

Druella Acantha Malvina's Column

Gem of the Month - While it's important to win - it's imperative to compete!

Two locals were discussing their family histories when one of them lamented that he knew little about his roots.
 "I've always wanted to have my family history traced," he said, "but I can't afford to hire someone. Any suggestions?"
 "Sure," replied his friend, "Run for public office."

Helpful Hint - When making pancakes, grease the pan for the first lot. After that, rub a piece of raw potato over the hot griddle instead of greasing. The cakes brown nicely and they don't smoke.

Did You Know these Canadian TV Facts?

- 1 - Knowlton Nash was the anchor on "The National" before Peter Mansbridge.
- 2 - The two Canadian actors who were the cornerstones on the original "Star Trek" crew were William Shatner and James Doohan.
- 3 - "Country Canada" is the longest running CBC show still on the air.
- 4 - Wayne & Shuster were 2 Canadian comedians who appeared on "The Ed Sullivan Show" more than other entertainers.
- 5 - Fred Davis replaced Win Barron as host of "Front Page Challenge" in 1958.

(taken from Readers' Digest)

Ain't that the truth? - Doctors will tell you if you eat slowly you'll eat less. This is particularly true if you are a member of a large family.

Accordion Potatoes

- 6 medium potatoes
- 1/2 cup melted butter
- 1 tsp. salt
- Dash of pepper
- 1 tsp. paprika
- 6 tbsp. grated cheese



Peel potatoes and slice thinly half way through. Place in greased baking dish with cut side up and baste with melted butter. Slices of onion can be inserted in the openings of the potatoes if desired. Mix salt, pepper, and paprika and sprinkle over potatoes. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 to 1 1/2 hours, until tender, basting frequently.

When tender, sprinkle grated cheese over potatoes and bake till cheese melts.

A man and an attractive woman were having a candlelit dinner at a fine Picton restaurant when the waiter noticed the man slowly sliding out of his chair and under the table. The woman seemed not to notice as her companion disappeared out of sight.

"Pardon me, ma'am," the waiter said "but I think your husband is under the table."

"No, he isn't," the woman said calmly. "My husband just walked through the door."

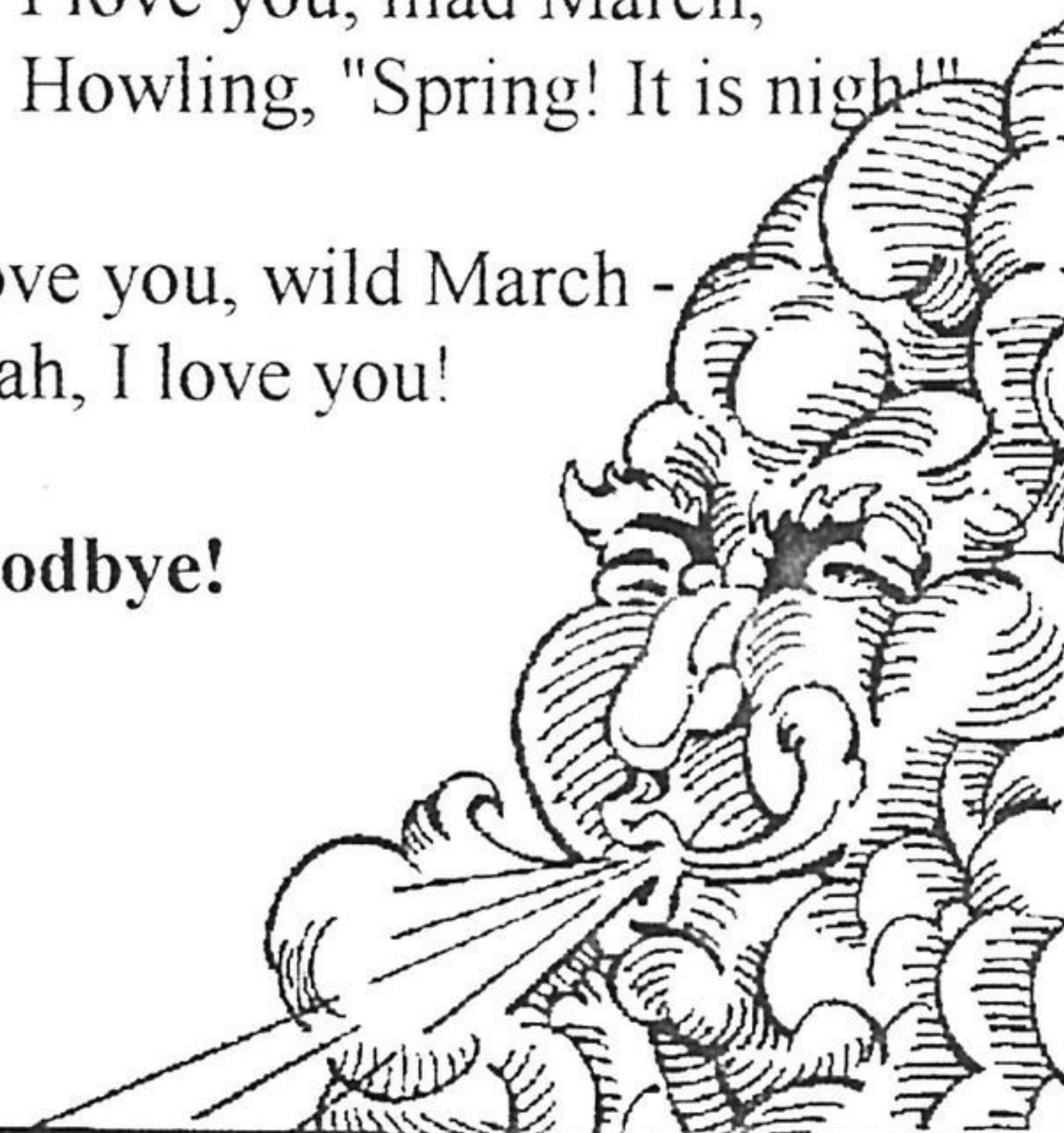
Ode to Spring

The season of mud!
 And March in wild cry!
 But the maple in bud
 On the hill, sun-lit high!

My feet in the mud,
 But my heart soaring high;
 I love you, mad March,
 Howling, "Spring! It is night!"

I love you, wild March -
 Yeah, I love you!

Goodbye!



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