

Spring brings smiles to the faces of people young and old. Children are glad to be rid of snowsuits and clumsy winter boots. Fathers delight in washing the winter salt from the car and mothers can prepare the garden for planting.

Suzanne Schroeter

Let's get together

Having spent a winter coping with an almost two-year-old, I know that there is much to smile about. Wintering with one or more young children at home can be compared to a form of trench warfare - a deadlock at the best of times, punctuated by occasional outbursts from both sides.

Spring has magical powers that brings out the best in all of us. It seems to be an ideal time to meet new people.

There are many parents of young children who are interest-

ed in meeting at the Russell Playground each week so that children can meet other children and parents can meet other parents.

Mrs. Carley who, with the aid of many volunteer parents, organized much of the construction of the playground) assures me the playground is ready for active children now. There are plans to add a fireman's pole, but this is subject to budget approval. In addition, picnic tables are

handy for picnicking in the warmer weather.

Let's plan to get together at the playground on Tuesday mornings so that our children can enjoy playing with others and we can enjoy meeting all the interesting people who live in this village. If your children are in school - come along, too!

For new residents, the playground is on Castor Street next to the pool.

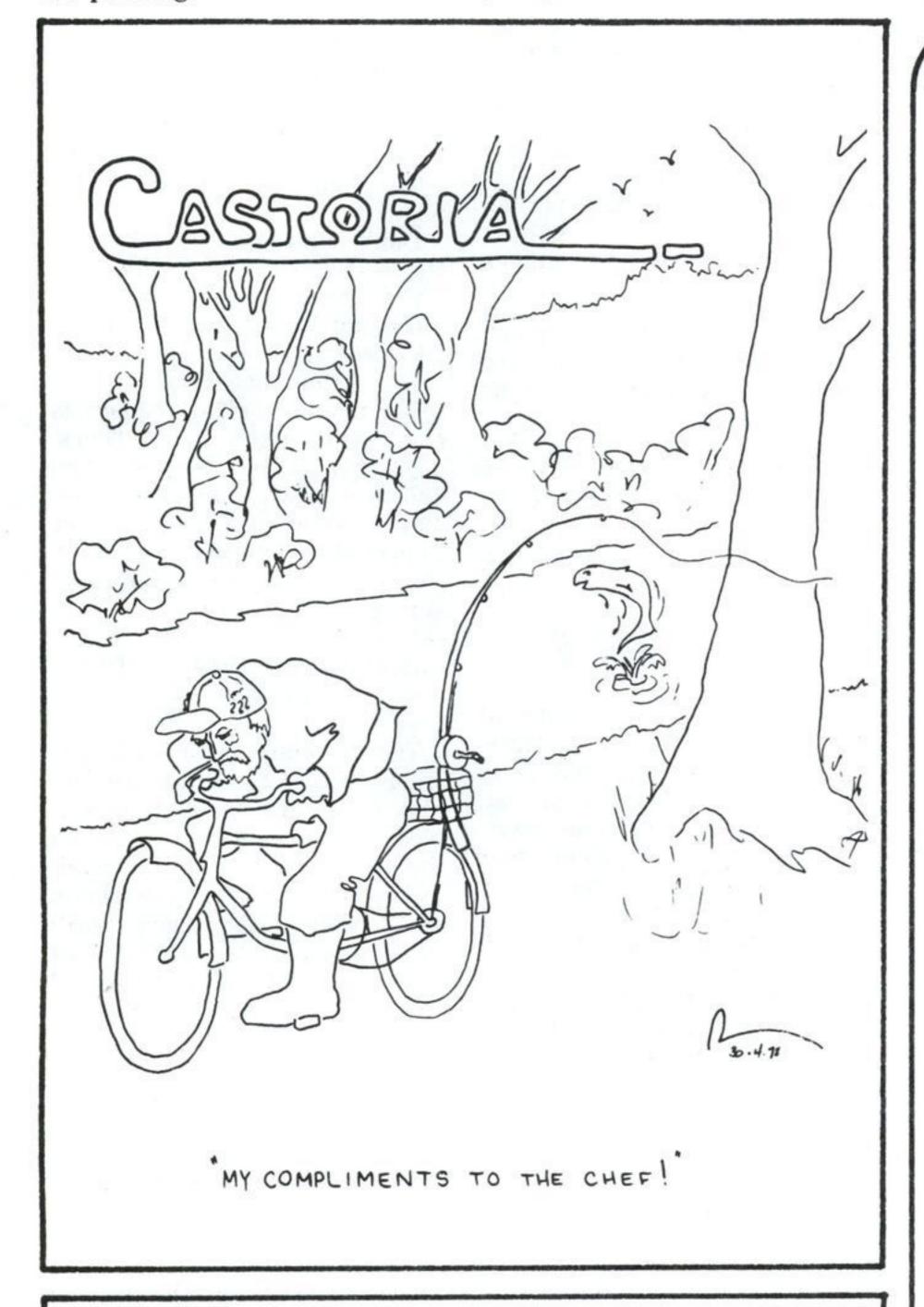
See you on Tuesday!

Card of Thanks

I would like to express my sincere thanks to the people who visited me and sent cards and gifts while I was a patient at Winchester District Memorial Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. D. Justus, Dr. Diemert, Dr. Kinnaid and the nursing staff on the 1st floor.

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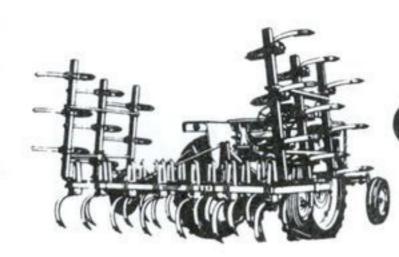
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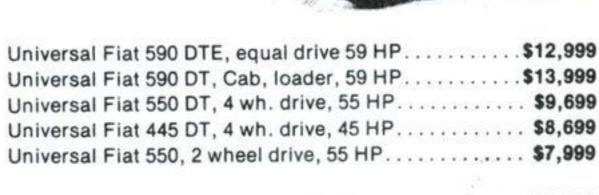
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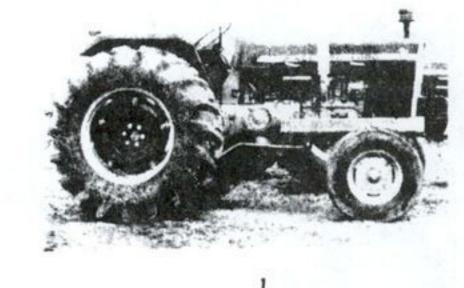
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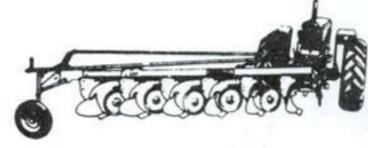
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