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TOP ISSUES

Issue: G&M Criticizes IESO's Rate-Regulated Accounting

- ***The Globe and Mail***'s Matthew McClearn investigates how the Liberal government is changing its disclosure of future borrowing activities to the public. In particular, the article examines how the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) changed its accounting practices at the same time at the province introduced its Fair Hydro Plan.
- In March last year, the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO), the agency that manages the province's electrical system and acts as an intermediary between power generators and consumers gave the Auditor General a "head-up" about a big change to its accounting practice. Bonnie Lysyk, Ontario's Auditor-General believed the IESO's new practice – a method known as rate-regulated accounting – violated government accounting standards.
- Earlier that month, the government had announced significant reductions in electricity rates, which it called the Fair Hydro Plan. As part of the plan, the province would have to borrow billions of dollars to cover the shortfall. Ontario's Auditor General believes the government created creative accounting in order to take it off the government's statements and have it not show up on the bottom line.
- The IESO's new practice, rate-regulated accounting, allows utilities to place deferred costs, such as building a new power plant, in special accounts to carry them forward into future years, provided their regulator gives them the right to recover those costs through future bills. When BC Hydro adopted it, that province's auditor-general objected strongly, warning in a special report that "if overused, rate-regulated deferrals can mask the true costs of doing business, distort the financial condition of an enterprise and place undue burdens on future taxpayers."
- Ms. Lysyk also expressed concern that the Liberal government's success in concealing its borrowing will encourage more aggressive bookkeeping, both in Ontario and in other provinces. "If you get away with doing something that's inappropriate accounting, the next time you'll do it again and you'll do it again," she said. "Pretty soon they won't have any numbers that will have any integrity behind them."
- In 2015, when the IESO was formed, it decided against adopting rate-regulated accounting. Earlier this year, the chief financial officer of the IESO, Kim Marshall, told the province's public accounts committee that in February, 2017, she presented financial statements prepared in the usual way to her audit committee. The following month, though, she produced a fresh set of financial statements using rate-regulated accounting. The official explanation is that in mid-January, 2017, at one of the earliest meetings to discuss the Fair Hydro Plan, Ontario Controller Cindy Veinot ordered Ms. Marshall to "take a closer look" at adopting rate-regulated accounting because she didn't think the IESO's existing policies were appropriate. The government has repeatedly stated that Ms. Veinot's request was completely unrelated to the Fair Hydro Plan.
- Enacted last June, the Fair Hydro Plan Act put IESO's new policy to immediate use, instructing the IESO to create a "regulatory asset" on its books. This "asset" reflected the

agency's right to recover the costs it was about to incur paying for hydro discounts from future consumers, over a 30-year period.

- After meeting with senior officials responsible and their advisers, Auditor General Bonnie Lysyk concluded that the government had instructed the Fair Hydro Plan's architects that the rate reductions must not cause a reported increase in the province's deficit and net debt, meaning IESO's accounting change was no mere coincidence.
- Energy Minister Glenn Thibeault has justified the new accounting practice by telling the province's estimates committee last October that because electricity ratepayers, not taxpayers, would be required to repay the debt and interest costs associated with the Fair Hydro Plan, the associated costs did not belong on the province's books.
- Ontario Power Generation has expressed reservations about its role in the Fair Hydro Plan. "OPG's reputation could potentially be adversely impacted through its involvement as the Financial Services Manager under the Fair Hydro Act," the company warned in its 2017 annual report.
- According to the **Globe**, the Liberal government relied heavily on consultants and three accounting firms - KPMG, Deloitte and Ernst & Young – and law firm to devise the Fair Hydro Plan. The advisors were paid a total of \$2-million for their services. In a statement, the Treasury Board Secretariat emphasized that work was part of the government's efforts to "ensure due diligence was completed."
- There are also questions as to whether the use KPMG as one of the accounting firms represented a conflict of interest since in the past three years KPMG earned between \$86,000 and \$92,000 in annual fees for auditing IESO's books. Last year, it earned \$652,000 for its advice on the new accounting policy. KPMG and the IESO denied any impropriety. "It is very common for auditors to provide advisory services to help their clients understand the application of complex accounting matters," KPMG said in a statement.
- Ms. Lysyk also believes the Office of the Auditor General should have been consulted about the accounting change. On Jan. 11, 2017, as Ms. Lysyk's office prepared to audit Ontario's public accounts, it sent a letter to KPMG asking if there would be any accounting policy changes at the IESO. KPMG did not respond. There was a follow-up phone call, but KPMG did not call back. She also felt that the Ministry of Finance and the Treasury Board should have told her earlier. She said the e-mails reviewed by her office confirm that the architects of the Fair Hydro Plan expected her office to object to the IESO's proposed accounting changes – and that their silence had been deliberate.
- Previously, the Auditor-General relied on KPMG to audit the IESO's books. Ms. Lysyk conducted her own special audit this year, but said she was "professionally unable" to provide an audit opinion because management refused to sign certain documents.
- The **Globe** notes that Ontario's Finance Minister Charles Sousa announced that Ontario's budgets will no longer be balanced, meaning the "alleged raison d'être for the accounting practice" is no longer valid.

Newspapers:	"Ontario kept billions of borrowed money off its balance sheet. Here's how," The Globe and Mail (Saturday), Matthew McClearn, A12
Television:	None
Radio:	None

Issue: Legal Aid Supported ‘Predatory’ Bride, Says Superior Court Justice

- A woman who fought her ex-boyfriend’s family in court for six years had the process paid for by Legal Aid Ontario, which Ontario Superior Court Justice Edward J. Koke has called an “abuse of process.”
- This is the first time that Legal Aid Ontario has been made to pay costs in a losing case it funded.
- Anne Worrod hastily arranged a marriage to Kim Kevin Hunt, just three days after he left hospital following a “catastrophic” brain injury. Hunt’s sons began legal action against Worrod in 2012 claiming their father did not have the mental capacity to consent.
- “If there was ever a case which cries out for full recovery costs against a respondent this is it,” said Koke. “Ms. Worrod’s marriage to Mr. Hunt was arranged through trickery and deceit,” he said.
- “We are currently considering our options in terms of next steps with regard to this case,” said a spokesperson for Legal Aid Ontario.
- A lien was placed on Hunt’s home in Worrod’s name in 2012. Koke has criticized Legal Aid Ontario for this, saying they should have known Hunt was a “vulnerable person.”
- In 2015, Legal Aid Ontario paid for an expert report that found Hunt was incapable of making independent decisions. Koke said this should have been a sign to Legal Aid Ontario to stop supporting Worrod’s case.
- As a result of this case, Hunt’s family has been forced to spend approximately \$500,000 to fight Worrod’s claims.
- In his ruling, Koke said that Legal Aid Ontario “contributed significantly to the hardships and challenges which Mr. Hunt and his family faced after his devastating accident.”
- “We care and love our father and feel obligated to make his life better for him as we know he wouldn’t make it on his own,” said Justin Hunt.
- Hunt’s lawyers said this case ultimately had a government funded agency supporting “the perpetrator of a predatory marriage.”

Newspapers: “Court raps Legal Aid for supporting ‘predatory’ bride; Calling it an ‘abuse of process,’ judge orders more than \$385,000 in costs be paid to victim’s family.” (Sunday) **Toronto Star**, Moira Welsh, A1.

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: 250 GE Worker Claims Re-Evaluated by the WSIB

- A review by the provincial compensation board last fall has re-evaluated around 250 cases that were previously rejected by workers from a Peterborough General Electric (GE) plant. The cases claimed a range of illnesses said to be the result of working in the plant.
- “With its review three-quarters complete, the board has reversed its position in about 48 per cent of the cases it originally denied,” notes **The Toronto Star**.
- A 2016 investigation by **The Toronto Star** found questionable working conditions at the GE plant over the past decade, with workers describing conditions with asbestos floating in the air and open pots of lead and mercury. However, of the 660 compensation claims that were filed since 2005, around half were denied due to insufficient evidence.
- Aaron Lazarus, vice president of communications for the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) said new decisions are being based on emerging evidence and science that is supporting a connection between workplace conditions and illnesses.
- On Wednesday, 72 year old Roger Fowler received a cheque and recognition that working in the GE plant had contributed to his 26 years of sickness and surgeries. “I actually feel like I’ve had my justice now, like I’m being acknowledged that this actually took place,” he said.
- In 2012, Ed Condon, who also worked in the Peterborough GE plant passed away due to a brain tumour. Despite claims of a connection between his work in the plant and his sickness, Condon’s family’s claims were denied in February. Condon’s daughter said that her family’s case was difficult as a result of a lack of tangible evidence.
- “A report produced for the WSIB in 2010 determined that the province had ‘no effective reporting or surveillance of occupational disease or exposures’ and no central repository of data on the subject,” said **The Toronto Star**.
- The Ministry of Labour has announced a review of how work related cancers are evaluated to ensure compensation systems include up to date medical knowledge.
- “Occupational diseases, especially cancers, can be difficult to link to workplace exposures,” said Ron Kelusky, the Ministry of Labour’s chief prevention officer.
- Ontario’s Labour Minister Kevin Flynn said the province is committed to “ensuring all injured workers continue to be treated with dignity and in a timely manner by the compensation system.”

Newspapers: “Hope, heartbreak for former GE workers; After a decade of denials, retiree finally gets compensation. For others, the wait continues.” (Sunday) **Toronto Star**, Sara Mojtehdzadeh, A1.

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: Asylum-Seekers Could Be Fast-Traded To Ontario Starting Next Week

- Starting next week, asylum-seekers arriving through the Canada-United States border could be fast-tracked to shelters and services in Ontario if that is their preferred destination, according to federal officials working on a “triage” plan to address concerns about an increase of refugee claimants coming into Canada during the summer.
- This comes after Quebec said that there could be 400 refugee claimants coming into Canada each day this summer. Quebec Immigration Minister David Heurtel, said this week that his province had shouldered more than its fair share of the elevated number of asylum-seekers and would begin shutting its 1,850-bed shelter system when occupation rates reach 85 per cent.
- It is unclear whether refugee claimants will be flown, bussed or sent on a train, but those who indicate, upon arrival, that they want to go to Toronto will soon be hustled out of Quebec. The plan, which was hatched at a meeting on Wednesday, is set to be put in place in the next coming days.
- "We are in the process of working at the officials level with both Quebec and Ontario to determine ... what is in the art of the possible, what could it look like," said one federal official, speaking to reporters on background Friday. "I think one of the main points to consider is ... how would the province of Ontario and Quebec and the municipalities in those provinces like a system to be designed that also suits their needs."
- Once an asylum-seeker has been processed for a hearing with the Immigration Refugee Board, they are permitted to move wherever they wish in the country. Immigration officials are hoping to provide better information about housing and job opportunities in smaller communities with aims at easing the strain on big cities. to smaller communities better able to absorb them into their workforce and housing market.
- A spokesperson for Ontario Immigration Minister Laura Albanese did not immediately comment on the new plan.
- According to the RCMP, there were 20,593 people intercepted crossing into Canada between official ports of entry in 2017. Most were picked up at Roxham Road, which connects Champlain, N.Y., with Hemmingford, Que. Already this year, there have been 6,373 irregular crossings.

Newspapers: "Ontario prepares for asylum-seekers," **Toronto Star** (Saturday), Allan Woods, A6

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: PC Leader Against Supervised Injection Sites

- On Friday, PC Leader Doug Ford said he was “dead against” supervised injection sites, believing the focus should be on drug rehabilitation instead. Ford made the comments in Sarnia after announcing that a PC government would create 30,000 long-term care beds over the next 10 years to ease the burden on hospitals and cut wait times.
- Ford said: “If your son, daughter, loved one ever had an addiction, would you want them to go in a little area and do more drugs? I am dead against that.” Ford said his plan would make sure the province had the resources to help those with addiction issues.
- Ford’s campaign said he plan to address mental health and the opioid crisis would be released in the coming weeks.
- In response, Liberal campaign co-chair Deb Matthews said in a statement that Mr. Ford needs to explain how he plans to pay for the new beds considering he has vowed to reduce government spending. Health Minister Helena Jaczek said Mr. Ford’s comments on supervised-injection sites not only perpetuate the stigma around mental health and addiction, but put lives at risk.
- NDP Leader Andrea Horwath said the opioid overdose epidemic has touched every community in Ontario. “Mr. Ford will drag Ontario backwards and deny people the care they need,” she said. “New Democrats will listen to front-line care workers, declare a public health emergency, and take urgent action to save lives.”
- Francisco Sapp, co-director of the Ontario HIV and Substance Use Training Program, said that until drugs are decriminalized, harm-reduction strategies such as supervised-consumption sites are the best hope to keep people alive amid a public-health crisis. He added that harm-reduction strategies have reduced opioid-related deaths. A site at Toronto’s Moss Park has reversed about 200 overdoses so far, he said.

Newspapers: “Ford ‘dead against’ harm reduction,” **Toronto Star** (Saturday), Paola Loriggio (CP), A13
“Ontario PC Leader says he’s ‘dead against’ supervised-injection site,” **The Globe and Mail** (Saturday), Paola Loriggio (CP), A4
“Ford ‘dead against’ injection sites,” **Toronto Sun** (Saturday), Antonella Artuso, A6

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: Ontario PC Leader Promises to Build More Long-Term Care Beds

- On Friday, Ontario PC Leader Doug Ford announced that if elected, he would ease wait times in hospitals with the creation of thousands of new long-term care beds. He promised to build 15,000 new long-term care beds in the first five years and 30,000 beds over the next 10 years.
- “We need to start building more long-term care beds. That will relieve the hospitals,” said PC Leader Ford. He also said Ontarians have long experienced excessive wait times, citing his experience seeing two nurses care for an entire palliative ward of patients when his brother was in hospital.
- “This is the last and most ambitious of Ford’s Five Priorities, the highlight reel of promises serving the Tories in place of a costed-out platform. It’s also the only one preserved from the People’s Guarantee, the platform assembled under former leader Patrick Brown,” notes ***The Ottawa Citizen***.
- Ontario’s NDP have promised to create 15,000 long-term beds over the next five years and 40,000 beds by 2028. Meanwhile, the province has said the government will add 5,000 beds by 2022 and 30,000 beds over the next 10 years.
- “Our plan to reduce wait times invests nearly \$19 billion in health care, including a 4.6 per cent increase in funding for day-to-day operations in hospitals, which is aimed at directly reducing wait times and expanding essential services,” said Liberal MPP Deb Matthews.
- According to the latest provincial budget, one long-term care bed costs the province around \$54,000 a year.
- Candace Chartier of the Ontario Long Term Care Association says it is not enough to throw money to building long-term care beds. She believes more funding should also be put towards nursing homes and caregivers.
- “We have a lot of homes that are 30 to 40 years of age. They’re nearing the end of their functional life. They’re starting to fail in different areas. If we don’t get more beds redeveloped and shovels in the ground, we have to somehow address that these homes need added capital,” said Chartier.
- Chartier says that while the government has funded care home renovations, due to inflation, that money will not make as strong of an impact. She believes government standards have long been suited for larger homes at the expense of smaller homes and smaller communities.
- “Ford’s promise of 15,000 new long-term care beds is a start but it will be hard to pull off and won’t end hallway health care even if he manages it,” says David Reevely of ***The Ottawa Citizen***.

Newspapers:	“Ford vows thousands of long-term beds.” (Saturday) <i>Toronto Sun</i> , Antonella Artuso, A7; and “No Party Has Sufficient Plan To Tackle Nursing Home Issue.” (Saturday) <i>Ottawa Citizen</i> , David Reevely, A9.
Television:	None
Radio:	None

Issue: Shortage of PSWs A Concern For Sudbury Area

- On Friday, Mine Mill Local 598 Unifor held a health care assembly in Sudbury where personal support workers shared their concerns with Nickel Belt MPP and health critic France Gelinas.
- Wages, worker shortages, resident care, violence, injured worker, minimum care standards, and strategies for an aging population were hot topic at the health-care assembly. Unifor, CUPE, and SEIU have been lobbying the government for years for better standards of care for long-term care and workers.
- Melissa Wood, unit chair at St. Gabrielle Villa, said: "Even if we do increase the minimum care standard, we don't even have the workers available to go into these long-term care settings or homecare settings. It's not an enticing career for people to want to have as a career. People are going in it, but after they graduate, after a couple of years they're going back to school. We have shortage of workers and no one wants to be in this career."
- One of the problems is attracting and retaining aides and PSWs. Wood noted that wages for long-term care professionals ranges anywhere from \$15 to \$26 an hour. "I don't know what the solution is to make it more attractive," said Wood.

Newspapers: "Burnout, turnover concern PSWs," **Sudbury Star** (Saturday), Keith Dempsey, A1

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: Social Service Agency in Nipissing Asks for Provincial Support

- The District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) is asking the Ministry of Health and Northeast Local Health Integration Network (LHIN) to fund a review of mental health and addiction needs in the region. It is also asking for a task force to deal with emergency issues in the community.
- “Clients have arrived at our doorstep with health conditions so significant that some have gone unresponsive in the office and have required critical EMS transportation,” said the chief administrative officer of DNSSAB.
- DNSSAB says there has been a 20 per cent increase in land ambulance calls over the last four years, which they believe is linked to mental health and addiction calls.
- “Too many vulnerable people in our district are suffering needlessly because they don’t have a doctor who can address their needs or refer them to the appropriate service that can help them,” said DNSSAB Chairman Mark King.
- “The proposed review would target significant gaps in the system and examine how to best serve the vulnerable,” notes ***The North Bay Nugget***.
- The Chief Administrative Officer of DNSSAB, Joseph Bradbury, noted that 27 per cent of local social service caseloads included those with mental health and addiction issues.
- Bradbury “highlighted data collected by the LHIN indicating wait times for community supports can range from days to weeks to months depending on the program,” according to ***The North Bay Nugget***.
- DNSSAB said that in January it was told by the Ministry of Health that its concerns would be addressed.
- In response to the calls by the DNSSAB, the LHIN said that it values collaborating with system partners to support the needs of people in the north with addiction and mental health challenges.

Newspapers: “Community crisis ‘grave’; Health Ministry, LHIN taken to task for inaction on local mental health and addictions.” (Saturday) ***North Bay Nugget***, Gord Young, A1.

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: Opinion: Will America's Stance on Climate Change Seep into Ontario?

- According to Martin Regg Cohn of *The Toronto Star*, Governor Jerry Brown of California fears the US President's stance on climate change may seep into the mindset of Ontarians.
- Regg Cohn writes that Governor Brown has been widely known for his "crusade against global warming" and populist-environmentalism.
- During the governor's visit to Ontario, the province's Progressive Conservatives (PC) did not allow him to address the provincial legislature. "Instead of addressing MPPs from all parties, Brown encountered a province poised to vote in a new premier, Doug Ford, who vows to dismantle Ontario's cap and trade alliance with California," notes Regg Cohn.
- Prior to Ontario PC Leader Doug Ford leading the province's PCs, the province's four major political parties shared a consensus view on tackling climate change through carbon pricing, like the two major political parties in California.
- Governor Brown believes that when populist leaders tell people they are being taken advantage of they will start to believe it, citing daily changes in the price of gasoline dwarfing the cost of cap and trade or a carbon tax. "I think it can be just propaganda. If you say something over and over again, it's like the Big Lie," said Governor Brown.
- Governor Brown hopes that the US President's anti-environmentalism rhetoric will fade and that Ontario politicians will once again come to a consensus on climate change.
- When asked about his environmental legacy, the governor suggested that his environmentalist work was not for him but for the people of the future.

Newspapers: "Will Ontario follow Trump on climate?" (Saturday) *Toronto Star*, Martin Regg Cohn, A10.

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: Investigation into a Death of a Mississauga Family Reveals Several Flaws

- Caleb Harrison was found dead in his Mississauga home in 2013. Peel Regional Police would come to believe that the perpetrators in his death were also responsible for the death of his mother in 2010, and his father in 2009, suggesting that authorities had missed two major homicides.
- “Pieced together, records disclosed over four years of criminal proceedings tell a story of mistakes made at every juncture - by police, coroners and pathologists,” notes **The Toronto Star**.
- The Office of the Chief Coroner and the Ontario Forensic Pathology Service launched an internal review following the incident. “We believe this is the best approach to take to get the best learning opportunities, to understand what has occurred and where we can enhance or improve our death investigation system,” said Dr. Dirk Huyer, the chief coroner.
- The family of the victims have called on Ontario Attorney General Yasir Naqvi for a public inquiry.
- The Attorney General’s office emphasized the importance of criminal proceedings being “allowed to continue without interference or influence, so as not to jeopardize the integrity and independence” of the proceedings.
- Harrison’s cousin said the incidents have left surviving family members with little trust in the criminal justice system.
- In 2014, police tracked Harrison’s ex-wife and her husband and charged them with the first degree murder of Harrison and his mother. They claimed they had killed them for a better chance at custody with the children.
- In 2017, prosecutors “connected the dots between the child custody battle and the demise of all three Harrisons.” The Crown presented evidence that Harrison’s father was also murdered by the pair, upon learning of a plan by his son’s ex-wife to take his grandchildren away.
- “I could have done things differently, but I can’t change it now. And as far as I’m concerned, given the information I had at the time, I did the best I could,” said Dr. Timothy Feltis, the pathologist who performed the autopsy on Harrison’s father.

Newspapers: “Improbable Cause; One death, then another, and another - all in the same house. The first two written off as a tragic coincidence, until the third shattered doubts. This is how authorities failed the Harrisons.” (Saturday) **Toronto Star**, Amy Dempsey, IN1.

Television: None

Radio: None

Issue: MPP Criticizes Law Requiring Use of Electronic Cash Register Systems

- Nipissing MPP Vic Fedeli is critical of the province's move to introduce a new law requiring the mandatory use of electronic cash register systems. Fedeli calls the move another strike against businesses, particularly small, home-based businesses that can't afford the additional expense.
- The new law has been included as measure in the Liberal government's budget bill, which is expected to be debated early next month.
- Fedeli said it will require that "prescribed businesses" record all sales transactions in an electronic cash register that meets "prescribed requirements" and to transmit the sales information to the minister (of Finance) within a "prescribed time, manner and form." Fedeli believes the vast majority of Ontario business owners are honest and hardworking and the proposed law is unnecessary.
- A spokesman for the Finance Ministry said the new rules are aimed at preventing electronic sales suppression, which involves manipulating point-of-sale systems to hide sales and underreport income. "Ontario loses approximately \$500 million each year in tax revenue to electronic sales suppression - revenue that should be supporting the public services people count on like hospitals, schools and roads," said spokesperson Scott Blodgett. He also noted that Businesses will be consulted in the coming months.
- Fedeli said the province is looking at using the same guidelines that apply to HST registration, collection and remittance, meaning all businesses with taxable revenues exceeding \$30,000 annually would be impacted.
- According to Fedeli, the cost of electronic cash registers is in the neighbourhood of \$3,000. "As if having to buy a \$3,000 electronic cash register for your home hair or tailoring business isn't enough, if the government suspects you're not using the proper register, you can expect them to get a warrant and enter your home," he says, suggesting failure to comply is expected to carry a fine of up to \$10,000.
- Peter Chirico, president and chief executive officer of the North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce, said he recognizes that the move is an attempt by the government to "thwart the underground economy." However, he notes that people who pay their taxes faithfully are now going to be burdened with another cost, adding that startups and entrepreneurial businesses will likely be hurt the most by the added costs.
- Chirico suggests there may be some backlash to proposed new rules because many businesses are likely not aware of them.

Newspapers: "Province launches 'assault' on business," **North Bay Nugget** (Saturday), Gord Young, A1

Television: None

Radio: None

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Toronto Star

- A MURDERER IN THEIR MIDST (with photo)
- Secrets and dirty tricks: Nothing new under the Cuban sun (with photo)
- His friends thought he was hiding. Then they saw the shocking photo (with photo)
- Court raps Legal Aid for supporting “predatory” bride
- TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE? (with photo)

Globe and Mail

- BAD BOOKS (with illustration)

Toronto Sun

- FEAR AND SMEAR (with photo)
- VICTORY OUT OF REACH FOR RAPS (with photo)

National Post

- IS CANADA BROKEN? (with photo)
- THE HIDDEN WORLD
- LEON VS LEON
- BRUSH WITH THE LAW

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- Hope, heartbreak for former GE workers (with photo)
- THE SECRET CHILDREN OF PRIESTS (with photo)
- Justice hubs offer legal, social services in same spot
- Court raps Legal Aid for supporting “predatory” bride
- THE SHOW MUST GO ON (with photo)
- “Our Game 4 has got to be played like a Game 7” (with photo)

Globe and Mail

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Toronto Sun

- TEN LOST YEARS (with photo)
- LEAFS STILL ALIVE (with photo)

National Post

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