

## Last-minute gifts for those who have everything

**T**is the season of giving and it seems only right that your humble servant bestow upon those dear (and not so dear) to my heart a few last-minute Christmas offerings.

To Jean Chretien... an English translator.

To Mike Harris... a new axe since his old one must surely be dull from overuse.

To Lucien Bouchard... a one-way ticket to France.

To Preston Manning... a personality transplant.

To the Toronto Maple Leafs... forwards, defencemen, a coach and wins.

To the CFL... the last rites.

To any PGA golfer who has to play with Canadian Dave Barr in 1997... my sympathies for having to play with the most miserable man in sports.

To O.J. Simpson... a just verdict (at last) in court.

### IT'S A CRAZY WORLD

Was I the only one who missed the memo that the world was

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John McGhie

suddenly going to go to pot?

In the space of a couple days recently insanity ruled. To wit:

- The Ontario Court of Appeal overrules an earlier court ruling and declares Ontario women can go topless as long as they are not dropping their tops for commercial purposes or in an overtly sexual context. Basically it's show and tell time in Ontario.

- A Toronto art student who throws up on works he doesn't like (he's done it on at least three occasions) won't be kicked out of the Ontario College of Art and Design because he has not contravened their

code of conduct. Personally, this guy's behavior turns my stomach.

- A Texas woman was sentenced to 90 days probation because she couldn't get her five-year-old son to bed early and thus caused him to be chronically late for his 8 a.m. kindergarten classes. The woman complained that "they want to come into your life and tell you how to be as a parent." Excuse us? Isn't part of being a parent— a good parent— making sure your child goes to bed at a proper hour?

- Prime Minister Jean Chretien blatantly lies on national TV saying he never vowed to scrap the GST and polls show his popularity is still sky-high.

- A highway blitz by OPP officers finds one in four drivers driving without insurance. This despite the fact the fine for doing so can be as high as \$5,000.

- Six Simcoe County nurses are fired after they (rightfully) question a policy to provide "sexual assistance" to the physically disabled.

## HAPPY 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY



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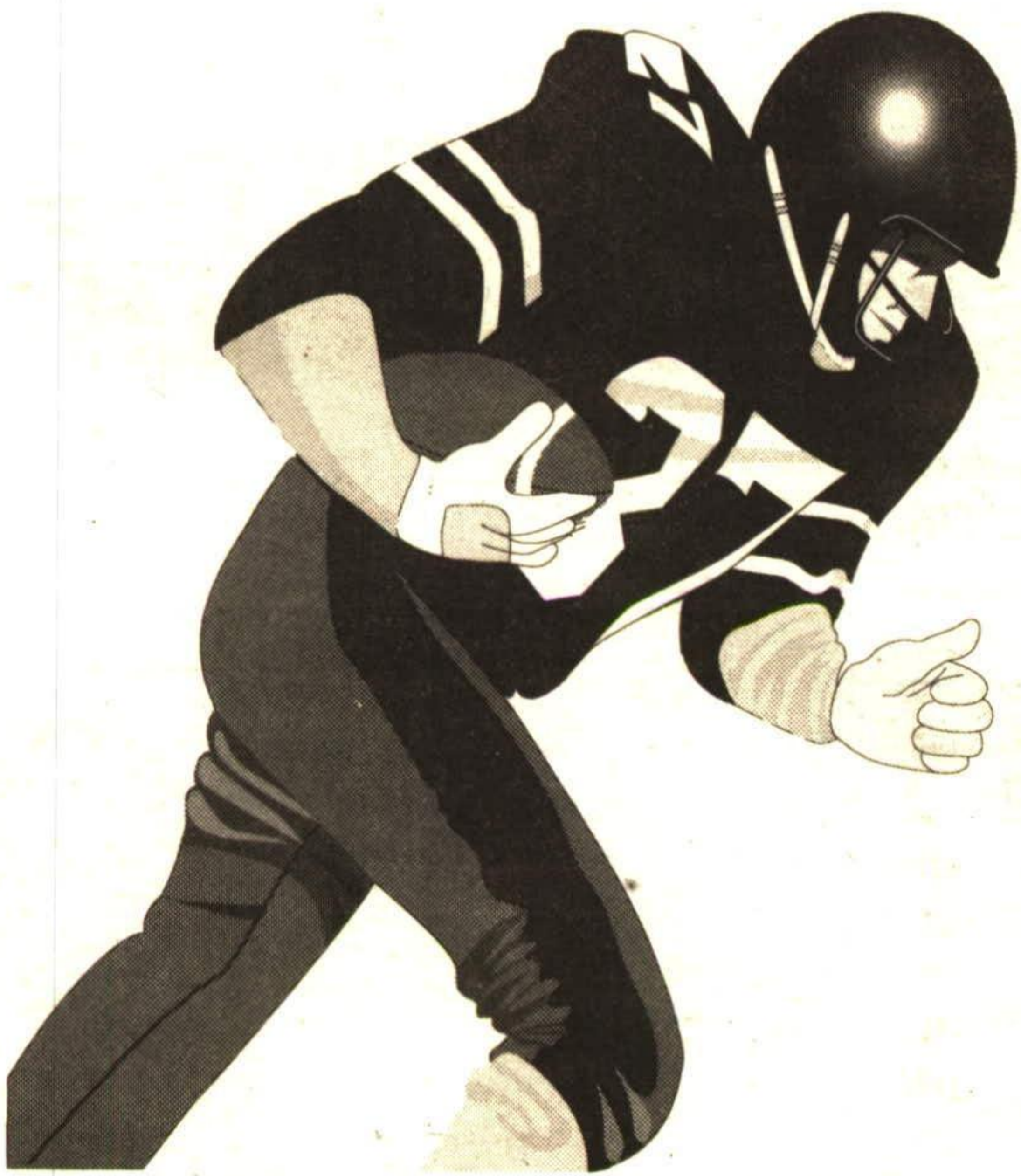
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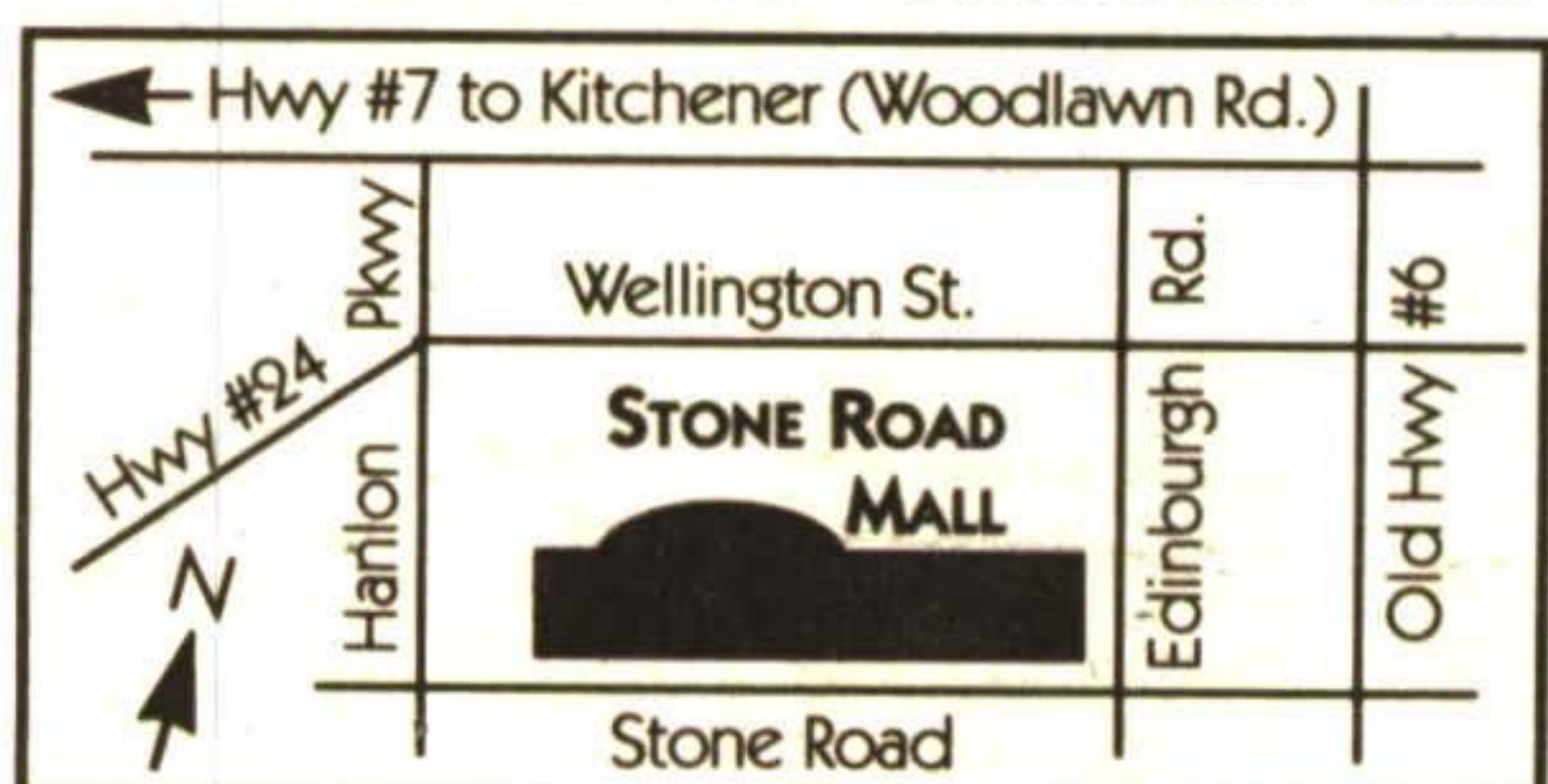


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