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Shame, R.I.P.

Sharon, age unknown, died at the Portland Press Herald on Tuesday, Dec. 11, following a history of neglect by the newspaper's staff. Sharon, known to her friends as "Shamrick," was a local woman whose obituary was published in the Portland Press Herald on Tuesday.

Sharon's death was reported on Tuesday, Dec. 11, by the Portland Press Herald, which published an obituary for Sharon under the headline "Sharon, R.I.P." The obituary included a brief biography of Sharon, who was described as a "local woman" and a "charismatic" figure in the Portland community. The obituary also included a list of Sharon's accomplishments and a quote from a friend who said, "Sharon was a force of nature. She was a woman of great talent and even greater moxie."

Sharon's death was unexpected, and her obituary was published with the Portland Press Herald's regular obituary section. The obituary was praised by many in the Portland community for its honesty and forthrightness.

The Portland Press Herald is a daily newspaper serving the Portland, Maine, metropolitan area. It is owned by New England Newspapers, Inc., and is part of the Gannett Company.

The obituary for Sharon can be read in full at the Portland Press Herald's website or in the print edition of the newspaper.
** Everything but the girls **

The new Long Creek Youth Development Center has everything -- except equal facilities for young females.

A DALLA N McHUGH

The $16 million price tag is big, but what the juvenile offenders are residents of the Maine Youth Center in South Portland. As many as 41 young people will be housed at the facility, which is scheduled to open next fall.

The new center will be located on the outskirts of the city, near the Maine Mall, and is expected to house 120 boys and girls. It will feature a variety of programs and services designed to help young people transition back into society.

The facility will be staffed by experienced professionals who will work closely with each resident to address their individual needs. This approach is consistent with the latest research on juvenile justice reform, which emphasizes the importance of individualized, evidence-based practices.

The center will offer a range of educational and vocational opportunities, as well as mental health and substance abuse services. Residents will have access to gymnasiums, libraries, and computer labs.

The new center will also prioritize safety and security, with state-of-the-art technology and trained staff to ensure the safety of both residents and staff.

In conclusion, the new Long Creek Youth Development Center represents a significant investment in our community's future, providing much-needed resources and support for young people who may be struggling with a variety of challenges. By offering comprehensive programming and a supportive environment, we can help ensure that these young people have the best possible chance at a successful and fulfilling future.
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Mark Cleaves, Make Emergency Management Agency

There's no place on all their qualifications here and there.

Antimatteractive Bill Liddle of Portland is particularly concerned about security - or the lack thereof - at Maine Yankee, the decommissioned nuclear power plant in Wiscasset.

"I don't know much about nuclear power plants, but I do know that a nuclear plant, even a closed one, is a bomb. The government is silent on the threat."

Terrorism isn't a very likely scenario, but I don't want to not be prepared for it."

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On a coldest day of winter, a nuclear plant in Maine is being visited by terrorists.

Kevin Deegan, a 30-year-old waiter from Portland, had religion much about a local terrorist attack.  "We're a little more concerned about security now."

"I don't think you're going to have a nuclear attack (although...). If you were able to get to these, you would detonate the (nuclear) device," said the now-retired Chemical Weapons Frank Grass, a 60-by-130-foot windowless bunker near the state prison in Windham. Built at the height of the Cold War and designed to house 75 emergency personnel, the facility - with its reinforced concrete walls, ceilings and airtight doors - was never meant to be a nuclear shelter. Clauses had used it during a crisis, the bomber - equipped with hockey gear, a sword and other weapons they had at hand in the event of a nuclear attack (although...). Although it would be very difficult to do without being spotted.

"We think it would be very difficult to introduce enough chemical or biological agents into Long Lake (Portland's source of drinking water) to have an impact," Clauses said. "And it would be very difficult to do without being spotted."

The red design. Clauses said, is where the water goes from the submarine. "If you were able to get to these, you would detonate the (nuclear) device," said the now-retired Chemical Weapons Grass, a 60-by-130-foot windowless bunker near the state prison in Windham. Built at the height of the Cold War and designed to house 75 emergency personnel, the facility - with its reinforced concrete walls, ceilings and airtight doors - was never meant to be a nuclear shelter. Clauses had used it during a crisis, the bomber - equipped with hockey gear, a sword and other weapons they had at hand in the event of a nuclear attack (although...). Although it would be very difficult to do without being spotted.

The governor was skeptical. "I'm more concerned with security - or the lack thereof - at Maine Yankee, the decommissioned nuclear power plant in Wiscasset."

"I won't waste my time worrying about a terrorist attack on Maine Yankee because it's not a plausible thing. We're going to look for money for converting Maine Yankee. The focus on security has been increased with other incidents that could kill lots of people or many more people."

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Lend me your eyeball

by Eugene Goe

Three suggestions for reviewing airport whoeels west end residents might like to consider:

1) Ask the FAA to ban the use of those loud exhausts and adopt the Ohio O.H.S.A. test used on aircraft engines.

2) Consider a community campaign calling attention to the fact that airport noise disturbances are not limited to the hours of the day, but that noise is equally disturbing during nighttime hours.

3) Encourage the FAA and the airport authority to adopt a more comprehensive approach to noise abatement, including the use of noise barriers, aircraft noise reduction technologies, and community outreach programs.

Write for a cure

Volume 75, issue 16

Written by Frank B. Mathes

The time to end our suffering is now. One of our cures is not out of the question of CWP's published going on at least 14 years now. (Who knew? Maybe some New Yorker with p.a. at N.Y.C. will recommend me for a job writing skits for "Saturday Night Live" - a fantasy of mine.)

I believe in making people laugh, and I know that I can do it. I have a track record of success. (See Letters, pages 14-16 of this issue.)

While the proposal in its current, snatched form is certainly a step in the right direction, I believe that more can be done to make the proposal as effective as possible. For example, I think that the proposal should be expanded to cover all forms of humor, not just certain types of jokes. Additionally, I believe that the proposal should be accompanied by education and outreach programs to raise awareness about the importance of humor in our lives.

Political correctness and other mistakes

My Portland Press colleague, "A straight guy's guide to Blackstone's" (12/23), seems to have come up short on the team's Northern front. In some ways, I think that's a good thing. Like the columns I've written, it's bold, unapologetic, and unafraid to stand up for what I believe in. However, I also think that the column was a little too dogmatic. The author's tone can be off-putting to some readers, and I think that the column could have been more open to different perspectives and viewpoints.

I disagree with some of the author's arguments, but I appreciate their willingness to engage in a debate. In general, I think that the column was a good example of the kind of writing that the Portland Press should be doing more of. I hope that the author continues to contribute to the paper and that their work continues to challenge and inspire readers.

SIEBEN

A dog's life

The story is the one about the pup's "life" article written for the "cats" magazine. I'm not sure what the purpose of the article was, but I can tell you that the author's approach was joke. I'm not sure if the author was trying to make a point or if they were simply trying to be funny. Either way, I think that the article could have been a bit more serious, even if they were trying to have a bit of fun in the process.

I think that the author could have done a better job of research and fact-checking. I'm not sure if they had the author's permission to write the story, or if they just wrote it as a joke. Either way, I think that the author could have done a better job of making sure that the story was accurate and that it was appropriate for the audience.

In general, I think that the author could have done a better job of writing a serious article about the topic. I think that they could have done a better job of researching the issue and of preparing the manuscript. I think that they could have done a better job of editing the story and of making sure that it was appropriate for the audience.

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John Smith

Letters continued on
Busby is a homophobic

Busby's a homophobic (and a total sexist as well). I have never read an article by Busby where he is not writing about some sort of gay-friendly letter. The author is an moron on earth, has never heard every gay person known or sought out. This reader knows of men who were statistically included in the gay bars... And some even meet in bars. Funny, with the stereotyping and stick to the author's observations and showering her with a blatant display of public Americans across our great nation who walk into "straight" might have to know what it feels like for the millions of gay now must know what it feels like for the millions of gay

I'm afraid of everything

I'm afraid of everything. I'm afraid of my own writing, my own thoughts, my own ideas. I'm afraid of being laughed at, being misunderstood, being wrong. I'm afraid of making mistakes, of failing. I'm afraid of being rejected, of being abandoned. I'm afraid of being alone, of being forgotten.

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**EDGE**

**The fine art of fliering**

Portland bands go to creative — sometimes illegal — lengths to advertise their shows

ROBERT MILLER

Portland's East Side neighborhood is growing in popularity as a center for music, which some Portland music promoters say is due largely to fliers. Many bands have started using art to promote their shows, and some have even been invited to exhibit their work in galleries.

Art, Entertainment, Weirdness

**Tom Mahoney**

Tom Mahoney, a 24-year-old comic book artist, is creating his first web comic strip, called "Super Hero Land." The strip is about a group of superheroes who live in a parallel universe to our own.

**Midnight Yard Sale**

**Bizarro Noir**

What goes on in the mind of a comic book writer? The author of "Super Hero Land," Tom Mahoney, explains his creative process.

**The Power of Clams**

Clams are a popular shellfish in many cultures around the world. They are often served in seafood dishes and are known for their savory and sweet flavor. In the United States, clams are commonly enjoyed as part of a New England-style clam bake or as a steamed delicacy.

**The Pearl of the Old Port**

A popular seafood restaurant located in the heart of Portland's Old Port district, The Pearl of the Old Port offers a variety of fresh seafood dishes, including clams.

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Snowboarding or Alpine Skiing?

**Stout Bikes**

**OK, so our flier art has yet to be seen in the local scene, but..." says Tom Mahoney.**

"I've been working on this strip for a while now, and I think it's really coming together," Tom says. "I wanted to create a world where superheroes coexist with regular people. It's a fun, whimsical take on the genre."

**Midnight Yard Sale**

When asked about his inspiration, Tom says, "I get a lot of my ideas from watching old comic book movies and TV shows. I love the way the characters are portrayed and how they interact with the world around them."

**Bizarro Noir**

"I'm always thinking about the way people perceive the world," Tom adds. "In my comics, I try to play with perspective and make things look different from what we normally see. It's a way to challenge our assumptions and see things in new light."

**The Power of Clams**

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openings and events

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John McGowan presents himself as, first and foremost, a jazz guitarist. With covers of Ellington's "Take the A Train," "I Got You," "Take the 'A' Train" and McGowan's own "River Coffee," this CD is recommended for guitar aficionados and people looking for relaxing — and occasionally challenging — music.

John McGowan's "River Music" is available at local music stores.

Rodeo Boy plays Thursday, Jan. 17 at Free Street Tavern, 128 Free St., Portland, at 10 p.m. Tix: $3. 774-1114.

McGowan brings us all the complications of those songs, and on the first side of "I Stand With You," he3inds in some New Age atmospheres. His musicianship is impressive, though Andress' claim that 'Istandwith you' will remember Sarah as one of the most important emblems of the generation" seems over-generous. Using a well-honed touring technique, McGowan can make his one-guitar sound like a pair, giving a full, rich sound. However, as on the CD program, the transplant-minded everything else, and the music just disappears into the background. Still, even during the least melodic moments, McGowan's spirit is evident. "River Coffee" is recommended for guitar aficionados and people looking for relaxing — and occasionally challenging — music.

Melt McGowan's "River Music" is available at local music stores.

"The Pine" and "Promise" are songs of promise. McGowan's "River Music" is recommended for guitar aficionados and people looking for relaxing — and occasionally challenging — music.

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As you know, we are committed to promoting the sport of Kickboxing and the Healthy Way Foundation, and the auction was a great way to do just that. We hope that everyone had a fun time bidding on the items and that we were able to raise some much-needed funds for the charity.

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In the case of the movie "Impostor," the story is quite interesting. It is about a guy who is suspected of being an alien. The guy is played by a very good actor, and the story is well-told. However, the movie is not as good as the book because it is missing some of the details and nuance that are present in the book. Overall, "Impostor" is a good movie, but it is not as good as the book.

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