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The deadline for the next (January 30) issue of 7 News is Monday January 26. Bring or mail your stories, pictures or ads to 7 News, 315 Dundas St. E., Toronto, M5A 2A2 or phone 363-9650.



Park School Senior Girls' Volleyball Team won the city championship 2-0 against Parkdale P.S. at King Edward School on Dec. 10. Team members are: Back row — Sandra Joseph, 3rd row — Jackie Savory, Janet Dunphrey, Ms. Conetta (coach) 2nd row — Cindy McCarthy, Sharon Marston, Denise Martin, Jackie Bingham.

## Bain Food Co-op begins 3rd year

By KATHY CORRIGAN

February 1st marks the beginning of the third year of operation for the Bain Food Co-op. A lot of bagels have gone under the bridge since we took over one of the ground-floor apartments in the Bain Housing Co-op and turned it into something resembling a store. Plans were big in those early days. We had dreams of making the basement into an evening coffee house with local musicians. We did get as far as setting up a snack bar to feed hungry shoppers, but the shoppers preferred munching

on bagels from off the baked goods shelf. The snack bar room gave way to accommodate a much increased inventory.

Today, many shoppers, find that they can get most all their grocery needs at the food co-op. We have cheese, eggs, produce, dried fruit and nuts, rice, flour, juice, meat, cleaning powders, etc., even j-cloths and band-aids. The only staple item we don't carry is milk. Our prices tend to be cheaper than those of the supermarkets with an estimated saving of 10-15 percent.

A lot of members prefer shopping at the food co-op less for the savings than for the friendly atmosphere and feeling of involvement in the place. Members do most of the work in the store. They also decide what comes into it, be that a tastier brand of bacon or products not bearing labels of Kraft or Nestle. But perhaps the reason most members continue to be active in the co-op is because the food is really good. The meat and eggs have more taste than any other I've ever eaten.

Anyone can join the Bain Food Co-op. You are welcome to do a "trial shop" to see how the place works, and then join if you like. Members are expected to do two hours work per month, be it weighing goods, packaging or helping to receive them. Fees are annually \$12 for a single adult; \$18 for 2 or more adults with children; \$24 for a household of 2 or more adults with no children.

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## OHC creates racial ghettos

Wilson Head, the president of the National Black Coalition of Canada, has criticized the Ontario Housing Corporation (OHC) for creating ethnic ghettos in its projects.

Head said that OHC officials claim that they do not intentionally set out to allocate housing according to ethnic group, but according to Head, that is what they are doing. Numbers of OHC buildings, he said, are becoming largely populated by West Indian and South Asian residents.

Yet according to a study done by Head, immigrants "demonstrate very little interest in wanting to live in ethnic ghettos; West Indian and South Asians particularly want to live in racially-mixed neighbourhoods and to share in the opportunities Toronto affords for multi-racial and multi-cultural experiences."

## No extension for Canada Metal, but...

By RHONDA SUSSMAN

Canada Metal, a lead processing and smelting plant located at Pape and Eastern Aves., was not granted a requested extension to a control order issued by the Ministry of the Environment Nov. 1979 that came due on Dec. 15, 1980.

The Ministry decided not to prosecute the company this time, but will prosecute Canada Metal for any high emissions that occur while they are trying to implement the control order.

This is not the first control order Canada Metal has received — the company was cited several times throughout the seventies for excessive lead emissions.

The first control order was issued to Canada Metal in Sept. 1973. This control order required the plant to install dust filters and build roofed enclosures around scrap lead piles.

The Ministry then issued a stop on Oct. 26, 1973 ordering the plant "to... stop emitting into the natural environment lead and lead compounds based on the opinion that the discharges constitute and immediate danger to the health of residents living in the vicinity of the plant." This stop order was overturned four days later by a Justice of the Supreme Court who thought otherwise — according to him, the health hazard could not be attributed to Canada Metal alone.

The second control order came in April 1976, ordering Canada Metal to control fugitive lead emissions.

In the summer of 1977, a soil removal campaign was conducted. 48 properties in the vicinity of Canada Metal had the top six inches of soil removed and replaced, along with any tree, shrubs, etc., on the properties at a cost of \$66,683.

New soil samples were taken in Nov. 1978 which showed that lead contamination still existed, but the Ministry of the Environment did not inform the public or the householders affected until April, 1979.

In Aug. 1979, Canada Metal was charged by the Ministry of Environment after lead in the air hit record levels of more than 26

times the legal maximum.

The lead pollution problem was considered severe enough for the Ministry to issue a control order Nov. 1979 in addition to prosecution, but Canada Metal got a suspended sentence in Feb. 1980 after pleading guilty to two of the four counts of lead pollution. Judge Robert Dnieper said there was little, if any, harm done, and called Canada Metal a "good corporate citizen."

Residents affected would disagree with Judge Dnieper that no harm was done — though the dosages of lead they are receiving are not enough to make anyone violently ill, lesser doses create neurological problems, especially in children. A 1979 U.S. study, conducted by analysing the amount of lead in lost baby teeth and testing children with the highest amounts of lead, showed that low-level lead poisoning in children causes neurological damage, affecting their capacity to learn and causing behavior problems.

Blood tests conducted to determine lead levels are often inaccurate because such tests reveal only recent exposure, while blood lead levels may return to normal even if the exposure was severe.

To make matters worse, the blood samples taken by the Toronto Board of Health at a blood-testing clinic last October were inadequately tested by the Ministry of Health's laboratories. They initially carried out only one of the two tests recommended by the Lead Pollution Committee of the South Riverdale Community Health Centre.

The blood test that was done, called an FEP test, only shows the effect of lead on blood components, not the actual level of lead in the blood.

The Ministry of Health laboratory eventually carried out the blood lead level tests, but by that point less than half of the test tubes of blood taken from 352 people who came to the October blood clinic were available — the rest were broken, contaminated or lost.

However, there is no need for residents to give up hope — the Lead Pollution Committee,

formed in January 1980, has committed itself to doing something about excessive lead emission. In order to do this, participation of area residents is highly necessary. If you wish to volunteer, or if you want more information on lead pollution, call the committee at 461-2493 (South Riverdale Community Health Centre), or call Cathy Walther at 463-2368.

## Queen's Park "waffles" on gay rights

Ontario's Minister of Labour, Dr. Robert Elgie, introduced new legislation amending the Ontario Human Rights Code on November 25. There was no mention of adding sexual orientation to the list of prohibited grounds for discrimination. The amendments will most probably be referred to a standing committee of MPP's which is a partial victory for the Coalition for Gay Rights in Ontario as we have made demands for such a hearing many times in the last year. While it is still possible to have sexual orientation included at the committee stage, reaction to the defeat of Mayor John Sewell and other pro-gay politicians in the recent Toronto municipal elections is making our lobbying efforts very difficult. Liberal and NDP legislators are frightened by the media's claim that anti-gay forces determined the election results. Those defeats

were more the result of the poor way progressive candidates' campaigns dealt with the gay issue, especially the lack of response to widely distributed hate literature.

Once again we are under attack and our straight and closeted friends in Queen's Park are waffling in their promised support. If we lose this battle our enemies will go all out in their campaign to drive lesbians and gay men back underground. Our efforts at the legislature must demonstrate your determination to win full rights as a resident of Ontario. When the committee hearings take place, in mid-January or February, CGRO intends to force the parties to declare themselves in no uncertain terms, whether or not they will allow the persecution of homosexuals to continue.

From It's Your Move Newsletter of the Coalition for Gay Rights in Ontario

## Centre's new hours

The Friendship Centre, 315 Dundas St. E., in All Saints Church (Sherbourne and Dundas), is now open every morning at 8:00 a.m. The hours of operation are: Mon. 8 a.m. - 9 p.m., Tues. 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., Wed. 8 a.m. - 9 p.m., Thurs. 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.,

Fri. 8 a.m. - 9 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., and Sun. 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. Hot soup, coffee and tea are available at 15¢ a cup. TV, table tennis and cards are available also. All welcome (No alcohol or drugs, please.)

## RPCIA opens legal clinic

We would like to inform you that the RPCIA tenants' association has opened a legal clinic service to the Regent Park community. Help is available with evictions, transfers, rent arrears, and other legal and family prob-

lems. The legal clinic operates every Thursday from 2 to 7 p.m. at the RPCIA office, 44 Blevins Place, starting January 15. For details and appointments call 364-2909 every day from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

## Residents protest closure

On January 9, the Bank of Commerce at King and Parliament Sts. closed its doors. This small branch has been serving local residents and businesses for many years.

It seems that the Commerce's profits are down this year. To deal with this, small branches like the one at King and Parliament are being phased out. It may seem like an unimportant decision for the men in the head office, but for the residents in the south end of Ward 7, however, the loss of this bank will hurt.

Not too long ago the TD Bank closed their branch at Queen and Parliament. With the Commerce's departure, there is now one bank left in the Parliament, Dundas, Don River and King St. Area.

If business at the Parliament/King Commerce branch was slow we could understand the decision to close. This is not the case however, — the bank is always busy.

Area residents are falling victim to a cost-cutting, centralizing move.

A concerned group of residents is circulating a petition to protest the Bank of Commerce's decision. If you want to sign it, or if you want more information, contact Kari Dehli at Dixon Hall, 863-0499.



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## Youth Services Network may close

The Youth Services Network, which exists to promote information exchange and discussion about services for youth, is out of funds and may have to shut down.

The network's co-ordinator has left, and there are no funds to hire a replacement.

Network members are being asked to consider a number of

options: attempting to continue to operate by applying for and administering special projects; trying to get the network "adopted" by a large social agency; become a volunteer organization only with no paid staff; or close up the network entirely.

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## Jarvis has snob appeal for French

I would like to comment on the article "French unit at Jarvis Collegiate?", in the Dec. 19 7 News.

At present the French unit is a welcome addition to Monarch Park, a school which has the space to accommodate the program now as well as in its intended future as it rises in numbers to 350 pupils, when we hope it will find a school site entirely for its own use. Unfortunately, the snob-appeal of Jarvis Collegiate is overwhelming to some of the parents who have been educating their children in French. They are now willing to sacrifice a position in which their children are welcomed and desired for a confrontation situation in an overcrowded school.

Your article suggested that the snobbery was on the part of the

Jarvis parents. I would contend that it is just the reverse. It is a pity that most news stories concentrate on whether the parents who are concerned about changes in which they were not consulted that will affect the options and number of spaces available to their children are termed bigots while those who desire change for the snob-appeal of Jarvis are applauded and supported.

As the Trustee for the Ward which will be losing these students I feel a loss for both Monarch Park and Jarvis. As a parent with children at both Gabrielle-Roy and Jarvis I feel betrayed by both the French Language Advisory Committee and the decisions of the previous Board. And as a reader of the press of this city I am

tired of hearing that Monarch Park, an excellent school, is considered so deficient in comparisons with Jarvis. I would have expected 7 News to have detected the bias of many Gabrielle Roy parents when you noted their resistance to being located at Riverdale Collegiate three years ago — again, an excellent school, even a collegiate, BUT lacking the essential element — the Rosedale connections of Jarvis.

Cordially yours,  
Nola Crewe  
Trustee, Ward 8

7 News could use some regular help in the office with typing, or filing, or whatever. If you can help, call 363-9650.



## South Riverdale

NOTICE

NEIGHBOURHOOD IMPROVEMENT AREA

The Planning Staff of the South Riverdale Planning and Development Department office (Myra Wiener, Gael Gilbert and Barbara Leonhardt) have moved from 821 Queen Street East to the Mezzanine level of the Ralph Thornton Centre at 765 Queen Street East. The phone number remains unchanged: 463-5914.

The Neighbourhood Improvement Programme staff of the South Riverdale office (Ed Kothringer and Vivienne Kirlew) have been transferred to the Pape Danforth Site Office now located at 1078 Danforth Avenue. Their new phone number is 461-7595.



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**Monday, January 19**

Come to a meeting to plan a women's occupation and demonstration at Ontario Hydro tonight at 7 pm in the East Room of the 519 Church Street Community Centre. (Women only, please.)

**Tuesday, January 20**

There will be a Blood Clinic today from 9 am to 3 pm at George Brown College, King Campus, 200 King St. E.

**Wednesday, January 21**

The International Women's Day Committee is meeting tonight at 7:30 pm in the 519 Church Street Community Centre.

**Friday, January 30**

The Jimmie Simpson Recreation Centre will be holding its fourth annual Winter Carnival today from 7-10 pm and tomorrow from 9 am-10 pm. This will be a weekend of free winter fun with various games and activities scheduled throughout the carnival. The grand opening is tonight, followed by a great skating party. Plan to attend this fun-filled event and don't miss the excitement. You'll be glad you came.

**Saturday, January 31**

The Parliament Street Library, 265 Gerrard St. E. is having a Chinese New Year event for children, with a Lion Dance and a Kung Fu demonstration, today at 2 pm.

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# Budget harms poor

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The council says that the budget largely ignores the worsening fate and future of pensioners,

the unemployed, families on low incomes, and individuals who require social services.

It points out that the energy price increases announced in the budget, coupled with rising inflation and the forecast for higher unemployment will have a major effect on the cost of living for Canadians on low and fixed incomes.

Yet the budget indicates major cutbacks in funding for social programs. It appears that federal-provincial power struggles are obscuring the necessity of responding to human needs.

The result is likely to be a quite negative effect on the standard of living of many Canadians. The average family can expect to pay approximately \$500 more next year, and greater amounts in subsequent years, for transportation, home heating and other tax increases announced in the budget. For families living at an income equivalent to the minimum wage, which currently averages \$6,200, cost increases resulting from the budget will represent about eight per cent of their gross income.

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## ID for your dog

Last year, the Toronto Humane Society gave shelter to almost 5000 lost dogs.

The society points out that without proper identification, it is almost impossible to return animals to their owners. If Animal Control officers pick up a licensed dog, they can take him home immediately without first taking it to the pound.

Toronto dog licenses came due

for renewal on January first, and the Humane Society reminds owners that they are legally required to license their dogs.

Cat licenses are not required by law, but the Society feels that they deserve the same protection, so they make cat identification tags, with lifetime registration, available for one dollar.

The Humane Society is reachable at 922-1191.

## RPSU tax clinic

Cost: \$2 if on social assistance \$3 if working

When:

Monday — 9:30-12:00, 1:30-4:00, 6:30-9:00

Tuesday — 6:30-9:00

Where:

Regent Park Services Unit, 63 Belshaw Pl.

How:

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## New employment protection for domestic employees.

Effective January 1, 1981.

A new regulation has been issued expanding employment protection for domestic employees (cooks, housekeepers, nannies), who work more than 24 hours a week. It does not apply to baby sitters or companions.

### Wages

Domestic employees are entitled to  
\$24 per day  
\$132 per week  
\$568 per month or  
\$3 per hour

### Room and Board

Householders may deduct up to \$50 per week from a domestic employee's wages for room and board.

### Time Off

Domestic employees are entitled to at least 36 consecutive hours of free time per week without deduction from wages. If work is performed during this free time, the equivalent amount of time off or payment at not less than \$3 an hour must be given.

### Annual Vacations

Domestic employees are entitled to at least 2 weeks of vacation per year and to at least 4 per cent of annual wages as vacation pay.

### Public Holidays

Domestic employees are entitled to seven paid statutory holidays per year. If work is performed on the holiday, another day off with regular pay must be given before the next annual vacation.

All domestic employees, including those working less than 24 hours a week and baby sitters and companions continue to be covered by standards for termination of employment, pregnancy leave, equal pay for equal work and collection of wages.

Additional information may be obtained from the Employment Standards Branch, Ontario Ministry of Labour in the following cities:

**Toronto**  
400 University Avenue  
M7A 1V2  
Tel.: (416) 965-5251

**Hamilton**  
1 West Avenue South  
L8N 2R9  
Tel.: (416) 527-2951

**Kenora**  
808 Robertson Street  
P9N 1X9  
Tel.: (807) 468-3128

**Kingston**  
1055 Princess Street  
K7L 1H3  
Tel.: (613) 542-2853

**Kitchener**  
824 King Street West  
N2G 1G1  
Tel.: (519) 744-8101

**London**  
205 Oxford Street East  
N6A 5G6  
Tel.: (519) 439-3231

**Ottawa**  
2197 Riverside Drive  
K1H 7X3  
Tel.: (613) 523-7530

**St. Catharines**  
205 King Street  
L2R 3J5  
Tel.: (416) 682-7261

**Sault Ste. Marie**  
390 Bay Street  
P6A 1X2  
Tel.: (705) 949-3331

**Sudbury**  
199 Larch Street  
P3E 5M7  
Tel.: (705) 675-4455

**Thunder Bay**  
435 James Street South  
P7E 6E3  
Tel.: (807) 475-1691

**Timmins**  
273 Third Avenue  
P4N 1E2  
Tel.: (705) 267-6231

**Windsor**  
500 Ouellette Avenue  
N9A 1B3  
Tel.: (519) 256-8278

For toll free numbers check the government listings in your local telephone directory.



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