

Consolation round winners

This hefty paperback tered through his

Almanac like, "Who loves

wisely but too well/On

passion's torrent bor-

ne/A sadder and a

Wasserman/shall rise

year, Espry drops

limericks, haiku, graffiti,

tongue twisters a

epigrams and epitaphs.

There are palindromes

("Sex at noon taxes"),

Tuesday Weld married

Frederick March 11, she

would be Tuesday March

11") and pages of puns

("Oh why Chianti leave

Not the least of the

pleasures to be found in

the book are the many

puzzles and word games.

Try the flo following

rebus - it is the address

from a letter that was

actually delivered to the

WOOD

JOHN

MASS

Underwood, Andover

Massachusets. All the

puzzles in the Almanac

have the solutions in the

In a column such as this

one, it seems appropriate

to quote some of Espry's

nutty fractured book

reviews. "Websters

Dictionary, too wordy.

Hammond's Atlas

covers too much ground

Handbook of Adhesives

The whole merry

collection is indexed by

author, which makes it

handy as a reference

book, In addition, the

content of each page is

noted in the top corner of

that page - cliche, visual

The Almanac of Words

at Play is a natural for all

especially if your love

affair is a light hearted

couldn't put it down."

back of the book.

The answer is John

me alone?")

right address.

On his way through the

will provide word freaks

with a year of literal

pleasure. There is an

entry for each day of the

year - a puzzle, a couple of

Espry is a writer of

Good

of his verses are scat- combined names (If

light verse, and his pieces

Housekeeping, among

other publications. A few

When you read "What a crazy rhymes, or a piece the morrow morn."

of humourous writing.

In most basketball tournaments there is a winner and a Brian Parker, Wayne Dunkley, Alan deLange (capt.), consolation champ. This simply means that while a Tim Brickles and Chris Sanderson. Standing in the team may lose their first game, they can still go on and rear are Mina Tesseris (manager), Danny Chisholm, win the rest (against the other teams who lost their Michael Josland, Mike Wriston and Mark Edwards first games). Such was the case with the team from (manager). Hiding in behind them all is Andy Regent School in Midland. After losing to a team from Wickstead, their coach. Alan deLange was the second Bayview by one point, they went on to win all their highest scorer in the tournament having a total of 48 other games. In the front, from left to right, they are points, followed by Tim Brickles with 37 points.

If you answer "yes" to have appeared in Punch,

AN ALMANAC

and

The bookworm

Do you like crossword

puzzles? Charades?

Games like ghost and

Scrabble? Do you dote on

Swifties, riddles and

Friend We Have in

Cheeses," do you wish

all the above questions,

you'll love An Almanac of

Word At Play, by Willard

you'd said it first?

puns?

R. Espy.

Happy cooker

Play with words book | Cabbage rolls

Midland's Hanna Thomas is one of the best cooks around, and her recipe for cabbage rolls will fill your kitchen with a delicious fragrance. It's the best way I know to make the little darlings.

Ingredients 1 large head of cabbage

1 - 48 ounce can tomato juice 1 clove garlic

11/2 pounds minced beef

11/4 cups raw rice 2 tablespoons tomato paste

1 tablespoon lemon juice

1/4 teaspoon paprika salt and pepper

Method: Carve out thick core from centre of cabbage with sharp knife. Drop cabbage into boiling salted water, cored end down. Boil a few minutes until leaves are softened. While boiling loosen each leaf with a long fork and spoon.

Remove each leaf and place in dish to cool When all leaves have been softened, cut out heavy centre stems from each leaf. Do not stuff outer leaves - save for the bottom of the pan. If leaves are extremely large, cut in half. Set aside while you make the filling.

Filling: Boil rice for 5 minutes only. Strain, rinse with cold water and drain again. Place minced beef in a large mixing bowl. Add rice, tomato paste, lemon juice and seasonings. Mix all together, lightly but thoroughly.

Fill each leaf, starting at one end with 1 tbsp. stuffing and roll up like a cigar. When all filling has been used up, place all outer leaves and any leaves left over plus stems of cabbage on bottom of roasting pan. This acts as a base to keep cabbage rolls from scorching.

Cut garlic in half and hide each half under a leaf at each end of the pan. Arrange cabbage rolls, seam side down, on top of leaves and stems, alternating each layer in opposite directions.

Add enough tomato juice to reach top layer. Sprinkle with a little salt. Press down with an inverted china dish. Cover and bake in 300 degree oven for 2 hours. Serve with dairy sour cream. Serves 6-8.

This recipe is taken from Hanna's Family Cooking on Less than Five Dollars a Day, which was published in 1973 by Pagurian Press.

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one. And if reading it sets you to idly composing "I'm Brown, from the Shakespeare from the Globe." Don't say I didn't SPECIAL

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blitz which will take place about March 22nd. The visisting homemaker service is one of the Red Cross's many services, along with Blood Donors Clinic. This has been a great addition to the many services available to our community. We must contribute to the Red Cross to assist them to have a continuation of the program. We never know when we will have to ask for their assistance to enable us to give our families the best care during convalescence. During a mother's stay in hospital, a small family may be cared for by a visiting homemaker.

Mental Health Team will be the speakers. Luncheon is at 11:45 at the Brooklea Golf and Country Club.

for a reservation. The price is \$3.00. We need drivers for Meals on Wheels. Call Contact

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WILLARD R. ESPY

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It really looked as though spring was definitely on its word play malapropism way. I've seen crows flying around and heard a brave or whatever. Phoebe calling in our back bush. Among friends our conversation keeps coming back to the question of why we're going to have an early spring and all hopes are lovers of language, dashed when Mother Nature covers us with a blanket of snow. Oh well, spring will arrive when Mother Nature is ready and our yearnings for spring will not persuade her otherwise.

The past winter has provided us with time to learn to self-introductions like crochet, throw a pot at a pottery course, learn to type or upholster furniture. A great variety of activities are provided for us by many artisans in our communities.

May I remind you of several services available to

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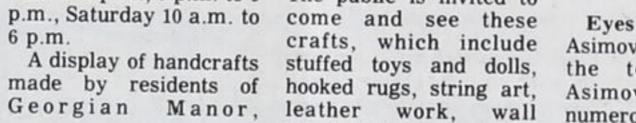
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Midland last week, it was the rink skipped by Jim

Library Hours: Mon- Penetanguishene, is at discussion.

Clark Jr. that took top honours. From left to right, they

day through Friday, 10 the library for two weeks.

a.m. to 6 p.m., 7 p.m. to 9 The public is invited to

made by residents of

On Friday, April 9th, at 8 p.m. on the second floor of the library, there will be a panel discussion on the topic "Did TV really kill radio?" Taking part in this will be Sandy Stewart, (CBC Producer and author of "A pictorial history of radio in Canada''); Mr. Bruce Armstrong of CKMP Midland; Don Sims, (former CBC broadcaster and now Ontario Film Censor); Barry Campbell (Grade 13 student, keenly interested in radio); and Mr. Gordon Smith, MPP Simcoe East. Please come and take part in what should be a lively

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The Oldest City. O'Neill. This is the first part of a lively study of St. John's, Newfoundland, from its discovery in 1497 to the present day. Paul O'Neill was born in St. John's, and works for the CBC in his native city. Isles of the Frigave

Bird. Syme. Irish biographer, Ronald Syme, writes with insight and humour his personal story of a vanishing way of life, on the small South Sea Island, Rarotonga. where he has lived for twenty years.

Roosevelt and Churchill: Their secret Wartime Correspondence. Loewenheim and Langley, editors. "Well edited and selected, these

Specials

political memoir by J.W.

messages capture the

essence of the fascinating

partnership between two

military leaders who

happened also to be

sparkling personalities."

Laurent. Pickersgill. A

My Years with Louis St.

Pickersgill, which portrays St. Laurent's leadership from his initial appointment to his retirement after the 1957 election. It offers a frank account of Canadian political life that cannot fail to interest and inform.

Staff photo

Fiction Mr. Wrong. Howard. A selection from the tales

written over the last twenty-five years by Elizabeth Jane Howard, a leading English novelist. The Chinese Bandit. Becker. An adventure story in the great tradition, swarming with women, battles, twists of plot and detail, this novel

is set against the turmoil

of China in 1947.

Wintario grant

The Ministry of Culture and Recreation has announced the approval of a \$5,000 Wintario grant for the purchase of Canadian residents of the area films by the Georgian through member Bay Regional Library libraries. System.

All films purchased under this grant will be 16mm, and will be available for use free of charge throughout the counties of Simcoe, Grey Bruce and Dufferin by individuals and community groups. When the purchases have been made a leaflet describing the films will be produced and distributed to libraries throughout the

region.



At present the Georgian

Bay Regional Library

System has a collection of

2,000 films available to

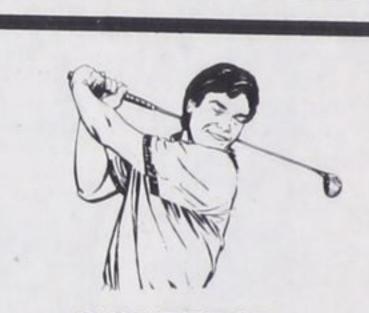
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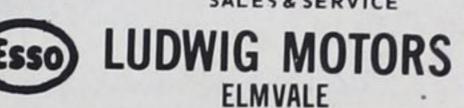
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