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Since the boy got your marrow, what have you heard about how he's doing?

He has a real rough summer, because a recipient's immune system is completely compromised in preparing to receive the transplant. Recipients are very susceptible to all sorts of opportunistic infections, and as he was hospitalized with shingles, really bad shingles, which apparently is not uncommon.

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Interview by Kimberly Jean Smith; photo by Matthew Robbins
Power shift

"My position on taxes is simple: we don't need to increase the already too-high burden on Maine people."


"We'll have to go to the voters in the fall unless we all sit down and negotiate."

-John King, quoted in the Lewiston Sun Journal, June 12, 1994

"King criticized his predecessor's tax increases in his campaign, but wants the public to know he would have made the same decisions."

-Portland Press Herald, May 3, 1995

"The governor continues to be strongly opposed to raising the tax on gasoline."

-Alan Corson, spokesman for the Maine Department of Transportation, quoted in the Lewiston Sun Journal, March 18, 1995

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Cheater sticks

While we're on the subject of raising the gas tax and making inconsistent statements, let's see how misleading the tax rhetoric that led to the governor's sudden unwillingness to hike the gas tax can be.

According to the Maine Department of Transportation, one of the reasons a tax increase is needed is because, although many people are driving more miles today, the government is still collecting the same amount of gas tax revenue. As a result, gas tax revenue is stagnant.

That could be true. Of course, it might also be the case that the governor is considering a tax increase from out of state gas stations in a secret underground bunker in Nevada. It's possible Bill Clinton is behind it all. And Bill learned the tax management could be simpler by assuming the tax doesn't need anyone else to take Mr. Vaughan's place.

You envision as we have our drink. While we can't drive into the Vaughan, Cleon's or space aliens enter this at this time, we will take a moment to consider the gas tax problem. If, as the transportation department suggests, cars and trucks are driving more miles off road, how come we've been hearing from environmentalists over the last several years about gas-phase pollutants that are killing our children and other living things? And what's with the gas tax revenue being so high? It seems to me that if gas tax revenue is stagnant, the governor should have no trouble raising it.

Even a casual survey of parking lots during the holiday shopping season reveals the need for better forms of such emissions controls that aren't in place. Then, they'll still be managed to absorb most of a gas tax that's needed to save the children and other living things. SDD's annual meeting in January served to throw a wet blanket on the governor's use of the children's needs. As the same small, efficient car appears to be more than perfect. But a good deal less in demand.

And what might be the solution? It seems the transportation department's analysis of the causes behind the stagnant gas tax is too easy. If so, what do you think the cause is for the drop in the price of fuel? One word: efficiency. And what's efficiency? Efficiency is nothing more than the amount of work done per unit of energy input. In this case, it's the amount of work done by the government per unit of energy input. The government needs to do more work per unit of energy input to make the money work for them. And the government needs to do more work per unit of energy input to make the money work for them. And the government needs to do more work per unit of energy input to make the money work for them.
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DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS IS MY FORTE.
Secret pay hike plan

Portland's school administrators haven't given up on getting a big raise.

Connie Pacillo

When it comes to determining how much top administrators in the Portland school system are going to make, the school community is split on the issue. Pacillo is the school's superintendent.

The issue is one of the many that have plagued the school system over the past year. The school board has voted to cut funds for the Portland Public Schools, and the teachers have been on strike for several weeks.

The issue of the pay hike has been a controversial one, with some members of the public calling for a decrease in the amount of money being spent on administration. Others have argued that the administrators need the raise to keep up with the cost of living.

The issue of the pay hike has also been a political one, with some members of the school board supporting the raise and others opposing it.

The issue of the pay hike has also been a legal one, with some members of the public and the school board threatening to sue the other party if their demands are not met.
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CITY

Considering a neighborhood’s fate
Portland is chartering a new course for Bayside, but the people
who live there have their own ideas.

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With that in mind, we're ready to form a committee, conduct an investiga­
tion, and prepare a patriotic or strategic report. In short, we're ready to do
anything, except to actually accomplish something.
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8. Suggestion for improving Portland's efforts to get its unions. Suggestion for
raper. We suggest the word "Fenway."
9. Portland School Committee members have made such bold strides at home that
now is the time to rip apart a restaurant's psyche in a fanatical search for
(c) and more attractive. Such as a nuclear
waste dump.
12. Portland Superintendent of Schools Mary Jane McCulloch diving into a tank
fish that the secret Luck of the Irish place to save forFanaticism minor for herself and her
6. And a little nonsense.
3. Our schools are providing inspiration in arts other than health inspections. For
example, the Portland School Committee recently won accolades for the semi-secret way in
which it handled the granting of enormous raises to top administrators. "We salute the meth­
doms by which you have bravely attempted to move your outmoded democratic system closer
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25 IDEAS FOR A BETTER PORTLAND CONTINUED FROM PAGE 14

17. Everyone knows the arrival of Starbucks in Congress Square will result in the end of 24-hour life as we know it in Portland. What no one has been able to explain to us is why that would be a bad thing.

18. Every third dog in Portland — as well as the governor's press secretary — is named Bailey. That's enough. Name your pooch something else.

19. No, not Murphy. Don't you have any ideas that sound like something besides an alcohol beverage from Ireland?

20. Speaking of originality, we've just about run out. Time to steal some ideas from other people. Here's one we swiped from columnist Elizabeth Peavey, after she'd had a few glasses of Guinness. At Congress Square, at 4 p.m. on April Fool's Day, you'll be able to vote for any potential customers foolish enough to venture out on foot. But that would be more than enough.

21. Some picky people are making a big deal out of Congressman Tom Allen's decision to skip the votes on impeaching President Bill Clinton, because it conflicted with Allen's daughter Mary's college schedule. Sure, there'd be some loss of downtown retail business, due to the wholesale slaughter of any potential customers foolish enough to venture out on foot. But that would be more than enough.

22. Is it possible we won't have Annette Hoglund to kick around anymore? Hoglund, a public relations adviser to Portland Superintendent of Schools Mary Jane McCalmon, is said to be looking for an ex-legislator, ex-housing developer and ex-bingo entrepreneur who might have better luck next year if you changed your name to Mary Jane McCalmon.

23. Ops, we're out of ideas without charging our batteries. Here's what we found:

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25. Our only excuse is that McCalmon really is living a PR person. Because you're already under the gun for squandering public dollars on Big Brothers in administrative salaries, that's the only other explanation we can think of for her latest appeal. Besides, Hoglund, one of our other candidates for the job of school superintendent would be unlikely to like a little negative press. Here's what we found:

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Untying Portland's safety net

Janet Harvie
Portland Public Library director

Congressman: just a job

This letter is in regard to Laura Conaway's editorial. Ms. Conaway mentions that Rep. Tom Allen is "questionable" and "disingenuous". I also have reservations about Rep. Allen's voting record. I have not been impressed with his efforts to advocate for the needs of our community. I was disappointed that he voted against legislation to increase the minimum wage.

Have you noticed the increase in the cost of living? Many of our constituents are struggling to make ends meet. Rep. Allen needs to be more responsive to the needs of his constituents.

Fred Dambrie
Portsmouth, NH

Author programs: renowned short story writer Ann Beattie in the spring and Charles Frazier, author of "Cold Mountain," during the summer.

Thank you, Bookland

I am writing to express my gratitude to Bookland for its generous support of the Cafe Books program. This program provides a valuable hands-on learning experience for our students.

During the month of November, Bookland sponsored a series of author programs. These events were highly successful and well-attended. I would like to thank Bookland for its commitment to supporting our students and the community.

Shelley Kays
Portland Public Library director

Valentine from MECA

I am writing to express my appreciation for the Valentine that my student received from MECA. The Valentine was beautifully designed and it made my student's day.

We are lucky to have such a creative and talented staff at MECA. I want to express my gratitude for the support and encouragement that they provide our students.

Janet Harvie
Portland Public Library director

Space in White

I want to express my gratitude to the White family for their support of our community. The White family has been a long-time supporter of our library and has provided many valuable resources.

I would like to thank the White family for their continued support and for making our library a vibrant and welcoming community space.

Fred Dambrie
Portsmouth, NH

E-mail: cascobayweekly@portlandlibrary.org
Phone: 284-2368

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**Prime Cut**

This New Year's "Ricotta" Eve will rock as historic occasion in the world of popular music, as revellers will really be able to party like it's 1999, other than as Rought's crowd. Fix your makeup parts and dig the metallic rock, grungy sludge and rough pop gems of Vinted Room, Gorilla Thump and Figurehead, respectively. Thurs., Dec. 31 at Anchor, 121 Center St. Portland, at 8 p.m. To 6:30 a.m.

**Wednesday 6**

**The Seacrest**

19 p.m.

**Easy Street**

19:30 p.m.

**The Basement**

19 p.m.

**Figurehead**

19 p.m.

**The Bitter End**

19:30 p.m.

**The Big Easy**

19:30 p.m.

**Rustic Overtones**

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**Have you read the personals lately?**

New Year's Resolution #1: Spend more time on yourself. New Year's Resolution #2: Find love and get married. New Year's Resolution #3: Get rich. New Year's Resolution #4: Lose weight. New Year's Resolution #5: Get laid. New Year's Resolution #6: Stop drinking.

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**Quick picks**

**WED., JAN. 6**

- **Improvise with David LaGraffe**
  - Improvisation with David LaGraffe, School of Improvisational and Physical Acting, 25 Forest Ave., Portland, at 7 p.m. 772-9012.

- **Scene Study with Michael Ratkin**
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**SOUND bites**

- **Cloth Napkins**
  - "Cloth napkins," by Harriet Mengersen, is reading at The Great Dismal, 925 Congress St., Portland, at 7 p.m. 772-9012.

- **Jazz Night**
  - "Jazz Night," by Joe Grinnell, is reading at The Great Dismal, 925 Congress St., Portland, at 7 p.m. 772-9012.

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**SATURDAY, JAN. 2**

**Student Showcase**

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  - "Student Showcase," by students of the School of Improvisational and Physical Acting, 25 Forest Ave., Portland, at 7 p.m. 772-9012.

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**New Year's Eve Bash**

- **Southern Maine Pride's New Year's Eve Bash**
  - Southern Maine Pride's New Year's Eve Bash, "We're Beautiful - Damn It!" at the State Theater, 609 Congress St., Portland, from 7 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. 772-9012.

- **New Year's Resolution #1**
  - New Year's Resolution #1: Fewer hours wasted on building a cold-fusion device, more hours spent doing whatever the hell you want. Presented by Maine Arts, New Year's Eve Bash, at the State Theater, 609 Congress St., Portland, from 7 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. 772-9012.

- **New Year's Resolution #2**
  - New Year's Resolution #2: Less complimenting, more gratuitous cussing. you can begin with yourself with lessons from the Maniac Swing Dance Society. At the State Theater, 609 Congress St., Portland, from 7 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. 772-9012.

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**2010**

**Year of the Tiger**

- **Zodiac Interview**
  - "Zodiac Interview," by Naomi Shemer, is reading at The Great Dismal, 925 Congress St., Portland, at 7 p.m. 772-9012.
If You Really Listen...
The clues are there.
She may point out an ad in a magazine...
or ask if you have noticed the ring on the woman at the next table.
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All you have to do is listen.

Get the facts. Plus 24-page-dramatic holiday guide.

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First stop for holiday joy is to find your family members and friends. A visit to Cross Jewels in Portland's Commercial Street shopping district will bring your special gift choices alive. At Cross Jewels we carry a fine line of fine jewelry and watches. With a selection of fine diamonds, colored diamonds, gold and platinum jewelry and watches, Cross Jewels has a store for your every taste. But, after all, Cross Jewels is first and foremost a family business. With generations of family ownership, the Cross family shares the same passion for fine jewelry, in Portland for nearly 30 years. Come, enjoy the joy of Cross Jewels.

If You Really Listen... The clues are there.

Empty Pockets
Live Irish Music Pub

This Dec 31
NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY
6pm-2am
Live Celtic Band
with
Skip Heady - Flute & Whistle
Kevin McManus - Guitar & Vocals
Jeff Hoffman - Bodhran
No Cover!

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**By** ALLEN DAVENPORT

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"Men and Women," directed by Woody Allen, stars Jerry Maguire and Meg Ryan as a couple whose relationship is tested by the arrival of a new baby. The film examines the challenges of parenthood and the impact on a marriage.

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