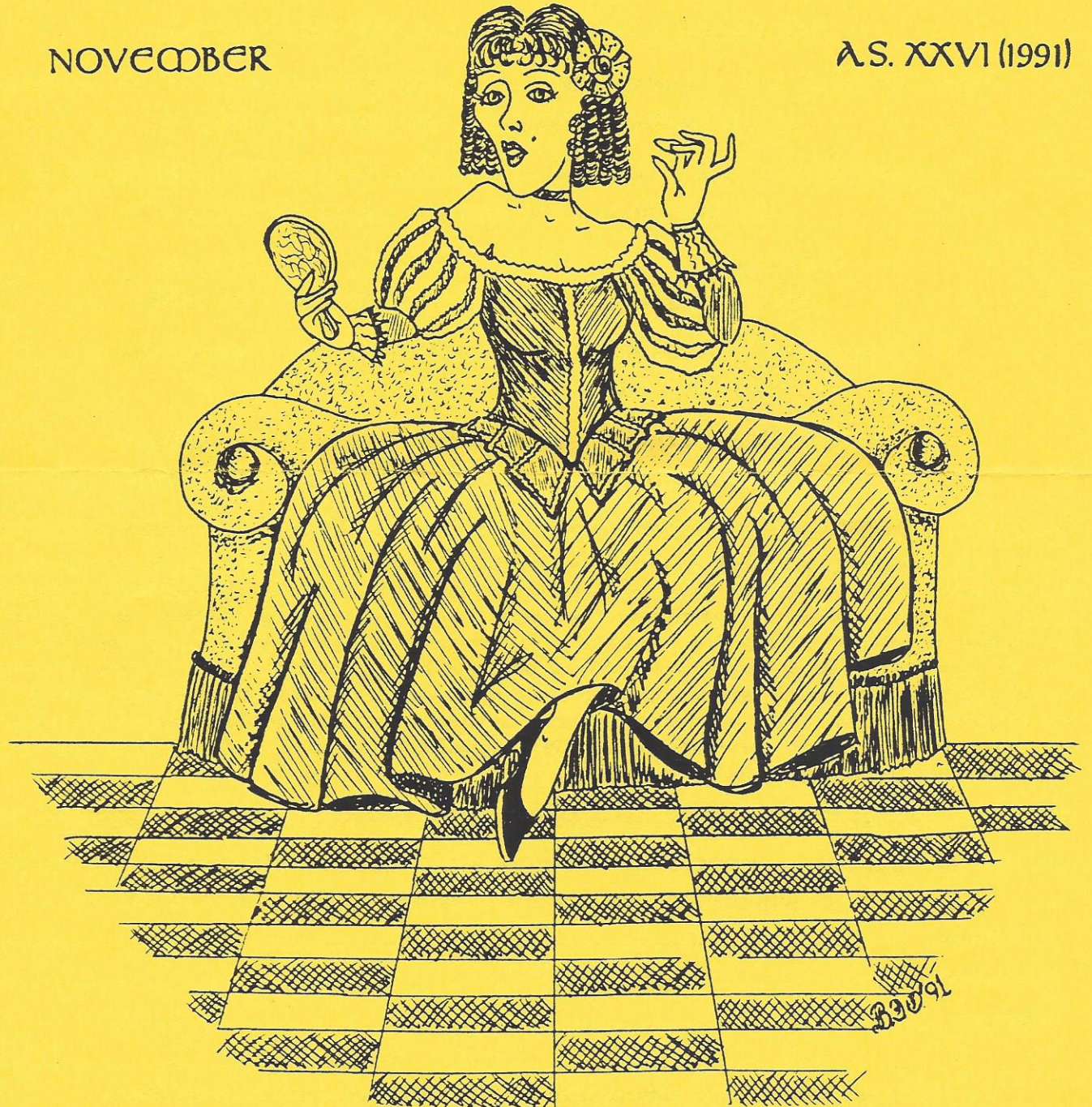


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Calendar for October 1991

- 9 Windkeep - Bayeux Tapestry Class (Elaine or Kostbera)
- 9 Dragonspine(CO) - Viking Winter Wonderland (Lothar 719-667-1449)
- 18 Windkeep - All Guilds Meeting (Elaine or Bianca)
- 16 Caerthe(CO) - A & S Collegium (Wyndlyn 303-355-6598)
- 23 Unser Hafen(CO) - A & S Competition (Drahomira 303-663-1513)
- 24 Windkeep Populace Meeting - Pinewood Village Community Center
- 30 5pm Windkeep - Cheyenne Christmas Parade (Kostbera 634-0224)

December

- 7 Caer Galen(CO) - Midwinter (Alexia 303-499-4176)

January

- 4 Caerthe(CO) - Twelfth Night (Ara 303-469-0406)
- 25 Caerthe(CO) - Duc du Barry Invitational (Eadgyth 303-430-4528)

February

- 8 Caerthe(CO) - Abbey on the Mesa (Kate 303-989-3162)
- 15-17 Atenveldt - ESTRELLA WAR!!!
- 22 Caer Galen(CO) - To be Announced Revel (Demelza 303-581-0750)
- 29 Glen Ora(WY) - Revel -()

March

- 7-8 () - Kingdom A & S ()
- 14 Unser Hafen(CO) - Dance Collegium (Titus 303-490-2936)
- 21 Caerthe(CO) - Middle Eastern Event (Fiachra)

April

- 11 Caerthe(CO) - A & S Competition (Etain 303-469-4174)
- 18-19 Unser Hafen(CO) - Eistenfodd (Mazuma 303-482-7832)

* indicates Windkeep's Seneschal is planning to attend. He encourages others to join him.

Regular Happenings

Read Carefully for they may not be marked on the main calendar

Populace Meetings: The last Sunday of each month at Pinewood Village Community

Room. Meetings are in garb, and start at 7:00pm. Occasionally the meetings will be potluck and start at an earlier time. Such meetings will be noted on the calendar.

Fighter Practice (Heavy & Light weapons): Tuesday evenings in Holiday Park at 5pm. Some loaner gear available - call Thorman (634-0224) or Mavellic (778-8536) for details.

Armorer's Guild: Want to build or learn about armor? This guild is just for you! For more details contact the Guildmaster: Mavellic (778-8536)

All Guilds Meeting: One day a month - Contact Lady Elaine for next scheduled place and date. All are welcome. Come to practice, sew garb, build armor, or just socialize, but please limit projects to those SCA related. For info call Lady Elaine.

Windkeep Archery Practice: Practice is available Monday thru Saturday. Contact Lord Rhys (632-1133) to set up specific time for you to shoot. Loaner bows are available.

Unser Hafen Dance Practice: 2nd and 4th Mondays at 7:00pm. Call Lady Catriona (303-226-2018) or Lord Titus (303-490-2936) for more information.

Unser Hafen Fighter Practice: Heavy and Light Sundays in the CSU Fieldhouse. For more information call Lord Galen of Shadowraven at 303-229-9507. Loaner armor is available..

The cover this month was done by Lady Bianca Isabel Orsini

FROM THE SENESCHAL



The past month has been a great one for Windkeep. We have hosted an outstanding Crown Tournament, put on a delicious Hunters Feast, and received significant recognition at Coronation. Congratulations to Lord Thorman for being selected as one of the Queen's Guard, to Lady Bianca for the incredible scroll that she made, and to M'Lord Dale for his visable assistance in the Defender of the Queen's Heart Journey.

At this time of year our hearts and minds fondly turn to the subject of WAR. The Estrella War will be February 17 - 19, and I strongly encourage everyone to attend. If you do plan to attend, now is the time to start working on melee combat and developing those skills that will help you survive a little longer. Armor has to be completed, or repaired, weapons made, and fighting styles learned. To this end, we have had an offer of sorts from Unser Hafen. I will not disclose it at this time but any who attend Unser Hafen's Arts and Sciences Collegium will soon understand.

This is also the time to start planning events for next year. If you have an idea for an event, get your ideas down on paper and submit them to me. I will be glad to help you flesh them out and submit them to Kingdom. The sooner we have them on the Kingdom Planning Calendar, the less chance of another event conflicting.

That's all I have for this month. Until next month, keep living the Dream.

In service to Windkeep

Lord Rhys Afalwin,
Seneschal



FROM THE CHRONICLER

Many thanks to Lady Bianca for not just one cover, but TWO! The decision was difficult, but this one begged for a little text to be added for the Christmas Parade. Look for the next one on December's Issue. November is the final issue for the cover contest, so now the hard part begins - judging the entries. In this issue you will find reductions of the past entries to refresh your memories. Look them over and give your votes to Kostbera at the next populace meeting. The final decision will be based on the votes of the populace and the officers. The winner of the GREAT COVER CONTEST will be announced in the December issue.

Also, ALL subscriptions run out with the December issue. Now is the time to set aside the money for your new subscription to the Windswept. Don't leave it to the last minute! Pull out forms will be included in the next (and last for 1991!) issue. Remember, only \$8 for the entire year - it's a real bargain.

Don't forget to include this month's cover when you begin judging. Thanks to everyone who entered!

UNSER HAFEN ARTS & SCIENCES COMPETITION

Unser Hafen's first Baronial Arts & Sciences Competition will be held Saturday, November 23, at the Foothills Unitarian Church, 1815 Yorktown Ave., Ft. Collins (same place as Kingdom Arts & Sciences Collegium and Flowers of the Desert), 10 am to 9:30 pm.

You do not have to be an expert to enter; the idea is to let the people of the barony and surrounding lands see and admire what you have done lately. We also have many fine prizes donated. Group entries are welcome in the Performing Arts. We would like to have entries for WRITTEN WORKS in the hands of the autocrats (Drahonira or Fionnghuala) by November 11, so all the judges will have time to actually read them. Documentation for all entries should be about a page, describing what it is, how you did it, and how it would have been done in period. This is the current list of categories:

FUNCTIONAL ARTS

Glass
Carving - Wood
Carving - Other Materials
Ceramics
Leather
Wood Construction
Blacksmithing
Fine Metals

TEXTILES

Sewing - Clothing
Sewing - Other Objects
Needlework
Lacemaking
Weaving
Spinning
Dyeing

MIXED TECHNIQUES

Jewelry
Toys & Games
Musical Instruments
Armor

VISUAL ARTS

Calligraphy
Illumination
Drawing & Painting

CULINARY

Breads
Meat & Vegetable Dishes
Sweets
Brewing
Herbs

PERFORMING ARTS

Music - Vocal
Music - Instrumental
Storytelling
Court Dance
Ethnic Dance

WRITTEN WORKS

Original Poetry
Original Prose
Research
Instructional

Items that have won a first place in a category (or higher) at an Outlands Kingdom Arts & Sciences competition are welcome to be displayed, but they will not compete.

The evening feast currently consists of stuffed capon, scalloped apples, carrots, breads, and dessert. The feast fee will be \$5 (smalls ages 6-12 \$2.50, smalls under 6 free). Lunch will also be available at nominal charge. The site fee is \$3 (smalls under 12 free). Please contact Lady Rosalind for feast reservations.

Please feel free to talk to the autocrats if you have a question, a problem, or are just being nervous.

autocrat: Lady Drahonira Jaroslava (Jodi Smith)
6333 E. Hwy. 402, Loveland CO 80537
(303) 663-1513

deputy autocrat: Lady Fionnghuala Bethoc of Lindisfarne
(Steffeny Muller)
410 1/2 Peterson St., Ft. Collins CO 80524
(303) 484-5387

feastocrat: Lady Rosalind of Wellmark (Jo Wells)
3601 El Caminito, Loveland CO 80537
(303) 667-1284


136 GOOD KING WENCESLAS

(ST. STEPHEN, 26 DECEMBER)

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(M.S.)

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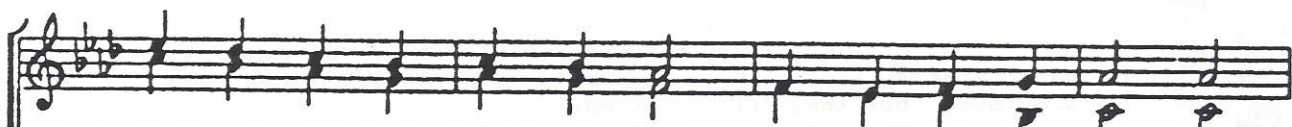



1. Good King Wen-ces-las looked out, On the Feast of Ste-pen,
2. 'Hi-ther, page, and stand by me, If thou know'st it, tell-ing,


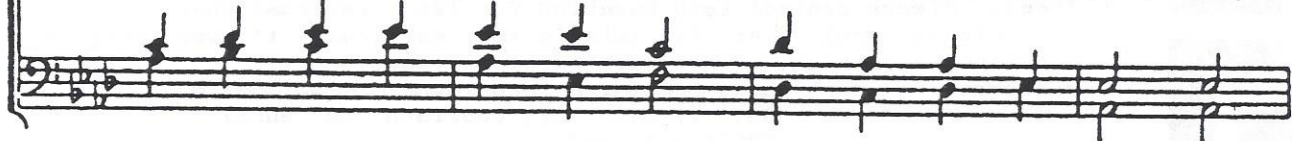
TENOR
BASS




When the snow lay round a-bout, Deep, and crisp, and ev-en:
Yon-der pea-sant, who is he? Where and what his dwell-ing?'



Bright-ly shone the moon that night, Though the frost was cru-el,
'Sire, he lives a good league hence, Un-der-neath the moun-tain,



When a poor man came in sight, Gath'ring win-ter fu-el.
Right a-against the for-est fence, By Saint Ag-nes' foun-tain.'



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Windkeep invites all stout of heart to join us in the
CHEYENNE CHRISTMAS PARADE
Christmas through the Ages

The Shire of Windkeep had been asked to take part in the first Cheyenne Christmas Parade to be held on November 30th at 5 pm in the streets of downtown Cheyenne. The parade will be on both TV and radio. It will be accompanied by a craft fair and will be followed by hot cider and snacks. Santa will be available to meet the smalls. Lord Christoph and Lady Bianca have are planning an after-revel. Bring multiple copies of your favorite period Christmas carols to share.

The Shire plans to bring in the Yule Log escorted by horses in full caparison. Bring your warmest garb for it is likely to be cold, and very possibly snowing. Banners are welcome, but secure them to their poles well. Remember, this is WINDkeep.

We will start gathering in the lobby of the Holiday Inn Holidome off 1-80 at 4 pm. Those who wish to come early and dine will find the restaurant pleasant. From there we can car-pool to the parade route.

For more information contact Lady Kostbera (307) 634-0224.
 And start practicing "God bless ye merry Gentleman," "Here we go a Wassailing," and "Good King Wenceslas."

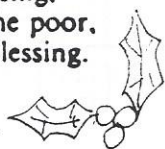
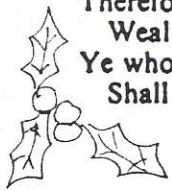


GOOD KING WENCESLAS

3 'Bring me flesh, and bring me wine.
 Bring me pine-logs hither:
 Thou and I will see him dine.
 When we bear them thither
 Page and monarch, forth they went,
 Forth they went together:
 Through the rude wind's wild lament
 And the bitter weather.

4 'Sire, the night is darker now.
 And the wind blows stronger:
 Fails my heart, I know not how:
 I can go no longer.
 'Mark my footsteps, good my page:
 Tread thou in them boldly:
 Thou shalt find the winter's rage
 Freeze thy blood less coldly.

5 In his master's steps he trod,
 Where the snow lay dinted:
 Heat was in the very sod
 Which the saint had printed.
 Therefore, Christian men, be sure,
 Wealth or rank possessing,
 Ye who now will bless the poor,
 Shall yourselves find blessing.



WHAT: WINTERFEST II
 WHEN: Saturday 30 November 1991
 WHERE: Shire of Ard Tir, Laramie Wyoming
 WHY: ARD TIR Fundraiser

The following is an update to Winterfest II.

Ard Tir is holding Snowball Tourney - The Sequel, to start at approximately 12:00 noon Ard Tirian time, Saturday 30 November 1991. The Tourney Site is the abode of Lord Tod and Lady Ceallach, 528 S. Lincoln #16, Laramie, WY.

A few items we forgot to mention about the site:

The Feast site is DRY, no open flame is permitted and there is **NO SMOKING** permitted inside the feast site. Persons with questions pertaining to the Tourney Site can contact Lord Tod.

A potluck feast will be held at the Albany County Library, 310 South 8th after the tourney. The feasthall opens at 4:00 P.M. The Autocrats are providing oven baked chicken and potato soup. Those persons attending the feast are asked to bring a potluck dish to feed six to eight persons.

The Gamescrat wishes to announce a Most Outrageous Codpiece Contest, to be held at the Feast site. Cod pieces do not have to be worn to be displayed, but that is left up to the designer/wearer. There will also be Games and a Raffle to raise funds for the Shire Treasury.

EVENT FEES:

- SITE: \$1.00 per person
- FEAST: \$1.00 per person or a potluck dish to feed six to eight
- RAFFLE: \$1.00 per ticket
- LIST: .25¢ per fighter entering the list
- GAMES: .10¢ per person, per game

Remember this event is being held to raise funds for the Ard Tirian Treasury. Prizes will be awarded to all competition winners.

AUTOCRATS:

TOURNEY	GAMES	FEAST
DUNCAN MacALLISTER	LY CEALLACH LLYN TREMEN	LD TOD COYLE
C/O Eric Schooley	C/O G.L. & NANCY A. BROWN	
622 Hill Hall	528 S. Lincoln #16	
Laramie, WY 82071	Laramie, WY 82070-6360	
307-766-7968	307-742-8306	

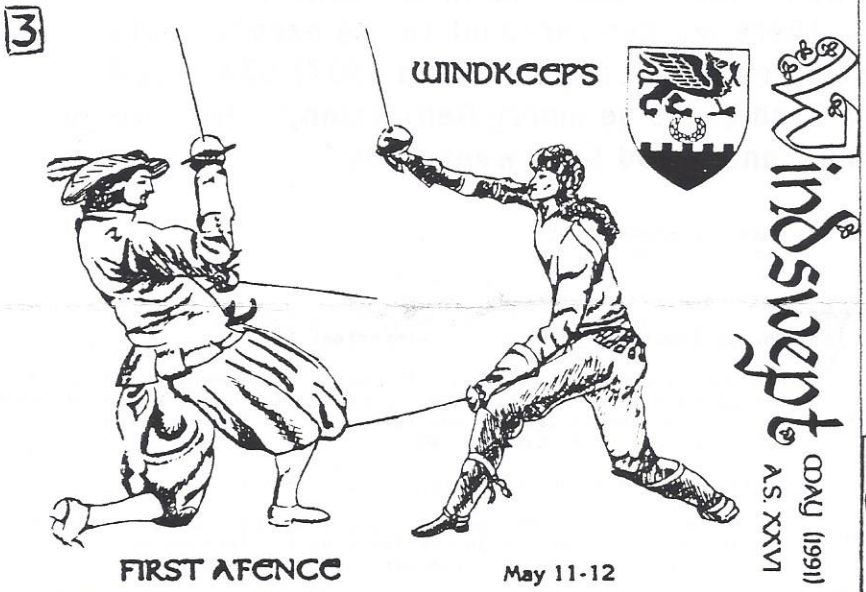


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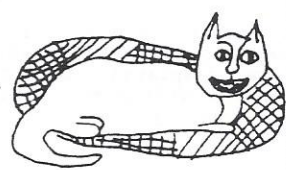
THE ENTRIES ARE:

- 1) CURRENT (NOVEMBER)
- 2) DECEMBER
- 3) MAY
- 4) HERALD CAT
- 5) SEPTEMBER
- 6) MARCH
- 7) JULY
- 8) JUNE

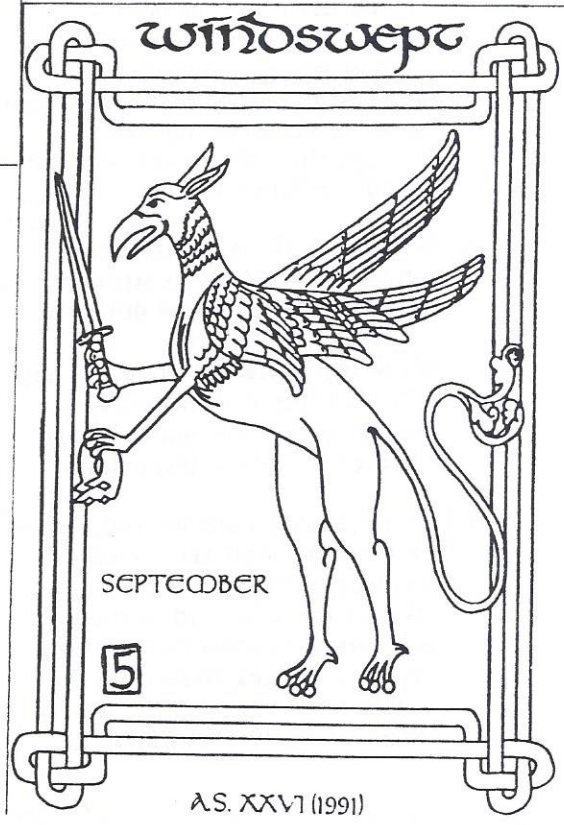
WINNER TO BE
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The Herald Cat → 

Hereye, Hereye,
It is
Tourney
Season!!!



Our End of the Kingdom - Nearby events to plan for

For more information consult the Outlandish Herald

Caerthan A & S - November 16 - Denver, CO Autocrat: Wyndilyn 303-355-6598

Unser Hafen A & S Competition - November 23 - Ft Collins, CO See ad this issue.

Caer Galen Midwinter - December 7 - Boulder, Co Russian/ Mongol feast - bring rugs and pillows. Site fee \$5/ Feast \$10. Autocrat: Alexia Radcliffe 303-499-4176

Twelfth Night: Along the Silk Road - January 4 - Golden, CO including Italy, the Middle East, and China. A & S display. Entertainment. Heavy and Light weapons. Heraldic consultation table. Feast reservations until Nov 15: member \$15/ non \$20. After Nov 15: member \$20/ non \$25. No reservations after Dec 15. Autocrat: Mistress Ava Trudine 303-469-0406 before 9pm.



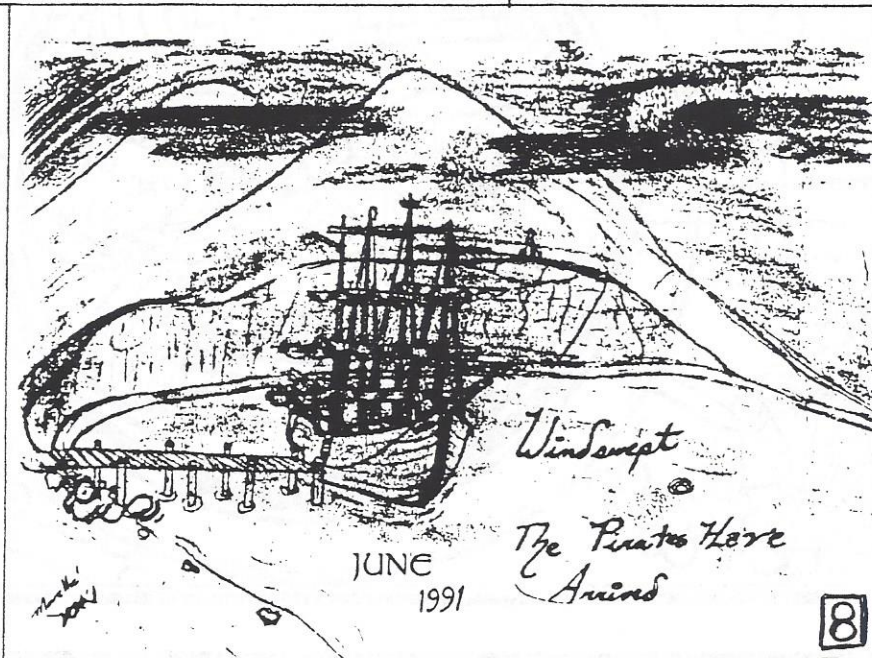
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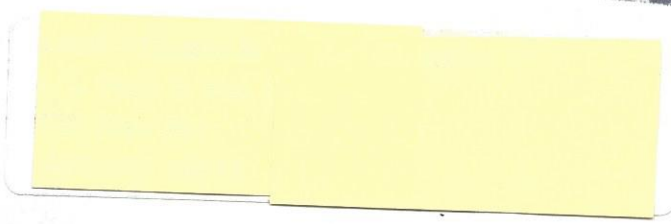
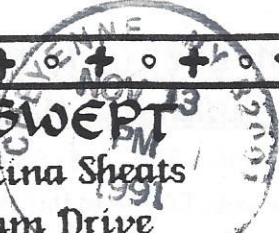
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WINDSWERT
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TIME VALUE: DON'T DELAY

The Man, symbol of St. Matthew Gospel of St. Mark Book of Kells

