

Newfoundland isn't the only odd time-zone area of the world

Q. How does Toronto's CN Tower compare in height to other tall structures in the world?

A. At 1,815 feet, five inches, or 553.33 metres, tall, the CN Tower, which is a member of the World Federation of Great Towers, is the world's tallest freestanding structure. The structure closest in height is Ostankino Tower in Moscow, which rises 1,771 feet or 540 metres.

For the purpose of comparison, the Eiffel Tower in France is 1,049 feet or 320 metres tall and the Empire State Building in New York City rises 1,049



Trivia

Mark Kearney
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feet or 320 metres. The Calgary Tower is 626 feet, or 190 metres tall.

Q. Which American hockey team was first to win the Stanley Cup?

A. The Seattle Metropolitans was the first U.S.-based hockey team to win the cup which was donated by Frederick Arthur,

Lord Stanley of Preston. It happened in the spring of 1917, six months prior to formation of the National Hockey League on Nov. 22, 1917.

The Stanley Cup celebrated its 100th birthday last year and as most hockey fans remember, the venerable silver cup was most recently captured by another American team, the Pittsburgh Penguins, in 1991.

Q. Is Newfoundland the only place in the world that has a half hour time zone?

A. "The world will end in one hour, half an hour in Newfoundland" is how the old joke goes, but our easternmost Canadian province is not the only place in the world that has this unusual time zone designation.

Although Newfoundland is unique in that respect in North

America, Suriname in South America, also lies in the same half hour zone.

Other places where this occurs are some islands in the Pacific Ocean as well as Iran, Afghanistan and some parts of India. Nepal is even more unusual, according to the World Almanac, in that it has a 15 minute time zone. In other words, when it's 5:30 p.m. in India, it's 5:45 in Nepal.

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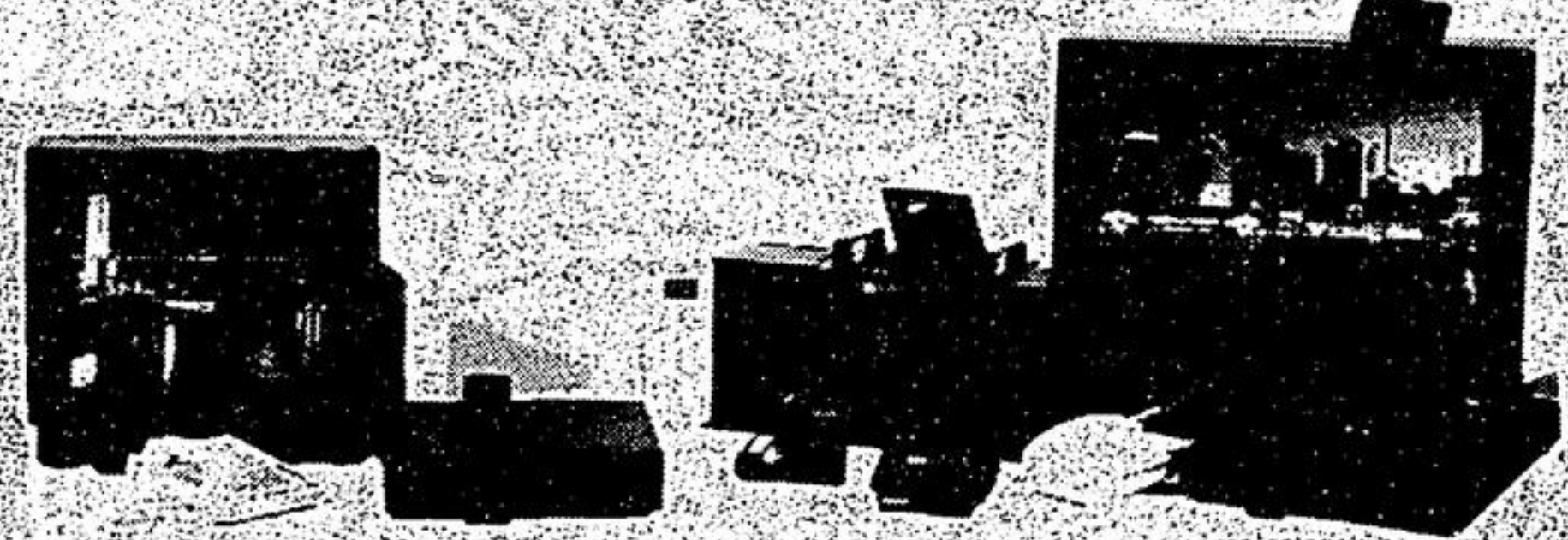
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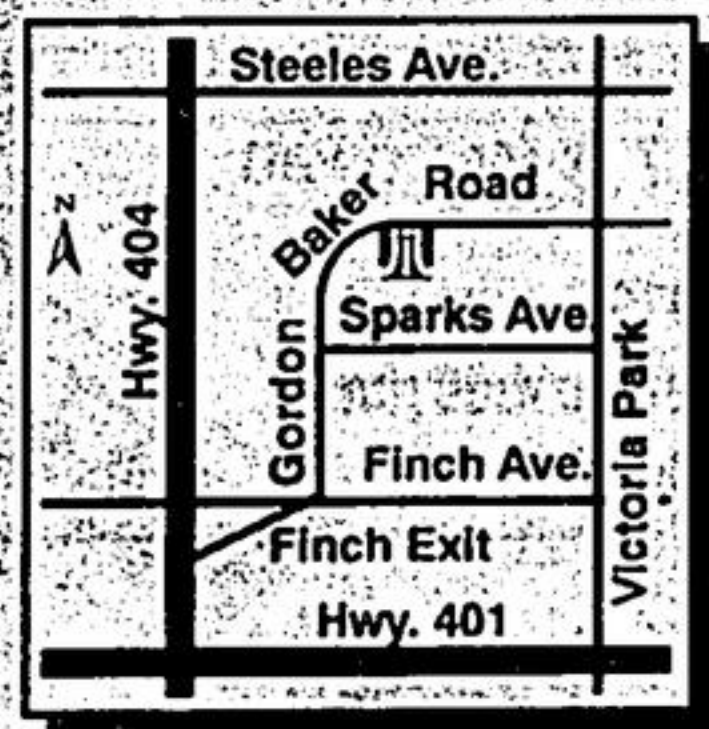


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