

# Agassiz S.D. will not be split

by Noreen Oatash

The Agassiz School Division will not be split as requested by petitioners in wards three, four and five.

When contacted by this reporter, George Harbottle of Powerview who had presented the petition on behalf of the petitioners, said he had no comment on the matter. He has been instructed by the mayor to leave the matter be and as an employee of the council he had no comment.

When asked if he was petitioning as an employee of the council, he said he had no comment other than that the next council meeting is to be held on January 13.

In an award dated the 31st of December, the Board of Reference laid the responsibility for their decision on the shoulders of the presenters at the hearings.

In part the award states that whereas the school board of trustees rescinded their request to separate the school division, the majority of persons, organizations and municipalities appearing before the Board of Reference opposed the action to divide the existing school division, the petitioners produced no plan or program for the effective separation of the existing school division, the administration of two separate school divisions, or

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# Hospital audit reveals disturbing facts

by Shirley Finkbeiner  
Health Records

Medical audits are done in the Pine Falls General Hospital on a routine basis as a tool in evaluating patient care, as well as in identifying trends in the needs of health care delivery.

During a recent audit on cases through the emergency department involving the ingestion of toxic substances, some disturbing facts came to our attention.

Of all the patients seen in the period audited, 39% were children under six years of age. Seven of these children ate children's medications such as Baby's Own Tablets, Baby ASA, Flinstone vitamins, etc., and 14 children ate medications belonging to adults.

Two small children drank gasoline and unfortunately our records do not indicate what kind of a container this gasoline was stored in. If it was in a milk jug or pop bottle, did the child

mistake it for one of these? One child ate mosquito coil, one ate a package of silica gel found in a new pair of shoes, one drank fluid meant for the steering wheel of the family car — all potentially dangerous substances if eaten — and left within reach of young children.

We hope that by bringing this to your attention the hospital serves its function as a care giving facility in the community. We would much prefer not to have your child come to our emergency department after having swallowed some toxic substance.

Please keep all medications out of a young child's reach, don't emphasize how delicious his Tempra is — and keep your own medications in a safe, unreachable place. Find a high shelf to store cleaning agents, and don't ever store these substances in containers that might lead a small child to think it was milk, juice or pop.

# Police report a busy Festive season

The police report showed a very busy Christmas week with incidents to mark the holidays.

On December 23 at 5:00 a.m., Powerview Police were summoned to Little Black River Indian Reserve where they arrested two males, 18 and 19 years old, of the reserve. There had been two younger juveniles drinking with the adults. The parents of the younger boys went to remove them from the drinking party and were threatened and chased by the men who fired guns at the cars, narrowly missing a passenger. One man ran into the woods, and police later arrested

both who were charged under the weapons act. One was previously prohibited from having weapons, and the other was out on bail on condition he not possess any weapons. Both are in custody in Winnipeg.

On Christmas Day at 12:30 a.m., the police were called back to Little Black River where they arrested and charged a 19 year old man for causing a disturbance.

At 2:00 a.m. a break and enter occurred at Traverse Bay. A cabin and garage were broken in.

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# 'Structure perfectly safe' restrictions lifted on bridge

by Dess Trudell

Weight restrictions had been placed on the pulp trucks hauling across the dam to the Abitibi-Price Woods division for the past two to three weeks. This was caused enough for some speculation, with questions asked concerning the reason for the restrictions. Was there a serious problem with the dam? With the road across? A lot of traffic passes over this bridge daily, with the bulk of it being pulp and logging trucks, at this time of year.

Inspectors from Hydro and Department of Highways carry out a regular inspection and engineers and inspectors from both areas were doing a thorough check when a minor problem was discovered. A sluffing away of surface concrete was noticed near the top of the structure, and it was necessary to put restrictions on the traffic until they found the cause.

Linda Dupont, terminal supervisor for Kleyson's, said that the pulp trucks were restricted to 14,500 k's per set of axles for the past two weeks. After inspections were carried out, the restrictions were lifted. They were just waiting for the permits which

would allow the maximum of 18,000 k's per set of axles. As of now, they have been restored.

Since the road over the dam is the Department of Highways jurisdiction, a call to the Selkirk office informed this reporter that the restrictions were just a precautionary measure, and that the Department of Highways bridges division would provide more information.

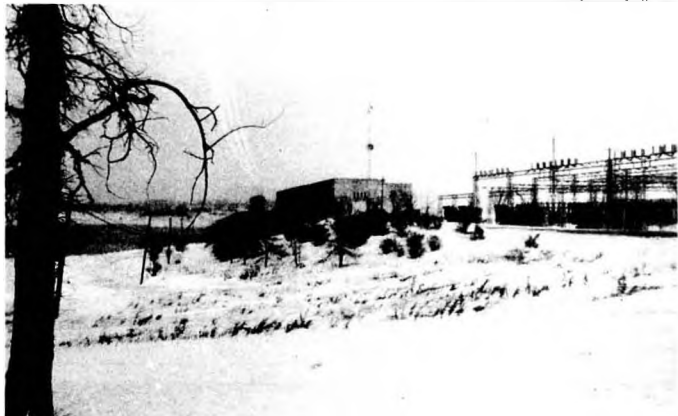
Mr. DePauw, of the Department of Highways, Bridges, said that there was some concern at first. Inspections carried out with both departments and the engineers, showed a flaking away of the surface cement, mainly under the sidewalk which runs along the length of the bridge. The cement was flaking away much the same as happens to the surface foundation of a house. This is not a serious problem and will be remedied in the spring. Mr. DePauw said that Hydro makes regular inspections in conjunction with the Highways Department which maintains the roadway across the bridge. "It's always best to clarify the situation immediately for the public," he said. "The structure is perfectly safe."

The hydro dam in our midst, that we seem to take for granted, has some interesting information behind it. For those who may have worked at the time of construction, here is a little summary of information and statistical data that will be of interest.

The construction of the power plant on the Winnipeg River was one of the main recommendations of the Manitoba Water and Power Commission of 1948. The Government of Manitoba was to obtain engineering data immediately, and legislative authority was provided early in 1948 to have this work carried out under the direction of the Hon. J.S. McDiarmid, who was Minister of Mines and Natural Resources. By July of 1948, engineering work was underway, and by the end of the year, tenders were called with some contracts let out for the heavy equipment that was required.

By May of 1949, the main construction contract had been let out to the Foundation Co. Ltd., of Montreal, associated with Bird Construction Co. of Winnipeg. Camp construction and cofferdam work was started in

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The Pine Falls Hydro station shown with a portion of Highway No. 304, which crosses the dam on the Winnipeg River. Now that restrictions have been lifted pulp trucks are once again hauling full weight.

# Happy New Year!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Paper Kings** — Meet Fort Alexander Braves in Pine Falls, Friday, January 9 at 8:00 p.m. and January 10 in St. Andrew's against the Aces.

**Duck Lake Ski Club** — 2-day clinic, January 11 — waxing and diagonal stride, January 25 — double poling and downhill technique. Call Vince Keenan 367-8390 for more information.

**4P Festival meeting** — Every first Monday of the month 7:00 p.m. in the Townsite Office in Pine Falls.

**Scout meetings** — Every Wednesday night at 7:00 p.m.

**Adult Day Care** — Meetings every first Tuesday of each month at 8:30 p.m. at the Townsite office in Pine Falls.

**Le Petit Soleil** — Parents' meeting is every third Monday, 7:30 p.m. at Le Petit Soleil, St. Georges Community Centre.

**Three Bears Day Care board of directors meeting** — will take place the first Wednesday of every month starting in January.

**Pine Falls Public Library** — Open Mondays and Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m.; Pine Falls School. Come out and borrow some books!

**Allard Library** — Open every Tues., Wed., Thurs. and Fri. 1:00-4:30 p.m.; Wed. and Thurs. 6:30-8:00 p.m.; and Sat. 10:30 a.m.-12:30.

**Winnipeg River Historical Project** — 7:00 p.m. every second Wednesday at St. Georges Allard Library.

**Winnipeg River Lions Club** — Every second Wednesday of the month, 6:30 p.m., St. Georges Community Club. Supper meeting.

**Winnipeg River Lions Club** — Every fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., St. Georges Community Club.

**Maultu. Rapids Arts Council** — Every second Monday of the month, 7:30 p.m., Townsite Office, Pine Falls.

**Pine Falls Horticultural Society** — Every first Tuesday of the month, 7:00 p.m., Golden Leisure Club, Pine Falls. Everyone welcome.

**Winnipeg River Women's Institute** — Every third Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Library Allard, St. Georges. Everyone welcome.

**Lazy Lopers 4-H Club** — Every fourth Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Library Allard, St. Georges. Everyone welcome.

**Chibbage tournament** — First Monday of every month, 1:30 p.m., Golden Leisure Club, Pine Falls.

**Pine Falls Health Auxiliaries** — Every fourth Tuesday of the month, 2:00 p.m., Pine Falls General Hospital board room, Pine Falls.

**Brownies and Girl Guides** — Every Thursday, United Church Hall, Pine Falls.

**St. Georges Sand Bag League** — Every Thursday, 7:30 p.m., St. Georges Church basement.

**Great Falls Women's Institute** — Every first Thursday of the month, 7:30 p.m., Great Falls Hall.

## Church Directory

St. Theresa Church  
Pine Falls

Sunday  
10:30 a.m. — Mass  
4:30 p.m. — Mass

PINE FALLS UNITED  
CHURCH  
Reverend Pat Hall

Sunday — 11:00 a.m.

## COMMUNITY NEWS BRIEFS

by Dess Trudell

Visiting with their family over the Christmas holidays were Alister Rodger and his fiancée, Sue Matyca and Jimmy Rodger and his friend Sue Rohrlach. They live in Calgary and are the sons of Ian and Janet Rodger of Pine Falls.

Also home visiting the Bourier family were their sons Bob and Bill, as well as Stuart and Helen Hutchinson of Winnipeg. They had a nice Christmas with their family, and New Year's.

Congratulations to George and Jean Bodley of Pine Falls, who have celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on December 31. They had their family and friends with them at the Papertown for a celebration dinner. Their son Garth and their daughter Sharon who came from Kelowna, B.C., both spent this time with them.

For this Christmas season and into the New Year, there were a lot of out-of-town friends and families visiting in our area. At the New Year's dance they would have the opportunity to visit old friends and catch up on what's happened over the years. There were a few faces in the crowds that were making the rounds, like Gaye and Leshe, home for the holidays.

Congratulations to the newly weds, Betty and Darren Blatz, who were married in Flin Flon on December 27. Anniversary congratulations to Joe and Jeanette Hawranick, who will be on holidays in Texas. Also travelling to the sunny south, leaving this mild Manitoba winter behind, will be the Dufours.

### Engagement notice



**Dowling - Nault**  
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dowling are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dawn Leeann to Robert Gerard Nault, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Nault. The wedding will take place in August of 1987.

They enjoy the relaxed, "stop and look around" way of travelling, and take plenty of time getting there. That's half the fun!

By now, of course, some vacationers will start to return from their ski holidays and from Las Vegas. It's hard to come back sometimes.

Reminder: Winnipeg River Historical Project meets on January 14 in St. Georges.

I leave you with this thought...A conference is a gathering of important people who singly can do nothing, but together can decide that nothing can be done.

### Wedding announcement

Blatz - Lengyel

Carol and Harry Blatz would like to announce the marriage of their son Darren to Betty Lengyel of Flin Flon, Man.

The wedding took place on December 27 in Flin Flon.

### THANK YOU

On behalf of the Christmas hamper committee, we would like to thank everyone who donated or helped in any way. Special thanks to The Bay, Winnipeg River Lions Club, Knights of Columbus, Mill Council, and the Coronation Rebekah Lodge.

Thank you.

Powerview Ladies Auxiliary

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# NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

from our leaders

## The Lieutenant-Governor's New Year's message



George Johnson

New Year's Day is, in every sense, the Gate of the Year. It is a time when we can look back and reflect on our achievements, and more importantly a time to look ahead to the challenges and opportunities of the new year.

The year 1987 is of course a special one for my wife and myself. It will be our first year in Government House; with it comes the chance to meet many Manitobans and to re-affirm the spirit of warmth, of friendship and of hope that is so much a part of the life of our province.

For each of you I ask that the New Year will be a fulfilling one, enriched with friendship and happiness.

George Johnson

## Premier's New Year's message

As we enter 1987 — the final third of the challenging decade of the Eighties — Manitoba, like the rest of the nation, faces some serious challenges. But because of the very spirit and determination of our province we can look ahead with hope and confidence.

Our real strength lies in our people — energetic, dedicated people — aided by the stability of our economy, the opportunities for growth and development, the richness of our natural and agricultural resources, and the broad economic base of the province.

We look to these strengths to enable us, together, to reach new heights of social and economic achievement, and make our tomorrows even brighter.

In this atmosphere of hope and expectation, I wish each of you happiness, success and good

health in the days that lie ahead.  
Howard Pawley



Howard Pawley

## Greetings from the Leader of the Manitoba Progressive Conservative

As 1986 draws to a close, we pause from our busy day-to-day activities to celebrate with our friends and loved ones. We take time to reflect on the past year, our successes, our disappointments and our hopes for the future.

As we reflect, we give thanks for the good fortune of living in a democratic society and we think of those less fortunate than ourselves, those who live in countries where human rights and freedom of speech do not exist.

While we pray for inspirational and revitalization to face the challenge of improving the quality of life for Manitobans, we also must resolve to work together to improve the standard of living for all humanity, and with renewed strength commit ourselves to achieve the goal of "Peace on Earth".





At this special time of year, I would like to extend on behalf of my wife, Janice, and our family, our very best wishes to you and your family for a new year of health, happiness and prosperity!



Gary Filmon

# New Year's FOOD SPECIALS

## GROCERY BUYS:

	PORK 'N BEANS Heinz, asst'd, 398 mL	.. .79
	PICKLES Heinz, bread 'n butter, sweet mixed, baby dills, 1 L	.. 2.19
	JUICE Del Monte, asst'd, pure, 250 mL	3/1.35
	TOMATOES Aymer, choice, 540 mL	2/1.49
	KETCHUP Heinz, 1 L squeeze	.. 3.19
	DICED FRUIT Del Monte, asst'd, 4 x 5 oz. pkg	.. 1.95
	PASTA IN TOMATO SAUCE Libby's, spaghetti, alphantetti, zoodles, smurf-a-getti, 398 mL	.. .79
	FABRIC SOFTENER Snuggly, 1 L	.. 1.49
	PAPER TOWELS Scott towels, "Big Guy", 2 roll pkg	.. 2.19
	SOUP MIX Lipton, chicken noodle, 4 pak	.. 1.59
	LOTS-A-NOODLES Lipton, oriental, beef or chicken	.. 1.07
	BAR SOAP Zest, 3 bar bath or 4 bar complexion	.. 2.09
	MINI PUDDINGS Nestle's, asst'd 4 pak	.. 1.79
	LEMON PIE FILLING Jell-O, 340 g (Redeem instant 40c coupon available on each package)	.. 1.89
	CONVERTED RICE Uncle Ben's, 900 g	.. 2.29
	CEREAL Post, honeycomb, 400 g	.. 2.29
	HORSERADISH or BEET RELISH Elman's, 250 mL	.. 1.39
	FRUIT DRINK Tang, apple, citrus blend or pineapple-grapefruit, 2 pak	.. .99
	ROASTED COFFEE Maxwell House, asst'd grinds, 369 g	.. 2.89
	MARGARINE Imperial, soft, 907 g tub	.. 1.89
	MILD CHEDDAR CHEESE Black Diamond, 450 g	.. 3.69
	MEDIUM CHEDDAR CHEESE Black Diamond, 450 g	.. 3.89
	OLD CHEDDAR CHEESE Black Diamond, 450 g	.. 4.19
	FRENCH BREAD Weston's Dietrich, 570 g	.. 1.13
	SCONE ROLLS Weston's, white or whole wheat, 12's	.. 1.59
	NOODLES & SAUCE Lipton, asst'd	.. .98

## SEALTEST/ SILVERWOODS:

ICE CREAM TREATS Oh Henry, 8 pak	.. 3.95
YOGURT Light 'n Lively, 175 g, asst'd	.. .69

## PRODUCE:

TOMATOES Medium size, (1.08 kg)	lb. .49
TURNIPS Waxed, (.51 kg)	lb. .23
RADISHES	pkg. .29
APPLES Red Delicious, (.95 kg)	lb. .43
KIWI FRUIT	3/1.00
PEARS (1.30 kg)	lb. .59

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# DANCYT'S FOODS

## BONUS BUYS:

	BATHROOM TISSUE Purex, champagne or white, 8 roll pkg	.. 2.98
	ORANGE JUICE Libby's, unsweetened, 1.36 L ea.	.. 1.59
	CHOCOLATE CHIPS Baker's, semi-sweet, 350 g	.. 1.49
	CHOCOLATE DRINK MIX Nestle's Quick, economical 1 kg (Redeem instant 50c coupon on package and receive product for \$2.69)	.. 3.19
	MILKSHAKE Farmer's Shake, chocolate, vanilla or strawberry, 200 mL, 3 pak	.. .99
	INSTANT COFFEE Maxwell House, 227 g	.. 4.98

## MEXICASA MEXICAN FOOD PRODUCTS:

SUPER TACO SHELLS 185 g	.. 1.89
NACHO CHIPS 200 g	.. 1.69
TACO TRIO 205 g	.. 2.19

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### BEEF: Cut From Canada Grade "A" Beef

CROSS RIB ROAST Semi-boneless, (4.39 kg)	lb. 1.99
CHUCK BLADE ROAST Blade bone removed, (3.95 kg)	lb. 1.79
BLADE STEAK Marinate for tenderness, (3.73 kg)	lb. 1.69
ROUND BONE POT ROAST (3.51 kg)	lb. 1.59
GROUND BEEF Regular grind, freshly minced, (3.06 kg)	lb. 1.39



### "Burns Week" featuring:

SIDE BACON CHUNKS Rindless, (5.92 kg)	lb. 2.69
SAUSAGES Pork, beef or breakfast, bulk pak, (3.29 kg)	lb. 1.49
SMOKIE DOGS 450 g pkg.	2.19
BEEF BURGERS Frozen, bulk pak, 100 g portions, (3.73 kg) lb.	1.69
DINNER HAMS Regular or round, boneless, (6.59 kg) lb.	2.99
GARLIC SAUSAGE Campfire coil, bulk pak, (3.06 kg)	lb. 1.39
BACON Pride of Canada or Shamrock, 500 g pkg.	.. 2.88
COOKED HAM Sliced	..55 per 100 g
CORNED BEEF LOAF Cooked, sliced or shaved	..97 per 100 g
KOLBASSA Ham sausage loaf	..59 per 100 g
PORK 'N BACON LOAF Sliced	..49 per 100 g
SALAMI Sliced or by the piece	..42 per 100 g



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### LdB, Powerview electors pay more

Dear Editor:

Recently 525 petitioners in the Whitemouth, Lac du Bonnet and Powerview areas asked the Minister of Education to split the Agassiz School Division in order to separate Beausejour and Brokenhead from these three areas.

Hearings by the board of reference were held in November in four of the communities. Some 40 briefs were submitted "for and against" the split. The Agassiz School Division is the second largest geographically sized school division in Manitoba. It stretches over 120 miles from north to south, has 11 school trustees and operates with a budget of more than \$10,000,000 annually.

Now that the dust is settling after the hearings of the board of reference, maybe the final few facts on how much in school tax dollars that each elector (ratepayer) really pays within the ward in which they reside should be told.

Recently Gary Plohma, trustee of the Beausejour area wrote to the editor to explain the number of electors, students and trustees in each ward. That was very interesting but the tax dollars we pay are of more interest to me as a ratepayer and how and where they are spent matters to us all.

I have simply used the number of electors in each ward within the Agassiz School Division and the actual 1986 school taxes from each ward within the Agassiz School Division through the respective municipalities. The school taxes in each ward divided by the number of electors (ratepayers) yields an average

which has been shown in the summary below as \$181.34 paid to Agassiz School Division, on average, by each elector in the division. You will note that Whitemouth/Reynolds pays around the average per elector within the whole of the division. However, both Lac du Bonnet and Powerview pay far in excess of the average per elector, while Beausejour and Brokenhead electors get by with a lot less than the average over the whole division as follows:

Ward 4 (Lac du Bonnet) — 2029 electors, 1986 Agassiz School taxes \$445,174.17, average school tax paid/elector \$219.40; Ward 3 (Powerview/St. Georges) — 1428 electors, 1986 taxes \$283,735.35, average tax/elector \$198.69;

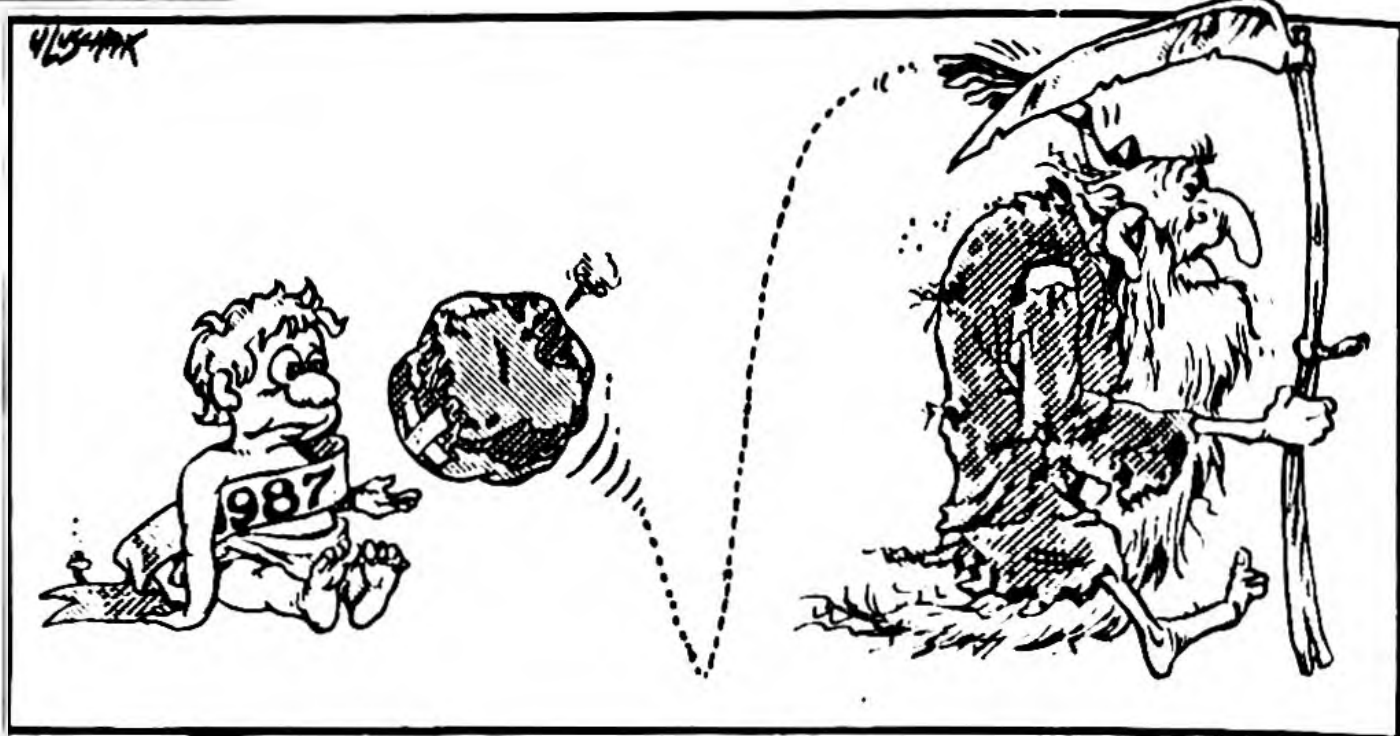
Ward 5 (Whitemouth/Reynolds) — 1828 electors, 1986 taxes \$326,636.35, average tax/elector \$178.68;

Ward 2 (Brokenhead) — 3082 electors, 1986 taxes 521,310.95, average tax/elector \$169.14;

Ward 1 (Beausejour) — 1951 electors, 1986 taxes \$274,718.18, average tax/elector \$140.00;

Totals — 10,318 electors, 1986 taxes \$1,851,575.00, average tax/elector \$181.34 (average).

Residents of Lac du Bonnet and Powerview, if you really feel that it is worth paying far in excess of the average of \$181.34 per elector, every year, to stay with Beausejour and Brokenhead in the Agassiz School Division, then so be it. What the petitioners for the split of the Agassiz School Division have attempted to show the citizens of the Lac du Bonnet and Powerview areas is, that we are paying a premium in school tax dollars while those in



"ALL YOURS, KIDI"

### No split for Agassiz *continued from page 1*

The division of assets and liabilities between the proposed corporations, and the Board of Reference is of the opinion that it is not in the interests of the education of pupils of the school division to divide the school division or establish new

Beausejour and Brokenhead have, are and will, unless the division is split, pay far less than us here on after.

For those citizens so adamantly opposed to the split of the division, keep signing those property tax cheques each tax year, remembering that it's costing you, on average, an extra \$50 per elector per year (\$100 per household) more than the average ratepayers living in Beausejour and Brokenhead, just to say you are part of the Agassiz School Division. Have you ever been led down the garden path!

Vivian L. Wasywich  
Concerned parent, citizen  
and ratepayer

school divisions under circumstances existing in the province at the present time, the request was denied.

The costs incurred relative to the hearing shall not be charged to the petitioners, the division or any municipality, while costs incurred by individuals relative to their own presentations will be their own responsibility.

The award included the observations that in this and other hearings, those on either side of the argument have concerns regarding school divisions, boundaries, trustee and ward

representation. The present system came out of the Manitoba Royal Commission Report on education (1959) and the subsequent Unitary School Division program introduced in 1967.

The Board of Reference suggested that the system be "re-examined in the light of the experience since that time and in the light of existing circumstances".

When the award was presented to the Agassiz trustees at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening, there was no comment from any of the board members.

## Happy New Year from MTS

Christmas was just nicely over when Manitoba Telephone System announced it had made application to the Public Utilities Board for rate increases.

The utility cited five main reasons for increases including the usual "inflationary pressures" and another "increase in operating and capital costs associated with the unusually high level of new development in the province..."

It also mentions "anticipated MTX losses" that will be written off against retained earnings of \$115 million.

Winnipeggers will pay an additional 90¢ each month while their country cousins will be hit for only 60¢ and businesses an additional \$2.20 and 95¢. Hardly a large enough increase to break a family, or a business.

There, quite obviously, would be no need for increases whatsoever if it were not for the major bungling of the MTS executives and the millions they subsequently lost in the MTX liasco and other bad business deals.

We understand that from time to time rate increases are a necessary evil but even a slight increase makes us rather angry when employees of a publicly owned corporation mismanage that company and its funds.

— R.P.



## INSIDE THE LEGISLATURE

by Russell Doern

### Christmas presents

This Christmas, Santa brought presents for three good little Tory girls and boys.

The first gift was the lieutenant-governorship. George Johnson had no opposition and daughter Janice had lobbied hard with personal pals Brian and Mila. Sterling Lyon wasn't interested. Sid Spivak passed. Being the L-G is not the sort of position that would appeal to the dynamic duo; the regal rep cuts ribbons and entertains large numbers of people at Government House.

Johnson was a popular cabinet minister. Although he ran for the PC leadership in 1967, he came out of the race with no enemies.

The senate seat was a tough choice: Lyon or Spivak? The two had been bitter opponents since their leadership clash.

As a staunch Mulroney backer, Sid Spivak had more clout; however, the successful businessman may not have wanted to be kicked upstairs just yet. The next best thing would be an appointment for wife Mira.

Mira Spivak served as chairperson of the Winnipeg School Board and was active in the community and the social swirl. She is bright, talkative and a proponent of women's rights. A Red Tory like her hus-

band, she will be a voice, not a vacuum.

The Ukrainian community was offended by its loss of a representative in the senate. Lyonites were dismayed that their man had been passed. Since Mulroney appointed three out of four women to the upper chamber, it was clear what the guiding principle was.

An opening of the Manitoba Court of Appeal completed the triad.

Although there was some carping from old opponents Roland Penner and the Franco-Manitoban Society — leftovers from the battle over bilingualism — the case for Lyon was strong. He had served as Attorney-General and premier. He was a strong debater with a sharp legal mind. D.L. Campbell once stated that no man was better prepared for the premiership than Sterling Lyon.

At 60, Lyon could look forward to a 15 year term on the bench at \$105,000 a year.

In the last analysis, a balance had been achieved between the left-wing Red Tories like Spivak and Filmon and such right-wingers as Lyon, Ransom and Orchard.

There were no sheepish looks or apologies, since each appointee had good credentials.

Sid Spivak could claim his reward at a later date.

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# KINGS BOUNCE BACK TO GAIN THE SPLIT

## Pine Falls Paper Kings vs Lac du Bonnet Blues Tuesday, Dec. 23

The Paper Kings went to Lac du Bonnet and faced a much improved Blues team that was fighting for a playoff spot. A Paper Kings win would have put them in a deep hole, but they were much hungrier for the win. They were all over the Kings in the first period, as the Kings played with as much aggressiveness as if they were waltzing with their grandmothers. Only the strong goaltending of Laurent Raymond prevented the Blues from scoring more than three goals in the first period.

The Kings got back into the game in the second period as Norman Dube and Trevor Sokoloski each scored one. The Blues managed to tally one more, taking the 4-2 lead into the third.

The Kings weren't much of a threat in the third, when they were caught running around in their own end. The Blues made it 5-2 at the 9:09 mark of the third, and that's when frustration set in. Mark Nolin was sent to the showers soon after, as he was ejected for fighting with Mike Williams, a player who is becoming known for starting fights and laying on the ice covering up his head.

The score stayed 5-2 until the 18:55 mark, when Sheldon Enfield scored to make it 5-3. The Kings pulled their goalie in the last minute, hoping to score two quick goals, but Christmas did not come early for the Kings. The Blues scored into the empty net at 44 seconds left to play, ensuring their first victory over the Kings in three starts this season. The loss dropped the Kings record to 6-5. Their next game was against the league leading Gimli Wolves on Sunday, December 28, 1986 in Gimli.

Omar Vincent was the winner of the Paper Kings \$100.00 pool.

## Paper Kings vs Gimli Wolves

Sunday, Dec. 28, Gimli Arena

The Paper Kings travelled to

Gimli Sunday afternoon and pulled out a 8-7 overtime thriller. It was Trevor Sokoloski's second goal of the night at the 2:00 minute mark, of the extra frame that lifted the Paper Kings over the Wolves. Sokoloski's heroics enabled the Kings to snap a two game losing streak. The win lifts the Kings playoff hopes, putting their record to 7-5, and has moved them back into a first place tie with Gimli. Although Gimli has three games in hand on Pine Falls, the Wolves sport a 7-2 record.

Gimli opened the scoring just five minutes into the game, and at the midway point of the first, they had stretched their lead to 2-0. Trevor put the Kings on the scoreboard with just six minutes left in the opening frame, to cut the Gimli margin in half. With just 35 seconds left, Gimli scored a goal to lead 3-1 after one period of play.

Gimli marksmen in this period were: Joe Kravty, Neil Firman and Bruce Giesbrecht.

The Kings opened the scoring in the second when Leonard Berthelette pounced on a rebound in front of the Gimli goal. Gimli regained their two goal lead at the 11:40 mark when on a two on one, Mark Biluk scored on Paper Kings goalie, Pat Arsenault. Mel made the mistake of taunting Pat, which sparked an outburst of violence. This resulted in Mike Osis receiving a five minute fighting major and a game misconduct. Gimli's Neil Firman received a five minute high sticking penalty and gross misconduct.

The incident sparked the Kings, as they scored three goals in a span of two minutes. Rollie Meade scored his first goal in a Paper Kings uniform, as Brian Cyr won the face off in the Wolves zone, sent it back to Rollie. His hard slap shot found the bottom corner. At the 15:22 mark, just a minute later, Brian Cyr tied the game. The Kings took the lead for the first time in the game when, 23 seconds later, Denten Normand tipped in a perfect pass from Dwayne Fardill to round out the scoring in

the second.

The Kings took their 5-4 lead into the third, but it was short lived, as Gimli Wolves tied the score 5-5 on the first shift. The Kings regained the lead at 7:13 when Dale Lamoureux set up Sheldon Enfield to make the score 6-5. Gimli tied the score again at 11:07 to make it 6-6.

The Kings took the lead again when Rollie Meade blasted a shot through the pads of the Gimli goalie for Rollie's second goal of the game. The Kings led 7-6 with five minutes left to play. They held the lead up until the last minute of the game, when Gimli pulled their goalie in favour of another attacker. The Kings shot the puck down the ice and the puck hit the goal post with 22 seconds left in the period when the linesman mistakenly blew the whistle. The play died and the face off was at centre ice.

On the face off, the puck went into the Kings end and the Wolves swarmed in. Don Klym picked up the loose puck and beat Pat Arsenault to tie the game at 7-7 and send it into overtime.

The Wolves had the first chance to score in overtime, when on a three on three situation, Gimli sniper Mel Biluk carried the puck into the Kings zone. Only a clutch save by Arsenault kept the puck out of the net and forced a face off. The Kings countered with Brian Cyr to take advantage of the open ice. On the face off he gained control of the puck and raced down the ice, two on one, with Trevor Sokoloski. He fed a perfect goal-mouth pass to Trevor who made no mistake beating the Gimli goalie for the winning goal. The rest of the Kings poured onto the ice to celebrate their biggest win of the season.

Both teams served 11 minor penalties and one major, as well as a game misconduct each.

The Kings' next game is on Friday, January 9, 1987. It will be in the Pine Falls Arena at 8:00 p.m. against the Fort Alexander Braves. On Saturday, January 10 they will travel to St. Andrews to play the Aces.

## Minor PeeWees news

The Minor PeeWees have continued to show progress in a game of skating and passing skills. They are now starting to test their abilities in body contact, which has proven to be a new experience for a number of players. An appropriate balance will certainly make for entertaining hockey; from a spectator's point of view. The Minor PeeWees are planning to enter a

tournament mid-January in Eriksdale, Man.

As the league games illustrate, Kevin Boulet has had some outstanding performances in net.

League games to date: Pineview 4 Beausejour 1, Pineview 3 Pinawa 0, Pineview 3 Beausejour 0, Pineview 5 Lac du Bonnet 0, Minor Pineview 2 Major Pineview 6.

## Pine Falls Five Pin Bowling League news

The ladies' high games were: Ina Berthelette 276, Vida Henderson 256, Flo Vincent 253, Shirley Adams 230, Elsie Pieterle 227, Doris Kahle 224 and Helen Kush 223.

The men's high games were: Pat Papineau 312, Don Powell 302, Phil Duff 256, Omer Vincent 234, Pete Richardson 233 and Ron Adams 226.

The female bowler of the week was Vida Henderson for her single game of 256 which is 112

pins over her average.

The male bowler of the week was Pat Papineau for his single game of 312 which is 96 pins over his average.

Don Powell bowled a triple score of 835 this week. This is now the league record for the men's high triple score.

The Legion Special was won by the Adams' team for their single game of 1171.

The Potras Special was won by the Challenders for their triple score of 3429.

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## Duck Lake Ski Club news

by Cathleen Thurston

The special events coordinator of the Duck Lake Ski Club would like to announce a two-day ski clinic. The first day of the clinic will be Sunday, January 11 and will cover waxing and the diagonal stride. The second day will be Sunday, January 25 and will cover double-poling with a kick and downhill technique, weather permitting.

Please note that both days of this clinic are entirely different from each other, so when you register please do so for both dates. The clinics are free of charge for all ski club members, but there are only twelve places available so do register early.

Please call Vince Keenan at 8390 to register or for more information.

The tentative date for the Maskwa pot-luck supper is Sunday, February 8. More about that at a later date.

Happy skiing!

## POLICE REPORT

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to and a snowmobile and four-wheeler were stolen as well as a quantity of liquor. Police have charged 15 and 18 year old males with break, enter and theft.

At 7:00 a.m. police arrested a 22 year old female for assaulting her 72 year old grandmother.

On Boxing Day, December 26 at 8:30 p.m., two Selkirk men, 33 and 34 years old, were arrested for smashing out the windows of three cars parked at the Paper-town Motel.

On December 28 a snowmobile accident at Belair Properties resulted in serious injuries to a 26 year old Winnipeg man. After hitting a hydro pole, he suffered fractures to his leg, skull and arm. He remains in Selkirk General Hospital.

On Saturday, December 27 during a wedding party at Pine Falls Legion Hall, a woman's bright blue virgin wool coat was stolen.

Overnight on December 28-29, the main shed at Sakgeeng School was broken into and several Black & Decker tools were stolen: one jig saw, one grinder, two electric drills, and one cordless drill were taken.

Sometime between December 24 and 29, stereo equipment was stolen from the St. Georges Community Centre. All equipment was Sanyo make: amplifiers, cassette deck, turntable and two speakers.

On January 3, 1987 at 2:00 p.m., at a snowmobile race held at Traverse Bay, a 24 year old North Dakota man hit a drift and was thrown from his machine. He suffered a broken ankle and wrist.

Over the month, December 6 to January, police reported that after 1,000 car checks, there were 13 charges laid, three impaired and six 8-hour suspensions. Most of these were during the first two weeks the ALERT program was in effect. This showed such a marked improvement that RCMP plan to continue the ALERT road blocks throughout the year.

Of the nine liquor licenses for socials for New Year's, there was such a positive report — one impaired. They feel the positive results far outweigh the minor inconveniences and will continue to encourage the *Designated Driver* and *Walk if you Drink* campaign to ensure our safety all year.

## LGD of Alexander minutes

by Dess Trudell

At the regular and final meeting of 1986, the LGD of Alexander council dealt mainly with unfinished business. The applications for Public Works foreman were narrowed down to three, with the final selection being Garry Hlatky of Stead. The ability to manage, handle reports, operate the necessary machinery and deal with the public seemed to best qualify Garry for this position.

The proposal by CRTC to increase the radio license fees will be for at least an amount 10 times higher than the nominal fee paid at present for mobile radios used by those employed within the LGD. Private users do pay considerably more.

Amalgamation or closure of the rural post offices were discussed and opposed. This could pose considerable problems for several residents and smaller towns such as St. Georges, Great Falls and Power-view. Most of the locals do their banking at the post offices also, and closure could mean some hardship for those in outlying areas. It would them become necessary to bank and conduct

other business in Pine Falls, for instance, where the nearest bank is located, or Lac du Bonnet.

The fact that there has been an increase in postal users in St. Georges alone is encouraging. This could prove important when a decision to close that particular post office comes up. A decision that will definitely have adverse effects.

Construction and maintenance of roads within the LGD of Alexander and Lac du Bonnet constituency is mainly on a cost sharing, 50/50 basis. Grants for continuation of these areas have not been cut as yet, so the 1987-88 budgets have requested the amount of \$73-74,000.00 for maintenance from Department of Highways and Transportation. Meetings with reeves and councillors of areas across Manitoba discussed the possible cuts and costs which would then become full responsibility of LGD's. This could mean an increase of from 10-15 mills for taxpayers. This is approximately \$150,000.00 which will not come from the cost sharing programs as they do now. But until the councils receive word that indicates otherwise, the council of the LGD assumes the budget will remain as it is for 1987-88.

### Local Government District of Alexander Under the Planning Act

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Regarding By-law 826

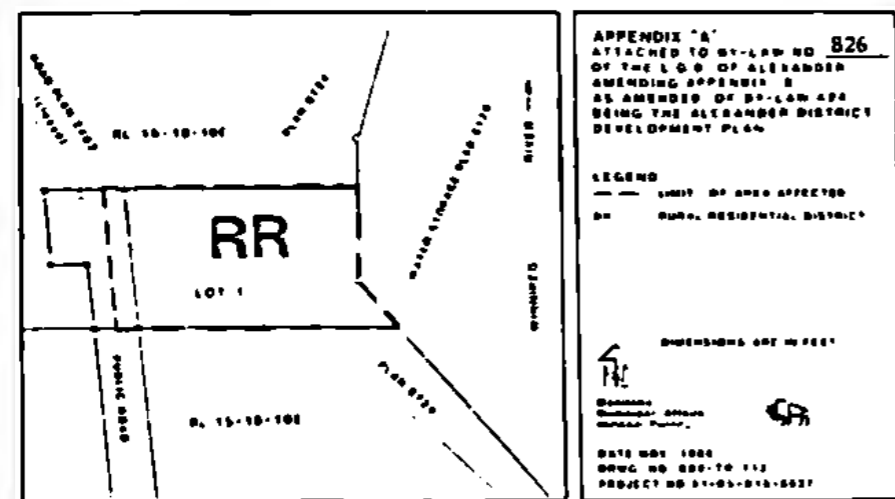
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Reclassify Lot 1 being part of R.L. 16-18-10E, as shown on a plan prepared by T.H. Stevens, M.L.S. and sworn to by him on August 22, 1986

From: Urban Communities  
To: Rural Residential



The area affected is approximately 1/2 mile north of St. Georges on the Winnipeg River.

R. Bouvier  
Resident Administrator  
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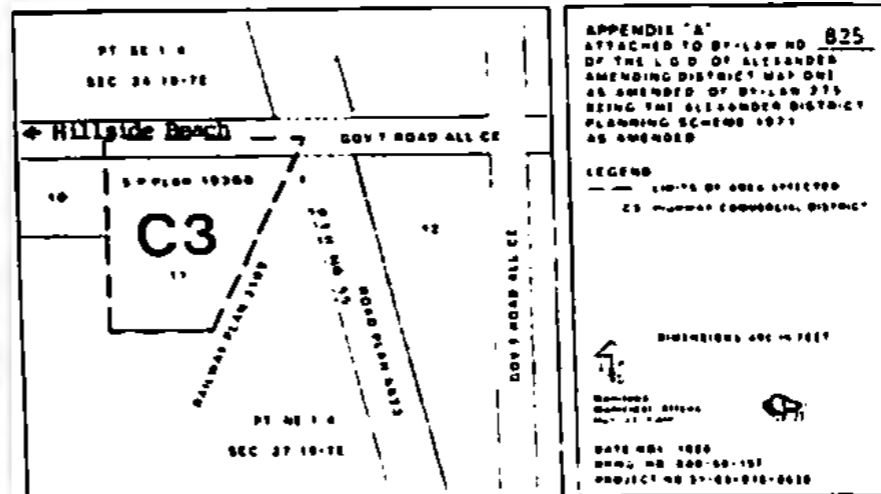
Regarding By-law 825

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The area affected is located along P.T.H. No. 59 approximately 2 miles north of the Junction of P.T.H. No. 59 and P.T.H. No. 11, in the Hillside Beach area.

R. Bouvier  
Resident Administrator  
L.G.D. of Alexander

## Maskwa Snowmobile Club update

A general meeting was held at the clubhouse January 4, 3:00 p.m. Twenty-five members were present. Participation by members appears to be waning and help is becoming scarce for any projects planned. If this keeps up the club could be in its last year of operation. The few active members are finding it's just too much for so few.

A wood cutting bee will be held on January 11, card tournament on the 18th, timed rally on the 25th. The open poker derby is planned for the 14th of February. We are looking for someone to look after the kitchen for that day.

Memberships are available from Jan Pepin and Osis Building Supplies. Anyone with a snowmobile can join and become part of the club. The more members we have the more we can do, strength comes with good active members.

The executives for the 1986-87 season are: president Fred Carlson, 367-2922; vice-president Zeb Meilleur, 367-8003; secretary Eric Carlson; treasurer Dale Hutchison; directors Dave Kemball, Bill Safruk, Bill Hladki, Adelard Pepin, Gunnar Postnick, Marcel Pitre, Carl Vincent, Emerille Papineau, Grant Henderson, Rheel Morissette, Oscar Papineau and Bert Kemball.

Dave Kemball is now in the process of organizing a weekend trail ride to Bissett possibly February 7 and 8. He and his crew will be trying to open up the trail in the near future. Anyone interested in this outing can call Dave at 367-2945 or myself at 367-2922.

# THE FARMERS' CORNER

by R.C. (Jerry) Muffat  
Agricultural Representative  
Manitoba Agriculture  
Beausejour, 268-1411

## Crop situation

Net farm income for 1986 is predicted to be about \$1.7 billion, up from 1985. However, early estimates indicate that net farm income for 1987 could drop as low as \$1 billion. Much of the larger net income in 1986 is related to the large payouts through western grain stabilization, crop insurance, etc. In 1985-86, between 85% and 90% of income was needed to cover input costs alone. For 1986-87, with much lower grain prices, this situation will become more critical.

The world grain glut, along with a price war between the USA and the European economic community, has forced grain prices to very low levels. China is now producing more wheat efficiently. Russia has potential now to increase total production to 210 million tonnes (vs. predicted 180 million tonnes). Less developed, large populated countries, like Brazil, are burdened with heavy debt loads, so will likely limit grain imports. Because of their extremely high subsidies (i.e. up to \$130/tonne for wheat), the EEC are now net exporters to the tune of about a 17% world export share. Despite all this, however, Canada has still maintained its world grain export share at 20%. It indicates that our high quality milling and feed grains are in demand and will still be sold despite very tough competition. It is just too bad there was not a larger premium for high quality, high protein grain, to ensure a fairer price for the Canadian product.

This whole scenario is a sad one for sure, and about the only thing which could turn it around would be a serious world drought, an immediate "cease fire" to the insane subsidy war between the Americans and the EEC, and/or improved world grain trade negotiations to resolve the pricing inadequacies.

The Canadian farmer is caught in the middle, and has little control on this world-wide situation. Some leading producers say that the farm community will respond as follows:

- Purchase less land and machinery. Live off the depreciation, which has serious implications. What happens when the machinery falls apart?
- Turn to more off-farm employment where possible.
- Reduce any cash asset reserves to pay bills and cover living expenses.
- Most do not have enough cash and/or grain to live out a year on summer fallow

land. Summer fallow acreage will likely go up some in total, but it definitely is not recommended in this district.

- More contracted special crops, flax, canola and forage seed will be grown.
- More will use the alternate marketing options, i.e. contract cropping, hedging non-board grain, producer cars, unit trains, private sales.
- Make sure their insurable crops are insured.
- Will maintain recommended levels of fertilizer, because it will pay off as long as quotas permit the levels of deliveries we have had for the past several years.
- Will not cut down on board leaf weed control, but may patch spray for grassy weed killers (i.e. wild oats and green foxtail), because this is where the "big bucks" are spent.
- Reduce tillage in some areas, but must ensure a good seed bed preparation which is essential.

## Farm loans program extended two years

The province's loan guarantee program, which has provided about \$100 million in loan guarantees to more than 1,000 Manitoba farmers since it began in 1983, has been extended to December 31, 1988, Agriculture Minister Bill Uruski has announced.

"The program was originally scheduled to end December 31, 1984, but was extended to December 31 of this year since farmers continued to face adverse economic conditions," said Uruski. "We have decided to extend it for another two years because farmers are still faced with high input costs, low commodity prices and double digit interest rates."

"On several occasions, Manitoba, along with other provinces, asked the federal government to establish a national guaranteed loan program and restore the Farm Credit Corporation to its rightful place as the dominant farm credit agency."

"It was the federal government's refusal to take these steps that compelled the province to extend its own guaranteed operating loans program at provincial expense."

To be eligible for the loan

guarantee program, farmers must have operating credit requirements of \$125,000 or less, possess at least 20 percent equity in a potentially viable farming

operation, be 18 or over, be primarily engaged in farming and be Canadian citizens or landed immigrants residing in Manitoba.

## KAP annual meeting

The third annual meeting of delegates of the Keystone Agricultural Producers Inc. will be held January 14-16, 1987, in the Holiday Inn (downtown), Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Following the registration of delegates, the meeting will be kicked off at 1:00 p.m., January 14, with remarks from federal Agriculture Minister, the Hon. John Wise.

Other speakers slated to address the KAP's meeting include provincial Minister of Agriculture, the Hon. Bill Uruski; Dr. Clay Gilson, U. of Man. (EEC Agricultural Policy); Linda McNair, Manitoba farm women's conference; Walter Kroecker, member of the international trade advisory committee (bilateral trade outlook); and Don Knoerr, president - Canadian Federation of Agriculture.

The KAP's annual meeting could involve up to 186 farmer delegates, twelve from each of

twelve membership districts across the province, and three from each of the KAP's fourteen "group" members. The meeting will debate in excess of 50 resolutions on a wide range of agricultural policy issues.

The KAP's general council will meet during a recess January 15, 1987, to elect the officers (president and two vice-presidents) necessary for the coming year.

The KAP's annual meeting will be open to visitors, with representatives of the news media being welcome, as usual.

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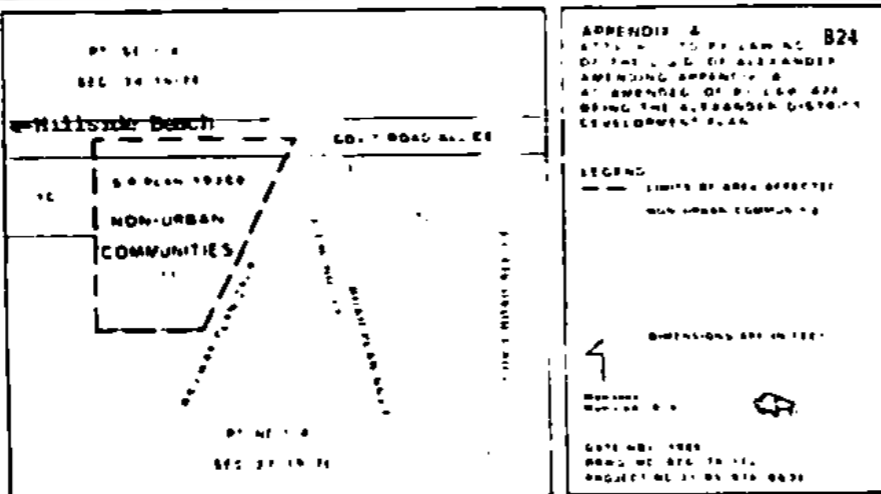
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From: "Natural Environment"  
To: "Non-Urban Development Concentrations"



The area affected is located along P.T.H. No. 59 approximately 2 miles north of the Junction of P.T.H. No. 59 and P.T.H. No. 11, in the Hillside Beach area.

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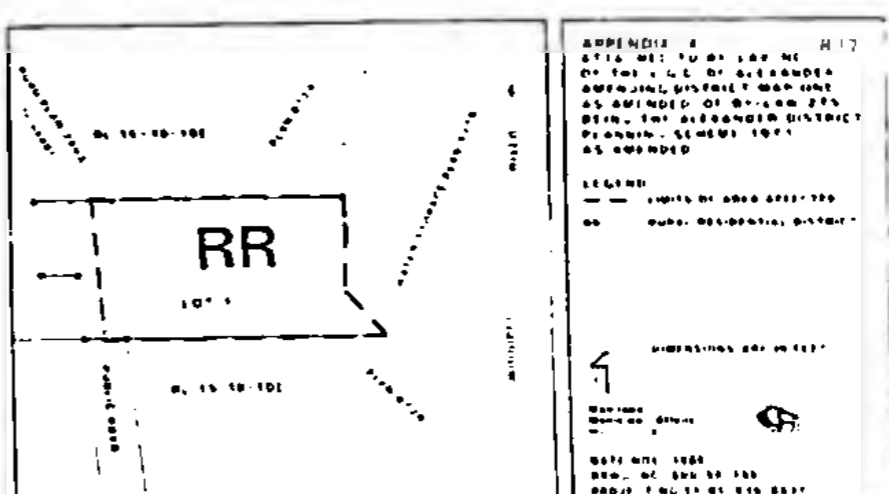
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The Winnipeg River Planning District has a limited number of Background Reports of the WINNIPEG RIVER PLANNING DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT PLAN for sale at \$10.00 each.

The reports are available for purchase at the LGD of Alexander Administration Office during regular office hours.

R. Bouvier  
Secretary-Treasurer  
WINNIPEG RIVER PLANNING DISTRICT



Santa Claus visits Library Allard!

## THE BOOK NOOK

by Mona Bossi

Tinsel and streamers, popcorn garlands and colourful Christmas lanterns festooned the Library Allard reading room making for a very festive atmosphere for the three and four year olds Christmas parties. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Houston led the way with Christmas carols and Santa Claus paid two visits to the library on that day. Sparkling

eyes, smiles and laughter make it a truly full and memorable day for parents and children alike. The New Year's Frolic at the St. Georges Community Club was a great success. Once again the friends of the library outdid themselves with the delicious lunch, a fun-filled atmosphere complete with decorations, noise-makers and even original

and creative paper hats. A sincere and heartfelt thanks to each of you who spent many hours in preparation of this successful event.

The theme in the library is "biographies", so drop in and you're sure to find something of interest to read about.

Remember, January is fine-free month so all those overdue books will be gratefully received with no fines attached!

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## THANK YOU

On behalf of my family and myself I would like to express our deepest gratitude and thanks to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness, thoughtfulness, and sympathy during this difficult time. Many thanks to everyone who attended the funeral service, especially those of you who travelled so far to be there. Your presence meant a great deal to us.

To each of Laurence's friends and "Stardusters" who honoured him as active and honorary pallbearers.

To Rev. Pat Hall, and Canon Whitford for a special service; to Laurence's beloved choir; to St. Theresa's choir participation; and to the organist.

Thank you also to U.C.W. and C.W.U. ladies for the beautiful lunch — we are so grateful to you.

Special thanks to Canon Whitford, Rev. Pat Hall and Father V. Beaulieu for their continued spiritual support during Laurence's four week stay in Pine Falls Hospital.

To Anne Marie Shepherdson, R.N. Dryden, Ont., our good friend who was always here when we called for help.

To Mary and Bill McLeod for their constant caring, their love and prayers. To our good neighbors Myrtle Mackie, Annie and Bruce Kettle and Hans and Audrey Lehman for their support and many acts of kindness to Laurence over the years.

To Jolite Beaulieu a special thank you for spending much time and phone calls to locate as many of the Stardusters as possible.

Thank you to the nursing staff of Pine Falls Hospital, especially to those who treated him with tenderness and as an intelligent human being. Special thanks to the nurse who offered me a cup of tea one night.

Thank you to all who sent flowers, baking and for your donations to the United Church Memorial Fund.

Please know that you all will always be in our thoughts.

Sincerely  
Marium, Merrily, Noel, Kerry and families

## FOCUS ON:

### Vinyl floors are good choice

by Marilyn Zarecki  
Home Economist  
Manitoba Agriculture  
Beausejour, 268-1411

Unless you're considering specialty floors such as ceramic tile or wood, chances are you will choose some type of vinyl resilient flooring. There's good reason for the popularity of vinyl flooring — it's durable, easy to maintain and is available in a wide range of styles and colors. But even within vinyl flooring there are different types and qualities that you will encounter.

If tiling is your choice you'll be looking at vinyl asbestos or pure vinyl tiles. Vinyl asbestos tiles are the most widely used. They are durable, have good resistance to grease, alkali and moisture, and even can be installed on concrete basement floors. Some types are available with self-adhesive backing making installation easy for the do-it-yourselfer. Vinyl asbestos tile floors are easy to maintain. Some are self-polishing while others require occasional waxing. These features combined with relatively low cost make them a practical choice. They are a "best buy" for residential flooring.

Pure vinyl tiles are more expensive than vinyl asbestos tiles but excellent durability, ease of maintenance and a wide choice of colors give them appeal.

There are basically two types of vinyl sheet goods available — inlaid and roto-gravure. Inlaid means that the design extends through the thickness of the material. In roto-gravure flooring, the color and/or pattern are

printed onto a vinyl surface and then sealed with a clear protective coating. The difference could be compared to a fruit cake (inlaid) and a cake with icing (roto-gravure). Both inlaid and roto-gravure flooring can be cushioned. To achieve this, a layer of vinyl foam is incorporated into the material to add comfort underfoot. The cushioning also provides some insulation and sound absorption.

Inlaid flooring is very durable — exceptional in the top grades. It comes in a wide range of styles and colors and is easy to maintain. Waxing is often not needed although occasionally a special dressing may be required to restore the shine. Inlaid vinyl floors range in price from medium to high.

Roto-gravure vinyl wears well but eventually can show surface wear. Quality ranges from utilitarian to premium. The more protective the "wear layer" and the thicker the product, the greater the life expectancy (and the price). Because of the construction of cushioned roto-vinyl, cheaper varieties may tend to puncture and tear. They may also be sensitive to heat (such as from a dropped cigarette). Roto-vinyl floors are easy to maintain with many having a "no-wax" finish that only needs occasional refreshing.

Price-wise roto-gravure vinyl floors range from low to high.

Vinyl floors in general range in price from low to high depending on the kind you buy and the quality you want. Whatever your choice they can be an attractive feature in your home.



1987

### Eastman Winter Games

SPORT	SITE	DATE	TO REGISTER	REGISTRATION FEE
Volleyball	Beausejour	31 Jan.	Eastman Games - Volleyball c/o Peter Dick, Box 1075 Steinbach MB R0A 2A0 326-6524	\$75.00
Mixed Adult Bowling	Steinbach	31 Jan.	Eastman Games - Bowling c/o Walter Neufeld Steinbach MB R0A 2A0 326-6048	\$ T.B.A.
Recreation Midget Hockey	Mitchell	30, 31 Jan. 01 Feb.	Eastman Games - Hockey c/o Cliff Dearborn Box 727, Steinbach MB R0A 2A0 326-1843	\$150.00
Junior Curling Under 16 & Under 13	Pinawa	6, 7 Feb.	Eastman Games - Jr. Curling c/o Harold Bender Pinawa MB R0E 1L0 753-2580	\$48.00 team
Badminton Recreation Badminton	St. Pierre St. Pierre	Feb. 8 Feb. 8	Eastman Games - Badminton c/o Henry Braun, Box 67 Niverville MB R0A 1A0 388-4141	\$7.00 \$7.00
Basketball Mens	Lac du Bonnet	13, 14, 15 Feb.	Eastman Games - Basketball c/o Russ Reid, Lac du Bonnet MB R0E 1A0 345-8476	\$125.00
Basketball Ladies	Lac du Bonnet	13, 14, 15 Feb.	Eastman Games - Basketball c/o Russ Reid	\$75.00
Ringette Novice	Pine Falls	14, 15 Feb.	Eastman Games - Ringette c/o Mary Power, Pine Falls MB R0E 1M0 367-2730	\$100.00
Seniors Adult Bowling	Beausejour	17 Feb.	Eastman Games - Bowling c/o Pat Rattai, Box 184 Beausejour MB R0E 0C0 268-1455	\$ T.B.A.
Ringette Petitees	St. Pierre	20, 21, 22 Feb.	Eastman Games - Ringette c/o Leon Morissette Box 311, St. Pierre MB R0A 1V0 433-7257	\$ T.B.A.
Junior Broomball	Hazletfridge	21 Feb.	Eastman Games - Broomball c/o Bob Sontag, Box 71A Dugald MB R0E 0K0 755-3331	\$100.00
Cross Country Ski	Pine Falls	22 Feb.	Eastman Games - X-C Ski c/o Vince Keenan Pine Falls MB R0E 1M0 367-8390	\$7.00
Cross Country Ski Special Olympics	Pine Falls	22 Feb.	Eastman Games - X-C Ski Special Olympics c/o Vince Keenan	\$5.00

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**Four generations at birthday party**

On December 31, 1986 there were four generations helping celebrate the 91st birthday of Mrs. Florence Bulmer of Pine Falls. Left to right: grandson Adrian Farmer, daughter Mrs. Margaret Farmer, Mrs. Florence Bulmer. Seated in front are great-grandchildren Charlene and Timmy Farmer, all of Pine Falls.

**Florence Bulmer celebrates 91st birthday**

by Dess Tuedell  
Mrs. Florence Bulmer of Pine Falls celebrated her 91st birthday on December 31, 1986, with her family and friends in the home of her daughter, Ann McCracken. She was born in Kendal, Westmoreland, England in 1896. She married John Henry Bulmer on November 11, 1916; widowed in 1943 and in 1948 she immigrated to Canada with her daughter Ann and son John to live in Pine Falls where her daughter Margaret, married to Clayton Farmer lived, and still resides.

There are six children altogether: Jim and Edith in England, and Molly in the USA. There are 21 grandchildren and 52 great-grandchildren, with four generations attending her birthday celebrations.

Mrs. Bulmer takes great pride in her family, as they do in her. She remains very active in the baking and cooking department, with Christmas puddings, cakes and those fiery little pickled onions, that make their way to her children's homes in time for holidays.

She received many beautiful flowers, gifts and plants, as well as many congratulatory messages from friends and her family. Her neighbours and friends stopped in to wish her well throughout the day, and we extend our congratulations to this gracious lady, on this, her 91st birthday. Best wishes and good health in the new year. Happy birthday!

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**NEIGHBORLY NEWS**

by Fred McGuiness  
Box 1020, Brandon R7A 6A3



**Let's play a game called Assume**

Let's play another game of Assume. Ready?

Assume that you are awakened by a burglar. He's making off with your valuables.

Ever so quickly you must select one of three options: wave goodbye, wrestle him to the floor, or load your gun and take a shot.

What the authorities want you to do is wave farewell. Oh, they suggest that you get a good description, or a licence-plate number, but after that they want you to be passive. By these standards, it is foolhardy to get physical, or get a gun.

There are two reasons why the weekly editors are talking about this topic. One is a rising chorus of complaints about the justice system; the second is a matched set of stories. They tell you how merchants are trying frontier-style self-protection.

This reminds the editor of the *Minnedosa Tribune* of an incident a few years ago at Elphinston. A merchant who had been plagued by a series of break-ins, fired his shotgun at a retreating burglar. What happened next is a good-news, bad-news story.

The good part is that he was fined only \$5, but before you start cheering, think of this; he acquired a criminal record along with all those legal expenses. By the way, there was a sharp reduction in the number of burglaries. There's something instructional about buckshot in a burglar's buttocks.

The trial of that Calgary pharmacist who killed an armed robber represents an unusual opportunity for good, in the opinion of the *Hanna Herald*. "Whatever happens in the Kesler case, it affords an opportunity for the courts and the justice system to

make a statement on their own behalf that will restore public confidence."

Some editors have made up their minds. In the *Carlyle Observer* I read that, "If we react as an untamed animal and lash out and destroy either property or human life then we are to blame for our actions and must face the penalties imposed by society." The *Biggar Independent* says, "We cannot ignore the rights of everyone in society, even those of the criminal element."

This raised the subject of rights, and at this point I must introduce Myrna Morris of the *Rose Valley Valley News*. She shoots from the hip.

First a question, "When did things get so screwed up that the attacker has more rights than the victim?"

Then the statement, "Maybe we should deal with crime ourselves. If our rights are violated, we could inform the criminal of his rights to consult a doctor, because he would soon need one." In a similar vein, the *Devon Dispatch* suggests that merchants who arm themselves may just be offering "a reaction to an already too lenient court system".

I am impressed with the thinking of a criminologist whose statement I read in a Montreal daily. He says small stores are robbed with such regularity because they're so vulnerable. The rascals formerly held up banks, until the banks devised security systems which made it unprofitable. The individual proprietors now must think in the same terms.

Now, if you don't mind, perhaps you'll look back at paragraph one and tell me how you voted. Better still, put your opinion in a letter to the editor.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**, pursuant to the Municipal Act, that the Council of the Village of Powerview did sit at the Village office on the 12th day of November, 1986, the execution and completion of a local improvement as described hereunder:

The construction of a new wastewater stabilization pond to service the Village of Powerview and to be located in the South-East Quarter of 19-18-10 E.P.M. approximately 1,500 feet South of the Village of Powerview boundary.

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Village of Powerview has given first reading to the proposed By-law No. 111/86.

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that the proposed By-law has been submitted to the Municipal Board for its approval.

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that the Board has been requested to appoint a time and place for hearing objections to the proposed By-law.

DATED at Powerview, in Manitoba, this 22nd day of December, 1986.

George Harbottle  
Secretary

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## RECREATION NEWS and VIEWS

by Peggy Boyle 367-2533

Welcome back from the land of too much food and too many late nights. I don't know about other people, but my Christmas was just great! I saw a lot of old friends, not so old relatives and lots of green, green grass. Yes, green, green grass and I think it was getting greener. It was a good thing I went back or St. Catharines may not have had any snow at all this winter. It finally snowed two days before I came back, but the streets were bare and dry before I left.

### Seminar on prevention of emotional abuse of children in sports

This worthwhile seminar will be held January 23 and 24, 1987 from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. and 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. in Winnipeg. An exact location will be announced soon. The cost is \$35.00 before January 8, or \$45.00 after January 8.

The organizers believe that it is the responsibility of all of us to do what we can to make all children's experiences in sports as positive as possible. It is the intent of this seminar to approach this topic from the positive side by providing suggestions of how to prevent and treat these occurrences.

The organizers also suggest this seminar would be useful for coaches, counsellors, educators, parents, social workers and any other volunteers involved in youth sports activities.

More information and registration forms can be obtained from the recreation office.

### Are you part of a volunteer board?

There will be a development seminar held January 29, 30, 31, 1987 at Lakeside Camp in Gimli. Each participant will have the chance to take two six-hour workshops from any of the following: volunteers working together, fund-raising and grantmanship, effective meetings, role of the board, time management leadership, financial management, assessing your organization, marketing and finally, long and short term planning.

The cost for the seminar will be \$100.00 (resource materials, food and lodging). Registration must be in by January 15, 1987. For more information or to register, please contact the recreation office or Ms. Anne Deguele, co-ordinator, volunteer board development in Winnipeg, 945-4400.

### Eastman winter games

Time is rolling around again to be preparing yourself or your team for the Eastman winter games. The games will be held in various communities in Eastman and will be completed during the period from January 30 to February 22. The sports involved in the winter games are cross-country skiing (special olympics), broomball (junior), volleyball (recreational), basketball (men's), ringette, badminton, curling (junior), bowling (recrea-

tional and senior) and hockey (recreational, junior). For further information about specific categories to each sport watch for posters, or contact recreation office.

### St. John's ambulance certificates

For all those who participated in the day long course on Sunday, December 14, your certificates are at the recreation office and can be picked up any day from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The recreation office is located in the St. Georges Community Club (right beside the kitchen).

### Finding the fundamentals

This is the title of the Manitoba Association of Manitoba Arts Councils Inc. (MACAC) annual conference being held January 15-18, 1987 at the Fort Garry Hotel in Winnipeg. The conference will cover fundamental administrative issues for community arts organizations. This conference would be of interest to both volunteer and staff. For more information about this conference, contact the Arts Council office or the recreation office.

## Restrictions lifted on bridge

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late May. From the start in July 1948, to its finish in May 1951, the work was under the administration of the Department of Mines and Natural Resources. It has been in use for 36 years.

Located on the Winnipeg River, two miles downstream from Pine Falls, it has a capacity of 114 thousand h.p. with six generating units. The estimated cost was \$23,500,000.00, which included transmission line. The initial power generation was scheduled for November 1951, and scheduled date of completion of the project was the summer of 1952. It was on schedule!

The dam type — reinforced concrete gravity, about 2,000 feet long, 60 feet above the river bed. Crest elevation is 756 feet. The spillway discharge capacity is 140,000 c.f.s. in six sluice gates.

The main items used to build the dam, in approximate quantities were: concrete — 140 thousand cubic yards; rock excavation — 132 thousand cubic yards; solid; cofferdams — 103 thousand cubic yards; cement — 200 thousand barrels (700 railway carloads); reinforcing steel — six million pounds (100 railway carloads); cofferdam timber — six million board feet (200 railway carloads); dyke backfill — 46 thousand cubic yards of earth.

A railroad was built to accommodate the construction, and was dismantled when the project was completed.

The dam is a permanent fixture, and daily traffic hasn't lessened to any extent. To begin to imagine how much we depend on this grant, we must take into consideration the two-fold purpose it serves: the power it generates thanks to the natural velocity of water, and as a means of traversing the mighty river. Contact with others is accomplished in a matter of minutes now, where once it took much longer, and with difficulty.

Some may argue that the construction did destroy much of the shoreline and agriculture land, not to mention the natural beauty of the falls itself. To be fair, we should try to balance the pluses and the minuses. The fact that the electrical power we would not want to do without, more than compensates.

It takes a minor disruption to bring this to our attention. To know the dam is structurally sound is reassuring. No doubt there will continue to be people passing over that bridge for another 35 years. Something else we will be taking for granted.



## WINNIPEG RIVER WINTER CARNIVAL

### Talent Contest & Introduction of Queen Candidates

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19

7:30 p.m., Pine Falls School Gym  
Prizes will be awarded.

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CONTACT: Rolly Berard 8395; or Sonny Sleeman 8315

ENTRY DEADLINE: Friday, February 13

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## Pool Tournament

at

## PINEWOOD HOTEL

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 1987

8:00 p.m.

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A side prize:

★ \$500.00 ★

B side prize:

★ \$150.00 ★

The tournament will be cancelled if less than 25 players are entered.



## Area residents ring in the New Year in fashion

by Dess Trudell

The New Year celebrations were carried out in several community centres this year. With the variety of groups and centres hosting each, a lot of people turned out for this annual event.

In Great Falls, party-goers turned out "en masse" from as far away as Lac du Bonnet. In St. Georges Community Hall they danced to live entertainment, provided by Gilles Boulet and rang in the New Year with a mixed crowd all enjoying the party. In Powerview, the Ol' Timers put on their New Year's frolic at the P.A.A. centre. There was a slight twist to the traditional habit of wearing funny hats, which proved quite a lot of fun, and could become popular at next year's party. Instead of the usual noise makers and hats, everyone was to make their own. The best in the different categories resulted in appropriate liquid prizes!

In Pine Falls the curling club and the Legion Hall hosted parties, as well as the Papertown Motel. Annicinabe Community Centre had a very good turnout also.

With the worry of drinking and driving home afterwards, having several parties spread over the area, ensured almost everybody could enjoy the customary fun, and still be close enough to their homes to walk if necessary. There were some arrangements for rides home as well as the designated drivers. We'll be seeing a lot more of this in the future.

On New Year's Day the Pine Falls branch of the Royal Canadian Legion held their annual levee. The new executive: Thor Kronshaw, Wally Parisian and Butch Boisvert, arranged this gathering. Helen Poitras was, as always, attentive to everyone's needs, as well as Kim Cyr helping serve.

It is a nice custom, and Canon Whitford explained that levee is a custom originating in France during the reign of King Louis. There the people of the court would rouse the king from his bed and toast his health with food and drink. The Legion continues the tradition by toasting the queen. It's a nice tradition and probably very few understand or know the full meaning behind these celebrations.

Some members of the militia were also there, in dress uniform, as was Pipe Major Bill McLeod in full dress kilt.

In centres across Canada this New Year's, each to his own in the manner of celebrating. Here in our own corner of the world we raised our glasses and toasted in a brand new year, wishing all our families and friends here and around the world, peace, good health, and a better future.



Some members of the Pine Falls branch of the RC Legion with new executive and guests attended the annual New Year's Day levee on January 1, 1987. Pictured left to right are: Mrs. Whitford, Arlie McGuire, Bill McGuire, Wally Parisian, Terry and Roland Gelinas, Myrtle Mackie, president Thor Cronshaw, Bev Cronshaw and Canon Whitford.

### Goodbye '86, hello '87

There's only one way to bring in the New Year! Funny hats, noise makers, and the rest was up to you. Winners of best hats were (left to right): Mavis Druzzyk, best women's hat; Fritz Kemball, best men's hat; Sandy and Wayne Martin, best couple's hat; Ingrid David, for a hat that's been around since 1955, and still looks great!



# Pine Falls Sports Shop

January

Inventory Reduction

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