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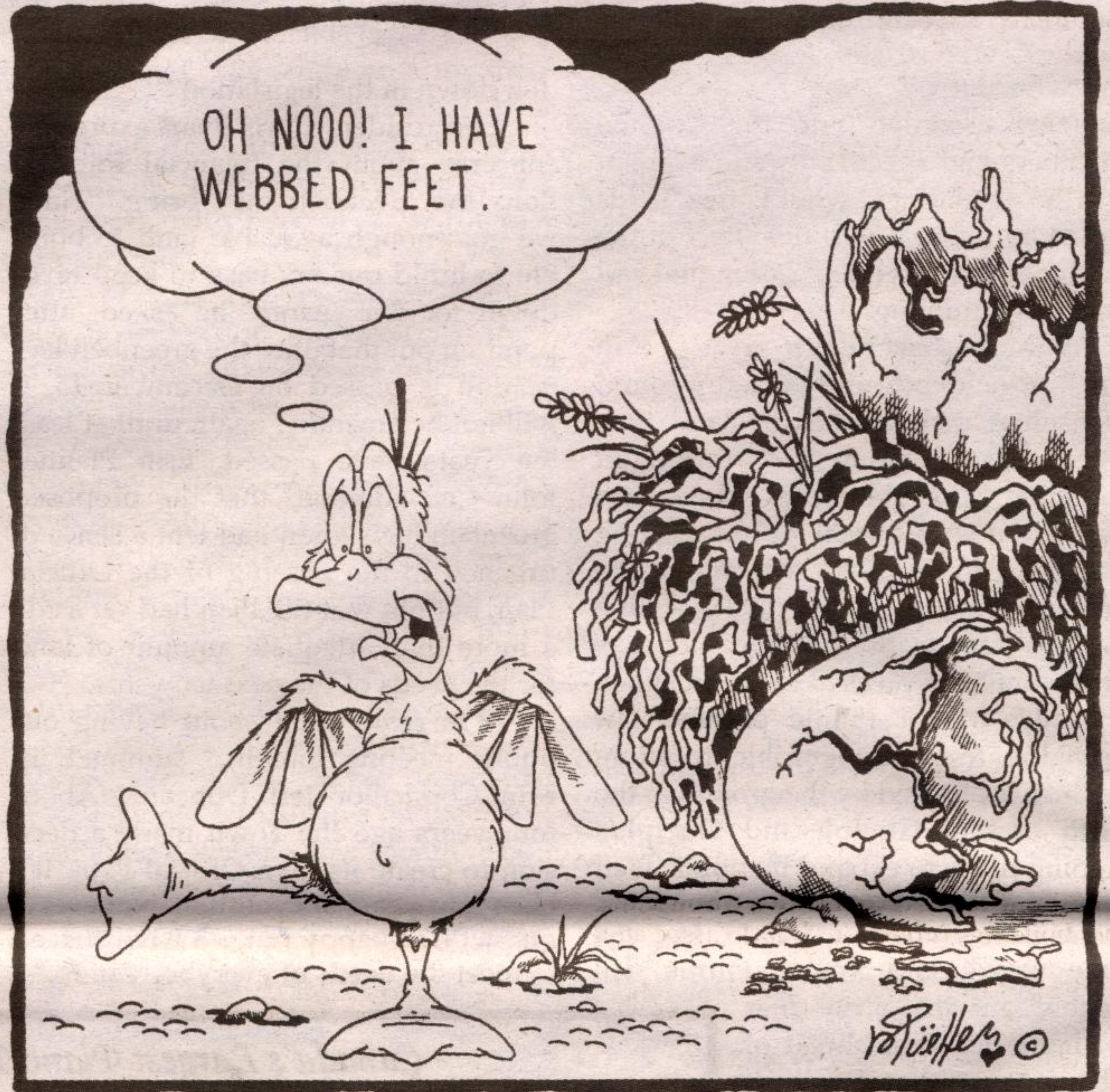
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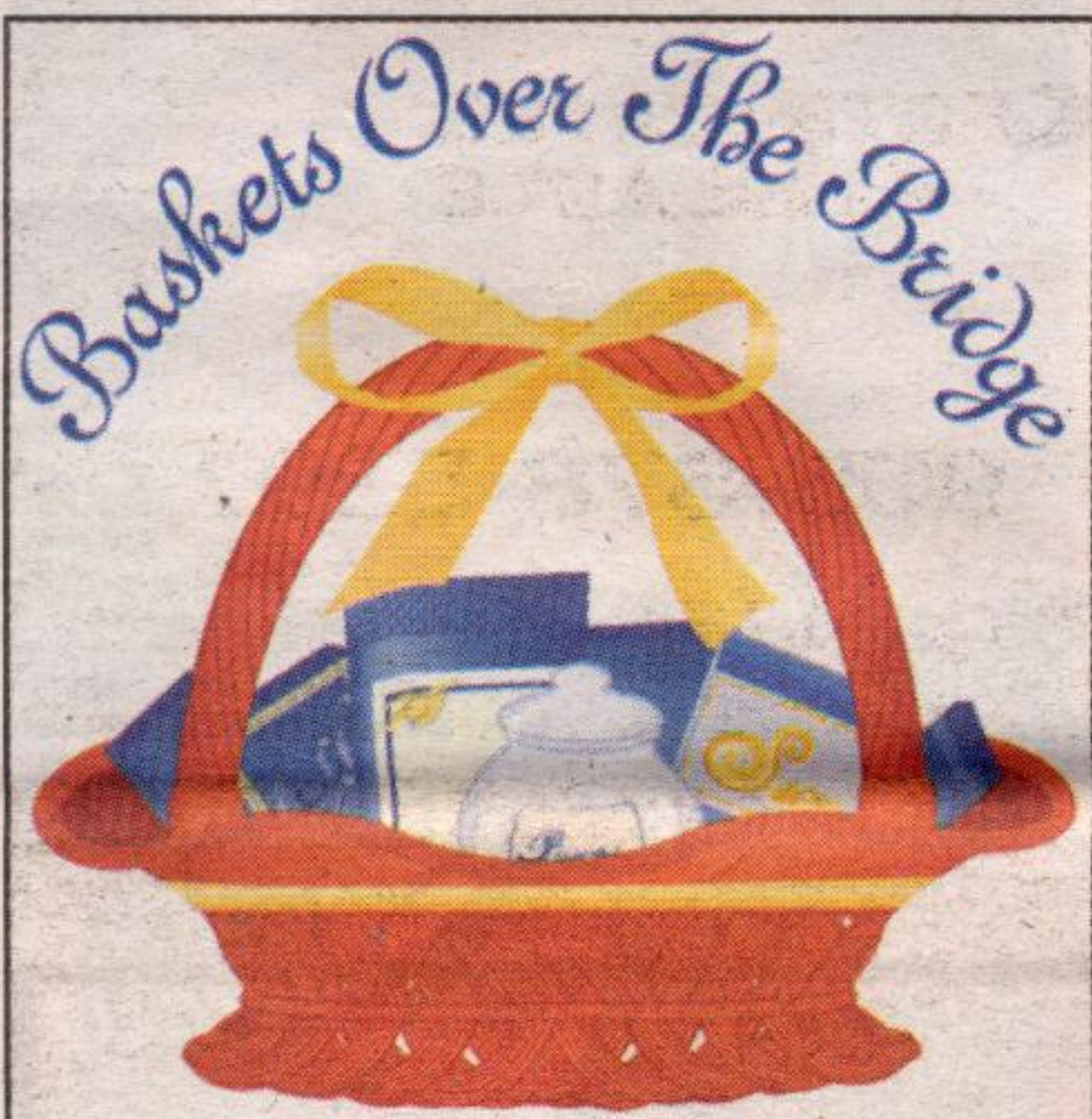
Romania's second language is French, except in Transylvania, where it is German. This will explain why Romanian strippers find it easy to immigrate and obtain work permits in Canada, and why most if not all foreign strippers in Canada are Romanian. This revelation will not change the policies of our francophone influenced federal immigration department, but it should provide a clear answer for Canadians in general and for highly educated and skilled English speaking applicants in particular who are consistently rejected. The federal immigration department awards more points for fluency in French than for equal fluency in English. It is part of a longstanding effort to transform the linguistic face of Canada.

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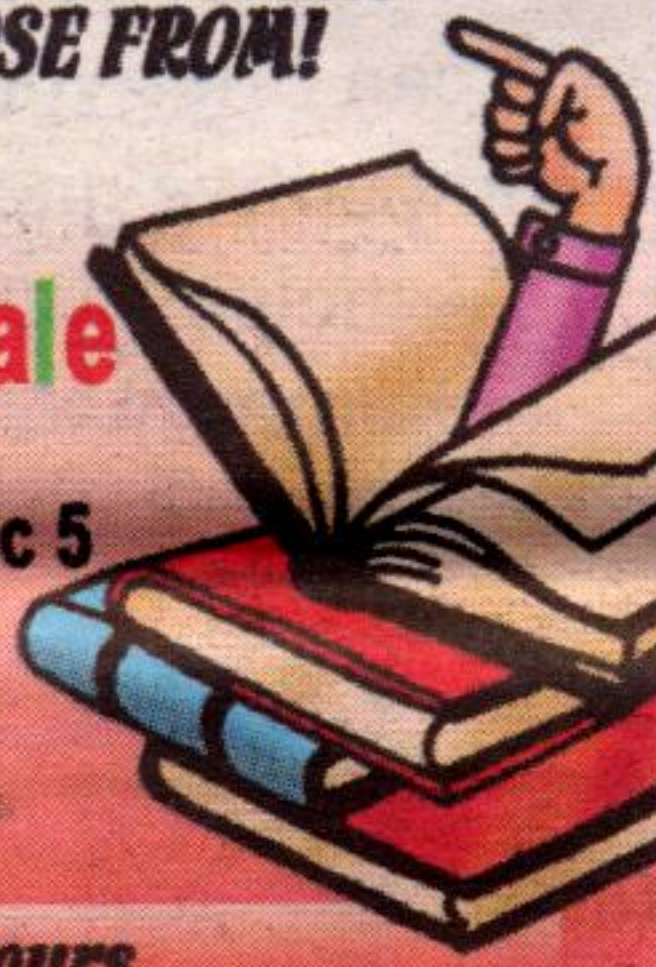
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EDITORIAL

One of the perks of being a publisher is that every now and then one gets the chance to do nice things for people.

The Compass has been given the privilege of being the platinum sponsor of the Sports Celebrity Dinner and Auction presented by Milton's Chamber of Commerce. This event will be held on January 18, 2005 and will give our community the opportunity to enjoy socializing with famous athletes while raising money for the Chamber's Scholarship Fund.

Driving to the Paper the other day I mused on the fact that most red-blooded Canadian kids would give their eyeteeth to sit down at dinner with their sports heroes. Tickets at \$125 each may put this out of the reach of some deserving kids and their parents, which is why we have set aside a pair of tickets to be awarded to the writer of the best entry submitted by a 16 year old (or younger) detailing why they (or their parent) deserve to go to the dinner.

Are they the best kid/worst kid on the block? Are they a future hall of famer wanting pointers from the best in the game? Do they have a parent that desperately needs a night of glamour and glitz? You get the picture.

Entries will be judged on originality and merit. The winner and parent will be seated at the Compass table next to their sports hero for the evening.

Get writing kids. The entry deadline is December 31, 2004.

I'm looking forward to being entertained and having my heart strings tugged.

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