

**OPEN MON. DEC. 27 9 - 6 PM**

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**Country Markets**

*Merry Christmas & Happy New Year from the Management and Staff*

Prod. of U.S.A., No. 1 Grade  
**FRESH CAULIFLOWER 99¢ EA.**

Beatrice  
**CLASSIC ICE CREAM 2<sup>69</sup> 2L**

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Cut from Canada Grade 'A' Beef  
**SIRLOIN TIP ROASTS 3<sup>29</sup> LB.**

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**STUFFING MIX 69¢ 120 g**  
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**CREAM CHEESE 1<sup>49</sup> 250 g Brick**

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**SCOUR CREAM 99¢ 500 ml**

Wonder White Sliced or 100% Whole Wheat  
**BREAD 99¢ 675 g Loaf**

Humpy Dumpty  
**POTATO CHIPS 97¢ 180 - 190 g**

Green Giant  
**VEGETABLES 1<sup>88</sup> 1 kg**  
 Frozen

V8 Vegetable Cocktail or Heinz  
**TOMATO JUICE 99¢ 1L**

Stokely  
**FANCY PUMPKIN 88¢ 398 ml**

Assorted Varieties  
**BICK'S PICKLES 2<sup>49</sup> 1L**

Festival  
**EGG NOG 99¢ 1L**

**575 ONTARIO ST. SOUTH (Corner of Derry Rd. & Highway 25)**

**HOURS:** MON. 9 AM - 8 PM  
 TUES. 9 AM - 8 PM  
 FRI. 9 AM - 9 PM  
 SAT. 8 AM - 6 PM  
 WED. 9 AM - 9 PM  
 THURS. 9 AM - 9 PM

**CLOSED CHRISTMAS & BOXING DAY**

SPECIALS ARE IN EFFECT FROM TUES. DEC. 21 TO FRI. DEC. 24/93. WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES



Photo by GRAHAM PAINE

**Candy is dandy**

E.C. Drury High Food School students Lorraine King and Chris Cargill show off their second place winning gingerbread church from the Home Sweet Home Gingerbread Competition at Sherway Gardens Mall in Etobicoke. The prize was worth \$150 for the talented students.

**No impaired charges on RIDE spotchecks... yet**

More than 3,000 people have so far been stopped in RIDE spot checks on Milton highways, but no impaired driving charges have been laid, according to police.

However, the Milton OPP reports seven 12-hour licence suspensions have been issued to local motorists since the campaign to deter drinking and driving started December 1.

As of December 16, police hadn't caught any impaired drivers among 3,421 vehicles stopped.

The Milton OPP will continue to set up Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (RIDE) spot checks on highways 25 and 401 until January 1.

**Know Your Dealer!**

In the world of sports collectibles, an autographed ball or bat or tee-shirt can be worth a lot of money. And when that autograph belongs to a batting ace and member of the World Series championship team, its value in a few years can be astronomical.

A Toronto company began marketing shirts, balls and more purporting to be signed by Paul Molitor, Robbie Alomar and John Olerud, among others. These were sold through legitimate distributors across North America.

The prized product was a signed baseball bat. For the first time in 100 years of major league history, the top three hitters in the American League were all on the same team. The bat would have been quite a coup for any collector's shelf. Unfortunately, the signatures on the bat are definitely false, according to Detective Jim Downs of the Metro Police Intelligence Squad.

"The bats with triple signatures are bogus for sure," said Downs. "There are other things as well, but we can't release that information until we are absolutely sure." The department is currently tracing both hockey and baseball players whose signatures can be found on hundreds of items from photographs to hockey pucks.

But it has left an unfortunate legacy for authentic distributors of autographed memorabilia, John White, a dealer for Baseball Originals, a legitimate company, is concerned that most of his phone calls these days seem to be confusing him with the fraudulent companies. "Our autographs come from impeccable sources in the clubhouse and we offer a certificate of authenticity," he said. "But how do our customers know we are any more legitimate than the others were; they offered a beautiful certificate of authenticity."

Baseball Originals offers autographed balls, including a special two-ball set signed by 1992's and 1993's Blue Jays team members and a bat and ball set signed by the entire team of 1993. "We only have a limited number because we are legitimate," said White. "Ordinarily, these would be gold." One 1993 ball and bat set was recently auctioned on MIX 99 FM for \$4500, with proceeds going to Sick Kids Hospital. But adds White, "These days, no one is sure who to trust."

Detective Downs agrees that the scandal has placed a pall over the sports collectible field. But there are legitimate operators out there. And he offers one piece of advice; "know who you are buying from. It's like art; you have to trust your dealer, that's all you can do." And, as with art, baseball collectibles can rise astoundingly in value, so buyer beware. Ask about the reputation of your dealer before you invest. If you would like more information please phone 336-4077.

**LAST CHANCE!**

**OWN A PART OF HISTORY**

World Series Balls and Bats are hand signed including 25 player signatures. Balls and Bats include a certificate of authenticity.

- ◆ 1992 World Series Team Ball
- ◆ 1993 World Series Team Ball
- ◆ 1993 World Series Team Bat
- ◆ 1992/1993 World Series Team Balls in deluxe presentation case
- ◆ 1993 World Series Team Ball & Bat in a deluxe presentation case

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