



## BOY MARRIES GIRL

We are proud to say that the S&T Times was the first to break the news about Nils Turner getting together with Annette Radwanski and now the Times scoops the competition with the news of their wedding.

The Times flew in their best reporters for the job. Flushed with successes at the Booth/Thaller and Daly/Christie weddings, ten Brummelaar said "Cruise and I have the best experience to cover these events and we'll actually go into the field to get the story.

ten Brummelaar was also there in his reprised role as best man. "I was thrilled when he asked me," he beamed "It's my first tux you know."

The do took place in Ambler, Pennsylvania near the historic city of Philadelphia where our investigative team went to work and found out that the crack in the Liberty Bell was due to poor bellfounding and not, as was originally thought, a cranky Paul Revere trying to sleep in.

Other facts uncovered by the LaLaTeam (as they are known in some circles) was that Ben Franklin and Thomas Jefferson were the grooviest of a bunch of groovy guys. Also that democracy was originally meant for rich white men with squiggly handwriting. "I'm sure the tour guide was pleased I was in the crowd to correct her on these and other facts" smiled Cruise "but she was very professional and didn't favor me with showy thanks and special treatment."

Apparently nothing escaped our top journalists notice. "We could pick out Nils from his brothers every time." bragged Cruise and ten Brummelaar swelled with pride and said that he "could keep up with Annette and her Dad, Jules 'Racing' Radwanski."



## WALLS OF FLAME

In the last issue of the Times our headstrong housewife was not getting her fix-it fix but since then there have been great strides of progress on the house front. The little man from the village did turn up and paint the house blue, green and yellow. "It actually looks like someone has taken away the old house and brought us a whole new one!" marveled Theo while Sallie shot off to cactus land and got a whole new look for the porch.

However it took the immine- nence of visitors to see the comple- tion of the guest room. Dubbed the Dutch room by Sallie, it was Gautam who coined the phrase "The Walls of Flame." "There were times when I was a bit nervous about how it would turn out" admitted Leonardo deCruiso but it was her staunch beau Brummelaar behind her all the way who encouraged her to go on. "It's going to be marvelous darling, sweetie, darling" was his mantra and bravely did all the prep work and carting everything into the garage. Verty was homeless for a week or two but the side benefit was that the shelving from the spare room moved into the garage and now Man's Land has a whole new look!



Gautam proclaiming

Weekend warriors above and below



## DRAGON UPDATE

There is no dragon update. Our unfortunate heroes are all stuck in their alternate universes and do not have the power to get back to Thrax. "If only there were more of us we could pool all our power" moaned one poor player destined to churn endlessly in his hot tub until he is rescued by his party.

There was a rumor of a new young player who would, Palladin like, come charging in from the east and make up the numbers but now his alternate universe may too have a seductive hold on him. There are mystical message from the beyond the veil or "web" as they call it in this strange land.

## CARDIGII

Painting the bathroom and the kitchen floor was a high- light in the domestic duo's calendar this year as it also culmi- nated with a visit from the Cardiges family. "I hated that kitchen floor so much that we took the upcoming visit as a chance to change it. We didn't think we could afford a new one so we painted the rotten thing." smiled Cruise serenely. "Oooh, it's the right color for the tiles." said eagle eyed Robin, the mom pf the Cardiges quartet." "Oooh, we're going play some blues" said Stanley, the crew's dad. and there- after some fine wailing was the overall tone of the event. "We thoroughly enjoyed Steve's origami, Stan's guitar picks, Rob- ins hydrangea spotting and Nick's chin rubbing." said Sallie and Theo together.



Stephen digging that the floor matches the tiles and Stanley wailing



## THE BRICK

"I can plug it into the car sound system and I can carry it round like a "tranny" and it holds 250 albums!" enthused Theo who is a self confessed music addict with no signs of getting better. "You just record straight form the computer. Actually, the hardest bit is typing all the track names in so I get Sallie to do that, she's a brick too."



Theo and his little bricks

## NICE IS NICE

It took just one visit to Nice and the bouyant waters of the Mediterranean to convert our roving astronomer from Francophobe to Francophile. Sources close to ten Brummelaar are shocked. "Qu'est-ce que c'est? We all thought he was traumatized at 11 and would never be able to Bosonova again." Theo's charming hosts Christian and Ainhoa tempted him with famous cafe's and little markets brimming with cheese. The final round was won with Herbs du Provence and Theo was powerless. "We'll be collaborating with the French at Chara, maybe I'll have to go many more times. Only next time I better take Sallie if I know what's good for me."



# Photo Gallery



The new and the crew



France is for lovers



"Blue, like a robin's egg" said Mrs Miniver



and pretty maids all in a row



Theo, left, in a fabulous cafe and Christian, right in an absolutely fabulous alley



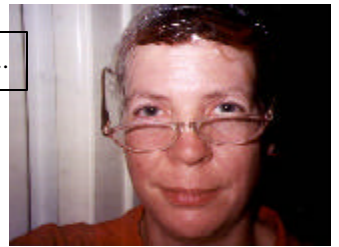
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Good witch...



...and evil twin sister, Sabrina



tickling the plastics



Jeff in the office surrounded by his staff

Spotted: Peter Lawson's mum on her southwestern tour

Tom and Andy planning to steal all the beer



Wahini



Maui men



A moment



As a matter of fact I think I've got one now...



Above and below, the house at Kula on Maui in Hawaii - sigh



Mandy: when only the best will do...

