



# The Dairy Creamer

**Forecast**  
Take a look outside of your damn window and then take a guess. See that snow? Expect a lot more. Damn groundhog seeing his shadow.

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700 jobs to be created in Fredericton area

## New Plans for Devon Released

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Despite the unpopularity of the idea, Mayor Bad Wooshed and city engineers unveiled plans to turn the township of Devon into an inordinately large parking lot.

Dubbed "The Superlot," the parking lot will stretch from McKean Street to

Engineers anticipate a need for 700 semi-skilled labourers during construction. Students and individuals on income assistance programmes will be given priority concerning the newly created jobs.

Meanwhile Devon locals are irate at city officials for not consulting them before announcing The Superlot. They are concerned about losing their homes

compensation for their losses. Woodshed has made it a priority not to go over-budget, and he feels compensation packages will just add unnecessarily to the costs.

Funds for the big project are expected to come from private citizens, who can have their names spray-painted on the lot for a donation of \$25.

Dieman Construction has been awarded the contract, pending a city investigation into faulty construction of a doghouse for Woodshed's dog, Puddles.

An upset Woodshed maintains that city engineers picked Dieman over his objections, but would support their decision.

The idea to pave Devon came about after a failed attempt to build a \$10 billion subway in 1994. Construction of The Fredericton Express, as it was known, was halted

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the Princess Margaret Bridge. Construction is slated to begin within two months at a projected cost of \$500 million. The Superlot should see completion by the year 2000. A handful of Devon businesses will be spared. Included in the list of businesses to be spared the tar-y death are the NB Liquor store, the Metro and the Jean Couteau pharmacy.

At the conference, Mayor Woodshed told a capacity crowd that "Paving over Devon is the first step to solving the city's lack of parking spaces."

The Superlot is expected to be able to accommodate several thousand vehicles of various shapes and sizes.

"Everything from a Yugo to a Freightliner will be able to park in The Superlot," City Engineer Daniel Gobster said.

and their sense of identity.

"It's all really a Communist plot to silence the true majority, or else Woodshed has been spending a little too much time with his hair tonic," Devonite Joan Winnerton complained to *The Creamer*.

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Others in Devon welcome the chance for change. Robert Roberts sums up his feelings. "I've lived in this place, and I've thought all this time it's been one big pot-hole. Hey, if you wanna pave my house go for it."

The city does not intend to offer any Devonites relocation packages or

after miners opened the pits of Hell and Satan escaped.

Since his release from Freddy Beach, the Prince of Darkness has been seen to hover over an Alaskan oil well, the Waco disaster, and more recently, over Senator Bob Dole's residence in Washington, D.C.



**SPRING FESTIVITIES BEGIN** - There's not actually a story that goes with this photo, but who are we to question the wisdom of the Great Gods who send us filler?

(MB Photo)

## Mystery Nutrient Found in Restaurant Food

by **HUNTER "PJ" THOMPSON**  
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A UNB student experienced a major revelation at McDoornail's, the semi-official fast food franchise of Fredericton, on Prospect Street yesterday. A nutrient emerged in his meal, and McDoornail's management is baffled as to its origins.

Student Ken Trainville purchased his meal - one Gease Fried Burger Sandwich with extra vinegar - and sat down to savour his \$12.47 purchase. Unbeknownst to Trainville, something foreign lurked within his food.

"I took a bite of whatever it was I was eating and it, like, blew my mind! Something simply wasn't right. That normal feeling of nausea was replaced with, I don't know, invigoration? It almost cleared the phlegm from my

lungs. It wasn't much, y'know, but I could sense there was something wrong so I took that greenish meathyngy back."

Shocked and surprised was cashier Marilla Gristle, a 15 year veteran of McDoornail's. "When he (Trainville) first mentioned that his meal might be 'healthy,' I almost spit my dentures into the onion ring batter again! I mean, I've seen a lot during my sentence here - the Grease Fire of '75, the severed head in the soup - but to have someone receive food here that could possibly prolong their life..." Gristle paused and mopped her brow with a lettuce leaf. "I've seen it all now."

Director of Fever Foods, Sal Monella, appeared calm and collected during the afternoon's press conference as he expounded on

McDoornail's dedication to service and attempted to explain the origins of the maverick nutrient. "We honestly don't know how it got there. We here at McDoornail's work extra hard to ensure that what you get is 100 percent devoid of nutrition. It was probably a result of radiation leakage at the factory."

Mr. Monella continued to state that, "Our food goes through a special screening process to weed out anything resembling a healthy diet. If our inspectors don't get it, chances are that the teeming rodent life at the plant will. But in the instance that something should sneak past our quality control, well, that's just tough."

When asked about reimbursing Mr. Trainville for his purchase, Mr.

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## Royal Visitor Coming

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For the first time in over 2,000 years, a god is coming to Fredericton.

The realization was made by Frederictonian's George Hashy and Mary Wanna, during a night of festivities. "We were re-enacting the festival of Antheseria, an ancient Athenian celebration honouring Dionysus, the god of wine," said Wanna. "All of a sudden, we both shared a vision that he would soon return."

In his honour, the two built a throne for him to use. "We felt that he would appreciate the rest, after travelling all the way from Mount Olympus. Or the Isles of the Blessed. Or wherever it is that extinct gods go," explained Hashy. "We couldn't figure out how to build it out of wine, though, so we had to use cases of beer."

As for the orthodox figure of Jesus, Hashy continued, "we couldn't find an idol of Dionysus. We improvised. We think he'd appreciate that."

Upon his arrival, the two intend to entertain the god with wine and movies. "We know he likes wine," said Hashy, "and we figure he'd like tragic movies."

"In the Book, he said that he loved the part where they did this with their hands and went 'wah wah,'" explained Wanna, referring to Aristophanes' *The Wasps*. "So we'll give him lots of drama. He is an expert on it, you know."

The response to Dionysus' imminent return has been overwhelming. The Academy Awards have already contacted Wanna and Hashy about asking Dionysus to participate in the judging next year.



**The Holy Throne:** Devout followers in Fredericton prepared a throne in anticipation of Dionysus' return.

(MB Photo)

"If it comes up," was the extent of the promise the two would make. "You know, he's a guest and we don't want to pressure him. Besides, he's a god. Can you imagine how sick he must be of people always asking him for favours?"

Hashy and Wanna expect Dionysus to arrive sometime around the end of April. "It's very unfortunate timing," said Wanna. "It'll be difficult to get much of a following if the Prince of Wales is in town at the same time."

## Mad Cows To Be Used To Diffuse Bombs in Cambodia

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Mad Cow Disease is running rampant all across Europe and officials are wondering what they should do to remedy the situation. While mass slaughter has occurred and continues to occur throughout Europe, there are too few incinerators to be a real solution to the problem.

Yesterday, however, British Prime Minister John Major began talks with delegates in Cambodia, which also has an unresolved problem. Mines all over Cambodia kill hundreds of civilians every year. "The mines are so numerous that it is more dangerous to try and de-mine an area than it is to just leave them there" said one Cambodian soldier in charge of mine removal.

The talks centered around the idea

that cows infected with the disease could be flown to Cambodia and released into areas known to have land mines.

This idea was put forth by local farmer, Abdje Bobnikus, who, after several years of trying to start a milk farm, was forced into the hamburger business. "I would take my cows out to graze for the morning, and when I returned in the afternoon there would be nothing left of my herd except for burger bits."

So far, the talks have been set back by concerns that some of the more industrious Cambodians might try to collect the meat from the suicide cows in order to sell it in the marketplace. However, officials believe that with proper monitoring and surveillance, this should provide an easy solution to an otherwise touchy situation.

If all goes well at the negotiating

table, thousands of cows will be air-dropped into the Cambodian backback and herded towards the heavier concentrations of mines. Colonel Walters of the Cambodian army believes that cows are the perfect tool for exploding the otherwise dangerous mines. "Cows got four legs which gives 'em twice the chances as any two footer, in my opinion these cows are just what we need to clean up this mess."

Meanwhile some activist groups are speaking out against the proposed 'suicide stampede' stating that it would be cruel and unusual treatment. However, since the cows are scheduled for incineration anyway, the activists' cries are not being taken very seriously. "Besides these cows would have wound up as steaks and hamburgers sooner or later. This just makes it sooner," said Major.

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