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ROMAN CATHOLIC

Mass: 7:00 ~~p.m.~~ Saturday

Confession: Before Mass and by appointment.

Baptisms: Please contact Chaplain as soon as possible.

Marriages: Please contact Chaplain at least 3 monts in advance.

CHAPLAIN (RC)

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CFS Alask - 264
Residence - 968-2766

Both Chaplains are on Base on Tuesdays.

PROTESTANT

Whorship: 7:00 p.m. Sunday

Sunday School: 10:30 a.m. Sunday

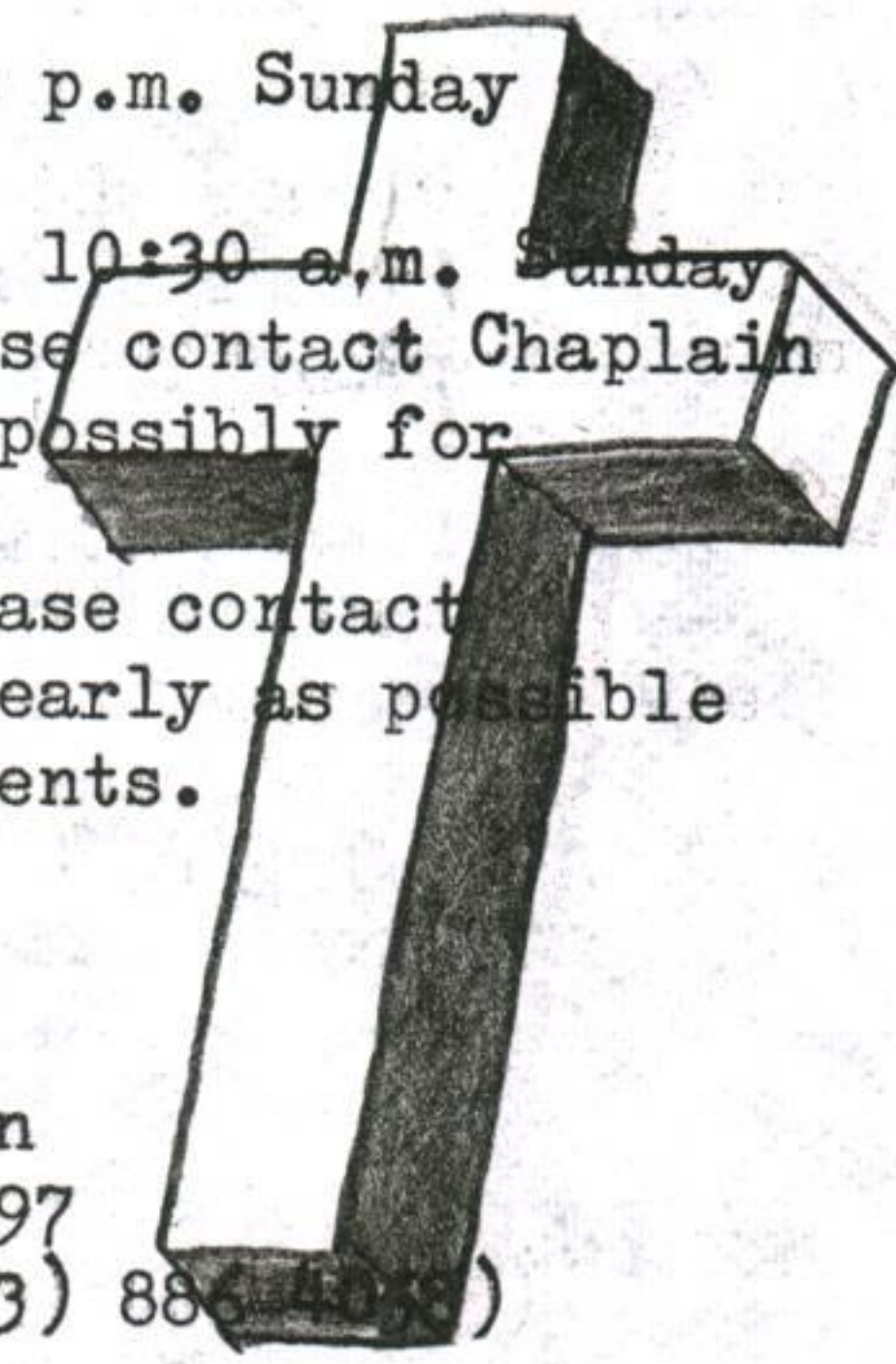
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CHURCH SERVICES IN THE VILLAGE OF ALSASK

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Oct. 3 - 9:30 a.m.

MISSIONARY CHURCH

Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
Service - 11:30 a.m.

UNITED CHURCH

THANK YOU FROM THE LYMBURNERS

On behalf of our family, we would like to take this opportunity to thank the community of Alsask & District, the surrounding towns, and the CFS in Alsask for the farewell parties, coffee, supper invitations - barbecues held for us. A special thanks to the people instrumental in organizing the farewell in the Lions Hall & also to the 3 man band, two of whom had to get up early and drive to Saskatoon. Also a very special "Thanks" to The Body Shop for making it successful year for me(Sharlene). Our 4 year stay here was most enjoyable and we've made many good friends, all of whom we'll think of often.

We are trekking East across the province to Tamsack. We are hoping to see some of you ardent hunters over there this fall for the Moose Season. That's moose not goose. The rest of you ardent holidayers, we hope to see during the summers, as we live 15 miles from Duck Mtn. Provincial Park and Madge Lake.

In the banking business we knew we'll eventually be "movin on" but when the time comes it is especially hard -- this time in particular as our two boys were born & raised here. This has been "home" to us.

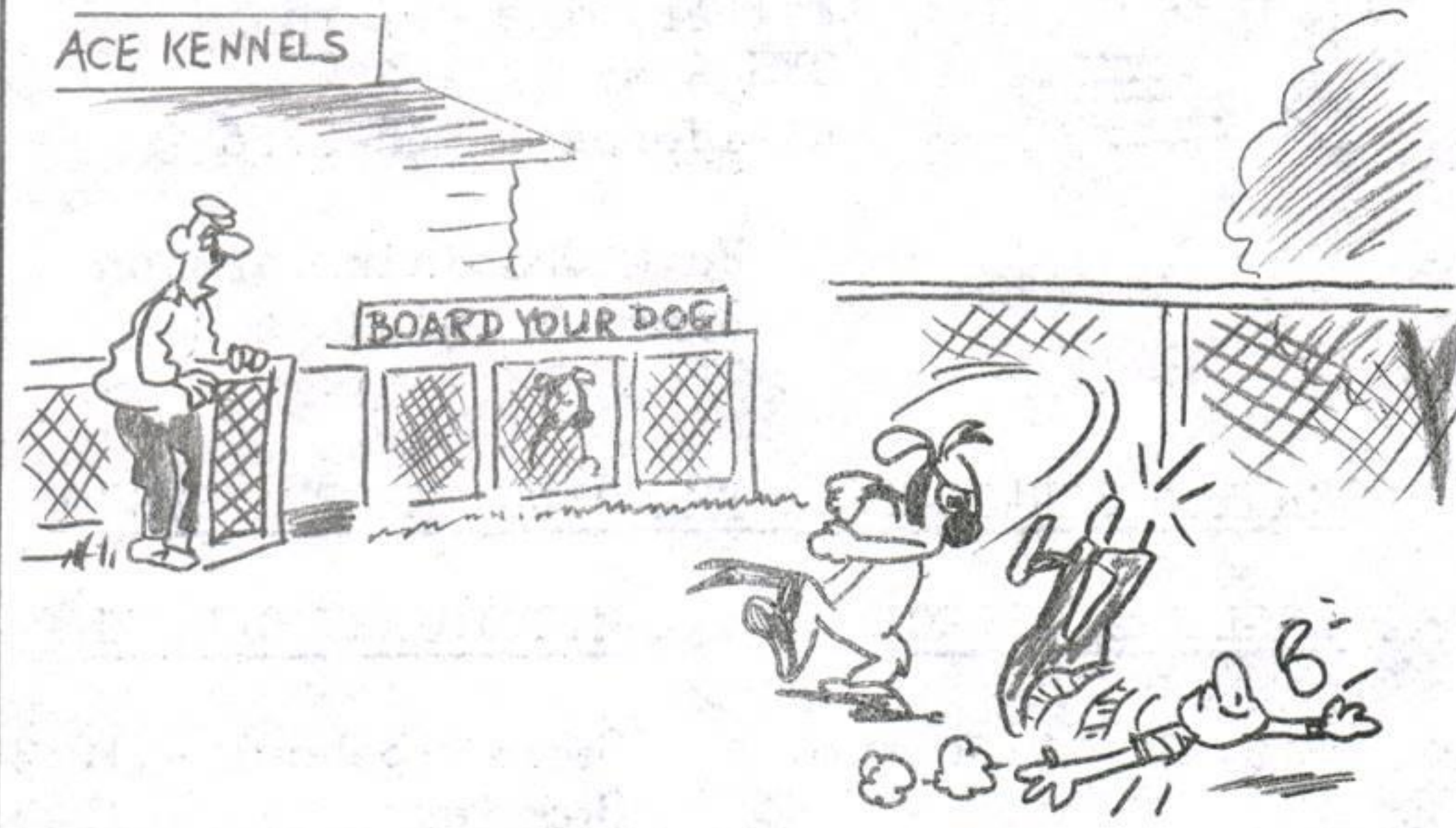
Once again on behalf of the Lymburners, Thank You for including us and letting us share in 4 years of your lives.

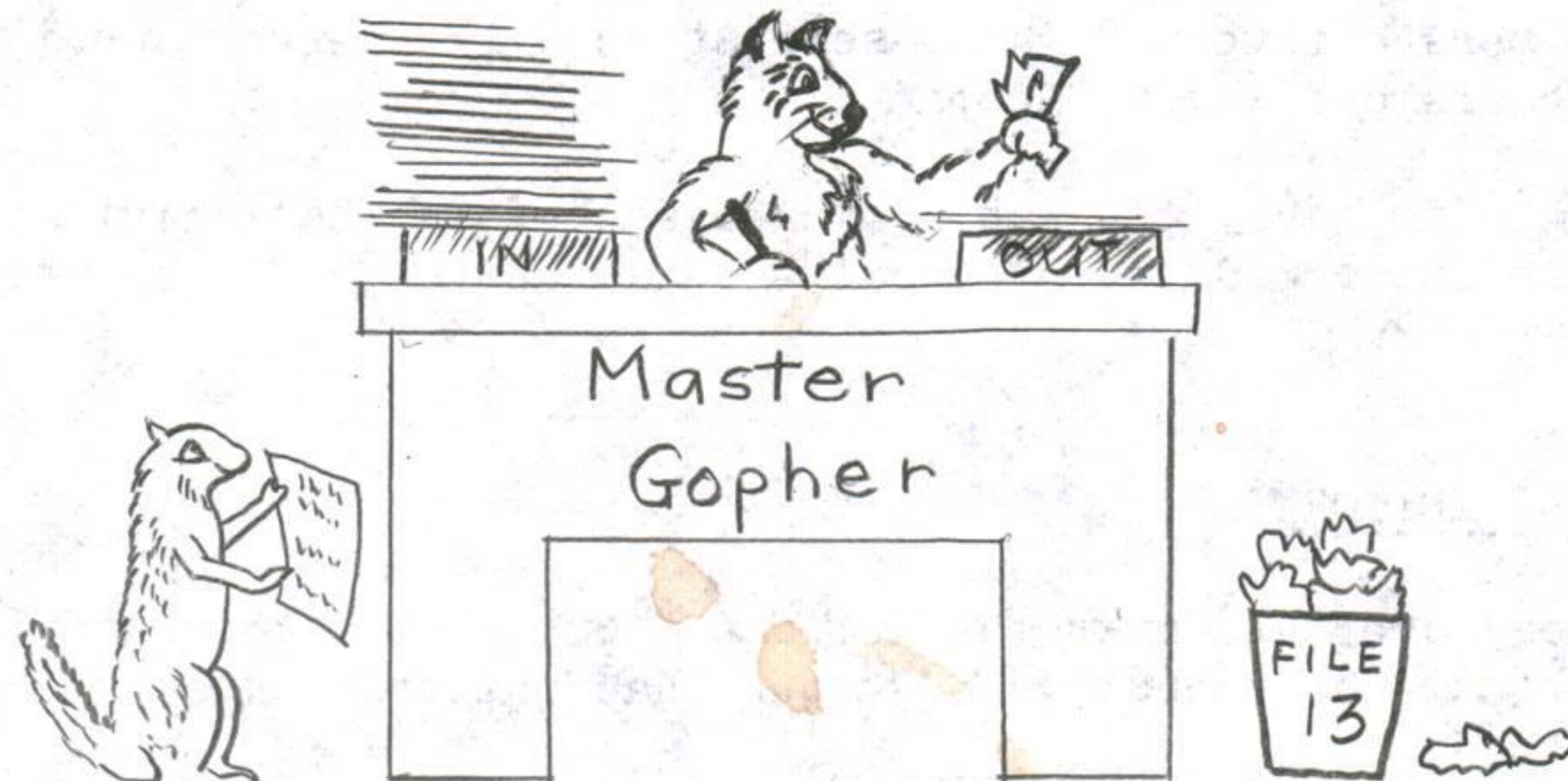
"ATTENTION MQ OCCUPANTS"

By now the new revised copy of MQ occupancy has been delivered to you. Please read and understand these conditions carefully, taking note especially utilities section Art. VI.

Please direct any queries to Sgt. Coxall - Local 217 .

ATTENTION M.Q OCCUPANTS





The Master Gopher's been rummaging through the newspapers and cocking an ear to newscasts lately. He's noticed a growing number of disturbing reports concerning vandalism, fraud, scandal and similar irresponsible conduct: yes, even here in Saskatchewan. Looking around the station one can detect this tendency lurking just below the surface and occasionally flaring up as ugly or distasteful occurrences. This situation appears to him to result from a lack of understanding or acceptance of the principles that rights can be maintained only so long as they are vigilantly defended and privileges enjoyed only so long as they are conscientiously earned.

Fundamentally this is a matter of personal integrity and responsibility. The argument that "Everybody's doing it" is a cop-out that didn't work for Richard Nixon and shouldn't be tolerated anywhere. Only when individuals accept these principles are they extended and reflected in the larger sense as characteristics of a peaceful, civilized society. Though a direct attempt to reform big business, big government, big unions, etc. may well be an impossible task for us as individuals the more subtle approach is well within our grasp. We can start with the family unit as a building block and work upwards through society.

As adults and parents we must accept responsibility for ourselves and for our families. We can treat this responsibility in three related aspects: Responsibility to our employer, to society in general and to the family. The first two are certainly important but it's on the third aspect that we might dwell for a few moments in this edition. Husbands and wives today more than ever are sharing the responsibility of the position of "head of the household"; that's fine so long as the terms of the sharing agreement are well understood so that the essential responsibility is not misunderstood or lost in a confused domestic environment. By teaching and by example we pass along to our children due respect for these principles. Whilst the school, sports programs, craft activities, youth movements and social services can and should reinforce parental efforts to meet their responsibilities, these institutions can never adequately substitute for responsible parenthood. We accepted these children; regarding responsibility for them, "the buck stops here". With a little more understanding of the situation and a little more effort to improve it, each of us can contribute meaningfully to a better home, community and society.

At this time we at CFS Alsask are embarking on a new year in our professional and social lives. Let's consider it a new year in our domestic lives

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MASTER GOPHER - continued

as well and try to put our ideally complementary but sometimes competing responsibilities into perspective. Perhaps some of us will thereby convince ourselves to shift our emphasis one way or another.

This is probably the last Tumbleweed before Thanksgiving; we have much to be thankful for but could we not resolve to do better? Please think about it.

"LETTERS TO THE EDITOR"

1. Having read over and over the article from the broomcloset, I have reached to conclusion that the author is a "Super Chauvinist".
2. The Broomcloset article in the last edition leaves one with the impression that the author is a seedier character than Andy Capp.
3. The author of Broomcloset is a pseudomorph.
4. I thoroughly enjoyed the column "From the Closet". Lets hope there's more to come - it added a little humor to our "Tumbleweed" paper.

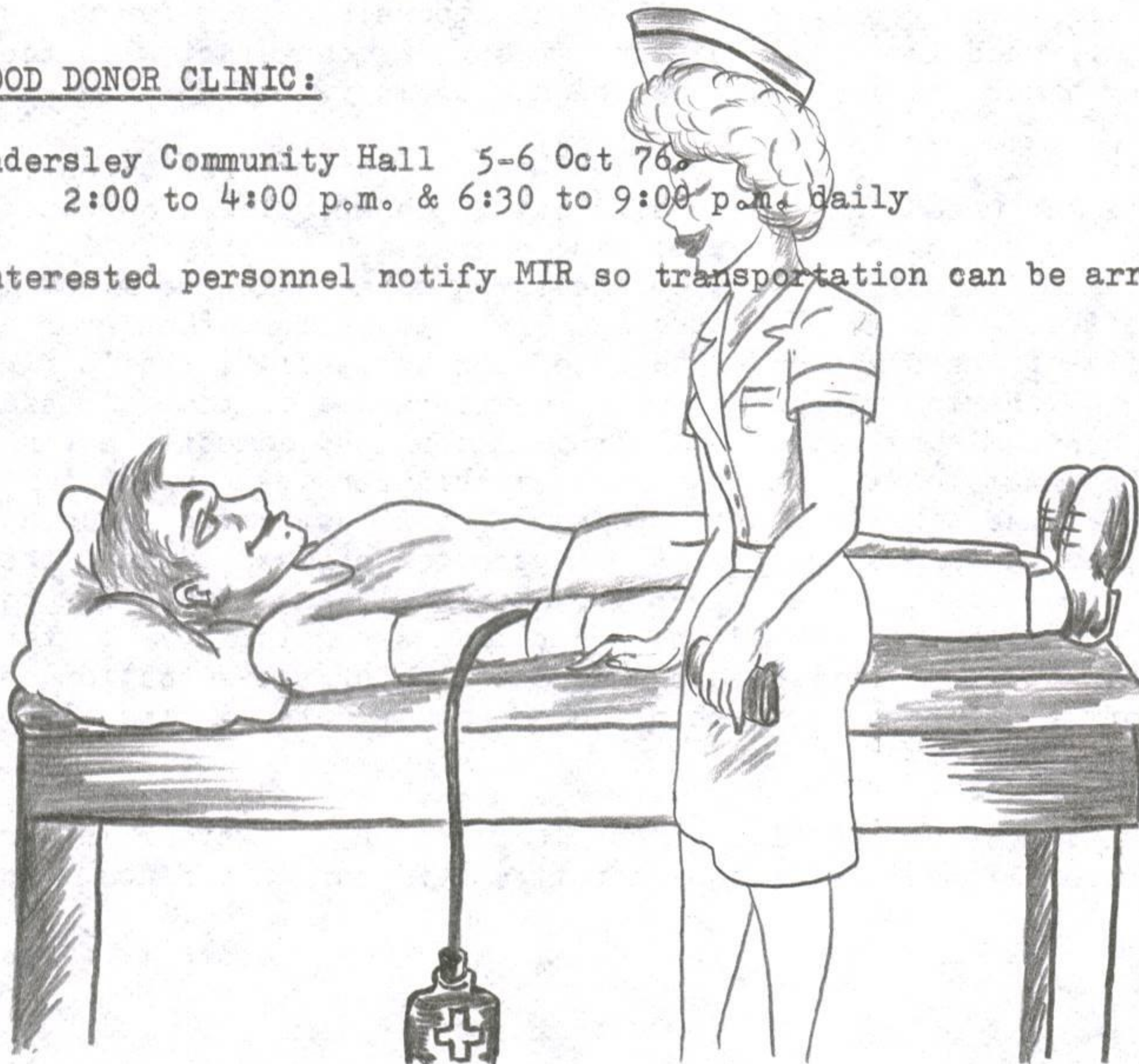
EDITORS COMMENTS:

I don't mind comments on the solumns but I also want complaints or Bouquets on other facilities on the base: ex: Sports, Canex, MQ Council, etc.

BLOOD DONOR CLINIC:

Kindersley Community Hall 5-6 Oct 76
2:00 to 4:00 p.m. & 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. daily

Interested personnel notify MIR so transportation can be arranged.





This is the first of continuing series of articles on Drugs & Alcohol this season.

For those of you unfamiliar with the column, I will attempt to explain the objective of these articles.

The name of the column "DID DRUGS" has two meanings:

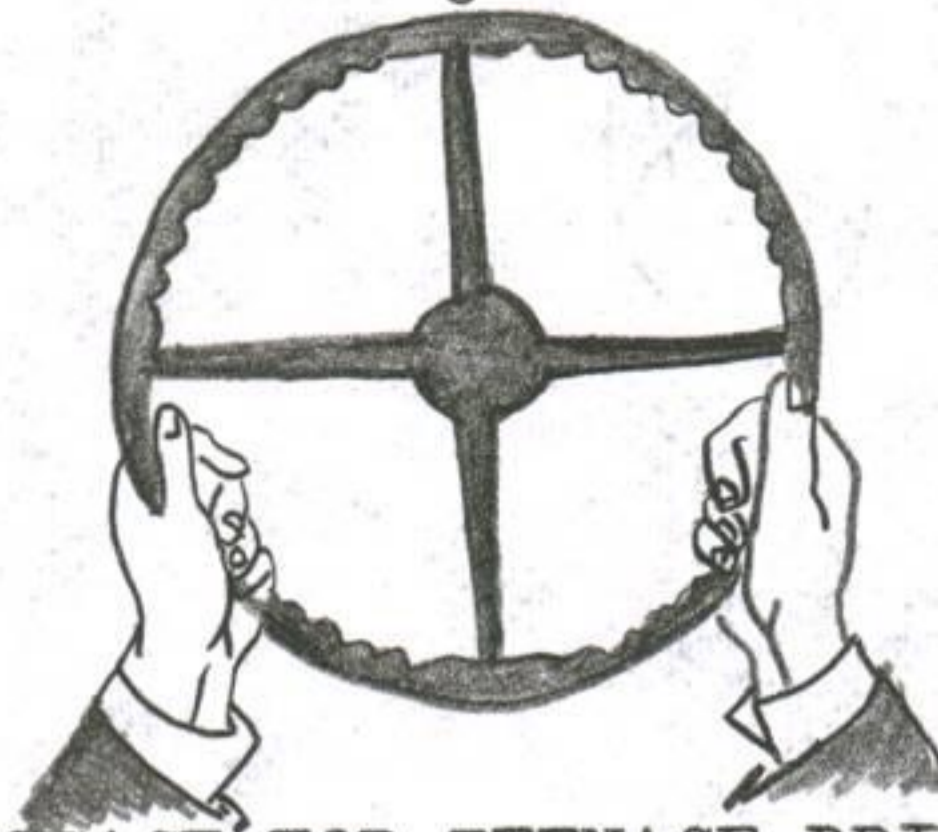
1. Detect, Identify and Destroy the misuse of Drugs and Alcohol.
2. If you DID Drugs at one time or another, you probably already know what the effects on you can be.

As Unit Drug Education Co. Ordinator (UDEC), it is my responsibility to

- (a) Provide a consultative service to the Commanding Officer & subsequent supervisors at all levels on matters pertaining to drugs & their misuse.
- (b) Develop a program which discourages the misuse of drugs of dependence including alcohol, by members, their dependents & civilian DND employees.
- (c) Acquaint members, dependents & civilian DND employees, with Service Policies on drug misuse, with particular emphasis on the hazards involving operational effectiveness, reliability, general safety & security.
- (d) Provide all concerned with factual information on pharmacological, legal aspects of drug abuse & misuse.

To sum it up, the name of the game is to make people "AWARE" of drugs and alcohol and the effects they have on that individual and those around him & her.

It is my hope that you, the reader, will take time to express your opinions or comments on this particular subject. Please address any correspondence to Lt. M. Rosser SNurse O. I would like to have them published in this column. Names and comments will be withheld if so desired.



MESSAGE FOR TEENAGE DRIVERS

Dear Abby: Now that summer is here, I notice so many teen-agers driving much too fast and recklessly. Two years ago I clipped the enclosed editorial from a paper and showed it to our teen-age son and daughter, and after they read it they became two of the most sensible drivers alive.

Please print it, Abby. It may do the same for others.
DAILY READER

Dear Reader: It's well worth an entire column. Who wrote it? And for which newspaper? I want to credit the author.

PLEASE GOD, I'M ONLY 17

The day I died was an ordinary school day. How I wish I had taken the bus. I remember how I wheedled the car out of Mom. "Special Favor," I pleaded. "All the kids drive." When the 2:50 bell rang, I threw all my books in the locker. I was free until 8:40 tomorrow morning. I ran to the parking lot, excited at the thought of driving a car and being my own boss. Free!!

It doesn't matter how the accident happened. I was goofing off-- going too fast. Taking crazy chances. But I was enjoying my freedom and having fun. The last thing I remember was passing an old lady who seemed to be going awfully slow. I heard the deafening crash and felt a terrific jolt. Glass and steel flew everywhere. My whole body seemed to be turning inside out. I heard myself scream.

Suddenly I awakened: it was very quiet. A police officer was standing over me. Then I saw a doctor. My body was mangled, I was saturated with blood. Pieces of jagged glass were sticking out all over. Strange that I couldn't feel anything.

Hey, don't pull that sheet over my head. I can't be dead. I'm only 17, I've got a date tonight. I am supposed to grow up and have a wonderful life. I haven't lived yet. I can't be dead.

Later I was placed in a drawer. My folks had to identify me. Why did they have to see me like this? Why did I have to look at Mom's eyes when she faced the most terrible ordeal of her life? Dad suddenly looked like an old man. He told the man in charge, "Yes, he is my son".

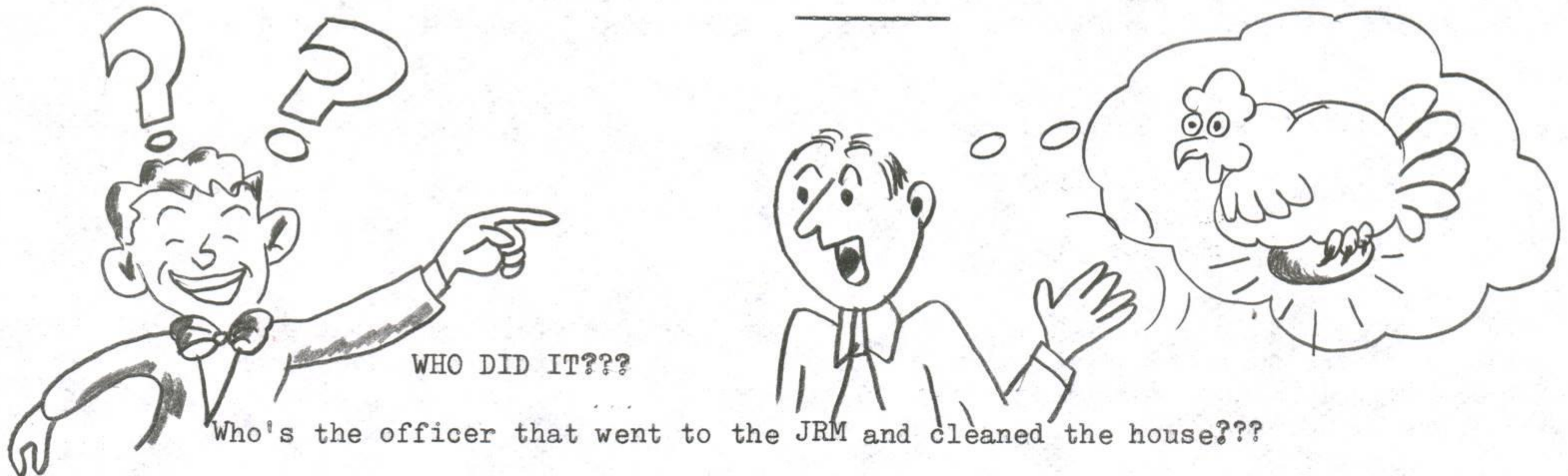
The funeral was a weird experience, I saw all my relatives and friends walk toward the casket. They passed by one by one, and looked at me with the saddest eyes I've ever seen. Some of my buddies were crying. A few of the girls touched my hand and sobbed as they walked away.

Please somebody wake me up. Get me out of here. I can't bear to see my mom and dad so broken up. My grandparents are so racked with grief they can barely walk. My brother and sisters are like zombies. They move like robots. In a daze, everybody. No one can believe this. And, I can't believe it either.

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TEENAGE DRIVERS - continued

Please don't bury me. I'm not dead. I have a lot of living to do. I want to laugh and run again. I want to sing and dance. Please don't put me in a ground. I promise if you give me one more change, God, I'll be the most careful driver in the whole world. All I want is one more change. Please God, I'm only 17.



Who was the M/Cpl who accidentally flushed his beret down but had enough pride to save the Hat Badge?!!!!

STELLA'S SMALL TALK:



Well here we are again and not to much news this time. The children are back at school and lots of activities are underway. The Ladies Guild got off to a good start with a lot of new members joining. And, they're all so talented so we're all going to learn a little from them. Any ladies interested, we meet every Tuesday morning at the Parish Hall to work on handicrafts for our bazaar.

Taking to the highways these past few weeks were Betty & Bob Warner & boys to Swift Currant. Gerri & Greg Truman & Diane Foreman to Edmonton for a few days. Mary Hutchison & Gwen Hornsby to Regina for a couple of days to a hair show. Flo Jardine & Doris Welwood took a shopping trip to Medicine Hat. And there are those of us who only got to Oyen.

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SMALL TALK - continued

Our newest arrival on the base is a baby boy to Debbie & John Ives. Congratulations from us all.

Our sympathy to the Laidlaw family on the death of their father and husband Jim.

Kevin Charlton was a patient in the Oyen Hospital for a few days, but is on the mend. And now Robert Warner is at the Oyen Hospital - get well soon Robert.

Not too much else, so with the apple season now, here is a recipe that you might like to try as it's a little different.



Pastry:

Blend $3\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour & 2 TBSP Sugar. With a pastry blender cut in 1 cup butter or marg. until the consistency of coarse meal. Mix in 1 cup thick dairy sour cream, stirring lightly with a fork until dough clings together. Wrap in wax paper & chill several hours or over-nite.

Divide dough in half. Roll each half into a 15 x 10 " rectangle. Cut into 5 inch squares. Put about 2 tbsp. filling on each square, moisten edge with water, fold over to make a triangle. Crimp edges with a fork to seal. Place on ungreased baking sheet. Slit tops. Brush tops with water and sprinkle with sugar. Bake in 375 degree oven for 20 to 25 min. until golden brn. Makes 12 turnovers.

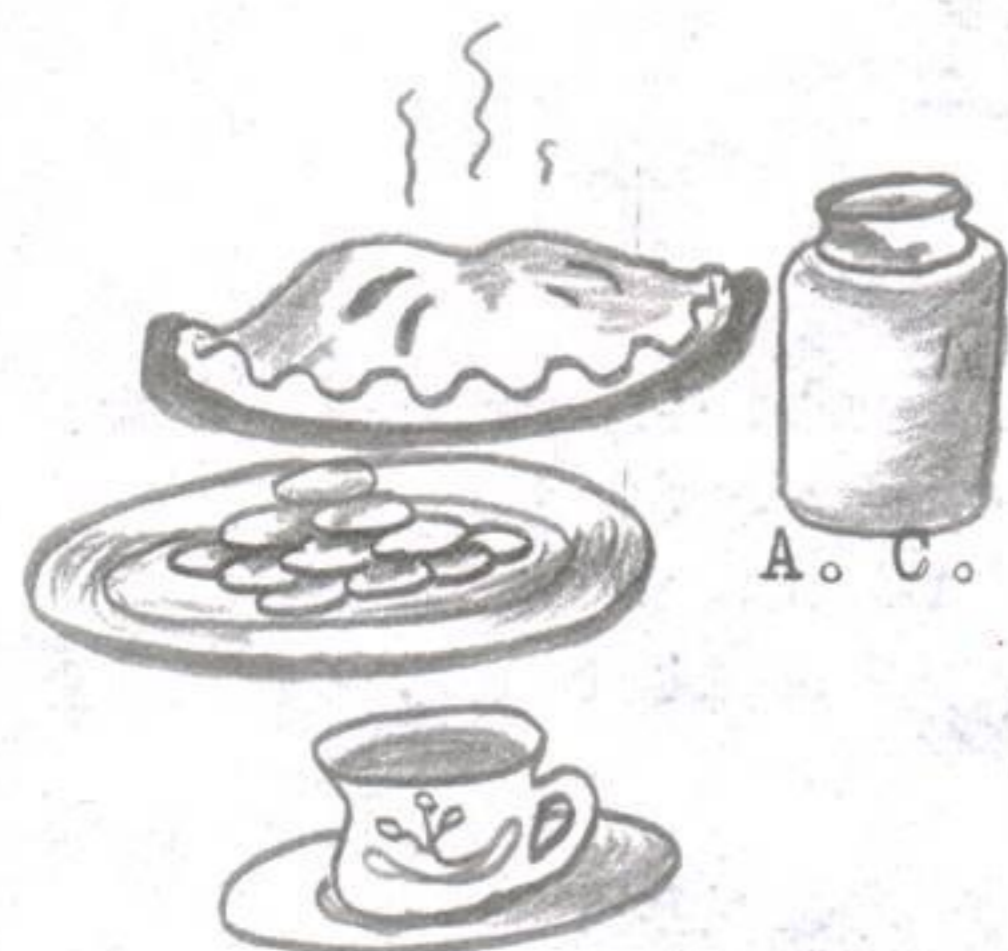
FILLING:

2 cups chopped apples, $\frac{3}{4}$ cup applesauce, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup lightly packed brn sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. cinnamon, $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. cloves, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup raisins. Combine all ingredients.

Well thats' it for this month, so will leave you with this funny:

What did the musician do when they put his violin in the freezer?
He played it cool!!

Bye for now



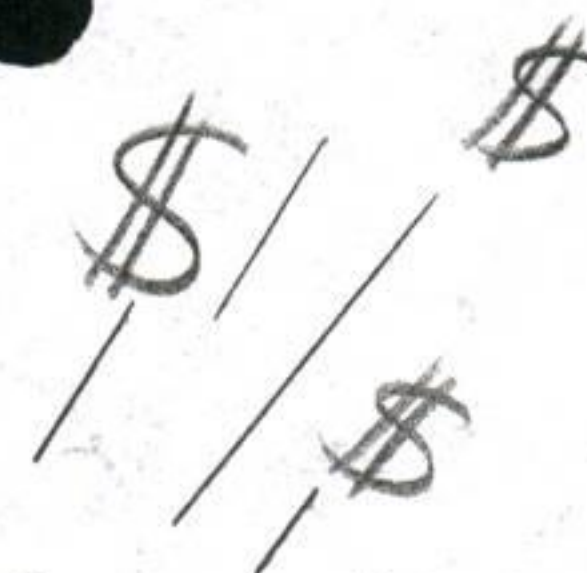
A. C. W. ANNUAL TEA AND BAKE SALE

WHITE ELEPHANT
BAKE TABLE
SEWING

FRI. OCT 15TH. 2 - 4 P.M.

ALSASK COMMUNITY HALL





CANADA SAVINGS BONDS

It is almost time once again for the annual Canada Savings Bonds Campaign. Detailed information regarding interest rates and the date the bonds will go on sale in Alsask are not yet available but will be published in the Tumbleweed and Routine Orders when received. As in the past, Bonds may be purchased by any DND employee either in cash, by pay deduction, by previous bond conversion or by regular monthly deductions from a bank account.

This year's campaign co-ordinator will be Capt. L.D. Stephens who will be available to answer bond enquiries by calling local 218 or by visiting the SCOMPT office. Individual canvassers will be Sgt S. Carter representing the radar site who can be reached at 276, Cpl D. Wilson from CE at local 242, M/Cpl B. Roach from Supply/MSE at 227, and Sgt R. Hedley from the Headquarters group who is available by calling local 211.

Canada Savings Bonds are tax deductible in the year of purchase and represent a secure investment at a good rate of interest. Invest in your future today and buy Canada Savings Bonds.

FIGURE SKATING

It's time to think of signing up your children for Figure Skating, so please come to our meeting on Oct. 14th at 1:30 at the Village Hall down town Alsask. Julie Boisvert will be our Instructor again this year.



President	-	Sheila O'Bryne	2610
Vice President	-	Darlene Johnson	2442
Sec. Tres.	-	Joy Bloom	2678

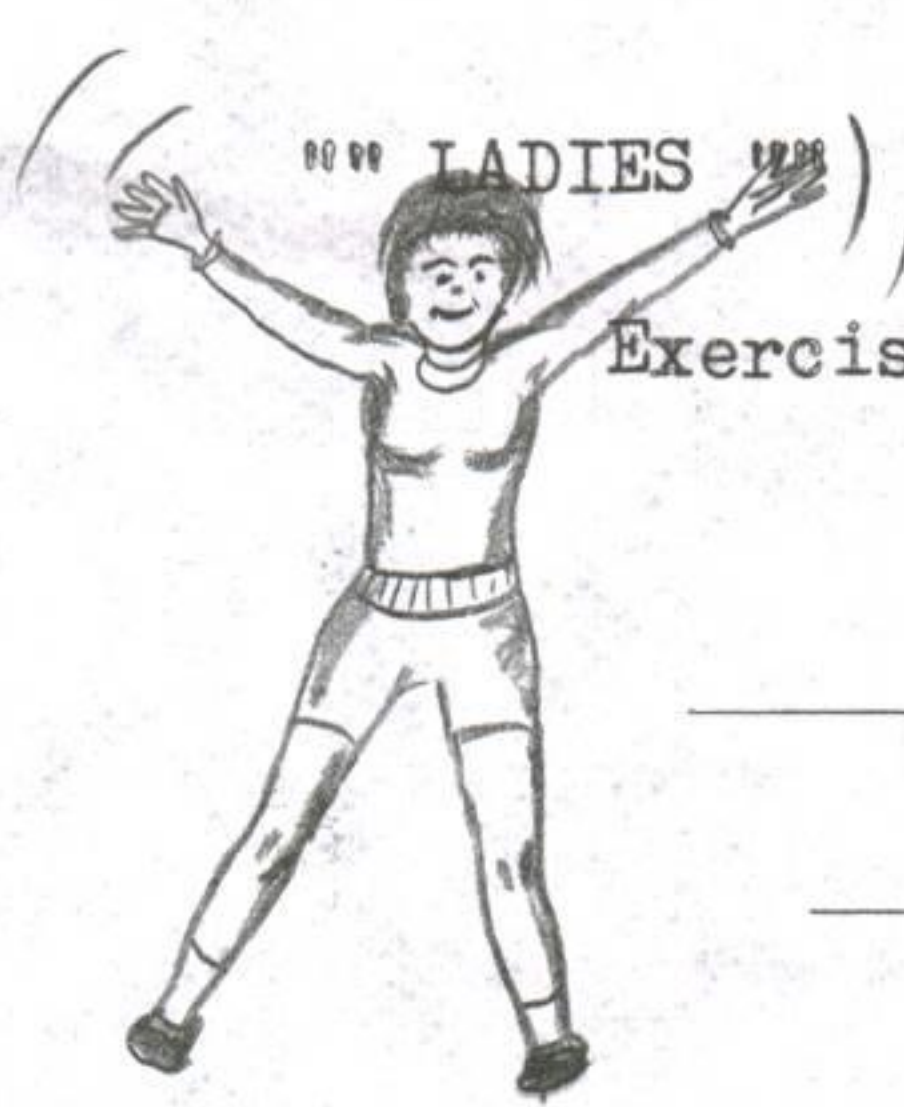
Just an Observation:

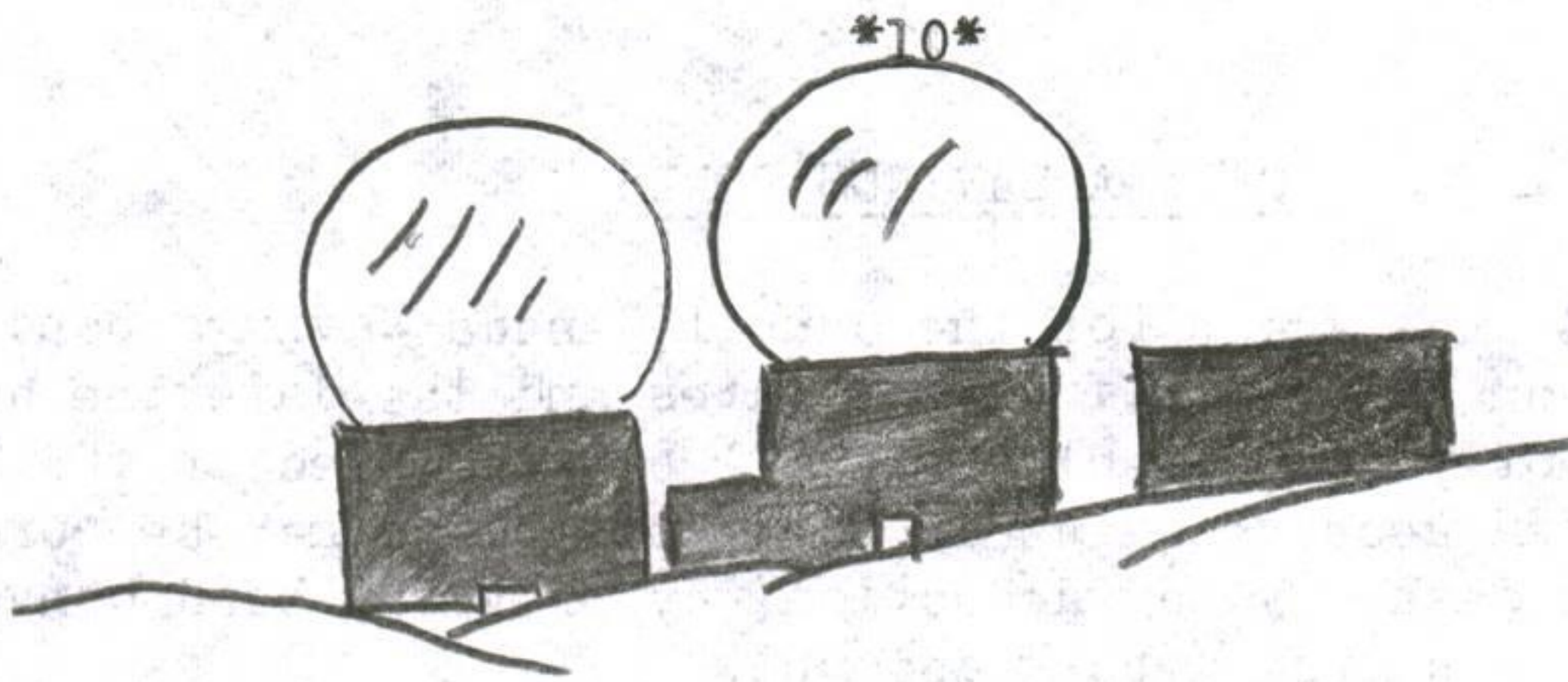
I noticed it took seven CE workers and two vehicles to raise the flag. But did anyone tell them "you don't have to lower the flag pole to raise the flag!!"



*** LADIES ***

Exercise classes every Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
COME AND JOIN THE FUN!!!!





Hello from the Super Dry Tower.....

Well since we had a dry fall the Tumbleweed started rolling sooner than I expected. I wish to welcome all the new comers "up the Hill".

New up the hill in the radar section are: M/Cpl Phil Adams in from Mtl., Brian Leadbeater CD Section, Cpl W. Hornsby CD Section.

We in the big dome don't see how the C.D. can get all their personnel into their little cubical.

Not just the Liberal Party has shuffles, we also had some shuffling going on: Sgt Wibberly has gone away on the S.L.C. Course out at the West Coast. In his spot, Sgt Thomas will take over. Neuf Hunt shuffles back and forth between Search & Hight as needed.

One day when reading a magazine on Alcohol and drugs that was circulated through the sections, I noted that an Indian town in Northern Manitoba had a marked increase in lead poisoning due to eating lead polluted fish and the children sniffing gasoline for kicks. Also in the same magazine it said there is marked increase in ciroses of the liver in women in some areas due to their increased use of alcohol. My answer is: 1. Researchers must do more to improve the liver and 2. If anyone is going to sniff gas for the extra 4¢, use non-leaded.--

The use of alcohol can have a relaxing effect and this was shown when a preacher on his first sermon was lost for words and forgot much of his sermon. Embarrassed he asked the Monsenior what he should do "Well" he said "Put a little gin in your water and take a sip now and then as the sermon goes on." Next week the Preacher did much better. Happy with his sermon, he asked his Monsenior "How did I do"? "Good" said the Monsenior, however there is a few errors I must point out to you.

1. There are 10 commandments not 12
2. There were 12 disciples not 10
3. David slew Goliath not beat the heck out of him.
4. It was Jonah that was swallowed by the whale not the man from "Jaws"
5. The phrase is The Father, The Son, & The Holy Ghost, not Big Daddy, his boy and the spook.

There still is the Meridian Saddle Club, formerly called the Horse Pasture in my column, between the tower and the town sight, but since they have no correspondent for the Tumbleweed and since I have vowed not to talk any more about the saddle club, they get no recognition at all.

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THE DOMES - continued

There is a rumor that several of the Radar Techs brought their binoculars up to the tower. They say its to look for geese in the area, but it could be a back pp for the radar if it breads down.

The WO Bathgates are now a 2 car family with the purchase of a little red sports car. Cpl Anderson is down to 2 cars from 3. Even lawn ornaments have to go after while. The gardens in the garden plots were good this year - guess who didn't grow a garden. I hope someone can help me out with a downstairs version of Up the Hill news as there are many things going on downstairs that I'm not up-to-date on.

That's all this time from the domes of confidence.

IF YOU ARE UNHAPPY

Once upon a time there was a non-conforming sparrow who decided not to fly south for the winter. However, soon the weather turned so cold that he reluctantly started to fly south.

In a short time, ice began to form on his wings and he fell to earth in a barnyard, almost frozen. A cow passed by and crapped on the little sparrow. The sparrow thought this must be the end, -- but the manure warmed him and defrosted his wings. Warm and happy, able to breathe again, he started to sing.

Just then a large cat came by, and hearing the chirping bird, investigated the sounds. The cat cleared away the manure, found the chirping bird, and promptly ate him!

The story has three morals:

1. Everyone who shits on you is not necessarily your enemy;
2. Everyone who gets you out of shit is not necessarily your friend;
3. And, if you are warm and happy in a pile of shit, - KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT!!



FAULTY FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

The present Fire Alarm System is unreliable. Personnel reporting fires should ring the nearest alarm box and follow this up by phoning 2277 or Loc 222.

CABLE TV CHANNELS

<u>Stn</u>	<u>RECEIVED CHANNEL</u>	<u>CABLE CHANNEL</u>
CFCN Calgary	2	2
CHAT Medicine Hat	4	4
CKRD Red Deer	10	10
CFQC Saskatoon	3	7
CBRST Saskatoon	9	6

CATV PROBLEMS:

Call Mon-Fri - 0800 -1630 hrs
968-2401 loc. 245
and ask for CATV.

Manager - MCpl "Stoney" Stonehouse
MCpl "Neuf" Hunt

After duty hours and weekends call:
"Stoney" Stonehouse 2386
"Neuf" Hunt 2261

Baby Sitters

Leslie Acton 2320
 Brenda Borshneck 2308
 Janice Carr 2430
 Sharon Cordick 2462
 Cindy Erickson 2630
~~Danny Hill 2286~~
 Terry Mainhood 2611
~~Lorna Halfrich 2694~~



Sheryl Ann Murray 2627
 Michael Murray 2627
 Debi Ramsay 2274
 Malcolm Bailey 2641
 Gloria Moskowec 2608
 Rhonda Kidd 2438
 Kathy Keats 2413

Anyone wishing to be included on this list please advise the "Tumbleweed of your names and phone number.

CUT & CURL CORNER (BARBER & BEAUTY SHOP)



Mary Hutchingson
 CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY
 9:00 am - 6:00 on Tuesday, Wednesday,
 Thursdays and Fridays.

Closed 12:00 to 1:00 every day

8:30 - 3:30 on Saturdays
 Phone 968-2622 for appointments now.



MATINEE MOVIES - OCTOBER

Sat 02 Oct

Cartoon Parade - Walt Disney

Sat 09 Oct

Pinnocchio in Outer Space
Unknown

Sat 16 Oct

Life and Times of
Grizzily Adams
Unknown

Sat 23 Oct

Charlie Lonesome Cougar
Ron Browne/Linda Wallace

Sat 30 Oct

Cartoon Parade
Walt Disney

TEEN TOWN MOVIES - OCTOBER

Fri 01 Oct

Newmans Law
George Peppard

Fri 08 Oct

Old Dracula
David Niven/Treasa Graves

Fri 15 Oct

Land That Time Forgot
Doug McClure/Susan Penhaligon

Fri 22 Oct

Charlie Lonesome Cougar
Rone Browne/Linda Wallace

Fri 29 Oct

Robin and Marian
Audrey Hepburn/Sean Connery

NOTE: MOVIES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANY TIME

"ATTENTION"

Personell wishing to join the Mixed Bowling League: Submit names to Bob Jardine either as a team or individually by 1 Oct at the latest. The amount of bowlers allowed per team are six (6) or eight (8), maximum. Phone 2680

PINSETTERS ?? CALL JIM JAMES 2391 BY OCT 2ND



With the hunting season in full swing:

The "Big Game" will take place Friday 1 Oct when the D G's will put the HeeBee's to the Will Billies

NE DG's - Domestic Giants

HEY GET YOUR OCTOBERFEST TICKETS

SELLERS -

- M. CPL. POTKINS - H.Q.
- M. CPL. SIMMONS - TOR
- CPL. THORNHILL - MSE.



A D V E R T I S E M E N T S

Advertisements are to be written in with the number of times they are to be run. If this information is not with the ad it will run once only.

Persons placing ads and getting results from the same are asked to make arrangements to have their ads discontinued. Please phone local 232 and ask for Dennis.

FOR SALE: 1974 Dodge Dart Special, 2-door standard, clean, very good condition. Phone 2678

FOR SALE: 1971 Ford Custom 500, 4-door 302V8. Good motor and gas mileage, some rust. Taking offers. contact P. Saulnier at 257 or 2383

FOR SALE: Large style barbie, baby shoes size 6½ never worn, Roll away bed with mattress, Xmas Tree Stand with water reservoir for real tree, phone 2637

FOR SALE: Lumas Truck Topper Fits 8ft box. Asking \$275.00. 1967 Chev ½ton asking \$1275.00. phone Bill Carr Loc 271 or 2430.

FOR SALE: 1973 GT350 Yamaha Motorcycle phone 2692

FOR SALE: Gendron Baby Carriage and set of baby scales. \$20.00 phone 2215 or PMQ 90 Susan Gibbon.

FOR SALE: 1 pr boys snowboots size 3 Brand-new phone 2382

WANTED: 1 used baby-playpen - phone 2330 after 5:30 or 2626 during day.

WANTED: 2 used B&W TV's. One with 23YP4 Picture Tube and one model 102T17 Marconi. Phone 2692

ALSASK SEW'N SAVE: Contact Marge - 2258

AMWAY PRODUCTS: Call Jean Finley - 4440

CFS ALSASK AVON REP: Barb Hunt 2261

ARTEX: Anyone needing Artex supplies or wish to hold or attend a class, pls contact Sheryl Coté at 2368

STAR-PHOENIX: Town Delivery call Gloria Base Delivery Steve Lawrence 2314 & Dan Martin - 2260
Please advise boys if you are going to be away.

RADIO SHACK: Equipment is now being sold at the Kindersley Hobbe Shoppe Main Street, Kindersley.

GUIDE & BROWNIE INFO: Call Sheila O'Byrne at 2610

TRI-CHEM SUPPLIES: Call Jean - 2353

VANDA BEAUTY COUNSELOR: For information on home demonstration on make-up, beauty aids etc. contact Ferne Wilkie at 2296 (town)

REGAL SUPPLIES: Call Nancy - 2268

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE CO. OF CANADA:
Ken Winter rep at Rec Centre 1st & 3rd Thursday each month 7-9 p.m. phone 2433

S.G.I.O.: Moto Vehicle License Issuer, Game & Angling Licenses, Automobile Casualty & Fire Insurance - Gwen Martin phone 2692

HARVARD CREDIT UNION LTD: See Lee Antinuk Loc 213

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BARBER SHOP: Tues-Fri. 9-6. Closed noon every day. 8:30 - 3:30 Sat.

T O P S: (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Meetings: 7:30 Mon. evenings in Alsask school

"BRASS HOOD": For a good time try the Brass Hood in Rosetown. TGIF in effect - New Management and your hosts - Gord & Blanche.