



I love looking at pictures of houses and places I would like to visit, but I can't be bothered to travel to these places. (Packing, air travel, customs, lost baggage are all things I can do without).

If you feel the same way, try some of the books in our Library System.

Discovering the Villages of France by Michael Busselle has some great articles on those off-the-beaten-path, out-of-the-way places, as well as some great pictures. Pierre Deux's Buttany; a French Country Style and Source Book is another book in that manner of all-the-comforts-of-home travel.

Interested in old houses? John S. Goodall has followed, via watercolours, the Great Days of a Country House, from its Tudor beginnings to present time. Also in this mood is On a Sunday Afternoon, (Classic Boats on the Rideau Canal) all done in turn-of-the-century photos.

Thinking of your garden? Richard Goodman took a year off from the rat race, moved and gave us French Dirt, the story of a garden in the South of France. (What a lovely idea - the south of France - no snow there!) While in Europe, take along the Which? Guide to Spain, Mallorca, Menorca, Ibiza and the Canary Islands.

Staying closer to home - but still wild and adventurous - the Companion Guide to New York by Michael Teajsman will help you survive in darkest New York. And bring along the Ross Guide to New York City Museums (Historic Houses, Art Galleries and other Special Places).

Just want to meditate. Arthur! Arthur! by CBC's own Arthur Black (Saturday mornings before Double Exposure) is a collection of Arthur's vignettes done at the end of his program. These short, humorous meditations on those little things in life we take for granted can give you a good chuckle and something to think about as well.

Have a safe March Break!

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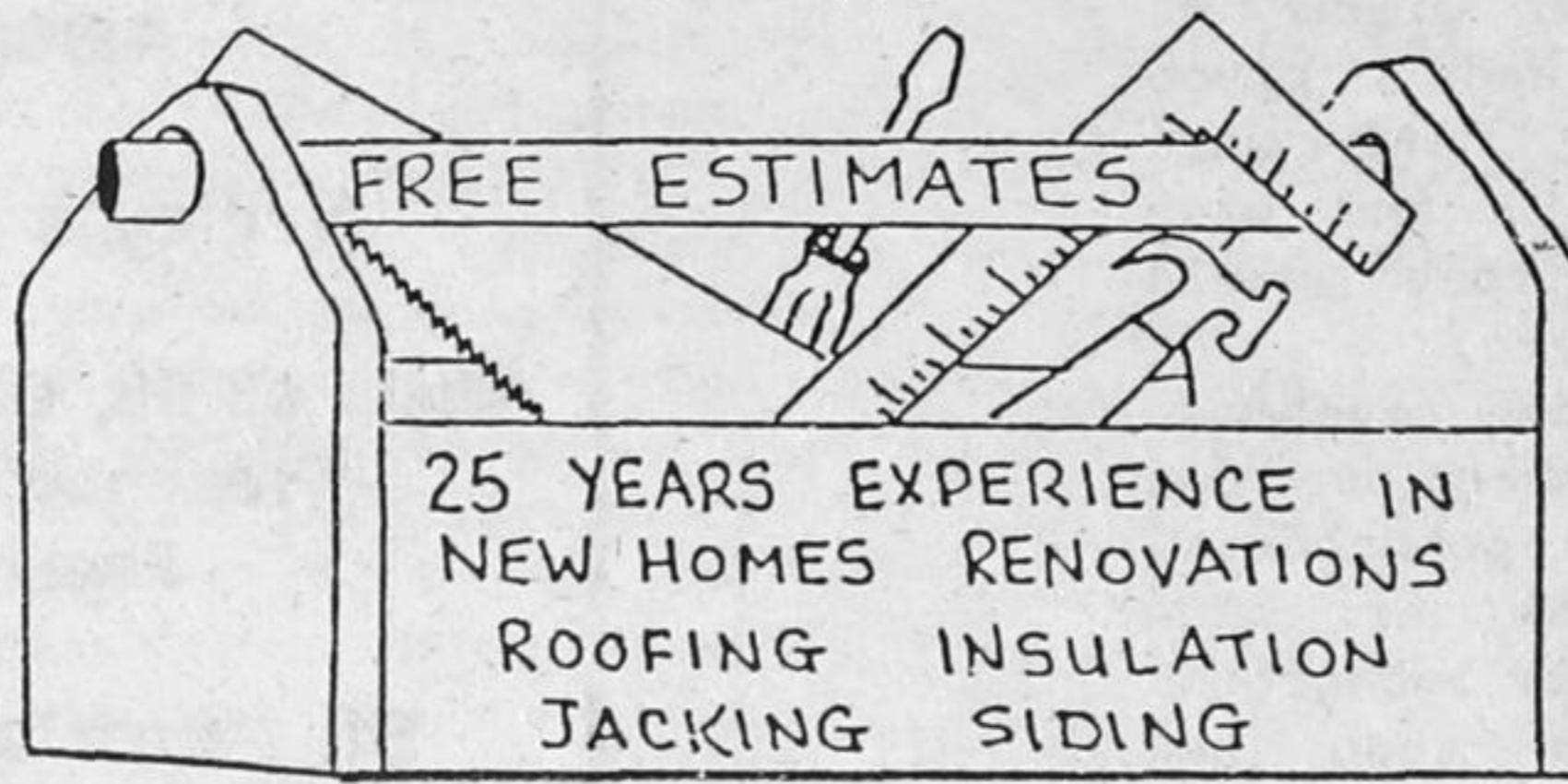
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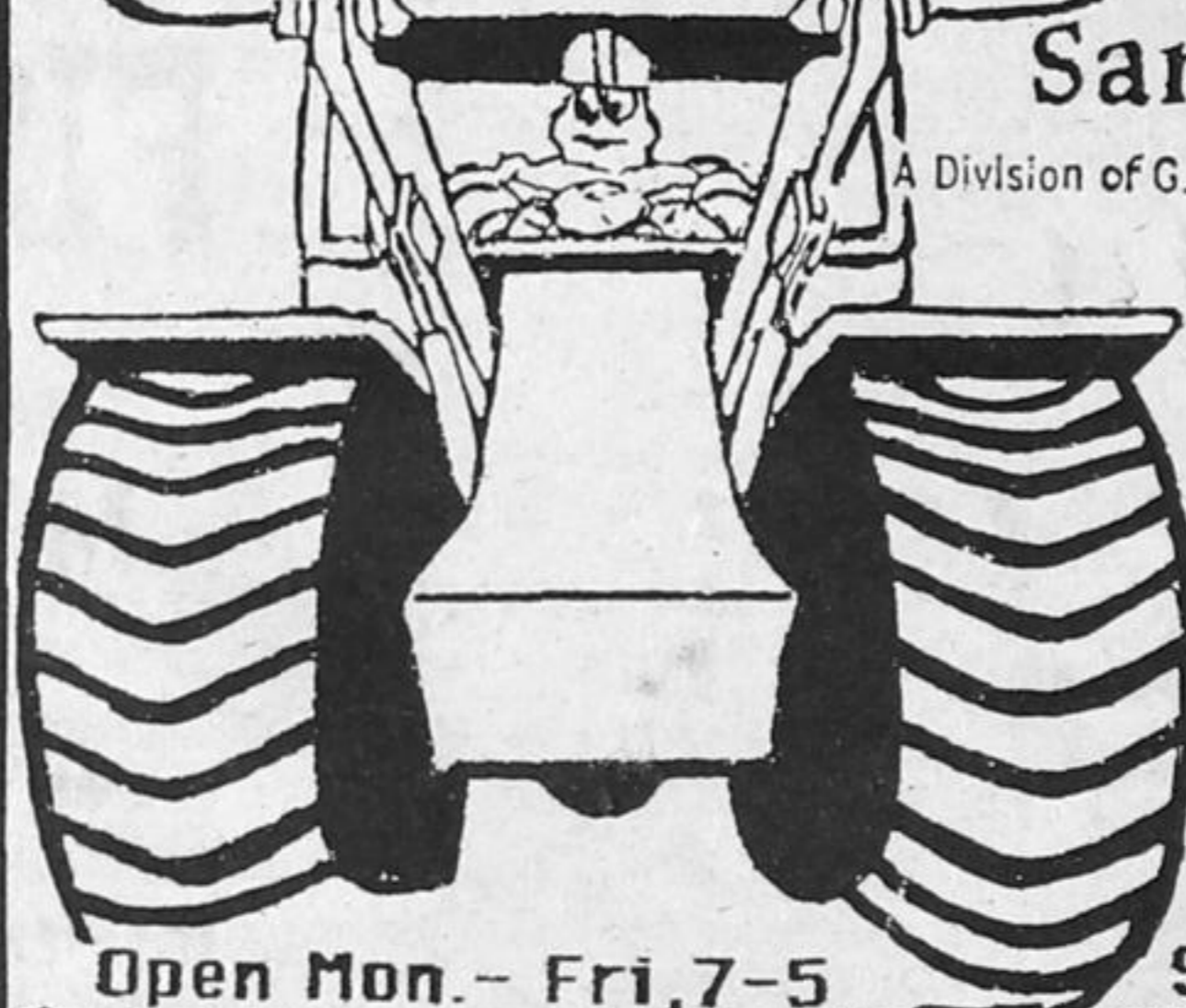


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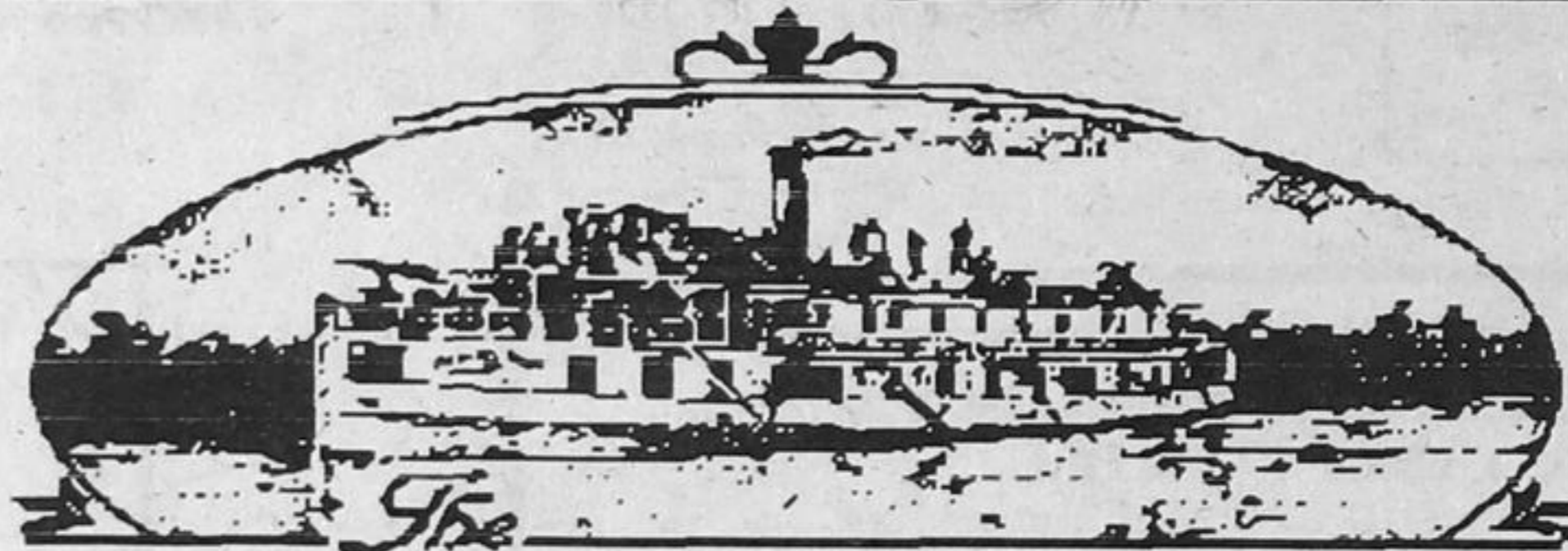
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