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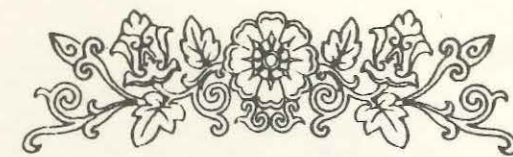
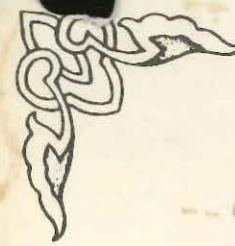
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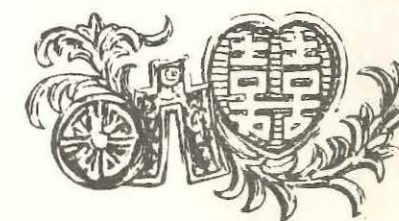
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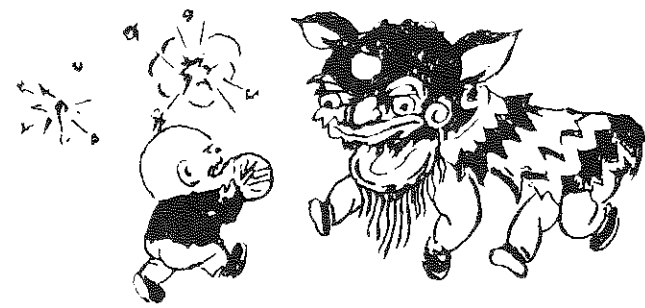
FORT ERIE SECONDARY SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

February 24th 8:00 p.m.

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by SKIPPY WONG

Just a few words about the traditional Lion Dance. In the Old Country, The Lion Dance is performed on New Years and other National Holidays. This usually occurs outdoors accompanied by plenty of Fireworks, a long procession of colorful Banners, various Brass Instruments, Drums, and Gongs. Rich merchants generally hang packets of money (wrapped in red paper), from first or second floor window. The higher up the greater amount of money. This constitutes a prey for the Lion. Frequently, a human formation is created to substantiate this prey - offering the packets of money as bait. This entire performance is prolonged for hours, until all the packets of money are collected.

Following this, the group will display their skill by defending themselves with Kung Fu Techniques; Bamboo or Wooden Poles, Swords and Long Spears.

This, then, completes the traditional Lion Dance - An Entertainment for both the young and the old.



PROGRAMME



WELCOME SPEECH	Lezlie Harper
CHINESE CHILDREN'S FASHION SHOW	Mrs. C. M. Lau (Commentator)
TOURIST FILM	On JAPAN, TAIWAN and HONG KONG
CHINESE CHILDREN IN COSTUMES PLAYING	
INTRODUCTION OF CHINESE STUDENTS	Dr. Roger Grant (Principal of Niagara Christian College)
SINGING	Niagara Christian College Chinese Students Louis Cheng - Conductor May Lam - Pianist
<u>INTERMISSION</u>	
LION DANCE	Mr. Ting Fong Wong and Group from Buffalo
KUNG FU TECHNIQUES	
RAFFLE DRAW	Mr. Bob Lam Honourary Mayor of Chinatown
CLOSING	Darlene Hill





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February 21, 1978.

Dear Mr. Louie McDermott:

On behalf of the Chinese Cultural Awareness staff I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your fine contributions to our Chinese New Years' Festival dinner. Sincere appreciation is extended for your participation in Oriental dress which added to the atmosphere.

Also, a special thank you is given for your assistance in setting up the hall. Without your support and enthusiasm this dinner could not have been a success.

Thanking you again,

Darlene Hill
Co-ordinator.

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Dear Mr. Louie McDermott:

Thank you so much for your fine participation in our displays at the County Fair Mall and the Centennial Library. Your fans, clothing etc. added much interest to the exhibits.

Your displays on local Chinese restaurants were fascinating and the excited faces of the owners must have made you feel it was all worthwhile.

Also, thanks for all the time you volunteered so freely to set up and keep an eye on the displays.

Fort Erie's first Chinese New Years' Festival will long be remembered, thanks to you.

Yours very truly,

Darlene Hill

Co-ordinator.