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SRC NEEDS:

Part-Time Student Rep. on Student Council

- applications can be picked up at the 5th floor of the Student Center from the Secretary or President.
- deadline December 17th 1982.
- Please note: There will be *no* election for this position at this time of the year. A nominee will be selected and appointed by the SRC.

STAFF BOX

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With the lights of Hannukah appearing in the distance it looks like it is that time of year again. Santa Claus with his moose and wagon. Getting a kiss from Mary and Joseph when they stands under the garlic. Putting up the tree so that you can put your stockings under it. All that sort of stuff. So it seems like a good time to list some of the heroes of the revolution as a sort of gift (as is the custom I understand). Here they are: pickles, eggs, bagels, gefilte fish, two cans of borsch - sorry, wrong list. Here's the real list (as opposed to the surreal list); Karen Neves, Nancy Plant, Nicki Watkins, Dale Rafuse, Carol Skillen, J.C. Cornier, Harold Hines, Kevin McInnes, Jeff Baker, Steve Kilbride, Tanya Perger, Sam Keefe-Byrne, Ryan Nicholson, France Boudreau, Francis Maloney, Darlene Langille, Ron Dell, Bob Dylan, Eve Marmaduke, Giovanni Biscotti, Bruce Springsteen, his brother Steve, Che Cuevera, Menachem Begin, Miss Murphy, Lech Walesa, Jean-Paul Sartre, Rainer Maria Rilke, T.S. Eliot, and friends. Merry Christmas and Happy Hannukah. See you at our first staff meeting in January (Thursday the 15th, 6:00 PM). Oh yes, and Greg Merchant and Steve Whitmore at our Marshfield desk.

SRC Minutes Secretary

The SRC requires the services of a recording secretary who would be responsible for taking and keeping accurate minutes of the SRC meetings and circulating said minutes to Council members, the Journal and any other interested parties upon request.

- renumberation to be \$10.00/meeting.
- please note that the meetings are held on Sunday nights at 7:00 p.m. Duration of meetings, 2 hours.
- applications can be picked up at the 5th floor of the Student Center from the Secretary, President, or Vice-President Administration.
- deadline for applications, December 17th, 1982.

Soprano Concert

An evening of vocal music by J.S. Bach will be presented on Tuesday, December 14 at the Art Gallery of Saint Mary's University. Soprano Judith Wright will perform Cantata 209 "Non sa che sia dolore", an aria from Cantata 151 "Süßer Trost mein Jesus kommt", and Cantata 202 "Weicht nur betrübe Schatten", known as the Wedding Cantata. With Miss Wright will be performing a seven-piece ensemble consisting of Monique Gusset, harpsichord; Anne Rapson and Beverly Grove, violins; Norma Lee Bisha, viola; Edward Bisha, cello; Linda Schroeder, flute; and Margaret Pheby, oboe. The concert will begin at 8 P.M. and admission is free.

Soprano Judith Wright, now living and working most of the time in London, England, is a native of Halifax. She took her Bachelor's degree in music performance at Acadia University, followed by several years of vocal studies in Montreal with Dutch baritone Bernard Diamant. She continued her studies at the Mozarteum at Salzburg, Austria. After receiving her music degree from that institution she remained in Salzburg to teach and perform. In 1981 she appeared in the Salzburg Spring Festival performing Schubert's song cycle "Shepherd on the Rocks".

NEPTUNE ANNOUNCES CHANGE IN MAINSTAGE SEASON

Theatre Director John Neville has announced a change in the scheduled line-up for the 1982-83 mainstage season.

"It is with greatest regret that we have to announce that the rights to HEARTBREAK HOUSE are not available to us at this time. We are, however, extremely pleased to announce that we will be presenting in its place THE APPLE CART by George Bernard Shaw", said Mr. Neville.

THE APPLE CART, sub-titled by Shaw himself to be "a political extravaganza", is a witty comedy about a brilliant man's victories over cunning antagonists.

"I am presently assembling what I hope will be a stunning cast for this scintillating comedy. Sean Mulcahy will return to play the Prime Minister, and the President of the Board of Trade will be played by Owen Foran", explained Mr. Neville.

Both Foran and Mulcahy are currently appearing in the smash hit JUNO AND THE PAYCOCK.

TIPPING DONE

Very proven success record. Poetry fishing, all imaginable areas tackled. Performed on really nice paper in my own home. All keys available - most in excellent condition. I take vitamins. Also room to let overlooking the road and will mind children up to 40 pounds.

477-3236

Volunteer Bureau Sale

The Volunteer Bureau and Help Line will be having a pop, chip and beverage sale in co-operation with Maritime Beverage, and Humpty Dumpty at Simpson's Mall from November 29th to December 11th during mall hours.

Lots of Prizes will be awarded daily with the Grand Prize of a Sony Walkman.

Pop, chips and other beverages will be sold for a low price.

All proceeds will be going to Volunteer Bureau and Help Line; a United Way Agency.

Sorry, No Jobs

Final exams are over. Diplomas have at last been handed out. No longer students, they stand proud and eager, ready to take on the world. But times have changed. It's 1982 and the world is no longer at their feet. What the future holds for 1982 university GRADS and how they face it is a CBC television one-hour documentary Sunday, December 26 at 9:00 p.m. est (9:30 nst).

One hundred thousand students graduated from Canadian universities this year. That's like adding the population of Halifax, Nova Scotia or Oshawa, Ontario to the already long lineups for jobs. Many of their stories have a familiar ring as they face some pretty hard facts. The jobs aren't there. Elaine wants to teach in a correctional institute. No available positions. Steve graduated with a B.A. in Geology, a profession that in past years practically assured the graduate his choice of company. He can't find a job. Maggie took work as a waitress to wait out the dry spell in the work force.

This year's graduating students entered university three to five years ago when expectations were high and jobs were plentiful. They leave university as if they passed through a time warp. Back into a society, not only in a recession, but often computer-dominated. Those students who studied in Canada's co-operative universities, alternating terms between the classroom and a fulltime job, were more prepared to enter the work force on graduating. But they represent fewer than 10% of the students in Canadian universities. And co-op programs cost money.

These GRADS - they're Canada's bright lights. They represent her future. It cost a lot of money to give them their education. Now they want to prove it was worth it. That's the problem. Was it?

GRADS is an Agriculture and Resources documentary. Producer is Doug Lower.

AIESEC

The lucky winner of our recent draw on a Texas Mickey, drawn on Friday, November 26th at the E.T. cosmic jello party was Derek Flinn. I guess Derek will be having a merry Christmas this year!

AIESEC would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone good luck on their exams, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and remember don't party too hard!

Local News

Due to complications, the edition of Sunday at Seven due last week was not run. But, complications resolved, the oft referred to Sunday at Seven is now here in its entirety.

The next S.R.C. meeting will be held on January 9, 1983. Subsequently, the next Sunday at Seven should be in the paper that week.

But this week, we have last week's, so read on.

by Joe Osborne

Present at what should be the last SRC meeting for this calendar year were: President, Dave Hendersbee; V.P. Administration, Drew Franklin; V.P. Student Affairs, Charlie MacArthur; Treasurer, Jerry Staples; Arts Rep., Bruce Cooke; Commerce Rep., Donny Scott; Science Rep., Dale Rafuse; Engineering Rep., Mike Sampson; Residence Rep., Richard Fairley; Frosh Rep., Mary Kelly; Grad. Rep., Ron Lynch; Off-Campus Rep., Christine Soucie; Chairman, John Akkerman.

Also Present were: President - Sociology Society, Scott Elliott; Vice Chairman - A.S.A., Paul Malatt; Chairman - A.S.A., Kirby Abbott; Treasurer - A.S.A., Ted Holden; President - English Society, Jane Milton; Treasurer - Biology Society, Belinda Kinney; President - Biology Society, Anne Wiseman; Station Manager - CFSM, Howard Rake; President - Philosophy, Geoff Turnbull; Treasurer of Society, Betsy Gorai.

SRC Administrator Hiring

Drew reported that there were sixty applications received before the cut off date. Applicants range from recent MBA graduates to old

war heroes. Sources tell me that a new administrator should be hired before the Christmas break.

Treasurer's Report

The finances are tight up here on the fifth floor. Due to an acute case of cash flow problems, there is barely enough cash to pay this week's payroll. Of the \$7,000 expected in this week, \$5,500 are going out again in wages.

The next bundle of bucks from the University Administration is not due until December 6, at which time the parched bank accounts of all the societies, the radio station, and even the Journal should be quenched by a flood of \$34,000. As executive coordinator of this paper with over \$7,000 in bills outstanding, I know that this drout is really burning us societies up.

Finance Committee: - Bar Staff Shirts

The FAC has passed in their recommendation to council. The deal will be that the staff purchase their own rugby pants at \$32.00, and the SRC spring for two golf shirts at \$15.00 a piece for a total of \$300.00 for the 10 bar staff involved.

When questioned on this by Bruce Cooke, Jerry Staples replied that it was a common industry practice to go splits on a bar outfit. He added that council did give a directive for the FAC to give a recommendation, and it has.

The matter was voted on and passed as recommended. So now all us liquor pigs can look forward

to knowing whether or not Ann is working or just in the pub for a relaxing time.

Society Budget Concerns

Jerry reported that he had been invited to address the Arts and Science assemblies concerning their budgets. They wanted to know what criteria was used in the formation of their budgets, as the assemblies did not like their budgets at all. After the meeting the FAC reviewed their budgeting procedures and decided that they should be kept as they are.

At this point Bruce Cooke presented his motion to force the FAC to allocate the funds remaining in the SRC budget for societies, and to reconsider the funding of societies who want to make a presentation, by Sunday, November 28th. He felt that due to communication problems, no budget appeal procedures, and the fact that the SRC had only ten minutes to examine the budgets that they subsequently passed, this would be fair to the societies.

Jerry addressed the communications problem by saying that letters had been sent out, but they did not always go to the right person, or for that matter were even received.

Donny Smart said it would not be possible for the FAC to sit now due to approaching exams. He said that the FAC had let the societies know that there was an extra \$10,000, and that if societies did not get something, it was due to a lack of details provided by the society. But in late January, they would have another chance to come up with more details.

Charlie spoke up to say he felt that seven days was not long.

Bruce replied to all this by citing the personal committee which interviewed people from 6 to midnight, six days in a row when exams were approaching last year. He added that societies were waiting

for something to happen, and societies cannot function without funds or the knowledge that funds are on their way. Bruce also added that he would replace a FAC member if needed.

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Charlie nixed the last point by saying that the FAC members would be the only ones capable of doing the review as they know all the facts from the beginning. Mike suggested that the societies should take what they can get now, and they will get more later.

Jerry suggested a "touch of reality" be considered and the cash flow problems noted by all. Also, the FAC has been mandated to look after the financial concerns and to make recommendations to council. The FAC has done their task, and council has gone along with this procedure. He also stated that the societies should have been inquisitive and looked for funding. After all, they got it in the past and are expecting it in the future.

Donny Smart spoke up suggesting that funding at this point could only be used for Christmas parties, so the societies should take a break and study for their exams as it may be a "silly" FAC committee but there is nothing they can do about it. Over Christmas it would be a different matter, and Donny volunteered to resume his seat on the FAC then.

Bruce Cooke then changed the date on the motion to the first SRC meeting in January, but he wants the FAC to get moving as soon as possible and let the societies know the results before Christmas.

The society reps then spoke raising points covered in the article "A.S.A. Headache".

Liquor Operating Committee Appointments

The old Pub Board of Governors is now dead, and the LOC is in place. The LOC is responsible for the operating policy of all liquor functions on campus. The problem presented was who the four student reps were going to be. The idea of the four executive members serving was not liked, so eventually it was decided to let the Treasurer and V.P. Administrative sit, plus two members of the student body.

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exists if a student that was employed by the liquor services or University administration sat on the LOC.

The arguments against having a liquor services employee on the board was that an employee would be in a position of making rules with management that govern his working habits. The argument against a University employee was due to the delicate balance of power on the LOC. Saint Mary's is the only major university in Nova Scotia to have its liquor licence owned by the university administration and not the Students Council. But if the students vote in a block on the LOC, they will have a major say in the handling of the licence on campus. To avoid the unlikely situation of the administration putting some pressure on a LOC student member that was an employee, it was thought that such a student should not be permitted to sit on this committee.

As already stated, this was overruled by the council.

Richard Fairley and Dale Rafuse are the other two members on the LOC.

CFS in Trouble:

Council went into overtime to discuss the results of the CFS conference.

Both SMU delegates were not impressed with what they found. They described problems of Saint Mary's not getting their share of benefits from this organization. They also said that the political wing of CFS which is to lobby for reduced tuition fees, has as its main priority the protection of rights for Gays and Lesbians, and close to the top are getting Canada out of N.A.T.O. and NORAD, and Guerrilla warfare. The delegates did not receive the impression that lower tuition fees with increased quality of education was very important to CFS.

Both Bruce Cooke and Charlie MacArthur are planning to present a proposal to get SMU out of CFS. They also stated that other universities in Nova Scotia are planning the same thing.

More on this topic next week.

Call for changes at the Mount

lashed a women's committee to recommend changes.

Students, faculty, staff and administration also held a general meeting Nov. 12 to make recommendations. The suggestions from both groups will be sent to council.

Marketing society

tended by Dr. Verdat Baydar (Chairman-Marketing Department - St. Mary's) to join him and the society executive for a wine and cheese party at his house.

The society's executive would like to take this opportunity to extend our thanks to Dr. Baydar, the students and faculty who attended the meeting, and Mr. Tom Rath, for taking time out from his busy schedule to speak to our society.

During the Christmas break the executive and interested society

The university claims it cannot spend more for lighting and security. "The university is doing all it can right now. It can't improve

much with the cuts that are happening in government funding," said Ron Glasberg, a faculty member.

members will be busy planning a new schedule for the coming semester. If you have ANY suggestions as to who you would like to have speaking at one of the meetings, or if you have an idea for a social event that you think would appeal to the student population, PLEASE write it down and drop it off at ROOM 513 S.U.B.

Have a safe and happy holiday and we'll see you next semester.

Jerry O'Brien

Sunday at Seven (At Last)

Master of Business Administration

at Saint Mary's University

Saint Mary's University offers a Master of Business Administration program that can be completed on either a full-time or part-time basis. Applications are now being accepted for part-time studies beginning either in May or September 1983, and for full-time studies starting in September 1983.

Individuals interested in learning more about the program and its entrance requirements are advised to write to or telephone the following:

Director of Admissions
Saint Mary's University
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 3C3
429-9780, ext. 107/108

Since all applicants are required to take the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) they should telephone the University as soon as possible.

Editorial

Psychology prof answers unjust criticism - "fleeced" may have been a turkey

Dear Mr. O'Leary:

In the November 25, 1982 issue, *The Journal* published a letter captioned 'Psychology Student "Fleeced"'.

The letter contains serious misrepresentations particularly that passing or failing grades in Psychology 201.0 would be based directly on raw test scores. Students were informed when results were returned that this was not the case and that appropriate grade adjustments were being determined.

The letter dwells at great length on the use of a correction for guessing, a procedure generally accepted as appropriate for multiple-choice tests and regarded as fair given a typical level of test difficulty. The real problem with the test in question, however, was that it proved too difficult for the majority of students; an event which could not be foreseen since new materials are being used in the course this year.

The problem of low test scores was immediately addressed and student input was actively solicited through elected class representatives in each section. Representatives polled student opinion to identify major sources of difficulty and suggest equitable solutions. These suggestions were incorporated in decisions regarding course format and testing procedures.

All of the above information would have been available to you had you contacted myself or Dr.

Rayko prior to publication of the letter in question. I consider it unfortunate, for all concerned, that *The Journal* did not first investigate this issue.

As a final point of information, the proportion of students receiving passing grades in Psychology 201.0 for the first semester is approximately 80 per cent.

Yours truly,

Carol Pye, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor
Department of Psychology

Editor's note: *The Journal* would like to apologize to Dr. Pye if our publishing of the student's letter was construed as any sort of editorial stand. This was not the case. *The Journal* fully realizes that Dr. Pye has been one of the more vigorous members of the faculty in dealing fairly with students. The letter was the opinion of a single student, and one of the main concerns of the *Journal* is to offer students a forum for voicing their opinions. We repeat, however, that the opinions expressed in letters in our newspaper do not necessarily reflect the views of this newspaper. We are pleased to be able to offer Dr. Pye an opportunity to answer the criticisms of the student in our last issue.

Letters . . .

Hello there fellow Santamarians!

Well, as another semester winds down to the punishing crunch, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you the best of luck on the upcoming last minute assignments and final exams.

Time has come for that old saying to hold true: When the going gets tough; the tough get going!

When the panic of exams is through, the Christmas Shopping Fever epidemic will be caught by most of you. I hope that you will take some time out in the weeks ahead and reflect on what has happened to you during the first semester. You probably have rekindled old friendships and sparked some new ones and have felt the warmth of love and friendship.

If you are going home for Christmas, have fun with your friends and family. If you will be away from home this year, don't despair! There will be plenty of your friends in the same boat. So don't feel lonely. Remember that it is the friendships you experience here is what makes this place worthwhile.

However everything cannot be merry. Take a note of caution and please prepare for the second semester. The professors will be at it again with the studies and the Administration will be at it again with their Ledger book.

But don't let this get you down. Your SRC is planning for a super semester that will have the best line of entertainment that this university has ever had and a fantastic Winter Carnival for the last week of January is in the works for all to enjoy.

Alto the Societies are getting into the action and getting involved.

I urge to make yourselves aware of the many activities and to participate in them.

Before all good things come to an end, I again wish you the best of luck on the exams. In the new year, watch for us! We'll be watching out for YOU! Until then, MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR!

**Your President and Friend,
David Hendsbee**

HO! HO! HO!

Just a short note to wish each and every student a very Merry and Happy Christmas. May everyone have a safe journey home and return to passing grades.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Charlie
Vice President S.A.
SMUSA

Well, the first semester is over and for the most part it has been successful. The society grants are finally available, feel free to drop in to pick them up!

Societies are invited to submit requests (budgets) for additional funds by December 10, 1982. The FAC will conduct reviews, once again, during mid December.

I am pleased to announce that the new mailboxes for Societies are in place and ready for use. (at last!) SRC mailouts will now be placed in these boxes and it will be up to the societies to check in from time to time. This also means that societies can use our mailing address!

Enough business, I wish everyone a very MERRY CHRISTMAS and I hope to see many of you around some of the favorite place in town over the break.

MERRY CHRISTMAS ALL!
Jerry C. Staples

FELLOW STUDENTS:

I wish to extend my holiday greetings to each and every one of you. May your holiday season be one of complete joy and happiness. Looking forward to your return for an exciting and fun 1983. Have a safe holiday.

**Drew A. Franklin
SRC Vice-President
Administration**

Bits and Bites

by Chatty Cathy and Co.

*I'm burn-out, tired and depressed
These days I can't even get dressed
Sick of the life and the food
Can't shake off this blue mood
And with this education I'm 'blessed'?*

*The final exam schedule is out
(But that it's CONVENIENT I doubt)
So what's three
(In a day) to me?
They say 'coping' is what SMU's all about!*

*I know my smile will re-appear
Between now and the New Year
But meanwhile I'll sweat
And worry and fret
'Cause exams ALWAYS fill me with fear!*

*Once again (true to library tradition)
There's a free daily noise exhibition
We can't concentrate
Guess my papers can wait
Til the admin stop this aggravating condition!*



**Merry
Christmas
Rachel Jane**

Sorry, Ivano

The Journal would like to apologize to Mr. Andriani for our suggestion that he had called the Editor a commie sympathizer. Apparently that comment was the work of a different political mentor.

*I've only six more papers to write
No problem! (What, me? get uptight?)
I've yet to start one
Let alone get it done!
But once hell freezes over I might!*

*So if you'd much rather chatter than read
And silence and peace you don't need
Elsewhere your mouth take
Give us a break!
There's reason behind the rules you won't heed!*

*Now we've some snow on the ground
Lets hope some salt can be found!
Slipping on ice
Ain't my idea of nice
And soon we'll have lots of it around!*

*Here we wish 'Merry Christmas' to everyone
Make certain your Break's lots of fun
Eat, drink... get some rest!
We wish you all the best
We'll see you in Jan. when it's done!*

Notes on Nothing and Nothingness

by Daniel O'Leary

The sensitive person at a university can probably be said to spend more than half their time dealing with the absolute banality of modern existence. This says nothing against universities. Outside the academic community many would argue that the proportion of banality to meaningfulness is even lower. Since so many intelligent people seem to be of this view it is proper that reasons for this phenomenon be investigated.

Probably the most obvious and clearly identifiable reason for the favouritism shown by the sensitive for the university environment is to be found in the intense atmosphere of scholasticism that enshrouds the place. Despite much publicized rumours of the death of philosophical search for truths, the communities of North American universities pursue the tradition of intense study even in the wake of widespread cutbacks to university education. This study is manifested in the applied sciences, engineering, commerce, and even in the arts.



Another reason for the comfort of the sensitive person is the tolerance shown by students in general for the eccentricities of those sometimes too engrossed in study to observe the accepted norms of our culture. You will seldom have occasion on university campuses to witness the casting of aspersions of the characters of those perhaps given to irregularities of dress or behavior. Perhaps this fact can be traced directly to the general respect for the arts shown by the students of any Western university.

This cultural richness obviously finds expression in an immense regard for the artist and scholar. It is recognized by students that not everyone can aspire to scholastic greatness. There is not always the intellectual capacity for it. But in no instance does this lead the student body to any sort of contempt for the learned. And thank god for that.

In a sense, this cultured tolerance is the single most important element in the maintenance of an atmosphere conducive to any sort

of worthwhile learning. It has often been said that North American students are among the most tolerant on this side of the Atlantic. It (tolerance, that is) leaks from the walls of our institutions. It drips from the ceilings of our classrooms. It sings in the air of our campuses. Tolerance. That noble word of no insidious intent.

So, what besides this wonderful tolerance is behind the warm breath of air allowed the sensitive at universities? There must also be mentioned the clear definition of priorities at our institutions of learning. In no case does worry for future vocation ever turn a student's mind from the much more important goal of learning a means of living a more complete life. Even to the commerce student the goal of making society better comes before thought of joining the race for purely base capital profit. We are creating a generation of businessmen with consciences directed towards the collective good. In this the universities have proven the justice of removing commerce studies from

Attention Part-Time Students

The part-time student population is becoming a sufficient sector within the whole student body.

The only difference between a full-time and a part-time student is their course workload. Part-time students are subject to the same rules and regulations as the full-time students. However, some of the problems faced by the part-timers will seem mundane and trivial to some full-time students.

Therefore, a step in the right direction then is to recognize the need for a part-time student association.

The task of getting a part-time student association formed varies

in difficulty depending on the amount of support there is in the university community for the idea—but it can be done by a very small number of concerned individuals. Remember, it is not necessary to have a large number of people involved in establishing a part-time student association. And in fact that is one of the reasons they need a part-time student association to look out for their interests in the university for they maybe to busy with jobs, homes, families, or other commitments and studies to do it themselves.

But, a part-time student organization is necessary to get the

part-time student together and have their problems solved. Since part-time and full-time undergraduates do receive the same piece of paper at graduation, we should accept the identification of a part-time student association and only then will the equality of accessibility to post-secondary education will become a reality for ALL students.

from a fellow part-timer,

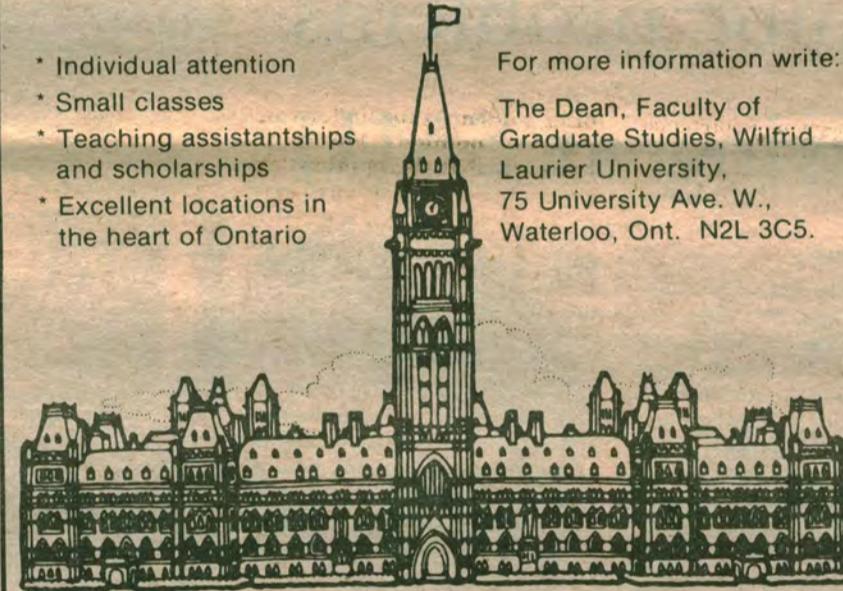
David Hendsbee
SRC President

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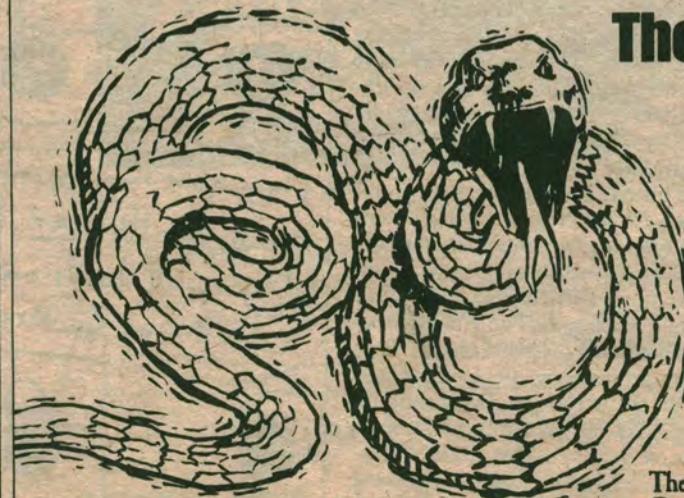
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YUKON JACK ATTACK #1.



The Snake Bite.

Release 2 fluid ounces of Yukon Jack, a dash of juice from an unsuspecting lime, tumble them over ice and you'll have skinned the Snake Bite. Inspired in the wild, midst the damnable cold, this, the blacksheep of Canadian liquors, is Yukon Jack.



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CFS - "Political beast out of control"

by Joe Osborne

The SMU delegates are back from the Canadian Federation of Students (CFS) national conference in Victoria, B.C. with one big thought on their minds - let's get out of CFS.

The Journal talked to both Saint Mary's delegates, Charlie MacArthur, V.P. Student Affairs, and Bruce Cooke, Arts Rep. about their findings in B.C. What they found were problems.

When Saint Mary's joined CFS a few years ago, the main selling point was to help form a national student organization that would lobby for lower tuition fees and increased quality of education. In a province with the second highest fees in Canada, this objective is very important. However, CFS does not appear to have lived up to this objective.

The problems with CFS first started long before the conference began. CFS is to provide the Atlantic universities with a field worker to help organize and co-ordinate the operations in this area. In the last seven months, we have had a

field worker for only five weeks. This forced the Atlantic universities to fight the student aid issue this summer entirely on their own.

The hiring of the field worker is another source of aggravation. The field worker that was eventually hired for all the Atlantic universities was done so without input from any Nova Scotia Universities.

There are more problems stemming from the fact that the Central Committee (C.C.) of the CFS has been blatantly ignoring directives given it from national conferences attended by member organizations.

At the last CFS conference in



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Charlottetown, the collective universities gave a directive to the Central Committee to hire an interpreter. This would allow present Francophone and bilingual universities easier access to information, plus encourage non-Anglophone universities to join CFS. Instead, the Central Committee hired a researcher.

CFS is also trying to influence SUNS by forcing congruent membership in CFS for all Nova Scotia universities joining SUNS that have not already done so.

So when our delegates attended the national conference, they were objectively looking for answers to these problems. Instead, they found even more problems.

The reason why CFS did not receive their funds from SMU was because there was \$121,000 in the CFS-Services branch of the organization that was not accounted for. When the delegates asked for some audited statements from David Jones, who is head of this wing, they were put off until Thursday afternoon. This gave them only few hours to examine the statements before the evening encounter.

Earlier in the week, SUNS went to the Central Committee to ask them to come to the floor to answer questions. The C.C. debated as to whether they should show up for what they termed a "grill session". Once on the floor, the answers given were not very good.

In a separate meeting between SUNS and CFS to discuss the problems SUNS was having with the national organization, the Central Committee gave mostly "political answers". Charlie MacArthur told us that the Central Committee didn't realize until the day before the conference ended that SUNS were really dissatisfied to the point



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of pulling out.

When asked why Saint Mary's joined the organization, Charlie had this to say, "When Mike MacNeil (then president of the SRC) ran the campaign to be first (in CFS), he led us in blindly without knowing the repercussions. He devoted so much to the external cause that he lost sight of the Saint Mary's students who are the most important. So I think we should put back into perspective that which is the most important. It's obvious it's the Saint Mary's student."

Bruce Cooke added that "I feel we got sucked in by Mike MacNeil."

And what should be the objectives of a national student organization? Charlie said, "1. To insure that each and every student who wants to go to University will not be prevented by financial constraints. 2. To insure the quality of education is maintained."

Bruce Cooke felt that these basic objectives were not being handled properly, especially when the CFS has as its main priorities to get Canada out of N.A.T.O. and N.O.R.A.D.

Liquor problems brewing at SMU

by Joe Osborne

It has been brought to the attention of the Journal that there is a problem with the attitude of the NSLC (Nova Scotia Liquor Commission) towards the students.

At the last Liquor Board of Governors meeting, the chairman, Keith Hotchkiss, told those present that he had had a meeting with a NSLC representative. It was expressed by the NSLC that there was too much drinking on Campus, and that the NSLC would be watching liquor operations more closely.

Doug McIntosh, Head of Liquor Services on this campus, has a few problems with this. Doug believes that while students are here at St. Mary's, this is their home. So if the students are of age and want to drink, they may as well have it here on Campus instead of downtown.

Doug also feels that if you are a student, working, or on UIC you have a right to drink as much as you want if you are of age. He is indignant, especially as the NSLC would not tell some establishment downtown to close operations due to excessive sales.

The NSLC have been examining the liquor orders from this university and are basing their assumptions on this. As Doug pointed out, these are total sales only, and are not broken down into sales to the students, alumni, faculty, and the guests of the above. Doug is sure that if the total sales figure were based on a per capita basis, the picture would be different.

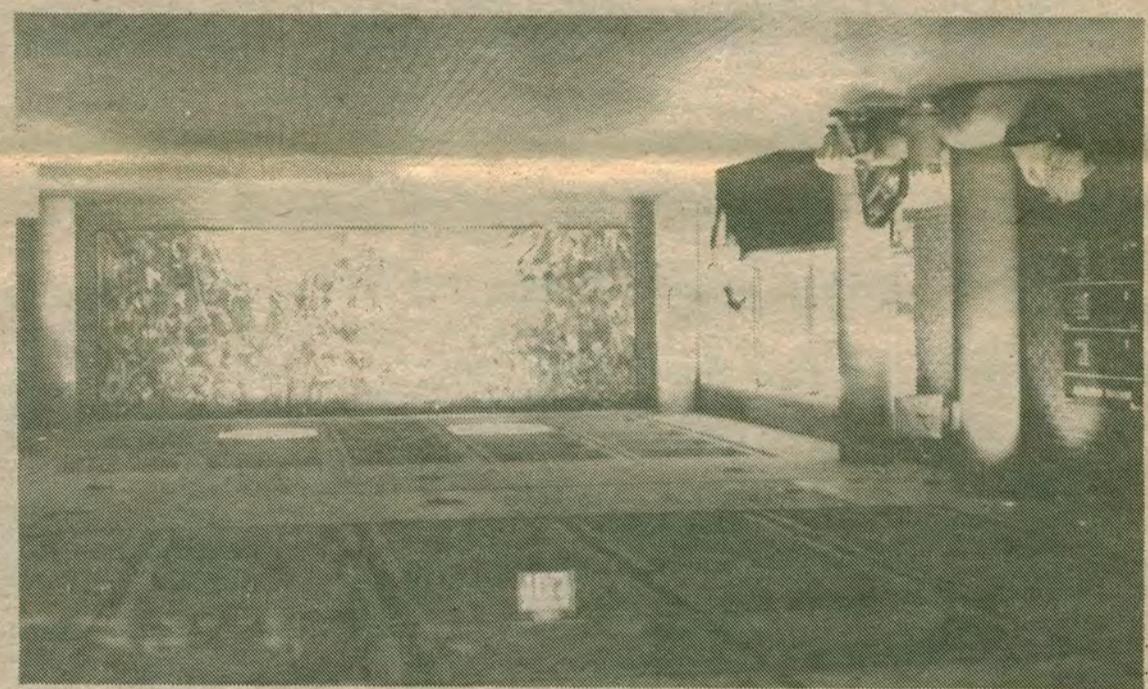
Excessive liquor sales would seem to be next to impossible here on Campus, as the lounge seats only 112 with a 150 capacity, and the usual bashes only accommo-

date a quarter of the student body. Bashes occur on the average of two per month.

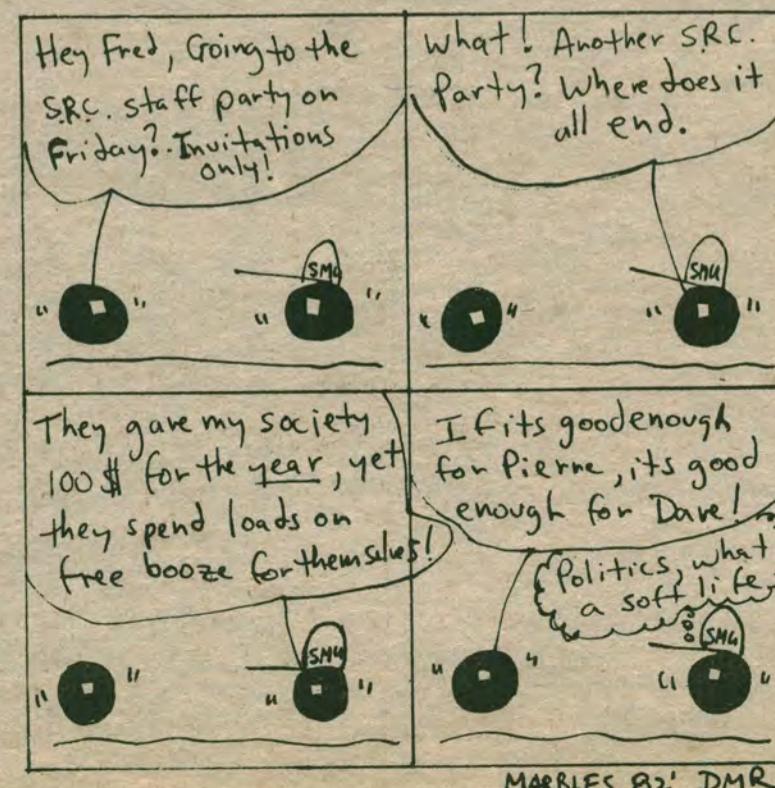
Doug has been in the liquor business for thirteen years, six of which as manager. In his experience the students' liquor consumption on this campus is low. He sees no problem with operations here as Saint Mary's has its own police force, and if a student lives in residence and does get a little drunk, he is only a short walk from home, as opposed to being downtown where he may be tempted to drive back to residence.

Doug is especially "ticked off" as he takes great pride in his work and firmly believes in trying to give the students the best deals possible. To this end, the prices asked by liquor services are among the lowest in the Maritimes, and the profit margin is definitely the lowest at 12%. Doug has been here for two years now during which he has turned liquor operations around. The year before he started, this department lost \$35,000.00. The year he started, a profit of \$47,000 was turned in, \$35,000 of which was used to wipe out the old deficit, and \$12,000 to fund other SRC operations.

This has not been the first problem with the NSLC. Last summer the SRC was to operate a beer garden in the arena according to an agreement with the Pan Am Games people during the Pan Am Games. Unfortunately, Dick Loiselle, Pan Am representative in charge forgot to get the licence. So Doug went to the NSLC as the SRC representative, to get their own licence. The NSLC refused his application, stating that they did not like doing business with university student councils or their representatives.



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by Joe Osborne

Once again the Patrick Power Library has extended their hours of operations to accommodate the frantic needs of us students during exam time.

This practice was started in the past, but due to irregular use by students, the hours have been re-adjusted several times to the present schedule. But stats are being kept, so if there is a heavy demand for this service, the hours may be adjusted again for the Spring exams.

The staff informs me that the library is always in constant use due to the increased enrollment. So if you want a seat, make sure you arrive good 'n early.

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National News

CFS splits over Moncton issue

OTTAWA (CUP) — Canadian Federation of Students staff workers are anxiously awaiting signs that an unexpected break will heal wounds created by a bitter split at their recent conference.

Delegates meeting in Victoria Nov. 8 to 13 for CFS's semi-annual conference voted against giving

\$500 towards legal costs for students charged in an eight-day occupation of the Université de Moncton administration building in April. Riot gear-equipped police broke up the occupation at 4:00 a.m. Easter Sunday.

A month later, the U de M delegation stole the show at CFS's

Charlottetown conference. Delegates gave them a standing ovation and promised support. Brenda Coté, one of the occupation leaders, was elected CFS chair.

But a lot can change in six months.

The U de M students received little support outside the Atlantic

and Pacific regions of CFS. The CFS executive blamed this on the occupation's "complex nature".

And the motion to give \$500 to the Moncton Students' Defence Fund was rejected after treasurer Steve Quigley said CFS should not spend unbudgeted money.

Quigley successfully argued that although CFS should support the U de M occupiers, the federation must be financially responsible. He said CFS should ask its members, many of whom have more money than CFS, to donate to the defense fund.



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KIRBY A. - for the A.S.A. to be able to kick the F.A.C. in the A.S.S.	BRIAN S. - a sexton scholar	MARJORIE H. - to meet and sing with Stevie Nicks	MIKE Y. - to win a Bruce Springsteen look-alike contest
CAROL S. - to win a million and quit all my jobs	SANDY B. - to learn how to win gracefully at anything	CORINE G. - for a 3.0 average	STATIA E. - a motorcycle to sing from
BRENDA Mac. - to be able to sit down in the pub and count on the chair being there so she won't fall on the floor	TIM - to not be called Ted, Dad or Radar	FAZAL - a good bath	CHRISTINE S. - a Bus for SMU
WAYNE C. - Bo Derek	JOE Ch. - a Blue Stratos gift pack	JAYNE M. - a princess phone to match her bedspread, plus a 26 hour day so she can get an extra two hours sleep every day	MIKE S. - a sandbox
STEVE W. - a wife that talks less in psychology class	EDNA W. - a book on 'How to win at Caps'	TOM - to remember the magic words that will make him reappear	RON L. - a pair of handcuffs
MIKE M. - a little respect	ROB M. - pizza delivery in the weight room	STEPHEN S. - underwear with little alligators on it	MARY K. - a fake I.D.
KATHY D. - many and longer vacations for Pat	MARK HÜ - his own army	CHARLIE MacC. - a collar and leash for his little sister	DARREN McG. - someone who'll say yes
RON S. - a Z-28	SUE F. - something tall, built and charming... sense of humor mandatory	DALE R. - a barber and a new pair of jeans	DOUG MacI. - his own liquor license
DENISE D. - to be 5 feet tall, and in the meantime to be called her nick-name, "Inch"	DAPHNE MacN. - to make it to Heaven or Hell	LEIGH D. - to go to heaven on a cloud of smoke	JAMIE C. - a trip home with Beth
DR. HALLETT - one honest-to-God intellectual student	MARY ANNE D. - a years supply of Chiquita Bananas plus to learn how to lose Monopoly gracefully	LESLIE - a guy about 5½ feet tall	JERRY P. - enough Yukon Jack to make it through the night
MARIO LISI - breakfast at MacDonalds	DAN P. - to get wasted	GREG T. - a case of chocolate chip cookies	SUE M. - a marijuana grove
SUSAN T. - a direct line to Acadia (and David)	SHEILAGH B. - something nice and big and strong and wrapped in a Huskies' jersey	MARIE U. - another date with Bob	RONDELL - a cushy job and a warm hat
RACHEL JANE - her own secretary and answering service	DIP S. - to win a mind game	TINA D. - to be drafted by the Saint Mary's Hockey Huskies	HOWARD R. - a typewriter that works
SHERRON A. - the only thing she REALLY wants is a year's free means from SAGA	VALERIE S. - a year's supply of hamburgers	RITA R. - for the whole world to turn 'Crunchie'	CHIMO - a new name... "ARF!"
FRENCHIE - a Caribbean Cruise with his Special Someone	D-4th - for all to have a very Merry Christmas	CHRYSTAL C. - a new pair of socks, a new cooking pot and don't forget the apron	STEPHEN B. - a parking spot in Saint John
DAVE F. - wants Diane Flemming	CHRISTOPHER B.C. III - singing lessons and a date with the cuckoo	BRAD - his own key to Dave's room	PAT A. - to have people start calling her Tricia or Patricia, not Pat
DIANNE F. - wants a visit from Tom	DENISE T. - an entire day in Smurfland	RAY MacG. - to get wasted with Dan	THERESE BRENNEN - fewer forms, fewer freshmen
NELDA R. - a man, and I mean a REAL man!	CYNTHIA O. - a music dept. at SMU	SANDRA W. - a new dust rag and to see her favorite person in a biology textbook	STEVE M. - manpower for the Maroon and White Club
TROY L. - wants Brooke Shields	VINCENT A. - a telephone answering service	MIKE M. - a decade at SMU	SAM KD% B. - Suzanne
SANDRA M. - a field hockey stick 4½ feet long	GLEN B. - a "What's Your Hurry, Darling?" record	PAUL - to own a Chinese restaurant	JOHN P. - a trip to California in the Spring
BARB H. - more than one part-time job	JEFF W. - T.V. Privileges	KEITH H. - less hassles, more money	STEPHEN M. - 3 quarts of tequila
KEVIN Y. - 'Eye in the Sky'	PETE L. and KEVIN W. - a life subscription to Eek and Meek comic Books	JOANNE B. - a million dollars... no, make that a few million	ANNELIE V. - assertiveness lessons
PROF. ELKHAZIN - fewer Andrew Millers	GEORGE M. - a bed on C 4th	IVANO A. - a guaranteed job after graduation	SUSAN D. - a C.A. Trainee for a boyfriend
COACH BYRNE - more young, clean-cut, untried rookies	CHRIS T. - two keys to his room	ELAINE C. - a nose job	STEVE K. - experience (?)
DR. OZMON - two dobermans to guard his daughter	DARRYL B. - two skin books and two packs of cigarettes	MARILYN C. - an endless paid vacation with the person of my choice	LEONARD McN. - to personally kiss the feet of the Edmonton Eskimos
IRA - an autographed picture of Dave Jones	STAN D. - a completed computer assignment	PROF. WHALEN - one sensitive poetry student who know what they're talking about	WAYNE Z. - a female adaptor for his stereo
JOHN - to learn how to make good smoked fish	HAYDN B. - a private mailman	DAVE P. - Low Rise... ALL of Low Rise	DAVE S. - one bad habit
KAREN H. - wishes for the snow	DALE McC. - pink shoes	JUDY C. - respectful cashiers	IAN L. - one gallon of 'Glow'
MITZI O. - a six foot blonde with glasses	IAN M. - a larger bulletin board for messages	ROB L. - a coat of paint for the girl's car in the SUB	ELDON B. - something over 15 years and 4½ feet
DARLENE W. - non-stop TEXAS	WILLIAM W. - a matching earring	HEATHER L. - to pirouette perfectly just once	IAN C. - a "George" grow light
RENE - to sleep during the night for a change	PAUL B. - a new suite	MARGIE K. - for a date with Tom Sellick without his moustache	BOB G. - to beat the floor just once in backgammon
KAREN N. - to have SMU admit they have an archaeology society	DAVE K. - a punching bag	MARTIN - to parachute from his window	BILL W. - one good habit
DONNY S. - for fewer moochers in the world and more genuine friends	STEVE S. - a disco dance lesson	MARYBETH A. - a hockey player with all his teeth and a wicker store	STEVE P. - one pair of Mickey Mouse platform socks
MARK L. - the Lamborghini from Cannonball Run with the two girls in it	ROB G. - "Christmas, I mean, really, who gives a damn?"	DARREL J. - a box to keep his harem in	GORDON R. - to have his sight restored
DAVE G. - to be a typewriter salesman	MIKE J. - a round trip ticket to C.B.	DIANE LeB. - to spend a lovely Christmas at home and to hopefully find someone wrapped in Saran-Wrap under her tree	TIM M. - to have a voice on the floor
DIANE S. - for work to become non-existent	CRAIG Y. - donated Vette by the Valley		NERT - to move to Low Rise for second term
CAROL W. - to survive her 19th year without a hangover or a headache	ROB B. - Pittsburg Pirates T-Shirt		DERRICK - a new atlas
	JAMES C. - the combination to the lounge		DWAYNE O. - a silencer for his stereo
	NANCY P. - a Christmas Journal that was first planned in August.		SEDIK A. - his M-16 papers
	Kevin - to have what Rolf's got		LAWRENCE N. - an air conditioner
			STEVE F. - to be hooked into Lawrence's air-conditioner
			TERRENCE B. - a new roommate
			HUAN B. - a big salad bowl, preferably a satellite dish



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ALINE C. - that everyone could speak French
MARK H. - his telephone number published in the Journal every week
JACK K. - a full moustache - SOON!
TED - a wife
CHRIS MacK. - Ted's new wife
CHARLES C. - an eraser for astro-turf graffiti
RICK P. - to never have to analyze another poem
DARLENE T. - seven inches
DAVE W. - monogamy
JOHN A. - a real gavel
KRISTA J. - no article on poor service in the Pub
KATHLEEN C. - a life membership to the Split Crow
JOHN K. - a full length fur coat and a silver Ferrari
ERNIE L. - legalize marijuana
JOHNNY Mac. - nothing ... he already got his present
MIKE K. - a manual on "How to put together Rich Fairley's stereo"
DAVID S. - to be called by my name and not 'Donny Smart's little brother'
JIMMY - a year's supply of SAGA coupons and his own table in the SUB cafe
PAUL A. - 6 inches of fresh powder on the slopes
TONY V. - his driver's license and some Grand Marnier Truffles
ELAINE C. - all she wants is a pass in O.T.
EDDIE W. - "SLEEP!"
TIM McI. - to get out of Martha's doghouse
BRIAN M. - to never again be mistaken for a salad
MARK S. - his own personal pass-out room
RICK M. - exposure in National Lampoon
BRIAN L. - a live-in bodyguard
JIM Q. - a new dictionary with fewer words
ROB V. - Bobbie wants recognition and fame
MIKE E. - a new bow tie
DOREEN M. - a man who is accountable for tax relief
KEVIN B. - to meet a girl along the way
OWEN MacD. - a new wave haircut
DARLENE L. - a Break
FRANZ - insight into the theories of relativity and Modern Art
Rolf - some saltpeter and a bigger pair of pants
KAREN G. - a year's supply of beer labels

COACH HEALD - to have Kappos possess the body of one of his rookies
GERRY - a "Purdy" drink - rum mixed with Geritol
DONNA M. - a new ring for a new boyfriend
ALAN C. - to announce his engagement to Carol Bond
GLENDY - a 5'9" guy with dark hair under her tree
LYNN M. - mail every day
STEPHANIE F. - to be able to register in four more classes just like calculus
SCUFF - to find the right woman and get married
DAVE P. - a night out with a roast pork dinner
COACH KEITH - Jane Fonda's workout book
GLEN H. - to go back to the 8th floor
JULIE K. - a pair of polka-dot, glow in the dark gloves so she can knit in the dark
SALLY D. - her mother's cooking
TRUDY A. - to have her name changed to "Gertie" and to date the football team, have a week with the basketball team and a year with the soccer team, but if none of this is possible she'll settle for a room on the 6th floor (a double, that is!)
FRANK - to need a shave
PAT L. - an office that ISN'T off of the SUB Lobby
DAVE H. - a year's supply of whatever's cold
DAN O'L. - a staff who say, "yes, Dan, you're right" ... even just ONCE!
RICHARD F. - a black moustache, lost somewhere around Halloween
STEVE - something he can call a volleyball team
SARAH S. - her own Christopher B. Carrington III to sing her to sleep
KAREN S. - for everyone to show up at a floor meeting ... just once
CHERRY K. - a whole bunch of little peaches
HEATHER E. - wants the long-lost Dominican sun
DENISE - to go to Bermuda with someone special
COLIN - equal wages with the Canadian Postal Workers
DAVE M. - a moustache
COACH CASTONGUAY - a winning team... ANY winning team
VAL J. - to pay off my Mastercharge
JERRY S. - a comb for his moustache
HEW - a rum and coke leaner instead of vodka and orange
COSTA - A sporty car to fit his image
CHRISTIE F. - parties and men... in that order

LARRY B. - a blonde with a red bow in a Lamborghini
KAREN MacK. - basketball shoes that fit
GERMAINE H. - to have her bedroom stay out of the fire escape (along with her wardrobe and other personal belongings)
ODDETTE C. - a 2 year's supply of junk food
COACH CLEMENTS - to balance the cash ... just once!
DORIS C. - a warmer climate
DAVE B. - a rock
CHRISTINE W. - to be able to know all of a sweater for Christmas
ALLISON McP. - no more P and C projects
FRED C. - to never have to operate a cash register again
ANGIE - straight A's
KAREN G. - Tom in Charlottetown for Christmas
GEOFF L. - an army of obedient peons... ready, willing and able
MIKE P. - to have coach Byrne sing to him... "Hit me with your best shot"
PEGGY B. - a paid shopping spree in Fairweather - and the liquor store
BRUCE C. - something old, beat-up and scruffy
JOHN K. - a pro draft and a new pinky
KALI MacC. - spend a decade discovering the man of her dreams
JOANNE E. - a 48 hour day; 12 hours for work, 12 hours for sleep, and 24 for FUN!
JUNE F. - an American Terrorist to show her how to blow up SAGA
CHUCK - a bunkbed for Andrew
PETE - a smaller room and a lower toilet
LYNN D. - a 1st class paid trip to Toronto
SHAKIL R. - a Rubber Man with a beard
JULIE T. - wants to be the winner or first runner-up in the 2nd Annual tequila Dance Contest.
SUSAN MacC. - a TV that is permanently tuned to TEXAS and EIGHT IS ENOUGH
JOE O. - ankle weights for windy days
TINY - "Nothing - I was a bad boy"
RENZO - Mattel's new cement Lego block set
DEBBIE M. - a new sewing machine... and a lock for my door
TED H. - a close hug and a sincere smile
GORDIE S. - to be molested by Lee Aron
BILL A. - a drycleaned C.P. jacket
DREW F. - a navy pinstripe suit, trenchcoat and briefcase
DONNY G. - a bigger car with a real heater

KEVIN - snow tires for his ten-speed

GLORIA N. - wants an everlasting perm so she can stop curling her hair... if not, she'll settle for a cultured man

DR. KATZ - fewer neurotic English Majors

KEN H. - cars, money, and beautiful women... not necessarily in that order

DARLENE J. - a balcony added to her broom closet - a dishwasher would also be appreciated.

BRENT MacK. - a Rubber Doll

MARIBETH G. - twenty copies of the Preppy Handbook

MARY LOU - to listen and read but never have to write papers

LEE D. - to create some school spirit at Saint Mary's

KATHY Dec. - a new management Prof.

HEIDI F. - to see far more laughter and fewer frowns - a happier world

OWEN McI. - a good summer job

DR. PYE - a class average higher than 14.2

LUCIANO L. - an all-expense paid trip to Italy

MARK L. - a cherring section

BRIAN R. - to have all the "comforts" of home

FESTIVE FOOD

by Nancy Plant

The Christmas Season is a time for special friends, food and drink. Here are a couple of easy, relatively inexpensive recipes that make terrific ideas for gifts or parties! One sweet found everywhere in the Maritimes at Christmas is Shortbread, or 'Scotch' cakes. They are quick and fairly easy to make, even for 'burnt-out' university students!

Cream one cup butter and 1/4 cups brown sugar. Beat in 2 cups of flour, a dash of salt, 1 tsp. of vanilla & 1 tsp. of almond extract. Pat the dough out to 1/4", and cut out into 1/2 inch squares or circles (do not use a rolling pin, use your hand). Decorate the cakes with pieces of marichino cherry, and bake in a 325° oven for 20-25 minutes (until pale gold, not brown). This recipe also works really well doubled.

Another more 'spirited' treat for the Holidays is home-made Tia Maria. The only drawback is you have to get your hands on 25 oz. of Alcool, but once you do, this tastes just like the original.

In a heavy 2-quart saucepan, mix 3 cups of brown sugar, 1 cup white sugar, 1 1/2 cups water, 1 tsp. vanilla, and 2 heaping tablespoons of coffee. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Then let the mixture cool (til you can put your hand on the bottom of the pot) and add the alcool and some orange bitters. Pour in bottles, add a bow and you've got some special homemade gifts... or, pour in bottles and start making brown cows!

Merry Christmas

LITERARY PERCEP'TJORS

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Science Fiction-An Analysis Of An Aesthetic

by David L.W. Pitt

What is the most important scientific issue in the news today? Nuclear war? Cloning? Robotics? The space program? Actually, it doesn't matter; the point is, science today occupies a large amount of our attention.

It is not commonly known that without science fiction all of the above would probably still be no more than possibilities. Single-handedly, Jules Verne started people thinking seriously about reaching the moon; and Georges Méliès, in 1902, showed it to us in the first science fiction film ever made. Isaac Asimov removed from robots the common associations with Frankenstein monsters, showing that they could be helpful, friendly companions. Various writers, including Aldous Huxley (in *Brave New World*), practically invented cloning. And nuclear war, in one form or another, was in the minds of fictioneers long before we had the capability to destroy ourselves.

With all this, people will still point to a *Star Wars* or a *Buck Rogers* with an accusing finger

and say, "That's science fiction." If that is their criterion for science fiction, no wonder they say it is worthless.

I am about to do a foolish thing: I am about to try to convince people that *Star Wars* is not science fiction. It is nothing more than infantile fantasy popularly known as sci-fi, and it has no place on a list of sf films.

Science fiction, as opposed to sci-fi, is a viable mode of expression. Critics who call *Star Wars* science fiction display an alarming lack of knowledge of thought, and anyone who sets out to discuss science fiction and begins with "Look at *Star Wars*—" had better take another look at the merchandise.

The minds of the public are being corrupted by sci-fi. "Robot" has come to mean a cute vacuum cleaner or an English suit of armour. "Spaceship" now means something that zips along at several times the speed of light flashing green or red rays at another spaceship. I pity a society that tries to expand technologically under these conditions.

So this is my foolish task — to try to convince people that they can dislike *Star Wars* and like science fiction.

The problem is simple: lack of thought. Casual viewers and so-called professional critics alike, people see a few cute robots, a couple of lasers and starships, and say, "Aha, science fiction." Bullshit. Robot + laser + starship = science fiction as much as cowboy + sixshooter + horse = western.

Blazing Saddles had cowboys and sixshooters and horses, but it is not a western. It wears western clothing, but it is a comedy, whose jokes and plot are timeless.

The trouble with lack of thought is that it tends to lead to rank stupidity, as displayed by anyone who compares *Star Wars* to, say, *2001*. That's like comparing *Blazing Saddles* to *High Noon*, or a MacDonalds meal to a gourmet dinner.

First, the most common comparison: special effects. *2001* is boring, most people will say. Wrong. *2001* is realistic, and if realism bores you that's your problem. *Star Wars* has ships executing barrel-rolls, right-angle turns, and other assorted impossibilities. At those speeds, none of this is realistic or believable. For anyone who knows anything about the subject, *Star Wars*'s special effects are infinitely inferior to the painstaking care Kubrick's display.

Critics say *Star Wars* isn't supposed to be totally realistic, though. Granted; but does it have to be absurd?

Dialogue. *2001* hardly has any, the critics say. At least it has some: in *Star Wars* words tumble out of mouths, he talks, then she talks, then he talks, but nobody actually converses. On the other hand, someone who's paying attention doesn't need any dialogue to understand *2001*. What conversation is present is well-written, well-acted, and informative.

Plot. *Star Wars*: Naive boy and aged warrior join forces with cute sidekicks to rescue plucky princess from evil dark lord. Originality just seeps out, doesn't it? I've only seen that plot ten or twelve times, as a pirate movie or a detective story or a western or a . . .

If you want to criticize science fiction, fine; but first, know what the hell you're talking about.

Comparing *Star Wars* to *2001* — forcing one to be "better" than the other — will lead either to a better understanding of science fiction or a worse one. With the simple-minded com-

parisons critics today make, we can only gain a worse understanding.

This is what I'm going to do. I'm going to try to compare *Star Wars* and *2001*, and in doing so I hope to convince people just how ludicrous it is to refer to them both as "science fiction." I rate my chances of success as slim, because what years of criticism have done, one article cannot undo.

There are those who claim that since *Star Wars* made the most money of any film in motion picture history, it must therefore be the best science fiction film ever made. If this is how you think, there is no hope for you. I am speaking to people with at least a little insight.

Can we all agree that the old *Flash Gordon* serials were aimed at the Saturday-afternoon kiddies? I think we can. Listen, then, to George Lucas, creator-writer-director of *Star Wars*: "I wanted to make an action movie — a movie in outer space like *Flash Gordon* used to be."

Now listen to Stanley Kubrick, creator-director of *2001*: "I intended the film to be an intensely subjective experience that reaches the viewer at an inner level of consciousness, like music does."

How can you possibly compare an overblown movie serial to a philosophical concept?

Most critics answer this by saying it is product, not intent, they are comparing. Let's do that.

2001's plot: Monolith appears and guides development from ape to human; millennia later it appears again and guides development from human to something beyond. We'll never see that again; for one thing, it can only work as an sf film; for another, anyone trying to do it again would be accused of plagiarism.

Nobody minds seeing *Star Wars* again and again, be it as a western or as a pirate movie: it is mindless trivia, intended only to occupy our attention for a couple of hours. Content is unimportant; lots of flashing lights and stereotyped characters will suffice. *2001* is a highly original, highly crafted work. It demands thought of the viewer, which is something most people seem unwilling to invest (could be because they have so little to spare?).

Sci-fi (*Star Wars*) brings us tried-and-true plots, throws in a lot of flashy hardware, and garnishes us with liberal amounts of cliché. SF (*2001*) takes original concepts and presents them in the only form possible. There is very little real science fiction around.

If you're tempted to point at *Star Wars* and claim to hate science fiction, you probably have no idea what you're talking about. I don't mind if you hate *Star Wars*; in fact, I applaud you. Just don't confuse it with the real thing.

Most requested books for the week of November 14 to November 20 at the Dartmouth Regional Library.

FICTION

1. PRODIGAL DAUGHTER — Jeffrey Archer
2. MASTER OF THE GAME — Sidney Sheldon
3. CLOAK OF DARKNESS — Helen MacInnes
4. MAN FROM ST. PETERSBURG — Ken Follett
5. THE BANKER — Dick Francis
6. THE PARISIAL MOSAIC — Robert Ludlum
7. CROSSINGS — Danielle Steele
8. TOUCH THE DEVIL — Jack Higgins
9. CINNAMON SKIN — John D. MacDonald
10. TILLY TROTTER ALONE — Catherine Cookson

NON-FICTION

1. JANE FONDA'S WORKOUT BOOK — Jane Fonda (613.7C)
2. THE OTHER MRS. DIEFENBAKER — Simma Holt (921D)
3. PRINCESS — Robert Lacey (921D)
4. PRINCESS MARGARET/A LIFE UNFULFILLED — Nigel Dempster
5. THE DARK BROAD SEA — Jeffrey Brock (921Brock)
6. LIVING, LOVING AND LEARNING — Leo Buscaglia (158.2B)
7. BETTE/THE LIFE OF BETTE DAVIS — Charles Higman (921D)
8. START WITH \$1,000 — Brown & Akerman (332.6B)
9. THE UMPIRE STRIKES BACK — Ron Luciano (796.357L)
10. HOLY BLOOD, HOLY GRAIL — Bargent, Leigh, Lincoln (001.94B)

UP AND COMING TITLES

- HELOISE — Anne Hebert
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Entertainment

Bootleg records and the liberation of the underground avant-garde

by Brian Livingstone

The scene is the Roxy Theatre in Los Angeles, California, the date is July the seventh, 1978. Bruce Springsteen steps up to the mike to begin the second half of his concert and shouts, "Bootleggers! Roll your tapes!" He did not speak in a tone of disapproval.

The scene is the Winterland Coliseum in San Francisco, Calif. The date is December the fifteenth, 1978. Bruce Springsteen is about to begin a song about his hometown. He says: "this song is for everybody back home in Asbury Park who I'm sure will hear this someday through the magic of bootlegging." He did not speak in a tone of disapproval.

The scene is the Los Angeles Music Center, the date is February first, 1971. Neil Young toys with his audience during one of his solo performances. "... Wooden Nickel (a Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young bootleg record) never heard of it. (laughter from audience) That's a capitalist rip-off (more laughter and applause)." He did not speak in a tone of disapproval.

Bob Dylan told one interviewer that he could not be expected to look at every commercial release as his "best" work since there are at least 150 Dylan boots to be found, and some of his greatest material is on these albums.

For many people, the fact that these artists, some of the most prominent and most bootlegged, do not shun the illicit recordings is in a sense an approval of the recordings in light of the fact that they themselves are governed by capitalists destined to suck the last buck from the record buying public.

Not everyone feels they have the right to these recordings. I am not trying to disillusion these people or convince them to purchase these albums. I admire your staunch belief in the law and am sure you would make a fantastic banker or department store manager.

But to the fan who really listens to the music, the bootlegs are more than a supplement to the commercial releases. They are an essential,

necessary to the ultimate understanding and appreciation of the artist. This is the kind of thing Dylan has alluded to in interviews.

The argument that bootlegs are exploiting the artist is absurd. The people that are buying these, often incredibly lousy sound quality records, are the same people devoted enough to buy the commercial releases and buy the concert tickets thereby putting the artist in a position of extreme wealth. For these artists to turn around and say they are being exploited and losing money is not only very hypocritical but is probably caused by plain greed and unfairness. The artist should be proud and confident that even his sound checks are being hailed by the underground listener.

There is no question that the middleman, the people responsible for turning out bootlegs are getting quite a bit for nothing. But who's to say a little capitalism here and there is really that bad? As a matter of fact, the vast majority of bootleggers are lucky to break even financially from their efforts.

Most of the bootleggers can respect their customers as being people willing to pay reasonably for a quality product.

One such person who recently had his home raided and his music business confiscated by the F.B.I. and the R.I.A.A. summed up this argument in his catalogue listing a John Lennon radio interview. "This final interview is priced with no profit involved beyond the cost of copying and processing the two blank tapes used. My reason: so that more of you, especially you who were too young during the '60's, may more fully appreciate the beauty of this man who has made a lasting and positive contribution to humanity."

Perhaps the record industry could learn a lesson from these "parasites". They could start by releasing more quality products. It may be that some are too esoteric to receive top ten billing but they may be necessary to fill in the gaps of an artists' career.

The purchasers of these rare records (bootleg is an incriminating

term) come from all parts of our society. More often than not, they are respectable community members who cannot get enough of their favourite artist. One such person, a Dal student who has wished to remain anonymous, told the Journal: "I had heard Springsteen's commercial albums but until I had a chance to hear him live (on the bootlegs) I couldn't fully appreciate his genius. Since then, I have purchased all of Springsteen's albums as well as many bootlegs."

The question of where these rare records can be purchased is difficult to answer in a city such as Halifax. It is virtually impossible to obtain these recordings unless you have friends who can locate them for you.

The fact that these records are so rare makes it rather chic to own them but again, prices rise in ridiculous amounts every time one source dries up or a greedy dealer realizes what some people will pay.

As Dylanologist A.J. Weberman said in raking Dylan over the coals, "You're just a Capitalist! That's all! Instead of producing guns or planes you're producing records. That means when you've got a million f***** dollars there's people out there who don't have it. Dylan's reply: "What's that go to do with anything?" To me, Mr. Dylan, the man who wrote *The Lonesome Death of Hattie Carroll*, it means a lot and to you I'm sure it did too.



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A.J. Weberman to Bob Dylan: "When you've got a million f***** dollars there's other people out there who don't have it."

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by Ryan Nicholson

I am often asked questions which, in one way or another, pertain to deviations on a particular recipe. Statements such as, 'What should I do, garlic makes me break out in hives?' or, 'I hate mushrooms but the recipe calls for them!'

My answer is usually, "it depends", and it does depend, it depends on the recipe.

You can not have a chowder without the cream or the following recipe without the red wine, but the omission of haddock and the substitution of sole makes little or no difference to a chowder.

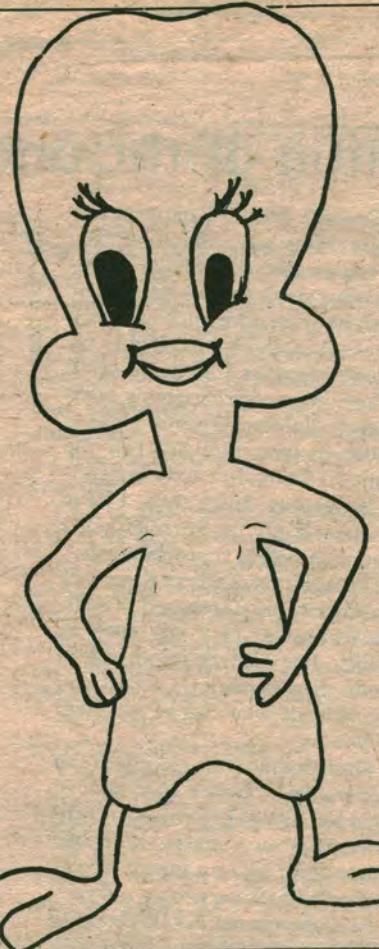
You must look at the recipe and think about the ingredient. The recipe I have given rests on two ingredients, notably chicken and red wine, the other ingredients are to add flavor or bulk.

If you are particularly fond of garlic add some more, or if you have run out of bay leaves don't

worry about it. Half the fun of cooking is being creative, adding your own personal touch to dinner. Just remember not to tread too far from the beaten path; even though the results may be admirable, the inexperienced cook more often has a disaster.

This recipe has an inherent goodness in it and for this reason lends its self to deviation, the addition of chopped celery only improves upon it, and the deletion of mushrooms does not destroy the dish. Another by-product of this recipe's inherent goodness is that it adapts well to quantity changes. It can be halved or doubled without any real problems.

As for the specific instructions directed at this recipe, I will clarify the first step which is the browning of the chicken. The idea is to seal the juices and the natural flavor. The reason for placing the pieces of skin side down is so you do not get confused as to which pieces have been turned and which have



not. During the cooking-time turn the pieces four to six times for even browning.

Add the other ingredients and while it is simmering you have ample time to prepare an accompaniment.

For this recipe I am suggesting buttered egg noodles. They come in packages much like pasta. The medium or large size would be appropriate for this recipe. Prepare them according to the manufacturer's directions, after they have been strained mix in one teaspoon of butter per serving. I find that I get four to six servings per package. You may want to add some sort of a herb to the noodles to liven up their flavor. Perhaps try $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon of tarragon per serving, it is one of my favorites.

A sprinkle of parmesan cheese over the noodles also improves the flavor.

Bon Appétite

CHICKEN IN RED WINE SAUCE

1 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 lb. chicken cut into serving pieces, salt and pepper to taste
2 tablespoons butter

$\frac{1}{4}$ pound chopped mushrooms
 $\frac{1}{4}$ cup chopped onions
1 teaspoon chopped garlic
2 tablespoons flour
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups dry red wine
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup broth
1 bay leaf
1 sprig parsley
 $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon dried thyme

- 1) Sprinkle the chicken pieces with salt and pepper.
- 2) Heat the butter in a skillet large enough to hold the chicken in one layer without crowding. Add the chicken pieces skin side down.
- 3) Cook the chicken pieces over moderately high heat until they are evenly browned, about twelve minutes.

- 4) Add the mushrooms, onions, and garlic and stir to blend. Cook about one minute and sprinkle flour evenly over all.
- 5) Add the wine and the broth and bring to the boil.
- 6) Add the bay leaf, parsley sprig, and thyme, and lower heat.

Simmer for fifteen to twenty minutes or until done.

Yield: four servings.



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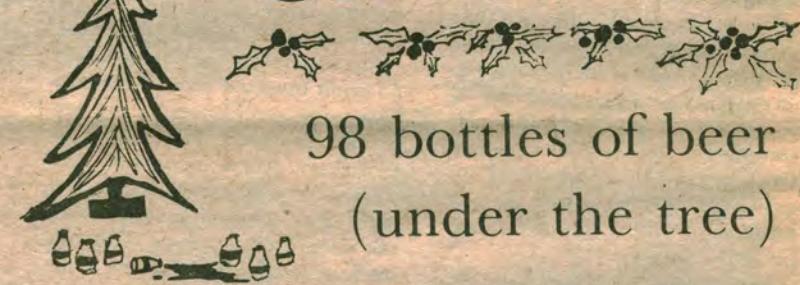
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Merry Christmas



98 bottles of beer
(under the tree)

by: Karen Neves

Christmas. Consider for a moment this word. Nine letters, two syllables, one word. Yet, it carries with it a meaning as personal and individual and subjective as every person on this earth.

Ideally, the concept of Christmas is fundamentally a religious one. It is the celebration of the birth of an historical figure, Jesus Christ, who lived in the Middle East approximately 2,000 years ago and was deified by a group of people known collectively as Christians.

In relatively recent times, however, Christmas has become something of a celebration of commercialism. I mean, take a walk downtown or simply sit in front of your television set and you will be assaulted by flashing lights, beautiful girls and toe-tapping jingles all screaming "buy, buy, buy!". Think about it as you whip out your cheque book or your credit card to buy your little brother a Pac-man cartridge or a Star Wars space ship model.

As you head home this Christmas to be with the people you love most, don't think about what you're going to put under the tree for them on December 25th. Think instead of the gift of love and happiness you're going to give them when you walk through the door. Think of the memories you'll treasure for the rest of your life.

Best wishes and have a very happy holiday. (Shut up and give me another beer, eh?)

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S.

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I like what I see! We really should get together and discuss our home province.... ASAP, Cherie!

PUBLIC NOTICE:
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by Stephen Shevoley

This week's question is, "What do you want for Christmas?"



Allison MacPherson, Janine Thibault, Loretta MacLellan and Debbie Crane - "An A in planning and control."



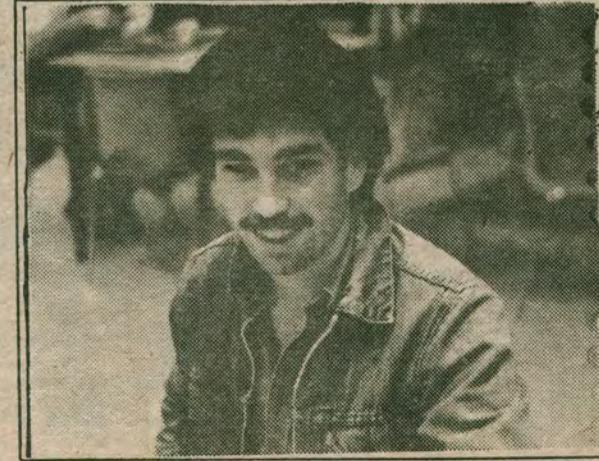
David Stewart and John MacPherson - "Linda Evans, dressed only in a red ribbon."



Heather Brokken and Maureen Sullivan - "Everything!"



Tony Valardo and Paul Kravis - "All we want for Christmas is the Me-Off twins."



Greg "Brewery" Campbell - "To graduate, and a two week drunk."

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R is for the Residence and things that go bump in the night.

I is for the Interview that gives us such a fright.

S is for the Saga food and satire and sense-of-humor. And oh, yeah, Santa Steve.

T is for scotch Tape, that is getting in the damn way when I open my Christmas presents.

M is for Mother, something Old, Broke and SIC never had.

A is for the Article without which we could not bring you pleasure and enjoyment every week. And things that go bang in the night.

S is for the Steves; Old, Broke and SIC. The time has come for us to leave, Steve, Steve and Steve. In us, you can believe. There is nothing up our sleeve. And now it is time to say with all our hearts... "MERRY CHRISTMAS" from "AN ARTICLE NAMED STEVE".



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SPORTS

Sports Editor—Geoff Locke

The Pack is back... another year of Basketball!!

The Huskies are the defending A.U.A.A. Champions and National Runnerup. They went undefeated at 32-0 against Canadian competition until the Victoria Vikings ended their streak in the championship game.

Head Coach Gary Heald has a relatively young team this year that will display a different brand of basketball, one that won't burn up the league upon impact but one that will be extremely effective when playoff time arrives.

The last time the Huskies lost to the Tigers was in home territory in the final league game of the 72-73 season. Dal won 64-60, then the Huskies buried them 84-54 in the playoffs and went on to win their first Canadian championship in Waterloo.

The nation's leading field goal shooter and Saint Mary's Rookie of the Year in 81-82, BIG 6'8" Rob Latter is back to dominate the boards and lead the pack in rebounding. Bob Oostveen is back after

a year's layoff and there's no doubt his experience will play a vital role in the Huskies 82-83 campaign.

Haligonian David Smith in his sophomore year is perhaps the Huskies best scoring threat after a freshman season of learning and practice, practice, practice...

Third year players Rod Buckland and Ralph Draws will provide essential maturity and poise to the young club. Another third year member of the Huskies is Mike Williams and he'll handle a major role as the schedule moves forward.

Newcomers Gary Bratty from Toronto, J.D. Golladay from Maryland, and Nick Briggs from Washington, D.C. will add spark and fuel to the campaign.

Local high school products B.J. Ross from Truro, John Murphy and Rob Rankin from Halifax have plen-

ty of talent to add in their rookie year.

On Saturday night, you're invited to go nuts with the Huskies... LITERALLY! Pairs of maroon & white walnuts in the shell will be on sale at 50¢ a pair. Rub the nuts together in the palms of your hands and what a racket! It's enough to drive the opponents nuts! (Fait accompli!)

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Don't forget your signs, and lots of the please! The Huskies are the best and we want them to know we believe in them... 150%!

Saturday's game is your ONLY chance to see the Huskies in action

before the Christmas break. Next home game is Saturday, January 15th in the Metro Centre vs. the St. F.X. X-Men.

The double victory on the weekend gave the Huskies a 2-1 league record on a 53-51 win over the U.N.B. Red Raiders and 86-51 over the Mt. A. Mounties. Five Huskies reached double figures in the Mt. A game... Ralph Draws (16), Mike Williams (12), Gary Bratty (11), and Bob Oostveen-Nick Briggs with 10 apiece. Rod Buckland and Rob Latter scored 14 points each in the U.N.B. game.

Remember Coach Gary "Linus" Healed with his "security" towel last year? Well... he has a personalized towel this year!

PERSONAL SPACE

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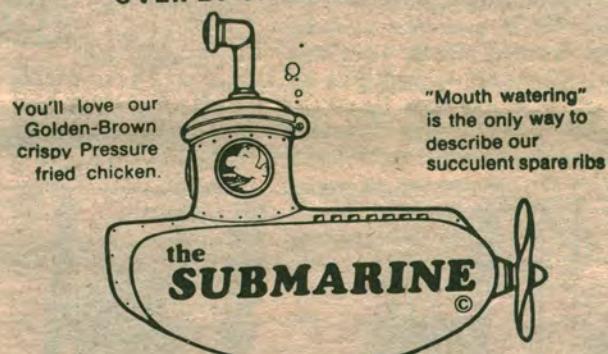
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by Robert Clark and France Boudreau

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Did he forget his snow-grabbing winter radials?... No!

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Rumor has it that Santa was working long hours last night in preparation for his long annual trek south. He bridled his reindeer at 7ish: little did the elves know it would be his last bidding. He kissed Mrs. Clause good night and was off. His destination was never reached the little hearts about the universe cried rivers of tears.

What happen to the reindeer?

Two are hanging off the top of the tower. Make that one. Three are lying about the ground. One is hit by a Boeing 747. Two can not be found (supposedly carried away by poor families in need of food (deer steaks)). The only survivor of horrible catastrophe was... Rudolf. He

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Seeing It As It Is

by Kevin McInnis

The National Hockey League season is just past its first quarter mark for 1982-83. Now that trends have begun to develop it is a good time to give each division a brief review. I will start with the Patrick division.

It is arguably the strongest division in the league with the Stanley Cup champion New York Islanders, the New York Rangers, the Philadelphia Flyers, the Washington Capitals, the Pittsburgh Penguins and the New Jersey Devils grouped in it.

New York Islanders – Prediction: First

Strengths – Everywhere you look this team is strong. It is strictly "North American" type of team.

They have several high scoring forwards (Brian Trottier, Mike Bossy, Clark Gillies); many hard working players (Bob Nystrom, Butch Goring, John Tennelli) and a very mobile defence (Denis Potvin, Mike McEwen, Stephen Persson). More importantly, however, they all realize there are two ends to a hockey rink which is rather unique today.

Weaknesses – Talent wise they have no weaknesses. Their only problem could be complacency and boredom.

New York Rangers – Prediction: Second

Strengths – The Rangers have developed a very unique offensive system. Forwards are permitted to roam freely over any part of the ice. This style of offense worked very well for them last year and should continue to work this year. Key men for the Rangers are Don Maloney, Mike Rogers and Anders

Hedberg. They all play this system well and all know where the net is.

Weaknesses – The type of offensive style they have developed sometimes allows the opposing team to spring two on one and three on two breaks. Their goaltending is inconsistent at best. A healthy John Davidson would help immensely.

Philadelphia Flyers – Prediction: Third

Strengths – The Flyers have Darryl Sittler to start off the year. They now have the two greatest inspirational leaders in hockey in Sittler and Bobby Clarke. They also have in Mark Howe something they have never had; a mobile defenseman.

Weaknesses – Age is catching up on many of the Flyers as the old guard is beginning to change. Outside of Mark Howe the defense is inconsistent, something which is very frustrating to the Flyer management because they definitely have the talent to improve in this area.

Washington Capitals – Prediction: Fourth

Strengths – This is the best team the Capitals have fielded in their eight years of existence. With Dennis Maruk, Bobby Carpenter and Mike Gartner they have very good offensive potential. Their defense is now anchored by the Montreal cast-offs Brian Engblom and Rod Langway. They could be the Capital's ticket to the play-offs.

Weaknesses – Inexperience at every position is Washington's biggest problem. Their goaltending is highly questionable as well.

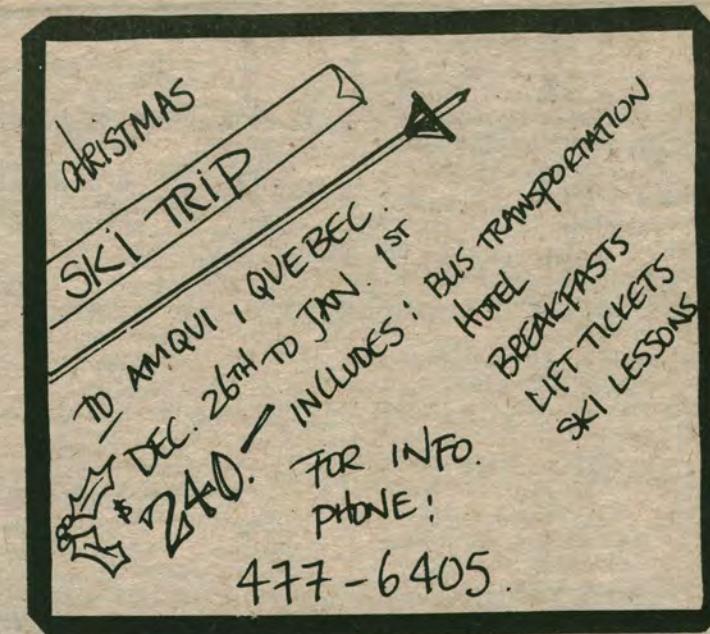
Pittsburgh Penguins – Prediction: Fifth

Strengths – A very strong offense with the likes of Rick Kehoe, Paul Gardner and Mike Bullard. They have very solid goaltending in Michel Dion. The Penguins have a very offensive minded defense with Randy Carlyle and Greg Hutham patrolling the blue line.

Weaknesses – Almost all of their forwards and defensemen lack defensive discipline. This is very surprising given the fact that their coach, Eddie Johnston, is a strong advocate of defensive hockey.

New Jersey Devils – Prediction: Sixth

Strengths – Glen Resch, Don Lever and Bob Macmillan are all classy veterans who may someday lead this team out of the woods. Not this year, however, as the Devils lack too much at every position to really be a factor in this tough division.



Hockey Huskies have long week

Huskie Captain Mike Kelly is in second place in the A.U.A.A. scoring race with 19 points on 2 goals and 17 assists, trailing Acadia's Paul Gallagher with 9 goals and 10 assists. X's top scorer is Kevin Cameron with 13 points on 7 goals and 6 assists, ninth in conference scoring with 10 other players including Huskie Cam MacGregor with an identical 7 goals and 6 assists record.

In the goaltending department, the Huskies have a decided advantage with All-Canadian Mark Locken third in league statistics with a 3.57 goals against average. St. F.X.'s trio of Kyle Ferguson, Tom Burke, and Paul Kenny have a combined 4.91 g.a. average.

The Huskies last game before the Christmas break is Saturday, December 4th at 2:00 p.m. in the S.M.U. Arena when they host the U.N.B. Red Devils in an attempt to revenge their 5-4 loss last Sunday in Fredericton.

AUHC Hockey Results

Nov. 23 SMU 3 DAL 2

25 UDM 14 STU 0

26 PEI 3 ACA 5
(overtime)
MTA 2 DAL 7

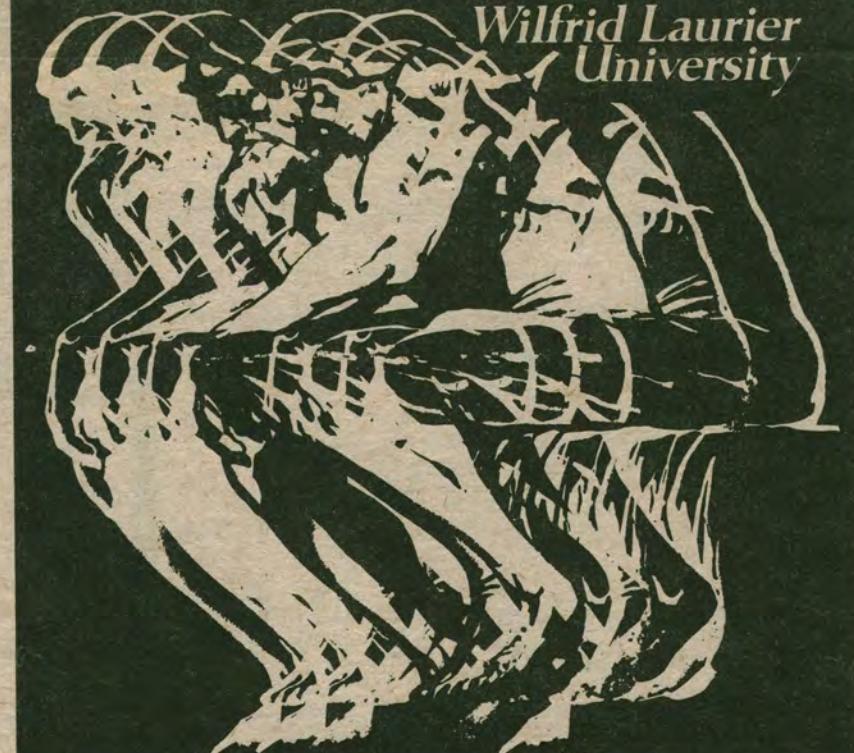
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(overtime)
SMU 10 STU 4
UDM 11 SFX 2

28 SMU 4 UNB 5
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Huskies get first win

by Carol Skillen

As I sat watching the Grey Cup Game on Sunday it brought to mind the women's basketball game I had watched on the day previous.

The SMU women were hosting the UPEI Panthers and the similarity between this game and The Grey Cup Game was the physical aspect of the game.

The first half saw Annelie Vandenberg introduced to the floor and whenever Michele Gaunce was on the court the UPEI girls did their best to impress her with some body checks that slightly resembled what you'd see in a hockey match.

Even with the numerous fouls (19 for UPEI-21 for SMU) it was still a game worth watching.

The St. Mary's women were ready for this game and played up to the standard expected of them.

With a little razzle-dazzle, dribbling and passing from Annelie Vandenberg and some excellent outside shooting by Tracy Vanier, SMU handily defeated UPEI 72-58.

All players worked well together with Sandra Mumford (who fouled in the second half) grabbing the top scoring place for SMU with 21 points.

Other high points for SMU were the rebounding by Karen McKellar and Lisa Janes. Another bright

spot for SMU was the capable playing by Michele Gaunce who continues to show her potential to be an important part of the SMU team in the future.

Final Stats:

UPEI - Rossiter 27; Karen Rowell 8; Anne Marie MacInnis 7; Donna Noonan 6; Sue Betts 4; Libby Baldwin 4; Dora Enman 2-58.

SMU - Sandra Mumford 21; Lisa Janes 14; Karen McKellar 14; Tracy Vanier 8; Annelie Vandenberg 7; Michele Gaunce 4; Maureen Houlihan 3; Darlene Thorne 1-72.

Game Highs

Points - Colleen Rossiter - 27 UPEI

Turnovers - Karen Rowell - 9 UPEI

Assists - Annelie Vandenberg - 5 SMU

Rebounds - offensive - Sandra Mumford and Karen McKellar 3 each defensive - Donna Noonan - 8 UPEI

Steals - Maureen Houlihan - 4 SMU

This game give the women a 1 win 1 loss record in league-play.

Next home game - Friday, Dec. 3rd, 6:00 p.m.

SMU vs UNB Red Bloomers

Womens Basketball Results

as of Monday, Nov. 29

Nov. 27	UPEI	58	SMU	72
28	MTA	40	MEM	70
	MTA	47	MEM	64
	UPEI	44	SFX	60

Standings

	W	L	FOR	AGST	PTS
DAL	4	3	1	293	184
STX	2	2	0	132	85
UNB	2	2	0	130	105
MEM	4	2	2	203	257
SMU	2	1	1	129	125
ACA	1	0	1	49	72
UPEI	2	0	2	102	132
MTA	3	0	3	128	60

Mens Basketball Results

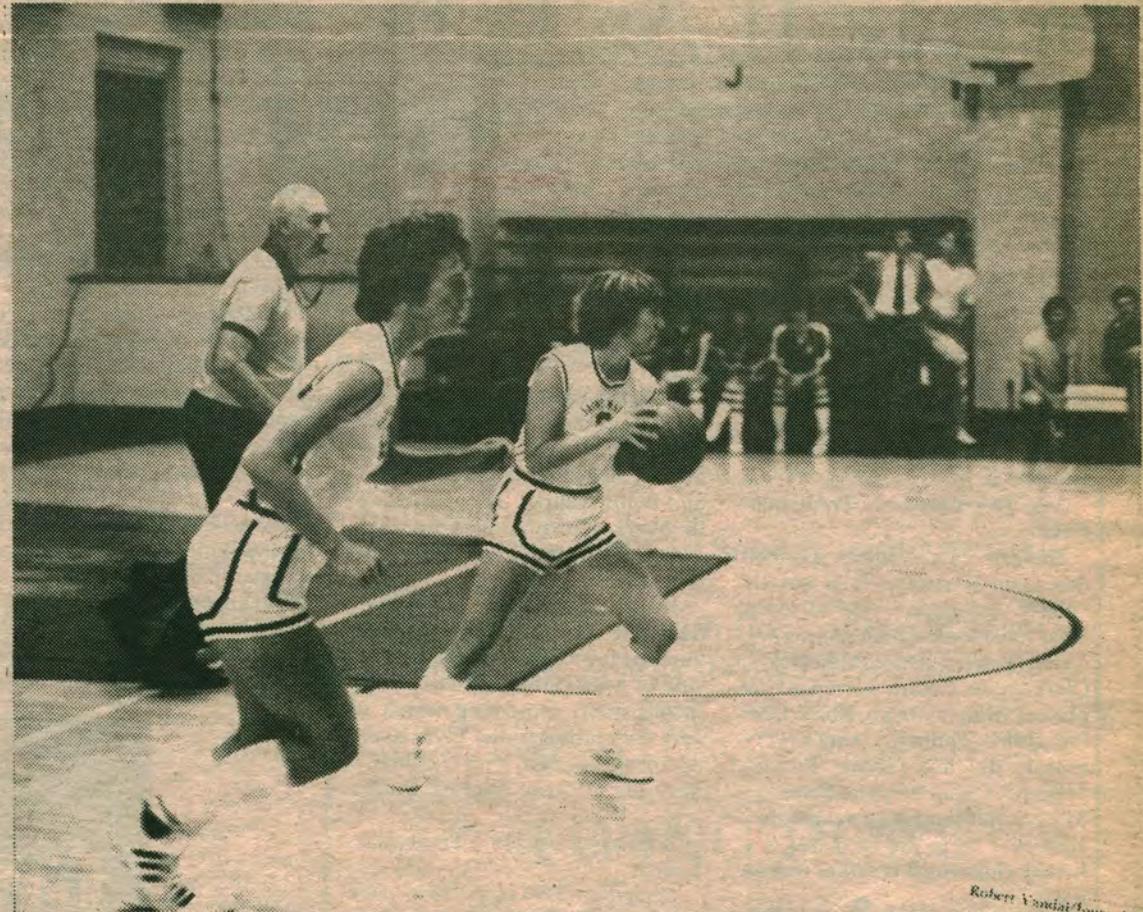
Nov. 23	MTA	82	UNB	96
	SMU	52	ACA	60
26	SMU	53	UNB	51
	SFX	90	PEI	79
27	SMU	86	MTA	51

Standings	GP	W	L	FOR	AGA	PCT
ACA	3	3	0	205	187	1.000
Dal	2	2	0	178	148	1.000
SFX	1	1	0	90	79	1.000
SMU	3	2	1	191	162	.666
UNB	4	1	3	292	295	.250
PEI	1	0	1	79	90	.000
MTA	4	0	4	271	345	.000

AUHC Hockey Results

Standings	GP	W	L	T	FOR	AGA	PTS
DAL	9	8	1	0	49	23	16
UDM	7	6	1	0	34	19	12
SMU	10	6	4	0	50	37	12
PEI	10	5	4	1	45	47	11
MTA	8	4	4	0	39	42	8
UNB	8	4	4	0	33	34	8
ACA	9	3	5	1	45	53	7
SFX	9	2	7	0	24	46	4
STU	10	1	9	0	44	82	2

Scoring	G	A	PTS
Paul Gallagher, ACA	9	10	19
Mike Kelly, SMU	2	17	19
Brian Gaulazzi	11	5	16
John Dallaire, STU	4	11	15
Blake Schryer, STU	7	7	14
Barry Trebilcock, STU	7	7	14



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