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Weather: it's pumpkiny. "All of the news you really need. Probably more" "Noli credere omnia legis"

Solar Eclipse 2023; Curses, Clouds Again!

Hey, at least it wasn't raining cats & dogs like 2017.

By Mark Minnick

Well, it seems that the Solar Eclipse gods don't give a rip about us folks in Minnesota. *(Kinda like the refs for Vikings games…just sayin'.)*

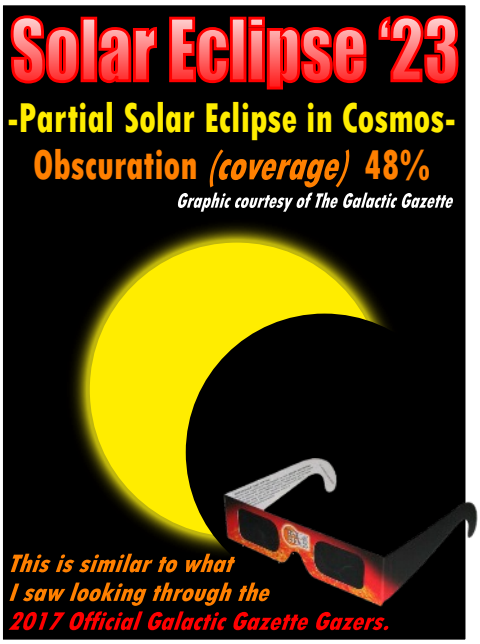
Back in 2017 and now in 2023, clouds obscured a full and clear view of partial solar eclipses visible in Minnesota proper. I almost forgot about the celestial event as I was getting ready for Deb's and my 40th Wedding Anniversary later in the day. I said *almost* forgot. There were ***two*** big events on October 14th by golly!

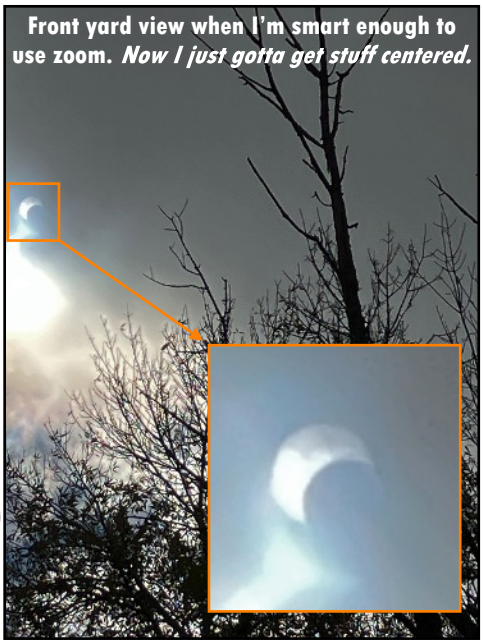
Just in the knick of time, I grabbed my trusty **2017 Official Galactic Gazette Eclipse Gazers** *(say that five times fast)* and went outside to try and take a look. Around the 11:46 maximum coverage time, a few breaks in the clouds revealed blue sky and an unblocked view of said eclipse, with my viewing glasses, of course. Neat for me personally, but how do I record the event? I don't have the fancy schmancy camera and filters to safely take a pic. And I don't want to cheat and steal a pic off of the internets. What to do, what to do…

But I noticed that as the clouds got to just the right thickness, you could see the eclipse, without hurting your eyes or camera. So I snapped a bunch of shots trying to get just the right pic. And by gosh, I even got a few. Below are a couple of images that I thought turned out pretty good. Proof that there was a solar eclipse. Now whether anyone really cares or not, that's another story. :)

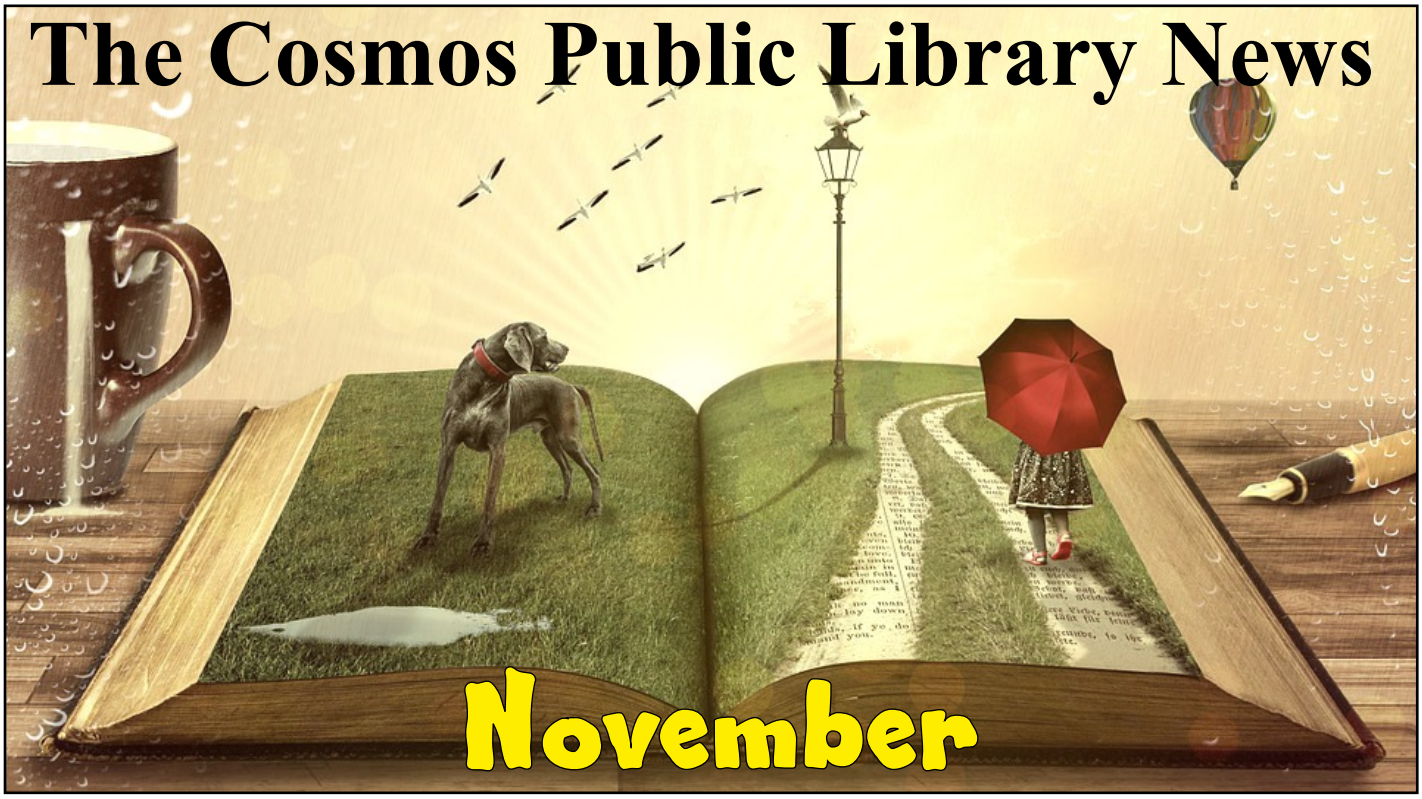
Btw, if you missed this solar eclipse, there's another on coming up, April 2024. *I can already feel the excitement building...*







The Cosmos Public Library News



by Beth Cronk, Meeker County Librarian

The book was better! This is something people often say when they watch a movie or TV adaptation of a book. If you'd like to read the book before watching a movie or TV show that's coming out this year – or after watching it - Cosmos Public Library has these books available:

"The Other Black Girl" is a thriller by Zakiya Dalila Harris that was published in 2021. The TV show based on the novel is currently streaming on Hulu.

"Lessons in Chemistry" is a wildly-popular novel by Bonnie Garmus. The TV series is currently streaming on Apple TV+. The hype about this book hasn't died down yet, even though it was published last year, so you may have to get on a waiting list to check it out.

"All the Light We Cannot See" won Anthony Doerr the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction in 2015. The Netflix miniseries based on this historical novel will come out in November.

"Stamped from the Beginning: The Definitive History of Racist Ideas in America" by Ibram X. Kendi won the National Book Award for Nonfiction in 2016. The Netflix documentary film will be released in November.

"The Eye of the World" is the first book in Robert Jordan's "The Wheel of Time," a long-running fantasy series. The second season of "The Wheel of Time" TV series came out this fall to stream on Prime Video.

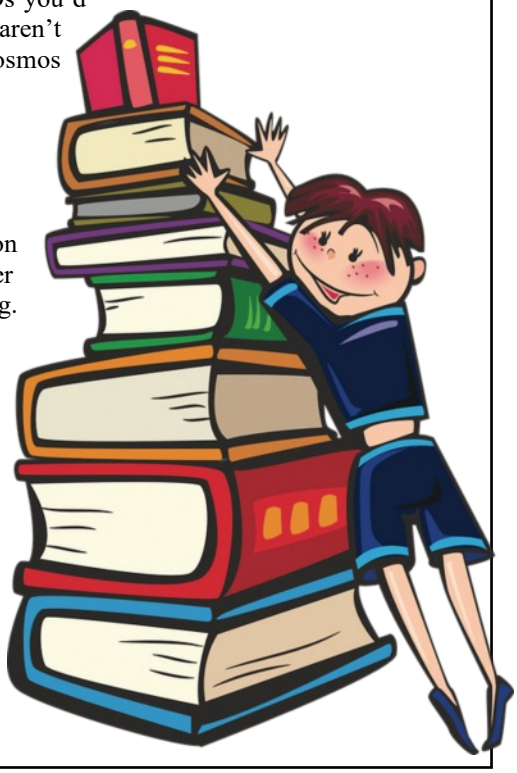
The **"Goosebumps"** horror series by R.L. Stine has been a favorite of kids for decades. The "Goosebumps" TV series is currently available on Disney + and Hulu. Cosmos Library has several of these novels available to check out.

"The Color Purple" is a 1982 novel by Alice Walker that won the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction and the National Book Award for Fiction. It was made into a movie in 1985. A stage musical based on the book and the movie opened on Broadway in 2005. Now a movie based on the musical will be coming to theaters on Christmas Day.

"Percy Jackson and the Olympians" is the name of a six-book kids' series by Rick Riordan. Disney + will be releasing a TV series by the same name in December. All five original books in this fun fantasy series from the early 2000s are available at the Cosmos Library.

"Leave the World Behind" is a thriller by Rumaan Alam. The movie based on the 2020 novel will get a limited release in theaters in November, then it will stream on Netflix in December.

Interlibrary loan service is available at no charge to borrow items from other libraries, so talk to library staff or check the catalog for books and DVDs you'd like to find but that aren't available at the Cosmos Library.



The library will be closed on Saturday, November 11, for Veterans Day, and on Thursday, November 23, for Thanksgiving.

Cosmos Library's regular hours are Mondays 10-5, Tuesdays 2-5, Thursdays 2-6, Fridays 2-5, and Saturdays 10-1. Visit the website at www.cosmos.lib.mn.us or the library's Facebook page for library updates.

American Red Cross

The Cosmos American Legion Auxiliary

is hosting the **Red Cross Bloodmobile**

Cosmos City Center

Wednesday, November 29, 1-7 PM

To schedule an appointment online;

1. Go online to **redcrossblood.org.** **2.** Find our blood drive by typing in the zip code (56228) for Cosmos. **3.** Create an account if you don't already have one.

4. Choose a time to donate blood.

You can also schedule a time to donate by phoning the American Red Cross at

1-800-733-2767

Please Help us reach our goal. We need you!

Where's the Gazette?





We just had to take a picture checking out the news while touring the Biltmore Mansion in Asheville NC.

Doug & Julie Fett

Win a KewPie! Show us where you are reading the Gazette & Email pics to:

wordnut66@outlook.com

(And the secretary will disavow any knowledge of your actions too.)



Happy Thanksgiving



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The Cosmos Lions

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Remember, we are always looking for new gals or guys to become members & join us.
Feel free to talk to any Lions member or email; cosmoslions@mac.com

The Oct 12th Cosmos City Council Meeting was canceled, so there are no minutes.
The City of Cosmos **Fall Street Sweeping** is scheduled for **Friday, November 9th**, dependent on weather. Please do not park vehicles or trailers on the city streets that day.

City of Cosmos
Notice of Public Hearing
5:45 p.m. Thursday, November 9, 2023

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the City Council of the City of Cosmos will hold a public hearing on Thursday, November 9, 2023 commencing at 5:45 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 220 Milkyway S. Cosmos, MN to consider an assessment roll for past due utilities and unpaid maintenance invoices for property owners within the City of Cosmos.
Dated this 12th day of October 2023

John Douville
City Clerk
City of Cosmos, MN

Job Opening
Public Works Superintendent Position

The **City of Cosmos** has
a full-time opening for their
Public Works Superintendent position.
The individual will be responsible for the
streets, parks and general public works.
Must have the ability
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Email **cosmoscity@mchsi.com**
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Pay dependent on
experience and qualifications.
Position will remain open until filled.

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City of Cosmos Brush Site

-Located by the city sanitation ponds-

Days & Hours the Site is Open:
Saturdays 10 AM-3 PM
Wednesdays 7 AM-3:30 PM
-Holidays not included-

-Items to be collected-

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Reminder:
Medicare Supplements
Open Enrollment Period
October 15th to December 7th.

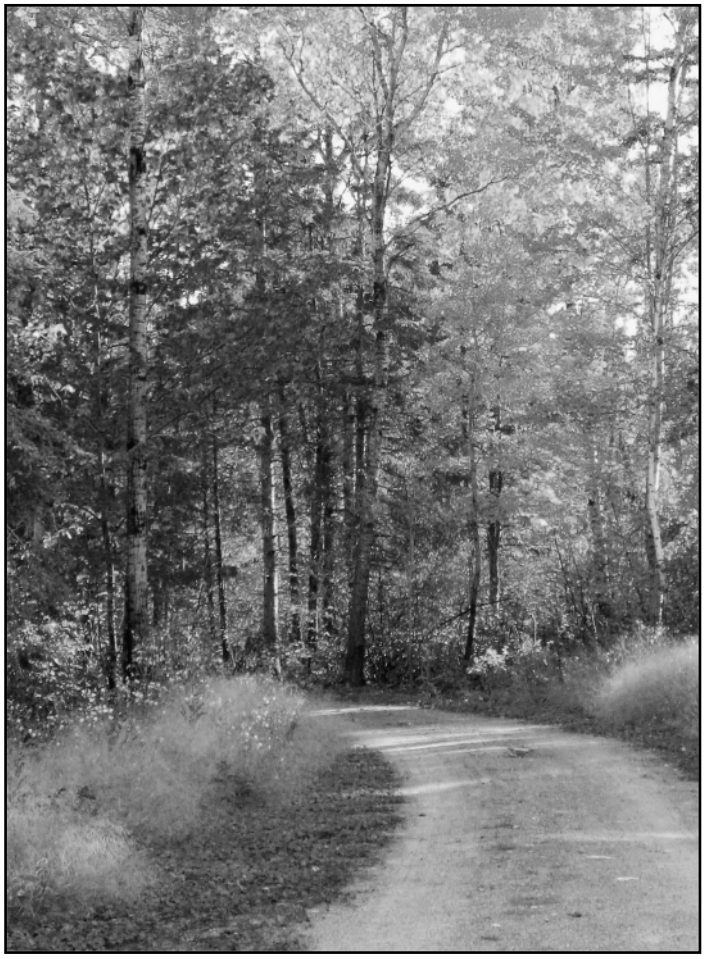


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Holiday wood crafts & florals by TLC Crafters

Notice
The Cosmos Senior Club members will be getting together at the
Cosmos City Center
for a dinner meeting on Thursday
November 30th, 11:00 AM



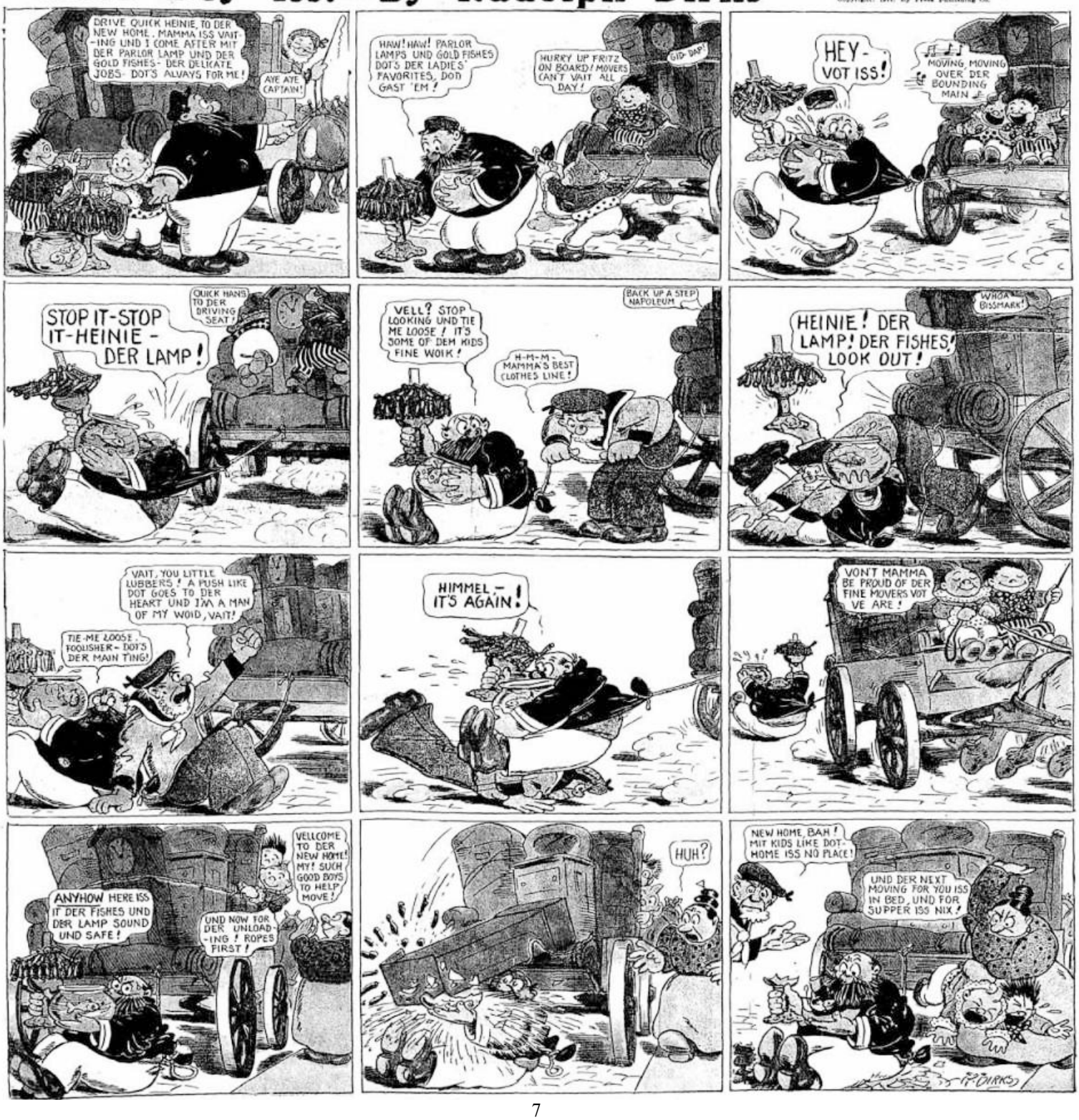
I thought this 1914 comic with it's German accented English looked interesting. It brings back memories of my younger days listening to local old German folks. They were kind of hard to understand because of that heavy German accent. They of course, are all passed on now and but I still miss their conversations.

The Chicago Sunday Tribune.
PART FOUR. THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER COMIC.
JUNE 7, 1914

Here Dey Iss!---By Rudolph Dirks

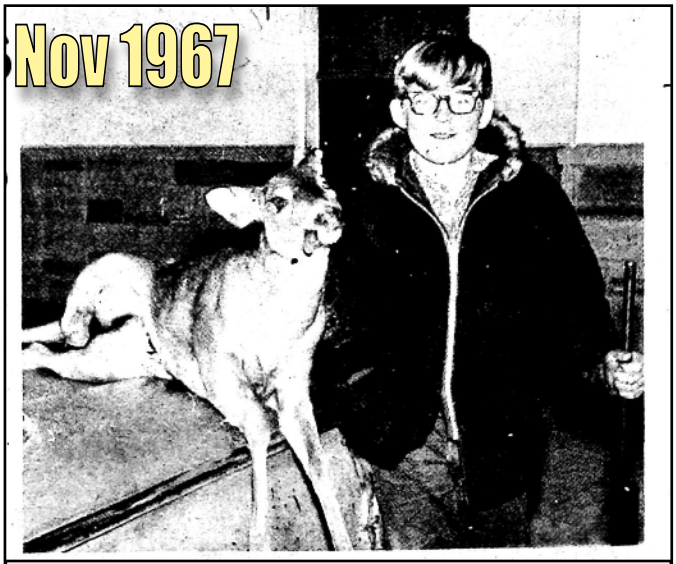
Original Artist of the Katzenjammer Kids

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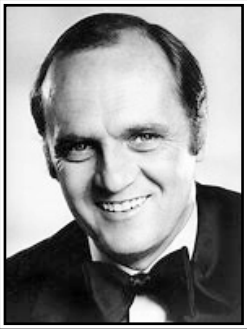
TIME WARP Whozit?

Nov 1967



This local 12 year old shot himself a a young doe during the 1967 Minnesota Deer Hunting Season.
Do you recognize the young lad?

Whozit?



"A guy walks into a psychologist's convention with a banana in his pocket. When asked about the significance of this he says; Well,they were all out of grapes."
"Mr. Deadpan"
Bob Newhart

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ACGC Ag & FFA Open House

November 27th 6:00pm in the Ag Room (A104)

ACGC FFA Alumni & Supporters are hosting an open house for the community to check out the Ag and Shop Department. See what Mr. Frenchick and Ms. Radunz have been up to this school year.

Meal will be free with paid FFA Alumni Membership . Please RSVP by filling out the link provided.

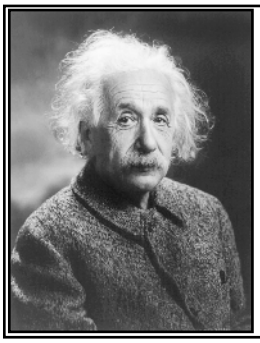
Alumni Meeting will begin after the meal.

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Albert Einstein

Thoughts & Observations



By Mark Minnick,
"Insect Loving Idiot" Editor of **The Galactic Gazette**. Email at **wordnut66@outlook.com**

Rocktober Fest





-Celebrating 40 Years of Wedded Bliss-
& other important stuff

Deb and I had a great time our Wedding Anniversary/Rock Concert on Oct 14th. We both couldn't believe how many people showed up. We tried hard to talk to everyone but it was a nearly impossible task. Both of us want to thank family and friends for taking time out of their busy schedules to spend time with us. We hope you all had a great time, we sure did! Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!

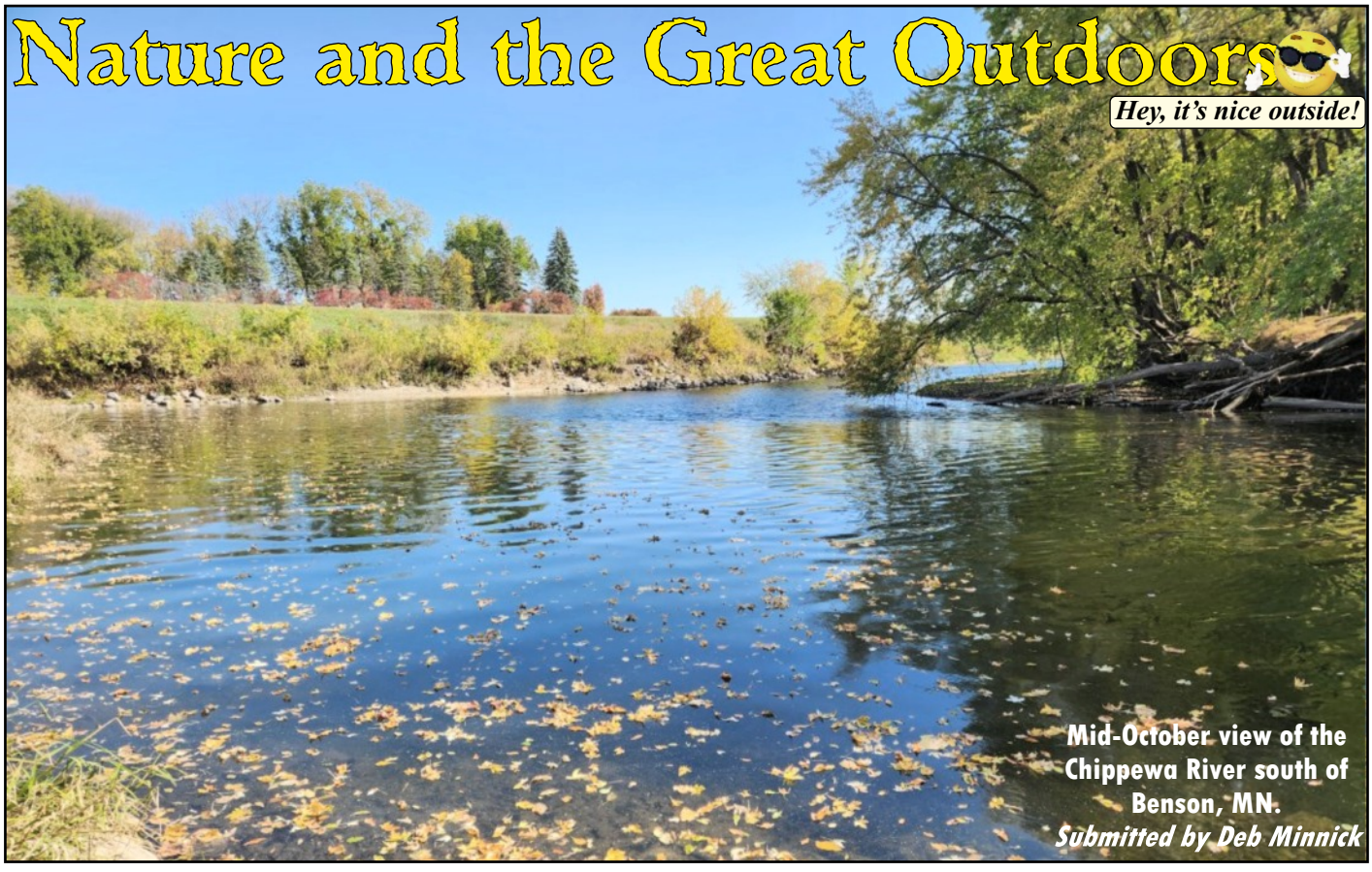
My Orthopedic Odyssey UPDATE

As I am writing this for the Gazette, my knee is telling me that it hurts. So what else is new? It's slowly getting better though. All in all, my knee replacement surgery was a success. I thought about including a picture but, I figured some readers wouldn't appreciate that. As soon as I get the newest x-rays, I will get those in the Gazette. Hopefully this will be the end of my 'Odyssey".



Nature and the Great Outdoors

Hey, it's nice outside!



Mid-October view of the Chippewa River south of Benson, MN.
Submitted by Deb Minnick

Science, Tech and Just Plain Cool Stuff

AI Generated Images

By Mark Minnick

I've been aware of this "AI" *(artificial intelligence)* generated image stuff since last spring. Intrigued, I finally decided to investigate. Below, you can see some of the results I was given when I gave the generator a description of what I wanted to 'see'. I think the results were pretty cool and I *will* be using this tech in future issues. I've also included below, common terms used when talking about AI images.

Bing Image Creator from Microsoft is a product to help users generate AI images with **DALL·E**. Given a text prompt, our AI will generate a set of images matching that prompt.

OpenAI is an American artificial intelligence (AI) organization consisting of the non-profit **OpenAI, Inc.** registered in Delaware and its for-profit subsidiary corporation **OpenAI Global, LLC**. OpenAI researches artificial intelligence with the declared intention of developing "safe and beneficial" artificial general intelligence, which it defines as "highly autonomous systems that outperform humans at most economically valuable work".

DALL·E, **DALL·E 2**, and **DALL·E 3** are text-to-image models developed by OpenAI using deep learning methodologies to generate digital images from natural language descriptions, called "prompts". The original DALL·E was revealed by OpenAI in a blog post in January 5, 2021, and uses a version of GPT-3 modified to generate images. In April 6, 2022, OpenAI announced DALL·E 2, a successor designed to generate more realistic images at higher resolutions that "can combine concepts, attributes, and styles". In September 2023, OpenAI announced their latest image model, DALL·E 3, capable of understanding "significantly more nuance and detail" than previous iterations.

info courtesy wikipedia.org



Alien at a gas station.
(Who knew his spaceship used diesel?)



Laurel & Hardy replacing Santa and chickens replacing the reindeer, getting ready for Christmas Eve.



A tortoise, two rabbits and a raccoon playing a game of poker.



A white rooster chicken fishing for blue bullheads on Neptune.
(Wonder who that could be???)

What Next, Huh?



Jesus is wuppin' up on satan in a game of hoops at Madison Square Garden .

Chef it up!

"Food and spices….together. What a concept!"

Don't forget to teach a kid how to cook.



Grilled Cheese

By Mark Minnick

One day at the kitchen table, my mind started thinking about the upcoming Thanksgiving Day feast. At the same time, I was happily munching on a grilled cheese sandwich *with pickle slices,* fresh outta the fry pan. It went great with my piping hot bowl of chili.

Enjoying this noon lunch I had conjured up last minute, I realized how great and versatile a grilled cheese sandwich is. By itself or as a side with my favorite soup or stew; Good stuff Maynard. *(Note: You are not required to eat a grilled cheese with Campbell's Tomato soup as a side. Some may like it but sorry, I detest that 'soup'. But that's another story.)*

Anyway, is a grilled cheese good enough for a Thanksgiving feast? Why not, especially if you are by yourself, don't like the usual holiday fare or just don't want to go to all the fuss involved with a big meal.

The biggest reason I like this cheesy wonder is it's versatility. Over the years, I've added many things into the sandwich other that the cheese. Pickles, pepperoni, ham; the choices are many. Keep the layers of additions thin though, otherwise you end up with a sandwich that is done on the outside and cold on the inside.

Here's a list of ingredients that I like use to make the sandwich "a little different every time".



For Thanksgiving?

Meats
Spam
Deli Ham
Pepperoni
Deli Turkey
Deli Chicken
Hard Salami
Tuna, canned

Condiments
Horseradish
Radish, sliced thin
Raw Onion, sliced thin
Pickles, sweet or dill
Pickle relish, sweet or dill
Pickled Jalapenos, sliced or chopped

(With all pickled condiments, lay on paper towel to remove excess brine before using in sandwich.)

Other variations Spread tomato/pizza sauce on the inside of the bread, slap on your cheese and pepperonis; Voila, you have a pizza sandwich. Ranch dressing is another good one. The options are endless. Don't forget to use cheeses other than good ol' American cheddar. Bleu, Swiss, Mozzarella, Gruyère, Fontina, all good.

Now, go make an 'anyday' sandwich!



Woids of Wisdom

"Every time you think, you weaken the nation." *Moe Howard*

"Hey, what's the big idea?" *Larry Fine*

"Don't you dare hit me in the head, you know I'm not normal!" *Curly Howard*



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I found a comic book cover *(below)* that I thought was more than appropriate for the Galactic Gazette. And I like it. I hope you do too. ***Editor, Mark Minnick***



Voters can try out new booths next Tuesday

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The Cosmos NEWS



COSMOS--Voters in the village of Cosmos will have their first opportunity to try out the new voting booths at the annual village election next Tuesday, November 7.

The voters will be asked to elect the mayor, a trustee, the treasurer and justice of the peace.

Only two persons have filed for election. Harold Hesser, incumbent trustee, has filed for the office of mayor to succeed Vern Soltau, who has declined to run after twelve years as the village's mayor. Mr. Hesser is unopposed in his bid for election.

The other candidate who has filed is Paul Peterson, Cosmos barber, who has filed for election as trustee (councilman) to succeed Harold Hesser.

There have been no filings for the office of treasurer, a two-year term, or justice of the peace, also a two-year term.

Polls for the annual village election will open at 12 o'clock noon in the village hall and stay open until 8 p.m.

The new voting booths were recently purchased jointly by the village of Cosmos and the Cosmos school district. The booths are collapsible and can be easily stored in a minimum of space when not in use.

Sing-in slated

COSMOS--A new type of musical treat will be featured for this area next Tuesday, November 7, when the United Methodist Youth Fellowship will present a Sing-In at the Cosmos High School.

The event will find the group presenting various instrumental and vocal numbers, as well as community singing, with the theme of "Christ in Your World."

There will be no admission charge for this event which is scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. A free-will offering, however, will be taken.

The Sing-In is open to all, and everyone is welcome and take part in this happy event.

Firemen battle chimney fire

COSMOS--Local firemen were called to the Martin Joecks farm 2 1/2 miles southeast of Corvuso, which is presently occupied by Leo Madsen at 4 a.m. Friday morning.

Here they battled a chimney fire which had a good start. The building was saved, but a new chimney will be needed before winter.

Trailer house burned

COSMOS--A trailer house, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Runke, Jr. and their four children, burned down on Saturday night around 9:30 p.m.

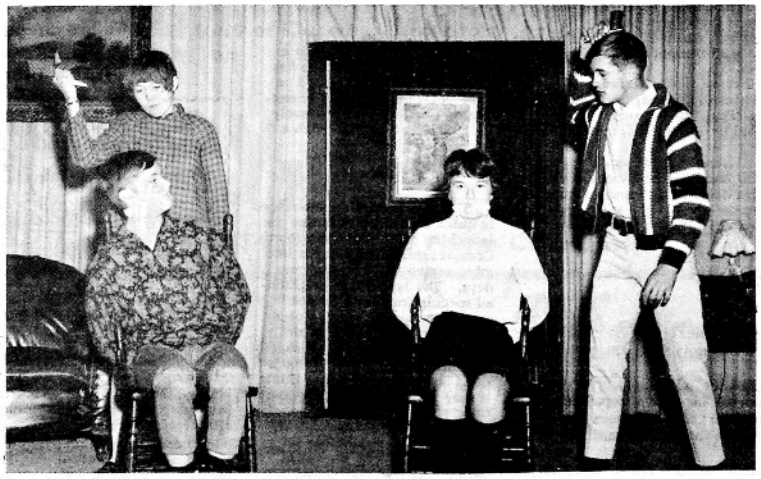
The family was in the trailer at the time the fire started, but all escaped safely. It is believed the heating unit exploded.

Intense heat of the blaze melted the metal trailer.

All personal effects of the family were destroyed in the blaze.

The trailer was located on a farm south east of Corvuso.

Community Chest headed into orbit



TERROR strikes in the suburbs, as a pair of householders are attacked with knife and gun in the play, "Terror in the Suburbs", presented by the Cosmos school. Left to right are Ann Stockland, Melvin Lietzau, Kitty Wothe, and Chuck Lundstrom. Cosmos News Staff Photo.

COSMOS--The 1967-68 Community Chest Drive blasted off this week as volunteers began their house-to-house and business-to-business drive to collect funds for the Community Chest which annually distributes hundreds of dollars to charities designated to be helped in this once-a-year drive.

Goal of the Community Chest this year is $2,000.

An interesting display has been erected in the window of the American Legion Clubrooms to dramatize the progress of the drive. A rocket was poised at the lower right-hand corner, pointed at the goal at the upper left-hand comer of $2,000. As the money comes in, the rocket is sent skyward, the distance representing the contributions which have come in. The attractive display was arranged by Mrs. Martin Kutzke.

During the past year the Cosmos Community Chest contributed the following amounts to various agencies: Muscular dystrophy $80, Peace Pipe Girl

Chest, turn to 16

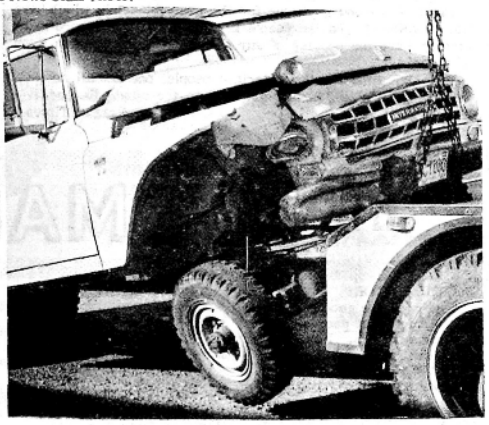
School play is Thurs.-Fri.

COSMOS--Students of Cosmos High School will present the fall all-school play, "Terror in the Suburbs", Thursday and Friday evenings, Nov. 2 and 3.

Staged in the Cosmos High School auditorium, the play is scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. each evening.

The merry, madcap mystery play in three acts is being coached by Don Randolph.

Cast selected for the play includes Sara Beckstrand, Jean Frederiksen, Kitty Wothe, Peggy Menton, Chuck Lundstrom, Ann Stockland, Connie Duke, Mel Lietzau, Laurel Kaddatz, Gary Pearce, Steve Egge and Laurie Smith.



ROUFS PICKUP is seen as it was hauled away from the scene of the accident in Lake Lillian last Saturday.

Mobile X-ray unit is rescheduled for Nov. 13

COSMOS--The Mobile X-Ray Unit which broke down Oct. 27 and was unable to come to Meeker County has made arrangements to come on Nov. 13.

The same schedule will be followed:

Litchfield, Court House, 8:30 - 10:30.

Dassel, Park across from Bakery, 11:00 - 11:30.

Eden Valley, Chalet Cafe, 1:00 - 1:30.

Cosmos, Bakery, 2:30 - 3:00.

Grove City, Corner Cafe, 3:30 - 4:00.

PTA to visit classrooms

COSMOS--Parents of Cosmos school students will have a tour through their children's classrooms, learning of objectives and methods employed in the teaching, when Cosmos Community PTA stages its annual open house next Monday evening, Nov. 6.

Parents are urged to register at the door for a grand prize to be awarded later in the evening.

Bus rides to the open house will not be offered as had originally been scheduled.

Car and pick-up wrecked

LAKE LILLIAN--Personal injuries were light when two automobiles collided on Main Street in Lake Lillian about 7:40 a.m. Saturday morning. The accident occurred when Warren Erickson, driving a car owned by his father, Ray Erickson of Lake Lillian, pulled out onto Main Street from a side road near First Lutheran Church. As Erickson put on his brakes to allow an approaching pick-up to pass, he found that his brakes did not operate, and the car smashed into the pick-up.

Allen Erickson, Warren's 12-year old brother, suffered minor bruises and was taken to Rice Hospital in Willmar for treatment and was released.

Driver of the pick-up was John Roufs of Cosmos. He was not injured.

Police Chief Henry Horns estimated damage to the 1964 International pick-up at about $700. He said the 1960 Pontiac was a total loss.

'Smudge' named All-Conference

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Thursday, Nov. 23, 1967

WILLMAR--One Cosmos High School gridder was named to the Cro-Hawk All-Conference team recently when the 15-player all-conference team was picked by the coaches at a meeting in Willmar.

He is Lorallen Schmeling, senior, who was captain for Cosmos this year. He played offensive center and defensive tackle and did an outstanding job both ways.

Bob Thompson, Milan, scoring leader of the Cro-Hawk Conference this year with 49 points, heads the 15-player all-conference team.

The team had three repeaters from last year. They were Bruce Larson, hard-running back from Milan; Jonjo Thein, quarterback for Clara City and one of the top defensive players in the area, and Dean Hennessey, small but durable, Grove City end.

Grove City topped the selections with four followed by Silver Lake, champions of the conference, with three. Clara City, Maynard and Milan each put two on the team while Raymond and Cosmos had one each.

The other Grove City stars named were Douglas Flemming, senior 175 pound quarterback and defensive tackle, Dennis Brown, senior 166 pound offensive center who was a top blocker and strong defensive player as well, and Alvin Pfingsten, senior 148 pound halfback who scored 38 points in conference play and had a 4.1 average gain. He also was defensive center linebacker.

Jerry Shimanski, senior 162 pound halfback, was the leading ground gainer for Silver Lake with 783 yards, averaging 5.6 yards per carry and ranked second in the scoring race with 47 points. He also caught six passes, was a good blocker and strong defensive player.

Also named from Silver Lake were Joe "Jim" Gehlen, senior 165 pound offensive end and defensive halfback, and Mike Jaskowiak, senior 190 pound tackle. Gehlen caught 21 passes for 251 yards, scored 19 points in conference and intercepted nine passes. Two of those passes he ran back for 50 and 98 yards. Jaskowiak was the best lineman on a team that registered seven shutouts during the year.

Thompson, 165 pound senior halfback for Milan, scored eight touchdowns and one extra point to lead the scoring. He gained 495 yards in 64 carries for the Vikings. He joined with Larson to give the Vikings a strong running attack. Larson rushed for 400 yards averaging 6.3 per carry. He averaged 10 tackles a game.

Thein did about everything for Clara City. He passed for four touchdowns, scored three, did the punting and kicking off, and played outside linebacker on defense. Also named from Clara City was Dale Peterson, senior halfback who gained 494 yards for the Blackhawks for an average gain of 5.3 yards per carry. He was also an outside linebacker on defense.

Chuck Menking led the Maynard twosome along with Lee Coulter. Menking, senior 175 pound quarterback, gained 420 yards offensively and was one of their top defensive players. He also did the punting. Coulter, a junior 155 pounder, played guard on offense and middle linebacker on defense. Averaged 11 tackles per game and was the best blocker in the line.

Named from Raymond was Tony Thissen, rugged offensive halfback and defensive safety who was an excellent pass receiver as well as runner.

Given honorable mention were Bob Johnson, senior end from Clara City, Duane Hagert, junior offensive fullback from Maynard, Roger Olson, 175 pound guard from Raymond, and Gordy Schultz, 207 pound senior tackle from Silver Lake.

CRO-HAWK CONFERENCE SCORING RECORDS

NAME	SCHOOL	TD	XP	TP
Bob Thompson, Milan		8	1	49
Jerry Shimanski, Silver Lake		7	5	47
Alvin Pfingsten, Grove City		6	1	37
Duane Hagert, Maynard		4	3	27
Gary Stritesky, Silver Lake		4	0	24
Jim Piepenburg, Grove City		4	0	24
Bruce Larson, Milan		3	3	21
Joe Gehlen, Silver Lake		3	1	19
Jim Konerza, Silver Lake		3	1	19
Paul Spray, Milan		3	0	18
Dale Thomas, Cosmos		3	0	18
Bruce Luthens, Cosmos		3	0	18
Dale Peterson, Clara City		2	4	16
Tony Thissen, Raymond		2	1	13
Bruce Smutka, Silver Lake		2	1	13
Jonjo Thein, Clara City		2	1	13
Glenn Erlandson, Maynard		2	1	13
Charles Menking, Maynard		2	1	13
Dale Lighter, Maynard		2	0	12
Doug Flemming, Grove City		2	0	12
Jack Huisinga, Clara City		2	0	12
Bob Johnson, Clara City		2	0	12
Rick Nelson, Clara City		2	0	12
Guy Nelson, Grove City		1	4	10
Roger Olson, Raymond		1	1	7
Peter Dahlke, Raymond		1	1	7
Steve Rambow, Raymond		1	0	6
Phil Larpenter, Raymond		1	0	6
Lee Coulter, Maynard		1	0	6
Bill Christianson, Maynard		1	0	6
Gary Stutelberg, Clara City		0	2	2

1967 ROYALS' BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Dec. 1, Prinsburg, here, 6:30

Dec. 8, Raymond, there, 6:30

Dec. 15, Grove City, here, 6:30

Dec. 19, Lester Prairie, there, 6:30

Dec. 29-30, Christmas Tourney, here, Atwater vs. Hector and Dassel vs. Cosmos, 7:00 & 8:30

Jan. 5, Clara City, there, 6:30

Jan. 12, Silver Lake, here, 6:30

Jan. 19, Maynard, there, 6:30

Jan. 26, Lester Prairie, here, 6:30

Jan. 30, Prinsburg, there, 6:30

Feb. 2, Raymond, here, 6:30

Feb. 6, Grove City, there, 6:30

Feb. 9, Clara City, here, 6:30

Feb. 13, Silver Lake, there, 6:30

Feb. 16, Maynard, here, 6:30

Preliminary Games at 6:30 p.m.

Varsity Games at 8:00 p.m.



1967 ROYALS' WRESTLING SCHEDULE

Nov. 28, Milan, there, 6:45 (B)
Dec. 2, Invitational at Bird Island, 2:00 & 7:00 p.m., weigh-in 11:30-12:30
Dec. 7, Atwater, here, 7:00
Dec. 14, Raymond, here, 7:00
Dec. 18, Hector, there, 7:00 (B) starting
Jan. 9, Clara City, there, 7:00
Jan. 16, Brownton, here, 7:00
Jan. 18, Maynard, there, 7:00
Jan. 23, Renville, here, 7:00
Jan. 29, Eden Valley, here, 7:00
Feb. 3, Conference Meet at Maynard
Feb. 13, Danube, here, 7:00

Preliminary Bouts at 7:00
Varsity Bouts at 8:00

The Old Timer



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How They Bowled

TUESDAY LEAGUE

Cosmos Elev. 2 over Cosmos Insurance, Legion Post 126 2 over Cosmos Transfer.

	W	L	Tot.
Leg. Post 126	19	14	26
Cos. Insurance	19	14	24
Cos. Elevator	17	16	24
Cos. Transfer	11	22	14
Hi Game			
Steve Sprieter		234	
Don Randolph		205	
Ralph Macik		204	
Dorin Adams		202	
Gordon Johnson		194, 193, 193	
Otto Wilner		192	
Hi Series			
Gordon Johnson		580	
Dorin Adams		546	
Ralph Macik		533	
Don Randolph		530	
Arnold Runke		530	
Steve Sprieter		529	
Matt Matthews		516	
Gene Dallmann		511	
Otto Wilner		501	

THURSDAY LEAGUE

Cosmos News 3 over Glencoe Feeds, Menton's Texaco 2 over Corvuso Cry.

	W	L	Totl Tot.
Corvuso Cry.	20	13	27
Menton's Tex.	19	14	25
Cosmos News	17	16	22
Glencoe Feeds	10	23	14
Hi Game			
Russ Nordine		226, 190	
Don Randolph		204	
Vic Eastman		203	
Don DeLeeuw		201	
Glen Bemis, Jr.		196	
Don Bluhm		195	
Dorin Adams		192	
Dennis Hoff		190	
Hi Series			
Russ Nordine		567	
Don Randolph		545	
Vic Eastman		541	
George Lang		533	
Don DeLeeuw		532	
Dorin Adams		526	
Glen Bemis, Jr.		513	
Dennis Hoff		508	

Cosmos News rolled a 3-game series of 2822 with hi game of 1005 and 947.

Menton's Texaco rolled a 3-game series of 2729 with single hi game 937.

MIXED DOUBLES

	W	L	Tot.
Erickson-Sjogren	4	0	1835
Newberg-E. Lietzau	3	1	1816
Maag-Radtke	1	3	1761
Heil-VanderVoort	0	4	1670
Hi Games			
Ross Nielsen		215, 189	
Vic Eastman		214, 187	
Mel VanderVoort		208	
Boots Sjogren		203	
Ann Nielsen		171	
Hi Series			
Ross Nielsen		556	
Vic Eastman		547	
Herb Maag		523	
Boots Sjogren		473	
Ann Nielsen		457	
Splits Converted			
Phil Heil		5-7	
Kate Lietzau		5-7	

MONDAY LEAGUE

Corvuso Cry 2 over Cosmos Cry., Home Oil 2 over Vic's, Hackbarth Impl. 2 over Millstone Bar, Turners TV 2 over Lietzau's Inc.

	W	L	Tot.
Hackbarth Impl.	23	10	31
Lietzau's Inc.	20½	12½	29½
Home Oil	19	14	25
Cosmos Cry.	16	17	23
Vic's	17½	15½	22½
Corvuso Cry.	15	18	19
Turner's TV	15	18	19
Millstone Bar	6	27	7
Hi Games			
Vic Eastman		204	
M. Turner		199	
Walt Runke		198	
Russ Nordine		195	
Arnold Runke		194	
Norbert Hoffman		193	
Dean Bemis		193	
George Kaddatz		190	
Hi Series			
Russ Nordine		548	
Mark Macik		543	
Don Grussendorf		542	
George Kaddatz		539	
Martin Kutzke		536	
Levi Lietzau		513	
Walt Runke		507	
Albert Troska		507	
Dean Bemis		507	
Arnold Runke		506	
Don Randolph		500	

WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Lietzau's Mfg. 2 over Rexallites, Libby's 2 over Menton's Texaco, Cosmos Cry. 3 over Corvuso Cry., Linder Tiling 2 over Hutch Ins., First State Bank 2 over Home Oil, Cosmos Ins. 2 over Miller's Cafe.

	W	L	Tot.
Menton's Texaco	21	12	28
Cosmos Cry.	20	13	26
Cosmos Ins.	18	15	25
Miller's Cafe	17	16	25
Home Oil	18	15	24
Linder Tiling	17	16	24
Lietzau's Mfg.	18½	14½	23½
First State Bank	18	15	23
Hutch Ins.	17	16	22
Rexallites	12	21	16
Corvuso Cry.	12	21	11
Libby's	9½	23½	11½
Hi Games			
Burnice DeLeeuw		210	
Marv Schiro		208, 193, 188	
Kate Lietzau		192	
Vera Adams		188, 172	
Bonnie Geier		187	
Una Macik		186	
Gloria Runke		185, 183	
Mary Macik		185	
Janet Mortenson		184	
Arlene F. Mortenson		183	
Stanza Haagenson		181	
Marce Linder		179, 179	
Carolyn Anderson		177, 170	
Mary Plut		172	
Gladys Macik		172	
Lois Eastman		171	
LouElla Benson		171	
Phyllis Matthews		170	
Joyce Melberg		170	
Hi Series			
Marv Schiro		589	
Gloria Runke		534	
Vera Adams		529	
Carolyn Anderson		506	
Burnice DeLeeuw		504	
Lois Eastman		500	
Gladys Macik		499	
Mary Macik		498	
Stanza Haagenson		494	
Janet Mortenson		493	
Arlene F. Mortenson		490	

Hi Single game actual - Burnice DeLeeuw - 210

Splits converted	
Norma Olson	2-7
Donna Hoff	3-10
Vera Adams	4-7-6
Lou Ella Benson	4-6
Irene Schauman	5-6-10
Burnice DeLeeuw	2-10
Doris Hoffman	3-10
Jane Wangberg	5-6
Roberta Reinke	2-5-7
Gladys Macik	5-7-9

Cosmos Cry. rolled a 2577 series with a 920 as high single.

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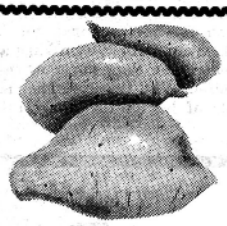
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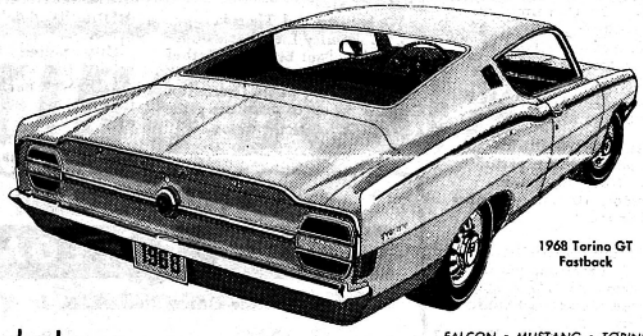
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"I was such an ugly kid—when I played in the sandbox, the cat kept covering me up."

Rodney Dangerfield



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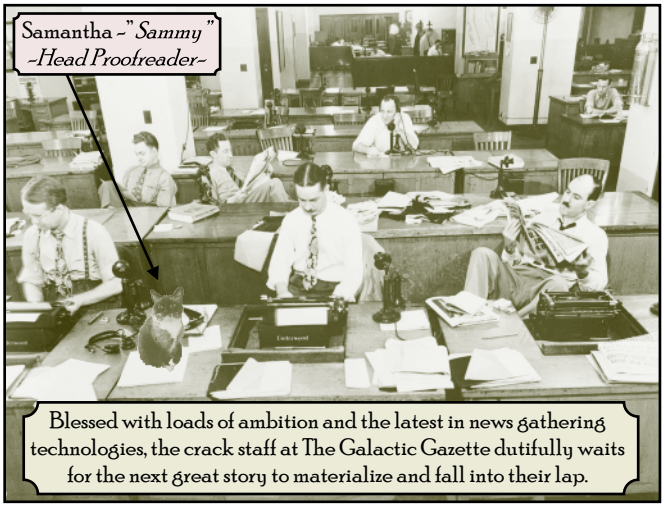
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Please remember the men and women serving in the United States Armed Forces and our veterans, both alive and deceased. America owes them an immense debt of gratitude along with an every day simple "Thank you".

Letters to the Editor



Blessed with loads of ambition and the latest in news gathering technologies, the crack staff at The Galactic Gazette dutifully waits for the next great story to materialize and fall into their lap.

Another Catholic speaks up about scary Lutheran elevators...

Just read your story in the Galactic. As a Catholic, I was warned about the Peace Lutheran elevator! Your story made me laugh out loud, spitting out my coffee in the process. Love your stories! *Judy Tusha*

-Ponderings-



Sometimes, in the quiet, I stare at my husband when he isn't looking and I think to myself; *He's one lucky son of a gun.*

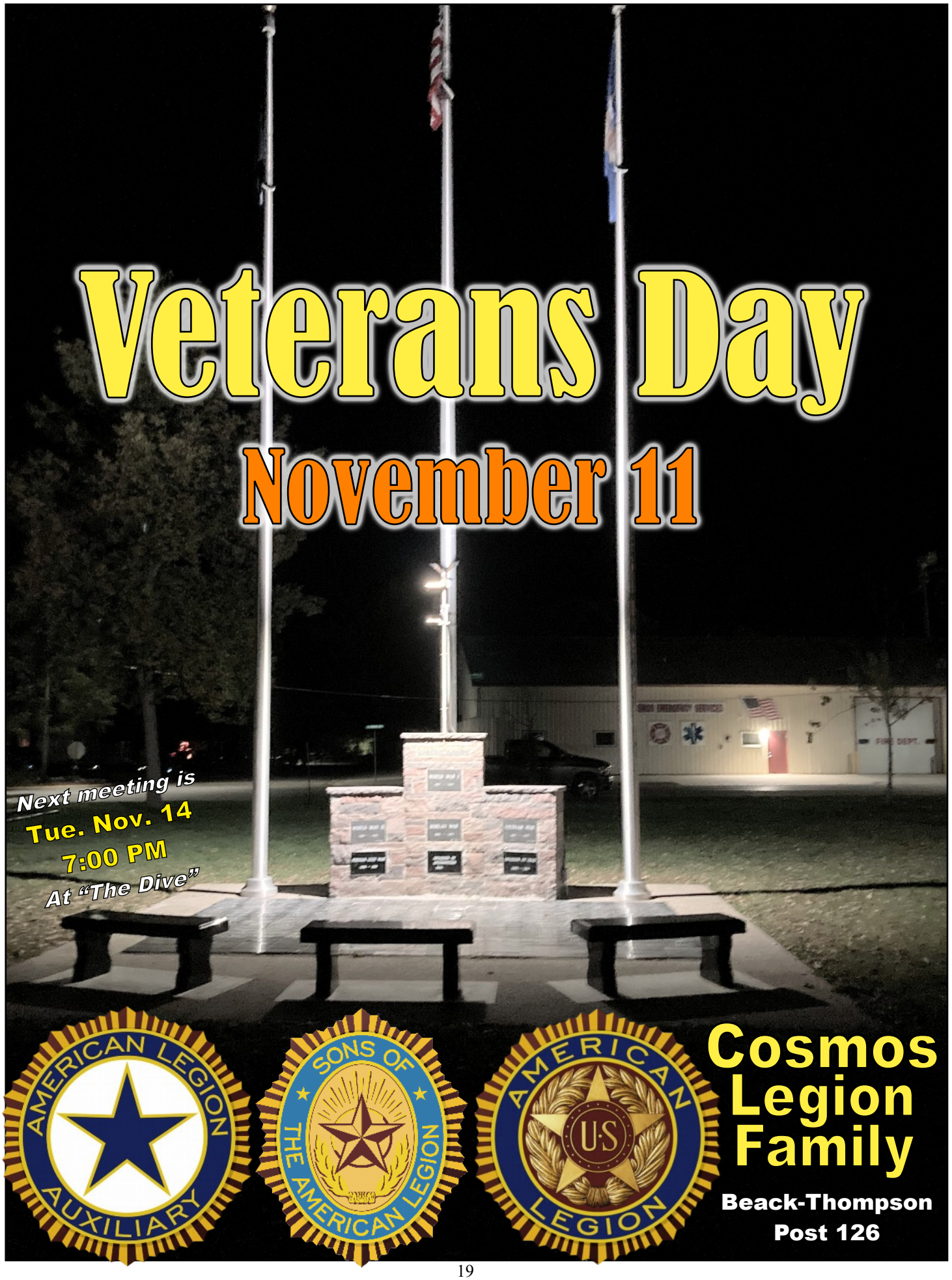
The school phoned me today and said, "Your son's been telling lies." I replied, *"Tell him he's very good. I don't have a son."*

I'm thinking of sleeping on my husband's side of the bed. Apparently from that side, *You don't hear the kids wake up at night.*

A farmer used his government stimulus money to buy baby chickens. *He got his money for nothing and the chicks for free.*

Instead of water, I put Red Bull in the back of my coffee maker this morning. *I was halfway to work before I realized I forgot my car.*




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