	Jenny	Show (R)	Biography:	Edition	Diagnosis	Seinfeld (R)	Warriors!	You Afraid?	Grace	Tracks	Universe	Paid Prog.	Var Dyke	Movie: "Fi-nal Analysis"	
10 PM	National/CBC News	Born Hut-terite (R)	Old House	Jones (R)	Late Show	(10:37)	New Explor-ers (R)	Politically	ER "Falli"	News (R)	Deep	Flipper (in Stereo) (R)	Motoring	Midnight	Italians (R)	Cops (R)	Movie: "Texas" Wil-iam Holden.	(1992) Ri-chard Gere.	Simon & Si-mon	
11 PM	(10:55) Movie	News (R)	Westland	Michigan	(11:07) Late	America's	Unex-plained (R)	Videos	CTV News	Married...	Home Again	Tarzan (R)	Sportsdesk	Sprint	Psychic	Martha	Zorro (R)	Movie	Hope	

Thursday March 26

10:00 am WTBS (R) 1/2 "W.B., Blue and the Bean" (1989, Adventure) David Hasselhoff. Three hardened bounty hunters break out the artillery when they locate the Colombian drug thugs who kidnapped an heiress.

CITY (R) 1/2 "Grumpier Old Men" (1995, Comedy) Jack Lemmon. Two crotchety seniors resume their bickering ways when marriage plans between their two children go awry.

12:00 pm FAM (R) 1/2 "The Informer" (1935, Drama) Victor McLaglen. Irish rebels track down a slow-witted countryman who turned a friend in for reward money during the Irish Rebellion.

6:00 pm WXYZ (R) CITY (R) "Crimes of Passion: Nobody Lives Forever" (1997, Drama) Greg Evigan. Based on Edna Buchanan's tale of a homicide detective in a dangerous triangle with his female partner and his fiancée. (In Stereo) (R)

FAM (R) 1/2 "The Liberators" (1987, Drama) Robert Conrad. In the antebellum South, a plantation owner's nephew and a slave join forces to lead escaped slaves to freedom.

7:05 pm WTBS (R) 1/2 "Police Academy 3:

Back in Training" (1986, Comedy) Steve Guttenberg. When budget cuts force the state to close one of two academies, both schools try to survive the ax.

8:00 pm FAM (R) 1/2 "The Challengers" (1990, Drama) Gema Zamprogna. A 12-year-old girl poses as a boy to gain entry to an all-boys club whose members love mountain bikes and rock music.

9:05 pm CITY (R) 1/2 "Final Analysis" (1992, Suspense) Richard Gere. A San Francisco psychiatrist's torrid affair with a female patient's sister leads to deceit, betrayal and murder. (R)

10:00 pm FAM (R) 1/2 "Texas" (1941, Western) William Holden. A Confederate veteran refuses to let his former friend, now a wanted outlaw, nurse the cattle entrusted to his care.

10:55 pm WTBS (R) 1/2 "Shakedown" (1988, Drama) Peter Weller. A lawyer joins forces with an undercover cop to sleuth the drug-related murder of a police officer.

11:35 pm CITY (R) 1/2 "Walt Until Dark" (1967, Suspense) Audrey Hepburn. A commercial artist's blind wife is trapped in her apartment by a trio trying to retrieve a heroin-filled doll.

Dateline Los Angeles

Rockin' and Rollin'

by Joe Schwarz

(Our roving columnist from Tulameen sent us an update from Indio, California)

We embarked on our first south-bound winter RV trip, destination Indio, California, a-rockin' and a-rollin' with another couple. The RV was so dirty from road sanding we decided to run it through a car wash in New Westminster. Part way through it got stuck in the doorway. Two things happen. 1) there is an ungodly scrunch and 2) you hear a thud when your stomach drops to the floor.

The first day out, we fueled up at Olympia, Washington, where they handed out leaflets request-ing help. I applied.

The lady manager stated the min-imum wage in Washington State was \$4.75, but she starts conven-ience store clerks at \$5.00 per hour with 25 cent increases at various intervals. However, she said, Washington taxes are high.

"Heck," I said, "you should come to B.C."

"My God," she said, "It's scary up there. I don't know how they manage."

"They don't," I replied.

The second day, we had supper in Sacramento. The food and service were great.

Our waitress was a personable,

well-versed young lady. When we were about to leave, she asked us how everything was.

I said, "Miss, if your boyfriend ever finds out how well you cook, you'll never get rid of him."

She replied, "Man --, sir, Ah don't want to get rid of him. It's taken me two years to catch him."

Lucky guy.

No matter what one might read in the newspapers, you can still meet some awfully nice people. The clerks and waitresses operat-ing the businesses of necessity are the first and best ambassadors of the people and the area where the tourist goes, and underlines their importance.

I 5 Freeway in California is in pretty rough shape. Everyone passes you if you keep to the 70

m.p.h. speed limit. You think you are going backwards.

The third day was dealing with traffic through Los Angeles. That's something else.

Sometimes if you're slow or in the wrong lane, the people talk to you in sign language and I know what they say.

How do I know? Because one day our Grade 1 grandson said, "Grandpa, see this finger? It's the swear finger."

Nothing like being bilingual.

It was clear and cold all the way down California, with much water in the fields. We happily arrived in Indio, 125 miles south of Los Angeles, a-rockin' and a-rollin'. Hot, dry, sunny. Tough to take.

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6 AM	Little House (Off Air)	Open Sesame Street	Maury (R)	Medicine Woman	McMillan and Wife	Regis & Ka- thie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Big Garage Bingo	Maya-Bee Kitty Cats	Sportsdesk (R)	The View	Bay, 2000 Guerilla	Love Boat	Busy World Mermaid	Maury (R)	Animaniacs PinkyBrain		
7 AM	Mama Mama	Body Tiny Toon	Dudley Wishbone	Barney Mr Rogers	Montel Wil- iams	Little House (Part 2 of 2)	Equalizer Gayle King	Martha (7:10) Can- ada AM	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Elementary School (R)	Ghostbstrs Ballooner	Champion- ship -- Sec- ond Round.	Price Is Right	Travelers "Boston" (R)	Paid Prog. Computer	Chip-Dale Franklin	Cityline	Setman MeninBlick
8 AM	Hillbillies Hillbillies	Care Bears Gadget	Bus Johnson	Virtues Reading	Jenny Jones	Price Is Right	Quincy	People's Court	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Elementary School (R)	Ghostbstrs Ballooner	Champion- ship -- Sec- ond Round.	Price Is Right	Travelers "Boston" (R)	Paid Prog. Kleo	Quack Ziggy	Ziggy Griffith	Griffith
9 AM	Matlock (In Stereo)	Robison 100 Huntley	Fireman Kitty Cats	Charlie Theodore	News Jeopardy!	News Young-	Northern Exposure	News Pt. Charles	Regis & Ka- thie	Dinner Company	Work in Progress	Marie Soleil Hamster	Champion- ship -- Sec- ond Round.	News	Discover- y.ca (R)	Judge Judy Hello	Wonderland City	News	Geraldo Riviera
10 AM	Movie: "Po- lice Acad- emy 3: Back in Training"	Street Mr. Dressup	Sky to Sea Kidzone	Sesame Street	Days of Our Lives	Restless Bold & B.	Law & Or- der	All My Chil- dren	Movie Show Home	Dave Ruth- erford	Oninside Great Inns	Bananas Katie	NHL Shots Be a Player	Neon Rider "1117"	House- smart (R)	Martha Gayle King	Busy World Chip-Dale	Movie: "Wait Until Dark" (1967, Suspense)	News (In Stereo)
11 AM	Flintstones Flintstones	All My Chil- dren	Justice Literature	Arthur Magic Bus	Sally	Guiding Light	McMillan and Wife	One Life to Live	Travel Coach	News Movie Show	Intimate Intimate	Dudley Couch	Rinkside Golf	As World Turns	Kitchen Foodstuff	Paid Prog. Van Dyke	Torkelsons Dark	Dark (1967, Suspense)	Empty N
12 PM	Looney Dreams	News Okanagan	Out of the Past	Sandiego Wishbone	Jerry Sprin- ger	Oprah Win- frey	Equalizer (Part 2 of 2)	Oprah Win- frey	Another World	General Hospital	Days of Our Lives	Wedding Wedding	MenTibts Hometime	Tell-A-Tale Take Part	Champion- ship -- Sec- ond Round.	Real TV Movie Show	Tracks Turtles	Mouseter	White Sox vs. Giants
1 PM	Saved-Bell Saved-Bell	WonderYr Reflections	20 Minutes Cyberation	Bill Nye	News	News	Quincy	News	Bold & B. Rosie	Mad-You HomeSvy	Hometime Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding	Station Grounding
2 PM	Fam. Mat. Fam. Mat.	BugsDaffy Fam. Mat.	Digital Gaining	News- Lehrer	News NBC News	News CBS News	Northern Exposure	News	Videos Real TV	O'Donnell Young-	Renovation Renovation	Garfield Uh Oh!	Off-Record Sportsdesk	News	Movie Cops	Hollywood Darkwing	Goof Troop Darkwing	News	Saved-Bell Saved-Bell
3 PM	Preseason Baseball:	Rosie O'Donnell	Creatures Jupiter	Business Backstage	Fortune Jeopardy!	Fortune Jeopardy!	Law & Or- der	ABC News Ent. Tonight	Oprah Win- frey	Restless News	Home Again Home Again	Bugs Hey Arnold!	Hockey Pregame	Wings Mad-You	Discover- y.ca	Simpsons Simpsons	Bonkers Aladdin	Friends Seinfeld	Fam. Mat. Coach
4 PM	Atlanta Braves vs.	News Voyages	Wash. Week Wall St.	Players (In Stereo)	Kids Say Candid C.	Biography: Conf.	News	Sabrina Boy-World	News News	News News	Real Amer- ica	Rugrats Mummies	NBA Bas- ketball:	Players (In Stereo)	Animal Planet	Beyond Be- lief	Flash SpaceCase	Movie: "Ma- tilda" (1996, Fantasy)	Movie: "As- sassination" Charles Bronson.
5 PM	Tampa Bay Devil Rays.	Friends Frasier	Readers Profiles	Movie: "Kings Row"	Dateline (In Stereo)	Figure Skat- ing: The Great Skate Debate 2.	America's Castles (R)	Sabrina Hiller-Diller	News Fortune	Players (In Stereo)	Ancient Warriors	Uh Oh! Turtles	Rockets at Magic	JAG "Tiger, Tiger"	Discover Magazine	Millennium "19:19"	Movie: "The Gnome- Mobile"	NewMusic NewMusic	News (In Stereo)
6 PM	Movie: "Brewster's Millions" Ri- chard Pryor.	Home Imp. Air Farce	Asia Two Fat	Drama Ann Sheridan.	News News	News News	Law & Or- der	News Nightline	Players (In Stereo)	Beyond Be- lief	Real Amer- ica	Buffy Yam- pire	ketball: New York Knicks	News Grace	Discover- y.ca (R)	Keenen Ivory	Movie: "Oli- vie Hopnood- le's Bliss"	News Night Party	Beverly Hills, 90210
7 PM	(9:15) Movie: "Lov- erboy" Pat- rick Demp- sey.	Clark-Home CBC News	Detectives Luv	Movie: "Kings Row"	Nova (R) (In Stereo)	Paid Prog. (10:37)	Biography: Conf.	Am. Journal of Death	Movie: "Kiss (1995) David Caruso.	News Sprts Nite	Ancient Warriors (R)	You Afraid? Breaker	at Vancou- ver Grizzlies.	Grace Wings	Animal Planet (R)	Paid Prog. Van Dyke	Movie: "Wonder Game" Ste- phen Rea.	Simon & Si- mon	
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Friday March 27

10:00 am WTBS ③ ★★ "Police Academy 3: Back in Training" (1986, Comedy) Steve Guttenberg. When budget cuts force the state to close one of two academies, both schools try to survive the ax.

CITY ⑫ ★★ "Wait Until Dark" (1967, Suspense) Audrey Hepburn. A commercial artist's blind wife is trapped in her apartment by a trio trying to retrieve a heroin-filled doll.

12:00 pm FAM ⑲ ★★ "The Black Swan" (1942, Adventure) Tyrone Power. A sea captain sails the Caribbean in search of two renegade pirates who have refused to give up their plundering ways.

5:00 pm CITY ⑮ ★★ "Matilda" (1996, Fantasy) Mara Wilson. A girl blessed with telekinetic powers strikes back against her neglectful parents and her school's cruel headmistress.

WGN ⑳ ★★ "Assassination" (1967, Drama) Charles Bronson. A Secret Service agent is kept busy thwarting an apparent assassination plot against the first lady.

6:00 pm WTVS ⑥ ★★ "Kings Row" (1941, Drama) Ann Sheridan. A chronicle of several decades in the turbulent personal lives of small-town friends.

FAM ⑲ ★★ "The Gnome-Mobile" (1967, Fantasy) Walter Brennan. Two children and their uncle get caught in a madcap race to save two forest gnomes and reunite them with their clan.

7:00 pm WTBS ③ ★★ "Brewster's Millions" (1985, Comedy) Richard Pryor. Time Approximate. A man goes on a 30-day, \$30 million spending spree -- a prerequisite for collecting a \$300 million inheritance.

8:00 pm FAM ⑲ ★★ "Ollie Hopnoodle's Haven of Bliss" (1988, Comedy) James B. Sikking. Humorist Jean Shepherd's semi-autobiographical account of an Indiana family's less-than-perfect summer vacation.

9:00 pm BCTV ⑪ ★★ "Kiss of Death" (1995, Drama) David Caruso. An ex-con enters the world of professional car thieves when he agrees to help incriminate a local crime kingpin.

9:05 pm CITY ⑮ ★★ "The Crying Game" (1992, Drama) Stephen Rea. An IRA member becomes involved with his kidnap victim's enigmatic lover in Neil Jordan's Oscar-winning tale.

9:15 pm WTBS ③ ★★ "Loverboy" (1989, Comedy) Patrick Dempsey. A pizza delivery boy, who failed at college and romance, picks up meaningful tips from bored Beverly Hills women.

10:00 pm WTVS ⑥ ★★ "Kings Row" (1941, Drama) Ann Sheridan. A chronicle of several decades in the turbulent personal lives of small-town friends.

FAM ⑲ ★★ "Wonder Man" (1945, Comedy) Danny Kaye. When a brash young nightclub entertainer is murdered, his ghost urges his studious twin brother to seek revenge.

11:20 pm WTBS ③ ★★ "The Seniors" (1977, Comedy) Jeffrey Byron. Enterprising college students turn their fraternity house into a sex clinic.

CITY ⑫ ★★ "Badlands" (1973, Suspense) Martin Sheen. An impressionable teen-ager accompanies her homicidal boyfriend on a Midwestern crime spree. Based on a true story.

KIDS ZONE

What kind of Farm is this?

BY PATTY-ANN PEAL

Did you know that every single bit of food you eat was first produced on a farm? There are many different kinds of farms.

Milk and cheeses come from Dairy farms. The farmers get up very early in the morning to milk the cows. A long time ago, they had to hand-milk all the cows by sitting on a little stool and squeezing the milk out from the cows' udders into pails. Then they had to strain the milk and pasteurize it by cooking it before they took it to town to sell. It took a long time. Today the Dairy farmers have machines that milk the cows and pasteurize the milk for them. But they still have to get up very early to attach the machines to the cows and make sure everything is working properly.

Although most of the bread and cereals you see in the grocery store are packaged at a factory, they are really made from raw grains grown mostly on huge grain farms out on the prairies. The grain farmers use giant tractors to plow up the ground to make it ready for the seeds. All summer long the grains grow, until they are harvested in the fall. Huge combines cut plant stalks and separate the grain from the

stalks it grew up on. Then the grain is transported to silos for storage until it is shipped to mills to be ground into flour to make bread and cereals.

Livestock farmers raise cattle, sheep or pigs. The livestock farmers must feed the animals, and make sure they have good water every day. Most animals must be feed twice a day. The farmers take good care of the animals so that they will be healthy when they are ready to go to the slaughter houses to be turned into the hamburger, hot dogs, and bacon that we eat.

Our chicken and eggs come from Poultry farms. Some people buy eggs and chicken directly from the farms. On small farms, the farmers must gather eggs from laying hens at least once a day. There could be hundreds of hens at a small farm. Large, commercial poultry farms have machines that collect eggs from thousands of hens.

Produce farms and Orchards are where you can find vegetables and fruits. Some farmers allow people to pick their own vegetables right out of their fields. Commercial produce farms and orchards employ many people

during harvest. When the vegetables have been harvested, they go to canning and packaging factories where they are canned and frozen for shipment to our grocery stores.

As you can see, quite a lot of effort from very many people go into producing the packaged foods that you can go to the store and buy.

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6 AM	Videos	(Off Air)	Open	Router	Newsbeat	(5:00) News	Biography	New Doug	Better	101Daimts	Home Pro	Maya-Bee	Fishing	Foster Par.	House-	Goosebnp	Nilus	Indo	Paid Prog.
6:30	Videos	Beetlejuice	Learning	Hometime	Tday		for Kids	Recess	Jungle	101Daimts	Home Pro	Kitty Cats	Soccer Sat-	Humana	amarti (R)	Toonslvnia	Billy the Cat	Dharti	Paid Prog.
7 AM	National	Tintin	Dudley	Old House	Saved-Bell	Zoo Today	Biography	Pepper Ann	News	101Daimts	Furniture	Dragon Ball	urday:	Movie Show	Foodstuff	Goosebnp	Chip-Dale	Eye on Asia	Fishing
7:30	Geographic	White Fang	Wishbone	Workshop	City Guys	Fortune	Presents	Bugs & T.		New Doug	Furniture	Tax Avery	Teams to Be	Home	Foodstuff	SpaceGoof	Bonkers		Paid Prog.
8 AM	Explorer (R)	Batman	Magic Bus	Michigan	Saved-Bell	Ghostwriter	New Explor-	Bugs & T.		New Doug	Home Again	Mummies	Announced.	Rainbow	Travelers	Eerie Ind.	Derkwing	Polish Stu-	Paid Prog.
8:30	(R)	Superman	Creatures	Anyplace	Hang Time	Sports III.	ers (R)	Jungle		Recess	Home Again	Spider-Man		Hunter	"Marrakech"	Surfer	Aladdin		Paid Prog.
9 AM	Cat in Hat	Casper	Art Attack	Sportsman	Hang Time	Weird AI	Home Again	Pooh		Pepper Ann	Hometime	Rugrats		Fish'n	What If: Ex-	Student	Movie: "The	City Saigon	Soul Train
9:30	Hoover-B.	Bugs & T.	Jupiter	Great Lakes	Inside Stuff	TBA	Home Again	Science		Jungle	Hometime	Hey Arnold!	NHL Shots	Fishing	tralerrestrial	Paid Prog.	Adventures	Cityline (R)	(R)
10 AM	Horton	Bugs & T.	Medicine	Cars	Paid Prog.	TBA	America's	Orlimar	investors	investors	Renovation	Beavers	Rugby: Five	Investors	Terra X (R)	Conan "Im-	of Huck		Movie: "The
10:30	Pontoffel	Sam & Max	Quilting	Antiques	Criminals	Tennis: Lip-	Castles (R)	Golf Mich.	On-Line	On-Line	Renovation	Monsters	Nations -	On-Line	Dotto's	postor" (R)	Fin" (1993)	CHUM FM	Jerky Boys
11 AM	Flintstones:	Rattlebag	Cooking	Roadshow	PGA Golf:	ton Champs.	Grand Tour	Auto Rac-	Canada AM	WineTour	MenTibts	Reboot	Ireland vs.	Highways	Justice	Skiling:	Mouse	30	Johnny
11:30	Hollyrock-a-	Empty Nest	Dotto	TBA	The Players	Women's Fi-	(R)	ing: CART -	Weekend	WineChse	HomeSvy	Beasties	Wales.	Boogies	Seekers	Bumps	Zorro	Electric Cir-	Brennan.
12 PM	Bye Baby	Paralym-	Woman	Wine 101	Champion-	ship - Third	Investiga-	Budweiser	News	Car Guys	Hometime	Turtles	Rugby: Five	Counter-	Search-	NHL	Amazing		Xena: War-
12:30	(Taped)	Babies	Baking	Champion-	ship - Third	Round.	five Reports	500		Grip on Golf	Hometime	X-Men	Nations -	strike	Fleet	Hockey: Re-	Animal		rior
1 PM	Movie: "The		Taking Lead	Pepin	Round.	Final Four	20th Cen-		World Fig-	Makin' &	Home Again	Uh Oh!	England vs.	Kung Fu:	Our Time in	gional Cov-	Going Wild!	Speakers	Hercules-
1:30	Man Called		Taking Lead	TBA	(Live)	Preview	ury (R)		ure Skating	Home	Home Again	YTV News	Scotland.	Legend	Hell-Korean	erage	Omha	Behind	Jmys.
2 PM	Flintstone"	Bowling:	Just Add	Garden			American	Dinah Shore	Champ.	WCW Nitro	How'd They	Hit List (In	Horse Rac-	Movie Show	Flightpath		Tale Spin	Deep Space	Highlander:
2:30	(1966)	Five-Pin.	Water (R)	Travels		College	Justice (R)	Classic	Preview		Do That?	Stereo)	ing	News	(R)		Goof Troop	9	The Series
3 PM	(3:05) WCW	Home	Japanese	Lawrence	News	Basketball:	Foot Soldier	News	WWF Su-	WWF Wres-	Spanish-	NBA Dunk	Rinkside (R)	Counter-	Wings (R)	Honey, I	Muppets	News	Earth: Final
3:30	Saturday	Fish'n	Colour	Welk Show	NBC News	NCAA Tour-	"The Allies"	ABC News	perstars	ling	American	Chipmunks	Sportsdesk	strike		Shrunk	Spellbinder	FashionTV	Conflict (R)
4 PM	Night	Pregame	Material and	Nova (R) (In	Fortune	nament	Mysteries of	Ent. Tonight	Outdoor	Kung Fu:	War (R)	Woody	Bloopers	Pensacola-	Connection	Access Hol-	SpaceCase	Ooh La La	Fam. Mat.
4:30	(R)	NHL	Form	Stereo)	Riches		the Bible		Travel Mag.	Legend		Bullwinkle	Billiards:	Wing	AnimalBite	lywood	Almost	MovieTV	Riches
5 PM	(5:05)	Hockey:	Survey of	Nature (In	TV Bloop-	College	Biography	To Be An-	WineChse	News	Bomb	Rocko	WPBA Semi.	Magnificent	Dawn	Cops (R)	Billy the Cat	NewMusic	Smart Guy
5:30	Movie: "Ja-	New York Is-	Western Art	Stereo)	ers	Basketball:	This Week	ounced	Siskel	Madison	Squad	Sw. Valley	Darts: Em-	Seven	Travelers	Cops (R)	Neverend	(R)	Sister, Sis.
6 PM	cob's Lad-	landers at	Art Attack	Ballykissan-	Pretender	NCAA Tour-	Investiga-	Nothing Sa-	News	Myst Isl	Separate	Holmes	bassy World	Pretender	"Caracas"	Most	Movie:	Movie:	Wayans
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7 PM	Robbins.	NHL	Wishbone	Ballykissan-	Profiler (In	The Closer	Movie: "The	Saturday	Fortune	Traders	Life of Prin-	Buffy Vam-	(Taped)	Profiler (In	Profession-	Hercules-	Dragon" (R)	Minds" Mich-	News (In
7:30	(7:25)			gel	Stereo)		Nanny"	Night	Jeopardy!	"End Game"	cess Grace	pire	Sportsdesk	Stereo)	als (R)	Jmys.	Adventure	elle Pfeiffer.	Stereo)
8 PM	Movie: "The	Hockey:	Heartbeat	Nova (R) (In	News	News	(1965) Belle	News	Highlander:	Practice (In	Bomb	Goosebnp	Auto Rac-	News	Connection	Mad TV (In	Movie:	News	Coach
8:30	Doors"	Washington		Stereo)	Saturday	Outer Lim-	Davis.	Movie:	The Series	Stereo)	Squad	Freaky	ing: CART -	Comedy	AnimalBite	Stereo)	"Darby	Movie:	Movie:
9 PM	(1991,	Capitals at	Ruth Rend-	Nature (R)	Night Live	its	Biography	"Voices	Nothing Sa-	Pretender	Separate	Goosebnp	Budweiser	Fame L.A.	Dawn	Tales-Crypt	O'Gill"	"Highlander:	"Butch Cas-
9:30	Drama) Val	Vancouver	dell		(R)	TBA	This Week	From Within"	cred	"Bulletproof"	Lives (R)	You Afraid?	500	(R)	Travelers	Tales-Crypt	Van Dyke	The Final Di-	ension"
10 PM	Kilmer.	Canucks.	Movie: "Je-	Ballykissan-	Conan "Im-	TBA	Investiga-	Movie:	Once a	Profiler (In	Life of Prin-	Breaker		World	"Caracas"	Paid Prog.	Movie:	Movie:	Nightman
10:30	(10:20)	King of Hill	sus of Mon-	gel	postor" (R)	TBA	ive Reports	"Lush Life"	Thief	Stereo)	cess Grace	Hit List (In	Auto Race	Wrestling	Tomorrow	Comedy	"Whole	Movie:	(R)
11 PM	Movie: "Lev-	CHBC News	trial" (1989,	Ballykissan-	Paid Prog.	America's	Movie: "The	(1994)	CTV News	Saturday	Trauma:	Stereo)	Sportsdesk	Sprint	Profession-	Showcase	Town's"	"Dangerous	Minds" Xena
11:30	athan"	Extra	Satire)	gel	Paid Prog.	Store	Nanny"	(1994)	News	Night Live	Life	Anti-Gravity		Dial-a-Date	als (R)	Apollo	Zorro	Minds"	Xena

Saturday March 28

9:00 am FAM (R) ** "The Adventures of Huck Finn" (1993, Adventure) Elijah Wood. Based on Mark Twain's novel. A boy and a runaway slave find friendship and adventure rafting on the Mississippi. (In Stereo) (R)

10:00 am WGN (R) ** "The Jerky Boys" (1995, Comedy) Johnny Brennan. Two telephone pranksters land in hot water with a local crime boss when they pretend to be a pair of fugitive hit men.

1:00 pm WTBS (R) ** "The Man Called Flintstone" (1966, Comedy) Voices of Alan Reed. Animated. Fred Flintstone is pressed into service by stone-age intelligence to ferret out the leader of SMIRK.

5:05 pm WTBS (R) ** "Jacob's Ladder" (1990, Suspense) Tim Robbins. A Vietnam vet prone to flashbacks walks the edge of sanity as he searches for the cause of his nightmarish visions.

6:00 pm FAM (R) ** "Stanley's Dragon" (1995, Fantasy) Judd Trichter. A college student and a journalist friend fall in their attempt to keep a rapidly growing dragon hatching a secret. (In Stereo) (R)

CITY (R) ** "Dangerous Minds" (1995, Drama) Michelle Pfeiffer. A dedicated English teacher at an inner-city school works to challenge and inspire her class of underachievers.

7:00 pm A&E (R) ** "The Nanny" (1965, Suspense) Bette Davis. No one believes a troubled boy who claims his caretaker drowned his sister a few years earlier.

7:25 pm WTBS (R) ** "The Doors" (1991, Drama) Val Kilmer. Oliver Stone's account of the life and times of Jim Morrison, the self-destructive poet-turned-rock legend.

8:00 pm FAM (R) ** "Darby O'Gill and the Little People" (1959, Fantasy) Albert Sharpe. An old Irish caretaker captures the king of the leprechauns and forces him to grant three wishes.

8:30 pm WXYZ (R) ** "Voices From Within" (1994, Mystery) JoBeth Williams. A woman joins forces with a police investigator to discover who killed her sister, a nurse with multiple personalities.

CITY (R) ** "Highlander: The Final Di-

mension" (1994, Fantasy) Christopher Lambert. An old enemy re-emerges from the 400-year-old rubble of a collapsed Japanese mountain to seek the Highlander's head.

WGN (R) ** "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid" (1969, Western) Paul Newman, George Roy Hill's account of two legendary outlaws who refused to alter their ways and surrender to a changing America.

10:00 pm KNOW (R) ** "Jesus of Montreal" (1989, Satire) Lohaire Bluteau. Modern-day parallels of New Testament events occur when actors stage an unconventional version of the Passion Play. (In French Subtitled)

FAM (R) ** "The Whole Town's Talking" (1935, Comedy) Edward G. Robinson. A mild-mannered bookkeeper has double trouble when he discovers that he looks exactly like a fugitive criminal.

10:20 pm WTBS (R) ** "Leviathan" (1989, Science Fiction) Peter Weller. Deep-sea divers are transformed into monstrous amphibians after discovering an experimental mutagen.

10:30 pm WXYZ (R) ** "Lush Life" (1994, Drama) Jeff Goldblum. A friendship is put to the test when a session musician learns he has a malignant brain tumor.

CITY (R) ** "Dangerous Minds" (1995, Drama) Michelle Pfeiffer. A dedicated English teacher at an inner-city school works to challenge and inspire her class of underachievers.

11:00 pm A&E (R) ** "The Nanny" (1965, Suspense) Bette Davis. No one believes a troubled boy who claims his caretaker drowned his sister a few years earlier.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 1998

Table with 21 columns (WTBS, CHBC, KNOW, WTVS, WDIV, WTOL, A&E, WXYZ, BCTV, CITY, TLC, YTV, TSN, CHCH, DISC, FOX, FAM, CITY, WGN) and 12 rows (6 AM to 11 PM) listing various TV programs and their times.

Sunday March 29

7:35 am WTBS (3) ** "Amos & Andrew" (1993, Comedy) Nicolas Cage. A famous black writer is pinned down by gunfire after neighbors mistake him for a burglar in his newly purchased home.

3:00 pm CITY (12) **½ "My Girl 2" (1993, Comedy-Drama) Dan Aykroyd. Vada learns important lessons about life and love when she visits her uncle in L.A. to find out about her late mother.

tious amphibian named Kermit goes to Hollywood in search of fame and fortune in this star-studded extravaganza.

Worth a Second Thought The Flag Farce

by Dawn Johnson

Who would have thought we would see the day when Members of Parliament would vote against displaying the national flag on desks in the House of Commons?

ment when our Members of Parliament vote against displaying the flag in the House of Commons. Is there a place more appropriate?



Frankly, I find the situation almost unbelievable, except I have learned to believe politicians will do almost any darn thing.

The House of Commons turned the flag question into a petty dispute between the Bloc Quebecois and the Reform Party, but most of us cannot be bothered to react to the politically petty points scored on either side.

That vote was, in my opinion, a vote against what the flag represents: in short, it was a vote against Canada and Canadians.

To ordinary, non-partisan Canadians, our flag is the symbol of what makes us different from the Americans, the British, and anybody else in the world.

I can conclude that, once again, Parliament has exchanged the real work of government for silly partisan in-fighting. In the case of the flag debate, and the vote against the flag, I conclude that we, the Canadian people, are poorly served by those we placed in the high offices of our nation.

MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1998

	WTBS (3)	CHBC (4)	KNOW (5)	WTVS (6)	WDIV (7)	WTOL (8)	A&E (9)	WXYZ (10)	BCTV (11)	CITY (12)	TLC (14)	YTV (18)	TSN (19)	CHCH (22)	DISC (24)	FOX (25)	FAM (26)	CITY (29)	WGN (32)
6 AM	Little House Review	(Off Air)	Open Learning	Sesame Street	Maury	Medicine Women	Columbo	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Big Garage	YTV News	Sportsdesk	The View	Curse of Oak Island	Love Boat	Busy World	Maury	BugsDaffy
7 AM	Mama	Body	Dudley	Barney	Montel Williams	Little House	"Mind Over Mayhem"	Martha	(7:10) Canada AM		Salty's	Rupert	Sportsdesk	Rosie	Foodstuff	Paid Prog.	Chip-Dale	Cityline	PinkyBrain
8 AM	Hillbillies	Care Bears	Bus	Storytime	Jenny	Price Is Right	Quincy	People's Court	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Critters	Ghostbusters	Sportsdesk	Price Is Right	Homeworks	Pictionary	Quack	Ziggy	Griffith
9 AM	Matlock	Robison	Fireman	Charlie	News	News	Northern	News	Regis & Kathie	Dinner Company	Work in Progress	Marie Soleil	Off-Record	News	Discover-y.ca	Judge Judy	Wonderland	News	Geraldo
10 AM	Movie: "Perry Mason"	Street	Mathshop	Sesame	Days of Our Lives	Restless	Law & Order	All My Children	Movie Show Home	Dave Rutherford	Oninside	Bananas	Be a Player	Neon Rider	House-smart	Martha	Busy World	Movie: "The Princess"	News (in Stereo)
11 AM		Young-Restless	TimeGrow	Barney	Another World	As World Turns	Columbo "A Deadly State of Mind"	One Life to Live	Travel Coach	News	Intimate	Dudley	Bowling: Ten Pin	As World Turns	Foodstuff	H. Patrol	Torkelsons	Bride" Cary	Empty Nest
12 PM	Flintstones	All My Children	World at War	Arthur	Sally	Gulding Light	Columbo	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Menace	English League	People's Court	Nature by Profession	Metalix	Movie: "Archie's Over"	Cityline (R)	Beauty and the Beast
1 PM	Looney Dreams	News	Global	Sandiego	Jerry Springer	Oprah Winfrey	"Mind Over Mayhem"	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	General Hospital	MenTibits	Tell-A-Tale	Soccer	Real TV	Days of Discovery	Rangers	Broadway	Baywatch	Beverly Hills, 90210
2 PM	Saved-Bell	WonderYr	Nuclear Age	Creatures	News	News	Quincy	News	Bold & B.	Mad-You	Hometime	Station	Ski Lift	Extra	Travelers	Beverly Hills, 90210	Tale Spin	Ivory	Fam. Mat.
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	BugsDaffy	English	News	News	News	Northern	News	Videos	O'Donnell	Renovation	Garfield	Off-Record	News	Movie	Cops	Darkwing		Saved-Bell
4 PM	Griffith	Rosie	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	Restless	Home Again	Bugs	Hockey	Wings	Discover-y.ca	Simpsons	Bonkers	Friends	Fam. Mat.
5 PM	Movie: "The Cutting Edge"	Friends	Learning a Living	Moyers-Close to	Caroline	College	Poirot	20/20	News	Deep Space 9	Fergie-Downfall	Alex Mack	Hockey	The Closer	Parks	George	Champions	Movie: "She Stood Alone"	Three (in Stereo)
6 PM		Home Imp.	Learning	Home	Dateline (in Stereo)	NCAA Champ.	Sherlock Holmes	Practice (in Stereo)	Fortune	Movie: "Disclosure"	Paramedics	Holmes	Calgary	Flames at	The Legacy	Hollywood	FX: The Series	Spellbinder	News (in Stereo)
7 PM	"Point of No Return"	Cosby	By Design	Served	News	News	Law & Order	News	Suddenly	(1994) Michael Douglas	Extreme	Felix-Cat	Edmonton	News	Discover-y.ca	Keenen Ivory	Movie: "The Gnome-Mobile"	News	Beverly Hills, 90210
8 PM		Seinfeld	Metropolis	Mr. Bean	(8:35) Tonight Show	(8:05) Late Show	Biography: Lady Bird	Edition	Ally McBeal	Seinfeld	Fergie-Downfall	You Afraid?	Sportsdesk	Grace	Behaving	Universe	Mobile	(9:05) Movie: "Crossing the Line"	Simon & Simon
9 PM	Wild! Life	More Tears	Strange	Roadshow	(9:37) Jenny	(10:07) America's Store	Sherlock Holmes	Videos	CTV News	Married... Murphy	Home Again	Hidden City	Sportsdesk	MotorTV	Hollywood	Gayle King	Martha Zorro	Movie	Paid Prog.
10 PM	Adventures	National/CBC News	Independent Eyes III	Moyers-Close to	Jones	Paid Prog.	Poirot	Politically	La Femme Nikita	News	Paramedics	Flipper "F. Scott"	Wrestling	Psychic	Parks	Cops	Movie: "Ice" (1938)	(11:05) Movie	Paid Prog.
11 PM	Adventures	News	Dotto's	Home	(11:07) Late Night		Sherlock Holmes	Videos	News-Sport		Home Again			Northern		Martha	Zorro	Movie	Paid Prog.

Monday March 30

10:00 am WTBS @ ** "Perry Mason: The Case of the Silenced Slinger" (1990, Mystery) Raymond Burr. Mason takes a personal interest when one of his former students is accused of murdering his hot-tempered wife.

CITY @ *** "The Princess Bride" (1987 Fantasy) Gary Elwes. A man regales his ailing grandson with a tale of romance and adventure in this lighthearted fairy tale from Rob Reiner.

12:00 pm FAM @ **½ "Angels Over Broadway" (1940, Drama) Rita Hayworth. A cor man, out to fleece an embezzler, ends up taking a beating for him at the hands of a gambler.

5:05 pm WTBS @ **½ "The Cutting Edge" (1992, Comedy) D.B. Sweeney. A spoiled figure skater and her new partner try to disguise their mutual dislike as they strive for Olympic gold.

6:00 pm FAM @ **½ "She Stood Alone" (1991, Drama) Mare Winningham. An 1830s teacher risks her career and personal safety by admitting black girls to her all-white New England school.

7:00 pm CITY @ *** "Disclosure" (1994, Drama) Michael Douglas. A sexually har-

assed employee finds the tables turned when his female boss accuses him of initiating the misconduct.

7:10 pm WTBS @ **½ "Point of No Return" (1993, Drama) Bridget Fonda. A condemned woman transformed into a government assassin desperately searches for a way out of her new profession.

8:00 pm FAM @ *** "The Gnome-Mobile" (1967, Fantasy) Walter Brennan. Two children and their uncle get caught in a madcap race to save two forest gnomes and reunite them with their clan.

9:05 pm CITY @ **½ "Crossing the Line" (1989, Drama) John Saxon. A young motorcyclist faces the wrath of family and friends after a fellow rider suffers a near-fatal accident.

10:00 pm FAM @ *** "Room Service" (1938, Comedy) The Marx Brothers. Penniless entertainers try to stay in a hotel for free by convincing the management they have the measles.

11:05 pm CITY @ ** "City Rats" (1987, Drama) Valentin Trujillo. Hatred, corruption and violence take their toll on a group of inner-city juveniles.

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Survival skills are part of the training for women taking the BOW program (Becoming an Outdoors Woman).

“Becoming an Outdoors-woman”

by Melanie Bagley

Women's participation in outdoors activities has historically been proportionally much lower than the general population. This is beginning to change. Each year thousands of women of all ages gather together in the heart of the country. They take part in workshops called "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" where they enjoy learning a variety of outdoors skills.

It's not all huntin', shootin' and fishin', though these elements feature in the selection of over 20 courses such as wilderness survival, first aid, navigation, hiking, camping, canoeing, boating and trailer handling. Each woman chooses four courses which are taught by highly qualified, dedicated instructors who are sensitive to the needs of individuals whether total beginners or those wishing to improve existing skills. Most women find that the group camaraderie and encouragement greatly increase their self-esteem and confidence in these 'hands-on' courses where the emphasis is on co-operation rather than competition.

Accommodation is generally simple yet comfortable, in lodges, dormitories or cabins that have all basic amenities. Meals are cooked by the camp staff and at the close of a busy day, evening entertainment adds to the relaxed atmosphere.

The simple formula results in the majority of women continuing to practice and enjoy many of the skills they have learned long after the workshop is over. They also maintain a wider interest in protecting, managing, and enjoying our great outdoors.

In 1991, the first of these innovative programs was held in Wisconsin, attended by 103

women. Since then, "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" has become increasingly popular. In 1997, workshops were held in 46 American States and eight Canadian provinces with a total of almost 10,000 participants.

In 1995, a representative of the B.C. Wildlife Federation attended the Wisconsin Governor's Symposium on the Future of Hunting. Subsequently, the idea of holding a "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" workshop was

presented to the B.C. Wildlife Federation Board of Directors who were quick to realize the benefits of this program. The first B.C. workshop, held in May 1997, in the Winfield Easter Seals camp near Kelowna, proved to be a great success with many more applicants than the 80 spaces available.

One woman, whose views represented many of the participants, enthused, "The faculty, instruction, organization and accommodation were superb."

Plans have been made for a 1998 "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" workshop. It is scheduled for May 29, 30 and 31 at the Winfield Camp. The cost will be \$200, which will include all instruction,

equipment, meals, accommodation, a T-shirt and fun!

Anyone wishing information and an application form for this workshop and are at least 19 years of age, please contact the B.C. Wildlife Federation toll-free on 1-800-533-2293 or Pat Everatt at 250-499-7771 or fax 250-499-2508.

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Look at local owls and their habitats

Of the fourteen species of owls found in the interior, ten have been recorded for the Princeton area. Varying greatly in size and choice of habitat they all share unique adaptations that make them very successful predators. Most owls hunt at night or dusk, however two found in this area hunt during the day.

Being primarily nighttime hunters hearing plays an important part in the success of most species. The ears of most owls are asymmetrical, meaning that one ear is set higher on the head than the other. This enables owls to locate a sound both horizontally and vertically, something humans cannot do. The large facial disks are also thought to direct sound to the ears. Studies have shown that Barn Owls can strike prey in total darkness, locating it by sound alone.

Owls cannot see in total darkness, but they have excellent vision in low light. The retina of an owl's eye is packed with receptors for making out details in dim light. The eyes, because of these receptors, are large in comparison to body size and are fixed immobile in the skull. To counteract this, the neck of an owl is very flexible, and the bird can look backward over one shoulder and then quickly swivel its head around and look over the other. This movement is so rapid that it appears the owl has turned its head around a full 360 degrees. Although they may be colour blind, they can see perfectly well in daylight, contrary to one popular myth.

To be effective hunters, owls must also be silent. The flight feathers have softened edges, deadening the sound of the wingbeats. The soft and fluffy feathers of an owl's body also help to muffle the sounds of movement.

The following are "thumbnail" sketches for some of the more common owls, largest to smallest, that are found in this area.

Great Grey Owl, our biggest owl, although this is partly illusion, because of the very thick fluffy plumage. Prefers a mixed habitat of thick forest for nesting and open areas for hunting its favourite prey: small rodents. It may hunt day or night, and is frequently encountered perched on fence posts beside roads. The nest

More signs of early spring

Jack and Edith Cunliffe took a drive up Highway 5A and saw swans, large white swans with black beaks. On their return home, they consulted their books on birds and decided they had seen trumpeter swans on McCaffery Lake.

Ron Armstrong did not have to leave home to see a flock of swallows around his house out Old Hedley Road.

may be in an old nest of another large bird, or the broken off top of a snag. The most prominent field marks are: large round head without ear tufts, pronounced facial disks and yellow eyes. Length to 69 cm.

Great Horned Owl: The most common large owl in this area. Prefers a variety of habitats, thick forest, deciduous woods and city parks. A powerful hunter, it takes prey as large as rabbits, skunks and housecats. Most often observed roosting close to the trunk of a tree during the day. For nesting, uses old nests of other large birds, or occasionally cliff ledges. Nests very early, mid-February in this area. Field marks are: large size, ear tufts (erect

by Jerry Herzig

feathers on the head) and yellow eyes. Length to 56 cm.

Northern Saw-whet Owl: A common small owl found through this area. Preferred habitat is mixed forests, open pine woods, often found roosting in city yards if thick conifers are present. A nighttime hunter, it preys on small rodents and insects. This owl nests in old woodpecker cavities and readily uses nest boxes. Field marks are: small size, reddish vertical streaks on breast, reddish facial disks and yellow eyes. Length to 20 cm.

The owls of this area vary greatly, and other species will be covered in future articles. Reports of any sightings would be greatly appreciated. Phone 29-7384.

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Princeton Volunteer Fire Department poses briefly during fire practice. Left to right standing: Curtis Oja, Dennis LaRoche, Secretary Treasurer Rob Dunn, First Captain Mike Hearty, Fire Chief Eric Gregson. Kneeling, Third Captain Jay Noppe, Second Captain Bill Howe and Doug Pateman. Missing from photo Assistant Chief Rob Banks.

Fire Department plans training

Princeton's Volunteer Firemen will work with the B.C. Forest Service during April to work cooperatively on interface fire-fighting. The "interface" occurs where a residential area meets a wild area.

"That includes most of Princeton," says Fire Chief Eric Gregson, "We need to brush up our skills on brush fire fighting."

Gregson says one of Princeton's biggest problems is interface fires, where grass fires run wild.

All members of Princeton Volunteer Fire Department, and three or four members of the Forest Service will take part in the exercise. The practice session will address operating together and what equipment is available

between the two groups. Princeton firemen will learn what Forest Service equipment is available.

On May 1 and 2, the Fire Department, Princeton Search and Rescue Society, and the Forest Service will share a booth at the Trade Show, where they will provide fire safety and fire prevention information. Anyone seeking information regarding these subjects can stop at the booth and ask.

The Fire Department is in the midst of a major recruitment drive. A brochure will be available at the Trade Show for anyone who is interested.

During the spring, the firemen will do a "live burn" by burning down a building. This type of fire

practice is made possible by the donation of an old building.

Health Board update

At the March 18 meeting of Okanagan Similkameen Health Region, the Board of Directors approved a \$1.5 million expenditure on Phase One of the Clinical Information Systems at South Okanagan General Hospital and Penticton Regional Hospital. The money will be spent on MediTech system to upgrade computer systems in various departments. The upgrade cost will be paid from existing operating and computer systems infrastructure funding. Community Health Centres workshop

On April 30, Regional Health Board directors, members of Community Health Advisory Committees, physicians, Regional staff, and health care providers will meet at the Kelowna Health Centre for an all-day workshop on Community Health Centres. The session will define what Community Health Centres are and what are their underlying principles. This group will also identify ways in which Community Health Centres can promote the integration of health services in the community.

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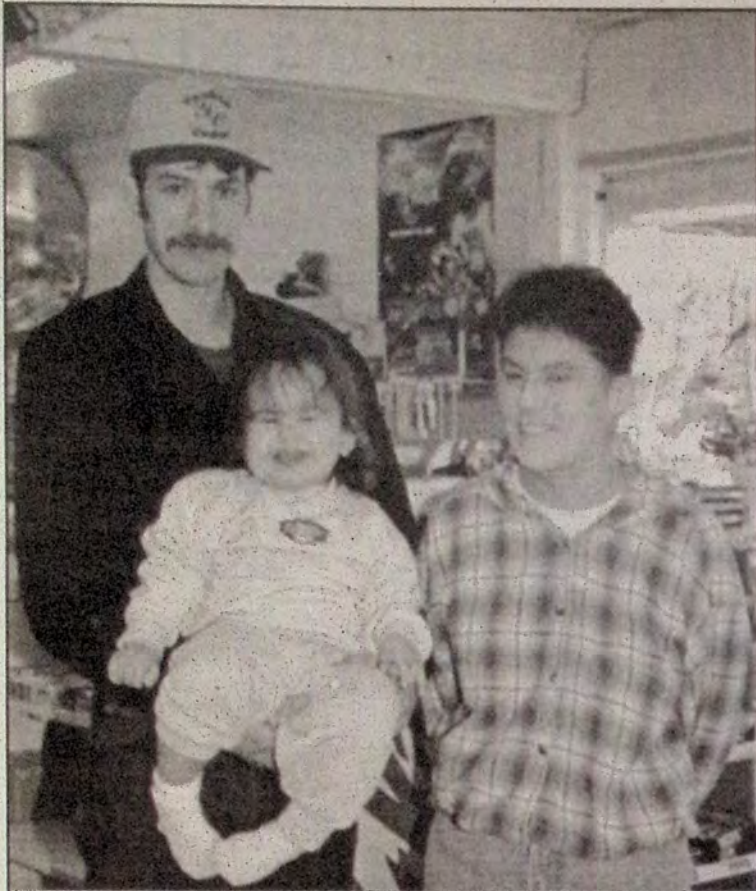
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Meet the new folks at Allison Flats Mini Mart

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Malinskis plan to add more stock, with more variety. Their biggest change to the Allison Flats store is a coffee pot that is always full, ready for thirsty customers.

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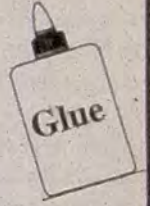
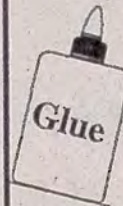
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Judge grants one last chance

Judge Barry Grannary warned Simon Hess that the sentence on March 19 was Hess' one last chance. Hess appeared in Provincial Court in Princeton for sentencing on an assault charge resulting from an attack on a woman on March 11, 1997.

Hess had been arrested following his attack on his girlfriend on Bridge Street. A nearby man had intervened to stop the assault.

Hess' girlfriend took the stand to say she had kicked Hess when he tried to force her to go with him and she refused. He then attacked her. She added that she and Hess plan to marry, and had been together in spite of a court order to Hess to keep away. She said she had forgiven him and his behaviour has improved.

Hess stated he had quit drinking. However, a report to the court indicated Hess had not been cooperative with an alcohol counsellor.

Hess had a prior record for assault of his girlfriend, and Judge Grannary noted that the girlfriend "allowed" Hess to continue his behaviour in an

Judge gives year probation

A 51 year old Princeton woman pled guilty to assault and was sentenced in Provincial Court in Princeton on March 19. Elaine Bond had attacked a youngster in a local store because she believed he and a friend were talking about her. The child and friend had been discussing what candy to buy, and the child had become very frightened.

Bond was given a conditional discharge with a one year probation, as she had no prior record and is under a doctor's care for her problems.

unhealthy relationship.

He said to Hess, "My concern is that one of these times you're going to drink and kill her."

Judge Grannary added, "I have no confidence in you."

Judge Grannary sentenced Hess to 90 days in jail, to be served intermittently, plus a one-year probation.

"If you come back again, it's jail for you," the judge warned.

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Hart says justice system should work for law-abiding citizens



The federal government announced recently that they will be conducting a wide-ranging consultation with Canadians in all parts of the country on the issue of the victims in the criminal justice system. I suspect, if they consult my constituents in the riding of Okanagan-Coquihalla, the issue of parole and the National Parole Board (NPB) will be front and centre in these discussions.

Canadians generally agree that it is in society's best interest to try to rehabilitate criminals. However, you have told me that the pendulum has swung too far to one side. We need to re-establish a balance in our corrections system by reassessing prisons and parole with your safety in mind, not the criminals'. Long term research shows that 30% of federal parolees reoffend, and, in 1995 alone (the latest statistics available), there were 256 violent offenses committed by individuals on parole, including: 15 murders, 22 sexual assaults, and 71 armed robberies. These are alarming figures indeed, and yet, high-risk offenders continue to be

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Children's magazines are Chickadee, 3.2.1. Contact, Motocross Action, Disney Adventure, National Geographic World (new), Seventeen, Sports Illustrated for Kids, YM (new) and YAHOO (new).

Adult magazines includes some new special interest publications. Canadian Gardening, Gardens West, House and Home, Internet World, Martha Stewart Living, Quilt World, Canadian Fitness, Shape, Today's Homeowner, and Writers Digest are all new to Princeton Library. Old standards are Beautiful B.C., B.C. Outdoors, Better Homes and Gardens, Consumer Reports, Chatelaine, Craftworks, Fine Homebuilding, Harrowsmith, Macleans, National Geographic and People.

released back into our communities to re-offend. This, my friends, is pure balderdash. The justice system should get back to working for the people it was created for, the law-abiding citizens of Canada.

Although the Liberals promised to put an end to political appoint-

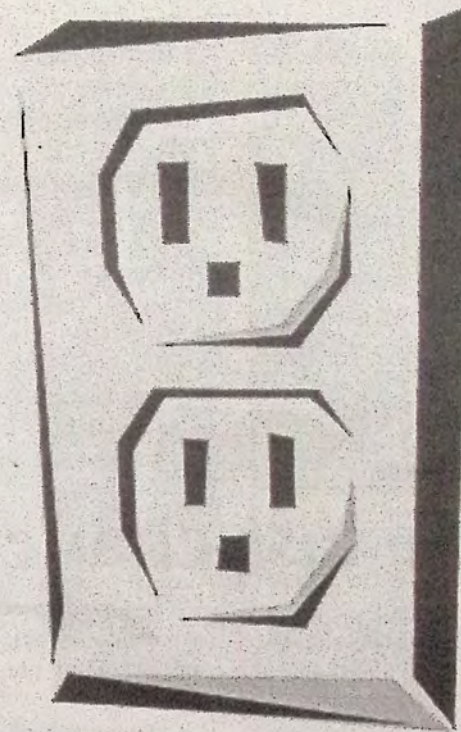
ments to the National Parole Board, they continue to follow the lead set by Brian Mulroney by selecting party "hacks" rather than people with the proper experience and ability. Until such time as the NPB is reformed and its responsibilities shifted to community-based Merit Release

Committees, violent criminals will continue to serve less than half of their sentence. Parole should be the exception, not the rule, and should be limited, earned, and tightly monitored.

Consultation and discussion is fine, but when we see actions, it's long overdue. We want to live in a

country where we can look to the future, instead of over our shoulders.

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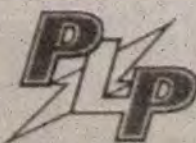
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TROUT TALK

by John Sandness

I heard a good one - and it is true! Councillor Kathy Clement told me about Emmett Burlon and his friend who were ice fishing the other day. The friend walked over to see what Emmett was doing, heard his rod clatter across the ice, and his line peel off the reel. By the time the friend got back to the rod, the fish was off. Said Emmett, I'll bet that fish was at least six to eight pounds."

Why do the big ones always do that? Guess it is what keeps us coming back for more. They did catch some nice Kamloops, though.

Be careful ice fishing now - it is getting very risky on most lakes. Always fish with a partner when ice fishing.

Talking about big fish, Harold Nishihara told me how his father, Bill Nishihara, used to fish the steelheads in the Thompson River back in the 1940's and 1950's, and a fifteen-pound fish was considered small and immediately returned to the river. The good old days. Now we must return any and all native steelheads to the river.

A hike along Jura Loops

The Jura Loops are those serpentine windings which the old Kettle Valley Railway had to take to get up the hills past Jura. Six naturalists set out on the trail along the rail bed, which in some places still had snow on it. Some of the ponds already were open, and at one, a congregation of killdeer had a very loud and lengthy conference.

Overhead, a pair of red-tailed hawks gained altitude on the thermal updraughts and engaged in aerial displays as part of their courtship. Mountain bluebirds were everywhere, and were already separated into pairs, so those who monitor bluebird boxes can expect early egg counts and fledgling hatches this year. Western meadowlarks were carrying all over the hills and, in the and pines, red crossbill were busy gathering food for their nestlings, as crossbills nest early. Flights of mallards and Canada geese called and wheeled overhead.

Some indistinct tracts in the snow could have been made by an early awakening bear, while a couple of deer flashed their flags at the group as they bounced over a ridge.

There were not many wildflowers, but there were some indications of lemonweed (gromwell) as very tiny plants already in bud. No buttercups or violets in this area yet.

A short hike, completed before the sun disappeared behind clouds, but full of interesting this to see, and promises of more to come.

The next hike will be under way on Sunday, April 5, a level walk along the Similkameen River. Those who wish to come could bring a lunch and meet at the Bus Depot at 10:00. Phone Janina Wetselaar at 295-3640 to let her know you wish to come.

Council okays Western Pride Week

At the request of Princeton Rodeo Club, Town Council has approved May 23 to May 30 as Western Pride Week in Princeton. The club outlined some ideas for promoting western pride throughout the town for that week. The dates selected coincide with the Pony Express ride and the rodeo.

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PRINCETON ARENA**

There will be a Tea at the Legion Hall following the Service.

Interment will take place at the Princeton Cemetery.

7 APPRECIATION

Thank you to Hedley OAPO for the beautiful tea and the honour given me. I love the plaque! Myrtle Sawiuk.

A big thank you and lots of love to Ron, Mom, family and friends for the surprise party. I'm so lucky to have you all in my life. Dawn.

We would like to thank the Fire Department for their quick response to our fire on February 27, also to the Ambulance Attendants, Dr. Adams and the Hospital Staff for their kindness. Thanks to our neighbours, Sheila & Jack Davidson, Roberta Baron, Joyce Fensom and Bing Wong, for their offer of accomodation. We are fortunate to live in a town like Princeton. Vic and Claire Moore.

9 IN MEMORIAM

NORMA PESUT
March 21, 1984

*Gone, dear mother, gone forever.
How we miss your smiling face
But you left us to remember
None on earth can take your place.
A happy home we once enjoyed
How sweet the memory still—
But death has left a loneliness
The world can never fill.*

Love Peter, Tracy, & family.

10 RÉSUMÉS

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11 JOB MARKET

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21 COMING EVENTS



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AGM and Awards Night
Wednesday, April 15, 1998
6:30 P.M. Arena Mezzanine

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Sunday (open meeting) at 8 p.m. in the health centre. Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the health centre. Ph: 295-7376, 295-3894. (closed meeting). Friday at 8 p.m. in the Tulameen Community Hall. Phone 295-7383, 295-3296. 12 X 12 Study Group, Saturday 7:30 p.m. Health Unit (closed). Phone 295-3407 or 295-6466.

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April 4th, 1998

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made at the Overwaitea, March 27, 28 & 29th.
Give a second chance at life to those in need
... there are several Princeton residents on
dialysis waiting for a kidney transplant ...
please give generously.



The sliding concrete retaining wall on Mayne Avenue continues to be a problem with no solution in sight. Road reconstruction is necessary and expensive, and Town Council has insufficient funds for the project. Provincial coffers offer Council nothing.

Region waits for budget

Murray Ramsden, Chief Executive Officer of Okanagan Similkameen Health Region says he cannot comment on the impact of a recent Ministry of Health announcement of a 3.3 per cent increase to the 1998/99 health budget. The regional health budget has not been established, and will not be known for another three to six weeks, Ramsden says.

The OS Health Region will receive a per capita allocation to cover nearly all health services, but some items included in health care at the ministry level are not part of the regional responsibility.

Health Minister Penny Priddy said the increase will allow the province to hire more nurses and

provide additional patient services, particularly cancer treatments, cardiac procedures, and kidney dialysis treatments.

Priddy said B.C. hospitals will receive \$63 million more in operational funding next year to keep pace with a growing and aging population. She said the best way to relieve pressure on the province's hospitals is by increasing community health services and continuing with the Better Teamwork, Better Care regionalization initiative.

Priddy claims B.C. invest more per capita in health care than any other province, provides the highest physician fees, and spends more per capita on hospitals.

Traffic Tips

Warning signs

The large diamond shaped sign showing a black arrow on a yellow background advises a curve ahead. Underneath it is a smaller square sign with black lettering on a yellow background showing a speed of 60 km/h. These signs and others similar to them are classed as warning signs by the Motor Vehicle Act Regulations. They are advance notice of conditions on or adjacent to a highway that are potentially hazardous to pedestrians or vehicular traffic. Ignoring their advice is not an offense in itself, but anything that happens because the signs are not given consideration may be an offense.

The example of the curve was

given to illustrate a point. We have often seen these signs and then travelled around the curve at speeds comfortably higher than that suggested. In those cases the shape of the curve and the road condition could accommodate the vehicle travelling at the higher speed. So why the speed warning there? Usually it is because the drivers line of sight is restricted. This would prevent the driver from seeing and reacting to a hazard in or just beyond the corner unless the speed was at or less than that suggested.

Many considerations must be made in order to drive safely. As you can see some are not immediately evident.

Go for the gala

Tickets are now on sale for the Princeton General Hospital-Ridgewood Lodge Foundation Second Annual Spring Gala. There are only 150 tickets for sale, so don't delay picking yours up at Larry Stevens Notary Public office, 195 Bridge Street. Tickets are \$50 each. A tax deductible receipt will be given for a portion of the cost.

Please make donations for the auction portion of the evening to the Princeton and District Community Skills Centre and please get them in early enough to be included on the programme. Remember, items donated will also qualify for a tax deduction.

Now's the chance to help our hospital while enjoying a lovely evening.

Judge orders unpaid work for drug abuse

Christopher Cooper appeared in Provincial Court in Princeton on March 19 to plead guilty to a charge of possession of an illegal narcotic. Cooper had been apprehended on February 20 with marijuana in his possession. He was given a conditional discharge, three months probation, and 15 hours of unpaid community work service.

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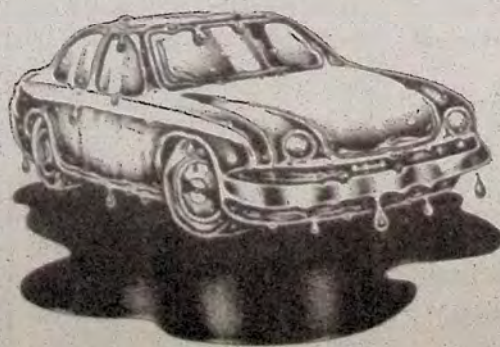
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