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NORTHERN TO RE-OPEN

The five month strike at the Northern Store in Pine Falls has been settled. The major issue, management being able to stand in for union workers for extended periods has been resolved to the satisfaction of the union. Under the agreement, only two managers, for a maximum of three hours will be able to do union work. The agreement also provides for a seven year contract, with one percent increases beginning this year, and a two percent increase in the

final year.

Bob McKenzie, of the Northwest Company told the Voice that employees would be informed first when the store would be reopening. He said he could almost guarantee that the grocery section would be open for business by the Victoria Day long weekend, but the retail department may take longer because of the longer lead time required in the purchase of clothing items, many of which are seasonal.



105,000 cubic feet per second passing through the Pine Falls Generating Station last Monday - more than two and a half times the normal flow. There is little danger of flooding locally.

Stand-by for evacuees

by Charles Norman

Under an emergency response plan already in place, the R.M. of St. Clements has asked Beaujour, Lao du Bonnet, and the R.M. of Alexander to be ready to take up to 2000 people forced from their homes by the flooding Red River.

Rod Cameron of the RM of St. Clements said the municipality has declared a state of emergency to give it the authority to build a 2000 foot dyke along the East side of the river, south of Lockport, to protect houses along the Old River Road. He said invoking the Emergency Response Plan is purely precautionary at this stage, but the R.M. wants to make sure that preparations are in place in the event of an emergency. The community expects the crest of the flood to reach

them next Wednesday. St. Clements covers the area east of the Red River, from Lockport to Grand Beach. North of Lockport the Red River takes the flows of both the river and the floodway.

Under the emergency response plan, local coordination will be through the R.M. of Alexander office. R.M. administrator Rose Blanchette has asked Powerview, Pine Falls, and Victoria Beach to be prepared to help.

Local residents are asked to call Powerview administrator Janice Thovenot if they can help. Thovenot told the Voice they are looking for people who can billet people in their homes, or kitchen staff for people billeted in local arenas. They are looking for air mattresses and cots, and campers or trailers. They are also looking for accommodation for household pets, and pasturage for farm ani-

mals.

Locally, there appears to be little danger from flooding. Jim McNeil of Manitoba Hydro said flooding upstream of the Pine Falls Generating Station will depend on the weather, but there is no danger at present. Flow through the dam yesterday was 105,000 cubic feet per second, more than two and a half times normal flows. But the rampaging Red River has had an effect on Pine Falls.

The railroad to Pine Falls crosses the floodway close to Winnipeg. That bridge is low enough to be threatened with closure if the floodway is used to its maximum. It could be closed today, February 26.

Pine Falls purchasing manager Ron Brunner did not take any chances. Forty four coal cars are on site, as are four cars of

ELECTION CALLED

Jean Chretien, as expected, called a June 2nd election over the weekend. Because The Voice's area now lies mostly in the riding of Churchill, we have provided the following list of candidates from that area. Conservative - Don Knight, Reform - Jim Peterson, New Democrats - Bev Desjarlais, and Liberal - Elijah Harper. In the following weeks the Voice will provide full coverage as the election progresses.

Being in the Churchill Federal riding will likely make for a less than spectacular election campaign locally. Most of the action in the riding will probably be occurring in the more northerly towns nearer to Thompson. To drive from Pine Falls to Thompson is a good 10 hour trip, whereas to Steinbach in our former riding of Provencher is only about a 2 hour drive.

Kraft, and four cars of caustic. The mill has commodities on site to be able to continue in production until May 20. The rail loop south of Pine Falls is being used for storage of empties. The line into Pine Falls is backed up with supplies for the mill.

Jill Papineau, who purchases recycle paper for the company, has filled the warehouse.

Supplies from the United States have come north via routes that have moved steadily further west as the river has risen. Old newspaper is now reaching the mill through Saskatchewan.

Newsprint is going south to the Trans Canada Highway, then east or west far enough to avoid the flood, before going south to American customers.


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IMPORTANT NOTICE

FLOOD EVACUATIONS

IN THE EVENT OF AN EVACUATION OF NEARBY MUNICIPALITIES, THE VILLAGE OF POWERVIEW, THE R.M. OF ALEXANDER AND PINE FALLS ARE REQUESTING VOLUNTEERS TO ACCEPT FLOOD EVACUEES INTO THEIR HOMES.

PLEASE REGISTER AT THE VILLAGE OFFICE IF YOU ARE ABLE TO OPEN YOUR HOME TO THESE PEOPLE IN NEED.

VOLUNTEERS MAY ALSO BE NEEDED TO ASSIST IN THE STAGING AREAS. PLEASE REGISTER AT THE VILLAGE OF POWERVIEW OFFICE OR PHONE JANICE AT 367-8483.

THANK YOU
J.M. THEVENOT, ADMINISTRATOR
VILLAGE OF POWERVIEW
367-8483

Community Billboard - ph 367-4466

LIBRARY ALLARD: Library Hours: Tuesday: 10:30am to 5:00pm Wednesday: 1:00pm to 5:00pm 6:30pm to 8:00pm Thursday: 1:00pm to 5:00pm 6:30pm to 8:00pm Friday: 1:00pm to 5:00pm Saturday: 10:30am to 2:00pm
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Meetings every second Tuesday of the month 7:30 at St. Theresa's Church General Meeting
SILVERHAVEN CLUB: Cribbage - every 4th and 5th Monday of the Month at 1:30 p.m. - Whist - every Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m.
WINNIPEG RIVER W.I.: meetings third Tuesday of every month, 7:00 p.m. Library Allard, St. Georges
POWERVIEW LOCAL MMF: Regular Meetings held on the first Thursday of each month - 7:00 pm at the Powerview Arena Meeting Room
PINE FALLS HEALTH AUXILIARY: Meetings on the first Tuesday of Every month at 1:30 pm
COTTAGE COUNTRY BUSINESS ASSOC.: Meeting - Every first Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Ph. 756-2596
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: - Sun Rise Group - Meetings every Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Located at Powerview Arena (small centre entrance in front). Last Friday of the month open to the public. Fri. is non-smoking.
PINE FALLS LEGION: - Meetings held 2nd Thursday of the month 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall. Meat raffles held at Legion House on Fridays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.
PINE FALLS MASONIC LODGE # 154: - meets on second Friday of every month in the Pine Falls United Church. (except June, July, & Aug.)
BADMINTON: - Pine Falls School Gym, Sunday & Wednesday nights, 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.
POWERVIEW GARBAGE PICKUP: every Wed. Recyclable pickup every 1st & 3rd Thurs. of each month.
P.A.A. MEETING: every 4th Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.
VILLAGE OF POWERVIEW MEETINGS, every second Tuesday of each month.
WINNIPEG RIVER SENIOR SERVICE INC. Coordinator: Gloria Lafreniere, Office: Pine Falls Health Complex, Telephone: 367-9128, Hours: 8:30 - 12:30 Monday - Friday. Services: Transportation, Home Maintenance, Foot Care, Volunteer Help, Information.
FAMILY CARE GIVER SUPPORT GROUP: at the Catholic Church St. Georges last Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m.
ALANON: - The Beaches family group, Tues. 7:30 pm. Ateah Rd. at Hwy. 59.
PINE FALLS LIBRARY: Library hrs. will be from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m. Monday - Thursday.
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: - Triangle Group in Pine Falls; meeting every Sunday 7:30 - 8:30 at Church of the Advent, 2 Holly St. Every AA member welcome.

Church Services

NOTRE DAME DU LAUS: Powerview Sunday Mass: (English) 10:00 am, Saturday eve. (French) 7:30 p.m. & in Stead Sunday 12:00 noon.
PINE FALLS UNITED CHURCH: Sunday service Sunday school 11:30 A.M. Rev. Cindy Terry. Office Hours: Tues - Fri. 10:00 to Noon Tel: 367-2633. Services held in Anglican Church of The Advent.
PINE FALLS ANGLICAN CHURCH OF ADVENT: Ph. 367-8347 Service Sunday 9:00 am. Holy Eucharist 2nd and 3rd Sundays, Morning Prayer 1st, 4th and 5th Sundays. Services by the Rev. Ron Risely 1st three Sundays. Lay readers 4th and 5th Sundays. Everyone Welcome.
ST. THERESA'S: Pine Falls Mass Sunday at 10:00 am
ST. GEORGES: Mass Sunday at 8:00 am and 10:00 am
ST. JUDE ANGLICAN CHURCH, Grand Marais, Holy Eucharist - 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m. Morning prayer 11 a.m. - 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays.
TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Thalberg, 1 mi. east and 1 mi. South of junction 12 and 304. St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Greenwald on Hwy. 12, 1 1/2 mi. north of junction with 317. Sunday church school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. (alternate locations). For info. call 635-2625 or 754-8682.
CHRISTIAN FAITH FELLOWSHIP: - Bible study 7:30 p.m. Wed. Church Service at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.
HOUSE OF PRAYER FULL GOSPEL: - 2:30 every Sunday, Scantbury Mb., on Hwy. 59
ST. MARGUERITE R.C. MISSION Pitt Rd. - Traverse Bay, 11:30 a.m. Sunday Additional Mass mid June thru Labour Day 7:30 p.m. Saturday.
ST. ALEXANDER R.C. CHURCH, located at Sagkeeng 1st Nations. Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m.
ST. THERESA R.C. MISSION, 88 Glendale Ave., Grand Marais. Mass or Community Service 7:30 p.m. Saturday. 1st Sat. of November to last Saturday of April.

News

United Church to rebuild

The congregation of Pine Falls United Church wish to announce in this season of Easter that they have decided to rebuild their church building following the tragic fire on August 27th which claimed the life of Katrina Rae



A view from the inside of the Pine Falls United Church last Tuesday as workers were taking what they could salvage from the ruined building.

Guimond-Morrisseau, and destroyed the building. Rev. Cindy Terry, the minister of Pine Falls United Church said, "The season of Easter is a time we remember Jesus' suffering, death and resurrection. God would not let death or

evil be the final answer and so raised Jesus from death to eternal life. God's resurrection of Jesus is victory over death. We are witnesses to God's saving action."

"The people of the entire area were devastated by the tragedy, but once again God is working in the middle of pain and havoc to bring about healing", added Terry. "The new church building is a result of many prayers, our faith in God, a lot of hard work and hundreds of volunteer hours."

Group preparation is currently taking place with construction to begin soon. The 6500 sq. ft. building has been designed as a multi purpose facility to meet the current and future needs of the church and the community. The completely accessible building will house worship, Sunday School and office space as well as provide kitchen facilities and meeting space. A portable wall enables the accommodation to larger groups for all types of services including weddings and funerals. The building also includes a sprinklered day care area for up to 25 children. Designed by Winnipeg architect Paul Janzen, the new building meets or exceeds all applicable building and life safety standards.

For further inquiries please contact Mr. Doug Ursel, Construction Coordinator at 367-2854, Mr. Brian Ryall at 367-9257 or Rev. Cindy Terry at 367-2633.

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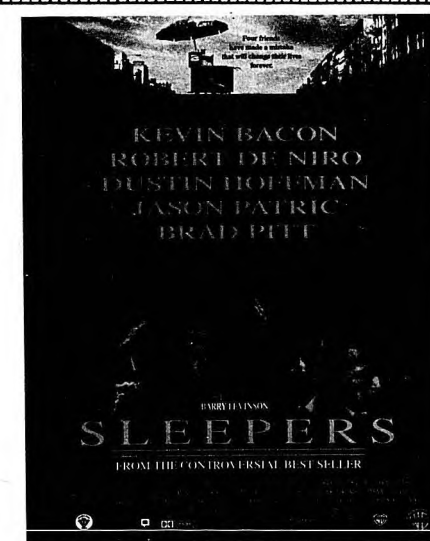
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Comment

Religion Politics and Money A recipe for disaster

by Mel Fontaine

The armed stand off that occurred at the Waterhen Reserve in western Manitoba in 1996, was fuelled by religious differences, political animosities and allegations of mismanagement of government funds. The antagonism of the warring factions still exists. People from Waterhen - mostly close relatives - remain divided. They argue whenever they run into each other in public places. Similar outrages have occurred on other reserves but to a lesser degree. The same enormity, the same time bomb is at a point of exploding in Sagkeeng.

On March 27th, the Sagkeeng election wounded immediate families, father against son, mother against daughter, father against daughter and mother against son. The theme expressed throughout the community prior to the election was that there was a need for change. New Blood was needed in council to make change happen.

Some candidates delivered messages of economic development - job creation for prosperity. But we must unite to achieve this. Reliance on government handouts only brings poverty. However, their messages went largely unheard.

Good candidates were maligned by bad mouthing among the community members. One of these was a church pastor who was maligned for his religious affiliation.

There was only one new band member elected to council. Seven men ran for the position of Chief and thirty six sought a seat on council. Six candidates were women, but not one received enough support to be victorious. Long ago women played a key role in the affairs of their communities prior to the introduction of the Canadian government's oppressive Indian Act.

The election was plagued by discrepancies, irregularities and violations of the rules and regulations of the Indian Act which governs First Nations. A number of off reserve members were allowed to vote, while others were not permitted this privilege. Ineligible candidates were nominated and allowed to stand for election. The votes for these people determined the outcome of the entire election.

At the present time a rumour is circulating among band members that funds from the Department of Indian Affairs will

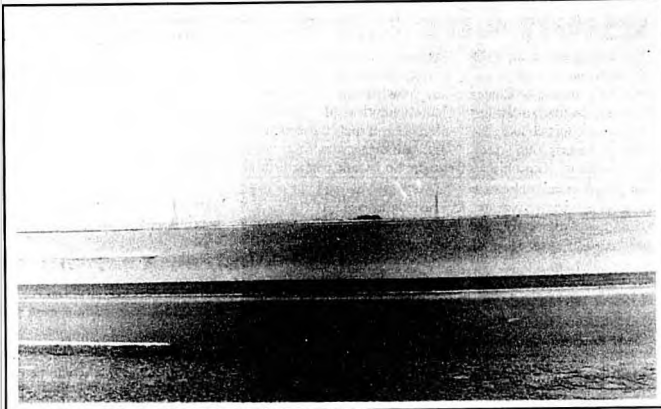
be withheld if the election is appealed. How can this be announced if there has as yet been no appeal?

Ironically at the previous election the electorate was asked to vote by secret ballot whether to allow off reserve membership the opportunity to participate in band elections. An overwhelming majority voted "yes" However the council did not follow up and make the necessary changes.

Incredibly the council established a lawmakers assembly which in the past two years involved negotiations with Manitoba Hydro for financial compensation for loss of shoreline eroded by Hydro activity. Initially the band received \$93,000.00 to conduct informational meetings in the community. The few meetings conducted were sparsely attended. Senior citizens received \$75.00 for attending. An audit to reveal how the rest of the funds were used has not been produced. People at those meetings were under the impression that they were to receive \$500.00 each upon settlement with Hydro.

Prior to a nomination meeting further negotiations took place between the band council and Manitoba Hydro. A day before nominations the council held a band meeting to inform band members of the deal's progress and to receive support to continue with the process. Due to the small number in attendance the council did not request a vote from it's members. During the campaign the council conducted another meeting on the same issue. The assembly was assured that the meeting was not a political ploy to gain support from band members in the upcoming election. Two figures, one of 2.5 million, and 3.5 million were mentioned.

Upon signing the deal, the band was to receive \$2.5 million in one lump sum, or, one million annually for the next nine years. Eyes widened, eyebrows raised, some members voiced their opinions, but their concerns went unheard. Even though there was a smaller number at the previous meeting a vote was taken to allow council to proceed with the matter. Forty two were in favor, eight were against, and eight abstained. At the polls, this political maneuver paid off, three incumbents were re-elected and the person in charge of the negotiation. See *Housing* page 5



And not a drop to drink

by Lorraine Neal

Water, water everywhere.... Our family listened to radio reports of the increasing flooding in Manitoba along the Red River. It was May, 1950. A wet, cold rainy spring. The winter of 1949-50 had been very severe, and so far spring had been no great shakes. I had never heard the term "above datum," but didn't need to be a rocket scientist to figure it out. We heard it for weeks as day after day the river continued its upward climb.

With no television in that bygone era, we relied on pictures from The Winnipeg Free Press, and the Winnipeg Tribune. Newspapers showed scenes of unbelievable devastation in Red River valley farmland, particularly the Emerson - Morris - St. Adolphe areas. The scenes which bothered me the most were of abandoned or stranded animals.

The city of Winnipeg didn't escape damage and destruction. Entire communities were evacuated because of the rising water. Communities like old St. Boniface, St. Vital, and Norwood, Wildwood Park, parts of Fort Rouge, and homes located along the banks of both rivers. In flooded areas, pressure of the water caused some homes to disintegrate, splintering into oblivion. Others were swept from their foundations. It was not

uncommon to see parts of homes bobbing along the fast moving river.

I was a grade ten student at Daniel McIntyre Collegiate. At school, the kids talked of little else. We were anxious to help, but what could we do? We stayed where we were comfortable, and/or where our parents allowed us to go. Finally at assembly we were told students would be allowed to miss school as long as we were actively involved in sandbagging. We were given forms which had to be signed by someone in charge of a particular area.

I didn't think that would be much trouble, in fact it seemed pretty exciting. In breathless exuberance on a rainy May morn I told my Mom I was going flood fighting. I felt like Amelia Earhart on her first flight.

I didn't count on my indomitable mother. She insisted on being a sandbagger too! In retrospect, it was an unselfish act on her part. She wanted to ensure no danger befell her daughters (my younger sister also came.) Next morning we dressed in our oldest clothes. The three of us drove as far as cars were allowed, then were taken on army trucks to the assigned area.

The street was like a war zone. Hoses, trucks, water, mud, piles of sand and rough burlap bags were strewn about. People

milled around like ants. The first day we worked the dike in the area of Louise Bridge on Higgins Avenue. We watched in awe as sections of walls, parts of buildings and a lot of other debris swept downstream in the swiftly moving water. In addition to all the water was the smell. It was a cross between the oily - water-in-the-spring smell, barnyards, and rotting meat.

My sister and I began the day, feeling like romance novel heroines. As the day wore on our energy level flagged as we worked harder than ever before in our young lives. Rain poured on us all day. The rough burlap on our hands hurt. We felt like soggy ditch diggers. Mom was exhausted. We had taken some sandwiches to eat, and lucky we did. Coffee was available from trucks, as were sandwiches, but often by the time the truck got to us, little was left. As day's end we trudged back to the car, and rode home in silence.

Our clothes were filthy. We were grimy, smelly and tired. Our home was without the luxury of a shower, so we took turns with the bath, (Mom first of course - seniority counted for something). We rationed our twenty gallon hot water tank. We didn't care as long as we came out clean. I remember dropping into bed and falling sleep. See *Flood* page 5

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immediately.

Next day, back at the bridge it was better, we seemed tougher. The sun was smiling and I fell in love. Reinforcements in the form of the armed forces had been summoned to help our disaster struck province. The object of my tender affections was a handsome nineteen year old private of the famed Royal 22nd Van Doos Regiment from Quebec. His name was Herbie. My shyness evaporated as we talked while we worked. He told me of his many sisters and brothers back in Hull. The day absolutely flew by. I was not tired and could have stayed all night. Mom had other ideas, so I reluctantly accompanied her home. Herbie and I arranged to try to meet at the same place the following day. I went home on wings, my heart tapping the staccato beat of young love. Sandbagging wasn't so bad!

My sister decided sandbagging was not her cup of tea, and the next day returned to school. Mom and I returned to the dikes, hitching a ride on an army truck to what we laughingly referred to as the 'front lines.' Luckily, the object of my youthful affections was in the same place, and we did meet. We continued our conversation from the day before. We

Housing numbers don't add up

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tions with Manitoba Hydro was also elected.

I spoke with Manitoba Hydro, and was told that the crown corporation will not be responsible for rip rapping the shoreline, funds will have to come from the band settlement. According to Hydro the matter of paying the cost for rip rapping was not even discussed during negotiations.

Another area of concern is the matter of housing. The band requested and received \$2.4 million dollars, enough funding to build sixty \$40,000 housing units. However, according to housing committee officials, only ten units are scheduled to be built this year. The band received 2.4 million to build these units. If only ten are built, that adds up to \$400,000. What happened to the other \$2 million?

The reserve is currently faced with a deficit of more than fourteen million dollars. This translates to \$2800.00 for every man, woman and child, including the off reserve membership who are shunned from band affairs.

didn't notice the cold drizzle. Side by side, we filled burlap bags with sand, then placed the bags on the dikes. My arms, legs and back ached with the strain of unaccustomed lifting and tossing. Never had I worked so hard at such dirty work.

More and more people were joining the sandbagging, most were young and we laughed and joked the day away. It was easier to laugh than to cry over the devastation and mess surrounding us. When it got dark I couldn't believe the day was gone. Herbie and I exchanged addresses before leaving on the army trucks, in case we were not in the same location the next day.

My whole body ached, there was no way to be comfortable. To add to my misery I kept think-

ing of all the people whose lives had been so disrupted by this act of Mother Nature. I pictured families torn asunder, children and parents separated. Finally I flattened myself in a hot tub, then collapsed in my bed. I didn't care

riverbank in the area of what is now the Disraeli overpass. Dirty sandbags, mud, hoses, and puddles of slimy water were everywhere. I was truly happy I wouldn't have to clean up the mess. We learned the army had been reassigned, doing clean up duty in another area. Mom and I worked our last day on the dikes. Mom was exhausted and relieved. My teenage heart was heavy.

The river created, we returned to school, and the sun began to shine again. After many weeks the water receded, leaving heartbreak and devastation in its wake. The financial toll in lost and damaged property was in the millions. There can never be a tally of the priceless items lost in that flood.

How many animals, livestock and family pets, sentimental keepsakes, photograph albums, family heirlooms, irreplaceable pieces of furniture were lost? Probably no one will ever know for sure.

It took many months for the city's riverbanks to return to something near normal. Much of the residential riverbank property had eroded so badly that it's original beauty was never restored. Residents of St. Vital, Wildwood Park, St. Boniface and other stricken areas eventually went back to their homes for the monumental cleanup. We went back to being school kids again, and the flood became a distant but never to be forgotten memory.

My wonderful first romance? I never saw Herbie again, though we corresponded a couple of times. Boys closer to home became more interesting.

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to cry over the devastation
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CAT LITTER unscented, 10 kg	3.99

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SMOKED WIENERS 8 Inch	100 g/ .87
HEADCHEESE fresh sliced	100 g/ .85
SLICED SIDE BACON Old Country, 454 g	3.39

News



Hot dog heaven

Local representatives of the Canadian National Ringette champions earned \$1.50 for every hot dog they sold for their team. The event was the official recognition of Federated Agencies' partnership with Co-operators Insurance Group. George Harbottle said the girls raised something in the order of \$700 for their cause which Federated will donate.



Joël Lamoureux nominated for award

Radio announcer and former local resident, Joël Lamoureux (centre) poses with fellow QX 104 employees Al Olekweitz (left) and Greg Vasovich (right) at an on-air promotion in Powerview last week. Joël was nominated once again for the Radio Announcer of the year award by the Manitoba Association of Country Arts. Although Joël did not win the category last year we think his chances are good this year. The MACA awards acknowledge provincial country music, rodeo, and broadcasting and will be holding the awards ceremony at the Transcona Country Club on May 11th. Good luck to Joël at the upcoming event!

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speed!

Powerview R.C.M.P. along with other Manitoba Law Enforcement agencies will be conducting a selective traffic enforcement program from April 28th to May 12th. Speeders will be the focus of enforcement. Motorists are requested to adhere to the speed limits and avoid a ticket which will result in a fine and demerit points.

Caisse Populaire accepts
flood donations for Red Cross

Saint Boniface, April 25, 1997: All Manitoba is well aware of the devastating effect the rising Red River is having on the lives of thousands upon thousands of displaced Manitobans.

The 25 branches that remain in operation of the Caisse Populaire network will be accepting donations made by the general public to the Manitoba chapter of the Red Cross. The Caisse Populaire will open social accounts that will allow rapid forwarding of donations to the

Red Cross in order to assist evacuees that may be in dire need of immediate assistance.

Nothing short of a disaster for many, all Manitobans are pulling together to help in this time of need. The Caisse Populaire network is sensitive to the extreme urgency of the situation and will be available when and where it can be of assistance.

Thanking you for your cooperation.

BEACHES BUZZES

Flood, flood....

The one constant in our lives these days is the flood and flood stories of all kinds. To call

it a tragedy is a gross understatement. People's lives are altered forever by catastrophes such as floods. The R. M. of St. Clements has declared a state of emergency, as has the R. M. of Brokenhead. Emergency Measures Organization is very busy organizing evacuations, billeting etc. of evacuees. You may be telephoned to give some assistance to flood stricken families. Please consider helping out in this time of greatest need. We're told that this is the worst flood Manitoba has experienced in five hundred years. Well none of us was around that long ago to agree with or dispute that statement. There's absolutely no doubt however, that it is the worst flood in living memory.

If EMO calls you to ask what you can do... please think long and hard about this... it could conceivably be us some day. Who knows what's in store? Some of us can offer space for evacuees, others can volunteer to care for abandoned pets, still others can donate money to help those poor individuals who at best are living with extreme inconvenience and at worst are losing their homes and possessions. That old Golden Rule still applies....

Local students participate
in Math Competition

Team places 5th in zone

Twelve Powerview Students from Gr. 10 and 11 participated in the "FERMAT" competition which was designed for students who excel in Mathematics. It consists of 25 questions, many of them extremely difficult, which were to be answered within a one hour time limit. The contest challenged the students' reasoning ability and was written by students from Europe, Asia and the U.S. as well as Canada.

The team of Sarah Keenan, Renee Fenez, Cara Bourgeois, Simone Dugard and Laura Snell

had a very respectable score and placed 5th in Zone 6 behind Altona, Gretna, Landmark and Steinbach.

Sarah Keenan received a medal for the top aggregate score in Powerview followed closely by Renee Fenez with 73. Both marks were above average, which is a major accomplishment considering the difficulty of the questions and the fact that they were competing in a very elite field. Everyone who entered the contest benefited from the experience and all are to be congratulated on a very fine effort.

Come out to support minor hockey

The Minor Hockey general meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 6th, 1997 upstairs at the Pine Falls Curling Club at 7 p.m. There are 5 position vacant on the executive at this time. People who care about hockey for their children must come out and participate or the 97/98 program will be in jeopardy. Please be there!

News

New Canadian Firm to Commercialize AECL Whiteshell Facility

Executives from four companies with extensive Canadian and international nuclear experience have announced today that they are finalizing the formation of Canadian Nuclear Projects Limited (CNPL). CNPL is pleased that the Government of Canada, and Atomic Energy of Canada Limited (AECL), have selected its proposal as the basis for further negotiations towards commercializing the AECL's Whiteshell Laboratories. An undertaking to enter into further negotiations was signed on April 19, 1997. The new firm is jointly owned by the Canadian firms Acres International Limited, Wardrop Engineering Inc. and SENES Consultants Limited, and BNFL Inc., the U.S. subsidiary of BNFL. In creating CNPL, the four companies have developed a vision for a new Canadian waste management and decommissioning firm with international experience and investment resources, to revitalize Whiteshell as an economically viable employer in Manitoba, to be a major player across the Canadian nuclear industry and an asset to the Canadian economy.

"Each of these companies

brings unique and specific capabilities and experiences that are essential to achieving this vision" said Tom Burns, Executive Vice President of CNPL. "The key to CNPL's vision is applying the Whiteshell technical expertise and experience of Acres, Wardrop and SENES, with BNFL Inc's proven and global experience in decommissioning and waste management, and in transferring technology and resources into and across new markets in North America and worldwide.

It is CNPL's vision to establish Whiteshell as a commercially and economically viable operation and have it remain a significant employer in Manitoba, as well as to fully utilize and deploy its excellent human resources and facilities available at Whiteshell across the Canadian nuclear industry. To this end, CNPL is also pleased to announce that BNFL's corporate research and development organization intends to invest several million dollars to fund defined research programs at Whiteshell. Similarly, Acres, Wardrop and SENES have committed by CNPL's corporate

sponsors and the influx of international money, technology and experience into Manitoba will be the means of attracting additional funds from other sources to make Whiteshell viable, and allow for the greater utilization of its resources and knowledge across industry and the economy. CNPL intends to build upon the established reputation of its owners and to work closely with the existing workforce at Whiteshell, with local, Manitoba and federal officials, and with community and other organizations such as the Economic Development Authority of Whiteshell and the Red River Community College to ensure the continued development of high tech capabilities in the Pinawa area.

CNPL will combine into one company the full complement of capabilities to perform all aspects of commercializing and fully operating Whiteshell, and performing waste management and decommissioning work. Building upon the over 50 years of nuclear operations of its parent and since its formation in the United States in 1990, BNFL Inc. has been successfully applying cost effective nuclear tech-

nology and services in the areas of radioactive waste management, decontamination and decommissioning, nuclear materials handling, engineering, and safety and health protection, site operations and privatization of nuclear facilities. Over the past two years, BNFL Inc. and its affiliates have assumed responsibility for major portions of two U.S. Department of Energy Weapons Complex Sites, as the waste management and decontamination and decommissioning contractor at the Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site in Colorado, and as the site contractor at the Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site in

Colorado, and as the site contractor for solid waste management at the Savannah River Site in South Carolina. This experience has resulted in much valuable understanding of the complexities inherent in transfer of responsibility for nuclear sites, and also of the extreme importance of using the capabilities of the incumbent staff.

It is CNPL's vision, that the integration of existing Canadian capabilities with new international technologies, resources and markets, will augment employment in Manitoba and other sites, strengthen the Canadian Nuclear industry and contribute to the economy.

Powerview School
Cooperative
Education Programs

Cooperative Education Programs have increased throughout the province over the last few years. The growth and the success of the Powerview program is an indication that partnerships between area employers and the school are a vital link in the education process. At the start of the second semester 21 students were enrolled in the Cooperative Education Program at Powerview School. The course is a combination of classroom instruction includes resume preparation, employability skills, interview techniques, interest inventories, safety procedure, and conduct in the workplace. The classroom sessions prepare students to go into a situation where they will do the tasks normally done by regular employees. Issues of confidentiality and how to avoid workplace gossip are stressed as well as proper behaviour and attire. To date the program has been very successful and follow up interviews with employers have been very positive. A list of students and their placements includes:

Jean Pierre Bourgeois (Osis Building Supply), Tasha Chagnon (Sagkeeng Arena and Sportsplex), Daniel Coss (Natural Resources), Stephanie Dube (Powerview School Library), Tanya Earle (Pine Falls School Teacher Assistant), Angie Guay (Pine Falls Paper Company Time Office), Lyndsey Guay (Pine Falls Hospital), Lauren Houghton (Mr. Pie's Restaurant), Nick Joseph (Pine Pharmacy), Chantal Lagasse (South Interlake Credit Union), Kevin Oakes (Pine Falls Paper Company Woods Department), Tammy Omen (Pine Falls Paper Company Time Office), Glen Pakoo (Power Falls Autobody), Mark Robinson (Natural Resources), Tammy Savoie (Community Voice), Rebecca Tardiff (R.C.M.P.), Jenelle Vincent (Powerview School), Dason Wowk (Peter's Pro Hardware).

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ASSE has volunteer Area Representatives living in or near your communities. Experienced people who will be available to the Host Family and Student for the year.

We are now interviewing families to host exceptional high school students from Scandinavia, Germany, England, France, Holland, Italy, Czech and Slovak Republics, Brazil, New Zealand, Australia, Mexico, Japan and Thailand. ASSE is still accepting applications from Canadian students wishing to apply to New Zealand, Scandinavia, Czech and Slovak Republics, Italy, France, Portugal, Netherlands, Thailand and Japan. (Time limited May 9th deadline).

These well qualified students, all of whom have a command of English, stay with volunteer host families, as a family member, for an academic year. All ASSE students arrive with

comprehensive insurance and their own spending money.

Families from the rural areas can provide a wonderful experience for a student from another country to learn about life in Canada. Carolyn Marohn, the Manitoba Area Co-ordinator should know as her family hosted six students. Carolyn says, "We enjoyed hosting, our students were like our own children. It really impressed us that they adapted so well to small community life and our farm, their language skills were so good and

that they took their schooling seriously even though they didn't receive and credit for their year of study in their own country. Our foreign family has been back many times to visit, bringing friends and family. Any experience which allows us to extend our relationships in the global community is worth while".

Please call Maryann Mitchell for more information on becoming an ASSE host family or being an exchange student at 204-756-2462 or toll free at 1-800-361-3214.

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News



Victoria Beach Line Dancers strut their stuff at the Seniors Regional Conference in Moosehorn. They are (in no particular order) Norma Falls, Daisy Mousen, Betty Solomon, Bernice Johnson, Rubina Mignon and Bill Eslar.

Seniors Conference Well Attended

by Walter Romanchuk

More than 150 seniors representing 11 clubs attended the annual Spring Conference of the Interlake Seniors Regional Council in Moosehorn, April 17.

Ably presiding over all was Rubena Mignon of Pine Falls, who did a great job for her first years as Regional president. Greetings were brought from Moosehorn, Deputy Reeve Maretta Philippson.

Information presentation were given by Marita Sinisalo,

home care co-ordinator at Eriksdale; Rhoda Kernesed, Manitoba Consumer Education and Sandra McDougall of Living Independence for elders program. Win Lindsey, Creative Retirement Manitoba was the guest speaker.

The entertainment of song, music and dancing included a trip down memory lane, music by Mom and Dads of Camper, and such talented performers as the Moosehorn Seniors Choir, the "Happy Gang" and the Vic-

toria Beach line dancers among others.

Lil Cook of Moosehorn read a poem entitled "Poverty".

The day was enjoyable and kept with the spirit of seniors leading productive and fulfilling lives.

Each year the conference is held in a different location in the region. Gimli hosted last year, and Ashern in 1995. The 1998 conference will be decided on at the regional councils annual meeting, May 14th in Victoria Beach.

Notre Dame du Laus Parish News

A youth retreat is scheduled for May 2, 3 & 4. The theme of this retreat is: 'Jesus send us your spirit'. This retreat, which is for all young Christians 12 yrs of age and up, will be held at the Powerview Church. The retreat will begin on Friday, May 2nd, at 7:00 p.m., with the registration, and end on Sunday, May 4th, with a 3:00 p.m. Mass at the church, followed by a potluck supper in the church basement. Suggested cost per youth is \$35.00.

Take note that all the CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES (who are to be confirmed on Tuesday, May 27th) are to attend this retreat. It promises to be a wonderful experience! Just ask the youth who attended the last retreat!

If you want more information, need a registration form or would like to help out in any way, please call Father R. Chartier (367-2700) or Chad Vincent (367-2904). If you wish to attend, don't delay! Register Now!

Book Nook - Library Allard

NEW FICTION: The Partner by John Grisham, The Cat Who Tailed a Thief by Lillian Jackson Braun, The Clinic by Jonathan Kellerman, Silent Witness by Richard North Patterson, The Thomas Berryman Number by James Patterson, Happy are the Oppressed by Andrew M. Greeley and Airframe by Michael Crichton.

JUNIOR FICTION: We now have all the Goosebumps books up to and including #54. We also have a new selection of french material, picture books, videos and novels for all ages, beginner novels aimed at 6-9 year olds, with just a few words per page, and a nice selection from the Court Echelle, and the J'Aime Lire Series for young teens.

NON-FICTION: Guns of Victory - A Soldier's Eye View of Belgium, Holland and Germany, 1944-45. Above and Beyond - The Canadians' War in the Air 1939-45 by Spencer Dunmore. Chronicles of a Nervous Navigator by John A. Ivermeh.

Some new additions to our health and medical sections include Osteoporosis the Silent Epidemic, Crohn's Disease & Ulcerative Colitis, Arthritis, How to Control Diabetes, Fibromyalgia Handbook, Headaches and Migraine, Your Guide to Getting Fit and Male Almanac.

INTERNET: For those who aren't aware of it, the library has a public internet access site that is free to the public. You can call ahead and book a half hour time slot or just come in and take a chance that it's available. One of the Library staff will be happy to assist you if you need help with anything from searching, printing to showing you the basics such as how to use the mouse. On April 22nd Library staff did an internet demonstration for a group of local women. This event was hosted by the Winnipeg River Women's Institute.

BAG OF BOOKS SALE: Next week will be the last week for the bag of books for a buck sale. More books are added daily so come check it out. There is a lot of great reading material to be had including an assortment of magazines.

SATURDAY HOURS: Starting on Saturday, May 3rd through to Saturday June 28th we will be open from 10:30 to 4:00 pm. Remember this is Saturdays only. Also when you are in the Library please fill out the questionnaire regarding what additional hours you would like to see the library open.

NON-RESIDENT FEES: Another reminder to folks that the libraries non-residents fees for families have been reduced to \$25.00. (Non-residents are those who don't pay property taxes to the R.M. of Alexander.)

Powerview School Hosts Annual Spring Tea

Come view the "Variety" of Powerview School! We would like to see you at the Spring Tea on May 8th, 1997. Various programs will be displayed throughout the school and gym. Come and participate in a "Variety" of activities and attend the "Variety" show. "Variety" in Powerview is our theme.

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Sports



It's not too early to think of sailing!

Winnipeg River Sailing Club News

Imagine the sun and the hot, shining sand of the beach. The river is blue and the wind is cool and clean. Perfect weather for sailing and it is almost that time again for Winnipeg River sailing enthusiasts. The club welcomes back both old and new members just in time for a season of fun and relaxation.

The sailing club presently owns 4 Laser II boats complete with jibs, mainsails, spinnakers. These are excellent boats which can be used by sailors from novice to expert. The club is looking to purchase several Optimist dinghies which would provide members with all round capabilities to involve the entire family.

The club has access to

Eastman Interlake Youth Leadership Workshop

by Carolyn Paukovic

On April 18th - 20th, I attended a sports camp for the Eastman and Interlake regions. There were 40 students from the regions selected to attend the camp at Falcon Lake Resort. I have to say that I had a great time. The clinicians did a great job of organizing and preparing the camp so that the weekend went smoothly. They sent out maps and packages to all participants before we got to the resort. Upon arrival a schedule and the necessary equipment for the weekend were waiting for us. The speakers who were former Olympic and Pan American Games athletes were very interesting and informative. While there we were put into groups and taught how to prepare a host bid for a large sports event. Pretending to present the bid and win the right to host the

members sailboats as well. Harold Peacock has a 15ft. Albacore and 3 other sailboats which are usually at the club's spot on the beach at St. Georges. Steve Meszaros has a 16ft. Lazy E which is a dependable, safe boat for light to medium weather conditions. Hans Kuschke and Jaco Sheeres each have 16ft. Hobie Cats.

The club's philosophy is to involve the entire family. Members sail one night a week and have 3 weekend regattas planned in a season. Expert sailors are matched up with beginners so that race competition is fun and fair.

Boats are provided at very reasonable costs for those who

require more sailing in addition to club times. Usually, only a donation to the club is requested.

High School Badminton News

Varsity Badminton tournaments were held on April 15th, 16th, and 17th. Daniel Coss and Remy Grenier placed first and Evan Breton and Donald Bouvier placed 4th in boys doubles at the divisional level. They will now

advance to zones being held in Steinbach April 26, 1997. Powerview travelled to Beausejour for singles and hosted both doubles and mixed doubles tournaments. All team members showed promise and excellent sportsmanship.

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Features

Wonderful Women of the Wild Woods Bonding

by Lorraine Neal

Dawna James, Belair's "Hostess with the Most-ess" organized and hosted the Second Annual Wild Women of the Woods Bonding Party on Sunday, April 27th, 1997. The event was orchestrated as a method of raising funds for the Winnipeg Humane Society's ongoing battle in the promotion of responsible pet ownership. Approximately one hundred women were invited to attend this interesting function for a "howling" good time. And a "howling" good time it was! Dawna always goes the extra mile to ensure the com-

fort of her guests and this was no exception.

Dawna arranged for four artisans to attend the function and show their products. Each artist agreed to donate 10% of their sales to the Humane Society. Those artists were Zena Boyes, a jeweller extraordinaire. Zena comes to us from England, was formerly worked in the education field. She retired and has begun creating original jewellery from beads of glass, pottery, semi precious stones, porcelain and other materials. Her earrings, bracelets and necklaces are stunning and truly original.

Wanda Shum of Wanda Shum Design is an artist who originated in B. C. She now resides in Winnipeg and is an artist with more than four years of design work to her credit. Wanda has a wonderful eye for detail and has created some wonderful, colorful, capricious, original jewellery. She also created a line of home decor featuring such items as switch plates, candle holders and teapots using the technique of "millefiori."

Krista Reid, Metalsmith of "Velocity Jewellery." Krista showed some beautiful and original designs in sterling silver. She also does custom designs in 14 K gold. Krista's designs were very popular, and followed animal, bird, fish, whale, sun and moon themes and many more. She has been crafting for fifteen years and her work is exquisite. Krista has also created a line of link design bracelets as well as the more customary round and oval

shapes. Krista will also do custom work for her clientele.

Carol Pucci is no stranger to these parts. Carol and her wonderful line of pottery are regulars at the Craft Shows held in Victoria Beach each summer. Carol's work is functional, beautiful, colorful and very easy to use. She has a terrific multi use tray I had my eye on all afternoon. It could be used for as a quiche dish, pie plate, vegetable tray... oh it was gorgeous! Carol has samples of her work gracing homes in many other countries as well.

In addition to all the wonderful items on display, there were also donated items from the crafters, and local businesses which were waiting to be won in the silent auction. It was a wonderful, wonderful way to celebrate the bonding process women love, and best of all the proceeds were for such a great cause.

The Wild Women of the Woods Second Annual Bonding Party held in aid of the Winnipeg Humane Society raised a whopping total of \$825.88 for the Society. Between sixty and seventy wild women of the woods and elsewhere bonded wonderfully at the home of the Hostess with the Most-ess, Dawna James of Belair. The money was raised with a silent auction, which raffled items donated by local businesses and individuals, by collecting \$2.00 per person at the door and by the sales of some Humane Society T shirts and other items. Each artisan in attendance donated 10% of her sales for the day. On behalf of the Humane Society, Dawna would like to thank everyone who participated either by donating, purchasing and attending. Thanks to all... it was a blast! We look forward to the Third Annual Wild Women of the Woods next spring.

Some Facts About the Humane Society

Note, the Winnipeg Humane Society handles as many as 30 stray, abandoned or lost animals daily. This translates to more than 13,000 animals annually. Many of these unfortunate creatures have been victims of traffic accidents, or abuse, or suffer from hunger.

The Humane Society also has 24-hour emergency service to assist injured, abused and distressed animals. There are more than 4,000 healthy, adopt-

able pets matched with responsible owners each year. The Society also maintains Winnipeg's only register of lost and found pets, registering more than 7,000 recorded. Trained volunteers regularly take puppies, kittens, dogs and cats to more than 38 personal care homes, hospitals and various health care agencies throughout Winnipeg.

The Society maintains an investigation unit which responds to and investigates complaints of cruelty, abuse and neglect. The Society will seize animals who are suffering blatant abuse. Their abusers will be prosecuted.

Other facets of the society's concerns are humane trapping and hunting, inhumane livestock practices and exploitation of animals in entertainment. The society requires that all animals adopted from the Shelter be spayed or neutered, and tattooed for identification.

Foster care homes extend the capacity of the Society and allow many more animals to be cared for and subsequently adopted. Injured, timid and very young animals in particular benefit from this program.

The Society also responds to referrals from police, fire departments, social services, and the health Department and also provides pet respite for animals of people who themselves require care and hospitalization. Other services besides the above noted are provided by the Society.

Currently emergency care is being organized for pets whose owners are victims of the massive flooding in Manitoba. If you can help please call the Society at 1-204-982-2021.

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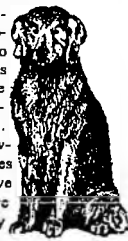
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Fats and oils are mostly made of different types of fatty acids:

* unsaturated fatty acids (polyunsaturated and monounsaturated)

* saturated fatty acids. It's important to include an equal mixture of polyunsaturated, monounsaturated and saturated fatty acids in your diet, while keeping a close watch on your total fat intake.

Unsaturated Fatty Acids (or unsaturates): typically liquid at room temperature. Eating a moderate amount of unsaturates tends to lower your blood cholesterol level and this may help maintain heart health.

* Polyunsaturates: sources include vegetable oils like soybean, corn, sunflower or flax seed oils, some fish oils, and many nuts and seeds. Some specific polyunsaturates are called essential fatty acids because they are as important to your health as are vitamins and minerals.

* Monounsaturates: sources include vegetable oils such as olive, canola, safflower or peanut oils, pistachios, avocados, salmon, and eggs. Studies in recent years have shown that you can benefit from having a moderate amount of monounsaturates in your diet.

* Saturated fatty acids (or saturates): usually solid at room temperature. Saturates are found naturally in meat, dairy products and some vegetable oils like coconut, palm and palm kernel oils, also called tropical oils. Since saturates tend to increase blood cholesterol levels, you should try to reduce the amount you eat, namely by choosing leaner cuts of meat and lower fat dairy products.

Through a process called hydrogenation, it's possible to change unsaturates into saturates to obtain a more solid fat. Many margarines, shortenings, commercial baked goods and fried foods contain hydrogenated fats.

Dietary cholesterol: a distinct type of fat, it is found in a great variety of foods of animal origin like meat, liver, milk products, egg yolk, and seafood. Dietary cholesterol should not be confused with blood cholesterol.

Blood cholesterol: produced in part by the human body, it is essential to life. Blood cholesterol is mainly influenced by total fat intake, especially saturated fat, and not dietary cholesterol.

Most commercial muffins, granola bars, cookies and some crackers are quite rich in fat. Look for lower fat versions or bake your own!

Bread by itself is usually low in fat, but be extra careful of added fats. Reducing added fats and oils the diet is the most simple and effective way to better manage total fat intake. Spread thinly and enjoy food "au naturel" more often.

Vegetable oils are extracted mainly from seeds, nuts or a tiny part of grains called the germ. Very rarely do vegetables - or fruit, for that matter - contain much oil. Well known exceptions are olives and avocados.

Try fresh herbs, fruit juices, maple syrup, a touch of soy sauce, yogurt or sesame seeds. Go easy on these sauces, sautéed vegetables laden with oil or deep fried versions.

Dietary cholesterol is not a problem for most people. The biggest dietary influence on your blood cholesterol level is total intake of fat, especially saturated

fat. Be sure to include lower fat foods in your diet.

Cheddar cheese has 33% fat while a creamy brie has 28%. The moisture content of some foods could be responsible for their silky texture. Check labels for the fat percentage.

Though they might contain more dietary cholesterol than other choices in the meat and alternatives group, shrimp and eggs have a lot of protein and essential vitamins and minerals to offer without being high in fat or calories.

A healthy diet is a balance of various foods from the Four Food Groups, averaging 30% of calories from fat over time. When colorful fruits and vegetables and satisfying grains and breads are teamed up with nutritious milk products, meat and meat alternatives, balance is achieved. Variety is not only fun, it makes sense too!

There is no such thing as "good foods" or "bad foods." Base your diet on nutritious and tasty foods chosen from the Four Food Groups. Enjoy other foods as occasional treats.

Not only can fats and oils be part of a health diet, but they should be! Fats and oils give us energy, essential fatty acids, vitamins A, D, E and K, and flavour! Health Canada recommends that adults get approximately 30% of their calories from fat. This applies to the total diet, and not any single food. Growing children and teens, who have a greater need for energy than adults, are allowed higher intakes.

Material compiled and edited by Lorraine Neal. For more information on this or any topic contact Family Services at 367-2224. Material courtesy of Manitoba Egg Producers' Marketing Board.

Incidence of
asthma rising

A little known, but alarming fact asthma causes more lost time at work and school than any other chronic illness.

"The reality is that asthma is a very serious disease, yet not enough people realize that," said Arlene Gibson, executive director of the Manitoba Lung Association.

That's why the Manitoba Lung Association is holding its 6th annual "Back the Attack on Asthma" campaign this May 1-16. It's goal is to raise \$100,000 province wide for research and education programs and to spread awareness of the devastating effects of the disease.

"Since 1970 there's been a dramatic increase in the prevalence of Asthma in Canada and throughout the industrialized world," says Dr. Allan Becker, Associate Professor of Allergy and Immunology at the University of Manitoba. "The number of asthmatics in Manitoba has doubled since 1980. This rise is a major concern to the entire health care community because it has led to spiralling research costs."

Asthma research points to our living environments as the leading cause of the increase. For instance, Dr. Becker says many asthma attacks are triggered because of a response to common allergens such as house dust mites and animal dander. Over the years, it seems, people have become more sensitive to these things as well as a variety of other airborne pollutants, such as tobacco smoke which is a major problem for sufferers of

asthma.

"We've found that our asthma education programs have been extremely effective in reducing the chance of an asthma attack," says Michelle Piwniuk, Director of Asthma Initiatives for the Manitoba Lung Association. Education also reduces health care costs associated with asthma admissions to the hospital and doctors offices, she says, lowering those costs by 25 per cent.

The "Back the Attack on Asthma" campaign is important not only for people with asthma, but for all Manitobans, says Chipman.

"We've had a tremendous volunteer response," says Gibson. This year the campaign has attracted 1,025 volunteer canvassers, more than double last year and 50 per cent higher than the Lung Association's goal. "Now we need people to be generous," she says. "We've got to take action to put a stop to asthma."

To maintain good
posture throughout
your life...

- Exercise regularly
- Exercise promotes strong and flexible muscles that keep you upright in a proper postural position.

A helpful hint from the
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What You Need To Know

- Young adults between the ages of 16 and 24 are eligible to apply.
- Green Team positions are available in two phases: May 20 to August 22 (3 months), and July 2 to August 22 (2 months). The Hometown component offers employment from June 23 to August 29.

How To Apply?

- Natural Resources' Green Team applications are available at local Manitoba Natural Resources Offices.
- Applications for the Hometown Green Team are available from participating municipal/community offices.

To Find Out More Call 1-800-282-8069

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Community Economic Development Intern:

A Community Economic Development Intern is required by Winnipeg River Brokenhead CFDC to work on our Youth Entrepreneur Program, our Import Replacement Program and other Community Development projects.

The position will interest someone looking for hands-on experience in the field of community economic development and possessing the following qualifications:

- Post-secondary graduate of Community Economic Development-related field within the past three years
- Organizational and Communication Skills
- Business training and/or experience
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision
- Computer skills essential
- Marketing skills an asset

This is a 12 month contract and will pay \$23,000 - 26,000 per year. Please submit resume and cover letter to address below by May 16, 1997.

Liaison Officer

A Liaison Officer is required to work with Community Future's Disabled Entrepreneur Investment Program. This person will promote the Disabled Entrepreneur Investment Program by identifying and communicating with local people's with disabilities to inform them of opportunities in self-employment. The Liaison Officer will also coordinate communication and training with the Community Futures Board of Directors and Staff.

The position will interest someone with the following qualifications:

- Excellent oral and written communication skills / experience
- Ability to work independently
- Excellent networking skills
- Sensitivity to individual needs / challenges
- Post-secondary education preferred
- Experience/training in working with disabled people
- Experience coordinating activities/working with Board or Directors
- Knowledge of CFDC Programs, esp. business assistance
- Knowledge of WRB region and its people
- Ability to work with people from a variety of social, economic, cultural, physical backgrounds & skill levels.

This will be a 12 month contract, approximately 30 hours per week to start with flexible work hours, salary commensurate with experience. Please submit resume with cover letter indicating salary expectations to address below by May 16, 1997.

We recognize and appreciate all applicants, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Winnipeg River Brokenhead CFDC
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May 7

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May 9

Salad, Lasagna, brussels sprouts, Pudding.

EMPLOYMENT

Summer Job Opportunity
Tourism Marketing Assistant

The summer student will assist in marketing the La Verendrye Trail and its Business and Community Partners. This will include distribution of regional travel guide and other tourist information, attending trade show venues and development of Business Partner Catalogue.

Qualifications:

- Prefer enrolment in post-secondary education
- Excellent communication skills
- Marketing, tourism, business or community development background/interest preferred.
- Exceptional self-initiative is imperative.
- Must have a driver's licence and be willing to travel
- Must be flexible with work hours and days (i.e., weekends)

This is a 12 week position. Salary is \$7/hour. Please submit resume and cover letter to address below May 12, 1997. We recognize and appreciate all applicants, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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Superintendent of Schools
Agassiz School Division #13
Box 1206

Beauséjour, Manitoba
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THE LIQUOR CONTROL ACT

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made by BLUE WATER HOSPITALITY CORP. of Pine Falls, for Dining Room & Cocktail Lounge Licences for the premise known as Manitou Lodge situated at Highway #11, Pine Falls, Manitoba. Under Dining Room licence liquor may be served from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.

Under Cocktail Lounge licence liquor may be served from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m. daily excluding Easter & Holidays.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that objections to this application should be made forthwith to the Liquor Control Commission, P.O. Box 1023, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 2X1, and no later than 14 days of the date of this public notice. An objector shall state the reasons for his objections. The applicant will be provided with a copy of any objection filed with the Commission.

All persons who file objections, and the municipality wherein the premises is situated shall be given notice by the Commission of the hearing and of the time and place so fixed and may at that time attend and state his objections.

Peter Raymond
Applicant

Manitoba

Notice of Environment Act Proposal

The Department of Environment has received proposals pursuant to the Manitoba Environment Act from the following operations and invites public participation in the review process:

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ALEXANDER - TRAVERSE BAY WASTEWATER TREATMENT (FILE # 2427.00)

A Proposal was filed on behalf of the Rural Municipality of Alexander, for the construction of a wastewater treatment lagoon system servicing a portion of the Rural Municipality of Alexander and the Rural Municipality of Victoria Beach. The wastewater treatment lagoon will be located on the southwest quarter of Section 17-18-10 EPM. The treated wastewater will be discharged between June 15 and November 1 of each year, into Jackfish Creek which flows into Traverse Bay which is part of Lake Winnipeg.

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ALEXANDER - ST. GEORGES WASTEWATER TREATMENT (FILE # 2428.00)

A Proposal was filed on behalf of the Rural Municipality of Alexander, for the construction of a wastewater treatment lagoon system servicing a portion of the municipality. The wastewater treatment lagoon will be located on the west half of Section 17-18-10 EPM. The treated wastewater will be discharged between June 15 and November 1 of each year into a drainage ditch which flows north along Provincial Road No. 304 into the Winnipeg River.

Anyone likely to be affected by the above operations and who wishes to make a representation either for or against the proposals should contact the Department, in writing, not later than MAY 23, 1997. Upon receipt of any notification, the Department may request a public hearing to be held and the concerned persons will be notified. Further information is available from the Public Register located at 123 Main St., (Union Station) Main Floor, Winnipeg; the Centennial Public Library, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; and the Bibliothèque Allard (Library), Rm. 14, St. Georges Community Centre, Baie Caron St., St. Georges or by contacting Mr. Mike Van Den Bosch at 945-7015.

Manitoba Environment
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